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DAWSON RAY MARTINEZ was a colorful Rodeo Clown at Floydada's Trunk or Treat. He will be 2 years old in January. Staff Photo



SHERYL BACK (l-r) and KATRINA GOOCH hand out candy from the back of the ambulance at Trunk or Treat, Oct. 30th.

## Local motel is renovated

Floydada's Bunkhouse Motel is getting a new look and will soon be ready for guests.

The Motel which had fallen into disrepair has recently purchased at auction by Gene and Donna Thompson of Fort Worth.

The Thompsons own 10 other motels and specialize in buying small town motels and renovating them.

Their area manager who oversees the project renovations is Robert Echols. Echols is currently

advertising for a manager to run the motel.

"The manager will live in the motel's apartment," said Echols.

According to Echols all 16 rooms of the Bunkhouse Motel are being totally renovated.

"The Motel will have a new look inside and out," said Echols.

The Bunkhouse is getting a new roof, new heating and air conditioning and a coin operated laundry for the public.

"We are adding to the existing structure for the laundry," said Echols.

Property behind the motel was also purchased and plans are to add 5-7 full service RV hookups in this area.

The rooms will have new carpet, satellite TV, telephones, and a complimentary hot breakfast will be offered in the lobby every morning for guests.

Of the 16 rooms at the motel,

seven rooms will have two full size beds; three will have a king size bed, and five rooms will have a queen size bed.

"We like to get involved with the community and the Chamber of Commerce activities as quickly as we can," said Echols.

"We want to be part of bringing people into Floydada and hopefully we can be helpful in providing places for people to stay."



PROVIDENCE AREA FARMERS harvest grain sorghum for Rodney Smith after family tragedy. Four combines, semi trucks and a grain buggy were provided by Mike Ford, Joey Davis, Keith Wilburn, Colby Boedeker and sons Bo and Coy, Merlin Boedeker, Cecil Boedeker, Gavion Sepeda, Warren, Mike, and Garrett Mathis, Glen Graves and Smith's father-in-law Bill Bolinger. "West Texas has some awesome people," said Smith. Courtesy Photo

## Veterans will be honored

FLOYDADA--The Floydada High School Student Council will honor all Floyd County Veterans in a special program in the Whirlwind Gym, Friday, November 9th.

### Win A Turkey

With the advertising help of local sponsors, The Hesperian-Beacon will be buying 24 turkeys to be given away for Thanksgiving.

The "Turkey Page" in this week and next week's edition has 24 coupons to be filled out and dropped into the boxes of participating businesses.

The winner's names will be drawn, November 16, at 1:00 p.m. Winners can then pick up their coupons from the business and then use the coupon to pick up their free turkey from Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Floydada or Lockney.

The community is invited. The program will begin at 10:00 a.m. and a reception will immediately follow the program.

Following the ceremony, at approximately 11:30 a.m., there will be a wreath-laying ceremony at the Floyd County Veteran's Memorial on the east lawn of the Courthouse.

LOCKNEY--The Lockney Veteran's Association will cook

lunch, November 11, from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. All proceeds made from the meal will go toward the Veteran's Association. The meal will be served from the north end of the Community Center.

On November 12, Lockney Elementary School will have a lunch to honor the Veterans, at 12:30 p.m., in the cafeteria. All Veterans are invited.

### Lockney ISD Voters Approve Roll Back Election

For: 174

Against: 122

### About Wreaths Across America

The Wreaths Across America story began over 15 years ago when Worcester Wreath Company (a for-profit commercial business from Harrington, Maine) began a tradition of placing wreaths on the headstones of the Nation's fallen heroes at Arlington National Cemetery.

Over that period of time, Worcester Wreath has donated 75,000 wreaths which were placed by volunteers in a wreath-laying ceremony each December.

This year Worcester Wreath will double its annual donation to 10,000 wreaths destined for Arlington National Cemetery. The company will also donate 2,500 wreaths to the Maine Veterans Cemetery at Togus, and over 1,800 ceremonial wreaths, representing all branches of the armed forces will be sent to over 200 other state and national veterans cemeteries across the Country.

For the first time in 2007, ceremonial wreaths will also be donated to 24 veterans cemeteries on foreign soil, and aboard U.S. ships sailing in all seven seas.

All wreath-laying ceremonies, including a ceremony in Lockney, Texas, will be held concurrently on Saturday, December 15th, at 12:00 noon.

On Monday, December 10th, 51 wreaths will be donated for a special wreath laying ceremony at each State Capitol and one six foot wreath for the Nations Capitol.

## Veteran's Park will be part of nationwide wreath ceremony

The Lockney area Veterans have volunteered to conduct the Wreaths Across America Ceremony this year at the Lockney Veteran's Memorial Park, Saturday, December 15.

The ceremony will start at 11:00 a.m. in Lockney and will coincide with similar ceremonies across the United States on the same day at the same time.

In Lockney seven ceremonial wreaths will be placed at the flag poles to remember those who gave their lives in service. They will include specialty made wreaths for Army, Marines, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, Merchant Marines, and POW/MIA.

All of these wreaths are donated by Worcester Wreath Company in Harrington, Maine. The full story can be found online at the Wreaths Across America

website:

[www.wreathscrossamerica.org](http://www.wreathscrossamerica.org)

Eighty wreaths, bought with local donations, will also be placed at the white crosses in Lockney's Veteran's Park.

At the same time wreaths will be placed at the graves at Arlington National Cemetery in Arlington, VA., and at over 230 National and State Veterans cemeteries and monuments across the Nation.

