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Veterans Day: A Time to Honor

Floydada and Lockney schools honored veterans Monday, November 11, with a presentation and coffee, respectively. The veterans that gathered at the Floydada High School gym were called to stand when the song for the branch they served was played by the Floydada High School Band. A slideshow was also played.

It was a special day that the High School kids wanted to put on in honor of those who have fought for the freedoms that they now enjoy. Afterwards, they were treated to cake and punch, as well as a time of visitation and remembrance. This assembly was made possible through the help of the National Honor Society and the Student Council students.

Following the ceremony, there was a wreath laying at the Floyd County Veteran Memorial, with a red, white and blue wreath placed at the foot of the flag pole, the U.S. flag being replaced and raised in honor of United States Army Veteran, Don Hardy.

In Lockney, the 5th grade class at Lockney Elementary served veterans a special breakfast, sang them the national anthem and made sure the cafeteria was full of all kinds of patriotic decorations for the occasion.

Thank you to all of our veterans—those who have served, those currently serving and those who have lost their lives in the line of duty—We salute you!



The FHS Veteran's Ceremony held at the Whirlwind Gym on Monday, November 11.

Photo by Hunter Schwertner

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 CHAMBER ANNUAL MEETING

The Floydada Chamber Membership Annual Meeting and Pancake Breakfast will be held Tuesday, November 19th at 7 a.m. at the Massie Activity Center. It's very important that a representative for each Chamber membership be present for voting of new by-laws and board members.

DINNER THEATER

The Lockney High School Theater and LIFE Foundation are joining together for a dinner theater on November 25, 2013 at 6:30 p.m. in the Lockney ISD cafeteria. For \$20 per plate you can enjoy an evening out, steak and all the trimmings provided by the LIFE Foundation and The Brothers Grimm Spectaculathon theater presentation by the Lockney High School Theater.

BUFFALO GRASS CHAPTER

The Buffalo Grass Chapter, National Society - Daughters of the American Revolution will hold their regular meeting on Tuesday, Nov. 26 at 6:30 p.m. in the West Side Church of Christ in Lockney. Interested parties are invited to attend. There will be a historical program on Irish names.

2013 FSA COUNTY COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Administrator Juan M. Garcia announced that the 2013 FSA County Committee Elections began Nov. 4, with the mailing of ballots to eligible voters. The deadline to return the ballots to local FSA offices is Dec. 2, 2013.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC

Calvert Home Health holds their blood pressure clinic on every first and third Thursday of each month between 9 - 11 a.m. at the Community Room of the First National Bank of Floydada.

Corrections

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Floydada voters pass bond issue for new swimming pool

By Charles Keaton
The Hesperian-Beacon

Floydada city voters passed a bond issue that will allow the city to issue a \$750,000 general obligation bond in order to build a new swimming pool and splash park.

Voters approve the bond 125-74 in a light voter turnout. The city will also be able to make improvements to the softball fields in Annie Taylor Park using the bond funds.

In other voting, Floyd County residents approved all nine propositions for constitutional amendments on a statewide ballot as did the rest of the state.

The proposition that garnered the most interest was Proposition Six which dealt with using part of the state's rainy day fund in order to establish the State Water Implementation Fund for Texas.

Locally the propositions passed as follows: No. 1, 86 percent to 14 percent; No. 2, 85 percent to 15 percent; No. 3, 54 percent to 46 percent; No. 4, 84 percent to 16 percent; No. 5, 68 percent to 32 percent; No. 6, 72 percent to 28 percent; No. 7, 76 percent to 24 percent; No. 8, 79 percent to 21 percent; and No. 9, 77 percent to 23 percent.

Statewide the propositions passed as follows: No. 1, 87 percent to 13 percent; No. 2, 85 percent to 15 percent; No. 3, 58 percent to 42 percent; No. 4, 85 percent to 15 percent; No. 5, 63 percent to 37 percent; No. 6, 73 percent to 27 percent; No. 7 74 percent to 26 percent; No. 8, 72 percent to 28 percent; and No. 9, 85 percent to 15 percent.

Dorman, LaBaume, Bradley, Harris and Yeary winners in football contest

The Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon's annual football contest ended at the end of the regular high school football season.

The rules changed three years ago with the grand prize going to the top three winning entries of the 11-week contest. In addition, the other seven top 10 finishers will also receive a prize consisting of a year subscription to the Hesperian-Beacon.

On this week's contest, the game between Redskins and Charges was incorrect and did not count.

Five points separated the first and second place winners this year with there being a 3-way tie for third place. Only 2 points separated the second and third place winners. Johnny Dorman of Lockney garnered the first place prize of \$100. Coy LaBaume of Plainview will receive the second place prize of \$75 and Sammy Bradley, Max Yeary and Franklin Harris, all of Floydada, will split the third place prize of \$50.

The other seven top 10 finishers were Brent Sanders, Stanley Collier, Boyd Lee, Lanny Barnett, Pam Fulton, Paul Lopez and Diane Ramon. If your name is listed here you will need to come by or call the Hesperian office to give us your information so that your one-year subscription can be started. If you already have a subscription, it will be added to the

end of your current one.

We would like to say thank you to the other entrants that participated in this contest. They were Martin Ramirez, Steve Stringer, Jace Klein, Dale Minner, Ricky Ascencio, Nic Sherman, and Billy Lefevre.

We would also like to thank our sponsors that make this contest possible. They are Robin's Nest Photography, Stapp Paint & Body Shop, Providence Farm Supply & Grain, Muncy Elevator, Lighthouse Electric Coop, Clark Pharmacy, First National Bank of Floydada, Shepherd's Meadow Assisted Living Center, Nick Long/State Farm, Nielson's Restaurant & Catering, Quality Body Shop, Heart's Desire, Davis Lumber, Lowe's Pay-n-Save, Floydada, D&J Gin, Lockney Coop Gin, Payne Pharmacy, KFLP Radio, Cogdell Clinic/W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital, Lowe's Pay-n-Save, Lockney, Floydada Coop Gin, Hammond Sheet Metal, Gavilon Ag Services, Floydada Power and Light, Hospice Hands of West Texas, Assiter Insurance/Assiter Punkin' Ranch, Crop Production Services, Ray Lee Equipment, Raceway Fuel, Ace Hardware and R.K. Hunt Photography.

See the football contest standings chart on page 4.

Lockney High School Theater and LIFE Foundation to present dinner theater

Special for The Hesperian-Beacon

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the following LIFE Foundation members: Charlotte Mitchell, Fred Cervantes, Billy LeFevre, or Ricky Carstensen.

The LIFE Foundation will also be drawing the winning ticket of their ongoing raffle at the dinner theater. Tickets are available now and are \$25 per ticket or 4 for \$100, which includes dinner for 2 at the Dinner Theater. The auction items are a handcrafted gun rug, handcrafted shotgun/rifle scabbard, and a Weatherby SA-08 Upland Semi Auto 12 ga, 28" barrel with walnut stock.

The Lockney LIFE Foundation was

established in 2013 to provide scholarships to graduating seniors of Lockney ISD. Our motto is Lockney ISD Foundation for Excellence: Helping Students Accomplish Dreams.

Our goal is to:
Encourage student effort
Increase college opportunities
Enhance the local workforce

All proceeds for the dinner theater will be shared between the LISD One Act Play and LIFE Foundation. All proceeds for the raffle will be for scholarships.

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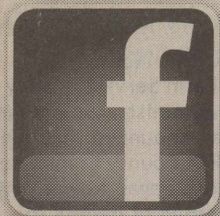
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Deaths

George S.L. West

George S. L. West was born in Floydada to David Montgomery West and Ada Edna Risinger West on November 21, 1917. He married Blanche Irene Cardinal on November 23, 1939 in Plainview, Texas.

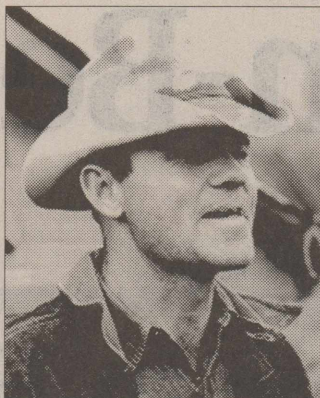
S. L. passed from this life on Tuesday, November 5, 2013 at the Lindsay Manor Nursing Home in Lindsay, Oklahoma at the age of 95.

S. L. is survived by his daughter, Kay Hilderbrandt and one granddaughter, Karen Knight of Lindsay, one brother, Adrian West and one sister, Leona Neff of Floydada, Texas as well as a host of nieces and nephews.

Mr. West was preceded in death by his wife, Blanche Irene West, his parents, David Montgomery West and Edna Risinger West, one brother, Arvin West and three sisters, Dessie Mae McCravey, Mary Belle Neff and Lavada Neff.

S. L. was a member of Central Baptist Church in Sulphur, Oklahoma where he also served as a deacon. He taught Sunday School for many years and loved to read and talk about the Bible.

S. L. was a cowboy from



GEORGE S.L. WEST

the beginning. He had a love for horses and cattle. S. L. retired from ranching. In his younger days, he would load up a horse and go rope on a Saturday night. When his career began, he worked on the Matador Ranch in West Texas. You can see the chuck wagon he would eat off of in the Cowboy Hall of Fame in Oklahoma City.

