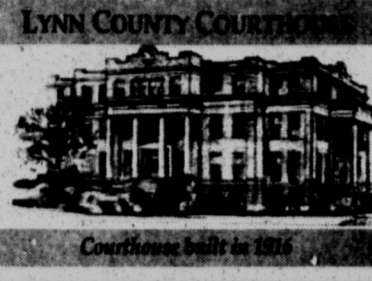


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Little League Softball Try-Outs, Last Signup Date Is Saturday

Tahoka Little League Softball Try-Outs and the last chance to sign-up will be held Saturday, Aug. 28 at 10:30 am at the Northwest playground of Tahoka Elementary School.

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Aug. 18	84	62	
Aug. 19	85	65	
Aug. 20	82	63	1.35"
Aug. 21	83	70	
Aug. 22	89	68	
Aug. 23	95	67	
Aug. 24	94	73	

Summer Heat Units since 5-1-04: 2018
Total Precipitation in Aug: 4.05"
Total Precipitation to date: 25.75"
(Oops - Total the last 4 weeks was incorrect. This is the correct figure.)

Words of Wisdom

"Blessed is the man who digs a well from which another may draw faith."

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CLOSED FRIDAYS

Bulldogs To Open Grid Season Friday Night

The Tahoka Bulldogs, with most of their offensive and defensive players returning from last season, are counting on experience and conditioning to pay off with a more positive record this year as they open their season Friday night at Sundown.

"We worked hard on being aggressive throughout the entire off-season, and our weight program was successful with everybody showing improvement," said head coach and athletic director Troy Hinds.

"We will be counting on leadership from junior QB Patrick Dotson, who has proven to be able to connect with his receivers when given the chance," the coach added. He said his primary wide receivers should be senior Jamie Madore and junior Troy Price. Also, he said, a couple of big targets at tight ends should be junior Zach Tillman (6-3, 180) and sophomore Matt McLelland (6-3, 190).

Hinds is counting on sophomore running backs Ja-Vaen Tillman (5-10, 155) and Josh Valdez (5-7, 155).

The offensive line, which took a blow when returning senior Josh Schwartz suffered a season-ending knee injury in practice, will be headed up by seniors Dustin Brookshire (6-1, 185) and James Deleon (5-7, 185), plus juniors Brandon Jackson and Nathan Garcia (second team all-district) and sophomores Josh Hawthorne and Heath Ross.

Defensively, aggressive speed should bring some success, said Coach Hinds. "We will be depending on senior Zach Gutierrez (5-8, 160) to make the call in the huddle and lead the attack from the linebacker position." Leading the front line will be juniors Carlos Cantu and Garcia, and Brookshire and McLelland.

Hinds believes his secondary has more speed than ever before, with Price, Chase Tillman and Kyle Preston making the coverage and outside help. Also counted on is returning leading tackler from 2003 Jeremy Antu. Others expected to help out include Brandon Jackson, Deleon, and sophomores Lance Murphy, Damon Moore and Josh Hawthorne.

Despite the facts that Tahoka now has a 16-game losing streak and has been put into a killer Class AA district, Hinds believes the Bulldogs will be up for the challenge and ready to represent the program with a different speed of football. "I look to be able to compete with everybody in the district as long as we do not have any injuries."

Hinds said the entire program, including the junior varsity, "makes me proud to watch them work out the way they do and continue to compete and improve. He also praised his coaching staff which includes Richard Jackson, Drew Stone, Jon Galley, Eric Rivas and Steve Wiseman.



QB Patrick Dotson

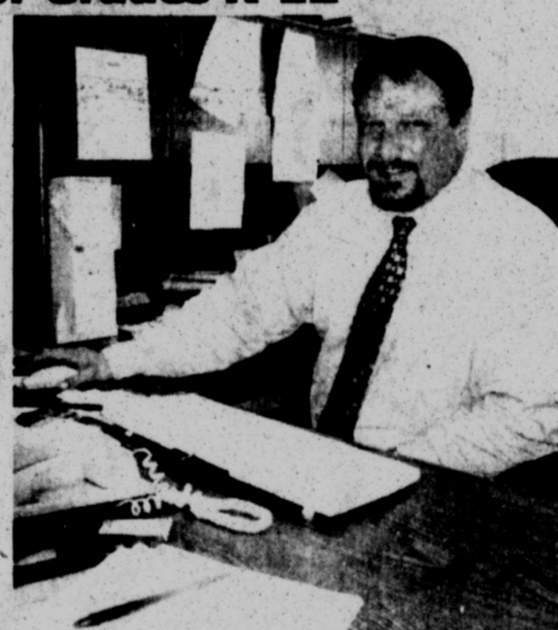
Wilson ISD Has New Principal, Larry Williams, For Grades K-12

Larry R. Williams of Lubbock is the new Principal for all grade levels at Wilson Independent School District this year.

Williams has been employed at New Deal ISD since 1999, as a Special Education teacher, Alternative Education Program Administrator, and Assistant Principal since 2001.

He is currently working on obtaining his Doctorate of Education from Texas Tech University, and earned his Masters at TTU in 2001, and a Bachelors degree in 1999.

He earned his principal certification in 2002.



Shane Fiedler Is New Principal At New Home School District

Shane Fiedler has turned in his band instruments for a new direction in his educational career this year. Fiedler, a band director for the past eight years (one year in Tascosa High School in Amarillo and the past seven years at Slaton High School) is the new Principal at New Home Independent School District.

"I am excited about being at New Home Schools," Fiedler said.

Fiedler is from Hobbs, New Mexico. He graduated from West Texas A&M University in Canyon and earned his masters from Lubbock Christian University.

He and his wife, Delinda, who is from Hereford, are expecting a child in February.



Public Comments Sought On Proposed Tax Rate For County

Lynn County residents may attend a public hearing today (Thursday) at 2 p.m. for Lynn County Commissioners to hear public comments regarding the proposed tax rate for Lynn County. The hearing will be held in the county courtroom in the courthouse basement.

A tax increase of 11.6 cents has been proposed to fund the proposed 2004 budget, which would make the county tax rate almost a dollar, at \$0.96980.

Commissioners will not vote on the issue at today's hearing, but have set two more hearings as required by law for voting separately on the tax rate and the proposed budget. The tax rate will officially be set at the next hearing scheduled for 2 p.m. Sept. 3, when commissioners will vote after hearing any other public comment, and they also will approve a proposed budget. The final budget will not be officially approved until the next public hearing on Sept. 13, after the regular commissioner's court meeting.

Commissioners, met in regular session Monday morning and accepted a lone bid of \$97,500 for a maintainer for Precinct 4. Monthly bills were also approved.



GARDEN TOUR - David Hale greets visitors at his home during the Garden Tour Saturday morning, sponsored by Phebe K. Warner Club. Here, Hale shows his garden pond to Sue Tekell and Joy Bragg, at 1801 South 3rd. The tour featured five homes in Tahoka, with all proceeds benefitting the club's local scholarship program. Sponsors reported a good turnout for the event. (LCN PHOTO)

Riding Mower Is Stolen Here

Several thefts were investigated by Tahoka Police Dept. during the last week, including a riding lawn mower owned by a resident of Lynnwood Assisted Living Center.

Thomas Leverett told police someone took the mower when it was parked in front of his shop in the 1100-block of Ave. J Friday night or early Saturday. The mower is described as black, 13.5 hp and 42-inch cut. Leverett said the mower was in good condition and that he really needed it.

Also stolen was a 900-pound aluminum rim for an 18-wheeler owned by Rip Griffin's. Tire service man Ben Martinez told police he came to Tahoka to change a tire on the truck Sunday, and since the rim weighed so much he couldn't put it into his service truck, so he left it in the grass next to U.S. 87 and called for help to pick up the rim. He had to leave briefly and when the other workers arrived they could not find the rim, which is valued at \$3,000.

Julia Liendo Quintero told police Sunday that electronics equipment valued at \$850 had been stolen from her, and named a suspect. Investigation was continuing.

A one-car rollover on S. Ave. E near S. 6th St. Saturday night resulted in property damage but no apparent injury to the driver, identified as Frank Perez, 18 of Tahoka.

There also reportedly was a one-vehicle rollover in O'Donnell, but no details of that accident were available.