December 15th will mark the 16th anniversary of Harrington, Maine wreaths being donated to decorate the graves at Arlington National Cemetery and the 2nd year of a national campaign dubbed Wreaths Across America that will bring the same remembrance wreaths to Veterans cemeteries and parks across the United States.

In addition to the donated ceremonial wreaths U.S. Civil Air Patrol has joined Wreaths Across America to promote sponsored wreaths from the general public that also will be laid on Veterans graves and Memorial locations around the country.

"We are in need of 80 wreaths to lay at the memorial crosses in the park," said Ed Marks, president of Lockney's Veterans Assoc. "The wreaths are available for sponsorship at \$15.00 per wreath. If you would like to sponsor one or more wreaths call Melissa Minick at 806-52-3752 for more information."

According to Marks, Lockney Veterans Memorial Park is the only park in this area to conduct such a ceremony.

"We are planning an Honor Guard ceremony," said Marks.



VETERANS DAY REMINDER--The white crosses, and flags, at Lockney's Veterans Memorial Park will have wreaths laid at their bases on December 15 in a wreath laying ceremony. Contributions will help pay for the wreaths. Staff Photo





**VETERANS HELPING VETERANS**---The former Lockney VFW Post #7993 donated \$1,000 to the Lockney Veterans Association. Money will be used for the memorial. Shown (l-r) are Herman Graham, Dowell Brewer, Bill Strickland and Ed Marks. **Staff Photo**

## Mangold Memorial Hospital makes plans for Health Fair

W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital's annual "Holiday Health Fair" will be held on Saturday, December 1, from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. in the Lockney Elementary Cafeterias.

Your admission to the Health Fair will be a donation of a canned good or a new toy to be donated to the Salvation Army Christmas Cheer Program.

There will be over 30 booths providing glaucoma checks, cholesterol screens, blood sugar and blood pressure checks and you can consult with a hearing specialist. Also, United Blood Institute will be holding a blood drive.

Again this year at the Health

Fair will be "Project KidCare" a children's identification project that provides a picture and current information about your child in a handy vinyl pocket. This is part of a national effort to provide parents with personal safety id's of their children in the event of an emergency. KidCare is being offered as a free public service to families in the area. If your child attended last year, bring your packet to be updated. If you didn't attend last year, a new packet will be issued.

Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center will be at Cogdell Clinic Lockney on Friday, December 21 to hold the annual

mammography clinic. If you would like to make an appointment for a mammogram, you may do so by calling 1-800-377-4673.

The "Holiday Health Fair" will have booths manned by various local and area organizations plus children's activities booths. Local and area merchants will provide door prizes, and a healthy lunch will be available.

This event is designed to be informative and fun for the entire family. Mangold Memorial Hospital invites everyone to attend.

## Crabtrees dedicate new CD proceeds to Cancer Research

By Linda Matsler

Kay and Hope Crabtree have been making music together since 1960 and have continued that tradition with two recent CDs, "Now and Then."

The two CD package is a collection of vocal and instrumental songs. One CD contains 14 songs recorded about 30 years ago at the Caldwell Studios in Lubbock (Then). The second CD was recorded in July, 2007, (Now) and consists of some new material plus several songs done for community programs, church services and Christmas programs.

Before the couple met, Kay was a Tech student and was pianist in a dance band that played at the Reese Officer's Club, VFW, and for conventions and parties at the old Lubbock Hotel in the late 1950's. Hope was working at the Lubbock National Bank and Hemphill Wells department store when she began singing with his band. They were married in 1960 and moved to Floydada to begin farming in 1963. Their children are Becky, Anissa and Sam, all FHS graduates.

Eason Campbell, college student and son of Billie Campbell and Greg Campbell of Floydada, assisted in the sound, album conversion, computer work, and enthusiastic support of "Now." Laura Turner, local manager of Plains Bell Federal Credit Union, is heard in a Ray Charles instrumental "What'd I Say?" Harvey

Allen, former Floydada resident and "old friend" of the Crabtrees, plays the harmonica in "Danny Boy." The Crabtree's daughter, Becky, sings "Beulah Land" with Hope; daughter Anissa is six years old when "God Made" is sung; and son Sam is composer of "Hi Fi" and "Starry, Starry Night: A Christmas Poem."

In 1999 Kay was diagnosed with prostate cancer. He overcame that cancer, but was diagnosed with lung cancer in 2004. He has been in remission twice, but the cancer has reared its ugly head again and he is presently undergoing treatment. During this period of time he became aware of the importance of research to be done for cures for cancer. He wanted to do his part in helping to raise funds. Kay was

led to create a CD as a fund raiser for the American Cancer Society and contacted the local Floyd County unit to offer his donation.

"Now and Then" is available at Payne's Pharmacy, First National Bank, Plains Bell Credit Union, Ginger's Beauty Shop and Billie's Beauty Shop for a minimum \$10 donation to the American Cancer Society. The CDs will also be available at the American Cancer Society/Relay for Life Christmas Brunch which will be held in the home of Tom and Laura Farris on Saturday, December 1.

Kay and Hope have made a most generous donation to the American Cancer Society in that 100% of all donations will go to benefit research through the Cancer Fund.

