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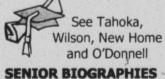
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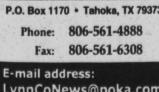
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County Attorney Sworn In ... Brian Kingston (left) is sworn. in as the new Lynn County Attorney at a ceremony held Monday morning, May 22, at the Lynn County Courthouse. County Judge H.G. Franklin (right) officiated. (LCN PHOTO)

# **Brian Kingston Sworn In As New County Attorney**

Brian Kingston, 47, was sworn in as the new Lynn County Attorney Monday morning, May 22, as family and friends looked on. County Judge H.G. Franklin officiated the ceremony.

Lynn County Commissioners appointed Kingston to fill the position previously held by James J. Napper, who resigned as County Attorney when he filed to run as a candidate for District Judge. Kingston will serve through Napper's original term of office, which ends in December 2008.

Kingston brings a wealth of experience to the county office, most recently serving as Assistant District Attorney in Midland County, since August 2004, prosecuting felony cases, misdemeanor cases and protective orders. For three years prior to that, Kingston was Assistant Criminal District Attorney and Chief of Special Crimes Unit and Chief of the Misdemeanor Unit in the Lubbock County District Attorney's Office. He served as Assistant District Attorney in the Travis County District Attorney's Office in Austin for nine years, from 1992-2001.

He was a staff attorney at Hammerman and Gainer in Austin, and

at Lynch, Chappell, Allday & Alsup law firm in Austin. Kingston also served a three-year stint in the Military Police with the United States Army in Fort Hood, assigned to C.I.D., investigating sensitive situations and assisting civilian law enforcement agencies.

He earned his Doctor of Jurisprudence at South Texas College of Law in Houston, and a Liberal Arts Degree at The University of Texas at Austin. He is a Certified Peace Officer for the State of Texas.

Kingston also has instructed law in various capabilities, including a threeyear stint as Adjunct Professor at The University of Texas School of Law in Austin, teaching trial advocacy classes to law students, and he has served as guest instructor in Austin and Lubbock, teaching legal issues regarding domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse, family violence and penal code issues at police academies, sheriff's office academies and other training facilities.

He is a member of the Texas State Bar Association and the Texas District and County Attorney's Association.

graduating with a GPA of 4.702.

Other THS honor graduates who are graduating in the top ten percent of their class include Samantha Lee Andrews, daughter of Karen and Ralph Huffaker, with a GPA of 4.619; Brandi Blair Raindl, daughter of Mitch and Donna Raindl, with a GPA of 4.592; and Porscha Danielle Mitchell, daughter of Terri Tillman, with a GPA of 4.495.

and Dale Hymes.

O'Donnell High School graduated 35 seniors in commencement exercises held last Friday, May 19 in the Glenn and Donna Hopkins Memorial Auditorium. Rebecca Brewer was Valedictorian with a GPA of 3.51. She is the daughter of Burley and Beth Brewer. Salutatorian was Mandy Forbis, daughter of Donna and Craig Forbis, who had a 3.48 GPA.

# Hellums To Coach Football Here; Hancock is New Asst. Principal

# by JUANELL JONES

Tahoka Independent School District Board of Trustees approved contracts for an administrative position and five new teachers, including a head football coach, at last Thursday night's board meeting, and Superintendent

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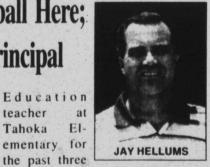
Alecia Hancock was named

Tahoka Elementary Assistant Princi-

pal, with an annual salary of \$47,000.

Mrs. Hancock has been the Physical

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years, and taught fifth grade for six years prior to that.

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James (Jay) Hellums was hired as the new head football coach for Tahoka High School, and he will also teach high school science.

Hellums comes to Tahoka from Skidmore, Texas, where he has been employed at Skidmore-Tynan ISD as. an IPC teacher and coach, serving as defensive coordinator, track coordinator, head golf and head powerlifting coach, since 2004. He was athletic director and head football coach at George West ISD in George West, Tx for three years prior to that, and he has (See SCHOOL BOARD, page 3)



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**BRENT RAINDL and DANIELLE DAVENPORT Couple Announce Engagement** 

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Pamela Davenport of Granbury and Sam Davenport of Fluvanna are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Vesta Danielle, to Brent Raindl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mitch Raindl of Tahoka. Danielle is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beaver of Snyder and Brent is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R.F. Fort of Midland. The couple will wed June 10 in San Angelo, TX.

The bride elect is a 2006 graduate of Southern Methodist University. The prospective groom, a graduate of Tahoka High School, Texas Tech University and the University of Texas in Dallas, is Senior Vice President for Plains Capital Bank in Dallas.



# THOMAS CHAD DOSSEY and JULIE JOYCE COOK **Cook, Dossey Announce Engagement**

Alton and Joyce Cook of O'Donnell announce the engagement of their daughter, Julie Joyce Cook to Thomas Chad Dossey, son of Dennis and Vicky Leatherwood of Lamesa.

The couple will exchange vows on July 8, 2006 at First Baptist Church in O'Donnell.

# **Three Injured As Vehicle Rolls Over On U.S. 87**

The driver of a 1999 rassing telephone calls, an as-Chevrolet Blazer and his two passengers, all residents of Plainview, were injured, apparently not seriously, as the Blazer overturned on U.S. 87 just north of O'Donnell about 6 a.m. Sunday

Investigating DPS trooper David Hoard said the driver was Wesley Fitzgerald, 20. The passengers were Megan Valdez, 20 and Amanda Hernandez, 21. All three were taken to Lynn County Hospital emergency room by Lynn County EMS ambulance. They were treated and released. Another accident occurred

in Tahoka Friday afternoon when a 2002 Ford Explorer driven by Albert Frances Pelton Jr., 78 of Tahoka was involved in a collision at S. 1st St. and Ave. K with a 1998 Dodge van driven by Marie Aguirre Bertreaux, 37, also of Tahoka.

There were no injuries, according to the police report. During the week Tahoka

Police also took reports of ha-

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sault case involving teenagers, and made arrests for public intoxication and driving while license invalid. Jailers again were busy at

Lynn County Sheriff's Dept. during the last week, with 23 more persons booked into cells, bringing the total jail population as of Tuesday to 43, with 9 of these held for Lubbock County, 5 for Gaines and one for Garza County.

Charges for which suspects were arrested included warrants from Lubbock, Cherokee, Hale and Lynn Counties, and included the following offenses, with 10 persons facing multiple charges:

Driving while license invalid, possession of controlled substance, driving while intoxicated, public intoxication, minor in consumption of alcohol, theft of service, robbery, theft, unlawfully carrying a weapon. Most of those arrested were on charges related to drugs or alcohol.



Tahoka City Council met in regular session Monday night, canvassing the May 13 election and swearing-in newly elected council members. Incumbents Clara Calvillo (District 2) and Ray Don Box (At-Large District 5) were re-elected for another term of office, and newcomer Jeff Martin is representing District 4.

Council member Amy Preston was named Mayor-Pro Tem, who will act on behalf of the city if Mayor Mike Mensch is unavailable.

Monthly bills were approved, and Tahoka Police Chief Doyle Lee presented a report on his department's activities. Council members tabled a request for closure of a portion of Ave. E in Tahoka.

Present at the meeting were all council members, Mayor



Council Members Sworn In ... Newly-elected Tahoka City Council members were sworn in Monday night to serve two years on the council. Mayor Mike Mensch (right) officiated the ceremonies, swearing in Clara Calvillo, Jeff Martin, and Ray Don Box. Calvillo and Box are incumbents returning for another term, while Martin is new to the council.



A FEW WEEKS AGO there was an article in AARP, the magazine for the American Assn. Of Really Old People, in which it was noted that Paul McCartney, who will be 64 on June 18, wrote a song when he was a teenager called "When I'm Sixty-Four."

Paul was one of the Beatles. Let me see...I remember the Beatles; there was Paul, John, George, Ringo and Volkswagen. Well, only four of those were singers, but they were all pretty popular about 40 years ago when McCartney's song was recorded by the group which drastically changed the style of popular music ...

The words as written by young Paul suggested that 64 was a long time off and that there wouldn't be much left to do at that age. ("Doing the garden, digging the weeds/Who could ask for more?" and "Will you still need me, will you still feed me/when I'm 64?")

Now, according to the article, McCartney is still energetic and enthusiastic. So I guess he is answering his own question with a demonstration of a good quality of life at the age of 64.

However, since the article appeared, it was announced that McCartney and his latest bride, somebody named Mills, are calling it guits. So I guess the answer to the question of "Will you still need me when I'm 64?" is actually, "Not really."

I've always heard that life begins at 40. So what if the Sour Sister at Southland retorts "Begins to do what?"

And of course, there's the aging Playboy on Ave. P, who laments that "My wild oats have turned to prunes and All-Bran."

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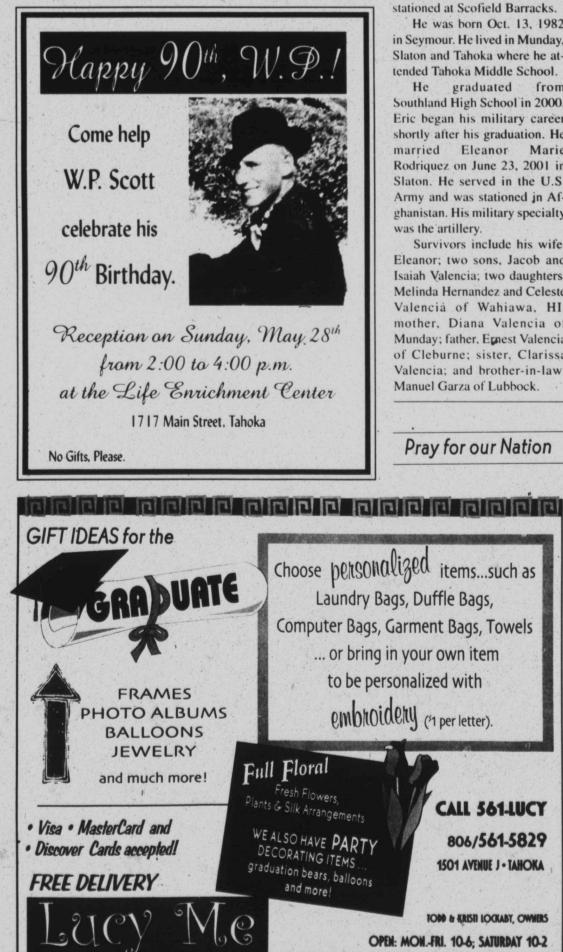
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# Sgt. Eric W. Valencia

Services for Sgt. Eric Valencia, 23, of Wahiawa, HI, formerly of Tahoka, were held at 11 a.m. Monday, May 22, 2006 at First Baptist Church in Slaton with Dr. Cleve Kerby officiating. Burial with military honors was in Englewood Cemetery in Slaton



He was born Oct. 13, 1982 in Seymour. He lived in Munday, Slaton and Tahoka where he attended Tahoka Middle School.

Valencia died Thursday May

11, 2006 in Hawaii where he was

He graduated from Southland High School in 2000. Eric began his military career shortly after his graduation. He married Eleanor Marie Rodriguez on June 23, 2001 in Slaton. He served in the U.S. Army and was stationed in Afghanistan. His military specialty was the artillery.

Survivors include his wife, Eleanor; two sons, Jacob and Isajah Valencia; two daughters, Melinda Hernandez and Celeste Valencia of Wahiawa, HI: mother, Diana Valencia of Munday; father, Ernest Valencia of Cleburne; sister, Clarissa Valencia; and brother-in-law; Manuel Garza of Lubbock.

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# Mensch, City Administrator Jerry Webster, City Attorney Cal Huffaker and Donnis Scott.

Free Summer **Camp Offered** In Tahoka

Children in grades 1-8 in Lynn County are invited to attend a free summer camp for two weeks on Monday through Thursday, June 5-8 and June 12-15. The camp will be held from 1-4 p.m. in the Tahoka Elementary School Gym.

Registration will be conducted May 22 through June 2, and forms will be available at the Lynn County Probation office, Tahoka City Hall, and Tahoka ISD Business Office(Harvick Building). Children may also register on the first day of camp at 12:30 p.m.

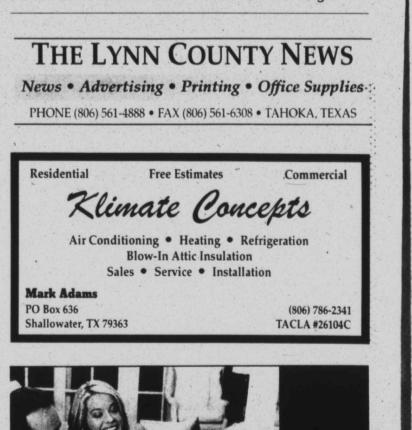
Camp activities include life skills, education, swimming, games, scavenger hunts and more, and children will have snacks provided. There will be back-pack giveaways and door prizes include a bicycle, TV and toys.

Volunteers are also needed. Please sign up with Gracie at the Lynn County Probation office.

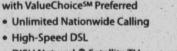
The free camp is sponsored by several organizations, including the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Lynn County Probation, Tahoka Rotary Club, Huffaker Law Firm, Girl Scouts, Catholic Family Services and Managed Care Center.

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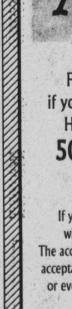
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Outstanding Athletes ... These Tahoka High School athletes received special awards at the THS Athletic Banquet held Friday, May 19. In front are Jay Tillman and Troy Price; seated are Stacie Green, Christyn Chapa, Carissa Hall, Brandi Raindl, Meghan Saldana, Porscha Mitchell; and standing are Carrie Houston, Ty Cloe, Josh DeLeon, Abi Henderson, Maegan Hall, Matt Bryant, Patrick Dotson, Callie Botkin, Sonya Moralez, Colby Gardner, Damon Moore, and Zach Tillman. Not pictured is Matt Saldana.

