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American Legion Post #141 takes meetings to veterans



Courtesy Photo

The American Legion Post #141 presented patriotic quilts to veterans in Quitaque last week. It is the Post's intention to reach out to every veteran in the surrounding areas. Pictured above (Left to Right) with their quilts are Robert Clark, Ricky Clardy (back), Bob Watson and Weldon Griffin.

By Deon Fincher
 The Hesperian-Beacon

LOCKNEY - The American Legion Post #141 is reaching out to veterans in surrounding towns intent on connecting with each and every veteran in the area. Knowing that many veterans can't travel to attend American Legion Meetings, Post Commander Ed Marks and VSO Letesha Gaither are taking the meetings to the veterans. The first of those meetings took place in Quitaque this past September 13th, and others are scheduled.

Held in Caprock Café, Jerry Beck organized the activity. Marks and Gaither provided packets of information related to veterans and veteran benefits. They also had patriotic quilts for each

and every veteran present. Two customers, each of them veterans, were dining in the restaurant. Marks explained the Post's intention to reach out to veterans in outlying communities, how the Legion helps veterans and the values upon which the Legion stands. On principle, no one, regardless of military branch, should be excluded, and thus the two diners were welcomed as if they were brothers.

Quilts were given to Weldon Griffin, Bob Watson, Ricky Clardy, and Robert Clark. For information regarding the American Legion Post #141 and its initiatives, or to help in any way, please contact Post commander Ed Marks at (806)518-8448 or Letesha Gaither at (806)729-5974.

LONGTIME EMPLOYEE RETIRES



Courtesy Photo

JACK ALANIZ RETIRES from City of Floydada. Jack began working for the City right out of high school and has been a dedicated employee for the past 27 years. "Thank you!" Jack for your devoted service and we wish you the best in your new endeavors. Pictured Back row (L to R): Ray Perez, Eddy Machado, Eduardo Alvarado, Darrell Gooch; Third Row (L to R): Gabriel Morales, Gilbert Flores, Julian Alaniz; Second Row (L to R): Alias Lucio, Manuel Barrientos, Evan Martinez, Patti Lowrance, Tali Jackson, Laura Paz and Reuben Ramon; Front row: Eddie Sanchez, Jack Alaniz, and Albert Chavarria.



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

Utility poles laying in rainwater-filled bar ditches after Thursday night's storm in and around the Cedar Hill community.

Storm Damage extensive in Cedar Hill

By Deon Fincher
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CEDAR HILL - While most of Floyd County slept through the storm last Thursday night, residents in and around the rural Cedar Hill community were caught in a much more terrifying situation, whose true identity and the extent of the damage only became evident with the daylight hours.

Lighthouse Electric was called out to access damage and make repairs close to midnight, along with the TxDOT employees that were called to assist in controlling traffic and clearing roadways. Those linemen and highway workers braved the rain and wind

throughout the night. According to resident Durrell Fortenberry, electric service was reestablished close to daybreak.

Lighthouse crews had their hands full, even into the next day, as up to 22 poles were snapped into—many of them laying in the roadway having to be pushed to the bar ditches that were full of water.

One report said that a plot of cotton had a path cut through of which all the leaves had been stripped off the plants.

Upon arriving in the community, extensive damage to structures was also found: the Elevator office had been ripped into with all of the contents being strewn across

the lot and onto neighboring areas, trees were ripped into pieces or split apart at the ground, mobile homes and trailers were toppled and destroyed, and garden plants were pulled up by their roots or simply plastered to the ground by the rain—which fell at the rate of 3 inches in 30 minutes.

It is unknown whether the storm consisted of a tornadic episode or straight-line winds; either way, the damage to the area was astonishing.

According to the National Weather Service in Lubbock, Texas on Monday morning, they had just learned about the storm and had yet to send out investigators.

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Courtesy Photo

Back Row (L to R): Dr. Wolf WT Rep., Kalebh Cook, Nehemiah Montoya, Clay Moore, Keanu Villarreal, Joey Brooke-Committee Chair; Front Row (L to R): Tuff Araujo, Jordyn Varner, Gunnry Araujo, Audrey Rexrode, Hunter Lefevre.

Dairy Industry hosts local FFA students

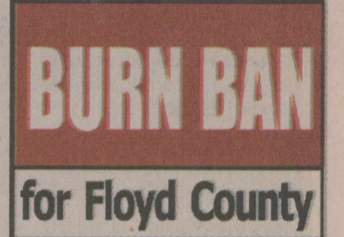
Special to the Hesperian-Beacon

LOCKNEY - Members of the Lockney FFA and a select few surrounding FFA students completed The Dairy Honors Program last week put on by West Texas A&M University Department of Agriculture Sciences. This is the first time a program like this has been offered in the state of Texas. Lockney FFA students spent the past two Wednesdays learning all aspects of the dairy industry. It was a once in-a-lifetime experience for the kids of Lockney and surrounding schools.

All the presenters and owners of the five dairies had the privilege of working with truly showed a passion for the industry, showing that they are true stewards of their businesses. The kids stayed attentive and engaged throughout the program. Hats off to the committee who made this possible—Dairy Fountain (Plainview), Legacy Dairy (Plainview), Vista Grande Dairy (Plainview), Plains Dairy (Amarillo), and Caprock Dairy (Muleshoe).

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.



FLOYDADA SENIOR CITIZENS - FLU SHOTS

The Floydada Senior Citizens Center will be offering "FLU SHOTS" on Thursday, Sept. 26 from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. For more info call 983-2032.

PETERSBURG DAY

The 2019 Petersburg Day celebration will be on Friday, Sept. 27 and Saturday, Sept. 28 this year. Our theme this year is: "Petersburg-We are outstanding in our field". There are several exciting, fun events planned on that weekend. See our webpage for more information: PETERSBURGTXCHAMBER.COM, or call Cindy Porter at 806-787-4540 for questions. Come join us this year as we celebrate our heritage and look forward to our future because we are "outstanding in our field!"

LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZENS LUNCH

The Lockney Senior Citizens will have their "Sunday Lunch" on September 29. More details on the menu will follow soon. All donations are appreciated.

FLOYDADA SENIOR CITIZENS LUNCH

We will be serving a "Sunday Meal" on October 6 to help with the cost of a new ice maker. The menu will include chicken and dressing, green beans, salad, dessert and drink. Minimum donation is \$8.00.

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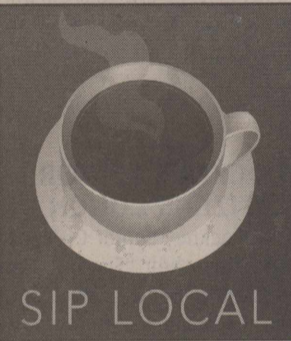
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Floyd County Sheriff's Office Crime Report

JULY 1
Deputy responded to the 400 blk of US Hwy 70 in reference to criminal mischief, Complainant reported that someone poured water into the engine of his John Deere combine.

JULY 6
Sheriff's Office received a report of criminal mischief on FM 54. Victim reported that his VW Bug had been shot numerous times while on his property. No suspect has been identified in this case.

JULY 6
Deputy was dispatched to FM 54 about a vehicle accident that was caused by a blown-out tire that caused the driver to veer off roadway hitting a utility pole. No injuries reported.

JULY 8
Deputy responded to Allsup's in the City of Lockney in reference to a robbery. After speaking with the store clerk and getting a description of the suspect the deputy found the suspect on South Main. Adrian Luna 30, of Lockney was arrested and charged with Robbery.

JULY 12
Deputy responded to a burglary in the 200 blk of W Poplar street in the City of Lockney. Complainant informed the deputy that the crime had been committed on July 7th. Victim didn't notice any items missing until the 12th. The thief took an airline ticket, the victim's Driver's License, some shoes, a laptop and cell phone.

JULY 19
Dispatch received a call of a traffic accident on TX 207. A pickup pulling an overweight trailer driving south into the canyon attempted to slow down as the pickup gained speed. The driver lost control of the vehicle causing it and the trailer to jack knife. The driver left the scene of the accident.

