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Mules Outfly Eagles

By Delton Wilhite Sportswriter

It was obvious Friday night that the Mules and Lubbock Roosevelt Eagles were very familiar with the offensive styles that each utilizes.

coach David Wood and Eagle coach Greg Poynor worked together for six years in Muleshoe.

taking the head wracking." coaching job at Lubbock Roosevelt.

"It is a chess match when we meet... They know what we like to do and we know the same about them."

Wood. "They know scored 23 seconds prior They should as Mule what we like to do and to the intermission to we know the same take a 16-14 lead over about them. So we work the Mules. But the all week to find ways Mules went 66 yards in to deceive one another three plays and scored Poynor was the and hope the other team on a 32-yard toss from defensive coordinator will make a mistake. It Caleb Wood to Austin for the Mules before is fun but very nerve Ross.

to be exactly that. The defeat the Eagles, 41-16. "It is a chess match teams pulled out all the when we meet," said stops and the Eagles

The Mules led 21-16 at The first half proved the half and went on to "I am glad this one

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Mules Shawn Atwood and David Gonzales gently help an Eagle receiver to the ground during Friday's game at Roosevelt.

County Court Approves Budget, Sets Tax Rate

By Larry Thornton

Managing Editor

The Bailey County Commissioners' Court formally adopted its budget for FY 2013, along with the accompanying tax rate during Monday's special session.

"I'm so ready to get this budget approved," County Judge Sherri Harrison said.

"I think I'm as excited about this one as I was my first budget," she added, noting that the upcoming year's budget was the first she'd ever been up at midnight entering numbers to complete the draft for Monday's approval.

In all, the approved budget totals \$2,735,614.30 unanimous vote.

"I'm so ready to get this budget approved"

in general revenue, based on Monday's approved total tax rate of .8365 per \$100 of assessed valuation.

The total tax rate includes a general fund rate of .6153, a farm to market rate of .1217, and a debt service tax rate of .0995.

Both the budget and tax rate passed with a

Prior to Monday's vote, the judge talked about changes at Bailey County EMS, which included additions to the services' rate schedule, which had previously failed to include some often used items and medications.

With the EMS rate change, along with other departmental budget changes, Harrison said the ambulance service's numbers would be more inline with the county's budget numbers.

Also speaking with the commissioners' court was Sheriff Richard Wills, who spoke about some changes within the county jail, including eliminating the position of assistant Continued on A3



Sheriff Brings Good News **About Prisoner Boarding**

By Larry Thornton Managing Editor

sheriff said the total

Hold Him Steady

Sometimes, it seems as if getting the steer to the "fire" is the easy part of the job, even when the fire is just a bucket of chalk. Area cowhands from Texas and New Mexico gathered at Allen Scott's arena Saturday, Sept. 22, for the second annual Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture Ranch Rodeo. Pictured above, a team takes part in the branding event while others watch an opposing team member roping another steer to drag across the line. Photograph by Larry Thornton

Second Annual 'Fun Run' Held

By Delton Wilhite Sportswriter

Muleshoe Independent School District Superintendent Dr. Gene Sheets hosted his second annual "Beat Dr. Sheets Fun Run" on Saturday morning.

was held in the New City Park on a twomile course. The Mule Richards. and Lady Mule varsity, high cross-country in the Fun Run.



The competition teamsparticipated along raced around the with MISD assistant course in front of Sheets superintendent, Dr. RL and were awarded a

All comers were junior varsity and junior welcome to participate Celeste Flores, Cas

Approximately 50 high school and 60 junior high students along with community members participated and left the starting line when the gun sounded.

Fourteen students certificate.

Adrienne Precure, **Continued on A8**

County Sheriff Richard Wills brought welcome news to Monday's commissioners' court, reporting that at least 25 prisoners from Curry County, New Mexico, were expected to arrive at the Bailey County Law Enforcement Center.

"The way it is now... we can't take all 60 prisoners..."

"It's a patch, but it's Wills, Curry County getting the jail filled for has to relocate about 90 days," Wills said. Monday evening, the





prisoners received from Curry County was 33. The decision by Curry County officials to house the prisoners at Muleshoe will increase

county jail revenues by an estimated \$98,010. According to Sheriff

60 prisoners for the three-month period, but the number the local jail can accept is reduced because the number of "in-county" prisoners has been up significantly.

"They way it is right now," Wills said, "we can't take all of the 60 prisoners."

The local jail population is about 18 Continued on A3

Serious **Air Time**

Sometimes it's not the "up" that matters... it's the down." Pictured on the left, members of the Muleshoe varsity cheerleading team prepare to catch a teammate who received some "serious air time" before Friday's game.

Photograph by Larry Thornton



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Sophomore Class Meal

The Muleshoe High School Sophomore Class will be hosting a "brisket sandwich dinner" fund raiser on Friday, Sept. 28, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m., at the MHS cafeteria.

The meal will include chopped brisket sandwiches with all the trimmings, baked beans, chips, chocolate chip cake and iced tea.

Tickets are adults \$7, and are available at the door or from sophomore class students and sponsors.

Deliveries will be made from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Call 272-7409 to place an order.

SPCAA Assistance Available

South Plains Community Action has funds available to assist eligible applicants with services such as education, rental and utilities.

The purpose of the program is to assist migrant or seasonal farm workers to gain or sustain employment.

For additional information, contact the SPCAA Neighborhood Center, 804 W. American blvd., Muleshoe, or call 272-7537.

Library Teen Movie

The Muleshoe Area Public Library is hosting a teen movie night on Oct. 8 and 10, from 3:45 until 6 p.m. The movie, which is intended for teenagers incident that happened and adults only, will be *Charlie St. Cloud*.

Library Storytime

The Muleshoe Area Public Library is hosting story time for children age 2 to school age on Oct. 8, at 10 a.m. The event will have a Halloween theme.

Adult Education Classes

Workforce Solutions will be hosting free adult education classes starting Sept. 25.

The classes, which will be on Tuesday and Thursday, from 6:30-9:30 p.m., will include the following topics: Literacy, GED preparation, adult basic education and English as a second language. For additional information contact Yolanda Moore at 806-281-5753.

No 'Hands Off' For Islamic Violence

While we join with others in expressing condolences to the families of Muslims angered by a activity of Jesus Christ? a "hands-off" policy by privately-made video Of course not. depicting their prophet House's reaction.

