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County spelling bee set for Feb 9

The Parmer County spelling bee will be held Wednesday February 9 at 9 a.m. in the Friona junior high auditorium. The top three winners from junior and senior bees in Farwell, Lazbuddie, Bovina, and Friona are eligible to participate. The county bee winner will advance to the regional spelling bee at Canyon High School March 5.

Friona's spelling bee, for students in the 6th, 7th, and 8th grades, is scheduled for February 3 at 3 p.m. in the junior high auditorium. Bovina's middle school bee is tentatively set for February 3. Bovina and Friona elementary schools have decided not to hold a junior bee this year.

New laundry & dry cleaner service opens

Friona Chamber of Commerce executive vice president Chris Alexander has announced that effective Monday, January 31, Friona residents will have a new pick-up and delivery service for their laundry and dry cleaning.

Alexander has negotiated the service with Heaven Scent Laundry & Dry Cleaners from Farwell (formerly City Cleaners).

Dropoff for local service will be at the Body Image building located at 7th and Euclid. Phone number is 250-5454.

The cleaners will offer wash and fold laundry service, dry cleaning, leather cleaning, and alterations including wedding dresses.

Chamber seeks nominations

The Friona Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture has planned the 2005 annual Chamber banquet for Thursday, March 10, at 6:30 p.m. in the Friona Community Center.

Each year at the banquet citizens, employees, and students of the year are honored. The Chamber Board of Directors is asking for nominations for the following categories: Man, Woman, Teacher, and Citizen of the Year; Most Courteous Employee; and Girl & Boy Students of the Year. Nomination forms may be picked up at the Chamber office. Deadline for nominations will be 5 p.m. Friday, February 25. Forms can be mailed or bring them to the Chamber office, 621 Main St. For more info the Chamber number is 250-3491.

TDH immunization schedules for Feb.

Immunization clinics offering the vaccines that give protection against childhood diseases are scheduled for February 2005 in Friona and Bovina.

The clinic in Bovina will be February 7, in the Bovina EMS Building, 109 S. 3rd, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

The clinic in Friona will be February 18, at 616 Euclid from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

All times are subject to change or cancellation due to weather or scheduling conflicts.

Relay for Life stew supper February 4

Parmer County's Relay for Life, the annual cancer walk benefit group, will host a stew supper Friday, February 4, from 5-8 p.m. at the FHS cafeteria. The supper will be in conjunction with the Friona vs. Olton basketball games.

Mark your calendar now and come out and support the Relay for Life and the Race for a Cure. Cost will be \$4 for adults and \$3 for children 10 years and under.

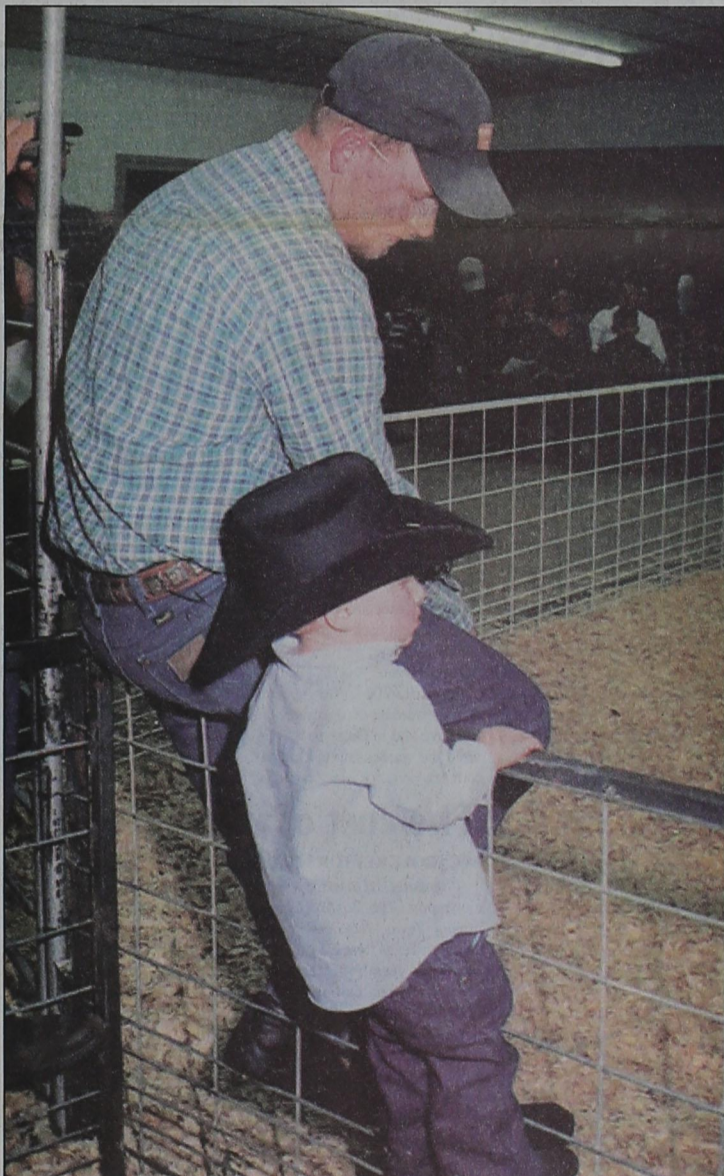
Jr. livestock show

Grand champion kids, great show, great sale



THE GRAND CHAMPION steer at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show was shown by Brittany Berend of the Friona FFA. Shown with Brittany is show judge Will Winters.

courtesy photo



FUTURE livestock show participant Tristan Schueler climbs the fence for a better look at the pigs while his uncle Kevin Schueler lends a hand. Tristan is the son of Monty and Tessa Schueler.

courtesy photo

Board extends superintendent contract

The Friona ISD board of trustees met in regular session Thursday January 20.

The board heard the district audit report from Donna West, CPA. Auditors issued an unqualified report with no material findings or citations.

Following the hearing of the audit report, the board approved Texas Association of School Board policy updates, received a report on utility cost history, approved the annual Academic Excellence Indicator System report, approved campus goals and objectives submitted by the four campus committees, and set a date for the annual board training.

In other business the board received a report from Superintendent Jim Parker on the Black Community School site and authorized Parker to continue discussions with Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railroad about the property (see separate story).

The board conducted their annual superintendent evaluation and offered a contract extension to Superintendent Jim Parker through the 2007-08 school year. Parker has been in education for 37 years and in the Friona school system almost 24 years. His first year in Friona was the 1981-82 school year.

The Parmer County Junior Livestock Show premium sale raised a total of \$80,125 for area 4-H and FFA youngsters. The sale, held Saturday at the Friona Community Center, auctioned off a total of 145 animals out of 266 animals that were registered in Thursday's 58th annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show.

There were 23 goats entered in four classes. Lazbuddie FFA swept this category with Ryan Mason exhibiting the Grand Champion and Jordan Mason showing the Reserve Grand Champion. Kaleigh Jo White, Parmer County 4-H, won junior showmanship and Alisha Wauson, Farwell FFA, was the senior showmanship champion.

A total of 164 entries in 30 classes made up the barrow competition. Danielle Cockerham, Parmer County 4-H, had the top hog, winning Grand Champion with her 230-pound york. Dan Patterson, also Parmer County 4-H, grabbed Reserve Grand Champion with a 232-pound cross. Senior showmanship champion in the barrow competition was Kayla Parham, Lazbuddie FFA. Junior showmanship champ went to Caleb Christian, Parmer County 4-H.

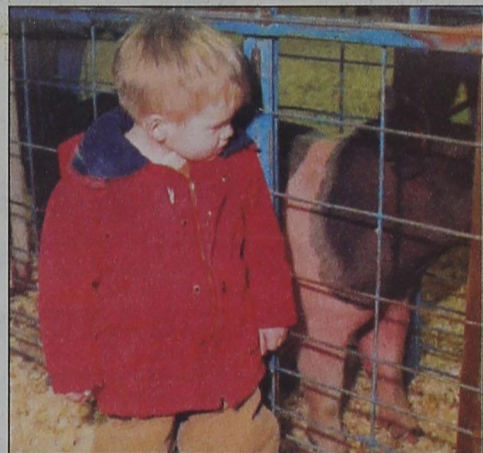
In the lamb contest there were 68 entries in 11 classes. The Grand Champion was shown by Austin Mason of

Lazbuddie FFA. Kolten Morris, also Lazbuddie FFA, won Reserve Grand Champion. In the lamb showmanship contest, Ashton Mason, Lazbuddie FFA, was junior champ; Logan Mason, Lazbuddie FFA, won intermediate champ, and Kelby Monroe, Friona FFA, was awarded senior showmanship honors.

To round out the show, 11 steers entered in four classes. Brittany Berend's 1250-pound Exotic was named Grand Champion. Brittany represents Friona FFA. Jason Berend, also Friona FFA, garnered Reserve Grand Champion steer with his 1300-pound English entry. Junior showmanship champ was Logan Mason, Lazbuddie FFA and the Senior showmanship champ steer was shown by Kelby Monroe.

At the premium sale, Austin Mason's Grand Champion lamb was bought by Lowe's Supermarket for \$1,600; Berend's Grand Champion steer was sold to TexZona Custom Cattle Feeders for \$2,500; Farwell Banking Center was high bidder on Ryan Mason's Grand Champion goat at \$400; and the Legends Buyers Club bought Danielle Cockerham's Grand Champion barrow with a winning bid of \$1,500.

Complete show results of the 58th Parmer County Junior Livestock Show are elsewhere in this issue.



CHECKING out a barrow up close and personal at the livestock show is Colton Riethmayer, son of Corbin and Jenny Riethmayer.

courtesy photo

Black Community school site for sale

The Friona school board has a decision to make concerning the Black Community school site at FM1172 and Highway 60. The FISD board recently held discussions related to the disposition of the site. According to officials the structure is an eyesore and safety hazard and was the topic of a discussion by the board last year.

Representatives of Burlington Northern Santa Fe (BNSF) railroad have inquired about the possibility of purchasing the site, or an easement, to allow for the relocation of existing railroad signal controls at the grade crossing.

In researching the purchase, BNSF officials found the original documents at the county courthouse dated September 7, 1953 detailing the sale of the building and improvements. The building is located on approximately 4 acres and was sold to the Black Community Social and Study Club. The purchase price was \$10. Trustees listed for the Study Club at the time of the 1953 purchase were Mrs. Emma Elmore, Mrs. Mildred Barnett, and Mrs. Maxine Price.

The document specified that "whenever such property shall cease to be used for religious or social community activities" it would revert to the grantor which was the Friona ISD. School district officials said it appears the district now has the responsibility for the property. No final decisions have been made by the school board.

Interested parties are encouraged to contact Superintendent Jim Parker at the FISD Central Office or call 250-2747. "It was noted that the long term ownership and maintenance of the property by the school district would not be in the best interest of taxpayers," Parker said.

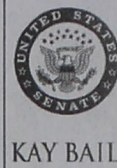
The school board will entertain offers from anyone who might have a sentimental attachment to the property or a material use for the acreage with the understanding that there are existing easement and right of way considerations. Parker said the structure will need to be removed and discussions are continuing with BNSF.



OUT HERE

by Ron Carr

Clovis 35, Hereford 20



CAPITOL COMMENT
U.S. SENATOR
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON



So what's it going to be, Clovis or Hereford?

That's the big question for Friona folks this week as the brand new Hereford Wal-Mart opened for business Wednesday morning. The Supercenter will be open from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. daily. After some hurrah, live radio coverage, speeches, and a ribbon cutting they let the first customers in at 8 a.m. Wednesday, January 26. It was announced that on this same day 42 other Wal-Mart Supercenters opened around the country. That is amazing.

My mother Hannah and her friend Martha were there bright and early. I haven't heard from them so I guess they are having a good time. They said they didn't need to buy anything they just wanted to go in and look around. As though they had never seen what a Wal-Mart looks like.

Folks in Friona have a minor dilemma now. Do we keep going to the Wal-Mart in Clovis (about 35 miles) or switch to the Hereford one (about 20 miles)? Folks I have talked to say they go to Clovis not just for Wal-Mart. Clovis has a new Chili's and IHOP, a Lowe's Building Supply, a new Hobby Lobby and Hasting's. And don't forget the North Plains Mall with Sears, Penney's, and Dillard's plus other stores like Bath and Body and Radio

Shack. And there are plans to build an Applebee's Restaurant.

Wal-Mart shoppers to Hereford will not have the same variety of shopping and dining experiences. That will be important to some and not so important to others. "We don't just go to Clovis to go to Wal-Mart" seems to be the local consensus.

I haven't been to the Hereford Wal-Mart. My mother has. She and Martha sat out on the parking lot and watched them build it. I quizzed her about the layout of the store and from what I can determine it is the opposite floor plan from Clovis.

In other words the food center is on the left as you face the store and the garden center, pharmacy, etc. is on your right. If that is the case I won't be spending much time at the Hereford Wal-Mart. It is just the opposite in Clovis. I know where everything is. Flop the floor plan and I have to start all over learning where everything is.

I know of at least two Friona residents that are employed at the Hereford Wal-Mart. No doubt there are others. Officials say the store will employ 275 people full- and part-time. A story in the Hereford Brand said the Wal-Mart will donate as much as \$35,000 to local schools and charities this week in celebration of its opening. The

Friona primary school was on the list. They will receive \$1,000 according to principal Tracy Ellis and we will report more on that next week.

Hereford businesses want you to come to Hereford and now you have a "super" reason to visit more often. One of those businessmen is John Teters and his family. John owns the Kentucky Fried Chicken, Taco Bell, and Subway restaurants in Hereford. He owns the Subway in Dimmitt and has considered putting a subway in Friona.

The KFC insert in today's paper was provided by Mr. Teters. He wants all of us who will be checking out the new Wal-Mart to bring in one of the coupons and buy some fried chicken at his KFC. Stop on your way or swing by and bring a bucket of chicken home. It is a great idea and I will probably do it because I love fried chicken.

You should consider buying some KFC too. We always hear that a new Wal-Mart in a small community puts all the mom and pop businesses out of business. Energetic business owners like John Teters take the initiative to not only survive but to grow and increase revenue off of the traffic generated by a Wal-Mart.

Mr. Teters' son Tyler, who brought the inserts over, is a

student at WT A&M. He is involved in the family business. Tiffany Teters is a student at Hereford High and a starting point guard for the Lady Whitefaces. Mr. Teters and family will be opening an additional Subway location in Hereford about September. It will be, of all places, inside the Hereford Wal-Mart. Tyler said the Teters will have a Subway location in the Radio Grille and will operate both the Radio Grille and the Subway. That is the plan.

Businessmen like John Teters are to be commended for their creative energy and determination to capitalize on a major addition to the local economy instead of being a doomsayer. I hope more Hereford businesses follow Mr. Teters' example. I hope you will make a special effort to go by the KFC and buy a bucket of chicken.

And if you see mother and Martha tell them it is time to come home now.



Former Frionan is prison warden

(The following article appeared in the Douglas, Arizona, Daily Dispatch, written by Xavier Zaragoza. Robert Patton is a 1981 graduate of Friona High School and is the son-in-law of James and Doris Dobbs of Summerfield.)



