

## Muleshoe's July 4th celebration will be popping

The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture reports that Main Street will be popping on July 4th as at least 28 vendors have signed on to sell their goods that day.

"We have plenty of food vendors right now," said Main Street event coordinator Carolyn Johnson. "I'd love to see more arts and crafts vendors selling homemade wares."

Johnson reports several types of food will be available on Main Street this Fourth, including Mexican food, brisket, ice cream, roasted corn, funnel cakes, sno cones, fried Snicker bars, Jungle Juice, turkey legs, popcorn and homemade goodies from a local church's youth group.

Other vendors already on the board include wooden crafts, handmade crafts, Alvarado's air jumper, jewelry, handmade cards, knives and sunglasses, patriotic games and old-style 1950's photos.

"There has been a tremendous response to the celebration this year," said Johnson. Last year was the first time the chamber centralized July 4th events to downtown Muleshoe. "We've already doubled last year's participants and we're still accepting vendors."

Anyone who wants to sell items on the Fourth down Main must purchase a vendor's permit from the chamber via Johnson for \$25. Add \$15 if your booth requires electricity. Johnson can be reached at 272-5911 or 106 E. American Blvd.

All vendors will be set up during the parade which begins at 10 a.m. Other events planned for Main Street include fire department water polo, a dunking booth, hot dog and hot wing eating contests, brisket cookoff and mule shoe pitching contest.

Not to be outdone, merchants up and down American Blvd. are also planning big July 4th events.

Williams General Store will host their annual tent sale with bargains galore, and Muleshoe Metal Art will be having a "quail sale"



Photographs by Larry Thornton

## Relay for Life

Bailey County Cancer survivors and their supporters gathered for the second annual Relay for Life at Muleshoe's football stadium Friday and Saturday, raising funds for the American Cancer Society and its on-going battle against the various forms of cancer.

## Muleshoe has new police chief

By Larry Thornton  
Managing Editor

The Muleshoe City Council approved the appointment of Brian Frieda as the new police chief in a 3-1 vote during an early morning special meeting Friday.

Prior to entering into a closed session the councilmen were addressed by Muleshoe resident Pamela Counterman concerning the appointment of a police chief without local ties to Muleshoe.

"We need to really consider what we do here," Counterman said. She encouraged the council to consider the fact that two of the applicants for the chief's position — Sgt. Benny Parker and Lt. Otis Carpenter — were established members of Muleshoe's community. She also pointed out that Carpenter has experience running the department, both since the resignation of former Police Chief Don Carter and prior to his resignation when he was out of state.

In response to Counterman's statement, Mayor Cliff Black said, "We appreciate your thoughts and efforts." The mayor agreed that the police department has operated well under Lt. Carpenter's direction, adding, "It speaks highly of the officers that we have."

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— Mayor Black

closed session, the mayor said, "We try to keep the public in mind and try to do what's best for the community."

Following a closed

we call the city family," Black said to Chief Frieda. "We're glad you're going to be a part of it."

Concerning his "no" vote, Behrends said, "I just felt



Recently hired Muleshoe Police Chief Brian Frieda, pictured above on the left, and City Manager David Brunson, on the right, at Friday morning's meeting.

session of about 30 minutes, the council returned to cast votes approving Frieda, with Councilman Earl Behrends casting the only dissenting vote. Only four councilmen were present for Friday's action as the position filled by former councilman Mark Beard remains vacant since his recent resignation.

"We welcome you to what

like we had qualified candidates here in Muleshoe."

"I don't see much incentive in staying in Muleshoe if you can't move up," Behrends said, referring to officers on the police department who have remained on the department for several years, such as Parker and Carpenter.

According to City Manager David Brunson, Frieda was the most qualified man for the position, and would bring considerable experience to the job — including budget, administrative ability and experience in emergency management as well.

"I think he has a demeanor and attitude that will be real compatible with Muleshoe," Brunson said.

According to the city manager, Frieda also has experience in law enforcement training having taught at the police academy's of both SPAG and South Plains College.

Frieda has been the police chief at Idalou for the past 3-1/2 years. Prior to that he was assistant chief at Friona for about 18 months. He has been a police officer for approximately 20 years.

Frieda is expected to take over as police chief in about three weeks.

## Early newspaper deadlines set

To allow its staff to participate in the upcoming Independence Day celebrations, the *Muleshoe Journal* has set the following early deadlines for the July 6 issue.

Display ads — Monday, July 3, at noon.

Classified ads — Friday, June 30, at 5 p.m.

News — Friday, June 30, at 5 p.m.

## Local Weather

**Thurs.**  
Pt. Cloudy..... 89/60

**Fri.**  
I. T-Strms..... 93/62

**Sat.**  
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**Sun.**  
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## Give It A Thought

I love the way it smells after it rains, everything is so fresh and so clean. Another gift from God.

Words to ponder from Beverly

**Missed your paper?**  
Call the carrier Bobby Flores at 806-891-8993 (leave a message) or call the *Journal* at 272-4536, between 8:00 a.m. and 5 p.m.

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## Fireworks banned in Muleshoe

Although there has been some much-needed rainfall in the last few days, a fireworks ban issued by the City of Muleshoe remains in effect, Police Lt. Otis Carpenter said Monday.

According to a news release received from Muleshoe City Hall, individuals caught "igniting or otherwise using fireworks" within the city limits could face a substantial fine of up to \$2,000.

Municipal officers will be actively enforcing the fireworks ban, issuing citations to violators and confiscating any fireworks in their possession.

Although individual use of fireworks are banned, the annual July 4th display by the Muleshoe Fire Department, sponsored by the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture will be held as scheduled.



**July 4 vendors sought**

Muleshoe is once again gearing up for a huge July 4th celebration down Main Street on the Fourth. Organizers are hoping the line the entire length of Main Street with vendors this year and booth space is being rented on a first come, first serve basis.

Vendors are responsible for their own setup and are being asked to set up by 9 a.m. on Main Street. The big July 4th parade kicks off at 10 a.m. Your booth space will be marked when you arrive.

Because of our old buildings, electricity is available on a limited basis. If you need electricity, please be sure and let us know.

The fee is \$25 for a booth and an added \$15 for a booth with electricity. Booth space is approximately 10x10. Fees must be paid in advance to receive an assigned booth. Payment can be made in advance to: Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce, c/o Carolyn Johnson, 106 East American Blvd., Muleshoe, Texas 79347.

This is going to be a big day in Muleshoe and there will be activities going on all day on Main Street. Vendors are asked to keep booths open until 5 p.m. You may stay past 5 p.m. if you wish.

If you have any questions or would like to reserve a space, contact Carolyn Johnson at 806-272-5911. Questions may also be directed to Jim Ella Clemmons at 806-272-4726.

**Training for nursing home volunteers**

South Plains Association of Governments' Area Agency on Aging will hold an orientation on Saturday, June 17, for nursing home volunteer advocates. The special session will be from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. at 1323-58th St. in Lubbock. Call the Area Agency on Aging at 687-0940 or 1-888-418-6564 to pre-register or to receive more information.

**AA meeting**

Those looking for help with problem drinking can do so at open AA meetings being held at 7 p.m. each Friday at the First United Methodist Church, at 507 W. 2nd. Please use the west side entrance. For information about these meetings or AA in general call 806-965-2870

**Safety Program Offered**

Eating out has never been more popular. Almost half of the money we spend on food is spent away from home. Each year, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimate that approximately one in four Americans will get sick from eating contaminated food at home or at food service establishments. This summer, Texas Cooperative Extension, Bailey and Cochran county, are offering training to reduce those numbers of illnesses.

The Food Manager Certification Training Program, called "Food Safety: It's Our Business" seeks to reduce the risk of foodborne illness. By taking the course, food service managers can receive the latest information on personal hygiene, how to use thermometers, how to store food safely, how to prepare and serve food properly and how to keep the food preparation areas clean and sanitized. Participants can fulfill requirements for food manager certification if they pass the certification exam offered at the end of the course.

The training session will be offered for \$79 on June 15 and 16, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., at the Muleshoe Church of Christ, 2201 W. American Blvd. The cost includes training materials and the state food manager certification examination. Deadline for registration is today, June 8.

For more information contact Mandi Seaton, Bailey County Extension agent — Family and Consumer Sciences at 806-272-4583.

**Old-timers reunion set**

The Muleshoe Old-Timers Reunion will be held on July 4, at 2 p.m., in the meeting room of the Bailey County Coliseum on West American Blvd. There will be a program, refreshments, and visiting.

**July 4 softball tourney set**

A 3-2 pitch softball tournament has been set for July 3-4, at Roque Flores Softball Field. The event will include both a men's and women's division. There is a \$125 entry fee.

For more information, call Richard Orozco at 806-946-6063, or Shorty Flores at 272-4707 or 272-5112.

**Diabetes support group to meet**

The Bailey County Diabetes Support Group will meet this month on Tuesday, June 20, at 7 p.m. in the Bailey County Coliseum Meeting Room. The program will be "Traveling with Diabetes." We will discuss traveling with diabetes supplies and equipment and nutritional tips while away from home. This program is free of charge to anyone interested. For more information contact, Mandi Seaton, Bailey County Extension agent — Family and Consumer Sciences, 306 West Second, Muleshoe, TX 79347, 806-272-4583.

**Alzheimers Support Group**

Alzheimers disease is the fourth leading cause of death in adults after heart disease, cancer, and stroke. Alzheimers disease is the most common form of dementia — a brain disorder that seriously affects a person's ability to carry out daily activities. Scientists think that as many as 4.5 million Americans suffer from AD.

