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Free pre-natal classes June 14

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 one 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, June 14, from 9:00 am to 10:00 am. 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.

Blood drive set for June 19

The Friona Community Blood Drive will be held Thursday, June 19 from 12 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall at 1500 Cleveland. All blood types are currently needed.

Every eligible donor who presents to donate will receive a free t-shirt. Donors will also be entered in a weekly drawing for a one-year supply of milk (52 gallons) courtesy of Plains Dairy.

Dairy Max will be handing out gallons of milk to all eligible donors.

Donors are required to have a photo ID or Donor Card and must be at least 17-years-old to donate. Donors that are age 16 may now donate with a signed parental consent form.

For appointments, please call 806-331-8800 or 1-877-574-8800.

The need is real. There is no substitute for blood. It can only come from volunteer blood donors. Support the patients of the High Plains Region by giving the gift of life.

Free nutrition seminar at PMC

On Thursday, June 19 at 2:00pm, Parmer Medical Center will be offering a free community health education on healthy eating. The speaker, Brenda Hoot, is the Nutritionist at PMC and will be presenting information on how to incorporate healthy eating into regular diets as well as special diets.

PMC is excited to announce that this is the first of a series of educational workshops Ms. Hoot will be offering throughout the remainder of this year. For more information regarding this event, please contact Heidi Eichenauer at Parmer Medical Center at 806-250-2754.

Clinic closed Saturday

Friona Rural Health Clinic is getting a computer update to meet the new Federal requirements related to the electronic medical record. This update is very complex and will begin on the evening of Friday, June 13th and be completed on Sunday, June 15th. Due to the computer down time, the clinic will not be open on Saturday, June 14th. If you are ill or injured and need emergency medical attention, please seek that care in the emergency department at Parmer Medical Center.



dana jameson photo

Walkers enjoyed a cool, cloudy Saturday morning as they showed their support for the Parmer County Cancer Coalition. There were approximately 30-40 participants and they raised \$2,000.

Police Chief Mooney resigns, vandalism reported

At the end of Monday's city council meeting, Police Chief Frank Mooney advised the council that he has resigned effective the first of July. Chief Mooney has been in Friona almost 18 months. He recently married a lady from Paris, Texas and plans to retire to Paris. City manager Patricia Phipps will begin the search for a replacement. The council expressed thanks for his service.

In other council business, a fence variance was approved for 711 Cleveland and a carport variance was approved for 1101 W. 5th St. It was noted

during the police department report that several instances of vandalism and theft have occurred in town.

The concession stand at the baseball park was broken into and all of the soft drinks, candy, etc. was stolen. Windows at the Redeemer Center on Virginia St. were broken with BBs and rocks. Thieves stole between \$12,000 and \$15,000 worth of tools and equipment from a trailer belonging to Terence Bunker that was parked behind the building at 717 Main St.

On his first day on the job, Officer Pedro Sanchez answered a domestic disturbance

call and was assaulted by a male subject. The fight broke Officer Sanchez's glasses before the subject was subdued and arrested. Chief Mooney told the council another theft was estimated at \$8,400 where among other items three TVs were stolen.

Police Lt. Isidro Jimenez will attend a conference in Corpus Christi in early July. Officer Sanchez has attended a narcotics school in Lubbock, and two other officers will attend a Highway Interdiction School in Irving in July. It was reported

ed that synthetic drugs are becoming more of a problem here in the city.

After a discussion the accounts payable and financial statements for May were approved. More details of the council meeting and what is happening in town can be found in Mayor Rick White's 'Mayor's Minutes' on page two.

The next meeting of the city council is Monday July 14 at 6:30 p.m. in council chambers at 619 Main St. All council meetings are open to the public.

Summer Drama Workshop plays selected

The annual Summer Drama Workshop will be held July 7 - 19. The cost is still just \$25 per student. Other donations are appreciated and can be mailed to the Friona Fine Arts Council, 801 W. 5th St., Friona 79035.

Registration forms will be available on the first day of the workshop. Prior registration is not necessary. Forms will also be available at the high school office for those who wish to register early.

The plays for this year's workshop have

been selected.

The elementary show, directed by Allison Johnston, will be "Princess Whatsername." It is described as a classic fairy tale setting, loads of exciting and hilarious roles to play, a variety of entertaining musical numbers and a plot full of mystery and adventure. Rehearsals are 9:00 a.m. to noon.

The junior high show, directed by Joy Morton, is "Granny Smythe goes to Washington." A jewel thief disguises herself as

famous pie baker Granny Smythe and attempts to fence the "hot" jewels. Rehearsal is 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.

The high school show, directed by Deirdre Long, is "Murder's in the Heir." Turn the game Clue into a play and you have the masterfully entertaining "Murder's in the Heir." Almost every character in this hilarious mystery has the weapon, opportunity, and motive to commit the unseen murder. Rehearsal time is 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Recent storms cause havoc in area

Mother Nature played havoc with the area this past weekend. High winds, lightning and rain covered the area from Friday evening through Sunday night. As storm clouds, boiled overhead tornado sirens were sounded on Saturday evening warning of the potential of violent weather.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative had a very long night Friday night as straight-line winds buffeted the area overturning center pivot sprinklers and snapping power poles causing disruptions of power and service to their customers.

DSEC Membership Services Manager Steve Horrell reported that there were outages

but the crews quickly restored power.

"We lost 110 poles," stated Horrell. "There are approximately 65 sprinklers that were laid over during the storm."

The area received approximately 5-10 inches of rain over the weekend and has helped a

very dry area green up.

There was an unconfirmed report from the owner of a pickup on Hwy. 385 south of Dimmitt that a pickup had been picked up by a possible tornado from his yard and landed in his neighbor's yard. The neighbor reported there were no truck tracks.

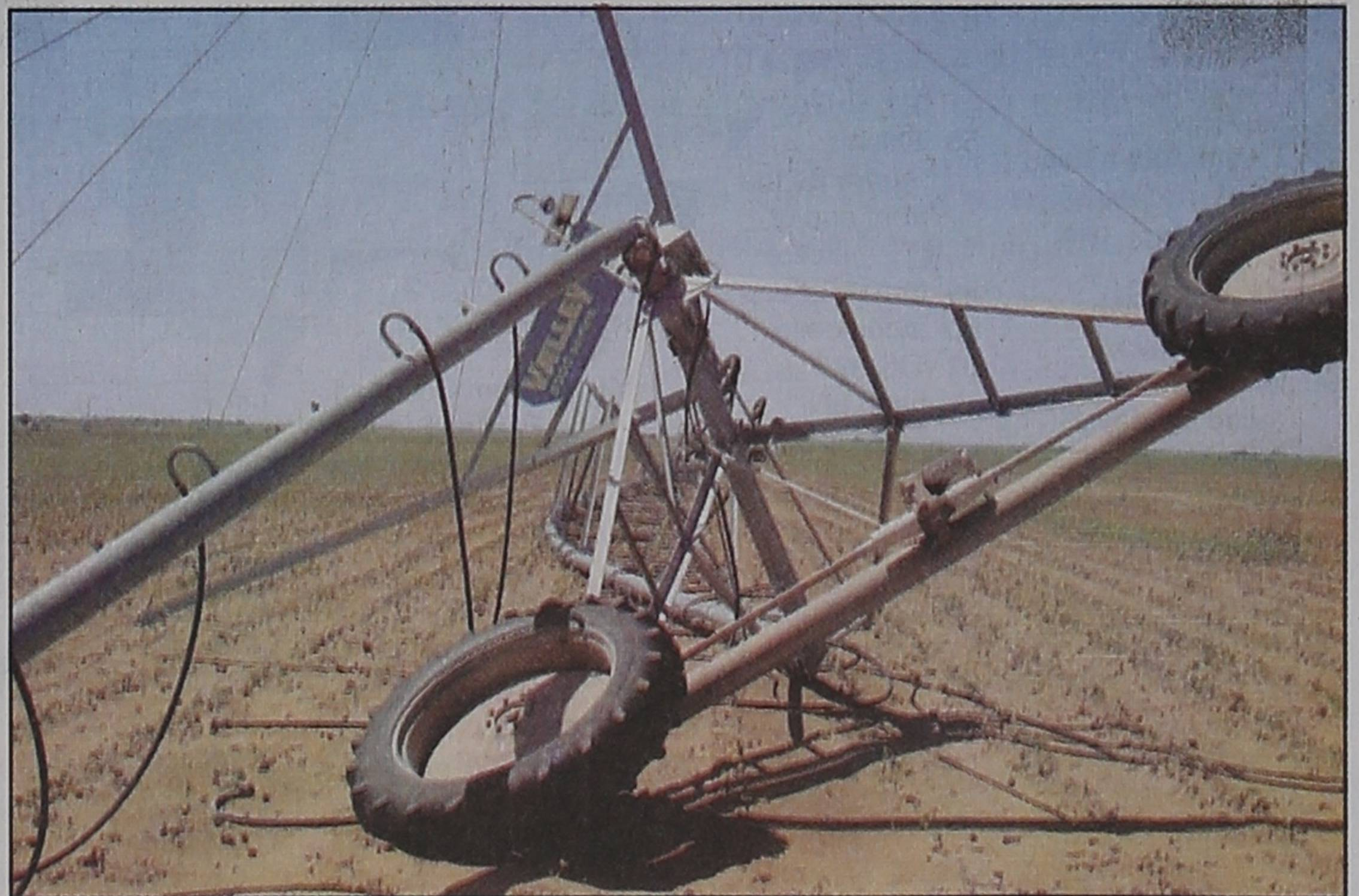


A flowering cactus photo by our friend and local veterinarian Dr. Gary Cash. You can follow Gary's photos on Facebook



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Straight-line winds were blamed for power poles being snapped during the storms that passed through the area Friday evening. Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative Membership Services Manager Steve Horrell reported that DSEC lost 110 poles.

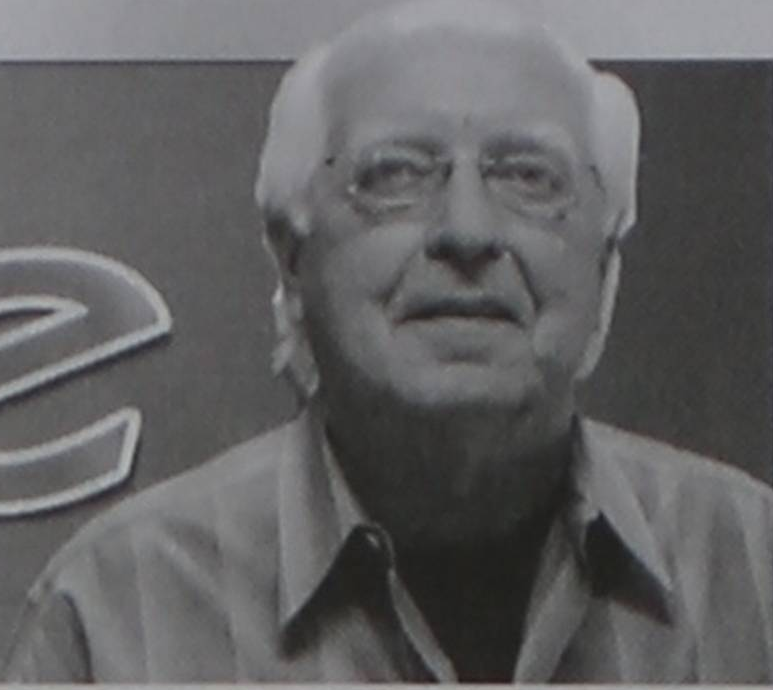


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Approximately 65 center pivot sprinklers were reportedly 'laid over' by the high winds due to the recent storms.

Out Here

By Ron Carr



Letters to the Editor

Ron:

I saw in the Amarillo paper about the passing of Coach Lehnick. I was in high school when Coach Lehnick came to Friona. He was the Jr. High coach, so I never played on a team that he coached. But, he was always around the football field or the gym. We had a good relationship for the duration of my high school years. Later, when I was in college I went to Panhandle to do my student teaching, I had ambitions of being a coach, and Coach Lehnick was my faculty advisor. I spent several weeks working with him in the various activities of high school athletics and came to respect him greatly. He was a good man, a good coach, and a good friend. He will be missed by all who knew him.