Ten persons were jailed during the last week, five for public intoxication. Others were charged with driving while intoxicated second offense, possession of marijuana under two ounces, violation of open container law, and failure to identify to a peace officer plus fictitious license plate.

Total number of persons in jail as of Wednesday was 45, including 15 held for Lubbock County and nine for Garza County.

woodwork

by dalton

SOME THINGS, like my computer, my toilet and some of my relatives, just don't work all the time like they are supposed to.

I won't say which relatives, because most of them can read and they are all larger than I am, and to talk about my computer and how illogical it acts at times is a whole new topic worth more space than I can give it here. But I can talk a little about my toilet, or more specifically, just the one which mostly doesn't do what it is supposed to.

Every couple of years or so I complain about the burden which some moronic engineers someplace in government placed on the average homeowner. A law was passed years ago which says plumbers may not install commodes in private homes that actually work on the first pull. Somebody decided that a lot of water would be conserved if the amount of water in a tank was limited to two gallons, or whatever the standard is.

That way, some idiot reasoned, people wouldn't waste as much water as they would with larger water closets above their commodes.

Their reasoning stinks, and their faces ought to be flushed. What happens is that you have to flush a toilet twice (at least) before it will do its duty. This, of course, wastes more water than people did in the past when larger water closets were allowed.

It also is frustrating, if you are late getting someplace. You are ready to leave the building, but you have to wait three more minutes to flush the toilet again.

Apparently businesses are allowed to have toilets that flush, usually the kind that have no water tank at all. These seem to work, so why can't I buy one for my home?

A friend who has done some plumbing tells me that some brands of toilets for homes work better than others, but the good ones are really expensive.

Well, so what? In the long run, you could probably save a few scents.

THE WISE GUY at Wilson says "Don't worry about what people think; they don't do it very often."



WISHING WELL - Marquita Scott and Donnis Scott, both of Tahoka, stop for a moment at the wishing well at the home of David and Kathy Hale, during the Garden Tour sponsored by Phebe K. Warner Club here Saturday. (LCN PHOTO)

4-H Sign-Ups Set For August 30th

Lynn County 4-H will host a sign-up meeting on Monday, August 30 from 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. at the Extension Office in Tahoka (1600 Avenue J).

Any youth between the ages of 5 and 19 are welcome to come by and learn more about the 4-H program.

Some of the activities that 4-H'ers participate in include: foods & nutrition, livestock, consumer decision making, judging events, record books, community service projects, camps, leadership, and workshops.

There is no cost to join 4-H and all area youth are welcome to come by. Call 561-4562 for more information.

STORK REPORT

Zachary Dale Crank was born to Jennifer Crank of Tahoka on Monday, August 2, 2004, at 1:44 p.m. at Lubbock Covenant Hospital. He weighed 9 lbs. and 10 oz. and was 23 inches long.

He has two sisters Sarah and Kathryn Crank. Grandparents are Joe and Marlene Patterson of Tahoka.

Senior Citizens MENU

August 30- September 3
Monday: Beef stroganoff and noodles, peas, carrots, cole slaw, hot roll, apple or orange slice
Tuesday: Beef enchiladas, Mexican corn and beans, stewed tomatoes, peach shortcake, jalapeno cornbread
Wednesday: BBQ Chicken, blackeye peas, brussel sprouts, cornbread, apple cobbler
Thursday: Beef roast, mashed potatoes, oriental or mixed vegetables, tossed salad/1000 island, biscuit, brownie
Friday: Vegetable Beef Stew, pea salad waldroff salad, cornbread, peach cobbler or cake

New Home ISD Tax Rate Revised To Include Bonded Indebtedness

New Home Independent School District this week released revised information regarding the budget and proposed tax rate for 2004, to include an additional ten cents over the \$1.50 Maintenance and Operating fund rate.

New Home ISD voters last May approved a \$700,000 bond election for improvements to the district, in-

cluding the addition of four new classrooms. A separate Interesting and Sinking (I&S) fund tax rate has been set at 10.76-cents to pay for the bonded indebtedness, making the total tax rate \$1.6076 for New Home school district, as opposed to the \$1.50 total rate which was previously released.

With the new tax rate, homeowners may see an increase in total taxes even though property values are lower, according to figures released by the school district and Lynn County Tax Appraisal District. A home valued at \$49,944 last year compares to \$48,492 this year, with taxes of \$524 paid at the \$1.50 rate last year and increasing to \$538 at the \$1.6076 rate for 2004. That's an increase of \$14 in total taxes.

New Home ISD will hold a public hearing at 7 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 13 in the school library to discuss the budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted.

THS Class of 1949 Plans Get-Together At Homecoming

Tahoka High's class of 1949 will mark the 55th anniversary of its graduation with some special events planned at Homecoming on October 1.

Class members and their spouses/guests will meet for lunch, beginning at 11:00 a.m., at PJ's Deli in Tahoka and from there they will attend the Homecoming program at the high school. The parade from school to downtown will follow the afternoon program and the remainder of the day/evening will be spent in visiting at the First Baptist Church Annex.

All members have been notified and are asked to respond to Mary (Draper) Fleming in Seminole or to Duane and Bennie Carter in Tahoka. Former teachers are especially invited to attend, as well as friends in earlier and later classes.

In 1999, the 50th anniversary of graduation, 31 out of 38 ex-students attended some or all of the events. Twelve members of the class are deceased.

Officers of the class of '49 were Duane Carter, president; Bennie (Pridmore) Carter, vice-president; Wanda Faye Smith Farr (deceased), secretary; Myrle Holcomb Depew, treasurer; and Mary (Draper) Fleming, reporter. Travis Morgan and Margaret (Durham) McMeans (deceased) were class favorites. Gerald Wayne Tippit was cheerleader.

Class of '79 Plans Reunion

The Tahoka High School Class of 1979 is in the process of planning their 25-year reunion which will be held Oct. 1-2 in conjunction with Homecoming and the Lynn County Harvest Festival. Class members will participate in the annual homecoming program and parade and have an after-game party Friday night. On Saturday, the group will gather for a BBQ dinner.

Classmates who have not received information on the reunion should contact Claudia Guin at 998-4747 or Vicki Dunn at 561-4299.

Golf is so popular simply because it is the best game in the world at which to be bad.

—A.A. Milne

A tart temper never mellows with age; and a sharp tongue is the only edged tool that grows keener with constant use.

—Washington Irving

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An Open Letter to the Residents of Tahoka and Lynn County:

There have been some changes at Tahoka Care Center over the last few months. Out with the old and in with the new. I took over operation of the nursing home February 1, 2004 and it has been some ride. We have made great strides in our care, in our staff and in our physical plant to make the facility the best it can be and the best for our residents.

We are Medicaid certified, Medicare certified and accept private pay and private insurance. We also accept respite residents for short term visits for up to two weeks. This allows for caregivers to have a break, caregivers to take vacations and for the resident and caregiver to see firsthand what the nursing home is like and how the nursing home works.

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Restored WW II Planes To Be Air Show Feature

The Commemorative Air Force (CAF) will join the nation in observing the 60th anniversary of the D-Day invasion at the internationally acclaimed Fina-CAF AirSho 2004, scheduled to take place Oct. 2-3 at Midland International Airport, between Midland and Odessa.

The event, which draws more than 100 flyable World War II airplanes, will include numerous activities that pay tribute to those who fought in one of WW II's most significant battles.

Touted as a world-class aviation event, the air show will feature a number of the types of airplanes which took part in the D-Day invasion, plus other rare World War II vintage airplanes, including the world's only flying B-29 Superfortress and SB2C Helldiver. Special invited aircraft to the event will be the P-47 Thunderbolt.

Other CAF planes scheduled to be on hand include the C-47 Skytrain, P-39 Airacobra, P-63 King Cobra, A-26 Invader, P-51 Mustang, B-24/LB30 Liberator, B-17 Flying Fortress, TBM Avenger, SBD Dauntless, F6F Hellcat, F8F Bearcat, C-46 Commando and many more.

Of special interest to warbird enthusiasts will be the return of the CAF's Ha-112 (Spanish version of the Bertram Me 109). After a three-year restoration, the plane had made a return to the airshow circuit and is

expected to fly to the show at Midland.