He worked on 25 different ranches throughout his career some of which include: T Bar Ranch in Texas which was owned by a Civil War Veteran; it had 14 sections and ran 450 cows and 21 bulls, the Buck Horn Ranch, Murray County, Sulphur, Oklahoma (Winner of the Ft. Worth Stock Show twice in 1964 and 1965 with cattle from

the Buck Horn), the HC Rackley - Old Mule Shoe Ranch in Murray County, Sulphur, Oklahoma (ran 2000 sheep and 300 steers) and the Clark McIntire Ranch (second in world steer roping) - this was Reba McIntire's father's ranch (they gathered 800 steers on this ranch SW of Reece, Kansas; it joined the Matador Ranch). S. L. was interviewed by Channel 9 and was on television telling about Old Time Cowboys.

Funeral services for Mr. West were held at 2 p.m. Saturday, November 9, 2013 at the New Salem Primitive Baptist Church, 900 W. Crockett in Floydada. Elder Ronnie Hedges officiated. Interment followed at Lakeview Cemetery in Floyd County.

The family requests that memorial contributions be made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund, 401 S.W. 3rd Street, Lindsay, Oklahoma 73052.

Services were under the direction of B.G. Boydston Funeral Home in Lindsay, Oklahoma and Moore-Rose Funeral Home in Floydada, Texas.

The Paperboy Will a true leader emerge?

What in the world are we paying our elected officials for? Are you satisfied with what you're getting from Washington?

We send people to do our work, pay them very well, and they run us into the ground!

I see blame. I see vanity. I see stupidity. What I don't see, from either party, is leadership.

President Obama? Please. He's no leader. People follow leaders not distance themselves from them.

Speaker John Boehner? He's no leader. He panders and he's weak. If he's leading, not many have received the memo.

Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid? This guy is even more divisive than Boehner. He's an Obama puppet and Nevada should have to sit in the corner for electing him ... several times...

These three people and their cronies are not doing a good job. And guess what? When you refuse to sit down and find common ground, you're never going to be an effective leader.

But it goes further than that. The three have surrounded themselves with yes men and women. How can you have an informed opinion when you're only being told what you want to hear?

If I were an elected official, not only would I seek differing opinion, I would also get input from people across the spectrum - racially and socioeconomically. It's simply the right thing to do.

But I ask you, do you think any of the three have someone close to them with a dissenting opinion? I don't. Instead, I think they are surrounded by like-minded people that try and guess what the other side is thinking. It reminds me of an elementary school yard.

So how in the world can we get anything solved if there is no real dialogue with the other side? I don't think we can. I think leaders from both parties are going to have to emerge.

Leadership is not a "my way or highway" proposition. It's reaching out. It's compromise. It's character. It's forging common ground.

On a national scale, you half to dump the small stuff and work for the greater good. As a voter, that's what I'm looking for.

I hope Americans are getting tired of party politics. I also hope they are seeking leadership.

This country has so much to offer, but we can't get out of our own way. There is so much bureaucracy, it's hard to gauge how "free" we really are.

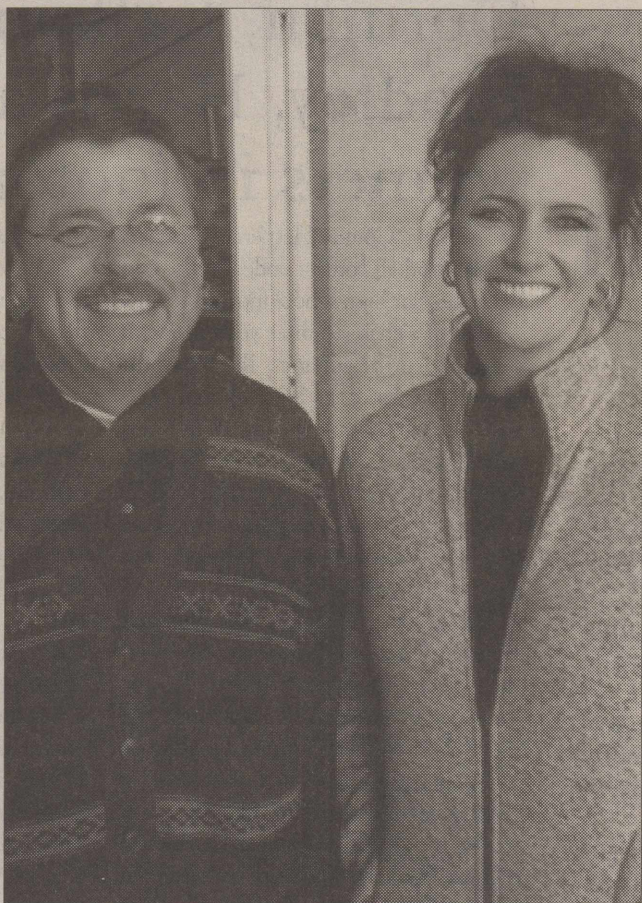
Perhaps leaders will begin to emerge. Someone who can withstand the pressure and genuinely build the relationships needed to do the greater good.

That's what I'm looking for. That's what I'm praying for. And that would be what we're paying for.

Never forget, our politicians work for us. They should be held accountable when they do a bad job. We've been paying for mediocrity and gridlock for far too long and it's time to seek out competent men and women who are willing to sacrifice their egos and pride and reach across the aisle.

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Workin' on the Farm



Courtesy Photo

Crazy Hoe Farms, LLC is participating in the Texas A&M AgriLife-Prairie View A&M Sustainable Strawberry Project funded via a grant from Walmart. NSSI Texas Project grower/collaborator Bridgette Fulton, (pictured left) of Crazy Hoe Farms in Floydada, Texas is a first time grower and is growing her strawberries using aquaponics. A group tour was given at the Crazy Hoe Farms trial location, located at 201 East California, Floydada, Texas on Saturday, November 2nd. In attendance was special guest Dr. Russ Wallace (pictured right with Amanda Watson) of A&M AgriLife, as well as an A&M videographer who conducted interviews of growers, Bridgette Fulton and Amanda Watson.

Business of the Month



Courtesy Photo

The Floydada Chamber has chosen Merm's Liquor as their "November Business of the Month" Pictured are (l-r) Jerry Rodriguez, Sylvia Bueno, Jeremy Rodriguez, Esther Alaniz, and Noe De Los Santos.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR POLICY

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All letters must include a first and last name, street address (no post office boxes), town, and daytime phone number. Letters sent via U.S. mail may be sent to 201 W. California Street, Floydada, Texas 79235.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JAMES HENRY HINTON, DECEASED

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of James Henry Hinton, Deceased, were issued on October 30, 2013, in Docket No. 5960, pending in the County Court of Floyd County, Texas, to James Fred Hinton, who now holds such letters.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are hereby required to present them to my attorney, Stephen J. Stone, at the address given below, before suit on same are barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time otherwise prescribed by law. The address to which claims may be presented is 2112 Indiana Avenue, Lubbock, Texas 79410.

DATED November 5, 2013.

BY: James Fred Hinton



AFFIDAVIT OF PUBLICATION AND POSTING OF NOTICE OF ESTRAY

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF FLOYD

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Paul Raissez who after being by me duly sworn deposes and says:

After the herein described estray was impounded, I made a diligent search of the register of recorded brands in the county where said estray was found. The search did not reveal the owner of said estray.

I did then advertise the impoundment of said estray in Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon a newspaper of general circulation in the county where said estray was found, at least twice during the fifteen (15) days after the impoundment of said estray. The dates of such advertisement were November 14th, 2013 and November 21, 2013 and duly verified printed copy thereof is returned herewith.

I also posted a copy of the Notice of Estray and Notice of Impoundment of Estray on the public notice board of the courthouse of the county in which the estray was found.

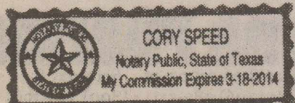
Said estray is described as the following:

Kind of Animal: Cow
Breed: Brangus-Cross
Color: Black
Sex: Female
Age: 2+
Size: 900-1,000
Brand, Marks, Identifying Characteristics: Yellow ear tag in left ear #229 and brand on Left hip

WITNESS my hand, this the 11th day of November, 2013.

Paul Raissez
Sheriff of Floyd County

SWORN to and subscribed before me by Paul Raissez this 11th day of November, 2013.



Cory Speed
Notary Public, Floyd County

My commission expires: 3/18/14

SOCIETY

Museum Archives

Cold Weather Means Hog Killing Time

Floyd County Hesperian January 24, 1963

By Mrs. W. R. Daniel

With plenty of cold weather available the Daniel families who live in the Blanco Community, ten miles southwest of Floydada, decided to kill four big hogs last week. One for the W. F. Daniel couple, one for the W.F. Daniel Jr. family, one for the W. R. Daniel family and one for the Howard Goree family.

For many years the Daniels killed and dressed hogs and sold the meat commercially, but for the past few years most of the hog killing has been done for the immediate family.

W. F. Sr. moved to the Blanco community 36 years ago and from the very

beginning always fattened out plenty of good hogs for winter killing. He mentions the year of 1940 when he and the family sold 25 hams-and in the years past the hog killing job also included making cracklings and soap.

When a Hesperian reporter visited the Daniels last week, the hogs had already been killed and the scraping was almost finished. The scalding is done in two barrels that have been welded together and buried in the ground under a shed where the scraping is done.

The 600 pound hogs are lowered into the scalding water in the barrels by block and tackle, then scraped, then while they are still on the "single tree" gutted and prepared for cutting up.