ROBERT PATTON

When Robert Patton started working as a correction officer in Fort Grant at the age of 21, he never thought that one day he would become a warden.

But as he rose through the system he eventually took administrative positions. Yet even then, when he had become a deputy warden in 2002, he had thoughts about retiring.

But then a great opportunity came, one that he could not turn down.

Today, Patton, 41, is the warden at the Arizona State Prison, complex Douglas.

Looking back at his career path, he had enjoyed every moment of it.

nity but are often overlooked.

But if one looks around town, they will see a visible yet subtle evidence of community outreach from the correctional system here.

"I'm really proud of the inmate labor program and what it has done for Douglas," he said.

On any given day a crew of inmates can be seen throughout Douglas working on a variety of city projects, ranging from street repairs, clean-up details, to constructing major facilities like the Aquatic Center or the Visitor's Center, all of which display fine craftsmanship.

In his role as warden he is looking to expand this outreach by continuing the programs that currently exist and by creating others that include volunteerism and community involvement. When he thinks about the future, he thinks about all the possibilities.

"I'm just excited to be here in Douglas," he said.

Patton and his family will be living at the warden's residence at the prison complex.

Patton is married to Renee and they have three children: Sara, 22; Amber, 20; and Josh, 19.

Sara and Josh were graduates of Valley Union High in Elfrida. Patton is from Safford.

Patton began his career as a corrections officer in 1985 in Fort Grant. He went from correctional officer I to correctional officer II and was promoted to sergeant. He was in Florence and worked on death row as a correctional sergeant.

He was promoted to Lieutenant and then was promoted to Captain, in Douglas, and was here from 1996 to 2000. By then he wanted to work at the administrative level. In 2000, he became an associate deputy warden and went back to the Safford complex. There, he then became deputy warden.

In April 2004, he became deputy warden of operations in Buckeye and in October, was offered the wardenship at Douglas complex.

The cost of underpaying Texas teachers

By CAROLE KEETON STRAYHORN

I recently released my special report, *The Cost of Underpaying Texas Teachers*, which showed Texas loses \$13.3 billion each year by underpaying teachers. I am calling on the Legislature to approve a \$3,000 pay raise now for Texas teachers, to institute a competitive, automatic pay increase every two years, and to pay bonuses to all teachers whose low performing schools improve.

Texas ranks 33rd in these United States in teachers' salaries. We can and must do better. Nearly 37,000 Texas teachers leave the classroom each year taking their skills to better-paying jobs or simply quitting. To ensure our state's economic prosperity, we must recruit, reward and retain highly qualified and experienced teachers who are fully certified, well paid and dedicated to a lifelong career with our most precious resource, our children.

Tragically, as many as 50,000 students drop out of Texas schools every year. These dropouts cost our Texas economy \$11.4 billion every year. Add incarceration and welfare costs of dropouts to the costs of

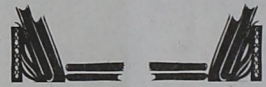
teacher training and recruiting and other state and federal expenses, and the annual price tag jumps to \$13.3 billion.

My report showed turnover is highest where teacher pay is lowest. I would rather spend \$1 billion today investing in our future by giving teachers this much-deserved pay raise, than continue paying for failed policies of the past - \$13.3 billion year after year after year.

The return on our investment: keeping good teachers, fewer low-performing schools, fewer failing students, fewer dropouts and a stronger economy for the state of Texas.

As a former public school teacher and a former school board president, but most importantly as a momma and a grandmomma, my goal is to drive more of every education dollar directly into the classroom with the students and the teachers, where it belongs. Today, our Texas teachers are underpaid and underappreciated. Texas is great, but we can do better.

(Editors Note: Mrs. Strayhorn is planning to run for governor next year. No doubt we will be receiving a flood of news releases from her between now and then. RC.)



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**Friona Fire
Dept. News**
Reported by Darrell Barlow

On January 12, the Friona Volunteer Fire Department elected the following officers for 2005: Chief-Jim Taylor, Assistant Fire Chief-Glenn Reeve, Company 1 Captain-Terry Sharrock, Company 1 Lieutenant-Salvador Garcia, Company 2 Captain-Chuck Teague, Company 2 Lieutenant-Bryan Harris, Training Officer-John Taylor, Secretary-Treasurer-Charlie Pope, Whistle Blower-Bryan Campbell, and Reporter-Darrell Barlow. We would also like to welcome our new Mascot for 2005, Brandon Douglas.

Company 1 volunteers are: Chance Butman, Gaines Butman, Robert Sandoval, Javier Ragel, Dwayne Procter, Casey Roberson, and Enrique Rodriguez.

Company 2 volunteers are: Joe Mann, Larry Martin, Lee Campbell, Efrin Arzate, Jon Douglas, Matt Osborn, Rex Williams, and Lance Gatlin. We thought everyone might like to know who their Friona Firemen are.


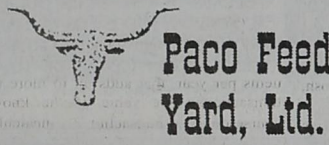
We will miss having Roger Fields at the fire meetings; he was the Certification Officer and also an Instructor at Texas A&M Fire School. Good luck to him in his new venture.

There have been no structure fires and we want to thank everyone for being careful this past year.

Have a great 2005!



**Paco Feedyard
Congratulates Local
FFA and 4H members
for their success
at the 58th annual
Parmer County
Livestock Show.**

State records 16 months of positive sales tax growth

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn announced that the state collected \$1.35 billion in sales tax revenue in December, up 8.3 percent compared to December 2003.

"Our state's great economic engine is improving. We have experienced 16 months of positive sales tax growth," Strayhorn said. "In my biennial revenue estimate, delivered to the 79th Legislature, I predict sales tax revenues will increase 4.1 percent in fiscal year 2005, 3.6 percent in 2006, and

4.8 percent in 2007."

The Comptroller's next sales tax allocation will be made on Friday, February 11.

Parmer County's January 2005 payment totaled \$30,567 broken down as Bovina \$4,733; Farwell \$6,598; and Friona \$19,236. In January 2004, the tax payment total was \$31,029.

Comparing January 2004 to January 2005 tax receipts, Bovina is up 7.35%, Farwell is up 18.16%, and Friona is down -8.55%.

Parent improvement workshop set

Region 16 Education Service Center is hosting a workshop entitled "Parent Improvement: A Tool Box for Building Strong Families", on Saturday, February 5 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the ESC, 5800 Bell Street in Amarillo.

Brenda Bird, Parent Involvement Consultant from Plano, Texas will be the presenter. Ms. Bird has worked in the field of Parent Education for nine years with the Carrollton-Farmers Branch ISD, focusing on strengthening families by teaching positive parenting skills.

Participants will learn new tools that work with any age, and increase the odds of raising responsible children. With her wit and wisdom, Ms. Bird will inspire parents, grandparents, foster parents, and other interested persons with great practical tips on how to be a positive parent. Participants will learn how to stay calm and change old patterns of response.

The public is invited to attend. A Spanish interpreter will be in attendance. There is no charge for the workshop and a catered barbeque lunch will be provided. No child care is available.

For more information, call Gene Ann Grant at 806-677-5191.

To register, contact Elaine Wells at 806-677-5123, or stop by Region 16 ESC, 5800 Bell Street, before January 31.

Around Town

Masonic Lodge to meet February 1

Friona Masonic Lodge No. 1332 will meet February 1, 2005 at 8 p.m. with special guest, District Deputy Grand Master Billy G. Shore of Hereford. Brother Shore serves as Texas Grand Master Elmer Murphey, III's representative to the 100th Masonic District of the Grand Lodge of Texas. All Master Masons are invited to enjoy a fellowship meal at 7:30 p.m. and participate in the opening of Lodge at 8 p.m.

Adopt the Special Olympics athletes

Special Olympics needs help with raising money for State Competitions. The team will be traveling to Houston February 10-13, 2005. They will be competing in bowling events the entire weekend. Transportation is provided for the team. They need money for the rooms and meals while there and traveling to and from the event.

All of the Special Olympic athletes work very hard to get to this level of competition. It is estimated that it will take about \$75.00 a meal and a total of 12 meals will be needed. It will also cost about \$540 for rooms for the 6 athletes and 3 sponsors. They need to raise \$1500.

If any group or local organizations would like to adopt the Special Olympics athletes from this area or if you have ideas to help them raise money, please call Donna Mullins at 250-3285 (home) or 250-2788 (work).

Community winter banquet Feb. 13

The Calvary Baptist Church will be hosting a Community Winter Banquet on Sunday, February 13 at 6 p.m. There will be no charge for the meal catered by Cattle Call of Amarillo. To make reservations call 250-3000. Reservations are required. The theme for the banquet is Music, Music, Music.

Petty to teach at Clovis Community College

Rev. Alvin Petty will be teaching "The Jesus of the Davinci Code" at Clovis Community College in room 145 on Mondays, February 14, 21, & 28 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. MST. Learn the church history from which the novel is drawn. Call 505-769-4760 for registration and information. The class will cost \$20.00.

St. Ann's German sausage dinner

St. Ann's Catholic Church of Bovina is sponsoring their annual German Sausage Dinner, on Sunday, January 30, 2005, from 11:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at St. Ann's Parish Hall on 3rd Street in Bovina.

They will be serving homemade German sausage; creamed potatoes and gravy; green beans; homemade sauerkraut; cranberry sauce; relish plate; homemade bread and butter; homemade desserts; and tea or coffee.

Donations will be \$7.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children under six. Take-out plates will be available at no additional charge. Sausage will be available, to purchase, at \$3.50 per pound, the day of the dinner or by contacting any St. Ann's member prior to the dinner.

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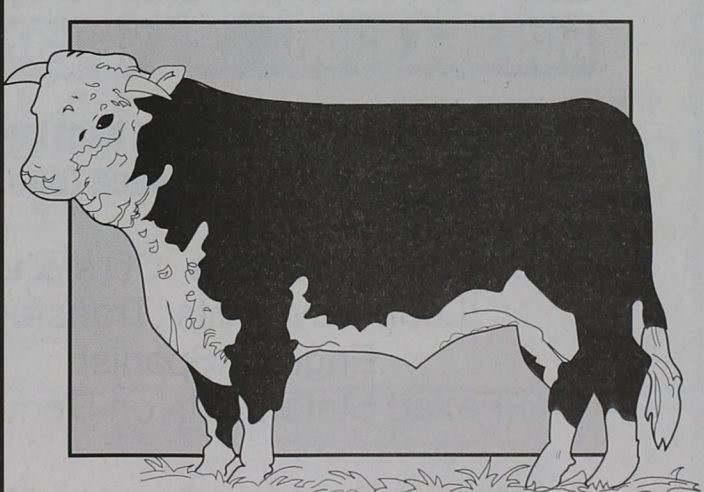
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FRIONA NOON LIONS president Albert Ricketts welcomes PCCH employees, l-r, Anna Gay Leeper, Rhonda Wilkins, and Amber Bonds to the January 20 meeting. The ladies gave a program on hospital services. See Lions Club News.
 ron carr photo

THE CHIEF'S CORNER

by **TINO SALINAZ**

Friona Police Department



Violations of city ordinances/illegal dumping

Lately we have received complaints of persons throwing large items of trash in the alleys by the dumpsters. One complaint was regarding the 1300 block of Maple/Walnut alley, where there was an old TV, mattress, and other goods, that were too large for the dumpster. These items were left on the ground by the dumpster. Such actions are not only a violation of the city ordinances of the City of Friona, but it is a violation of the Health and Safety Code 365.012.

City Ordinance 13.303: Disposal of Large or Bulky Items: Accumulations of brick, broken concrete, lumber, ashes, clinkers, cinder, dirt, plaster, sand, gravel, automobile frames, dead trees, and other bulky, heavy materials, shall be disposed of at the expense of the owner or under directions of the City Manager.

Sec. 13.304: Placement of Garbage Items on Streets and Alleys Prohibited: The placing of kitchen garbage, trash or rubbish, or any article, thing, or material, in any street or alley within the city limits is prohibited.

Sec. 13.305: The disposal of kitchen garbage, trash or rubbish of any kind within the city limits, except at designated places, is prohibited.

Aside from being issued a citation for violation of a city ordinance, you can also be charged anywhere from a Class C Misdemeanor to a State Jail Felony, for Illegal Dumping; Class C Misdemeanor - When the items dumped weigh 5 pounds or less; Class B Misdemeanor - When the items weigh more than 5 pounds, but less than 500 pounds; Class A Misdemeanor - When the items weigh 500 pounds, but less than 1000 pounds; State Jail Felony - When items dumped weigh 1000 pounds or more.

Officers of the Friona Police Department will be monitoring for any violations of the city ordinances or illegal dumping. To avoid being issued citations for violation of the city ordinances or being charged with a criminal offense for illegal dumping, take your large items to the disposal site behind the city barn. If you contact city hall during the workweek, they will have a city employee meet you there to dispose of large items. There is a minimal fee to do this, depending on how large your items are, however, it is better to pay this fee than to have a criminal offense charge filed against you. I encourage the citizens of Friona to call the police department if you witness anyone illegally dumping trash inside the city limits of our town.

Violaciones de ordenanzas de la ciudad

ULTIMAMENTE HEMOS TENIDO QUEJAS DE PERSONAS TIRANDO COSAS GRANDES DE BASURA EN LOS CALLEJONES CERCA DE LOS TAMBOS DE BASURA. UNA QUEJA ERA EN EL BLOQUE DE 1300 MAPLE CALLEJON DE LA CALLE WALNUT, ALLI ESTABA UNA TELEVISION, UN COLCHON, Y OTRAS COSAS DEL HOGAR QUE ESTAN MUY GRANDES PARA EL TAMBO. TALES ACCIONES NO SOLO ES UNA VIOLACION ASIA LAS ORDENANCIAS DE LA CIUDAD DE FRIONA, PERO VIOLACION AL CODIGO 365.012 DE SALUD Y SEGURIDAD.

DE ACUERDO ALA ORDENANCA DE LA CIUDAD 13.303: DESPOJARSE DE COSAS GRANDES OH VOLUMOSAS:

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SEC. 13.304: PONIENDO BASURA EN LAS CALLES Y CALLIONES PROHIBIDO:

PONIENDO SU BASURA DE COCINA Y CUALQUIER ARTICULO, COSA OH CUALQUIER MATERIAL EN LA CALLE OH CALLEJON ENTRE LOS LIMITES DE LA CIUDAD ES PROHIBIDO.

SEC. 13.305: EL DESPOJAR ARTICULOS DE COCINA BASURA, CUALQUIER COSA DENTRO DE LOS LIMITES DE LA CIUDAD QUE NO SEA DESIGNANDA ES PROHIBIDO.