Most primary caregivers for the Alzheimers disease patient are family members. Many other people also participate in the care of those with AD. Friends, neighbors, work colleagues, and faith community members often help to care for the person with Alzheimers disease. Research has shown that caregivers are often at an increased risk for depression and illness, especially if they do not receive adequate support.

Bailey County Aging Services and Texas Cooperative Extension, Bailey County, are in the planning stages of forming a support group for those affected by this devastating disease.

The first meeting will be July 11, at 6:30 p.m. in the meeting room of the Bailey Co. Coliseum. For more information contact Debbie Crabtree, Bailey County Aging Services, 272-3647, or Mandi Seaton, Bailey County extension agent • Family and Consumer Sciences agent, 272-4583.

[www.muleshoejournal.com](http://www.muleshoejournal.com)

**FUMC offers college, youth classes**

Back from college? Bored? If between the ages of 20-30, or just young at heart come to Live Wire! The First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe is offering a college class at 9:45 a.m., each Sunday, in the Senior High room at the church. Guaranteed to be anything but boring!

First United Methodist Church also invites the youth of Muleshoe, sixth through eighth grades, and ninth through 12th grades, to a Bible study entitled, "The Tunnel," every Sunday.

Sixth grade to eighth grade students will meet at 5 p.m. in the Senior High room. Followed by a meal at 6 p.m. After the meal, students in grades ninth-12th will meet at 6:45 p.m.

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**Other Events You Don't Want To Miss!**

- Entertainment by Mi Tierra Mariachi Band of Lubbock** - They will ride in the parade for Carolyn's and then perform 2 sets immediately after the parade.
- Starbright The Clown** - Bring the kids and join in the fun with Starbright's humor and fabulous FREE animal balloons.
- Red, White & Blue Sale** - These colors don't run but you'll be running to Carolyn's as she holds her annual Red, White & Blue Token Sale! Come in and draw a token. Red gives you 10% off your total purchase, white gives you 20% off, blue wins you 25% off or draw one that is red, white and blue and you'll get 50% off your total purchase at Carolyn's on the Fourth.
- 3rd Annual Strong Arm Wrestling Competition** - This year's contest begins at approximately noon and features 4 divisions: Junior Div. 9-12 (entry fee \$5), Junior Div. 13-15 (entry fee \$7.50), Adult Women's Div. (entry fee \$20) and Adult Men's Div. (entry fee \$20). Trophies will be awarded to 1st and 2nd place in each junior division and all participants will receive a participation medallion in the junior division. Trophies and monogrammed t-shirts for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place will be awarded in the adult divisions. All participants in the adult divisions will receive a free t-shirt with an arm wrestling logo on it. Deadline to enter either junior division competition is Monday, July 3, at 5 pm. Deadline to enter either adult divi-

sion is Tuesday, July 4, at 10 am. All money raised will be used to erect a memorial to honor the memory of Noe Anzaldua.

- Barnwood Decor by David Talley of Slaton** - Carolyn's is excited to introduce a new artist this July 4th. David takes wood from old barns and turns it into wonderful western/Texas decor — benches, lamps, candle holders, etc. — all with a rustic, deep wood charm!
- Watson Jr. High Cheerleaders Brisket Fundraiser** - The girls will be grilling and serving great brisket sandwiches with refreshing cold drinks.
- Carolyn's Tent Sales** - Yes, Carolyn will have her own tents outside full of great sales on jewelry, handbags, t-shirts, sunglasses and fun patriotic wearables! Don't miss her "Li'l Sprouts" tent full of children's hats, wearables, toys and games!  
For Carolyn's holiday early birds, look for the "Christmas In July" tent full of super savings on Santa's favorite Christmas merchandise!
- Gourmet Food Tasting Bar** - Come and sample all the delectable treats of Carolyn's own private label gourmet foods. From piccalilli salsa to pickled bussel sprouts, you can find the unique and different for the taste buds at Carolyn's. She's just stocked up on her green and red jalapeno jelly - her #1 seller for 8 years in a row!
- Mario & Anita Flores** - Chefs Mario and Anita Flores will be cooking up great hamburgers, steak burritos and thirst quenching lemonade on Carolyn's lot.

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along with a U-Design-It Garden Art contest

Alco will again have a sidewalk sale while the girls at Art Loft/Trés Chic and Antiques & Fine Things have opted to stay inside with their July 4th sales.

Back down Main Street, The Connection Warehouse will be joining in the fun this year by having their own

sidewalk sale and La-Tea-Da Tea Room will be selling homemade sandwiches, cookies, brownies and refreshments.

Carolyn's Christmas Creations will celebrate the day with tent sales, performances by Mi Tierra Mariachi Band, the 3rd Annual Strong Arm Wrestling Contest

beginning at 1 p.m., "Starbright" the clown and food vendors.

New events scheduled for the Fourth include a Mexican-farmer rodeo from 2-5:30 p.m. at the David Allen Arena three miles east of Muleshoe on Hwy. 84, DJ Eddie Alvarado taking requests on the chamber deck from 1-4 p.m., cow

patty bingo at the city park and two eating contests on the chamber deck at 1 p.m.

The day will culminate at the city park where the crowd will be entertained by three different performers: Mi Tierra Mariachi Band from 6-7 p.m., Jack Stone throughout the evening, and featured band Castleberry, Mulhair and Friends from 8-

10 p.m. Remember, tickets for a chance to win \$5,000 playing cow patty bingo will be available only until 5:45 p.m. at the park. Those wanting to purchase tickets can do so today or on the Fourth at the chamber office, 115 E. American Blvd., or by contacting chamber board members

around town. (See ad on back page of this week's newspaper for contest details.)

The finale of July 4th in Muleshoe will again be a spectacular fireworks display beginning around 10 p.m.

**Thanks for reading!**

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## JULY 4TH CELEBRATION

Featuring City Park Entertainment by Castleberry, Mulhair & Friends

### Main Street Events - 272-4248

- Parade "These Colors Don't Run" ..... 10 AM
- Vendors Arts/crafts and food booths along Main Street ..... All Day
- Tractor-made Ice Cream (fireman's fund-raiser) ..... All Day
- Water Polo (fireman's fund-raiser) ..... All Day
- United Supermarket Muleshoe Pitching signup - Main & Ave. C ..... 11 AM
- Muleshoe Pitching - Main St. & Ave. C ..... 11:30 AM
- Carolyn's - 106 E. American Blvd. - 272-5911 ..... All Day
- Strolling Mariachi Band "Mi Tierra" ..... Following parade till noon
- 3rd Annual Strong Arm Wrestling Contest ..... 1 PM
- "Starbright" the Clown making balloon animals - Huge parking lot sale featuring rustic furniture - Red, White & Blue Storewide Sale - Christmas in July tent - Food vendors
- The Connection Warehouse/RadioShack - 117 Main Street - 272-5532
- GIANT SIDEWALK CLEARANCE SALE!!**
- Chamber Deck/Parking Lot Events - 115 E. American Blvd. - 272-4248**
- Brisket Cookoff cooks' meeting Monday, July 3 (Chamber lot) ..... 6 PM  
*(All cookers and brisket will remain on the Chamber parking lot overnight.)*
- Brisket Cookoff, 115 E. American Blvd. - July 4 ..... Judging at 2:30 PM
- Trophies will be presented to the top 3 winning cooks.
- All brisket will be auctioned off after trophies are presented.
- 1st Annual Hot Dog Eating Contest - Chamber deck ..... 1 PM
- ENTRY DEADLINE: JULY 3, 5 PM @ 201 W. AVE. C**
- No entry fee. Winners in each age division based on most hot dogs eaten in a 2-minute time period. Judge's decision final.
- First place trophy to the winner in each of 4 age divisions
- 1st Annual Pizza Hut Hot Wing Eating Contest - Chamber deck ..... 1 PM
- Open to all ages. No entry fee. Winner based on most wings eaten in a 15-minute period. Judge's decision final.
- 1st place: 13" TV/DVD from The Connection Warehouse
- 2nd place: \$50 Gift Card from Williams General Store
- 3rd place: \$25 Family Meal Deal from Pizza Hut
- DJ Eddie Alvarado taking requests ..... 1-4 PM

### American Blvd. Events - 272-4248

- Muleshoe Metal Art - 224 W. American Blvd. - 272-7572
- "Quail Sale" ..... 10 AM-6 PM
- U-Design-It Garden Art Contest - Winner will receive a Muleshoe Metal Art gift certificate - FREE t-shirt with \$40 or more purchase. We'll be selling BBQ sandwiches, sausage wraps, homemade cobbler, pink lemonade, tea & cokes
- Art Loft/Trés Chic - 1529 W. American Blvd. - 272-3485
- Inside Sale!!! ..... Open after the parade
- Williams General Store - 1405 W. American Blvd. - 272-6853
- Williams "Big Tent Event" July 1-4, 2006 ..... Beginning at 9 AM
- Vendors - Honey Do BBQ featuring the culinary talents of Michael & Denise Dunham ..... Lunch till the flag comes down
- La-Tea-Da Tea Room - 104 E. American Blvd. - 272-7760
- Outside stand serving sandwiches, cookies, brownies and refreshments ..... All Day
- Alco Sidewalk Sale ..... All Day