The hams were cut off and cured and the rest was either cut into lard or made into

sausage. Four big wash pots are used in making lard. The sausage is taken to another building where an electric grinder makes fast work of the meat. A recent invention in the grinding process was the cutting of a hole in the table just below the grinder, so the sausage would fall from the grinder into a tub below the table.

After the sausage is ground it goes to W. F. Sr's "parlor" and is piled on a table. At this point the Daniel women go to work. Mrs. W. F. Sr. sprinkles just the right amount of seasoning in for a most delicious sausage. A "sample" is placed in a nearby skillet occasionally to make sure the sausage is seasoned just like each family desires it.

After the seasoning is completed the women take the sacks and begin stuffing and tying.



When the sausage was sacked it was almost eight o'clock in the evening and the Daniel "clan" had four hogs "ready to eat."

W. F. Sr. confided to the Hesperian reporter that the

job should have been finished much sooner, but he just couldn't get his "assembly line" methods to working as usual.

It is evident that the Daniel families enjoy eating

delicious meat and also like the fellowship of living in a community together-sharing in the work on their homes and farms-like to be a part of a progressive community and enjoy a happy way of life.

Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word

Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

This is Friday and activities are being made for the celebration of Armistice Day. A breakfast was served to the veterans on Saturday, November 9th at the Center. They are looking forward to many enjoying a good breakfast and seeing their friends. I'm sure activities are taking place all weekend.

On Monday, November 11, veterans and their families and friends will attend a service at the gym at Floydada High School. I usually go because Wilson G. Bond, my first husband, was in the Navy, came home and joined the Army reserves and then was called back to active duty. He passed away. I married James Haven Word later and he served our country in the Marine Corp. He also passed away and I usually go to all the activities at high school to honor these two men. I'm not sure I'm going this year as I have lots of trouble walking and if it's windy, I usually stay home. I love to see the U.S. flags that the Boy Scouts put in our yards to honor our service men and women on Armistice Day.

The Center will be open Tuesday, Nov. 12th. We had a few visitors this past week. It's a time to visit friends, eat a very good lunch and get out of the house. Seeing and visiting those who do come to the Center is very good for us.

Nell McClung called several days ago. She misses her friends here in Floydada. She is having some health problems and knows she is in the right place but it's not like Floydada. People who have had to move closer to their children like to hear from those of us who still live here. That's the reason I need to keep on writing this

news letter and I've had several tell me that enjoy reading it.

I also visited with Frieda Simpson who lives in Weatherford and she misses her friends and church here in Floydada.

Just a reminder that the Center will be closed Nov. 28 and Nov. 29 for the Thanksgiving holidays.

We do appreciate you remembering the Center when you need to make a memorial donation. Our mailing address is P.O. Box 573, Floydada, Texas 79235. Our phone number is 983-2032.

In memory of Opal Kratzer - Winona Allen, Gary and Linda Matsler

In memory of Kelly Chadwick - Gary and Linda Matsler

"Thought for the Week" - The real value of a thing is the price it will bring in eternity.

John Wesley

MENU

Nov. 18 - Nov. 22

Monday - Baked chicken breast, baked potato w/sour cream, peas, pineapple tidbits, chocolate pudding, low-fat milk

Tuesday - Beef stroganoff, noodles, whole wheat roll, margarine, mixed vegetables, winter fruit cup, low-fat milk

Wednesday - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, country gravy, stewed okra, seasoned corn, pumpkin square, low-fat milk

Thursday - Oven fried chicken, bow tie pasta, broccoli raisin salad, fruit cocktail, low-fat milk

Friday - Beef taco bake, Spanish rice, cauliflower, tossed salad w/dressing, country apple crisp, low-fat milk

LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZEN MENU

November 18 - November 22

Monday - Meatloaf

Tuesday - Salmon

Wednesday - Chicken fried steak

Thursday - Spaghetti

Friday - Hamburger steak

Happy Birthday!



Courtesy Photos

Alton Barnes celebrated his 90th birthday October 21st. He was given a surprise party by his daughter, Arleen Nixon. Present to celebrate his big day were his daughter, Arleen and husband, Robert, his grandkids, Joel Strickland and wife, Tressa, Matthew Strickland, Corey Hayter, Chris Hayter, Elaine Clark and husband, Wayne, his great-grandkids, Kayla, Emily, Joseph, David, Dylan, Taylor, Cora, Jacob, Cindy and Will, his sister, Glenda Barrett, nephew, Darryl Barrett, niece, Beverly Johnson, Michelle Sugarek and sons, Barrett & Sutton, his sister-in-law, Mary Louise Younkin and niece, Donna Doen from Pennsylvania, Willie and Kathy Strickland, his wife, Frances and her son, Randy Miller and wife, Pam; his long-time friends, Evelyn Ulmer Anne-Marie and Max Ham, Rosemary and Gary Hammac, Jackie (Noblett) and husband, Ronnie, Leslie and Doris Nixon, Gary, Robin, Kirby and Keenan Nixon and Darryl and Nancy Mayo.



Local Hogger



Courtesy Photo

Plainview native, Katie Ball, has been appearing on the weekly A&E channel show "Hoggers". The program airs on Tuesday evenings at 9pm. She is the daughter of Jack and Nila Ball of Plainview and the granddaughter of Philip and Jo Wilbanks of Floydada and Jim and Evelyn Ball of Plainview.

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Thank you for all the calls, cards, food, visits and prayers for our family when Larry passed away. Your efforts have been such a comfort; especially our classmates from Lockney and Floydada. All this has been a humbling experience, yet inspiring experience. We're so thankful for your sincere concerns. Prayers were answered; our strength comes from God, our family and friends, so we in turn can help others in difficult times.

Sincerely, Jill (Matsler) Golden and family

Chamber Meeting

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is pleased to extend an invitation to all our valued members to join us for our Annual Membership Meeting. It will be held at the Massie Activity Center at 7am on November 19th. We encourage all members to join us for a Pancake Breakfast complete with all the trimmings. Then be sure to stay around for the business meeting when we will be voting on by-law changes and board members. Make sure a representative of your chamber membership is on hand for the vote. Mark your calendars and make plans to join us on Tuesday morning, November 19th at the Massie Activity Center at 7am and get your day off to a great start!

FLOYDADA SCHOOL

Tiger League Football



The Floydada 5th & 6th grade Tiger League team, the Eagles, with a record of 8-1, will play their final playoff game of this season Saturday, November 16th at 5p.m. at Bulldog Stadium in Plainview against a team from Muleshoe. Members of the Eagles team (pictured above) are Kaleb Crone, Alexyz Alvarado, Andres Suarez, Jose Lira, Jacob Luna, Michael Perez, Joseph Gonzales, Marcus Perez, Justin Delgado, Alfredo Aleman, Eric Johnston, Cole Emery, Mike DelaFuente, Ethien Rodriguez, Zach Garza, Alejandro Casmona, Quincy Gonzales, Isaac Hernandez, Tyson Snell, Desmond Wickware, Matthew Morales, Ryder Glass, Jacob Johnston, Rene Coronado, George Rosa, Head Coach George Basaldua, Coach Scott Crone, Coach Gabe DelaFuente, and Coach Ben Perez. Cheerleaders for the 5th and 6th grade Tiger League are (pictured below) Kendal Hughes, Audrie Strange, Natalee Romero, Maria Casares, Ashton Delocier, Aliana Gonzales, Victoria Esquivel, Breanna Gonzales, Laci Gourdon, Angel Fipps, Jessica Perales, Kaylea Britt, Anaylsa Gonzalez, Katelyn Stewart, Azalea Garza, Emily Cisneros, Ma'Kayla Garcia and Payton Teeple.



Football Contest Standings Week 11

	THIS WEEK	OVERALL
Johnny Dorman	19/29	233/316
Coy LaBaume	17/29	228/316
Sammy Bradley	16/29	226/316
Franklin Harris	18/29	226/316
Max Yeary	17/29	226/316
Brent Sanders	17/29	222/316
Stanley Collier	17/29	222/316
Boyd Lee	18/29	222/316
Lanny Barnett	16/29	219/316
Pam Fulton	18/29	216/316
Paul Lopez	21/29	214/316
Diane Ramon	15/29	208/316
Martin Ramirez	17/29	208/316
Steve Stringer	15/29	184/316
Jace Klein	13/29	155/276
Ricky Ascencio		197/287

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Area Playoff Summary

District 2-2A Div. 2

Olton vs. Canadian 7:00 p.m. Thursday at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo

Post vs. Highland Park 7:00 p.m. Friday at Greg Sherwood Memorial Bulldog Stadium in Plainview

Tulia vs. Spearman 8:00 p.m. Friday at River Road High School in Amarillo

Abernathy vs. Sanford-Fritch 7:30 p.m. Friday at Bushland High School in Amarillo

District 2-1A Div. 1

Sundown first round bye

New Deal vs. Clarendon 7:30 p.m. at Highland Park High School in Amarillo

Hale Center vs. Panhandle 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Greg Sherwood Memorial Bulldog Stadium in Plainview

Other area teams:

Motley County vs. Lefors 7:30 p.m. Friday at Buck Stadium in White Deer

Happy vs. Paducah 7:30 p.m. Friday at Petersburg High School

Valley vs. McLean 6:00 p.m. Thursday at Groom High School

Crosbyton vs. Sudan 7:30 p.m. Friday at Denver City High School

Ralls first round bye

FLOYDADA SCHOOL MENU Nov. 18 - Nov. 22

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Breakfast-Sausage kolache, oven roasted potatoes, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch- Beef & cheese chalupas, garden salad, refried beans, applesauce, tortilla chips, milk variety

