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## Area Bale Count

(as of Tuesday)

Texas Star-Wilson/Union	*FINAL	118,232
New Home Coop-Lakeview		87,295
Farmers Coop-O'Donnell	*FINAL	81,654
Woolam Gin-O'Donnell	*FINAL	56,668
Farmers Coop Assn. 1-Tahoka		54,845
Wells Coop Gin		41,082
Grassland Coop Gin	*FINAL	18,624
Close City Gin-Post	*FINAL	8,634
Lynn County Gin-Tahoka	*FINAL	8,360
<b>Weekly Total</b>		<b>475,394</b>

## Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Feb. 22	70	35	
Feb. 23	51	36	0.02"
Feb. 24	60	38	
Feb. 25	61	42	
Feb. 26	62	31	
Feb. 27	79	30	
Feb. 28	89	41	
<b>Total Precipitation Feb.:</b>			<b>0.02"</b>
<b>Total Precipitation Jan.:</b>			<b>Trace</b>
<b>Total Precipitation in 2005:</b>			<b>22.30"</b>

## Lynn County News

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## Polls Open Tuesday For Primary Elections

Election polls will be open from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 7 for the Democratic and Republican Primaries, at several locations in Lynn County. Registered voters must bring voter registration cards to the polling location, and may vote in only one primary election.

Early voting continues through Friday, March 3 at the Lynn County Clerk's Office. As of Tuesday morning, 137 voters had marked ballots, with 134 voting in the Democratic Primary, and 3 voting in the Republican Primary.

The county's new electronic voting machines will be in place at every voting poll location on election day. Election personnel will be available at all times to assist voters with learning how to use the new touch-screen voting machines and to show voters how to feed their ballot into the electronic counting machine.

Additionally, voters may hand-mark their ballots if they choose, instead of using the touch-screen machines. Voters hand-marking their ballots must fill in an oval

space next to the candidate's name they wish to vote for, instead of marking an X in a square.

All ballots, both electronically-marked and hand-marked, must be fed by individual voters into the electronic counting machines for tabulating the ballots.

All local county offices will be decided in the Democratic Primary, with contested races for the Lynn County Treasurer's seat, Justice of Peace Pct. 1 seat, and County Commissioner Pct. 4 seat. Five other county offices are uncontested, although there is a lone Democratic challenger for the four-county 106th District Judge position, currently held by a Republican incumbent. That contest will be decided in the November general election.

State and national offices will also be on the ballot, as well as two referendums on the Democratic ballot, and four referendums on the Republican ballot. Referendums that pass in the primaries will be placed on the ballot in the November General Election for all voters to consider.

## Lynn County Voting Poll Locations on Tuesday, March 7

(Choose only ONE PRIMARY ELECTION in which to vote)

### REPUBLICAN PRIMARY

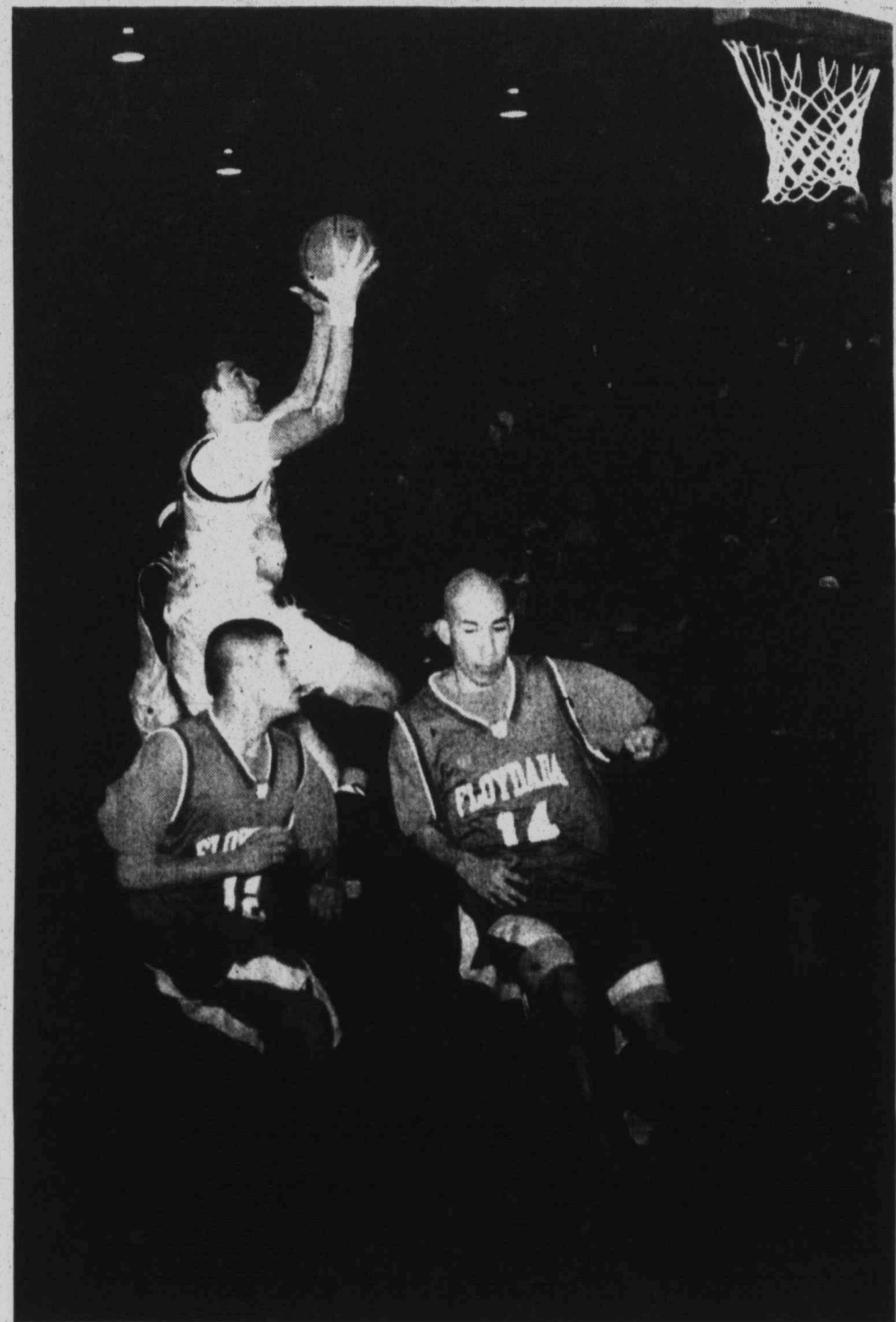
**Voting Box:**  
All Voting Boxes 1-14

**Poll Location:**  
Lynn County Courthouse Basement

### DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY

**Voting Box:**  
1 and 5 - South Tahoka and Draw, consolidated  
2 and 8 - Wilson and Hackberry, consolidated  
3 and 10 - O'Donnell and New Moore, consolidated  
4 and 11 - New Home and Lakeview, consolidated  
6 - North Tahoka  
7 - Grassland  
9 - West Tahoka  
12 - South West Tahoka  
13 - North Lynn County  
14 - East Tahoka

**Poll Location:**  
Lynn County Courthouse Basement  
Green Museum, Wilson  
O'Donnell High School  
New Home City Hall  
Tahoka ISD, Gardner Building, Rm 106  
Grassland Nazarene Church  
Lynnwood Assisted Living Center  
Tahoka Activity Center, 1211 Ave. L  
Poka Lambro Building, Hwy. 87  
Lynn County Courthouse, 2nd floor, in the District Courtroom



**Back here, boys ...** Colby Gardner tosses in 2 of his 15 points he earned for the Bulldogs in their Regional Quarterfinal victory over Floydada Tuesday night. Four other Dogs also scored in double figures to secure a hard-fought 72-69 win over the Whirlwinds, with Damon Moore leading the pack with 16, Zach Tillman with 13, Jay Tillman with 11, and Patrick Dotson with 10. The Dogs now head to Midland for the Regional Tournament this weekend.

(LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

## Bulldogs, Fans Going Back To Midland!

# Dogs Beat Floydada, Eye Regional Tourney

by KENT ELLIOTT

Put this one on ESPN Classic! The Tahoka Bulldogs are throwing another block party in Midland, this time for the boys, courtesy of a thrilling 72-69 victory over the Floydada Whirlwinds Tuesday night. Tahoka fans, who traveled to Midland last weekend to cheer the Lady Bulldogs in the Girls Class 2A Regional Tournament, will again make the trek this weekend to back the Bulldogs in their bid for a state playoff berth.

In consecutive games, the giant killers have knocked off #4 Olney (54-46) and #2 Floydada in Area and Regional Quarterfinal playoffs to stake their claim to the Boys Class 2A Regional Tournament in Midland.

Coach Drew Stone and his Bulldog squad will face Colorado, coming off a double OT quarterfinal win over Tuscola Jim Ned, in the regional semifinals at Midland College Chaparral Center, at 6 p.m. Friday. Childress and Reagan County will face off in the other semifinal round at 7:30 p.m., with the winners to meet in the finals at 1 p.m. Saturday at the same location. Tickets are \$10 and \$5 for Friday, and \$5 for the finals.

Floydada's aptly named Whirlwinds, fueled by 6'3" sophomore Payte Beedy, rushed out to a 16-6 lead in Tuesday night's quarterfinal round, but Tahoka made a run of their own with Colby Gardner tossing in 9 points and Jay Tillman's 4 to help claim a

first quarter lead, 20-19.

