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Local FFA Chapters Attend FFA's 90th Annual Convention

By Deon Fincher

The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon

FFA Chapter members from all over the state of Texas attended the 90th Annual Texas FFA Convention, presented by Justin Boots and Farm Credit, in Fort Worth last week.

The streets of Fort Worth were filled with a sea of more than 12,000 blue corduroy jackets. Texas is recognized as the state with the largest membership growth, combining to make FFA 123,000 members strong.

During the convention, state champions of various contests were recognized, scholarships were awarded to hundreds of deserving members, and a new slate of individuals were elected as the 2018-2019 Texas FFA State Officer Team.

Chapter members from Floydada and Lockney attended this year's convention.

'Try It!' Zumba Class Offered

Open-house features guest trainers



Courtesy Photo

Guest instructors will be in Floydada to celebrate the opening of West Texas Zumba during an open-house, located at the Courthouse Pavilion, the evening of July 19th. Pictured (L to R): Avila Garcia, Mary Bosquez, Mireya Cardiel.

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West Texas Zumba will be having their open-house, Thursday, July 19th at the Courthouse Pavilion in downtown Floydada to celebrate their class offerings in Floydada. The event will start at 7:00 p.m. led by guest instructors. After a break at 8:00, Tammy Sanchez, fitness trainer and owner of West Texas Zumba, will take over and lead the group Zumba workout.

"It will be a fun time. Lots of great music-friends-some exercise...What could be better?" asked Sanchez. "Come and try out

a Zumba workout. Get to know some of the routines. This is really very informal."

Sanchez began offering the Zumba classes in Floydada in June. Her classes take place weekly, Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday nights at 7:30 p.m. at the Russell RV Park Activity Building.

"I exercise. That's just what I do," stated Sanchez. "It's a lot more fun when there is a group to work-out with. If your work-out is fun, you'll stick to it."

Two very different work-outs are popular these days: Zumba and Tabata. Which one is for you? "Tabata is high-intensity burn

See ZUMBA, Page 4

Yeary honored as 2017 Conservation Rancher



Courtesy Photo

Floyd County Soil and Water District Board of Directors selected Rex Yeary as the District's Conservation Rancher for 2017. Pictured (L to R): Jacob Reddy-Vice Chairman, David Patterson-Secretary, Ian McIntosh-Chairman, Rex Yeary, and Taylor Beedy-Board Member. Not pictured is Board Member Leslie Nixon.

Special to the Hesperian Beacon

Annually, the Floyd County Soil and Water Conservation District takes the opportunity to recognize individuals who have dedicated their time, efforts and talents to make wise use of renewable natural resources. Recently, the Floyd County SWCD Board Members chose Rex Yeary as the Conservation Rancher of the 2017 Year.

Rex has spent the last 35 years working and improving the Heart Bar Ranch. The ranch has been in the family for almost 100 years. The Heart Bar lies along the banks of Quitaque Creek on the edge of the Caprock Escarpment in northeast Floyd County, Texas. The ranch consists of approximately 4,500 acres. Rex also leases

roughly 3000 additional acres of ranch land.

Water enhancement and brush control are his top priorities. Wildlife is also a vital component to his operation. Rex has participated in the Bob White Quail Program, deferring acres to improve quail habitats, and he has participated in the Environmental Quality Incentive Program to enhance his rangeland health. He's not alone in these matters; his wife Brenda has been a licensed wildlife rehabilitator since the mid-1990s.

Rex grubbed certain areas of the ranch of cedar and mesquite trees using a sculpting technique which allows the areas to recuperate more quickly. This vastly improved the water and wildlife habitats. Timely rains upon the

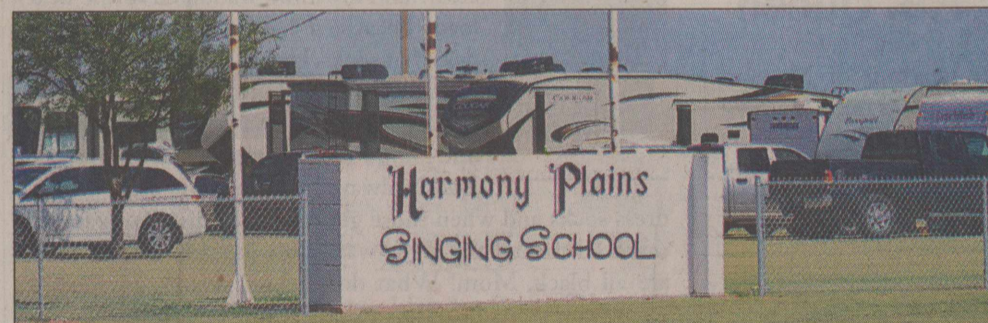
completion of the grubbing resulted in excellent stands of grass. As a bonus, Rex believes that the Quitaque Creek seems to be flowing at a higher rate than before the work was done.