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**LOCAL DANCE TEAM TO BE FEATURED IN HALF TIME SHOW**--Ms. Sherry Fogerson took her Dance Team to the Dallas Cowboy Cheerleaders competition on Oct 27, 2007 at Texas Stadium in Irving Texas. This contest featured private dance academies, school groups and city teams ranging from age 6 through high school with over 1,000 participants representing Texas and Louisiana. The team took 1st place in the 4-6 grade competition and will return to Texas Stadium on Dec. 16, 2007 and will perform in the DCC Christmas Halftime Show when the Cowboys play the Philadelphia Eagles. For these hardworking students it's the chance to perform in front of 65,000 fans and represent their home towns. The Dance Team consist of: Kennadee Buchanan, daughter of Bryan and Shadi Buchanan, of Turkey; Haley Wheeler, daughter of Brian and Mona Wheeler, of Turkey; Dixie Williams, daughter of Matt and Jean Anne Williams, of Lockney; Alexis Rodriguez, daughter of Adam and Elizabeth Rodriguez, of Lockney; Lindsay Stewart, daughter of Kevin and Victory Stewart, of Lockney; and Ignacio Ascencio, son of Irma Cuevas, of Lockney. **Courtesy Photo**



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# Society

## Lockney Senior Citizen News

By Vera Jo Bybee

We nearly didn't have lunch at the Center Monday. Our wonderful cook Wanda Barber has been putting up with the cook stove's pilot light going off all the time so Gene Newton called the company that made the stove and told them our problems. So he told her what he thought the problem might be. Gas surges.

Everyone has been smelling gas at the back of the building and had tested the meter but no leak there. When they dug down to the gas pipe they found the leak. Jr. Brotherton the Center's president called some people out of Plainview to come fix it and they came right on over and fixed it for \$181.00.

Now this is Monday morning and no gas so Wanda improvised with cookers etc., and had a wonderful beef taco dinner.

Just about the time you think you are going to be in the black this month here come another bill. Paying these bills is just one of the many reasons we appreciate our membership dues. We have lots of members who pay dues from out of town and in Lockney too who never get to come and enjoy the Center.

Also how wonderful it is that people remember the Center with memorials for their loved ones and friends. Everything all of you do to keep our doors open is so appreciated.

Guest eating at the Center this week has been Edith Cooper, Wilma Edwards and Judy Macha all from Lockney and Louise Thompson and Inez Hillman from Plainview. It is always wonderful to have guest.

Would you believe that I have a mailing list of 145 people for this News Column. At first when I started sending former Lockney residents the column at their request I thought maybe I shouldn't do it cause maybe they should subscribe to the Beacon. But you know what a lot of my readers have subscribed to the Beacon to read all of Lockney's news and not just the Senior News. So it has worked out fine for everyone.

I have had two new request for the News this week. Myrna Hayes George and Shannon Orba Eiland. I do enjoy sending all these former Lockney people a letter from home.

The prayer list grows every week. New ones this week is Gladys Bobbitt who is in the hospital with pneumonia. Sandy Adrian who is home recovering from surgery.

Also, Mary Hall wife of a former Lockney resident and 48 classmate, Harold Hall of Bedford, Tx. She is at home recuperating from surgery.

Others are Freda Davis, Mary Reves, Mary Louise McCarter, Florene Ratliff, Andy Ford, Sandy Bailey, Donnie Bowman,

Betty Veal, Maxine Hill, Ellen Boedecker, Judy Griffith, Bro Frank Duckworth, James Taylor, David Jackson, David Frizzell, Jr. Poole, Claude Porter Lonny Hooten, Paul Schacht, Byron Ford Gary Faries and Donnie.

Our thoughts and prayers are also with the Kellison sisters, Beth and Wanda, on the passing of their brother Ralph. The Kellisons are former Lockney residents.

Also with the Rodney Smith family on the passing of his brother J.D.

Our sympathy is with the Paul Teuton family. Paul passed away Sunday afternoon Nov. 4th. His funeral services will be Thursday afternoon Nov. 8th at 2:00 p.m. at the First Baptist Church and will be buried in the Lockney Cemetery.

"A friend is someone who reaches for your hand and touches your heart."

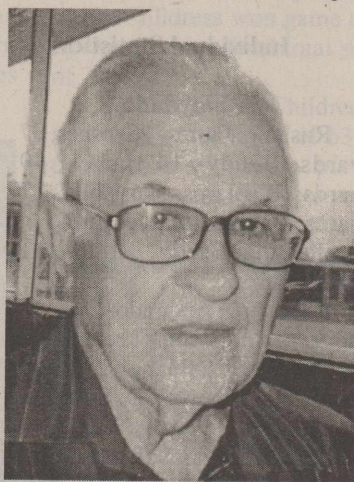
**Menu for November 12-16**  
Monday: Baked Potato with fixings  
Tuesday: Hamburger Steak  
Wednesday: Chicken Strips  
Thursday: BBQ on the Bun  
Friday: Chicken and Dressing

Wanda is having Chicken and Dressing Friday, Nov. 16 because the Center will be closed Nov 22 and 23.



**WATSONS CELEBRATE 65TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY**--Millard and Glenna Watson of Floydada celebrated their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary on Saturday, November 3, 2007 in Lubbock. A family dinner and reception in the home of their daughter, Sherry Robison, was held in their honor. The Watsons were married on November 4, 1942 in the Mt. Blanco community. After serving in the U.S. Air Force, they farmed for forty-four years in the Mt. Blanco community. They moved to Floydada after retiring in 1989. Their children and spouses are Dean and Brenda Watson of Floydada and Sherry Robison of Lubbock. Their grandchildren and great grandchildren are Deanna and Troy Bigham, Clay and Courtney of Lockney; Amanda Ramsey and Sage, Bridgette, Reese, and Reagan of Dickens; David Watson of Wilson; Kris and Fleur Robison and Owen of Sycamore, Illinois; Karen Robison of Dallas; Heath and Suzanne Pipes and Avery and Alyssa of Grapevine; and Cherisse Robison of Austin. Courtesy Photo

## Reves celebrates 90th - Birthday



WALTER REVES

Walter Franklin Reves will be celebrating his 90th Birthday on November 11, 2007 from 1:30 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall of West Third and College Church of Christ, Lockney.

