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TWELVE PAGES

Welch, Reyes earn state track medals

A contingent of Friona fans 400m to bring home a bronze, 400 meters with a time of 49.73. also placed him on the medal us 14th overall in the meet. Con- meet though as he placed 2nd the state track meet in Austin Cumpton on the weekend: to cheer on Dillon Welch and "It was a great weekend at conditions it was outstanding peting at the highest level in On a side note, Dillon fin- shot put title. to state in the discus and Juan 12. Friona High School and the place finish put Juan on the They were going against the with a best throw of over 170 nal Sunday May 13 edition had qualified in the 400m run.

a medal. Dillon finished 2nd in men we sent to the state track the discus with a best throw of three. These two young men throw of over 180 feet. Dillon section. Photos inside showed the discus and earned a silver meet. medal and Juan was 3rd in the

Juan Reyes. Dillon made his way the state track meet on May 11- (HOT & HUMID). This 3rd the state. community of Friona were rep- medal stand. Both Chieftains brought home resented well by the two young Dillon Welch placed 2nd in able to finish in the elite top Idalou who finished first with a Regan on the front of the sports

At the Friona junior high awards assembly, I-r, Brittny Herbert was named both best

all around girl and top ranking girl, Zack Fair was named best all around boy, and J

Gurley was named top ranking boy. They are all 8th grade graduates moving on to

high school next year. A complete list of junior high awards is on page 11.

Juan Reyes placed 3rd in the best throw of the year but it

the year, but under the weather did an outstanding job of com- are very proud of them."

best of the best and were both feet but lost to Sean Regan of photos of Dillon and Idalou's

was on hand last weekend at Here is a report from Coach Rex This was not his best time of stand. Both of these young men' gratulations to them both. We ahead of Regan who finished

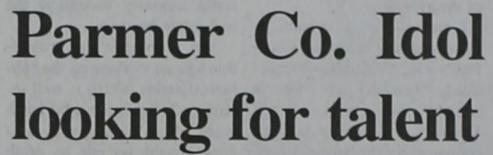
ished 2nd at the regional meet
The Lubbock Avalanche-Jour-164'1". This was not Dillon's scored 14 points which placed got a little revenge at the state some of the Friona fans in at-

3rd. Regan did win the state

tendance plus a shot of Dillon's "lucky socks". He wears a neon orange sock on his right foot and a neon green sock on his left after a classmate gave them to him before the state meet last year.

Welch is a junior and his goal is to bring home the gold medal next year. Reyes, a senior, completed an outstanding high school athletic career with his meet. Congratulations to both boys, their coaches and

See state track photos on page 3.



Organizers of the 2007 Relay screen TV and a \$100 Wal-Mart sion of American Idol, Parmer County Idol. County Idol, will be held during Make plans now to enter. If the Relay for Life June 22.

top prizes to be given are a flat 3545.

for Life cancer walk are looking gift card. Now is your opportufor talent. Not just ordinary tal- nity to showcase your talent ent, big talent. The local ver- and earn the title of Parmer second trip to the state track

you have questions or need The entry fee is \$5 and the more info call 250-5700 or 250-



is an incumbent. Anthony is a the state. former board member who lost and Alan Monroe 106.

on property tax relief for se- cil. Villarreal received 113 votes,

and Loraine Anthony were by a total vote of 220 for and 77, and Teague 50. The amendelected to serve on the Friona 17 against. The amendment ment proposition passed by a ISD Board of Trustees. Barnett passed by a large margin across 119-11 vote.

The amendment proposition Swafford are new to the coun-ment passed 26-4.

In Farwell a total of 25 people In Bovina the three city counturned out to vote. Elected to her seat in the last election and cil seats were won by Richard Farwell's city council were Joe regained it this year. Vote totals Villarreal, Jim Bob Swafford, and Stanton with 24 votes and Tim were Anthony 187, Barnett 170, Gaylon Rhodes. Rhodes is an Kasel with 19. Including early incumbent. Villarreal and voting, the proposition amend-

Reyes, Trevino named 2007 Mr. and Miss FHS

The Friona High School Who's Who assembly was held Monday May 14. Seniors Juan Reyes and Cindy Trevino were named Mr. and Miss FHS.

Class favorites were: seniors Isabel Romero, Stephen Campbell; door. juniors Julissa Saenz, Ryan Schwab; sophomores Kathleen Wyly, Rolando Castanon; freshmen Paige Herbert, Ramiro Vega.

Other category winners were: most dependable Anna Murphree, contest music plus some fun stuff. Mrs. Johnston. Ryan Schwab; most competitive Shayli Reed, Juan Reyes; friendli- As always there will be delicious est, Julissa Saenz, Aaron Arcos; most stylish, Ashley Ingram, desserts, coffee, and tea served spring trip to South Padre Island. honor," Johnston said. Ruben Chico; most talented, Miranda Williams, Juan Reyes.

Also, most school spirited, Tori Abeyta, Matt Martinez; most raised from this event will help Gulf Coast Showcase of Music held many hours on the beach, went to be able to teach in this commulikely to succeed, Leslee Avalos, Alonzo Rojas; most studious, Jordan Jamerson, Alonzo Rojas; best sense of humor, Krista Graham, John Torres.

Choir earns best overall award, will present annual Follies Mon.

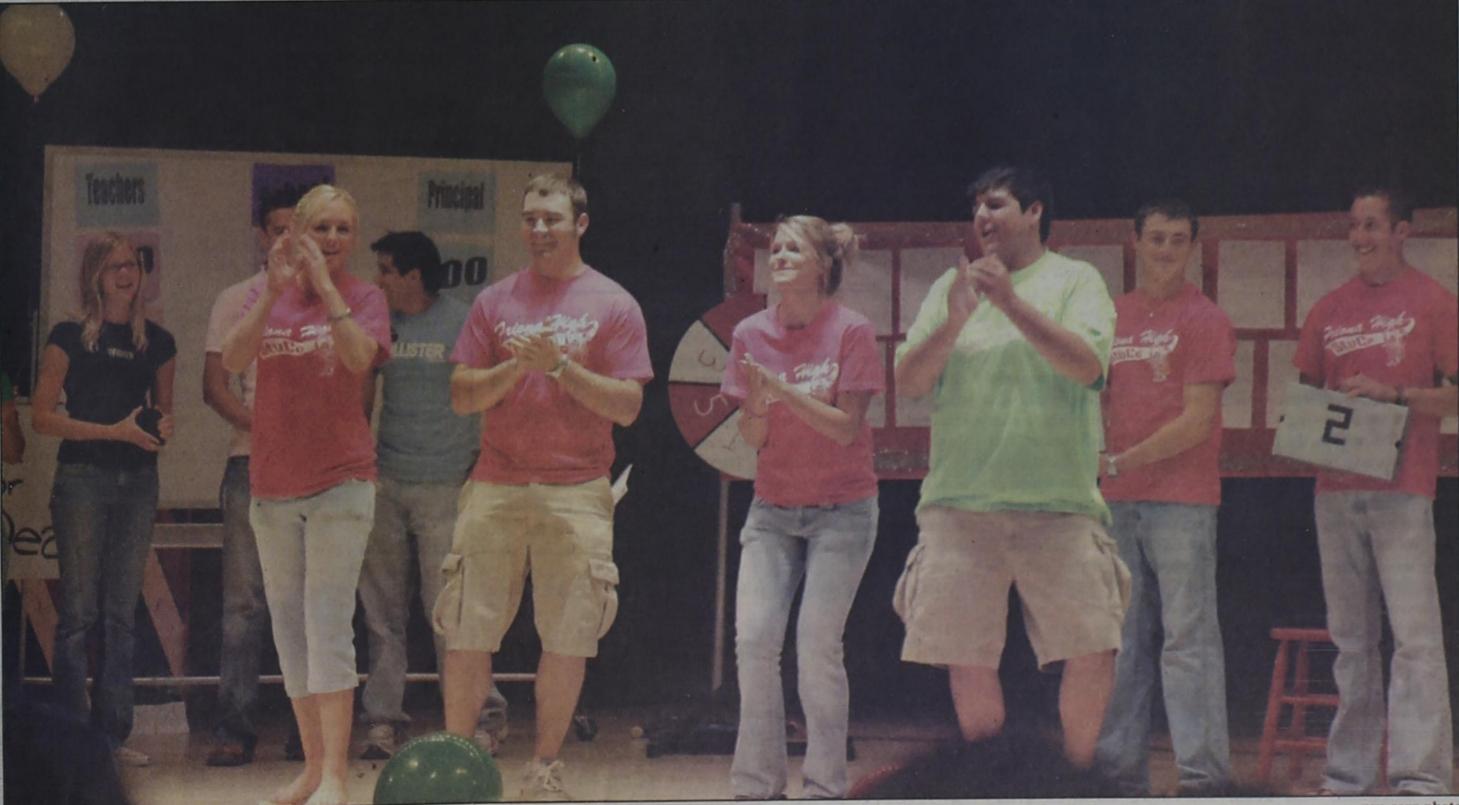
The third annual Friona High is out. School Choir Follies will be pre- Choir director Allison Johnston class for non-varsity choirs. sented Monday May 21 at 7 p.m. said, "We try to do some extra in the high school cafeteria. Tickets things with the students as a re- perior rating and was awarded best

going to the state solo and en- varsity choir received a superior set over the water as they ate students." semble contest as soon as school

The varsity choir received a su- Schlitterbahn Water Park. are \$5 in advance and \$6 at the ward for their hard work. The money in class for varsity choirs. In addi- was made possible by the generosraised from Choir Follies is what tion the varsity choir received the ity of the people of Friona. We This year's theme is music from funds that." Tickets are available Overall Outstanding Choir award fundraised until we could no longer stage and screen. They will perform from any choir member or from meaning they were deemed the best fundraise. The people of Friona were choir in the contest regardless of so gracious. We appreciate all of The choir just returned from their classification. "That is quite an the coverage the Friona Star gave

rating and was awarded best in wonderful meals, shopped, and spent an afternoon at the

Mrs. Johnston stated, "This trip us as we tried to raise the money during the performance. Money While there they competed in the At South Padre the group spent for this trip. I feel so very blessed fund the 25 choir students who are at Donna High School. The junior dolphin watching, watched the sun nity and to have such incredible



It was a colorful setting for the Who's Who assembly at Friona High last Monday. The assembly had a game show theme. Having some lively fun were, 1-r, Miranda Williams, Shayli Reed, Stephen Campbell, Krista Graham, Aaron Hand, Sean Lookingbill, and Ryan Schwab. Juan Reyes and Dillon Welch are partially hidden at left. The junior/senior prom is Saturday at the high school cafeteria and graduation for the Class of 2007 is Friday May 25 at 8 p.m. in the junior high auditorium. The Friona Star Class of 2007 special keepsake edition is included this week. Thanks to all who participated and special thanks to the Class of 2007 for the memories.

By Ron Carr living the life of leviticus

be burned in the fire.

aunt he has dishonored his board member.

Leviticus Chapter 20.

You can look it up.

Chapter 20 is pretty straightfor- tion theory. ward and sort of brutal. I never tures be put to death.

Maybe it is just me.

is the famous and often dis- schools raises questions." Mr. tentioned. But it gets a bit harsh It's entirely possible that Bible puted homosexual rule. If a man McNeely is a former political when Moses says anyone who study won't be required since lies with a man he is to be put columnist for the Austin Ameri- does should be put to death other legislators want to water to death. Doesn't say who is can-Statesman. supposed to do the killing I'm taking the liberty of re- correct, my question is whether by requiring use of a textbook part.

the classroom bill passed but it own arguments: doesn't have any stickum to it It may not happen but state sight (Leviticus 21:20) Would teacher can help clear up some as far as I can tell. The Bible Rep. Warren Chisum, R-Pampa, Lasik surgery qualify me for an of these nagging questions sure course is not required.

14 If a man marries both a Bible as an elective already will schools. woman and her mother it is not even think about starting wicked. Both he and they must the classes. Too many potential if it does, like some others be-this is wrong. liabilities and budget problems. fore me, I've got some ques-20 If a man sleeps with his Ask a superintendent or school tions about parts of the Bible.

uncle, They will be held re- The issue of literal translation the Golden Rule (Luke 6:31). It him is a clear violation of sponsible, they will die child- of the Bible has always been of seems sort of like common sense Leviticus 19:19. with literal translationists. I'm try to do that. Probably wouldn't be the first smarter than me can quote pas- quiring the teaching of the Ten an abomination than homosexuchapter taught in an elective sage after passage in the Bible Commandments. But even ality. Is he correct? Are there high school Bible class. Leviticus that debunks the literal transla- though some believe in the in- degrees of abomination?

realized the Lord required so although not as well. A literal people not to covet their ing to Exodus 21:7. I'm giving it many different folks and creatranslationist can debunk a lot neighbor's house (Exodus 20:17) serious thought because I need of theories also.

In fact the Book of Leviticus I came across a column by real estate business. seems to be pretty angry. Dave McNeely in last Saturday's And I presume the prohibi- daughters they get really, really Leviticus Chapter 20 Verse 13 titled, 'Teaching the Bible in bath (Exodus 20:10) is well-in- what to do?

though unless I missed that printing his column here, with we can just stone them or have rather than the Bible, and letsome paraphrasing and editing to use some harsher method. Texas Representative Warren for length. You can draw your I wear trifocals but the Bible whether their school districts will Chisum got part of his Bible in own conclusions and make your says I can't approach the altar offer the courses at all.

It probably won't happen but But Leviticus 19:27 flatly says

curious interest to me. I've had to treat others the way you'd plenty of debates along the way 'like to be treated and I usually tells me eating shellfish is an

not one of them. People a lot We've also talked about re- However he says it is less of It works the other way too, that, for example, ordering daughter into slavery, accord-

of God if I have a defect in my has proposed requiring that the altar approach? Most of my to come up in classrooms.

the hair around their temples.

My brother has a farm. He plants two different crops in I don't have any problem with the same field which I've told

> I like raw oysters but a friend abomination (Leviticus 11:10).

errancy of scripture, I worry I realize it is okay to sell my could seriously undermine the the money. But every time I mention it to either of my Lubbock Avalanche-Journal tion against working on the Sab- upset. Got any advice about

(Exodus 35:2). If that indeed is down Chisum's bill, including ting local officials decide

But if they do, I hope a good

Most schools who don't have Bible be taught in public buddies get haircuts, including Neugebauer Votes For Drought Relief

Randy

needed and long overdue."

Neugebauer voted for legislation 2207, producers would be able to have been without a loss. that would provide drought relief choose to be compensated for for America's agriculture produc- either the 2005 or 2006 crop year the drought relief bill separately "Farmers and ranchers in the purchased crop insurance for that special rule calls for the two bills flawed process is not moving us 19th District and throughout year. Eligible farmers must have to be rolled into one package any closer to the ultimate goal of America bore the brunt of a dev- suffered a 35 percent loss to ap- before being sent to the Senate. getting relief to our agriculture astating drought in 2005 and ply for assistance, and the pay- However, Senate Majority Leader producers," said Neugebauer. "I 2006," said Neugebauer. "The ment would be 50 percent of the Harry Reid (D-Nev.) has stated will continue to push for drought losses were widespread, and price Finally, the combination of he is not likely to follow this relief until a package is signed many producers were left with no income from crop receipts, crop approach. In addition, President into law." crops in the field at harvest time. insurance, and disaster assistance Bush has indicated that he op-A drought relief package is much could not exceed 95 percent of poses the war funding portion of by a vote of 302-120.

While the House considered for two months. (but not both) as long as they from war funding legislation, a this drought relief today, but this

Under this legislation, H.R. what the value of the crop would the bill because it only provides resources for U.S. troops in Iraq

"I am pleased to vote for

Private property saved America

By David Boaz, Cato Institute

Four hundred years ago 105 nant wife. men and boys disembarked from three ships and established the up. They abandoned the fort good. first permanent English settle- and boarded ships to return to But property does something or political liberty without sement in North America. They England. But miraculously, as else. As the American Revolu- cure property rights. built a fort along what they they sailed out of Chesapeake tionary Arthur Lee, great-grandcalled the James River, in honor Bay, they encountered three son of a Jamestown colonist, let us remember the original of their king.

yet within three years most of another go of it. The additional right, and to deprive a people tivism. Their suffering during the the colonists died during what settlers and supplies kept them of this, is in fact to deprive starving time did more than any came to be known as the stary- alive. ing time. Only the establishment But when a new governor, is essential to making the gov- secure foundation for private of private property saved the Thomas Dale, arrived a year af- ernment dependent on the property rights and thus for the Jamestown colony.

were the usual hardships of pio- bowling in the streets instead neers far from home, such as of working. unfamiliar diseases. There were Dale's most important reform mixed relations with the Indians was to institute private propalready living in Virginia. Some- erty. He allotted every man three times the Indians and settlers acres of land and freed them to traded, other times armed con- work for themselves. And then, flicts broke out. But according the Virginia historian Matthew to a governor of the colony, Page Andrews wrote, "As soon

Prosperity through the Ages', vention". "The colonists were indolent bevery hard.