Tuesday
Breakfast- Cheddar omelette wrap, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch-Country fried steak, whipped potatoes/gravy, savory green beans, roll, strawberry cup, milk variety

Wednesday

Breakfast-Breakfast pizza, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch-Chicken fajitas w/ peppers & onions, 8" tortilla, charro beans, seasoned corn, orange smiles, milk variety

Thursday
Breakfast- Waffles with sausage, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch-Chicken spaghetti, garden salad, apple slices, baby carrots, breadsticks, milk variety

Friday
Breakfast-Cinnamon roll, bacon, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch- Fish tacos w/ fish strips, corn tortillas, sweet potato fries, coleslaw, sliced peaches, milk variety

2013-2014 Whirlwinds & Lady Winds Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	JHG	JHB	9G	9B	JVG	JVB	VG	VB	TIME
Oct. 29	Valley (Scrimmage)			H		H		H		5:00
NOV. 4	Childress	T		T						5:00
NOV. 5	Dimmitt					T		T		5:00
NOV. 11	ROOSEVELT	H								5:00
NOV. 11	LOCKNEY			H						7:00
NOV. 12	OLTON					H		H		5:00
NOV. 14	ROOSEVELT		T		T					5:00
Nov. 18	POST	T	H	T	H					5:00
Nov. 19	TULIA					H		H		5:00
NOV. 19	LITTLEFIELD						T		T	5:00
Nov. 22	ABERNATHY					T	T	T	T	5:00
Nov. 25	SLATON	H	T	H	T					5:00
Nov. 26	LOCKNEY					H	H	H	H	5:00
Dec. 2	IDALOU	T	H	T	H					5:00
Dec. 3	Band Concert-Open									
Dec. 5-7	SLATON JH TOURNEY	T								TBA
Dec. 5-7	ANTON TOURNEY							T	T	TBA
Dec. 5-7	OLTON TOURNEY					T	T			TBA
DEC. 9	CHILDRESS	H	T	H	T					5:00
DEC. 10	MULESHOE					T	T	T	T	5:00
Dec. 12-14	ABERNATHY TOURNEY					T	T	T	T	TBA
Dec. 16	ROOSEVELT	T	H		H					5:00
Dec. 16	LOCKNEY			T						6:00
Dec. 17	LEVELLAND					T	T	T	T	5:00
DEC. 20	HALE CENTER					T	T	T	T	5:00
DEC. 26-28	CAPROCK TOURNEY							T	T	TBA
DEC. 31	CROSBYTON					H	H	H	H	1:00
Jan. 3	CHILDRESS *					T		T		6:00
JAN. 3	LOCKNEY						T		T	5:00
Jan. 7	ROOSEVELT*/ABERNATHY					H	H	H	H	5:00
Jan. 9	POST	H	T	H	T					5:00
Jan. 10	POST*					T	T	T	T	5:00
JAN. 13	SLATON	T	H	T	H					5:00
JAN. 14	SLATON*					H	H	H	H	5:00
Jan 16 & 18	ABERNATHY TOURNEY	T								TBA
Jan. 17	IDALOU*					T	T	T	T	5:00
JAN. 20	IDALOU	H	T	H	T					5:00
JAN. 21	CHILDRESS *					H	H	H	H	5:00
JAN. 23 & 25	CHILDRESS TOURNEY		T		T					5:00
Jan. 24	ROOSEVELT*					T	T	T	T	5:00
JAN. 27	CHILDRESS	T	H	T	H					5:00
JAN. 28	POST*					H	H	H	H	5:00
JAN. 31	SLATON*					T	T	T	T	5:00
FEB. 3	ROOSEVELT	H	T		T					5:00
FEB. 4	IDALOU*					H	H	H	H	5:00
FEB. 7	CHILDRESS							T	T	5:00
FEB. 10	POST		T		T					5:00
FEB. 11	ROOSEVELT*						H		H	5:00

LOCKNEY SCHOOL

Longhorns wrap up season with win over Tahoka 58-42

By Charles Keaton
The Hesperian-Beacon

Three Tahoka turnovers led to 20 points as the Lockney Longhorns wrapped up the 2013 football season on the road at Tahoka. The Horns were able to put together four complete quarters, scoring in each to outlast the Bulldogs, 58-42.

The Longhorns started the scoring early in the first quarter as quarterback Ky Teeter raced in from 28 yards out and Darrin DeLeon ran in the two point conversion to make it 8-0 with 9:25 left in the quarter. The Bulldogs quickly answered when Preston Hammonds scored from 12 yards out. The Bulldogs missed the extra point and trailed the Horns 8-6 with 7:15 left in the quarter.

In the second quarter, the two teams exploded for a combined 38 points. The Dogs scored first when Hammonds connected with Kordell Baker for a 28 yard touchdown pass and after another missed extra point, had a 12-8 lead with 11:52 left in the second quarter. The Horns came back quickly, as Teeter ran in his second touchdown with 10:06 left in the quarter to take the lead for good. Cody Amador scored the two point conversion and Lockney had a 16-12 lead.

The Longhorns Javier Guerrero forced a fumble on defense and Teeter responded with his third touchdown run of the night from 19 yards out. Following a Ruben Ascencio to

Mauricio Davila two point pass, the Horns held a 24-12 lead with 8:24 to go in the half. Less than two minutes later, with 6:30 left in the quarter, the Bulldogs' Ray Parmer ran in from 22 yards out and the Dogs converted the two-point try to pull to within 24-20. With 3:15 left in the half, Teeter connected on the first of his five touchdown passes when he found Tevin Phillips open for an 18 yard touchdown. After Teeter ran in the two point conversion, the Horns took at 32-20 halftime lead.

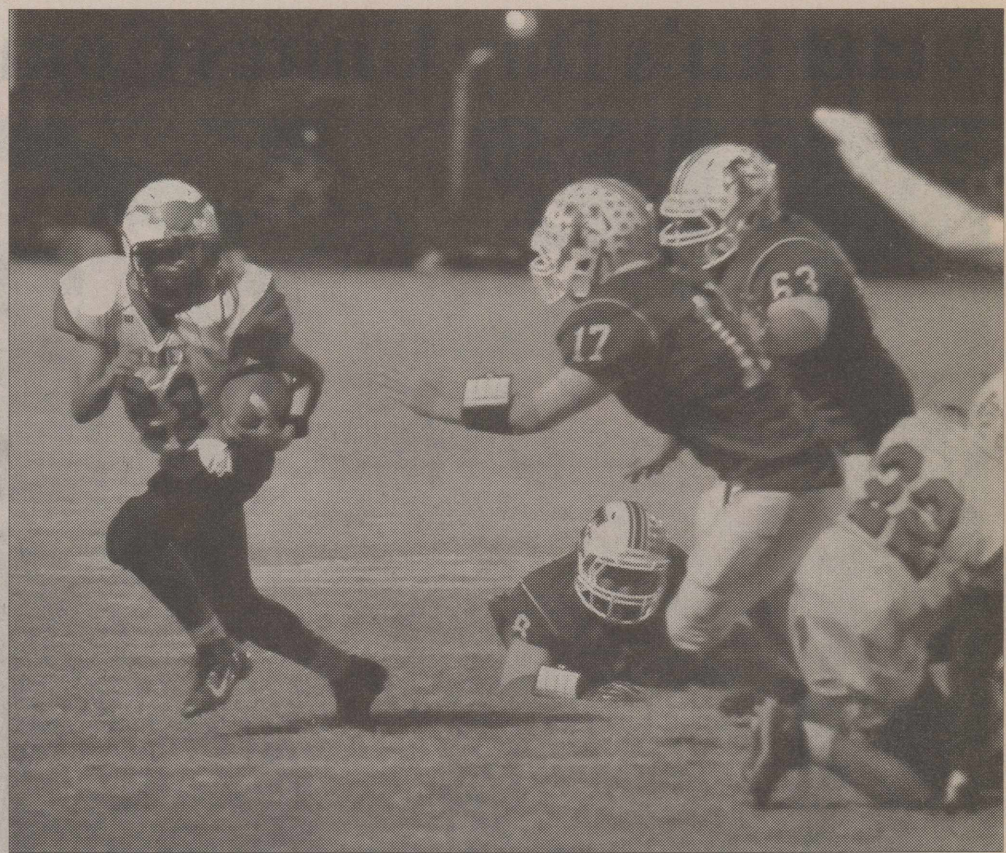
Guerrero set the Horns up again as he forced another fumble. Teeter then connected on a 34 yard pass to Daylen Gatica has the Horns extended their lead to 38-20 with 8:27 to go in the third quarter. The Horns defense stepped up again as Colton Verdine forced another fumble. Teeter connected on his third touchdown pass when he found Davila with an 11 yard pass as the Horns increased their lead to 44-20 with 3:23 left in the third quarter.

The Bulldogs found the end zone with 10:28 left in the game as Ke'Shawn Hood scored from 37 yards out to make it 44-26 in favor of the Horns. Keeter connected with Phillips on a 35 yard touchdown pass, and then Phillips ran in the two point conversion to make it 52-26 with 8:57 left in the game. Bulldog quarterback Trystan Hilger found Baker for a nine yard touchdown pass and then scored a two point con-

version to make the score 52-34 with 6:34 left in the game. Teeter connect for his fifth touchdown pass when he hit Ryan Poole for a 25 yard score to make it 58-34 with 4:05 left in the quarter. Just a minute later, with 3:05 left in the game, Hilger hit Hammonds for a 70-yard touchdown pass for the final score of the night. After a two point conversion, the Horns were up 58-42.