Rex participates in the Conservation Stewardship Program.

He utilizes water escapes around his water troughs so that wildlife can get away easier if in danger. This practice improves the water quality for his cow/calf operation while also improving the wildlife habitat. All supplemental feeding, especially in regard to minerals, is done at prescribed distances away from water areas which guards against contamination of natural water sources.

Water lines have been laid
See RANCHER, Page 4

Harmony Plains Singing School Celebrating 55 years



By Deon Fincher
The Hesperian Beacon

The 55th session of Harmony Plains Singing School will be held Sunday evening, July 15 through Friday night July 20, 2018 at the Cone School House, in Cone, Texas. Every summer between the third and fourth weekends in July, the singing school comes to life, providing a vibrant week of singing and fellowship.

The school was founded in 1964 by a small group of people-Elder J. Barrington, Rachel and Dennis Taylor, and the area congregations-who had the vision to create a 'singing school' where families could come together and better learn how to read music, lead music, and sing music as a congregation and in spirit, completely acapella.

"Initially, this week was set up to enhance the worship ser-

vice in our churches," explains Barrington, son of one of the founders, "but, when voices come together in harmony and togetherness, the spirit seems to rise."

"This is primarily a family activity," said Barrington, although he states that individual adults are welcome to attend and learn the mechanics of shape-note reading and singing. "It is a very old way of reading, writing and teaching

See SINGING SCHOOL, Page 4

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.

LOCKNEY ISD STRENGTH & CONDITIONING CAMP

Lockney ISD coaching staff will hold their "Longhorn Champions Camp" (strength and conditioning) the Longhorn Fieldhouse from 7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. All High School/Middle School athletes can participate. Dates camp will be held are: July 23-26.

LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER

The Lockney Senior Citizens Center will hold a "Pancake Supper" on Monday, July 30th from 5-8 p.m. Donations welcome.

FISD NEW STUDENTS REQUIREMENTS

Floydada Independent School District announced the record requirements for new students to FISD for the 2018-2019 school year. Campus offices are open during the summer months, Monday-Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with minimal staff. See the New Student Notice on Floydada School in this week's issue.

Correction

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

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Prisk and Griffith exchange wedding vows

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon on April 14, 2018, Emily Prisk of Floydada and Ethan Griffith of Idalou exchanged vows at First Baptist Church of Floydada to become husband and wife. The ceremony was officiated by cousin of the bride, Jake Galvan.

The night before, on Friday, April 13, the groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at First Baptist Church. Neilson's Restaurant catered the meal, serving chicken strips, one of the groom's favorites.

The bride is daughter of Jeff and Ludustia Prisk of Floydada. She is the granddaughter of Jerry and Martha Leatherman of Floydada, and Raymond and Jane Prisk of Megargel, Texas.

The groom is the son of Andrew and Dalyn Griffith of Idalou. He is grandson of Dan and Earlene Griffith of Abilene and Duane and Lou Gilly of Haskell.

On the wedding day, pews in the sanctuary were decorated with white tulle, a single white rose, and Baby's Breath, tied together with an ivory ribbon. The stage featured a white arch with white, draping cloth and a big, light pink flower in the middle. On either side of the arch were four tall iron pillars holding candles.

Matron of Honor was Jessica McCandless of Amarillo, sister of the bride. Serving as bridesmaids were friends of the bride, Christina Longoria of Floydada, Mattie Sanders of Lubbock, Hannah Love of San Angelo, and Morgan (Griffith) Puckett of Brownfield, sister of the groom. Junior bridesmaid was Addison Miles of Hawley, cousin of the groom.

The bridesmaids wore floor-length gowns in various shades of teal, light blue, and mint. They carried bouquets made from handmade bamboo sola flowers.

Best man was Tristan Broyles of Amarillo, friend of the groom. Groomsmen



MR. AND MRS. ETHAN GRIFFITH
(nee Emily Prisk)

were Ali Souvannakhily of Dumas, friend of the groom, Dusty Prisk of Floydada, brother of the bride, Seth McCandless of Amarillo, brother-in-law of the bride, and Josh Puckett of Brownfield, brother-in-law of the groom. Jr groomsman was Levi Miles of Hawley, cousin of the groom.

The groom and groomsmen wore black high-top Chuck Taylor Converse shoes, gray slacks, and a white dress shirt. The groomsmen also wore black suspenders and bowties in various shades of teal, light blue, and mint to match their adjacent bridesmaid. The groom wore a gray

vest and a pink tie.

Flower girl and ring bearer were Kaitlyn and Kipton Schaertl, cousins of the bride. Kipton carried the rings on a pillow made by sister of the bride, Jessica McCandless.