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

President Barack Obama
July 24, 2013 Galesburg, Illinois

ON YOUR PAYROLL

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and the d.c. beat goes on

Qatar. It is easy to spell but seems difficult to pronounce. With the endless discussion about Sgt. Bergdahl being swapped for five pretty mean terrorists, it is clear many TV pundits and politicians do not know how to pronounce Qatar.

I'm not sure where Qatar is. It is a small country, an Arab Emirate on the Persian Gulf, said to be the richest country in the world because of natural gas and oil. It is claimed that Qatar bribed folks and "bought" the 2022 World Soccer games for their tiny country. That is probably true. The rule of law often doesn't apply in Arab countries.

The five thugs we traded to the Taliban are said to be living in private villas in Qatar. Our esteemed Secretary of State John Kerry and former Secretary of State, Queen Hillary Clinton, says the released Taliban commanders are not a threat to the United States. Would not expect them to say anything else.

(If you get the idea I am not a Hillary fan you would be right.)

I have heard Qatar pronounced as Cutter, Gutter, Kat Tar, Kut Tar, and Kuh Tar. One website I searched said that regardless how us Westerners pronounce it we are not able to say it the way they do over there. It is described as a sort of guttural growl, like Gah ter. I prefer Katar, like guitar.

Speaking of Hillary, have you bought her book? It is called Hard Choices and the entire front cover is her face. She is on the TV interview circuit, hyping the book. So far she has been interviewed by liberal media females as far as I know. They haven't asked many hard questions and Hillary hasn't volunteered any hard answers. Maybe she can tell us how they went from dead broke when they left the White House to being worth more than \$100 million today.

I think the esteemed Mrs. Clinton is talking today to get most of the baggage out of the way early, before the 2016 election.

Some venture that she may not run because Chelsea is having Hillary's first grandbaby and she wants to be a sweet grandmother. If you believe that, you don't know much about Hillary Clinton.

If she were to become president she won't do anything for you that you couldn't do for yourself.

President Obama took credit for his decision to trade five Taliban for Sgt. Bergdahl. He made that clear in the Rose Garden with the parents. Then when the entire episode went sideways and blew up, he changed his mind and said Secretary of Defense Chuck Hagel made the decision.

One time they said they had to hurry the trade because Bergdahl's health was deteriorating and he might die. Then it changed to they were going to kill him if word of the trade leaked.

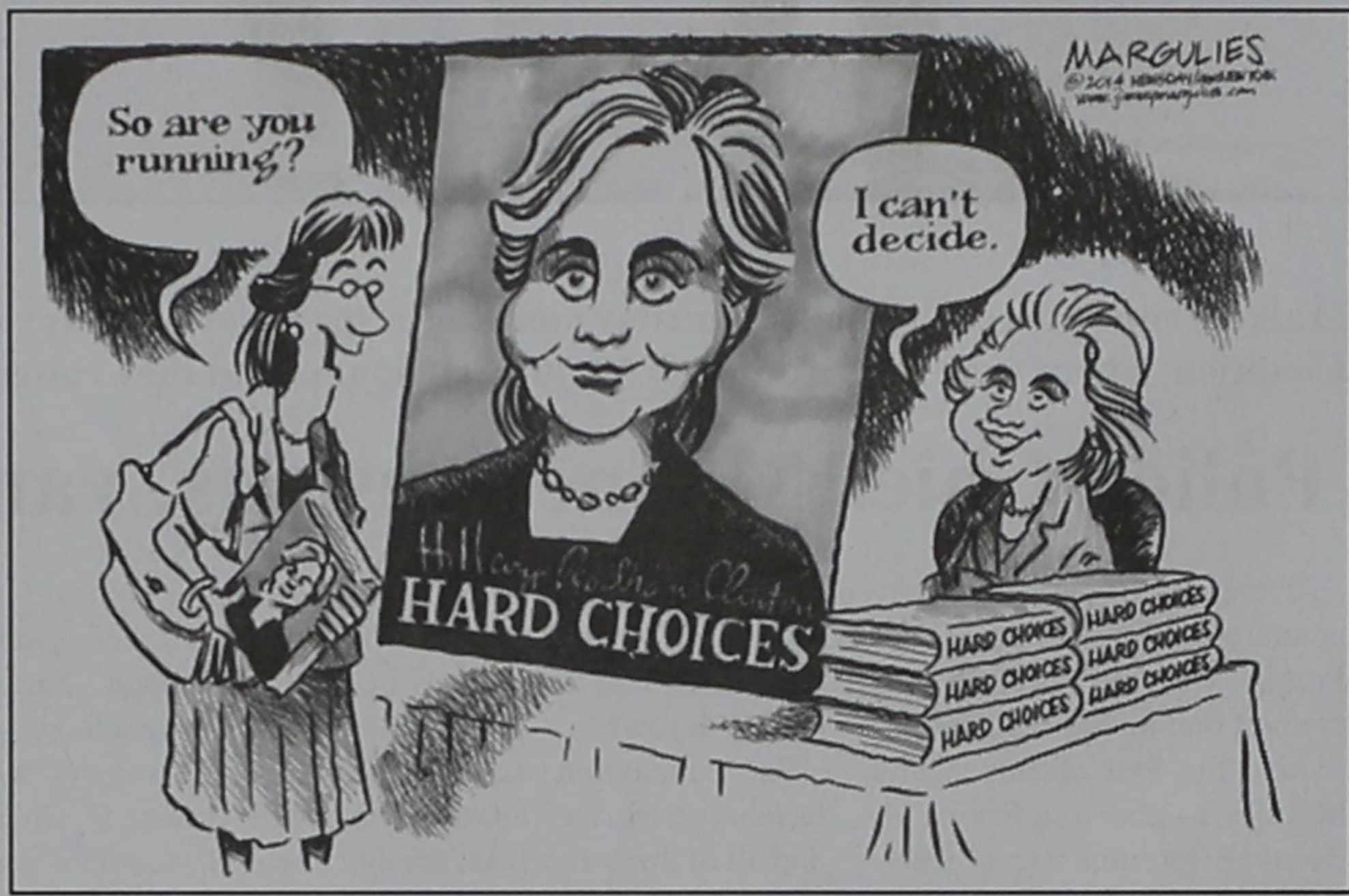
I have to admit that I do not believe anything President Obama says anymore and it's probably not going to change while he is in office. He is like MSNBC, everything is

George Bush or the Republicans fault. Too bad the Republicans don't step aside and let the president do what is best for everybody.

Obama is happy that the Bergdahl news knocked the Veteran's Hospital issue off the TV news for now. Don't be surprised if nothing major gets done to improve the Veteran's Hospital quagmire. Promising, investigating, then doing nothing, is the Obama administration MO.

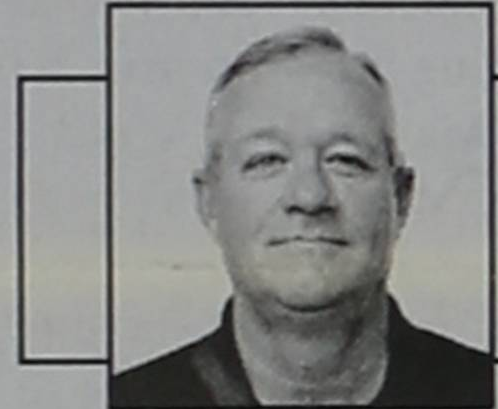
I call your attention to the box on this page with an Obama quote that the middle class is all he thinks about. The box will remain until Obama is out of office. I hope it is a reminder of how much he can be trusted or believed.

Then there are almost 100,000 illegal immigrant kids, many unaccompanied, that have made their way to the U.S., mainly Texas and Arizona. They need breakfast, lunch, and dinner, a shower, and clothes, and a place to sleep. Have not heard from Mr. Obama on this issue yet. Reckon we will?



Mayor's Minutes

by Ricky White



Highway 60 needs some attention. Many businesses have done a great job mowing the weeds down and I would like to thank them for doing so. It not only helps Highway 60 look neat and tidy, but it also makes the storefronts look much more appealing.

The north water storage tank renovation has been completed and the tank is back in operation. It took a little longer than expected, but this project is behind us and we are thankful for that.

TXDOT will be visible this

month taking surveys and placing signage up in an effort to be ready for the upcoming highway construction. We hear the construction may start sometime in June.

The city will begin the seal coat process this month. There will be a map of the city placed in the Friona Star to highlight the areas that will receive the seal coat.

The sand volleyball court has been completed and ready for play at the north park. Also, the public works employees have trimmed many of the trees and

cut out the dead limbs. A lot of work has gone into improving the looks of this park and the park is looking very good.

Chief Mooney and the police department were very busy in the month of May. There were 139 total stops made, 107 warnings issued and 28 citations issued. There were 21 total arrests: 6-warrants, 1-assault, 1-tampering with evidence, 1-public intoxication, 3-DWI, 4-no license, 3-drug possession, 1-carrying a weapon, and 1-criminal trespassing. There were another 13

crimes reported: 6-vandalisms, 1-fraud, 1-assault, 2-burglaries, 1-theft, 1-DWI, and 1-disorderly conduct.

Emergency Medical Service had a total of 25 runs: 12-911 calls, eight transfers and five no transfers. The EMS billed out \$14,778.74 for ambulance service.

The Library had 1165 patron visits in the month of May. There are 18 people currently studying ESL and eight people are studying to receive their GED. Darla Bracken and the Library Advisory Board have a

host of activities and programs planned for the kids this summer. They always do a great job each summer keeping the kids involved and making it fun.

The swimming pool opened up on June 3 and 174 kids enjoyed the opening day of swimming.

The city pumped 24,979,000 million gallons of water, sold 18,528,000 gallons of water and billed \$76,822.49. This is considerably higher than previous months mainly contributed to warmer weather

and residents are beginning to water their yards on a consistent basis.

The Volunteer Fire Department received seven fire calls: 1-car wreck, 1-railroad ties were on fire, 1-assist EMS, 1-mutual aid, 1-business reported smoke odor, 1-resident fire, and 1-gas meter broken.

Lastly, Judge Campbell had 44 new cases with 42 cases of trial by Judge, 12 cases were dismissed and 4 juvenile cases. The court collected \$9, 952.95 in fines.

Your Mayor

- ACROSS**
- 1 org. for TX golfer Kathy Whitworth
 - 5 "The Tyler Rose," Campbell
 - 6 Valley plant
 - 7 TX Larry McMurry's "Lonesome _____"
 - 8 TX-Mex prison mafia: "La _____"
 - 9 TX Judy Nelson had a relationship with this Navratilova
 - 16 Texas birth _____ is dropping
 - 18 TXism: "mad as _____ rooster"
 - 21 TX Buddy Holly hit: "Rave _____"
 - 22 TXism: "got a heart as big as Texas"
 - 23 TXism: "_____ pilot" (preacher)
 - 24 what politicians seem to lack?
 - 30 longing for the "good old days"
 - 34 "Windy City" state (abbr.)
 - 35 TX "_____ roast"
 - 36 "The eyes of Texas are _____ you . . ."
 - 37 TX Gene Tierney '45 film: "A Bell for _____"
 - 39 UT stadium had this surface from 1996 to 2008 (2 wds.)
 - 43 this TX Richardson won NCAA title at Univ. of Arkansas
 - 44 Cottle Co. seat
 - 45 Austin band "Asleep _____ the Wheel"

- 46 church benches
 - 47 Mark 10:25: "it is easier for a _____ go through the eye of a needle than . . ."
 - 49 this Frank was in '63 film "4 for Texas"
 - 52 Cowboy & Texan scores
 - 53 TXism: "mighty fine"
 - 54 TXism: "I'd have _____ better to die"
 - 55 saved
 - 58 TXism: "heavy as the front end of _____ Deere"
 - 59 female sheep
 - 60 automobile
 - 61 TXism: "_____ your hand at it"
- DOWN**
- 1 "Copperas Cove _____ Press"
 - 2 annual Coleman Co. event: "Fiesta de la _____"
 - 3 Trinity Co. seat
 - 4 side of ship sheltered from the wind
 - 9 29th governor: "_____ Ferguson"
 - 10 NE neighbor of TX
 - 11 what a TX train runs on
 - 12 Caribbean soft drink
 - 13 Comanche, e.g.
 - 14 dir. from Coleman to Eastland (abbr.)
 - 15 paid spaces in the Groveton News
 - 17 TXism: "loud _____ wake the dead"
 - 19 USS Texas supported landing on this island in WWII
 - 20 before pantyhose
 - 24 Esther of '51 film "Texas Carnival" (init.)
 - 25 bad golf hole score
 - 26 TXism: "in a _____ of trouble"
 - 27 whole, undamaged
 - 28 Mexican city across from El Paso: "_____ Juarez"

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Town Talk II

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Happy Father's Day to all of you dads out there. I sure love my kids and know you do too.