He was born on November 12, 1917 in Shackleford County, Texas to Charley and Hattie (Knight) Reves.

His family and friends invite everyone to come and help him celebrate. Your love is a treasured gift, they request no other.

## Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margarette Word

The Center is open Monday through Friday. Lunch starts at 12:00 noon. If you are 60 years or older this Center is for you. We are located at 301 E. Georgia and our mailing address is P.O. Box 573. Our phone number is 983-2032.

Bill and Ardis Daniel's son Alan Daniel, and his wife Vallery, of Plano, were here visiting over this past weekend.

Sue Daniels, her daughter Zan, and her husband Bill Haygood, of San Angelo all went to the "Worst Fest" at New Braunfels over this past weekend.

Jon and Elaine LaBaume have been to Plano to celebrate Jon's mother's 90th birthday. Emma

LaBaume is a resident of Dayspring Assisted Living in Plano. Several family members were present including Jon's twin brother, Don and Janice LaBaume of Marble Falls, his sisters and husbands, James and Ann Haynes of Mesquite and Glen and Jane Bell of Plano. The party was held in the home of the Bell's.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Millard Watson who celebrated their 65th Wedding Anniversary November 6th.

"One of the greatest discoveries a man makes, one of his great surprises, is to find he can do what he was afraid he couldn't."  
-Henry Ford

Menu

November 12-November 16

**Monday**-Green chili chicken, pinto beans, tossed salad, cornbread, fruit salad

**Tuesday**-Baked ham with pineapple, mashed potatoes, Chinese vegetables, roll, mandarin oranges

**Wednesday**-Oven roasted brisket, au gratin potatoes, steamed squash, pickles, roll, peach apple crisp

**Thursday**-Chili dogs with fixings, French fries, tossed salad, cottage cheese, pears

**Friday**-Vegetable beef stew, tossed salad, cornbread, applesauce cake

## Cowboy Christmas is chosen theme for Christmas on the Square

The Chamber of Commerce would like to announce the theme for their annual Christmas festival. It will be a "Cowboy Christmas" this year.

The date set for Christmas on the Square is Thursday, December 13, 2007. The parade will start at 5:30 p.m., followed by the lighting of the tree and more.

Anyone interested in signing

up to be in the parade, please call Patti at the Chamber office, at 983-3434 to register.

Anyone interested in being a vendor, please call the Chamber office for information and an application.

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# 'Winds make good effort

## By Floydada Coaches

Floydada played their last home game of the 2007 football season Friday night at Wester Field against the Littlefield Wildcats.

A win by the Whirlwinds, coupled by an Abernathy loss to Shallowater, would have put Floydada in position to make the Class 2A playoffs for the first time since 2003. Floydada put together one of their best efforts all year long, but 21 second-half points by Littlefield proved too much for the Winds to overcome.

Rebounding from a loss to Childress a week earlier, the Wildcats beat the Whirlwinds 21-14. The win put Littlefield in the playoffs for the third consecutive year. Abernathy, who defeated Floydada 21-7 two weeks ago, clinched a playoff berth with a convincing 39-6 victory over Shallowater.

Floydada's Aarrhon Flores fielded the opening kickoff two yards deep in his own end zone. A wall of blockers on Littlefield's sideline allowed Flores the seam he needed to break into the open. One hundred and two yards later, the Whirlwind junior had given Floydada an early touchdown lead. Fred Williams added the extra point, and the Winds led 7-0.

Having set the tone against one of the top district teams, the Winds continued their momentum on defense. The Wildcats were forced to punt on their first three drives of the first half, as the Whirlwind defense pitched a shutout in the opening half for the second week in a row.

Floydada's offense did not fair much better against Littlefield's defense. Although the Winds moved the ball well into Littlefield territory on three occasions in the first half, they could not come up with any points.

The Whirlwind's best opportunity came right before halftime.

The Winds had four chances from inside the Wildcat's five yard line. On fourth and goal from the three, Payte Beedy was dropped behind the line of scrimmage as the first half ended. The goal line stand by the Littlefield defense would prove to be huge in the outcome of the game. At halftime Floydada led 7-0.

Littlefield senior wingback O.J. Zapata, who rushed for over 1,500 yards a year ago, was held in check by the Whirlwind defense for most of the first half. Zapata proved it was only a matter of time before a dominating Wildcat running game would appear. He rushed for 110 of his game high 149 yards on the ground in the second half. On the opening drive of the third quarter Zapata carried five times, the last of which was a thirty-one yard touchdown scamper. Steven Hobratchk's kick missed wide right, and Floydada led 7-6.

Floydada's offense failed to move the chains on their next possession, punting the ball back to Littlefield after only three plays. Zapata continued his second half onslaught, carrying the ball on three consecutive plays totaling 44 yards. After a 6 play, fifty-eight yards drive, Wildcat Zac Lopez dove across the goal line from one yard out, giving Littlefield their first lead of the night. Jordan Broadhurst added the two-point conversion on a quarterback keeper, and Littlefield led 14-7.