Offensively, the Horns secured their third win of the season with big numbers from several players including Teeter going 14-22 for 223 yards and five touchdown passes. Teeter also had 26 rushes for 181 yards and three touchdowns. DeLeon had 11 carries for 33 yards, Nic Sherman carried the ball three times for 11 yards and Gatica had two carries for seven yards. Phillips had four receptions for 90 yards and two touchdowns, Davila had five receptions for 68 yards and a touchdown, Gatica had one reception for 34 yards and a score, Poole had three receptions for 30 yards and a touchdown and DeLeon had two receptions for 24 yards.

For Tahoka, Hilger was 7-15 passing for 173 yards and two touchdowns, Hammonds was 1-2 passing for 25 yards and a touchdown. Baker had five receptions for 68 yards, Hammonds had on catch for 70 yards and a touchdown and Xavier Pinkard had one catch for 17 yards. Rushing, Hood had 17 carries for 170 yards and a touchdown, Parmer



R.K. Hunt Photography for The Hesperian-Beacon

Lockney Longhorns Daylen Gatica (21) looks for an opening as Tahoka Bulldogs defenders pursue him. The Horns defeated Tahoka 58-42 in the last game of the football season for both squads.

had nine carries for 59 yards and a touchdown, Hammonds had eight carries for 59 yards and a touchdown and Pinkard had four carries for 45 yards.

Longhorns head coach Jay Ragland said, "Getting key stops by the defense and forcing three fumbles were key plays in the game. The offense worked well all night long and they were able to points on the board in all four quarters, which was big for us."

Ragland said that recovering a fumble after going up 16-12 and converting the turnover into points to the board to take a 24-12

lead was huge because it put some distance on the scoreboard over a very explosive team.

"We only lose five seniors, so we have the bulk of our team back next year," Ragland said.

"It is a plus to finish the season on a winning note going into off-season."

Players of the week for the Horns were Teeter, who was responsible for eight touchdowns; Guerrero, who forced and recovered two fumbles on defense; and Phillips, who scored on two touchdown receptions.

Lockney and Tahoka both finish the year with

3-7 records overall with the Horns 1-3 in district and the Dogs 0-4 in district.

In other action in District 2-1A Div. 2, the Sundown Roughnecks captured the district title by upsetting the state-ranked New Deal Lions 18-15.

The Hale Center Owls will be the third team in the playoffs. Sundown draws a first round bye while the Owls take on Panhandle Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at Plainview's Greg Sherwood Memorial Bulldog Stadium and New Deal will play Clarendon at 7:30 p.m. Friday at Highland Park High School in Amarillo.

Horns 100 Club



Courtesy Photo

These students qualified for the "Horns 100 Club" on November 6, 2013. Pictured are (Front row, l-r) Senayda Bernal, Sara St. Dennis, Jose Sanchez, Eli Alvarez, Dylan Morgan; (Back row, l-r) Preston Benevides, Rene Olmos, Allison Torres, and Hagen Pate.

LOCKNEY SCHOOL MENU

Nov. 18 - Nov. 22

Monday
Breakfast-Sausage kolache, oven roasted potatoes or cereal with Texas toast, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch- Beef & cheese chalupas, garden salad, refried beans, applesauce, milk variety
Tuesday
Breakfast- Cheddar omelette

wrap or cereal with Texas toast, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch - Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, savory green beans, strawberry cup, milk variety
Wednesday
Breakfast-Breakfast pizza or cereal with Texas toast, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch-Chicken fajitas w/ peppers & onions, 8" tortilla, charro beans, seasoned corn, orange smiles, milk variety
Thursday
Breakfast- Waffles with sau-

sage or cereal with Texas toast, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch-Popcorn chicken, garden salad, baby carrots, apple slices, breadstick, milk variety
Friday
Breakfast-Cinnamon roll, bacon or cereal with Texas toast, fruit juice or fresh fruit, milk variety
Lunch - Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, pickles, sweet potato fries, coleslaw, slices peaches, milk variety

2013-2014 LOCKNEY LONGHORNS AND LADY HORNS BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

		Site	Time	JVG	VG	JVB	VB
Nov. 5	Silverton	Away	5:00	X	X		
Nov. 8							
Nov. 12	Abernathy	Away	5:00	X	X		
Nov. 12	Morton	Away	5:00			X	X
Nov. 15	Plainview Christian	Home	4:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 19	Spur	Home	4:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 21-23	Hale Center Tourn.	H.C.	TBA	X		X	
Nov. 22	Petersburg	Home	6:00	X	X	X	X
Nov. 26	Floydada	Away	5:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 3	Kress	Away	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 5-7	Guthrie Tournament	Guthrie	TBA		X		X
Dec. 10	Nazareth	Home	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 13	Tahoka	Away	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 17	Happy	Home	4:00	X	X	X	X
Dec. 19-21	Post Tournament	Post	TBA	X	X	X	X
Dec. 27-28	Jayton Tournament	Jayton	TBA		X		
Jan. 3	*Crosbyton	Home	5:00	X	X		
Jan. 3	Floydada	Home	5:00			X	X
Jan. 7	Open						
Jan. 10	*Ralls	Away	5:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 14	*Hale Center	Home	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 17	*New Deal	Away	5:30	X	X	X	X
Jan. 21	*Crosbyton	Away	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 24	Open						
Jan. 28	*Ralls	Home	4:00	X	X	X	X
Jan. 31	*Hale Center	Away	4:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 4	*New Deal	Home	4:00	X	X	X	X
Feb. 7	*Crosbyton	Home	5:00			X	X
Feb. 11	Open						

2013 - 2014 Lockney Jr High Schedule

		Site	7G	7B	8G	8B
Nov. 16	Smyer Tournament	Smyer	X	X	X	X
Nov. 18	Crosbyton	Here	5:00	5:00	6:15	6:15
Dec. 2	Ralls	There	5:00	5:00	6:15	6:15
Dec. 9	Hale Center	Here	5:00	5:00	6:15	6:15
Dec. 16	New Deal	There	5:00	5:00	6:15	6:15
Jan. 9	Crosbyton	There	4:00	5:00	6:00	7:00
Jan. 16	PCA	There	4:00	5:15	6:30	7:45
Jan. 18	Lockney Tournament	Here	X	X	X	X
Jan. 20	Ralls	Here	5:00	5:00	6:15	6:15
Jan. 27	Hale Center	There	5:00	5:00	6:15	6:15
Feb. 3	New Deal	Here	5:00	6:15	5:00	6:15

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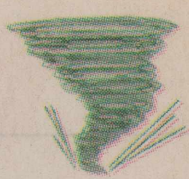
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Whirlwind News



Veteran's Day Unites Community and Former Troops



By Aaron Chavarria and Tucker Lowrance
Staff Writers

In order to celebrate and honor the current and former troops of our nation, FHS hosted the Veteran's Day assembly on Monday, November 11. This assembly was made possible through the help of the National Honor Society and the Student Council students.

Students and teachers who have had family members serve in the military encourage that citizens take this day rather seriously.

"Abran Enriquez, a relative of mine, currently serves in the U.S. Army, which makes me feel obligated to attend the Veteran's Day assembly," said junior, Raphael De Leon.

Although not everyone has relatives who have served in

the military, most people still participate in the Veteran's Day celebration.

"I celebrate Veteran's Day because I appreciate that we have troops risking their lives for our freedom," said sophomore, Kyi Baker.

People such as Coach Tom Logsdon, who has grown up in a military family, find that this ceremony is the perfect opportunity to show their

thanks to the ones who have served.

"I grew up in a home where my father was in the military, and I can remember him being gone overseas for months at a time," said Coach Logsdon. "I feel it is important to honor those men who not only risk their lives, but spend time away from their families to serve and protect us."

This Veteran's Day assem-

sembly unites the community. reflect on their time served during the armed forces.

"I served in the U.S. Air force during the Vietnam War," said veteran, Bill Weir. "Veteran's Day is important to me because it is an opportunity to honor all living veterans, and the veterans who have passed in honor of our country."

Veterans are filled with gratitude as the Veteran's Day as-

sembly unites the community.

"The reason this ceremony means a lot to me is because everybody in Floyd County is supporting all of the veterans who have lost their lives or are currently serving in the military," said veteran Matty Martinez. "We, as veterans, are a team who have sacrificed those that were left behind and who lost their lives for the protection of our country."

Robotics Class Assembles for Upcoming Contest



By Hunter Schwertner
Assistant Editor

In the Floydada High School Robotics class, students have begun preparing for an upcoming competition. They have been working diligently to finish their robotic creations on time.

The pupils are hoping they will have a clean run and everything will work properly.

"Right now we're putting it all together and making sure the mechanics are correct," said senior, Royce De Los Santos.