As guests arrived, cousins of the bride, Marla Tillery and Jena Reeves, took Polaroid snapshots of the attendees. These photos were signed by guests in lieu of a traditional sign-in book.

The ceremony began with Emily and Ethan's grandparents and parents walking down the aisle to Elvis Presley's "Love Me Tender." Bridesmaids and the flower girl and ring bearer entered

to The Beatles' "Till There Was You." The traditional wedding march was played by pianist Penny Giesecke of Floydada as the bride was escorted down the aisle by her father, Jeff Prisk. Emily wore an ivory satin, mermaid gown with a tulle skirt and sweetheart neckline, accentuated with a belt beaded with pearls and silver jewels. The dress featured allover beaded lace, which gave the gown a romantic, vintage feel. The bride also wore a cathedral-length veil with small lace around the edge.

Following the tradition for "Something Old," the bride tied into her bouquet

a handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother, Mammie Anderson. "Something New" was her dress and for "Something Borrowed," she wore a necklace and earrings belonging to her grandmother, Martha Leatherman. The bride wore a garter made by her grandmother, Martha Leatherman, for her "Something Blue." Emily carried a bouquet made from handmade bamboo sola flowers. Each flower was hand dyed by the bride, her mother and sister and assembled into beautiful bouquets.

Hannah Love sang Elvis Presley's "Can't Help Falling in Love" during the unity

ceremony. Earlier in the day, Emily and Ethan wrote letters to each other about their excitement for their future together. During the unity ceremony, they sealed the letters with wax and placed them in a wooden lockbox to be later opened and read on their first anniversary.

A reception was held following the wedding ceremony. The bride's table featured a 3-tiered cake. The top layer was teal, the middle layer was blue and white marbled, and the bottom was white. Bamboo sola flowers of white, and hues of blue and green cascaded down the side. Presiding at the bride's table were Crystal and Ellyanna Medellin of Floydada, friends of the bride.

The groom's table featured the groom's cake, which looked like a tree stump with the couple's initials carved in it. Serving the groom's cake and punch were Ashlyn Green of Floydada and Roxie Chavarria of Floydada, both friends of the bride. Both the bride and groom's cakes were made by the bride's aunt, Stacy Reeves of Floydada.

Another table featured a popcorn bar. Guests filled bags with popcorn of their choosing. Flavor options included original buttered popcorn, creamy cheese-cake, and white cheddar ranch.

Centerpieces at the guests' tables featured light pink paper flowers, handmade by the mother of the bride, table jewels, and photos of the bride and groom. Mary Sanders of Floydada helped decorate and assisted the wedding party on the big day.

After the reception, the couple took a wedding trip to Oklahoma City. They are currently residing in Amarillo, where Emily works as Editor for N2 Publishing and owns Emily Prisk Creative, and Ethan is an assistant store manager for Roaster's Coffee and Tea Company.

Floydada Senior Citizens News

By LuAnn Collins
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA - Our next Bingo night will be the second Tuesday in which is August 14. We open the doors at 5:30 p.m. and play from 6 to 8 p.m. We will have sandwiches, drinks and dessert available at that time. We will also continue our progressive cash bingo game. Our "Money Pot" for the progressive blackout bingo is up to \$50.00. We also play for a cash prize each time. Mark your calendars and join us.

Accolade Home Health is planning on a blood pressure, cholesterol, blood sugar

clinic once a month on the first Wednesday of the month. As we gather more information, it will be announced.

Freida Dunn, BSN,ET, is present the 4th Thursday of the month for a blood pressure clinic, beginning at 11:30, weather permitting. Next clinics will be July 26 and August 30.

Floydada Senior Citizens is our business name, but anyone of any age is welcome to "eat in or take out, or have a meal delivered." Call us at 983-2032 for delivery service at no extra charge. Please try to call before 10:45 so that we can prepare for delivery. We do have memberships

available, at a cost of \$25.00 per year. This membership allows you to purchase the meal for \$5.00 instead of \$6.00.

Our mailing address is P.O. Box 573, Floydada, Texas 79235. Our phone number is 983-2032. Thank you for remembering the Center with your donations or memorials.

MENU

- July 23 - July 27**
- Monday** - Christy's enchiladas
- Tuesday** - Sweet & sour chicken w/ egg roll
- Wednesday** - Spaghetti
- Thursday** - Chicken fried steak
- Friday** - BBQ on bun
(Menus subject to change without notice)

Guthrie's EMS Service celebrated

By Deon Fincher
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After 35 years, Rhonda Guthrie is ending her service to the Floydada EMS. She was honored with a retirement party last week that brought together many community residents, family, and friends. Mayor Gilliland presented a City Proclamation to Mrs. Guthrie in appreciation for her years of service. Pictured (L to R): Mayor Gilliland and Rhonda Guthrie.