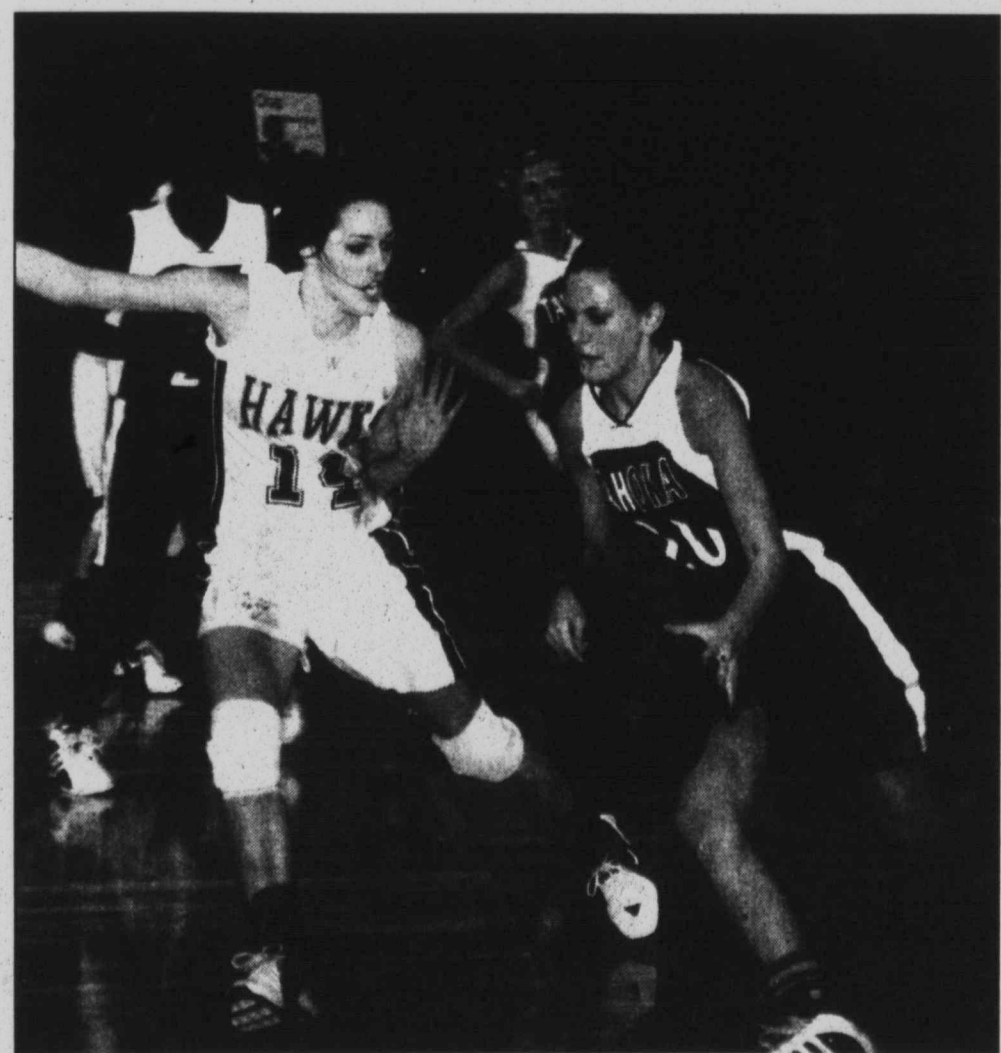
It was nip and tuck in the second as well. Zach Tillman, plagued with two fouls, scored 4 points and played very well to avoid getting deeper in foul trouble. Gardner and Patrick Dotson both nailed 3-pointers, but Floydada emerged with a two-point lead at the half, 39-37.

Floydada maintained their two-point lead after three quarters of play. Beedy did the most damage in the third with 8 points in the frame. But Damon Moore rose to the occasion for Tahoka with 10 points to keep Tahoka close, trailing 55-53 going in to the fourth period.

The Bulldogs went ahead 67-66 with a minute left in the fourth, and Gardner and Dotson made big free throws in the final seconds to secure the win. Both Jay and Zach Tillman had two buckets and a free throw for 5 points apiece in the final period, Moore chipped in with 4 points, and Daniel Baker came through with two free throws in the fourth.

Tahoka had five players in double figures for the quarterfinal win, with Moore leading the pack with 16 points, Gardner with 15, Zach Tillman with 13, Jay Tillman with 11, and Dotson with 10.

It was an exciting, heart-stopping game for the packed crowd at Lubbock Monterey gym Tuesday night. Catch the "cardiac kids" in Midland Friday night - last one out of town has to turn off the lights!



**So Close ...** Tahoka's Lady Bulldogs came within one game of going to state, but the Wall Lady Hawks were too tough in the regional finals at Midland Saturday. Here Samantha Andrews (20) moves the ball with Wall's Kirsten Niehues getting in the way. Andrews scored 5 of Tahoka's points as Wall won 55-40.

(LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)





**FNB Donation ...** John Krey, President of First National Bank of Tahoka, presents a \$500 check to Nancy Guilliams, director of Lynn County Pioneers Senior Citizens Center, to help the center with expenses. "We support our local senior citizens center, and encourage other businesses and individuals to support the center, which provides meals for senior citizens in Lynn County," said Krey.

**Dist. Deputy Visits O'Donnell Lodge**

On Thursday, Feb. 24, the District Deputy for District 80, Wayne Davis, of Coahoma, made his official visit to O'Donnell Lodge #1187. The purpose of a District Deputy is to visit each lodge in his District, check records and answer any questions members may have.

February has been a good month for the O'Donnell Lodge #1187. Feb. 18, there were 41 friends and family for Gene Traylor Golden Trowel Award. On Feb. 24, at the regular meeting, there were 10 visitors and

12 members present. The next meeting is scheduled for March 23 at 6:30 p.m. We invite everyone to come and join our fellowship.

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**Letter To The Editor**

**Thanks to the Lady Bulldogs**

To the 2006 Lady Bulldogs Basketball Team:

Thank you for a wonderful season. We loved watching your triumphs and sharing in your losses. You have been a special part of our lives for so long and you each contributed to special memories.

Porscha, you became a force to be reckoned with under that basket and it was a joy to see you battle. Christyn, thanks for being a true team player. Your contributions made every player better and you should be proud. Meghan, we admired your determination to come back from your injury and fight for that recognition. Carissa, your growth as a point guard has been commendable. To Samantha, whom we love like a second daughter, we will miss our game day meals and your straightforward attitude. We could always depend on you to "tell it like it is," to make us laugh and to keep it all in perspective.

To Cori, Haley and the future Lady Bulldogs, you've built a tradition, now keep it alive!

To Coach Fancher, we appreciate your time, efforts and guidance. Thank you and Carol for caring for our girls and helping them make their mark.

Brandi, thank you for giving us so much joy and pride watching you play. Your commitment, your drive, your leadership and your sportsmanship are unparalleled. Your talent is a gift from God. You make defending a 6'2" post look effortless and driving to the basket almost surreal.

Thank you for the ride, we loved every minute of it.

Bulldogs Forever,  
Mitch and Donna Rainold

**Six File For Local Elections**

Six more candidates, mostly incumbents, filed during the past week for school and hospital board elections in Lynn County. The filing period continues through March 13 for candidates interested in filing for all city, school and hospital board elections in Lynn County.

Filing during the past week were Casey Donald, for Wilson ISD board of trustees; Andy Macker, for New Home ISD board of trustees (incumbent); James Williams for mayor of O'Donnell; and the three incumbents for Lynn County Hospital District Board of Directors, Billy Tomlinson, Jerry Ford, and John Hawthorne.

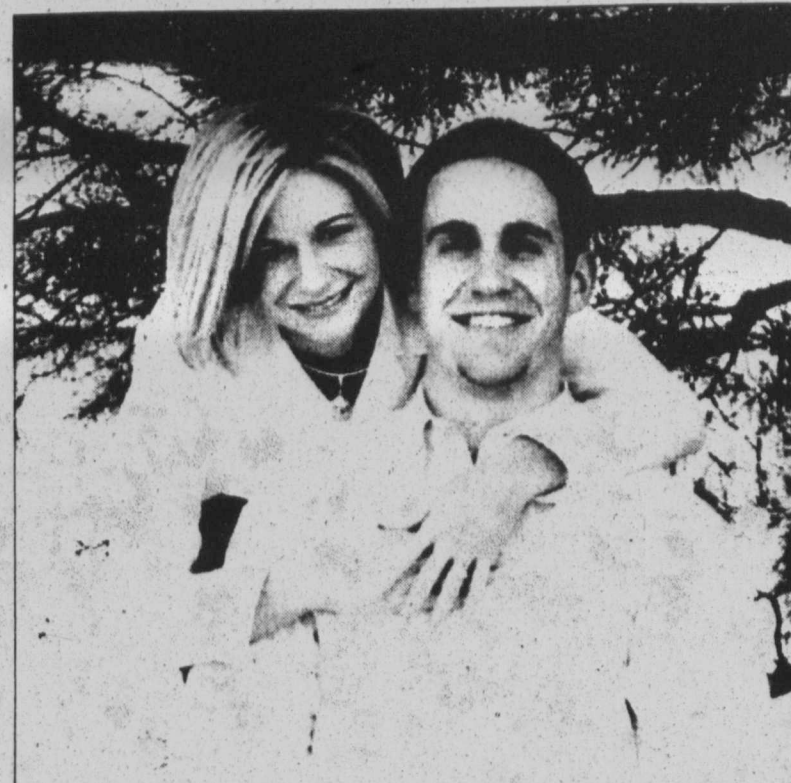
**Commissioners Have Routine Meeting**

Lynn County Commissioners met in routine session Monday morning, with three of four commissioners present and County Judge H.G. Franklin leading the meeting. Lena Cloe met with the court to obtain approval to apply for the VOCA grant that subsidizes the Lynn County Victim Assistance program each year, and commissioners okayed the request, noting that Judge Franklin would have authority to sign the grant application.

