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FRIONA, TEXAS

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TEN PAGES

#### St. Teresa's annual Mexican dinner set

Mark your calendar and plan on enjoying some great Mexican food. St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Friona will hold its annual Mexican dinner Sunday, March 1, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the church's parish hall.

The menu will be beef enchiladas, taco, beans, rice, chips, salsa, dessert, and tea. Donations are \$7 for adults and \$4 for children 10 and under. Everyone in the community is invited to attend.

# Heritage Society annual meeting

Members and guests of the Depot Heritage Society met January 26 at the Depot in the City Park for their annual meeting, followed by refreshments.

Four directors were reelected: Bill White, Lois Norwood, Carol Ellis and Dave Thompson. One new director, Dean Eichenauer, was elected to replace Patricia Phipps who retired from the board.

Current officers of the Society are: President Nancy Edelmon, Vice President Sarah Geries, Secretary Judy Cummings, Publicity/Historian Carol Ellis, and Treasurer Bettye Jarboe.

It was reported that the Depot was used for several meetings during 2008. The events were: Retired Teachers Meeting, United Methodist Women of Friona and of Dimmitt, Carmichael Memorial, Parmer County Extension Agency, Judges for the Cheeseburger Festival in the Park, the Miss Friona Luncheon, Maize Days Art Show and Student Exhibit, and Senator Kel Seliger's Town Hall Meeting.

Any group wishing to schedule an event using the Depot is asked to place it on the calendar by calling Sarah Geries at 250-2262. There is no charge for the use of the Depot for civic events.

The public is reminded that memorials to the Heritage Society are available by contacting Bettye Jarboe at 1308 West 7th, Friona 79035, or checks may be dropped off at the City Hall office on Main Street. Memorial donations are acknowledged by sending notice to the family of the deceased, and by placing their name in the Memorial Book. All donations are used for the upkeep of the Depot, building.

# CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET IS March 10

Tickets are \$15 per person, available at the Chamber office or from any board member.

Tickets will not be sold at the door.

For information call

250-3491

#### **Prairie Acres Royalty**



Ladies from the Prairie Acres Auxiliary provided refreshments for nursing home residents for a Valentine party Friday. Crowned as the Prairie Acres Valentine King and Queen were E.W. Anglin and Betty Medlin.



# Jarboe at 250-2257, by mailing a check to Mrs. Jarboe at 1308 West 7th, Friona 79035, or checks may be dropped off at the City Hall affice an Main

Friona High School sophomore Ashlee Howard has been named to the Wrangler High School All-Star Rodeo Team, the first ever, corporate sponsored youth rodeo team.

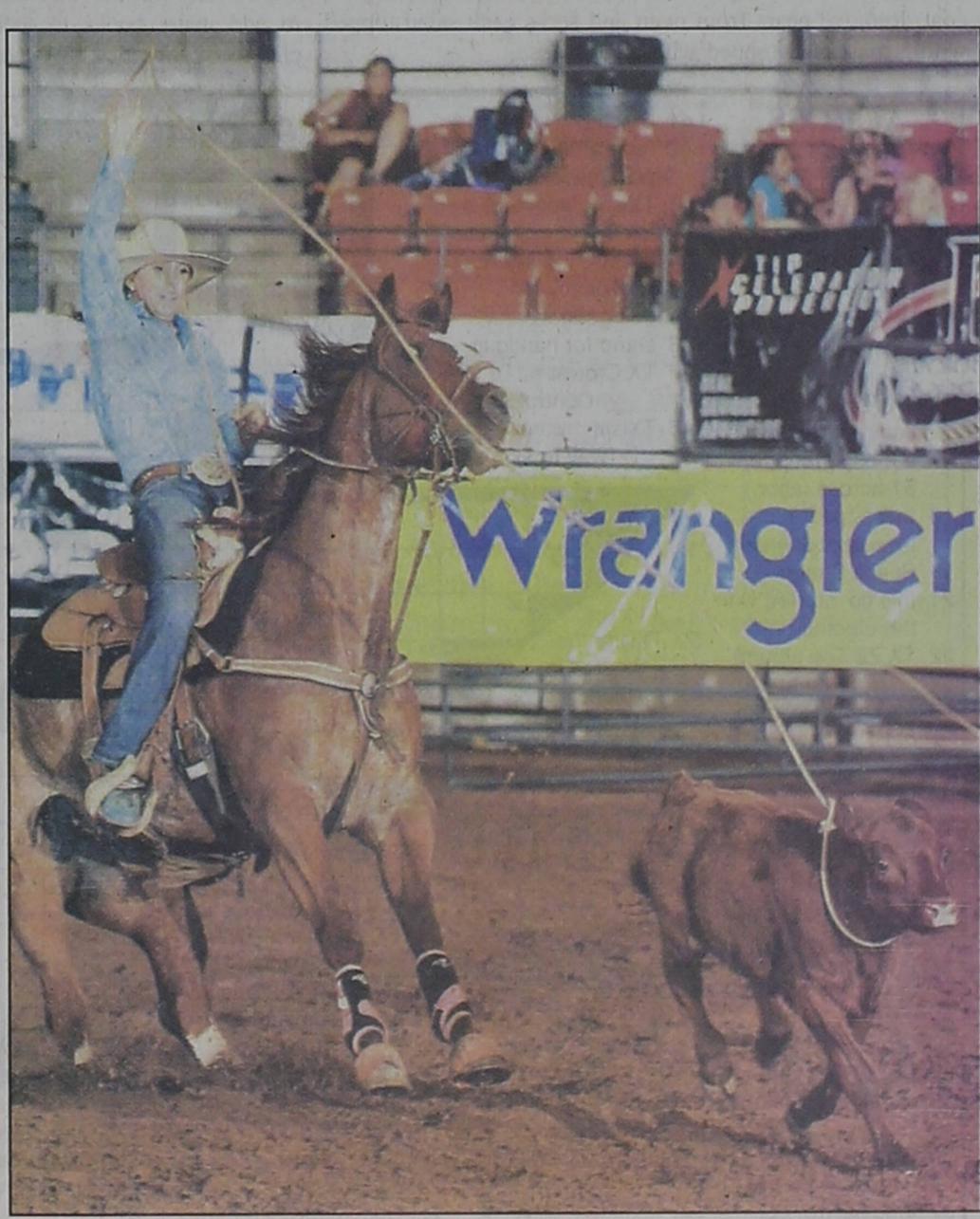
the Memorial Book. All donations are used for the upkeep of the Depot, which is Friona's oldest building.

The Wrangler high school rodeo team is fashioned after Wrangler's champion pro rodeo team, which includes such rodeo stars as Trevor Brazile, Joe Beaver, Kelly Kaminski, Will Lowe, and the late Jim Shoulders.

Leaders of the National High School Rodeo Association (NHSRA), the oldest youth rodeo organization in America, appointed Ashlee to the Wrangler rodeo team. Team members are selected based on leadership qualities, academic eligibility, and athletic achievements. Her team members voted her as one of two co-captains of the Wrangler all-star rodeo team.

"We are excited to again this year expand Wrangler's rodeo sponsorship program at the high school level," said Jeff Chadwick, director of special events for Wrangler Rodeo. "As always it gives us a tremendous sense of pride to associate the Wrangler brand with promising young men and women. We're confident each member of the team will be an outstanding goodwill ambassador for the sport of rodeo."

Ashlee is the daughter of Beth Anne and Billy Howard of Hub. Proud grandparents are Phillip and Trudi Johnson of Shallowater. Great grandparents are the late Leroy Johnson and Christine Johnson also of Shallowater.



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parents are the late Leroy Johnson and Christine Ashlee Howard, Friona high school sophomore, has been named to the Johnson also of Shallowater.

Wrangler High School All-Star Rodeo Team.

# frionastar@wtrt.net Page Two By Ron Carr

#### change, change, change: you go hillary

have to keep oh selling it?

If you are president Obama, CYA maneuver. what you do is hit the road and Arizona, gather some supporters for the TV cam-American flags or "CHANGE" signs and explain it all again. The last couple of weeks

BY RON CARR

somebody.

Serves 4

Salt & pepper

A recipe to remember

Sometimes recipe names are almost as long as the recipe.

This recipe from the Family Features folks is titled, "Warm

Peanut Crusted Goat Cheese With Roasted Pears Over

Mixed Baby Greens." They say it serves four, which seems

I'm thinking you wouldn't use this to go along with a

Saturday afternoon burgers on the grill. This is more of a

complement to a cozy candlelight dinner for four with real

silverware and cloth napkins. Might serve it as a fancy

salad before the filet mignon entrée. Good luck. Go impress

Warm Peanut Crusted Goat Cheese With

Roasted Pears Over Mixed Baby Greens

2 firm-ripe USA pears, halved lengthwise & cored

10 ozs mesclun (mixed baby salad greens)

minutes more until cheese is melted and soft.

with a roast pear topped with goat cheese.