# Letter to Editor

# **Asst. Band Director Expresses** Thanks

Dear Editor,

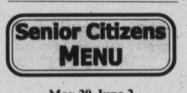
I wanted to take this opportunity to thank the Tahoka Band Boosters for the wonderful surprise baby shower that was given to me last Tuesday night after the High School Band Concert. Your generosity toward Shelby, myself and our new little one was profound. I also want to thank all of the band students that contributed toward the stroller and other gifts that were given. And last, but not least, Carroll Rhodes

for the baby swing. Over the past five years 1 Monday: CLOSED-Memorial have grown to love the students at Tahoka, to see them grow not. only musically but as young people ready to tackle the world. I have watched the students "Dream, Dare, and Do" incredible feats. I am going to miss working as the Assistant Band Director for Tahoka, but will al-

# **T-Bar To Host Golf Scramble** May 27-29

A Two-Person Open Golf Scramble will be offered at T-Bar Country Club, May 27-29. Cost will be \$300/team with tee-times at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Carts will be available for \$30 per per-

son. More information is available by calling T-Bar Country Club at 998-5305.



May 29-June 2

Day Tuesday: Hamburger Steak, or liver and onions, scallop potatoes, mixed veggies, roll, applesauce

Wednesday: Ham, blackeyed peas, home mashed potatoes, salad, cornbread, strawberry and bananas



Letter of Intent ... Tahoka High School senior Zach Tillman signs a letter of intent to play basketball for Cedar Valley College in Lancaster, Tx. Shown with Zach are his mother, Lucretia Tillman (left) and grandmother, Willie Mae Tillman.



Courtney and Amanda Stidham announce the birth of their son Everett Scott, born April 20, 2006 at 4:18 a.m. weighing 7 lbs. 8 oz. and measuring 18-1/2 inches long. He has a big sister, Emilee.

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# **Outstanding Athletes Named At Banquet**

Tahoka High School athletes were honored at the THS Athletic Banquet on Friday, May 19. sponsored by the Bulldog Booster Club. Individual sports awards were presented by coaches of each sport, and special awards were also presented.

Most Outs inding Lady Bulldog Athlete was Carissa Hall, and Damon Moore was named Most Outstanding Bulldog Athlete. The Fighting Heart Award was presented to Christyn Chapa and Josh DeLeon.

Outstanding individual sports awards were presented to the following athletes:

Cross Country: Maegan Hall and Matt Bryant

Football: Patrick Dotson, Offensive Player; Damon Moore, Defensive Player

Basketball: Lady Bulldogs -Brandi Raindl and Meghan Saldana, Offensive Players; Porscha Mitchell, Defensive Player; Bulldogs - Colby Gardner and Zach Tillman, Offensive Players; Patrick Dotson, Defensive Player; Damon Moore, Bulldog Basketball MVP

Powerlifting: Abi Henderson, Ty Cloe

Track: Carissa Hall, Troy Price and Jay Tillman

Tennis: Colby Gardner and **Brandi Raindl** 

# **Rabies** Clinic Set In Wilson

A Rabies Clinic for dogs and cats will be held in Wilson Saturday, June 3, at the Green Building (South Door) from 1-2 p.m. by the South Plains Vet

Rabies and other shots will be available for dogs and cats for different fees. Additional medications, including flea and tick treatments (including Frontline and Advantix) and Heartgard and other medications will also be

Golf: Colby Gardner and Matt Saldana

Softball: Stacie Green and Carrie Houston, Infield; Callie Botkin and Sonya Moralez, Outfield

**Baseball: Patrick Dotson** 

# **School Board**

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also coached and taught at Shiner, Aqua Dulce, and Sinton.

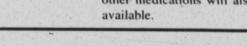
Also hired was Heather Tekell, as a fifth grade teacher; Amy Meeks, elementary computer lab teacher; Chad Berardi, high school math; and Jimmy Cannon, assistant band director.

Supt. Parker announced the resignation of Rebecca Shaw, high school math teacher.

In other business, trustees canvassed the election for two atlarge trustees. The oath of office was administered to returning trustees Valton Stephens and Jimmy Dorman, and the board elected re-elected officers, keeping Math Bartley as Board President, Joe Calvillo as Vice President, and Carmen Chapa as Secretary.

Trustees approved an update of the Student Council Constitution, which clarifies attendance requirements; and also approved the auditing firm of Bolinger, Segars, Gilbert and Moss to continue serving as the district's auditors.

Five trustees were present for the meeting, including Calvillo, Mrs. Chapa, Dorman, Stephens and Frank McLelland. Board President Math Bartley arrived for the 8 o'clock meeting but left before the meeting began to answer a fire department call. Trustee Kent Kahl was also absent. The meeting adjourned at 9:25 p.m., and included a 30minute closed session for personnel discussions.

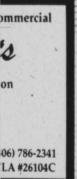


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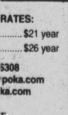






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Grandparents are Alton and Angela James of Tahoka and Jackie and Darla Stidham of O'Donnell. Great grandparents are Leonard and Bonnie Dorman and Hubert and Kathryn Stidham, all of O'Donnell. Jackie Beckham of Fredericksburg, and Fern Childress of Tahoka. Great-great grandmother is Frances Cox of Fredericksburg.

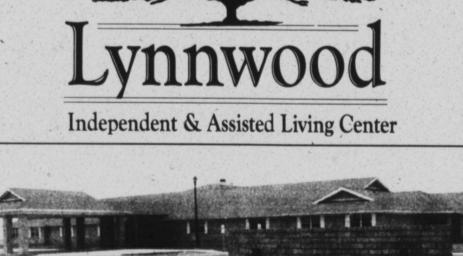
nounce the birth of a daughter, April "Cagnie," born May 10, 2006 at 11:57 a.m. at Covenant Lakeside, weighing 5 lbs. 6 ozs, and measuring 19-1/2 inches long. She has an older brother, Colton.

Leah Taylor and Joby and Betty Long, all of Tahoka. Greatgrandparents are E.L. and Dink Short, James and Bonnie Trammell, all of Tahoka, Dorothy and the late Warren Taylor of Trinidad, CO. and the late Olan and Marie Long of Tahoka.

Jolly announce the birth of a son, weighing 6 lbs. 12 ozs. and mea-Toby.

Grandparents are Jimmy and Nancy Jolly of O'Donnell, Joe Jackson of Rankin, and Diane Jackson of Lubbock. Greatgrandparents are Thomas and Genay Jolly of Tahoka, and Glenn and Jean Jackson of Rankin.





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Johnny Jackson and Carla Dustin James Jackson, born May 2, 2006 at Covenant Lakeside, suring 20 inches long. He has an older sister, Kalaya, and brother

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New Home FFA Awards ... New Home High School FFA celebrated the completion of another successful year at the annual New Home FFA chapter banquet held May 4. Pietured are FFA students with the awards' they have won throughout this school year. Kneeling in front from left are Jenny Maeker, Katie O'Rourke, Rachel Reagan, Keely Nettles, Laura Maeker, Mikaela Wallace, Whitney Decker, Sarah Ussery; and standing from left, Kali Gonzales, Corey Smith, Kylar Livingston, Blaine Paul, Trevor White, Sarah Clem, Kebbi Hutto, Ryan Wied, Natalie Bruton, Jordan Clem, Hailey Wilkinson, Tanner Comey, Mark Overman and Caul Blakely. FFA sponsor is James Tabor, not pictured.

# **New Home FFA Awards Presented**

New Home High School FFA held their annual banquet on May 4. The junior lamb feeder award went to Jacob Laseman and the senior lamb feeder award went to Jordan Clem. The junior and senior swine feeder awards went to Chase Hiracheta and Stefanie White, respectively.

Three students received Star Awards for activeness throughout the year; they were greenhand, Jenny Maeker, sophomore, Trevor White, and junior. Sarah Clem. Laura Maeker was presented with the Dekalb award, and also the Cody Kieth Memorial Scholarship.





New Home Cheerleaders... The New Home Varsity Cheerleaders for the 06-07 year are; Keely Nettles, Mary Maeker, Hailey Wilkinson, Allison Gibbins, Natalie Bruton, Mikaela Wallace, Sarah Ussery, Whitney Decker, Ashley West and Leopard Mascot Meghan O'Rourke. The cheerleaders would like to thank everyone who purchased spring fundraisers, which helped the girls pay for new uniforms, and camp clothing and tuition. The cheerleaders will be attending the yearly NCA camp at Angelo State University July 25-28.

# **April, May Sales Tax Up Over Last Year**

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn said recently that state collected \$1.57 billion in sales tax revenue in April, up 17.2 percent compared to April 2005.

"The Texas economy is healthy and sales tax revenue is expanding at a pace I have not seen since I have been Texas Comptroller," Strayhorn said. Local governments are also

enjoying double-digit sales tax growth. Strayhorn said local governments will receive \$501.9 million in May sales tax allocations, up 10.1 percent compared to May 2005. So far this calendar year, sales tax allocations to cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts are up 15.3 percent com- April by quarterly tax filers. pared to a year ago.

Comptroller Strayhorn sent May sales tax allocations of \$344.3 million to Texas cities, up 10.2 percent compared to May

# **OHS Grads Receive Jessie** Clay on Award

Two O'Donnell High School honor graduates have been chosen to receive this year's Jessie Clayton scholarship. They are Rebecca Brewer, valedictorian, and Mandy Forbis, salutatorian

Miss Brewer is the daughter of Burley and Beth Brewer. She is graduating with highest honors and has a ranking GPA of 3.51 and a numerical average of 95.45.

Miss Forbis is graduating with high honors and a 3.48 GPA. Her numerical average is 96.15. She is the daughter of Donna and Craig Forbis.

The valedictorian will receive \$3600 and the salutatorian \$3400.

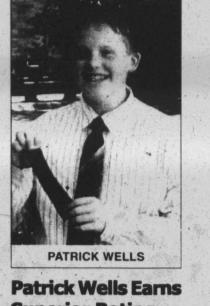
A longtime resident of O'Donnell, Jessie Clayton was an avid supporter of education. After her death, the scholarship for O'Donnell's top students was established in her honor by her daughter and son-in-law, Tom and Janice Hoskins.

Jessie Clayton was instrumental in getting the bond passed. for the renovations of the high school in 1978.

Brewer and Forbis both are members of NHS and UIL academics and are active in science fair. Both qualified for the state meet this year. Brewer placed fifth in literary criticism and Forbis was fifth in calculator applications.

Miss Brewer plans to major in writing, literature and publishing at Emerson College in Boston MA this fall; and Miss Forbis will major in agriculture finance at Texas Tech.

to local governments represent March sales that were reported to the Comptroller in April by monthly tax filers, and January, February and March sales reported to the Comptroller in



# Superior Rating **At Piano Event**

Patrick Wells, 12-year-old son of Haney and Tanya Wells of Tahoka, competed in the Texas Federation of Music Clubs 31st Annual State Festival at Texas Christian University in Fort Worth on May 20th. The young pianist was awarded the rating of Superior for his performance of Raging Storm, by Melody Bober, an intermediate piano solo. This is Patrick's third year to perform at the festival.

There were 1500 entrants in the festival, with Patrick playing in the Medium Class division. He qualified for the State Festival by winning a Superior rating in March at the Federation's Pastorale Festival at Lubbock Christian University, performing the same solo.

He is a piano student of Jenny McClendon of Lubbock. and has studied the piano since the age of 3.

For details of May sales tax payments to individual cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose districts. locate the Monthly Sales and Use Tax Allocation Comparison Summary Reports on the Comptroller's Web site at www.window.state. tx.us/taxinfo/allocsum/ compsum.html.

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2005. Calendar year-to-date, city sales tax allocations are up 14.2 percent compared to the same period last year. Texas counties received sales tax payments of \$29 million, up 9.3 percent compared to one year ago. Calendar year-to-date, county sales tax allocations are 16 percent higher than last year.

Another \$14.5 million went to 108 special purpose taxing districts throughout the state, up 16.4 percent compared to last May. Ten local transit systems received \$114 million in sales tax allocations, up 9.4 percent compared to a year ago.

May's sales tax allocations

POLITICAL CALENDAR

**General Election** 

November 7, 2006

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**District 85** 

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(CANDIDATE)

**District Judge** 

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**JAMES J. NAPPER** 

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**District Judge** 

**106<sup>th</sup> Judicial District** 

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**District 85** 

JIM LANDTROOP

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Memorial Day Service... A Memorial Day service will be held Sunday May 28, at 6 p.m. at the Grassland Cemetery where all those all those from the Grassland area, both living and deceased, will be honored for their service to our country.

LADY BULLDOG BASKETBALL CAMP

June 26<sup>th</sup> through June 29<sup>th</sup>

For incoming 3rd-9th grade GIRLS only!

WHERE: THS Bulldog Gym

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TIME: 9 am-12 noon

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or Coach Fancher, 998-1264 Come learn fundamentals in the game of basketball! We hope to instill a desire to become a great player and a part of the Tahoka Lady Bulldogs! Come learn, compete and have a great time!

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For more info, call High School Gym, 561-4538



# Pre-Register by sending in this form ...

to Coach Fancher or Carol Fancher at school or at 1828 N. 6th. YOU MAY ALSO REGISTER ON THE FIRST DAY OF CAMP.

# 2006 LADY BULLDOG BASKETBALL CAMP FORM

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**Clay Pittman Is** WTA&M Grad Clay Pittman, son of Barry

**CLAY PITTMAN** 

and Retha Pittman of Tahoka, graduated May 13, 2006 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Geology from WTA&M University in Canyon. He is a former Tahoka High School graduate.

While at WT, Pittman served as an officer for two years in the WT Geological Society, Resident Hall Association, and was on the Dean's List. He received the CJ. Fowlston Scholarship and the John Philip Notestine Geological Scholarship for promising senior students who are geology majors. Heis an avid mountainbiker and was sponsored by various companies associated with the mountain biking industry.

Pittman is employed at Diamondback Exploration in Amarillo.

# **Casey Jones** Is TTU Grad

Brian Casey Jones graduated cum laude with a Bachelor of Arts in Sociology from Texas Tech University School of Arts and Sciences, on Saturday, May 13, 2006. Jones, a Tahoka High School graduate, is the son of Gary and Juanell Jones of Tahoka.