Commissioners discussed assisting the Lynn County Pioneers Senior Citizens Center, but took no action on the issue, noting that they would like to meet with a representative of the City of Tahoka at an upcoming meeting to discuss the possibility of providing funds on a cost-share basis for the center.

Sheriff Jerry Franklin reported on the sheriff's department and jail, and monthly bills were approved.

Present at the meeting were commissioners Don Morton, Don Blair and Mike Braddock. Commissioner J.T. Miller was absent from the meeting.



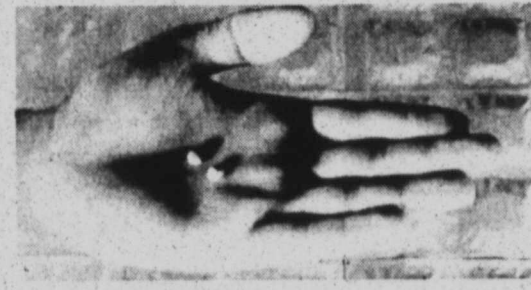
**KLYSSA JAYCI KELLN and MATTHEW STEPHEN WOODLEY Couple Announce Engagement**

Mr and Mrs. Jay Kelln of Tahoka announce the engagement of their daughter, Klyssa Jayci, to Matthew Stephen Woodley, son of Suzanne and George Carter and Steve and Nancy Woodley of Marshall, Tx. The wedding is planned for July 29, in Fort Worth.

Klyssa graduated magna cum laude from Texas A&M with a Bachelor of Science in Animal Science and is currently the Calf Scramble Coordinator for the Fort Worth Stock Show and Rodeo. Matt also graduated from Texas A&M with a Bachelor of Science in Agriculture Education and is now the Agriculture Science teacher at Mabank High School in Mabank, Tx.

Klyssa is the granddaughter of LaVerne Meeks of Tahoka.

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- Texas Workforce Commission Quarterly Reports
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- Taking accurate meeting minutes at Lynn County SWCD, PDG, LWG & RC&D meetings
- Public speaking
- Serving as Lynn County RC&D Council Secretary for 13 years
- Serving as a Vice-President for the Texas Association of District Employees for the past 6 years

If I have not asked for your vote at the New Home or Lynn County Stock Show, at your home or out and about in the community, I am asking for your VOTE NOW!

**VOTE**  
**Helen Calvillo Saldaña**  
FOR  
**LYNN COUNTY TREASURER**

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**Democratic Primary**

March 7, 2006  
Early voting February 21-March 3  
(Political advertising paid by the candidates listed)

**State Representative District 85**  
**JOE HEFLIN**  
(CANDIDATE)

**District Judge 106<sup>th</sup> Judicial District**  
**JAMES J. NAPPER**  
(CANDIDATE)

**Lynn County Justice of Peace, Pct. 1**  
**QUAYDENE CASWELL**  
(CANDIDATE)

**TERRI WALKER**  
(INCUMBENT)

**GINGER HENRY**  
(CANDIDATE)

**Lynn County Treasurer**  
**PAM MILLER**  
(CANDIDATE)  
**HELEN CALVILLO SALDANA**  
(CANDIDATE)

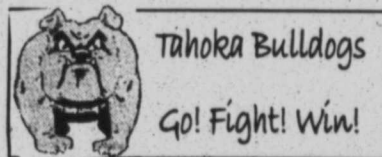
**Lynn County Commissioner, Pct. 4**  
**BRAD HAMMONDS**  
(CANDIDATE)  
**CURTIS GICKLHORN**  
(CANDIDATE)



**Republican Primary**

March 7, 2006  
Early voting February 21-March 3  
(Political advertising paid by the candidates listed)

**District Judge 106<sup>th</sup> Judicial District**  
**CARTER SCHILDKNECHT**  
(INCUMBENT)



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**Applications Due: March 15, 2006**







**Best All-State Mallet Player ...** Tahoka High School mallet player Alex DeLeon shows off his ATSSB All-State patch to Tahoka 3-D Band directors Carroll Rhodes (right) and Lora Smith (left). He played first chair mallet in the top All-State band.

## Alex DeLeon Wins First Chair In All-State Symphonic Band

Tahoka High School mallet player Alex DeLeon auditioned for the two All-State Bands last Wednesday, placing first chair mallet in the top band, the Symphonic Band which was directed by Colonel John Bourgeois, USMC Retired, the former director of the Washington D.C. Marine Band.

In January in competition against the best mallet players from four regions, Alex qualified for the ATSSB 3A All-State Band which rehearsed and played at the Texas Music Educators Convention in San Antonio, Feb. 15-18.

Last Wednesday Alex traveled with Rhodes and Smith to San Antonio where he placed first chair mallet in the Symphonic Band. After rehearsing Thursday and Friday, the Symphonic Band played a superb performance on Saturday following the performances of the Concert Band and the All-State Jazz Band.

"We are extremely proud of Alex and the long hours of practice and hard work that has enabled him to achieve this high level of musicianship. You could say that Alex is the best mallet player in 1A, 2A, and 3A bands in the state of Texas. The performances last Saturday by all three All-State bands were the best that we have heard in several years for the All-State group," stated directors Smith and Rhodes.

## Six Powerlifters Qualify For Regional Events

By Juan Hernandez, THS Journalism

The Tahoka High School Powerlifting team traveled to Plains for their fourth powerlifting meet on Feb. 25, winning several awards and qualifying six for regional competition by accruing points from this and all previous powerlifting meets.

Male lifters who rank in the top ten totals for their weight class in each division qualify for regional meets. Tahoka is in Region 1, which covers all of the Panhandle down to Ft. Stockton, over to Clyde and up.

Heath Ross (165 pound class) and Ty Cloe (242 pound class) placed first in their weight class at Plains, and are Regional Qualifiers. Ross and Cloe will compete in the Regional Meet on Saturday, March 11 in Brownfield. The event is at Brownfield High School, beginning at 9 a.m.

At Plains, THS lifter Jacob Bingham placed third in his weight class, and Allen Henderson placed fifth in his weight class.

Tahoka has four regional qualifiers on the girls team, who must rank in the top 12 totals for their weight class in each division. The regional girl qualifiers will compete Saturday, March 4 in Abilene at Mann Middle School, starting at 9 a.m.

Regional qualifiers include Abi Henderson, who placed sixth overall at Plains; Kathryn Reno, who placed seventh overall at Plains; Amanda Paredes, who placed eighth overall at Plains; and Marissa Gomez is a regional qualifier, although she did not lift at Plains due to an injury.

Cindy Marquez placed 16th overall at the Plains meet.



**Powerlifters win at Plains, Qualify for Regional Events ...** Tahoka High School Powerlifting Teams competed at the Plains powerlifting meet on Feb. 25. All placed in their divisions, and six have qualified for regional competition, including Heath Ross, Ty Cloe, Abi Henderson, Kathryn Reno, Amanda Paredes and Marissa Gomez. Team members shown here at Plains are, standing from left, Jacob Bingham, Allen Henderson, Marissa Gomez, Heath Ross, Ty Cloe; and in front, Kathryn Reno, Cindy Marquez, Abi Henderson and Amanda Paredes.

## Obituaries



CLARICE JEAN FREEMAN

### Clarice Jean Freeman

Graveside services for Clarice Jean Freeman, 83, of Tahoka, were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 25 at Tahoka Cemetery, officiated by Rachel Shapard. Arrangements were under the direction of White Funeral Home.

Mrs. Freeman died Feb. 23, 2006.

She was born July 30, 1922 in Vernon, Texas, to Walter Titus and Ollie Eugene Keaton Hill. Jean attended grammar school in Oklahoma and then the family moved to Lynn County where she attended high school. Jean married Harvey H. Freeman who preceded her in death on November 15, 1976.

Mrs. Freeman was a homemaker and beautician. She was active in the First Baptist Church of Tahoka and she was a member of the Eastern Star.

She was preceded in death by her husband; one son, Harvey Freeman; three brothers, David Hill, Andrew Hill, and Jess Hill; one sister, Ruth Ann; and her parents.

Survivors include two sons, Herman Freeman of Tahoka, and Jerry Freeman of San Antonio; one daughter, Linda K. Strong of Snyder; one brother, George Hill; three sisters, Margie Massey, Ella Baker, and Wanda Beaty; and 16 grandchildren.

The family requests memorials in honor of Mrs. Freeman may be sent to AdvanceD Hospice, 4208 19th Street, Lubbock, TX 79407.

### THS Seniors Collecting Donations For Sr. Citizens

On Feb. 2, 2006, while attending a Rotary luncheon, Kelly Rojo, a THS Senior, was listening to Nancy Guilliams, Director of the Lynn County Senior Citizen Center, speak about the financial situation they were having. After thinking about the problem, she suggested that the THS Senior Class start a fundraiser to help the Senior Citizen Center.

The fundraiser began on Feb. 26, and will continue through March 3. This fundraiser includes breaking the dress code (within limits), eating breakfast in the first period classroom, and extended lunch for \$1 each.