JULY 21
Dispatch received a call of a traffic accident on TX 207 where vehicle left the roadway and overcorrected causing it to skid out of control then rolled one-time landing on the wheels. The driver left the scene and was found a short time later and air lifted with serious injuries to University Medical Center.

JULY 23
Deputy responded to a theft at the construction site on FM 97 in the City of Lockney. The stolen items were a Stripper Filter and a combination 3/4 in ratchet/wrench.

JULY 16
Floydada EMS was dispatched to the 1200 Block of South 3rd Street in reference to a child with heat exhaustion. The Floyd County Sheriff's Office was later contacted and is investigating the death of a 17-month old child.

JULY 19
Dispatch received a call of a traffic accident on FM 689 involving a vehicle hitting a deer. No injuries reported.

JULY 29
Deputy conducted a traffic stop in the City of Lockney for several traffic violations. After contact was made with the occupants the deputy could smell burnt marijuana emitting from the vehicle. The deputy conducted a probable cause search of the vehicle and found Methamphetamines. Jerry George Marshall 47, of Amarillo was arrested for Possession of a Controlled Substance and transported to Garza County for housing.

JULY 30
Deputy responded to a call of damaged property on SW 8th street in the City of Lockney. Upon arrival the Deputy noticed the left rear tire of a SUV had come off a vehicle that rolled into a garage door causing damage.

JULY 31
Dispatch received a call of a traffic accident on Hwy 70 and FM 378 South. The driver of a Chevy pickup failed to yield the right of way to a Dodge Charger that was travelling West on US 70. The Chevy pickup collided with the left quarter panel of the Charger causing it to skid off into the bar-ditch. No injuries reported.

AUGUST 12
A theft of fuel was reported at 1700 State Highway 207. The complaint stated that someone had caused damage to the facilities gate to gain access to the fuel tank that was on the property. Deputy was told that approximately 125 gallons of fuel was taken. No suspect has been identified in this case.

AUGUST 13
Deputy responded to the 1000 block of E 8th street in the City of Lockney in reference to a stolen trailer. The trailer was a 16' homemade trailer with the following items loaded on the trailer. A John Deere lawn mower and a camouflage golf cart.

AUGUST 16
Sheriff Raissez responded to a burglary of a build that had already occurred in the 1000 Block of Menefee street in the City of Floydada. Sheriff met with the Complainant who informed him that a STIHL weed eater and four 20-volt DeWalt batteries had been taken from his storage building.

AUGUST 17
Deputy was dispatched to Lowes Grocery store in the City of Lockney in reference to an assault. This case is still under investigation.

AUGUST 18
A sex offender compliance check was conducted in the 400 Block of SW 4th Street in the City of Lockney after receiving information that offender Stephen Gonzales was no longer living at his reported address. A warrant was issued for Stephen Gonzales for Failure to comply with sex offender registration duties.

AUGUST 19
Sheriff and a Deputy were dispatched to the 300 block of W Spruce street in the City of Lockney for a possible structure fire. Upon arrival and after investigating William Means 25, of Lockney was arrested for Arson and transported to Garza County for housing.

AUGUST 22
Deputy responded to a call of a reckless driver on FM 2286. After the vehicle was located the deputy contacted the driver and further investigation lead to the arrest of Raul Garcia, 61 of Plainview for Driving While Intoxicated, he was then transported to Castro County Detention Center for housing.

AUGUST 25
Stephen Gonzales 26, of Lockney was arrested in the 300 block of Guest street in the City of Lockney for a warrant for Failure to Register as a Sex Offender and transported to Castro County for housing.

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Football Contest Standings Week 3

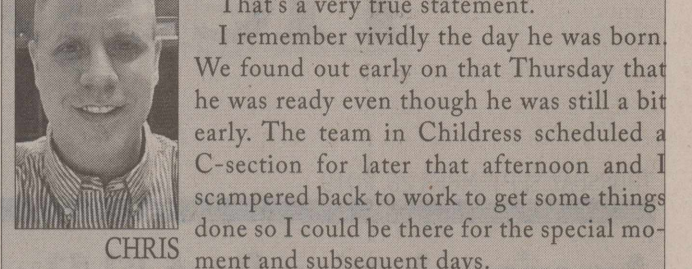
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Lanny Barnett	22/25	59/74
Renee Armstrong	21/25	58/74
Pam Fulton	20/25	57/74
Brent Sanders	20/25	56/74
Ricky Ascencio	18/25	54/74
Domingo Faz	19/25	54/74
Daniel Diaz	15/25	51/74
Gary Cawley	18/25	50/74
Diego Ascencio	16/25	48/74
Paul Lopez	15/25	48/74
Lockney Coop Gin	17/25	48/74
Kellie Cantwell	18/25	47/74
Vicky Huffman	17/25	44/74
Steve Stringer	12/25	36/74

Meet Your LOCAL MERCHANTS

The Paperboy Time flies when you have children

My youngest son, Sutton Hawk, turned 14 on Sunday.

It's funny, but when you have babies, you often hear people say, "Enjoy them, because they'll be grown before you know it."



That's a very true statement. I remember vividly the day he was born. We found out early on that Thursday that he was ready even though he was still a bit early. The team in Childress scheduled a C-section for later that afternoon and I scampered back to work to get some things done so I could be there for the special moment and subsequent days.

Everything went off without a hitch until they removed him from the womb. The poor guy wasn't breathing. The nurse took him and immediately began trying to get the fluid out of his lungs so he could breathe. It was probably only a minute or so, but it felt like an hour. Two feet from me was this tiny infant turning a nice shade of blue. As I watched and prayed, he finally took his first breath and then began to cry.

A few minutes later, I emerged with my baby in my arms from the operating room into the waiting room where family and loved ones were waiting to welcome him into the world.

In the 14 years since, there's hardly been a dull moment. Sutton Hawk is a people-person who is loud and funny. He's kind to people and he likes to laugh.

He and his older brother still argue and fight some, but deep down, there's love and mutual respect there.

I'm proud of my son. He's far from perfect, but he's got a lot of good qualities and a bright future.

We will do our best to make sure that he's prepared and ready for the challenging world ahead of him.

There's a lot of talk these days about Climate Change. Some networks have gone all in even exclaiming there's a climate crisis.

If that were really true, wouldn't these activists be storming China and India, the world's largest polluters?

If these activists really wanted to make a dent in this "crisis," they'd be demanding that China and India cut their emissions. The fact they aren't, and are almost solely focused on the U.S., says a lot.

The U.S. has cut emissions greatly over the past 30 years and continues to do so. However, that's not enough. Now they demand that we stop eating beef along with a whole host of other silly crap.

This whole climate crisis stuff is geared toward giving more control of your life to the government in an effort to usher in full blown socialism. Basically, it's a wealth redistribution scam.

It's unfortunate that the Al Gore's of the world have infiltrated American schools and have literally attempted to brainwash an entire generation.

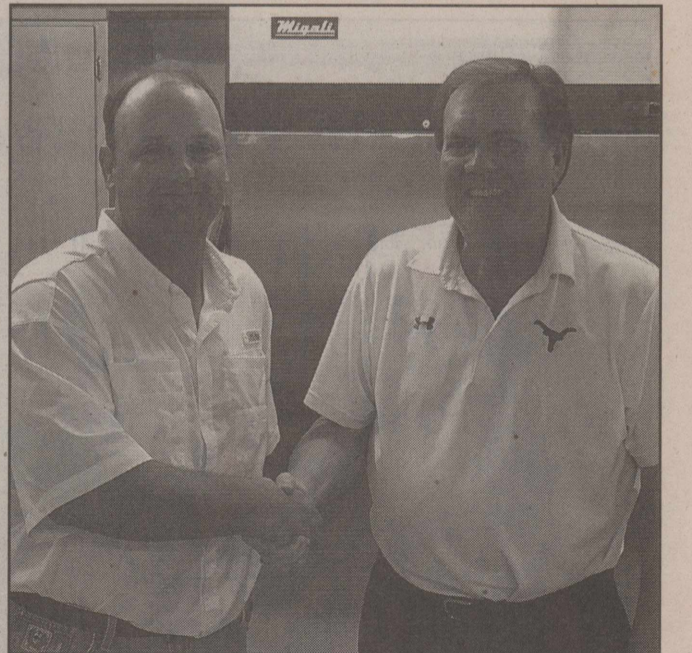
The latest timetable these people have been touting for our demise is 10-12 years away. Back when Gore was getting rich off of Global Warming, New York, Houston, and Miami were all to be under water by 2010.