With their backs against the wall, Floydada responded with a time-consuming eighty-five yard drive of their own. Highlighted by Beedy completing a sixteen yard pass to Daniel Saldana on a third and fourteen, the Whirlwinds marched inside of Littlefield's twenty yard line once again. On second and goal from the eight yard line, Beedy scrambled to his right and found Eladio Saldana all alone in the back of the end zone. Williams

added his second extra point of the night and the scored was tied at fourteen with ten minutes to go in the game.

Littlefield took only four minutes to travel sixty-two yards for the go ahead score. Zapata rushed for a key first down on third and two near mid-field. With a little over six minutes to go in the game, Kyros Collins broke six Whirlwind tackles on his way to a twenty-one yard touchdown run. Hobratchk's extra point split the uprights and the Wildcat's led 21-14.

Floydada's last effort for a comeback was halted at the Littlefield forty-seven yard line with a little over a minute to go. Beedy was sacked on a fourth and two play, and Littlefield took over on downs. The Wildcats ran out the clock for their third district win of the season. The final score was 21-14.

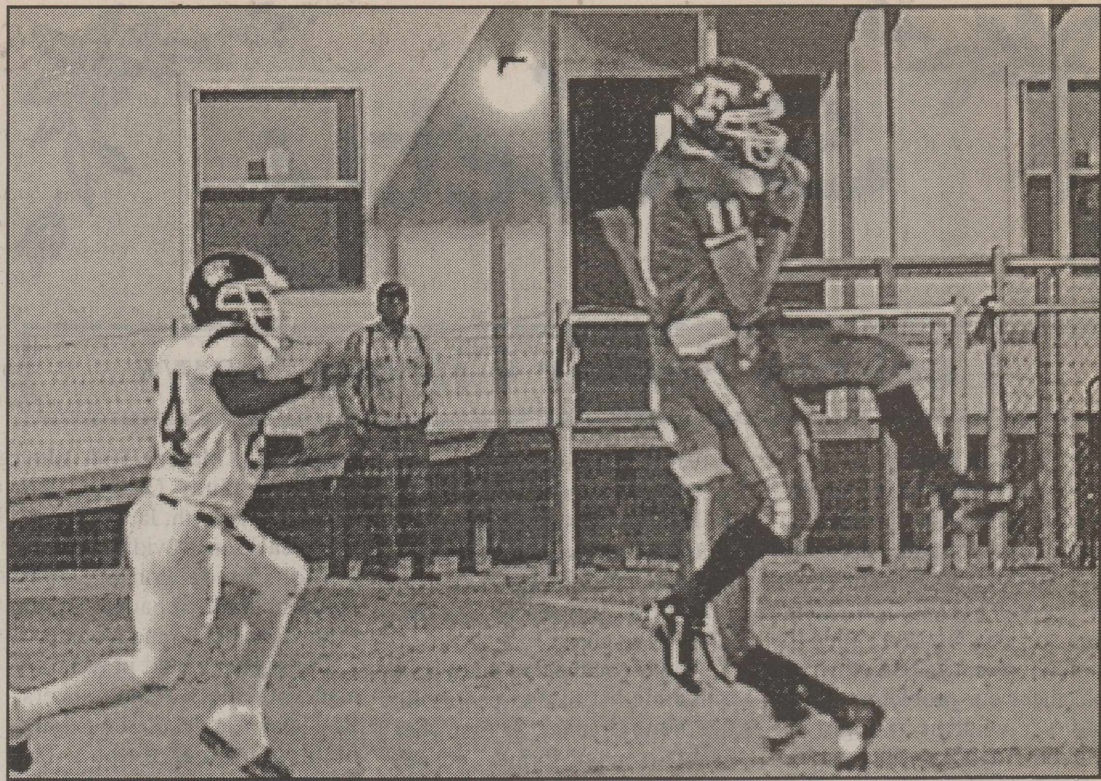
Floydada (4-5, 1-3) travels to Shallowater on Friday for the last game of the 2007 football season.

	Littlefield	Floydada
First Downs	13	14
Rushes/Yards	42-232	35-158
P/A/I	1/5/1	9/14/0
Passing Yards	14	131
Total Yards	246	289
Punts/Average	4-41.0	3-37.5
Penalties/Yards	4-40	6-55
Fumbles/Lost	1-0	0-0

### Individual Statistics

#### Floydada

Rushing: Flores- 16 rushes, 87 yards; Beedy- 14 rushes, 49 yards; Williams- 4 rushes, 17 yards; Davis- 1 rush, 5 yards.  
 Passing: Beedy- 9/14/0, 131 yards, 1td  
 Receiving: Alvarado- 2 receptions, 41 yards; Sue- 1 reception, 31 yards; E. Saldana- 2 receptions, 26 yards, 1td; D. Saldana- 1 reception, 16 yards; Turner- 1 reception, 12 yards; Davis- 1 reception, 5 yards; Rainwater- 1 reception, -1 yards.



PAYTE BEEDY, #11, makes a great catch Friday night in the Floydada/Littlefield game.

## Whirlwind Cross Country

### By Coach Styles

The Floydada Lady Winds finished 10th place as a team. I was very impressed with their work ethic and you could see this paying off week after week. We had a few injuries that slowed us down during the year but that did not keep them from giving it all they had. This team had tremendous heart. I would like to thank all the girls for their dedication and determination. Great job girls.

The following is the girls results:

29th, Morgan Norrell, 12:57; 77th, Blanca Suarez, 13:48; 87th, Megan Aleman, 13:57; 88th, Whitley Walker, 13:57; 104th, Jennifer Leatherman, 14:11; 116th, Leslie Alvarado, 14:20; 123th, Crystal Martinez, 14:27.

There were 180 runners in the girls division

These guys ran very good at the meet and gave everything they had.