Grandparents are Dalton and Lenda Wood of Tahoka, and Wendell and Marie Brieger of

# Scholarships, Awards **Presented at Banquet**

scholarship sponsors were presented to Tahoka High School seniors at the THS Academic Awards Banquet held Monday night, May 15, and other academic achievement awards were also presented.

Scholarship winners are as follows

Barbara Cook/THS Student Council Scholarship -Brandi Raindl; Tahoka Athletic

**Booster Club Scholarship** -Brandi Raindl, Colby Gardner, Callie Botkin; Class of 1990 Scholarship .- Brandi Raindl; Tahoka FFA Scholarship -Delci Willis; Gerald and Linda Huffaker Scholarship - Callie Botkin: Huffaker & Green Scholarship - Stacie Green; LULAC Scholarship - Krista Botkin, Samantha Andrews, Cloe, Maria Perez, Meghan Saldana; Lynn County Abstract Scholarship - Meghan Saldana; Madeline Hegi Scholarship -Meghan Saldana, Callie Botkin, Brandi Raindl, Samantha Andrews; First United Methodist Church Scholarship Samantha Andrews, Abi Henderson; Phebe K. Warner/ Lady Dobbins Stewart Scholarship - Jessica Wilson; Tahoka Rotary Club Scholarship -Callie Botkin, Meghan Saldana, Maria Perez, Brandi Raindl; Tahoka Elementary Pride Corps Scholarship - Krista Cloe: Wilson State Bank Dan

**Cook Memorial Scholarship -**Stacie Green: Masonic Lodge Scholarship - Meghan Saldana,

High School Principal Robert Webb announced Meghan Saldana as the THS Valedictorian for the Class of 2006, and

# **McInroe Graduates** From Texas Tech

Kyley Layne McInroe graduated from Texas Tech University on Saturday, May 13, with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Human Development and Family Studies.

Shirley McInroe of Tahoka and

Scholarships from 16 local Callie Botkin as class Salutatorian

National Honor Society members were recognized, and Who's Who and Best All Around students were announced. UIL Scholar Awards were presented to seniors who have a GPA of 4.0 or above and have participated in any UIL event, including Samantha Andrews, Callie Botkin, Krista Cloe. Shelly Gandy, Stacie Green, Carissa Hall, Juan Hernandez, Porscha Mitchell, Sonya Moralez', Maria Perez, Brandi Raindl, Meghan Saldana, Amanda Strickland,

Delci Willis and Jessica Wilson. Top 10% Awards were presented to the top 10% of students in each grade, as follows: Seniors Meghan Saldana, Callie Brandi Raindl, Porscha Mitchell; Juniors - Sarah Draper, K'Lyssa Selmon, Garret Autry, Katie Webster, Amanda Truelove: Sophomores - Josh Freitag, Kristin Box, Amy Barrera, Jessica McLelland, Ernest Gomez; and Freshmen - Morgan Fisher, Valerie Sosa, Kaleb Collins, D'Maris Murillo, Jannifer Marquez.

Academic All-Star Awards were presented to students who earned an "A" in every subject for every six weeks this year through the fifth six weeks period. Academic All-Stars included Samantha Andrews, Garret Autry, Callie Botkin, Annika Cristl, Morgan Fisher, Josh Freitag, Marissa Gomez, Jessica McLelland, D'Maris Murillo, Samantha Pridmore, Brandi Raindl, Meghan Saldana, and Katie Webster.

# **Head Start Program Offered In Tahoka**

Head Start Program services are available in Tahoka ISD. Head Start is a federal program for preschool children from lowincome families.

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Top 10% ... These Tahoka High School students were awarded Top 10% of their class (freshman, sophomore, junior and senior grade levels) at the THS Academic Awards Banquet on May 15. They are, in front from left, Jannifer Marquez, Valerie Sosa, D'Maris Murillo, Morgan Fisher; middle row from left, Kristin Box, Meghan Saldana, Amanda Truelove, Katie Webster, Callie Botkin, Brandi Raindl, Samantha Andrews, Kaleb Collins; and in back from left, Ernest Gomez, Josh Freitag, Jessica McLelland, and Garret Autry. Not pictured are Amy Barrera, Sarah Draper, K'Lyssa Selmon and Porscha Mitchell.



Chelsea White and her uncle, attorney Tim White, a University of Texas at Arlington alumnus, celebrate Chelsea's college graduation.

# **Chelsea White Is** UT-Arlington Grad

Chelsea White recently received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Broadcast News with a Minor in Marketing from UT of Arlington.

A family trend at UTA was started as Chelsea's uncle. Tim White, and Chelsea's father. Tracy White, and Chelsea were all scholarship athletes at UT of Arlington.

Miss White has accepted a role of Talk show host for a Dallas-Fort Worth area talk show.

Chelsea is the granddaughter of Janet Porterfield and the late



Stock Car Racers ... Kenneth Graves (left), 14, of New Home, and Arnold Patton (right) of Brownfield, are shown with their trophies at the Lubbock Motor Speedway. Both won first place in their division (Outlaw Stock). Patton, the oldest driver at Lubbock Motor Speedway, is called "General Patton" and he has been racing for 10 years. He won first in the heat and in the main event, giving him a clean sweep. Graves also won first in the heat and main event in his division. He races a Spotmod Limited. The son of Micky and Mary Graves of New Home, Kenneth is the youngest driver and also the youngest driver to win a championship at Lubbock Motor Speedway, winning his first championship at age 12, and another championship at 13 at Tech Motorspeedway. He is the grandson of Willie and Betty Nieman of Slaton and Freda Holler of New Home.



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# **Progressive Ag Safety Day** Set in Tahoka Friday, June 2

Safety Day (formerly called Farm Safety Day Camp) for children 6 years of age and entering 1st grade to age 13 will be Friday, June 2, at Tahoka City Park, 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Children under 6 are welcome if accompanied by a parent. The event is being hosted by Texas Cooperative Extension in Lynn County. in conjunction with the Progressive Agriculture Foundation.

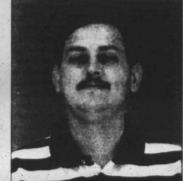
Youth must register to participate. Registration forms are available at the Lynn County Extension Office, 1600 Avenue J. Tahoka. The registration form and a \$3.00 registration fee per child are due in the Lynn County Extension Office by Tuesday. May 30, 5:00 p.m. The registration fee for the event covers lunch, speakers, t-shirt and a Agent.

A Progressive Agriculture packet of safety materials. For more information, please contact Amy Baugh at 561-4562. Parents are welcome and needed to serve as chaperones.

> Many Lynn County community members are contributing to this learning experience. Local sponsors includes Atmos Energy, Taylor Tractor, TXDoT, Managed Care Center for Other and Addictive Disorders, Texas Department of Wildlife and local law and fire departments.

Educational topics include internet safety, fire safety, gas safety, wildlife safety, firearm safety, seat belt safety, hand tool safety and tractor safety.

"Your family won't want to miss out on this fun and educational safety event," stated Amy Baugh, Lynn County Extension



**New Business Man**ager ... Daniel Harper is the new Tahoka ISD Business Manager. He and his wife, Heather, have a 2-yearold daughter. Harper comes to Tahoka from Lewisville ISD.

Memorials and donations may be made to the Lynn County Pioneers (Senior Citizens) 1600 S. 3rd • P. O. Box 223 Tahoka, Tx 79373

# Lynn County Appraisal District Provides Public Information and ASSISTANCE

This is the time of year the Lynn County Appraisal District sends notices of appraised value. Lynn County notices will be mailed by May 27, 2006. Property owners will be mailed a notice as a result of any of the following circumstances affecting real property: if the 2006 proposed value is at least \$1000 more than the 2005 certified value; if the property owner has filed a timely rendition; if 2006 is the first year the property is listed in the appraisal records; if the property changed ownership during 2005; or if the property is a producing mineral interest. Notices will also be mailed to owners of taxable furniture, fixtures. machinery, equipment, vehicles, and inventory used in a trade or business.

Property owners who have questions, or want to discuss the value placed on their property should contact the appraisal district office. The legal deadline for filing a timely protest is thirty days from the date of your notice. Those who receive a notice in Lynn County have until June 27, 2006 to file a protest. If you believe the proposed market value of your property is incorrect, be sure to contact the appraisal district prior to your deadline. It is important to ask questions or call to our attention unusual facts about your property as soon as possible. In the case of value questions, property owners are urged to present conclusive evidence regarding the true market value of their property. Such evidence consists of closing statements, listing agreements, fee appraisals, income and expense statements, pictures, and surveys. Our goal is to treat all property owners in a fair and equitable manner; and this can best be accomplished when you provide evidence to us about your property as soon as possible.

The following publication is required by Section 41.70 of the Texas Property Tax Code.

# **Property Tax Protest and Appeal Procedures**

# **Ag Producers Reminded Of** June 1 Sign-Up

Agricultural producers have until June 1, 2006, to sign up for the 2006-crop Direct, and Counter-cyclical Payment Program (DCP), said the Lynn County Farm Service Agency (FSA).

USDA will accept late-filed DCP applications through Sept. 30, 2006, if accompanied by a \$100 late fee. Producers will be unable to apply for 2006 DCP payments after Sept. 30, 2006. Sign-up for the 2006 DCP began Oct. 1, 2005.

"I encourage farmers and growers to sign up for DCP by June 1 by visiting the USDA FSA office or by using the convenient online DCP service," said the Lynn County FSA. "This program plays an important role in providing producers income support."

The program provides payments to eligible owners, operators, landlords, tenants, or sharecroppers on farms enrolled for the 2002 through 2007 cropyears. There are two types of DCP payments - direct payments and counter-cyclical payments. Direct payments are tied to acreage bases and yields. Because direct payments provide no incentive to increase production of any certain crop, the payments support farm income without distorting producers' current production decisions.

Counter-cyclical payments provide support counter to the cycle of market prices as part of a federal farm program "safety net" in the event of low crop prices. Counter-cyclical payments for a commodity are only issued if the effective price for a commodity is below the target price for that commodity.

The 2002 Farm Bill requires producers sign annual contracts through 2007 to participate in DCP. Producers may choose not to participate in DCP in any year. USDA has issued more than \$28 billion in DCP payments to producers since the program began in October 2002. **ONLINE DCP SIGN-UP** 

Producers may also sign up



Fashion Show Winners ... These Lynn County 4-H members won awards in their divisions at the District 4-H Fashion Show. They are, from left, Kenzie Angeley, Coy Mercer, Caley Bingham, McKenzie Dimak and Sarah Freitag.

# Lynn County 4-H Members Sweep **District 4-H Fashion Show**

More than 80 4-H members of Tahoka, placed 3rd in the Junfrom 20 counties participated in the 2006 District 4-H Fashion Show which was held at the First Church of the Nazarene in Lubrespective categories.

Tahoka, placed 1st in the Intermediate Division - Construction of Tahoka, placed 4th in the Junior Division - Construction Casual category. Sarah Freitag. daughter of Donald and Tonda Freitag of Tahoka, placed 3rd in the Junior Division - Construction Specialty category. McKenzie Dimak, daughter of Scott and Rebecca Dimak of . Tahoka, placed 3rd in the Junior Division - Buying Casual category. Caley Bingham, daughter of Jim and Christy Bingham

ior Division - Buying Dressy category

This year's theme at the show was "Fashion That Stops bock on Tuesday, April 11, 2006. Traffic." Youth participants who Representing Lynn County were enter the 4-H Fashion Show five 4-H youth, all of whom competition and modeling events brought home awards in their have completed a 4-H clothing project, which is the equivalent Kenzie Angeley, daughter of of a 3-hour study of clothing and Michael and Tammi Angeley of textiles, personal care and consumer buying.

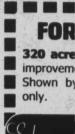
The purpose of the District Dressy category. Coy Mercer. 4-H Fashion Show is to showdaughter of Joe and Kim Mercer case skills and knowledge learned from the 4-H clothing project where a panel of judges presents questions to each 4-H member about his or her garment that he or she constructed or purchased.

> Anyone who is interested in having their child participate in 4-H and/or the 4-H clothing project, please contact Texas Cooperative Extension - Lynn County for more information. 561-4562.





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The law gives property owners the right to protest actions concerning their property tax appraisals. You may follow these appeal procedures if you have a concern about:

• the market or special appraised value placed on your property

• the unequal appraisal of your property • the inclusion of your property on the appraisal

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• any exemptions that may apply to you

• the qualification for an agricultural or timber appraisal

· the taxable status of your property • the local governments which should be taxing your property

· the ownership of property

· the change of use of land receiving special appraisal

· any action taken by the chief appraiser, appraisal district or appraisal review board that applies to and adversely affected you.

# **Informal Review**

You may call (806) 561-5477 to discuss your protest with a CAD employee and try to come to a settlement without meeting with the ARB.

**Review by the Appraisal Review Board** 

If you can't resolve your problem informally with the county appraisal district (CAD) staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board (ARB).

The ARB is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the CAD to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. If necessary, you may request a hearing in the evening. Saturday or Sunday. Prior to your hearing, you may, Texas 78711-3528.

ask to review the evidence the CAD will use to uphold their determination. The CAD may ask you for a copy of the evidence you plan to present. The hearing will be informal. You or a designated agent may appear in person to present evidence or you may send notarized evidence for the ARB to review at your hearing. The CAD representative will present evidence about your case. You may cross-examine the CAD representative. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. The CAD has the burden of establishing the property's value by a preponderance of the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at 1615 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas.

Note: You shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. The law requires ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they haven't talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

#### **Review by the District Court**

After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision, you have the right to appeal to district court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order.

#### **Tax Payment**

If you appeal and your case is pending, you must pay the lesser of the amount of taxes due on the portion of the taxable value not in dispute or the amount of taxes due on the property under the order from which the appeal is taken.

#### **More Information**

You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at Lynn CAD, 1615 Main Street, Tahoka, TX 79373, (806) 561-5477. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division at P.O. Box 13528, Austin,

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# **Deadline for Filing Protests with the ARB\***

## **Usual Deadline**

On or before May 31 (or 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later).