Want further proof that it's a money-grabbing scam? I present to you the real estate market. If there was truly proof that these cities were going to be under water, people and businesses would not be investing billions of dollars in real estate development in cities that are supposedly disappearing in 10 years.

By the way, climate change champion Barack Obama just purchased a \$15 million beachfront home on Martha's Vineyard.

Why would he do that if it's supposed to be under water in 10 years?

He wouldn't.



LOCKNEY'S ROTARY CLUB welcomed Stacy Ward (pictured on the left), Lockney's Head Coach and athletic director-greeted by Brent Barker (pictured right), Rotary Vice President. Coach Ward shared information about the new coaches, sports teams in Lockney and the health of the school's programs.

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History made as Texas Tech University Breaks Ground on School of Veterinary Medicine

AMARILLO, Texas - Administrators and officials from Texas Tech University and Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center (TTUHSC) gathered Thursday (Sept. 19) in an empty field just north of the Amarillo campus to break ground on the Texas Tech University School of Veterinary Medicine, the latest milestone that will bring about the state of Texas' first new school of veterinary medicine in more than 100 years.

The turning of dirt symbolized the culmination of years of dedication and hard work that will result in the Texas Tech University School of Veterinary Medicine, designed to address the imperative need for rural and large-animal

veterinarians. Within two years, Texas Tech University expects to enroll its first class of veterinary students who will receive a cost-efficient education through an innovative, world-class curriculum designed to address the critical shortage of veterinarians that is threatening small, regional and agricultural communities throughout the state.

The academic building will be named the School of Veterinary Medicine Amarillo Campus. In addition, a separate set of facilities that will serve as the large-animal focal point of the school will be named the School of Veterinary Medicine Mariposa Station. Together, these facilities support the school's instruction, research and



Courtesy Photo

outreach mission.

The two-story academic building will consist of two learning wings. The east wing will consist of three large classrooms, breakout rooms and office suites on the first floor, with leadership and faculty offices and graduate study and work rooms on the second floor. The west wing will consist of laboratory and research spaces, as well as locker rooms, surgery suites, housing for small animals and support rooms for anatomy and pathology instruction. The west wing also will include a lobby where veterinary partners can drop off animals for examination and surgical procedures.

Donors and civic leaders have pledged more than \$90 million toward infrastructure, construction and scholarships for the School of Veterinary Medicine on the site of TTUHSC in Amarillo, which made Thursday's groundbreaking possible.

The School of Veterinary Medicine is expected to open in the fall of 2021 and will enroll an initial pioneering class of approx-

imately 60 students. The program also is designed to support graduate students involved in advanced research.

Texas Tech's model will recruit and select students with a passion to practice and succeed in small, agricultural and regional communities and utilize a curriculum focused on the competencies and skills necessary to be successful in practices that support these communities. The model eliminates the need for a costly teaching hospital and, instead, partners with the community of veterinary practices across the state to provide clinical learning through collaboration.

The groundbreaking is the year's latest milestone, after state leaders recognized the need for a new school of veterinary medicine. In June, Gov. Greg Abbott signed into law the state budget for the next two years, which appropriated \$17.35 million for the School of Veterinary Medicine in Amarillo that will go toward operational needs in order to get the school up and running.

DAMAGE

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Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

An overturned mobile-home trailer after the storm raged through Cedar Hill last Thursday night.



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

All that is left standing of the Elevator Building are the South-West walls—cabinets, drawers, refrigerators, and various other office equipment was separated and strewn across the property.



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

One of 20+ utility poles that were snapped off with the wind and rain that raged down County Road 97 through Cedar Hill, the rural community Northeast of Floydada. Lighthouse Coop spent most of the night working to restore power to the area residents, but repairs would be ongoing through the week.

Floydada Fire Dept. Brisket Fundraiser September 29th



By Deon Fincher
The Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA - The Floydada Volunteer Fire Department is preparing to feed a host of hungry supporters on Sunday, September 29th. Pulled pork sandwiches, chips and a drink will be the menu for the 'drive-thru' style fundraiser. As in years past,

the meal is not to be missed! The Fire Hall will serve as the take-out window. Meals will be available beginning at 10:30 for a minimum donation of \$8 and will continue to be served until the meat runs out or customers run out. For additional information, contact Rusty Hopper at the Fire Department by calling City Hall (806)983-2834.

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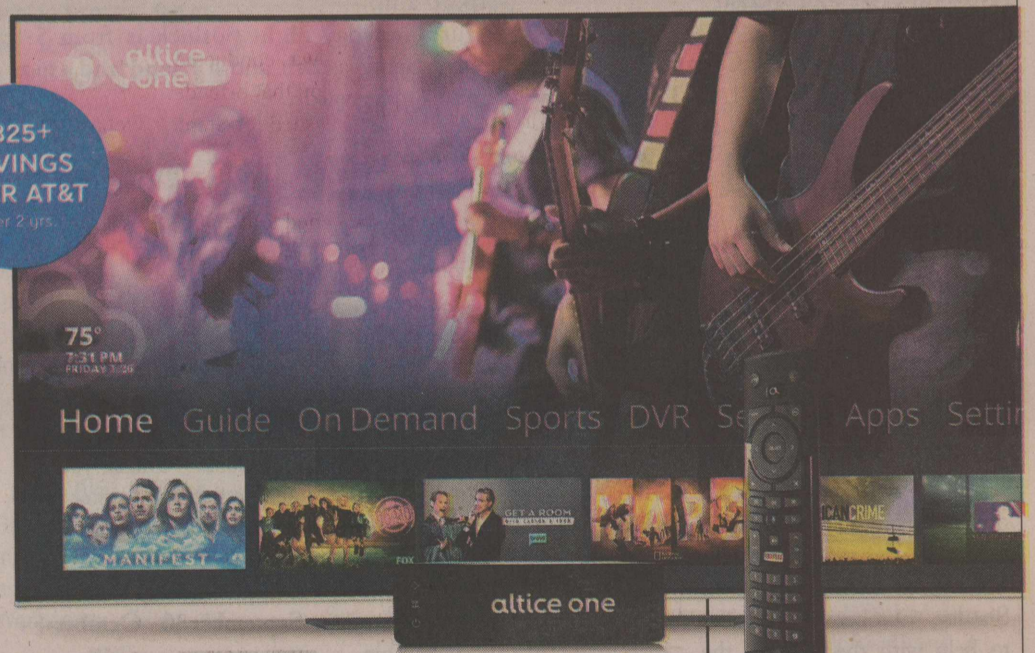
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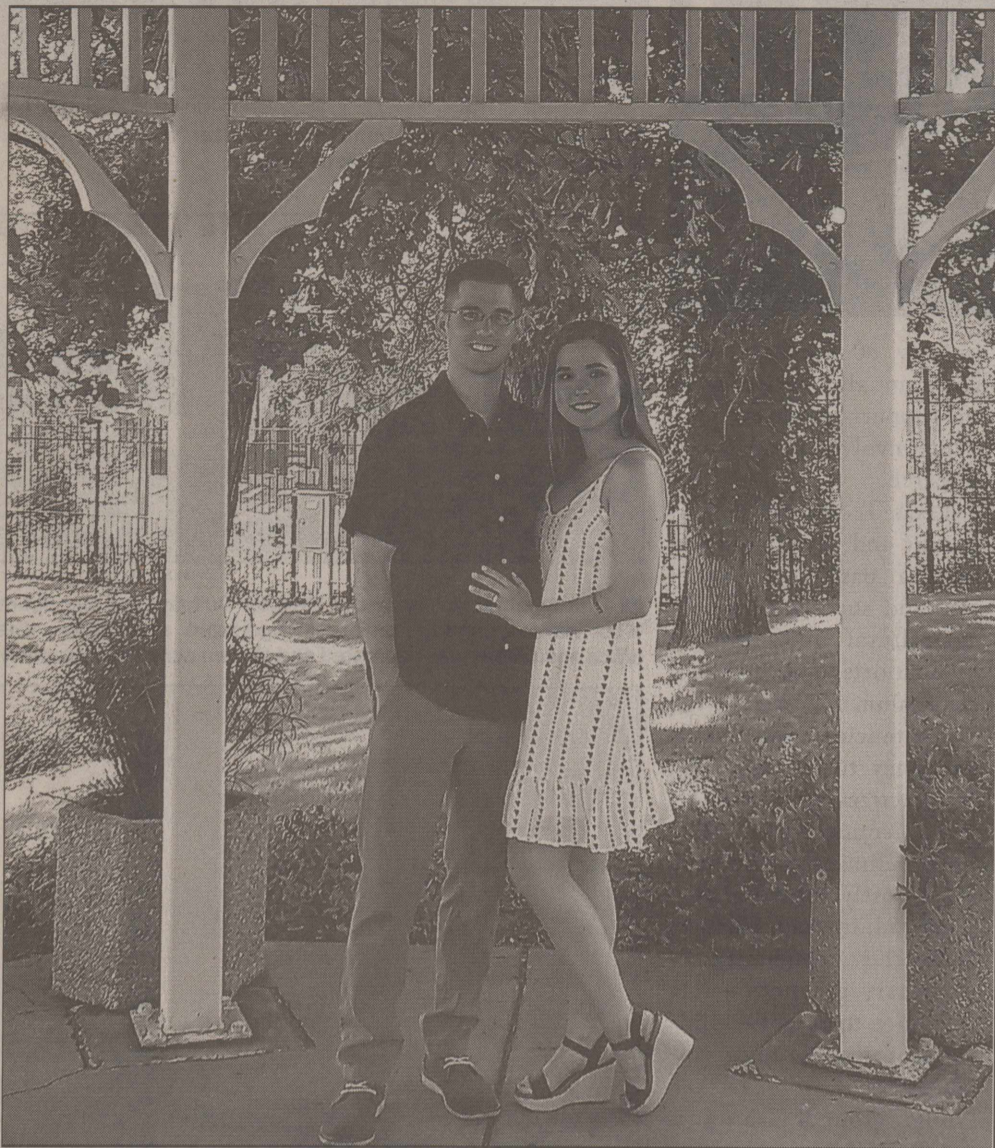
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Smith and Determan exchange wedding vows