Good job guys.

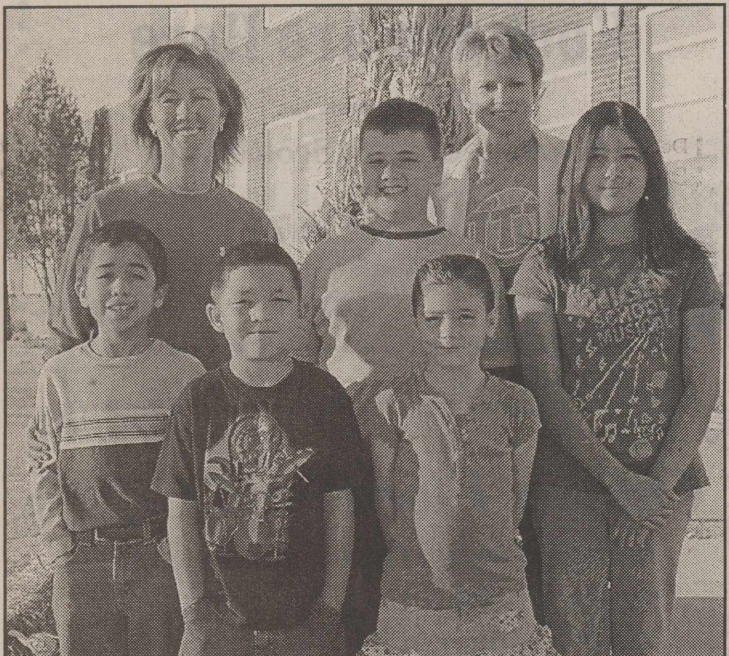
19th, James Espinosa, 17:37; 65th, Abel Cortinas, 18:50; 136th, David Suarez, 20:41; 143rd, Eric Perez, 21:02.

There were 167 runners in the boys division

## Floydada Whirlwind & Lady 'Winds 2007-2008 Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	JVG	JVB	VG	VB
Nov. 10	Springlake-Earth	T	TBA		TBA	
Nov. 13	Olton	H	5:00		6:30	
Nov. 15/17	Trinity JV Boys				TBA	
Tourney						
Nov. 16	Vernon	Patuxent		6:00		7:30
Nov. 20	Slaton	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Nov. 24	Levelland	T	11:00	11:00	12:30	2:00
Nov. 27	Tulia	T	TBA	TBA	6:30	8:00
Nov. 29-12/1	Nazareth Boys					TBA
Tournament						
Nov. 29-12/1	Anton Girls					TBA
Tournament						
Nov. 29-12/1	Tahoka J.V.				TBA	TBA
Tournament						
Dec. 4	Friona	T	TBA	TBA	6:30	8:00
Dec. 6-8	New Deal				TBA	TBA
Tourney						
Dec. 6-8	Tulia JV Boys				TBA	
Tournament						
Dec. 11	OPEN					
Dec. 13-15	Olton JV Girls		TBA	9th		
(9th Boys) Tournament						
Dec. 14	Lorenzo	T	TBA	TBA	6:30	8:00
Dec. 18	Lubbock Warriors	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Dec. 21	Lubbock Cooper	T		1:30		3:00
Dec. 27-29	Slaton Tourney				TBA	
Dec. 27-29	Lubbock Caprock					TBA
Tournament (Boys)						
Jan. 2	Smyer	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 4	Childress *	H	5:00		6:30	
Jan. 4	Brownfield *	T				8:00
Jan. 8	Abernathy *	T	5:00		6:30	
Jan. 8	Nazareth	H		5:00		6:30
Jan. 10-12	Bushland					
(9th Girls/Boys Tourney)						
Jan. 11	Lockney *	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 15	Littlefield *	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 18	Shallowater *	T	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 22	Childress *	T	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 25	Abernathy *	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Jan. 29	Lockney *	T	TBA	5:00	6:30	8:00
Feb. 1	Littlefield *	T	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Feb. 5	Shallowater *	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Feb. 8	Childress *	H			TBA	TBA
Feb. 12	Abernathy *	T			TBA	TBA

\* Denotes District Games



DUNCAN EDUCATORS AND STUDENTS OF THE WEEK--(back, l-r) Educators Robin Nixon and Regina Smith; (front, l-r) Students of the Week are Arnoldo Martinez, Kevin Salazar, Jared Orr, Chasity Cantrell, and Victoria Hernandez. Not pictured are Emily Champion and Julian Alaniz. Courtesy Photo

## Lady Winds Basketball

### By Coach Styles

The Lady Winds scrimmaged Post and Olton this past Saturday, after running at the Regional Cross Country Meet. They played 15 min. sessions (running clock)

Against Post the scores were 11-6, 21-7, and 7-0 (2 min. session).

Valley scores were 16-6 and 14-10. After running 2 miles 5 hours earlier and playing basketball for 3 hours they were tired. These kids are very dedicated and it is a pleasure coaching them. They are improving at every practice and scrimmage.

The regular games started on Tuesday 6th against Roosevelt. (We had not played at printing time)

The Lady Winds will play Saturday at Springlake-Earth. Starting time is 2:00 for the Junior Varsity and the Varsity will play about 3:30.

Tuesday, the Lady Winds will play Olton at Floydada. Starting time is 5:00 and 6:30. Come out and support the Lady Winds. They are fun to watch.