Over the first two years, more America. including women. By 1609, there for economic growth; people still alive. People were desper- labors. Property ensures that used. man murdered and ate his preg- whole society, much more so

ships with new recruits, so they wrote, "The right of property is Jamestown settlers, who dem-The land was lush and fertile, turned around and tried to make the guardian of every other onstrated the failure of collec-

ter the starving time, he was people, not vice versa. It di- freedom and prosperity we en-What went wrong? There shocked to find the settlers vides power, limits government, joy today.

cause most of them were inden- Pocahontas, said that once pri- never die." tured servants, expected to toil vate property was instituted, for seven years and contribute men could engage in gathering Friona Star. the fruits of their labor to the and reaping the fruits of their common store." Understandably, labors with much joy and commen who don't benefit from fort. The Jamestown colony betheir hard work tend not to work came a success, and people from all over Europe flocked to

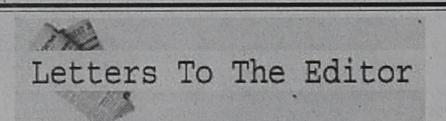
ate. They ate dogs and cats, people will work to better their ently ate their deceased neigh- families. And that work and inbors. And some said that one vestment then benefits the Athletes.

than the attempt to force people and protects freedom. No coun-By the spring, they had given to work directly for the common try has ever enjoyed freedom of

them of their liberty." Property book could have done to lay a

the press, freedom of religion,

So, on this 400th anniversary,



George Percy, most of the colo- as the settlers were thrown upon My congratulations go to Denver Crum and his staff at Friona nists died of famine, despite the their own resources, and each High School for a great day on Sunday. I was so humbled and good and fruitful soil, the abun- free man had acquired the right honored to be among those recognized. Everyone was so gradant deer and turkey, and the of owning property, the colo- cious. The reception for the honorees gave us the opportunity to strawberries, raspberries and nists quickly developed what reminisce and visit. It was wonderful to see so many of my fruits unknown growing wild. became the distinguishing char- classmates and friends from Friona. I want to extend a special The problem was the lack of acteristic of Americans, an apti-thank you to Tammy Gammon, Larry and Paula Fairchild, and private property. As Tom Bethell tude for all kinds of craftsman- Jerry and Raye Jean London. They all went above any expectawrites in his book, 'The No- ship coupled with an innate ge- tions in making this a special day for me.

blest Triumph: Property and nius for experimentation and in- Friona is a great community. It was a special place to grow up and be nurtured. Quoting from the school song: "...till the sun John Rolfe, the husband of drops from the sky. Remembering until the end, Chieftains fight,

And yes, after nearly 50 years of being gone - I still read the

Thanks again, Lila Gay Buske Vars

Class of 1958



With the help of 150 community volunteers and businesses the 1st annual Special Olympics Basketball Tournament was a tremencolonists arrived from England, Private property is essential dous success. We want to say a big "thank you" to everyone who donated food, drinks, and items for the gift bags that each were 500 settlers. And within don't work and invest if they athlete received and also thanks to the many people who presix months fewer than 100 were can't reap the fruits of their pared and served the food and cleaned the facilities that were

This tournament was a great success because the people of then rats and mice. They appar- own condition and that of their Friona and the students of the Friona schools so freely gave of their time to make it an awesome event for all of our Special

Special Olympics Committee

Mark Your Calendar

May 19 Junior/Senior Prom High school cafeteria

May 21 FHS Choir Follies School cafeteria Tickets \$6 at door

May 25

Friona high school graduation in the junior high auditorium at 8 p.m.

May 29-June 1 First Methodist Church Vacation Bible School.

For information call the church at 250-3045.

June 1-29

Friona Library Summer Reading programs Contact library at 250-3200 for details & to register.

June 11-15 Calvary Baptist Church Vacation Bible School

June 14

First National Bank sausage wraps cookout Bank parking lot 11 a.m.-1 p.m. Donations for Relay for Life

June 22

Relay for Life cancer walk. For information contact Jyl Grimsley at 250-5700

or Jamie & Greg Lewellen at 250-3545. July 4

Celebration in city park begins at 5 p.m. Booths in park are free.

Vendor forms available at the chamber office. Will advise later about fireworks.

July 21

2nd annual Friona Cheeseburger Festival.

Call chamber for info-250-3491.

September 15-22

51st annual Maize Days celebration

commentary

Big news for Bovina.....

According to a story in the Farwell newspaper, the Bovina City Council heard a report at their meeting last week from developer Jerry Spicola, Jr. who plans to purchase 190 acres and build 150 homes and a few businesses along Highway 60.

Spicola plans to partner with Bruce and Patty Hartline of Muleshoe on the project. The tract of land, to be purchased from Don Fortenberry, is bordered on the east by Western Street, on the north by CR1381, and Highway 60 on the south.

The report stated businesses built along Highway 60 could include a truck wash, major truck stop, general store, restaurant, and supermarket. The homes will be 1500 to 1800 square feet and affordable, Spicola told the council. The city would need to annex the property to the city and run water lines to the

Spicola has purchased a home in Bovina and is said to spend part of his time in Bovina and the rest in Florida. He recently purchased the former Baker Furniture building on Highway 60 in Friona which is now for rent.

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News articles and advertising are due by 5 p.m. Tuesday to guarantee publication. Articles and ads submitted after the deadline are accepted only on a space available basis. Deadlines may be changed from time to time for holidays or special issues.

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A sparse turnout for 12 elections. Some say because of Mother's Day activities, and other of We think it is just p voter apathy. Folks do enough. A couple of folks voted in Friona 25 in Farwell. That is flicts, that's just don't d The KidFish at Ree

Sunday drew anothe crowd. The first fish wa within the first minute p.m. start time and m catfish were pulled ou lake by some squeals Kudos to the city works and police chief who g time to coordina afternoon's activities. Business at the EM concession was a lit EMS is still raising mo new ambulance. Dona no doubt be appreciate New deputy in th

County Sheriff's Depo Clint Cox, son of L Terri. Clint is a Friona who joined the depart week. We'll try to down later for a photo James Tyler Peace

James and Nancy of I ceived his Associate of Science degree fr Mexico Junior College New Mexico. Comm was Friday May 11. T to work in the autom vice industry. Krista Graham, dat

Ky and Lanis, will Parmer County in t Texas USA pageant wi be televised Sunday Jul Laredo, Texas. Krista is and will graduate with th of 2007 May 25. The Miss USA winner will be eligible \$100,000 in prizes including new Ford Mustang, cash, to wardrobe, and jewelry with representing Texas Miss USA pageant. She entered as Miss Parmer USA. Good luck Krista.

At the White House Elizabeth and Presider were entertained by fan linist Itzhak Perlman. Ir ary, Bill and Carol Ellis



Juan Reyes is off t on the medal stand



Dillon Welch water weekend and accept rsday, May 17, 2007

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Town Talk II

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By Ron Carr

afternoon's activities.

Business at the EMS burger concession was a little slow. Mike Hutson managed to see Acres. EMS is still raising money for a a round of the Byron Nelson new ambulance. Donations will Golf Tournament during a busino doubt be appreciated.

New deputy in the Parmer golf at the Texas Star course in rolls and desserts. There was County Sheriff's Department is Euless, Mike scored an eagle another big crowd. We had a and Cynthia Silva. He has a Clint Cox, son of Leroy and on the par-4 number 13 hole lot of salmon croquettes when I younger sister and brother. Terri. Clint is a Friona graduate with a 220 yard second shot. was a kid. Hadn't had salmon After high school Carlos who joined the department last Friend Mike Maynard was a wit- in a good while. It was tasty, moved to Amarillo and atweek. We'll try to track him ness. down later for a photo and more info.

James and Nancy of Friona, re- by Cargill to a smaller plant in with maintenance and insurance was hired at the bank. ceived his Associate of Applied the Ft. Worth/Azle area. Janet on the building. We don't make He enjoys playing drums, Science degree from New says they will be selling their a lot of money on the meals so rebuilding old cars with his Mexico Junior College in Hobbs, home and moving down state the dues help us subsidize the dad, camping and dancing. New, Mexico. Commencement where they will be closer to senior center. It's worth the Carlos plays the drums for was Friday May 11. Tyler plans their kids and grandkids. Times price so bring your dues next his church, Templo to work in the automotive ser- change and people move on time and see Donita. vice industry.

Krista Graham, daughter of Laredo, Texas. Krista is a senior pened within two days of high-stained fingers to the bone. \$100,000 in prizes including a local folks were having trouble both the Canyon News and the Miss USA pageant. She will be have fixed it now but be careful stuff. entered as Miss Parmer County anyway. USA. Good luck Krista.

Elizabeth and President Bush 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Mann zines including Cosmo-politan ary, Bill and Carol Ellis' grand- backyard party hosted for the

A sparse turnout for the May daughter Madeline Garcia, 13, Friona Teachers Organization. works like Lifetime, A&E, His- Think I'll just stay independent Alstyne, TX. Appreciate you all enough. A couple of hundred to have shaken the hand of a retirement. folks voted in Friona and just very special famous musician

mer. Congratulations Nathan.

ness meeting in the mid-cities was salmon patties, cheesy po- doing a pretty good job of area. While playing a round of tatoes, green beans, salad, hot doing that here at the bank.

Rumor is that Janet and Greg tasty, healthy lunch for \$3. James Tyler Peace, son of Friona. Greg is being transferred is \$30 per year. That helps out moved back to Friona and but we hate to see Greg and Janet go. All the best.

The KidFish at Reeve Lake The Haile family, Allan, Patti, Hesperian Beacon newspaper. Sunday drew another good and Mark, was in College Sta- The photo was of a Submitted by Marca Herring crowd. The first fish was caught tion over the weekend to attend groundbreaking for a wind farm, p.m. start time and many nice A&M. Nathan graduated magna on Edwina's family's ranch. She Carlos Silva and Christine catfish were pulled out of the cum laude and played football said it was about 10,000 acres Gomez. lake by some squealing kids. for the Aggies. He is currently and at least 11 wind turbines Kudos to the city workers, EMS, seeking admission to several will be located on their prop- the bank March 21, 2007. He and police chief who gave their medical schools and will spend erty. Edwina grew up on the is an FHS graduate and has time to coordinate the some time in Friona this sum- ranch and graduated from lived in Friona all his life. Floydada High School. Her mom While in school he enjoyed

> Seniors are invited to join in on tended Amarillo College Mondays and Thursdays for a where he also worked at a

Burleson will soon be leaving Senior dues are due. The cost shuttle driver. He then

business. The end of this month selor there and plans to en-Ky and Lanis, will represent If you are driving to Lubbock marks four years since I bought roll at Clovis Community Col-Parmer County in the Miss be careful around Littlefield. The the Friona Star from Bill and lege in the fall and is unde-Texas USA pageant which will Littlefield newspaper reports Carol Ellis. Happy retirement cided on a major. be televised Sunday July 1 from that six traffic accidents hap- ya'll, I'm still working my ink-

new Ford Mustang, cash, travel, figuring out the detours and Muleshoe Journal have sold wardrobe, and jewelry along kept running out in front of again, this time to the Hearst with representing Texas in the highway traffic. They say they Corporation. That's big time

The Hearst Corporation is a diversified media conglomerate Don't forget the retirement tea with 12 daily and 31 weekly At the White House, Queen for Dale Mann Saturday from newspapers, nearly 200 magawere entertained by famed vio- residence, 201 W. 14th. Dress is and Oprah's magazine, 29 telelinist Itzhak Perlman. In Febru- casual. It is a come and go vision stations, and cable net-

12 elections. Some say it was was the youngest of eight mu- Dale will be retiring as a teacher tory Channel, and ESPN. The for a while. It's along way from who take time to read the news because of Mother's Day, school sicians chosen to meet and visit this year after more than 25 Plainview Daily Herald is also Muleshoe to New York City. from home. Keep us posted on activities, and other conflicts. with Perlman at a concert in years. After all her years at owned by Hearst and the Can-We think it is just plain old Lubbock. Madeline told her Friona junior high I'm sure she you News and Muleshoe Jour- Our subscriber spotlight cern. We want to know what voter apathy. Folks don't care grandparents she was excited is looking forward to a "quiet" nal will both report to the shines on Daylen Gallman in has been happening. Thanks.

Plainview newspaper publisher. Dallas and Clifton Harper in Van

news of local interest and con-

25 in Farwell. That is not conflicts, that's just don't care. Who has now performed for the flicts, that's just don't care. Queen and the President. Ron and Edwina Davenport were in a front page photo in last week's Floyd County. Two new employees at FSB

within the first minute of the 1 Nathan Haile's graduation from a major portion of which will be nounce the employment of two new tellers: part time at K-Bob's in Durango and became

Carlos stated to work at is currently a resident of Prairie thespians and was first place in district in humorous improv. He loves to The Monday senior lunch make people laugh and is

> Carlos' parents are Aurelio Saturn dealership as a

Adoracion, where he has' been very involved all of Shuffling in the newspaper his life. He is a youth coun-

Christine Gomez was born

and will graduate with the Class way construction work on High- Since 2003 the Dimmitt and Lopez. She attended school in Ignacio, Colo- by and make your acquaintance with Carlos of 2007 May 25. The Miss Texas way 84. Traffic in the area is Olton newspapers have sold rado, for 13 years and is a graduate of there. and Christine. We are sure they will greet you USA winner will be eligible for narrowed to two lanes and the twice. Now comes word that She went to college in Ft. Lewis, Colorado, for with a big smile.

Friona State Bank is very happy to an- one year then started working. She worked

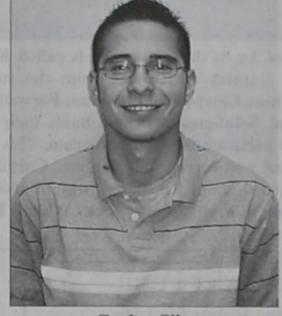
assistant manager. While working at K-Bob's she met the mother of her soon-to-be husband Raymond Gomez. The Gomezes moved to Hereford and she worked at K-Bob's and Raymond worked at Hereford Feedyard. They moved to Friona where Christine worked at Town & Country and Raymond at

ConAgra. After ConAgra sold they moved to Summerfield and Raymond went back to work at Hereford Feedyard. Christine became assistant manager at the east Town & Country in Hereford before applying at Friona State Bank. She was hired in

April, 2007. The Gomezes have two children. Chelsie and Jessie James Gomez. Chelsie attends Friona school and Jessie goes with his dad or the baby sitter. They love outdoor activities and especially riding horses. The family attends the Barn Church in Hereford.

We at Friona State Bank are very happy to have these two fine folks working here with us. They are

in Durango, Colorado, to Benjamin and Mary both working as tellers. We invite you to stop



Carlos Silva



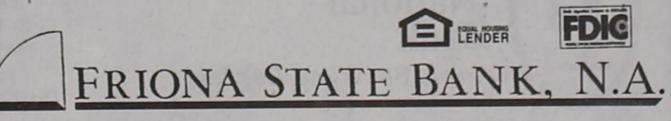
Christine Gomez

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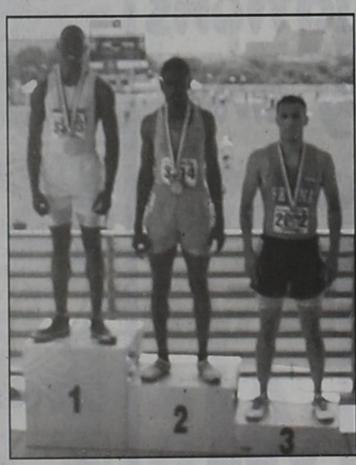
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Juan Reyes is off the starting blocks in the 400m run at the state track meet and on the medal stand accepting his bronze medal.





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Dillon Welch watches his discus sail at the state track meet in Austin last weekend and accepts the silver medal for his 2nd place finish.

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\$51,178.70.

Friona up 7.59%.

Cargill cooks for Clovis ag kids

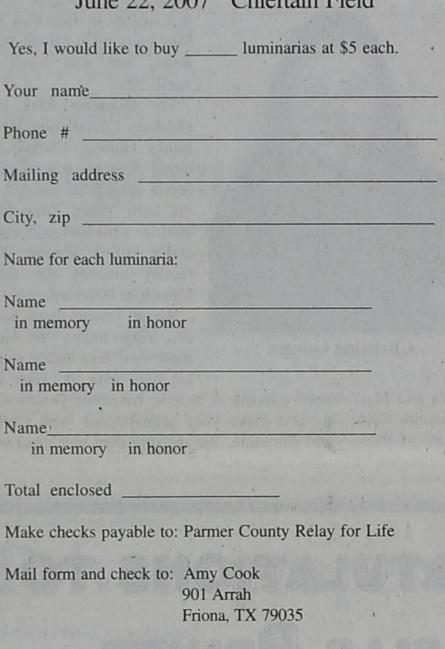


The Clovis equivalent of Ag in the Classroom is called Kids, Kows, and More. It is a 2-day event which features agriculture from the surrounding area for 4th graders from schools such as Clovis, Elida, Bovina, Farwell, Dora, and Floyd.

Each year Cargill Meat Solutions of Friona hauls their grill over to the Curry County Fairgrounds and participates in the program. This year the event was held May 8 and Cargill cooked and served 750 burgers. Cargill also had a food safety booth where the kids learned about the proper way to cook hamburger meat.

Pictured above, I-r, are Cargill cooks Rick White, Freddie Bermea, Robby Garcia, and Rhonda Weakley.

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May 20 - May 26, 2007

May 20-Gay Welch, Kim Barnett, Sherrie Stanberry, Larry Manuel, Graham Douglas Edelmon

May 21-Matthew Schueler, Fay Smith, Mark Zachary, David Drake, Ronnie Skaggs, Jeremiah Norwood, Christy King, Cindy Cargile, C.A. Carrera, Gary Gonzales, Ruby Garza, Aspen Fleming, Mason Fleming

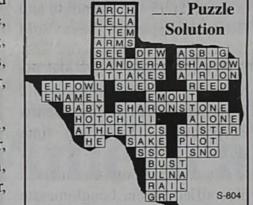
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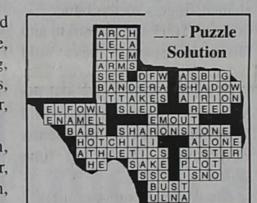
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May 25-Cathy Buchanan, Joshua Reed, Cheryl Procter, Jacob White, Alayna Rolen, Connie Clark, Jordan D'Nae Carr, Connie TeBeest

May 26-Cayla Mabry, Janey Reeve, Jessie Douglas, Marcos Reyes, John Gurley, Katherine

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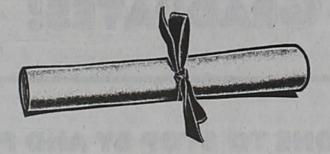




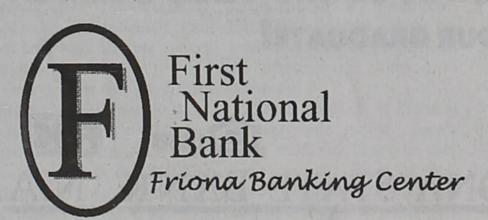
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the Class of 2007!