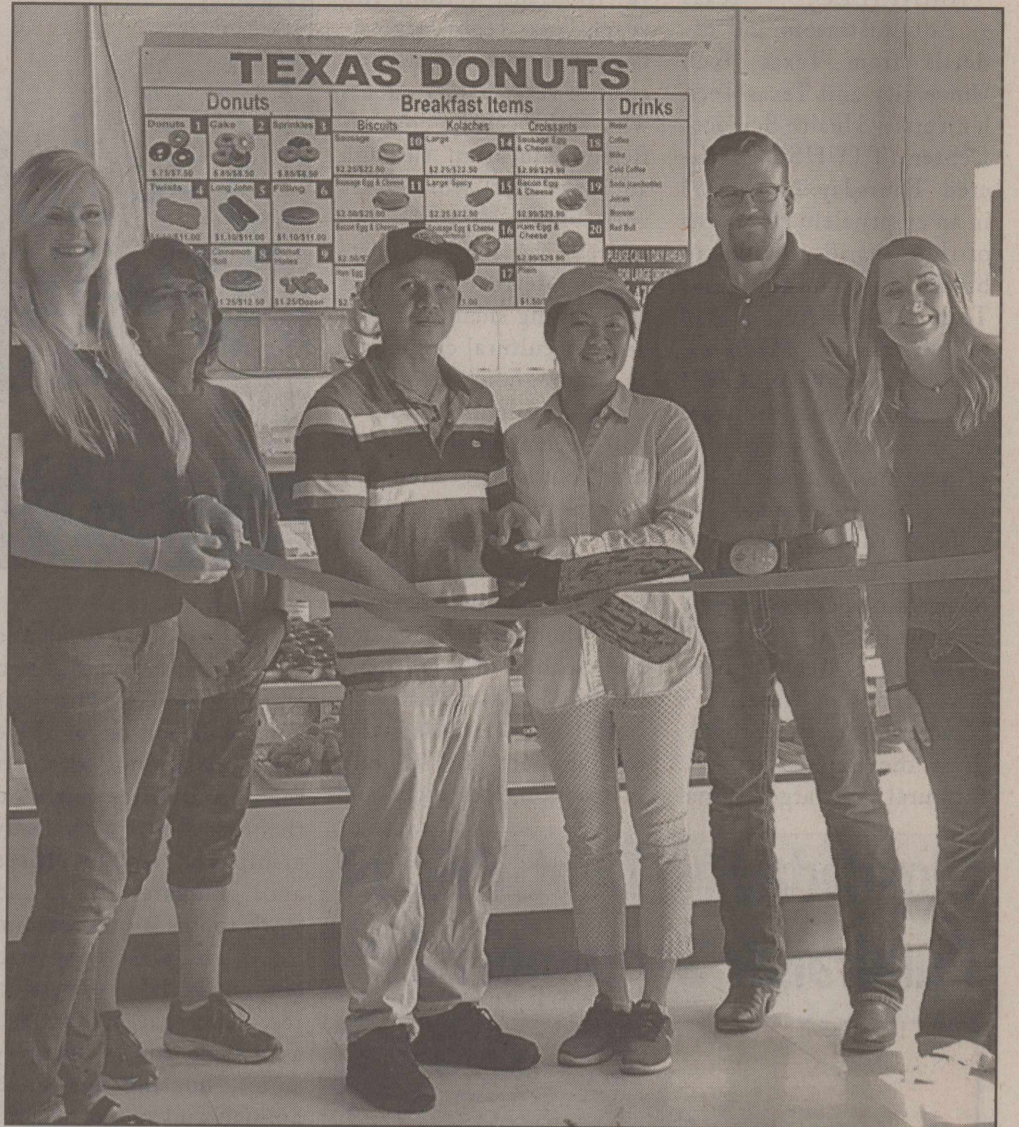
MR. AND MRS. CODY SMITH
(nee Samantha Determan)

Dennis and Mary Carter of Lockney are announcing the marriage of their grandson, Cody Smith to Samatha (Sam) Determan.

The couple exchanged wedding vows on Thursday, August 1, 2019 in Minot, North Dakota.

Attending the ceremony was Larry and Dawn Determan, parents of the bride, and great-aunt, Patt O'keeffe of Illinois. Also, Barry and Dava Paul, parents of the groom, from Tamaqua, Pennsylvania and Dennis A. and Mary M. Cope Carter, grandparents from Lockney, Texas.

Cody and Samatha Smith are both in the United States Air Force.



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FLOYDADA'S CHAMBER OF COMMERCE welcomes Texas Donuts to Floydada! Sue and Kimang Mao are the newest business owners in the community. They offer a wide variety of donuts and pastries as well as kolaches and croissants. Stop in (or drive-in, for now) and enjoy some of their yummy breakfast items! Congratulations and best of luck, Texas Donuts! Pictured (L to R): Chamber manager-Kortney DeBock, Chamber Vice President-Mona Anderson, Owners-Kimang and Sue Mao, EDC manager-Justin Brown, Chamber board member- Whitley Nutt.