Courtesy Photo

Lockney Senior Citizens News

By Renee Armstrong
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

We will be having a "Pancake Supper" on Monday, July 30th from 5 - 8 p.m. Donations welcome.

The 2018 membership dues are due now - \$15 per person.

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 Cen-

ter 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.

Due to a scheduling conflict:
The Floyd County Judge's Office
Will be CLOSED on
Friday, July 20, 2018.
We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.

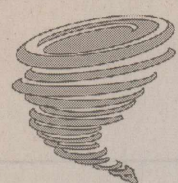
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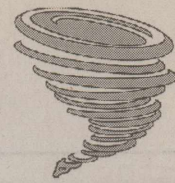
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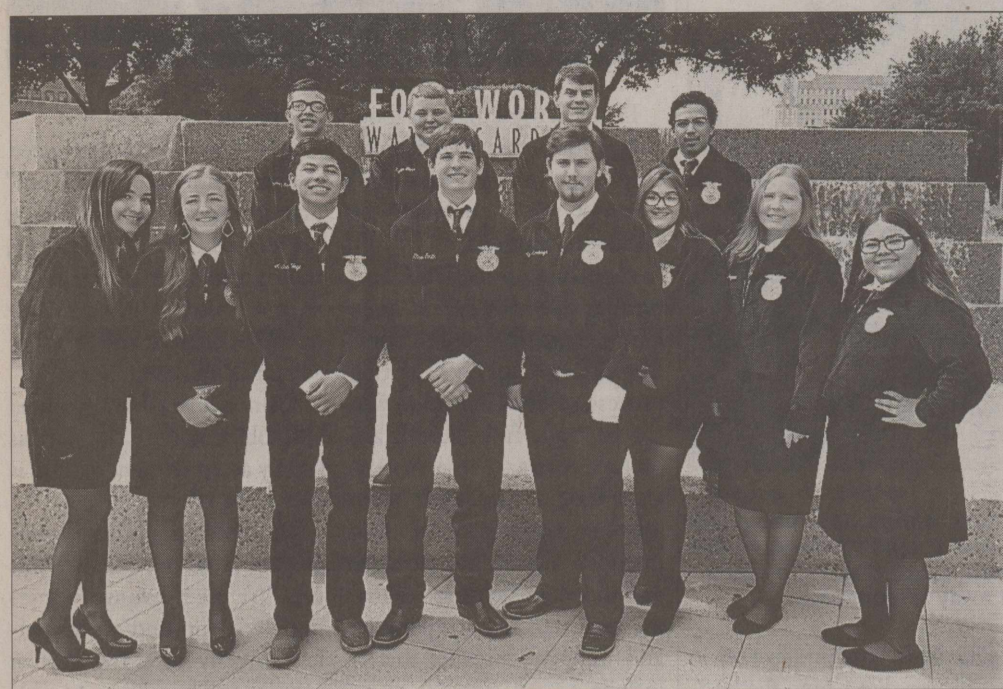
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Floydada Whirlwinds



FFA Members Attend State Convention



Courtesy Photo

Floydada's FFA members attended the State Convention in Fort Worth last week. The Pulled-pork meal fundraiser provides the funds that allow the FFA students to make the trip and participate in the convention activities. Seen visiting the Fort Worth Water Gardens-Back Row (L to R): Andrez Suarez, Ryder Glass, Cutter Smith, and Jose Lira. Front Row (L to R): Ruth Ramirez, Allison Orr, Andrew Vega, Ethan Smith, Monty Stambaugh, Hanna Hernandez, Sydney Langdon, and Myra Garcia.

FFA Officers for Floydada Chapter Announced



Courtesy Photo

Recently Announced 2018-2019 Floydada FFA Officers (L to R): Student Advisor-Andrez Suarez, Parliamentarian-Ruth Ramirez, Secretary-Cutter Smith, Treasurer-Andrew Vega, President-Ethan Smith, Vice President-Allison Orr, Sentinel- Monty Stambaugh, and Reporter-Ryder Glass. Officers were in Ft. Worth attending the 90th Annual FFA Convention last week.