Nice to have more rain over the weekend. The area has received over five inches of rain during the last month. Saturday night's rain brought along some hail and tornado sirens. There was crop damage according to local insurance agents. But no damage to roofs and vehicles this time. Firefighters and law enforcement were out late Saturday as weather observers.

The rain was enough for the county commissioners to lift the burn ban. At their Monday Meeting they lifted the burn ban indefinitely. In other business the commissioners approved a resolution to support New Mexico Counties Association to sue regarding the lesser prairie chicken listing decision.

On May 19 Ruby Hassenpflug celebrated her 94th birthday. She had a party and 23 people attended from Amarillo, Canyon, and Phoenix. Ruby has four children (two living) nine grandchildren, 22 great grandchildren, and nine great-great grandchildren. She has

been staying with her daughter in Hereford for a couple of months recovering from a broken foot but is back home now. Happy birthday Ruby.

On June 17 Clay and Tamela Bandy will celebrate their 36th anniversary. Tamela came in this week with a photo of her newest grandbaby, a daughter born to her son Joe. Her baby announcement is in this Star. Hard to believe Joe Bandy is 33 now and I remember him as one of my favorite Chieftain football players. Joe and his family live in Red River, NM.

Vacation Bible School at First Baptist Church is next week, June 16-20 from 9:00 a.m. to noon. Completed kindergarten through completed fifth grade are invited. A bus will be available. Register Monday at 8:30 a.m. or call the church at 250-3933.

Cindy Blake Carr, my former wife and mother to our kids Zac and Megan, died peacefully early Tuesday morning at Denton's Presbyterian Hospital. Cindy suffered a long time with diabetes and other related problems. She had been in a

rehab facility and the hospital for several weeks and had been on dialysis for years. A kidney transplant a couple of years ago failed. She was a positive person that fought a long battle but has now found peace.

The Methodist youth choir, Spirit Wind, will perform at the Methodist Church Tuesday June 17 at 8:00 p.m. The choir is made up of youth from around the area. Our own Holly Johnston is a member. Everyone is invited.

A little bird told me Jody and Dee Lewellen celebrated their 25th anniversary. Actually it wasn't a little bird, I spotted the news on Facebook. Congrats Jody and Dee.

Friona police chief Frank Mooney announced his resignation to the city council Monday Night. Chief Mooney said he is retiring and moving to Paris, Texas, where his wife Nita has a home.

Former Friona resident and graduate Rory Brito was injured in a motorcycle accident and is recovering in Odessa. Compound fracture of left leg

above ankle and road rash. Take care and get well Rory.

Parmer County Judge Trey Ellis attended a probate school in Galveston last week. He and wife Tracy stopped in Ft. Worth on the way to visit kids and grandkids. County veterinarian Dale Schueler attended an Emergency Management Conference for Hoof and Mouth Disease at Texas A&M.

It was noted at the city council meeting that the city swimming pool has been busy. They said that 179 kids visited the pool the first day it was open and another 134 the second day.

Found this interesting: for the George Strait concert at the Cowboy's AT&T stadium, they put up a bunch of extra cell phone towers inside to handle all of the Smartphone texts, photos, etc. They said 105,000 people attended. Some folks I know around here that were going to the Paul McCartney concert Saturday in Lubbock got some disappointing news. Sir Paul postponed his Lubbock concert until October 2. He got sick and postponed several US concert dates.

Received a subscription renewal from former residents Joy Graham in Lubbock and Virginia & Dub Cleveland of Mesquite. Thank you all for renewing and keeping up with Friona town.

Gigi Spring called to say she received a scam letter supposedly from Publisher's Clearing House, that she had won some big money. A "check" was enclosed which she as supposed to cash and send some of it to a fictitious address. She took it to

a local bank which determined it was a fake and a scam. Good time to remind folks, especially our elderly, to beware of people making big promises and asking for your personal financial information. If it walks like a duck it's probably a duck.

Thursday June 19 is the next Friona Blood Drive at Calvary Baptist Church. Noon Lions will be serving burgers and fries for donors. We are told that Dairy Max will be there and give each donor a gallon of milk, plus you get a t-shirt and entered in a drawing for local restaurant gift cards. Details are in the ad elsewhere in this Star. Give the gift of life. Thanks.

The H.K. 'Pudge' Kendrick Memorial golf tournament still has a few openings but not many. The tournament is June

21-22 at Friona Golf Club. Call 250-6310 to sign-up.

Congratulations to young Mr. Haden Smiley who was named Outstanding Soloist at the UIL State Solo & Ensemble contest for the 2nd year in a row. His parents are Kim and Mitchell Smiley. Haden will be an FHS senior next year so he will be going for a threepeat. Allison Johnston sent us this Haden blurb. Thanks!

A lot of folks like to send us 'blurbs' and we appreciate them. If you have meetings coming up send us details. Awards, vacations, anniversaries, and local events are most always printed in the Star. Help us keep up with life in this small town. With any luck we will be back next week. Until then!

Country Thoughts
dana jameson



My favorite weather person

It is official...after last weekend's storms I have become my Aunt Bessie.

When I was growing up my mother would tell stories about my Aunt Bessie and her fear of storms. We would all laugh and wonder why she was so afraid of storms.

My Uncle Leon and Aunt Bessie lived in Frederick, Oklahoma. She was the 'lunch lady' at the local school and her specialty was the best cobblers in the country. He was a carpenter who worked long days and made a good life for his family.

Aunt Bessie always had a smile for everyone and reminded me of Aunt Clara on 'Be-witched'.

However, that smile would fade when tornado season came around. It was replaced with a wary eye on the sky.

Aunt Bessie could spot a dark cloud floating in the distance long before any weatherman could predict a storm. Upon seeing that one cloud she would 'hightail' it to the basement or cellar (they had both) where she would stay until she thought it was safe. This could be minutes or hours or, if needed, overnight.

Uncle Leon had used his carpentry talents to make both the basement and cellar more like a

home away from home. He put in shelves and carpet as well as a sofa and a cot (just in case). There was a small refrigerator so if you were down there for any time at all you could enjoy one of Aunt Bessie's cobblers and a cold beverage.

I mention the cobbler again because she always had one in the house and would grab it as she was running for safety.

We had gone to visit one weekend during the summer and had giggled about the legend of Aunt Bessie. Upon arrival at their house, we noticed that the clouds were building. After quick hello kisses and hugs, Aunt Bessie disappeared.

She reemerged after an hour or so because the clouds and rain had passed and she felt safe.

For me the past few years, and especially this past weekend, have proven that maybe Aunt Bessie was right to hide from the weather.

While I was married, we had a neighbor with a basement that did not resemble a basement. That made the fact that there were no windows a bit easier to take.

I have rode out plenty of bad storms alone in the last few years and have found that wherever I live I make sure there is a

safe place when the weatherman predicts storms.

Last weekend I found that my son's bedroom closet is the perfect hiding place when the tornado sirens go off. It is big and roomy, even though it is not a basement or cellar, and has enough room for a small family.

Unlike my Aunt Bessie, I do not really like basements or cellars. Too many bad memories of damp, musty, spider-infested cellars come to mind.

I don't know which is worse: to be blown away by a tornado or dealing with an enclosed space with spiders and other creepy crawlies.

Nevertheless, I do fear storms and sometimes wish I had the furnished basement so I could grab the cobbler and hightail it for cover.

Now I just need to keep a cobbler ready for those days.

This weekend is Father's Day and a time to celebrate the Dad's in our lives.

Whether you serve him breakfast in bed or indulge his love of food cooked over an open fire, enjoy your time with him.

The greatest gift I've ever had came from God and I call him Dad!

Happy Father's Day!

What Fathers Mean to Us

F is for our own sweet Father, (Daddy), who loves and loved us and always wanted the best for his children

A Our Father's Attitude about life is where we mostly learned our attitude about life. If he enjoys having fun, so will we, if he enjoys people, so will we, if he is a happy person, chances are we can be too.

T Daddy is and was our teacher concerning jobs, work ethics, government, how to balance a check book, play baseball, relate to each other and to be honest in our dealings with others.

H Can you remember your Daddy's Helping Hands?

E Daddys are every little girl's and boy's hero

R is responsibility. Daddy taught us to be responsible for the task before us, to do the best we can in all things, to be responsible citizens to our country, church and community, and to be responsible for our actions.



We are grateful to our father's past and present and hope you all have a wonderful Father's Day. Thank you for what you've given us.

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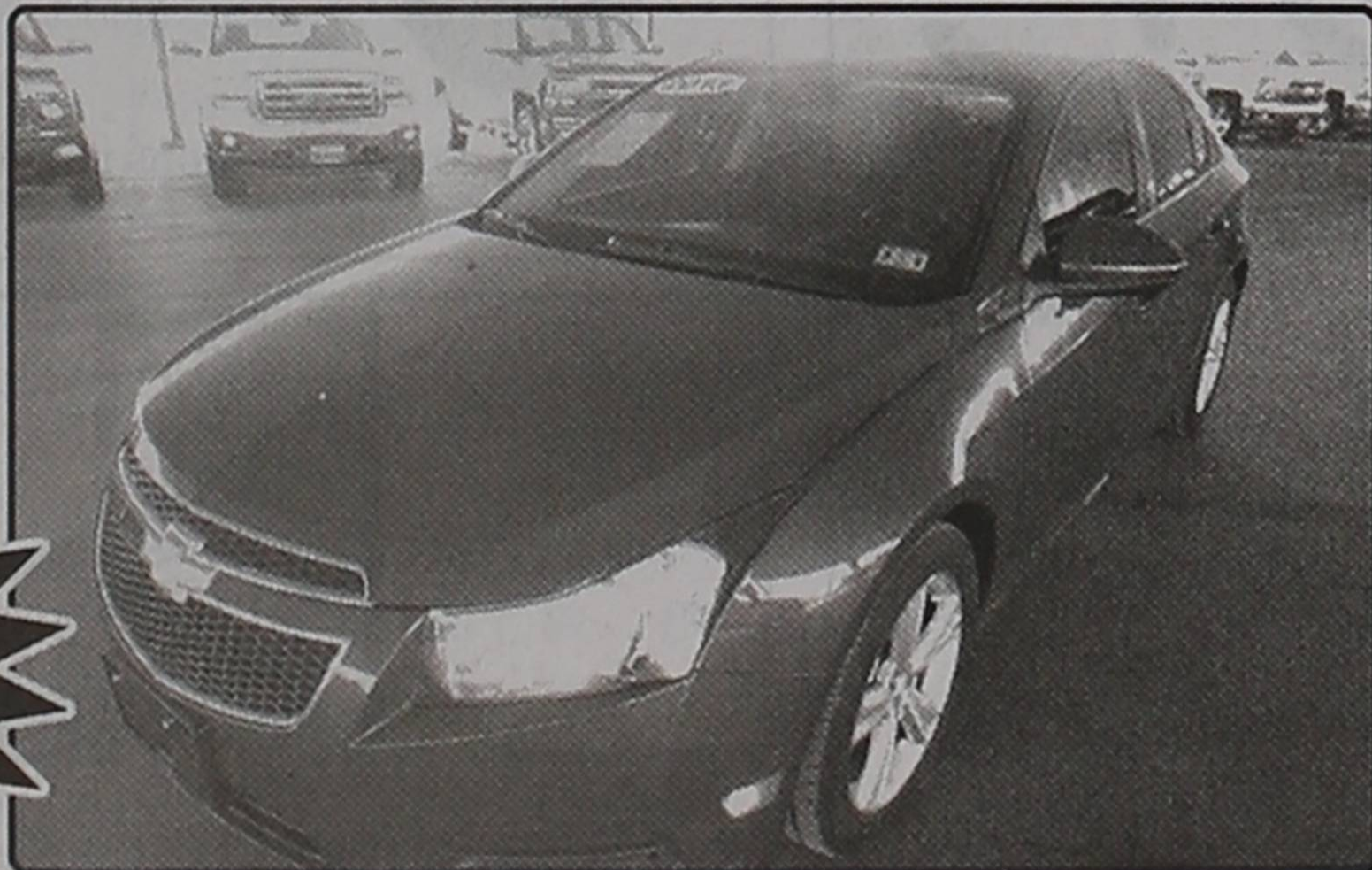
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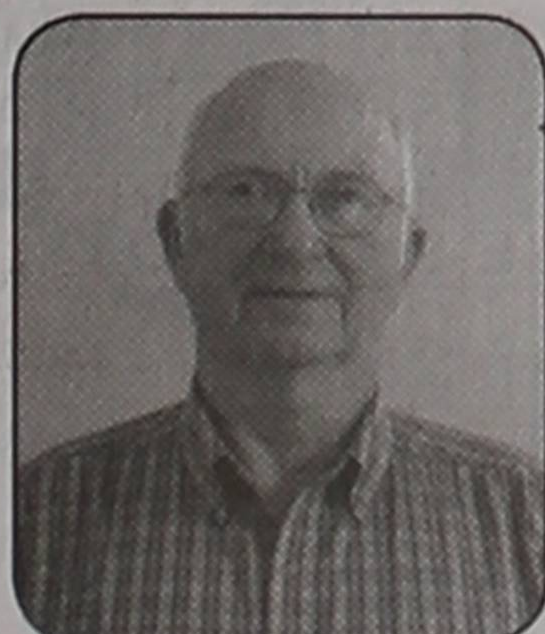
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June 15-21