### City Park Events - 272-4248

- Mariachi band "Mi Tierra" ..... 6 - 7 PM
- Featured entertainment by Castleberry, Mulhair & Friends ..... 8-10 PM
- Jack Stone will entertain throughout the evening
- Cow Patty Bingo (chamber fund-raiser) ..... 6-8 PM
- \$10 per square - Sponsored by Caprock Dairy and Scott's Car Wash.
- Squares sold until 5:45 PM.
- \$5,000 1st Prize - \$1,000 2nd Prize - \$500 3rd Prize**
- (NOTE: All tickets must be sold for above prize amounts to be awarded. Prize amounts will be modified if tickets remain unsold.)*
- Softball tournament ..... Monday & Tuesday All Day
- Vendors ..... All Day
- Glow necklaces for sale (chamber fund-raiser) ..... 6-10 PM
- FIREWORKS DISPLAY** ..... Beginning around 10 PM

### Other Events

- Mexican-Farmer Rodeo - David Allen Arena, 3 mi. E. of Muleshoe on Hwy. 84
- 2 PM-Fastest Farmer on a 4-wheeler Contest - \$10 entry, \$100 prize;
- 3 PM-Greased Pig Contest (8 & under) - no entry, win the pig you catch;
- 4 PM-Calf Scramble (12 & under) - no entry, \$50 prize;
- 5 PM-Buffalo Stampede (12 & over) - \$5 entry, \$100 prize.
- "Tail the Bull" contest for all ages at 3:30, 4:30 and 5:30 PM
- \$5 Admission, kids 12 and under free.
- Mule-Putt Golf Open ..... 7-10 PM
- Located next to the Bailey County Coliseum on American Blvd.
- Pioneer Reunion, Bailey County Coliseum ..... 2 PM
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# Obituaries

## Beedie Welch

A church service for Beedie Lucille (Simmons) Welch, 91, of the Earth area, was held on June 27, at the Earth United Methodist Church with the Rev. Glenn Harlin of Springlake officiating.

Burial followed in Earth Memorial Cemetery.

Welch died on June 24, 2006, in Lubbock at the Grace House. She was born on Feb. 9, 1915, in Kerens and married Melton "Pody" Welch in Clovis, N.M., on May 12, 1934.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Pody, on Dec. 10, 2000, two sisters and five brothers.

Welch moved to West Texas in 1924 with her family. She started school at Springlake in 1928 and graduated from Springlake in 1933.

She worked at Springlake schools for 15 years. Welch was a substitute teacher for four years, a secretary during World War II, and a tax assessor-collector.

Welch also served on the Springlake School Board.

She was president of the Chamber of Commerce from 1985 to 1987 and was named Woman of the Year in 1986.

Welch also worked at the Earth Post Office for 29 years, and served as Postmaster from December 1980 to February 1984.

She was a member of the Earth United Methodist Church.

Survivors include a daughter and her husband — Bennie Sue and Bobby Free of Muleshoe; three grandchildren — Grady Free of Muleshoe, Faith Lewis of Levelland and Hope Vaughn of Abilene; four great-grandchildren — Charity Stark of Dallas, Tiffany Cheadle of Houston, Courtnee Free Harris of Abilene, and Sage Free of Muleshoe.

She is also survived by a great-great-grandson — Cameron Cheadle of Houston.

Memorials may be sent to Odyssey Healthcare/Hospice, 4601 - 66th Street, Ste. E, Lubbock, TX 79414.

## Armando Flores

A church service for Armando R. "Mando" Flores, 77, of Muleshoe, was held on Monday, June 19, at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church with Father Leonardo Pahamtang officiating. Rosary was said on Saturday and Sunday, June 17 and 18, at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel.

Burial followed the funeral service in Earth Memorial Cemetery.

Flores died on Friday, June 16, 2006, in Southwest Regional Medical Center in Lubbock. He was born on July 6, 1928 in Sonora, and married Clara San Miguel in Lamesa on Nov. 4, 1951.

Flores moved to Muleshoe in 1972 from Fresno, Calif. He was a self-employed trucker, and

a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of Muleshoe where he belonged to the Knights of Columbus holding the fourth degree.

He was preceded in death by his daughter, Lori Flores Goke, on July 7, 2005. He was also preceded in death by two sisters, Elva Castillo and Alicia Gonzales, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silverio Flores.

Survivors include his wife — Clara Flores of Muleshoe; three sisters — Bertha Saldaña of Corpus Christi, Connie Marin of Houston and Lupe Guajardo of Garland; four brothers — Guillermino Flores of Sheboygan, Wis., Frank Flores and Pennin Flores of San Antonio and Daniel Flores of Ft. Worth.

## Leigh Dungan

A church service for Leigh Carter Dungan, 43, of Morton was held on Monday, June 26, at Eastside Church of Christ with Joey Pierce officiating. Burial followed in Morton Memorial Cemetery.

Dungan died on Friday, June 23, 2006, in University Medical Center of Lubbock. She was born on Sept. 24, 1962, in Morton to Billy D. and Mary Lee Carter.

Her mother preceded her in death on May 15, 2003.

Dungan was a 1981 graduate of Morton High School.

She received an associate's degree from South Plains College, and was employed as a clerk in several different

businesses.

Survivors include three daughters — Taylor, Taryn and Tatum Dungan; her father — Billy D. Carter of Morton; and a brother — Ricky Carter of Morton.

## Elaine Pruitt

A church service for Elaine Embry Pruitt, 60, of Lubbock, formerly of Muleshoe, was held on June 24 at the First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe with the Rev. Monty Leavell officiating.

Burial followed in Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery.

Pruitt died on June 20, 2006, in Lubbock. She was born May 31, 1946, in Muleshoe.

Pruitt was a 1964 graduate of Lazbuddie High School. Pruitt was founder of the Movin' On Ministry.

Survivors include three daughters — Leah Pruitt of Pensacola, Fla., Mona Cleveland of Lubbock and Julie Woods of Burseson;



ELAINE EMBRY PRUITT

her mother — Lona Embry of Muleshoe; a sister — Aleene Embry of Lubbock; a brother and his wife — Derrel and Kathy Embry of Muleshoe; a brother — Buddy Embry of Muleshoe; and eight grandchildren.

## Hospital Report

The Muleshoe Area Medical Center has released the following list of admissions:

- June 15 — Alicia Lira,
- June 16 — Lela Allison, Irene Martinez and Terri Bohler.
- June 17 — No report.
- June 18 — No report.
- June 19 — Elma Kemp and Azel Ursua.
- June 20 — Harold Burge, Vicente Terrones Jr., Anita Alonzo, Mary Johnson and Antonio Scolley.
- June 21 — Matt Moseley and Tania Avila.
- June 22 — No report.

Thanks for reading!

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# Lamplight

By Larry Thornton

Friday night, I was heading to bed and had turned off the lights in the dining room when I realized the light over my wife's desk wasn't on, and the entire house was left in darkness.

Normally, I leave this small light on in the living room for two reasons. The first is the safety of my children, and invited guests, who for some reason may be up and moving about in the night.

The second reason is for my toes. I hate stubbing my toe in a darkened room. Of course, I also hate stubbing my toe in a room that has a light on.

Anyway, on Friday night, with all the lights off in the house, I found it necessary to make the slow — potentially painful — journey over to Dianne's desk to turn on the light. Why didn't I turn on the light I'd just turned out before going over to the desk, you ask? Well, that's not humane nature.

It is mankind's nature to stumble in the dark... to avoid turning on the light. That's why the Holy Spirit reaches out to us, touching our hearts and giving us that spark of light that helps man realize he's been lost in

darkness and yearn for the true light of God.

At the end of the Book of Joshua, we see where Joshua is nearing the end of his days. It won't be long, he tells the leaders of Israel, before the one who had been charged with protecting the light switch since the death of Moses would be gone. And so, he gathers the leaders of his nation around him and tells them what they would need to do to keep the light on.

Christopher Green once said, "Too often, Christians forget that they should not spiritually walk around in the dark. Not only should they avoid the darkness, they should also be a light that exposes the evil that is found in darkness."

The last two chapters of Joshua are about remaining faithful to God. They contain warnings to the Children of Israel should they stray, reminders of God's faithfulness to his promises and principals to insure spiritual success that were as important to the Israelites as they are for us today.

The first is mentioned in Joshua 23:3, where he says, "You yourselves have

seen everything the Lord your God has done to all these nations for your sake; it was the Lord your God who fought for you."

By reminding the Israelites who was the author of their success, Joshua reminds all Christians that God is the source of our victories as well.

Throughout our lives, God reaches down and pushes us out of danger, lifts us up when we've fallen, and like the Israelites, gives us victory in our lives.

In 23:6, Joshua says, "Be very strong; be careful to obey all that is written in the Book of the Law of Moses, without turning aside to the right or to the left," reminding us of the importance of God's word in our lives.

As Joshua reminded the leaders of Israel, we need the weapon of God's word in our hand help us in our spiritual battles.

Someone once said, "Study the Bible to be wise, believe in it to be safe, and practice it to be holy."

In verse eight, Joshua reminded Israel to "hold fast to the Lord your God..." To cling to him, consecrating

ourselves to his service as the Bride of Christ.

In the Book of Joshua, it talks about two covenants of the people of Israel. One is their covenant with God, but the other was with the Gibeonites — which was rooted in deception and Israel's failure to seek God's face.

Just as Joshua warned, we should be sure that the things to which we cling lift us up rather than drag us down.

And in 23:11, Joshua says, "So be very careful to love the Lord your God," reminding us that we should love God above all things.

The first of God's 10 commandments to the Israelites was "you shall have no other gods before me." And as members of the Bride of Christ, we are commanded to do no different.