Tiffany Vazquez



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County sales tax revenue

Texas Comptroller Susan

Combs announced the state

collected \$1.7 billion in sales tax revenue in April, up 10.3 percent compared to April

"Sales tax revenue contin-

ues to show steady growth," Combs said. "This is true at

both the state and local levels, and it indicates that our

Texas economy is in good

May sales tax allocations to

local governments represent

March sales that were reported

to the Comptroller in April by

monthly tax filers and January,

February and March sales re-

ported to the Comptroller in

Parmer County's May 2007

payment totaled \$53,365.22,

broken down as Bovina

\$10,297.10; Farwell \$7,631.88;

and Friona \$35,436.24. In May

2006 the tax payment total was

Comparing tax receipts from

the same period last year, pay-

ments were up 4.27%, broken down as Bovina up 4.97%;

Farwell down -9.50%; and

For the year, Parmer County

cities have received a total of

\$206,866.02 as compared to

205,289.22 for the same period

last year, a 0.76% change.

April by quarterly filers.

Lions Club News

by Ron Carr



Lion Sam Mears is shown with guests at Friona Evening Lions Club on Thursday May 10: (l-r) Wendy Lookingbill, Emily Allen and Guest Speaker Patsy Allen. The program consisted of a preview of a soonto-be published Travelogue, entitled "Texas Plains Trails", being produced by local high school students under the direction of Patsy Allen and Wendy Lookingbill. Upon completion, this DVD will be made available for parties who are interested for personal or group viewings.

Sheriff's Report

The following is reported weekly by Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geries office:

May 8, 2007, Daniel Saldana, 17, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department and charged with engaging in organized criminal activity, pending Grand Jury; and burglary of a building, pending Grand Jury.

May 8, 2007, Esteban Saldana, 48, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department and charged with engaging in organized criminal activity, pending Grand Jury; and burglary of a building, pending Grand Jury.

May 9, 2007, Adrian Oltivero, 23, of Friona, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office and charged with assault, pending County Court; and motion to revoke (terroristic threat), pending County Court.

May 10, 2007, Ronald Spiker, 38, of Amarillo, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office and charged with possession of a controlled substance, pending Grand Jury.

May 11, 2007, Raymond Dandridge III, 34, of Amarillo, was arrested by the Texas highway Patrol and charged with driving with an invalid license, pending County Court.

May 12, 2007, Charles Leal, 31, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department on a Lubbock County warrant for possession of a controlled substance, posted bond and released.

May 12, 2007, Annabelle Mendez, 35, of Texico, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on two Deaf Smith County warrants and one Randall County warrant (theft by check), posted bond and released.

May 14, 2007, Michael Hernandez, 25, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department and charged with driving with an invalid license, pending County Court.



Courthouse Notes

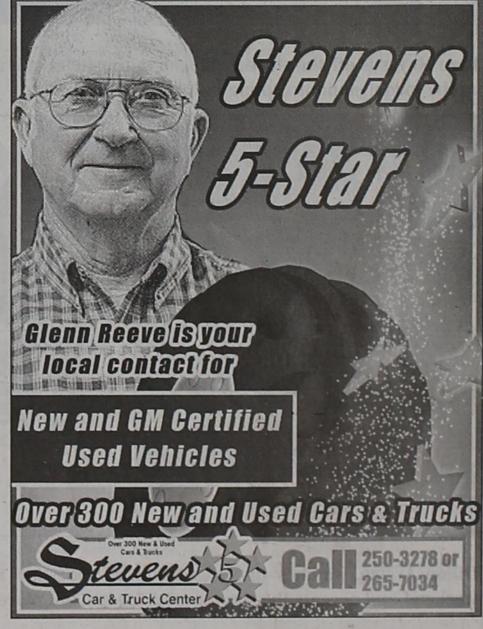
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By Kay Ledbetter Producers will have a to see how varieties of canola and triticale peri-

under this year's wet sprin ditions at the Small Grain The field day is sche for May 24 at the Texas as tural Experiment Station's Plains Research Field nor Dumas. Field tours are s uled from 9 a.m. to noon will be followed by a lunch

"This year's wheat cro such a stark contrast to year," said Dr. Jackie Rud Amarillo, state wheat breede the Experiment Station. crop looks good; prices good; what could be better getting out and looking

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Small grains field day May 24

By Kay Ledbetter

Producers will have a chance to see how varieties of wheat, ety trials for silage and grain canola and triticale performed production, participants will hear under this year's wet spring con- an update on the water-meterditions at the Small Grains Field ing rules of the North Plains

for May 24 at the Texas agricul- Plains/Texas Water Development tural Experiment Station's North Board studies. Plains Research Field north of Dumas. Field tours are sched- with Agri-Energy Solutions, will uled from 9 a.m. to noon and talk on "Ethanol Future in the will be followed by a lunch.

"This year's wheat crop is Two general continuing edusuch a stark contrast to last cation credits will be offered. year," said Dr. Jackie Rudd of For more information, contact Amarillo, state wheat breeder for Rudd or Dr. Brent Bean at the the Experiment Station. "The Texas A&M University System crop looks good; prices are Agricultural Research and Exgood; what could be better than tension Center in Amarillo at getting out and looking at 806-677-5600. wheat?"

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In addition to looking at vari-Water District and the latest in-The field day is scheduled formation from the Texas High

Guest speaker Tim Snyder, Panhandle".



Officers of the Friona High School National English Honor Society for 2007-08 are, l-r, Alonzo Rojas vicepresident, Emily Allen president, JoAnn Mendoza secretary. Not pictured is treasurer Alex Gurley.

FHS English Honor

At a ceremony in the Friona High School library April 29 the

The officers for 2007-08 are Emily Allen, president; Alonzo

Members of NEHS must maintain a 4.0 grade point average

with a grade point of 4.25 in English. The new members

inducted are Hannah Carthel, Justin Echevarria, Jamie Garza,

Corinne Hinton, Lucia Mendez, John O'Brian, Teresa Ramos,

Gabriela Rivera, Alba Soltero, Alex Vega, Christine Widner, and

Rojas, vice-president; JoAnn Mendoza, secretary; and Alex

Barbara Curry Chapter of the National English Honor Society

Society installation

installed officers and inducted new members.

Athletic physicals scheduled Saturday

doctors from Amarillo will be will have to get one before giving physicals at Friona they can participate in their High School Saturday May 19 particular sport," Ferguson from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. The cost said. is \$15 and will be good for all All sophomores, juniors, and sports during the 2007-08 seniors report at 9 a.m. Other

250-2788. This will be the only the physicals with cash," duced cost.

Coach Bob Ferguson has "If your child is unable to advised that sports medicine get a physical at this time they

times are: 9th graders report at Any questions please con- 9:30 a.m., 8th graders report at tact Bob Ferguson at 250-3862 10 a.m., and 7th graders report or junior high can contact Jose at 10:30 a.m. "If possible we Gonzales or Jeanne Stone at would like everyone to pay for day that physicals will be pro- Ferguson said. "If a check is vided by the school at a re- to be written, make it out to Friona Sports."

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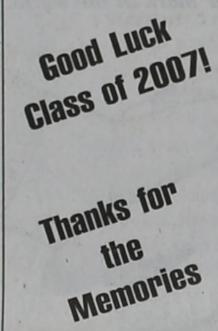
Gurley, treasurer.

Kathleen Wyly.

correction

FHS senior Lucretia Field was named Most Valuable Player for girls' varsity track and field at last week's all-sports banquet. Miss Field came back from knee operations during both her sophomore and junior years to earn honorable mention all-district in basketball and the track and field MVP award. She advanced to regional competition in the 100m hurdles.

In a story last week naming the athletic MVPs we inadvertently left off Lucretia's name. We apologize for the error.





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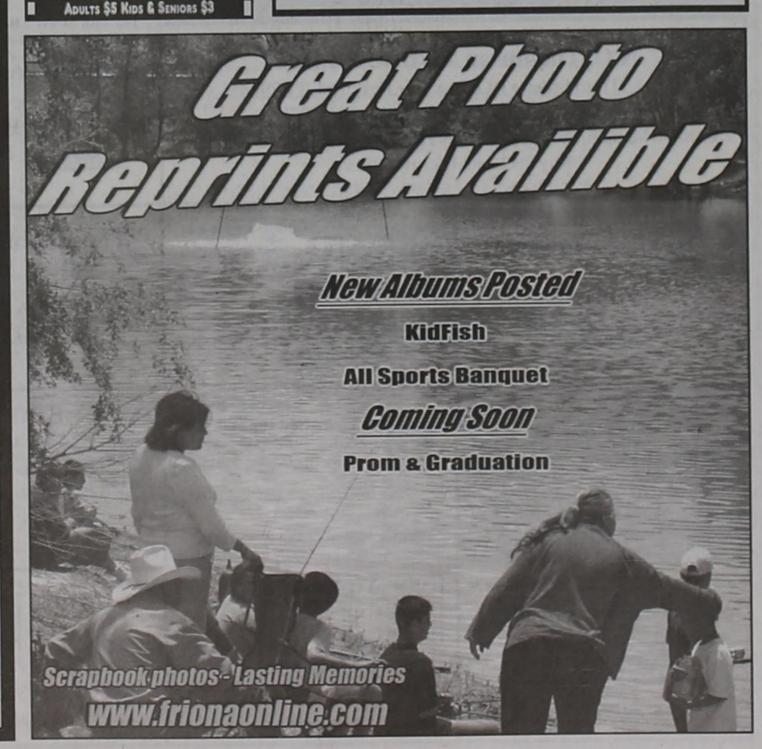
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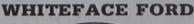
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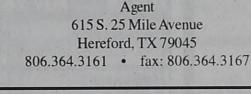








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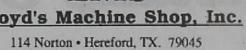
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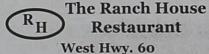
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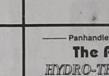
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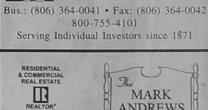


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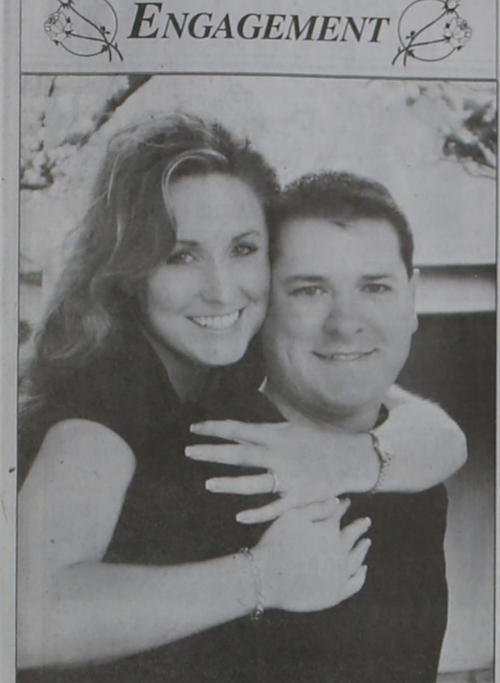
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Charlotte Procter & Timothy Bynum

Procter & Bynum

Ted and Glenda Procter of Friona, are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Charlotte Renae Procter, to Timothy Neal Bynum, the son of Kevin and Ronda Bynum of Spearman, Texas.

The bride-elect is a Friona High School graduate as well as a West Texas A&M University graduate. Charlotte is currently employed by Muleshoe I.S.D.

The future groom is a Spearman High School graduate, and also a West Texas A&M University graduate. He is currently employed by Phi Delta Theta International Fraternity in Oxford,

They will exchange vows on Saturday, July 14, 2007 at 4:00 p.m., at the Sixth Street Church of Christ in Friona.

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Mason Gray Neelley

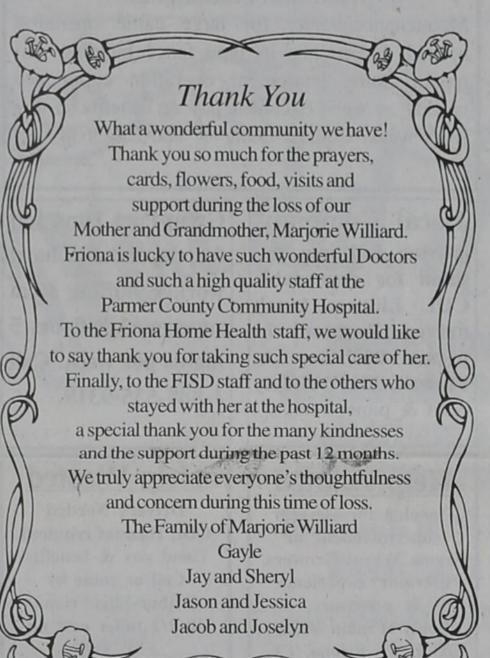
Dan and Shanda Neelley, of Vega, Texas, proudly announce the birth of their son, Mason Gray Neelley.

He was born on February 20, 2007, at 5:11 p.m., at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He weighed 9 pounds, 7 ounces and was 21 1/2 inches long. He has two brothers, six-year-old Jackson and three-year-old

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land, Texas, and Robert and Connie Neelley of Friona.







Poppy Grimsley & Rob Stokes

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Jimmy and Barbara Grimsley, of Friona, and Lynda Grimsley, of Lubbock, announce the engagement of their daughter, Poppy Grimsley, to Rob Stokes, of Lubbock, the son of Larry and Dana Stokes and Dibrell and Vicki Gay, all of Lubbock.

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The future groom is also a Texas Tech University graduate and is currently employed by Glazer's Wholesale.

They will be married on July 28, 2007 at the Reese Convention Center in Lubbock.

Think about this

God's will for our lives

BY T. LEON TALLEY, Sixth Street Church of Christ

Through God's Word, we have an opportunity to look into the mind of God. To know what God thinks. We can gain God's perspective on what He wants for our lives. What does He want? I Thessalonians 4 has some answers (read vs. 1-8). This text is an affront to the lifestyle of many, even some who profess to be Christians. In this text, Paul states that it is God's will that the Christian be "sanctified". That means, be different, set apart from the world. Then Paul specifies what that means.

It means we "avoid sexual immorality". Sexual immorality satisfies the person's own lusts. But, someone who is trying to follow Christ remembers that they are living to please God, not themselves.

It means that we should "learn to control our own body in a way that is holy and honorable". To set apart our bodies for God, we must practice what God wants us to do. Some people allow their sexual activity to be guided only by what they want or by what everyone else is doing, or by community standards.

There are more instructions in this passage that identify God's will for our lives, but the point is: We must decide to be on God's side. God has called us for a reason and that reason is to be Holy (v. 7).

God calls us today through the gospel, the living, breathing Word of God (note: Hebrews 4:12-13; II Thessalonians 2:14).

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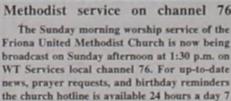
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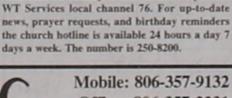


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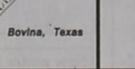
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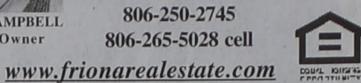
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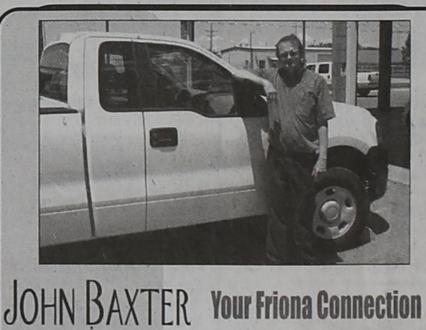
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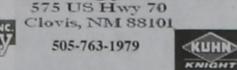
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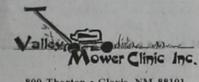
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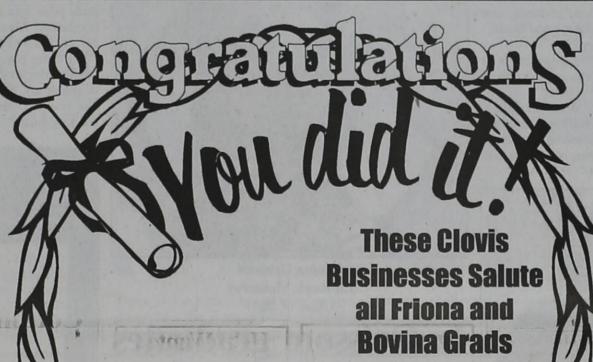
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My Life Story

By Geraldine Feriar Taylor

Every month, a resident of Prairie Acres Nursing Home or Friona Heritage Estates, writes a story about his/her life's history for the home's newsletter, "The Prairie Times", for printing in this issue. This month we feature Geraldine Feriar Taylor.

I was born January 11, 1917 in Killeen, Texas to John Barton and Sallie McFarland. There were 6 girls and 4 boys. I was second to youngest. One of our neighbors named me after a famous opera singer.

There were so many kids that we had all kinds of games to play. We had to milk the cows by hand. The boys did most of the milking, but we girls had to help sometimes.

In 1925, we moved to Friona where Daddy farmed and had some cattle. There wasn't a hospital when we moved there, so Daddy and my sister, Lora Mae, canvassed the town to collect money to get one started at the old Army barracks. After Daddy died, Mother gave money to build on the McFarland wing at the hospital

I went to school and graduated from Friona. When I graduated I went to Texas Tech where I got a Bachelor Business Administration Degree. I taught school for three years after I got out of college.

I came back to Friona and married George C. Taylor. He enlisted in the Navy, and later, was attached to the Marines. He was sent back after he was wounded and received a Purple Heart.

In 1943 we had our first child, Suzanne Taylor Wood, who lives in Pampa. Then we later had our second child Lisa Kathryn, who lives in Austin. I have five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. I taught for one year in Friona. I taught typing, bookkeeping and all that stuff. I've been living at Heritage Estates since March 2007.



Prairie Acres Resident of the Month is Maxine Thompson and Employee of the Month is Diana Perez.