In the following events to also help with the fundraiser, there will be ice cream in class for \$1, and for a \$2 donation students can watch a movie during the 7th and 8th period classes where popcorn and cokes will be offered for \$1 each.

All money collected will be donated to benefit the Lynn County Senior Citizen Center.

## Raindl Selected To Roundup All-Star Game

Brandi Raindl, a senior at Tahoka High School, has been selected as one of the top basketball players in Texas and invited to participate in the 7th Annual Zebra Roundup All-Star game to be held on March 18, in Grandview, Tx.

The Zebra Roundup, considered one of the state's most prestigious events, selects the state's top 24 boys and 24 girls from Class 1A, 2A, and 3A schools. Players selected are chosen from hundreds of nominations statewide. Recruiters across the state participate as advisors in the Zebra Roundup selection process.

The girls game is scheduled for 3:00 p.m. followed by the boys game at 5:00 p.m. Admission to the games is \$5. Grandview is located on I-35W

approximately 35 miles south of Fort Worth and 15 miles north of Hillsboro.



It's payback time, you know it is ... **Happy 50th** from your sis.

You're Invited to a Bridal Shower honoring Kelsee Cloe bride-elect of Devin Bartlett

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at the First Baptist Church  
Tahoka, Texas

Selections at Bed, Bath & Beyond and Target

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**Ginger Henry**

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**Committed to our Values**  
Jim Landtroop is a 5th generation Texan and a conservative Republican. He led the traditional marriage campaign in his county to change the state constitution to define marriage as between one man and one woman. The Landtroop family helped start Plainview Bible Church, where Jim serves on the leadership team. He and his wife Cathy have three children: Braden, Kenneth, and Lauren Grace.

**Committed to Education**  
Jim will oppose any efforts by Austin-based education bureaucrats to force a "one size fits all" solution on West Texas schools. For example, Jim opposes vouchers for our district. As a product of public education, Jim will fight to ensure that West Texas schools - and our teachers - have the resources they need to educate our kids.

**Jim Landtroop Supports:**

- Ensuring first-rate public schools for West Texas
- A strong agriculture and oil and gas industry
- A pro-business environment to bring jobs to West Texas, fighting frivolous lawsuits
- Standing firm for prayer in schools, the sanctity of life, and traditional marriage
- More local control
- Protection of water and property rights
- Cracking down on illegal immigration and securing our border with Mexico
- The right to keep and bear arms

"A good leader understands and embraces the responsibilities of leadership. Jim Landtroop is that kind of leader. I am confident that the 85th District will be in good hands with Jim in office. I gladly give my support to Jim Landtroop."  
- Bryan Bishop, Plainview Farmer

"I'm supporting Jim Landtroop because when it comes to education, he believes that government should be maintained at the local level and that is very important to small, rural towns. Jim's strong conservative beliefs reflect those of the district and will help him make the right decisions regarding education and other matters for the constituents."  
- Mark Noland, Reagan County ISD School Board President

- "A" Rated by NRA
- Only candidate endorsed by Texas Right to Life
- Supported by Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association

**Jim Landtroop**

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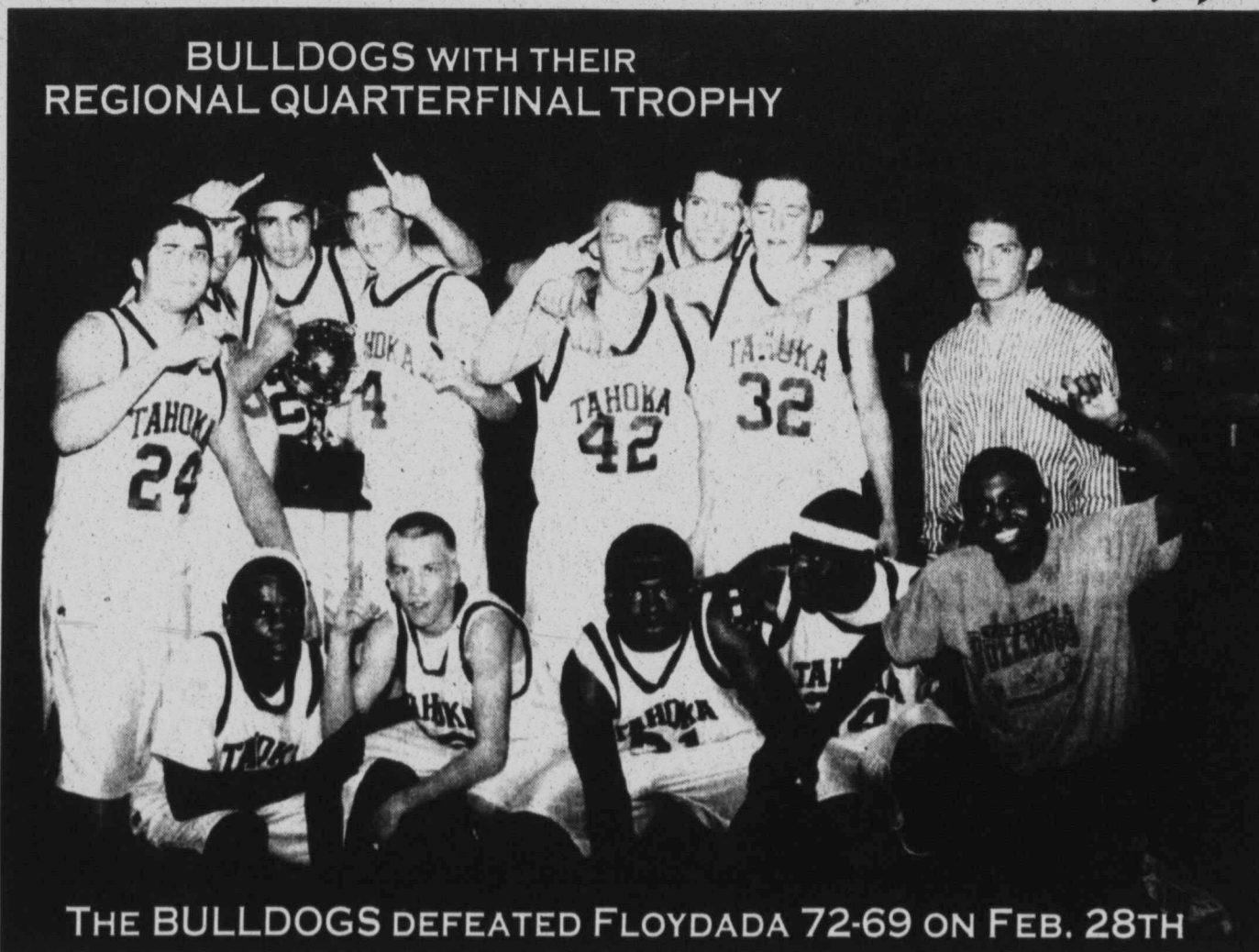
# Tahoka Bulldogs ... CLASS 5-AA

## Area Champs & Regional Quarterfinal Champions



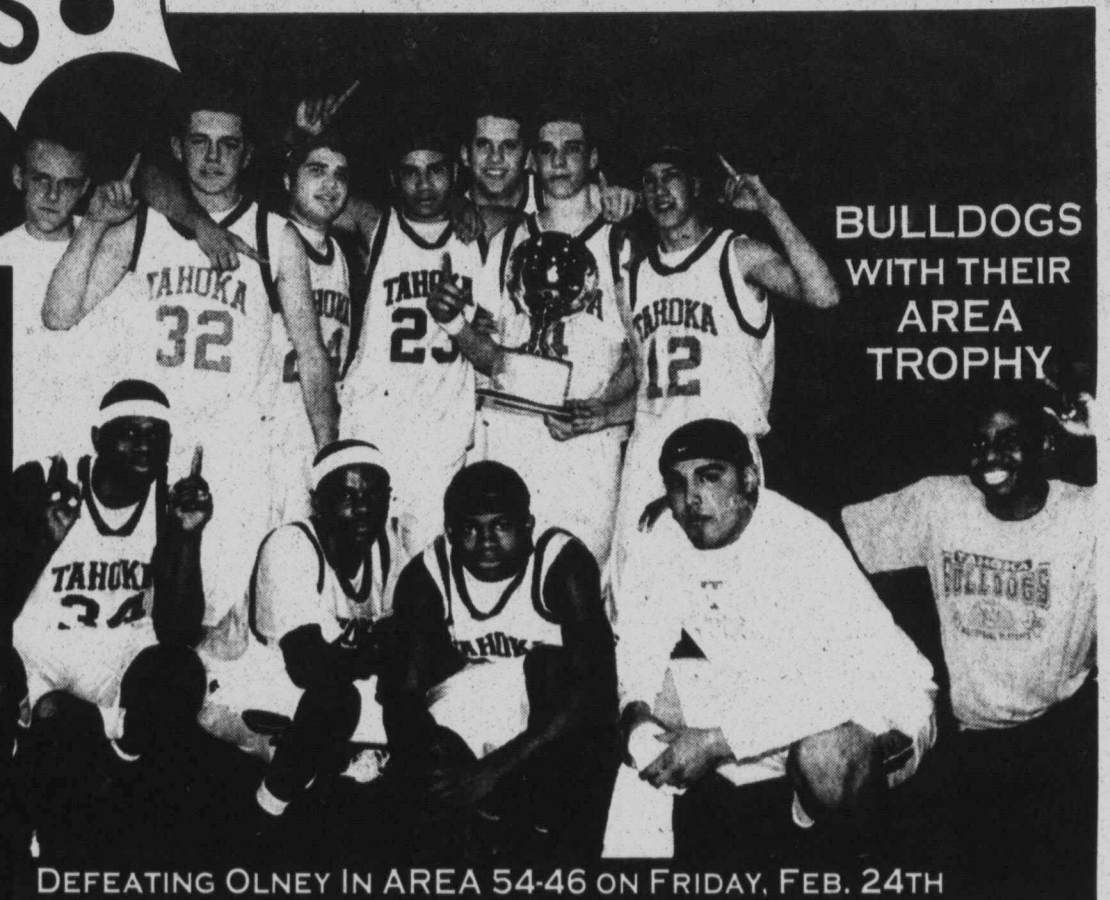
- 2005-06 BULLDOGS:**
- |                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 03 - Troy Price     | 23 - Damon Moore    |
| 04 - Colby Gardner  | 24 - Patrick Dotson |
| 10 - Matt McLelland | 32 - Josh Hawthorne |
| 12 - Daniel Baker   | 34 - Zach Tillman   |
| 14 - Michael Lam    | 52 - Nathan Garcia  |
| 21 - Jay Tillman    |                     |
- Head Coach: Drew Stone  
Assistant Coach: Jonathan Galley