Yes, off Islam" policy that has terrorism. threatened the world as clip.

the heretical articles, additional violence? books and related news



Mohammad "as a fool members of the Islamic United States? and a womanizer," faith have attempted to we can't help but be a hold other faiths hostage both cases, and with bit irritated by what with threats and acts good reason... to appears to be the White of violence that while respond in such a reviled by the majority manner to criminal t h e of world governments activity, whether based administration has include efforts to on theological and voiced support of free placate members of the ideological differences, speech for the issue, but Islamic faith in a way or merely greed, at the same time it has considered intolerable diminishes us as both supported the "hands- for other proponents of a people and a nation.

Did t h e a whole for decades by government seek to the nation of Iran, requesting that online placate members of the called for the blood of video companies block Symbionese Liberation Salman Rushdie, after or remove the offending Army after they publication of his novel, murdered a California Satanic Verses, should Has there been school superintendent the British government similar response to and threatened — or that of his current

reports alleging the violence by the world's him up? Obviously not,

federal, state and local For decades, some law enforcement in the

Of course not, in

When Islamic US terrorists, including residency, the United Has the threats of States, have offered

but neither should it consider approaching his publisher suggesting that such literature not be printed, or that existing copies be pulled from the shelves.

While the current administration has been "glowing" in the political limelight from it's stand against Islamic terrorism as a result of its success in eliminating Osama bin Laden, it has jumped over backwards in its efforts to not offend members of the Islamic faith — even when those individuals continue to violate the rights of others, especially those of the Christian and Iewish faiths.

No matter how one tries to justify it, giving in to terrorism in this manner only postpones the problem, and strengthens the resolve of its proponents.

Muleshoe Students' Mother Speaks Out

To the Editor:

This is a follow up letter as to what was said at the (Sept. 17 school) board meeting.

students who were sent right to continue their to Plainview over the at MHS on Monday, Sept. 10.

My son was sitting at the lunch table when kids are not honor roll another student went students or athletes up behind him and does not make them no reason. So what my my kids to have the son did was get up got education to which they him in a headlock so are entitled. he would stop hitting him.

The school did not call me to let me know what was going on. My son was the one that called me after Mr. Myatt told him that he was not notifying his mother. After maybe 15 minutes after they had him in the office the secretary called me and told me that I had to go get my kid. She did not know why or what was going on. My boys were suspended for three days, and got a ticket which I'm fine with. What I do not approve of is the fact that Mr. Myatt wants to send him to Plainview for the remainder of the school year. He hasn't been in trouble before other than his grades were low at one point of the school year. He was suspended last school year for (using improper language) after a football player threw a ball in his face while he was sitting down doing some work. My son was suspended, but they took no action against this football player. My concern is that at Plainview they do not earn credits the way they do in school. We have spoken to Mr. Myatt on several occasions and have gotten no where. It is our school because as Muleshoe residents we pay taxes. I find it unfair to all the students not only

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mine to whom he I am the mother of the has denied them the education just because they have had one visit to his office or had some problems before.

Just because these started hitting him for bad kids. I just want

beginning the "process" we have to follow to kids before "there are have our case heard.

There are a lot of other students and parents here in Muleshoe that have had the same Right now we are problems with this man. He has told my Continued on A3





Important Election Dates

- Oct. 9... Final day to register
- Oct. 22... Early voting begins, 8:30 a.m. noon and 1 p.m. -5 p.m., Bailey County Clerk's office
- Oct. 25... County clerk's office open at noon for early voting.
- Oct. 30... Last day to receive request for ballot by mail
- Nov. 1... County clerk's office open until 6 p.m. for early voting
- Nov. 2... Early voting ends, 5 p.m.
- Nov. 6... General election, Bailey County Coliseum, 7 a.m. until 7 p.m.

For additional election questions, contact the Bailey County Clerk's office, 300 S. First Street, Muleshoe, or call 272-3044.

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Kimberly McArthur, FNP-C

County Jail... Continued From A1

more than usual, the bottom line by about many of the prisoners sheriff said. This, along with prisoners Bailey County is holding for Corplan Corporation, other jurisdictions which built the Bailey means the county County facility, assured will be billing for the commissioners' approximately 70 outof-county prisoners.

a 99-bed facility, which the county has than enough revenue to struggled to fill since it's completion.

While local officials municipal, began pump \$150,000 in of building a large the county's general detention center such as funds. was built at Littlefield later trimmed down for prisoner board space from 22 to 48.

According to stories

\$200,000.

Representatives of court that filling half of the facility's beds with The current jail is out-of-county prisoners would generate more pay for its construction and operation.

It was thought the — both county and facility would also looking at the idea additional revenue into

Actual revenue in 2000, the idea was received in FY 2010 to construction of a according to Monday's new county jail and approved FY2013 budget law enforcement center, — was \$559,086.83, and that would increase bed in FY 2011, that amount was \$476,912.80.

However, in the carried in the Muleshoe following year, FY *Journal* at the time, former 2012, the numbers County Judge Marilyn dropped significantly Cox recommended the to \$212,600, apparently size of the facility be due in large part to the increased to it's current completion of new jail size of 96 beds, noting facilities locations such that the increased size as Lubbock County, would only raise the which drained away

Bailey County officials anticipated boarding.

Even federal prisoners — which local officials had been assured of prior to the Bailey County venture according to previous news stories in the Journal — began to decrease because federal judges in Lubbock County wanted local attorneys to have greater access to their clients, Wills said.

For a couple of years, the members of the commissioners' court have expressed their concerns about the decrease in prisoner boarding revenue, and their perception that the sheriff wasn't working hard enough to "fill the jail."

At last week's special commissioner's court, when questioned about his efforts, Sheriff Wills replied that it was "only his" responsibility to procure out-of county prisoners. A statement exceeding \$190,000 for about which the the quarter.

court members later expressed umbrage.

Precinct Commissioner Juan Chavez also commented that the sheriff was being too picky about the types of prisoners being accepted from other jails.

"Of course, they're bad prisoners... that's why they're in jail," he said.

When asked about this, Wills explained that Texas jail regulations prohibited the Bailey County jail from accepting prisoners with a history of institutional violence or escape risks.

While the decision to build the 96-bed facility may have been made without the sheriff's enthusiastic support, and with the addition of added responsibility for his elected position, since that time the court approved a quarterly incentive bonus based upon the amount billed for prisoner board





County Budget Adopted

Continued from A1 jail administrator.

According to the sheriff, the the judge added. responsibilities of the assistant administrator would be handled by five shift supervisors, saving the county an estimated \$18,000 per year.

According to the \$149,288.10 sheriff, many minor decisions that don't need to be passed along to the jail supervisor \$17,450 can be handled by the shift supervisor.

