

# The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon

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## Mangold awards scholarship to local nursing student



Special to the Hesperian-Beacon  
W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital recently provided a scholarship to Carri Palomin to be used to pursue studies toward furthering her career in nursing. She was presented the scholarship award, of which WJMMH provided \$500 matching funds for the scholarship to that provided by the Northwest Texas

Hospital Association. Palomin is studying to become a Registered Nurse and will continue to pursue a career in a rural area of Texas. She is attending Excelsior College of Nursing. The Northwest Texas Hospital Association established the scholarship program in order to assist smaller communities in the state in their efforts to recruit health care pro-

fessionals to work in rural hospitals. The Association awarded a total of \$5,000 this year to students nominated by member hospitals. Each hospital provides the matching scholarship amount for a total of \$500 per student. The Northwest Texas Hospital Association is the oldest association of its kind in the state and is composed

of hospitals, businesses, and others interested in health care and continuing access to health care. The membership territory covers the area from the panhandle in the north, to Dallas in the East, El Paso in the West and Kerrville in the South. The board chairman for 2016-2017 is Dianne Yeager, Administrator of Crane Memorial Hospital in Crane, Texas.

## Upcoming

Events are listed free of charge for nonprofit civic organizations, schools and community events. Please submit listings at least two weeks ahead of the date. Listings will run through the date of the event. Emailed submissions are preferred to fchb.editor@yahoo.com.

### TRINITY ASSEMBLY MOVIE NIGHT

Trinity Assembly in Floydada will be having "Movie Night" on Friday, July 28. The movie is "Unconditional" which is based on the true story of Papa Joe.

FREE hotdogs at 6 pm with movie at 7 pm. Everyone is invited

### LHS CLASS OF 1957

Lockney High School class of 1957 will have a reunion at Lockney Senior Citizens building July 29th at 10:00 am.

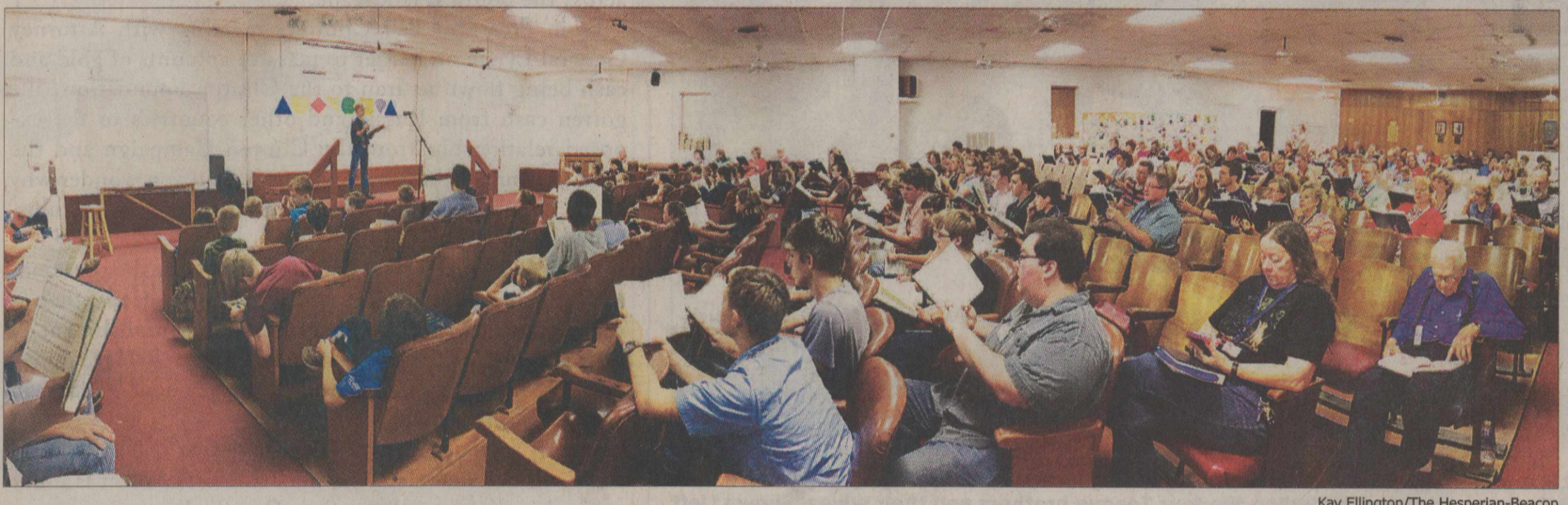
### LOCKNEY ISD

All Lockney ISD boy and girl athletes in grades 7-12 grades MUST have their physical and UIL paperwork before they will be allowed to practice. Cross Country and Football players must have this completed by August 7th. Turn this paperwork into the High School office, Junior High office, or give to Coach Moerbe ASAP.

### MOBILE MAMMOGRAPHY

CovenantHealth and Arrington Comprehensive Breast Center's mobile mammography will be in Floydada on Monday, August 14th at the West Texas Family Medicine clinic located at 901 W. Crockett Street. For appointments call 806-725-6579 or 877-494-4797.

## Harmony Plains Singing School



The 54th Harmony Plains Singing School wrapped up Friday, July 21 with a special concert from more than 200 attendees in Cone. Each year those interested in singing A Capella sacred music in the Primitive Baptist tradition gather at the school in Cone for one week in July.

## Floyd County Football Around the Corner; School Year Gears Up

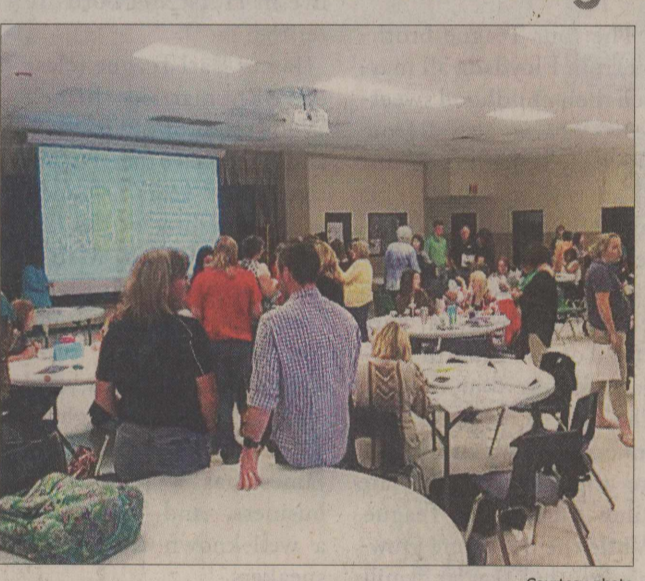
By Kay Ellington  
The Hesperian-Beacon

Summer workouts are underway at Lockney and Floydada. Teacher training has begun, and schedules have been released for academics and athletics. UIL rules determine the day that football practice begins, and this year will be August 7. Floydada will host a mini-cheer camp for girls ages 4 to 6th grade July 31 through August 2. The camp is half-days and in addition to participants

learning cheers and dances, they have arts and crafts and snacks. Cost is \$35 per participant. Junior high and high school cheerleaders will have their cheerleader camp August 8-9. On July 18 Floydada teachers had their first training session on how to accelerate student performance. In-service for FISSD teachers is August 10-18 and school starts Monday, August 21. Lockney will have their teacher staff development days August 9-18 and school

starts Monday, Aug. 21. Floydada's first football scrimmage will be August 18 versus Wellington, and their second will be August 21 versus Ralls—that scrimmage will also feature Meet the Whirlwinds. New Lockney football coach Richard Jackson reports great community support at summer workouts—as many as 40 people. The annual Battle of Floyd County -Lockney versus Floydada- will be in Lockney this year on September 15. (See schedules on page 6)

## FISSD teacher training



Teachers with the Floydada Independent School District had their first training session on July 18 and learned techniques to accelerate student learning. In-service staff development for the new school year begins August 10.