So far this school year the students have enjoyed their

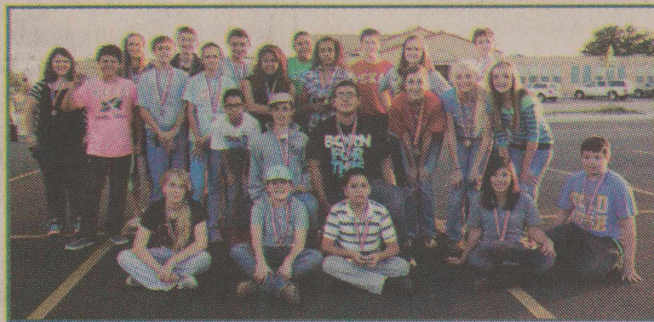
experience in Robotics.

"My favorite part about this class is programming our robots and driving them around with our controllers," said senior, Pedro Guerrero. "I'm ready for our competition coming up, too."

The main objective for a teacher is to ensure those enrolled in his/her courses learn to their fullest potential.

"I hope they accomplish a lot during my class," said teacher, Mr. Rambo. "This will benefit all of my students in some way, especially the ones who are going into a similar career."

FJHS One Act Play Brings Home the Bronze



By Rebekah Hall—Staff Writer

With standards set high, the Floydada Junior High One Act Play competed at district Tuesday, November 12, in Post. They received third place and had their best performance of the year.

Receiving this honor was an achievement for the group.

"I was very proud of how the cast performed," said OAP director, Janna Williams. "Contest was the best performance they had given this year."

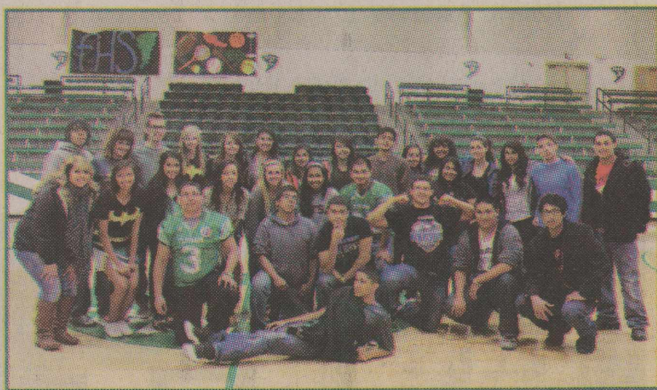
Hours upon hours were spent making the production excellent.

"We practiced for weeks to get the play how we wanted it," said eighth grader, Kortney Campbell. "Practicing and memorizing lines were the biggest part of getting ready for the contest."

Errors were fixed and boosted every time the actors stepped on stage.

"Since the time of our last practice, we fixed several mistakes," said Williams. "Many cast members added depth to their characters and the entire cast improved on entrances and exits, which helped our timing for the overall play."

The Spirit of Senior Year



By McKenna Johnson
Staff Writer

The last football pep rally of the year was held November 8, 2013 before high school lunch. While the district always encourages the football players to work hard, this particular pep rally was special. Senior football players, cheerleaders, and band members were honored for their diligent contributions to the school in the pep rally. It was an unforgettable experience for all of the school's seniors.

"It was a great feeling and I am

thankful that the pep rally recognized the seniors," said senior football player, Libardo Chavarria.

"I was really excited to cheer at the last pep rally, but I was also really sad. I am going to miss cheering more than anything," said senior cheerleading captain, Emily Prisk.

The emotions of the seniors ran high Friday during the pep rally and the last game.

"I treated it as just another game, but I knew it was my last one so it did have a little bit of sentimental value," said Libardo Chavarria.

FISD Students and Educator of the Month

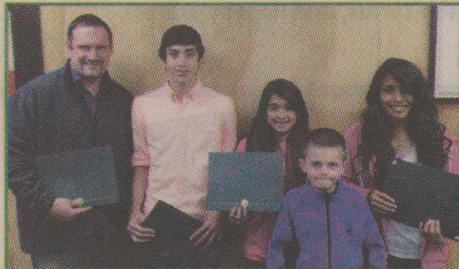
By Mattie Sanders—Staff Writer

During the board meeting, adults gather in to discuss the education of the students involved in FISD. This night, however, a few guests are present. Four students and one teacher are recognized for their hard work over the past month in the presence of the school board and their supporting family and friends.

The Floydada ISD Board met on October 15, 2013 to recognize the Students and Educators of the Month. Each person who was honored received a certificate according to what title they were given.

James Pittman became the Educator of the Month for October this year. Pittman is a new teacher to the high school campus. He has eight years of teaching experience. Mr. Pittman is married to his wife, Michelle, who teaches at Plainview. They have two kids: six-year-old Emma and three-year-old Nathaniel. Pittman enjoys spending time with his family, playing sports, and going to church. His favorite memory at the school so far is getting to be the announcer at Whirlwind Football games every Friday night.

The high school Student of the Month was Karla Moreno, daughter of Manuel and Maria Moreno. She has two brothers, Mauro and David, and two sisters, Ileana and Litzzy Moreno. Moreno enjoys running, attending



Upward Bound, and hanging out with friends. Her favorite subject is English and she wishes to be a counselor after graduating high school.

Dora Cervera and Miguel Peña were both the junior high school Students of the Month. Cervera is the daughter of Speedy and Victoria. She has three sisters: Gracie, Jessica, and Victoria. Dora enjoys softball, basketball, and running track. Her favorite class is Teen

Leadership with her favorite teacher, Mrs. Smith. She hopes to go to college to be a math teacher. Miguel Peña is the son of Olga and Miguel. He has three sisters named Annette, Brittany, and Bethany and one brother named Jonathan. Miguel enjoys playing soccer, basketball, and football, writing music, working out, and shopping in his free time. When he gets older, Miguel plans to become a cop or a music producer. Mrs. Barrera, Mrs. Glass and Coach Fiero teach his favorite subjects.

Jack Brooks was given the title of elementary Student of the Month. Jack lives with his mother, father, and little sister. Brooks enjoys playing and building things with Legos. His favorite teacher is Mrs. Covington. He likes Social Studies class the best. When Jack grows up, he wants to be a cowboy.

Congratulations to all of the students, and to the educator, who were picked.

Whirlwind Word Search

8th Grade Girls' A Basketball

By Kimberly Pacheco

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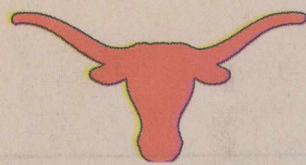
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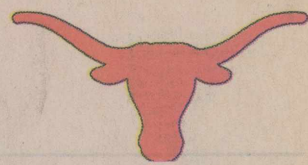
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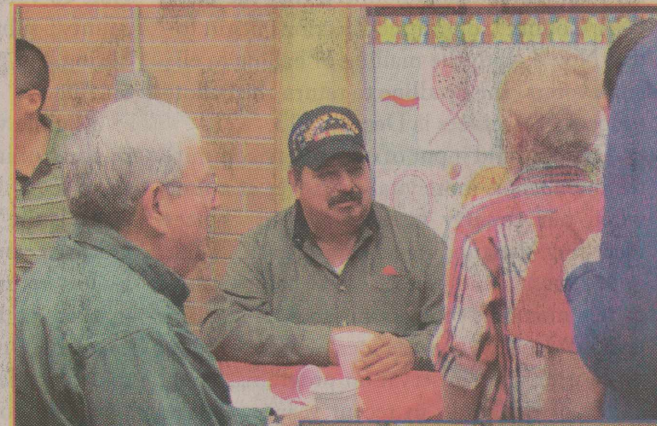
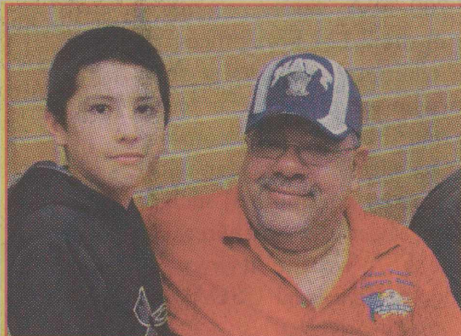


Veteran's Day Celebration

This year's 5th grade class at Lockney Elementary hosted a Veteran's Day Morning Coffee to honor the service and sacrifice that these men and women have given to us and our country. This has become a tradition that the students and veterans enjoy. It is a time for the students to visit and ask questions of the veterans, to thank them for their service and to understand a little bit more about the meaning of Veteran's Day.



John Fred Guzman
From 1973-2002 John Fred Guzman was a member of the U. S. Navy and later a member of the Army National Guard. He has served in Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; Iran, Iraq, and Granada where he served his 3rd deployment with the National Guard after the September 11th attacks. Giving him a huge "thank you" hug is his Grandson, Anson Rendon.



Ed Marks
Local judge, Ed Marks, served in the U. S. Navy from 1965-1969 as an Aviation Boatswain Mate 3rd during the Vietnam War. He has also served in the National Guard.



David Verdine
Army Staff Sergeant, David Verdine, who is currently serving in the 36th Infantry at Charley Con 2-142 Infantry in Midland has served our country since 1993 and has been stationed in Iraq, Afghanistan, the Texas-Mexico border, and Ft. Hood along with his current deployment in Midland. He entered the military because he wanted to follow in his grandfather's footsteps who served in World War II and in the Korean War.



Weldon LaVerne Carthel
Weldon Carthel served our country as an Air Force Sergeant 1st Class in Casablanca, Africa; Roberts Field, Liberia; and was also stationed in Lubbock at the South Plains Airbase from 1942-1943. His son, Wayland Carthel, is currently serving in Okinawa, Japan as an Air Force Tech Sergeant.