Both days' flying events will include recreations of some of history's most famous air battles, including the surprise attack on Pearl Harbor, battles of the Pacific and European theaters and the fateful attack on the Japanese mainland. Highlighted among the battle reenactments will be the D-Day invasion, which will also include military vehicles.

There will be an admission charge for the show. The CAF headquarters is at the Midland Airport. More information should be available at (432) 563-1000 or at website www.airsho.org.

T-Bar Golf Event Reset Sept. 11-12

Freddie Kieth and Bridget Taylor were winners of the men's and women's divisions of the annual T-Bar Country Club Championship Tournament last weekend.

Meanwhile, the annual member tournament has been rescheduled for Sept. 11-12. For more information on this or any other tournaments at T-Bar, one may call Cherry at 998-5305.

Shop In Tahoka!



NEW DROP BOX AT NEWS OFFICE - Lynn County News employee Kym Hammonds places an envelope in the new drop box located outside the front door of the News Office, where news items, photos, subscription payments, and other information may be placed if the News Office is not open. The drop box will be checked daily. Deadline for news and ads is noon Tuesday for each week's issue. The News Office is open from 9 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday (open during lunch), and closed Fridays. (LCN PHOTO)

OBITUARIES

Guadalupe Garza

Services for Guadalupe Garza, 66, of Lubbock will be at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, August 21, 2004, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church with the Rev. Michael Melcher officiating. Rosary will be at 7 p.m. Friday, August 20, at Guajardo Funeral Chapel. Burial will be in Peaceful Garden Memorial Park.

He died Tuesday, August 17, 2004, at University Medical Center.

He was born May 4, 1938, in Odem, Texas. He married Luz Hiracheta on February 6, 1956, in Slaton. He was preceded in death by his parents, Severo and Margarita Garza; a brother, Antonio; a sister, Crisanta; and a son-in-law Robert Castro.

Survivors include his wife, Luz Garza; four sons, Pedro of New Home, Rudy of Leander, Guadalupe Jr. and Albert of Lubbock; three daughters, Isabel Martinez of Georgetown, Eva Castro of Austin, and Mary Duran of Lubbock; three brothers, Margarito of Corpus Christi, Juan of Lubbock, and Jesse of Arlington; three sisters, Inez of Corpus Christi, Carmen of San Marcos, and Juanita of San Antonio; 19 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers will be Jeremy Garza, John Rodriguez, Ashley Castro, Nicole Pineda, Roxanne Garza, and Dustin Garza.



Lupe Liendo

Rosary for Guadalupe "Lupe" Liendo, 83, of Tahoka was held Friday, Aug. 20 at 7:00 pm at Calvillo Funeral Home Chapel of Lynn County in Tahoka. Mass was celebrated on Saturday, Aug. 21 at 3:00 pm at St. Jude Catholic Church in Tahoka with Father Edward Teo officiating. Burial followed at Nevels Cemetery in Tahoka under the direction of Calvillo Funeral Home of Lubbock.

Liendo died Wednesday, Aug. 18, 2004 at his residence. He was born October 10, 1920, in Gonzales, Texas. He married Consuelo Lara on July 1, 1940 in Gonzales, Texas. He moved to Tahoka in 1954 from Staple, Texas. He was a retired farmer and a Catholic. He was preceded in death by a son, Guadalupe Jr. in 1980.

Survivors include his wife of Tahoka; five sons, Jesus, Jose, Martin and George all of Tahoka, and Amador of Lubbock; nine daughters, Elena Valverde, Rosa Hernandez, Petra Sepeda, Ortensia Sepeda, Eloisa Quintero, and Julia Quintero all of Tahoka, Maria Zamora of Bovina, Eva Sandolval and Martha Gonzales both of Lubbock; 44 grandchildren; 70 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Jimmy Ray Adams

Services were pending with White Funeral Home of Lubbock Wednesday morning for Jimmy Ray Adams of Lubbock, formerly of Tahoka.

"Willie" Gates

Graveside services for James Wilfred "Willie" Gates, 88, of O'Donnell were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 25, in O'Donnell Cemetery with Rev. Ken Peterson officiating, under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

He died Sunday, August 22, 2004 in Tahoka.

Gates was born in Robert Lee, Texas on June 19, 1915 to Jake Wylie Gates and Annie Belle Garner Gates. He graduated from O'Donnell High School in 1932. He served in the Army Air Corp during WWII. He was a partner in G&G Water Wells in the irrigation and drilling industry. Gates was a sixty year member of the Masonic Lodge, American Legion and the First United Methodist Church in O'Donnell. He was a lifelong resident of O'Donnell.

His parents and two sisters preceded him in death. Survivors include two sisters, Mrs. Doris Taylor of O'Donnell and Mrs. Mary Jo Foote of Perryton; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials to the First United Methodist Church of O'Donnell.

Revival Starts Sunday Night At FUMC

Area residents are invited to Revival services at First United Methodist Church of Tahoka beginning Sunday, Aug. 29 and continuing through Wednesday night, Sept. 1. Ryan Smallwood of Lubbock will be speaking on "the reputation of the church."

A sandwich supper will be held at 5:30 p.m. Sunday night prior to the service, with the service beginning at 7 p.m. each night. Breakfast devotionals will be held at 6:30 a.m. Monday through Wednesday.

Revival services will close Wednesday evening, with an ice cream social in the fellowship hall following the service.

Rev. Jeff Bayley is pastor of First United Methodist Church, located at 1801 Ave. J.

Harry Howell Golf Tourney Set For Aug. 28

The annual golf tournament benefiting O'Donnell resident Harry Howell will be held Saturday, Aug. 28 at the T-Bar Country Club in Tahoka.

Entry fee is \$40 per person. Sign up will be from 8-9 am; start time is 9 am. Lunch will be served after the first nine holes and there will be door prizes as well as prizes for the longest drive and closest to the pin.

For more information, contact Cherry at T-Bar Country Club, 998-5305, or Maurice Jackson at 428-3434.

Proceeds from the tournament will go toward living expenses for Howell, who has been wheelchair bound since childhood and is an active resident in the O'Donnell community.

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Gertrude Sissney

Services for Mrs. Gertrude Sissney, 78, of Tahoka and formerly of Lockney, will be at 10 a.m. Friday, August 27, in the Main Street Church of Christ in Lockney with Ron Fant officiating. Interment will follow in the Lockney Cemetery, under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

She died August 13, 2004 in Tahoka, Tx.

Mrs. Sissney was born on July 18, 1926 in Marysville, TX to Louis W. and Josephine K. Young Galloway. She married P.R. Sissney on October 7, 1943. She moved to Tahoka from Lockney in 1970. She worked as a L.V.N. and was a member of the Church of Christ.

She is preceded in death by one daughter, Edith Fern Sissney, on July 28, 1967, her parents, three brothers and one sister.

Survivors include; two sons, Melvin Ray Sissney of Elgin, TX and David Glenn Sissney of Austin, TX; one daughter, Janet Lynn Sissney of Austin, Tx; one sister Goldie Galloway of Leonard, TX; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

The family was to receive friends Wednesday, August 25 from 6-8 p.m. at White Funeral Home in Tahoka and Thursday, August 26 from 6-8 p.m. at Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home in Lockney.

Baby Shower Rescheduled

A baby shower for Emily and Ryan Brown, originally scheduled for Sunday, Aug. 29, has been moved to Sunday, Sept. 12 at the same location, due to an earlier delivery date for the baby.

The Lynn County News encourages you to attend church this Sunday!

The community is invited to come hear the

Hallelujah Chorus

Sunday, August 29 • 6:00 p.m.

Church of Christ
2320 Lockwood in Tahoka

The chorus is made up of people from all over the South Plains. A fellowship will follow the performance.

Please come as our guests -- there will be no charge or collection taken -- instead, you will receive a blessing!

She's 40 today and still likes to play!

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County Officials Discuss Tax Reform, Unfunded Mandates, At Conference

Lynn County Judge H.G. Franklin and County Clerk Susan Tipton attended the Texas Association of Counties (TAC) Annual Conference on Aug. 11-13 in Austin. The Lynn County officials joined with officials from many of Texas' 254 counties to hear several top statewide elected officials and legislators discuss important legislative issues that will arise in the 2005 regular session.

U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison (R-TX), Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst and several key state lawmakers addressed on-going issues and the consequences of legislation passed in the 2003 legislative session.