## City Preparing for More Downtown Enhancements

By Kay Ellington  
The Hesperian-Beacon

The Floydada City Council approved the Lions Club request for hotel/motel "HOT" tax funds to help with their expenses at the Pancake Breakfast at Punkin Days. The mayor pointed out the tourism benefit of Punkin Day and the council voted unanimously to provide HOT funds to the Lions' Club. In other action, police chief Darrell Gooch appeared before the council to report that FPD is pursuing a Justice Department grant for rifle-resistant body armor. Xcel Energy has notified the city of its intent to file

a rate increase. Floydada is a member of a consortium of small West Texas communities who use Xcel which will oppose the rate increase. Jim Finley, Floyd County Appraisal District Chief Appraiser, appeared before the council to update them on Ad Valorem taxes. Finley said that the biggest difference this year is that the appraisal district appraised all city properties and updated their depreciation tables which resulted in a \$2 million drop in value. However, taxes coming into the city were a little bit higher—.415 in 2016 versus .40 tax rate in 2015. Finley said he will be calculating the affected tax

rate. In other council action, they discussed condemnation process for two properties—408 W. Tennessee, Lot 11, Block 109, Original Town, and 509 E. Tennessee, Lot 12-14, Block 010, Original Town. Council approved condemnation of 408 W. Tennessee. However, new owners have purchased 509 E. Tennessee and have begun improvements on the property. The new owners were told to meet with the city to show good faith to renovate the property, which will start a process to stop the property from being condemned. But they have two months to show progress on activity

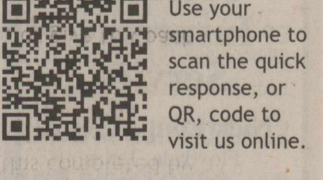
on this property. Preliminary discussions for the new budget began at this month's council meeting. City manager Jeff Johnston noted that the price of chemicals for mosquito spraying has gone up considerably, and the city may need to raise the monthly billing to offset these cost increases. In other city news city manager Jeff Johnston reports that the street department has been working on roads and drainage for the last several weeks. They have successfully reworked many of the ditches and replaced several old culverts. After recent heavy rains, they checked areas known for flooding, such

as around the Floydada Co-Op Gin and saw considerable improvement. Other projects completed include a new sewer line installed in the alley between Virginia and Missouri Streets. Johnston also noted that the city is about to begin engineering discussions on the Downtown Revitalization Grant that will be replacing the sidewalks on the east and south sides of the downtown square. This will complete the sidewalks and add more of the sidewalk lights to the downtown area. The city will be meeting with engineers and contractors soon to determine dates on when to begin demolition.

## Correction

If you spot an error of fact, contact the FCHB office email: fchb.editor@yahoo.com

## News on the go



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## Letter to the editor

(The letter below was emailed to Governor Abbott from William D. Dean, DDS on July 19, 2017)

Dear Governor Abbott,

I am a member of the Floydada ISD School Board. I have served on this Board for over twenty years, as president, vice-president, secretary, and member. Prior to serving on this board, I was a three-year member of the Springtown ISD Board. I am a general dentist and have lived in Floydada for the past 25 years. Prior to moving to Floydada, I served as a medical missionary in West Africa and worked with the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. I relate all this to say that I have spent most of my professional life working with some type of board, with the majority being school boards. In most of those years, the focus has been on what is best for our students. In the past few years that emphasis has shifted, and I write to tell you that I do not support your actions nor your agenda for the upcoming special session.

Our teachers certainly deserve a raise, but one thousand dollars is actually insufficient for our teachers. After taking out for taxes,

this will amount to less than two dollars per day - not even enough for the proverbial cheeseburger.

An unfunded raise, which you have proposed, will only hurt our schools. We have worked with deficit budgets for multiple years. The majority of the Fisd budget is for personnel salaries, as is the case for most, if not all, of our public school districts in Texas. Asking our administrators and teachers to do more with less money from the State is not the answer to funding and improving the education of our numerous and diverse students in Texas.

I urge you to channel your energies and influence toward passing a meaningful school finance package which would provide increased rather than decreased state funding, as well as include a funded and meaningful raise for all of our public school teachers.

Respectfully,  
William D. Dean, DDS  
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Floydada, Texas

## Teague Brothers All Married Childhood Sweethearts



At a recent Teague Family Reunion held in Hog Heaven in Dripping Springs, more than 80 Teagues attended, including the four Teague brothers and their wives. Shown (left to right) Roy and wife, Shirley Teague, James and wife, Juanell Teague, Rodney and wife, Sara Teague and Keith and wife, Beverly Teague.

By Sara Teague

Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

The four Teague brothers from Floydada all married their childhood sweethearts who are also all from Floydada, and remarkably all are still married! This may not reach the Guinness Book of World Records, but surely this is a record for Floydada, with a total of 228 years of marriage for the four couples. The Teague brothers, Roy, James, Rodney and Keith, are the sons of the late Riley and Lula Teague. While the boys were growing up, the Teague family lived six miles southwest of Floydada. They had one older sister, the late Wanda Sue Tilson Swearingen who died in 1998 in Horseshoe Bay.

Roy Heflin Teague (class of '52) married Shirley Womack (class of '53) in 1952, and they have been married for 64 years. Shirley is the daughter of the late Arthur and Idabelle Womack of the Sand Hill Community. Roy and Shirley have four children,

13 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren. They live in Hurst and both are retired.

James Earl Teague (class of '58) married Juanell Wood (class of '60) in 1958, and they have been married for 59 years. Juanell is the daughter of the late L. T. Wood and Mamie Wood of the South Plains Community. James and Juanell have three sons, five granddaughters and one great-granddaughter. They live in Richardson. James has a remodeling business, and Juanell is a well-known trainer for speakers.

Rodney Kent Teague (class of '62) married Sara Holmes (class of '62) in 1962, and they have been married for 55 years. Sara is the daughter of the late Ed and Alma Holmes of the Sand Hill Community. Alma Holmes was the radio station owner/manager for many years in Floydada. Rodney and Sara have three children, nine grandchildren, and 2 life great-grandchildren. They live in Horseshoe Bay.

Rodney is a retired dentist, and Sara is a volunteer for the Library Thrift Store in Marble Falls.

Keith Lynn Teague (class of '65) married Beverly Smithey (class of '66) in 1966, and they have been married for 50 years. Beverly is the daughter of the late William and Lida Smithey. They lived in the Harmony Community when Beverly was growing up. They have two children and six grandchildren. They live in McKinney. Beverly is an interior designer, and Keith is a retired dentist.

All the Teague brothers played sports for the Floydada Whirlwinds for many years and participated in fat stock shows through FFA. Keith Teague holds the record for the most points ever scored in a basketball game for Floydada High School with 50 points in 1965. Rodney Teague has the record for being voted unanimously for both the All-State Football Team and the All-State Basketball Team during his senior year 1961-1962.

## South Plains College Foundation announces new scholarship

LEVELLAND - The South Plains College Foundation is honored to announce the establishment of the Woodmen

Life Chapter 875 Scholarship Endowment to assist South Plains College students.

Woodmen Life offers a range of products for a variety of individuals through arrangements with other nationally recognized insurance companies. Woodmen Life chapters find the needs in their own communities and find ways to meet them.

"Our organization is committed to helping students of members realize their educational dreams," said Lynn Elms, President of Woodmen Life Chapter 875. "We chose to endow a scholarship at South Plains College because it serves the (people) in our

area." "One of our members said she attended South Plains College where she studied cosmetology," Elms said. "We are excited to be able to help some deserving students pursue their career goals."

For the SPC scholarship, first consideration for applicants will be given to a minimum one-year policy holder of a Woodmen Life policy. The recipient may be classified as a freshman or sophomore student and may be either a part-time or full-time student studying an academic or technical/certificate program. If no qualified member applies, then the scholarship is awarded to the next

## The Paperboy Trump is going to Trump

Let's clear something up: some, perhaps many of you, seem to think I'm a President Trump fan. Let's be clear, the main reason I voted for Trump was to keep Hillary Clinton out of the White House. That's it.



CHRIS BLACKBURN

While I do support some of Trump's agenda including tax reform, lowering overall taxation, energy independence and a stronger military, that does not mean I like the way he governs or his seemingly lack of knowledge on a variety of topics.

I will admit that the way leaders of the DNC have acted since the election is absurd and has pushed me further into Trump's corner. There is nothing like running from screaming children to solidify

one's feelings on things. In other words, the constant fit throwing from the left is agitating to say the least.

A long time ago, Republicans and Democrats would argue all day and all night, but pass legislation that was obviously good for Americans. Today, they simply argue without ever truly reaching a bipartisan agreement on matters. Sadly, this is now the way business is conducted in Washington.

If you're wondering what my opinion is regarding Trump's campaign team colluding with the Russians, I'll tell you that there was collusion between many entities all across the political landscape.

From President Bill Clinton's meeting with Attorney General Lynch on her jet to massive amounts of gold and cash being flown to Iran to the Clinton Foundation's ill-gotten cash from Russia and other countries to the exposed relationship from the Clinton Campaign and the MSM - you bet their was collusion. And you wonder why all of the above are screaming the loudest about Trump. Can you say diversion?