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## Letter to the Editor

### Resident speaks against amnesty

**To the Editor:**  
Amnesty for illegal aliens will destroy the rule of law which makes the United States unique among the world's nations. Twelve million illegal aliens freely given American citizenship rewards those law breakers. This nation's immigration laws have not been enforced by our government. Thus 12 million illegals are here.

I consider this issue more threatening to the nation than fighting or winning the war in Iraq. Twice I have written individual letters opposing amnesty to Pres. Bush, Texas Dist. 19 Rep. Randy Neugebauer, and Texas Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison and John Cornyn

I have sent multiple anti amnesty Blast Faxes to Pres. George W. Bush, and

the Senate and House leadership. In the latest fax, I wrote "I am totally determined for no amnesty for illegal aliens. They are law breakers and should be deported, carted home, or imprisoned in U.S. prisons. Imprisonment would cost taxpayers less than amnesty."

Long ago Communist Russian ruler Stalin predicted that the United States would not be defeated by war. It would be taken from within. Given legal citizenship, these millions of law breaking illegal immigrants are taking this nation without a single shot being fired. Stalin was right.

Pres. Bush, the Senate, the national media are for amnesty. Recently the Senate passed a bill giving

unlimited amnesty to illegal immigrants. The Senate bill must go to a committee with the House to seek a compromise.

Last November the House of Representatives passed a bill with no amnesty. Only the House of Representatives can refuse to compromise. At this point I seem to be losing the amnesty battle. Nevertheless, I am still fighting via the written word.

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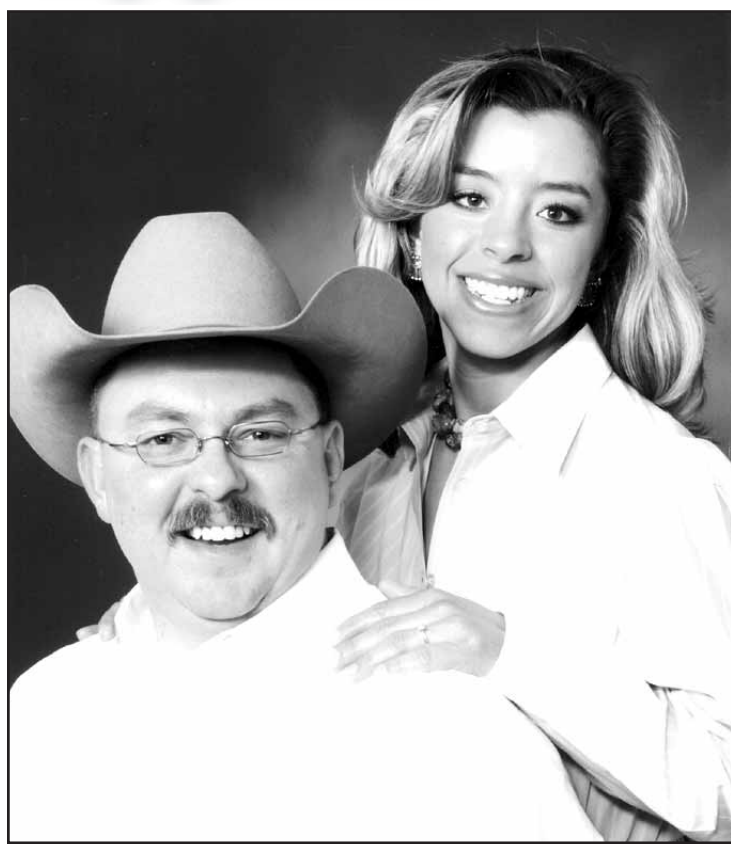
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## Engagements



ERIN HARPER AND MICHAEL DEAN

### Harper, Dean to wed

James and Lindy Harper of Alamogordo, N.M., announce the engagement and upcoming wedding of their daughter, Erin Joelle Harper, also of Alamogordo, to Michael G. Dean of Muleshoe.

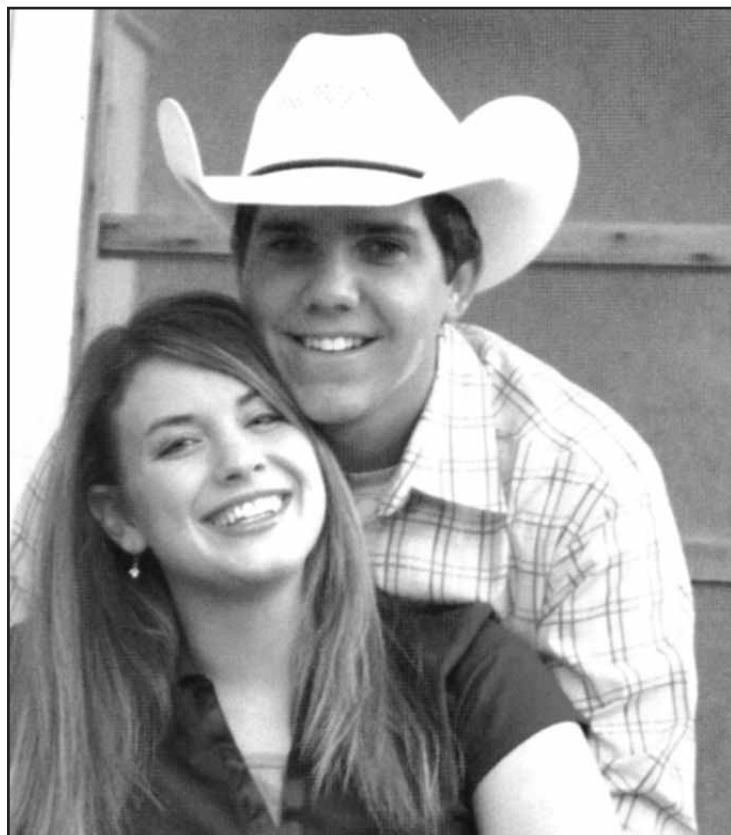
The prospective bride is a 2001 graduate of Tularosa High School, and a graduate of New Mexico State University. She is employed by Alta Genetics.

The prospective groom, who is the son of Malcolm and Betty Dean of Irving, is self-employed as The Hat Doctor.

The wedding date has been set for July 14, 2006, at 2 p.m., at the Muleshoe Cowboy Fellowship, with the Rev. Steve Friskup officiating. A reception will follow at La-Tea Da Tea Room.

Family and friends are invited to attend the wedding.

After the wedding, the couple plan to make their home in Muleshoe.



JENNA RASCO AND COLI HUNT

### Rasco, Hunt engaged

Wesley and Dana Rasco of Muleshoe announce the engagement of the daughter, Jenna LeAnn Rasco, to Coli Don Hunt, also of Muleshoe.

The prospective bride is employed in the dental office of Dr. Robert Lepard.

The prospective groom is the son of Curtis and Lavon Hunt. He is employed by IMS Catastrophe Services and Coby Baldwin Farms.

The wedding date has been set for Sept. 9, 2006, at 6 p.m., at the Muleshoe Church of Christ.

## Publication of Obituaries

Obituaries printed in the Muleshoe Journal are printed free of charge and contain the following types of information: date and details of funeral and place of burial; date and place of birth and parents names; date of marriage; limited biographical information, including the highest level of schooling achieved, service in the Armed Forces, profession (and retirement information if applicable); names of relatives who have preceded the person in death; names of survivors (including husband and wife, parents, in-laws, brothers, sisters, grandparents (only the number of grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren) will be included; and where memorials may be directed.

We will be pleased to run a one column black and white photo at no charge. A larger photo or a color photo will cause the obit to be paid. Please keep in mind that everything must be submitted by your funeral home.

## Ladies Golf Assn. News

The Muleshoe Ladies Golf Association met Wednesday, June 21, for golf, cards and lunch at the Muleshoe Country Club.

The meeting was called to order by association president Judy Wilbanks with 20 members present, Pat Kirk gave the blessing, secretary Shelia Stevenson read the minutes and treasure Pat Kirk gave the treasure's report.

Birthdays for the month are Anita Black and Neets Foster.

Sheryl Engelking reported that nine members went to High Plains in Dimmitt. Jerie Flowers gave the playday report and gave golf balls to the winners.

Tournament chairman Janet Precure ask if the association wanted to serve food for the mens

tournament in August.

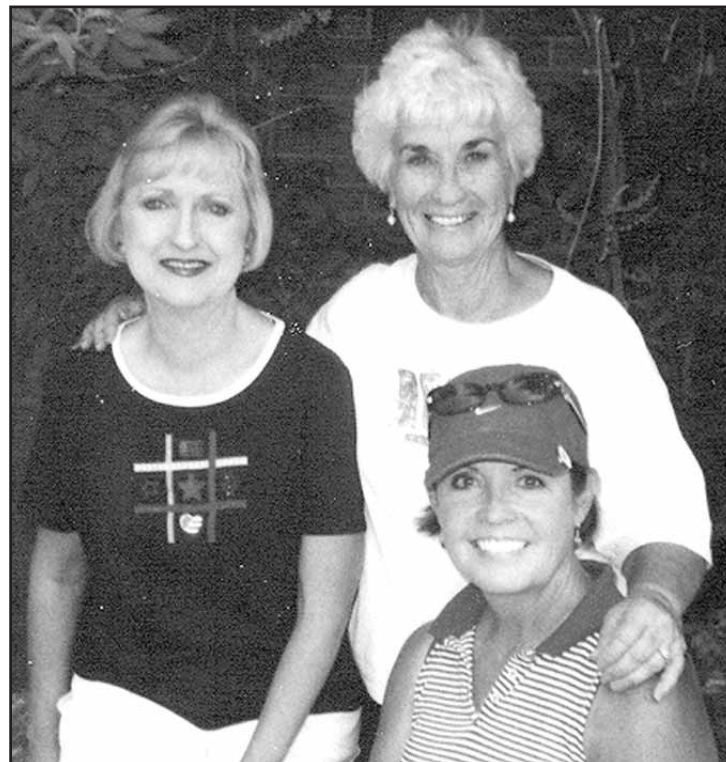
It was voted to do so.