"The conference was a great learning experience to prepare for the next legislative session that starts in January," said Judge Franklin. "The conference program offered practical information regarding legislation that affects counties and our taxpayers, who must too often shoulder the burdens of unfunded mandates that flow from the state to local governments."

"Unfunded mandates create havoc with local government budgets, forcing counties to increase revenue to pay for indigent health care, indigent defense and other programs that the state makes us carry out," explained Franklin. "The earlier we know what laws legislators intend to

consider, the longer we have to talk to them about which ideas are good and which aren't, from the county taxpayers' perspective."

Almost 500 elected and appointed officials from nearly 150 counties attended the conference which included workshops on unfunded mandates, property tax reform, criminal justice, health care, water, jail crowding, mental health care, transportation planning and the Help America Vote Act (HAVA).

A "Best Practices" awards ceremony was held in the Senate chamber of the state Capitol, during which the TAX Leadership Foundation honored several counties and county officials with awards for innovations that save local taxpayers money while providing outstanding service. Garza County Judge Giles Dalby received the Trailblazer award for his longtime inventive management and service, and Nacogdoches County received the Silver Spur award for its handling of the Columbia shuttle disaster.

Judge Dalby, in neighboring Garza County, is a prominent West Texas rancher and businessman. He was first elected county judge in Garza County in 1971 and today is Texas' longest tenured constitutional county judge in Texas.



A NICE PLACE TO SIT AND VISIT - Deloris Short, Nell Vaughn, and Loretta Tekell take a moment to visit by this scenic pond at the home of Rickey and Marilla Hall, at 2121 Ave. L in Tahoka, during the Garden Tour on Saturday morning. Mrs. Tekell is president of the Phebe K. Warner Club, which sponsored the event to raise funds for their scholarship programs. (LCN PHOTO)

USDA Creates Voluntary Register To Reach Minority Producers

Agriculture Secretary Ann M. Veneman announced today that minority farmers and ranchers may now join a new voluntary register to receive information from USDA.

"The new Minority Farm Register is an outreach tool to underserved farmers and ranchers who are not currently enrolled in USDA loan, farm or conservation programs," said Veneman during video taped remarks to the 37th Annual Meeting of the Federation of Southern Cooperatives Land Assistance Fund being held in Epes, Ala. "The Register will create a shared outreach list that will help USDA, community-based organizations and minority-serving educational institutions to communicate with minority farmers and ranchers."

By joining the Register, minority producers may receive outreach materials, newsletters and program announcements from USDA agencies. They may also receive information and assistance from other USDA-approved outreach partners, such as community-based organizations, faith-based organizations and

minority-serving educational institutions. USDA will carefully control access to the Register.

People wishing to join the register must sign and date an application that provides their name and address. Providing phone numbers, e-mail address, race, ethnicity, gender and farm or ranch location will be voluntary, although the additional information increases the producer's opportunities for receiving appropriate assistance.

The Register application is available at USDA Service Centers or from approved USDA outreach partners. Completed applications may be mailed to: Minority Farm Register, USDA Stop Code 0503, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C., 20250. The sign-up information will also be available on the FSA's Web site at www.forms.sc.gov.usda.gov/forms/mainservlet, and on the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights' (ASCR) Web site at www.usda.gov/cr. FSA and ASCR are jointly administering the register. Sign-up forms will be issued in Spanish and En-

glish. The register is planned to be ready Sept. 3, 2004.

People may remove their name from the Register by writing to the Minority Farm Register, USDA Stop Code 0503, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C., 20250.

For more information, please

Methodist VBS To Include Fireworks Show

Fun, fellowship, fireworks and more will be featured at the First United Methodist Church of Tahoka's 2nd Annual Fall Bible School on Saturday, August 28th, from 5-9 p.m. at Leighton Knox Jr.'s corral (located approximately 6 miles south of Tahoka on US 87 - look for the flags at that location).

There will be a shuttle service that leaves from the Methodist Church parking lot at 4:45 p.m. and returns at 9:00 p.m. Children from Kindergarten age to 6th grade are invited to attend the "One Nation Under God" Fall Bible School. There will be activities from 5:00-7:00 p.m. for the children; then families are welcome to join their children for food, fellowship, music and entertainment from 7:00-9:00 p.m., concluding with a fireworks display.

Sun visors will be provided. Children need to be dressed in play clothes, and are also asked to wear sunscreen and insect repellent. There will be some sunscreen and insect repellent available if needed.

Call the church office at 561-4503 if your child needs a ride or for more information.

contact the Office of Minority and Socially Disadvantaged Farmers Assistance, Farm Service Agency, STOP 0503, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250-0501 (Call 1-866-538-2610; Fax: 1-866-302-1760; TTY: 1-866-480-2824. E-mail: MSDA@USDA.gov) or USDA Office of Outreach, STOP 9473, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 20250 (Call 1-800-880-4183; Fax: (202) 720-7489; E-mail: usdaoutreach@usda.gov).

Adolph Chapa Has Hole-In-One Here

Adolph Chapa of Tahoka scored a hole-in-one at T-Bar Country Club Sunday, April 22, 2004, aching the 179-yard No. 7 hole with a utility wood. The shot was witnessed by Kent Elliott.

It was Chapa's second hole-in-one on the same hole.

LYNN COUNTY Cooks

Lynn County residents may submit recipes to: lcnc@llano.net, fax to 561-6308, or mail to P.O. Box 1170, Tahoka, TX 79373.

Chicken and Rice Casserole

Jannis Horwood

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| 2 cups uncooked rice | 2 soup cans of water |
| 1 can cream of chicken soup | 1 pkg. Lipton's Onion Soup |
| 1 can cream of mushroom soup | 2-3 lbs chicken pieces |

Mix rice, canned soups and water in greased 9x13 baking dish. Add Lipton's Onion Soup and mix well. Place chicken on top of the mixture. Cover with foil and cook at 325 degrees for two hours. Check occasionally for moisture. May need to add more water. Enjoy!

Enchilada Casserole

Amy Henry

Brown 2 lbs. ground beef with 1 large chopped onion. Drain grease from meat. Add:

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| 1 can taco sauce (small flat) | 1 can cream of chicken soup |
| 1 10oz can mild enchilada sauce | 1 can cream mushroom soup |
| 2 cups grated cheese | 1 pkg corn tortillas |

Dip tortillas in hot grease until soft and cover bottom of 9x13 pan. Pour about 1/2 of mixture over tortillas. Cover with cheese. Put another layer of tortillas. Add remainder of beef mixture over tortillas and cover with cheese. Heat in oven at 350 until cheese melts.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING • 7:00 p.m.

Join us for Revival, then stay for an Ice Cream Social after the services.

TAHOKA'S
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Buying Medications Online Is Risky Business, Says BBB

The Better Business Bureau of the South Plains (BBB) has noticed an increase in consumer inquiries about web sites and "store fronts" selling prescription drugs from Canada and other foreign countries. Ordering medications from outside the United States can be risky and the BBB advises caution.

"With the economy the way it is, people look for various ways to save money and many have found that purchasing prescription medications from a foreign country can be very inexpensive or cost-effective," states Nan Campbell, president of the BBB. "Senior citizens and those that have major illnesses sometimes find themselves stretching the limits of any insurance coverage and feel they need a little extra edge on prescription costs" Campbell stated.