"You need to do more brainstorming," Precinct 1 Commissioner Butch constable — \$83,959.74 Vandiver said about

and save the county - \$86,966.74 thousands of dollars.

budget includes the following department \$96,636.91 budgets:

• County judge — \$39,300 \$102,640.57

• Non-departmental — \$112,440.95

• County court -

\$126,842,48

• District clerk — \$102,648.29

• Justice of the peace,

• County attorney —

• Tax assessor/

"I think it's good," collector — \$95,951 Law enforcement

The approved county — \$1,315,972.69

• Coliseum —

Probation —

• Health services, • County clerk — aging — \$301,927.58

• Extension service

• EMS — \$397,857.74 • Precinct 1 — \$323,763.14 (road and • District court — bridge — \$217,793.38)

• Precinct 2 — \$270,679.98 (road and bridge — \$207,739.38)

• Precinct 3 \$286,746.46 (road and bridge — \$209,439.38)

bridge — \$204,189.38) In other business, the commissioners' court:

 Conducted a public hearing in regard to the FY 2013 budget.

 Authorized Agency on Aging Director Shelby Carpenter to apply for grant funds through the Texas Department of Agriculture that, if received, would be used for the county's Meals on Wheels program.

Last year, according to Judge Harrison, the county learned of the availability of the agriculture department funds shortly after the application deadline closed.

the sheriff's idea to \$90.517.01 eliminate the position

• Precinct 4 — • County treasurer \$220,426.91 (road and expenditures from

Muleshoe Resident Speaks Out

To the Editor:

I read the article on the school district meeting and am quite amazed that Mr. Trevino felt the need to defend students that were not his children.

These "children" would not need to be defended if they would go to school and do what is asked of them.

As far as ISS, I personally believe that should be done away with. If these kids can't do their work or act appropriately out in public then let

Mother's Letter...

Continued on A3 other schools out there you don't have to be in mine."

As a taxpayer I feel its our school not his. You would figure that him having the position he has, he would be proud to say I have so many kids in my school not turn half of them away.

I have a lot more to say, but with what I put here should be enough for now.

Alma Trevino, Muleshoe

Letter to the Editor

them stay home. If the have a hard enough job parents don't want to do without having to them at home because put up with those that they can't control them don't want to obey and maybe they should follow the rules. have thought about that when these kids were go, Mr. Trevino, you growing up.

kids today that do as that. But once again the threaten their parents their jobs as parents. with calling the police.

some other place to follow the rules. live.

my kids weren't perfect, out of school that is far from it, but I never their own decision and had a problem with they have no one else to them going to school.

also punished at home. school.

Schools have rules for rules. This doesn't mean students themselves! a select few can do as they please. Teachers

As far as manners are right the teachers I see way too many shouldn't have to teach they please and even parents are not doing

I understand that the I always told my own students that are being children if they don't sent to Plainview are like living by my rules being sent for a reason. and they feel the need This too is a choice for the police to make they have made and a visit, then it would be they knew they would time for them to find have to go if they didn't years.

Also, Mr. Trevino, if Don't get me wrong, these kids are dropping blame but themselves. If they got into When they get older trouble at school then and can't find a decent they suffered the job then maybe they consequences of their will realize that they actions and they were should have stayed in

The teachers and a reason and everyone school system are not should abide by those to blame here, it is the

Sarah Patterson, Muleshoe

Approved the district attorney's forfeiture fund totaling \$5,799.99, of which \$3,800 will be used to purchase a used vehicle from the Muleshoe Police Department for use by the district attorney's investigator.

The remainder will be used for training.

Appointed Muleshoe Police Chief Roy Rice as the county's emergency management coordinator.

Approved a resolution regarding the county's indigent defense formula grant program from which the county will be reimbursed approximately \$13,000 of the expenditures from the past two

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By Brittany Gibbs

Welcome, fall and all leafs changing, football games and cooler weather! Speaking of football we at the Oneita Wagnon Senior Center would like to the Muleshoe football team.

You are doing an can win. outstanding job, and are outstanding young men. Keep up the good work!

We would like to the meeting for the the center. Frontier Group that was to be held at the center center is open Monday postponed until a later a.m. until 4 p.m.

date.

to let everyone know.

center we will be having Bunko on Tuesday, Oct. 2, starting at 10 am. So, come down and say, "Good job!" to test your luck at rolling the dice and see what wonderful prizes you

> time at 1:30 p.m. So come down and eat lunch then enjoy a

on Sept. 27, has been through Friday, from 8

Come on in and As soon as we find enjoy one of the many that goes with it like the that out we will be sure things that the center has to offer besides the This week at the yummy lunches, such as the long line of domino tables, two pool tables, a Wii, a great place to come and walk out of the up coming cooler Pork roast, mashed weather.

> We have assortment of exercise Thursday is Bingo equipment, and don't forget the wonderfully stocked library.

game of bingo with your chance at winning mayon naise, potato let everyone know that your fellow seniors at the lovely quilt we have wedges, carrot and on display is running raisin salad, and fruit Remember the out. Stop by and get your winning ticket. Tickets are one for \$3 or Grilled steak, mashed five for \$10.

We will be giving the quilt away on Nov. 10.

We would like to send out warm thoughts and prayers to any of our seniors that are feeling under the weather.

Oct. 1-5 menus:

Monday, Oct. 1 sweet potatoes, mixed an vegetables, coleslaw, whole wheat roll and tropical fruit mix.

Tuesday, Oct. 2 — Crispy chicken on a Also, don't forget bun, tomatoes, lettuce, cocktail.

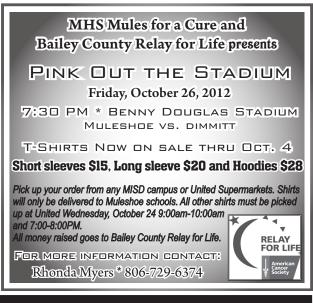
> Wednesday, Oct. 3 potatoes, gravy, stewed

okra, seasoned corn, and a pumpkin square.

Thursday, Oct. 4 — Vegetable beef stew, whole wheat roll. zucchini squash, tossed veggie salad with low served with low fat fat dressing, and a milk, tea coffee or water whole wheat roll.

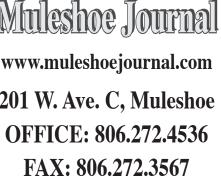
Friday, Oct. 5 — Fish or chicken strip, beans, green pea salad, and a

All menus are to drink.