She said plans for the Ruidosa trip in August and our ladies tournament in August was going well, meeting adjourned.

Twelve ladies played golf with four three-lady teams to play a scramble. The winning team was Sheryl Engelking, Helen Templeton and Judy Wilbanks.

Six ladies played cards.

Members present were Judy Wilbanks, Shelia Stevenson, Pat Kirk, Sheryl Engelking, Marlene Martin, Deborah Noble, Kay Field, Elinor Yerby, Helen Templeton, Analita Haley, Claudine Elloit, Janetta Precure, Irene Mason, Jerie Flowers, Janelle Turner, Jenny Bamert, Treena Mathews Melody Hettinga, Janet Claborn and Jan Fontilla.



### MLGA Golf scramble winners

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Effective July 1, The Honey Comb has been sold to longtime employee and friend Terrie Smith, and I have confidence she will not only continue to provide great customer service, but will strive to earn your business and trust as vigorously as I did over the years.

I will miss your companionship and camaraderie and plan to keep in contact with my beloved Muleshoe friends as I start this next chapter of my life. I love you all and wish Terrie and the girls at The Honey Comb the best of luck!

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### Some Thoughts on "Your Working & Your Living"

A good friend—former mayor of our town, second generation creator of world-class Mexican food, and reader of great books—sent me a great book a while back that I'm seriously into now and seriously enjoying. Written by Wendell Berry, it's entitled *Jayber Crow* and it is "The Life Story of Jayber Crow, Barber, of the Port William Membership, as Written by Himself."

Wendell Berry is a poet. Though this novel not poetry,

renewable resource and his livelihood possible. Their lives in general made Jayber's life interesting and, for the most part, he liked living life with them.

As I said, I like Jayber. I tend to think that though the world needs a smattering of qualified brain surgeons, a trusted barber is generally to most of us a good deal more useful. I even paid mine in advance a while back. He's been cutting my hair for 20 years now, and I trust him with my hair—along with my stories and opinions.

In his memoirs, Jayber reflects on the advantages of being a barber. When he started at Port William, Kentucky, in 1936, he bought a narrow two-story storefront building downtown. He lived on the top floor and worked on the bottom, and that was an advantage. As one of his friends said, "You got your working and your living right here together." Customers were always welcome in the shop for haircuts, talking, loafing, etc., but even the dimmest bulb among them respected the fact that upstairs was not where Jayber worked, it was where he lived.

That makes me think. You better be careful about trusting a fellow who likes to look religious but whose faith doesn't cover all of his working and his living and all of, well, life. And it's important to work well at your work.

But it seems to me that the folks whose work is worth the most are the ones who have and enjoy, like old Jayber, a "room upstairs," a gift from God—a shop to cut boards in, a good chair to read books in, a giggling grandbaby to take pride in, and the precious moments required to savor life so that our work is worthwhile.

Curtis Shelburne is minister of the 16th & D Church of Christ in Muleshoe.

**Focus On Faith**

Curtis Shelburne

its rich prose is almost poetry as Berry's main character, Jonah "Jayber" Crow, an old man, reflects on his life, his work, his town, and life in general.

I like Jayber. As the story goes, he'd thought pretty seriously about becoming a preacher, but he kept bumping up against too many questions of the sort that made folks in his Bible college pretty uncomfortable. Jayber was interested in and mighty busy living life—all of it and not just that part of it that some folks are able to stuff into a box effectively shut off from real life and call their religion. In his situation (and I'm thankful this isn't always the case), he decided he could better connect with people and with life by cutting hair and at the same time listening to, learning from, and enjoying, or not, the stories of the folks who sat in his chair. The reality of their physical lives made hair a

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**How Are Americans Celebrating the Fourth of July?**

At the Beach

How are Americans celebrating the Fourth of July? What are you doing? Can you fill in the crossword puzzle with the first word of each clue below to find out some ways in which we are celebrating?

**At Home!**

Can you find and circle at least 10 words that end with the letter "y"?

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entering raising  
listening visiting

1. \_\_\_\_\_ to speeches of freedom  
2. \_\_\_\_\_ to cool off  
3. \_\_\_\_\_ red, white and blue bunting from buildings  
4. \_\_\_\_\_ the Declaration of Independence  
5. \_\_\_\_\_ a pie eating contest  
6. \_\_\_\_\_ decorated bicycles  
7. \_\_\_\_\_ places, battlefields and buildings where people fought for liberty  
8. \_\_\_\_\_ in the parade  
9. \_\_\_\_\_ fireworks light up the sky  
10. \_\_\_\_\_ patriotic songs  
11. \_\_\_\_\_ our country's flag  
12. \_\_\_\_\_ with our family and friends

picnic swimming rides  
games pinwheels Uncle Sam  
flags concert hotdogs  
cheers bonfires fireworks

My family and I are lucky that we can simply fly to the seashore. We plan to play all day on the beach and the rocks of the jetty.

Can you find and circle all the words that describe the fun at the beach?

Help find Forest's drum for the parade. Three of the drums belong to his school and are exactly alike. Can you study the drums and find one that is different?

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# America

## Ragged Old Flag

(Written by Johnny Cash)

I walked through a county courthouse square,  
 On a park bench an old man was sitting there.  
 I said, "Your old courthouse is kinda run down."  
 He said, "Naw, it'll do for our little town."  
 I said, "Your flagpole has leaned a little bit,  
 And that's a Ragged Old Flag you got hanging on it."  
 He said, "Have a seat," and I sat down.  
 "Is this the first time you've been to our little town?"  
 I said, "I think it is." He said, "I don't like to brag,  
 But we're kinda proud of that Ragged Old Flag."  
 "You see, we got a little hole in that flag there  
 When Washington took it across the Delaware.  
 And it got powder-burned the night Francis Scott Key  
 Sat watching it writing 'Oh Say Can You See.' "  
 And it got a bad rip in New Orleans  
 With Packerham and Jackson tuggin' at its seams.  
 "And it almost fell at the Alamo  
 Beside the Texas flag, but she waved on through.  
 She got cut with a sword at Chancellorsville  
 And she got cut again at Shiloh Hill.  
 There was Robert E. Lee, Beauregard, and Bragg,  
 And the south wind blew hard on that Ragged Old Flag."  
 "On Flanders Field in World War I  
 She got a big hole from a Bertha gun.  
 She turned blood red in World War II  
 She hung limp and low by the time it was through.  
 She was in Korea and Vietnam.  
 She went where she was sent by her Uncle Sam."  
 "She waved from our ships upon the briny foam,  
 And now they've about quit waving  
 her back here at home.  
 In her own good land she's been abused — She's been  
 burned, dishonored, denied and refused."  
 "And the government for which she stands  
 Is scandalized throughout the land.  
 And she's getting threadbare and wearing thin,  
 But she's in good shape for the shape she's in.  
 'Cause she's been through the fire before  
 And I believe she can take a whole lot more."  
 "So we raise her up every morning,  
 Take her down every night.  
 We don't let her touch the ground  
 And we fold her up right.  
 On second thought I DO like to brag,  
 'Cause I'm mighty proud of that Ragged Old Flag."

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## Senior Citizen News

By Laverne Winn

Our thanks go to the crew that worked on our tile floors over the weekend. The floors look so great. Your help to the Center is very much needed and appreciated.

Many thanks go out to Joe Sowder and Fred Clements for their handyman work. They have come through again and helped us out at the center. The office really looks nice and a great job was done.

Next week is 4th of July Week. We will be open on Monday, July 3rd, but will be closed on Tuesday, July 4, and we will open again on Wednesday, July 5. Have a

happy and safe Fourth of July.

There will not be a dance on Tuesday night, July 4th. On Tuesday, July 11, the Bootscooters will be playing the music. Make plans to be here on the 11th. The dance begins at 7 p.m., breaks for pot luck supper at 8:30 p.m., and ends at 10 p.m. We have new friends that join us each Tuesday night.

Thursday, July 6, there will be an Income Management Program, beginning at 10 am. We encourage everyone to try and come to this very interesting, informative and helpful meeting. Menu for July 3-7:

Monday, July 3 — Hamburger on a bun, tator tots, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, mayo, ketchup and apricot cobbler.

Tuesday, July 4 — Closed for the holiday.

Wednesday, July 5 — Chicken-fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, wheat roll and gelatin.

Thursday, July 6 — Pork chops, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, salad, wheat roll and cobbler.

Friday, July 7 — Fish or chicken strips, gravy, tator tots, hushpuppies, coleslaw and fruit salad.



### REPRESENTATIVE SALES

SAT., JUNE 24, 2006

528 head of cattle, 120 hogs and 765 sheep and goats for a total of 1,413 livestock sold at the June 24 sale. Fewer receipts due to the rainfall Thursday night. Market steady on most classes of cattle. NO SALE July 1st. Have a happy & safe July 4th!