THE FLOYD COUNTY HISTORICAL MUSEUM MEMORIES 1979

THE J.M.TYE FAMILY

J.M. and Jessie Tye-married 1938 at Shreveport, Louisiana.

J. M. Tye was born in Plainview, Texas in 1913

Jessie Stephens was born in Joaquin, Texas in 1914.

Two sons-(1) John M. Tye III was born in Nacogdoches, Texas in 1945. He married Vel Ulrich of Milwaukee, Wisconsin; (2) James Stephen Tye was born 1950 at Route 2, Lockney, Texas. He married Jan Stone of Plainview, Texas. John M. and Vel have one son John M. Tye IV, born 9-12-77 in Plainview, Texas. Both sons graduated from Lockney High School and now live in Plainview, Texas however they work in Lockney, Texas.

J. M. and Jessie Tye moved to Floyd County in 1948 after serving in the U. S. Navy from 1942 to January, 1946. They lived in Plainview for 2 years and then moved to the farm west and north of Lockney 7 miles where they resided until 1958 when they built their present home at 819 W. Bryant Street in Lockney. After attending Aiken Baptist Church, they moved their membership to Lockney Baptist Church.

Jessie Stephens Tye's parents were William Edwin Stephens from England by way of Kentucky and Ellen Wilson Stephens. She is from a family of 4 girls and 2 boys.

The grandparents of Ellen Wilson Stephens were active in forming the state of Texas during the time of Sam Houston as first head of the State of Texas-after the battle of San Jacinto, where they fought, and the surrender of the Mexican's General Santa Anna. The family homesteaded near the Sabine River, which is now the boundary for the State of Texas and Louisiana.

J. M. Tye is the son of John Madison Tye and Dora Morris Tye. They had a family of 4 girls and 2 boys. Mr. Tye's father came to Oklahoma Territory from Kentucky. He married Dora Morris in Oklahoma and came to the Plains in a covered wagon. After stopping at several

places, including what is now Tye, Texas, the family came on west to build a home in Plainview and buy a quarter section of land in Floyd County in the part of the county that is now the Sterley Community where they raised wheat and maize. J. M. and Jessie bought out the heirs and still own this land.

J. M. and Jessie farmed land west of Lockney from 1948 until 1958 when they moved into Lockney and built their home, they also built the brick building on Highway 70 East of city limits for business. They sold farm machinery for the Oliver Corporation. In 1962, they formed "The Tye Company" which manufactures farm equipment and distributes it nationwide-The Tye Grain Drill, also the Tye Cotton Planter-the first of its kind. The manufacturing plant in Lockney employees 85 full time employees.

The plant is managed by the oldest son, John M. Tye III, who earned his degree from Texas Tech in industrial engineering and his Master's Degree from Oklahoma State University.

James Stephen Tye is active in the Lockney Company as well as owning a charter flight service in Plainview, Texas. He attended college at West Texas State University. He has been a pilot since he was 16 years of age. He was a flight instructor while in school in Lockney and Canyon.

Many interesting things happened to the John Madison Tye family on the trip to Plainview while traveling through the area "just below the Caprock". Water was very scarce and at places the water would make people sick. The team that pulled the wagon would also get sick. When they found good water, they would buy some to take with them from the homesteaders who owned the spring in order to have water to cook with. On many occasions the fresh meat was jack rabbit stew. The part of land that is now Floyd County was mostly all grass with a dim wagon trail across it.

Lockney Senior Citizen's News

By Renee Armstrong
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

LOCKNEY - We hope you are all having a great week! Come and eat with us and enjoy the fellowship! Please mark your calendars with the upcoming events.

SEPTEMBER:
29th - Sunday Lunch

NOVEMBER:
November 2- Annual Fundraiser and Auction. More details will be coming as they become available.
November 9- Fall Bazaar

The Lockney Senior Citizens is a non-profit organization 501 C 3. We receive

no government funding and rely on the kindness of our community. Your donations are welcomed and greatly appreciated.

Breakfast is served here at the Center from 5:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Monday thru Friday only. Lunch is served Monday thru Friday from 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Be sure and call the Center by 9:30 a.m. if you would like to eat lunch at the Center. Our phone number is 806-652-2745.

Remember to come exercise with us on Wednesday, and Friday, 8:45 - 9:30 a.m. Coffee time - Monday- Saturday - 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Our Thursday night potluck is from 5-9 p.m. Bring a dish and a friend and enjoy games afterwards.

Floydada Senior Citizen's News

By LuAnn Collins
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA - We have reached half of our goal for a new ice maker. We now have \$1,000 toward the goal of \$2,000 for the purchase. Thank you to the donor who offered a donation if we in turn received a matching donation of \$500.00. We will be serving a meal on Sunday, October 6 in order to help with the costs of the purchase of the ice maker. We will be serving chicken and dressing, green beans, salad, dessert, and drink for a

minimum donation of \$8.00. Please help support our efforts to purchase a new ice maker.

Our next 2nd Tuesday Bingo Night will be Monday, October 6. Doors open at 5:15 and we begin play at 5:30. The Progressive Bingo payout is over \$100.00. Our Bingo special includes meal, dessert, drink and 2 cards for \$5.00. Additional cards cost \$1.00 for one or \$2.00 for 3 cards. Door prizes, cash prizes, fun and fellowship. Remember, Tuesday meals are \$4.00 meals. Check the menu to see what is offered each Tuesday.

Call us at 983-2032 for home delivery by 11:00 am. Our delivery drivers will begin delivering at 11:30. 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

September 30 - October 4

Monday - Meatloaf

Tuesday - Crispy chicken salad - \$4

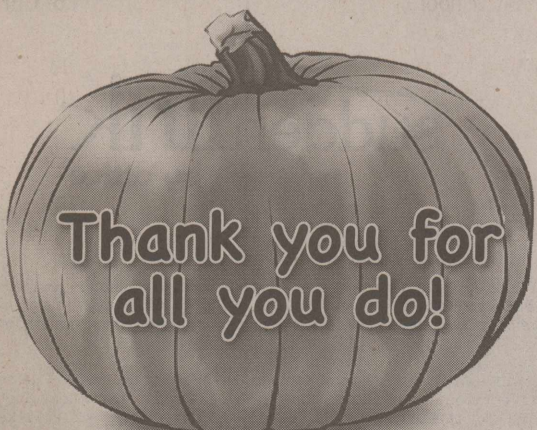
Wednesday - BBQ on bun

Thursday - Chicken fried steak

Friday - Chicken fajitas

(Menu subject to change without notice)

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Thank You

Thank you to the following fire departments - Dougherty, Floydada, Matador, and Roaring Springs - for their quick response to the fires we recently had in the Dougherty area! Also, the calls from other area fire departments to check if we needed additional help.

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OBITUARIES/CHURCH

Donald Wayne Campbell

Donald Wayne Campbell, age 69, of Floydada, passed from this life on September 18, 2019.

A memorial service will be held at 1:00 p.m., Saturday, September 28, 2019 at Pentecostal Christian Center at 604 E. Lee Street in Floydada.

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

Donald was born to Lee Andrew Campbell, Jr. and Dorothy Jean (Sirls) Campbell on December 9, 1949 in Floydada, Texas.

He attended school in Floydada and in 1968 was privileged to be the first Black student to graduate with "National Honor Society" honors.

Donald was known

around the community as a handyman, repairman, yard man, plumber, carpenter and the list goes on and on. Anything that needed fixing - He could do it.

Donald is preceded in death by his wife, Annie Campbell; father, Lee Andrew Campbell, Jr.; and grandparents, Thelma and Jack Givens and Girtie and Lee Andrew Campbell, Sr.

Donald is survived by his two sons, Freeman Jones (Melissa) of Front Royal, Virginia and Patrick Morgan of Dalhart; two grandsons, Xavier and Miles Jones; his mother, Dorothy Kerr of Floydada; four brothers, Kenneth Coleman (Dorothy) of Floydada, Dirk Campbell of Amarillo, Randall Campbell of Amarillo and



DONALD WAYNE CAMPBELL

Byron Campbell of Lubbock; three sisters, Sherrie Wall (Arthur) of Plainview, Myra Collins (Kenneth) of Abilene, Ruby Sessions (Vernon) of Haskell, and a host of cousins, nieces, nephews and friends.