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT TICKETS ARE \$10 AND \$5 ON FRIDAY, \$5 ON SATURDAY



BULLDOGS WITH THEIR REGIONAL QUARTERFINAL TROPHY

THE BULLDOGS DEFEATED FLOYDADA 72-69 ON FEB. 28TH



BULLDOGS WITH THEIR AREA TROPHY

DEFEATING OLNEY IN AREA 54-46 ON FRIDAY, FEB. 24TH

(CHAMPIONSHIP REGIONAL FINAL GAME WILL BE AT MIDLAND CHAPARRAL GYM AT 1:00 P.M. ON SATURDAY.)

**REGIONAL TOURNAMENT:**  
**MIDLAND COLLEGE CHAPARRAL CTR**  
REGIONAL SEMIFINALS:  
**TAHOKA BULLDOGS VS COLORADO**  
FRIDAY, MARCH 3 AT 6:00 P.M.  
FOLLOWED BY: CHILDRESS VS. REAGAN COUNTY AT 7:30

# We're proud of our Lady Bulldogs!

## CLASS 5-AA Regional Finalists

- 2005-06 LADY DOGS:**
- |                       |                              |
|-----------------------|------------------------------|
| 03 - Meghan Saldana   | 22 - Christyn Chapa          |
| 10 - Brandi Raindl    | 23 - Cori Vega               |
| 11 - Haley Hall       | 24 - Porscha Mitchell        |
| 14 - Amanda Truelove  | 32 - Jessica McLelland       |
| 20 - Samantha Andrews | Head Coach: Steve Fancher    |
| 21 - Carissa Hall     | Assistant Coach: Katie Craft |

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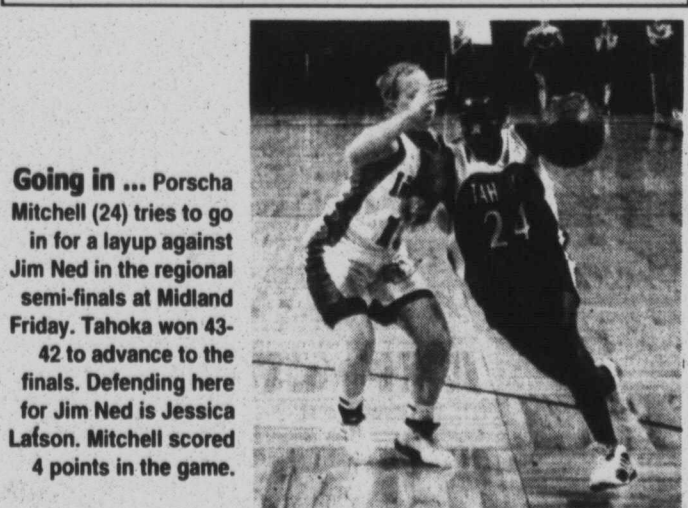
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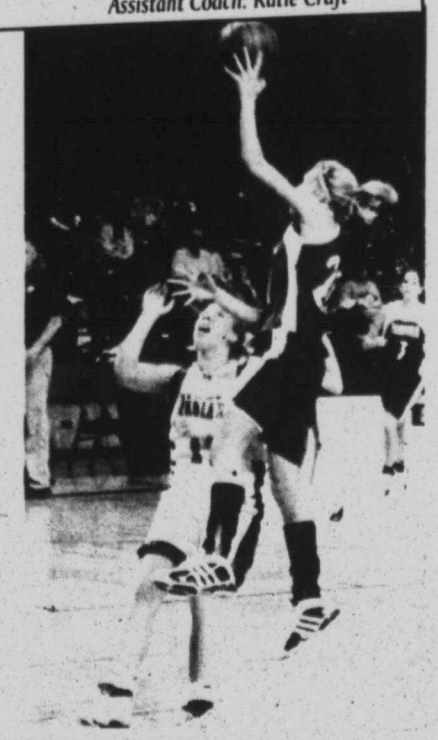
Regional Quarterfinals Champs (Tahoka 55-46 Shallowater)

Regional Semifinals Champions (Tahoka 43-42 Jim Ned)

Regional Finalists (Tahoka 40-55 Wall)



Going in ... Porscha Mitchell (24) tries to go in for a layup against Jim Ned in the regional semi-finals at Midland Friday. Tahoka won 43-42 to advance to the finals. Defending here for Jim Ned is Jessica Lafson. Mitchell scored 4 points in the game.



Up and at it ... Agile Tahoka senior Carissa Hall goes up for a shot at the basket in the regional semifinals game against Jim Ned's Lady Indians. Hall had 8 points as Tahoka won 43-42.

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# Lady Bulldogs End Dream Season With Regional Finals Battle

by KENT ELLIOTT

The Tahoka Lady Bulldogs' dream season came to a close Saturday afternoon in Midland at the Class AA Regional Finals when the Lady Dogs' path to Austin ran into a roadblock, stopped by a tall and talented team from Wall who prevailed 55-40. The Lady Dogs had come off a 43-42 win over Jim Ned in the Regional semifinals the night before to advance to the finals and a chance to claim a playoff berth in the state tournament.

For Tahoka's Lady Bulldogs, this was the second time in school history to advance as far as the regional finals, both times under the direction of head coach Steve Fancher. Four of the seniors on this year's squad (Raindl, Saldana, Andrews, and C. Hall) played on the 2002-03 team that also made it to the regional finals where they were ousted by Shallowater 48-40.

Saturday's playoff was the final game of their high school career for six seniors on the team, including Brandi Raindl, Carissa Hall, Meghan Saldana, Samantha Andrews, Porscha Mitchell and Christyn Chapa; and the end of an outstanding 28-8 season for the team. Freshman Cori Vega and senior Brandi Raindl each tallied up 10 points in the regional final game, and other contributors were Carissa Hall with 7, Andrews 5, Saldana 4, and Chapa and Mitchell with 2 each. Junior Haley Hall also saw some playing time, and junior Amanda Truelove and sophomore Jessica McLelland rounded out the bench.

The Lady Bulldogs were presented a Regional Finals team trophy, capping off a terrific season for the squad whose claim to fame this year included District Tri-Champions (tied with Shallowater and Slaton), Bi-District Champions, Area Champions, Regional Quarterfinals

Champion, Regional Semifinals Champion and Regional Finalist.

In the regional finals match, Wall doubled Tahoka's scoring output in the first quarter as the period closed with Wall up 10-5. Kirsten Neihues led the way for the Lady Hawks with 5 points in the period, and Carissa Hall was the only Tahoka player to score in the opening frame.

Wall continued to use their height advantage to expand the lead to 10 points (27-17) at the half. Particularly effective for the Hawks was 6-footer Paige Weishuhn, who tallied 8 points in the quarter. Brandi Raindl countered with 7 points of her own for the Lady Bulldogs. A key player for Tahoka, feisty Carissa Hall, was taken out of the game early in the second quarter due to an injury, but she returned after halftime to finish the game.

Tahoka continued to play a zone in the third quarter to slow down the inside game of Wall, only to have Kelsey Eggleston nail a couple of 3-pointers for the Lady Hawks. Tahoka had balanced scoring in the quarter with Andrews, Raindl, Vega and Mitchell each having a bucket, but Wall led the Lady Bulldogs by 15 after three periods of play, 41-26.

Forced to foul in an effort to get the ball back and score, Tahoka sent a parade of Hawks to the free throw line in the final period. Wall capitalized by sinking 14 to keep the Lady Bulldogs at bay, and a 10-point spread was the closest Tahoka came to closing the gap, at 45-35 with 3:03 remaining. Cori Vega scored 6 points and Carissa Hall scored a bucket as did Christyn Chapa in the fourth.

### LADIES OUST JIM NED IN SEMIFINALS

The Lady Bulldogs nosed out Tuscola's Jim Ned Lady Indians in a nail-biter in the regional semifinals at Midland Friday night, winning 43-

42 after holding off a Jim Ned comeback in the fourth period.

Tahoka fell behind in the first quarter 11-7, but came back to own the second period 11-9, making it 20-18 at halftime. For the fourth straight playoff game, Tahoka had a big third period and took a 33-30 lead at the end of three. Early in the fourth, Jim Ned regained the lead, with most of the damage done by Haylee Allen, who led Jim Ned with 18 points.

Vega stole the ball and drove the length of the court to score to put Tahoka ahead 39-36 with 2:30 left. Tahoka led 41-40 with 29 seconds left and Hall hit two free throws to make it 43-40. Jim Ned tried to get a three-point look, but had to settle for a 2, with just over a second left, and the Lady Dogs threw in the ball to end the game.