(To add, delete or change a name on our birthday list, please call us at 250-2211 or e-mail to frionastar@wtrt.net.)

June 15-LaVelle Lillard, Lynn Hutson, Tonya Potts Harmon, Danny Putman, Shannon Hurst, Patty Haile

June 16-Glen Schueler, Lucille Eastep, Lacey Drake Rogers, Geneva Braillif, Logan Cheyenne Widner, Malina Williams, Jennifer McClure, Jessica McClure Peace

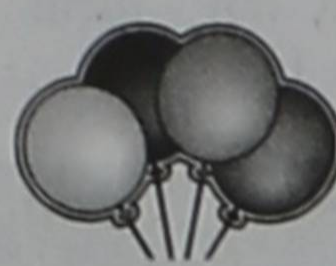
June 17-Courtney Horton, Danny Hand, Bart Blackburn, Johnny Spring, Rick Taylor, Oscar Schlenker, Kirby Frye, Joshua Burleson

June 18-Marilyn Ridley, Monty Allen, Katy Weatherly, Nita Clark, Willene Grundy, Shauna Stokes, Casey Sims, Sherry Stover, Marilyn Moore, Randy Chavez, Christine Gomez

June 19-Wedia Sanders, Wayne Kube, Karen Zachary, Perry Allen Hanes, Mickie Herring, Yolanda Garza, Robert Hayes, Randi Stokes, Jacquelyn Campbell, Brandon Trevino, Sunny Constance Bowden, Cailee Carthel, Tim Wales, Bill Fairweather

June 20-Nora Martinez, Michelle Nichols Day, Chris Hunt, Debra Cooper, Betty McClaran

June 21-Izzy Cordova, Travis Auderer, Joey Bentley, Cody Snyder, Myles Moore, Sheldon Kyle Reeve, Mark Zagorin, Miranda Alexander, Shelby Easley



Putting It All Together

Melanie Gallman Braun

There is more to being healthy than being physically fit. There are six components of health and wellness—physical health, mental health, spiritual health, social health, emotional health and environmental health. You must take care of all six to be truly healthy. Each of these components interacts and contributes to your quality of life.

Physical health is eating right, exercising, and being able to do daily activities without undue fatigue or physical stress. Physical health also includes removing destructive behaviors.

Mental health is being able to cope with normal stresses of life and recognize reality. Self-esteem and maintaining a positive outlook are important to mental health.

Spiritual health is having spiritual direction and purpose and living according to one's ethics, morals and values.

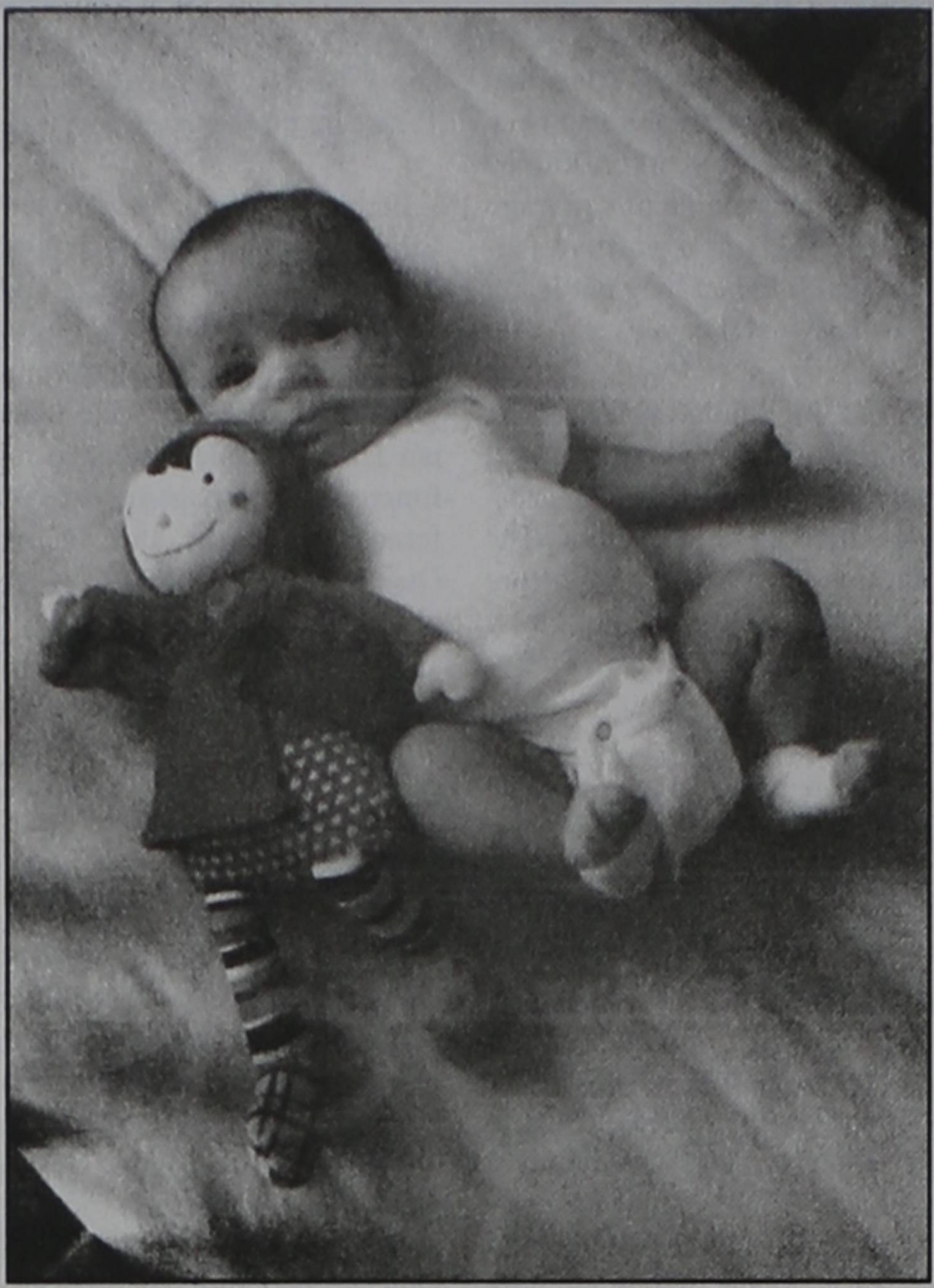
Social health is the ability to successfully interact with others and one's personal environment and establish and maintain relationships.

Emotional health is expressing emotions in an appropriate, positive, and nondestructive way. In other words, acknowledging and sharing feelings of anger, fear, sadness or worry; hope, love, joy and happiness in a productive manner.

Environmental health is recognizing your responsibility to Mother Nature. Our stewardship of clean air and water, safe food, and proper use of land should promote a healthy community in which to live.

Can we be 100% in each of the areas at any one time? No, that's not realistic. But, we can choose healthy behaviors and balance that move us closer to the 100% mark. Optimal health allows us to enjoy life to its fullest.

New Arrival



Tyler Madelyn Bandy

Clay and Tamela Bandy are proud to announce the birth of their granddaughter Tyler Madelyn Bandy. She was born April 3, 2014 in Taos, New Mexico.

Tyler's parents are Joseph and Marisa Bandy.

Tyler weighed 5 lbs. 14 oz. and was 18 inches long.

Her great-grandparents are Ruby Hassenpflug and Patsy and Eugene Bandy.

Friona JH top ten announced

Friona Junior High School Principal Mark Sundre recently announced the 2013-14 top ten students in the 8th grade class.

10th-Laura Sanchez; 9th-Matthew Dickson; 8th-Erica Barrera; 7th-Briana Padilla; 6th-Trushar Patel; 5th-Hadley White; 4th-Lydia Alexander; 3rd-Edvin Tzunux; 2nd-Stephanie Corralez; and 1st-Brooklynne Johnston

"Congratulations to these fine students for their academic achievement," stated Sundre.

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Sheriff's Report

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On May 19, 2014, in 287th District Court with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

Jacob Gonzales, 24, of Friona, was charged with a violation of community supervision (assault), and was sentenced to community supervision revoked, one year in the Parmer County Jail with \$75 in court costs and \$5,000 restitution.

Courthouse Notes

Warranty deeds as reported by the County Clerk's Office for the week of May 29, 2014 to June 4, 2014:

Pallatex-Blue Sky Farms, W/2 S19 Blk H Thomas Kelly E/2 S19 Blk H Thomas Kelly.

Western Mortgage LP-James Chadwick and Tanya Chadwick, W25' L6-9 B98 Farwell.

Mary Helen Damron Estate-SD Farms, NW/4 S4 T6S R3E.

Lina Gomez Herrera-Rosario Garria, Domingo David Benito Mejia, Cirilo Ruiz Gutierrez and Rene Ruiz Portugues, L4 B76 Friona.

Jane P. Morris-Glen Orear and Tammy Orear, L4-6 S4.8' L3 B27 Farwell.

Carol Scott, Ken Jamerson, Ricky Jamerson, Kelly Jamerson and Lawrence Jamerson Testamentary Trust-Cotton River Cattle Company, NW S31 T6S R3E.

Lydia Wyly and James Alan Wyly Testamentary Trust-Cargill Meat Solutions Corporation, NW 4 Acres NE/4 S29 T1N R4E.

City of Friona-Cargill Meat Solutions Corporation, NW/4 S18 T4S R4E, NW/4 N80 Acres N/3 4 S13 T3E R3E.

Lydia Wyly, Gerall A. Wyly and Joseph E. Norsworthy III-City of Friona, NE/4 S29 T1N R4E.

Raymond Lewis Hamilton, Alan Dwayne Hamilton, Linda Diane Hamilton and Randie L. Hamilton-City of Friona, S/2 S29 T1N R4E.