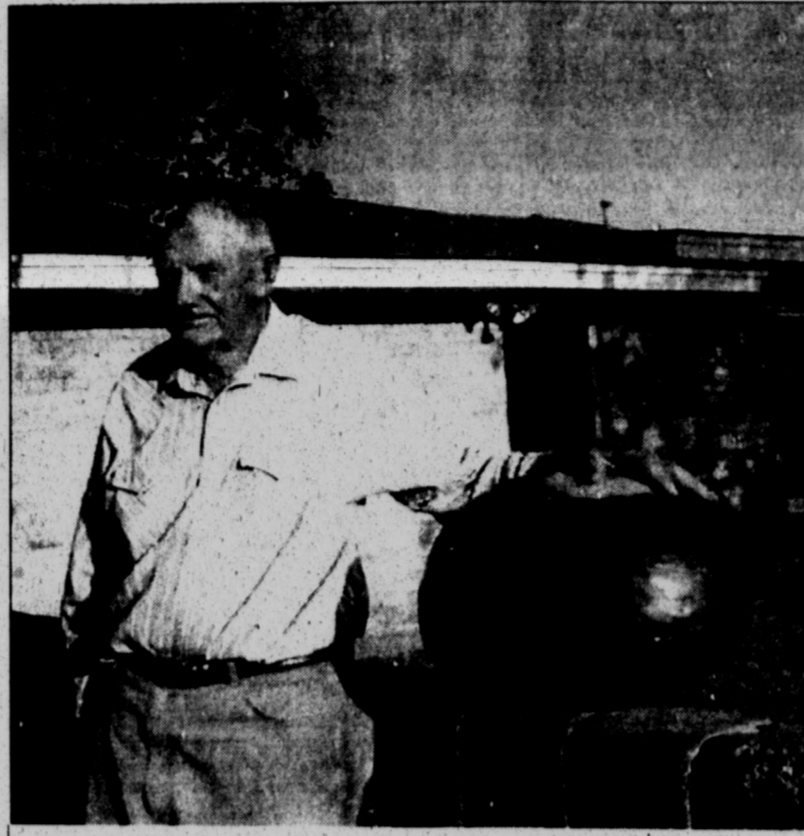
The Food & Drug Administration (FDA) has very high standards that drug manufacturers have to meet in order that the medicines they approve are of high quality, safe and effective. "This is a great safety net for Americans because the FDA takes medications through rigorous testing and makes sure they meet the high standards set," Campbell stated.

The FDA warns consumers not to purchase medications from foreign countries, including Canadian Internet pharmacies. The FDA further states that when buying medications online or from so-called "store-front" pharmacies, consumers enter the world of what could be unsafe and risky products.

The BBB encourages consum-

ers considering using an internet pharmacy or ordering medications from a foreign country to review the following tips:

- Have you spoken with your doctor and obtained a prescription?
- Be wary of internet sites that claim to have doctors on staff. These doctors have never examined you and know nothing of your personal or family history.
- Be wary of internet sites where you fill out a questionnaire without seeing a doctor. A questionnaire does not provide adequate information for a doctor to determine if that drug is for you or safe to use - this type of practice is considered sub-standard medical care according to the American Medical Association (AMA) and the FDA.
- Be wary of internet sites that do not identify with whom you are dealing and do not provide a U.S. address and phone number to contact if there's a problem.
- Be wary of internet sites that do not require a prescription, offer "new cures" for serious disorders, or a quick cure-all.
- Look for internet sites with easy-to-understand privacy and security policies. They protect your identity and not give out your personal information without your permission?
- Look for internet sites with which you are familiar; does it display the Verified Internet Pharmacy Practice (VIPPS) seal of approval from the National Association of Boards of Pharmacy



THAT'S A HU-U-UGE WATERMELON - Gilbert Gandy is shown here with one of his many watermelons he grew this year about 7 miles east of Tahoka. With the help of plentiful rains he has also harvested a good crop of cantaloupe and other varieties of melons. The watermelon shown in this picture weighed in at a whopping 80 lbs.

(www.nabp.net) The VIPPS seal requires that online pharmacies be licensed in every state to which they ship drugs and in addition, must meet standards for patient privacy, quality assurance, authentication, and security of prescriptions and communication between patients and pharmacies.

• Many of the drugs you receive through internet pharmacies are generic and non-FDA (www.fda.gov) approved or lack any similarity to the

drug you ordered.

- If you are considering ordering medications via a "store front", have you checked the credentials of the company taking the orders? Are they licensed to sell prescription drugs?

Reliability reports on companies and charities as well as general advisory tips are available 24/7 by visiting the BBB web site at: www.bbbouthplains.org or by calling 806.763.0459

8th Annual Mix 100 Labor of Love Blood Drive Set

Mix 100 and United Blood Services invite Tahoka to be part of the 8th Annual Labor of Love Blood Drive. The mobile donor coach will be at the Thriftway in Tahoka on Monday, August 30, from 1 p.m. until 8 p.m. Each donor will receive an 8th Annual Labor of Love T-shirt, a Labor Day Weekend pass to Joyland, and will be registered to win a guitar signed by Jessica Simpson, Rick Springfield and others. Also, one lucky donor will receive a 13" LCD TV valued at \$300 courtesy of Best Buy.

"We need to call on the citizens of Tahoka to show their civic support. On Monday, come out, roll up your sleeve, and give from the heart!" said a sponsor.

Donating blood is safe, simple and it saves lives. The entire donation process takes 30 to 45 minutes and will directly benefit a patient in need. In fact, from a single blood unit, as many as four lives could be saved.

United Blood Services provides blood for 39 hospitals in 45 counties across Texas and Eastern New Mexico. It is estimated that we need 150 units of blood each and every day. Please take the short time it takes to give the "gift of life" this summer.

Tahoka High School Weekly Calendar

WEEKLY CALENDAR:
 Thursday, August 26 - JV football, here at 6 p.m.
 Friday, August 27 - Varsity vs Sundown, there at 7:30 p.m.
 Saturday, August 28 - Cross Country meet in Brownfield.
 Monday, August 30 - Student Council Community Calendars will go on sale; Bulldog Band continues selling Bulldog cards... see any band member to purchase one.
 Wednesday, September 1 - Student Council meeting at 3:30.
 Thursday, September 2 - Middle School and High School individual pictures will be taken.

Volunteer and help others -- it will do your heart good!



KASEY DEURRALL Receives Scholarship

Kasey Deurrall, 2004 graduate of Midway High School, in Hewitt, Texas received a scholarship at T.V.C.C. Cardette Dance Team in Athens, Texas.

Kasey is a former 1st Lt. of the Midway Goal Tenders Dance Team. She has been performing since age 4 with "All That Jazz" Academy of Dance where she also taught dance classes the past two years.

As a Cardette Kasey will perform at football games, parades, and other special events.

Kasey is the daughter of Denise Deurrall, of Hewitt and the granddaughter of John and DaOnne Curry, formerly of Tahoka, and now of Malakoff, Texas.

Know The Indicators Of Physical Child Abuse:

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 South 4th & Ave. M • Tahoka, TX 79373
 (806) 561-4436
PASTOR: REV. EDUARDO TEO
DEACON: FRANCISCO AGUILAR
 Sunday Mass - 11:00 a.m.

Wilson First Baptist Church
 1403 13th St • Box 67 • Wilson, TX 79381
 (806) 628-6333
INTERIM PASTOR: WALTER HUNT
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
 Discipleship Training - 5 p.m. Sunday
 Sunday Evening Worship - 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Bible Study & Prayer Mtg-6 p.m., Youth 7 p.m.

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 Sunday Worship - 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
 Bible Classes - Wednesday 7 p.m.

Wilson Faith Chapel Evangelical Methodist Church
 1105 Green St • Box 18 • Wilson, TX 79381
 (806) 628-6612 • email: fcpastor@michael@aol.com
CO-PASTORS: REV. FRANK TAYLOR
MICHAEL E. TAYLOR
 Sunday Services 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.
 Wednesday Youth 7 p.m.

Tahoka Trinity Church
 1925 Lockwood • Box 1168 • Tahoka, TX 79373
 Phone (806) 561-5317
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship - 6 p.m.
 Youth - Sundays at 7 p.m.
 For a ride to Sunday School or Church, call the above numbers.

Wilson St. Paul Lutheran Church
 16th & Houston St • Box 136 • Wilson, TX 79381
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 Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
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 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
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 "For I know the plans I have for you... plans to give you hope and a future!"
 -JEREMIAH 29:11

Message From:
A passage from "Second Cup of Coffee: Proverbs for Today's Woman" by Jean Shaw
BE KIND TO YOUR FAMILY
 Early in the history of the Jews, they were commanded to be kind to strangers (Lev. 19:34). God also expects us to be kind to our neighbors, the poor, orphans, widows, and those in prison. Jesus even tells us to love our enemies (Luke 6:34). Paul and Peter put special emphasis upon kindness to others in our church.
 Do we find it curious that the scriptures do not make mention of kindness in the family? A possible reason may be that God expects us to treat our partners and our children as respectfully as we do others. Therefore, all Scripture concerning forgiveness, compassion, longsuffering, courtesy, and the like applies to them just as it applies to those in the church and in our neighborhoods. To our shame, our kindness is often much greater outside the home than in it. Thus we see the mother who patiently ministers to every sick family in the block, but is short-tempered to her own children and the wife who encourages a depressed neighbor, but criticizes her husband in front of their friends.
 "Charity begins at home" is a much-abused saying. But when considered as the starting point for kindness to extend to the whole world, it aligns our priorities properly.