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Allen Holksberger, Portales, NM	6	Jersey X bulls	221 lbs.	at \$126.00
Grady Goodman, Portales, NM	4	Jersey X bulls	231 lbs.	at \$131.00
Darlene Barr, Hobbs, NM		Yell. str	250 lbs.	at \$144.00
Mike Crupe, Plainview		Red str	280 lbs.	at \$141.00
Dimas Acosta, Muleshoe		Blk. bull	360 lbs.	at \$137.00
Jerry Geisbrecht, Farwell	6	Mxd. str	364 lbs.	at \$150.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton		Char. bull	370 lbs.	at \$141.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton	2	Char. str	440 lbs.	at \$135.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton	4	Char. str	604 lbs.	at \$114.00
Wendell Jones, Morton		Red bull	575 lbs.	at \$109.00
Joe Beakley, Causey, NM		Blk. str	620 lbs.	at \$112.00
Sherril Jesko, Muleshoe	4	Red str	660 lbs.	at \$109.50
Jerry Geisbrecht, Farwell	6	Mxd. hfrs	311 lbs.	at \$147.50
Jerry Geisbrecht, Farwell	3	Blk. hfrs	363 lbs.	at \$135.00
Pat Newsom, Sudan	3	Char. hfrs	328 lbs.	at \$130.00
Mike Crupe, Plainview		Char. hfr	360 lbs.	at \$125.00
Rudy Chairez, Amherst		Char. hfr	400 lbs.	at \$126.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton	2	Char. hfrs	435 lbs.	at \$126.00
Peter Reimer, Muleshoe	4	Blk. hfrs	571 lbs.	at \$107.00
Rex Black, Muleshoe	2	Mxd. hfrs	680 lbs.	at \$94.50
Walt Eads, Denver City		Red pair		\$700.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton		Char. cow P6		\$700.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton		Red cow P8		\$670.00
JR & LE Farms, Morton	2	Char. cows	1383 lbs.	at \$46.00
J.D. Cage, Muleshoe	2	Red cows	1093 lbs.	at \$48.50
J.D. Cage, Muleshoe	2	Red cows	1210 lbs.	at \$47.75
Roy Taylor, Rogers, NM	2	Mxd. cows	1218 lbs.	at \$47.50
Joe Miller, Amherst		Char. cow	2020 lbs.	at \$47.50
Leon Londan, Farwell	3	Char. cows	1207 lbs.	at \$47.50
C&M Shorthorn, Littlefield		Roan cow	1205 lbs.	at \$46.00
Oscar Ronquillo, Earth		Blk. cow	1020 lbs.	at \$45.50
Harden & Watson, Lovington, NM		Blk. bull	1870 lbs.	at \$64.00
Marcos Lopez, Sudan		Blk. bull	1940 lbs.	at \$63.00

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## Heritage Foundation News

By Jean Allison

It takes Muleshoe area a community to make an activity successful, and the Muleshoe area made the 12th Annual Tour de Muleshoe one of the best!

The Tour is sponsored by the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation, and all proceeds go to the Heritage Foundation Center.

On Saturday, June 17, the weather cooperated with a high of about 88 degrees with cool breeze.

More than 200 bikers came and reported that the Tour de Muleshoe is their favorite.

Tammy Brown of Wolfforth was the winner of the \$500 which was drawn for after the Ride from all who had registered by June 11. Tammy said this was her second year to ride in the Tour de Muleshoe, and we bet she will return next year. Lonnie presented Timmy Eister a \$100 bill as the rider who had been in a bad wreck and yet rode in the Tour de Muleshoe Ride.

What did it take to make this event so successful? First, Lonnie Adrian, Muleshoe Heritage Foundation board member and general chairman of the ride begins planning the next year's ride immediately after the previous one. He gets the word out early on the internet to bike clubs and others, and understands all of the details it takes.

The Heritage Foundation Board members also cooperate and work very hard to make this event one to remember.

The first order of business is to get financial supporters, and the following Muleshoe businesses support the Ride not only with money but in every other way: Bailey County Electric Co-op, First Bank of Muleshoe, Five Area Telephone Co-op, Leal's Restaurant, Muleshoe Motor Company, Muleshoe State Bank and United

Supermarkets.

In the drawing after all of the riders had returned to the activity center of the Muleshoe Church of Christ, where the ride began and ended, many unique door prizes were drawn for and given to the many participants gathered there.

Many local and area businesses donated gifts — everything from generous gift certificates to a metal art kicking mule — to the event.

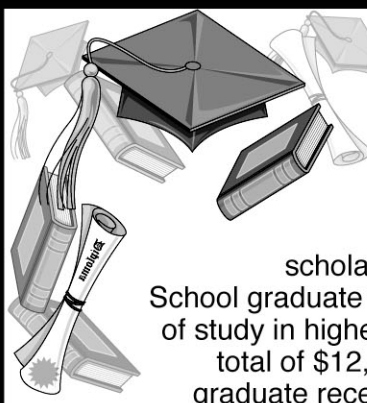
It takes many, many to make an activity like the Tour de Muleshoe successful, and the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation Board members appreciate all of those who worked. The following groups manned the rest stops on the different rides: The Jennyslippers, Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture, Muleshoe Journal, Diane Brown of MARY Kay Cosmetics with SCAC members, the Bob Stovall Halls family, and the Student Community Action Club of Muleshoe High School.

The delicious spaghetti lunch was cooked and served by Christi Adrian Watlington. A special note of thanks goes to the Student-Community Action Club members who served in many different areas with the help of sponsors Gina and Chris Mardis.

The students came Friday and helped set up for the day at the activity center, as well as helping with the rest stops.

It is difficult to express sufficient thanks to all who assisted in so many different areas, such as those who came very early to register and hand out the complimentary sacks, passing out the unusual Tour de Muleshoe T-shirts in correct sizes.

The Muleshoe Church of Christ activity building was a beautiful location for this activity and appreciation is expressed for the use of the facility



## Thank You!

Six years ago, the Muleshoe ISD Board of Trustees authorized the creation of the Muleshoe Opportunity Scholarship Trust (M.O.S.T.). This local scholarship fund was established to ensure that every Muleshoe High School graduate would receive a scholarship that would allow him or her to begin a course of study in higher education. At the end of May, the Muleshoe community had donated a total of \$12,503.00 that enabled us to make sure EVERY Muleshoe High School graduate received a \$250 scholarship to attend a university, college or trade school.

We want to thank the community of Muleshoe and friends of the school that gave so generously to support this worthy cause. We appreciate the Muleshoe School Board for its leadership in allowing us to pursue this goal. We want to say thank you to the volunteers and students that made posters and donated services and did hundreds of other details that were necessary to complete this project. This truly is an investment in the future of our children and the future of our community. We can all be proud to live in a community that gives so generously to support its youth.

Contributions or memorials for the M.O.S.T. Scholarship fund are accepted year-round and can be given by contacting the school at 272-7404.

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### Ready to race!

The youngsters pictured above were cheerfully ready to do their part at Friday's Relay for Life in Muleshoe at the high school's football stadium.

## Health

### Hype about hypertension discussed

Submitted by Mandi Seaton Bailey CEA-FCS

According to Andrew B. Crocker, extension program specialist, more than half of Americans over age 60 have high blood pressure; but, that does not mean it is part of normal aging.

High blood pressure, or hypertension, is sometimes called the "silent killer" because you cannot necessarily see or feel any of its symptoms. You can have hypertension and still feel just fine.

However, hypertension is a major health problem. If not treated, it can lead to stroke, heart disease, eye problems or kidney failure, among other things. The good news is that there are ways you can prevent or control high blood pressure.

Whether going in for a check-up or major surgery, having your blood pressure checked is a standard procedure for health providers. But, what exactly do those numbers mean and why are there two of them? The first, or top, number is your systolic pressure. This tells you how much your blood pushes against the blood vessel walls as your heart beats.

The second, or bottom, number measures the pressure while the heart relaxes between beats. This is the diastolic pressure. If your blood pressure is normal, according to current recommendations, your systolic pressure is less than 120 and your diastolic pressure is less than 80.

For older people, the first number (systolic) often is high (greater than 140), but the second number (diastolic) is normal (less than 80). This problem is called isolated systolic hypertension.

Isolated systolic hypertension is the most common form of high blood pressure in older people. Isolated systolic hypertension can lead to serious health problems. If you are diagnosed with hypertension, your health care provider will probably want you to make changes in your daily habits to try and lower those numbers.

He or she may also ask you to check your blood pressure at home at

different times of the day. If the numbers are still high after several checks, your health provider will probably suggest medication, changes in your diet and exercise.

Try these healthy habits recommended by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute to help you control or prevent high blood pressure:

- Keep a healthy weight. Being overweight adds to your risk of high blood pressure. Ask your health provider if you need to lose weight.

- Exercise every day. Moderate exercise may lower your risk of hypertension and heart disease. Try to exercise at least 30 minutes a day, five days a week or more. Check with your health provider before starting a new exercise program.

- Eat more fruits, vegetables, whole grains and low-fat dairy foods. Also, make sure you are getting enough potassium. Fresh fruits and vegetables are high in potassium. If using packaged foods, read the nutrition labels to choose those that have more potassium.

- Cut down on salt and sodium. Most Americans eat more salt and sodium than they need. A low-salt diet might help lower your blood pressure. Talk with your health provider about your salt intake.

- Drink less alcohol. Drinking alcohol can affect your blood pressure as it decreases the amount of water in your body. As a general rule, men shouldn't have more than two drinks a day; women not more than one drink a day.

If lifestyle changes alone do not control your high blood pressure, your health provider may tell you to take blood pressure pills. You may need to take medicine for the rest of your life.