## FLOYDADA SCHOOL MENU

### Menu

November 12-November 16

#### Monday

Breakfast-French toast or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
 Lunch-Hot dog, oven fried potatoes, apple and orange smiles, sherbet cup, milk

#### Tuesday

Breakfast-Sausage, toast/jelly or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
 Lunch-Enchiladas, refried beans, tossed salad, cinnamon apples, milk

#### Wednesday

Breakfast-Waffles with syrup or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
 Lunch-Teriyaki chicken, rice pilaf, English peas, pineapple tidbits, hot roll, milk

#### Thursday

Breakfast-Breakfast sausage, roll or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
 Lunch-Taco salad, seasoned corn, fruited gelatin, brownie, milk

#### Friday

Breakfast-Scrambled eggs, toast or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk  
 Lunch-Hamburger, lettuce, tomato and pickles, quick baked potatoes, baby carrots w/Ranch, crispy cereal treat, milk

GO WINDS!

Let's travel to Shallowater Friday night and support the Winds against the Mustangs.

Kickoff 7:30

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce would like to invite you to their Open House of their new Office location at 125 East California. Please come by and visit with us from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm on Friday, November 16. Come by and see their new Punkin Capital USA, Gift Shop for all your Punkin Day and Floydada Capital, USA merchandise. We will be serving refreshments. Please drop by and visit with Patti Sanchez, Chamber Manager, Tomas Trevino, Chamber President, Olga Enriquez, and Frances Barnett, office staff.

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# Lockney battles Childress

By Coach Robertson

The Childress Bobcats were in town last Friday night to put their undefeated district record up against the Longhorns. The Bobcats came into the game ranked 10th in the state in the AA division of high school football. Childress was also heavy favorites to take a win over Lockney.

Bo Helm, the Bobcat's running back made short work of the Longhorn defensive with a 35 yard touchdown run with only a minute and 55 seconds into the game. The kick was no good and Childress had a quick 6-0 lead.

With 7:33 on the clock Michael Ramirez ran 75 yards for the Bobcat's second score. Cam Washington kicked the point after and gave Childress a 13-0 lead. Still in the first quarter of play, Chase Wilson threw a 13 yard scoring strike to Kyle Fairchild. Washington's kick was good and Childress lead the Longhorn's 20-0 with 5:03 still in the first quarter. With 1:16 left in the opening quarter, Ramirez scored his second touchdown on a 34 yard sprint. Washington was true on the PAT and Childress took a 27-0 first quarter lead.

The Longhorn's offense begin to settle in and worked together on a 70 yard drive to score. With 7:01 in the second period, Lockney's Zach Gonzales raced 16 yards for a Longhorn touchdown. Miguel Duron proved to be perfect as his PAT was good. This brought the score to 27-7.

Childress scored twice in the second quarter on runs of 63 yards by Ramirez and a 37 yard blast by Helm. Washington's kick on both scores were good driving the score at half time to 41-7 with Childress leading.

As always, the Longhorns returned from the half time break playing with great pride and courage. What happened next is just another example of the "never say die" attitude that Lockney's varsity football team has shown all year. Led by it's great class of senior athletes, the Horns mounted a 19 play, 60 yard drive to score. The attack took all but 25 seconds of the third quarter clock. Jonathan Coleman, Zach Gonzales and Bryan Cooper all ran behind some great blocking by Lockney's O-line. A huge pass completion from Tyler Ellison to Alston Becker helped keep the drive alive. Coleman went the final 2 yards to score and Duron kicked the PAT making the score 41-14.

The Bobcat's next score came on a 50 yard pass from Wilson to Creede Breeding. The kick by Washington was no good making the score 47-14.

Childress rang up two scores in the fourth quarter. Bo Helms went 65 yards and Buddy Garcia scored from 3 yards out. Only one of the tries at the extra points was good by Washington, so the final score was 60-14. Childress proved why they were so highly

rated and surely will go deep into the playoffs.

The Horns played hard and with only a few bumps and scrapes came out mostly injury free.

Thursday action resulted in a victory of the 8th grade team in a last second showdown over the Bobcats. The 7th grade and Jr. Varsity were both defeated.

Next week the Lockney Longhorn Varsity will travel to Littlefield to take on the 30th ranked Wildcats. Game time is 7:30 pm. Thursday, the Jr. Varsity plays Littlefield at home at 6:00 pm, the 7th and 8th grade teams will travel to Littlefield for 5:00 and 6:30 games.

**Game at a glance:**

Childress	Lockney
15 1st downs	16
425 yards rushing	255
119 yards passing	10
644 total	265
7/8/0 C/A/I	1/8/0
5/36 penalties	5/30
1/0 fumbles/lost	2/1
1/37 punts/average	5/38

Girls Basketball action begins Tuesday with games here against Claude. JV will start a 5:00. Varsity begins at 6:30. Saturday the girls travel to Dimmitt. Game time is 5:00 pm.

Support the young ladies and gentlemen of our Lockney Athletes. They and their coaches work hard to make you proud.



JONATHAN COLEMAN, #44, carries the ball in the Lockney-Childress game Friday, November 2nd, at Zimmerman field in the Lockney game. Courtesy photo Cathy Robertson

## Football Contest Results

Ricky Coronado, Jr. of Floydada, Brandon Glenn of Tulia and Coy LaBaume of Plainview were the winners in the Hesperian Beacon's weekly football contest.

All three entries missed 5 games each. The first tie-breaker game between Lockney and Childress was used to determine first, second and third place this week. Childress won game over Lockney with a final total score of 74.

Coronado picked Childress to win with a total score of 63 (11 points off). Glenn picked Childress with a total score of 55 (19 points off) while LaBaume

also picked Childress to win by a total score of 48 (26 points off). Coronado will receive the first place check of \$25. Glenn will garner the second place check of \$15 and LaBaume will be receiving the third place check of \$10.