If you have changes to make to church information, please contact the Journal at 272-4536. S.S. 9:30 am; W.S. 10:30 am;

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Thoughts On Lawn Care, Sabbath And Trust

Obituaries

Louise Williams

Graveside services for Louise Williams, 88, of Amarillo, formerly of Muleshoe, were held on Saturday, Sept. 22, at Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery with Brandon Caron of Fort Worth officiating, under the direction of Ellis Funeral.

Mrs. Williams died on Thursday, Sept. 20, 2012, in Amarillo. She was born on June 18, 1924, to Charles and Julia (Coulter) Dudden in New Orleans, La., and Williams in Vernon, on April 22, 1944.

death in January 1991. death by her parents.

to Amarillo from great-grandchildren. Muleshoe in 2005. She Advisor of Rainbow Texas 79117.



Girls in 1974.

Mrs. Williams was co-owner of Williams Brothers Office Supply from 1963 to 1992.

Survivors include a married Roscoe Wayne son — Roger Williams of Muleshoe; two daughters — Julie Bruns He preceded her in and Annette Watson, both of Amarillo; a sister She was also preceded in Dorothy DuRapau of Meridian, Miss.; eight Mrs. Williams moved grandchildren and 11

In lieu of flowers, was a member of the memorial may be made First United Methodist to Muleshoe Memorial Church in Muleshoe. Park Cemetery, PO She was a 50-year Box 373, Muleshoe, TX member of the Order 79347, or to The Epilepsy of the Eastern Star, Foundation of West was Worthy Matron in Texas, 1411 Amarillo 1973, and was Mother Blvd. East, Amarillo,

I just finished an unusual yard-mowing experience.

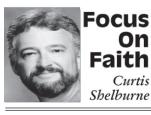
As usual, mowing and trimming is about a three-and-a-half hour job. We're not talking postage stamp-size lawn.

This is a 10,000 squarefoot yard, acreage that in some cities would pass for a park or a game about relaxing and preserve, complete with man-killing hills of a variety described on topographical maps by terrain experts as "darn don't belong in the same hills," sort of.

Anybody who ever will soon adopt the for a few days and this more specific term.

The only thing unusual about today's So I mowed. lawn-taming experience one hand the Sunday it. It just felt (this is a mowings.

For religious reasons, I don't mow on ish. Sundays. After leading



here about a polite little lunch and keeping the appointment my dog and I have with the couch for a really good nap.

> Then I'm religious the Sunday as much as possible.

"Enjoy" and "mow" sentence.

But my wife and I tries to mow this lawn are trying to get away was my only window of mowing opportunity.

I didn't like it. (Well, years, I could count on the Sunday aspect of term) sort of pagan-

Your pastor starts

he's sacrificing cats Testament makes it out behind the house clear that self-righteous and muttering dark rule-keeping about such incantations.

no cats were harmed farther from God, not during the mowing of closer. this lawn and the only incantations uttered were under my breath as I mowed the hills.)

bush as my neighbors headed to services!

don't think I cut up any commandments too badly by whacking gifts you'd otherwise grass today. After all, Christ has freed us from bondage to rule-keeping pseudo-righteousness.

God and still wants to is that it's Sunday. In how unusual is that?) mow his yard on Sunday the space of almost 30 I mean, I didn't like will get no mean looks from me.

> technical theological mess up more Sundays this way; I'd rather the the Lord as I trust him yard be shaggy.

worship and preaching, mowing his yard more on the whole without my help. He I'm religious about on Sundays and the idea of Sabbath. Just a spins it just fine even if partaking of a good next thing you know quick look at the New my yard needs a trim.

things leads to stinky (Rest assured that religion that takes us

But the principle of rest and balance and "re-creation" involved in the idea of Sabbath I felt like I should is indeed from God, bless us.

It's a little like tithing. honor him in that way, Seriously, I really but the blessings that come when you do are gifts he wants to give, miss.

Christians honor the Lord, on Sundays or at any time, by Anyone who honors intentionally taking some time to rest in him and be still.

Sunday afternoons tend to be great times for But I'm not planning to me to open my hands to receive a blessing from to spin the world for I do plan to reflect a few precious hours

Best Not To Be 'One With The Tiger'

Irene Martinez

Funeral services for Irene Martinez, 58, of Lubbock, formerly of Muleshoe were held on Saturday, Sept. 22, at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel.

Rosary was said on Friday, Sept. 21.

Ellis Funeral Home also handled her cremation.

1976.

Mrs. Martinez had -



Mrs. Martinez died Martinez of the home; on Thursday, Sept. a son — Andres 20, 2012, in Lubbock. Martinez of Frisco; She was born on Oct. three daughters—Aida 20,1953, in Lompoc, Martinez, Jobi Martinez, Calif., and married both of Lubbock, and Marcus Martinez in Patricia Mora and rode on a tiger..." Muleshoe on Dec. 12, husband Miguel of Muleshoe; her mother from the ride, with the while not particularly missing cheetah. -Rebeca Orona Garcia lady inside... And the claustrophobic, the During one rather and the "stink pigs' lived in Muleshoe since of Juarez, Mexico; two smile on the face of the thought of trying to rainy night, a burglar that were dispatched by 1978, having moved sisters — Dora Pacheco tiger." and Eva Delatorre, both She was a member of of Juarez, Mexico; three thoughts earlier this Immaculate Conception brothers—Jaime Garcia, Catholic Church in Antonio Cardona and Muleshoe, and was a Abraham Cardona, all of Juarez, Mexico; and into the tiger exhibit at Survivors include a grandchild — Ivan the Bronx Zoo.

Many years ago, William Monkhouse composed a series of limericks that included one that made its way into the World War II movie, In Harm's Way, starring John Wayne.

In the scene with the limerick, actress Patricia Neal, describing what she thought of a rather predatory naval officer, recited Monkhouse's verse about a smiling tiger rider.

"There was a young lady from Niger," Neal said, "who smiled as



after he was digested.

Here in West Texas, our desire to be "one sense tells me that trying with the animal," normally leans in the lions' den," with the fled, forgetting to close opposite direction — addition of stripes, isn't the patio door behind following a roast beef the most brilliant idea him, and allowing the dinner, but I guess there are a few nondomesticated critters telephone call a south align ourselves.

"They returned dogs in the area, but someone reported his surrounding counties

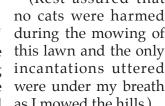
rather odorous skunk them in the face. encounter, common to reenact "Daniel in the with the cheetah," he around.