APARTE DE QUE SE LE DE UNA MULTA POR LA VIOLACION DE LA ORDENANCA DE LA CIUDAD, TAMBIEN PUEDEN HACERLE CARGOS DESDE CLASE C HASTA CARCEL DE ESTADO FELONIA POR ILEGALMENTE TIRARA BASURA EN TERENO PROHIBIDO. UNA CLASE C MINIMO SON ARTICULOS QUE PESAN 5 LIBRAS OH MENOS, DE ALLI SE SUBE A CLASE B MINIMO CUANDO LOS ARTICULOS PESAN DE 5 LIBRAS Y MENOS DE 500 LIBRAS, CLASE A ES COMETIDO CUANDO EL PESO ES DE 500 LIBRAS Y MENOS DE 1000 LIBRAS. CARCEL ESTATAL OCCURE CUANDO LOS ARTICULOS PESAN MAS DE 1000 LIBRAS Y MAS.

OFFICIALS DEL DEPARTAMENTO DE POLICIA DE FRIONA ESTARAN ATENTOS A CUALQUIER VIOLACION DE LAS ORDENANCIAS DE LA CIUDAD OH CUALQUIER BASURA ILEGAL. PARA EVITAR TALES MULTAS POR ESTAS OFENSAS LLEVE SU BASURA GRANDE, VOLUMOSA, DESPOJESE DE ELLO DETRAS DEL BON DE LA CIUDAD. PUEDE CONTACTAR ALA CIUDAD DURANTE LOS DIAS DE LA SEMANA ELLOS MANDARAN A UN EMPLEADO PARA QUE LE AYUDE, TIENE CON UN COSTO MINIMO PARA DESPOJAR COSAS VOLUMOSAS DEPENDE QUE CANTIDA SEA. ASI ES QUE ES MEJOR PAGAR PARA DESPOJARSE DE ESTOS ARTICULOS GRANDES Y VOLUMOSOS Y NO TENER QUE PAGAR UNA MULTA. YO LE ACONSEJO A TODOS LOS CIUDADANOS DE LA CIUDAD DE FRIONA QUE PORFAVOR REPORT AL DEPARTAMENTO DE POLICIA TODA ACCION ILEGAL DE TIRAR BASURA DENTRO DE NUESTRA CIUDAD.

Lions Club News
BY RON CARR, PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

Friona Evening Lions Club member Hollis Horton was presented with his 50-year membership pin at the January 13 meeting. Dr. Paul Spring was not present but was honored for his 55-year Lions Club membership.

The Friona Evening Lions club meeting January 27 will welcome Friona librarian Brenda Patterson who will present the program.

The Friona Noon Lions met at Headquarters Restaurant Thursday January 20. Boss Lion Albert Ricketts presided. He advised members that donations can still be made to the Lions Club International Federation tsunami relief fund. Local residents can donate to the fund through Larry Knowles at Friona State Bank. A brief discussion of a July 4 hamburger cookout was held.

Ricketts also advised that the Noon Lions board had voted to provide a \$1,000 donation toward the remodeling of Mr. James Gee's residence to make

it handicap accessible which included an attached garage, ramp, and handicap accessible bathroom. Mr. Gee has moved his bookkeeping and tax service business to his home due to the recent death of his wife, Ann, and friends have donated time and labor to assist in the remodeling.

It was made known to members that Lion Joe A. Walters is having some difficult health problems. Joe has been a loyal and active Lion serving as Noon Lions president and in other area Lions official positions. Club members send best wishes for recovery to Joe A.

Lion Lance Gatlin, Parmer County Community Hospital administrator, introduced three PCCH employees who presented the program. Rhonda Wilkins is assistant administrator at PCCH, Anna Gay Leeper, is director of Home Health Care, and Amber Bonds is in the radiology lab.

The ladies explained the Medicare swing bed program, the skilled nursing IV therapy home health program, and the fact that the radiology lab provides X-rays, cat scans, ultrasound, and will now be able to offer MRIs on Saturdays. Information about these services is available by contacting your doctor or Parmer County Community Hospital at 250-2754, or Friona Medical Clinic at 250-2781.



EVENING LIONS Club member Hollis Horton, right, is congratulated by fellow member Von Edelman for his 50-years of service to Lions.
 courtesy photo

Puzzle Solution

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Sheriff's Report

January 17, Curtis Dorman, 39, of Arizona, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with possession of marijuana - less than 2 ounces, pending County Court.

January 18, Daniel Carranza, 18, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with criminal mischief, pending Grand Jury.

January 18, Adrian Carranza, 19, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with criminal mischief, pending Grand Jury.

January 21, Juan M. Rivera, 28, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with DWI - 3rd or more, pending Grand Jury.

January 23, Sergio Vasquez, 20, of Farwell, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol and charged with consumption of alcohol by a minor, pending JP Court.

January 23, Carlos Garcia, 19, of Farwell, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with public intoxication, pending JP Court.

January 23, Angel Garcia, 21, of Farwell, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with possession of marijuana - less than 2 ounces, pending County Court.

January 23, San Juanita Montiel, 34, of Portales, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with theft by check, Castro County, paid fine and released; theft by check, Bailey County, posted bond and released.

January 24, Epitacio Gabaldon, 31, of Lawton, Oklahoma, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office on a Wichita County warrant, pending transportation.

Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County Clerk's Office recorded the following warranty deeds from January 12, 2005 to January 19, 2005.

Jerry Adams and Madelene Adams - Angel Lechuga and Edith Lechuga, L5 S32 T9S R1E.

Jose Gonzales Molina - Jose Alfredo Sanchez and Cynthia Sanchez, L12 B99 FRIONA.

Miguel Ramirez and Irma Ramirez - Erica M. Rivas, 1.00 AC S9 BLK E.

David Grimsley and Uldene Grimsley - Black Ridge Dairy, 263 AC OUT OF CAPITAL LEAGUE 465 AND 468.

Amigo Broadcasting LP - Tejas Broadcasting LTD LLP, 6.00 AC OUT OF W/PT S15 BLK B RHEA.

Garry Beauchamp and Carolyn Beauchamp - Adam Furlow, Trevah Furlow, Steve Furlow, Lisa Furlow, NW/4 S19 T6S R3E.

Tim Cooper and Tamera Cooper - Leslie Daryl Bryant and Karen A. Bryant, S75 L6 B2 RIDGECREST FARWELL.

James Michael Koehn and Donna Jean Koehn - Andy Schaap and Maria Schaap, SE/4 S26 T9S R1E.

June Gay Bradford - Pat Ware and Donna Ware, E/2 NE/4 S20 BLK A; W/2 NE/4 S20 BLK A; NW/4 S20 BLK A; W/2 NW/4 S19 BLK A.

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THINK ABOUT THIS

Examining your commitment

By T. LEON TALLEY, Sixth Street Church of Christ

For thousands of years the eagle has been respected for its grandeur. There's something inspiring about the impressive grace, in flight, of the beautiful eagle. Its great wingspan, its powerful claws, how it glides effortlessly at breathtaking altitudes, seemingly unaffected by the turbulent winds that whip across and between the mountain crevices.

Did you know that eagles do not travel in flocks? They're strong of heart and solitary. The eagle mates for life and returns to the same nest every year. It takes an active role in providing for its family, protecting it from danger, and teaching the little eaglets to fly. Certainly, we would all agree with Solomon, "the way of the eagle in the sky" is too wonderful for me to understand. (Prov. 30:18-19)

Eagles possess a quality that we all admire. We too, want to be able to soar above just being able to exist. We want purpose and respect. But we need to realize that an eagle-like lifestyle does not come cheap. Being different is costly. It's costly because most people are just satisfied to blend in with the majority. Peer pressure has a tremendous influence on us all. The "rare" ones are the ones who decide to ignore being average. They're the ones who take the challenge of a commit-

ted life that demands a different lifestyle.

The prayer of Moses, Psalms 90, has some very timely advice.

To God a thousand years is like the passing of a day, like a few hours in the night (v. 4). Our days are swept away like a flood. Time seems almost like grass, flourishing in the morning and fading by dusk (v. 5-6). We finish our journey like a sigh (v. 9).

Isn't that the way it is? We glide along the tides of time as swiftly as a racing river, for maybe seventy or eighty years, and then it's curtains!

What's the answer? What do we need to do in order to soar like an eagle, to live differently? The answer is in verse twelve, "teach us to number our days, that we may present to thee a heart of wisdom."

Above all, let's commit to being students of God's Word, and let's pray for wisdom that we might understand, and for strength so that we might live the way God wants us to live.



To the precious people of Parmer County,



Thank you so much for being a vital part of Mom and our lives throughout the years. The generous, heartfelt acts of kindness shown to us throughout Mama's illness and passing are deeply appreciated. We share Mama's love for Bovina and the surrounding area. God bless each and every one of you.

The Mills Girls

OBITUARIES

Thelma Barron



THELMA BARRON

Funeral services for Thelma Barron, 90, of Bovina, will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday, January 29, 2005, in the Bovina United Methodist Church with Reverend Quita Jones, pastor, and Reverend Aaron Reed of First Baptist Church, officiating. Burial will follow in the Bovina Cemetery by Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

Mrs. Barron died on Tuesday, January 25, 2005 at Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona. She was born April 23, 1914 to George Edward and Ola (Lloyd) Free in Childress, Texas.

Thelma married Rouel G Barron on August 11, 1934 in Clovis, New Mexico. They had lived in the Bovina area since 1927 and had resided at Prairie Acres since July of 2004. She was a member of the Bovina United Methodist Church and active in the United Methodist Women. She was also a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by

a grandson, Matthew Barron in 2000, two sisters, and four brothers.

Survivors include her husband, Rouel; two sons, Donald R. Barron of Tucson, Arizona, and Jerry Lynn Barron of Eules; seven grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Bovina United Methodist Church or Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona.

Virgie Cary



VIRGIE CARY

Funeral services for Virgie Cary, 75, of Bovina, were held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, January 22, 2005 at the Bovina United Methodist Church, with J.T. Hammond officiating. Burial followed at 2:30 p.m. in the Littlefield Memorial Park in Littlefield, under the direction of Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

Mrs. Cary died Wednesday evening at her home in Bovina.

Virgie married Kenneth Cary on May 13, 1947 in Clovis, New Mexico. She moved from Lubbock to Bovina in 1974 where she was the office manager of Bovina Pump Co. for many years. She was a member of the Bovina United Methodist Church and also taught Sunday school for many years. She had been a Cub Scout leader, a member of the Women's Study Club, and a member of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce, serving

on the board of directors, and had also served as Secretary/Treasurer for several years. Her husband preceded her in death on October 25, 1988.

Survivors include one son, Ronnie Cary of Texico; two sisters, Judy Cox of Muleshoe and Laverne Harper of Sudan; one brother, David Sager of Clifton; and two grandchildren, Caitlin and Morgan Cary.

Seferino Leal

Funeral services for Seferino Leal, 89, of Bovina, were held at 3:00 p.m., Saturday, January 22, 2005, at St. Ann's Catholic Church with Father David Contreras officiating. Burial followed in the Bovina Cemetery under the direction of Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

Mr. Leal died on Thursday, January 20, 2005 at his home in Bovina. He was born August 25, 1915 in Robstown, Texas.

He married Isabel Leal on March 21, 1936 in Texas. He was a truck driver and a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

His parents, three brothers, and one sister preceded him in death. Survivors include his wife, Isabel of Bovina; six sons, David Leal and Timoteo Leal of Dallas, Ruben Leal and Seferino Leal of Dalhart, Santiago Leal of Friona, and Thomas Leal of Hereford; four daughters, Rosa Leal of Dallas, Susan Munoz of Dalhart, Juanita Ramirez of Friona, and Dolores Telles of Amarillo; one brother, Ray Leal of Summerfield; 39 grandchildren; 78 great-grandchildren; and 13 great-great-grandchildren.

Thank You

We would like to thank all our friends from Bovina and the surrounding area for the love shown to us during my sister, Helen Blalock's death. The Venables, The Rosses, grandchildren, nieces & nephews

Thank You
Words cannot express our deepest appreciation for every act of love shown during the loss of our loved one, **Bertram Jack.**

Your prayers, calls, cards, memorials, food, visits, & other acts of sympathy are cherished.

The love & care from Prairie Acres & Dr. Jubay were exceptional.

Thank you & may God truly bless you each.

Sincerely,
Galen & Keri Jack & Family
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James Perkins & Family

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Record 19-7, 3-2

Squaws breeze by Lockney 69-37

BY RON CARR

It was relentless and surgical. The Lockney Lady Longhorns came to town Friday January 21 with a 3-1 district record looking to end the first half of district play two games ahead of the Squaws. Lockney had lost only to Tulia while the Squaws were coming off their second district loss, a 3-point squeaker to Olton.

Led by senior wing Trisha Winebrinner, the Squaws took charge and never let the Lady Horns in the game. Winebrinner scored 9 points in the 1Q as Friona

took a 15-6 lead and were never really challenged, stretching to a 33-14 half time margin.

Friona's backcourt press was very effective against the Lady Horns resulting in several turnovers, steals, and fast break layups. Winebrinner finished the night with a team-leading 24 points off of 9 two-point goals, one 3-pointer, and 3 of 3 at the free throw line. She scored all 24 points in the first three quarters and did not score in the 4Q.

The 4Q pretty much belonged

to senior Katy Welch and sophomore substitute Tiffany Vasquez who got a hot hand and scored 8 of her 11 points in the 4Q. Welch and Vasquez accounted for 13 of Friona's 20 points in the 4Q.

The team had 25 two-point baskets, four 3s, and were 7 for 10 at the line. Brenda Murphree, Krista Graham, Winebrinner and Vasquez each had a 3-point score.

All eight girls broke into the scoring fun, led by Winebrinner's 24, Vasquez 11, Welch 11, B. Murphree 8, S. Murphree 6, Misty

Adams 4, Graham 3, and Andrea Geries 2.

The Dimmitt Bobbies visit Tuesday January 25 and the rematch with Tulia is here Friday January 28. Basketball fans will not want to miss the Tulia contest as the Squaws look for retribution and revenge. Tulia led District 6-2A after the first half of play with a 5-0 record and Friona's Squaws are determined to win the rematch. Game time is 6:30 p.m.



FHS SENIOR CHIEF MATT GAMMON goes for the goal against Lockney. dana d. jameson photo

Lockney Stops Chiefs 76-39

BY DANA D. JAMESON

The Lockney Longhorns came to town to battle Coach Jeff Isom's Friona Chiefs Friday, January 21.

The Chiefs showed an improved offense and defense during the first quarter holding the Longhorns to a 14-13 lead.

Things seemed to break down during the second quarter with the Chiefs trailing at halftime 35-19.

The Longhorns rolled over the Chiefs in a final 76-39 win.

With Lockney Longhorn senior Rance Shumaker swatting away shots the Chiefs found it hard to sink any points close to the goal.

Three-pointers abounded for the Chiefs with Hector Sanchez, Willy Castillo, Chad Hutson, Ramey Alaniz and Matt Gammon scoring 1 each and Hayden Patton sinking 2.

Patton and Gammon led the scoring with 9 points each and 3 rebounds apiece with Gammon picking up 3 steals and 1 blocked shot. Sanchez and Hutson dropped in 5 each and Jon Nava 4. Sanchez had 3 rebounds and 2 steals, Hutson 6 rebounds, 1 assist and 1 steal and Nava 9 rebounds.