Raindl led Tahoka with 12 points, while Saldana added 9 and Hall 8. Andrews and Mitchell scored 4 each and Vega had 6.

## Board Approves Report On Needs Of Community

Lynn County Hospital directors last Thursday night approved the annual assessment of needs in the community as it relates to hospital activities. The board also approved use of electronic voting machines in hospital elections.

Administrator Jimmy Morris reported on several items, including personnel developments and the need for refurbishing some furnishings and equipment in the patient rooms. Board members discussed these needs at length and asked Morris to prepare a list of things which need to be done.

The board voted unanimously to increase Morris' salary by \$2000, to \$52,000 per year. Morris, who is winding up his first six months as administrator, was complimented by board members for doing a good job.

Billy Tomlinson presided. Other board members present were Joan Knox, John Hawthorne, Cal Huffaker and Dalton Wood. Absent were Jerry Ford and Regina Crutcher.

### Defensive Driving Class To Be Offered At FBC in Tahoka

A tentative date of March 25, has been set for a Defensive Driving Class to be held at First Baptist Church in Tahoka.

The class will be held from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. with a morning, lunch and afternoon break. A meal will be served.

With attendance of 15 or more, the cost will be approximately \$15. A certificate will be given at the end of the course for insurance purposes. If course is taken for ticket dismissal, cost will be \$25.

For more information, and to register by March 3, contact First Baptist Church at 561-4557.



**There she goes ...** Talented freshman Cori Vega dribbles the ball in the vicinity of Jim Ned players Renee O'Dell and Grace Taylor (10) in the regional semi-finals game won by a single point by Tahoka Friday night. Vega had 6 points, including 4 of 4 free throws. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

## Helpers Sought For Tahoka Track Meets

Community members interested in assisting with track meets hosted at Tahoka High School this year are invited to attend a planning meeting on Monday, March 6 at 7:30 p.m. in the field house. The Middle School track meet is Tuesday, March 21, and the high school invitational track meet is Friday, March 24.

"We always get so many compliments on the adults that are working and how much our community does for the track meets," said Troy Hinds, Athletic Director for Tahoka ISD. "We appreciate our community for supporting our school, and could not host these track meets without your help. Please come to our first planning meeting on March 6 to find out how you can help. We need to begin assigning for the track meets that will happen the week after spring break," he added.

Hinds also said that Tahoka ISD has received approval to host the high school District Meet for the new district 4AA for the next two years. "I am excited about that for our school and community," he said.

### Senior Citizens MENU

March 6-10

**Monday:** BBQ chicken, potato salad, corn, biscuit, bananas & peaches

**Tuesday:** Pork Chop, gravy, mashed potatoes, roll, spinach, Apricots

**Wednesday:** Fish, French fries, coleslaw, black eye peas, rolls, cake

**Thursday:** Meat Loaf, scallop potatoes, turnip greens, rolls, dry jello salad

**Friday:** Oven fried chicken, gravy, mac & cheese, green beans, cobbler

**A note from the Director:**  
The Senior Citizens would like to thank all of you for the donations that have been coming in. Your support is greatly appreciated.

We will be taking the aluminum cans to sell next week and if you have any that you wish to donate and need them to be picked up, please call the center at 561-5264.

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**Early Voting Ends Friday, March 3**  
**Primary Election March 7**

**KEEP CARTER** District Judge  
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**NOTICE OF REPUBLICAN PRIMARY ELECTION**

(Elección Primaria del Partido Republicano)

To the registered voters of the County of Lynn County, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del Condado de Lynn, Texas.)  
Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., March 7, 2006, for the voting in an election for the Republican Primary. (El notice la polling place entre las 7:00 a.m. y 7:00 p.m., el marzo 7, 2006 y votación elección Primaria del partido Republicano.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES:  
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Voting Boxes 1-14: Lynn County Courthouse, Courtroom Basement, 1600 Main Street, Tahoka.

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

LYNN COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, COURTHOUSE SQUARE  
between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on FEBRUARY 21, 2006 (entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 5 de la tarde empezando el FEBRUARY 21, 2006) and ending on March 3, 2006 (y terminando el marzo 3, 2006).

Issued this the 17th day of February 2006.  
(Emitida este día 17th de febrero 2006.)

/s/ H.G. Franklin,  
Lynn County Judge  
9-1tc

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Lynn County Clerk, Susan Tipton, will conduct a test of the automatic tabulating equipment on Friday, March 3, 2006 at 4:00 p.m. in the Lynn County Courthouse in the basement courtroom according to the Texas Election Code Section 127.093 (b) and will be open to the public.  
Susan Tipton  
Lynn County Clerk  
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**Bulldogs Win Area, 54-46 Over Olney**

by KENT ELLIOTT

Bulldog fans had some heart-palpitating moments in Friday night's Area playoff victory despite a scoreboard that showed a comfortable lead at halftime, as they watched the Bulldogs battle Olney for the Class 2A Area title. Tahoka's Bulldogs emerged victorious to claim the Area Championship with a hard-fought 54-46 triumph over the Cubs.

Olney broke from the gate early, scoring the first 5 points, but Tahoka came roaring back to claim a 15-7 lead behind Zach Tillman's 8 points in the first period. The Bulldogs used balanced scoring and a ferocious defense to extend their lead to 30-17 at the half. Tahoka had six buckets in the second stanza but three went for 3-pointers, one each by Colby Gardner, Patrick Dotson and Daniel Baker.

But like the fickle west Texas weather, Olney came storming back in the third quarter. Employing a full court press for most of the game, the Cubs tightened it up a notch further and racked up 15 points while keeping the Bulldogs to only 6. Add that to several Tahoka turnovers, and the lead closed to 36-32 after three periods.

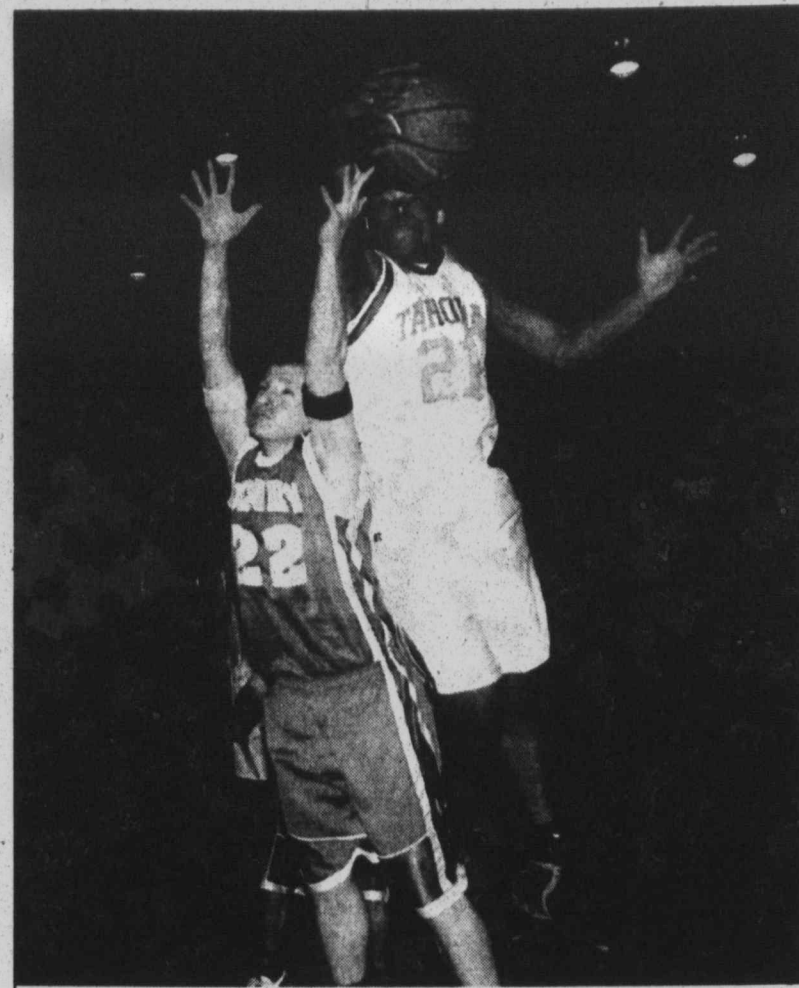
The lead dwindled to a mere two points on several occasions in the fourth, but Tahoka finally put Olney

away for hibernation with clutch free throw shooting by Gardner (3), Troy Price (2) and Jay Tillman (2). Damon Moore tallied 7 points also with three buckets and a free throw to stave off the Cubs at the end, 54-46.

"We had a really good first half - we were able to establish our inside game and we really got in them defensively. The first half was one of our best halves of the year," said Coach Drew Stone. "The second half we made some mistakes that allowed them back in the ball game but our guys were able to hold it together and keep them at bay," he added.

Gardner led Tahoka with 12 points, followed by Damon Moore with 11 and Zach Tillman with 10. Olney was led by Alex Bedford with 18 points, and Mark Payne with 14.

"Our starters played well and our bench production was very good," said Coach Stone. "Jay Tillman came in and played very well defensively the second half. Colby and Jay hit some free throws towards the end of the game that sealed the victory for us. I was really pleased with our performance," said the coach.