It reminds me of a the neighborhood. with which we can central Oklahoma police the area sightings of department received a mountain lions in We have a few prairie few years ago in which the Muleshoe and

probably surprised by the family's "pet cheetah," that had a habit of greeting visitors by rearing up and resting its front paws on their chest and licking

In the burglar's efforts not to be "one cheetah out to explore

Still, there were a couple of years ago, To be perfectly honest, that the burglar was evenings in the fall.



maybe duck behind a something he meant to enjoying the rest of drove by, especially the ones I knew were God won't force you to

from El Paso.

homemaker.

her spouse — Marcus Andres Mora.

Francisco Leal

Funeral services for Francisco Landin Leal Sr., 64, of Tahoka were held on Monday, Sept. 24, at St. Jude Catholic Church.

Leal died on Sept. 19, 2012, in Lubbock.

He had six brothers and one sister.

Survivors include two daughters — Susie Leal Kempher and Melissa Leal Bevers; a son — Frank Leal Jr.; eight great-grandchild.

Such were my week as I learned about the young — and foolish — man who jumped

According to news stories about the incident, after he was rescued the man declared his intent dinner conversation, to "be one with the tiger."

The fact that he had numerous bites, along with the injuries sustained from landing inside the wildlife display, suggests that like the lady from Niger, he was indeed in danger of being "one with the tiger," at least if you don't include a

quite trip my trigger.

best to "be one with strike me as being adequate sources of especially if you're on the receiving end.

While I have been a wildlife enthusiast since my young days, and have memories of a few non-hunting outdoor encounters a golden eagle at about 30 feet probably being my most dangerous

crawl down one of their happened to choose local law enforcement "hidey holes" doesn't — apparently at on the west end of town, random, to hit a rural neither of which I have And, of course, there residence, forcing entry the desire to "be one." are the area rattlesnakes through the patio doors. and hawks, both of Moments later, the being a Mule fan, I really which are doing their residential owner and don't have a desire to be local officers — one of one with the Eagles, the prairie dogs," as whom informed me of Lobos of Fighting Bucks well. Neither of which the event, determined we encounter on Friday

> "Honor the LORD with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops; then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine." Proverbs 3:9-10, NIV

Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery and it's Board of Directors would like to thank McCormick Seed / Tim *McCormick* for his donation of grass seed and Muleshoe Pea & Bean / Nicky Nickels for the donation of wheat seed. Also, thank you to everyone who donated towards the *"Fence Project."*



Francisco Leal Sr. grandchildren and one

There is a shortage of food at the **Bailey County Food Pantry.**



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To all our friends and neighbors in the Muleshoe community: Thank you for all your prayers, thoughts, and words of encouragement during this difficult time. Mostly, thank you for your love and fellowship all these years. Family of Rose Sain

AGRICULTURAL NEWS

USDA MILC Program Sign-up Ends Sunday, Sept. 30

Bailey County USDA Energy Act of 2008. Farm Service Agency Kim Hanlin, reminds dairy producers that the deadline to signup for Milk Income benefits is Sept. 30.

Legislation has not been enacted to extend the MILC program past Sept. 30 through the Food, Conservation and

MILC compensates Executive Director dairy producers when operation start-month domestic milk prices must be designated fall below a specified on FSA's form, "CCC-

level. "It is important Loss Contract (MILC) Loss Contract (MILC) that dairy producers Modification." provide final production evidence about the MILC and any supporting program, please contact documentation for the Bailey County FSA eligible months that office at 806 272 4538 or MILC was in effect visit the web at www. by Nov. 1, 2012," said fsa.usda.gov/tx.

Hanlin.

Changes to the dairy 580M - Milk Income

For more information

Feedlot Cattle Numbers Are Down

on feed for slaughter last month. market in Texas feedlots with capacity of 1,000 were 2.27 million head head or more totaled 2.62 million head on feed in the Northern last year. Sept. 1, down nine High Plains, 87 percent percent from a year ago.

monthly report released the estimate was down one percent from the the Aug. 1 total. Aug. 1 level.

commercial feedlots during August, down 20 percent from a year from last month.

Texas commercial

Cattle and calves up seven percent from or more totaled 10.6

On Sept. 1, there of the state's total.

According to the across the area was down eight percent by the Texas Field Office, from last year and down one percent from of cattle and calves

Producers placed in the Northern High 495 thousand head in Plains totaled 444,000 head, up four percent head; 700-799 pounds from the July total.

Marketings were up ago but up four percent nine percent from last totaled 660,000 head. month to 456,000 head.

Cattle and calves cattle during August feeders marketed 510 on feed for slaughter totaled 1.96 million thousand head during market in the United head, five percent below August, down six States in feedlots with 2011. percent from 2011 but a capacity of 1,000 head

million head on Sept.

This inventory was of cattle and calves on down one percent from

Placements in feedlots during August totaled The number on feed 2.00 million head, 11 percent below August 2011.

August placements weighing less than August placements 600 pounds totaled 482,000 head; 600-699 pounds totaled 385,000 totaled 475,000 head; 800 pounds and greater

Marketings of fed

Private Pesticide Applicator License Training Has Been Set For Oct. 11

Texas A&M AgriLife information to take agriculture and natural is offering Private be administered by the License Training on Agriculture. Oct. 11.

be at the Texas A&M will be provided.

Extension Service the private applicator resources agent for in Potter County license test which will Potter County. Pesticide Applicator Texas Department of applicator license is for

The private pesticide agricultural producers Cost of the training and land owners who The training will is \$60 and all materials apply restricted use pesticides to their own

Capital Farm Credit Stockholders Receive \$55 Million in Cash



Muleshoe, Texas — Capital Farm Credit Board of Directors recently approved a \$55 million cash distribution by retiring a portion of previously-allocated equities.

Combined with cash patronage paid in the spring, Capital Farm Credit has returned record cash distributions totaling \$93.4 million, in 2012. Customers will receive their portion of the cash payment this fall.

Capital Farm Credit has a long tradition of strong earnings and, in return, is able to share almost 100 percent of profits with its customers. The ability to return patronage each year affirms Capital Farm Credit's mission to provide financing and related services to agriculture and rural America, and also affords its membership net borrowing costs lower than many competitors.

"Capital Farm Credit values its customers and the more efficiently we operate, the more profits we can share," said Ben Novosad, chief executive officer. "We believe this is a value-added service that sets us apart from other financial institutions."

Capital Farm Credit is the state's largest rural lender and has 95 years of experience providing financing to farmers, ranchers and other rural property owners. For more information about Capital Farm Credit, its patronage program and its office locations, visit www.CapitalFarmCredit.com.

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July 2012 production pounds.

from the July 2012 August of last year. number.

totaled 766 million averaged 1,740 pounds billion pounds, was up pounds during August, during August, 55 pounds lower than last year and 30 pounds lower than July 2012.