Prairie Acres Heritage Estates May Birthdays

Residents/Clients

Lela Mae George-May 1 Maxine Thompson—May 6 Lydia Tomlin—May 9 Sylvia Roth-May 14 Diantha Naylor—May 16 Faye Smith—May 21 Jo Witten-May 24

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First National Bank-Friona Banking Center donated the proceeds from their sausage wrap concession at the Centennial celebration in Farwell to the Parmer County Historical Museum. Presenting a check for \$124 is FNB employee Britny Pope, I-r, museum curator Wendy Carthel, and FNB vice-president Ab Hendley.

Belinda Anthony earns degree from West Texas A&M

Belinda Renee Anthony received her Bachelor of Business Administration in General Business and her Secondary Teaching Certification from West Texas A&M University during ceremonies May 12, 2007.

Belinda, a Friona High School graduate, maintained an overall grade point average of 3.1. She is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, International Honor Society of Education. She is also a member of the National Scholar Honor Society.

Her future plans are to work in the Friona Independent School District. Her husband Mark, and children Brittany, Kathy, and Benjamin say "we are proud of your accomplishments the past four years and can't wait to see what the future holds. We love you very much."



Belinda Anthony

Class of 2007 L. Grissom graduates at Lubbock Monterey

Lianna Grissom

Lubbock Monterey

Lianna Grissom proudly announces her graduation from Monterey High School in Lubbock, Texas.

She was involved in basketball, golf, track, Monterey Leadership, National Honor Society, and Key Club. She participated in Varsity Cheer winning an NCA National Cheer Championship and 3rd place in the World's Cheer Competition.

Lianna is a four-year National Honor Roll recipient, chosen Who's Who Among American High School Students, Top Plainsmen nominee, and Lubbock Outstanding Youth finalist.

She was chosen Most Talkative Girl, senior class and will graduate with 35 college hours. She is attending Texas A&M University for a degree in Communications with a Political Science concentration. Her future plans are to pursue law or politics.

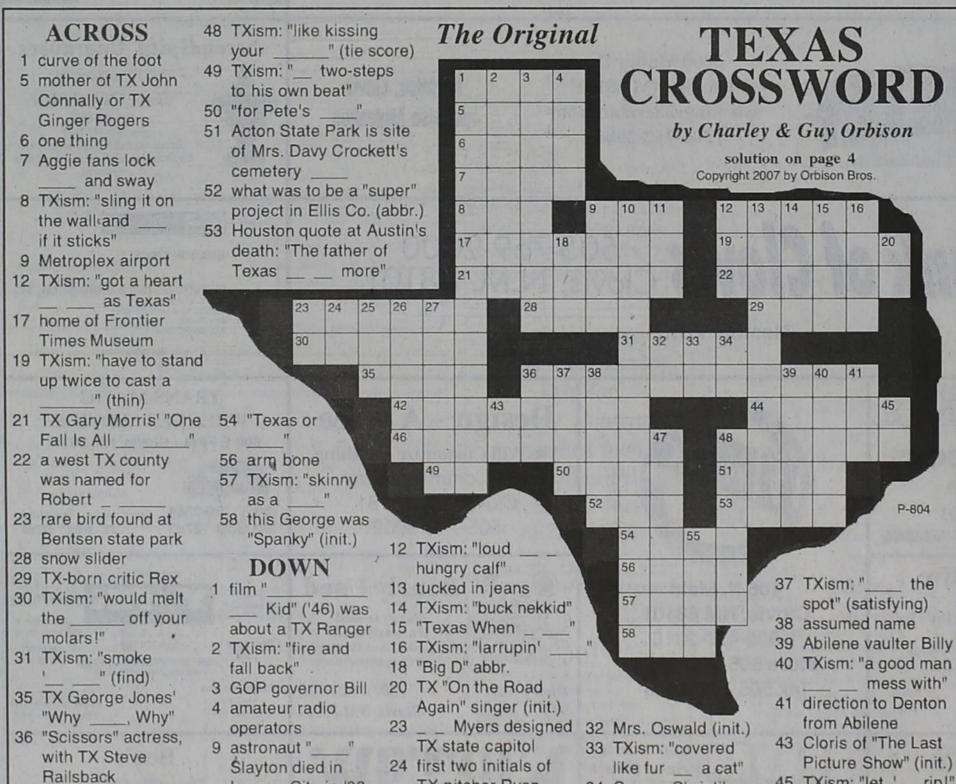
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Rosario Villarreal & Leslee Avalos

FHS student and staff member for April

Friona High School is proud to announce our Student and Staff Member of the Month of April.

Leslee Avalos is our Student of the Month. She is known for "striving toward her goals in academics and extracurricular activities. She is a great role model for her peers, younger students and adults. She perseveres and overcomes obstacles to do the right thing. Leslee is always appropriate, respectful, responsible, and dependable. She is equally effective as a leader and as a team member."

Rosario Villarreal is our Staff Member of the Month. She is Stormes, Karina Trevino, Duncan Band, outstanding brass per- most outstanding Algebra I stu- Boardley most outstanding girl, described as a "hard worker" and she has a "terrific attitude". She does a great job of keeping our school appearance top notch.

Congratulations to Leslee Avalos and Rosario Villarreal. They represent FHS and our community well.



These junior high students were servers at the annual all-sports banquet, keeping tea glasses filled and picking up empty plates. In a few years the future Chieftains and Squaws will have their opportunity to be honored at the banquet. Thanks



KidFish snags some big ones



Game Wardens, 1-r, Frank Niemiec and James caught by Riley Davidson scored the longest fish at Cummings were on hand to help out during Sunday's at 21 1/2" Second longest 25 1/4". Braxton Upton

that 87 youngsters registered to fish last Sunday 5/8" by Taylor Obenhaus. for the annual KidFish were measured.

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In the 12 and over group the longest fish was group Daniel Padilla was second with a 22 1/



Voggesser placed third with a 21 34" fish.

This youngster was not happy with the catfish flapping around on his line.



Mark Schwab has a firm grip on his catch-of-the-day.

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Rhett Roden, 3, is not sure about holding this catfish so dad Rick helped out.

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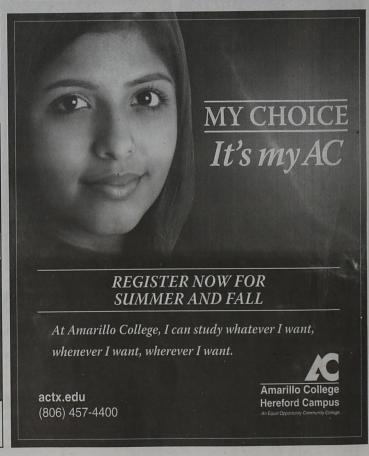
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Isabel Romero & Stephen Campbell Senior Class Favorites

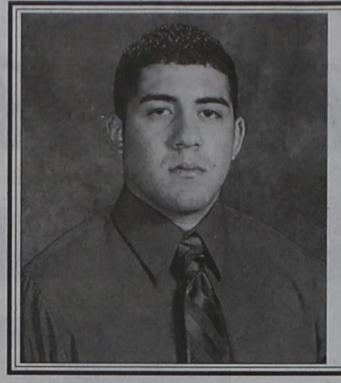


Graduation Ceremonies May 25th 8pm



Brenda Acosta

Brenda Acosta is the 18-year-old daughter of Everardo and Maria L. Acosta. While attending Friona High School she participated in Band for four years, Spanish Club for three years, Choir for one year, Early Childhood Professions for two years, and was on the 90 & Above list. She was also a Spanish Folklorico Dancer for three years and a State Solo/Ensemble Qualifier. Brenda plans to attend a cosmetology institute (Milan Institute).



Omar Anchondo

Omar Anchondo is the 18-year-old son of Maria Anchondo. While attending Friona High School he played football, basketball, baseball, and ran track. He went to state and won first place in Industrial Arts, and qualified for area in Horse Judging. He participated in FFA for one year, Spanish Club for one year, DECA for one year, Industrial Arts for two years, and Horse Judging for one year. Omar plans to attend college to become a massage therapist.

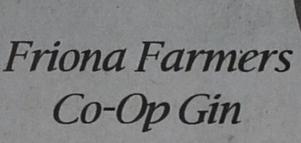
Courtney Adams

Courtney Adams is the 18-year-old daughter of Tim and Shonda Adams. While attending Friona High School Courtney played basketball for three years and was First Team All-District in volleyball for two years. She participated in the National Honor Society for three years, the National English, Honor Society for two years, Thespians for three years, Science Club for one year, and was on the 90 & Above list for four years. Courtney plans to attend Amarillo College to be a nurse.

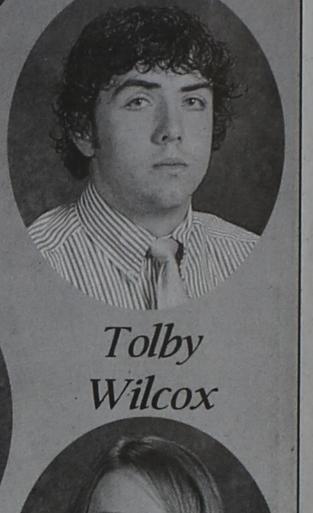






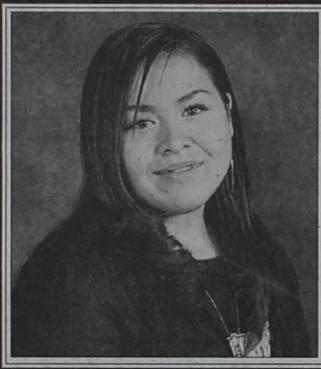


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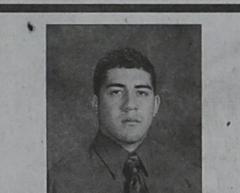


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Yuri Aguillon

Yuri Aguillon is the 18-year-old daughter of Maria R. Aguillon. Yuri plans to attend college in San Antonio or Austin.



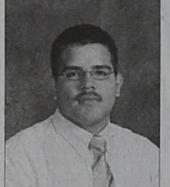
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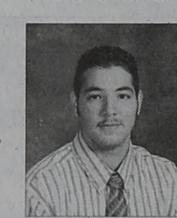
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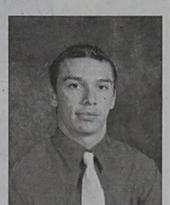
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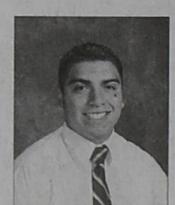
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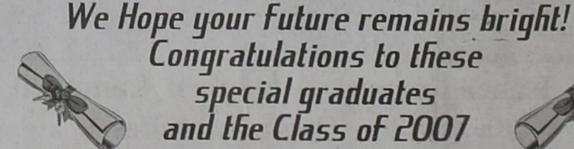
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Congratulations to these special graduates and the Class of 2007

Parmer County Farm Bureau 310 West 11th Friona 806-250-3963 District Champion Res second team All-Distri gional Qualifier in Shot for two years. Aaron pl.

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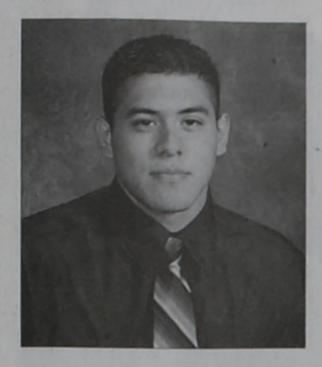
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Aaron Arcos



Aaron Arcos is the 17-year-old son of Delia Arcos. While attending Friona High School he was Football District Champion Regional Qualifier in Powerlifting, second team All-District Offensive Lineman, and Regional Qualifier in Shot-put. He also participated in FFA for two years. Aaron plans to attend Amarillo College.

Angelica Arellano



Juan Carlos Avalos



Juan Carlos Avalos is the 17-year-old son of Sylvia and Jose Mendiola. While attending Friona High School he was on the 90 & Above list his sophomore and junior years, and participated in FCCLA for one year. Juan plans to attend college.

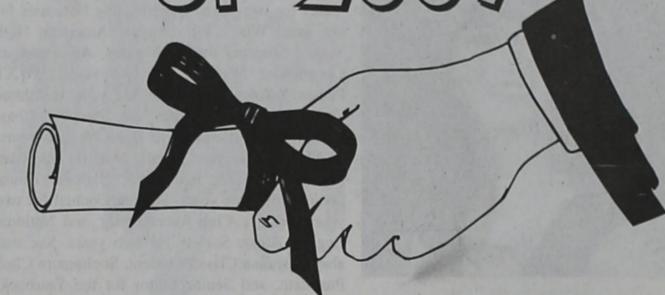
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Katharyn Sue Anthony is the 18-year-old daughter of Belinda R. Anthony and James M. Anthony. While attending Friona High School she was UIL Qualifier in Academics, All Region Band, All A Honor Roll, Perfect Attendance, 90 & Above, and State Qualifier in Solo and Ensemble. She participated in Band for four years, FCCLA for three years, Thespians for two years, Annual Staff for two years, Spanish Club for three years, National Honor Society for three years, Student Council for three years, Science Club for two years, National English Honor Society for two years, TSA for one year, and was the Yearbook Editor in Chief. Katharyn plans to attend West Texas A&M University and major in Business and Computer Information*Systems in Education.



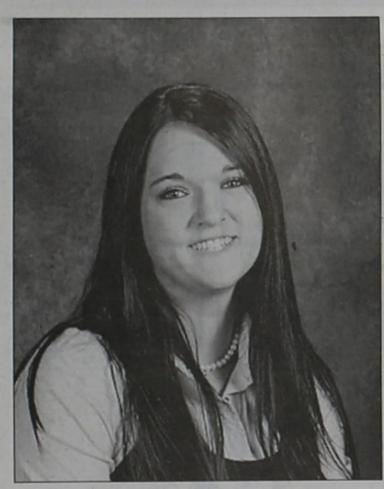
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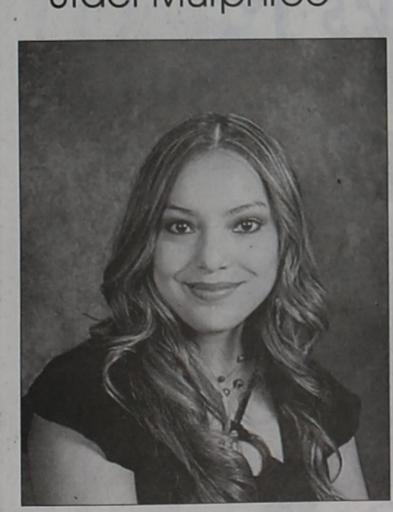
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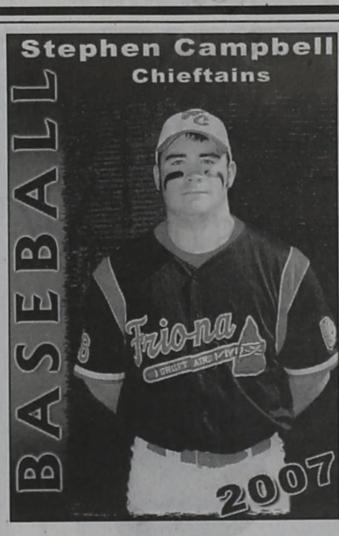
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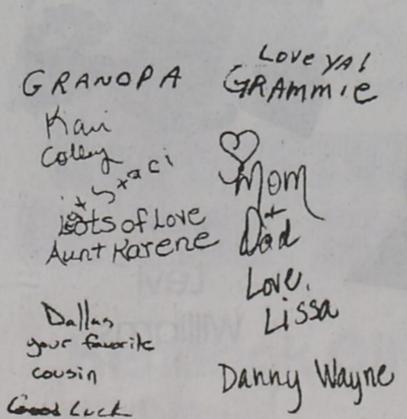
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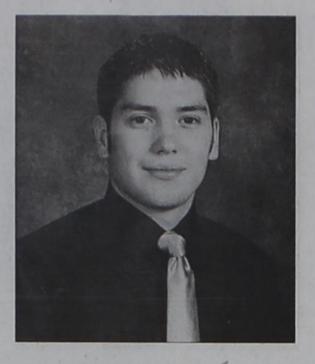
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Matthew Balli



Matthew Balli is the 18-year-old son of Andy and Julie Balli. While attending Friona High School he participated in Industrial Arts for three years. Matthew plans to attend either Amarillo College or Clovis Community College to be an Automotive Technician.

Elizabeth Ann Benavides



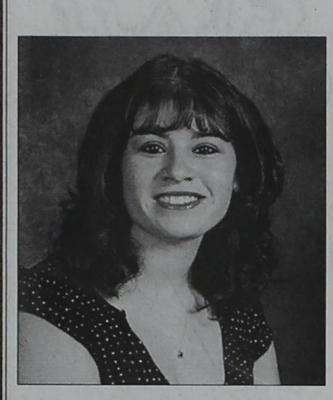
Elizabeth Ann Benavides (Cece) is the 17-year-old daughter of Hugo and Gabriela Benavides. While attending Friona High School she participated in Thespians for one year, Spanish Club for two years, was in the "Lil Abner" play in her freshman year, and played golf all through high school. She skipped her junior year, thus graduating one year early. Cece plans to attend WTAM for basics and enter Medical School.

Lindsey Benavides



Lindsey Benavides is the 17-year-old daughter of Rosalio Benavides Jr. and Armandina Benavides. While attending Friona High School she participated in Band for four years and Choir for two years. Lindsey plans to attend Sam Houston State University to be a probation officer.