It is important to note any significant changes in your health or level of functioning once you start taking blood pressure medication. The dose may need to be adjusted to suit your needs and this may take several attempts.

If you have high blood pressure, remember that:

- High blood pressure may not make you feel sick, but it is serious.

- You can lower your blood pressure by changing your daily habits and, if needed, by taking medicine. If you need to take high blood pressure medicine, lifestyle changes may help lower the dose you need and reduce side effects.

- If you have hypertension but are controlling it through diet, exercise and medication, that's great. But if another health provider asks if you have high blood pressure, the answer is "yes, but it is being treated."

- Tell your health provider about all the drugs you take. Don't forget to mention over-the-counter drugs, vitamins and dietary supplements. They may affect your blood pressure and may change how well your blood pressure medicine works.

- Blood pressure pills should be taken at the same time each day. If you miss a dose, do not double the dose the next day. Contact your health provider if you have any questions.

- If you have high blood pressure, test it at home between check-ups. Ask your health provider to show you how. Make sure you are seated with your feet on the floor and your back has something to lean against.

Relax quietly for five minutes before checking your blood pressure. Your arm should be resting on a support at the level of your heart. Keep a list of the results to share with your health provider.

With a little effort and attention, you can make great strides in preventing hypertension from affecting you and your family. You may also be able to effectively control your or your loved one's hypertension. For more information, contact Mandi Seaton, Bailey County extension agent • Family and Consumer Sciences, 306 West Second, Muleshoe, TX 79347, 806-272-4583.

You may also visit the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute at <http://www.nhlbi.nih.gov/health/public/heart/index.htm>.

## Classic car show set for Littlefield

The Lamb County Cruzers of Littlefield are hosting a classic car and motorcycle show on Saturday, July 1, at the Littlefield High School softball field parking lot on

Waylon Jennings Blvd., (Hwy. 54). Registration for participants in the show will be from 9-11 a.m., with the show scheduled for 11 a.m. -

3 p.m. Awards will be presented at 3 p.m. For additional information call (806)385-5662, (806)385-4565, or (806)638-7083.

### Military News

#### Scoggins enlists

James L. Scoggin has joined the United States Air Force under the Delayed Entry Program.

Scoggin will report to Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas, for active duty on September 26, 2006.

He is the son of Marena Tate of Camino Dos Vidas, Las Cruces, N.M., and Preston Scoggin of Farwell.

*Clara Flores would like to thank all who showed their kindness by sending cards, food, prayers and flowers during the loss of my husband. I thank the Ellis Funeral Home staff for making my loss easier. I keep you all in my prayers. I am very grateful to each of you for your kindness.*

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# Nursing Home News

Wednesday morning, Loyce Killingsworth, and Buster and Wanda Kittrell served coffee and donuts to the residents at the "Second Cup Café."

Buster Kittrell, James and Ann Sinclair, Anna B. Lane, Loyce Killingsworth, Jo Ellen Cowart and Glen Williams directed the singspiration and devotional time Wednesday morning.

Glenda Jennings and Jackie Scoggins came to entertain and direct a sing-a-long Wednesday afternoon.

Marlin and Loma Mosley wnet out for lunch with Loma's son Ronnie Gustin Wednesday.

Howard Awbrey received a visit from his brother bob and sister-in-law Robbie Awbrey last week.

Mollie Johnson was escorted to the singles banquet at the First Baptist Church by Jo Ellen Cowart Saturday evening. G. R. Lasiter was escorted by Joan Lewis.

Joe Bates Jennings and Sharon Grant visited Loma

and Marlin Mosley Sunday evening.

Thursday morning, Nancy Lemons delivered ceramic pieced for the residents to pain in craft class.

Zona Gatewood played the piano as the residents sang along Thursday morning in the Day Room as well as in the Meadows Park.

Judy Cox, Amy Barnes and Karie Preston from the Trinity Christian Church provided homemade ice cream for the Fathers Day celebration Friday afternoon.

Bro. Jack and Debbie provided entertainment. Volunteers Plus and the Activity Department hosted the event.

Bill Lambert was recognized as being the Father living the most years. Mr. Lambert is 101 years of age. Nathan Bemmer being a meer 49 years of age received a gift for being the youngest.

Marlin Mosley was voted and named Father of the

Year.

Bill Lambert's daughter and son-in-law from Wyoming attended the celebration with him.

Louise Agee celebrated her birthday Friday. Mrs. Agee received visits from her family and friends, gifts, flowers, card and phone calls on her day.

The pots of flowers and tomato vines are just beautiful that Mrs. Agee and her daughter Lou Ann Black, planted. They exactly game our patio a special touch.

Thursday afternoon, Peggy Burnett, Margaret Wilhite, Helen Adrian, June Conway, Clara Harbin, Melody Sheets, and Hallie Sheets from the 16th and D Church of Christ baked and served homemade pie to the residents.

Thursday evening, Frank Parker came and cut several of the men's hair.

Melvin and Wanda Griffin came to visit the residents and staff Friday afternoon.

Melvin and Mike Griffin, Edward Orozco, Gary Skaggs, and Jerome Clemmons, cooked breakfast for the men Thursday morning. The breakfast was all you can eat of eggs, sausage, biscuits, gravy, hashbrowns, piping hot

coffee, juice, jam and jellies. "Ummm" good!

The Bingo Bash was directed by Butch Vandiver, Saturday afternoon.

Mary Johnson celebrated her birthday recently, She too received many cards, gifts, visits, and good wishes.

Betty Jo Davis and Beth Webb visited several of the residents Friday afternoon.

Rick Hunter, Eula Hennington, and Arnold Prater are all in hospitals at this writing. Please remember them and their families in your prayers.

We are really excited about the van that shall be purchased by donations from the caring folks of our community. We are grateful.

The Muleshoe Church of Christ directed a communion service Sunday morning.

Jo Ellen Cowart taught the Bible Study Sunday morning.

The Earth Church of Christ came Sunday afternoon and directed church services.

The Sudduth brothers and their wives are scheduled to play and entertain our 4th of July cook-out at noon.

Tuesday morning Edna from Earth played the piano

and the residents sang a long.

Pat Watson, Dolores Garrett, Pat Clark, Beckye Conklin, Ruby Henderson, and Lanell Stancell came to shampoo and style the ladies hair, Tuesday afternoon.

Peggy Dent, Doris Palmer, Jamie Pruitt, Liz Worm and Bill set out flowers Saturday and Sunday evening around the gazebo and around the drive through.

James Wedel came Wednesday morning to go shopping and run errands for Park View.

I really appreciate the volunteers for coming and do all their volunteer work for the residents while I was away on vacation. You are wonderful!

## Muleshoe student to attend camp

Elizabeth Salamanza from Muleshoe High School has been accepted to attend Camp AHEC this summer at the Area Health Education Center of the Plains July 5-8.

Students attending the camp are interested in pursuing careers in healthcare.

### Old-timers reunion to be held July 4

The Muleshoe Old-Timers Reunion will be held on July 4, at 2 p.m., in the meeting room of the Bailey County Coliseum on West American Blvd. There will be a program, refreshments, and visiting.

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**New Listing** - Spacious 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, ref. air/central heat, fireplace, office, ref. air, central heat, 2 car garage, storage bldg. All on corner lot.

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**New Listing** - Great 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, built-ins, fireplace, ref. air, central heat, basement, fenced back yard, 2 car garage. Call for more details.

**Just Listed** - 480 acres NE of Bovina, 2 circular sprinklers, 3 wells, 1 submersible well. Includes 141.5 acres of CRP. Excellent cattle operation. Call for details.

**New Listing** - Lazbuddie area, 2 bedroom, 1 bath brick home, built-ins, ref. air/central heat, 2- car garage, all on approximately 3 acres.

**Price Reduced** - Nice 4 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, built-ins, fireplace, ref. air/central heat, sprinkler system, fenced back yard, 2 car garage, all on corner lot.

**New Listing** - Nice country 2 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, built-ins, ref. air, central heat, sunroom, lg. utility room, 2 car garage, sprinkler system, fenced back yard, 2 metal barns, all on approx. 3 to 4 acres.

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You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday August 7, 2006, before the Honorable District Court of Bailey County, at the Courthouse in said County in Muleshoe, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 30th day of January 2006 in the above entitled cause.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Divorce If land describe: \_\_\_\_\_ acres, lot & block # \_\_\_\_\_ as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Muleshoe, Texas this 21st day of June 2006.

Attorney for Plaintiff or Plaintiff:  
Tina Davis  
108 E. Ave. C  
Muleshoe, TX 79347  
Clerk of the Court:  
Elaine Parker  
Bailey County, Texas  
By/s/ Becky Espinoza Deputy  
Published in the Muleshoe Journal June 29, July 6 & 13, 2006.