Naming a recipe is sort of like writing a headline for a news story.

Summarizing a recipe in a few words takes a certain talent.

like a lot of work for just four people.

1 cup very finely chopped peanuts

1 4 oz log of goat cheese

2 tbsp unsalted butter melted

2 tbsp finely chopped shallot

2 tsp Dijon mustard

1 tbsp red-wine vinegar

2 tbsp extra virgin olive oil

1 tbsp aromatic peanut oil

then cut evenly into 4 rounds.

When you have to keep speeches say he plans to cre- counting anymore? explaining something over and ate or save 5 million jobs. I over does it mean the folks don't remember "saving ington are being excoriated the airport in a limousine dijust aren't buying it so you jobs" being part of the promise. That smacks of a classic spending bill. Only three Re- board a plane that looked a

Mr. Obama besmirched Sato Indiana, Florida, Colorado, rah Palin with the lipstick on a pig analogy during the campaign. Now, to many of us eras, preferably waving great unwashed, he seems to be applying some lipstick on read it and Mr. Obama broke his Hill Rod descended the stairs his own big old pet pig.

If they ain't getting it from looked like president Obama is his weekly YouTube broadstill on the campaign trail. He casts, why not go visit the is traveling to the above men- American folks. Air Force One cans so far in Mr. Obama's ity can soothe a lot of hard tioned states trying to sell his is not a shabby method of first 30 days in office is, "We feelings. Her mission is to visit trillion dollar spending spree. travel. With all of the atten- may listen to you but I'm Japan, South Korea, China, and Oh, sorry! Democrats say dant secret service, aides, and pretty much going to do Indonesia and convince them it is not a spending bill, it is admin personnel, plus the cost whatever I want with or with- that we can all get along and a stimulus bill. From the be- of fuel and operating the air- out you because we won the they should stop all that nasty ginning he promised to cre- craft, each of Mr. Obama's election." This position of terrorism and nuclear weapon ate millions of new jobs. Now jaunts cost the taxpayers an-misplaced power will become stuff. She is mending fences (have you noticed?) his other million or so. But who's more evident to you during in the world community. As

for not voting "yea" on the rectly onto the tarmac and publicans voted for the bill. lot like Air Force One. She Now the Democrats are lam- paused and did the presibasting the "nay" voters, ac- dential wave at the top of cusing them of partisanship. the boarding stairs. You don't say. Forget about the fact they didn't have time to 'pan, TV cameras rolled as gress votes on a bill.

The message to Republifollow politics at all.

dential perks of her own to on running the country. allow her to feel presidential even though she lost.

Departing on a trip to Asia The Republicans in Wash- Sunday, Hill Rod traveled to

When she arrived in Ja-

promise of giving the American and greeted some Japanese people 5 days notice before Con- person in a dark suit. Losing is not good but second place perks, attention, and publicthe next few years if you the hippies used to say, peace, love, dove.

Speaking of official air- We'll see if Hill Rod is as planes, did you see Hillary influential as she thinks. In being rather presidential this the meantime many of us are weekend? The now-Secretary having a ball watching the new of State has some mini-presi- Obama group try to get a grip

> Sometimes it's just damn fun to be in the minority.

# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

made the annual book fair a children's education. continued success. We are so fortunate to have parents who support their children's school and who want their children to be successful. There were many volunteers from the community, parents, and grandparents, who helped work the book fair. The time they spent helping was invaluable.

The Friona Primary gave each 1st grade student the hardcover book "If You Take a Mouse to School" for their very own. The monetary sup-1. Heat oven to 400. Place peanuts in shallow dish. port of Friona Banking Cen-Season with salt and pepper. Roll goat cheese log in ter, Friona State Bank, Friona peanuts to evenly coat. Refrigerate until firm if necessary Federal Credit Union and Friona Friends of the Library 2. Arrange pears, cut sides down, in baking pan. Pour butter made this possible. The Child over pears and toss to coat. Return pears to cut side down Development Center was able position. Roast until tender, about 25 minutes. Arrange pears to purchase \$120 worth of cut side up in baking dish. Place rounds of peanut-crusted books because of donations goat cheese on top in the scooped center. Continue to roast 5 made to "One for Books".

Scholastic book fairs will 3. Meanwhile, whisk together shallot, mustard and vin- match the funds to donate egar for dressing. Add oils in a slow stream, whisking until books for "Toys for Tots" emulsified, and season with salt and pepper. Just before and other national charities. serving, toss salad greens, with just enough dressing to The Primary teachers were able coat. Remove pears from oven and serve each salad topped to add many books to their classroom libraries. We are

The Friona Primary would very lucky to live in a commulike to thank everyone who nity that wants the best for all

> Thanks again, The Friona Primary Staff

Pickup 10-11:30 a.m. at First Baptist Church

March 1 St. Teresa's Mexican dinner 11 a.m.-2 p.m. in the Parish hall

Mark Your Calendar

February 28

Monthly Angelfood Ministry orders

March 5 Parks & Wildlife Deer Season meeting 7 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church

March 5-6 Friona Relays Track Meet Junior high-Friday; JV Varsity-Saturday Volunteers to help conduct the meet are needed. Contact Coach Rex Cumpton at 250-3862 or Coach Carrie Arias at 250-8800.

March 8 **Daylight Savings Time begins** 

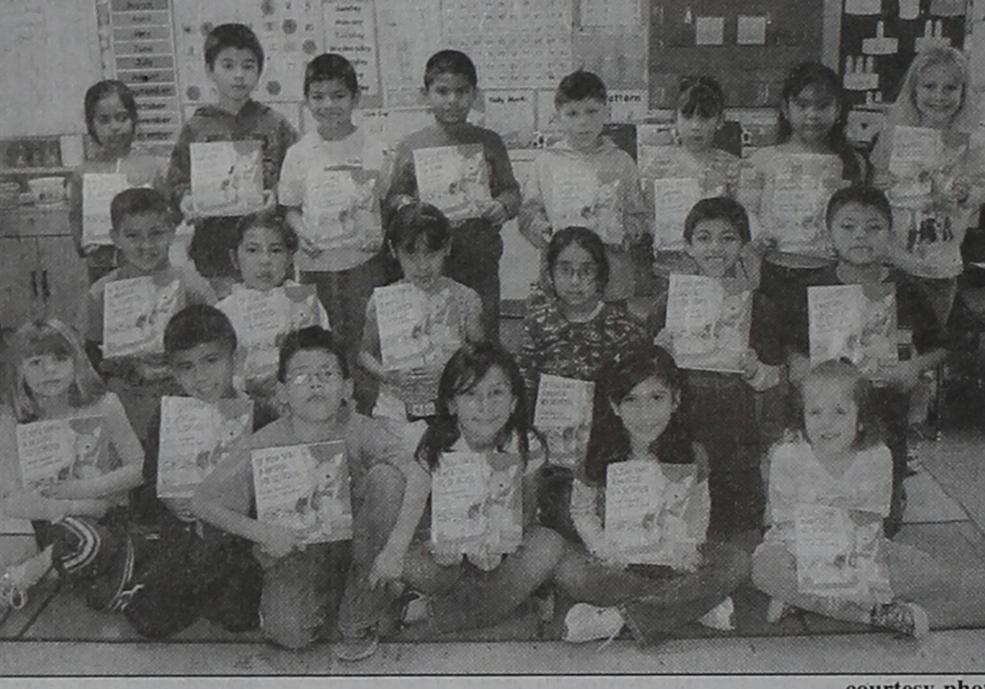
March 9 Regular meeting of Friona City Council - 6 p.m. in Council Chambers on Main Street

> March 10 **Chamber of Commerce Banquet** at the Community Center

March 12 Ag in the Classroom at the Community Center sponsored by Farm Bureau for 4th graders

> May 9 Local election day for School Board & City Council

July 18 4th Annual Cheeseburger Festival & Cook-Off



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Friona Primary 1st graders received hard cover books, "If You Take a Monkey to School", during the recent Book Fair.