Leslee Richelle Avalos

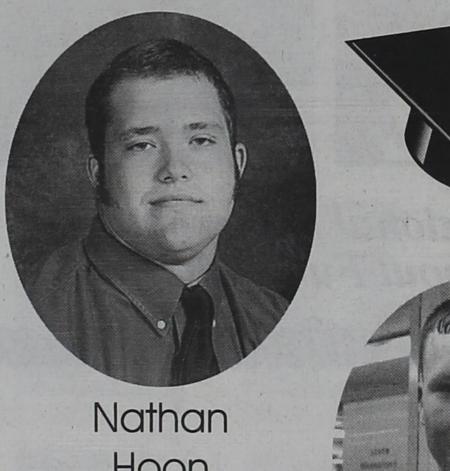


Leslee Richelle Avalos is the 18-year-old daughter of Oney and Rachel Avalos. While attending Friona High School she achieved the 90 & Above list for four years, Regional Qualifier in Literary Criticism for one year, Varsity Cheerleader for two years, Cheerleading Nationals for one year, Who's Who Among American High School Students for three years, All-American Cheerleader Nominee for two years, BWXT Pantex Science Award for one year, and State Qualifier in Band for one year. She played basketball and participated in Band for two years, FCCLA for one year, Annual Staff for one year, Spanish Club for two years, National Honor Society for three years, Student Council for two years, Science Club for one year, and National English Honor Society for two years. She was also Freshman Class President, Sophomore Class President, and Senior Editor for the Yearbook. Leslee plans to attend Texas Tech University.

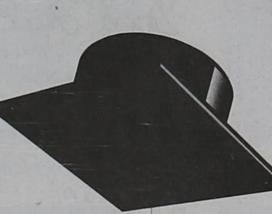


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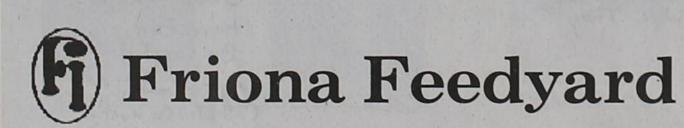


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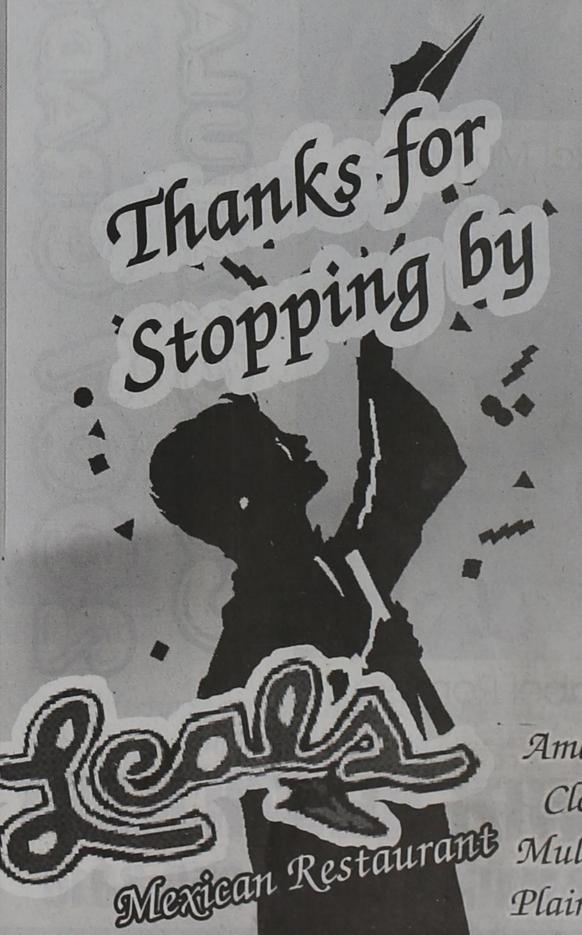


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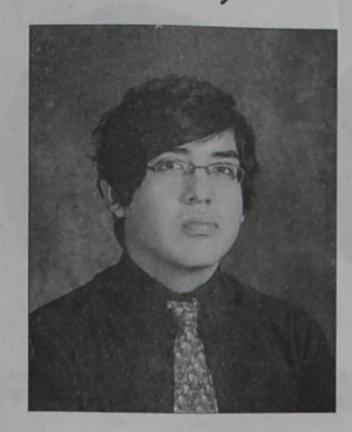
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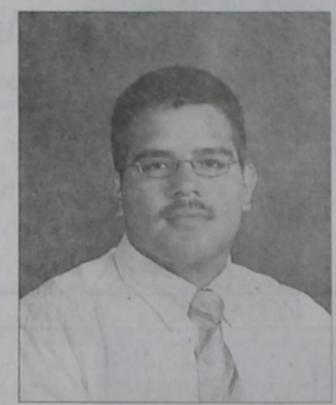
Noe Boyzo is the 18-year-old son of Othoniel and Socorro Boyzo. While attending Friona High School he played football in his freshman year. Noe plans to attend college.

April Cantu



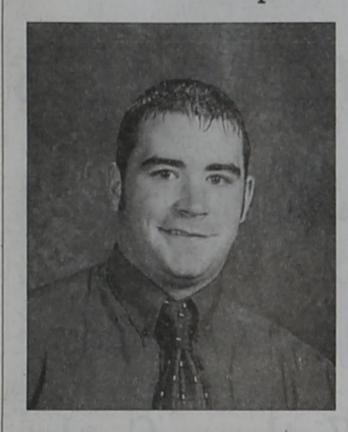
April Cantu is the 17-year-old daughter of Raymond and Elisa Cantu. While attending Friona High School she participated in Band for two years and Spanish Club for one year. April plans to attend WT in the fall and then go to Medical School to be a Pediatrician.

Adam Carrasco

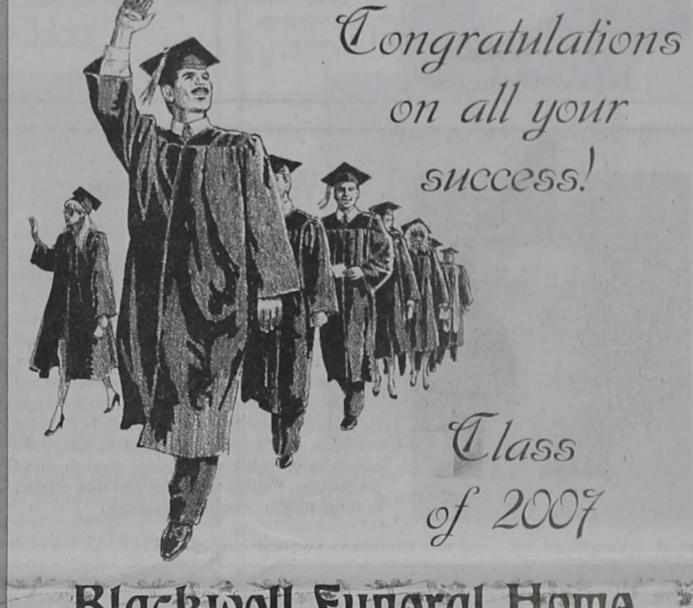


Adam Carrasco is the 19-year-old son of Juanita and Pedro Carrasco. While attending Friona High School he played football for four years and participated in powerlifting for one year. Adam plans to take auto mechanic and collision repair courses at Amarillo College.

Stephen Campbell



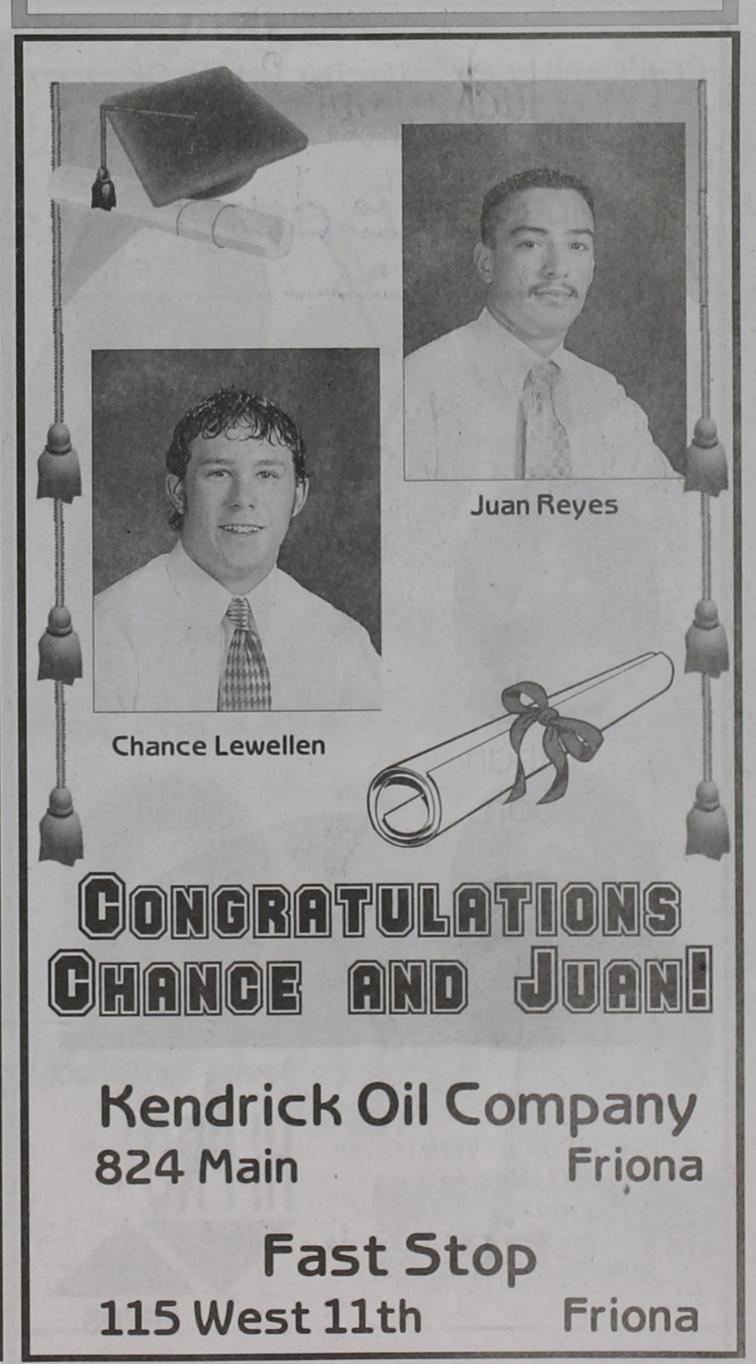
Stephen Campbell is the 18-year-old son of Danny and Holly Campbell. While attending Friona High School he achieved Academic All State and All District in football, All District in baseball, Regional Qualifier in track, and was on the 90 & Above list. He played football for four years, baseball for four years, and participated in track for three years. He participated in the Student Council for one year, Science Club for one year, National English Honor Society for two years, and National Honor Society for two years. He was NHS Vice President and Senior Class Vice President.



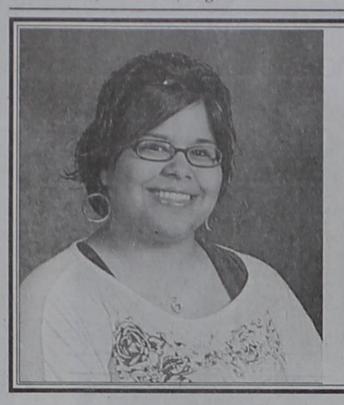
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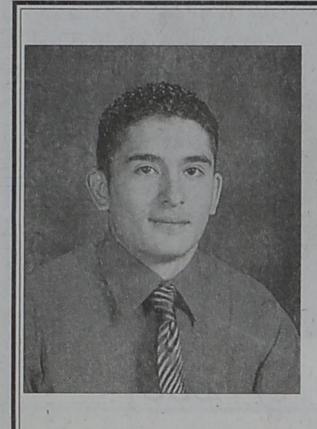
Angela Carrasco

Angela Carrasco is the 19-year-old daughter of Juanita and Pedro Carrasco. While attending Friona High School she participated in Band for one year and Woodworking for four years. Angela plans to attend Amarillo College to be a massage therapist.



Samantha Casado

Samantha Casado is the 18-year-old daughter of Sandra Casado and Mario Casado. While attending Friona High School she participated in FCCLA for two years and Spanish Club for four years. Samantha plans to attend Clovis Community College and major in Radiology.



Valente Casas

Valente Casas is the 18-year-old son of Valente and Micaela Casas. While attending Friona High School he played football for four years, basketball his freshman and sophomore years, baseball his junior and senior years, ran track for four years, and powerlifting his sophomore, junior and senior years. He achieved 2nd Team All District cornerback, 1st Team All District wide receiver, and was part of a District Championship football team. He participated in Band for two years, FCCLA for two years, DECA for one year, and the Mr. Friona contest in his senior year. Valente plans to attend South Plains College for basics and then transfer to Texas Tech to major in Architecture.



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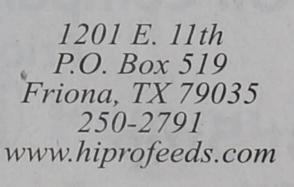
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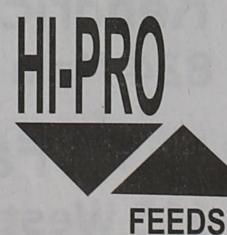


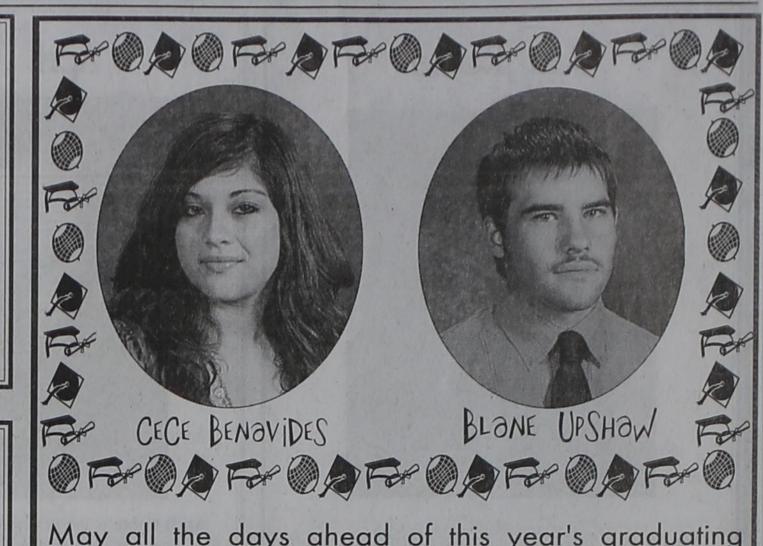


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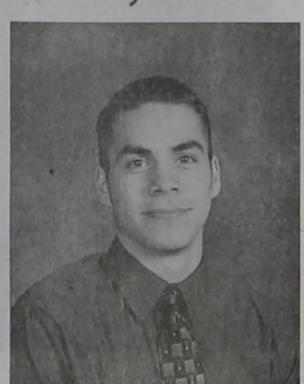
Cesar Chacon is the 18-year-old son of Isidro Chacon and Maria de Chacon. Cesar plans to work and then attend college.

Angelica Chico



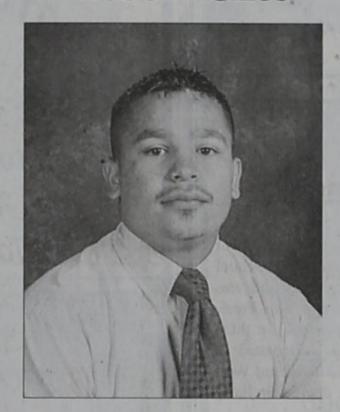
Angelica Chico is the 18-year-old daughter of Dalia and Scott Verlod. While attending Friona High School she played basketball, volleyball, ran track and cross-country. She participated in Science Club for one year and Lifesmarts for one year. Angelica plans to attend Amarillo College.

Harvey Chico



Harvey Chico is the 19-year-old son of Scott and Dalia Verlod. While attending Friona High School he participated in Lifesmarts for two years. Harvey plans to get married in July, move to Amarillo, attend Amarillo College and major in Business. He also plans to join a boxing club to follow his

Ruben Chico



Ruben Chico is the 17-year-old son of Ruben and Delia Chico. While attending Friona High School he achieved the 90 & Above list, '05-'06 District champs football, and '05-'06 All District running back. He participated in the Spanish Club for one year, National Honor Society for two years, and TSA for three years. Ruben plans to attend West Texas A&M University.

Darcy Daniel



Darcy Daniel is the 18-year-old daughter of Kelly and Troy Daniel. While attending Friona High School she played varsity volleyball for two years, ran track for three years, and cross-country for two years. She participated in Band for one year and Lifesmarts for one year. Darcy plans to attend college and pursue a degree in Business and Chiro-

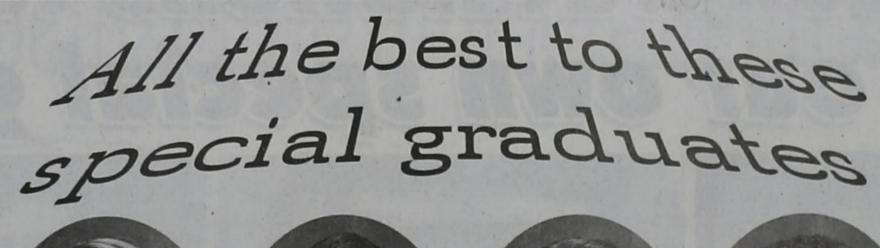
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Emmie



Emmie Crutchfield is the 17-year-old daughter of Troy and Feliz Crutchfield. While attending Friona High School she went to State in cross-country in her freshman year and Regionals the remaining three years; Regionals in track three years in row, running both long distance and short distance; and played basketball her freshman year. She participated in FFA for one year and the Miss Friona pageant her junior year. Emmie plans to attend Amarillo College to be a dental assistant and obtain a license in cosmetology.



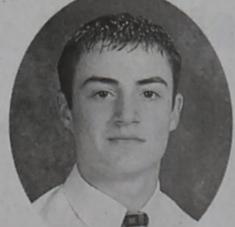
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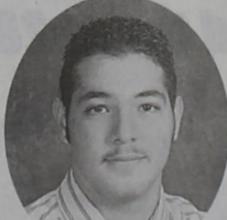


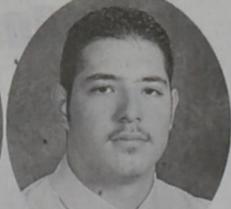
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Erica Davila

Erica Davila is the 17-year-old daughter of David Jr. and Beth Davila. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above for four years, was Choir State Solo qualifier for four years, Track Regional qualifier for four years, Band State qualifier her senior year, Cross-country Regional qualifier her senior year, basketball All Defensive team her junior year, 2nd team All District her senior year, and newcomer of the year her junior year. She played basketball for four years, ran track for four years, and cross-country for two years. She participated in Band for four years, Thespians for two years, and Choir for four years. Erica plans to attend West Texas A&M University.