Regardless of the past, Donald J. Trump is the president and he will either succeed or fail. If he succeeds, then it will be nothing short of an incredible accomplishment. If he fails, then half of the country will have a "ha ha" moment. If he's impeached, then Vice President Pence will get his opportunity to lead.

Simply put, Democrats have lost over 1,000 seats in state and national elections since 2012. That fact is much more about leftist policies than Donald Trump.

The Democrats have moved much too far to the left and until their leadership realizes this and corrects it, they will continue to get spanked in elections.

I really wonder how bad the DNC regrets tipping the scales to ensure Clinton got the nomination. Had they run a viable candidate, they'd have the White House.

Meanwhile, here we are. The Democrats are going to keep screaming, the Republicans are going to keep bickering and Trump is going to Trump. Strange days indeed.

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## Petersburg Day event deadlines approach

Special to the Hesperian-Beacon

Petersburg Day is just around the corner, on Saturday August 19th. Deadlines for Cook-Off, Parade and Vendor Entries are approaching.

The Deadline to have your Cook-Off Team Entry and money in is Friday July 28th at 5:00 p.m. Prizes total prize money is \$3000. This is an amateur event with \$1000 going to the overall winner, and \$500 each to the Best Brisket, Ribs, Beans and Specialty Meat. Get your team together and get entered!! Contact Matthew Braidfoot at (940) 585-7829.

Petersburg Day Parade pays \$1775 in prizes for the best of floats, vintage vehicles, horse and rider, horse drawn wagons, etc., tractors/implements, motorcycle clubs and car clubs. To be judged your entry must be in by Wednesday, July 26th at 5:00 p.m. Anyone may enter the parade up to the morning

of August 19, but only entries in on or before July 26th will be judged. Our Theme this year is SMALL TOWN, BIG DREAMS. Entries who decorate according to the theme get extra points. Contact Sally Doherty at (806) 773-4767.

Vendors are welcome to Petersburg Day Event Grounds at the Petersburg COOP Gin lot. Vendors are accepted on a 'first come first serve' basis with no duplications. Vendor fee is \$35.00 for outside and \$75.00 for inside the fan cooled tent. Tent space is limited. The deadline is Friday, July 31st at 5:00 p.m. Contact Julie Watson at (806) 983-6914.

www.petersburgtxchamber.com is the website to go to for the event information. You can fill out forms and make payment from the FORMS tab on the home page. Your entry forms will go directly to the leader of each event. Additional information on Petersburg Day is also available there.

best applicant as ranked by the South Plains College Scholarship Committee.

SPC provides one application for all scholarships. For additional information on the criteria for this scholarship, please contact the South Plains College Scholarship Office at 716-

2219.

For more information on any scholarship, to make a donation or for more information about ways to support scholarships and students at South Plains College, please contact Julie Gerstenberger, Director of Development and Alumni Relations, at (806) 716-2020.

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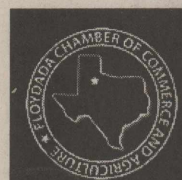
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**By Deon Fincher**  
Chamber Manager

I come from a large family—four sisters and one brother. To describe our relationship, we are distant, yet close. Life happens. Jobs transport us or our family members to different parts of the country. Time passes and we look at the calendars and realize that it has been months—sometimes, years since we have been face-to-face with our siblings and their families.

We all congregated in Greeley, Colorado this past week. It was a time of reflection for all involved. Activities were on-going. “Fill-your-plate-when-you-can” style meals were spread out on kitchen cabinets. “Catching a few winks” and “catch-up” naps

came in shifts. Organized chaos reigned.

And yet, there was time for getting re-acquainted. With our unique perspectives, our individual personalities, our diverse life paths, the one guarantee is that we will end up around a table laughing at each other's stories until we get hitches in our side and tears threaten to spill.

That is the beauty of our relationship—apart from one another, both literally and figuratively, we share the good in each other and laughingly relate to life's experiences. When support is needed, we rally together and get the job done as if we were still in our childhood family unit.

Relationships take so many different forms—some positive, some nega-

tive, but always some kind of tie binding us together. As with family, we have a relationship with our community. There may be times that we encounter each other only rarely; or, we make a point to contact and visit regularly, but the common bonds of our experiences in this locality tie us together.

A strong, dynamic Chamber works diligently to provide opportunities for its community members to come together to implement an action, jump-start an idea, or simply enjoy some fellowship. It is our goal that laughter will sound through the streets, differences will become insignificant, and the relationships within our community will foster unbreakable bonds.

## Museum Archives

### Floyd County Historical Museum “Memories, 1979”

MARTIN EDWARD BROWN

I, Martin Edward Brown, was born in Denton, Texas, September 11, 1907 and moved to Floydada in 1916. Mr. father, W. Ed Brown, born December 4, 1883 in Denton County, Texas and my Mother, Addie Celestial Clary, born May 30, 1888, were married November 8, 1905. My mother died April 7, 1912 and my father later married Bernice Beatrice Wolf on December 25, 1913 in Denton. We moved to Floydada in 1916 as Dad was going in business with his brother R. Fred Brown. They established the Brown Brothers Grocery and Hardware, which they operated until 1919. We came to Floyd County in a Model T Ford which was slow travel, but luxurious compared to the wagon that Dad came in on his first trip to the county in 1896.

Dad's most memorable experience occurred on the first trip to the plains when, as a 13-year old boy, he peeped from under the cover of the wagon in answer to his father's call and saw for the first time in his life what he had often seen in fantasy-Indians! The Indian band was led by Quannah Parker. He and his followers wore tattered clothes

and rode thin paint ponies. There was little about them to remind a boy of the pride that was once the “Indian Nation.” He always ended his account by saying “I felt so sorry for those Indians.” On this trip, Dad came to Cedar Hill with his father William Taylor Brown, and his mother, Harriet Virginia Fortenberry Brown, and 1 brother and three sisters and visited with her brother, John Cephus Fortenberry before they went on to Swisher County. They lived in Swisher and Floyd counties until 1900 at which time they returned to Denton. Dad returned to Floydada with his family in 1916 and made it his home until he died October 21, 1976; Bernice Beatrice Brown died November 21, 1965. My sister Gladys Ruth Brown Badgett, was born in Floydada on February 8, 1918 and my brother William E. (Billy) Brown Jr. on May 29, 1922.

The boy who, at 13, had felt pity for the outcast Indians was in later life a citizen who showed his compassionate concern for others in many civic activities. He served as chairman of the Works Progress Administration, chairman of the

Ration Board during World War II and was parole officer for Floyd County for more than twenty years. He was one of the founding members of the First Christian Church and served for many years on the Floydada School Board.

I, Martin, married Iva Looper in 1925. She was also from Floydada and her father owned Looper Cash Grocery. I worked in both grocery stores and then helped start Floydada's first radio station. I later owned a household supply business on the south side of the square. We have three children who were born in Floydada, (1) Martin Looper Brown born February 28, 1930, who married Vanda E. Smith. They have two children, Sean Kevin and Carmel; (2) Ken Clary Brown born January 13, 1933, who married Sandra Richards. They have two children, Debra Lynn Brown Nelson and Ken Clary, Jr.; (3) Jeannene Brown West born March 22, 1936. She has two sons, Mark Jeffry and Brian Joseph.

The family moved to California in 1938 and continue to make it our home at this time.

## Floydada Senior Citizens News

**By LuAnn Collins**  
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA – Our NEW serving times are 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. We serve a delicious meal with salad bar Monday thru Friday. We invite you to join us. We know you will enjoy the food and fellowship!

“Bingo Night” is held every second Tuesday of the month. There will be food, prizes, and fellowship. Come and join us. Anyone ages 16 and over are welcome! Bingo night for August is Tuesday, August 8th.

Floydada Senior Citizen's Center is open to people of all ages. You do not need to be a senior citizen, nor a member to eat with us. However, if you are a member, your meal is \$5.00 instead of non-member price of \$6.00. To become a

member, all you need do is pay a \$25.00 yearly membership fee.

Join us at 925 W. Crockett Street or we will deliver a meal anywhere in town. Call 983-2032.

Our mailing address is P.O. Box 573, Floydada, Texas 79235

Hope everyone has an awesome week!

### MENU

- July 30 – August 4
  - Monday – BBQ chicken
  - Tuesday – Chili Relleno casserole
  - Wednesday – LuAnn's Meat & potato casserole
  - Thursday – Meatloaf
  - Friday – Smothered pork chops
- (Menus subject to change without notice)

## Lockney Senior Citizens News

**By Renee Armstrong**  
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

LOCKNEY – The LHS Class of 1957 will have a class reunion at the Center on Saturday, July 29th.