Milkproductioninthe totaled 779 million 23 states participating in the monthly survey The number of milk totaled 15.3 billion cows during August pounds during August of milk cows in the 23 averaged 440,000 head, 2012, down 0.2 percent states was 8.50 million up 5,000 head from last from production in head, 32 thousand year but unchanged these same states during higher than last year July

Production per cow production, at 15.5 0.7 percent from July 2011.

> Production per cow during August averaged 1,803 pounds, 10 pounds below a year ago.

The average number but 4,000 lower than revised July 2012.

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Yummy... But Messy!

Sudan High School students recently had the opportunity to display their table manners during a pep rally. Pictured on the right, Ivan Trillo, AJ Barron, Luis Azua and Stephen Schovajsa dive into cream pies to find gummi fish.

Once found, they passed those fish to the girls, Adriana Porras, Madi Edwards, Denise Salazar and Jaydyn Valdez, to finish the relay race.



Sudan Football... Hornets vs. Plains on Page B2



SHS Seniors Attend College Day Fair

Plains College.

Several postin attendance to speak to the seniors of the area about their future plans.

opportunity to visit about various fields.

Some of the schools in

The Sudan seniors Tech, South Plains, schools we have been am graduating in less recently attended LCU, ENMU, WTAMU, researching," teacher than a year and need the College Day Fair Angelo State, the Art Cheri Sain said. "Many to make decisions for sponsored by South Institute, WyoTech, and of the students came my life." many others.

secondary schools were also had a chance process of narrowing to discuss financial down their choices.". aid and scholarship opportunities at the students it is a wake up various schools and fill call that graduation is visit a few college Students had the out information cards. around the corner.

"It was a great attendance were Texas representative from the is a wake up call that I

away with valuable

For many of the

with college recruiters opportunity for these amactually here talking in class, and attend seniors to have a to colleges," student the Career Day at the chance to speak with a Adriana Porras said. "It Lubbock Civic Center.

There are more

The students information to begin the opportunities for the seniors to help make decisions about their future.

> Sudan seniors will campuses, will speak "I can't believe that I to college recruiters



By Cheri Sain Sudan Correspondent

The Sudan High School Speech Team had a successful tournament at the Wayland Baptist University Speech Tournament this past Saturday.

Several Sudan students walked away with a trophy, and many of those students were first time competitors.





СХ Debate competitors walked away with three trophies.

tournament.

Marcos Gonzales and a fourth place trophy State LD Debate, placed home as well as Joe Luis second overall.

Alex Hernandez and Melendez and Briffen Doug Ames won the Ames who won the fifth finish ever at a TFA first. place trophy.

Harris Chester took qualified last year for

tournament, and it was Deric McCurry, who a split ballot loss in the duet team to ever win finals.

The Duet Acting the entire day. team of Wyatt Joyce and

It was his highest Reece Harper placed

It was the first Sudan first on every ballot for



Ahoy!

Sudan elementary students recently celebrated "Talk Like A Pirate Day" by dressing as pirates, talking like a pirate, and learning about the history of pirates.



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ENTERTAINMENT NEWS



Sheets' Fun Run..

Continued from A1 Moore, Noah del Toro, Eli Leal, Aaryn Ross and Carolina Franco were the high school students who crossed the line in front of Sheets. The seven junior high runners who finished in front of Sheets were Z Elizalde, Mario Flores, Evan Paez, Timothy Perez, Javy Perez, Moses Martinez and Evilyn. "We had a great time Saturday morning," said Dr. Sheets. "In my mind, I won this year because I was close enough to those that were ahead of me that I could hear the cheering when they crossed the finish line." The Muleshoe High School cross-country teams will compete in the Lubbock Invitational Meet Saturday. They will run on the Mae Simmons Park two-mile and threemile courses.



Library Teen Movie Set

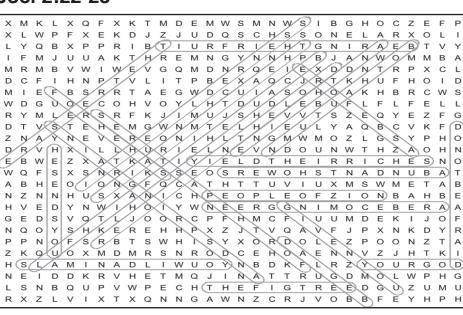
The Muleshoe Area Public Library is hosting a teen movie night on Oct. 8 and 10, from 3:45 until 6 p.m. The movie, which is intended for teenagers and adults only, will be *Charlie St. Cloud*.

Library Storytime Set

The Muleshoe Area Public Library is hosting story time for children age 2 to school age on Oct. 8, at 10 a.m. The event will have a Halloween theme.



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SPORTS NEWS

Eagles' Feathers Ruffled During Second Half

Continued from A1 after the game. "It was a typical Muleshoewere about to go into Mule lead to 28-16. the half behind. But we time ran out."

"That drive gave drive. us the momentum we

plays and scored on Mules final score. a two-yard pass from Roosevelt game. It was Wood to Martinez. 442 total yards with 336 very physical and we Elizalde extended the being on the ground

had three great plays to and Shawn Atwood 23 passes for 136 yards go down and score as recorded sacks to stop and three touchdowns the ensuing Eagle and rushed 17 times

Martinez returned score.

"Our kids had to adjust on the run and we got a lot out of this game"

and take over the game the Eagle 43. in the second half. had to adjust on the run gained 23 yards. and we got a lot out Wood said.

down and forced them after a short gain. to punt.

Wood flipping over the top for the first score with 7:18 remaining in The Mules led 35-16. the first period.

Mules again stopped one first down.

The Eagle punt was middle. a line-drive kick that Mule nine. He gave ground attempting to get around a defender but was grabbed and slung around.

The ball came loose and rolled into the end zone and Chris Young of the Eagles pounced on it for a touchdown.

needed to come out the Roosevelt punt to for 71 yards and one

Wood hit Ross on a Roosevelt did some slant over the middle receptions for 65 yards good things and made and he made two it tough on us. Our kids defenders miss and

of this game," Coach middle for eight yards caught one pass for and carried up the The Mules halted the middle a second and Eagles after one first appeared to be stopped

The Mules found a churning and broke will host the Alpine way to march 77 yards the tackle and shot Bucks. on five plays with Caleb into the end zone for a touchdown with 4:11 left in the third quarter.