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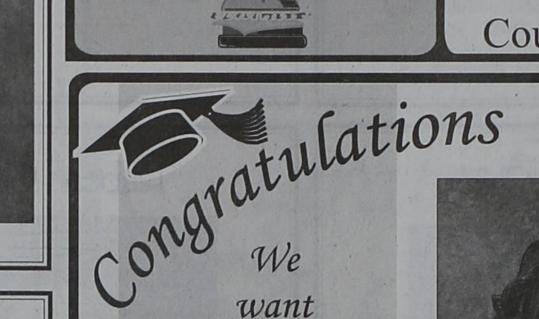
Kambree Davila is the 18-year-old daughter of Lori and Gilbert Davila. While attending Friona High School she achieved Track Regionals in highjump and basketball playoffs. She played basketball for four years, volleyball for one year, and ran track for three years. She participated in FCCLA for two years and Thespians for one year. Kambree plans to take Cosmetology courses in Plainview.





Echevarria

Julie Echevarria is the 18-year-old daughter of Lesa Bermea. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above all four years and was Thespian Secretary her junior year and Vice President her senior year. She played basketball for three years, ran track for one year and participated in Thespians for four years. Julie plans to attend West Texas A&M University to earn a degree in Early Childhood Education.



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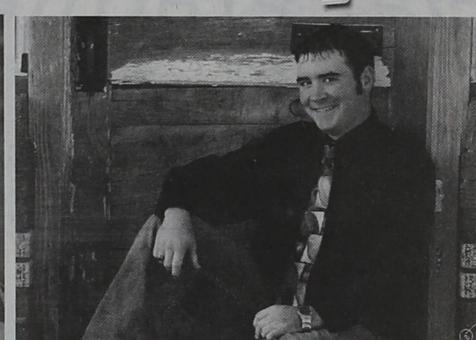


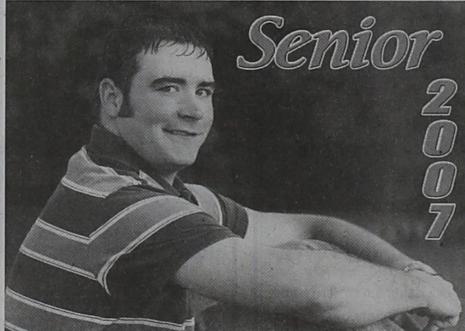
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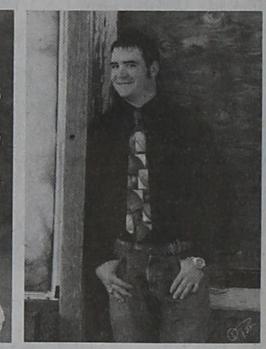


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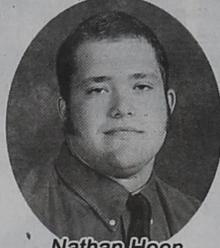
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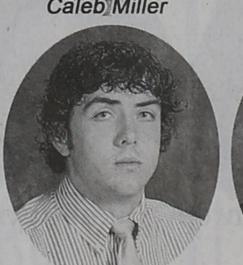


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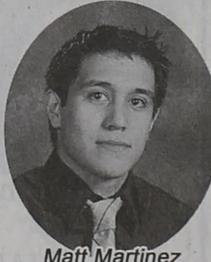
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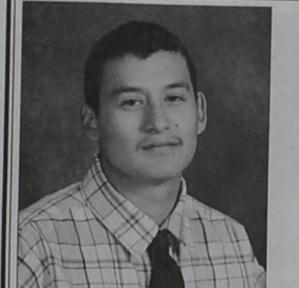
Lucretia Field

Lucretia Field is the 18-year-old daughter of Vickie and Dennis Field. While attending Friona High School she achieved Honorable Mention in basketball in 2007, 90 & Above list for four years, and track Regionals in 100 hurdles. She participated in FFA for one year and Annual Staff for one year. Lucretia plans to attend West Texas A&M University.

Michael Brett Field

Michael Brett Field is the 18-year-old son of Jon Field and Laura Field. While attending Friona High School his achievements include Band UIL State Ensemble for three years and Band All-Region for one year. He participated in Band for four years, Thespians for one year, Choir for one year, Science Club for one year, and Speech for one year. Michael plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in Business.





Ternando Garcia

Jesus Garcia

Jesus Garcia is the 18-year-old son of Maria G. Garcia and Felipe Garcia. While attending Friona High School he participated in Band for three years. Jesus plans to attend ITT Tech for two years.



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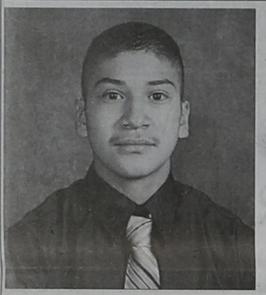
Erika Godoy is the 20-year-old daughter of Salvador and Maclovia Godoy. While attending Friona High School she participated in the Spanish Club for four years, ECP 1 for one year, ECP 2 for one year, Art Club for one year and achieved Perfect Attendance for one year. Erika plans to attend Cosmetology classes at Clovis Community College.

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Sandra Godoy is the 18-year-old daughter of Salvador and Maclovia Godoy. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above for four years; won Pantex Math and Science Award in 2005 for math; State Solo and Ensemble for four years; UIL for two years; Girls State for the summer of 2006 in Sequin; National Honor Society Reporter her senior year; and sophomore class Treasurer. She played basketball for three years, and participated in Powerlifting for one year, Band for four years, FCCLA for three years, Annual Staff for one year, Spanish Club for four years, National Honor Society for three years, Student Council for three years, Science Club for three years, and National English Honor Society for two years. Sandra plans to major in Pre-Med. first attending West Texas A&M University to be an RN and then an OB/GYN.

Alta Gracie Gonzalez

Alta Gracie Gonzalez is the 17-year-old daughter of Betty and Elpidio Gonzalez. While attending Friona High School she participated in Band for four years. Alta plans to attend college to be an RN.



Lupe Gonzalez

Lupe Gonzalez is the 17-year-old son of David and Alicia Gonzalez. While attending Friona High School he went to State in both Lifesmarts and Woodworking. He played football, tennis, ran track, and did powerlifting, He participated in FFA for one year, Spanish Club for one year, Industrial Arts for two years, Mechanics for three years, and Art Club for one year. Lupe plans to attend Amarillo College.

Teresa Carcia

Teresa Garcia is the 18-year-old daughter of Juan and Gaudencia Garcia. While attending Friona High School she participated in the Flag Corp for two years, Flag Captain for one year, Spanish Folklorico dancer for three years, Band for three years, and Spanish Club for three years. Teresa plans to attend West Texas A&M University in the fall and major in Dentistry.

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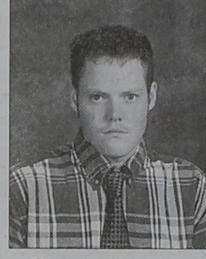






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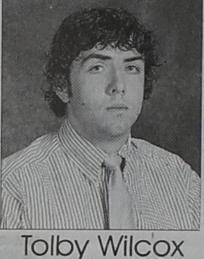


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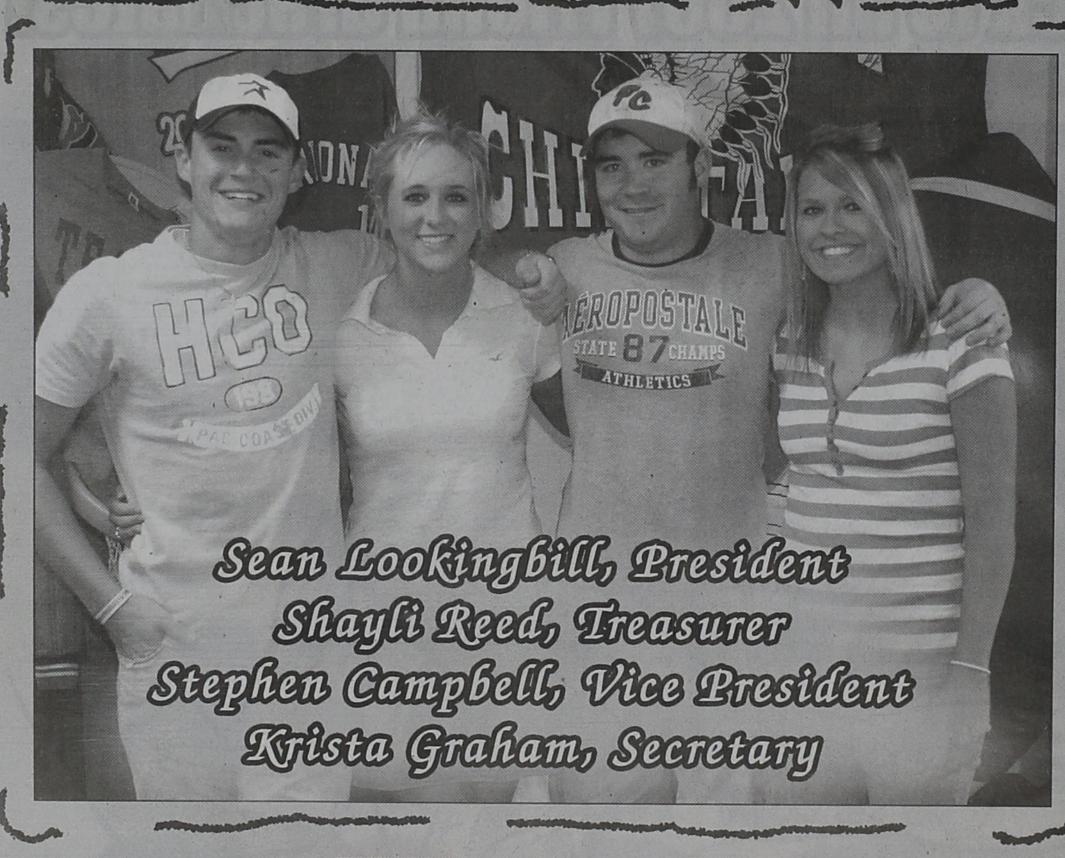
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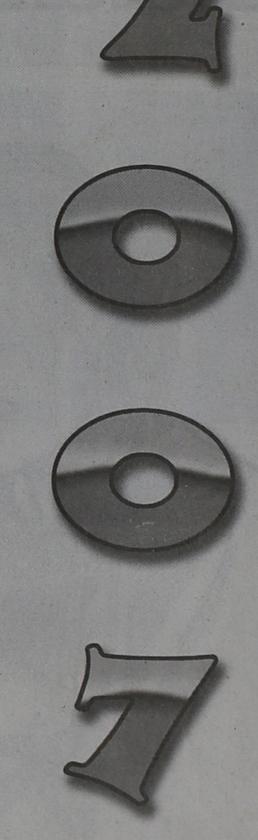


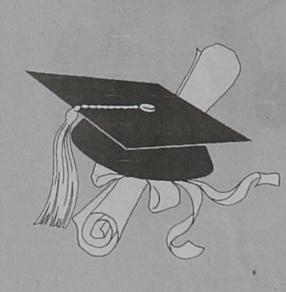


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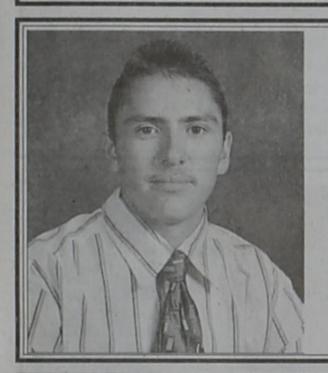
Krista Shea Graham

Krista Shea Graham is the 18-year-old daughter of Ky and Lanis Graham. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above, Academic All-State in basketball, 1st team All-District in basketball, Basketball Queen, Regional Tennis-Mixed Doubles her junior and senior years, Student Council Senior Class Secretary, Junior Class President, and Sophomore Class President. She participated in Thespians for one year, National Honor Society for two years, Student Council for four years, Choir for two years, and National English Honor Society for two years. Krista plans to attend Lubbock Christian University.

Meghan Renee Hendrickson

Meghan Renee Hendrickson is the 18-year-old daughter of Jon and Dona Hendrickson. While attending Friona High School she has achieved individual acting awards at every level of advancement in One Act Play, including Best Actress, for four years; 1st Division Choir Solo-State for four years; 90 & Above; Regional qualifier in Poetry and Literary Criticism; Band Drum Major for two years; Drama Department Treasurer; Speech Department President; and Editor-in-Chief of photography for the annual. She participated in Band for four years, Thespians for four years, Annual Staff for two years, National Honor Society for three years, Choir for four years, Science Club for one year, National English Honor Society for two years, and TSA for one year. Meghan plans to major in Mass Communications at Texas Tech University.





Jorge Hernandez

Jorge Hernandez is the 18-year-old son of Maximo Hernandez and Maria Hernandez. While attending Friona High School he achieved 90 & Above in his sophomore and junior years. Jorge plans to attend college.

Marisela Hernandez

Marisela Hernandez is the 19-year-old daughter of Maria and Maximo Hernandez. While attending Friona High School she participated in the Spanish Club for one year. Marisela plans to attend Clovis Community College and major in nursing.





Stephanie Audrey Hidalgo

Stephanie Audrey Hidalgo is the 18-year-old daughter of Daniel and Virginia Hidalgo. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above and participated in the youth group at Victory Family Worship Center. Stephanie plans to attend Roswell New Mexico University.

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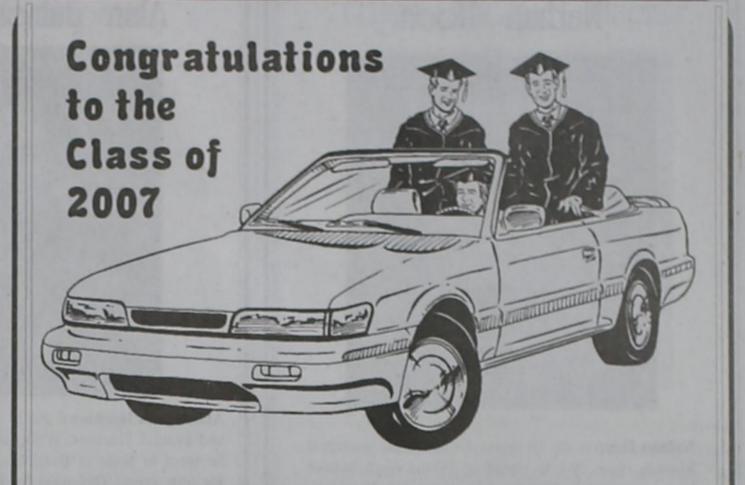


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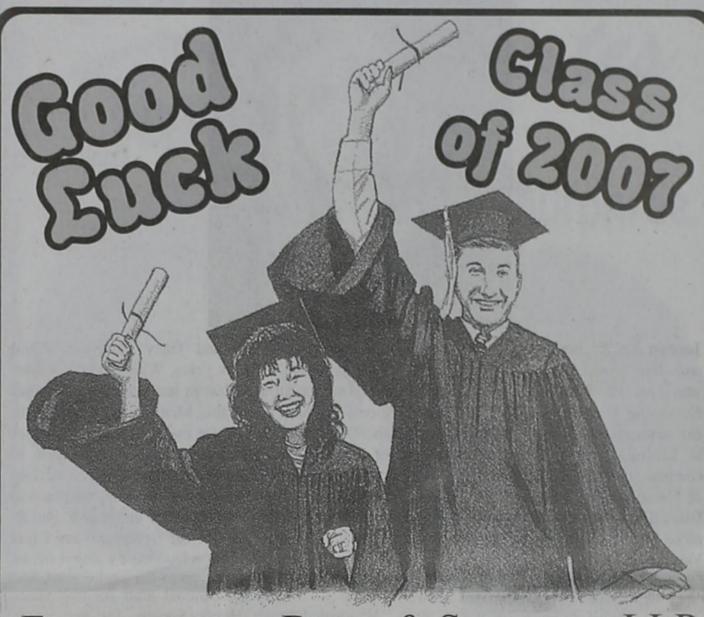
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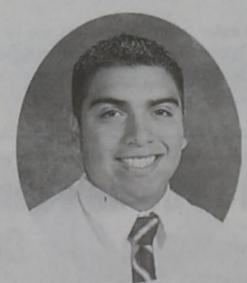
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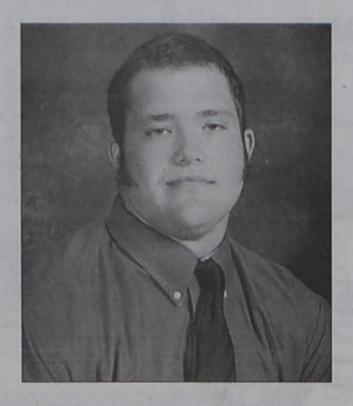
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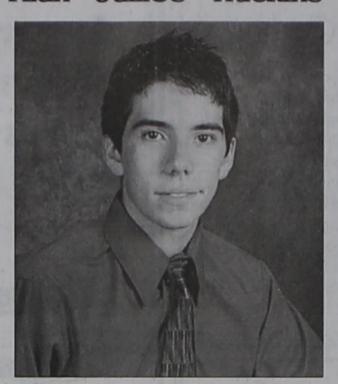
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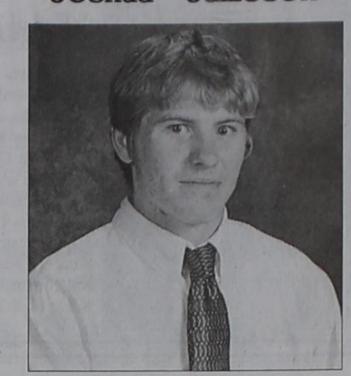
Nathan Hoon is the 18-year-old son of Dan Hoon and Rhonda Hoon. While attending Friona High School he participated in FFA for two years and Thespians for one year. Nathan plans to attend a college or trade school.