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DEACON CANDIDATE: SIMON RESENDEZ
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Prayer: "Lord, I am often least kind to those closest to me. I assume they'll put up with me, no matter how thoughtless I am. Forgive me. Show me ways to express my love for my family. Help me to make them feel special."
Reminder to Church Pastors: Please FAX your message to The Lynn County News, 561-6308, or e-mail to: lcn@llano.net

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 Sunday Worship - 10:45 a.m.
 Youth Activities

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PASTOR: LYNN LONG
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
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 (Uplifting M... Message from God's Word)
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 Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7 p.m.

Grassland Nazarene Church
 Rt. 5 Box 360 • Tahoka, TX 79373
 (806) 327-5656, 327-5655
PASTOR: DAVID PARKER
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m.
 Sunday Evening Worship - 6 p.m.
 Youth and Adults:
 Wednesdays - 7 p.m.

Draw First United Methodist Church
 (established 1907)
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 Phone (806) 428-3357
 or Fern Barnes (806) 327-5583
PASTOR: REV. KEN PETERSON
 Sunday Morning Worship - 9:15 a.m.
 Sunday School following

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Questions and Answers of the Day
 Matthew ch. 5, 6 and 8; Matthew 7:11; Matthew 9:22, 28, 29; Matthew 10:14-20; Matthew 13:11; Matthew 15:28; Matthew 16:19; Matthew 17:20; Matthew 19:26; Matthew 21:21-22; Romans ch. 4; Romans 5:1-2; Galatians ch. 3; James ch. 2; Exodus, Leviticus, Numbers, Deuteronomy
Question: What is Faith?
Answer: Faith is what Moses had when he lead the Israelites to the sea and knew, even though the enemy was on their heels, he and the Israelites would still be all right. Faith is when he raised his staff and the ocean parted. Faith is believing in something so much, you don't have to see it to know it's so. Faith is what childless Abraham had when God promised him he would be the father of many nations. He believed God. Esther believed God. Noah believed God. Faith is what John had when he preached and taught of the Savior even at the risk of death because he knew Heaven was waiting for him. Faith is reading God's promises and His wishes for your life and knowing it has to be so because God said it. Faith is knowing God has a good plan for your life, even if at this very moment it doesn't look that way. Faith is praising God for answered prayer when you just prayed them. Faith is knowing where God wants us and going because He will supply your calling. Faith is forgiving people who wrong us and trusting God to handle all of it. Faith is asking Jesus -- who you can't see -- to come into your heart and let Him be the Lord of your life. HAVE FAITH. GOD BLESS YOU.
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Boll Weevil Assessment Notices To Arrive Soon

Boll weevil eradication assessment notices were recently mailed to cotton producers in the Southern High Plains/Caprock eradication zone and Western High Plains eradication zone (these zones include part of Lynn County).

The assessments are based on information cotton producers provide the Farm Service Agency when they certify their crops. If growers find an error in the information on their billing, they will need to correct the information at their local FSA office and forward the corrected information to the Foundation. Payment is due September 25, but a 2 percent discount is available to growers who pay the full assessment by September 10.

Growers with failed acres are eligible to receive a credit on those acres completely destroyed prior to the final certification date. Qualifying acres must remain free of all hostable cotton until a killing freeze to receive the credit.

To aid SHP growers who have been affected by adverse weather conditions, the TBWEF is offering payment extension agreements for producers whose accounts are current.

"For those having difficulty paying their assessment, help is available by contacting the assessments department and arranging an extension agreement," said Chief Financial Officer Tina Ballard.

Producers entering into an extension agreement must make a 10 percent down payment, and they will be charged a late fee of 1 percent per month until their accounts are paid. This late fee begins on the date the signed agreement and down payment are received by the Assessments Department. Producers who are delinquent in payment and who do not have an extension agreement are subject to a late fee of 1.5 percent per month.

Producers with extension agreements have 150 days to pay their accounts.

For more information contact the Assessments Department in Abilene at (866) 672-2800.

The Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation is a nonprofit, grower-initiated and funded organization dedicated to eliminating the cotton boll weevil from the state in the most cost effective and environmentally responsible manner possible.



BULLDOG COACHES - Directing the Tahoka Bulldog football teams this year are these six coaches, standing from left: Richard Jackson, Drew Stone, Eric Rivas, and kneeling in front, Steve Wiseman, Head Coach A/D Troy Hinds, and Jon Galley. (LCN PHOTO)

Notice

In the name and by the authority of the State of Texas, notice is hereby given as follows: TO

Narciso G. Garcia, Leandro Aleman AKA Leonardo Aleman, Fred Smith, Bertha Smith AKA Birdie Smith, Lee Edward Elder, Mary L. Bryant AKA Mrs. Perry Bryant, T.M. Pearce AKA Thomas Marcus Pearce, Jesus Amaro, Josephine Amaro, Ella Sayles, Minnie Sayles, Parlee Sayles, Cruz Sayles, Chester Junior Hood, Marshall Payton AKA Marshall Peyton, Fred Smith, Bertha Smith, Chemical Bank, Trustee for GCC Home Equity Trust 1990-1, Lienholder (In Rem Only), Mary Caldwell, John Moxley, Elizabeth Moxley, Bill Driver, Briercroft Savings & Loan Association and Johnnie M. Hatchet, if living, and if any or all of the above named defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of each or all of said above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said above named persons, and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land, and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of the above named persons, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, the unknown stockholders of any defunct corporations, their successors, heirs and assigns, owning or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property, delinquent to Plaintiff herein, for taxes, all of said property being located in said County and State, to-wit: Lots 7 & 8, Block 95, Original Townsite of the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 270, Page 377 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; West 1/2 of Lot 8, Block 97 of the Original Townsite of Tahoka, Lynn County Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 146, Page 112 of the Deed Records, SAVE and EXCEPT that property more particularly described in Volume 224, Page 398 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; Lots 23 & 24, Block 104, Original Townsite of the Town of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 277, Page 133 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; par #0004068, Lot 12, Block 75, North Tahoka Addition to the Town of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 328, Page 227 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; Par #0002292, Lots 3-4, Block 29, Original Townsite to the City of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 220, Page 244 of the Deed Records and Volume 39, Page 408 of the Probate Records, Lynn County, Texas; Par #0010541, Lot 12, Block 30, Original Townsite to the City of O'Donnell, Lynn County; Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 147, Page 354 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; Par #0009999; Lots 19 and 20, Block 56, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas; being that property more particularly described in Volume 81, Page 451 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; Par #0005820, Lots 15 and 16, Block 56, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 295, Page 511 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; Par #0008933, Lot 14, Block 56, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 175, Page 239 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; par #0010404, all of Lots 23 and 24, Block 104, Original Townsite to the City of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 277, Page 133 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; Par #0003630, Lots 20 & 21, Block 91, Original Townsite to the City of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 89, Page 485, Volume 97, Page 509, and Volume 204, Page 192 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; and Par #0009410, Lot 13, Block 75, North Tahoka Addition to the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Volume 180, Page 531 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiff for taxes in the following amount: \$18,833.28, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes, all said interest, penalties and costs therein allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the Lynn County Appraisal District, Plaintiff, against the above named persons, as Defendants, by petition filed on May 26, 1993, in a certain suit styled the Lynn County Appraisal District et al vs. Narciso G. Garcia et al, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, 106th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 1951; that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit are NONE.

Plaintiffs and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiffs, Defendants, and Intervenor, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance of this citation as set out below, said appearance and answer date being the 4th day of October, A.D., 2004, (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Lynn County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiffs and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

This citation is issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, this 20th Day of August, A.D., 2004.