Castillo and Alaniz added 3 points each with Alaniz picking up 6 rebounds and Castillo 1 assist. Will Hughs dropped in a free throw for 1 and Rudy Gonzales had 3 rebounds and 3 assists.

The Chiefs will host the Dimmitt Bobcats on Tuesday, January 25.

Chiefs lose to Dimmitt

BY DANA D. JAMESON

The Dimmitt Bobcats came to Friona with revenge in mind for their 42-13 loss to the

Chiefs during football season. And revenge is exactly what the Bobcats got. Shutting the Chiefs down to a single three-pointer by Hayden Patton in the first quarter.

With Dimmitt center Jeremy Norman under the goal batting away shots, the Chiefs didn't have a chance to make many points in a very lopsided game.

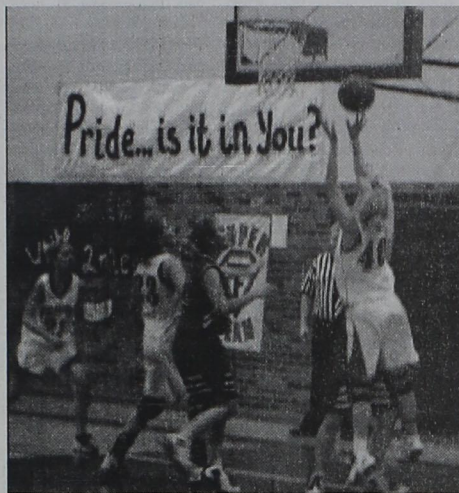
The Bobcats dominated all night and caught the Chiefs by surprise winning 87-29.

Patton led the scoring with 11 points including 2 three-pointers, 5 rebounds and 1 steal. Rudy Gonzales dropped in 2 three-pointers. Gonzales also had 2 assists and 2 steals.

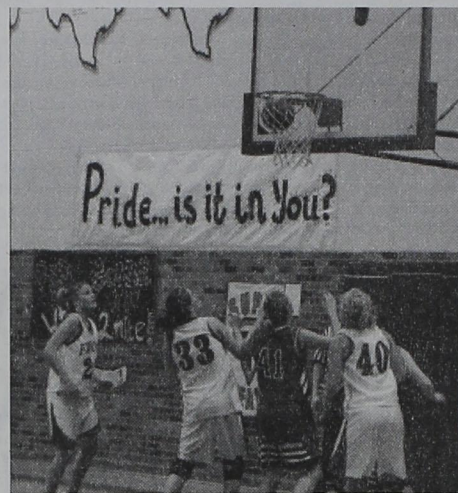
Matt Gammon scored 4 points and 3 rebounds. Sophomore Hector Sanchez and Will Hughs added 3 points each. Sanchez had 6 rebounds and 1 assist, Hughs had 1 rebound, 1 steal and 1 blocked shot and Ramey Alaniz 2 points, 1 rebound and 1 assist.

Jon Nava 6 rebounds, 1 assist and 1 steal, Chad Hutson 4 rebounds, Willy Castillo 1 rebound and 1 assist.

The Chiefs will host the Tulia Hornets on Friday, January 28. Good Luck Chiefs!



THE SQUAWS turned it up against the Lockney Lady Longhorns, drubbing the former district favorites 69-37 in an offensive show. Trisha Winebrinner (40) puts up another shot, left, then watches as another two of her 24 points drops through the net. Teammates are Krista Graham (23) and Staci Murphree (33). holly campbell photos



Record 20-7, 4-2

Squaws down Dimmitt, aim at Tulia

BY RON CARR

The Friona Squaws scored three points in the 4Q on one 3-point goal by Trisha Winebrinner. Fortunately the score at the end of the 3Q was Friona 45, Dimmitt 24 and the Squaws hung on for a 48-35 victory over the Dimmitt Bobbies to push their district record to 4-2. The undefeated (in district) Tulia Lady Hornets will be here Friday night for a test

of the Squaws resiliency and determination. Tulia won the first match 51-40.

All was well in the Dimmitt game in spite of a 10-10 tie at the end of the 1Q. Friona put together a 14-4 2Q run to lead at half 24-14. That was followed by an impressive 21-10 3Q but then everything turned cold for the girls in the 4Q. Shots hit rims, put-backs wouldn't fall

and the pesky Bobbies defense prevented much from 3-point territory.

Once again all eight Squaws were in the scoring column, led by Trisha Winebrinner with 17, Katy Welch had 8, Andrea Geries 6, Brenda Murphree, Misty Adams, and Staci Murphree 4 each, Krista Graham 3, and Tiffany Vasquez 2.

In other district action Tuesday, Tulia beat Lockney and Olton downed Floydada. That leaves Tulia alone in first place in 6-2A with a 6-0 record. Friona holds down 2nd place at 4-2, Lockney and Olton are both 3-3 and tied for 3rd place, Dimmitt goes to 1-5 and Floydada is 0-6. You may not want to miss the rematch and showdown as the Squaws host the Tulia Lady Hornets Friday night. Game time is 6:30 p.m.

JV Chiefs 26, JV Dimmitt 51

BY DANA D. JAMESON

Tuesday, January 25 the FHS JV Chiefs hosted the Dimmitt Bobcats JV.

In the first quarter the Chiefs showed their fans an awesome offense and defense holding the Bobcats to only 3 points.

"The guys played a really great first quarter," said Coach David Townner.

Dimmitt pulled ahead in the 2nd quarter 15-13 and just kept on adding to that lead to win 51-26.

Caleb Miller led the scoring with

JV Chiefs 20
Lockney 37

BY DANA D. JAMESON

Coach David Townner's JV Chiefs hosted the Lockney Longhorns JV on Friday, January 21.

The evening began exactly the same as the JV Squaws game began with Micha Hummes scoring the only 2 points in the first quarter. The Chiefs showed hustle with rebounds and steals holding the Horns to 6 points in the first quarter.

The Chiefs went to half behind 10-7. Never quite making up the deficit the Chiefs fell to the Horns 37-20.

Injuries seem to dominate the third and fourth quarter. Antonio Monreal rolled his ankle and will be out for the season and Tolby Wilcox jammed his thumb, but is expected back against the Dimmitt Bobcats on Tuesday, January 25.

Leading the scoring were Caleb Miller and Tolby Wilcox with 4 each. Andrew Aguirre and Kelby Monroe dropped in 3 each with Antonio Monreal and Hummes adding 2 each. Monroe had 1 three-pointer. Brett Field and Chance Lewellen scored 1 each with free throws.

6 points, Chance Lewellen 5 and Andrew Aguirre adding in a three-pointer.

Valente Casas, Sean Lookingbill, Kelby Monroe, Micha Hummes, Brett Field and Tolby Wilcox contributed 2 points each.

The Chiefs will host the Tulia Hornets on Friday, January 28. Good Luck Chiefs!



JV SQUAW KAMBREE DAVILLA shoots for three against Lockney. dana d. jameson photo

JV Squaw 25, Lady Horns 22

BY DANA D. JAMESON

The JV Squaws had a slow starting roller coaster ride on Friday, January 21 while hosting the Lockney Lady Horns JV.

Miranda Frye had the only 2 points scored in the first quarter as compared to Lockney's 7 points.

The Squaws came back in the second to tie the Lady Horns at half 11-11. In the third the Squaws took a little dip ending the quarter 16-15 Lockney. The Squaws came from behind to win 25-22.

Briana Wright was out with a bruised knee pending an MRI on Saturday, January 22.

Miranda Frye and Molly Carthel led the scoring with 6 points each. Briar Barnett had 4 points and Kambree Davilla sank 3. Davilla had 1 three-pointer. Julie Echevarria, Leslee Avalos and Deniss Vasquez had 2 points each.

The Squaws will host the Dimmitt Lady Bobcats on Tuesday, January 25.



SENIOR guard Katy Welch does what she does best, driving with the ball, around a defender, headed for the goal. ron carr photo

JV Squaws 49, JV Dimmitt 36

BY DANA D. JAMESON

The JV Squaws hosted the Dimmitt Bobbies on Tuesday January 25. The Squaws and Bobbies showed they both have tough defenses with the Squaws leading by only 5 at half, 17-12.

With fast breaks, steals and well placed shots the Squaws pulled ahead in the third and held on to win 49-36.

Briar Barnett had a great night at the hoop with 15 points to her name. Kambree Davilla and Denise Vasquez dropped in 8 points each with Erica Davilla adding in 7.

Miranda Frye scored 5 points, Julie Echevarria 4 and Leslee Avalos 2.

The Squaws will host the Tulia Lady Hornets on Friday, January 28. Good Luck Squaws!

FHS freshmen host tournament Jan. 22

BY DANA D. JAMESON

The Freshmen Chiefs and Squaws hosted their annual tournament on January 22 with the Chiefs placing third and the Squaws placing second.

The freshmen Squaws faced off against the Muleshoe Lady Mules in the first game of the tournament.

The Squaws went into the game with a great deal of apprehension about the Lady Mules but soon proved they had what it would take to pound Muleshoe 50-16.

Ashley Ingram and Hollis Gurley led the scoring with 9 each. Michelle Martin and Lauren Hughs dropped in 8 each. Blair Smiley had 6 points. The two Erin's, Erin Anthony and Erin Austin each had 4 and Brooke Herbert added 2.

The freshmen Chiefs took the court next to take on the JV from Happy.

Leading at the end of the first quarter 14-11 the Chiefs went on to fall to the Cowboys 51-44.

Leading the scoring were Chris Haile and Dillon Welch with 8 points each, Eric North 7 and Ryan Geries 6. Ryan Schwab and Alex

Gurley added in 5 each and Sawyer Reed 4.

The Texico Wolverines and Farwell Steers took the floor next with Texico topping Farwell 64-12.

The Muleshoe Lady Mules fell to the Texico Lady Wolverines 50-7.

Coach Jose Gonzales' freshmen Chiefs stomped the Farwell Steers 64-28 in the fifth game of the tournament to place third.

Welch led the scoring with 12 points, North and Geries 10 each, Trent Hudson 7, Schwab and Gurley 6 each and Reed 5. Reed had 1 three-pointer. Haile dropped in 4 with Kaison Graham and Jared Boyd scoring 2 each.

The Happy Cowboys beat the Texico Wolverines 46-39 for first place.

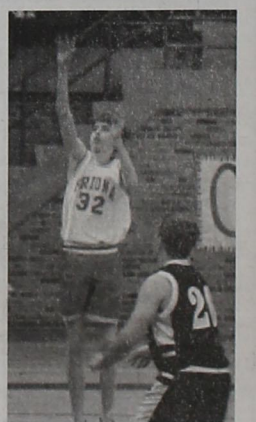
Coach Lanny Crow's Squaws and the Texico Lady Wolverines freshman was the last game of the day.

The Squaws were edged out by the Lady Wolverines 26-25 to place second.

Martin led the scoring with 9

points including 1 three-pointer. Ingram scored 6 with Morgan Anthony adding a three-pointer.

Hughs and Jordan Monroe dropped in 2 each and Gurley, E. Anthony and Smiley scoring 1 free throw each.



ALEX GURLEY

9th Chiefs & Squaws clobber Floydada

The FHS freshmen Squaws hosted the Floydada Lady Winds on Monday, January 24 at the Friona Junior High.

Coach Lanny Crow's Squaws dominated the Lady Winds the entire game. At halftime Floydada was down 35-13 and the relentless Squaws kept pounding away at

them to the end, 48-21.

Michelle Martin led the scoring with 10 points, Erin Anthony 8, Erin Austin and Blair Smiley 6.

Ashley Ingram and Hollis Gurley landed 5 points each with Ingram sinking the only three-pointer for the night.

Brooke Herbert sank 3 points,

Lauren Hughs and Morgan Anthony added 2 each with Jordan Monroe sinking a free throw.

The Squaws will travel to the Dimmitt tourney January 27-29 and to Olton on Monday, January 31.

The freshmen Chiefs traveled to Floydada on Monday, January 24 to clobber the Whirlwinds 57-19 with an awesome offense and even better defense.

The Chiefs held the Winds to only 7 points in the first half 24-7.

Ryan Geries was hot Monday night with 14 points. Sawyer Reed dropped in 12, Eric North 8 and Dillon Welch 6.

Ryan Schwab, Chris Haile and Trent Hudson each added 4 points. Ritchie Casas and Alex Gurley scored 2 each and Alonzo Rojas 1.

The Chiefs will travel to the Dimmitt Tourney on January 27-29 and then host the Olton Mustangs on Monday, January 31.



FRESHMAN SQUAW Blair Smiley defends against a Muleshoe Lady Mule during the Friona Freshmen Tourney last Saturday.
dana d. jameson photo

8th Maidens

The FJHS 8th Maidens competed in the Sudan Tourney Saturday January 22 and won third place.

GAME 1

8th Maidens 20

8th Sudan 52

Heather Sandoval led the scoring with 9 points, Megan Hoon 8 and Brittany Berend 3. Monica Acosta had 4 rebounds.

GAME 2

8th Maidens 33

8th Farwell 29

Sandoval led the scoring with 17 points, Hoon and Melissa Gallego 6 each, Lucy Mendez 4 and Acosta 2.

Hoon had 8 rebounds and Gallego 4.

"The team had a good tournament. Sudan was a very tough team, yet we did some good things

against them." Reported Coach Karen Carroll. "We then played Farwell for third place in the tournament. The girls pulled together and played as a team to get their victory."

The Maidens hosted the Floydada Lady Winds on Monday, January 24.

8th Maidens 24

8th Floydada 19

Leading the scoring were Sandoval with 13 points, Gallego 4 points and Hoon 3. Sandoval also had 7 steals.

Mendez and Berend dropped in 2 points each. Mendez had 3 assists and Acosta had 5 rebounds.

8th Maidens B team competed against Floydada on Monday January 24 and lost 2-7. Kathleen Wylie scored 2 points.

7th Maidens

The FJHS 7th Maidens participated in the Sudan Tourney Saturday January 22 and won a trophy for second place.

GAME 1

7th Maidens 21

7th Sudan 16

GAME 2

7th Maidens 23

7th Yucca JH 33

The Maidens hosted the Floydada Lady Winds on Monday, January 24.

7th Maidens 34

7th Floydada 29

Taryn Jamerson led the scoring with 11 points, Sasha Estrada 8, Monica Dominguez 6, Yesenia Rojas and Stephanie Aguirre 4 each and Paige Herbert 1.

"Our girls played an excellent game," praised Coach Ben Kirton. "We are so proud of how hard they played and did not give up. They have come so far since the beginning of the year!"

7th Maiden B team also played Floydada and lost 7-11.



FJHS 7TH GRADE BRAVES, back row, l-r, Ulises Lozoya, Jose Ramirez, Mathew Stanberry, Jordan Kelley, Roy Burns, Jesus Sarabia & Alfonso Grado. Front row, l-r, Jeremy Alaniz, Stetson Reed, David Schwab, Alex Ferguson, Ramiro Vega, Joey Dickson & Noe Saenz. Not pictured, Roberto Vega.
courtesy photo



FJHS 9TH GRADE SQUAWS, back row, l-r, Brooke Herbert, Erin Anthony, Hollis Gurley, Lauren Hughs & Morgan Anthony. Front row, l-r, Erin Austin, Ashley Ingram, Michelle Martin, Blair Smiley & Jordan Monroe.
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7th Braves

The 7th Braves coached by Konrad Carroll competed in the Tulia Tourney on January 8.