Warren Mitchell
Air Force Captain, Warren Mitchell, served in the military from 1966-1971 as a Radar Controller stationed in Panama for 3 years and was also stationed in Minnesota. His son, Tim Mitchell, is currently serving as a Major Pilot in Korea.

Senior Pep Rally



The last pep rally of the season, also known as the senior pep rally, was held this past Friday in the Longhorn gym at Lockney High School. Cheerleading sponsors, Pam Fulton and Desiree Pharis along with the non-senior Varsity cheerleaders, Ignacio Ascencio, Isabella Rodriguez, Dixie Williams, Brittany DeLeon, Karis Carstensen, and Ashley Roberts, performed skits depicting various athletic practices along with prom and graduation. The skits began with band and football practices then progressed to basketball, track and baseball practices, and also included a skit about prom. Leaving most people in tears was the final skit about graduation which included all of the seniors being called down to the floor to do the "pinky chain" and to sing the school song.

Super Hero Day



Lockney High School students showed their school spirit this past Friday by dressing up as their favorite Super Hero. As you can see in the pictures, it was a fun time for all. GO LONGHORNS!

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USDA Farm Service Agency Urges Farmers and Ranchers to Vote in Elections Beginning Monday, Nov. 4

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5, 2013 — USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Administrator Juan M. Garcia announced that the 2013 FSA County Committee Elections begin today, Nov. 4, with the mailing of ballots to eligible voters. The deadline to return the ballots to local FSA offices is Dec. 2, 2013.

"The role and input of our county committee members is more vital than ever at a time when our country faces important choices regarding the funding and operation of our government," said Garcia. "New county committee members provide input and make important decisions on the local administration of disaster and conservation programs. With better participation in recent years, we have also seen promising increases in the number of women and minority candidates, helping to better represent the richness of American agriculture."

County committee members are an important component of the operations of FSA and provide a link between the agricultural community and USDA. Farmers and ranchers elected to county committees help deliver FSA programs at the local level, applying their knowledge and judgment to make decisions on commodity price support programs; conservation programs; incentive indemnity and disaster programs for some commodities; emergency programs and eligibility. FSA committees operate within official regulations designed to carry out federal laws.

To be an eligible voter, farmers and ranchers must participate or cooperate in an FSA program. A person who is not of legal voting

age, but supervises and conducts the farming operations of an entire farm may also be eligible to vote. Agricultural producers in each county submitted candidate nominations during the nomination period, which ended on Aug. 1.

Eligible voters who do not receive ballots in the coming week can obtain ballots from their local USDA Service Center. Dec. 2, 2013, is the last day for voters to submit ballots in person to local USDA Service Centers. Ballots returned by mail must also be post-marked no later than Dec. 2. Newly elected committee members and their alternates will take office Jan. 1, 2014.

Close to 7,700 FSA county committee members serve in the 2,124 FSA offices nationwide. Each committee consists of three to 11 members who serve three-year terms. Approximately one-third of county committee seats are up for election each year. More information on county committees, such as the new 2013 fact sheet and brochures, can be found on the FSA website at www.fsa.usda.gov/elections or at a local USDA Service Center.

USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer. To file a complaint of discrimination, write: USDA, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, DC 20250-9410 or call (866) 632-9992 (Toll-free Customer Service), (800) 877-8339 (Local or Federal relay), (866) 377-8642 (Relay voice users).

FSA Announces the Resumption of 2013 Crop Commodity Loan Disbursements

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4, 2013 — USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) Administrator Juan M. Garcia announced today that the processing and disbursement of 2013 crop commodity loans has resumed. Crop year 2013 commodity loan-making was suspended Oct. 1, 2013, to make changes necessary to accommodate the automatic funding reductions known as sequester. Sequestration is mandated by the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 as amended by the Budget Control Act of 2011.

"We must comply with the laws established by

Congress to reduce funds in accordance with sequestration policy," said Garcia. "We regret the delay this has created in USDA issuing marketing assistance loans because we know how critical the loans are to many farmers' cash flow at this time of year."

The commodity loan programs provide interim financing to producers for agricultural commodities stored after harvest and then sold throughout the year. Producers requesting 2013 crop commodity loans on their harvested commodities now will have a 5.1 percent reduction to the loan amount upon its

disbursement, due to the sequestration. Commodity loans issued by marketing associations and loan servicing agents are also subject to the sequestration reduction.

During the period that loan-making was suspended, producers were still able to submit loan applications to their county FSA offices, marketing associations and loan servicing agents. The processing and disbursement of these applications will begin immediately.

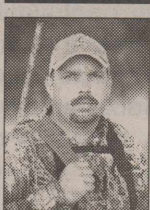
For further information about commodity marketing loans, farmers may contact their local county FSA office or go online to www.fsa.usda.gov.

Assignment: Texas

My First Deer Stand



It was probably half an hour before first light when my brother and I hiked across a successful meadow on our way to a thin strip of timber where our treestands



RUSSELL GRAVES

waited. Two years ago this field was an old growth oak forest. As part of the Post Oak Savannah ecological region of Texas, oak forests rise from the sandy soils that flank the black-dirt bottomlands along the creeks in northern Fannin County. Over the past few years, however, the landowner decided to harvest every viable tree from his property. His reasoning was simple: due to a proposed lake project, he and other landowners like him decided to squeeze every bit of revenue from their property before the powers of eminent domain take over and they loose

control of their property. Therefore, the property was logged and 95% of the trees were removed from the 250-acre parcel where I have spent my life hunting.

I don't complain about his decision to harvest the timber. The property doesn't belong to me and I do hunt the place at his pleasure. In fact, I have hunted the land every season since I started hunting back in the early 1980's. However, the change in landscape is challenging for both me and the deer.

While last year the place was barren and we never saw a deer on the property, this year abundant rains caused forest to rebound and the wildlife returned. Where a mature forest with limited understory once stood now is a bluestem meadow complete with small oaks, redbud, beautyberry, honeysuckle, and a whole host of wildlife-friendly plants.

When my brother and I ascended one of the few big oaks left on the place, the surrounding landscape was black. When the sky lightened, I saw something I thought was long gone.

You see, last year, after the logging, I thought the viable trees were removed from the place. I was surprised when the sun rose on Thanksgiving morning and

I saw my old tree stand.

Before we knew any better and without regard to personal safety me, my dad, and my brother built a wooden platform and ladder in an old oak tree back in 1986. Fifteen feet high and made from pressure treated lumber, it was the first deer stand I ever hunted from. A year after we built it, I shot my very first buck from this tree.

For some reason, it seems that the loggers skipped the tree. Now in the wide open, it was easy to spot. After the hunt that evening, I ventured back to the spot and photographed the tree that started my deer hunting career.

As I stood there in the dark waiting on the five minute exposure to lapse, memories of my first deer as well as hunts past flooded my mind.

After I shot my deer from this stand, my dad helped my track and find the buck and drag him out of a tangle of greenbrier and Chittamwood. Almost 24-hours later, my dad took and almost identical deer from the same stand.

It goes without saying that this concoction of wood, wire, and nails is special to me. Now that I've photographed it for the first time, it's significance will linger on.

Any questions or comments? Contact Russell at russell@russellgraves.com or visit his website at www.russellgraves.com

"Wildlife for Lunch" webinar addressing Wild Pig Management

Texas Wildlife Association has teamed with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension to host a series of webinars covering a wide array of wildlife and land management topics. These FREE online webinars are held during the lunch hour (noon - 1 p.m., CST) so that anyone interested may tune in during the work

day. The webinar series provides sound, science-based wildlife management information delivered by experts to you in the comfort of your own home or office.

The next webinar, "Wild Pig Management", will be held on Thursday, November 14th, 2013. This month's presenter will be

Dr. Billy Higginbotham, Professor and Extension Wildlife and Fisheries Specialist with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension. Life history and control techniques for wild pigs will be discussed in this webinar. Trapping is the landowner's first line of defense in the War on Wild Pigs and detailed trapping best management practices will be emphasized.

How to sign on: On the day of the webinar, simply point your browser to <https://texas-wildlife.webex.com> and click to join the Wildlife for Lunch webinar. (Please note: WebEx webinars are not supported on handheld devices such as iPads or iPhones.) Each web based seminar is fully interactive and allows you to engage the experts, make comments, and ask questions during the course of the presentation.

If you cannot make the live webinar: Each webinar is archived and available for viewing following the initial air date at the Texas Wildlife Association website: www.texas-wildlife.org.

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- Lockney Coop Gin - 11,800
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1950 Study Club

The 1950 Study Club met Tuesday, November 5, 2013 at the home of Billie Jordan for our monthly meeting. Hostesses for the meeting were Gloria Fannon and Sandy Forehand.

President Margaret Jones called the meeting to order and Sue Daniels led the club members in The American Creed.

Roll call was answered by naming our favorite game. Club member Lee Battey led the program, Games for the Mind. We all enjoyed playing a mind game.

Christmas Fun will be the theme of our December meeting.

Wit and Wisdom of Texas

By Charles Keaton
The Hesperian-Beacon

Wit and Wisdom of Texas looks to show the readers the common sense and uncommon genius of many Texans from the past to the present. I hope you enjoy and delight in these comments.