Online condolences may be made at www.moore-rose.com.

Emogene Lackey Stansell

Emogene Lackey Stansell passed away peacefully on Friday, September 13, 2019 in Plano, Texas.

Emogene was born December 4, 1921 to Johnny and Gladys Lackey at home in the Cedar Hill Community.

She graduated from Floydada High School in 1939 and attended Texas Tech.

She married Jack Dawson Stansell in 1940. He preceded her in death in 1990. She was also preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Gerald Lackey.

Emogene moved to Lubbock from Floydada in 1992. She worked one day a week at Steinmart for 12 years. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Floydada and attended the Downtown Bible Class in Lubbock. She was a mem-

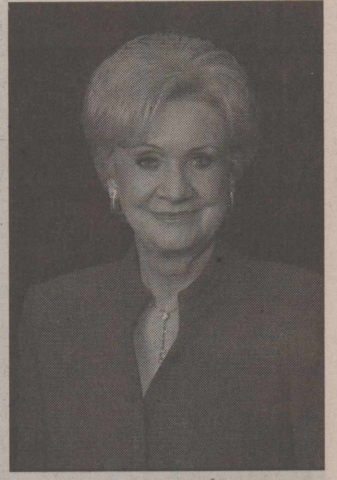
ber of the Lubbock's Women's Club, The Bank Ladies and Senior Citizen's dance club.

Emogene moved to Plano in 2013 to be near her daughters and lived independently at The Conservatory of Plano until her death.

Along with being Miss Floydada, Emogene was named one of the Top 10 Most Beautiful Woman in Lubbock in 1945. She was a model for several stores and publications and did several TV commercials. Her favorite past time was dancing.

Survivors include Melanie Jan Hennig (Joe), Jill Ann Seal (Fred) and was Mimi to Melanie Shay

Girard (Jimmy), Brandon Joe Hennig (Wendy), Jessica Jill Norton (Matthew), and Zachary Jack



EMOGENE LACKEY STANSELL

Seal (Kendra). She was blessed with 14 great-grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild.

A private family interment in Floydada is planned and a private family Celebration of Life will be held in Frisco.

Arrangements are under the direction of Ted Dickey West Funeral Home in Dallas, Texas.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

Faithful Service

The Lord says, "When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you." - *Isaiah 43:2 (NIV)*

In August 2016, south Louisiana experienced major flooding, causing widespread devastation. Many homes and businesses suffered major damage and people lost virtually all their possessions. The situation was stressful and depressing.

Yet all around us we also saw reminders of God's Spirit. It was common for people to pray together in driveways as they prepared for the difficult work ahead. Friends — and even people we didn't know — brought meals. We received relief packages from all over the country. Churches and relief organizations provided clothing and other essentials. People

came from near and far to help. A group from Los Angeles worked all day on my friend's house and gave her a new Bible. They then invited us to dinner at the church where they were lodging. These acts of kindness lifted our spirits and strengthened us.

Recovery is a long, slow process. But God worked through the actions of friends and strangers to sustain us materially and spiritually. It is hard to imagine that any of us could fully recover without the active work of God's Spirit. God brought many from far and wide to rescue us from the flood.

TODAY'S PRAYER

Thank you, loving God, for lifting us up when life is difficult. Amen.

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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
Bob DuPont, 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
Nathan Adams, Minister of Students and Discipleship
Ashley Adams, Minister of Music
Ludustia Prisk, Director of Children's Ministry
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
Gary Boles, 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
(806) 637-0430
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
Rev. Renato Cruz
Parochial Vicar - Jacob Powell
Sun - 9 a.m. Children Bible study
10 a.m. - Mass
Wed. - 6 p.m. - Faith Formation -
CYO to follow
Thurs. - 6:30 pm- Evening Mass

South Plains Baptist Church
Dan Beaty, Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.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. Renato Cruz
Parochial Vicar - Jacob Powell
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
Co-Pastor Gilbert Flores
308 W. Tennessee, Floydada
Sunday School - 10:00 A.M.
Evening Worship - 5:00 P.M.
Wednesday Service - 7:00 P.M.

Trinity Assembly
500 W. Houston
Kari & Justin Brown, Pastors
983-5499
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:40 a.m.
Sunday Evening - 6 p.m.

Trinity Luthern 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
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Sunday Evening - 2 p.m.

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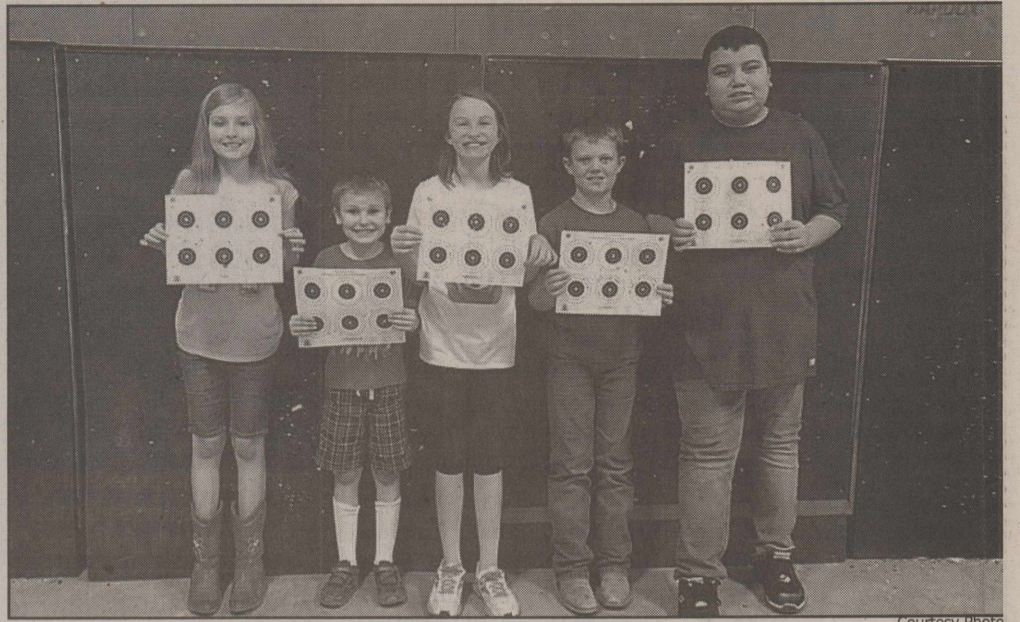
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AGRICULTURE



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LOCKNEY'S 1ST-YEAR AG STUDENTS ATTEND WT'S GREENHAND CAMP: Pictured (L to R) Madison Johnson, Jackson Mullican, Johnathan Lara, Annalicia Hernandez, and Johnathan Cienfuegos. This photo was taken at WT the host of the Leadership Camp for 1st-year Ag Students. There were 800 area ag students in attendance at the Camp.



Courtesy Photo

FLOYD COUNTY 4-H SHOOTING SPORTS is a real thing and is becoming more and more popular. The 4-H Rifle Team has been practicing their skills as seen in the picture above. L to R: Izzy Lenz, Remy Lenz, Mackinley Whittle, Jerod Pharis and Jaime Hernandez. The Shooting program is open to any 4-H member. Registration is required at <https://texas.4honline.com>.

102nd South Plains Fair winds up this Weekend

By Deon Fincher
The Hesperian-Beacon

LUBBOCK, Texas - The South Plains Fair opened its gates last Friday for the 102nd year of attractions, concerts and fair competi-



For those in the livestock-

show side of the fair, the Fair Association offered newly renovated Livestock barns, including new roofing, upgraded insulation, lighting and 'state-of-the-art' holding pens, that they believe will enhance the experience for exhibitors and visitors.