Saul Sanchez took The balance of the over the helm for half was not that easy the Mules late in the for the Mules. The fourth period. He only quarterbacked one the Eagle drive after play and handed off to Regalado up the

Regalado broke a Ross fielded at the couple of arm tackle attempts at the line of

The Mules reached scrimmage and then is over," said Wood the Eagle two in five scooted 49 yards for the

> The Mules rolled up and 136 through the air. David Gonzales Wood completed 12 of for 152 yards and one

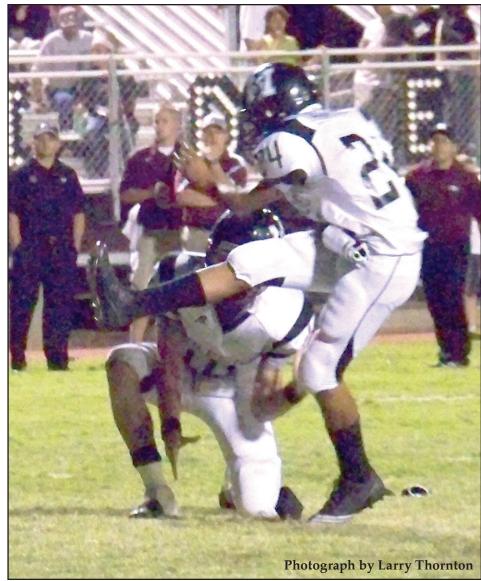
> > Regalado carried eight times for 111 yards for one TD and caught one pass for seven yards and a touchdown.

> > Baca rushed 11 times touchdown.

> > Ross made three and one TD.

Matt Barron made two receptions for 33 Baca blasted up the yards and Martinez a single yard and a touchdown.

Friday night is Homecoming for He kept his legs Muleshoe. The Mules



Mule placekicker Nacho Elizalde knocks another extra point through the goal posts during Friday's game at Roosevelt.



Mule Junior Baca heads for the goal line during Friday's game against the Roosevelt Eagles.

Photograph by Larry Thornton

JV Mules Defeat Eagles

By Delton Wilhite

Sportswriter The JV Mules all Eagles 34-7. on third down to force a way for 14 yards. punt on Roosevelt's first dead on the Eagle 44. the Eagle 20. Gonzales added the 2:41 left in the first two point conversion to period. put the Mules on top 8-0

the first period.

but pitched a shutout move the ball and were Nathan Rejino teamed against the Lubbock forced to punt again up to stretch the Eagle Roosevelt Eagles and the Mulestook over option pitch wide and Thursday evening. The on the Mule 46. The set Roosevelt six yards. Mules rolled over the Mules moved the ball Christian Paez sacked on the ground to the Aaron Ross sacked Eagle 20. Bessire broke a the Eagle quarterback couple of tackles on his Hurtado made the tackle drive. The punt rolled but Jose Martinez took over on downs. recovered for the Mules Keagan Gonzales at the Mule 17. Gonzales kept for 18 yards on connected with Blaine recovered by the Eagles first down and then Hurtado at the four carried for six yards to and he hustled in for the score. Gonzales Braden Bessire burst added the two-point up the middle on a conversion to give the 20-yard scoring run. Mules a 16-10 lead with Mule 19.

with 8:49 remaining in intercepted a Mule pass and returned to the The Eagles could not Mule 37. Nate Rosas and the Eagle quarterback for an eight yard loss. on fourth down at the The Mules fumbled Mule 15 and the Mules The Mules fumbled and the ball was finally on the Mule four. Eshoya Lopez made back-toback-to-back stops and give the Mules back the ball on downs at the

If Your Door is Stuck... You're in Luck!

The Eagles intercepted Wood's pass on the final play of the first period.

The Mule bend-butdon't-break defense refused to allow the Eagles past the Mule three-yard line so the Eagles booted a field goal to go up 10-7.

Junior Baca returned the kickoff up the middle of the field and with a burst of speed reached the Mule 46.

Joel Regalado had runs of 12, seven and 10 yards on the 54-yard drive before catching a seven-yard scoring toss from Wood.

Regalado made the catch at the Eagle five and had one man to beat.

A quick move froze the defender and allowed Regalado to reach pay dirt.

The Mules led 14-10 after Nacho Elizalde booted the point after.

The Eagles consumed six minutes and five seconds on their final scoring drive of the night. Derek Coppedge made a 17-yard connection with Karl Nunes on a toss over the middle for a TD with 23 seconds left in the half. That put the Eagles in front of the Mules 14-10.

Ray Martinez returned the opening kick of the second half to the Eagle 45.

Gonzales tossed to IJ Gandara. A defender Continued on B2



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SPORTS NEWS

Sudan Varsity Hornets Sting Cowboys

By Cheri Sain

Sudan Correspondent The Sudan Hornets moved up in the latest state rankings from 14th victory over the Plains Cowboys Friday.

The Sudan Hornets are now 4-0 after with a score of 54-7.

The Hornets scored three unanswered touchdowns in the first quarter.

Jake Chester gave Dayton Fisher his first touchdown of the game on a 31-yard pass with quarter.

was good.

Plains had trouble

get the ball back.

end zone again.

the season.

The PAT kick was good bringing the one more time before another touchdown. said. defeating Cowboys Hornets 14 points on the half ended. the board.

> one more time just Fisher caught and ran before the quarter 46 yards for a Hornets ended when Chester touchdown. would find Fisher in the corner on a nine-yard was good giving Sudan for a touchdown, and throw.

The PAT was blocked locker room of 33-7. eight minutes left in the by Plains giving the Hornets the lead going continue where he left Cesar Medrano's PAT in to the second quarter off to begin the second with a score of 20-0.

guarter, so Sudan would Hornets in the second kickoff.

quarter, but it only took In only two plays, the Hornets one play to Sudan would find the answer right back with a 64 yard touchdown This time BJ Johnson run by Jake Chester to ninth after a huge would run 24 yards for giving Sudan the lead in the quarter, Plains his first touchdown of at 26-7. The PAT was no good.

On an impressive Sudan would score 93 yard 11-play drive,

Chester would half of play with a It took Plains nine touchdown after just moving the ball the first plays to score on the two plays from the

It took the Hornets good. 34 seconds to score on another Chester run. The PAT was good.

With five minutes left Cowboy Zack Wilkins would fumble the ball, Chester found Fisher and Chester scored The PAT was good giving Sudan the lead at 47-7.

The Hornets would yards. score one more time in The PAT by Medrano Diaz running 41 yards

The Hornets left Plains with a huge victory and good numbers for the night.

well, and we are starting nine passes with no to get healthy again," Coach Gordon Martin

Sudan had 414 yards yards. of total offense versus Plains' offense at 222 will travel to New

Leading rushers for Homecoming night. the game with Osmar the Hornets were Diaz with 150 yards in nine support of these boys," carries and Jake Chester Martin said. "Please the lead going in to the Medrano's PAT was with 119 yards in seven keep it coming."

carries.