Late protests are allowed if you miss the usual deadline for good cause. Good cause is some reason beyond your control, like a medical emergency. The ARB decides whether you have good cause.

Late protests are due the day before the ap-raisal review board approves records for the year. Contact your appraisal district for more informa-

#### **Special Deadlines**

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"The deadline is postponed to the next business day if it falls on a weekend or holiday:

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for DCP online at http:// www.fsa.usda.gov/egov/ edcp\_default.htm. Applicants must have an active USDA eAuthentication Level 2 account to use the service. This requires filling out an online registration form at http://www.eauth. egov.usda.gov and visiting the local FSA office for identity verification

The online service allows producers to choose 2006 DCP payment options, assign crop shares, as well as sign and submit their contracts over the Internet. The service was designed to reduce paperwork and speed up contract processing at FSA offices.

The DCP was authorized by the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (2002 Farm Bill) and is administered by the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Farm Service Agency.

More information on DCP is available at local FSA offices and in the DCP fact sheet posted http:// online at: www.fsa.usda.gov/pas/publications/facts/html/dcp06.htm. Web FSA's site is www.fsa.usda.gov.

# NOTICE TO BIDDERS **T-BAR AIRPORT** TxDOT CSJ # 0605TAHOK

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A "Notice to Bidders" is issued for the construction of airport improvements at the T-Bar Airport for: overlay and mark runway 17-35, stub taxiway and apron, replace LIRL with MIRL and rehab beacon and windsock. Sealed: proposals need to be addressed and delivered to Mr. Jerry Webster, City, Manager, City of Tahoka, 1612 Lockwood, Tahoka, Texas 79373. Proposals. will be received until 2:00 PM Tuesday, June 6, 2006, then publicly openedand read. Any proposal received after closing time will be returned unopened

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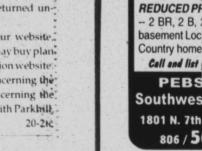
Please call Amy Slaughter at 512-416-4519 for questions concerning the bid document or further information. Technical questions concerning the specifications and plans should be directed to Larry Valdez, PE with Parkhill, Smith & Cooper at 806-473-2200. 20-21č

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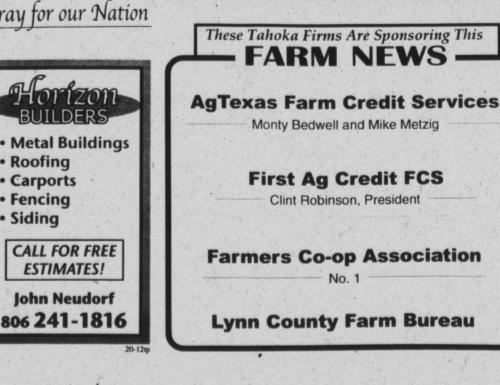
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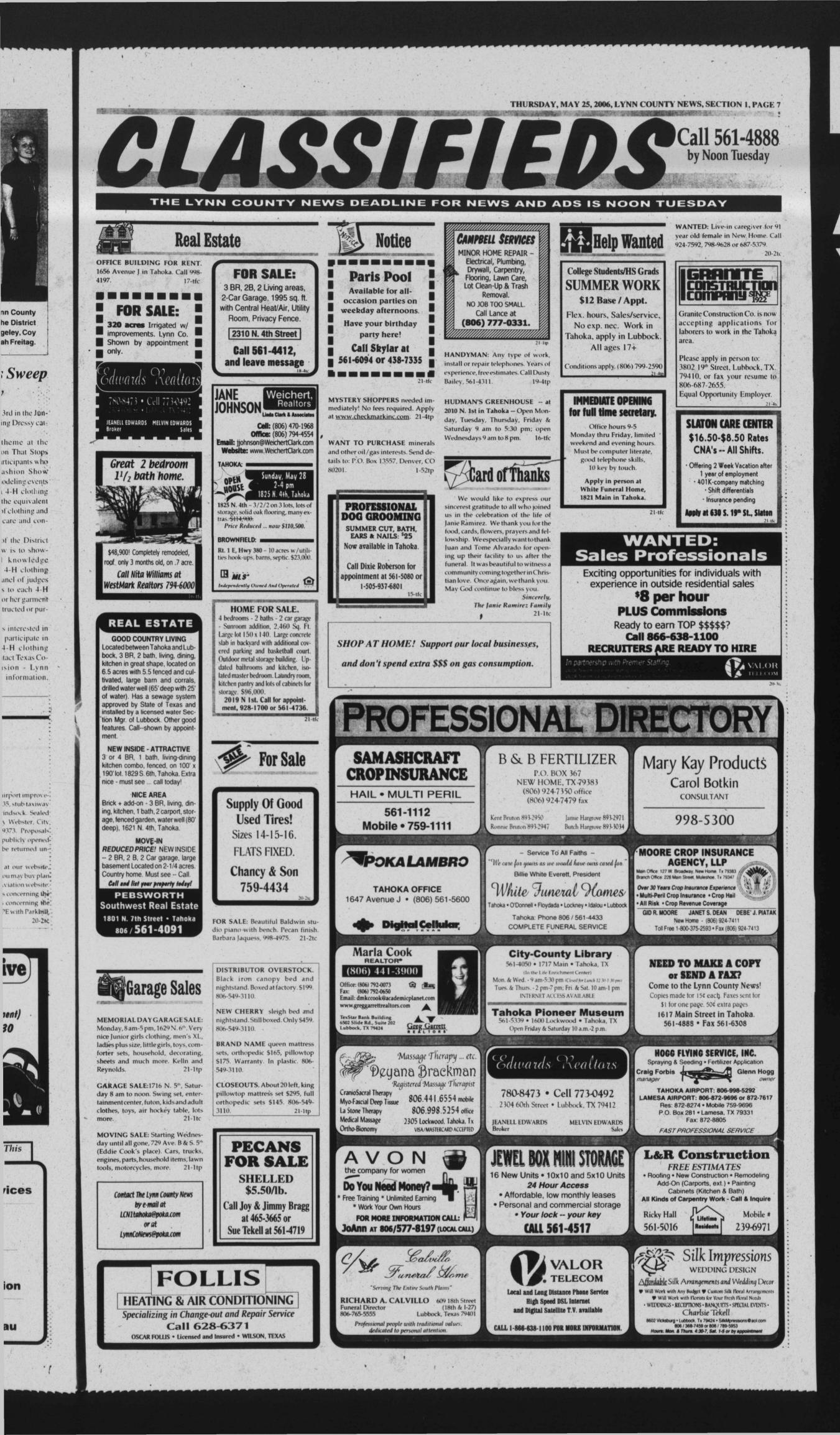
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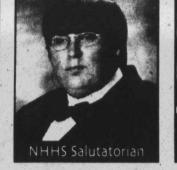


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New Home High School Class of 2006



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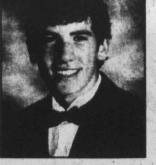


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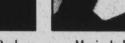
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Laura Danielle Maeker



**Blaine Emerson Paul** 



Maricela Rodriguez

# **RACHEL JANELLE BYGEL** Racnet Janelle Bygel is the

daughter of Wes and Andrea Bygel. She has attended New Home her junior and senior years. During my high school years. I

have participated in Student Council, journalism and academic UIL competition.

My future plans are to attend Lubbock Christian University and major in Social Work.

# **CAMERON CHASE** COLLINSWORTH

Cameron Chase Collinsworth is the son of Cameron and Anji Collinsworth. He has attended New Home for the past two years.

During my high school years, I have participated in varsity football, varsity baseball, journalism, student council, and have worked on the school's web site. I also participate in the Lubbock Baptist Temple youth group

My future plans are attending University of Texas Permian Basin and becoming an architect.

#### PEDRO LUIS ESTRADA

LAURA DANIELLE MAEKER Laura Danielle Maeker is the daughter of Andy and Monica Macker. She has attended New

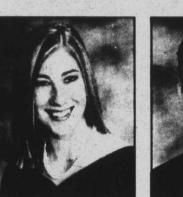
Home schools for the past 13 years. During my high school years, I have participated in FFA. I was the Mesa District Treasurer my sophomore year, and the New Home FFA Chapter President my junior and senior years. I also participated in varsity cheerleading and was elected All American Cheerleader my senior year. I participated in varsity basket-

ball and am a member of National Honor Society and the senior class president I have been involved in Student Council throughout high. school and was the Student Body President my sophomore year.

Texas A&M University and major in Speech Communications.

**BLAINE EMERSON PAUL** 

of Billy Paul and Irma Ramirez. He has attended New Home Schools for



Stefanie Gail White

# LEO TORRES III

Leo Torres III is the son of Leo and Martina Torres. He has attended New Home Schools for the past 13 years

O'Donnell, Wilson, During my high school years, I have participated in football, basket-New Home and Tahoka Class of 2006!

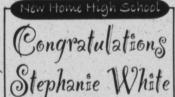
My plans for the future are to attend South Plains College.

# CHRISTOPHER NEIL WEST

Christopher Neil West is the son of Kim and Greg Harrell. He has attended New Home schools for the past three years.

During my high school years, 1 have participated in football, basketball, track, student council, and National Honor Society.

My future plans are to go to University of Texas in Dallas where I will major in computer graphics



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**Kyler Holland Livingston** 





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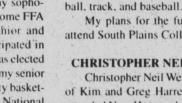




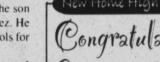
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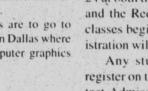
My future plans are to attend

Blaine Emerson Paul is the son the past 13 years.



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hold summer registration on May 24 at both the Levelland campus and the Reese Center. Summer classes begin May 30. Late registration will be held May 30-31.

Any students planning to register on these dates must contact Admission and Records to obtain a registration time permit. Students should bring the following items to registration: time permit, a pen or pencil, photo

# SENIOR BIOGRAPHIES MATTHEW DILLAN HYMES NHS SALUTATORIAN

Matthew Dillan Hymes is the son of Dale and Terri Hymes. He has attended New Home High School for the past 13 years.

During my high school years. I have participated in National Honor Society, J.V. and varsity basketball and football. Student Council. Who's Who, and Youth at Lubbock Baptist Temple.

My future plans are to attended South Plains College and eventually My future plans are to attend \* create Veggie Tales with computer

Wildlife Management. DUATION!



**KATIE ANN O'ROURKE** NHS VALEDICTORIAN

Katie Ann O'Rourke is the daughter of Dennis and Betty O'Rourke. She has attended New Home Schools for the past nine years

During my high school years, I have participated in varsity basketball, varsity cheerleading, Student Council, FFA, U.I.L. Academics, One-Act Play, and track. I am a member of the National Honor Society and am Miss N.H.H.S.

Texas Tech University and major in graphics.

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Pedro Luis Estrada is the son of Pedro and Patricia Estrada. I have attended New Home School for six years

During my high school years, I have participated in football, track, and baseball and have worked on the

school's web site. My future plans are to attend South Plains College

# **TERESA S. GOMEZ**

Teresa S. Gomez is the daughter of Chano and Maria Gomez. She has attended New Home School for the past 12 years.

During my high school years, I have participated in: track and field, basketball, student council, UIL, and in the protecting me, protecting you program. I have also received the AB Honor Roll.

My future plans are to attend Reese Center and major in Law Enforcement to become an officer.

## **KYLER HOLLAND** LIVINGSTON

Kyler Holland Livingston is the son of Kelly and Shelly Livingston. He has attended New Home schools for the past two years.

During his high school years, he participated in football, basketball, golf, track and FFA, and is an active member in his church's youth group

My future plans are to attend South Plains College for two years and then transfer to Texas Tech University

During my high school years, I have participated in football, basketball, track, baseball, FFA, student council.

My future plans are to attend the University of Texas of the Permian Basin in Odessa to play college basketball and to major in Kinesiology.

# MARICELA RODRIGUEZ

Stefanie Gail White is the Maricela Rodriguez is the daughter of Juana and Victor daughter of Michael and Carol Rodriguez. She has attended New White. She has attended New Home Schools for the past 13 years. Home School for the past 13 years. During my high school years, I During my high school years, I

have participated in Student Council, National Honor Society, New Home Service Organization, U.I.L., and Upward Bound. My future plans are to attend

Texas Tech University and enter the Pre-Nursing program so I can work in the nursing field.

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STEFANIE GAIL WHITE

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cheerleading, FFA, One Act Play,

South Plains College and major in Elementary Education.

## RYAN CHRISTOPHER WIED

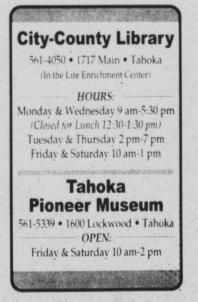
Ryan Christopher Wied is the son of Keith and Susan Wied. He has attended New Home schools for the past eight years

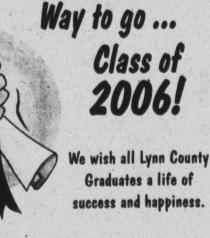
During my high school years, I have participated in football, basketball, track, cross country, baseball, FFA, National Honor Society, and Student Council.

My future plans are to attend Texas A&M University and major in Ag Development.

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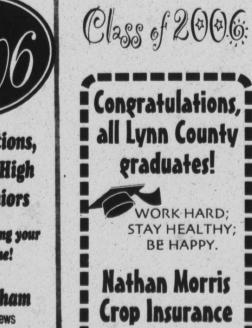
New and current students wanting to register should contact the Admissions Office to receive a registration time permit indicating the day and time the student should report to enroll for classes. Students can reach the Levelland Admissions Office at 806-894-9611, extension 2572 or the Reese Center Admissions Office at 806-885-3048, extension 4660.





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# **Meghan Nicole Saldana** THS VALEDICTORIAN

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officer; member of Kennel Staff and

corrently editor; basketball honors

including Basketball Newcomer of

Channel 11 Student Athlete of the

Week; classroom awards in AP En-

glish 3, Algebra 2, US History, and

and major in health. Exercise and

Sport Sciences, and join the Baptist

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Congratulations

Meghan Saldana

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Cassie, Kyler &

Stormee

She plans to attend Texas Tech

Nutrition and Food Science.