Charles Edward Dannheim, Elizabeth Mae Young, Patrica Ann Cleaver and Peter Raymond Dannheim-William Henry Dannheim, Linda Fipps, Evon Levisse and David Ray Dannheim, L11-14 B29 OT Farwell.

Harrison W. Wellman II and Madison K Wellman-Rachel Mary Rodriguez, S/2 L5 All L6 B3 Drake.

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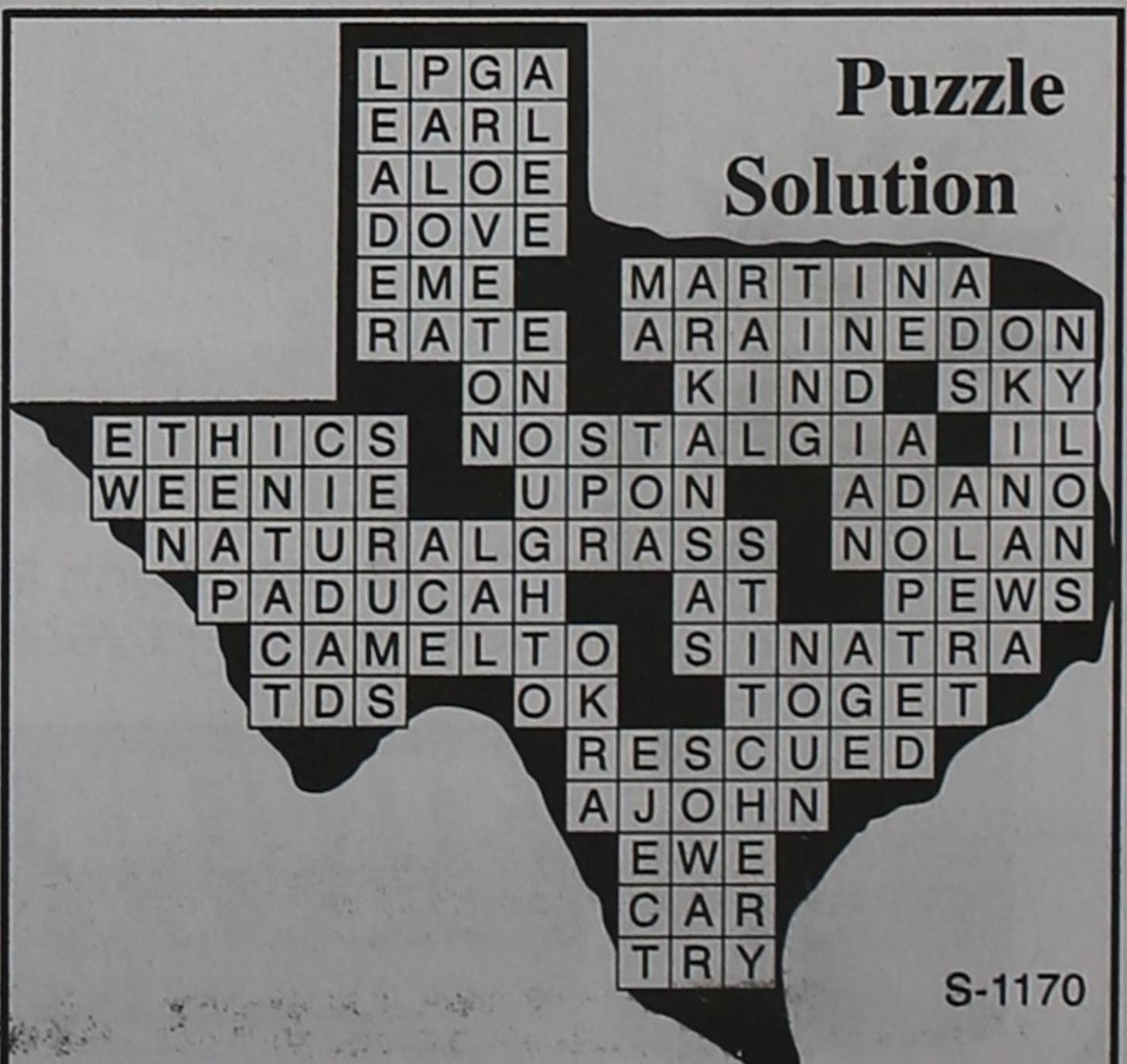


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What is in a name? There are many names used to call someone a father. Fathers in many cases are increasingly rare. It is not that there are less fathers in our world, just less present in the lives of their children. Masculinity in our culture has come under attack and many men have stepped out of the game and on to the sidelines. That being said, there are also many men who would love to be the father of their children, but circumstances thwart that desire.

So keep these men in your prayers: Those who can be dad to their children, to do so well. Those who do not desire that responsibility, for their hearts to change. For those who have been denied the privilege give them peace and opportunity.

So what makes up a Dad?

D- A dad is one whose dedication and devotion is not merely a pay check and pat on the head. They are part of the lives of their children and their wife. That dedication provides emotional, physical and spiritual stability, because dad is a constant not a variable. His devotion is expressed in his love, and that love comes from Father God himself.

A- A dad is aware. He is aware of the victories of his children, as well as, their struggles. He is aware of what provokes them and what encourages them. He is aware because he is there. His awareness of his children's needs helps him equip them for the future.

D A dad is a doer. He does what he says. His yes is yes and His no, no. His actions teach little boys how to treat a lady. His actions teach little girls what to look for in a husband. His actions often will speak for themselves, but sometimes words are necessary too and I love you should be at the top of the list.

In just these three your kids will see God. God is dedicated to His kids, He is aware of our needs, and He keeps His promises. So be a D.A.D. and let them see God. Happy Father's Day.

Dangerous Deceptions Regarding Your Words

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Can you finish this saying, "Stick and stones may break my bones, but words..." If you said "will never hurt me," you are correct, but if you believe this then you are greatly amiss. One of the most dangerous deceptions is that your words don't matter, and you should be able to speak your mind whenever and wherever. God says, "Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruits," (Prov 18:21). What you say does matter because your words impact people in big ways. Maybe you remember harsh words from a parent or spouse that have scarred you deeply, or you may be able to recall someone who gave extra encouragement to you that hit the spot at a crucial time in your life. Whatever the case, words said to you, and by you matter.

Next, understand that you will be held accountable for what you say. Matthew 12:36-37 is crystal clear that "people will give account for every careless word they speak, for by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned." You may think nobody is listening, but God is. He is listening to every foul word, putrid phrase and off color joke, but He is also listening for you to call out to Him for salvation and daily to call out to Him in prayer. (For more on this topic visit www.fbcfriona.com & the message dated March 23, 2014.)

Send your church news to the
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frionastar@wtrt.net

OBITUARIES

Ruth Elizabeth Renner

Ruth E. Renner, 94, of Friona, died on Wednesday, June 4, 2014 in Hereford, TX. Graveside services were held at 1:30 PM on Saturday, June 7, 2014 at Shattuck Memorial Cemetery in Shattuck, OK. Arrangements were under the direction of Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home in Friona, TX.

Ruth was born on February 28, 1920 in Shattuck, to Adam and Mary Kraft. Ruth graduated from Shattuck High School in 1938. She married Bill Schwab on November 27, 1938 in Shattuck. They moved to Friona on September 18, 1954. He preceded her in death. She then married Clyde Renner on April 6, 1972 in Bentonville, Arkansas. Ruth had previously been employed by The Friona Star as a proofreader, as a caregiver, and was an Avon representative. Her hobbies included gardening, canning, crafts and painting.

Ruth was preceded in death by her parents, her first husband, Bill Schwab, a son, Darrell Schwab, eight brothers and three sisters. She was the last surviving sibling.

Ruth was survived by her hus-



Ruth Elizabeth Renner

band, Clyde Renner of Friona, TX; one daughter: Junita Larkin of Bentonville, Arkansas; two sons, Randall Schwab of West-fork, Arkansas and Michael Schwab of Burleson, TX; three sisters-in-laws; eight grandchildren; three step-grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

To sign the register book online go to www.blackwellmullins.com.



Johnnie Faye Battey

Johnnie Faye Battey, 74, died Monday, June 9, 2014 in Friona, Texas. Graveside service for Johnnie Faye Battey, of Muleshoe, Texas, are scheduled for 11:00AM, Thursday, June 13, 2014 at Lazbuddie Cemetery with Pastor Ray Hill of Lubbock, Texas officiating. Burial will be in Lazbuddie Cemetery.

She was born July 1, 1939 in Clovis New Mexico to Ernest and Valter (Wagnon) Nowell. She married Keith Battey in Amarillo, Texas in 1965.

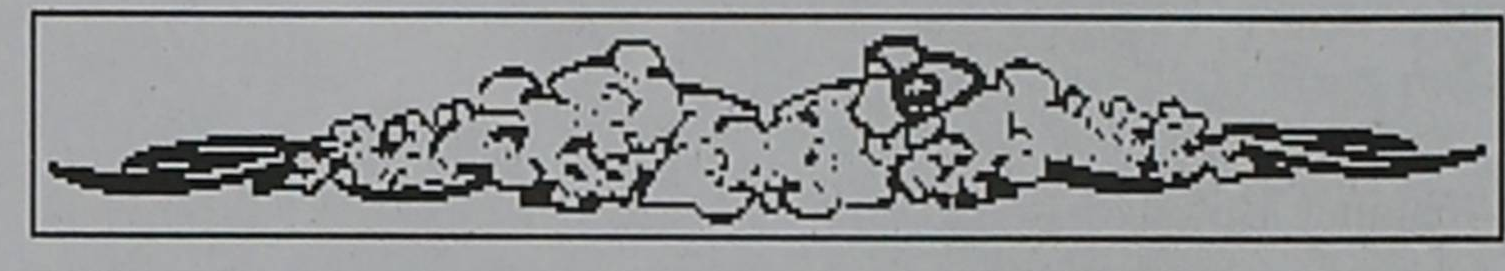
Mrs. Battey was a life long resident of the Friona Commu-

nity and a wedding coordinator. She was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Friona.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and one daughter, Julie Hawkins.

Survivors include her husband Keith, one daughter, Kim Lowe and her husband, Wade, of San Antonio Texas; two sisters, JoAnne Peterson of Abernathy Texas and Jan Adams of Stephenville Texas; and two grandchildren, Keith and Kevin Lowe.

Online condolences may be made at www.ellisfuneralhomes.com.



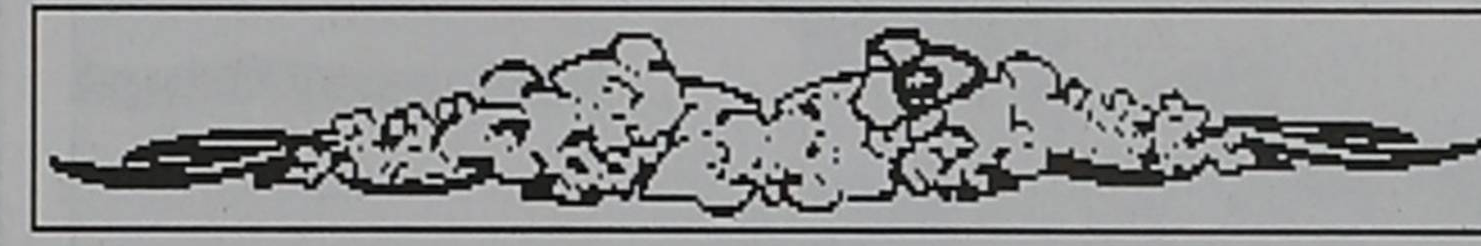
**PARMER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT
2015-2016 REAPPRAISAL PLAN HEARING**

The public hearing will be held on Tuesday, June 24, 2014, At 7:00pm at the Parmer County Appraisal District Office, located boardroom, 305 3rd Street in Bovina, Texas.

A summary of the Reappraisal Plan is available at the Parmer County Appraisal District Office.

If approved by the Parmer County District Board Members, The Reappraisal Plan will be in effect for 2015-2016.