"Other states are carved or born. But Texas grew from hide and horn." – Unknown

"Texas is the 'Old Man River' of states. No matter who runs it or what happens politically, it just keeps rolling along." – Will Rogers

"The wind blows a lot in the Texas Panhandle. It's part of the landscape." – T. Boone Pickens

"What Texans can dream, Texans can do." – George W. Bush

"Don't ever go in someplace until you figure out how in the heck you're gonna get yourself back out." – Red Adair

"If you simply tell the truth, you'll never get mixed up. Then you don't have to remember what you've said." – Sam Rayburn

"The only things in the middle of the road are yellow stripes and dead armadillos." – Jim Hightower

"We create our own unhappiness. The purpose of suffering is to help us understand we are the ones who cause it." – Willie Nelson

"I never had the ambition to be something. I had the ambition to do something." – Walter Cronkite

"God does not ask your ability or inability. He asks only your availability." – Mary Kay Ash

Quartz Mountain News Christmas Ball to be Held at Quartz Mountain Resort

Dance all night, dance a little longer. Or just sit and visit with the neighbors. Music from Wendell Sollis and The Sidekicks All Star Band will liven up the Christmas season Friday, Dec. 13, with a Christmas Ball at Quartz Mountain Resort to sounds of Western Swing, Classic Country, Cajun, and Big Band music.

Bandleader Sollis plays tenor and five-string banjo. His lead guitarist is Joe Settlemires, jazz and Western Swing musician.

"This band can do it all," Sollis said.

Settlemires played at age 19 with Bob Wills, the iconic bandleader known as the King of Western Swing. Settlemires has since played with a "Who's Who" of country legends, in-

cluding Willie Nelson and Tex Ritter. He's also performed with the Oklahoma City Symphony Orchestra.

The rest of The Sidekicks' lineup represents an array of talents and decades of experience: steel guitarist Bob Baker, saxophonist Larry Reed, trombonist Steve Ham, fiddlers Gregg Gibbs, Wade Landry and Elizabeth Terry, guitarist Ronny Dale Shultz, bass player Rodney Lay and vocalist Janet Rutland. Rockabilly Hall of Famer Lay has worked with Roy Clark and managed his band. Landry is a regular performer in Branson, Mo.

The Christmas Ball will begin at 8 p.m. in the Quartz Mountain Ball Room.

Tickets are \$30 purchased in

advance or \$35.00 at the door. Contact J W Sollis at jwsollis@yahoo.com or (940) 839 7870 or call KEYB Radio, (580) 482 1555, or Bar Circle Rentals, (580) 482 5567.

For room reservations at Quartz Mountain Resort, call toll-free (877) 999-5567.

The 501

A Rusty Relationship

Deere John, I'm sorry to write this letter, but sometimes things just don't work out. ...

I've yet to pen such a heart-wrenching (emphasis on wrench) missive to the Green Giant of manufacturing, but I'm considering it. John Deere and I have a love-hate relationship. Maybe it's because rust is compromising most of the classic green paint on our farm.

Yesterday, as farm worker-musician Rick and I beat on what should have been a moving part on an old grain drill, we saw vestiges of bold green on cogwheels, a heartening reminder the machine was once new and flawless. We kept on trying to knock a rusted adjustment

gizmo over to a slower gear for wheat sowing. At least that's what we hoped we were doing.

Truism: The more the previous owner of a piece of faded farm equipment has enhanced it with baling wire, the stupider you were to buy it at auction.

If the reason for the wire isn't immediately apparent, it will be.

Another truism: If you decide to make a proper repair, you'll discover why the previous owner used wire. The price of the requisite green parts will exceed your winning bid.

I called John Deere anyway – not for parts but for free advice. No, I didn't call Des Moines. That number's unlisted. Well, maybe not. But it's not like

they've got a toll-free number for dumb questions. I called the nearest dealership.

The receptionist put me through to a green guy in service -- green as in young. He referred me to salesman Jim, the only employee seasoned enough to know anything about the drill. Jim and I had a nice conversation. Yep, Rick and I were beating on the right thing.

Since it took a combination of a spray solvent and carefully applied brute force to move the mechanism, Rick and I decided the baling wire really hadn't been holding anything. Rust was doing the job. Good old rust.

Third truism: Baling wire, by its presence, indicates someone has identified a problem. It's a lick and a promise meant to work at least temporarily. Usually it does. Sometimes it's meant to last indefinitely. Sometimes it does that too.

Much like baskets, every use of baling wire on a farm, except for baling hay, is someone's handiwork. It's a tie to the past and a tribute, however modest, to the improviser. I can see those pliers now in my grandmother's deft arthritic hands. Mostly she fixed fence and generally steered clear of all things painted green, preferring the company of her cows.

By contrast, I'm stuck with John Deere. I may write the letter anyway: Deere John,

I'm sorry to break this news to you at this point in our longstanding relationship, but you have some competition. I'm not telling you his name, but here's a clue:

He's a cousin to Bob War. That's all I'm saying for now. Don't call or write until you're ready to drop your parts prices.

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THE PROPOSED WORK includes the following:

- 1,000 square yards of concrete sidewalk
- 350 square yards of concrete drive
- 775 linear feet of concrete curb and gutter
- 12 concrete curb ramps

Contract documents including bid proposals forms, plan sheets, and specifications for the Project may be viewed and downloaded free of charge (with the option to purchase hard copies) at www.civcastusa.com. Scanned plans and specifications (PDF format) are available on CD for a non-refundable price of \$50.00 from KSA Engineers, Inc., 600 S. Tyler, Suite 1403, Amarillo, Texas 79101 (806-335-1600 or cscases@ksaeng.com). Printed copies of the Contract Documents may be viewed at the Engineer's office. Please submit questions for this project at least 48 hours prior to bid opening through www.civcastusa.com in the Q&A portal or to Clayton A. Scales, P.E. at cscases@ksaeng.com or 806-335-1600. All addenda issued for this project will **only** be posted on www.civcastusa.com.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Rural Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age, or national origin.

Contract Documents are on file and may be examined without charge at the City of Floydada City Hall at the address where proposals are to be received, or at the offices of KSA Engineers, Inc. at the address listed above.

BIDDING SECURITY in the form of a Bid Bond or certified Cashier's Check in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the total Bid shall be furnished by each Bidder as required by the above mentioned documents. Such check, or collateral, shall be made payable to the City of Floydada.

Contractors for this Project must pay no less than the prevailing wage rates for the area established by the Owner and included in the contract documents.

Performance and Payment Bonds are required, each in an amount of not less than one-hundred percent (100%) of the contract price, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the contract and upon payment of all persons supplying labor or furnishing materials. Both bonds must be written by a responsible Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and satisfactory to the City of Floydada, as required by statute.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

The City of Floydada reserves the right to adopt the most advantageous interpretation of the bids submitted in the case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating proposal prices, to reject any or all bids, and/or waive formalities. Bids may not be withdrawn within sixty (60) days from date on which bids are opened.

A non-mandatory pre-bid conference for this project will be held on Tuesday, November 12, 2013, at 10:00 a.m. in the City Council Chambers located in the City Hall at 114 West Virginia Street, Floydada, Texas 79235.

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Darwin Robinson, Pastor
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Morning Worship ..10:50 a.m.
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Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Jr. High5:30 p.m.
Wed. High School.. 6:30 p.m.

GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
Joe Bennett, Pastor

Sunday School10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ...11:00 a.m.
Evening Service.....7:30 p.m.
Tuesday.....8:00 p.m.
Wed. Service7:30 p.m.

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Bible Study9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.
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Wednesday7:00 p.m.

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Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Study ..6:00 p.m.

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Rev. David Ramos, Pastor
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Sunday Evening6:00 p.m.

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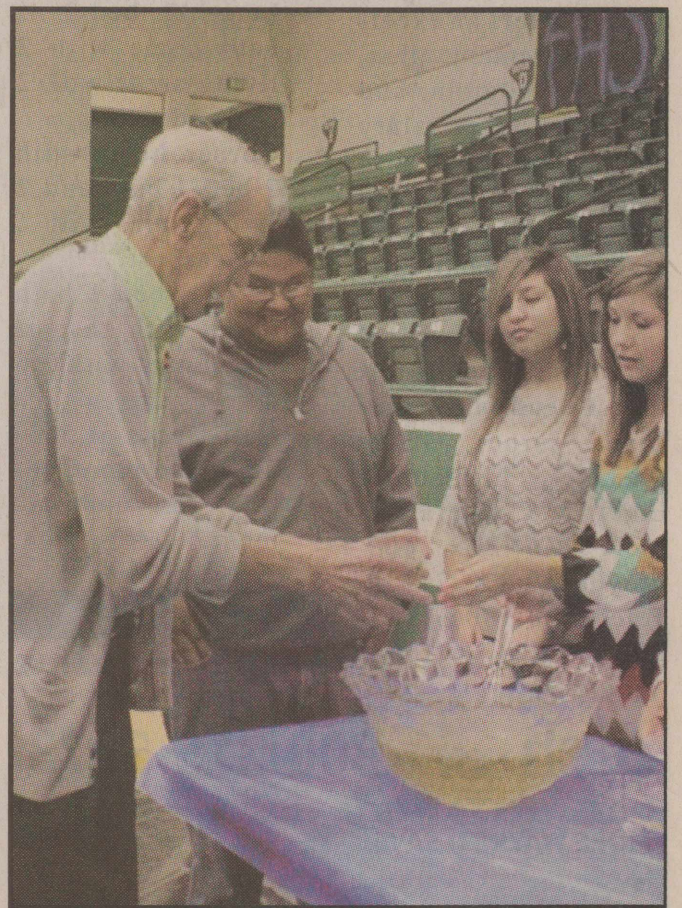
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