The Griffith Family Reunion has been postponed til Saturday, August 19th. It will be held at the Center from 10 a.m. - ??

“Bingo Night” will be held on Monday, August 21 from 6 – 8 p.m. It is held the 3rd Monday of each month. Come join us for some fun!

The Griffith Family Reunion has been postponed til Saturday, August 19th. It will be held at the Center from 10 a.m. - ??

Breakfast is served here at the Center from 5:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Monday thru Friday only.

Be sure and call the Center by 9:30 a.m. if you would like to eat. Our phone number is 652-2745.

Remember Exercise with Dorothy - Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 8:45 – 9:30 a.m.

Coffee time - Monday-

Saturday - 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Thursday night pot luck. Bring a dish and a friend and enjoy games afterwards. 5 – 9 p.m.

Hope you all have a great week.

### MENU

- July 31 – August 4
  - Monday – Baked potatoes
  - Tuesday – Mexican stack
  - Wednesday – Pulled pork
  - Thursday – Chicken and dumplings
  - Friday – BBQ
- (Menus subject to change without notice)

## Lockney Rotary



Photos by Denise Doucette

A new year began for the Lockney Rotary Club in July. Paul Schacht served as our President this past year and has been a member of Rotary for the past 42 years. Shown below is Paul shaking hands with the incoming President, Joseph Tillery, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lockney. Shown (left to right) are incoming Rotary President, Joseph Tillery and outgoing President, Paul Schacht.



Courtesy Photo

On July 7, 2017, Assistant District Governor, David Kopp of Plainview, swore in and installed Joseph Tillery as the 2017-2018 Lockney Rotary Club President. Tillery, Pastor of Lockney's First Baptist Church, has lived in Lockney the previous two years. He and wife, Sharon, a retired nurse, moved to Lockney after serving as director of Missions in New Mexico for 17 years and lived in Artesia, New Mexico. While in high school, Tillery was a junior Rotarian and received the Rotary Scholarship upon graduation. Tillery stated, “I was humbled & honored to be elected to serve as President.” David Kopp also swore in Denise Doucette who will continue to serve as Treasurer/Secretary. Denise and her husband, Jim, also a Rotarian, appreciate all of the many service projects done by Rotary both locally and worldwide. Shown (left to right) 2017/2018 Lockney Rotary President, Joseph Tillery, Assistant District Governor, David Kopp of Plainview and Denise Doucette, Treasurer/Secretary.

## Warren named new Dean of the School of Business

**By Jonathan Petty, MAM**  
Director of Communications  
Wayland Baptist University

PLAINVIEW — Dr. Kelly Warren has been named the new Dean of the School of Business, replacing Dr. Barry Evans who left in June for a position with a sister institution.

Vice President of Academic Affairs Dr. Cindy McClenagan said Warren's experience and background made him the logical successor to Evans.

“A 12-year veteran of the School of Business, Dr. Warren has grown to understand not only our Plainview campus and its traditional-age students, but also the adult-learner at our external campuses,”

she said.

McClenagan said Warren's experience in the classroom and as Associate Dean has developed in him a strong sense of the complexities of the Wayland system. Dr. Warren was also instrumental in developing and implementing the Doctor of Management program that opened last summer.

Dr. Warren graduated from Wayland with a Bachelor of Arts degree in 1983. He earned a Master of Divinity from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in 1986 and a Doctor of Ministry from Southwestern in 1998. He also holds a Ph.D. from Regent University in Organizational Leadership

(2005).

Dr. Warren started teaching Wayland in 2005 and has served as a Professor of management as well as Associate Dean of the School of Business. He served as interim dean of the school following Dr. Evans departure in June.

Wayland Baptist University is a Christian, liberal-arts school located in Plainview, Texas, with additional campus locations in Lubbock, Amarillo, Wichita Falls and San Antonio, Texas; Altus, Okla.; Clovis and Albuquerque, N.M.; Phoenix and Sierra Vista, Ariz.; Anchorage and Fairbanks, Alaska; Mililani, Hawaii; and the African nation of Kenya.

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# OBITUARIES/CHURCH

## Obituary

### Aurora M. DeLeon

Aurora (Martinez) DeLeon, age 74 of Floydada passed away peacefully on July 17, 2017.

Mass of Christian Burial was held at 10 a.m., Thursday, July 20, 2017 at the St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church in Floydada. Father Ruban Selvaraj officiated.

Interment followed at the Floydada Cemetery. Rosary was held at 7 p.m., Wednesday, July 19, 2017 at Moore-Rose Funeral Home.

Arrangements were under the personal care of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

Aurora was born on December 17, 1942 to Juan Martinez and Esperanza Contreras.

Aurora was preceded in death by her husband, Ruben H. DeLeon in 2005, her parents, Juan Martinez



AURORA M. DELEON

and Esperanza Contreras Galvan and her step-dad, Bartolo Galvan.

She is survived by her three daughters; Rosie Segura and husband, Henry, Maricelia Reyna and husband, Lorenzo, and Norma Saenz and husband, Luis; a son, Ruben DeLeon and wife, Laura; 12 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; four sisters, Anna, Emma, Alma, and Hermila; and two brothers, Jaime and Juan.

She will be missed by many relatives and friends. Online condolences may be made at [www.moore-rose.com](http://www.moore-rose.com)

## Lockney Rotary Honorary Sweetheart

Photos by Denise Doucette

Before leaving office as President, Paul Schacht and David Kopp, the Assistant District Governor installed Lucy Dean Record as our Honorary Club Sweetheart. Mrs. Record, who is 93 years young, is a recognized professional musician who has been inducted into the Western Swing Society of the Southwest Hall of Fame and Instrumentalist of the Year at the Will Rodgers Awards, by the Academy of Western Artists. We are honored to have her as our Club Sweetheart and enjoy hearing her play her music.



## Lockney Rotary welcomes new member

On July 7, 2017, David Kopp and Paul Schacht and all club members welcomed our newest club member, Brant Guthrie, Pharmacist of Hometown Pharmacy in Lockney. He and his wife, Bailey have a daughter, Halle. They moved to town from Post, Texas. Mr. Guthrie joined Rotary because he wanted to be a part of the community. "As a future business owner, I want to support and encourage our town." Any person interested in becoming a member of Lockney's Rotary Club, we meet every Friday at noon in the back of the Lockney Senior Citizens. The Lockney Rotary Club began in 1929. Shown (left to right) Brant Guthrie, Paul Schacht and David Kopp.



## Wit and Wisdom

By Charles Keaton  
The Hesperian-Beacon

The individual has always had to struggle to keep from being overwhelmed by the tribe. If you try it, you will be lonely often, and sometimes frightened. But no price is too high to pay for the privilege of owning yourself.

—Friedrich Nietzsche, German Philosopher

# CHURCH DIRECTORY

## BACKWARD OR FORWARD?

Jesus said, "Unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds."  
—John 12:24 (NIV)

Driving through a lush, green forest, I rounded a curve to see hundreds of white cylinders studding a bare hillside. The scene resembled a cemetery marked with rows of tombstones. Then I looked closer. Each white cylinder surrounded a tiny hand-planted sapling, protecting it from nibbling deer and harsh winds. In a few decades a forest would again cover this hill. I meditated on the larger truth of this picture: with loss comes space for new growth. Then I thought, How often have I experienced the loss of possessions, people, or jobs from my life? Each time, my immediate response had been anger and

frustration. I had wasted energy looking backward when I could have been looking forward to the new life God could plant in that now-empty space.

Rather than fighting change, we can instead consider how much sooner something new and beautiful could grow if we would only hand over our pride and control to God who longs to bless us. Contrary to the "me first" attitude that the world encourages, God tells us that if we die to our selfish desires (see Gal. 5:24), we will see doors opening to new growth — "far more than all we can ask or imagine."  
—Linda Jett (Oregon, USA)

Thought for the Day: With each loss, God provides an opportunity for new growth.

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**Aiken Baptist Church**  
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Morning Worship...11 a.m.

**Bible Baptist Church**  
810 S. 3rd, Floydada  
Darwin Robinson, Pastor  
983-2578  
Sunday School...10 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.  
Wednesday - 7 p.m.

**Calvary's Cornerstone Fellowship**  
Floydada  
Armando Morales, Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Bible Study - 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening - 7 p.m.