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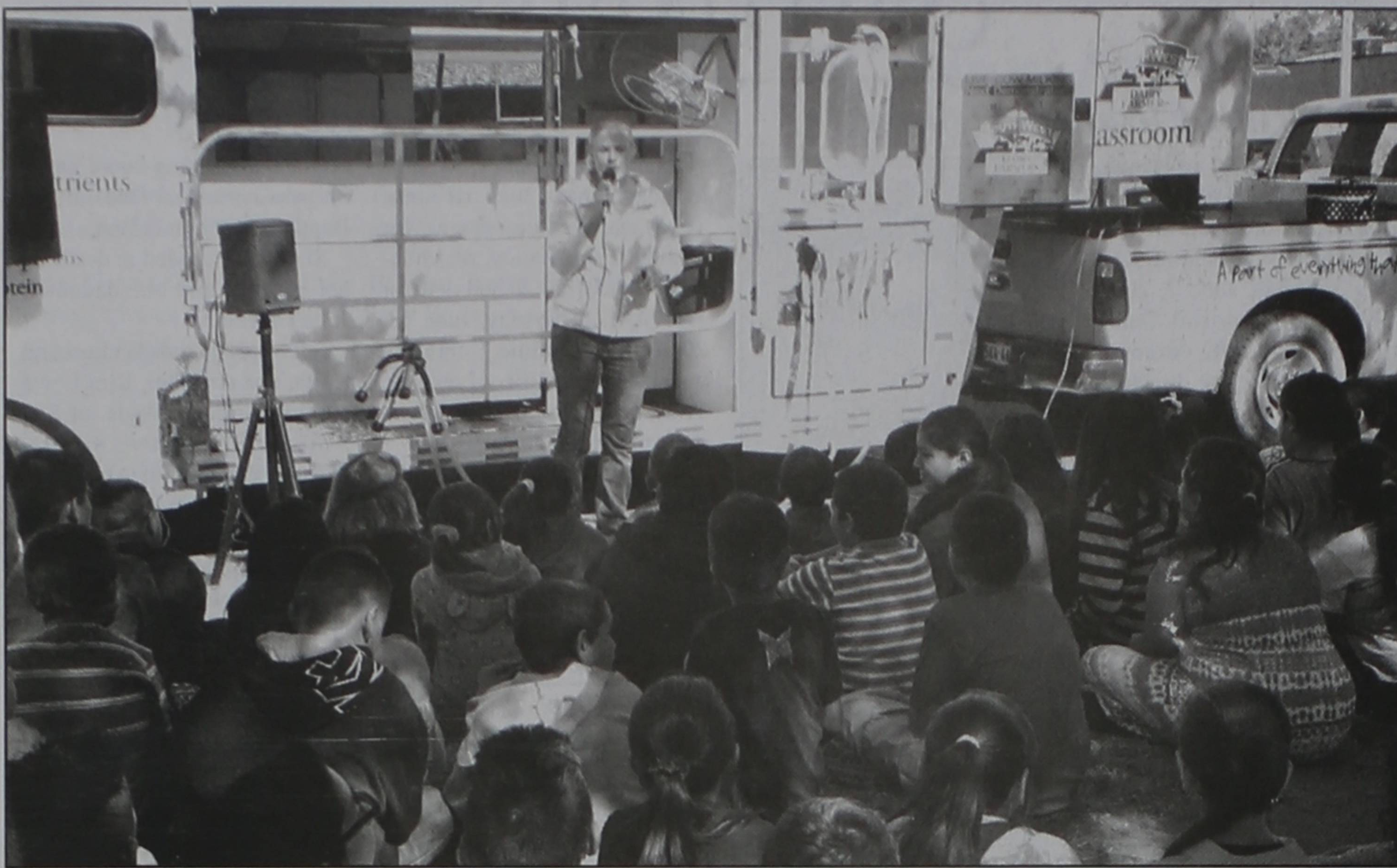
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Bernadette Birkenfeld, center, a mobile dairy classroom instructor from the Southwest Dairy Farmers presented a program on Tuesday, June 10 to local school children during the Friona Library Summer Reading Program. She explained to the children the process milk goes through before arriving on store shelves.



dana jameson photo

Joselyn Rios, left, took a quick lesson from Bernadette Birkenfeld on how to properly milk a cow by hand. Diamond, a jersey cow, is shown in the background.

Parmer County sales tax receipts increase 5.29%

Texas Comptroller Susan Combs recently said that state sales tax revenue in May was \$2.45 billion, up 8.5 percent compared to May 2013.

"Sales tax growth was evident across all major economic sectors," Combs said. "The growth was led by the retail and wholesale trade sectors, the oil and natural gas mining sector, and the services sector. This marks the 50th consecutive month of increased state sales tax revenues, and brings the fiscal year-to-date growth to 5.4 percent."

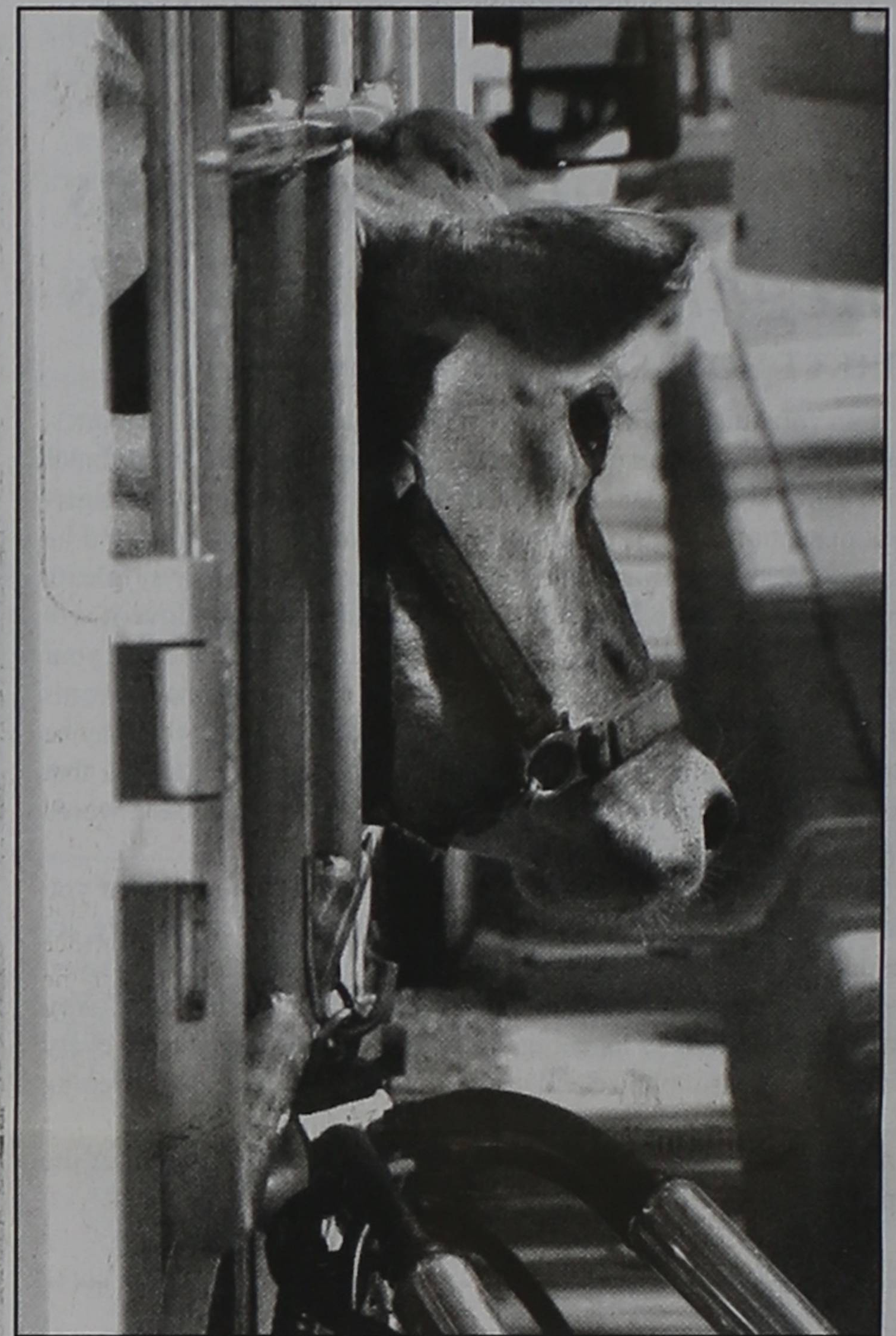
Parmer County will receive a net payment of \$48,167, which is an increase of 5.29 percent from the payment in the 2013 comparable period in which the county received \$45,745. To-date payments total \$327,397, which is an increase of 5.96 percent over the 2013 payments of \$308,965.

Friona will receive a payment of \$30,020, which is an increase of 2.01 percent as compared to the 2013 payment of \$29,428. To-date Friona has received \$205,966, which is an increase of 5.50 percent over the 2013 payments of \$195,214.

Bovina will receive a payment of \$8,799, which is an increase of 4.39 percent as compared to the 2013 payment of \$8,428. To-date Bovina has received \$63,140, which is an increase of 13.37 percent from the 2013 payments of \$55,691.

Farwell will receive a payment of \$9,348, which is an increase of 18.50 percent as compared to the 2013 payment of \$7,889. To-date Farwell has received \$58,290, which is an increase of 0.39 percent over the 2013 payments of \$58,060.

The sales tax figures represent monthly sales made in April.



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Diamond the jersey cow having fun at the Friona Library Summer Reading Program

PMC announces scholarship recipients

"Parmer Medical Center is pleased to announce the recipients of the annual Parmer Medical Center Community Scholarships," stated Heidi Eichenauer, PMC Director of Quality, Human Resources and Patient Experience. "The purpose of the scholarships is to promote service excellence in health care for Parmer Coun-

ty by assisting capable and qualified students interested in pursuing healthcare related professions. There were ten applicants competing for the four scholarships. Applicants were from three Parmer County high schools."

The selection committee was comprised of school staff, hospital staff and the public

at large. They selected four deserving students to each receive a \$2,500 award.

The recipients were Esdras Rodriguez a Friona High School graduate, who is planning on attending West Texas A&M and wants to become a general physician.

K'Leigh White from Farwell High School has chosen

a career in Exercise and Sports Science with an emphasis in Physical Therapy and will be attending Harding University.

Mason Austin also a Farwell High School student will attend Texas Tech in pursuit of a career as an orthopedic surgeon.

Bailey Mullins from Bovina High School wishes to become a registered nurse by attending West Texas A&M.

In addition to the four scholarships, the hospital was able to send the names of two runners up to the Northwest Texas Hospital Association scholarship program. Area hospitals were allowed to submit two names of students going into the medical field. This program awards twenty \$500 scholarships to regional students via drawings. If either of our students is selected, Parmer Medical Center will match the \$500 making the total scholarship \$1000.

The two runners up submitted for our hospital were Alejandra Garcia from Friona High School. She plans to attend Amarillo College to become a nurse.

Also submitted was Bryan Garcia from Bovina High School. He plans to attend West Texas A&M to become a Nurse Practitioner.

"We wish both of these students good luck in the drawings," said Eichenauer.

Eichenauer added, "The PMC Board of Directors and staff all wish a hearty congratulations to each of the initial scholarship recipients. An additional thank you goes to each of the other students who also plan a medical career and took the time to apply. Parmer County can be proud of the young people in our area."

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON

PARMER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT BUDGET

The Parmer County Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 2015 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on Tuesday, June 24, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. at the Parmer County Appraisal District Office Boardroom, 305 3rd Street, Bovina, Texas.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

The total amount of the proposed budget is \$ 396,142.00.

The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$ 40,392.00.

The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget will be 4.

The number of employees compensated under the current budget is 4.

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the Parmer County Appraisal District Board of Directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection at the Parmer County Appraisal District Office.