GAME 1

7th Braves 29

7th Dimmitt 37

Matt Stanberry led the scoring with 16, Stetson Reed 8 and Joey Dickson 5.

GAME 2

7th Braves 30

7th Hale Center 27

Reed led the scoring with 14, Stanberry 9, Dickson 3, David Schwab and Jordan Kelly 2 each.

The Braves faced the Dimmitt Bobcats on Monday January 10.

7th Braves 28

7th Dimmitt 17

Leading the scoring were Stanberry with 15 points, Reed 6, Schwab and Kelly 2 each.

The Braves traveled to Tulia on Monday, January 17.

7th Braves 40

7th Tulia 36

Stanberry led the scoring with 16, Jeremy Alaniz 8, Reed 7, Schwab and Noe Saenz 3 each, Alex Ferguson 2 and Kelly 1.

The Braves competed in the Sudan Tourney on Saturday, January 22.

GAME 1

7th Braves 25

7th Sudan 35

Leading the scoring were Stanberry 14, Schwab 5, Reed 4 and Alaniz 2.

GAME 2

7th Braves 41

7th Sundown 26

Stanberry led the scoring with 14, Reed 12, Dickson 5, Schwab 4, Saenz and Alaniz 3 each.

The Braves traveled to Floydada Monday January 24.

7th Braves 26

7th Floydada 22

Leading in the scoring were Matt Stanberry with 14 points, Reed and Dickson 4 each, Alaniz and Jose Ramirez 2 each.

Senior Citizen News

Friona seniors say
"join us for a lot of good grub"

By BILL ELLIS

Friona Senior Citizens were served 5,440 meals at the Senior Citizens' Friendship House in 2004, averaging about 453 meals each month.

All seniors in the Friona area are invited to join this group for \$30 per year membership fee, which entitles you to chow down with a bunch of friendly folks for a tasty buffet-style meal twice each week, Mondays and Thursdays, for the small price of \$3.00 per meal.

Once each month there is a pot luck lunch where each person brings a favorite dish. The pot luck meal is, of course, free of charge and desserts are furnished. In fact, next Monday, January 31, has been designated as "Pot Luck" day at Senior Lunch.

Thursday, February 3, will be the next "Just For Fun Red Hat Day" when all the ladies dress up for lunch in their red and purple finery and gentlemen are invited to join in the fun by wearing red caps, shirts, jackets or any other red apparel. Anyone who wants to participate is invited to stand up and tell a joke, read a short funny story, sing a song, perform a skit or anything that could add to the "just for fun" atmosphere of the day.

Then on Saturday, February 19, there will be a Senior Social at 5 p.m. at the Friendship House. All seniors are invited to attend free of charge for an evening of hot dogs and bingo, with some fanciful prizes in store. There is no charge for this event, but donations are always gratefully accepted.

The \$30 Senior Citizens' membership fee helps to defray expenses for food and upkeep. The Friona United Way also makes a nice donation each year to help keep the Friendship House in operation.

Volunteers are needed from the community to help with cooking the meals. The few small groups of cooks who have volunteered for the past three or four years, are getting burnt out and are in great need of some new helpers with new ideas, new suggestions, and younger "take charge" energy. Anyone who would be interested in helping out once a month or so, is asked to call Carolyn Reeve at 250-3278.

In the meantime, be sure to circle the following dates on your calendar: January 31, Pot Luck Lunch; February 3, Red Hat Day; and February 19, Evening Senior Social.



RED HAT DAY FOR SENIORS—Shown are the participants of the last Senior Citizen's Red Hat Day on January 6 at the Friendship House. Bill Ellis, standing, third from left, says he's a charter member, since he was the first person to wear a red hat around town many years ago. The next Red Hat Day at Senior Citizens is set for Thursday, February 3.

courtesy photo

Hay Conference welcomes West Texas producers

The 9th Annual Southwest Hay Conference & Trade Show, hosted by the New Mexico Hay Association, is expanding their 2005 annual conference to all southwest producers. The annual program begins at 10 a.m., Thursday, February 3, at the Ruidoso Convention Center, and concludes Friday at noon.

New Mexico Hay Association president Doug Whitney, of Roswell, notes this opportunity for Texas producers. "We welcome West Texas alfalfa and forage producers to join our annual meeting and visit with university and industry partners as well as fellow producers. This year's conference includes many topics on proper fertilization, irrigation, and other agronomic issues, as well as a full trade show with the latest alfalfa products, equipment, and technologies."

"This is a good opportunity for Texas forage producers in the High Plains and far west Texas to receive alfalfa and forage information," says Calvin Trostle, Texas Cooperative Extension agronomist of Lubbock. "I'll be staffing a booth for Texas Extension, and I look forward to visiting with producers about their production."

Registration information is available online at <http://www.nmhay.com> or by contacting Trostle at (806) 746-6101 or ctrostle@ag.tamu.edu. Early registration is \$55 and includes Thursday meals as well as a special evening with Baxter Black, famed New Mexico cowboy poet and humorist.

New Mexico Ag Expo has rich tradition

With the strong impact of agriculture on the economy of the state, the New Mexico Agricultural Expo, sponsored by Plateau Wireless and the Hamilton Automotive Group, continues to thrive as the state's premier trade show for the 13th consecutive year. With a reach of over a hundred-mile radius, thousands of dairymen, ranchers and farmers attend the trade show to view the latest technological and industrial advancements and complete continuing education seminars.

"We have one of the most intense and prime locations for an agricultural trade show," said New Mexico State University County Extension Agricultural Agent Floyd McAlister. "The Expo brings in the latest technology and services so those in attendance can utilize them in their operations." The Ag Expo continues to grow each year by maintaining its focus on its original mission to connect New Mexico's agricultural industry with the latest in technology and service. "When agriculture does well, the rest of

the communities in the state do well," McAlister added.

McAlister is responsible for scheduling the seminars and demonstrations. This year's show will include a variety of new seminars and demonstrations offering several education opportunities for attendees. Informative programs include: Parelli Horse-Man-Ship demonstrations, Animal Identification, Pesticide and Chemical Use, Vertebrate Pest Management, New EPA CAFO Regulations, and other timely topics. Several of the seminars offer continuing educational units.

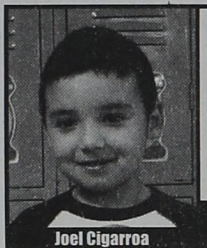
Other fun activities at the Expo include antique tractor parades and games, a Chuck Wagon steak-fry lunch, and entertaining Women's Building with booths, a quilt show, style show, and informative programs for the ladies.

Planning for the state's premier agricultural trade show is already well underway as vendor registrations are rolling in. "The exhibitors tell us that they sell more here per number of attendees than any other show

they go to," McAlister said.

Spectators at this year's show will have an opportunity to win a brand-new 16-foot stock trailer. Registration for the drawing will be available at the show and is free to the public (you must be 18 years or older and present to register). With the continuing dominance of the agricultural industry throughout the state, over 400 vendors will fill their booths with products, technological advancements and services. Portales will host the 13th Annual New Mexico Agricultural Expo on February 22 - 23. Attendance to the 2005 show is expected to be in the range of 8,000 agricultural buyers. Exhibitor booth spaces are still available for the Expo. Inside booths are \$325 for a 10-by-10 foot space. Outside spaces are \$350 for a 20-by-30 foot space or \$375 for a 30-by-80 foot space.

For more information regarding exhibitor booth or attendance information, contact Pat Willis at the Expo office by calling (800) 635-8036 or e-mail the Expo at chamber@portales.com.



Meet the Class of 2016

Joel is a kindergarten student at Friona Schools. His parents are Jaime & Amy Cigarroa. He has two sisters, Ashley and Bianca, and one brother, Andrew.

Joel likes riding bikes. His favorite foods are pizza, fries, and hotdogs. His favorite color is blue.

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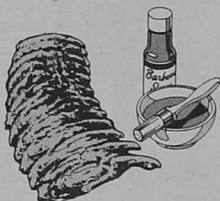
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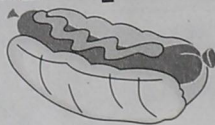


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SEE YA AT LOWE'S



BREED CHAMPION finewool lamb was shown by Zack Fair of Friona FFA.

Congratulations to every 4H and FFA member who participated in the Parmer County Livestock Show.

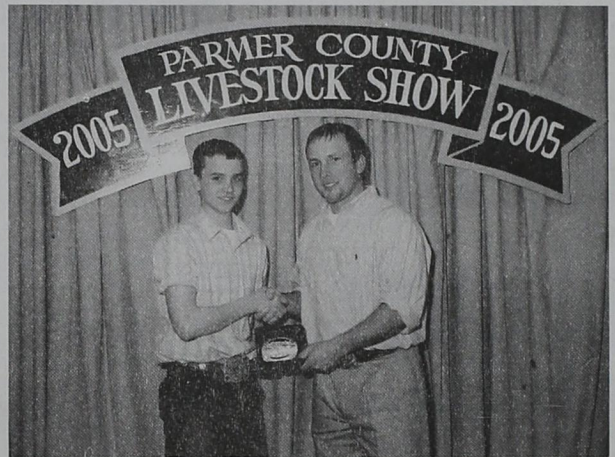
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- Bridge City holds a "Bayou" _____
- TX Indian tribe: Kick _____
- cheaper new car? film "Alamo Bay" _____
- "Holiday" roamed in TX _____
- TX Howard Hughes left a big one _____
- Glen Rose has _____ saur tracks
- "cross road" south of the border _____
- "The eyes of TX" _____ you _____
- book of maps _____
- TXism: "_____ with kid gloves" _____
- shoe of choice for some TX teens _____
- ribeyes _____
- this Matt starred in film "Tex" _____
- first swing on a golf hole (2 wds.) _____
- this Ames was on "Daniel Boone" with TX Fess (init.) _____
- Gainesville festival (2 wds.) _____
- 9-across had the Hughes _____ Co.
- this TX Willing was a singing cowboy in many films _____
- "Texas" _____ is now part of Galveston County Daily News _____
- fringe package _____
- Alvord HS class _____

DOWN

- TX Jimmy Dean's "Big _____ John" _____
- TXism: "fits like ugly on an _____"
- TX Buddy Holly's "I'm Looking for _____ to Love" _____
- Granbury newspaper (3 wds.) _____
- TXism: "struck pay _____"
- "Dutch" of "The Wild Bunch" _____
- "your" south of the border _____
- TXism: "That's What You _____ Lovin' Me" _____
- homemade hooch "sour" _____
- hospital intakes (abbr.) _____
- TXism: "rough as burlap under _____"
- Hereford is the "town without a tooth" _____
- rank at Fort Hood _____
- TXism: "just two whoops _____ holler away" _____
- ex-Oilers kicker Zendejas (init.) _____
- TX Goodnight, e.g. (2 wds.) _____
- TX actress Sharon who was killed by Manson family _____
- TX "Babe": Mildred _____ Didrikson _____
- TXism: "_____ a June bride" _____
- Robert Lee is the seat of this county _____
- East Texas reservoir _____
- "Pines" _____
- compositions _____
- pecan desserts _____
- weed chooper _____
- ex-Cowboy LB Darrin (init.) _____
- birth month of TX Fess Parker (abbr.) _____
- TXism: "big _____ in a small pond" _____
- TXism: "no brag, just _____"
- ball holder for UH grad Fred Couples _____
- TXism: "as _____ outhouse on a cold morning" _____
- TX Debbie was this Fisher's wife _____
- Post HS class _____

TEXAS CROSSWORD
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FRIONA FFA student Kelby Monroe, left, is congratulated by show judge Will Winters. Kelby won senior showmanship awards in three divisions, sheep, steer, and barrow, at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show.

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Medications and Your Eyes

Your vision is blurry again and you've made an appointment with your new eye doctor. As you complete the form in the waiting area, you wonder whether all this information is really necessary? After all, what does the medicine I take for my blood pressure have to do with my eyes?

Plenty. Of the drugs used to treat bodily disease, many can cause changes within the human eye. For instance, did you know that reduced vision sometimes occurs with certain antibiotics and high blood pressure medications? Antihistamine usage for the common cold can dry up the eyes and blur vision, creating trouble for contact lens wearers. Patients with glaucoma need be particularly careful when using corticosteroids or antidepressant medications. Cataracts can actually develop when steroids are taken over a prolonged period of time.

These are just a few of the eye symptoms that systemic medications can create. Keep your doctor informed of all the current medications you are taking. That way, the doctor will know if medicine is to blame for an unusual finding.

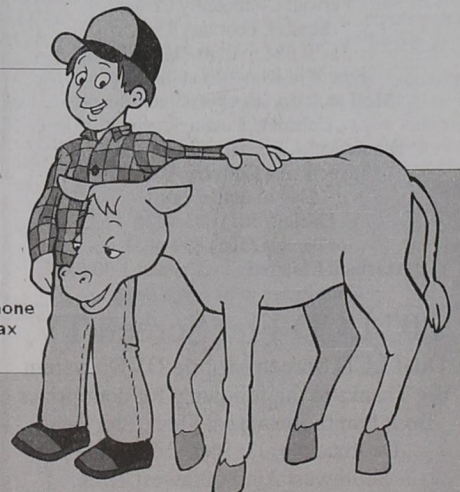
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Turney & Jeffcoat exchange vows in Vegas

Stephanie Michele Turney and Brian Jeffcoat were united in marriage November 27, 2004, in a double-ring ceremony with William M. Duckro officiating. The ceremony was held at the Canterbury Wedding Chapel in Las Vegas, Nevada at 6:30 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Freddie and Martha Turney of Slaton, and the granddaughter of Clarence and Wynona Martin of Friona, and the late Thelma Sullivan.

The bridegroom is the son of Joe and Donna Jeffcoat of Ropesville, and the grandson of Nadine Jeffcoat of Ropesville, and the late Myrel Fiorelli.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown from the Ginza Collection. The traditional white and silver matte satin gown featured a V-neckline and tank bodice highlighted with embroidery and a beaded pattern. The high illusion back was adorned with a beaded pattern, embroidery and crystals.

She carried a white seasonal cascade bouquet with a Casablanca, miniature roses, and assorted greenery.



MRS. BRIAN JEFFCOAT
(nee Stephanie Michele Turney)

Kimberly Turney of Lubbock was maid of honor and

Tiffany Potts of Slaton, was matron of honor, both sisters of the bride.

The bridal attendants wore knee-length black cocktail

dress of their choice and each carried a long-stemmed white rose and greenery.

Standing as best man was Brad Moore of Ropes, friend of the groom. Barry Turney of Humble, brother of the bride, served as groomsman.

Music selections were provided by the chapel.

A dinner and dance were held on Saturday, December 18, at 7:00 p.m., in St. Joseph's Hall in Lubbock.

Serving at the bride's table were Marti Smith of Morton, friend of the bride, and Janan Turney of Humble, sister-in-law of the bride.