Bob Wilson
Sheriff of Lynn County
By /s/ Abraham Vega, Deputy

Wilson SCHOOL MENU

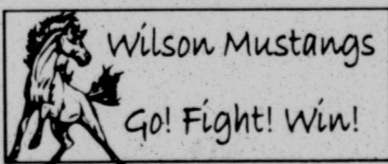
August 30- September 3 Breakfast
Choice of cereal and toast or hot entree daily; milk served with each meal.
Monday: Breakfast pizza, juice
Tuesday: Sausage, biscuit, gravy, juice
Wednesday: Sausage, egg, toast
Thursday: Breakfast bar, juice
Friday: French toast sticks, syrup, juice
Lunch
Monday: Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, fries, fruit
Tuesday: Spaghetti w/ meatsauce, salad, broccoli & cheese, garlic toast, fruit
Wednesday: PK-5 Hot Pocket, salad, carrot sticks, fruit; 6-12 same or salad bar
Thursday: Chicken nuggets, gravy, green beans, corn, roll, juice
Friday: Pizza salad, carrot sticks, fruit

The WILSON News

by Lett Hernandez
lethernandez_1106@yahoo.com

We'll have music, we'll have fellowship, we'll have fun. Come join us for the third annual Gospel Jam-boree on Saturday, August 28, on the grassy area between St. John Lutheran Church and the First Baptist Church in Wilson. Serving begins at 6 p.m. and music will begin around 7 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs. We hope to see you there!

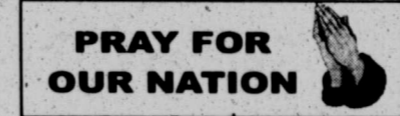
Meet the Mustangs will be held in the School Cafeteria on Thursday, August 26 at 7 p.m. The first Wilson FCA meeting will be held August 27th, at 7 a.m. in the old J.H. gym. The Mustang's first game of the season will be against Klondike on Friday, September 3 at 7:30 p.m. If you have information to add to the Wilson News please call Ms. Hernandez at 928-3028.



Winters Named PCCA Marketing Vice President

Wally Darneille, president-elect of Plains Cotton Cooperative Assn. (PCCA), has named Lonnie D. Winters vice president of marketing for the Lubbock-based, farmer-owned cooperative.

Winters brings more than 30 years of experience in the cotton industry to his new position. At age 21 in 1972 he became Oklahoma's youngest gin manager. He later was vice president of marketing at W.R. Moore Co. in Vernon and managed a cotton company in Lubbock before joining the PCCA staff as sales manager in 1993.



These Tahoka Firms Are Sponsoring This FARM NEWS

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The NEW HOME ISD will hold a public meeting at 7:00 p.m. Monday, September 13, 2004 in the New Home School Library, 225 N. Main, New Home, Texas. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

	Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates				
	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$ 1.50	\$ *	\$ 1.50	\$ 2.321	\$ 5.208
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$ 1.5120	\$ *	\$ 1.5120	\$ 2.321	\$ 5.252
Proposed Rate	\$ 1.50	\$.1076 *	\$ 1.6076	\$ 2.574	\$ 5.357

* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

	Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence	
	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$ 49,944	\$ 48,492
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$ 34,944	\$ 33,492
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$ 1.50/100	\$ 1.6076/100
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$ 524.16	\$ 538.42
Increase in Taxes	\$	\$ 14.26

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is \$1.68571. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of \$1.68571.

Fund Balances	
The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:	
Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$ 607,300.
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$ -0-

Regular menu items also available.

PJ's Deli and Bakery
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561-6507 (Open 11.5 Monday-Friday)

THURSDAY'S LUNCH SPECIAL:
Chicken Spaghetti ... \$5.50 with salad and roll

FRIDAY'S LUNCH SPECIAL:
Quesadillas ... \$5.50 with guacamole, pico de gallo, sour cream, chips and salsa (choice of Chicken or Taco meat)

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**BULLDOG
Booster
Club News**

Tahoka Athletic Booster Club met Tuesday August 24, 2004 in the High School LRC. Thirty-nine supporters attended the meeting. Coach Hines and several of his coaching staff members were present. Coach Hoch reported on the cross county runs, they will run Saturday August 28th in Brownfield. A tentative schedule was handed out. She reported that all Junior High girls are running cross country this year. Coach Hines gave an injury report. Chase Tillman will be out for a couple of weeks with a shoulder injury and we were told that Josh Schwartz surgery went very well. Coach Stone reported that there are 20 off-season high school boys that he and Coach Galley are working with. The coaches are working with 30 7th grade boys in football this year.

Football games are scheduled this week. JV will play Sundown Thursday August 26th in Tahoka starting at 6:00 pm and Varsity will play in Sundown Friday August 27th starting at 7:30 pm. Cross Country will be running Saturday August 28th in Brownfield. Please come help support these athletes.

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THE BULLDOG TEAM - Coaches, players and managers for the 2004 Varsity Bulldogs football team are shown in this photo taken before school started in August (some players not pictured). Head coach is Troy Hinds. The Bulldogs travel to Sundown Friday night for their season opener, and then host Olton on Sept. 3 in the first home game. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. (LCN PHOTO)

Paw Prints are going to be painted Sunday August 29th at 1:00 pm. Anyone wanting a paw print needs to contact any booster club member or Cathy (998-5363). Paw Prints are \$5.00 each.

Shirt sales are going great, we should be seeing lots of blue in the stands this year. Shirt sales have been so great that we are going to keep taking orders; there will not be a August 30 deadline as was reported last week. Shirts are \$10 - \$19 depending on size and style. Shirts are royal blue with screen printing on the front and back of shirt. If you would like to see the shirts you can stop by Lucy Me / Slap-On Decals to view the shirt. Shirts may be worn all year since they are an all sports shirt. We are trying to promote school spirit for all athletes. Anyone wanting to order a short sleeve t-shirt, long sleeve t-shirt or a sweatshirt needs to contact any booster club member or Cathy (998-5363).

Anyone wishing to join the Tahoka Athletic Booster Club may do so at the next booster club meeting which will be held Tuesday Aug. 31 at 8:00 pm in the high school LRC.

**Tahoka
SCHOOL MENU**

August 30- September 3

Breakfast
Choice of milk served with each meal.
Monday: Cereal w/toast, banana
Tuesday: Biscuit, sausage patty, fruit juice
Wednesday: Biscuit w/ ham & cheese, fresh fruit
Thursday: Blueberry muffin, orange juice
Friday: Breakfast bar, fresh fruit

Lunch
Caesar salad and PBJ sandwich offered daily as an entrée choice; milk variety offered each meal.

Monday: Chili dog, PBJ sandwich, chef salad, baked beans, assorted fruits
Tuesday: Frito pie, chef salad, PBJ sandwich, lettuce & tomato, broccoli & carrots, assorted fruit, green salad
Wednesday: Corn dog, hot ham cheese, tossed salad, mix vegetables, slice peaches, chef salad, PBJ sandwich
Thursday: Beef taco, cheese quesadilla, PBJ sandwich, chef salad, pinto beans, taco fixings, fruit crisp, assorted fruit
Friday: Hamburger, turkey sandwich, PBJ sandwich, Chef salad, pinto beans, taco fixings, fruit crisp, assorted fruit

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**College Prep Tips
For Parents, Students
Offered At Workshop**

Parents, and students in grades 8-12, can learn about college preparation and application tips and strategies including information on transcripts, application essays, financial aid, useful websites, and valuable tips from current college students at a workshop this fall.

The workshop will be held on Saturday morning, October 9, 2004 from 9:30 - 12:30 at Region 17 Education Service Center, 1111 West Loop 289 in Lubbock, Texas. It is free but registration is required.

**New Home
SCHOOL MENU**

August 30- September 3

Breakfast
Cereal and yogurt offered at breakfast daily; milk served with each meal.
Monday: Breakfast pizza
Tuesday: Funnell cake
Wednesday: Blueberry muffin
Thursday: Biscuit sausage
Friday: Cinnamon Pastry

Lunch
Monday: Chicken sandwich, lettuce/tomato, carrot/cucumber, pickle slices, strawberry cup
Tuesday: Mini corn dogs, pork 'n beans, okra, cadrot/cucumber, pear cup
Wednesday: Pizza dippers, lettuce/tomato, corn, grapes
Thursday: Frito pie; lettuce/tomato, pinto beans, pineapple chunks, cornbread
Friday: Hamburger/cheeseburger, French fries, lettuce/tomato, pickles

Please call Debbie Stennett at 792-5468 ext. 818 before October 4th. Hope English will be presenting information that will make the road to college smoother, smarter and profitable in terms of scholarships and time saved.