The South Plains Fair is the start of the show season for our county 4-Hers. Cristen Brooks, Family and Community Health Agent, stated that she had eight exhibitors in photography and crafts. Mark Carroll, Floyd County Ag Agent, said that he had about ten 4-Hers that were in the barns showing stock this week.

The fair exhibits are open to the public all week, ending September 28th. For more information or for exhibition schedules, go to www.southplainsfair.com.



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FLOYD COUNTY 4-H member chefs tried their hand at making prickly-pear jelly during their meeting at the Unity Center last week. Kiddos learned the process, from berry to jam, from leaders Teresa Bigham, assisted by other mothers and parent leaders.

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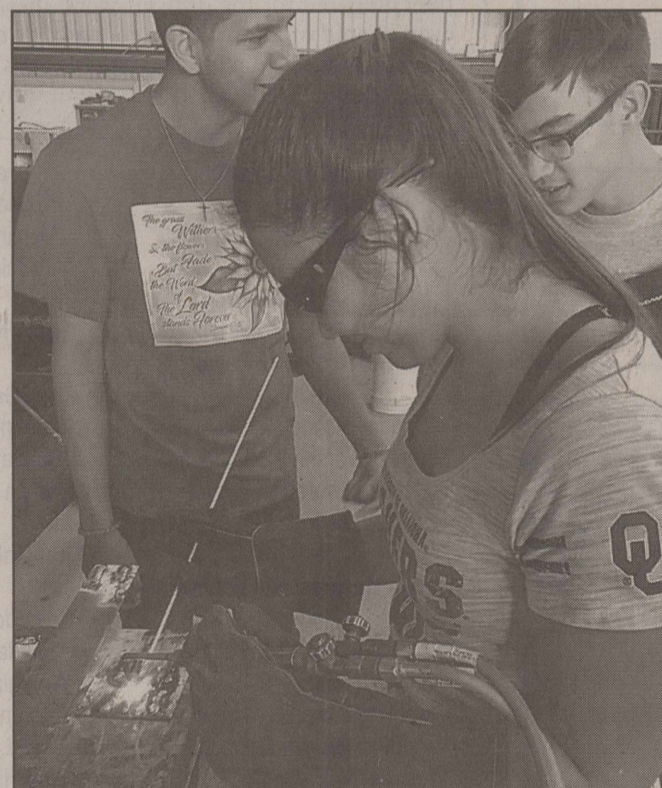
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LOCKNEY'S BUILDING TRADES STUDENTS continue to practice brazing with an oxy-acetylene torch in their class. Pictured is Jessica Hernandez with the torch. In the background is fellow classmate Sebastian Perez and Payton Butler. Vance Lemmons, Ag Teacher, stated that much of the time, the female students become proficient welders because their attention to detail and their patience allow for exceptional results.

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COWPOKES By Ace Reid

"Mr. Game Warden, it wuzn't my fault I shot that ole deer last night. The fault wuz that distillery in Louisville, Kentucky!"

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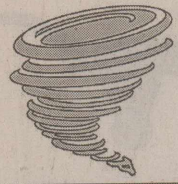
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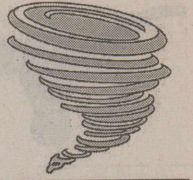
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Floydada Whirlwinds



River Road defeats Winds at Home



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

QB Mike DeLaFuenta #12 hands the ball to DB Andrez Suarez #10 during the 2nd quarter action of Friday night's game against River Road. Alonzo Ascencio #55 clears a path for Suarez who cuts into the crowd and pushes down the middle, moving closer to a first down. The Winds took the defeat with a score of 22-32 as the game was called for threatening weather with less than 3 minutes left.



Courtesy Photo

AB DUNCAN 5TH GRADE MATH. Mrs. Beedy's 5th Grade Math classes used tiles to work out prime and composite numbers. Thank you!! Mrs. Beedy for creating active learning activities for your students.



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA'S 8th GRADE WHIRLWINDS fought it out on the field with the River Road Wildcats last Thursday evening at Wester Field. Pictured above, Ryan Perez #20 begins his run up the field as Reese Hinsley #43 makes a path for his teammate. The 8th Grade Team will play tonight, Thursday, at Roosevelt ISD. Those games begin at 5:00 pm-7th Grade and 6:15 pm-8th Grade.

Announced during the Winds' 9-20 Pep Rally:

Defensive Player

of the Week:

Eric Johnston

Offensive Player

of the Week:

Andrez Suarez

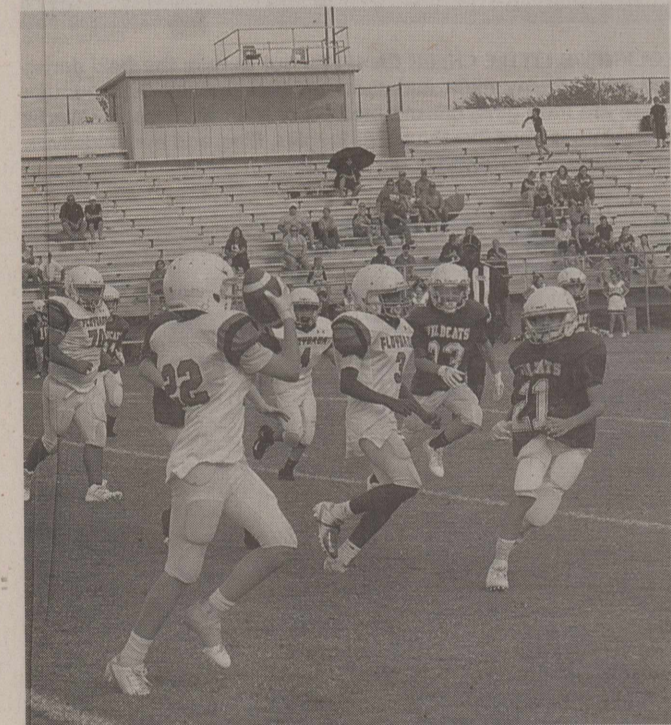
Special Teams Player

of the Week:

Kaleb Crone

Fan of the week:

Lindsey Marquez



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA'S 7th GRADE WHIRLWINDS kept the River Road Wildcats guessing last Thursday evening as the ball was pitched, tossed, and passed back and forth among the Winds' players. Here, QB Tyrean Henderson #3 tossed the ball back to Braun Hobbs #22, who ran it down the field for a first down. The Wildcats took the win for this game. The 7th Grade Team will play tonight, Thursday, at Roosevelt ISD. Those games begin at 5:00 pm-7th Grade and 6:15 pm-8th Grade.

FISD CELL PHONE POLICY

On September 17, 2019, the FISD board of trustees modified Policy FNCE (LOCAL) to allow for the following cell phone policy.

The policy will be effective on Monday, September 23, 2019.

- 1st offense - Warning
- 2nd offense - parent must pick up phone
- 3rd offense - \$15 fine MUST be paid or phone will not be released.