**Carr's Chapel**  
Service Every Sunday  
Morning Worship - 9 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

**Church of Christ**  
West College & Third  
Lockney  
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.  
Afternoon Worship - 1:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Service - 7:30 p.m.

**City Park Church of Christ**  
Matthew Benfield, Minister  
Floydada  
Sunday Bible Study - 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study - 7 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
Floydada  
Mark Snowden, Pastor  
Justin Ogden, Interim Minister of Worship  
Logan Lamb, Min. Students  
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.  
Wed Bible Study - 6:30 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
Lockney  
Joseph Tillery, Pastor  
Chad Cook, Youth Min.  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.

Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.

**First United Methodist Church**  
Floydada  
Rev. Ken Peterson, Pastor  
Morning Worship - 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School - 10:50 a.m.  
Youth (Sunday) - 6:30 p.m.

**First United Methodist Church**  
Lockney  
Rev. Ricky Carsensen, Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service - 6 p.m.  
Wed. Jr. High - 5:30 p.m.  
Wed High School - 6:30 p.m.

**Grant Chapel Church of God In Christ**  
Joe Bennett, Pastor  
Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday - 8 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

**Main Street Church of Christ**  
Lockney  
James Blair, Minister  
Bible Study - 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday - 7:00 p.m.

**Mt. Zion Baptist Church**  
Floydada  
Rev. Timothy Askey  
401 N 12th Sty. 983-5805  
Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Study - 6 p.m.

**New Salem Primitive Baptist Church**  
Floydada  
Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges  
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Sunday Singing - 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

**Out Reach Harvest Pentecostal Church**  
310 Mississippi  
Floydada  
Rev David Ramos, Pastor

Ester Ramos, Praise Leader  
Sunday Bible - 10 a.m.  
Morning Praise - 11 a.m.  
Evening Praise 5 - p.m.  
Wed Worship - 7 p.m.

**Power of Praise Full Gospel Church**  
Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor  
704 B Main, Lockney  
Sunday Services - 10 a.m.  
Sunday Evening - 5 p.m.  
Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

**Primera Iglesia Bautista**  
Lockney  
Jesus Caballero, Pastor  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service - 11 a.m.  
Discipleship - 5 p.m.  
Wed. Service - 7 p.m.

**Primera Iglesia Bautista**  
Floydada  
Rev. Toby Gonzales  
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:40 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.  
Wed Evening - 7 p.m.

**San Jose Catholic Church**  
Lockney  
Msgr. Nickolas Rendon  
Wed. Communion - 8 p.m.  
Sunday Mass - 11:30 a.m.

**South Plains Baptist Church**  
Joe Weldon, Pastor  
Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting - 7 p.m.

**Templo Getsemani Assembly of God**  
701 W. Missouri  
Joe M. Hernandez  
983-5286 (Church)  
Sunday School  
English - 9:45 a.m.  
Spanish - 11 a.m.  
Worship  
Spanish - 9:30 a.m.  
English - 11 a.m.  
Evening Service 5 p.m.  
Wednesday 7 p.m.

**St Mary Magdalen Catholic Church**  
Floydada  
Rev. Ruban Selvaraj  
983-5878  
Sunday Mass - 11:30 a.m.  
Mon. & Wed. Mass - 6:30 p.m.  
Confession Sat - 10-11 a.m.

**Templo Bautista Salem**  
Lockney  
Rev. Joe Hernandez  
Bun Prayer Service - 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service - 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.  
Wed. Meeting - 7 p.m.

**Templo Bethel Spanish Assembly of God**  
Washington And 1st St.  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 5 p.m.  
Wed Service - 7 p.m.

**Templo Nueva Vida**  
Rev. Herman Martinez  
308 W. Tennessee, Floydada  
Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 5 p.m.  
Tuesday - 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday Service - 7:30 p.m.

**Trinity Assembly**  
500 W. Houston  
Tom Ross, Pastor  
983-5499  
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:40 a.m.  
Sunday Evening - 6 p.m.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**  
Providence Community On Fm 2301  
293-3009  
Rev. Peter W. Harrington, Minister  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service 11 - a.m.

**West Side Church of Christ**  
Floydada  
983-2672 Or 470-0950  
Sunday Worship - 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening - 2 p.m.

# AGRICULTURE

## Celebrate Cotton Week

By The Texas Cotton Association  
Special to the Hesperian-Beacon

The Sixth Annual Celebrate Cotton Week plans are shaping up for September in Lubbock, including the Celebrate Cotton Game as the Texas Tech Red Raiders take on the Arizona Sun Devils Saturday, Sept. 16.

Here's a preview of activities:

### September 13, 2017

#### CELEBRATE COTTON ACTIVITIES

- sign up to play coming soon!

#### SHADOW HILLS GOLF TOURNAMENT

Lunch at noon; Shotgun at 1:00 p.m.

Entry fee is \$100. Sign-up to play via the

Flow Meeting Online Registration Form.

You may select your own team and we will

do our best to accommodate you. Contact Brady Raindl for team pairings at 806/762-0365 or at braindl@ecomtrading.com.

### September 13 & 14, 2017

FLOW MARKETING MEETING - sign up to attend online coming soon!

September 13, 5:30 p.m.,

Registration Desk opens for name badge pick-up

September 13, 6:30 to 8:30

p.m., Cotton Flow Reception,

Sunset A Ballroom - OVERTON HOTEL & CONFERENCE CENTER, Lubbock

September 14, 9 to Noon - Flow Meeting

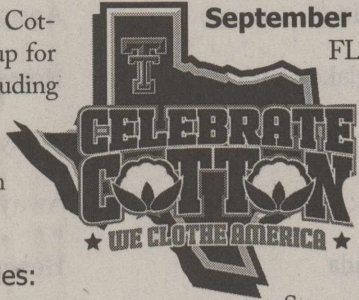
### September 16, 2017

#### CELEBRATE COTTON GAME- ticket

information coming soon

Texas Tech Red Raiders take on the Arizona

State Sun Devils at 7:00 p.m.



## West Texas cotton producers should be on the lookout for bollworms

Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

LUBBOCK - A Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service entomologist is advising West Texas cotton farmers to remain vigilant in their hunt for bollworms.

"I haven't come across any significant bollworm activity in the region yet," said Dr. Suhas Vyavhare of Lubbock. "But blooming cotton coupled with new growth following recent rains in our area makes for an especially enticing combination for bollworm moths seeking egg-laying sites. So it's important for growers not to let their guard down."

Vyavhare's warning was prompted by reports from South Texas of the pest breaking Bt shields there and in other parts of the country. He said treatable levels of bollworms, also called headworms when they affect sorghum, have been spotted in some South Plains sorghum fields.

"I wouldn't rush insecticide applications on Bt cotton just because bollworm eggs are present or worms less than a quarter inch are found, because they have to feed on the plant for the genetic technology to work," he said. "Similarly, I wouldn't pull the trigger and spray non-Bt cotton based on egg lay, as natural controls often help keep bollworm numbers in check."



photo by Dr. Suhas Vyavhare, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service

### Bollworm damage.

It's always best to give the Bt trait technology and the beneficial insect predators a chance to work their magic first.

That's not to say growers should become lax in scouting for cotton pests, but boll damage and the presence of live bollworms should be taken into account before making decisions on whether to apply insecticide, he said.

"The threshold to apply insecticide is when 6 percent of the bolls, post bloom, are damaged with live worms present," he said. "Some of the old data indicates pyrethroid insecticides may still work against cotton bollworms, though we have no recent susceptibility data available from the High Plains region."

"The diamides, trade names Prevathon and Besiege, are the most effective. Besiege contains both a diamide and

a pyrethroid, so it would be the better choice if stink bugs are present too. If stink bugs aren't an issue, Prevathon is a better option, as it's always good to avoid unnecessary pyrethroid applications, because they also kill beneficial insects that otherwise could keep secondary pests such as aphids and spider mites at bay."

Overall though, Vyavhare said the cotton crop looks good, though there is a wide range of cotton in different growth stages out in the fields.

"Early planted cotton fields are in bloom while some of the late or replanted cotton is a little behind," he said. "Overall though, insect pest pressure remains light across our region."

For more information, contact Vyavhare at 806-746-6101, Suhas.vyavhare@ag.tamu.edu.

## Senate Ag Appropriations Bill Includes Cottonseed Policy Provisions

By Mary Jane Buerkle  
Plains Cotton Growers

Cotton growers are one step closer to a much-needed long-term policy solution after the Senate Appropriations Committee approved the FY18 Agriculture Appropriations Bill, which included a key provision regarding a cottonseed program.