Serving at the groom's table were Debora Moore of Ropesville, friend of the groom, and Jona Darnell of Ponder, aunt of the groom.

The bride is a graduate of Slaton High School and South Plains College, and is currently employed by neurologist Dr. Ben Williams in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of Ropes High School, attended South Plains College, and is currently attending Wolforth Fire Academy. He is employed at UCA in Wolforth.

The couple has made their home in Lubbock.

Parmer County Treasurer's report

REPORT OF Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer of PARMER County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from October 01, to December 31, 2004 Inclusive:

JURY FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	81,539.94
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	3,562.11
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	1,061.38
12/31/04 Balance.....	84,040.67
GENERAL FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	1,200,103.88
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	436,315.49
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	570,139.07
12/31/04 Balance.....	1,066,280.30
FARM TO MARKET FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	1,148,847.81
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	164,725.32
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	254,973.11
12/31/04 Balance.....	1,058,600.02
RIGHT OF WAY FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	68,094.75
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	45,365.64
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	-0-
12/31/04 Balance.....	113,460.39
PARMER COUNTY FORFEITURE FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	119,728.92
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	1,666.62
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	1,437.51
12/31/04 Balance.....	119,958.03
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	4,361.11
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	3,176.38
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	-0-
12/31/04 Balance.....	7,537.49
REVENUE FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	179,447.89
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	58,195.91
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	46,961.33
12/31/04 Balance.....	190,682.47
JUVENILE PROBATION FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	3,354.18
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	452.83
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	819.35
12/31/04 Balance.....	2,987.66
COUNTY ATTORNEY - CHECK COLLECTION FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	5,640.17
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	3,870.54
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	3,967.23
12/31/04 Balance.....	5,543.48
DISTRICT CHECK COLLECTION - 287 TH FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	1,125.24
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	3,179.88
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	50.00
12/31/04 Balance.....	4,255.12
DISTRICT ATTORNEY FORFEITURE FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	234,033.04
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	2,751.86
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	70,111.29
12/31/04 Balance.....	166,673.61
COUNTY ATTORNEY FORFEITURE FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	32,437.33
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	163.28
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	350.00
12/31/04 Balance.....	32,250.61
PARMER COUNTY LAW ENFORCEMENT CENTER FUND	
Balance Last Report, September 30, 2004.....	253,070.74
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	25,962.52
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	92.54
12/31/04 Balance.....	278,940.72
INTEREST & SINKING FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	2,405.45
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	43,805.34
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	-0-
12/31/04 Balance.....	46,210.79
LATERAL FUND	
Balance Last Report, Filed September 30, 2004.....	-0-
Amount Received Since Last Report.....	31,490.17
Amount Paid Out Since Last Report.....	28,849.19
12/31/04 Balance.....	2,640.98
RECAPITULATION	
Jury Fund.....	84,040.67
General Fund.....	1,066,280.30
Farm To Market Fund.....	1,058,600.02
Right Of Way Fund.....	113,460.39
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund.....	119,958.03
Permanent Improvement Fund.....	7,537.49
Revenue Fund.....	190,682.47
Juvenile Probation Fund.....	2,987.66
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund.....	5,543.48
District Check Collection - 287 TH Fund.....	4,255.12
District Attorney Forfeiture Fund.....	166,673.61
County Attorney Forfeiture Fund.....	32,250.61
Parmer County Law Enforcement Center Fund.....	278,940.72
Interest & Sinking Fund.....	46,210.79
Lateral Fund.....	2,640.98
TOTAL.....	3,180,062.34
LISTS OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND	
Certificate of Deposit	
General Fund.....	-0-
Farm To Market Fund.....	-0-
Investments	
General Fund.....	2,366.42
Farm To Market.....	97,047.37
Jury Fund.....	755.59
Permanent Improvement.....	1,036.99
Right Of Way.....	94.32
Parmer County Forfeiture.....	655.80
TOTAL.....	101,956.49

TREASURER'S REPORT

PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS
THE STATE OF TEXAS)
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.
Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 24th day of January, 2005.
Bonnie J. Clayton-Heald
County Judge - Parmer County, Texas

Friona Bridal Registry



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Todd Barnett & Vanette White
Zack McClung & Rachel Burleson
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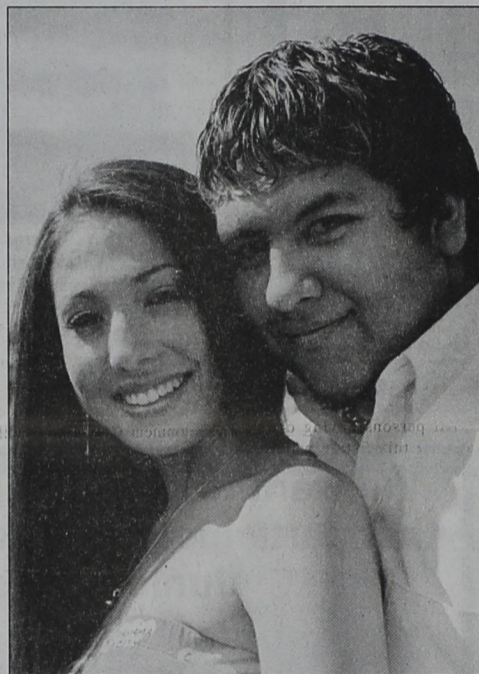
Friona: 2:15 @ 4 Way Pump

Lazbuddie: 3:00 @ Treider Electric

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CLAUDIA ARPERO & JOEY DOMINGUEZ

Arpero & Dominguez will marry in March

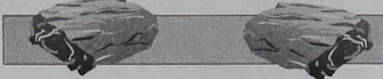
Javier and Delia Arpero of Friona proudly announce the engagement of their daughter, Claudia Arpero, to Joey Dominguez, the son of Joe and Clarice Dominguez, also of Friona.

The couple plans to wed on Saturday, March 12, 2005, at Temple of Adoration Church in Friona at 6:00 p.m. A reception will follow at the Friona High School Cafeteria.

The bride-elect graduated from Friona High School in 2002. She is a third-year student at West Texas A&M in Canyon, pursuing her Liberal Arts degree in Elementary Education.

The prospective groom is a 2003 Friona High School graduate, and a second-year student at West Texas A&M in Canyon, pursuing his degree in Engineering Technology.

Brisket Dinner



Benefiting Life in Christ Academy Preschool
Farwell Community Center

Sunday, February 13th

11:30 AM to 2:00 PM CST

Free Will Donation at the Door

Meal includes: Brisket, Green Beans,

Coleslaw, Potato Salad,

Dinner Rolls, Fixins, Dessert, and Drink

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
 The City of Friona, Texas, will receive sealed bids in the office of the City Manager until 10:00 AM, Monday, February 7, 2005, for the purchase of two (2) new 2005-model utility pickups.

Specifications may be obtained at City Hall, 623 S. Main St., Friona, TX 79035 or by calling (806)250-2761.
 Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked in the lower left hand corner and must be received and acknowledged by the City Manager's office before the above stated time.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

CITY OF FRIONA, TEXAS
 By: Terri Johnson
 City Manager
 2tc-1.20-1.27

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
 The Parmer County Sheriff's Office and Commissioners Court are currently accepting bids for the purchase of one (1) new four wheel drive utility vehicle for the use of the Parmer County Sheriff's Office. Bids may be brought or mailed to Bonnie J. Heald, County Judge, at 401 3rd Street, Room 104, P.O. Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10:00 A.M. February 22, 2005, at which time bids will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

A copy of the bid specifications are on file at the County Judge's Office. Bids will be accepted for outright purchase. Questions should be referred to Sheriff Randy Gerles at the Parmer County Sheriff's Office at 806-481-3303.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court, Bonnie J. Heald, County Judge.
 2tc-1.27 & 2.10

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

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 The City of Friona along with the Friona Economic Development Corporation will receive Proposals for the designation of a Depository Institution for the period beginning May 1, 2005, and ending April 30, 2007. Such Proposals, addressed to the office of the City Manager, City Hall, 623 Main Street, Friona, TX 79035, shall be received until 10:00 AM, Monday, February 14, 2005, at which time the same shall be publicly opened and examined. Such Proposals may be presented to the Mayor and City Council at the regularly scheduled meeting at 6:30 PM, February 14, 2005, for consideration and awarded to the successful bidder.

The City/FEDC reserves the right to reject any and/or all Proposals, waive formalities and accept the bid deemed most advantageous to the City.

Proposals shall be made in accordance with the attached Special Conditions and Proposals and any deviations there from shall be clearly identified.

Terri Johnson, City Manager
 2tc-1.26-2.3

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 2/1 w/Carport, good condition, corner lot.....\$35,000
 2/1 Stucco w/new windows & doors, carpet.....\$29,500

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 NEW LISTING! Large shop on Hwy. 60, remodeled, 6 lots.....\$49,900
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

FRIONA MASONIC LODGE No. 1332
 Meeting - 1st Tues. 8 P.M. - 7th & Ashland
 Lewis D. Gore, W.M.
 Larry J. Knowles, Sec.

PUBLIC NOTICE
 Sixth St. Church of Christ is collecting clothes for Medina Children's Home. If you have clothes that you would like to discard, regardless of size or condition, please bring them to Sixth St. Church of Christ.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration for the Estate of HANNA MALOUF, Deceased, were issued on January 13, 2005, in Cause No. 2621, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: HERLINDA MASSO MALOUF.

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.

JEFF W. ACTKINSON
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 P.O. BOX 286
 FARWELL, TEXAS 79325
 DATED the 19 day of January, 2005.
 JEFF W. ACTKINSON
 Attorney for Estate
 State Bar No.: 24001624
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Aviator PG 13
 1:00 - 4:00 - 7:30

Racing Stripes PG
 1:30 - 4:00 - 7:00 - 9:15

Hide And Seek R
 1:30 - 4:00 - 7:00 - 9:05

Meet The Fockers PG-13
 1:40 - 7:00

Assault on Pct 13 PG-13
 4:00 - 9:15

WEEKEND & HOLIDAY MATINEES: \$3
ADULTS \$5 KIDS & SENIORS \$3

It's tree ordering time again at the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District.
 Please come by 109 3rd Street, Farwell or call (806) 481-3311 Ext. 3 for a list of available trees.

PUBLIC NOTICE BY PARMER COUNTY:
 Chapter 258 of the Texas Transportation Code ("Chapter 258") authorizes a county to clarify the existence of a public right of access over certain roads, and the county's authority to spend public money to maintain such roads, because of longstanding maintenance of the road by the county and other authorized legal theories. Under Chapter 258, the commissioners court of a county may propose a county road map project that includes each road in which the county claims the existence of a public interest under Chapter 281 of the Texas Transportation Code or other law, or as a result of the county having continuously maintained the road beginning before September 1, 1981.
 Parmer County ("County") does claim the existence of public interest in certain roads under one or more bases of authority authorized by Chapter 258. The County is currently conducting a county road map project under the authority granted by Chapter 258. The Commissions Court of Parmer County has proposed a county road map including each road in which the County claims the existence of a public interest. The proposed county road map will be available to the public during regular business hours at the following location: Office of the County Clerk, Parmer County Courthouse, 401 Third Street, Farwell, Texas 79325.
 Any person asserting a private right, title, or interest in a road in which the County has claimed the existence of a public interest may protest the County's claim by attending the public meeting described below, or by filing a written protest with the County Judge at any time before the public meeting, as described in Chapter 258.
 The Commissioners Court of Parmer County will hold a public meeting at the following date, time and location, for the purpose of allowing any person asserting a private right, title, or interest in a road in which the County has claimed the existence of a public interest to protest the County's claim under Chapter 258: February 14, 2005, at 11:00 a.m., in the County Courtroom, Parmer County Courthouse, 401 Third Street, Farwell, Texas 79325.
 EXECUTED this the 10th day of January, 2005.
 PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS
 By Bonnie Heald, County Judge

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THE BREED CHAMPION cross lamb was shown by Caleb Monroe of Friona FFA.



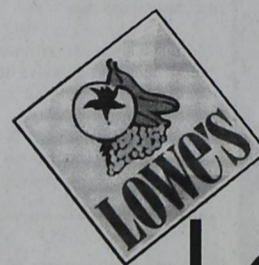
KANDACE FRYE and her 112-pound lamb won 1st place in Class 7 medium wool. She is in Friona FFA.

Congratulations

4H & FFA on your success.



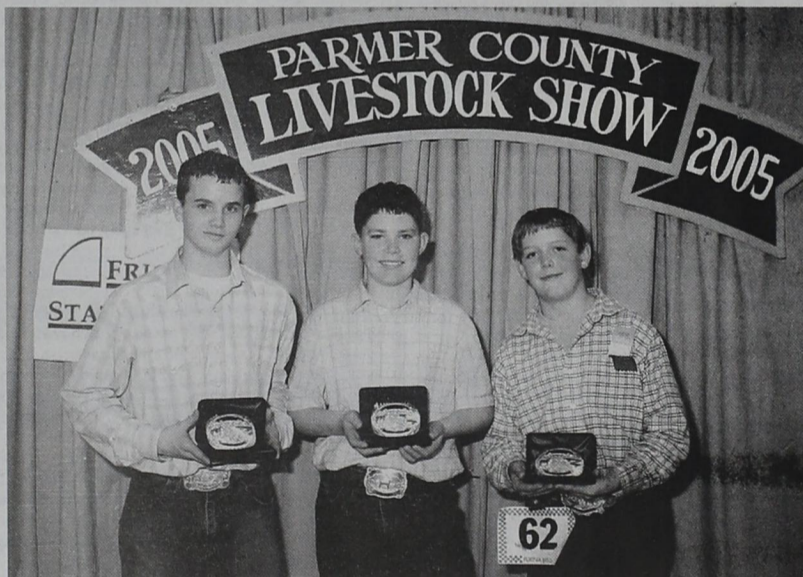
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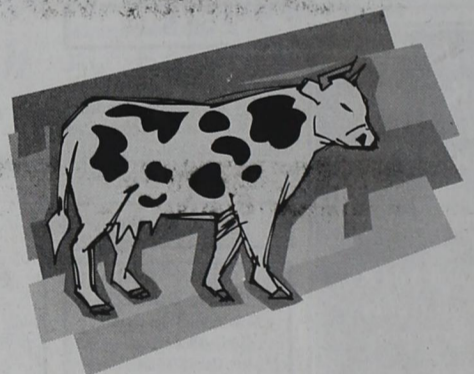
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Congratulations to all 4-H & FFA youth who participated in the Parmer County Livestock Show



STEER showmanship winners, l-r, senior division, Kelby Monroe, junior division, Logan Mason, Kayle Jesko.