Student Ministries.

THS SALUTATORIAN Callie Ann Botkin is the Meghan Saldana has attended daughter of Tommy and Carolyn Tahoka schools for the past 13 years. Botkin. She has attended Tahoka She served as Class President schools for the past 13 years. and Vice President; active in Student

**Callie Ann Botkin** 

While in high school she has been active in Student Council. NHS, President, FCCLA, and Sate **Oualifier in Illustrated Talk. Her** extracurricular activities include softball, earning All-District Honorable Mention, Middle infield; track, Regional Qualifier 3 years, pole vault and 400m relay; Varsity Cheerleader 4 years, Captain 2 yrs.; basketball and volleyball. Her honors and awards include A-Honor Roll 4 yrs, Rotary Sweetheart, Sr. yr., Who's Who (local), National Honor Roll, Who's Who Among American High School Students, HOBY Ambassador, Wendy's High School Heisman Award nominee and Miss

THS. She is an active member of the First Baptist Church, NHS Highway clean-up, Christmas for Kids and the

Tech University.

**Christian Barron Aguirre** Christian Aguirre is the daughter of Maria Barron and Aron Barron. She plans to attend nursing school.

Juan Ramon Aguirre Juan Ramon Aguirre is the son

of Rene and Elva Aguirre. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 4 years. Juan plans to begin a career in

mechanics or as a welder and make his home in Lubbock.



Samantha Lee Andrews Samantha Lee Andrews is the daughter of Karen and Ralph Huffaker. She has attended Tahoka

schools for the past 13 years. While in high school she has been active in Student Council, currently serving as Vice-President, NHS, basketball 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All- District, tennis and 2-yrs Regional Qualifier, golf, cross-country, class officer currently as President, FCA officer, and yearbook staff serving as Tri-editor. She has received the Advanced Journalism Award, Top ten percent of Class and Who's Who awards

Samantha plans to attend Texas A&M University and major in Speech Communications.

nine years. He was a member of FFA and received the Ag Mechanics award. We're proud of the He also participated in athletics. He is a member of Trinity Church in Class of 2006 Lubbock.

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Justin plans to attend South Plains College

**Carlos Isaiah Cantu** Carlos Isaiah Cantu is the son of Anna Cantu. He has attended

# Lorena Davila

Lorena Davila is the daughter of Belinda Davila. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 7 years. While in high school she participated in FCCLA

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Lorena plans to attend nursing school to become an LVN.

**Tiffany Camille Dominguez** Tiffany Camille Dominguez is the daughter of Mechelle Torrez and Eudoro Torrez. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 3 years. While in high school she was

active in FCCLA, Debate and treasurer award.

Tiffany plans to attend Flight Attendant School at Southwest Airlines.

# **Patrick D. Dotson**

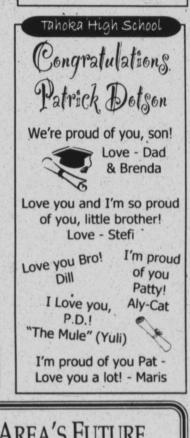
Patrick D. Dotson is the son of Shi and Brenda Dotson and Yolanda Ortiz. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he has been active in football All-Defensive Team; basketball State Qualifier; baseball All-District and Regional Qualifier and Golf. He was also voted Class Favorite 3 years, Mr. THS, Prom King, RBI Baseball award, and Male Athlete of the Year his Jr. Year.

Patrick plans to attend Lubbock Christian University to play baseball and major in Exercise and Sports Science.



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Patrick Dotson

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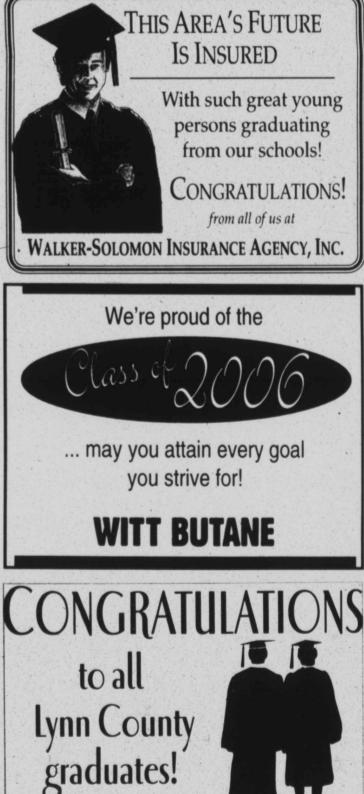
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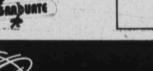
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Jason, Sylvia,

MacKenzie





## the Year, First Team All-District 3 years, TGCA All-State, 1st Team All South Plains, All-Region, Academic All-State; tennis regional qualifier; golf; track; volleyball; UIL writing events; member of FFA; News

Big Brother/Big Sister Program. Callie plans to attend Texas

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Callie Botkin

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from-- Mom & Dad

Emily, Ryan & Brady

Mema & Pepa

Grandmother & Granddaddy

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Callie Botkin

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from---

Jesse, Sara

& Megan

Jeremy Craig Antu is the son of Joe and Clara Calvillo and has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

Eahoka High School Class of 2006

backer.

Jeremy plans to attend South Plains in the fall and later transfer to Texas Tech and major in business.

# Jeremy has participated in football since the 7th grade. Jeremy was strong safety his sophomore year and made Honorable Mention his junior year. His senior year he was named Honorable Mention at line-

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Congratulations

Justin Brown

You're a terrific guy!

**Justin Wayne Brown** 

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Mom

Congratulations

Jeremy Antu

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Michael, Justin,

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Jeremy Craig Antu

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Ashley Nichole Lam Michael Chi Lam **Cindy Jeanet Marquez** Connie Sabrina Medina Porscha Danielle Mitchell Jesus Jesse Monsivais Louisa Sonya Moralez Christa ReAnn Muñoz Lex Corry Norwood Juan Diego Perez Maria Refugia Perez **Troy Everson Price** Brandi Blair Raindl Kathryn Nicole Reno Alfredo Alonzo Resendez **Christopher Ray Rodriguez** Jennifer Ann Rodriquez Kelly Nicole Rojo Matthew Kyle Saldaña Meghan Nicole Saldaña Stephanie Maria Sandobal Dawnisa Nora Schwartz Amanda Renee Strickland Isacc Ruiz Tello **Trey Martin Thomas** Zachary tynn Tillman **Delci Jolene Willis** Jessica Ruth Wilson

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Tahoka schools for the past 3 years. While in high school he participated in football and powerlifting. Carlos plans to enter the workforce then enter college in the future

Tahoka High School Congratulations Christyn Chapa We're proud of you! from- Mom, Dad, "The Chapa Kids", Grandpa, Grandma, Uncle Adolph, Aunt Chrissy, Aunt Fanche, Aunt Meme

**Christyn Nicole Chapa** Christyn Nicole Chapa is the daughter of Andrew and Lisa Chapa. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball, cross-country, track, volleyball, softball, FCCLA, One Act Play earning the Best-Actress award in '06.

Christyn plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in Pre-Occupational Therapy.

**Krista Nicole Cloe** Krista Nicole Cloe is the daughter of Rick and Lena Cloe. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she has been active in the FCCLA, Student Council as reporter, Senior Class reporter and was Jr. Class representative

Krista plans to attend South Plains College and transfer to Texas Tech and major in Child Psychology.



Best wishes on all your future plans and endeavors!

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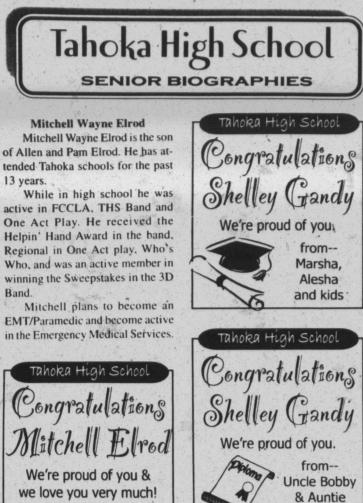
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Congratulations

Mitchell Elrod

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I am always here for

# **Shelley Dawn Gandy**

Shelley Dawn Gandy is the daughter of Kay Gandy and the niece of Cherry Gandy. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years

Thorne

While in high school she was active in One Act Play. NHS and the 3D Band. She received All-Star Cast in OAP two years.

Shelley plans to attend WTC and major in English with a minor in Mass Communications.



Mom, Dad, Felicia, Adrian, Larissa, Keiva

# **Nathan Paul Garcia**

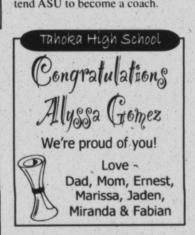
Nathan Paul Garcia is the son of Paul and Emilia Garcia. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years

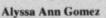
While in high school he was active in football, basketball, baseball, and track. He received Honorable Mention, Offensive and Defensive Line in football as well as Of-fensive Lineman 2<sup>nd</sup> Team. He served as Class Parliamentarian. Nathan plans to enter the

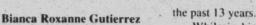
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Congratulations schools for the past 9 years. Nathan Garcia school history.

tend ASU to become a coach.







While in high school she has been active in Varsity Cheerleading, basketball, track, FCCLA, Student Council Representative and treasurer, and NHS.

Carissa plans to attend South Plains College then transfer to Texas Tech to major in Photography.

#### Jeremy Seth Hall

Jeremy Seth Hall is the son of Vincent Kirk McNeely. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he has been active in GT. Who's Who in athletics, short story and poetry, band, and choir.

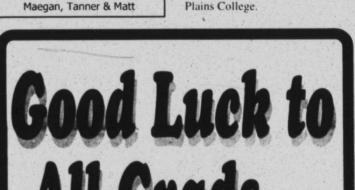
Jeremy plans to start a taxidermy business in the near future and possibly become a Texas Ranger

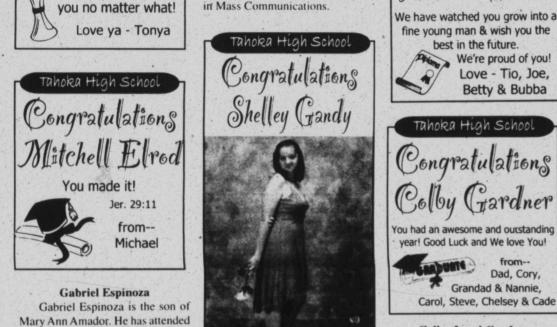
#### **Kelee Brooke Harcrow**

Kelee Brooke Harcrow is the daughter of Ronny and Mickey Harcrow. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she was active in the 3D band.

Kelee plans to attend South Plains College.





God Bless! Plains College in the LVN program and then later attend Covenant Love -School of Nursing to become an RN Jessie & Mom Joshua Thomas Garza Joshua Thomas Garza is the son

of Martin, Debbie and Jesus Rodriquez. He has attended Tahoka

and Maria Perez.

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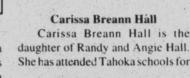
Congratulations

Josh Garza

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While in high school he was active in the Sweepstakes-winning 3D Band all four years, which made to Area/Finals for the first time in

Joshua plans to attend the Austin School of Massage and later at-



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Congratulations

Carissa Hall

We love you, and

we are proud of you!

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Mom, Dad, Casey, Haley,

the 3D Band.

UIL Scholars ... These Tahoka High School seniors received UIL Scholar Awards for

earning a GPA of 4.0 or above while participating in any UIL event. They are, in front from

left, Krista Cloe, Delci Willis, Callie Botkin; and in back from left, Amanda Strickland, Jes-

sica Wilson, Brandi Raindl, Carissa Hall, Samantha Andrews, and Meghan Saldana; and

not pictured, Shelly Gandy, Stacie Green, Juan Hernandez, Porscha Mitchell, Sonya Moralez,

Bianca Roxanne Gutierrez is the

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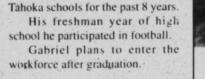
Bianca plans to attend South

daughter of Mary Villegas and An-

gel Hernandez. She has attended

Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

been active in volleyball, track and



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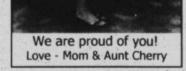
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# **Colby Jared Gardner**

from--

Dad, Cory,

Colby Jared Gardner is the son of Cindy Thornton and Clint Gardner. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years. While in high school he was

active as class parliamentarian, Student Council Representative, Journalism staff, FFA, UIL Headline Writing, FCA, and 4-H. In sports, he was active in football and was All-District Honorable Mention wide receiver: basketball, earning All Tournament Borden County; AA All-South Plains 2nd Team, and played in the State Semi-finals; Regional Finalist golf; Regional medallist in tennis; track; Centex All-Star basketball game.

Colby plans to play golf at Lubbock Christian University and major in Golf Course Management.

Tahoka High School Congratulations Colby Gardner We're proud of you! We love you -Mom, Wayne & Bubba Tahoka High School Congratulations Colby Gardner Good Luck "HD"! Love ya, Cherie, Nicole, Christi, Alan, Kaitlyn, Kirby, Grandma & Wayne

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Alyssa Ann Gomez is the daughter of Edward and Belen Gomez. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

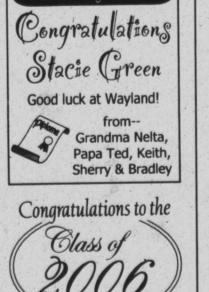
While in high school she was active in FCCLA and the 3D Band. Alyssa plans to attend Cosmetology school at South Plains College



**Stacie Elise Green** Stacie Elise Green is the daughter of Rickey and Jackie Green. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years. While in high school she was

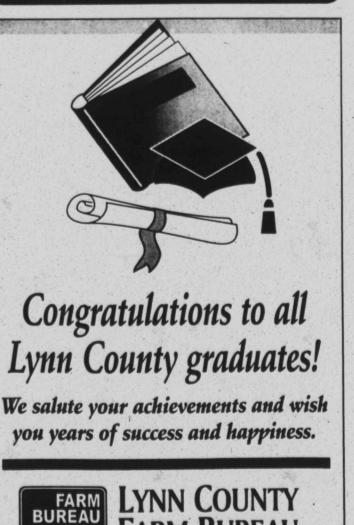
active in NHS, FCCLA, softball, basketball, volleyball, cheerleader jr. Year, FBC Youth Group and Llano Estacado Chrysalis Community. Her awards include Tst Team, 1st Base All-District in softball, Who's Who and Algebra 2. Stacie plans to attend Wayland

Baptist University and major in Early Childhood.