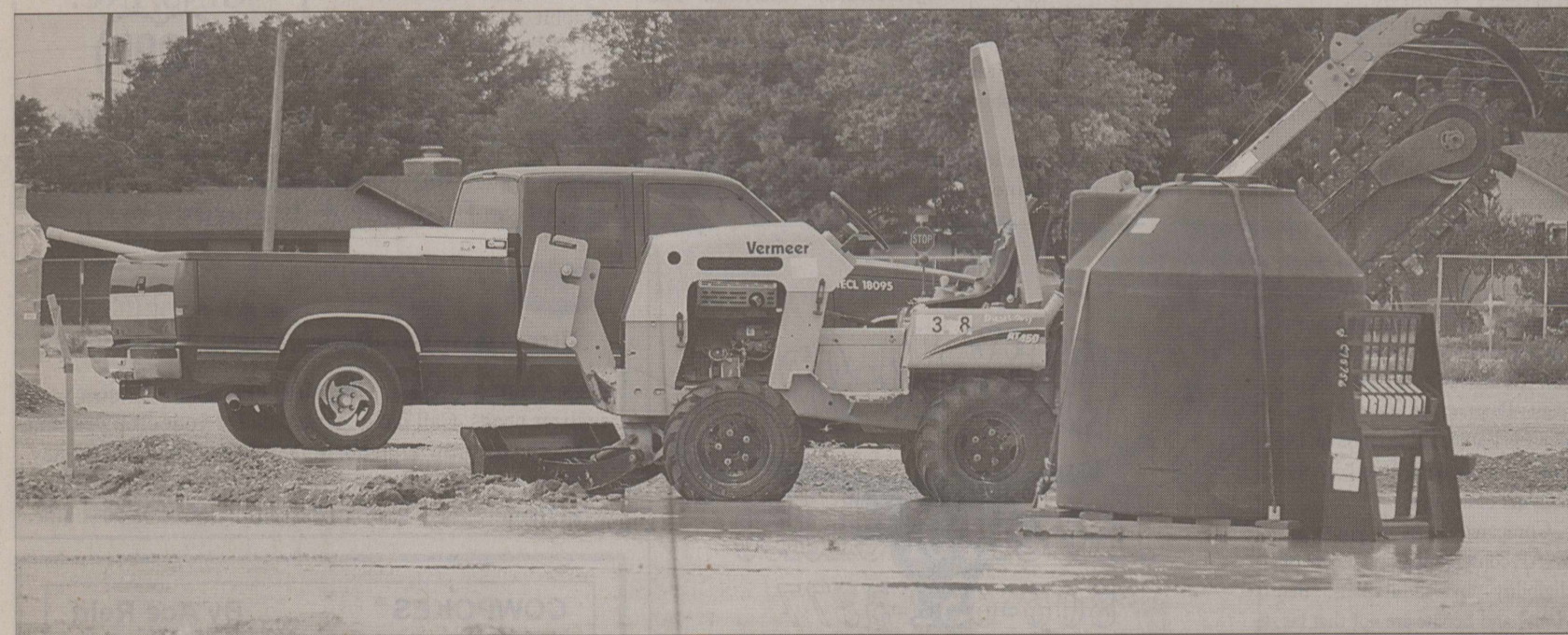
Summer Baseball Champs!



Courtesy Photo

Floydada Boys Summer League-1st Place Winners-Ralls Tournament. Back row (L to R): Coach Ray Perez, Eric Johnston, Luke Holcombe, Emanuel Torres, Assistant-Alex Glass, Devan Perez, Coach Gabe DeLaFuente. Front row (L to R): Jose Lira, Gabe DeLaFuente, Andrus Suarez, Angel Cervera, Andrew Vega, Ryder Glass, Hermilo Martinez, Mike DeLaFuente.

Floydada's High School Construction Site



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

Crews working on the Floydada's High School/ Jr. High campus are few and far between after Thursday's rains flooded the construction site.

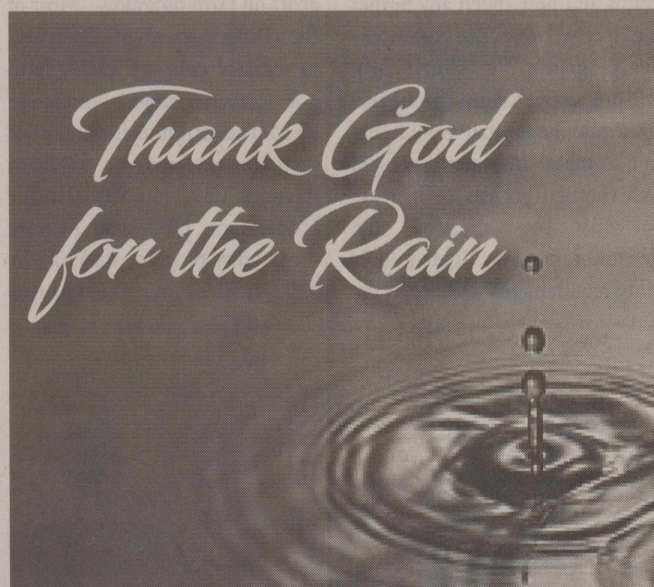
2018-19 School Registration Requirements for New Students

Floydada Independent School District announced the record requirements for new students to FISD for the 2018-2019 school year. All three of these documents must be taken to campus offices:

- Official copy of student's birth certificate (if under 12 years of age)
- Copy of student's Social Security Card
- Student's most recent shot record
- Past school records, if available

Campus offices are open during the summer months, Monday-Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. with minimal staff.