## FOR SALE

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For Sale: 2004 Toyota Celica GT must sell. 26K miles, great MPG. Call Fred Byrd at 505-762-3703. 1ch6-29

## FOR LEASE

For Lease: Office/Restaurant/Commercial Building at 1106 West American Blvd. (Former Donut Hole) 1600 sq. ft. Plenty of parking. May divide. Call Dan Brannon 512-848-1950. 4ch6-8

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**2 BR/1 BA/SINGLE CAR GAR** — Brick home in Sudan. Excellent neighborhood with recent carpet and tile in most of the house. GREAT STARTER HOME!! 307 Minyard. \$35,000

**3 BR/2-1/2 BA/2 CAR GAR** — Brick home, approx. 1920' sq. ft. living area, located 1 block from school in Sudan on Hwy. 303. Well kept home, awesome kitchen and nice neighborhood. PRICE REDUCED!!!! \$75,000

**3 BR/2 BA/2 CAR GARAGE** — 610 Wilson, Sudan. Brick home on corner lot, located 2 blocks from Sudan schools. Sprinkler system, hardwood flooring, recently remodeled bathroom, building in back, perfect for workshop or a home business. Owner is Texas Realtor. \$60,000

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## BACKYARD SALE

915 E. Gum  
July 1st, 8:00 a.m.-?  
Twin bed, toddler bed, furniture, knick-knacks, and little girls clothes. 1ch6-29

The Muleshoe Journal would like to wish everyone a very safe and wonderful 4th of July! Please be careful if you are going to be handling fireworks. Come and enjoy the parade and all the vendors that will be on hand on the 4th. Don't forget the fireworks display at the New City Park which will begin as soon as it is dark.

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**Richland Hills, 1713 W. Ave. I** — Beautiful 2-story home with unique open concept, large rooms, storage, covered patio, hot tub/spa and circular drive. Great for entertaining. REDUCED \$220,000.

**Muleshoe area farm in prime dairy location!! Dairy permit in process!! 1310 acres** located about 6 miles NE of Muleshoe in the heart of an area found to be excellent for dairies. This farm is eight quarter sections that have been very well maintained and cared for. This farm lays well and is set up for peak production with center pivot sprinklers, 7 packaged for 700 gal/min and 1 packaged for 550 gal/min. There are three houses as well as two barns, a shop building, and a storage building. One house has been completely updated with granite countertops in kitchen, new flooring, and a beautiful sunroom addition.

**Commercial** — 1202 W. American Blvd. - Prime location in Muleshoe, off Main thru way. \$90,000.

**Commercial** — 623 W. American Blvd. Muleshoe, TX 79347 - A thriving business in a progressive rural city. The business currently includes tree and plant sales, landscaping projects of all sizes, yard sprinkler planning and installation, and yard and tree spraying. Also included are approximately 700 growing trees on five acres south of Muleshoe that will be maintained by the current owners for five years. The land does not convey. Great opportunity!

**Commercial** — 311 W. American Blvd. Muleshoe, TX 79347 - An established business that carries everything for your farm animals needs. Currently, this business carries hay, Hi-Pro feed for large and small animals and a wide variety of animal care essentials. It is located in an area surrounded by feed yards, dairies and farmsteads.

**Hart** — CR 522 & CR 619—661 acres Northwest of Hart, TX in a very good water area. 4 wells. Great Farm! \*see other listings in Farms & Land

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• Irrigated farms — Plains, Earth,, Levelland, Plainview and Littlefield.  
• Amherst — 5/2/2 on 2 acres, \$48,000.  
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• **1288 Acres in Southwestern Bailey County**-932 acres in C.R.P. through 2017. Balance is Native grass. New Mexico state line is West boundary. 6 miles of fence. Good domestic well. Quail, antelope, and other hunting. Excellent cash flow for a hunting retreat.

• **Bailey County** - Stegall area. 3000 square foot home. Austin Stone. Metal roof. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 park garage. Outside in good condition, inside needs update. A large house for a bargain price. \$50,000.

• **309 acres** - Near Progress. Hwy. 84 frontage. 1/2 mile of pavement. Good soil, lays good, depreciable assets.

• **Bailey County**—70 acres Northwest of Muleshoe on U.S. Highway 84. 76' x 36' doublewide home. 40' x 80' x 16' shop barn is insulated. 36' x 45' horse barn. Can be sold with or without doublewide. Possible to divide acreage.

• **Bailey County** — West of Muleshoe on 1760. 315 acres, 3 wells, 1 towable sprinkler. Fenced. Large Quonset barn.

• **Bailey County** — 354 acres in Baileyboro area; 250 acres of non-irrigated farmland; 100 acres of native grass.

• **Lamb County** — 1000+ acres northwest of Littlefield. 9 pivot sprinklers, good livestock pens. Excellent soil for peanuts and potatoes.

• **Lamb County**—Southeast of Amherst 922 acres, 310 acres of alfalfa. 5 center pivots, 42 acres of drip irrigation.

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**LENAU - COUNTRY CLUB AREA**

• 3-1 Home, corner lot, built-ins, Cent. A&H, fenced yd., workshop/storage!! \$42K!!

**HIGH SCHOOL AREA**

• VERY NICE 3-3 BR/2.5 Bath Home 2 carport Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, 2600 sq. ft. living area, corner lot. \$119,500.

• NICE 3-2 Home, Central heat & air, kitchen stove, approx. 1600' lv. area, fenced yard, storage building!! \$49,5K!!

• NICE 3-1.5-1 Carport Home, 1380' lv. area, Cent. A&H, remodeled, new paint, carpet, stove, W&D, Thermal windows, metal trim, corner lot!! \$65K!!

• 2-2 Bdrm., 1 bath units & 1-1 Bdrm., 1 bath unit, Cent. Elec. Heat Pumps, appliances, furniture, fenced!! GOOD RENTAL PROPERTY!! \$85K!!

• VERY NICE 3-2-2 Brick Home +2 carport, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, 2157' main lv. area, plus nice office, hot tub, covered patio, fenced yd., workshop/storage bldg. w/air compressor!! REMODELED!! \$150K!!

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• 413' Frontage on S. Hwy. 214, 24' x 50' shop, 24' x 30' office, chainlink fence!! \$21K!!

• 4.2 acre tract at edge of town, 40' x 60' metal insulated bldg., 2 other sheetiron bldgs., chainlink fenced area, numerous uses!! \$59K!!

• Approx. 1274' Building, 75' x 140' lot, U.S. Hwy. 84!! \$35K!!

**RURAL**

• CLAY'S CORNER - 320 acres, 2 wells, 2 circle sprinklers, 2 bedroom 2 bath, 2 carport home!!

• NICE 3-2-2 Home on 60 acre tract!! Central A&H, built-ins approx. 2575' lv. area, 10 hp, well, workshop, barns, corrals, fenced!! MORE!! \$130,000!!

• NEEDMORE-3-1.5 Home on 2.5 acres, Cent. heat, win. evap. air, metal roof, 1504' lv. area, 1920' barn, 320' & 304' stor. bldgs.!! \$32.5!!

• NEEDMORE - Gin Building, office, well on 3.6 acres (Hwy. 214 & FM 298) !! \$13,500!!

• NEEDMORE - NICE 3-2-2 Brick home on Hwy. 214, 1.14 acres, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, fans, stor. bldg., horse pen. MORE!! PRICE REDUCED \$74,9K!!

• LAZBUDDIE AREA — 3-2-2 Home, Cent. A&H, built-ins, FP, deck, hot tub, cellar, stor. bldgs., on 2 acre tract!! \$95K!! Additional 156 acre farm w/circle sprinkler, 3-20 hp. sub. wells!! \$495 per acre!!

## Students 'Walk Across Texas'

Submitted by Mandi Seaton, Bailey CEA-FCS

The DeShazo Elementary Fourth Grade Physical Education students participated in the "Walk Across Texas" program this spring.

The Walk Across Texas Program was created by Texas Cooperative Extension in 1996 to promote and increase physical activity in kids. Developing healthy habits at a young age will help reduce the risk of heart disease, diabetes, osteoporosis, and certain cancers.

Walk Across Texas kicked off for the fourth graders on March 13. Each class chose a team name and the competition began.

Team names were: Mrs. Bundick's class — The Walkers; Mrs. Gruben's class — The Mule Runners; Mrs. Miller's class — The Longhorns; Mr. Keller's class — The Cowboys; Mrs. White's class — The 76ers; and Mrs. Fisher's class —

Fisher's Friends.

They walked in P.E. class and they also collected bonus miles with their families by walking after school and on weekends.

The eight-week program resulted in the classes walking a combined total of 6,162.5 miles.

That is equivalent to walking 7.33 times back and forth across Texas, from Dalhart to Brownsville. The class walking the most miles was Mrs. Miller's class — The Longhorns — with 1,462 miles. They were awarded a pizza party for their efforts. The second place class was Mrs. Bundick's class — The Walkers — with 1,284 miles. Mrs. Gruben's class — The Mule Runners — was third place with 1,173 miles.

The top three students contributing the most bonus miles were awarded Wal-Mart gift cards. First place was Liliانا Vasquez. Liliانا had 259 bonus miles. Shaylee Winchell was second place with 246 bonus miles. Arthur Recio turned in 191 bonus miles.

The Graduation activities for Walk Across Texas were held on May 15 in the DeShazo gymnasium. A total of 108 students were presented with certificates of achievement for their participation. Each student was also given a pedometer used to calculate miles walked during the program. Pedometers were provided through a grant by the Texas Cancer Council.

Nutrition education was also a significant component of the Walk Across Texas program at DeShazo

Elementary.

The Dietary Guidelines for Americans recommend finding the balance between food and physical activity. Eating right and being physically active are keys to a healthful lifestyle. Nutrition topics covered included MyPyramid for Kids, Healthy Snacks, Portion Control, and Power Foods.

For more information about Walk Across Texas, contact Mandi Seaton, Bailey County Extension Agent — Family and Consumer Sciences, 306 West Second, Muleshoe, TX 79347, 806-272-4583.

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### Gatewood honored

Christopher Gatewood, of Muleshoe made the Dean's List and the Honor Roll in his second term of study at The Thomas M. Cooley Law School in Lansing, Mich.

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