#### **ACROSS** 41 Cowboy owner Jerry TEXAS The Original 42 federal agency for eatery in TX: workplace safety (abbr.) "Good CROSSWORD 43 TXism: "active as a 5 TXism: "bright as fox in \_ \_\_ house" \_\_ penny" 44 great UT & Atlanta by Charley & Guy Orbison 6 move an airplane LB Tommy before takeoff Solution on page 4 45 golf gadget 7. TXism: "if he bought Copyright 2009 by Orbison Bros. 46 slang for handgun a cemetery, people 47 TX Crowell's "Til \_ would \_\_\_\_ dying" Control Again" 8 TX residence 48 TXism: "more \_\_\_\_ contractors (2 wds.) \_\_\_ way to skin a cat" 17 a lobby group for 51-across (abbr.) 18 these "pilots" are trained at Johnson Space Center 21 this co. started with the electric bulb 50 TXism: "he 22 TX ZZ Top album: tall in Hombres" the saddle" 23 TX Larry Hagman 51 nat'l gun group old TV show: "\_ 52 this Hamlin is a of Jeannie" Cowboy safety 24 Larry of film 53 TX Kenny Rogers P-894 "Medium Rare" album: "Eyes That 13 TX Charley Pride's with TX Meat Loaf \_\_\_ in the Dark" 29 Crystal City FM 33 Oatmeal Festival: "Where **DOWN** Her Memory" race: "\_\_--Thon" 30 dueling sword 1 TXism: "he 31 Cowboy Flozell 14 TXism: "it's all over 34 big TX family but the shouting" 35 daughter's husband: played college ball hog" (rich) 15 TXism: "the brand in this state (abbr.) \_-\_-law 2 "Hilton \_\_\_\_ is still smoking" 32 TX director of 37 TX Jones' "\_ in Dallas steak) I Still Care" "Poltergeist" 3 Howe, TX paper: 38 TX singer Gray 16 TX Buddy Holly's 34 disgusting stuff Enterprise" "Peggy \_\_\_" 35 Hidalgo Co. lake: 26 Gov. Colquitt (init.) 40 TXism: " the 4 4 steal 19 Tex-Mex grub in 27 TX chili? (2 wds.) ball game" (over) El \_\_\_ del Rey 9 showing more skin corn husks 28 TX Willie tune: 41 TX-born actress 36 big observatory

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# Friona Star

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vindy, some sun. stuff in the imn forecast. As soon high school baseba begins home gam weather will get gusty, wet or dusty February is steami ward the history and still no Cough! Cough! Ke praying please, ma little harder next til Welcome to Coll

Weather report.

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# Town Talk II

By Ron Carr, Phone-250-2211, Fax-250-5127, Email-frionastar@wtrt.net

high school baseball team for the Cook family. begins home games the praying please, maybe a ladies provided lots of them up. little harder next time.

ity at Black, known support Prairie Acres. around here as the Black Plains Ag Credit.

nal Idalou playoff game. in Friona. He is in rehab and still ment.

Weather report: nada! crowd here. Thanks to is healthy so go by and where in today's Star. Carthel. Now the "3rd cial bundle of wishes and No moisture the past the generosity of all have a few. Mini-sizes, Shop local and help Musketeer" has slipped a happiness to their brides. week. Moderate temps, those present, over \$800 mighty flavor. windy, some sun. No wet was collected for young stuff in the immediate Mr. Cook. We offer en- Thanks to everyone for forecast. As soon as the couragement and hope showing off their kids Parmer County Farm gaged last weekend. His brary are busy planning

refreshments. E.W. Anglin

the buckets to collect residents. He excelled in stroke recently. money to assist the fam- basketball back in the

with fries and drink. Fish There is also an ad else-

weather will get cold, I attended the Prairie week. We had about 90 the annual Ag in the West Texas A&M in April. If you can donate gusty, wet or dusty. Now Acres Valentine party last different Valentine pho- Classroom Day. The May. No doubt we will a basket of 'stuff' for February is steaming to- Friday. As usual the staff tos. We still have a few event is at the commu- have more detailed info the drawings call the liward the history books and Prairie Acres Auxil- of your photos here so nity center and Farm Bu- later.

Lezlie St. Clair. The There are some photos and some pasta plus pinto and farm products. couple has moved to from the event in today's beans. Cabbage, pasta, the Attebury Grain facil- community continues to area seniors are invited Nathan Haile and Andy young men, and a speto have lunch on Monday and Thursday at the Elevator. The St. Clairs Had a nice visit with Friendship House. Where are expecting their first Ron Brookfield, FHS else can you eat and be child shortly. Cole's dad Class of 1965, this week. entertained for only \$3. is Tommy St. Clair who He stopped by to renew Bob Naylor's humor is is a loan officer at Great his mother Loretta's sub- free and that is still an scription. She is a Prai- overcharge. It was said rie Acres resident. Ron's that Deloris Bailey has At the final home bas- uncle, the late Price moved to a nursing home ketball game last week, Brookfield, is one of in McLean and is doing coaches passed around Friona's more famous better after suffering a

ily of Tanner Cook with day and was an All- Jiselle Hand and the medical expenses. Tan- American at West Texas ladies at Malouf's Fabner is the Idalou football State. Ron lives in the rics are hosting a sale star who suffered seri- San Antonio area and vis- offering 20% off for the ous injury during the fi- its his mother often here month of February. This Saturday, February 21, from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. receiving medical treat- Tasty Cream has added Jack Chapman will be at mini-fish sandwiches to Malouf's to sharpen your Our final home game the menu. They are called scissors, rotary blades, was with Muleshoe so seafood sliders and they pinking shears and whatthere was a big Muleshoe are mini-breaded fried ever else you ladies use fish squares. The fish is to cut with. Stop by haddock. They are \$1.69. Malouf's on Highway 60 Combos include one, or check out the website, two, or three sandwiches www.maloufsfabrics.com.

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and grandkids in our Val- Bureau will host area 4th intended lives in Canyon the annual Basket entine brag pages last graders on March 12 for and will graduate from Fundraiser sometime in

stimulate our own ring on a finger. Adam They make Friona proud. Bandy, son of Clay and

and still no water, iary decorated the dining when you are out and reau staffers roll out the All three young men don't forget we took an-Cough! Keep on room and the auxiliary about come by and pick grill and provide a ham- will tie the knot within a other batch of Friona burger lunch for all the few weeks of each other Star old photos to the kids and teachers. The in May and June. Adam library. They are free to and Betty Medlin were Senior lunch Monday students learn about ag- and Andy are bankers and take if they belong to Welcome to Cole and crowned king and queen. was ham and cabbage riculture safety, food, Nathan will start medical your family or friends. school in San Antonio. I Even if they don't they know you join me in are fun to look through. Friona from Dalhart. Cole Star. Hats off to the vol- and red beans? Sounds Last week I mentioned wishing all the best to Next week is FFA Week. is the new manager at unteers and staff as the healthy doesn't it? All the engagements of these boys who are now Until then!

Tamela Bandy, got en- The Friends of the Library at 250-3200. Also



ron carr photo

Nursing home royalty. Prairie Acres residents celebrated Valentine's Day with a party. Contestants in the King and Queen contest were, l-r, Ralph Broyles, Juan Marquez, Lela Mae George, and Lesta Lee Neill. Back row center are King and Queen E.W. Anglin and Betty Medlin.

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High Plains Dairy owners Harry and Margret DeWit, center, are shown receiving the Innovative Dairy Farmer of the Year award at ceremonies in Orlando, Florida. At left is Jim Dickrell, editor of Dairy Today magazine. At right is Connie Tipton, President and CEO of the International Dairy Foods Association.



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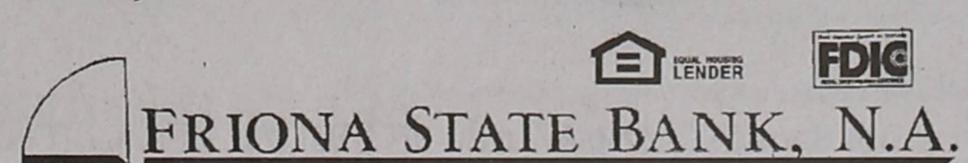
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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY

#### February 22 - February 28, 2009

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

Feb. 22-Julie Brown, Ann McFarland, Matthew Gammon, Brenda Joy Murphree, Natasha LaFuente, Jacy Grimsley Weatherly, Bobby McMillan, Brittny Herbert, Lawrence Widner, Larry Mitchell

Feb. 23-April Pope, Gayle O'Brian, Dexter Allen, Matthew Kendrick, Doyce Barnett, Leticia Duke

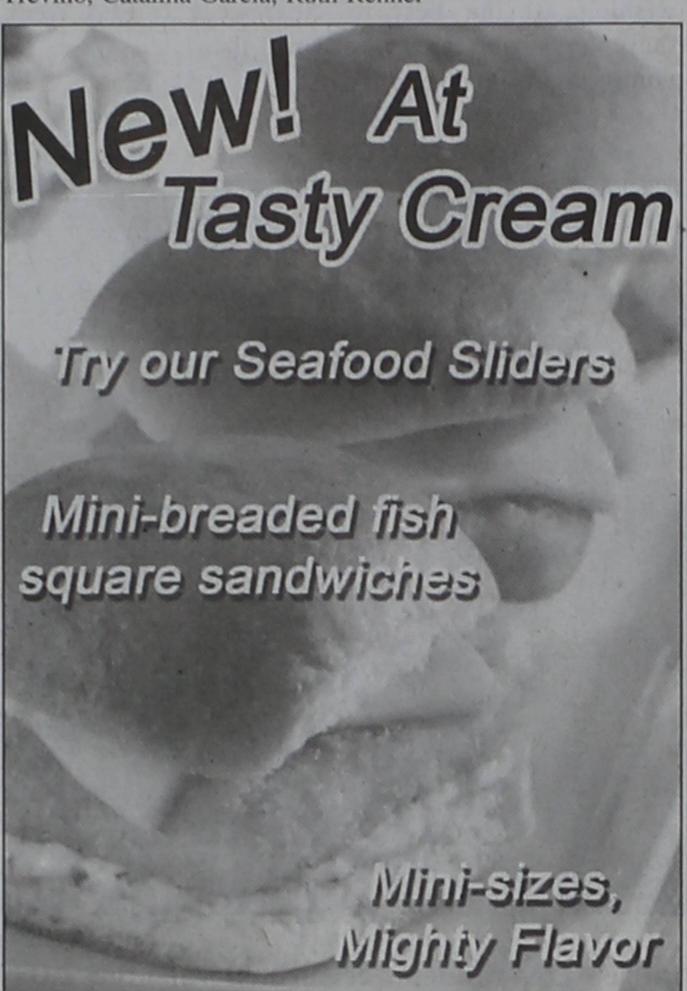
Feb. 24-Mike Smith, Joe Bob Johnson, Bobbie Clark, Sharon Rector, Janice Auburg, Della Patterson, Michelle Morris, Lisa Ann Edelmon, Joey Dominguez, Robin Rushing Stolzfus, Carmella Hernandez, Carlene Jones, Ginger Quinn, Sabrina Vargas