The bill, approved 31-0 by the committee on Thursday, provides \$145.4 billion in discretionary and mandatory funding, \$4.85 billion above the President's budget request and \$7.9 billion below the FY2017 enacted level, according to a Committee news release.

Language in the bill, which will go before Congress later this year, clearly calls for cottonseed to be designated as an "other oilseed" under Title I of the 2014 Farm Bill. If enacted, the cottonseed program would begin

with the 2018 crop.

"This bill certainly is a step in the right direction to helping ensure long-term stability for our industry, and we appreciate our friends in Congress who are standing with us," PCG Executive Vice President Steve Verett said. "We are hopeful, but the cottonseed program is not a done deal yet, and we must stay the course in our efforts to get meaningful relief for cotton producers."

The FY18 House Agriculture Appropriations Bill includes similar language and goes even further in urging the USDA to implement the Cotton Ginning Cost Share program, an initiative that remains a priority for the industry.

Verett, PCG's Kody Bessent and Chairman Shawn Holladay will be in Washington, DC, next week making visits on Capitol Hill, gathering additional sup-

port for the Cotton Ginning Cost Share Program and thanking those Senators and Representatives who already have signed letters asking President Trump to use his authority to operate the program on an ongoing basis beginning with the 2016 crop.

"We especially are appreciative to Texas Senators John Cornyn and Ted Cruz, along with all three Congressmen from the PCG service area - House Ag Committee Chairman Mike Conaway, Representative Jodey Arrington, and Representative Mac Thornberry - for their support of this effort," Verett said. "Even as we continue to work on a cottonseed program, our growers need a short-term solution, and the Cotton Ginning Cost Share Program already has been proven to be an effective and efficient way to help meet their needs."

## Texas Oil and Gas Production Statistics for May 2017

Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

AUSTIN — Production for May 2017 as reported to the Railroad Commission of Texas (Commission) is 76,381,908 barrels of crude oil and 560,452,280 mcf (thousand cubic feet) of total gas from oil and gas wells. These preliminary figures are based on production volumes reported by operators and will be updated as late and corrected production reports are received. Production reported to the Commission for May 2016, was: 73,131,246 barrels of crude oil preliminarily, updated to a current

figure of 84,500,034 barrels; and 600,746,804 mcf of total gas preliminarily, updated to a current figure of 702,548,969 mcf.

The Commission reports that from June 2016 to May 2017, total Texas reported production was 988 million barrels of crude oil and 7.7 trillion cubic feet of total gas. Crude oil production reported by the Commission is limited to oil produced from oil leases and does not include condensate, which is reported separately by the Commission.

Texas preliminary May 2017 crude oil production

averaged 2,463,933 barrels daily, compared to the 2,359,072 barrels daily average of May 2016.

Texas preliminary May 2017 total gas production averaged 18,079,106 mcf a day, compared to the 19,378,929 mcf daily average of May 2016.

Texas production in May 2017 came from 179,857 oil wells and 93,397 gas wells.

For additional oil and gas production statistics, visit the Commission's website at <http://www.rrc.texas.gov/oil-gas/research-and-statistics/production-data/texas-monthly-oil-gas-production/>.

## Texas Tech Researcher Earns Honor from American Dairy Science Association

Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

The associate dean for research in the Texas Tech University College of Agricultural Sciences & Natural Resources has been selected for an award recognizing his contributions to dairy nutrition.

Michael Ballou, an associate professor in the Department of Animal and Food Sciences, was honored Monday (June 26) with the Lallemant Forward Award for Scientific Excellence in Dairy Nutrition by the American Dairy Science Association (ADSA). The award was presented at the ADSA's annual convention in Pittsburgh.

Program officials note that one of the goals in presenting the honor is to stimulate and recognize outstanding achievement in research, teaching, extension and/or industry in applied dairy nu-

trition by scientists.

Individuals selected for the award must have made significant contributions in applied dairy nutrition. The contributions are in areas such as basic or applied forage research, specifically in the areas of forage production, processing, storage or utilization; and basic or applied research in the areas of rumen and gastrointestinal microbiology and function as well as nutritional effects on production efficiency, cow comfort and health.

Ballou provides primary leadership for the college's graduate and research program development, including graduate student recruiting initiatives, responses to request for proposals and research team building. In the past, Ballou's research has centered on understanding how the innate immune

responses of animals at various physiological states are involved in resistance to diseases and modulation of innate immune responses through management and nutrition practices.

Prior to joining the Texas Tech faculty in 2007, Ballou served as an associate instructor and graduate research assistant at the University of California-Davis. He received his bachelor's degree in animal science and his doctorate in nutritional biology from the University of California-Davis.

Recent awards for Ballou include a Texas Tech Distinguished Research Award (2017). He is a member of the ADSA and the American Society of Nutritional Sciences.

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## Hurricane Season: Look Up Before the Storm

Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

The Atlantic hurricane season is a time when most tropical cyclones are expected to develop across the northern Atlantic Ocean. It is currently defined as the time frame from June 1 through November 30. What plans should prudent consumers take with the trees in their landscape?

### Hurricanes and violent storms

"It is important that people who live in the East and Gulf coastal areas be prepared," says Tchukki Andersen, BCMA, CTSP\* and staff arborist with the Tree Care Industry Association. "Even people in the Midwestern states should heed the warning. Right now, get your trees as ready as they can be to survive a major storm. Don't wait until the storm is headed your way."

One of the greatest dangers to life and property during hurricanes is posed by falling trees and limbs. "Larger trees in leaf will 'catch' more wind and be subjected to increased mechanical stresses. These stresses increase

the chances of either branch or whole-tree failure," explains Andersen. "Preparing trees for a high-wind event should be done well in advance of the storm season. However, it's not too late to start preparing, now. To help ease these dangers, have a qualified tree care provider evaluate your trees. Doing this will help determine potential weaknesses and dangers."

### Look at your trees for the following warning signs:

- Wires in contact with tree branches. Trees may become energized when they are contacted by electric wires.
- Dead or partially attached limbs hung up in the higher branches that could fall and cause damage or injury.
- Cracked stems and branch unions that could cause catastrophic failure of a tree section.
- Hollow or decayed areas on the trunk or main limbs, or mushrooms growing from the bark that may indicate a decayed and weakened stem.
- Peeling bark or gaping wounds

in the trunk could also indicate structural weakness.

- Fallen or uprooted trees putting pressure on other trees beneath them.
- Tight, V-shaped branch unions, which are much more prone to failure than open, U-shaped unions.
- Heaving soil at the tree base is a potential indicator of an unsound root system.

A tree is a living, growing, changing thing, and its integrity and stability could change over time. Don't assume that a tree that has survived nine severe storms will necessarily survive a tenth. Simultaneously, not all large trees are dangerous. Contact your tree care expert for an onsite examination.

### Find a Professional

A professional arborist can assess your landscape and work with you to determine the best care for your trees. Contact the Tree Care Industry Association, a public and professional resource on trees and arboriculture since 1938. TCIA has more than 2,300 member tree care firms and affiliated companies who recognize

stringent safety and performance standards and who are required to carry liability insurance. TCIA also has the nation's only Accreditation program that helps consumers find tree care companies that have been inspected and accredited based on: adherence to industry standards for quality and safety; maintenance of trained, professional staff; and dedication to ethics and quality in business practices. For more, visit [www.tcia.org](http://www.tcia.org) or [www.treecaretips.org](http://www.treecaretips.org).