Alan James Huckins



Alan James Huckins is the 17-year-old son of Allen Huckins and Francis Huckins. While attending Friona High School he went to State in Band Ensemble; participated in Band for four years, Thespians for three years, Annual Staff for one year, Choir for one year, Science Club for one year, and Speech for three years. Alan plans to attend UNT, major in Theatre Arts, teach theatre in high school, and become a Thespian Coach.

Joshua Jameson



Joshua Jameson is the 18-year-old son of Coy and Dana Jameson. While attending Friona High School he played football, ran track, and participated in Band. Joshua plans to enlist in the Military.

Jordan Leigh Jamerson



Jordan Leigh Jamerson is the 18-year-old daughter of Ken and Tracy Jamerson. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above for four years, Who's Who for four years, Advanced in Area in OAP for four years, District All Star Cast in her junior year, District Honorable Mention All Star Cast in her senior year, Area Honorable Mention All Star Cast in her senior year, advanced to Regionals in Lincoln-Douglas Debate for two years, State qualifier in Lincoln-Douglas Debate, Co-Captain of the Varsity Cheerleading Squad, advanced to compete in Cheerleading Nationals, All American Cheerleader, Yearbook Editor, Choir State Solo & Ensemble for two years, advanced to Regionals in Cross-Country for one year, 6th place in UIL Editorial Writing in her junior year, 4th place in UIL Ready Writing in her junior year, and 5th place in UIL Prose in her freshman year. She was Class Secretary in her freshman year, Class Vice President in her sophomore year, Class Secretary in her junior year, Vice President of the Forensics Club in her senior year, and Treasurer of the Thespian Troup in her senior year. She participated in Band for one-half year, Thespians for four years, Annual Staff for two years, National Honor Society for three years, National English Honor Society for two years, Forensics for four years, Student Council for three years, Choir for three years, and Science Club for one year. Jordan plans to attend Texas Tech.

Allison Lynn Jones Allison Lynn Jones is the 18-year-old daughter

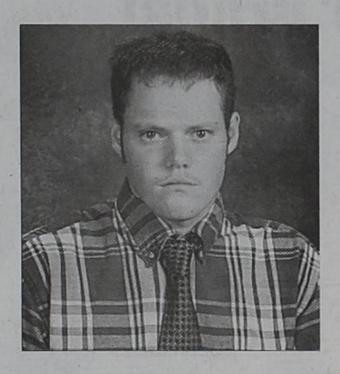


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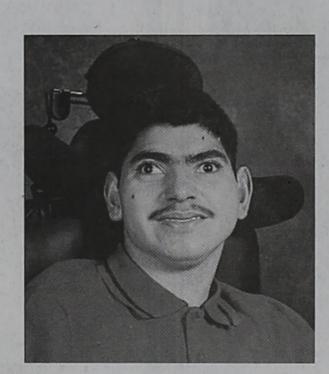


Cody Lanier



Cody Lanier is the 18-year-old son of Jerry and Trisha Lanier. While attending Friona High School he participated in FFA for four years. Cody plans to work in a feedyard.

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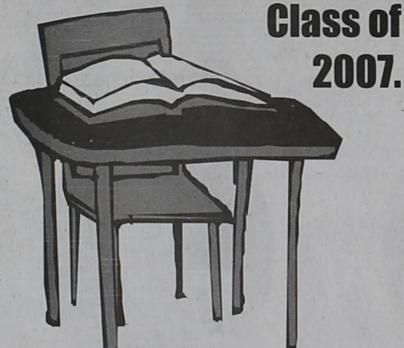


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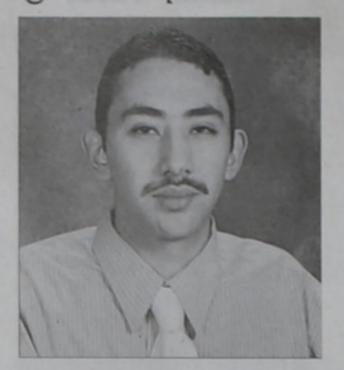
Chance Lewellen is the 17-year-old son of Donnie and Debbie Lewellen. While attending Friona High School he achieved 90 & Above, Thespian President, and One Act Play Stage Manager for three years. He played football, basketball, golf, and tennis, and participated in FFA for one year, Thespians for three years, and One Act Play for three years. Chance plans to attend West Texas A&M University.

Rafael Lopez



Rafael Lopez is the 17-year-old son of Rafael Lopez and Martha Laura Lopez. While attending Friona High School he participated in FFA for three years. Rafael plans to be a railroad welder.

Edgar Enrique Macias

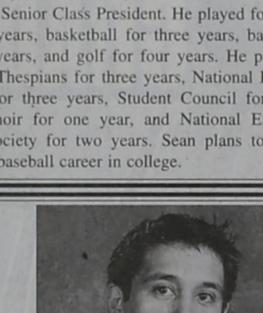


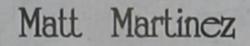
Edgar Enrique Macias is the 18-year-old son of Leopoldo Macias and Celia Macias. While attending Friona High School he participated in Band for four years and mechanics for three years-freshman, junior, and senior. Edgar plans to attend West Texas A&M University to be an Engineer in Electronics

Staci Murphree

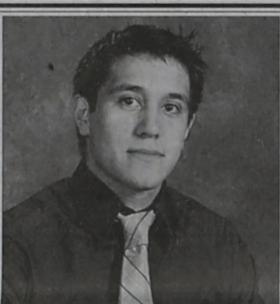
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Sean Lookingbill is the 18-year-old son of Kelly and Tonya Lookingbill. While attending Friona High School he achieved Academic All State Football, Fighting Heart Award, 2nd Team All-District Pitcher in his junior year, Golf Regionals in his freshman year, Student of the Year, Student of the Month (November), 90 & Above, Student Council President, and Senior Class President. He played football for four years, basketball for three years, baseball for four years, and golf for four years. He participated in Thespians for three years, National Honor Society for three years, Student Council for four years, Choir for one year, and National English Honor Society for two years. Sean plans to continue his baseball career in college.





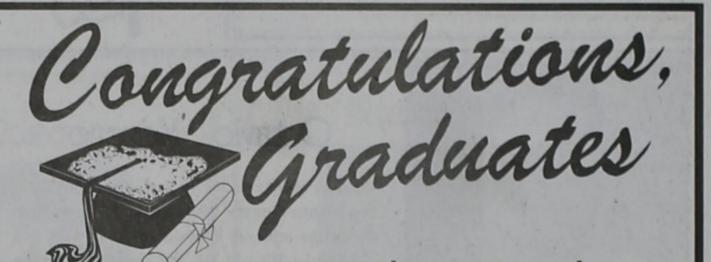
Matt Martinez is the 18-year-old son of Alonzo and Mari Marinez. While attending Friona High School he played varsity baseball for two years, participated in FCCLA for one year, and was Student of the Month (September). Matt is undecided about his future plans.





Nestor Mendoza

Nestor Mendoza is the 18-year-old son of Bertha Mendoza and Jesus Mendoza. While attending Friona High School he received an Art Award in his junior year. Nestor plans to attend college, get a good job, and go to Cincinnati, Ohio to win the rap battle competition "Scribble Jam".





Allison Jones



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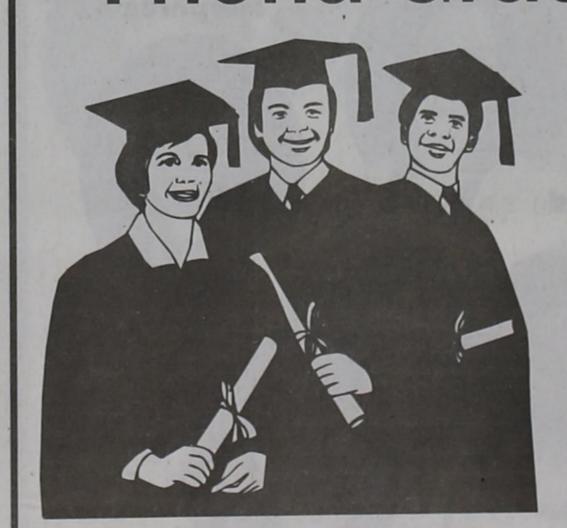


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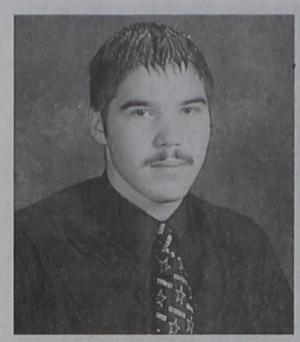
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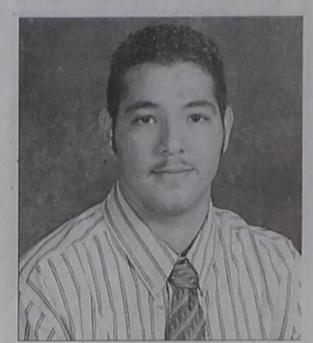
Caleb Miller is the 18-year-old son of Curt and Kathi Miller. While attending Friona High School he achieved 6-2A All District Honorable Mention in basketball, 2-2A 2nd Team All District in basketball, Vega All Tournament Team, Choir State Ensemble qualifier for two years, and 90 & Above. He participated in Thespians for three years, National Honor Society for three years, choir for two years, and National English Honor Society for two years. Caleb plans to attend Lubbock Christian University.

Austin Hunter Monk

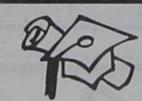


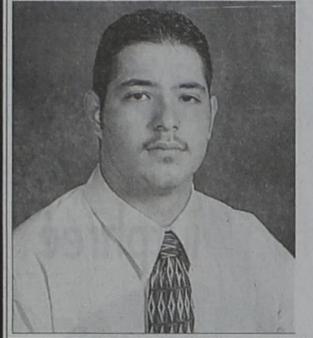
Austin Hunter Monk is the 18-year-old son of Dorothy and Steven Powers. While attending Friona High School he has participated in Band for four years and National English Honor Society for one year. Austin plans to enlist in the Army.

Fernando Moreno



Fernando Moreno is the 19-year-old son of Mario and Martha Moreno. While attending Friona High School he was a UIL Accounting Regional qualifier for one year, played football for four years, ran track, and participated in the National Honor Society. Fernando plans to attend West Texas A&M University for four years and major in architecture.





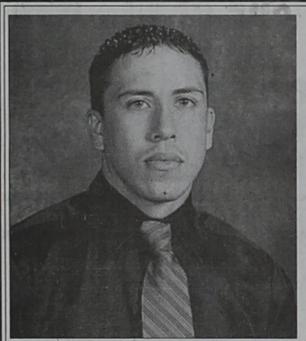
Octavio Moreno

Octavio Moreno is the 19-year-old son of Mario and Martha Moreno. While attending Friona High School he achieved Football Jr. District DE and Sr. District RB and DE and participated in the National Honor Society. Octavio plans to attend West Texas A&M University.

Staci Murphree

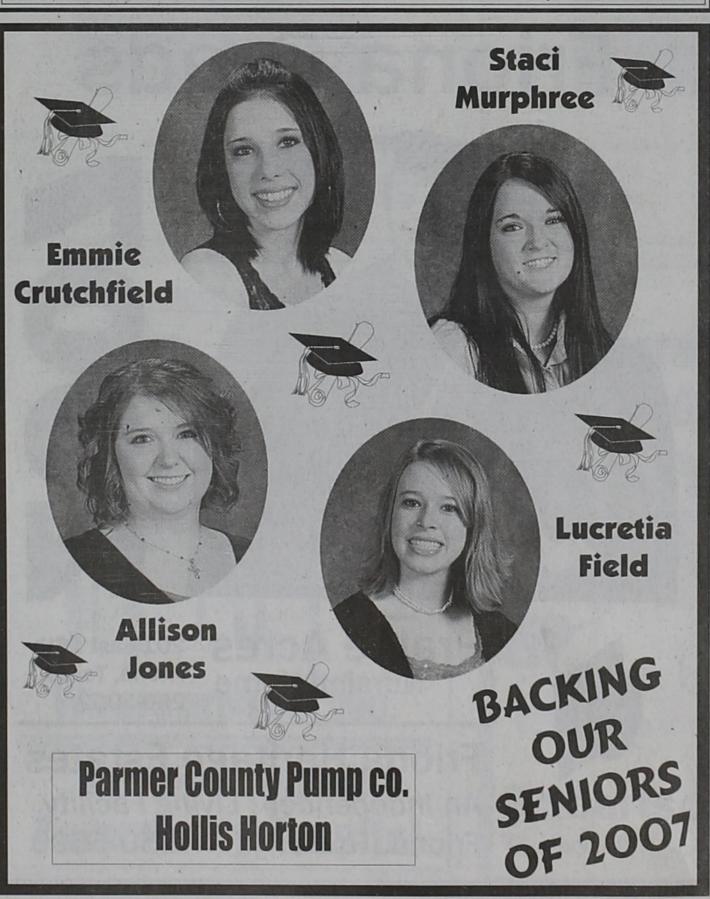
Staci Murphree is the 18-year-old daughter of Jim and Rhonda Murphree. While attending Friona High School she achieved in her senior year, District 2-AA Co-MVP, TABC All-Region team, TGCA All-State Academics, TGCA All-State Amarillo Globe News Super Team; All-District 6 AA in her junior year, District Champs for two years, and 90 & Above. She played basketball for four years and participated in FCCLA for one year, National Honor Society for two years, Student Council for four years, and National English Honor Society. She also served as Sophomore Class Secretary and Junior Class Treasurer. Staci plans to attend Wayland Baptist University.

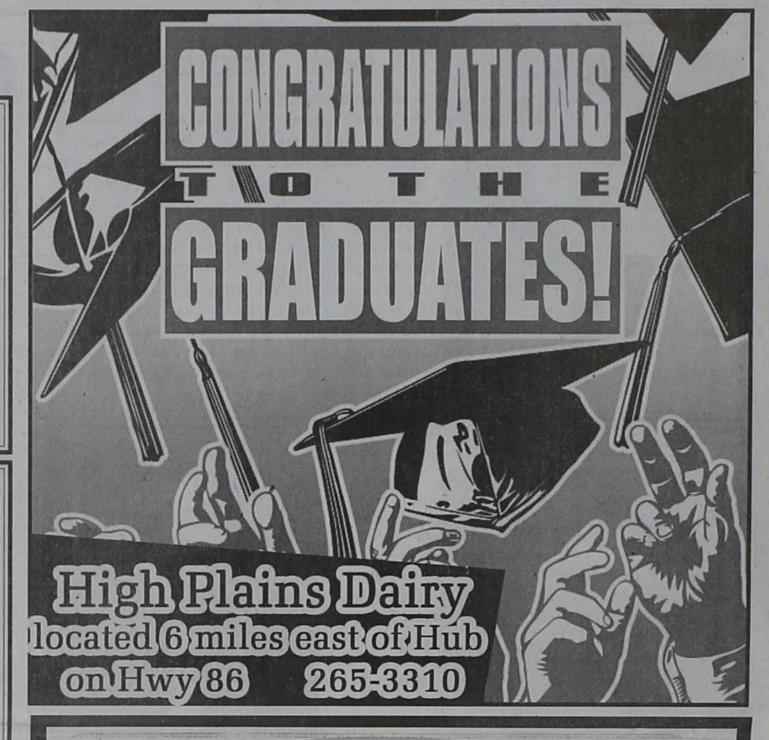




Heriberto (Eddy) Ortiz

Heriberto (Eddy) Ortiz is the 18-year-old son of Sara and Humberto Ortiz. While attending Friona High School he achieved 2005 All-District Fullback, 2006 All-District Fullback, 2006 and 2006 District Champions, One Act Play in 2004, and 90 & Above. He participated in FCCLA for one year, Thespian for one year, Spanish Club for one year, and TSA for two years. Eddy plans to attend Eastern New Mexico University.

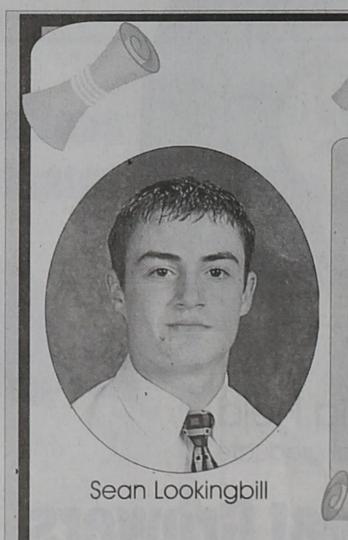




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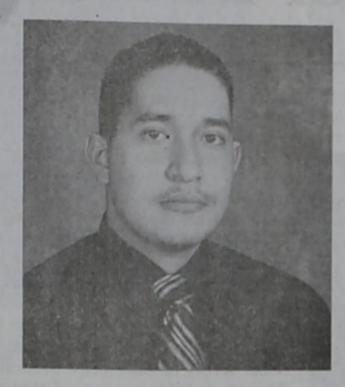
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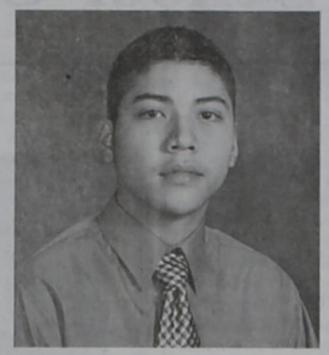
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David Salinas



David Salinas is the 17-year-old son of David and Elvira Salinas. While attending Friona High School he played football for two years and ran track for one year. He participated in Spanish Club for one year, Choir for one year, Industrial Arts for three years and Mechanics for two years. David plans to become an X-ray Technician and maybe later join the Marines.