Feb. 25-Lyn Eldon Randolph, Alex Gurley, Hollis Gurley, Tommy Villalobos, David Stephens, Amelia Rose Sandoval, Elva Hernandez, Freddy Flores

Feb. 26-Amy Beth Rushing, Jerry London, Lesta Lee Neill, Trasa Randolph, Deuce Faires, Christopher Cappa, Kevin Taylor, Ulysses Cooper, Sholby Reeve

Feb. 27-Raye Jean London, Pat Randolph, Jesse Saiz, Mikaelah Cox

Feb. 28-Kathrina Smith, Cindy Alexander, Corbin Neill, Todd Drake, M'Lissa Hurst, Jim Rapp, Sam Mears, Priscilla Trevino, Catalina Garcia, Ruth Renner



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Friona Evening Lion Dave Thompson, center, welcomes The Beacons, a musical group that entertained at the Thursday Evening Lions meeting. The group is from Amarillo, I-r, Duncan Jones, Dale Westbrook, James Grant, Paul Harper, and Sue Grant. Mr. Westbrook is a former Friona resident.

### Museum sale: Art you can own

More than 50 artists from throughout the western United States will bring their best works to the Panhandle Plains Invitational Western Art Show and Sale Saturday, February 28 at the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum in Canyon. The reception and viewing begins at 5:30 p.m. and the fixed price sale is at 6 p.m.

Art prices range from \$500 to \$5,000. Proceeds from the show and sale will be used to buy art for the museum collection and restore pieces acquired by PPHM. Artists showing in the event include Carl J. Smith, David L. McMurray, Ruth Ellen Bryant, Donna Lofton, Andrew Wilks, Garland A. Weeks, Emilio Caballero, Barry Jones, Jack Sorenson, Amy Winton, Jim Ward, Marilyn Yanke, Mimi Litschauer, Deborah Paris, Greg Skol, and Kenny McKenna.

Michael Grauer, Associate Director for Curatorial Affairs and Curator of Art at PPHM, selected the artist invitation list by examining works in the same manner he does for a museum exhibition. The reception is sponsored by Mary Bearden and Sterling Adams.

### Farm Bureau Insurance launches racing website

Farm Bureau Insurance Racing has recently launched a new website, www.farmbureauinsuranceracing.com.

The new, interactive, easy-to-navigate website is dedicated to providing fans with exclusive photos, news on the drivers and racing team and the latest NASCAR schedule.

The website homepage features reality type webisodes depicting what it takes to become part of a pit crew. There is also information for all race fans, from newcomers to avid followers. Printable color sheets for the little fans can be found in the Kids Korner.

A Farm Bureau Insurance Racing store is available where fans can get the latest in promotional gear. Racing fans can sign-up at the site to receive

the Farm Bureau Insurance Racing Newsletter.

Farm Bureau Insurance Racing will be seen in its first race at the Southern 500 in May with Denny Hamlin driving the #11 car. Later in the year the Farm Bureau car will be #20 driven by Joey Logano. Farm Bureau Insurance has partnered with Joe Gibbs Racing for this NASCAR sponsorship.

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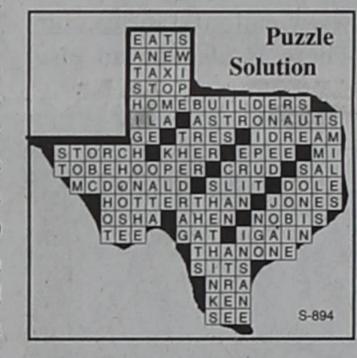
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# Sheriff's Report

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

February 10, 2009, Valentine Cervantes, 28, of Amarillo, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office on a charge of motion to revoke (criminal trespass and assault), pending County Court.

February 11, 2009, Jorge Dominguez, 34, of Plainview, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for theft by check, fine, court costs, restitution, and 90 days in jail, probated 18 months.

February 11, 2009, Veronica Romo, 27, of Levelland, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for theft by check, pending County Court.

February 12, 2009, Claudia Chirenos, 36, of Clovis, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for fraudulent use and possession of identifying information, pending Grand Jury.

February 14, 2009, Ernest Yearicks, 34, of Roswell, New Mexico, was arrested by the Friona Police Department for driving while intoxicated, pending County Court.

February 15, 2009, Juan Tavera, 21, of Bovina, was arrested by the Friona Police Department for driving while intoxicated, pending County Court.

# N. M. Ag Expo Feb 24-25

For the 17th consecutive year, the New Mexico Agricultural Expo in Portales will reach thousands of dairymen, ranchers, and farmers, showcasing the latest technological and industrial advances. The Expo, which will be held February 24 & 25, brings in the latest expertise and equipment, helping those in attendance to utilize the services in their own operations. This year's Expo is being sponsored by Plateau Wireless and Dairy Farmers of America.

An Enlightened Horsemanship demonstration is returning to the Expo and will take place in the Show Arena on Tuesday at 10:00 and 2:00. It will be conducted by Michael Richardson, a horse trainer who is paraplegic, from Hico, Texas. In addition, there will be a Working Dog Clinic by Orin Barnes from Canyon. It will take place in the Show Arena at 10 and 1:30 on Wednesday.

In years past, exhibitors have made the comment that they sell more here per number of attendees than any other show in which they participate. More than 170 booths with 400 exhibitors are expected to attend this year's show.

Again this year, Expo attendees have the opportunity to win a brand new 14' stock trailer. Registration for the drawing will be available at the show and the winner must be at least 18 years old. There is no admission charge to the show.

# County sales tax received

Comptroller Susan Combs said the state collected \$1.92 billion in sales tax revenue in January, up 3.9 percent compared to January 2008.

"Growth in state sales tax collections remains modest," Combs said. "While overall growth has continued for the first five months of fiscal 2009, collections from important sectors such as retail trade and construction have decreased."

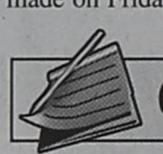
January state sales tax collections and February's local sales tax allocations represent sales in December, but also include earlier sales by businesses that report sales tax to the Comptroller on a quarterly or annual basis.

Parmer County's February 2009 payment totaled \$55,188.35 broken down as Bovina \$9,132.14; Farwell \$10,684.58; and Friona \$35,371.63. In February 2008 the tax payment total was \$52,706.26.

Comparing tax receipts from the same period last year, payments were up 4.70%, broken down as Bovina 0.37%; Farwell -2.85%; and Friona 8.46%.

For the year, Parmer County cities have received a total of \$89,605.00 as compared to \$85,242.13 for the same period last year, a 5.11% change.

The Comptroller's next local sales tax allocation will be made on Friday, March 13, 2009.



# Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County Clerk's Office recorded the following warranty deeds from to February 5, 2009 to February 11, 2009: Grain Suppliers Co. LLC - CHS Inc., 101.32 AC S11 T3S R3E; 31.80 AC NE/PT S14 T3S R3E; 19.07 AC SE/PT S11 T3S R3E; 1.83 AC SE/PT S11 T3S R3E; 2.3 AC S11 T3S R3E.

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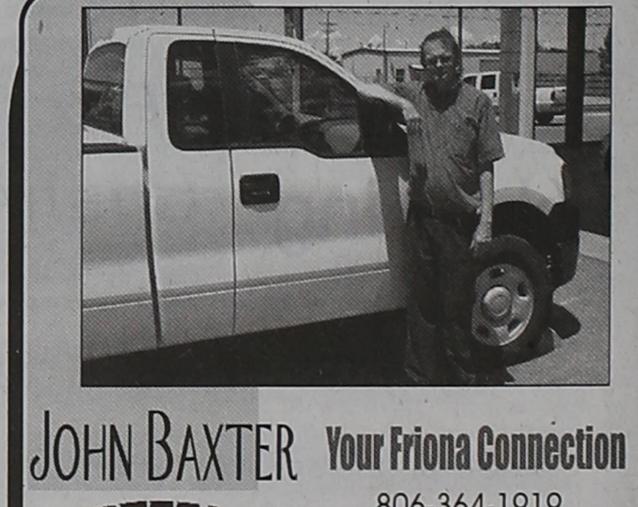
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# FHS Students and Staff member for January

the Month.