This workshop will be good for middle and high school children who are welcome to attend with their parents; however, this is not suitable for young children.

Memorials and donations made to the **Lynn County Pioneers** 1600 S. 3rd • P. O. Box 223 Tahoka, Tx 79373 will benefit our local senior citizens center.

**Annual Football
Contest Begins
This Week**

The Lynn County News annual Football Contest begins this week, with local businesses sponsoring the page which features a weekly football contest and depicting photos of members of the Tahoka Bulldogs varsity football team.

Once again, Higginbotham Lumber Co. is providing a color TV as the grand prize give-away at the end of the 10-week contest, with all entries in each week's contest entered in the drawing.

The businesses listed around the page are Secret Sponsors, with sponsors drawn randomly each week at the News Office to determine if the week's winner doubles their prize money by correctly naming one of the sponsors on their entry.

Contest entries are due by 4 p.m. each Friday at the News Office, and there is a drop box located by the front door in which contest entries may be placed.

**The NEW HOME News
by Karon Durham
924-7448**

The Leopard Spirit posters are now on sale. Purchase yours for \$20.00 from any varsity cheerleader.

2005 Community Birthday Calendars are now on sale by the New Home Student Council. To list a name or order a calendar, contact Jessica Quillin or Marsha Scott by Friday, September 3.

Remember Red Ribbon Week will be October 25th.

New Home Leopards will play at Gail on August 27, at 7:30 p.m. The Pep Rally begins at 2:25.

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HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER- Stucco, 3 bedroom, 1 bath at 1616 N. 1st in Tahoka. Call (830) 796-7358. 35-1tp

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COMPLETELY REFURBISHED house for sale. 2 BR, 1 bath, stucco. Totally remodeled inside and out -- new paint, electrical, plumbing fixtures, carpet, etc. Call 998-4863. 28-1tc

HOUSE FOR SALE - 2800 Sq ft home, 4-2-2 garage. Large basement, corner lot, close to school, front and backyard sprinkler system. Call 998-4620 for appointment. 50-1tc

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GARAGE SALE- 1907 N. 5th, Sat. Only! 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. All size clothing (summer & fall), computer desk, shelves & misc. 35-1tp

MULTIPLE FAMILY GARAGE SALE- 1301 Green Ave., Wilson, Sat. Only. 9 a.m. til 3 p.m. Lots of clothes, toys and antiques. 35-1tc

2 FAMILY GARAGE SALE- 1923 N. 4th, Sat. Only. 9 a.m. til 2 p.m. A little of everything! 35-1tc

GARAGE SALE- Friday & Saturday, August 27 & 28, 10 a.m. til 4 p.m. From Tahoka - 8 miles North on Hwy 87, then 8.5 miles West on Hwy 1317. Home of Jim and Dorothy Smith 821 FM 1317, 924-7276. 35-1tp

SALE For Sale

FOR SALE- Triticale Seed, Bulk Bags. Call 561-8443 or 441-4352. 35-3tc

Help Wanted

SEEKING AN honest, dependable person to clean our house once a week. (Could lead to other opportunities.) Call 561-5439 after 5:30 p.m. 34-2tc

TAHOKA ISD is taking applications for a part-time custodian. This will be a 20 hour a week job. This job includes cleaning, buffing floors, cleaning windows and substituting for any custodial position. This job does not include any benefits, the salary will be \$5.50 per hour. Applicants should apply with Gail Quisenberry at Tahoka High School, 1925 Ave. P between the hours of 8 a.m. - 5 p.m., Monday-Friday. Tahoka ISD is an equal opportunity employer. 35-2tc

MANAGER TRAINEE: \$525/wk avg. Call 766-7175. 47-1tc

NursCare Home Health is seeking an RN for full-time position with competitive salary and benefits.

For more information, call Tamyra, 788-5566, or come by one of our offices at 3813 24th St. in Lubbock; 1511 Conway in Tahoka; or 133A W. Lubbock in Slaton.

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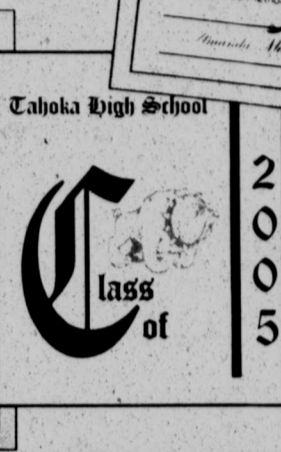
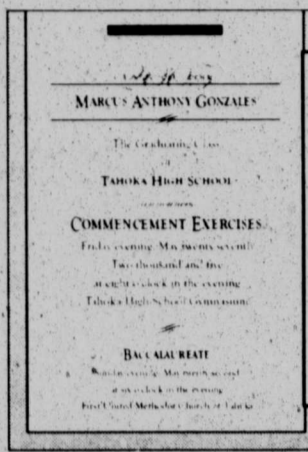
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Please submit your proposal of services and a statement of qualifications for these proposed services to the address below:

City of O'Donnell
City Hall
PO Box 236
O'Donnell, TX 79351

Proposals must be received by the City no later than 10:00 am on the 2nd day of September, 2004 to be considered. The City reserves the right to negotiate with any and all individuals, engineers or firms that submit proposals, as per the Texas Professional Services Procurement Act and the Uniform Grant and Contract Management Standards.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE PROPOSED PERMIT

APPLICATION:

The City of Tahoka has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a Municipal Solid Waste permit to authorize disposal operations at a Type I-Arid Exempt and Type IV-Arid Exempt Facility.

The facility is proposed to be located at the intersection of Farm to Market Road 400 and County Road R, approximately 1.5 miles north of the city limits in Lynn County, Texas. This application was submitted to the TCEQ on August 17, 2004.

PUBLIC COMMENT / PUBLIC MEETING:

The City of Tahoka will hold a public meeting on this application at the following date, time and location:

DATE: September 22, 2004

TIME: 5:00 pm

LOCATION: Life Enrichment Center

Comments made during this public meeting will not be treated as formal public comments and will not be considered by the Commissioners. However, additional notice of this application will be provided in the future, at which time formal comments may be submitted to the TCEQ. The Commissioners will consider formal comments before reaching a decision on a permit.

INFORMATION:

The permit application is available for viewing and copying at City Hall, 1612 Lockwood Street, Tahoka, Texas and Oller Engineering, Inc., 2517 74th Street, Lubbock, Texas. Further information may be obtained from the City of Tahoka at the address stated above or by calling Matt Hopper, P.E. at (214) 773-2966. 34-3tc



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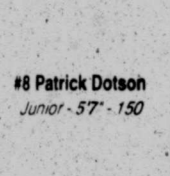


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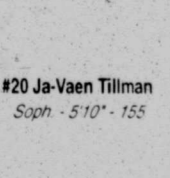


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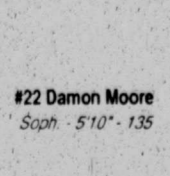


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Jaci Hammonds
Bailey Hall
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Skylar Owens
Sarah Blaylock (Mascot)
Stacie Green
Callie Botkin



#89 Josh Schwartz
Senior - 6'3" - 215

Lynn County Hospital District
& Lynnwood
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Junior - 6'3" - 180

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Junior - 6'0" - 230

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Junior - 5'10" - 175

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#62 Matt McLelland
Soph - 6'3" - 190

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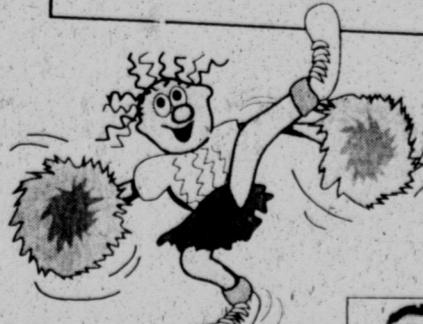
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Soph - 5'7" - 155



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Soph - 5'9" - 150



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Soph - 5'7" - 150



#51 Dustin Brookshire
Senior - 6'1" - 185



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Senior - 5'7" - 185

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Idalou at Floydada	<input type="checkbox"/>
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Sweetwater at Lubbock Cooper	<input type="checkbox"/>
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