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 3/2/2 Brick w/central heat & air, fireplace, open floor plan, new roof, ceramic tile, new storage building in fenced backyard on 2 lots.....\$138,000
 3/3/2 Brick w/central heat & air, fireplace, sunroom, two living areas, new roof, sprinkler system, close to High School, fenced backyard.....\$135,000
REDUCED: 3/2/2 Brick w/cent h&a, fp, new roof, sunroom/office, 2 storage buildings in fenced backyard, close to Hospital.....\$134,500
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 3/2/2 Brick w/central h&a, new roof on house and storage bldg, ceramic tile and hardwood flooring, large ut. room, fenced backyard w/stor.....Cont Pend
 3/2/2 Brick w/dbl cp, cent.h&a, corner lot, fenced backyard with stor, new metal roof, new windows, new driveway, close to High School.....\$98,750
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REDUCED: 3/2 Brick w/carport, cent. h&a, fp, corner lot, close to High School, fenced backyard with storage building, new metal roof.....\$78,000
 3/2/2 Brick w/central heat & air, basement, new roof, fenced backyard, utility room, corner lot, close to Hospital.....\$76,900
 3/2/1 Brick w/cent. h&a, (heat is new), new roof, carpet, & paint, all appliances stay, remodeled kitchen, fenced yard w/new fence.....Cont Pend
 2/1 Stucco corner lot, great starter home.....SOLD
 3/2/2 Brick w/central h&a, fp, new roof, detached carport, new interior paint in kitchen and bedrooms, fenced backyard w/storage.....SOLD
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LIBRARY CORNER

by Darla Bracken

fridarla19@yahoo.com

A rabbit hole

Recently, my husband Rex noticed a cottontail rabbit digging a hole in our backyard. Before the very dry conditions, that would have been highly unusual, but now that our wild-life species have suffered with the extreme drought also, it is happening more. Still it was odd.

Soon Rex had forgotten about it until he was mowing the backyard. He noticed that the low place now had dry grass on top of it and after checking it, found that it was moving ever so slightly. Thinking it was part of toad population, he uncovered the top of the 'hole'—and found newborn cottontails!

The tiniest ones we had ever seen; in fact, you could only see one for sure, but we knew that there were more. Bless their

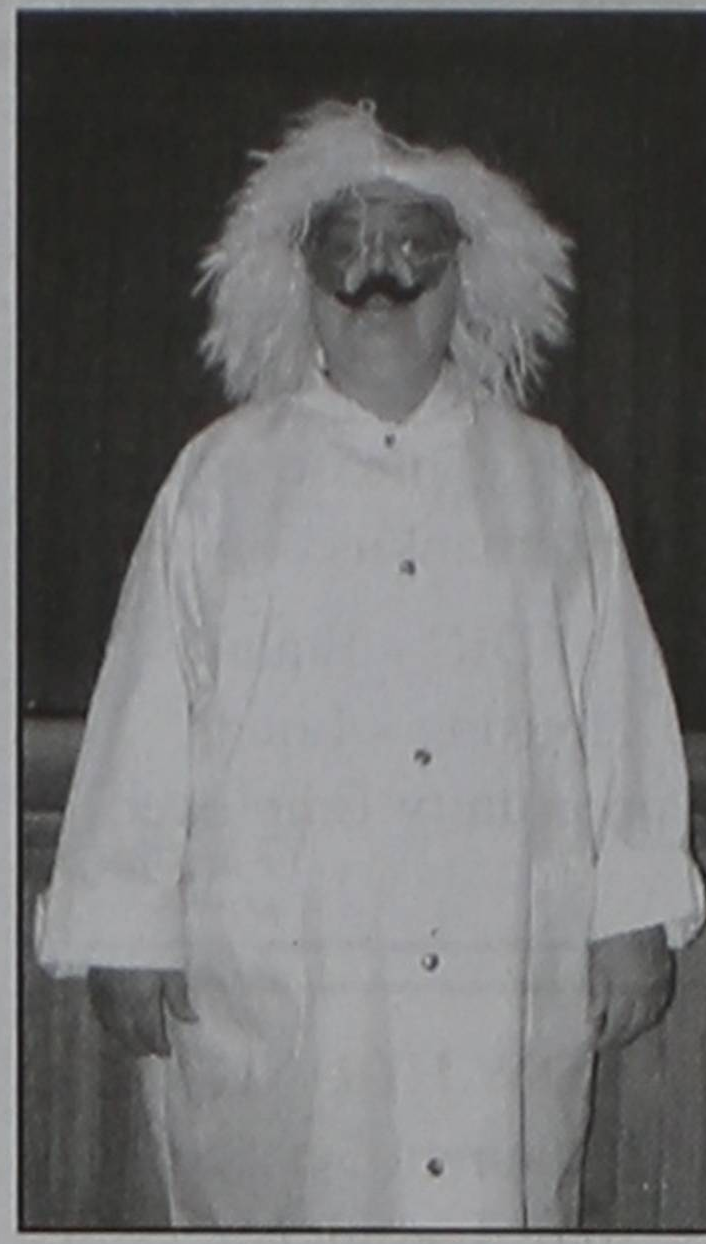
tiny little hearts! He had mown over the spot without realizing that they were there and they were unharmed, thanks to the instinct of the mother. If she had given birth just days earlier they would have drowned in our heaven sent rainfall. Life persisting: it was such a precious sight to see—and a privilege.

New on the bookshelf: Ghost Ship by Clive Cussler; Walking on Water by Richard Paul Evans; Resistant by Stephen Hunter; Skin Collector by Jeffrey Deaver; The Son by Jo Nesbo; Lincoln Myth by Steve Berry; Any Other Name by Craig Johnson.

Library Friends memorial donations have been given by Jim Bob Jones, Ricky Whites, Buddy Wisemans to BETTY LOU-

ISE RECTOR; Jim Bob Jones, Rex Brackens, Cody Brackens, Owen Drakes and Wessie Hand to AARON TATE OSBORN; Jim Bob Jones to ELDON 'BUBBA' LONG; FHS CLASS OF 1962 to DONNA FIELDS RANDOLPH and Rex Brackens to Pioneer Heritage Museum in memory of BETTY LOUISE RECTOR.

Impact: With the creation of the Founder's Memorial Scholarship Fund, our Friends group was able to award two scholarships at Friona ISD's ceremony this year. We want to express our appreciation to all the excellent applicants for applying and to extend our congratulations to Holly Johnston and Jacob Osborn as the first recipients. Congratulations to all of Friona High School's 2014 Graduates!



Mad scientist Dr. Denkestein, aka Lucy Hernandez, was on hand at the June 4 Summer Reading program.

Storyteller Indiana Bones thrills Summer Library Readers

Indiana Bones, Storyteller of Santa Fe, came to town on June 4 to the delight of participants in the FIZZ BOOM READ library summer reading program.

Indy, aka Mike McCartney, is a former PBS documentary writer, producer and actor. He is now a fulltime professional storyteller. Using props such as a Megalodon tooth, a Tyrannosaurus tooth, dinosaur raptor claws garnered during his worldwide travels, he wowed readers with tales of King Tut, Monkey Mummies, Floating Stones and Dragons. He is an associate professor at Mississippi University and is an Emmy Award winner. He believes storytelling can be an effective teaching tool. "Open a book, open your mind, open your imagination."

Friends of the Friona Public Library sponsored this event for the children of the community, and 152 attended. The public is always welcome as well.

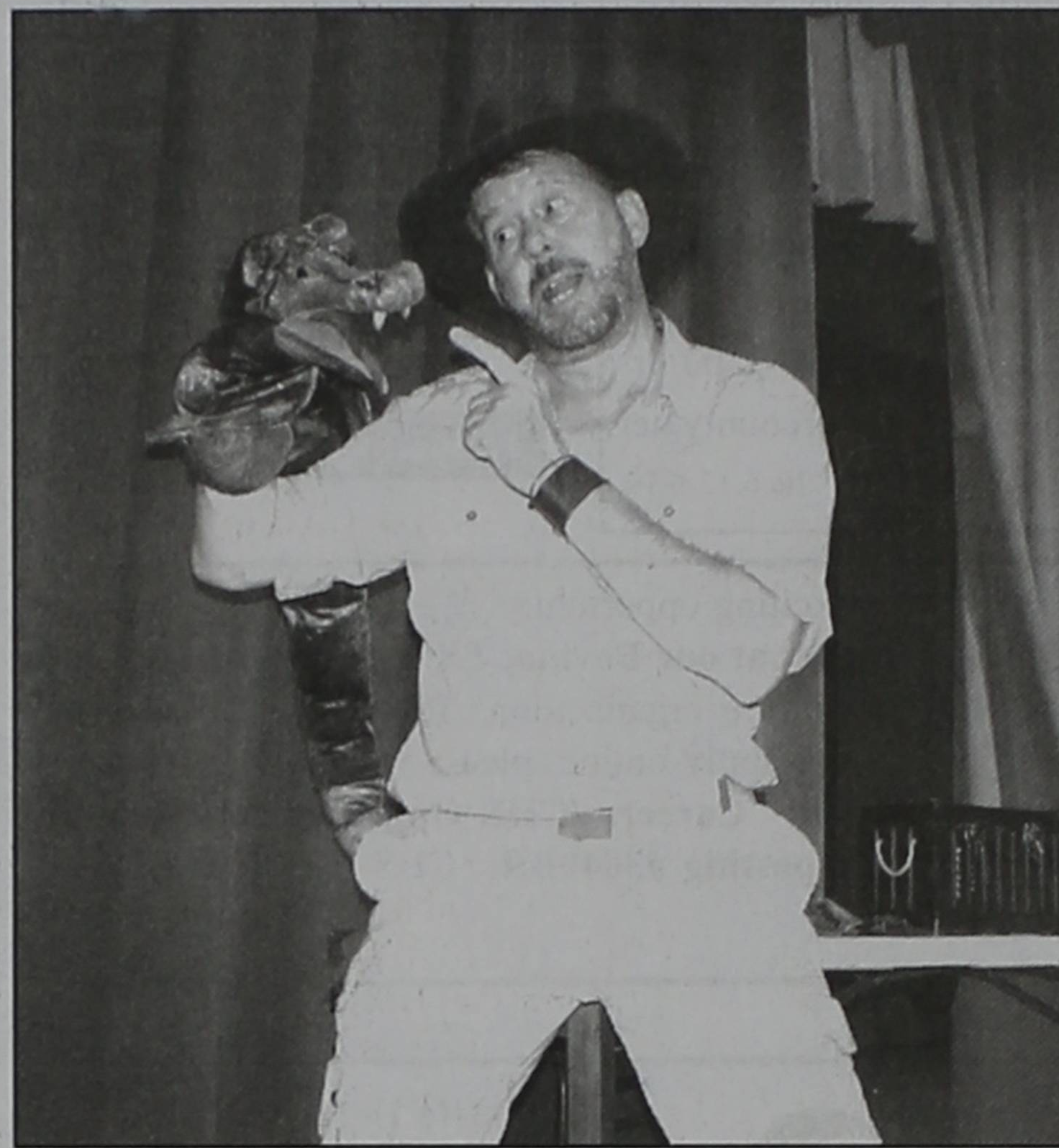
On June 10 the Southwest Dairy Farmers Association presented the Mobile Cow Classroom at the City Park.

On June 11, the Lazbuddie High School Robotics team and Instructor Debbie Weir presented a program on the science of robotics at 10 AM in the Junior High Auditorium.

Thanks to our Friends organization for sponsoring these quality programs.

Connie Slagle has constructed an awesome robot for the library, which is located in the foyer. We have some activities planned including a "Name the Robot" Contest. Please ask at the desk for a form for your guess. Don't forget to put your name and phone number on the paper.

A special guest at the programs is our in-house mad scientist, Dr. Denkestein, aka Ms. Lucy Hernandez. Stay tuned for more adventures with Dr. Denkestein...



Indiana Bones, a storyteller from Santa Fe, New Mexico, entertained the crowd at Fizz Boom Read library summer reading program on Wednesday, June 4.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative awards \$24,000 in scholarships

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative is awarding \$24,000 in the form of scholarships to area students, to further their future and their education. That's a total of \$197,000 since the program began back in 1998.

Twelve \$2000 scholarships were awarded to deserving, qualified students from all over the Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative's service territory. Each \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded in the amount of \$1,000 per semester for two semesters. These scholarships are available to immediate families of active members and active employees of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative.