Victor Parra

Victor Parra, a senior, is very school spirited and dependable - Mrs. Berend. VicSenior Student of the Month.

We, at Friona High School, classroom and is supportive students - Mrs. Berend. Jesare proud to announce the of other students. Every time sica is involved in the Band is a good nominee. He is responsibility of finding out with a smile and great attitude. I January selections for Stu- Victor is in the public eye, and in FCCLA. She is a conscientious about his the work he missed and com- really appreciate having her as a dents and Staff Member of we know that he will repre- team player and contributes work. He tries to apply his pleting it immediately. He is custodian this year - Mrs. sent us well. All these quali- silently to Friona High ties are reasons why we are School. She does not comproud to have Victor as our plain and is kind to others.



**Duncan Welch** 

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Ryan DeWit

knowledge to the real world. turns his work in on time. If Juanita is such a hard worker. Congratulations to each.

involved in several extra-cur- Osborn. Juanita Nicolas is one ricular activities, but none of those activities ever seem to cause his school work to suffer. He provides some comic relief at times, and from my observations, is a good friend. Ryan is truly deserving of being recognized as an outstanding student - Kim Hinton. I was impressed with his polite manners and his maturity - Mrs. Berend.

Juanita Nicolas, staff member, works very hard and is always willing to go the extra mile to help not just the teachers in her hall but any teacher or stubright - Mrs. Drake. Ryan is had washed the dishes. Our an excellent student. He is desks are cleaned daily and our self-motivated, takes his trash is emptied daily or more the Month. We are glad to school work seriously and often if needed - Ms. Murdock. have you as a part of FHS.

Ryan DeWit, a freshman, he is absent, he takes the She goes "above and beyond"



Juanita Nicolas

of the hardest working women I know. Every time I see her she

dent who is trustworthy. He works hard in my class and personality and is always rewill do his best at whatever always seems pleasant to spectful - Mrs. Berend. activity he commits himself everyone. She is a good Duncan excels at football and to. He is involved in theater student - Mrs. Osborn. Jes- power-lifting. He is a team and choir and is also our sica works hard. She is po- player. He has a good work

Chieftain hurler Bryan Gordon gets in some practice during the scrimmage

with Olton. The JV Chiefs will play Bushland Monday here. Game time is 5

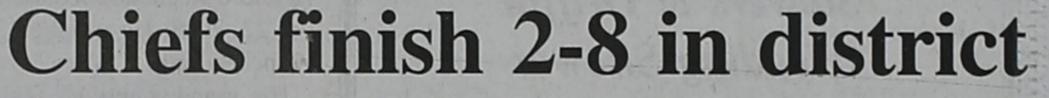
p.m. The Chief varsity travels to Bushland on Tuesday.

Jessica Salinas

He gets along great with others and he shows good

Duncan Welch, a sopho- sportsmanship on the bas- dent that needs help. During has a smile on her face. She tor exemplifies a quality stu- Jessica Salinas, a junior, more, has a very pleasant ketball court - Tammy the past few months when I does her job well and cheerfully. Gammon. Ryan is a very hard need to move things down the She is conscientious and kind, working student, and he is concession stand, she often We are so very fortunate to always polite. Ryan cares helps me. One day, when I came have her on our staff - Mrs, about his grades. He is very back to clean up the room, she Johnston.

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Coach Ky Graham knew when the season last year's district champion team.

The UIL realignment brought some top Friona 61. new competition, Childress and Floydada, should be a contender next year since we records. return almost all of our starters."

The Chiefs closed out the season with on the road losses to Floydada and Tulia. Friday the Chiefs lost to state tournament contender Floydada 85-51. The Whirlwinds were 15 of 21 from the free throw line while Friona was 5 of 8.

Stanberry led scoring with 13 points, David Schwab 10, Justin Dominguez 8, Joey Dickson 6, Caleb Monroe 5, Ernesto Monreal 4, Nick Ortiz 3, and Stetson Reed 2.

The final game came at Tulia Tuesday. The Chiefs beat the Hornets earlier in the year. Going into the final game, the Chifs were 2-7 while Tulia was 1-8. A win by the Chiefs would leave Tulia alone in last place.

But the Hornets were out for revenge as started his young Chieftain squad would meet they had a brief 30-point lead late in the some tough competition. The Chiefs returned game. A 28-point fourth quarter by the just one player, junior Matthew Stanberry, from Chiefs, including five 3s, brought the Chiefs back within 10. Final score was Tulia 71,

Stanberry led scoring with 16 points. Othinto the district. "Our boys gained a lot of ers were Dickson 10, Ortiz 9, Reed 7, Monexperience against some good teams this roe 7, Rolando Castanon 6, Monreal 3, year," Graham said. "With graduation of Dominguez 2, and Justin Echevarria 1. The many of the top players in our district, we losses give the Chiefs and Tulia 2-8 district

#### JV Chiefs 35, JV Floydada 56

The Friona junior varsity lost at Floydada 56-35 last Friday.

Brenner Barnett led scoring with 16 points including two 3s. Jeremy Alaniz had 9, Duncan Welch 4, Dillon Kelley 2, Jordan Kelley 2, and Dominque Kellum 2.

#### JV Chiefs 43, JV Tulia 39

The JV Chiefs closed out the season at Tulia Tuesday with a 43-39 win over the junior Hornets.

Jeremy Alaniz drained four 3s and scored 21 points. Brenner Barnett added 12, Duncan Welch 4, Gabriel Avalos 2, Jordan Kelley 2, and J Gurley 2.



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Friona's Hayden Sundre rounds third base to score during a recent scrimmage with the Olton Mustangs. The Chief's baseball season begins Friday with an away game at WT High. Next varsity home game is March 10 with Seagraves.

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Friona ISD Track Schedule 2009											
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Apr. 18	JH District	X	X	X	X						
Apr. 24/25	Regional Qual	lifiers (TBA)									
May 1/2	Regional Mee	et (Odessa)					X	X			
May 15/16	State Track M	leet (Austin)					X	X			

### FRIONA RELAYS MARCH 5-6

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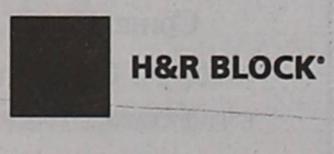
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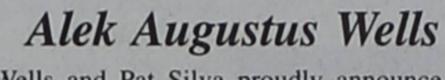
#### Wyatt Thomas Beauchamp

Tony and Traci Beauchamp, of Bovina, proudly announce the birth of their first child, Wyatt Thomas Beauchamp.

Wyatt was born on January 6, 2009, at 7:07 p.m., at BSA Hospital in Amarillo. He weighed 7 pounds 14 ounces and was 20 1/4 inches long.

His grandparents are Debra and Mike Beauchamp of Bovina, and Trish and Steve Sherrill of Claude, Texas. Great-grandparents are Dorothy and Grady Sorley of Bovina.

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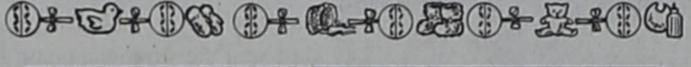


**Alek Augustus Wells** 

Jason Wells and Pat Silva proudly announce the birth of their son, Alek Augustus Wells. Alek was born at Hereford Regional Medical Center at 12:01 p.m. on December 22, 2008. He weighed 7 pounds 3 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long.

His grandparents are Zaleta and Jose Silva of Bovina, and Cherry and Jim Roy Wells of Friona.

Dorrice Beck, of San Angelo, is his great-grandmother.



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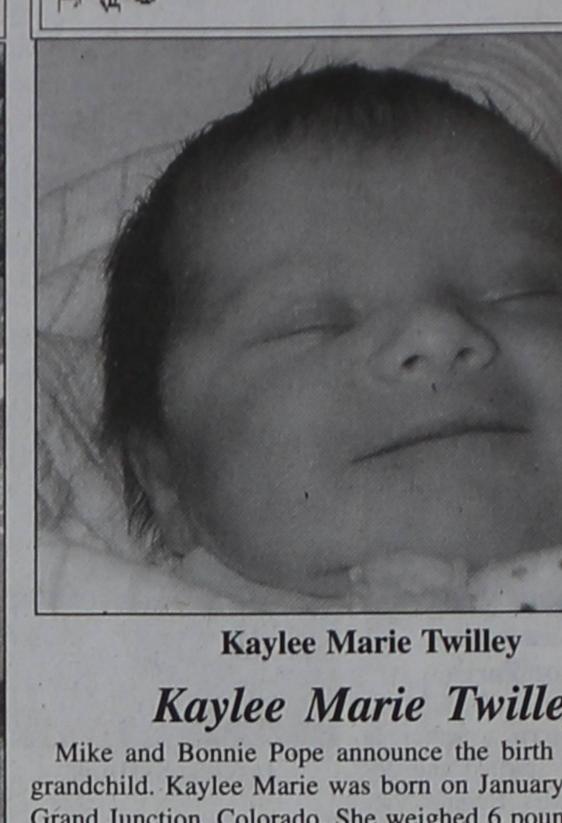
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#### Kaylee Marie Twilley

Mike and Bonnie Pope announce the birth of their fifth grandchild. Kaylee Marie was born on January 19, 2009, in Grand Junction, Colorado. She weighed 6 pounds 10 ounces and was 19 inches long.