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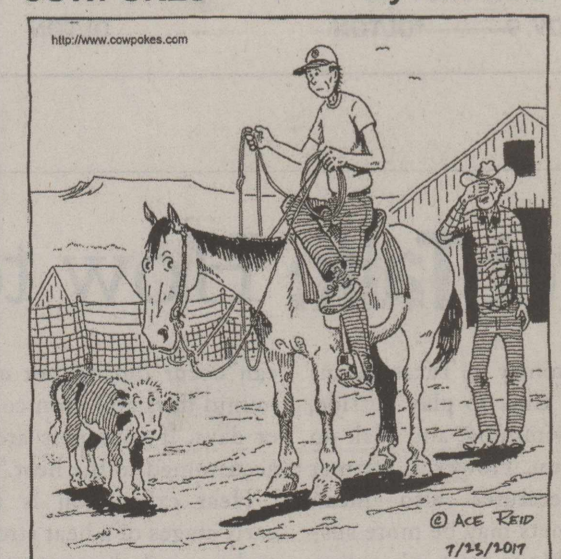
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# FLOYDADA SCHOOL NEWS

## 2017 FLOYDADA WHIRLWIND FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
SEP. 1	SLATON	FLOYDADA	7:30
SEP. 8	SEAGRAVES	SEAGRAVES	7:30
SEP. 15	LOCKNEY	LOCKNEY	7:30
SEP. 22	FRIONA	FLOYDADA	7:30
SEP. 29	ROOSEVELT	ROOSEVELT	7:30
OCT. 6	OPEN		
OCT. 13	*HALE CENTER	FLOYDADA	7:30
OCT. 20	*NEW DEAL	FLOYDADA	7:30
OCT. 27	*ABERNATHY	ABERNATHY	7:30
NOV. 3	*SUNDOWN	FLOYDADA	7:30
NOV. 10	*OLTON	OLTON	7:30

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## 2017 FLOYDADA JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
AUG. 31	SLATON	SLATON	6:00
SEP. 7	SEAGRAVES	FLOYDADA	6:00
SEP. 14	LOCKNEY	FLOYDADA	7:00
SEP. 21	FRIONA	FRIONA	6:00
SEP. 28	ROOSEVELT	FLOYDADA	6:00
OCT. 5	OPEN		
OCT. 12	*HALE CENTER	HALE CENTER	6:00
OCT. 19	*NEW DEAL	NEW DEAL	6:00
OCT. 26	*ABERNATHY	FLOYDADA	6:00
NOV. 2	*SUNDOWN	SUNDOWN	6:00
NOV. 9	*OLTON	FLOYDADA	6:00

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 AUG. 25 2<sup>ND</sup> - RALLS FLOYDADA - MEET THE WHIRLWINDS

## 2017 FLOYDADA 7<sup>TH</sup> and 8<sup>TH</sup> FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
SEP. 14	LOCKNEY	FLOYDADA	5:00/6:15
SEP. 21	FRIONA	FLOYDADA	5:00/6:15
SEP. 28	ROOSEVELT	ROOSEVELT	5:00/6:15
OCT. 5	SLATON	SLATON	5:00/6:15
OCT. 12	*HALE CENTER	FLOYDADA	5:00/6:15
OCT. 19	*NEW DEAL	FLOYDADA	5:00/6:15
OCT. 26	*ABERNATHY	ABERNATHY	5:00/6:15
NOV. 2	*SUNDOWN	FLOYDADA	5:00/6:15
NOV. 9	*OLTON	OLTON	5:00/6:15

## 2017 Lockney Longhorn Football Schedule

Date	Team	Location	Time
Aug. 18	Dimmitt (Scrimmage)	Away	5:00
Aug. 25	Springlake-Earth (Scrimmage)	Home	5:00
Sept. 1	Smyer	Away	7:30
Sept. 9	Lubbock Trinity & Levelland	Away	6:00
Sept. 15	Floydada	Home	7:30
Sept. 22	Hale Center	Home	7:30
Sept. 29	Olton	Away	7:30
Oct. 6	Open Date		
Oct. 13	*Clarendon	Away	7:00
Oct. 20	*Memphis	Home	7:00
Oct. 27	*Wellington	Away	7:00
Nov. 3	*Ralls	Away	7:00
Nov. 10	*Crosbyton	Home	7:00

\*Denotes District Games

## A.B. Duncan Elementary School Supply Lists

### Kindergarten Supply List

- 2 boxes Crayola brand crayons
- 4 glue sticks
- 2 plastic folders with pockets
- 2 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 Backpack (Please no wheels)
- 1 set of clothes (place in a ziplock bag with their name)
- 2 dry erase markers

- 3 holed pencil pouch
- 1 - Ear phones
- 1 -package of WIDE rule notebook paper
- 2 -pink pearl erasers
- 1 - 24 count box of crayons
- Girls - 1 box of QUART zipper baggies
- Boys - 1 box of GALLON baggies
- 1- Backpack

### 1st Grade Supply List

- 1 school box
- 2 boxes of pencils
- 1 pair of scissors
- 2 dry erase markers
- 2 large packs of glue sticks
- 2 boxes of crayons 24 count
- 2 large boxes of Kleenex
- 1 spiral
- 2 plastic folders
- 2 large pink erasers
- 2 composition notebooks
- 1 pair of headphones

### 4th Grade School Supply List

- 3 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 box of 16 count crayons
- 1 pair of scissors
- 4 packages of 12 pencils
- 4 red pens
- 2 bottles of glue
- 4 glue sticks
- 2 packages of notebook paper -wide ruled
- 2 large erasers
- 4 yellow highlighters
- 1 zipper pouch for supplies
- 4 composition notebook
- 2 poly/plastic folder
- 1 black sharpie
- 1 Folder
- 2 dry erase markers
- 2 individual rolls of tape

### 2nd Grade Supply List

- 2 boxes of Crayons (24 count)—true colors
- 24 Wooden #2 Lead Pencils
- 1 Pair of Scissors
- 3 250 Count Kleenex Boxes
- 3 Pocket Folders (Red, green, blue-plastic)
- 1 Zipper Pouch (No boxes)
- 2 Elmer's White School Glue (4 fl. ounce)
- 8 Glue Sticks
- 2 Boxes of Markers (8 count)
- 1 Water Colors (8 tray)
- 2 Big Pink Erasers
- 6 Composition Books/Journals
- 1-inch binder
- 2 dry erase markers
- Girls: 1 Box of Gallon Size Zip-tab Baggies
- Boys: 1 Box of Quart Size Zip-tab Baggies

### 5th Grade Supply List

- 5 Composition notebooks non perforated- 100 pages (2 for reading, 1 for science, 1 for social studies, and 1 for math)
- 1 bottle of glue
- 2 Glue Sticks
- 1 package crayons
- 2 packages colored pencils
- 1 pair scissors
- 4 Folders with pockets and brads
- Pencils- 3 boxes of number 2
- 2 packages lined notebook paper
- Headphones
- 3 Boxes Kleenex
- 2 rolls of scotch tape
- Highlighters
- 2 Fine tip Sharpies
- 1 inch binder for Science
- 2 dry erase markers

### 3rd Grade Supply List

- 2 - composition books (100 pages)
- 1 - spiral
- 4 - packages of 12 count pencils
- 2 - plastic folder with brads ANY COLOR
- 8 - glue sticks
- 1 - glue bottle (8 oz.)
- 2 - highlighters
- 2 -dry erase markers
- 1 -red grading pen
- 4 - LARGE boxes of Kleenexes

### 6th Grade Supply List

- 2 boxes of tissues
- 2 boxes of colored pencils
- 2 boxes #2 pencils
- 2 fine tip Sharpies
- 2 dry erase markers
- 4 folders with pockets and brads
- 5 composition notebooks
- 1 spiral notebook
- erasers
- 1 bottle of glue
- 2 glue sticks
- scissors
- highlighters
- 4 rolls scotch tape
- 1 brown paper grocery bag
- ruler
- 1 box crayons
- 1 box markers
- headphones

## Pet Talk: How to help pets in the heat

Summer in Texas means more time to play outside, go swimming, and soak up the sun. However, warmer temperatures also mean that pets may be more susceptible to heat exhaustion or heat stroke. To help pet owners avoid these risks, Dr. Stacy Eckman, clinical assistant professor at the Texas A&M College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences, offered some insight. "Heat stroke and heat exhaustion are major problems for pets in the summer, especially in short-nosed breeds, such a pug or a bulldog," Eckman said. "These conditions

can occur during hot and humid days and even cooler days, if your pets aren't accustomed to the heat." Heat exhaustion is the early stages of a heat stroke and causes lethargy, vomiting, and weakness. Following continued exercise or exposure to heat, Eckman said a heat stroke can occur with more severe signs, including extreme lethargy, vomiting, diarrhea, and pale mucous membranes. This can lead to significant problems up to and including death if not recognized and treated immediately. Other dangers pets may face in the summer heat include paw pad burns from

walking on hot concrete. If your dog is going to be active outside when it is hot, be sure to keep them off concrete or asphalt for extended periods of time. You can also provide your pet with other means of exercise, such as playing indoors or in the grass. Eckman added that leaving pets in the car or bed of a truck is also a bad idea. This can also lead to heat exhaustion or heat stroke. "Even if there is a breeze outside, there is no shade or water in the bed of a truck, so the temperature can really heat up," Eckman said. Though it may seem like a quick fix to put your pet

in cold water if they do become overheated, Eckman said it is best to slowly cool down your pet to avoid causing more internal heat. "Some people will try to provide ice water baths for overheated pets; this can actually make them retain heat internally," Eckman said. "Instead, bring the overheated pet inside and provide them with cool water and a fan. Wetting a towel and putting it on the pet's coat also may be helpful." Other tips for keeping your pet cool during the summer include providing a doghouse, a shallow kiddie pool, and enough cool water. Also, try to exercise your

pet during the cooler parts of the day, such as the morning or evening. Whether your pet lives primarily indoors or outdoors, it is important to protect your pet from the heat this summer season. Pet Talk is a service of the College of Veterinary Medicine & Biomedical Sciences, Texas A&M University. Stories can be viewed on the web at [vetmed.tamu.edu/pet-talk](http://vetmed.tamu.edu/pet-talk). Suggestions for future topics may be directed to [editor@cvm.tamu.edu](mailto:editor@cvm.tamu.edu).