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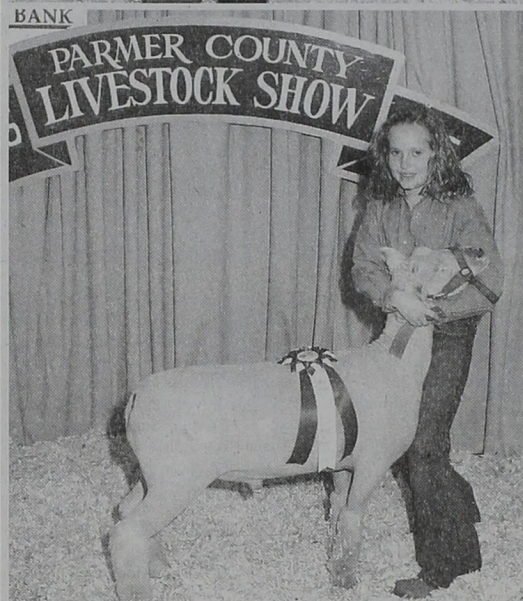
Congratulations

To The Youngsters Who Exhibited Animals at the 2004 Parmer County Junior Livestock Show.

You Are All Winners!



GOAT showmanship winners, l-r, senior division, Alisha Wauson, Melanie Winders, junior division, Kaleigh Jo White, Colton Ingram, show judge Will Winters.



KIRBY FRYE's 163-pound medium wool lamb won 1st place in Class 11 medium wool competition.

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Results of the Parmer County junior livestock show

Here are the results of the 2005 Parmer County Junior Livestock Show:

GOATS

GRAND CHAMPION - Ryan Mason, Lazbuddie FFA; Reserve Grand Champion - Jordan Mason, Lazbuddie FFA.

Class 12 - 1. Kaleigh Jo White; 2. Matt Billingsley; 3. Michelle Wauson; 4. Alisha Wauson; 5. Schuler Underwood.

Class 13 - 1. Melanie Winders; 2. Melanie Winders; 3. Colten Ingram; 4. Taryn Jamerson; 5. Kamarie Schmidt; 6. Schuler Underwood.

Class 14 - 1. Ray White; 2. Alisha Wauson; 3. Colten Ingram; 4. Dan Patterson; 5. Michelle Wauson; 6. Veronica Schmidt.

Class 15 - 1. Ryan Mason; 2. Jordan Mason; 3. Matt Billingsley; 4. Veronica Schmidt; 5. Matt Billingsley; 6. Kamarie Schmidt.

HOGS

GRAND CHAMPION - Danielle Cockerham, Parmer County 4-H; Reserve Grand Champion - Dan Patterson, Parmer County 4-H.

BERK: Breed Champion - Austin Mason, Lazbuddie FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Chandler Barnes, Lazbuddie FFA.

Class 20 - 1. Bryce Haney; 2. Dylan Haney.

Class 21 - 1. Chandler Barnes; 2. Michelle Wauson; 3. Clayton Smiley; 4. Justin Schacher.

Class 22 - 1. Austin Mason; 2. Jared Timms; 3. Alisha Wauson.

CHESTER: Breed Champion - Kaleigh Jo White, Parmer County 4-H; Reserve Breed Champion - Matthew Martin, Parmer County 4-H.

Class 23 - 1. Kaleigh Jo White; 2. Amberli Martin; 3. Tyler Schilling.

Class 24 - 1. Ashlie Martin; 2. Jordan Mason.

Class 25 - 1. Matthew Martin; 2. Ashton Mason; 3. Shea Scott; 4. Ryan Mason.

DUROC: Breed Champion - Abby Johnson, Parmer County 4-H; Reserve Breed Champion - Drew Johnson, Parmer County 4-H.

Class 26 - 1. Zacarey Stancell; 2. Caitlyn Stancell; 3. Taylor Stancell; 4. Ashlie Martin; 5. Russell Schilling; 6. Bretton Stancell; 7. Jacob Schacher; 8. Marco Terrones.

Class 27 - 1. Drew Johnson; 2. Jill Johnson; 3. Colten Christian; 4. Matthew Martin; 5. Amberli Martin; 6. Samuel Billingsley; 7. Caitlin Bronniman; 8. Michelle Wauson; 9. Jared Timms.

Class 28 - 1. Abby Johnson; 2. Allison Weaver; 3. Casey Merritt; 4. Melanie Winders; 5. Trevor Owen.

Class 29 - 1. Pearce Ponder; 2. Levi McCormick; 3. Dalton Cockerham; 4. Harley Jones; 5. Jarrod Jesko; 6. Emilio Loera; 7. Garrett Presnell.

LANDRACE: Breed Champion - Chandler Barnes, Lazbuddie FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Dan Patterson, Parmer County 4-H.

Class 30 - 1. Dan Patterson; 2. Zachary Graves; 3. Caleb Monroe.

Class 31 - 1. Chandler Barnes; 2. Logan Mason.

HAMPHIRE: Breed Champion - Ryan DeLeon, Parmer County 4-H; Reserve Breed Champion - Abby Johnson, Parmer County 4-H.

Class 32 - 1. Abby Johnson; 2. Riley Smith; 3. Chandler Barnes; 4. Dylan Haney; 5. Russell Schilling; 6. Alisha Wauson.

Class 33 - 1. Jennifer DeLeon; 2. Jill Johnson; 3. Colten Christian; 4. Riley Smith; 5. Mandy Haney.

Class 34 - 1. Ryan DeLeon; 2. Ryan Mason; 3. Bryce Haney; 4. Molly Carthel; 5. Shea Scott; 6. Abriel Terrones; 7. Jacob

Cruz; 8. Tyler Schilling; 9. Jarrod Jesko.

Class 35 - 1. Drew Johnson; 2. Levi McCormick; 3. Riley Smith; 4. Mark Schwab; 5. Hannah Carthel; 6. Matt Billingsley; 7. Emilio Loera; 8. Samuel Billingsley.

SPOT: Breed Champion - Drew Johnson, Parmer County 4-H; Reserve Breed Champion - Jordan Mason, Lazbuddie FFA.

Class 36 - 1. Levi McCormick; 2. Dan Patterson; 3. Wesley Teltschik.

Class 37 - 1. Drew Johnson; 2. Jordan Mason; 3. Caleb Christian; 4. Zacarey Stancell; 5. Jacob Schacher.

Class 38 - 1. Jordan Mason; 2. Caitlyn Stancell; 3. Austin Mason; 4. Rochelle Smith.

POLAND: Breed Champion - Ashton Mason, Lazbuddie FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Taylor Stancell, Parmer County 4-H.

Class 39 - 1. Taylor Stancell; 2. Zach Fair; 3. Bretton Stancell; 4. Brittney Schacher.

Class 40 - 1. Jennifer DeLeon; 2. Trevor Owen; 3. Mandy Haney; 4. Dylan Haney.

Class 41 - 1. Ashton Mason; 2. Ryan Mason; 3. Garrett Presnell.

YORK: Breed Champion - Danielle Cockerham, Parmer County 4-H; Reserve Breed Champion - Logan Mason, Lazbuddie FFA.

Class 42 - 1. Ray White; 2. Cody Lanier; 3. Caleb Christian; 4. Amberli Martin; 5. Kinzi Jo Schacher.

Class 43 - 1. Zachary Graves; 2. Ryan DeLeon; 3. Bretton Stancell; 4. Samuel Billingsley; 5. Russell Schilling; 6. Zacarey Stancell; 7. Jenna Joplin.

Class 44 - 1. Danielle Cockerham; 2. Kolten Morris; 3. Taylor Stancell; 4. Ryan Schwab; 5. Kelby Monroe; 6. Clayton Smiley; 7. Jacob Cruz.

Class 45 - 1. Logan Mason; 2. Harley Jones; 3. Chase

Timms; 4. Kayla Parham; 5. David Schwab.

CROSS: Breed Champion - Dan Patterson, Parmer County 4-H; Reserve Breed Champion - Ryan DeLeon, Parmer County 4-H.

Class 46 - 1. Tyler Schilling; 2. Caitlin Bronniman; 3. Matthew Martin; 4. Bryce Haney; 5. Audrie Terrones; 6. Bianca Terrones; 7. Emily Allen.

Class 47 - 1. Ashlie Martin; 2. Colton Christian; 3. Rochelle Smith; 4. Jessie London; 5. Jenna Joplin; 6. Audrie Terrones; 7. Ryan Schwab; 8. Abriel Terrones; 9. Jordan Monroe.

Class 48 - 1. Ryan DeLeon; 2. Kayla Parham; 3. Hannah Carthel; 4. Kalley Preston; 5. Colten Weaver; 6. Cody Lanier.

Class 49 - 1. Dan Patterson; 2. Jessie London; 3. Caleb Christian; 4. Rochelle Smith; 5. Ray White; 6. Melanie Winders; 7. Caitlyn Stancell; 8. Mandy Haney; 9. Kayle Jesko.

Class 50 - 1. Abby Johnson; 2. Jennifer DeLeon; 3. Jill Johnson; 4. Kayle Jesko; 5. Molly Carthel; 6. Jessica Bachicha.

LAMBS

GRAND CHAMPION - Austin Mason, Lazbuddie FFA; Reserve Grand Champion - Kolten Morris, Lazbuddie FFA.

FINEWOOL: Breed Champion - Zach Fair, Friona FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Rowdee Rhodes, Friona FFA.

Class 1 - 1. Rowdee Rhodes; 2. Ashton Mason; 3. Tyler Miller; 4. Tyler Miller.

Class 2 - 1. Zach Fair; 2. Chase Timms.

CROSS: Breed Champion - Caleb Monroe, Friona FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Austin Mason, Lazbuddie FFA.

Class 3 - 1. Austin Mason; 2. Ashton Mason; 3. Regan Anthony; 4. Mykelti Rhodes.

Class 4 - 1. Kolten Morris; 2. Miranda Frye; 3. Harley

Jones; 4. Taryn Jamerson.

Class 5 - 1. Caleb Monroe; 2. Jordan Monroe; 3. Ashley Ingram; 4. Maegan Ingram; 5. Jared Timms.

SOUTHDOWN: Breed Champion - Jared Timms, Lazbuddie FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Mykelti Rhodes, Friona FFA.

Class 6 - 1. Jared Timms; 2. Mykelti Rhodes; 3. Caleb Monroe.

MEDIUM WOOL: Breed Champion - Austin Mason, Lazbuddie FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Kolten Morris, Lazbuddie FFA.

Class 7 - 1. Kandace Frye; 2. Rowdee Rhodes; 3. Jessie London; 4. Rowdee Rhodes; 5. Kade Foster; 6. Kade Foster; 7. Will Hughs; 8. Cody Lanier; 9. Justin Bridges.

Class 8 - 1. Justin Bridges; 2. Chance Barrett; 3. Hannah Carthel; 4. Kade Foster; 5. Will Hughs; 6. Lauren Hughs; 7. Lauren Hughs; 8. Kayla Cullison.

Class 9 - 1. Austin Mason; 2. Molly Carthel; 3. Caleb Monroe; 4. Maegan Ingram; 5. Jordan Monroe; 6. Kelby Monroe; 7. Morgan Anthony; 8. Mykelti Rhodes; 9. Tyler Cullison; 10. Adam Bentley.

Class 10 - 1. Kolten Morris; 2. Logan Mason; 3. Kolten Morris; 4. Chance Barrett; 5. Ashley Ingram; 6. Jordan Monroe; 7. Tyler Cullison; 8. Justin Ware; 9. Jessie London.

Class 11 - 1. Kirby Frye; 2. Chance Barrett; 3. Kelby Monroe; 4. Chase Timms; 5. Adam Bentley; 6. Justin Ware; 7. Tyler Cullison; 8. Kayla Cullison; 9. Colten Ingram; 10. Colten Ingram.

STEERS

GRAND CHAMPION - Brittany Berend, Friona FFA; Reserve Grand Champion - Jason Berend, Friona FFA.

ENGLISH: Breed Champion - Jason Berend, Friona FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Lo-

gan Mason, Lazbuddie FFA.

Class 16 - 1. Logan Mason; 2. Hayden Hadley.

Class 17 - 1. Jason Berend; 2. Kayle Jesko.

EXOTIC: Breed Champion - Brittany Berend, Friona FFA; Reserve Breed Champion - Jason Berend, Friona FFA.

Class 18 - 1. Jason Berend; 2. Jarrod Jesko; 3. Kelby Monroe; 4. Kayle Jesko.

Class 19 - 1. Brittany Berend; 2. Brittany Berend; 3. Dalton Cockerham.

SHOWMANSHIP

GOATS: Champion Senior - Alisha Wauson; Reserve Senior - Veronica Schmidt; Champion Junior - Kaleigh Jo White; Reserve Junior - Colten Ingram.

HOGS: Champion Senior - Kayla Parham; Reserve Senior - Kelby Monroe; Champion Junior - Caleb Christian; Reserve Junior - Ryan DeLeon; Champion Intermediate - Drew Johnson; Reserve Intermediate - Colton Christian.

LAMBS: Champion Senior - Kelby Monroe; Reserve Senior - Chance Barrett; Champion Junior - Ashton Mason; Reserve Junior - Caleb Monroe; Champion Intermediate - Logan Mason; Reserve Intermediate - Zach Fair.

STEERS: Champion Senior - Kelby Monroe; Champion Junior - Logan Mason; Reserve Junior - Kayle Jesko.

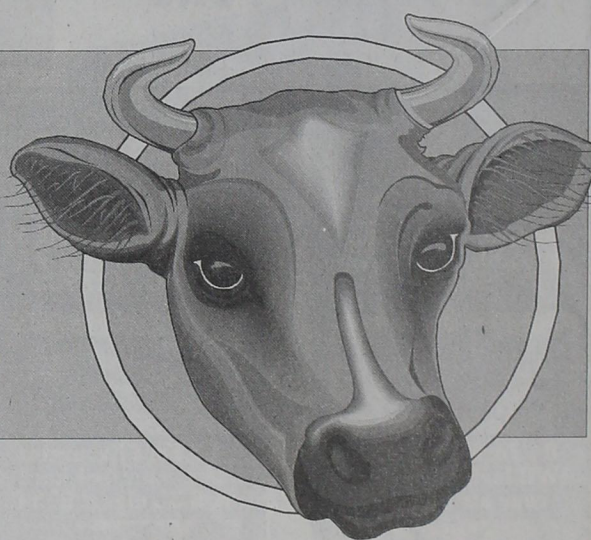


Congratulations

TO EVERY 4H AND FFA MEMBER WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE PARMER COUNTY LIVESTOCK SHOW



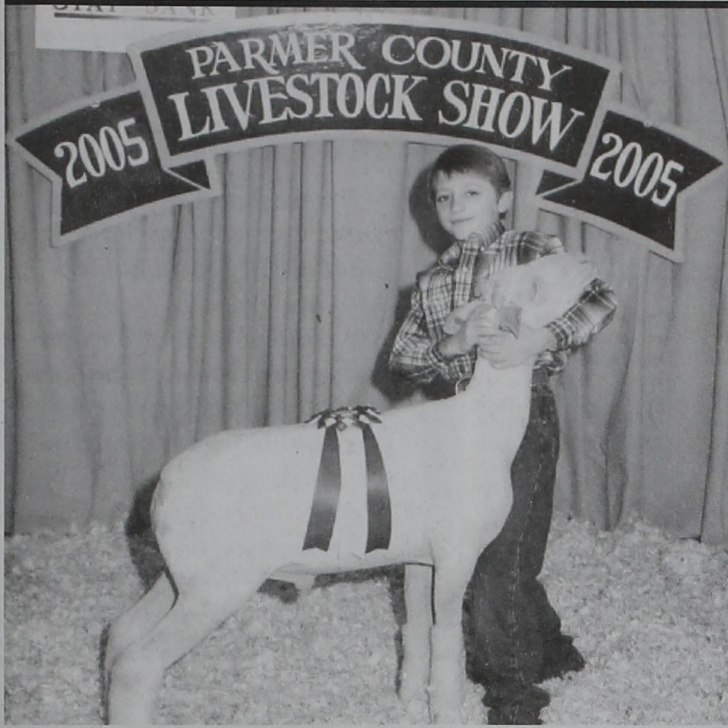
SHEEP showmanship winners, l-r, senior division, Kelby Monroe, Chance Barrett, intermediate division, Logan Mason, Zack Fair, junior division, Ashton Mason, Caleb Monroe, show judge Will Winters.