Her Dad and Mom are Brandon and Amanda Twilley. She has two big sisters, 9 1/2 year old Katelyn Makenna and 5 year old Kamryn Makell.

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# Frye on Baylor fall Dean's list

Kandace Frye, daughter of Kirk and Annette Frye, was named to the Dean's List at Baylor University for the fall semester.

She is a senior majoring in Early Childhood 4 Generalist. To be named to the Dean's List a student must take a minimum of 12 hours and maintain a 3.7 grade point average.

# Contrasts

BY REV. BUCK MALONE, Congregational Church

Life, to some, is like going to a symphony. You secure the tickets; wait for months to hear what you have only heard on an old LP or a CD that does not even begin to duplicate the dynamic range of an actual performance.

The day comes. You get gussied-up; excited; the car is gassed and ready. You drive an hour and park. You make your way to the huge hall, and your seat is row ten out of ninety-six rows just on the ground floor; it's right in the middle of the hall - perfect acoustics!

You excuse yourself at least one-hundred times as you avoid stepping on toes and bumping your backside against someone else's shoulder in front of you, and you finally make it to your seat. The symphony is warming up, and the first note is about to be played. You suddenly check your watch and adjust your pockets. It is then you notice you left your keys in the car, and you believe you left it running! What now?

Life, to some, is like running from a tiger after having been in the jungle taking a nap in a hammock, eating fresh fruit along with a roasted chicken caught that very morning. The tiger smelled the food and saw that you had more meat than the chicken, so the chase is on.

You come to exhaustion as you reach a massive precipice, a ravine five hundred feet deep, and you jump without a choice. A large bush catches your fall only ten feet down, and you're hanging by your belt as you swing to and fro with one eye on the tiger's teeth above and one eye on the distant river below.

The end is to and fro, and you suddenly realize that the bush has beautiful, ripe berries. You take one, and an amazing thought takes your breath away. You say out loud to the tiger and the river, "Nothing has ever tasted so good!"

Moral? The only way we have ever been able to live life is to live it one moment at a time. The past is dead, and the future is dead. Why? Because they are not real. Where have you spent your life so far? Eternity has nothing at all to do with time. Don't confuse eternity with everlastingness. One is now, the other is just a long time.

### Stowers & Griffin Wedding Shower

A wedding shower for Christen Stowers, bride-elect of Matt Griffin, will be held February 28 from 2-3:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Bovina. Selections are at Dillard's, Wal-Mart & Target.

### Think about this

# Life's Detours

T. LEON TALLEY, Minister, Sixth Street Church of Christ Some of our greatest blessings come from detours

through which God leads us. Sometimes we are prone to grumble and become discouraged when life throws us a detour. In the next two articles, I want to suggest two reasons why the long way is often best.

First, the Israelites were recently released from over 400 years of slavery. They were not ready for a fierce battle with the Philistines. They were simply not ready to fight. Of course, God could have destroyed these Philistines for His people. Why He didn't, we don't know. Evidently God had important lessons that they needed to learn from a detour.

What about us? We, too, have our dreams. Dreams of happiness, financial security, independence, prominence, health and hope. Along with our dreams we plan the exact route that will enable us to realize our goals. However, circumstances in our careers, schedules, routines, health and private lives often turn us away. We have to leave our course and go by way of the wilderness. It's easy for us to throw in the towel and want to give up.

Here is where faith must motivate us. By faith we understand that God's detours are not meant to discourage but to protect. God is interested in our total welfare. Perhaps the goals we have set would be harmful for us in the future. Faith compels us to place our hands in His; to walk in confidence.

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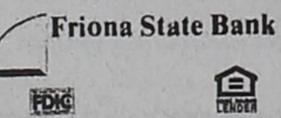
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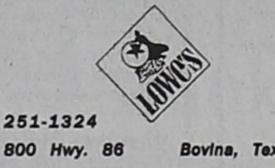
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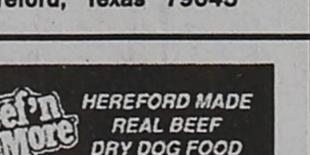


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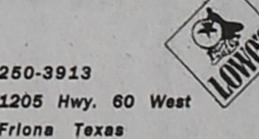


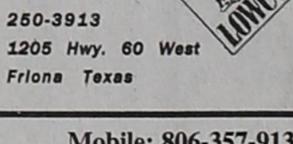
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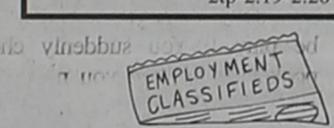
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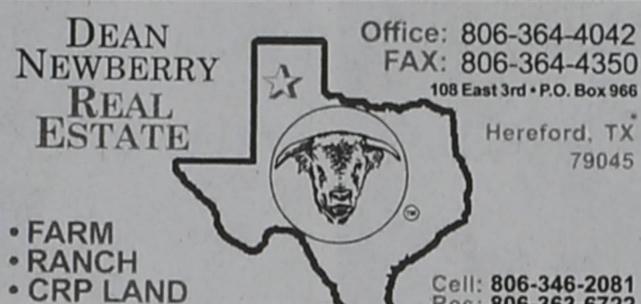
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This property will be sold at 10:00 a.m. Monday, February 23, 2009, during the regular scheduled Commissioners Court meeting.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court, Bonnie J. Heald, County Judge.

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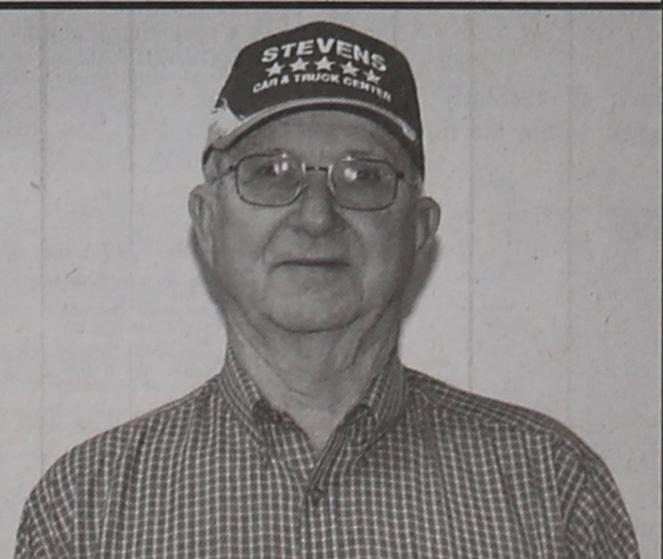
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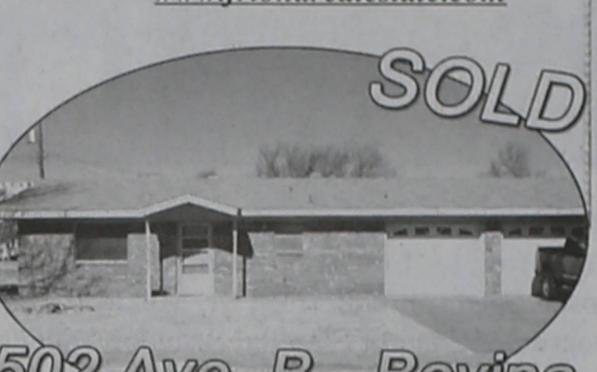