# We wish you much success in all of your future endeavors!





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# lahoka High School SENIOR BIOGRAPHIES

Congratulations Albi Henderson Congratulations Abi! You are our shining light. Look up for guidance as your angel is watching over you.

Tahoka High School

Love you- Mom, Dad, Allen, Laura Mimi, Donnie and your Angel

## **Abigail Brooke Henderson**

Abigail Brooke Henderson is the daughter of Paul and Cara Henderson. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she was active in softball earning District. Champs in 05, and Runner Up in 06. Power lifting earning State Qualifier 2 years in a row, placing 5" in State in 06: and active in FCCLA.

Abi plans to attend Midland College to become a massage therapist.

Tahoka High School

Congratulations

Albi Henderson

We're proud of you!

Juan Pablo Hernandez

of Guadalupe and Alma Hernandez.

He has attended Tahoka schools for

active in NHS, Student Council, One

Act Play, Yearbook staff and UIL

events. He received awards in Who's

Who, class awards and Exemplary

Juan plans to attend South

Plains College and later transfer to

University of Texas in Austin to get

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his PhD in Psychology.

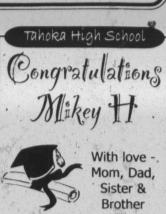
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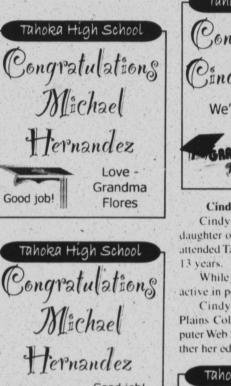
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# Michael Robert Hernandez

Michael Robert Hernandez is the son of Robert and Diana Hernandez. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was active in the 3D Band. Michael plans to join the Marines after graduation.



Good job! LABBUATE Love -**Uncle Billy** 

**James Holdren** James Holdren is the son of Don and Donna Holdren. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 2 years. While in high school he was active in FFA, showed steers and pigs in stock shows and also earned

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the Lonestar Farmer's Degree and was awarded Outstanding Ag Student.

James plans to attend Tarleton State University and become an Ag teacher.

# **Ashley Nichole Lam**

Ashley Nichole Lam is the daughter of Mychi and Beckey Lam. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 12 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball, tennis, track and UIL spelling.

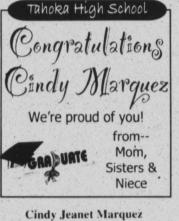
Ashley plans to attend South. Plains College to get her basics and transfer to Texas Tech to major in Psychology.

#### Michael Chi Lam

Michael Chi Lam is the son of Mychi and Beckey Lam. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 12 years

While in high school he was active in basketball, track and the 3D Band, which earned Sweepstakes all four years advanced to Area/Finals. Michael plans to attend college

and major in Radiology to become a Medicat Imaging Technician.



Cindy Jeanet Marquez is the daughter of Tina Marquez. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past

While in high school she was active in powerlifting.

Cindy plans to attend South Plains College and major in Computer Web Mastering design and further her education at Texas Tech.



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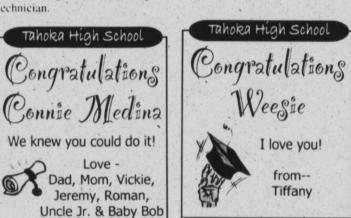
Farewell ... THS Band seniors say farewell to Directors Carroll Rhodes and Lora Smith at the Band Concert last week, and hold the awards the band has won during their four years. Seniors are, in front from left, Josh Garza, Jessica Wilson, Delci Willis, Connie Medina, Mandi Strickland, Kathryn Reno; second row, Director Carroll Rhodes, Mitchell Elrod, Jesse Monsivais, Michael Hernandez, Kelee Harcrow; back row, Asst. Director Lora Smith, Sonya Moralez, Michael Lam, Shelley Gandy, Diego Perez and Corry Norwood.

#### **Connie Sabrina Medina** Connie Sabrina Medina is the

daughter of Joey and Mary Helen Barrientez. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years. While in high school she was

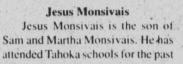
active in the 3D Band serving as Drum Major as well as being crowned Band Sweetheart and was in the State Solo and Ensemble two vears

Connie plans to attend South Plains College to become a surgical technician.



**Porscha Danielle Mitchell** Porscha Danielle Mitchell is the daughter of Terri Tillman. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 12 years

While in high school she was schools for the past 13 years. While in high school she was active in basketball. FCCLA Presiactive in FCCLA. NHS. 3D band dent, NHS Vice President and was earning band camp award. Outnamed to Who's Who. standing Musician, and ser Porscha plans to attend Baylor Vice-President. She was the Bulldog University and major in Child Psymascot and attended the National chology. Cheerleaders Association Camp where she was awarded Best Mas-Tahoka High School cot, All American Mascot, and Most Congratulations Spirited Mascot. She played softball and was All-District Pitcher 05; and participated in volleyball, track, Porscha Mitchell powerlifting, Little League Softball Coach, UIL math and number sense. Harvest Festival Queen Candidate. Congratulations on your Catholic Youth Organization and achievement was class officer for 3 years. We're proud of you! Sonya plans to attend Angelo I am Mom, Dad, Brother, Sisters State University and major in Elproud of you! and Grandparents ementary Education. Mom energy is proud of all our Lynn County Graduates As the Seniors look forward to their future ... we look with them with confidence in their knowledge and ability. **Our Best Wishes To All The Graduating Seniors!** Farmers Co-Op Association #1 TAHOKA, TEXAS



13 years. While in high school he was active in athletics and went to Regionals in track his Jr. and Sr.' Years.

Jesse plans to attend South Plains College and major in Diesel Service Technology.

I love you!

from---

Tiffany

Louisa Sonya Morales

daughter of Carlos and Gloria

Moralez. She has attended Tahoka

Louisa Sonya Moralez is the



Tahoka High School

Christa ReAnn Munoz Christa Munoz is the daughter of Robert and Beverly Munoz. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 7 years.

While in high school she was a freshman class officer. Christa's plans after graduation are undecided.





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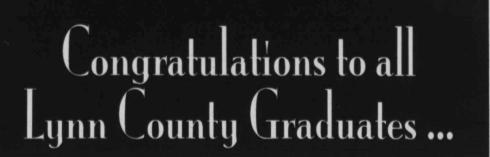
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Grads, you have the world at your fingertips. We wish all 2006 graduates success,

happiness and the fullillment of dreams!



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**Trey Martin Thomas** Trey Martin Thomas is the son of Joe and Jana Thomas. He has at-

tended Tahoka schools for the past 12 years. While in high school he was active in FFA winning the Lynn County Grand Champion Barrow in 05, One Act Play, and football man-

ager; and received the Best Hair

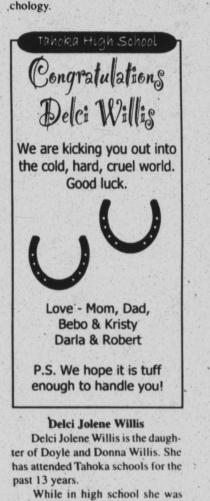
Award, Most Out-going and many stock show awards. Trey plans to attend college and become an executive producer for a record label then become a game warden.

#### Zachary Lynn Tillman

Zachary Lynn Paige Tillman is the son of Lucretia Tillman. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 10 years.

While in high school he was active in football, basketball and track. In football he was Second Team All District; in basketball he, was First Team All District for 3 years, All Defensive Team, All Region Team, South Plains Player of the Year, All State Tournament Team and a Regional Track Qualifier in Triple Jump.

Zachary plans to attend Cedar Valley College in Lancaster, TX. play basketball and major in Psy-



active in FFA where she excelled in Leadership Development, was



Tahoka High School

SENIOR BIOGRAPHIES

# Lex Corry Norwood

Lex Corry Norwood is the son of George and Mae Daun Norwood. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 12 years

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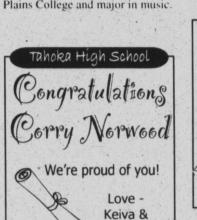
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While in high school he was active in the 3D Band, earning a Large Sweepstakes all four years. and he participated in the One Act Play.

Corry plans to attend South Plains College and major in music.



Nathan

# **Juan Diego Perez**

Juan Diego Perez is the son of Maria de la Luz Perez and Juan Perez. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was active in the 3D Band earning a Large Sweepstakes.

Diego plans to attend South Plains College.



### Maria Refugia Perez Maria Refugia Perez' is the

daughter of Amelia Perez. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 4 years.

While in high school she was active in volleyball, NHS, StuCo, and Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Maria plans to attend Texas Tech and become a pediatrician.



**Troy Everson Price** Troy Everson Price is the son of

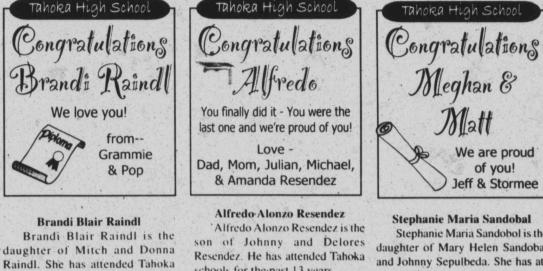
Patricia Price. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 2 years. While in high hool he was

active in track, going to State two years, and received a scholarship from Texas Tech. In football, he was named second team Wide Receiver and Corner back, and in basketball he went to State competition and was named Honorable Mention.

Troy plans to attend college.



Academic All-Stars ... THS students recognized as Academic All-Stars earned an "A" in every subject for every six weeks this year through the fifth six weeks period. They are, in front from left, Marissa Gomez, D'Maris Murillo, Morgan Fisher; middle row from left, Callie Botkin, Meghan Saldana, Annika Cristl, Samantha Pridmore, Samantha Andrews, Brandi Raindl; and in back, Josh Freitag, Jessica McLelland and Garret Autry. Not pictured, Katie Webster.



schools for the past 13 years. While in high school he was

active in agriculture classes. Alfredo plans to enter the workforce after graduation.

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We're proud of you!

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Martha, Junior,

Elizabeth; Elissa

& John

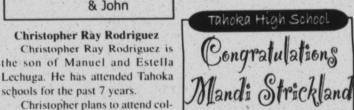
workforce after graduation.

# **Dawnisa Nora Schwartz**

Dawnisa Nora Schwartz is the daughter of Richard and Diana Schwartz. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 5 years.

active in athletics, track and power lifting.

after graduation.



**Stephanie Maria Sandobal** Stephanie Maria Sandobol is the daughter of Mary Helen Sandobal and Johnny Sepulbeda. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years

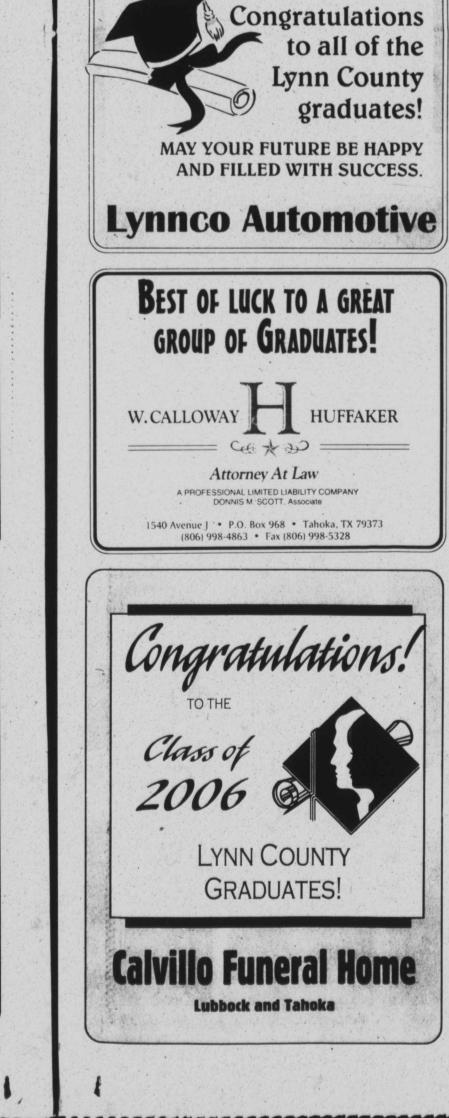
of you!

While in high school she was active in the high school choir.

Stephanie plans to join the

While in high school she was

Dawnisa plans to attend college





Kathryn Nicole Reno

daughter of Jerry and Vera Reno.

She has attended Tahoka schools for

active in the 3D Band earning

Sweepstakes 4 years and advanced

to Area and made the finals in 06;

powerlifting was a Regional Quali-

fier; softball advancing to the play-

offs; and track. She was named to

Who's Who Among American High

School Students: participated in UIL Spelling and Ready Writing; repre-

sented the local Rotary Club at

RYLA (Rotary Youth Leaders camp)

summer of 2005; and was senior

Plains College and later transfer to

Texas A&M Galveston to pursue a

Tahoka High School

Congratulations

Kathryn Reno

Love

Mom, Dad, Kaitlyn & Kyle

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career in Marine Biology.

representative in Band Council. Kathryn plans to attend South

the past 13 years.

Kathryn Nicole Reno is the

While in high school she was

While in high school she was

active in Student Council, serving

as secretary; NHS; 4-year letterman

in basketball, TABC All State,

TGCA All State, All Region, MVP

of the South Plains, Defensive MVP

of District 5-AA for 3 years; volley-

ball 2-year letterman and first team

All District; tennis 4-yr letterman,

4-yr Regional Qualifier; cross coun-

try, class officer 4 years and cur-

rently secretary: FCA and currently

officer; Yearbook Staff and Tri-Edi-

tor. Her awards include Top 10 per-

cent of class, BCIS, Spanish I, His-

tory, Who's Who, Tennis, THS De-

fensive Award and THS Most Out-

Simmons University to play basket-

ball and major in Physical Therapy.