Where did it go? ... Olney Cub player Eric Symank goes up for a shot, but the ball disappeared on him, as Tahoka's Jay Tillman (21) snatched it away. Tahoka upset Olney 54-46 in the bi-district game, to advance to area. (LCN PHOTO by Vendell Elliott)

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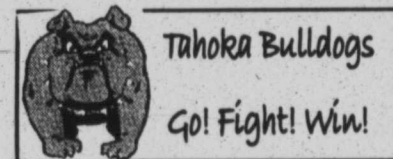
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Pol. Adv. Paid by Terri Walker, P.O. Box 1386, Tahoka, TX 79373

**Girls Little Dribblers Sign-Up Dates Set**

The Tahoka Girls Little Dribblers Basketball sign-ups will be held Mar. 4 from 9-11 a.m. at the Life Enrichment Center in Tahoka.

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**Tahoka ISD 2006-2007 Proposed Calendar**

INSTRUCTIONAL DAYS: (177)			
First Six Weeks	August 14	to September 22	29 Days
Second Six Weeks	September 25	to November 3	28 Days
Third Six Weeks	November 6	to December 21	31 Days
Fourth Six Weeks	January 9	to February 16	28 Days
Fifth Six Weeks	February 19	to April 5	29 Days
Sixth Six Weeks	April 9	to May 24 (last day of school)	32 Days
<b>Total Instructional Days</b>			<b>177 Days</b>
STAFF DEVELOPMENT			
New Staff In-Service: August 7, 8			
Inservice/Student Holiday: August 9, 10, 11			
October 9, 23			
January 8			
May 25			
BAD WEATHER DAYS			
April 27, May 11			
HOMECOMING Sept. 29 (tentative)			
HOLIDAYS			
Labor Day			September 4
Thanksgiving			November 22, 23, 24
Christmas			December 22-January 8
Spring Break			March 12-16
Good Friday			April 6
Comp Days/ Student Holidays			Dec. 22, Jan. 19, Apr. 6
<b>HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION May 25, 2007</b>			

Please direct comments regarding the proposed 2006-2007 school calendar to Tahoka ISD Superintendent Jimmy Parker at the Harvick Educational Building, 2129 N. Main Street in Tahoka, phone (806) 561-4105. The Board will discuss and may adopt a calendar for the 2006-07 school year on March 9, 2006.

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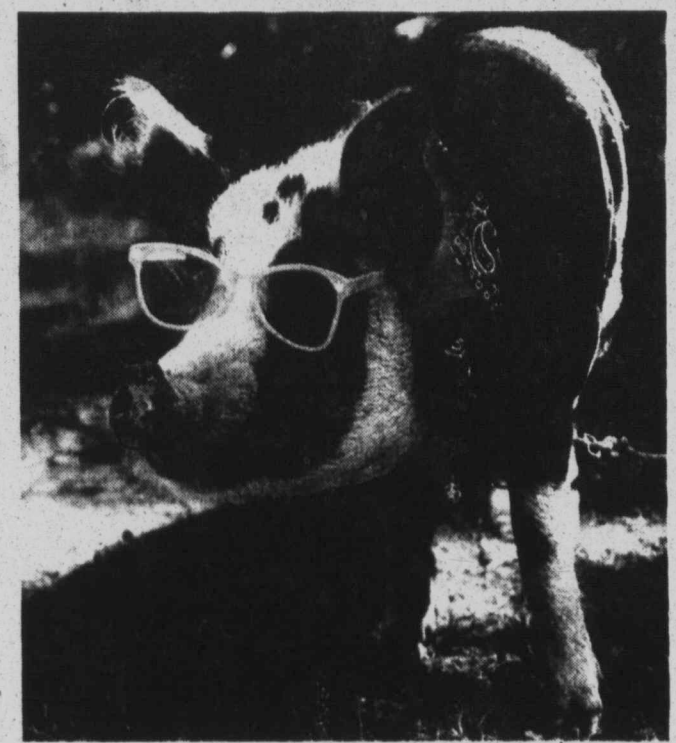
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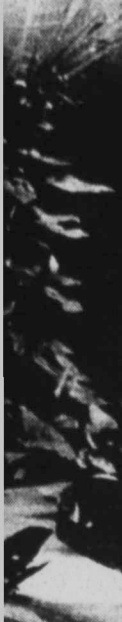
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## Farm Bureau Offers \$1000 Reward Here

Texas Farm Bureau upped the ante for information leading to the conviction of persons responsible for a rash of farm equipment thefts and vandalism in Lynn County, for which Lynn County Crime Line has already offered a \$500 reward.

Farm Bureau is offering an additional \$1000 reward for information leading to the arrest and final conviction of persons committing trespass, theft, arson, or mischief on property of a current member of Texas Farm Bureau. Texas Farm

Bureau is the sole judge of any dispute arising over the reward, according to the notice.

Several thefts have occurred over recent weeks, including burglaries of barns and vandalism to tractors and cotton strippers.

Anyone having information on these incidents is encouraged to call Crime Line at 561-4026.

## Donation Drive Set For Green Memorial Park Cemetery

Green Memorial Park Cemetery in Wilson is sponsoring its annual donation drive during the month of March. Funds may be deposited directly to Wilson State Bank or mailed to the Green Memorial Park Cemetery, P.O. Box 102, Wilson, TX 79381.

The board of directors, David Wied, Curtis Wilke and Curtis Gicklhorn, would like to thank everyone for their past contributions as they continue to make the cemetery neat and attractive.

## Booster Club Meeting Set

The Tahoka Bulldog Booster Club has scheduled a meeting for Thursday, March 2, at 7:00 p.m. in the LRC.



**Author reads to Wilson youth ...** Wilson students from grades Pre-K through 3rd gathered in the Wilson Library on February 10 where they had the privilege of hearing author Katherine Kelly read them her story, "Albert Bear and the Big Celebration." Illustrated by Deirdre Kelly-Trotter, this is a heartwarming story showing a teddy bear's experience one night in a museum. Many complimented Ms. Kelly about her book. "It was an awesome experience that I feel all of our students have benefited from," said Francine Williams, librarian at Wilson ISD.

## Disaster Assistance Available For Small Businesses

Small, non-farm businesses in 20 Texas counties, including Lynn, may now apply for low interest disaster loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA). These loans offset economic losses because of reduced revenues to farmers and ranchers caused by adverse weather conditions.

Businesses in Lynn County may apply for these loans due to the excessive rain, hail, high winds and lightning in Lynn County from Aug. 28 through Sept. 14, 2005, as well as small businesses in the neighboring counties of Borden, Crosby, Dawson, Garza, Hockley, Lubbock and Terry.

Small businesses may qualify for Economic Injury Disaster Loans of up to \$1.5 million to help meet financial obligations and operating expenses which could have been met had the disaster not occurred.

For information and application forms, call toll-free 800-659-2955 or visit SBA's website at [www.sba.gov/disaster](http://www.sba.gov/disaster). Deadline to apply for loans is Sept. 11, 2006.

## The WILSON News

### Author Donates Book To Wilson Library

By WHS students  
Ana Sanders & Danielle Chance  
While at Wilson ISD to read her story to children, Katherine Kelly was kind enough to autograph and donate a copy of her book, "Albert Bear and the Big Celebration" to the Wilson library. "Ms. Kelly liked the students' questions so much that she contacted the printing company of her book and spoke with them about Wilson Elementary students take a trip to see an actual book being made," added Mrs. Williams.

"Albert Bear and the Big Celebration" can also be found in Lubbock at The Odyssey, as well as at Golden Gazette. Katherine Kelly will be available for school visits on Mondays and Fridays in 2006.

## Wilson SCHOOL MENU

March 6-10  
Breakfast

Choice of cereal and toast or hot entrée daily.

**Monday:** Breakfast on a stick  
**Tuesday:** Egg sausage, toast  
**Wednesday:** Breakfast Bar  
**Thursday:** Biscuit, gravy  
**Friday:** Breakfast on a stick

**Lunch**

**Monday:** Cheeseburger, trimmings, fries, fruit  
**Tuesday:** Turkey, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, fruit  
**Wednesday:** Hot Pockets, salad, carrot sticks, fruit  
**Thursday:** Beefy nachos, salad, beans, fruit  
**Friday:** Pizza, salad, carrot sticks, fruit

## Co. History Books Offered For \$30

Phebe K. Warner Club has now lowered the cost of The Lynn County History Books to \$30 each. The books are available at the City-County Library, Lynn County Pioneer Museum and The Lynn County Pioneers, or you may contact Loretta Tekell at 998-5040.

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## Burglary, Theft of Trailer, Vandalism Investigated

Burglary of a home, theft of a trailer, two collisions and damage to a U.S. Post Office were among incidents investigated by law enforcement officers in Lynn County during the last week.

A home belonging to Frances Wright in the northeast part of Lynn County was burglarized in daylight hours last Wednesday, but nothing was reported missing. The owner said she was away between the hours of 9 and 11:30 a.m. and when she returned she found a rear storm door had been broken to gain entry to the house.

Deputies also took a report from Lawrence Klenco, postmaster at Wilson, who said a bathroom window glass at the post office had been broken out with a pellet gun, probably over the last weekend. Officers noted that damage to a post office is believed to be a federal offense.

Tahoka Police investigated a report from Jimmy Parker, who said someone recently had taken a black utility trailer from the 1100-block of Ave. O. The trailer is valued at \$1500.

Two traffic accidents in the city during the last week resulted in no injuries. On Thursday a 2004 Chevrolet driven by Patricia H. Sherrill, 53, of Tahoka and a Chevrolet pickup driven by Jesus I. Moya, 28, also of Tahoka, collided as both were backing out of parking spots in the 1300-block of Lockwood.