Sudan would have 309 net yards of rushing. Chester would also have 105 yards of passing "The team played and completing six of interceptions.

Dayton Fisher led all receivers with 89

T h e Hornets Deal on New Deal's

"Thanks for your



MHS Homecoming Candidates

Muleshoe High School's homecoming candidates for 2012, pictured above, include Samantha Ramires, the daughter of Gina Ramirez; Tessa Garner, the daughter of Rammi and Mandy Garner; Daniela Mendoza, the daughter of Antonio Mendoza and Sonia Alarcon; and Saeah Whitworth, the daughter of Seth and Gaylene Whitworth.

Mule Freshmen Fall To Idalou

Campos connected

mid field.

point after.

By Delton Wilhite Sportswriter

errors to take a 20-0 lead by the intermission.

strong in the second pass and run. Felipe Mule 35. half to hold the Wildcats Guerrero tacked on the scoreless for all but 30 seconds of the second half.

The Wildcats defeated the Mules 28-21.

The Wildcats kicked off to start the second half and Josh Lopez returned to the Mule 14. Daniel Campos made back-to-back tosses to Antonio Vasquez and Brandon Chavez. Jose Mendoza burst up the middle for 15 yards to

JV Mules.. **Continued from B1**

the third quarter.

The Mule defense The freshmen Idalou with Kevin Mendoza for forced Idalou to punt. Wildcats cashed in on a 22 yards. Vasquez made Mendoza and James pair of freshmen Mule a double move and raced Lutz teamed up to stop down the Mule sideline the quarterback for a for a reception and a yard loss. The Wildcat The Mules came back 28-yard touchdown puntrolled dead on the

> Mendoza caught a pass over the middle for The Mules trailed 16 yards. Lopez found 20-7 with 8:00 left in **Continued on B3**

Castorena Takes Weekly Prize In Football Contest

It was an exciting weekend for football, as I am sure most of you would agree.

The Mules had a great game on Friday stuff, a lot of OT games in the NFL and my boys who play flag and tackle football on Saturday's also had great games.

We had a whopping



and really showed their Castorena as she wins Gonzales, John Paul week will be the amount of 55. Silvia, you may come and pick up and Sherri Harrison; 13 Wednesday, Sept. 26.

this week with a score Garza, Carlos Bustillos, of games you guessed ScottBrown, Debbie Weir correctly. your \$25 on or after total correct — Terry the most correct guesses Field, Jayden Herrera, at the end of the contest TX 79347. In the previous Sept. Devnie Orozco, Sally will win \$200.

The person who has

Contest Entry) with your picks for the winners and for the tiebreaker game. You can send a fax to 806-272-3567 or you

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can mail your entry to the Muleshoe Journal, PO Box 449, Muleshoe,

(Please note that So, please, play every mailed entries must Thursday, and received in the Muleshoe There are lots of ways Journal's post office box Or if no one is in the office, you can put it in the black contest entry box on the front of the building. Just make sure it is submitted by as always, please make You can send an sure your name and picks are legible.

and Gandara made the nine contestants 14 game, Imade an error Bustillos, Fernando ball away before hitting the turf for a 25-yard gain.

Gonzales made runs of 25 and 22 yards for a touchdown and a 22-0 Mule lead.

A squib kick was not handled by the Eagles and Rosas blocked the nearest Eagle to the ball away and Wesley Clarkson covered the ball for the Mules at the Roosevelt 34.

Four plays later Gonzales tossed to Hurtado in the end zone to give the Mules a 28-0 lead at the intermission.

Roosevelt made a first down. Eshoya sacked the quarterback for a five-yard loss. Paez and Gerald Torres made stops to hold the Eagles short of a first and the Mules took over on downs.

Bessire gained a first down with a 21 yard run. A bad snap forced Gonzales to scramble and he was hit as he threw the ball. Rosas made the catch in the end zone for the Mule's final score.

The Eagles scored on a 34-yard pass on the final play of the third quarter.

The Mules will travel to Tulia Thursday to play the Hornets.

grab simultaneously choose five out of the in the Lazbuddie vs. Toscano, Anna Lopez, week to increase your be postmarked by but Gandara ripped the five games correctly: Silverton game (Should Vicki Gonzales and chances of winning the Johnny Gonzales, Patti have been Southland), Waggoner, William therefore, everyone Silvia Castorena, Felipe this game. Sorry for the Gonzales, Carlos confusion. Bustillos, Della Gonzales and Juan Sustaita.

> The tiebreaker score score 57.

top contenders:

was used to determine correct picks — Johnny friends to participate - Thursday, 8 a.m. to 5 the winner, Muleshoe Gonzales and Woody 41 vs. Levelland 16 total Villa; 14 total correct weekly prize. It is free to until 12 noon. — Tre Villa, Joe Cortez, play and free to enter. Congrats to Silvia William Orozco, Felipe

Claire Brown.

You don't have to be this game, the odds of guessing correct on Here are the current each of the games are 50/50, so we encourage ave. C), our hours of Leading with 15 total you, your family and business are Monday

grand prize.

Orozco, Devnie Orozco, was given a point for a football expert to play to enter the football office Friday morning.) contest. You can come by the office and drop off your entry (201 W. each week for the \$25 p.m., and Friday, 8 a.m. noon on Friday. And

Your score for the e-mail to: adsales@



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Freshmen Mules Defeat Idalou

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Campos scrambled period. to recover a fumbled Vasquez.

a crease for 14 yards and the Mules had cut fourth down try at mid and Vasquez grabbed the Wildcat lead to 30- field short of a first. a Campos pass for nine 14 with two minutes The Mules took over on remaining in the third downs.

yard scoring pass to they made three first and scampered in to tie downs. Julian Borunda the game.

The kick was good and Vasquez stopped a

Four plays later Idalou appeared to Camposfound Mendoza snap and tossed a 20- be back on track as open on the Wildcat five

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The Muleshoe High the MHS cafeteria. School Sophomore Class

cake and iced tea.

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Guerrero's kick gave together a 13-play game. the Mules a 21-20 lead drive for 63 yards and with 7:12 remaining in a touchdown. The long to Denver City Thursday the game.

Idalou strung but 30 seconds of the distance to Alpine.

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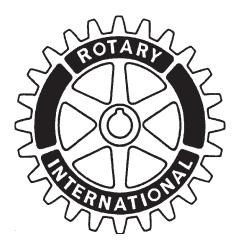


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