Brandi plans to attend Hardin

standing Athlete.

Christopher plans to attend college and become an accountant.

> Jennifer Ann Rodriquez Jennifer Rodriquez is the daughter of Lupe Rodriquez. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

schools for the past 7 years.

While in high school she was active in the FCCLA.

Jennifer plans to attend South Plains College and then transfer to Texas Tech to major in Computer Technology or become an anesthesiologist.

# Kelly Nicole Rojo

Kelly Nicole Rojo is the daughter of Mary Ann Rojo. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

Kelly was active in FCCLA. She plans to attend South Plains College and become a massage therapist.

# Matthew Kyle Saldana

Matthew Kyle Saldana is the son of Pam Ashcraft. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years

While in high school he was active in golf, baseball, football, track, cross country, showed pigs, was active in FFA and was FFA President, and was awarded the Lone Star Degree.

Matthew plans to attend Angelo State University and major in Business and Marketing.



Karen, Ralph,

BJ, Kassidi,

Davy & Halle

We are very proud of you! We love you-Dad, Mom, Monica, Kayla,

# Amanda Renee Strickland

& Karen

Amanda Renee Strickland is the daughter of Jim and Nicki Strickland. She has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she has been active in the 3D Band, UIL and NHS. She also was given the John Phillip Sousa Award and Solo and Ensemble award.

Mandi plans to attend South Plains College then transfer to LCU and major in finance.

#### **Isaac Ruiz Tello**

Isaac Ruiz Tello is the son of Susan Tello. He has attended Tahoka schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was in the 3D Band.

Isaac plans to go to college and major in Law Enforcement.

Way to go --

President and student advisor, and active in stock shows, 4H Horse Club Member, Lubbock Saddle Club, and was the LSC Queen, District II Queen and currently a contestant for State Queen of American Association of Sheriff's Posses and Riding Club. She was also in the 3D Band which won Large Sweepstakes all four years, NHS and Public Relations officer, OAP crew and UIL.

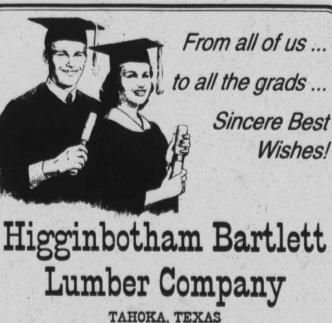
Delci plans to attend South Plains College then transfer to Texas Tech to major in Agriculture Education.

# **Jessica Ruth Wilson**

Jessica Wilson is the daughter of John and Carolyne Wilson.

She has been a drum major for the Tahoka 3D band for the past two years. She has also participated in the Band Council and Standing in the Gap. She has been in the National Honor Society her junior and senior year, and was elected secretary of the organization her senior year. Jessica has been an active participator in the One Act Play throughout her four years of high school. She has been involved in many sports such as Powerlifting. Volleyball, and Softball. Her junior year Jessica and other band members made it to the State Quartet qualifying meet and got a two. She has worked at Town and Country for nine months.

She will be attending Abilene Christian University during the summer and the following fall. She plans to major in marketing and minor in Bible.



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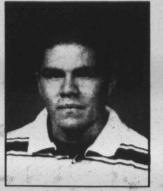
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**Carlos Isaiah Cantu** 



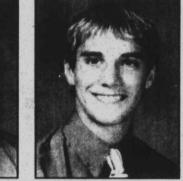
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Joshua Thomas Garza



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# Congratulations!

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Ashley Nichole Lam





**Cindy Jeanet Marquez** 



Porscha Danielle Mitchell



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Gabriel Espinoza, Jr.



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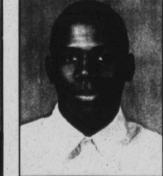
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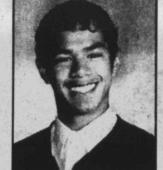




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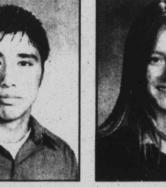


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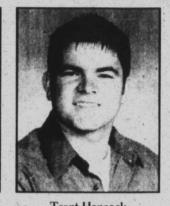


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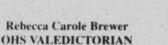
Susie Guenther



**Trent Hancock** 



Ashley Hanks



Rebecca Carole Brewer is the daughter of Burley and Beth Brewer. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she was active in UIL Literary Criticism and was Regional Qualifier every year. placing 3rd at state her Jr year and 5th in 2006. She was a state qualifier in the Lincoln-Douglas Debate 2 years: One Act Play, receiving



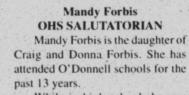
Odell Hunter Jr.

ber of the journalism staff and serves as co-editor, competed in headline and editorial writing, placing 1st at both events at district; and member of the golf team. She has received the Donna Hopkins Fine Art Award, and the Eagle Salute Awards in History and English.

Rebecca plans to attend Emerson College in Boston, MA and earn a degree in Writing, Literature and Publishing and pursue a career in calculator applications, computer in the publishing field.



**Casey Martinez** 

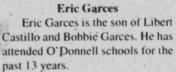


While in high school she was active in Science Fair 4 years and International Science Fair 2 years. She competed in numerous UIL events, qualifying for regional UIL science, and mathematics, winning





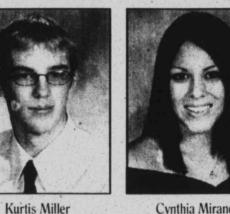
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past 13 years. While in high school he was active in baseball, basketball, football, band, FCCLA FFA, and science fair. Eric plans to attend South Plains

College

Jerry Tate Gass Jerry Tate Gass is the son of Todd and Doris Gass. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years. While in high school he was active in football, golf regional qualifier, FFA and awarded Outstanding Ag Student of the Year. and received the Bobby Cox Sportsmanship award; and State qualifier in Science Fair.



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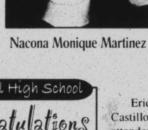
**Jacoby Gomez** Jacoby Gomez is the son of

Steve and Emma Gomez. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years. While in high school he was ac-

tive in football, basketball, track, tennis, FCCLA, and UIL Spelling. Jacoby plans on going to South Plains College and getting his degree in Surgical Technology.

**Susie Guenther** Susie Guenther is the daughter of John and Katharina Guenther. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 8 years





Best Actress in 06, and All-Star Cast; State qualifier in Science Fair 4 years; high school band and was on band council, received First Chair and Director's award; NHS and was President: served as class Vice-President and President; Student Council, President; and competed in the extemporaneous speaking and placed 2nd in persuasive speaking at district. She is a mem-





1st place three times in the District level. She qualified for state competition in calculator applications. and placed 5th at state. She was a cheerleader, active in stock shows. One Act Play, NHS, and the yearbook staff.

Mandy plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in agriculture finance. .

# Anthony Jaymie Benavidez Jr. Anthony Jaymie Romine is the

son of Anthony Benavidez and Francis Vargas. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 vears.

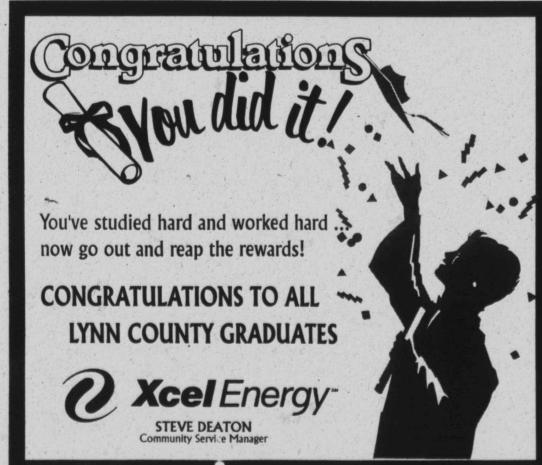
While in high school he was active in FFA, FCCLA and varsity football. Anthony plans to become a tattoo artist and later create or draw for video games.

# Joseph Castillo

Joseph Castillo is the son of Paul and Gemma Castillo. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was active in football, basketball, UIL spelling, 2nd place team; accounting, 2nd Place team and won a 6th place trophy.

Joseph plans to attend Amarillo College to study automotive technology.



# **TJ** Cloud

TJ Cloud is the son of James and Christie Cloud. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 3 vears

While in high school he was active in FFA, FCCLA, and has worked multiple jobs while attending school. He also played varsity football when he went to school in Southland and participated in UIL. TJ plans to join the Air Force

# **Kindra Jeanette Davis**

after graduation.

Kindra Jeanette Davis is the daughter of Choya and Annetta Davis. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she has been active in track, UIL, academics, speaking events, basketball, FFA, stock shows, FCCLA, and One Act Play. She went to state in Science Fair.

Kindra plans to attend South Plains College and major in Surgical Technology

#### **James De Los Santos**

James De Los Santos is the son of Jimmy and Eva De Los Santos. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was active in football, baseball, band, UIL accounting team, FCCLA, and FFA

James plans to attend South Plains College to be an EMT (Emergency Medical Technician).

# **Roddy Dan Doss**

Roddy Dan Doss is the son of Barry Doss. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years

While in high school he was active in football, track and band. Roddy plans to work with his grandfather on the farm and will attend career training in Brownfield.

#### **Brent Joseph Furlow**

Brent Joseph Furlow is the son of Cody and Lisa Furlow. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was active in football, and was 2nd Team All District offensive lineman, golf, UIL social studies, and competed in calculator. He was a track and field regional qualifier 2 years.

Brent plans on being a pilot after attending Le Tourneau University for Aviation Sciences.

Jerry plans to attend South Plains College.

We're proud of all of the GRADUATES of the Class of 2006:

While in high school she was active in FFA, FCCLA, and she was a teacher's aid.

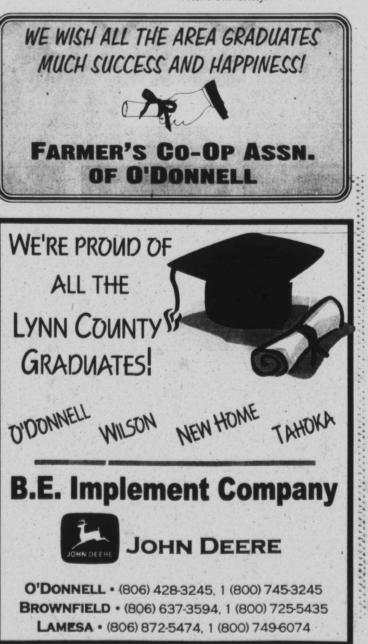
Susie plans to attend college to become a nurse.

# **Trent Hancock**

Trent Hancock is the son of Monty and Gina Hancock. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was active in baseball, football, basketball, track, golf, NHS, and FFA. He made All-District baseball 3 years and All-District football 2 years.

Trent plans to attend South Plains College and transfer to Texas A&M University.



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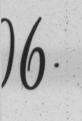
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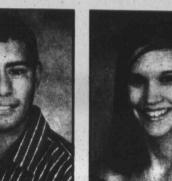
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**Alan Kelly Morales** 



Joshua Ramirez

**Ashley Hanks** 

Julie and Kenny Heathington. She

has attended O'Donnell schools for

UIL poetry, and advanced three

times to Regionals, placing with two

seconds and one first place in Dis-

trict. She was active in the High

School Rodeo, and was a three time

at Blinn College in Bryan, then

**Odell Hunter Jr** 

Odell and Dessie Hunter. He has at-

tended O'Donnell schools for the

active in band; track, qualifying for

Area and Regional two years; quar-

terback of the varsity football team

4 years, and was 1 Team All Dis-

trict and All South Plains for 3 years;

baseball, 1" Team All District and

All South Plains 4 years; and bas-

Odell Hunter Jr. Is the son of

While in high school he was

Ashley plans to attend college

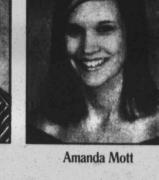
State Qualifier; band and golf.

transfer to Texas A&M.

past 13 years.

the past 7 years.

Ashley Hanks is the daughter of





Seth Ray Naumann

**Christopher Renteria** 

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Lynsey Romine

**Edward Nava** 



Brisa Dayanara Ochoa



Victoria Pesina

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Karla Smith

**Cameron Lee Wiggs** 

# **Christopher Renteria**

Christopher Renteria is the son of Joe and Christina Remeria. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

# Lynsey Romine

Lynsey Romine is the daughter of Jimmy and Jeralynn Romine. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball, UIL, NHS. serving as secretary one year, science fair, journalism, Student Council, serving as secretary one year, qualified for state two years in headline writing, serving as alternate one year, served as class secretary for four years, Journalism staff Co-Editor, state qualifier in science fair two years, and was awarded OHS Salutes in Journalism and History.

Lynsey plans to attend Angelo State University.

#### **Karla Smith**

Karla Smith is the daughter of Kerry and Waynell Smith. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 9 years.

While in high school she was active in band, UIL, FCCLA, accounting, OAP, and was on the Journalism team and qualified for Regional in news writing her senior year.

# **Gavin Ramirez**



**Tamara Wilson** 

Karla plans to attend South Plains College to study nursing or elementary education.

# **Cameron Lee Wiggs**

Cameron Lee Wiggs is the son of Paula Lynn and Jack Wiggs. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 2 months.

He enjoys playing chess and enjoys reading.

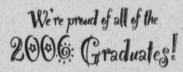
Cameron plans to join the military or study Marine Science, such as Biology Oceanography.

#### **Tamara Wilson**

Tamara Wilson is the daughter of Billy and Pam Wilson. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 11 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball, cross-country, UIL computer applications, golf advancing to regionals 4 years, and always placed in the top ten at regionals. She was awarded Best Smile for 05, and Basketball Sweetheart in 06.

Tamara plans to attend South Plains College then transfer to Texas Tech.