*Returning Students should make sure to have a copy of current shot records and the required shots. Athletes must get required physicals BEFORE the school year begins.



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Lockney Longhorns

INTRODUCING...

The Hesperian-Beacon sent a simple questionnaire to our teachers, aides, coaches and administrators who all work so diligently during the school year. Their answers give us a little bit of an insight into who they are outside the classroom. A big "THANKS!" to all who participated this week. -- Deon Fincher

Mrs. Mindy Petty



**Lockney Elem Counselor
Pre-K-5th Grades**

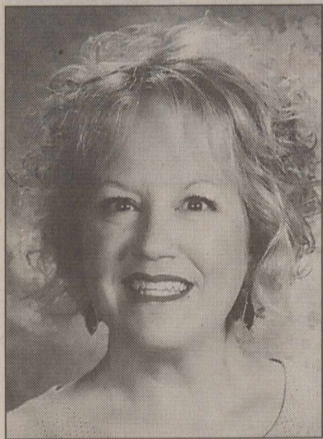
How many years have you been teaching in LISD? I just finished my 5th year at LISD!
What is your favorite cafeteria food? Cinnamon rolls
Your favorite afternoon "pick-me-up" snack? Chocolate!

As a student, who was your favorite teacher and why? As a student, my favorite teacher was Ms. Hazeldine from the Fourth Grade in Oklahoma. Well over thirty years ago, I watched this single mother of two work hard to teach us. She enjoyed teaching and we knew it. She loved us and cared about us. My best friend, Jill and I worked hard and won the right to have her take us to one of our favorite eating places in town. A kid does not forget fighting with her best friend over if you are eating at Taco Bell or Pizza Hut with Ms. Hazeldine! (Can't do that now!) At the end of the year that year, she told us all to go see her at a new restaurant called Tugboat Annie's. She was going to be a waitress there to help ends meet. She had such a good attitude about that. She worked hard as a teacher and mother, she deserved to have her summers free. Later in life, Ms. Hazeldine worked hard and became a principal. She is retired now and keeps up with her former students via Facebook. To this day, she still encourages me. In light of all the teacher strikes in Oklahoma, this hits home. I cannot remember for sure, but that may have been the one year in Oklahoma Public Schools during my time there when my teachers went on strike. I was proud of my teachers for standing up for their rights.

Name one "thing" on your bucket-list that you still have to do: Hmmmmmm...go on a cruise!
Where is your "happy place"? My happy place is in a book.
Away from the classroom, what is/are your hobby/hobbies? Reading books, playing Design Home on my tablet, playing with our cats, watching superhero movies with my family.
What is your favorite teaching "prop"? Document cameras! I don't teach like I used to teach, but a document camera is a must for some grade levels!

If you could study one more topic, what would that be? Oh, there are so many! Maybe Creative Writing or more History...
What country would you like to visit? I don't know if I can narrow it down to one. Costa Rica, Canada, Australia, and Europe...

Mrs. Jean Anne Williams



Principal, Lockney Elementary

How many years have you been teaching in FISD/LISD? I have been employed by LISD for 18 years. I am entering my 14th year as principal at Lockney Elementary. Previously I taught Pre-Kindergarten in Lockney for four years and Plainview for eight.
What is your favorite cafeteria food? Tough choice ...would have to be a tie between burritos and oven baked chicken.

Your favorite afternoon "pick-me-up" snack? Whatever I find in Rosanne Bernal's desk!!!
As a student, who was your favorite teacher and why? My favorite teacher was Mr. Henry. He was my third-grade teacher in Austin, where I grew up. Mr. Henry was very progressive, for that time, and liked for his students to think for themselves and map their own learning.