~\$15 fine each time thereafter~

FLOYDADA SCHOOL MENU September 30 - October 4

Monday
HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL

Tuesday
Breakfast - Banana muffin, fresh fruit, milk
Lunch - Meatloaf, roll, seasoned brown rice, cheese pizza, corn, fresh fruit, vegetable bar, milk

Wednesday
Breakfast - Colby omelet w/biscuit, fresh fruit, milk
Lunch - Country fried steak, roll, chicken corn dog, seasoned mashed potatoes, fresh fruit, vegetable bar, milk

Thursday
Breakfast - Cinnamon Toast Crunch cereal, fresh fruit, milk
Lunch - Beefy rotini, breadstick, pepperoni pizza, spiced green beans, fresh fruit, vegetable bar, milk

Friday
Breakfast - Chocolate chip French toast, fresh fruit, milk
Lunch - Cheese enchiladas, hamburger, crispy tater tots, fresh fruit, vegetable bar, milk

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Lockney Longhorns

Horns fall to Eagles—Stats fairly Even

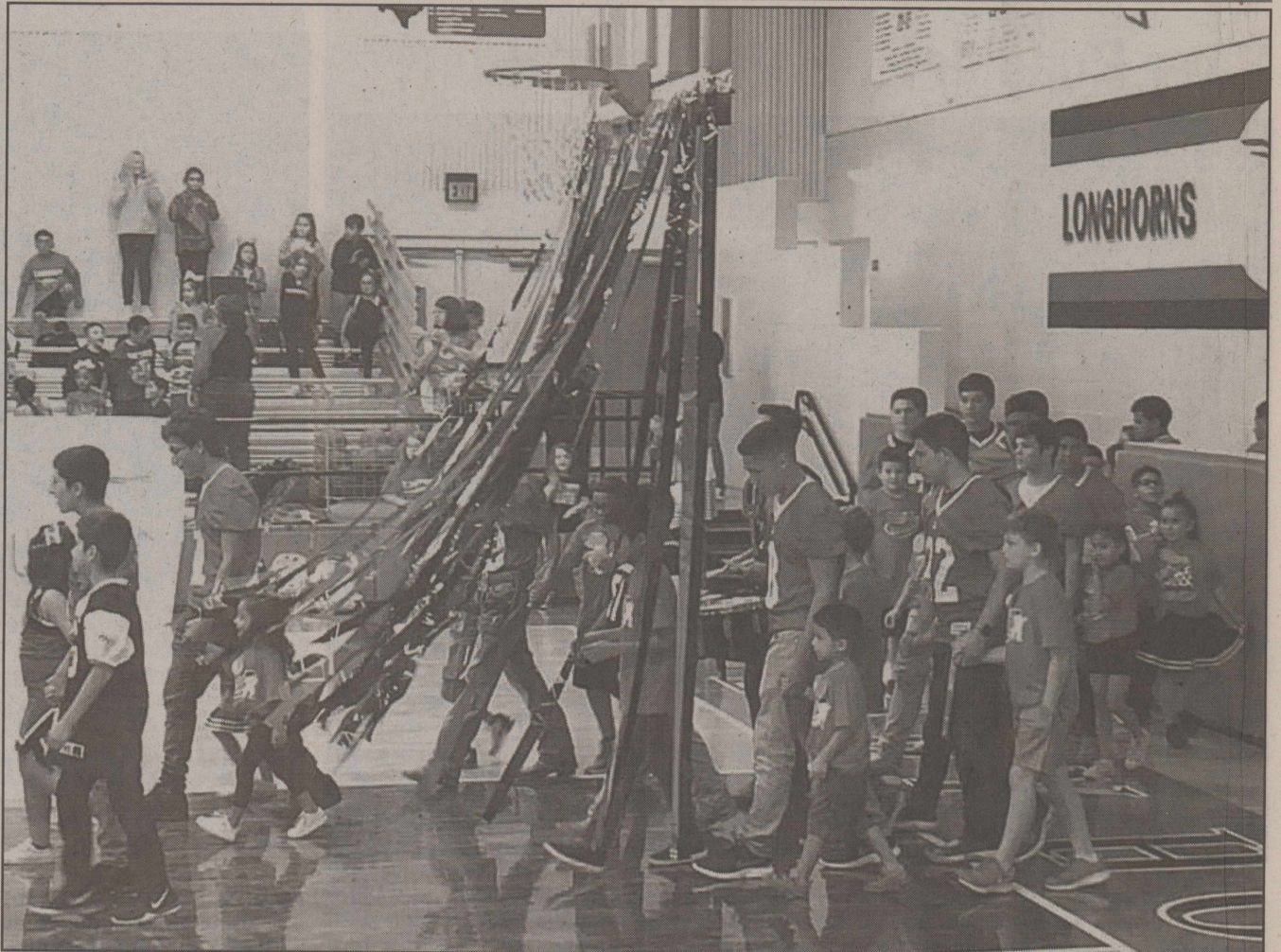
Lockney vs Hale Center						
Running yards		Attempts	Yards	TD's		
	Anson Rendon	14	52	0		
	Elias Alvarez	14	101	0		
	Silas Urrutia	18	66	1		
	Pablo Morales	5	10	1		
	TOTAL		229			
Passing yards		Comp	Attempts	Yards	TD's	INT's
	Pablo Morales	9	14	106	0	2
Receptions		Receptions		Yards	TD's	
	Ashton Urrutia	3	47	0		
	Anson Rendon	3	37	0		
	Silas Urrutia	2	13	0		
	Pablo Morales	1	9	0		
Lockney Total Yards		Rushing	Passing	Points		
319		229	106	15		
Hale Center Total Yards		Rushing	Passing	Points		
290		183	107	34		

**Stats rec'd from Lockney Coaches

LOCKNEY VS HALE CENTER—WEEK FOUR

TACKLE RECORD

#	PLAYER	TOTAL	SOLO	ASSIST
1	Ernest Alvarez			
2	Jesus Gonzales	3	2	1
3	Silas Urrutia	2	1	1
5	Ashton Urrutia			
6	Max Ramirez			
7	Pablo Morales	4		4
8	Nemeiah Montoya	12	3	9
21	Elias Alvarez	8	2	6
22	Caleb Pritchard			
23	Anson Rendon			
25	Josh Cienfuegos			
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LOCKNEY'S LONGHORN BUDDIES program allows the little guys to be up close to a football player of their choice. The youngsters get to walk into the pep rally with the "big boys" and sit on the floor during that rally. They also get to claim 'BFFs' to their player. What an outstanding opportunity for these young athletes to understand that little ones hold them in high esteem and that their actions are watched.



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LOCKNEY'S LITTLE CHEER CAMP took place last week. It was apparent that there is a healthy amount of cheerleaders moving up in the ranks as Longhorn Gym was full of cheerleaders, young and older, leading the crowd in spirit during the pep rally.



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LOCKNEY'S LITTLE CHEER CAMPERS got to take the field during the game Friday night and show off their moves. Just because these are little girls, doesn't mean that their routines or skills fit their stature—just like the big girls splits, flips, and pyramids were abundant and performed right on point.



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THE 7TH and 8TH GRADE LONGHORN TEAMS took on Hale Center last Thursday under threatening rain clouds. The teams took the win against the Owls. These Longhorns will be playing at home against Olton, September 26th. The games begin at 5:00 pm.

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LOCKNEY'S 2ND GRADERS stayed busy this past week making stick puppets so they could re-tell the fable of The Ant and the Grasshopper—which they did in the sunshine and in the classroom. After learning about story-telling and moral-lessons, the kids worked very hard putting together their own stories and presenting them during their story-telling party. Kudos to those teachers that make learning active.

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FLOYDADA'S TIGER LEAGUE 8U FLAG TEAM members Jeremiah Saenz #8, Israel Cervera #13, and Ian Perez #23 left their opponents behind as they ran to the endzone in the games against Roosevelt last Saturday. Coach Elias Diaz and his assistant for giving so much of their time to getting these players game-ready and instilling the all-to-important foundational skills in the team members. The teams will play Saturday at Roosevelt.



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LOCKNEY'S TIGER LEAGUE FOOTBALL is in full-swing this fall with 3 teams: 1st-2nd, 3rd-4th and the 5th-6th grade. The 3rd-4th Grade team pounded helmets with Valley a few weeks ago. These youngsters are learning the foundational skills that will lead to greatness as they grow up and become quality assets in junior high and high school athletics. A big "Thank you!" to the 3rd-4th Grade Team coaches Justin Wright and Gabe Rodriguez for all of their time and care in teaching these young athletes the game. The Lockney Teams will be playing in Mclean this weekend. Mark October 5th on your calendars—these athletes will be playing in Lockney.



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FLOYDADA'S TIGER LEAGUE 5th/6th TEAM pounded the rain-soaked Wester Field Saturday. This team scored 19 points on their opponents, taking the win 19-0. The teams will travel to Roosevelt Saturday. Thank you to Coach Gerald Henderson and his assistants for their time given to coaching both the 3rd/4th grade team and this 5th/6th grade team.

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