**Casey Martinez** 

Xenia Ramos

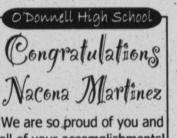
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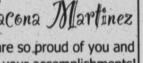
SENIOR BIOGRAPHIES

Casey Martinez is the son of Lorenzo Sr. and Martina Martinez. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she was While in high school he was active in OAP, receiving four Allactive in football, basketball, band Star cast awards and one Honorable and FFA Mention. She also participated in

Casey plans to attend South Plains College Diesel Mechanic. Later in life Casey may attend Wayland Baptist to become a min-, ister or a youth minister.





all of your accomplishments!

ter of Efrain and Cookie Miranda. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 11 years. While in high school she was: active in Student Council as Presi-

dent; band as President and Drum Major; science fair, basketball, tennis, cross country, FCCLA, and was crowned Homecoming Queen her senior year.

**Kurtis Miller** 

and La Jean Van. He has attended

O'Donnell schools for the past 4

active in FFA, FCCLA, Computer

Science advancing to Regional, and

**Cynthia Miranda** 

Cynthia Miranda is the daugh-

game design and programming.

competed in science.

Kurtis Miller is the son of Walt

While in high school he was

Kurtis plans to attend college for

Cynthia plans to attend Mid Western University in Wichita Falls to study Optometry.

## **Amanda Mott**

Amanda Mott is the daughter of Dan and Anita Mott. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 12 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball and was part of the All District Team for 3 years. She was also active in cross-country and track and was a regional qualifier in both; band, FFA, FCCLA, and was

ous medals and plaques. He has also participated in many AG products during his high school career.

Seth plans on attending South

# Plains Diesel Technology.

Edward Nava

Edward Nava is the son of Martin and Minerva Nava. He has attended O'Donnell schools for 12 vears

While in high school he was active as class representative, and student Vice-President. He played football, and was Second Team Linebacker, 1st Team Linebacker Honorable Mention, District, and received All District Honors in baseball 2nd Team, 3rd Base; basketball, band, track, FFA, FCCLA and stock shows

New Mexico or join the Air Force after graduation.

Brisa Dayanara Ochoa

daughter of Claudia and Jesse past 3 years.

FCCLA, and science fair.

Brisa plans on pursuing a degree in nursing at the University of North Texas in Denton.

Edward plans to attend Eastern

Brisa Dayanara Ochoa is the

Lopez, and Mike Ochoa. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the

While in high school she was active in basketball, cross country, track, yearbook, tennis, band, FFA,

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chool he was otball, basketand FFA. He seball 3 years all 2 years. attend South



ketball. OJ plans to go Eastern New Mexico University.



Good luck on whatever path you decide to take.

Love you - Mom, Dad, Granma, Grandpa, Carla, Khrystin, Kalaya, Toby & Dustin

**Corey Jolly** Corey Jolly is the son of Jimmy and Nancy Jolly. He has attended C'Donnell schools for the past 2-1/ 2 years.

While in high school he was active in football, receiving 2 Team All District Offensive Line-man his Jr. Year, and 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All District Defensive Lineman his Sr. Year; and baseball, receiving 1 Team All District Designated Hitter. Corey plans to attend South

Plains College for 2 years and then transfer to Texas Tech.



We love you - Jeff, Mom, Chekota, Noelani, Nanny, Tanner, Sandye, Dave, Justin

# Nacona Monique Martinez

Nacona Monique Martinez is the daughter of Jeff and Monica Parker and Rommy Rios. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 4 years

While in high school she was active in volleyball, basketball, track, FCCLA, and the Yearbook staff. She received Honorable Mention in basketball and volleyball, and was MVP in volleyball as a home schooled student. She enjoys playing with her daughter, Noelani Belle, in her free time.

Nacona plans to attend South Plains College Reese Center in Lubbock and get a degree in Radiology. and later attend Midland College to major in Ultrasonography.

named Basketball Sweetheart. Amanda plans to attend Nursing School.

# **Alan Kelly Morales**

Alan Kelly Morales is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfredo Morales. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 2-1/2 years.

While in high school Alan was active in football, basketball, track, baseball, FCCLA, FFA, and UIL. In football he received All-District Defensive Tackle and 2nd Team All South Plains Defensive Tackle; in baseball, the team has been co-district Champions, Bi-District Champs, and qualified for Area. He also received 2" team All District catcher in baseball his junior year. He plans to attend Midland Jun-

# Seth Ray Naumann

Seth Ray Naumann is the son of Patty Sue and Tom Ed Vestal. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past year and a half.

ior College.

While in high school he was active in 4-H Shooting Sports since he was 9 years old, and has attended numerous sporting events during those years and has received numer-

#### Victoria Pesina

Victoria Pesina is the daughter of Charlie Pesina and Francis Barrientos. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years

While in high school she has been active in track, basketball, band, and FCCLA.

Victoria plans to South Plains College and work.

# **Gavin Ramirez**

Gavin Ramirez is the son of Lucinda Ramirez. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school he was active in baseball, football, basketball, OAP, science UIL as alternant. and students named him Most Fun boy his sophomore year. In football, he received All District 1<sup>St</sup> Team Defense and Honorable Mention Team Offense: in basketball he was All-District 1st team: in track he placed 4th in District in 110 hurdles. 6th in the 300 hurdles, and fifth in the 110 hurdles; tennis he won 4th in District. He was also active in Cross X Debate, Current Events, Informative Speaking, and Social Studies where he placed 5th in District, band, Student Council President, and was chosen Most Congenial Boy and served as class Vice President

Gavin plans to attend South Plains College and later transfer to Texas Tech to study nursing.

## **Joshua Ramirez**

Joshua Ramirez is the son of Simona Ramirez and the late Rafeal Ramirez. He has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years

While in high school Joshua has been active in football, receiving All District 1st Team 3 years; baseball, earning All District 3 years; Regional track, UIL, Science Fair and FFA

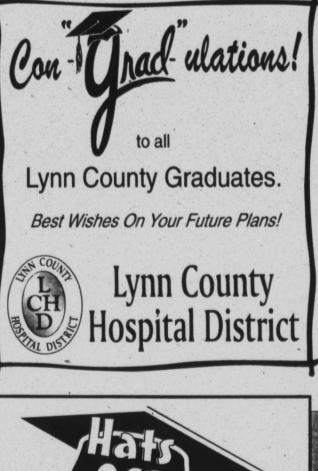
Joshua plans on attended Texas Tech to study to be a surgical technician.

#### Xenia Ramos

Xenia Ramos is the daughter of Guadalupe and Julia Ramos. She has attended O'Donnell schools for the past 13 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball, track, crosscountry, and band.

Xenia plans to attend South Plains College.

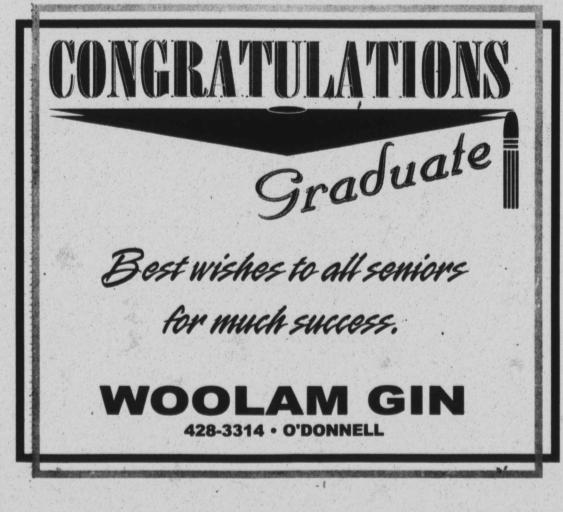


Lynn County graduates!

> We wish all good things and bright futures for you.

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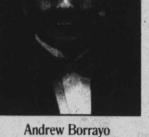
Wilson High School Class of 2006



Amber Autry







**Rachel Chancy** 



Joel Gonzalez Jr.





Jonathan Ray Perez





Rueben Quezada



Norma Reyna



Ana Sanders



Landon Wilke

#### **Joline Martinez**

Joline Martinez is the daughteres. of Dora Frausto and Jose Martinez." She has attended Wilson schools for 14 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball, cross country, track, football and basketball manager, FFA, UIL, OAP, National Honor Roll Society, Who's Who Award and Student of the Month.

Joline plans to attend South Plains College in the fall for Elementary Education, Pre-Law or Cosmetology.

#### Jonathan Ray Perez

Jonathan Ray Perez is the son of Mary Angel Perez and Mango Marquez. He has attended Wilson schools for the past 7 years.

While in high school he was active in football, basketball, track, cross country, FFA, FCA, UIL, and One Act Play. Honors include: District Basketball, Football Honorable Mention, freshman sophomore 2nd team Punter, Spreadback, Safety, Jr. Sr. Lubbock Avalanche Area Player of the Week Sr. Year, Most Valuable Player in the backfield Jr. yr.

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Norma Reyna

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Norma Reyna is the daughter of Juan and Maria Reyna. She has attended Wilson schools for 2 years. While in high school she received Spanish Recognition. Norma plans to attend college to be a Spanish teacher or study Cos-

#### **Ana Sanders**

metology.

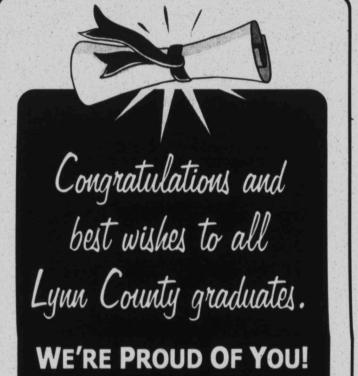
Ana Sanders is the daughter of Kathrine Chance. She has attended Wilson schools for 12 years.

While in high school she was active in basketball, cross country, track, cheerleading, FFA, Student Council Vice President and Sr. Class Who' Who, and All Around Athlete. Awards include Area Qualifier for Feature Writing, Leadership Award, and Outstanding Basketball.

Ana plans to attend South Plains College and major in Computer Information Systems.

# Landon Wilke

Landon Wilke is the son of





# **Amber Autry** WHS VALEDICTORIAN

Amber Autry is the daughter of Terri Autry and the late Brian Autry. She has attended Wilson schools for 13 years.

While in high school she was active as manager for girls and boys basketball, Cross Country, Track, boys football, played golf, involved in FCA, FFA, Student Council, yearbook, church choir and youth group.

Amber plans to attend Wayland Baptist University in the fall of 2006.

We're proud of the Class of 2006

# Lett Hernandez WHS SALUTATORIAN Lett Hernandez is the daughter of Melissa Tobias. She has attended

Wilson schools for 14 years.

While in high school she was

active in varsity basketball,

cheerleading, track, cross country,

tennis, FFA, FCA, UIL, OAP, Stu-

dent Council, Upward Bound at

Texas Tech, livestock association,

yearbook staff and NHS. She was

also a writer for the Slatonite and

Lynn County News. Her honors and

awards include; Class president- 3

yrs.; Outstanding Track-02; FFA

Green Hand Degree 03, Chapter

Degree 04, Secretary, Vice Presi-

dent, and Sweetheart; Theatre

Award, All Star Cast (Zone) 4 yrs.,

All American Cheerleader 4 yrs.

Who's Who 4 yrs., Language Ex-

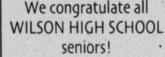
change Award, Speech Award,

Homecoming Queen 05, Student

Council President, FFA President,

# Sam Ashcraft **Crop Insurance**

Wilson Independent **Insurance** Agency



We're proud of all Lynn County graduates and wish you a great future!





We're very proud of the 'Vilson, Tahoka, New Home and O'Donnell high school graduates!

**Congratulations and Best Wishes in your future plans!** 

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Best Actress (District) 04-05; Honorable Mention in Basketball and One Act Play 04-05, English Award, Gifted and Talented, Student Athlete of the Week (News Channel 11) and Lynn County Water and Soil Conservation Ag Student of the Year in 06

Lett plans to attend Texas Tech University and major in Theatre Arts with a minor in broadcast journalism.

# **Andrew Borrayo**

Andrew Borrayo is the son of Martin and Patricia Borrayo. He has attended Wilson schools for the past 9 years

While in high school he was active in football, basketball, cross country, golf, TU Fighting Heart Award, Outstanding FFA Student and UIL Award.

Andrew plans to go to Arizona to attend Estrella Community College and get a business degree to run his own business.

### **Rachel Chancy**

Rachel Chancy is the daughter of Tracy Kendrick. She has attended Wilson schools for 2 years.

While in high school she was active in the Yearbook staff, Ready Set Teach, and Child Development Program

Rachel plans to attend South Plains College and get a degree in child development.

# Joel Gonzalez Jr.

Joel Gonzalez Jr. is the son of Joel and Martina Gonzalez. He has attended Wilson schools for the past 4 years

While in high school he was active in football, and received awards for Student of the Month, Outstanding Student for Geometry, Algebra II and Spanish I and II.

Joel plans to attend South Plains College and work very hard to reach his goals and succeed in life.

Congratulations O'Donnell, Wilson,

New Home and Tahoka Class of 2006!

on getting a job

# **Rueben Quezada**

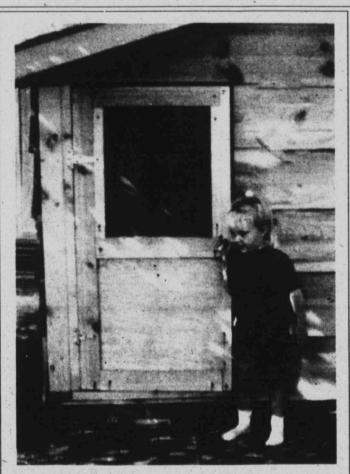
Rueben Quezada is the son of Mary Helen Acuna. He has attended Wilson schools for the past 13 years. While in high school he was active in football, basketball, track, cross country, OAP, FFA, FCA and

Rueben's plans after graduation are undecided.

Clyde and Kam Wilke. He has attended Wilson schools for the past 14 years

While in high school he was active in football, basketball, track, cross country, golf and UIL

Landon plans to attend South Plains College in the fall for one semester and transfer to Texas Tech to pursue a Mechanical Engineering Degree.





t seems like only yesterday when kindergarten was just starting ... now it's time for graduation! We congratulate all the Lynn County seniors

on their accomplishments and wish them success in all their future endeavors.

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