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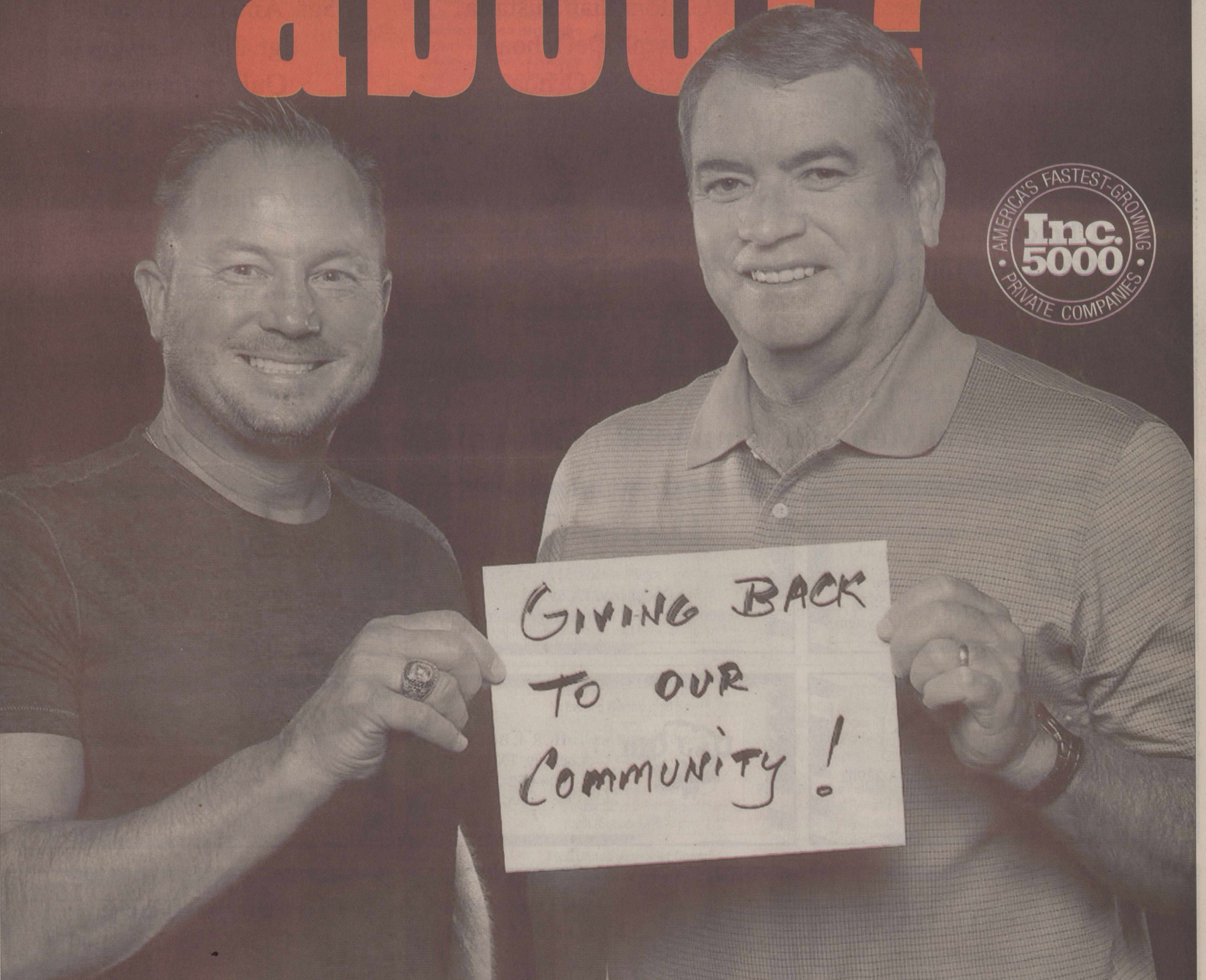
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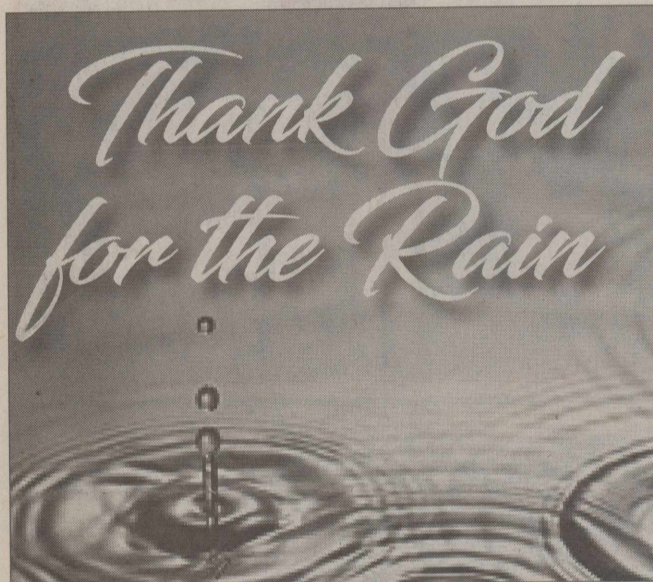
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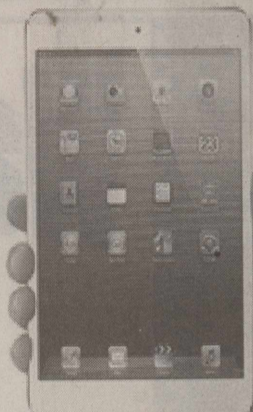
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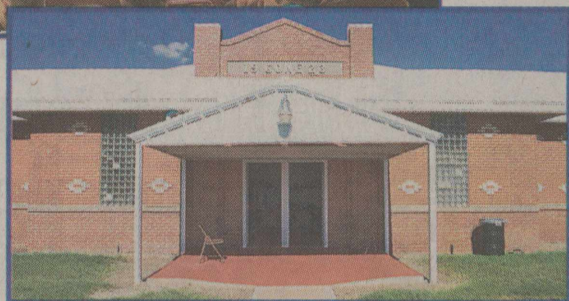
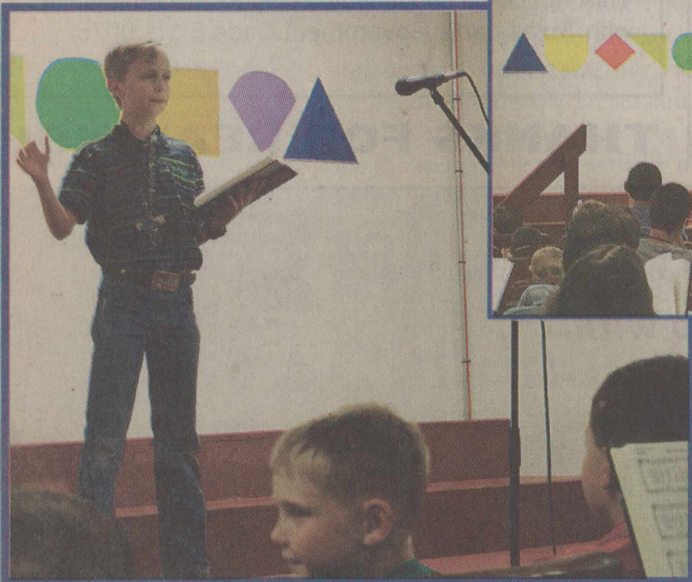
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**Kay Ellington/The Hesperian-Beacon**  
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### Schedule

- 9:00 a.m.  
Breakfast
- 9:30 a.m.  
Session 1
- 10:45 - 11:52  
Session 2
- Noon Meal  
12:00 -12:42
- 12:45-1:50 p.m.  
Session 3
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
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