The other accident involved a 1995 Oldsmobile driven by Henry Galindo Pina, 65, of Tahoka, whose vehicle collided Monday on a parking lot in the 1700-block of Lockwood with a parked 2001 Honda Accord owned by Ray Don Box of Tahoka.

## Defensive Driving Class To Be Offered At FBC in Tahoka

A tentative date of March 25, has been set for a Defensive Driving Class to be held at First Baptist Church in Tahoka.

The class will be held from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. with a morning, lunch and afternoon break. A meal will be served.

With attendance of 15 or more, the cost will be approximately \$15. A certificate will be given at the end of the course for insurance purposes. If course is taken for ticket dismissal, cost will be \$25.

For more information, and to register by March 3, contact First Baptist Church at 561-4557.

## Last Chance For Little League Sign-Ups Is Monday

Last chance to sign up for the 2006 Tahoka Little League season will be at tryouts on Monday, March 6 at the baseball field. Sign ups will start at 5:30 p.m. followed by tryouts at 6:00 p.m. **NOTE: All Minors and Majors must be at tryouts and Tee Ball players do not have to try-out.**

Players must be 5 years old by July 31, 2006 to be eligible for play. Registration fee is \$35 plus a \$15 fundraising fee per child. If questions, please call Marty at 759-1281 or Amanda at 561-4458.

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(A los votantes registrados del Condado de Lynn, Texas.)  
Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., March 7, 2006, for the voting in an election for the Democratic Primary. (El notice la polling place entre las 7:00 a.m. y 7:00 p.m., el marzo 7, 2006 y votación eleccion Primaria del partido Democrático.)

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## The NEW HOME News

### NNHS Students Attend Summit

New Home High School students attended the Teen Tobacco Summit on Feb. 24 and 25. Students attending were: Kebbi Hutto, Mikaela Wallace, Mary Maeker, Sarah Bygel and Caul Blakley. These students attended on a grant that Mrs. Durham received from the State. The students attended meetings, participated in activities, and heard a keynote speaker. The information that they learned will be shared with the New Home Students during activities in May 2006. Mikaela Wallace and Mary Maeker are both members of the Teen Summit planning board in Lubbock from the Region 17 Teen Summit that is held in Feb. each year.

Mrs. Durham is sponsor of the group and has applied for a grant to take the group to the summer conference in Houston this summer.

### Wellness Policy

New Home Schools have adopted a Wellness Policy. To meet some of the requirements of the Wellness Policy, we are publishing nutrition information on the back of the menu and health information on the back of the menu and health information on the back of the calendar.

We are open to suggestions for items or information to be published. Karon

Durham is the Wellness Policy Chairman, and Betty Holder is the Nutrition Policy Chairman.

## New Home SCHOOL MENU

### March 6-10 Breakfast

Cereal and yogurt offered at breakfast daily.

**Monday:** Donut  
**Tuesday:** Waffles w/ syrup  
**Wednesday:** Biscuit/ sausage  
**Thursday:** Cinnamon pastry  
**Friday:** Pancake pup

### Lunch

**Monday:** Pizza, lettuce & tomato, corn, carrots/ cucumbers, pudding  
**Tuesday:** Sub sandwich, carrots, cucumber slices, pickle slices, apple, orange wedges, chips  
**Wednesday:** Steak fingers, French fries, lettuce tomato, applesauce cup, Texas toast  
**Thursday:** Chicken Nuggets, whipped potatoes, green beans, peach cup, hot rolls  
**Friday:** Fish shapes, mac & cheese, corn on cob, lettuce, tomato, grapes

## PRAY FOR OUR NATION

## woodwork by dalton

THE LUBBOCK daily newspaper sometimes has a page of advertising from medical professionals in which questions related to health are posed and brief answers given by the experts. One day I was looking at these and decided that the questions were more interesting than the answers. So here are some of the questions and my own non-professional answers (if you want the real answers, you will have to go get a Lubbock newspaper).

Question (for an ear, nose and throat specialist, called an otolaryngologist by those few persons who can call somebody that and get by with it): What are some of the common causes of hoarseness?

*Basketball games. I also am reminded of the guy who said, "I can't talk to you right now; I strained my voice talking through a screen door."*

Q: When should I worry about diarrhea?  
Sorry, I am not allowed to provide a complete answer here.

Laundry is involved.

Q: What is an overactive bladder?

See answer to previous question.

Q: Will braces hurt?

If you are wearing a leg brace and you kick someone, one of you is gonna hurt.

Q: What is syncope?

This is a device used by preachers to deal with sin. Some of the rest of us probably need one of these, also.

Q: (to the coordinator of a substance abuse treatment program). Must a person drink alcohol or use drugs on a daily basis in order to be diagnosed an alcoholic or drug addict?

No, but it's sure a step in that direction.

Q (for a neurosurgeon): Are there minimally invasive lumbar fusions?  
I was over at Higginbotham-Bartlett's recently and since I wasn't exactly certain of what I needed, I caused some lumber confusion.

Q: What is a veneer?

Well, I thought this was some kind of paint, but the dentist to whom the question was addressed said it was something that covers the front surface of a tooth. So brush your teeth, folks, to prevent venereal disease.

Q: Can I be allergic to my house plants?

That depends on the plants, or maybe how many. If you go overboard, and have plants in every corner of the place, husbands have a tendency to break out.

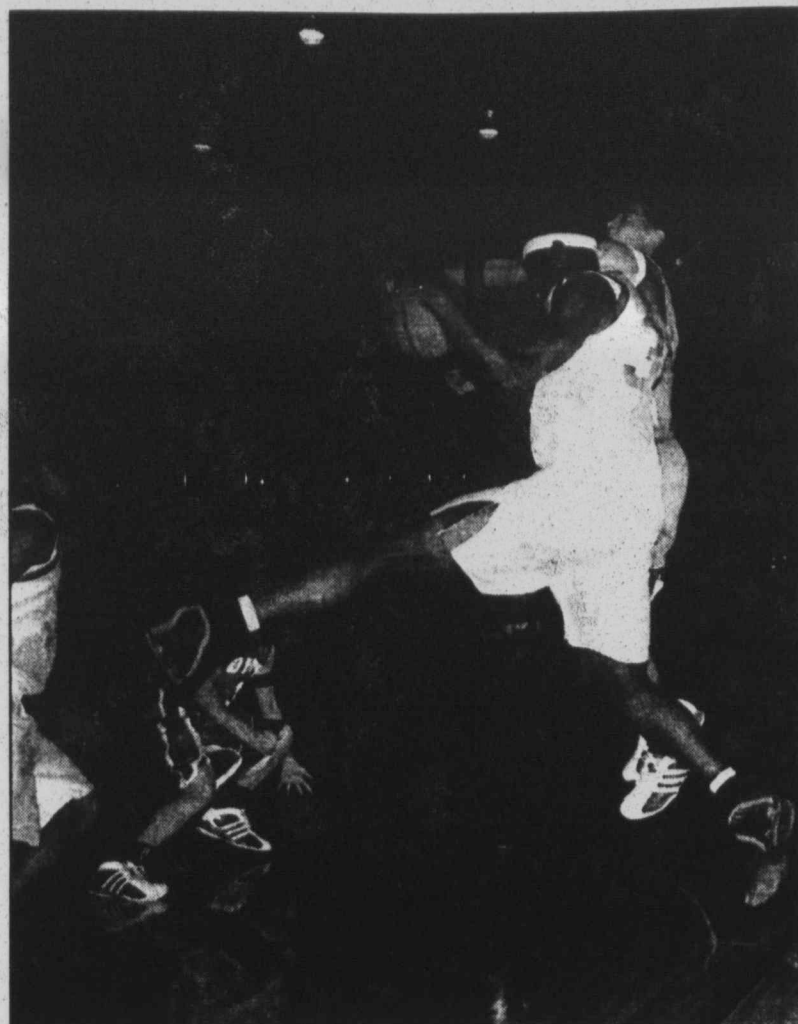
Q: Sometimes I have to turn my hearing aids down. Is it true that some hearing aids can turn themselves down?

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### Committed to Education

Jim will oppose any efforts by Austin-based education bureaucrats to force a "one size fits all" solution on West Texas schools. For example, Jim opposes vouchers for our district. As a product of public education, Jim will fight to ensure that West Texas schools – and our teachers – have the resources they need to educate our kids.

"A good leader understands and embraces the responsibilities of leadership. Jim Landtroop is that kind of leader. I am confident that the 85th District will be in good hands with Jim in office. I gladly give my support to Jim Landtroop."  
– Bryan Bishop, Plainview Farmer

### Jim Landtroop Supports:

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- ✓ A strong agriculture and oil and gas industry
- ✓ A pro-business environment to bring jobs to West Texas; fighting frivolous lawsuits
- ✓ Standing firm for prayer in schools, the sanctity of life, and traditional marriage
- ✓ More local control
- ✓ Protection of water and property rights
- ✓ Cracking down on illegal immigration and securing our border with Mexico
- ✓ The right to keep and bear arms

"I'm supporting Jim Landtroop because when it comes to education, he believes that government should be maintained at the local level and that is very important to small, rural towns. Jim's strong conservative beliefs reflect those of the district and will help him make the right decisions regarding education and other matters for the constituents."  
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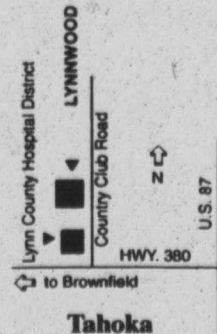
– Earl Kiser  
Lynnwood Resident



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