Emmanuel Salinas



Emmanuel Salinas is the 17-year-old son of Amelia and Bernardo Salinas. While attending Friona High School achieved 90 & Above for four years and went to State in Woodworking his junior year. He participated in the National Honor Society for three years, TSA for three years, and Mechanics for two years. Emmanuel plans to attend Amarillo College or West Texas A&M University.

Elizabeth Sanchez



Elizabeth Sanchez is the 18-year-old daughter of Alicia H. Sanchez. While attending Friona High School she participated in Choir for one and one-half years. Elizabeth is undecided about her future plans, but will probably work in the music industry.

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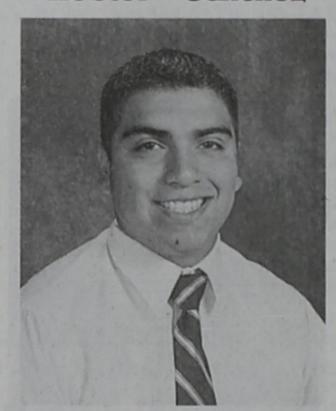
Phillip Dean Saiz is the 18 year-old son of Robert and Marie Saiz. While attending Friona High School he participated in Band for four years and Choir for three years. Phillip plans to attend Amarillo College for two years and then go to North Texas to be a teacher and coach.

Isabel Romero



Isabel Romero is the 18-year-old daughter of David and Elizabeth Romero. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above all four years; FCCLA Regional qualifier; FCCLA State qualifier, and National Honor Society President. She participated in Band for two years, FCCLA for three years, National Honor Society for three years, and Science Club for one year. Isabel plans to attend Lubbock Christian University to be a Pharmacist.

Hector Sanchez



Hector Sanchez is the 18-year-old son of Maria Lopez. While attending Friona High School he achieved 1st Team All-District football in his junior and senior years; 1st Team All-District basketball in his junior and senior years; All Honorable Mention baseball in his junior year, and played in Golden Spread All-Star game in Canyon. He played Varsity Football for three years, Varsity Basketball for three years and Varsity Baseball for three years. He participated in FCCLA for two years and Thespians for one year. Hector plans to play basketball in college while getting an education.

Stephen Campbell

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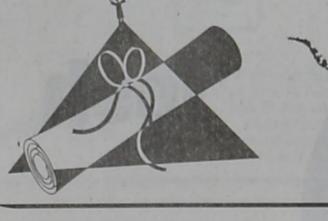
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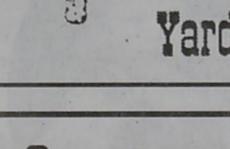


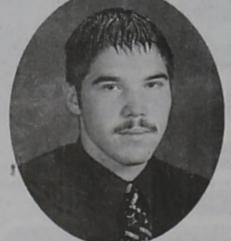
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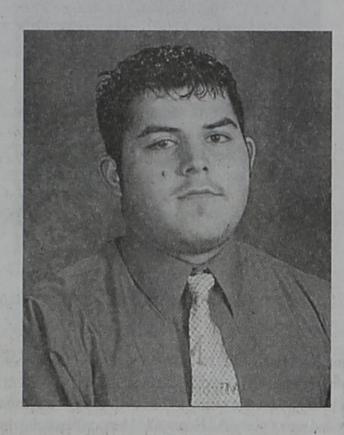
Hannah Land Stovall is the 17-year-old daughter of Mark and Debby Stovall. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 and Above; JV and Varsity Golf; Golf Regional qualifier; One Act Play Area qualifier; UIL Regional qualifier in Literary Criticism and Ready Writing; NSDAR Good Citizen 2006-07; FCCLA 2nd place in State Star Events; and Solo & Ensemble State qualifier for four years. She participated in FCCLA for two years; Thespians for four years; Annual Staff for two years; Spanish Club for two years; National Honor Society for three years; Choir for four years; Science Club for two years; and National English Honor Society for two years. She was a Thespian reporter and Senior Editor of The Chieftain Yearbook. Hannah plans to attend Houston Baptist University.

Cindy Renee Trevino



Cindy Renee Trevino is the 17-year-old daughter of Lucila Trevino. While attending Friona High School she achieved All A Honor Roll for four years; UIL Accounting Regional qualifier for two years; UIL Computer Applications Regional qualifier for one year; TSA Regional and State qualifier for two years; Band, Solo & Ensemble State qualifier for two years; and All-Region Band for one year. She participated in Band for four years; Annual Staff for one year; National Honor Society for three years; National English Honor Society for two years; UIL Accounting for four years; and UIL Number Sense for three years. She was TSA Treasurer for one year; NHS Secretary for one year; Band Drum Major for one year; and Yearbook Senior Editor for one year. Cindy plans to attend West Texas A&M University to pursue a Bachelor's degree in Business/Administration/General Business.

Bobby Silva



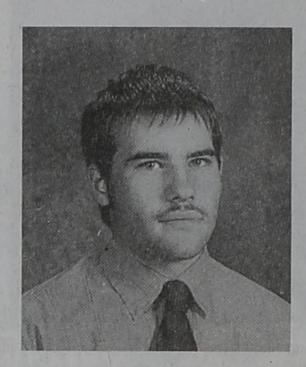
Bobby Silva is the 18-year-old son of Edelmira Silva and Moses Silva. While attending Friona High School he achieved 1st Team Unanimous All Around Defensive Player. Bobby plans to attend technical railroad training.

Marie Tirado



Marie Tirado is the 18-year-old daughter of Salud and Angie Tirado. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above. She participated in Band for two years; FCCLA for four years; Spanish Club for two years; National Honor Society for three years; Science Club for one year; and National English Honor Society for two years. Marie plans to attend college and pursue a career in Pediatric Nursing.

Blane Upshaw



Blane Upshaw is the 18-year-old grandson of Ted and Shirley Osborn. While attending Friona High School he participated in TSA (State) for one year. Blane is undecided about his future plans.

Here's to you, Class of 2007 and our St Teresa's Graduates

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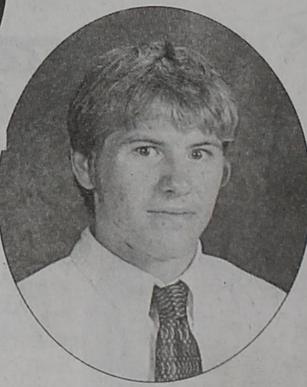
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Tiffany Vazquez

Tiffany Vazquez is the 18-year-old daughter of Oscar and Patsy Vazquez. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above for four years; 2nd Team All-District Basketball her senior year; Regionals Track shot-put; and Honorable Mention her sophomore year. She participated in FCCLA for one year; National Honor Society for three years; Science Club for one year; and National English Honor Society for three years. She was NHS Treasurer her senior year. Tiffany plans to attend Austing Community College to study Radiology.



Tolby Wilcox

Tolby Wilcox is the 18-year-old son of Terry and Varla Wilcox. While attending Friona High School he achieved District Champs 2005-06 in Football; Academic All-State; Honorable Mention 2006 in Basketball; All-Defensive Team 2005-06; District Champs 2006-07; All-District Honorable Mention 2006-07; and 90 & Above. He participated in Thespians for three years; National Honor Society for one year, and Choir for two years; and TSA for two years. Tolby plans to play football at Abilene Christian University and become a business management major.



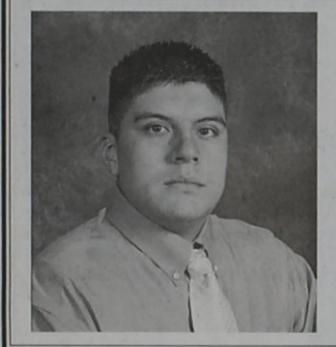
Yesenia Vega

Yesenia Vega is the 19-year-old daughter of Mario and Magdalena Vega. While attending Friona High School she achieved 90 & Above for four years. She participated in FCCLA for one year; Spanish Club for four years; National Honor Society for three years; Choir for two years; and Lifesmarts for one year. Yesenia plans to attend Clovis Community College and major in Business Administration.



Miranda Lee Williams

Miranda Lee Williams is the 17-year-old daughter of Michael and Cheri Williams. She achieved Division I State Vocal Ensemble; State Vocal Solo; Division I State Band for three years; Academic Olympic Champions for three years; One Act Play Area qualifier; and Varsity Scholar's Bowl. She participated in Band for one year at FHS and three years at Bucklin High School in Kansas; Thespians for one year at FHS; Forensics for one year at Bucklin High School; Student Council for three years at Bucklin High School; Choir for one year at FHS and three years at BHS; Scholar's Bowl for three years at BHS; and Academic Olympics for three years at BHS. She was the Student Council Representative for her freshman, sophomore, and junior years at Bucklin High School. Miranda plans to attend Texas Tech in the fall and major in Music and minor in Art.



Gabriel Villarreal

Gabriel Villarreal is the 18-year-old son of Alberto and Graciela Villarreal. While attending Friona High School he participated in athletics for four years. Gabriel plans to attend either Amarillo College or West Texas A&M University.



Vernon Micheal Williams

Vernon Micheal Williams is the son of Michelle Williams and Charley and Joan Wilson. While attending Friona High School he played freshman and JV football; basketball; and ran track. He participated in New Mexico High School Rodeo for one year; Texas High School Rodeo for three years; two-time State qualifier and one-time National qualifier in United States Team Ropers Association. He also participated in DECA. Vernon plans to attend Tarleton University for 6-8 years to be a Veterinarian Technician and a Professional Team Roper.



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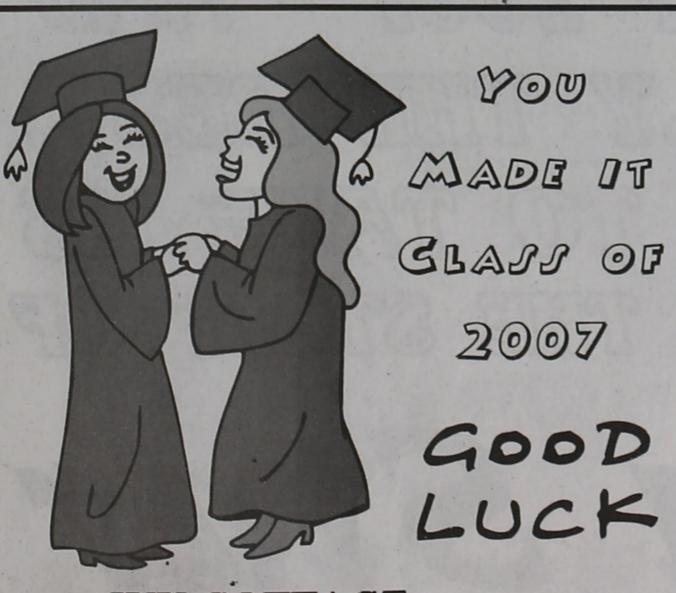


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Briana Wright

Briana Wright is the 17-year-old daughter of Kirk and Leslie Wright. While attending Friona High School she achieved Varsity Cheerleader for three years; Varsity Golf for four years; Regional Golf qualifier for four years; NCA National Cheerleading Championship for one year; and NCA All-American Cheerleader for one year. She played basketball for three years and participated in Band for one year; FCCLA for two years; Thespians for two years; Spanish Club for two years; National Honor Society for three years; Choir for two years; and Science Club for one year. Briana plans to attend WT in the fall and major in nursing. She wants to be a Pediatric Nurse.



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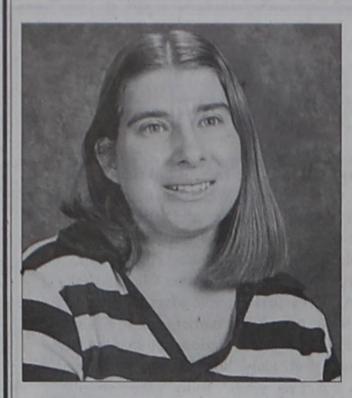


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Sherelle Pearl Pruitt

Sherelle Pearl Pruitt is the 18-year-old daughter of Cherlyn and Printess. While attending Friona High School she participated in the Special Olympics Bowling Tournament, Band for four years, and Special Olympics for five years. Sherelle plans to go to work or maybe to college.



Anayeli Ramos

Anayeli Ramos is the 18-year-old daughter of Pedro and Rosa Ramos. While attending Friona High School her achievements included two years cross-country (two year Regional qualifier), three years varsity track (three years Regional qualifier), FCCLA (Regional and State qualifier for one year), and 90 & Above for two years. She played volleyball for one year and participated in FCCLA for four years, Thespians for one year, and Choir for one year. Anayeli plans to attend South Plains College.

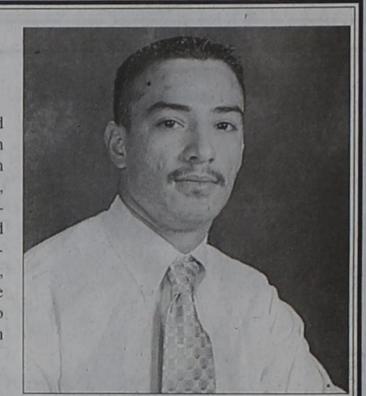
Shayli Reed

Shayli Reed is the 18-year-old daughter of Thomas and Lisa Reed. While attending Friona High School she achieved District 2A All-District and All-Region Team for two years, South Plains Player of the Year, District Co-MVP, Golden Spread All Star team for two years, and 90 & Above. She played Varsity basketball for four years, and participated in Thespians for one year, National Honor Society for three years, Student Council for three years, Choir for two years, and National English Honor Society for two years. She was also Student Council Vice President and Senior Class Treasurer. Shayli plans to attend college.



Juan Reyes

Juan Reyes is the 18-year-old son of Eva and Ricardo Monreal. While attending Friona High School he achieved Track District Champion in 100m, 200, 400m Regional qualifier 100m, 200m, 400m, State qualifier 400m, 200m; Football All-District Defense back 2005 First Team, Second Team Wide Receiver 2005, Second Team All-District Cornerback; All-State Potential Defense, 2005-2006 District Champions in football. He participated in the Spanish Club. Juan plans to attend Wayland Baptist University and run track.





Britny Robledo



Savanna Rodriguez

Savanna Rodriguez is the 18-year-old daughter of Ricky and Sandra Rodriguez. While attending Friona High School she participated in FCCLA for one year. Savanna plans to attend West Texas A&M University to be an RN.

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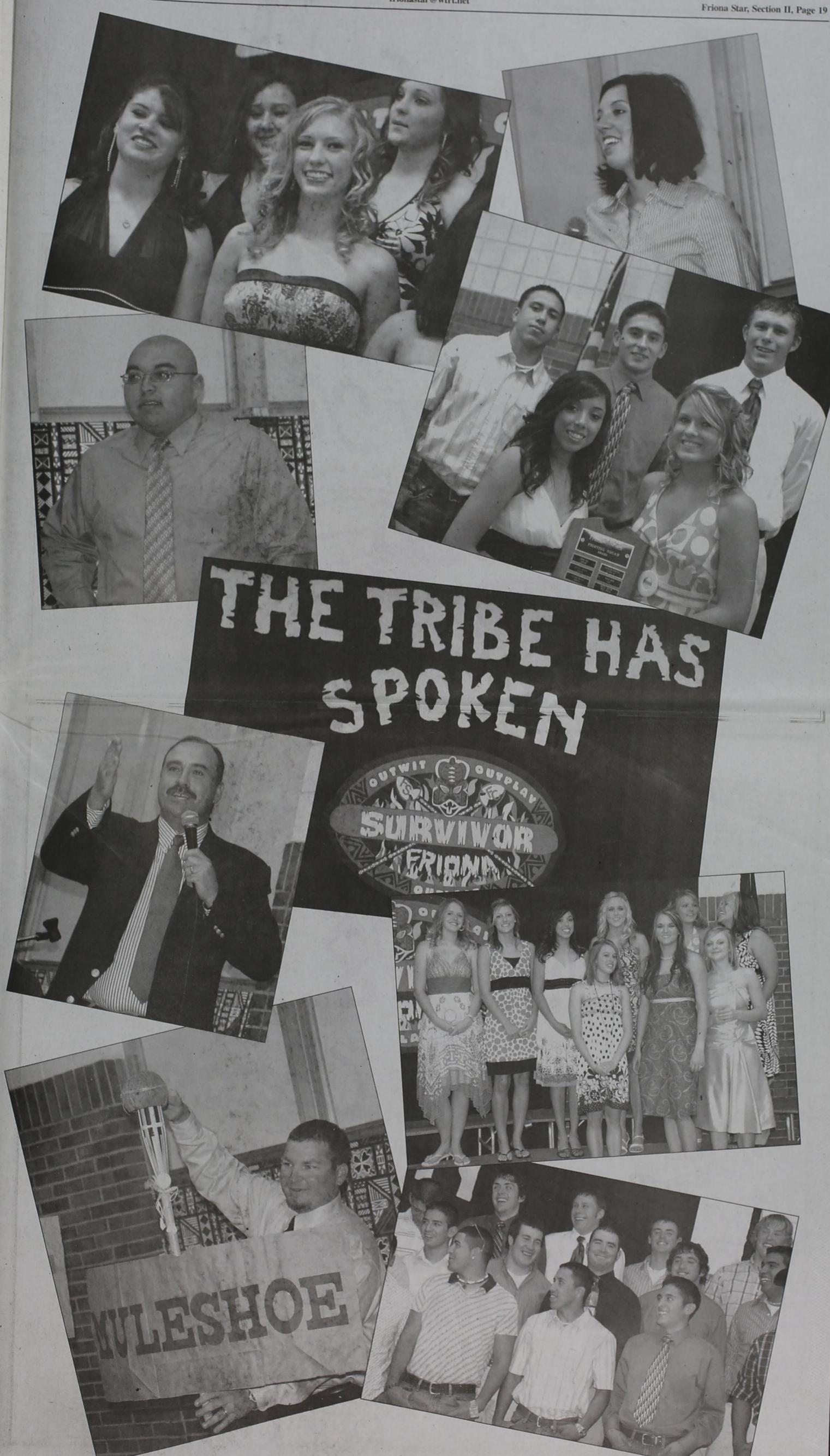
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