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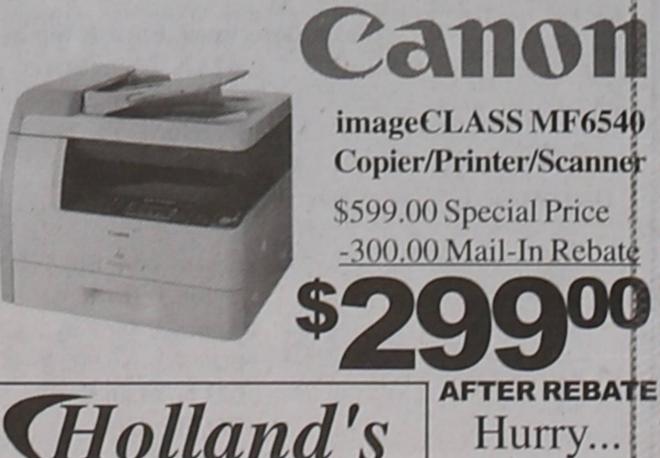
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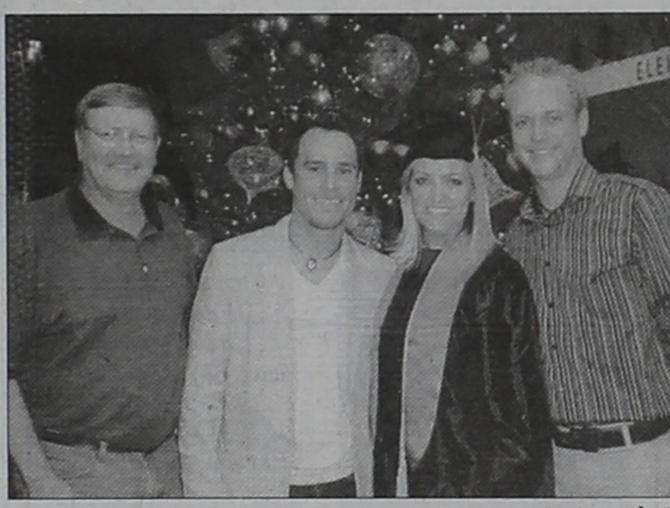
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### Hollingworth earns degree from Art Institute of Dallas

Jim and Jane Dixon are pleased to announce that their granddaughter, Sasha (Dixon) Hollingworth, graduated with honors from The Art Institute of Dallas on December 19, 2008, with a Bachelor of Fine Arts.

Completing her college career in three and a half years, Sasha majored in Interior Design and worked hard to obtain more than 150 hours of a professional internship before graduation.

The daughter of Milon and Karla Dixon now works for the design firm Looney & Associates in Dallas, and Fusion Home Fashion in Plano. Sasha and her husband, Clinton Hollingworth, reside in Plano, Texas.



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Pictured left to right, Milon Dixon, Clinton Hollingworth, Sasha Hollingworth, and Trapper Dixon.



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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

> c/o: Easterwood, Boyd & Simmons, LLP 623 N. Main Street P.O. Box 273 Hereford, TX 79045

DATED the 12th day of February, 2008.

Easterwood, Boyd & Simmons, LLP Byron J. Boyd Attorney for Gayla Champenois State Bar No.: 02763900 623 N. Main Street P.O. Box 273 Hereford, TX 79045 Telephone: (806) 364-6801 Facsimile (806) 364-2526

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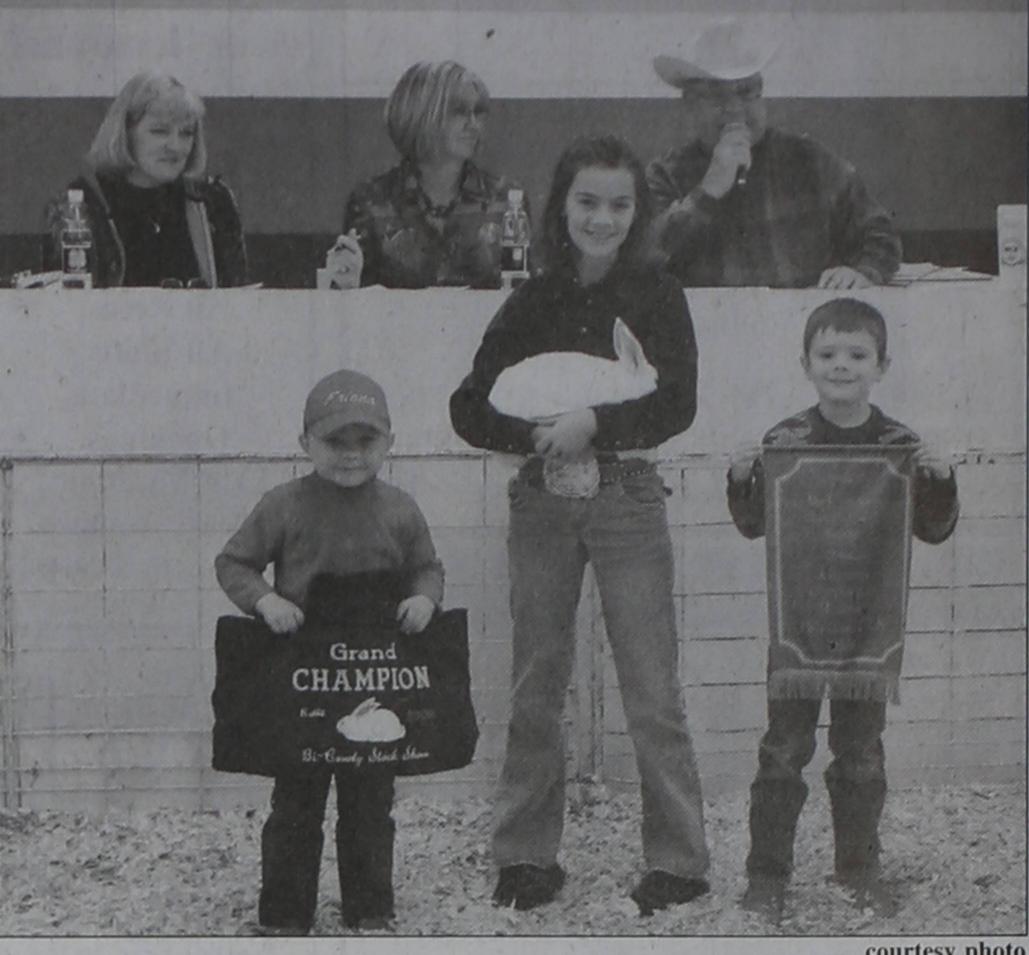
#### Floyd shows grand champ rabbit In the Dallam-Hartley Bi-County Live- youth competed in the District 4-H Food

won the Grand Champion Rabbit with egory. honors.

In December in Amarillo, Panhandle Barker.

stock Show in January, Jaylee Floyd, a Show. In the Junior division, Jaylee won member of the Dallam Darlins 4-H Club, 1st place in the Nutritious Snacks cat-

her entry. She received a belt buckle, a Jaylee is the daughter of Jayson and jacket, a ribbon, and a banner for other Leslee Floyd, formerly of Friona, and the granddaughter of Butch and Martha



Jaylee Floyd won Grand Champion Rabbit at the Dallam-Hartley Livestock Show. Her brothers Kolin, left, and Wes help show off her awards.



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#### Nola Amanda Starkey Myrick

Nola Amanda Starkey Myrick, 92, of Friona, passed away, held on Tuesday, February 17, 2009 at the First Baptist Church of Hart in Hart, Texas at 10:30 a.m. with Reverend Matt Baird lic Church with Reverend Arsenio Redulla officiating. Interofficiating. Burial followed at Hart Cemetery. Arrangements ment will follow in Plainview Memorial Park under the were handled by Colonial Fu-

neral Home of Dimmitt.

Nola was born November 16, 1916 in Floyd County to Joel and Mandy Edgemon Starkey. Nola married D. Myrick on January 12, 1936 in Floydada where they resided until they moved to Hart in 1941. D. and Nola moved to Clovis, New Mexico in 1964 and then to Amarillo in 1977. Nola moved to Friona in 1996 and lived there until her death.



Nola Amanda Myrick

Nola was a member of Ranchvale Baptist Church in Ranchvale, New Mexico. She 2805 North Columbia, Plainview, Texas 79072. was involved in the everyday duties of farming and ranching with her late husband. She was a loving, faithful wife,

mother and grandmother.

She is survived by three sons, J.D. Myrick and his wife Freddie Sue of Hart, Ralph Myrick and his wife Virginia of Amarillo, and Steve Myrick and his wife Judy of Clovis; one son-in-law, D. Clark of Friona; one brother, Lee Starkey of California; nine grandchildren, Gay Clark Chrisman and her husband Nathan of Plainview, Rondee Clark and his wife Tonda of Friona, Timothy Clark and his wife Rhonda of Amarillo, Coy Myrick and his wife Gayla of Nazareth, Cody Myrick and his wife Anessa of Hart, Johnna Myrick of Amarillo, Chad Myrick and his wife Misty of Canyon, Christy Mattingly and her husband Louis of Ft. Worth, and Amanda Bergamo and her husband Sam of Albuquerque, New Mexico; twenty-four great-grandchildren; and four great-great grandchildren.

She is preceded in death by her husband, D.; a daughter, Wyona Clark; a granddaughter, Pachus Myrick; a grandson Matthew Myrick; eight brothers, John, Charlie, Bill, Isiah, Floyd, Homer, Raymond and Jesse Starkey; and three sisters, Mamie Starkey Durham, Lillie Mae Starkey, and Margaret Starkey.