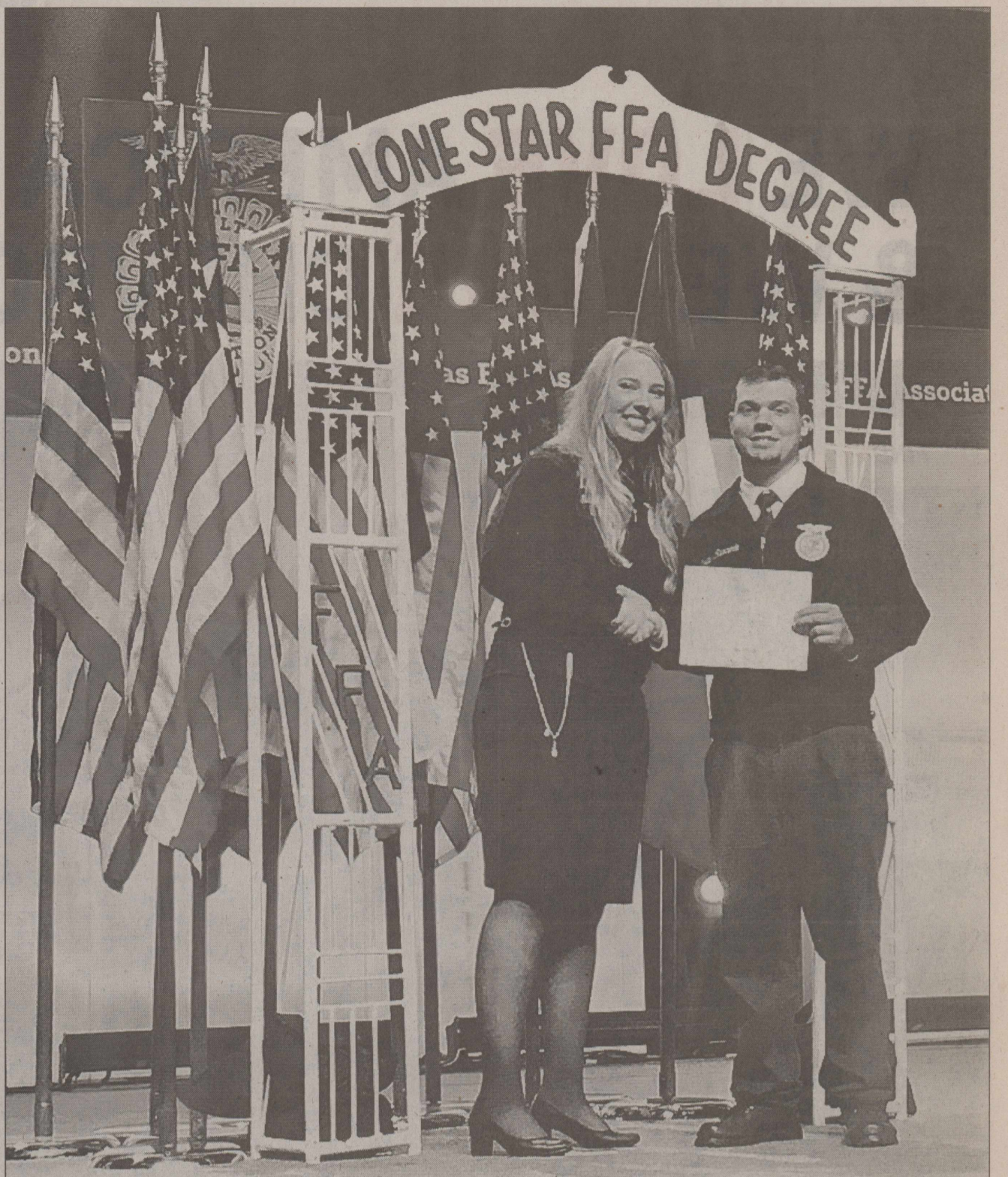
Name one "thing" on your bucket-list that you still have to do: I want to drive a race car. "I wanna go fast." — Ricky Bobby
Where is your "happy place"? Anywhere with my family and friends.
Away from the classroom, what is/are your hobby/hobbies? I enjoy reading and travel ...and am a TV junkie!
What is your favorite teaching "prop"? I don't know if this is a prop ...but I think the best thing about teaching is being able to cultivate a relationship with students. I enjoy getting to know them and watching them grow as they learn.
If you could study one more topic, what would that be? I would like to learn several more languages: Italian, French, and German.
What country would you like to visit? I would love to visit England, Scotland and Ireland.

Sammie Setliff

**H/R & Payroll Clerk
Lockney ISD**

How many years have you been teaching in FISD/LISD? I have been with Lockney ISD for 10 years.
What is your favorite cafeteria food? They have really good cinnamon rolls
Your favorite afternoon "pick-me-up" snack? Diet Coke/Nuts
As a student, who was your favorite teacher and why? I had a 6th grade Science teacher, Mr. Phillips, who made even a girl who didn't like science, love it. He was awesome!!
Name one "thing" on your bucket-list that you still have to do: Travel more.
Where is your "happy place"? Anywhere my husband and children are.
Away from the classroom, what is/are your hobby/hobbies? I love to travel, read and play games.
If you could study one more topic, what would that be? Photography
What country would you like to visit? Italy

Rexrode Awarded Highest Membership Degree



Courtesy Photo

Austen Rexrode, Lockney FFA Chapter member, was recently awarded the highest degree of membership the State FFA Association can award. To receive a Lone Star Degree, the member must have obtained the Chapter Degree, must have been an active FFA member for at least two years, complete at least four semesters of agricultural science at or above the ninth grade level, maintain a supervised agricultural experience (SAE) program, invest significant time and money in their SAE, demonstrate their leadership skills and show a commitment to the FFA through involvement at the chapter level and above, and complete at least 25 hours of community service in a minimum of two different activities.