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RESERVE Breed Champion finewool lamb shown by Rowdee Rhodes, Friona FFA.



ZACHARY GRAVES of Friona FFA won 1st place in Class 43 york competition with his 192-pound barrow.

Congratulations

We are very proud of everyone who competed in the 2005 Parmer County Stock Show



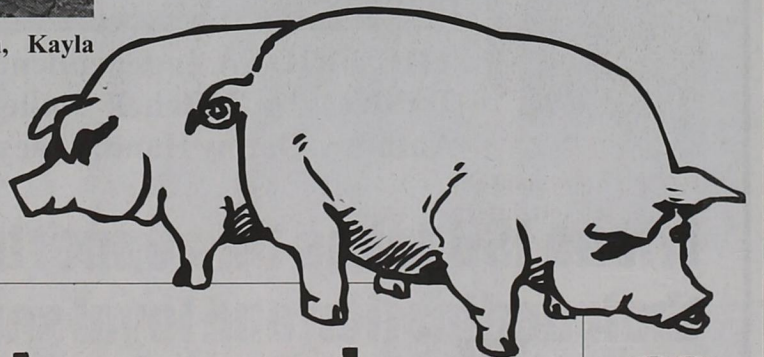
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Congratulations to all 4-H & FFA youth for their hard work and participation in the Parmer County Livestock Show.



BARROW showmanship winners, l-r, senior division, Kayla Parham, Kelby Monroe, intermediate division, Drew Johnson, Colton Christian, junior division, Caleb Christian, Ryan DeLeon, show judge Will Winters.



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FLASHBACKS

75 Yrs. Ago

January 31, 1930

Weather in the vicinity of Friona for the past three weeks has been decidedly winterish. In fact, it has been claimed to be the coldest we have had since the winter of the big snow about ten years ago. Sometime during the night of January 16, the wind whisked to the north, becoming very cold and blowing fiercely. This continued throughout the day Friday, with some snow flying thickly part of the day and during the night on Friday some thermometers in Friona registered as low as 14 degrees below zero.

70 Yrs. Ago

February 1, 1935

At the regular meeting of the County Commissioners Court at Farwell Monday, one of the items of business attended to was the provision of the court

to pay a bounty of two cents a head for all jackrabbits killed within the county during the period of February 1 to February 16. This action was taken in an effort to so decrease the number of rabbits in the county that they will cease to be a menace to the growing crops.

60 Yrs. Ago

February 2, 1945

A machine has been invented and a working model of it now being built in Friona which will solve the problem of man shortage in the handling of threshed grain on the farm. Roscoe Parr is the inventor of the machine, a diagram of which is already filed with the U.S. Patent Office along with an application for the patent.

35 Yrs. Ago

January 29, 1970

Contract has been awarded

for the 60-unit apartment project to be built at 1300 Walnut Street in Friona. High Plains Building Company of Amarillo is the general contractor, and hopes to be on the site in the next three weeks. Completion of the project is expected to require some nine months. When the work is in full swing, there will be between 60 and 90 people employed on the project, according to K.S. (Bud) Reynolds.

30 Yrs. Ago

January 29, 1975

Duane Mitchell, showing under the banner of the Bovina 4-H Club, captured a first and a second place in the lamb show at the Hereford Junior Livestock Show this past Friday and Saturday. Mitchell was also awarded the showmanship award in the lamb division. His second place lamb sold for 95 cents per pound in the Saturday sale.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

January 30, 2005-

February 5, 2005

- Jan. 30-Clay Hurst, Victor M. Gonzales Jr., Warren Duke, Clarence Martin, Harold Richardson, Hope Richardson, Charlotte Procter, Lauretta Brookfield, Cora Snyder, Vincent Cisneros, Salud Tirado, Boyd Pipes Jr., Barbara Armstrong O'Brian, Jeremy Hardin, J.R. Gonzales, Amy Hromas, Levi Steelman, Ricardo Fabela, Jr., Barbara Grimsley
- Jan. 31-John Marc Tannahill, Shannon Cochran, Lupe Paiz, Ashley Conlee, Lori Osborn, Rose McCain, Don Murphy, Randy Stone, Mac Langford, Adam Bandy
- Feb. 1-Don Spring Sr., Lorriane Jarecki, Randy Geries, Diana Santellana, Molly Carthel, Brenner Barnett, Debi Goodwin, J'Mae Randolph, Amber Widner,
- Feb. 2-Pattie Grace Zachary, John F. White, Geneva Osborn, Bill Thornton, Bill Bailey, Bree Lynn White, Sonny Mays, Charley Morrison
- Feb. 3-Jennie Dunn, Carol White, Becky Neill Dunn, Celestine Wilson, John Clark, Stella Varner, Candace Ingram, Halie Merket, Joshua Barnett, Matt McLennan, Vi Hutto
- Feb. 4-Loma Pederson, Ralph Broyles, Christa Marie Vega, Norma Moser, Keeley Dunnam, Alma Clayton, Pete Davies, Sherri Whitten, Vicki Ortiz
- Feb. 5-Gary Elam, Heath Procter, Kevin Sifford, Daniel Echols, Arthur Douglas Alexander, Jena Grimsley, Christi Smith, Otto Alexander, Monica Bermea, Montie Howell

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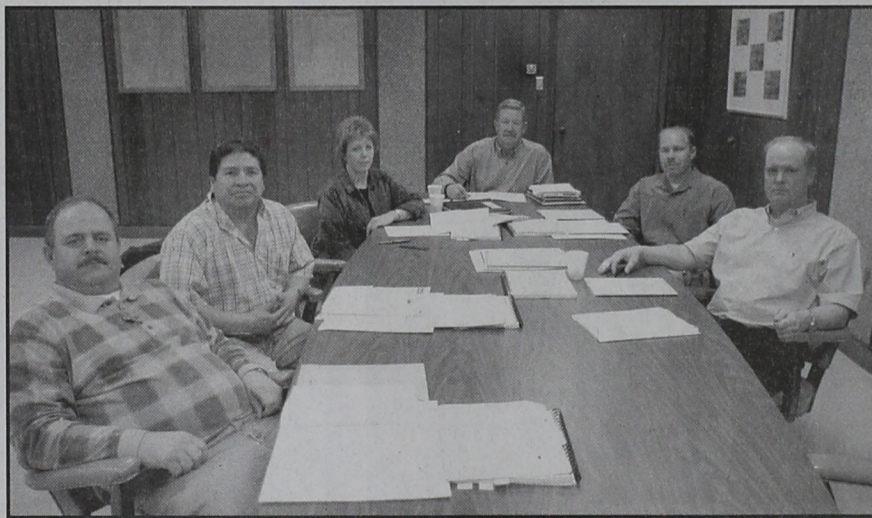
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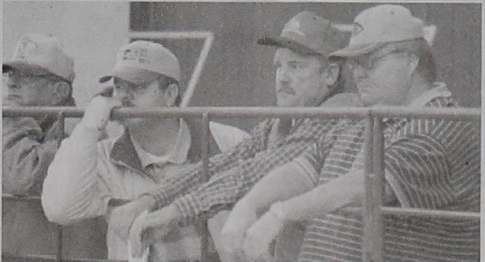
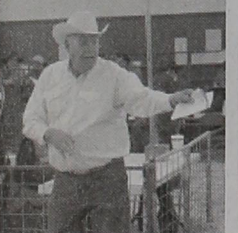
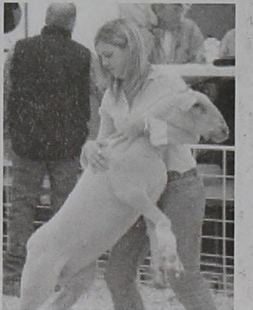
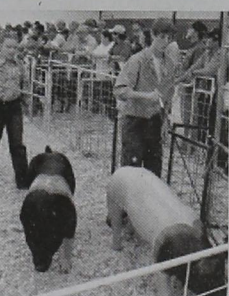
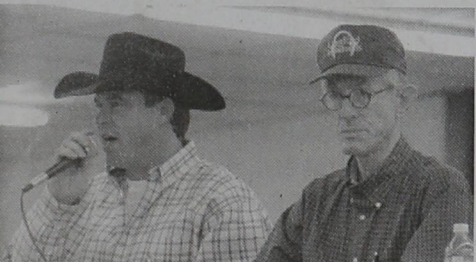
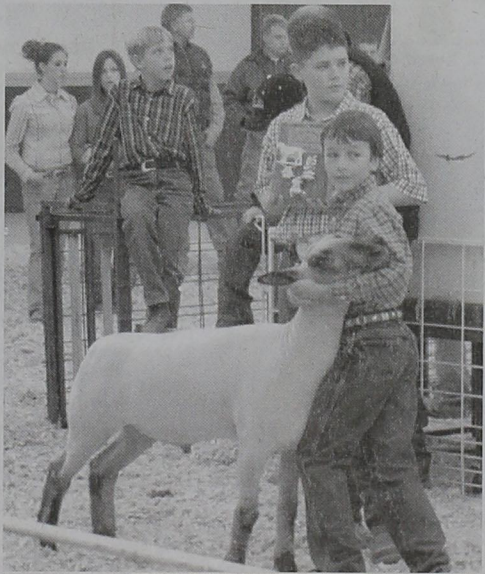
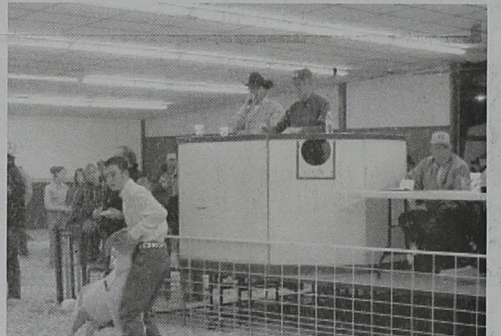
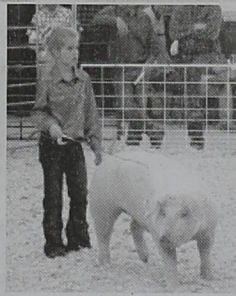
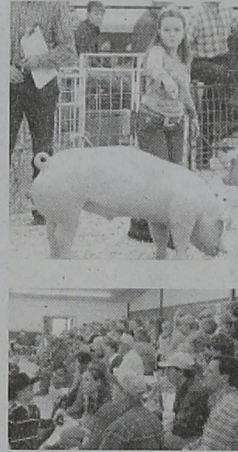


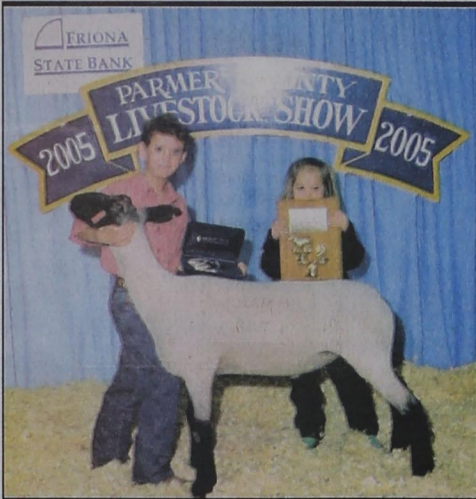
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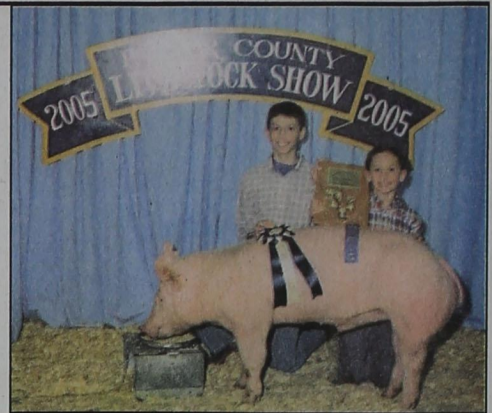




THE GRAND CHAMPION lamb was a medium wool shown by Austin Mason of the Lazbuddie FFA. The lamb also won Breed Champion.



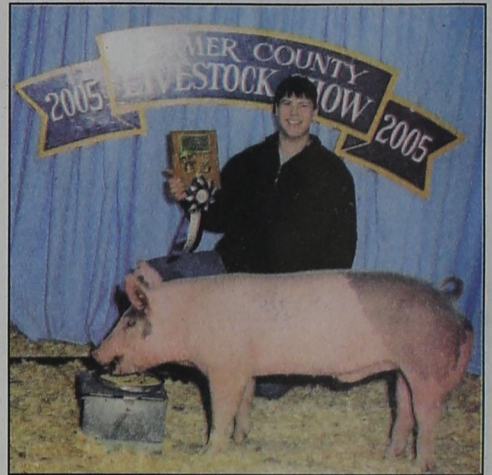
RESERVE CHAMPION GOAT shown by Jordan Mason of Lazbuddie FFA.



DANIELLE COCKERHAM'S york barrow was Grand Champion and Breed Champion. She represents Parmer County 4-H.



THE GRAND CHAMPION goat was shown by Ryan Mason of Lazbuddie FFA.

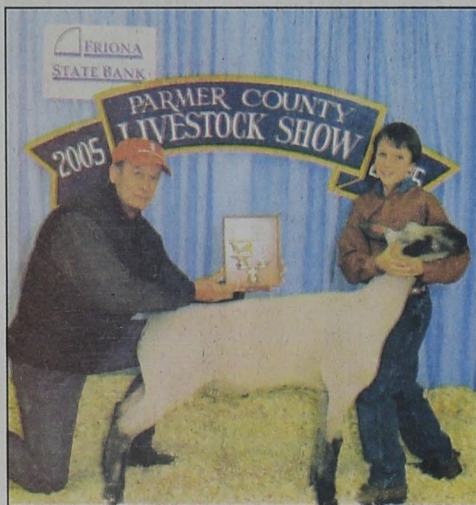


THE RESERVE Champion and Breed Champion was this cross barrow shown by Dan Patterson of the Parmer County 4-H.

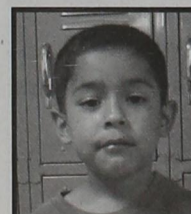
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 GRAND CHAMPIONS &
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RESERVE CHAMPION and Breed Champion were won by this English steer shown by Jason Berend. His sister Brittany is here with show judge Will Winters.



RESERVE CHAMPION and Reserve Breed Champion honors for Kolten Morris of Lazbuddie FFA and his medium wool lamb.



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