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#### Alison Marie Mercado

Alison Marie Mercado, 40, of Hereford, passed away on Saturday, February 14, 2009 in Amarillo. Funeral services were Monday, February 16, 2009. Funeral services will be at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 19, 2009 at Sacred Heart Cathodirection of Kornerstone Funeral Directors of Plainview.

> Mrs. Mercado was born on June 5, 1968 in Fredericksburg, Texas to Matilde and Antonia Castillo. She married Ricky Mercado on December 3, 1988 in Friona. Alison was a Mom William Alexander and Della that was always on the road to attend a track meet, softball Rebecca Daniel Carmichael. He game or a golf meet to encourage her girls to be the best.

> Survivors include her husband, Ricky Mercado; three vember 15, 1980 in Sudan, Texas. daughters, Kristen Mercado of San Antonio, and Kayla Mercado and Kimberly Mercado both of Hereford; her the U.S. Air Force as a Staff mother, Antonia Castillo of Plainview; one brother, Edward Sergeant serving over 20 years. Castillo and wife JoAnn of Plainview; two sisters, Lupe He was active in the Korean Castillo of Plainview, and Martha Branson and husband and Vietnam Wars and spent Glen of Keller.

She was preceded in death by her father, Matilde Castillo. . Memorials may be made to Sacred Heart Catholic Church,

# Czech sausage dinner in Canyon March 1

St. Ann's Catholic Church in Canyon has announced its annual Czech sausage dinner Sunday March 1, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Parish Family Center, 605 38th St.

Menu is Czech sausage, sauerkraut, bread, parsley potatoes, cobbler and all the trimmings. Adults are \$8, children \$4, and kids 5 and under eat free.

A drive thru and takeout will be available. There will also be a drawing, a country store and religious articles for sale.

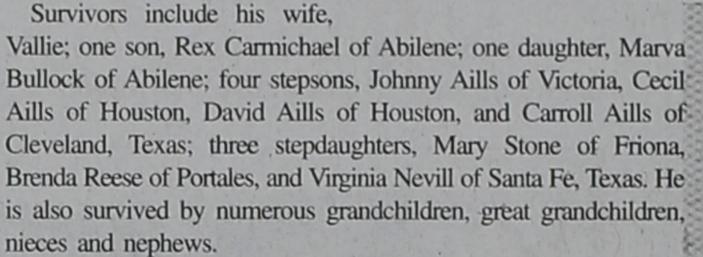
#### Marvin V. Carmichael

Graveside services for Marvin V. Carmichael, 74, recently of Portales, New Mexico, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, February 18, 2009 in the Friona Cemetery with Leon Talley, Church of Christ minister, officiating. Military honors followed by the U.S. Air Force Honor Guard. He died Sunday morning at Roosevelt General Hospital in Portales.

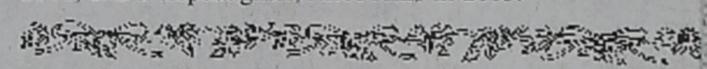
Marvin was born August 22, 1934 in Eldorado, Oklahoma to married Vallie Dee Aills on No-

Mr. Carmichael retired from several months as a POW in Vietnam. He was a member of the VFW and American Legion. He was a Baptist. He had recently moved to Portales from Cleveland, Texas.

Marvin V. Carmichael



He was preceded in death by a son, Duke Carmichael in 2008, and a stepdaughter, Alice Aills in 2003.







· 1 p.m., Dairy Reproduction Workshop

• 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., Dairy Women's

Social, sponsored by Dairy Max

Workshop, Dr. Tom Fuhrmann,

· noon - DFA Dairymen's Lunch

12:30 p.m. - Market Update,

John Wilson DFA Corp VP

· 10 a.m., Show Arena Enlightened

· 9 a.m., Show Arena Working Dog

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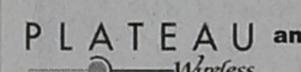
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#### **Future of Wind Energy in NM**

Tuesday, Feb. 24, 10 a.m., Cacahuate Room Presented by Robert Lumpkin and Rory McMinn, Renewable Energy Consultant and Transmission Line Authority

#### **Animal ID and Country**

of Origin Labeling and its effects on Ag Security Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1 p.m., McAlister Room

Presented by Dr. Ron Parker, NM Livestock Board

#### **NM Animal Health and Ag Security**

Tuesday, Feb. 24, 3 p.m., McAlister Room Presented by Dr. Dave Fly, NM Livestock **Board Veterinarians** 

#### **Weed Resistance Management**

Wednesday, Feb. 25, 11 a.m. Cacahuate Room-Weed Resistance Management, Presented by Dr. Jamshid Ashigh, NMSU Extension Weed Specialist

#### **Market Update**

Wednesday, Feb. 25, 12:30 p.m., Dairy Pavilion-Presented by John Wilson,

#### DFACorp, VP of Marketing **Beef Cow Health Management**

Wednesday, Feb. 25, 2 p.m., McAlister Room-Presented by Dr. John Wenzel, NMSU Extension Veterinarian

#### **Irrigation Water Productivity** of Spring Oil Seed Crops

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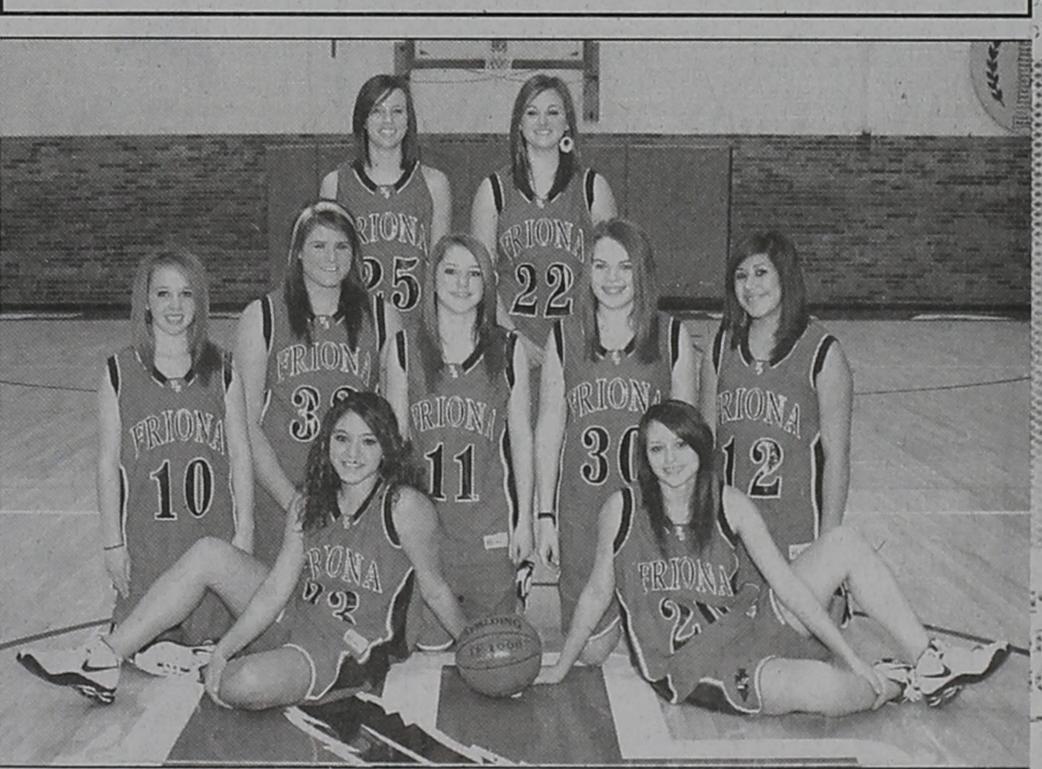
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The 2008-09 Squaws are front, I-r, Heather Sandoval, Sasha Estrada; middle row, 1-r, Paige Herbert, Brittany Berend, Regan Anthony, Kami Kerby, Stephanie Aguirre; back, l-r, Taryn Jamerson and Anna Murphree



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The 2008-09 Friona Chieftains are, l-r, Rolando Castanon, Joey Dickson, Stetson Reed, Nick Ortiz, Matthew Stanberry, Justin Dominguez, David Schwab, Justin Echevarria, and Jeremy Alaniz.

#### **New Buildings at FISD**



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Construction continues on the former M&M Welding building, above, at 7th and Euclid. The building will be used as classrooms when completed. Below, the new Chieftain baseball dugout, dressing room, and storage building will be completed in time for baseball season.



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# Why Join? Why Not!

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Friona elementary 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> graders who participated in the American Heart Association Jump Rope for Heart collected \$4,741.48 in January. All 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> graders jumped rope February 11-12 in honor and memory of loved ones who suffered from stroke and heart disease. Shown are the Top 10 collectors, front, l-r, Kim DeWit, Mikaela Merino, Kori Caywood, Mason Fleming; back row, l-r, Hillary Bermea, Zulma Borjas, Courtney Bunker, Johnna Thompson, Kayleigh Hardin (top collector), and Brandon Douglas. Not pictured, Sydney Frye.