Lockney FFA represents in Ft. Worth



Courtesy Photo

Members of the Lockney FFA Chapter attended the State Convention in Fort Worth this week. Back Row (L to R): Kaylee McInvale, Keanu Villarreal and Edwin Martinez. Front Row (L to R): Hunter Lefevre, Austen Rexrode and Kalebh Cook

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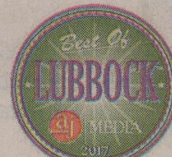


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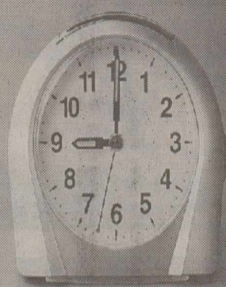
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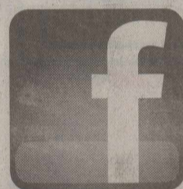
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IN THE MATTER OF: **MARY MARTINEZ, Deceased**
Cause No. 6077

NOTICE TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS and all the UNKNOWN HEIRS OF THE ESTATE OF: **MARY MARTINEZ, Deceased**

GREETINGS:
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to Section § 202.52 of the Texas Estate Codes, that **EUTIMIO MARTINEZ** filed an **APPLICATION FOR INDEPENDENT ADMINISTRATION AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION PURSUANT TO SECTION § 401.003 OF THE TEXAS ESTATES CODE** in the Estate of **MARY MARTINEZ, Deceased**, pursuant to Section §202.052, Cause No. 6077, in the **COUNTY COURT** of Floyd County, Texas. The said Application being filed on the **10th DAY OF JULY 2018**.

All persons claiming to be an heir of **MARY MARTINEZ, Deceased**, who believe that they have an interest in the said estate, should contact the following person, prior to the hearing on the said application of the estate:

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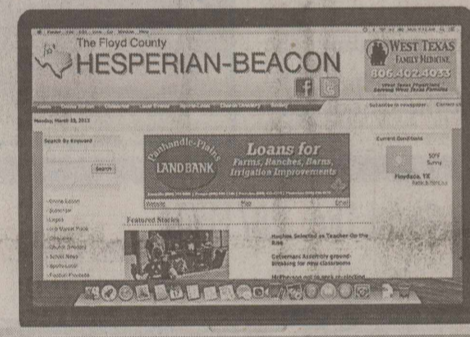
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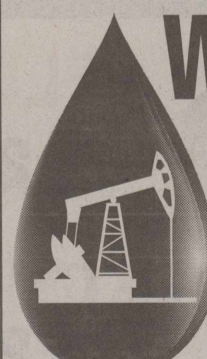


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ACE Program Cools Off Summer

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The Afterschool Center on Education (ACE) Program's summer-time educational series began May 29th in Floydada. The kids who got to participate on these summer mornings were kept busy with educational studies as well as visiting programs which became the highlight of the week.

The Science Spectrum always brings an intriguing program. This year they brought some of their "traveling pets" for some one-on-one interaction. Have you ever snuggled with a ball python?

The Panhandle Plains Historical Museum brought caskets one morning. Well, not caskets, but skeletons. The kids were challenged to match animal photographs to animal bones and were taught to recognize the traits of different animal species.

The Texas Tech University, Office of Int'l Affairs-K-12 Global Education Outreach Program brought beads, capes, and masks for the kids to make Maasai Tribe (Africa) bracelets, dancing capes and painted masks.

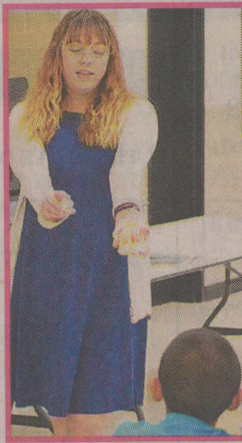
With the hot temperatures this summer, ACE made use of some baby pools, plastic roll, dish-washing soap and a hose and water pressure. Water kick-base-ball was a hit for all ages and everyone benefitted from the cool splash of water.

ACE has completed their summer program for 2018 but will be providing the afterschool care as normal throughout the school year.

Ace Ball Python



Ace Skeleton



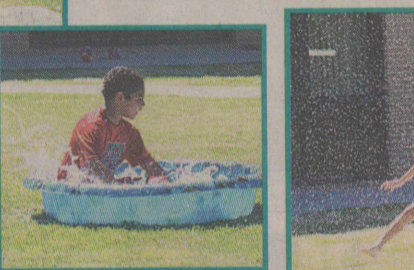
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