Those receiving the scholarships are:

- Kyla Acker, Nazareth High School, daughter of Cary and Leona Acker. Kyla plans to attend South Plains College, and pursue a degree in the pharmaceutical field.
 - Brice Betzen, Nazareth High School, son of Cameron and Emily Betzen, will attend Texas A&M University, and has been accepted in the Mays Business School.
 - Harrison Detten, son of Doug and Krista Detten will attend Texas Tech University pursuing a degree in Agribusiness.
 - Jacob Osborn, Friona High School, son of Robert and Jo Osborn will attend West Texas A&M University, and pursue a degree in mechanical engineering.
 - Cassie Gabel, Liberty University Online Academy, daughter of Jad and Jeanne Gabel, will attend West Texas A&M University, and major in Agribusiness.
 - Gabrielle Schilling, Farwell High School, daughter of Todd and Lisa Schilling, will attend West Texas A&M University, and major in education.
 - Lauren Carpenter, Farwell High School, daughter of Richard and Pamela Carpenter, will attend Texas A&M University to work on her Bachelor's and Master's degrees.
 - Macy Smith, Nazareth High School, daughter of Dwayne and Shelly Smith, will attend South Plains College, and will work towards a Bachelor of Science in Nursing.
 - Treva Ramsey, Nazareth High School, daughter of Bryan and Tracy Ramsey, will attend West Texas A&M University, and will major in accounting, and work on her Master's.
 - Nicole Rohrbach, Vega High School, daughter of Joe and Anna Rohrbach, will attend Texas A&M University, with plans to graduate with a Management Information Systems Degree.
 - Madelyn Darnell, Canyon High School, daughter of Randy and Lisa Darnell, will attend Texas Tech University, majoring in business.
 - Caitlan Smith, Dimmitt High School, daughter of Zach and Sheri Smith, will attend Texas A&M University, majoring in Psychology.
- Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative's board of directors made the decision to provide scholarships to students within the DSEC service area through a scholarship fund. The twelve finalists were selected from a field of highly qualified candidates by a select committee of men and women representing the entire service area.

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The FRIONA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT is participating in the Summer Food Service Program. Meals will be provided to all children without charge and are the same for all children regardless of race, color, national origin, sex, age or disability, and there will be no discrimination in the course of the meal service. Meals will be provided at the sites and times as follows:

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Friona Christian School
Founding Organizational Meeting
Tuesday Evening, June 24, 7:00 PM
Fellowship Hall of Calvary
1500 Cleveland in Friona

As a result of the discussion and surveys collected from the "Interest meeting" held in May, continued growing interest in a Christian based private school in Friona has prompted the next step by calling for a founding organizational meeting of **all families that wish to participate.**
Contact: Pastor, Bobby Broughton at 250-3000 for more info.

APPLICATIONS
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SCHOOL DIRECTOR

Bachelor's Degree in Education Required
with minimum of two years classroom experience.
Application deadline is June 22 or until position is filled.
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Dawn Weir, daughter of Doyle and Debbie Weir of Lazbuddie and granddaughter of Marilyn Engelking and Billy Weir, graduated May 17 at the Daughters of the American Revolution Constitution Hall in Washington, D.C. She is a Lazbuddie graduate and earned her BS and MS degrees in biochemistry and biology at Angelo State University. She earned her PhD at the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences in the Emerging Infectious Diseases Program. She was awarded the 2013-14 USU Board of Regents Award given to outstanding students in the school of medicine. Dr. Dawn Weir is currently in a post-doctoral position at USUHS and has applied for a commission in the United States Navy Medical Services Corps.



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Carolyn Wiseman visited with Dr. Ben Carson during his recent book signing at Barnes & Noble in Amarillo.

AgriLife Research turf tips offered

Kay Ledbetter

Many tools are available for turf managers to help monitor soil or weather conditions, diagnose turf problems or even take the guesswork out of selecting the best-suited grass type for the shade environment, according to a Texas A&M AgriLife Research turf expert.

Dr. Ben Wherley, an assistant professor for turfgrass science/ecology with AgriLife Research and the Texas A&M University soil and crop science department in College Station, demonstrated some of the new tools and technologies available to attendees of the turf and landscape industry at the recent Turf, Landscape and Irrigation Expo at the Texas A&M AgriLife Research and Extension Center in Dallas.

Whether it is shade, pH, salinity, soil compaction, air circulation, soil type, spray application, lawn size or soil moisture, Wherley said there are an increasing number of helpful apps and tools available for professionals, such as landscapers, golf course superintendents and athletic field managers, as well as homeowners, since most of the devices are reasonably priced.

Some iPhone or iPad apps that are handy, he said, are:

- Sunseeker app allows a person to enter any date and determine the exact trajectory of the sun for that date, helpful in determining how many hours of direct sunlight will reach a given area. Wherley said it also is used for tree pruning and planting, allowing landscapers to identify the problem trees when they have shade issues and determine where the shade pattern will fall when a new tree is planted.
- Planimeter app allows a landscaper to pull up a GPS map of a client's home and drop pins on the corners of their property to get a quick, accurate estimate of the size of their lawn. "You could literally do a bid remotely or at the customer's doorstep without having to walk off or measure the site," Wherley said.
- Landscape and Garden Calculator app helps the landscaper or do-it-yourselfer calculate the quantity of materials, such as fertilizer and mulch needed for any given area, as well as fence lengths, spaces between items and angles if needed.
- Turfgrass Management app is designed for the southern U.S. and has pictures and information for all types of insects, pests and diseases - "things you might want to be looking out for on your site and it gives

you an alert on your phone," Wherley said.

- SoilWeb app allows anyone to access the GPS-based system, identify their location and determine what soil type is there.

The tools or devices Wherley demonstrated and his comments about each include:

- A wind meter - "Very helpful when a turf manager needs to make spray applications. When spray technicians go out and make an application, they need to be sure and document that the application was made under a minimal wind speed to avoid off-target movement of the application. This device can be picked up for less than \$100."
- Daily light integral or DLI meters - "Think of them as a rain gauge for light. They can be turned on and put anywhere on the landscape and you come back 24 hours later. It will register the amount of photons in a 24-hour period that that given spot has received - and ultimately that is what plants respond to."

"In recent years, we have begun to get a pretty good idea of the minimum DLI requirements for maintaining acceptable quality of different turf species and cultivars. It measures moles of light. By taking a quick 24-hour measurement of your landscape - both in full sun and shade - you can get an idea of how a given turf species or cultivar will perform before you invest money in that sod."

- Soil stick pH meter - "Designed to take readings in the field, you just press the tip of the unit onto the soil and you can get a reading instantaneously. If the soil is not wet, it will just need to be moistened slightly."
- Quantum light sensor - "Light is a big issue, and this tells how much photosynthetic light is hitting a spot. Homeowners want to know 'If I get X amount of shade in a spot, will a certain turf grow there?' These are a little more expensive, about \$200 to \$300, so probably will be used by a professional rather than a homeowner."
- Soil profile sampler - "This provides you an undisturbed soil profile sample 6 inches deep, which is good if you want to show a customer they have a thatch problem. Or maybe they laid sod and they are watering and it is still wilting. You dig down and find out they have soil layering issues and the water can't get down through the clay to the sand. You can learn a lot about a system by looking

at the soil profile."

- Soil moisture meters or soil probes - "These are utilized to monitor moisture level in the soil profile. Many golf courses have begun to use these daily on greens for determining precisely where and how much to hand water, allowing the course to save water by not using the automatic irrigation system until the entire green has dried down."
- Turf thermometer - "This can give you an idea early on of whether your turf is becoming water stressed. There can often be as much as a 20 degree difference between a watered lawn and a dry lawn, and as much as a 50 degree difference between the lawn and pavement or stone."
- Electrical conductivity meter - "If you think salts might be the reason for turf decline, this will help you test. Wherever the tip is will be where you measure salinity. Salt tends to accumulate at the surface or at the waterline, so you don't stick this too deep into the soil. The device also allows you to track where salts have moved following rain or irrigation events, allowing managers the ability to know when they've effectively 'flushed' salts below the roots of their turf."

"These are just a handful of some of the latest tools and technologies that have enhanced the capacity of today's turfgrass professional to more effectively diagnose issues and better manage high quality greenscapes," Wherley said.

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June 13-19

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The fault in our stars	
PG13	12:45 • 3:45 • 6:45 • 9:30
How to train your dragon	20(30)
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12:00 pm - 7:00 pm

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Abayomi Salinas, #53, played for the Blue Team at the ASCO West Texas Football Classic held Saturday, June 7 at Lowrey Stadium in Lubbock, TX. Players from all over the Panhandle began practice on Tuesday, June 3. Abayomi played several series at nose guard and kick return team. Abayomi was chosen by a selection committee made up of coaches representing classifications 1 through 5A. The Blue team won, 28-13. Abayomi, Brad Stowers and Jacob Osborn will play in Childress at the Greenbelt Bowl All-Star Game on Saturday, June 14.

Basketball/volleyball camps

Coaches Darrel Ray and Bryan Masse have announced their basketball and volleyball camps for girls in grades 3rd-8th. Both camps will be held in the activity center gym and will focus on basic skill development for the younger athletes.

The basketball camp is first beginning July 28-30. Walk in registration will start at 8:45 a.m. with instruction daily from

9:00 a.m. to noon. Camp fee is \$40 per girl with discounts available for multiple children in the same family, are employed by Friona ISD, or if you attend both camps.

The volleyball camp will start Wednesday afternoon July 30 with walk-in registration at 1:15 p.m. and instruction from 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Instruction July 31 - August 1 will be from 9:00 a.m.

to noon.

Awards will be given in both camps and each camper will receive a t-shirt. Early registration, before July 15, will guarantee campers have their correct t-shirt sizes.

Camp brochures available at the Friona high school office and the Friona swimming pool. For more information call Darrel Ray at 575-749-2880.

A Salute to all dads on Father's Day



dana jameson photo

Kids in the Friona Library Summer Reading Program gathered in the park Tuesday for a program sponsored by the Southwest Dairy Association.

Thank You!

From the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show

The 2014 Junior Livestock Show premium sale was another outstanding success. The total sales and add-ons was \$223,236.12. We sincerely appreciate the buyers clubs, individuals, businesses and the add-ons that support our talented youth for all their hard work.

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 Lowes-Friona
 Lynn Tate
 Mack Langford
 McArthur Electric
 McIntyre Insurance Agency, GP
 Mike Camp Insurance Agency
 Monty & Tessa Schueler
 Muleshoe Vet Supply
 NewTex Feedyard
 Optima Dairy
 Parmer County Cattlemen
 Parmer County Feedyards-AzTx
 Parmer County Feedyards-Bovina
 Feeders
 Parmer County Feedyards-Cargill Cattle
 Feeders
 Parmer County Feedyards-HEC
 Parmer County Feedyards-NewTex
 Parmer County Feedyards-Opplinger
 Parmer County Feedyards-Paco
 Parmer County Feedyards-Vet Industries
 Parmer County Implement
 Parmer County Pig Producers
 Parmer County Vet

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 Property Associates & Campbell Electric
 R&M Cattle
 Ray Lee Equipment-Muleshoe
 Rhea Buyers Club
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 Roddy & Sandra Berend
 Ryan Williams
 S&D Farms
 S&T Farms
 SD Farms
 Security State Bank-Farwell
 Sid Morris
 Slash W Cattle
 Steak Dinner
 Steve and Sandra Cockerham
 Steve & Sherri Kennedy
 Stowers & Sons
 Tanya Chadwick
 Terry & Caroline Gilley
 Terry & Janene Jesko
 Texas Best Bean & Seed
 Tim & Dana Foote
 Tire Country
 Todd McDaniels
 Triangle Cattle
 Tucker Crawford
 United Supermarkets
 Vet Industries
 WT Services
 Wade & Candice Schueler
 Ware 4/ Cattle
 Wes & Charolette Cockerham
 White's Beef Jerky
 Wilber Ellis-Farwell
 Wilber Ellis-Friona
 West Texas Rural Telephone