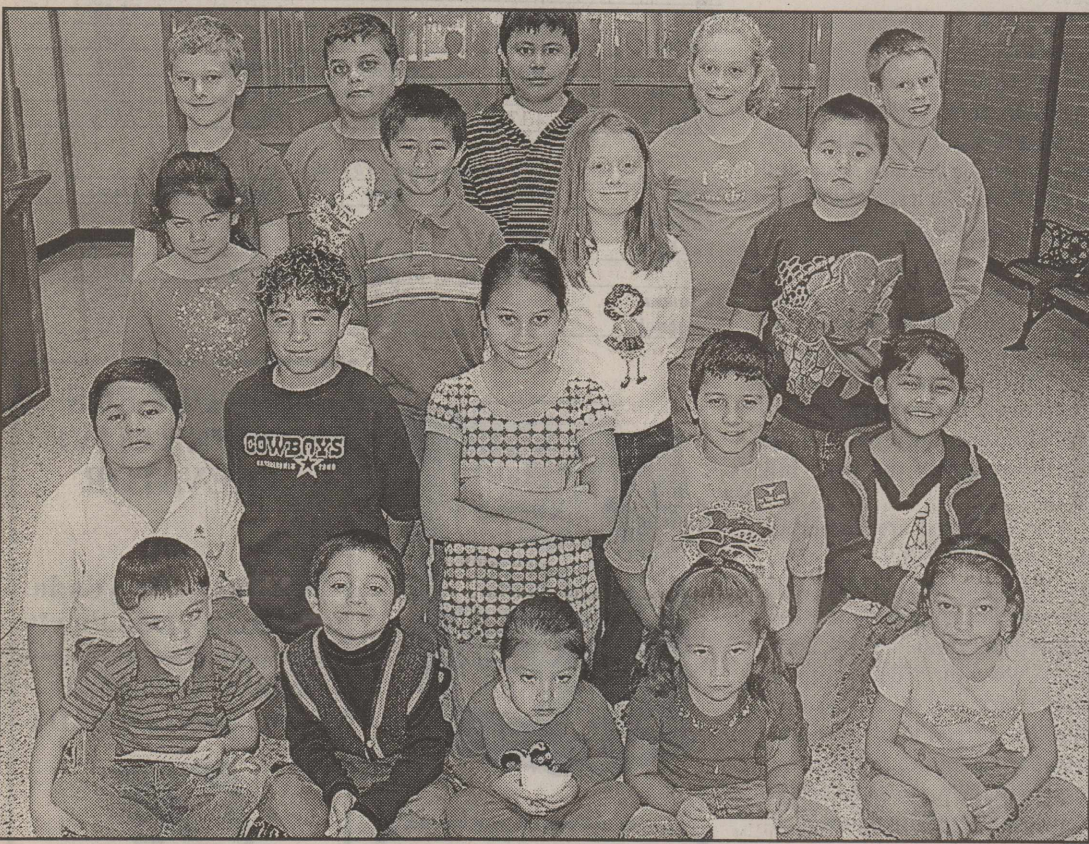
Honorable Mention goes to the five entries that missed 6 games each. They were Stanley Sanders, Max Yeary and Franklin Harris, all of Floydada and Boyd Lee of Lockney.



## Lockney Longhorn and Lady Longhorns Basketball Schedule 2007-2008

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME	TEAMS
Oct. 30	New Deal (scr.)	H	5:00	JVG & VG
Nov. 3	Slaton (scr.)	T	9:00a.m.	JVG & VG
Nov. 6	Claude	H	5:00	JVG & VG
Nov. 10	Dimmitt	T	5:00	JVG & VG
Nov. 13	Springlake-Earth	H	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Nov. 15-17	Nazareth Jr. V. T.	TBA		JVG
Nov. 16	Crosbyton	T	4:00	JVB & VGB
Nov. 27	Sudan	H	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Nov. 29-Dec. 1	Muleshoe Jr. V. T.	TBA		JVB
Nov. 29-Dec. 1	Nazareth V. Trn.	TBA		VGB
Dec. 4	Lubbock Roosevelt	H	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Dec. 6-8	Lubbock Roosevelt V. T.	TBA		VGB
Dec. 6-8	Olton Jr. V. T.	TBA		JVGB
Dec. 11	Idalou	T	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Dec. 14	Sundown	T	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Dec. 18	Olton	H	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Dec. 21	Hereford	T	5:00	JVGB & VGB
Dec. 27-29	Clarendon V. T.	TBA		VGB
Dec. 31	New Deal	T	2:00	JVGB & VGB
Jan. 4	*Abernathy	T	5:00	JVG & VG
Jan. 4	Muleshoe	H	5:00	JVB & VB
Jan. 8	*Shallowater	H	4:00	JVG & VG
Jan. 8	Slaton	H	5:15	JVB & VB
Jan. 11	*Floydada	T	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Jan. 15	*Childress	H	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Jan. 18	*Littlefield	T	5:00	JVGB & VGB
Jan. 22	*Abernathy	H	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Jan. 25	*Shallowater	T	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Jan. 29	*Floydada	H	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Feb. 1	*Childress	T	4:00	JVGB & VGB
Feb. 5	*Littlefield	H	5:00	JVGB & VGB
Feb. 8	*Abernathy	T	5:00	JVB & VB
Feb. 12	*Shallowater	H	5:00	JVB & VB

\*DENOTES DISTRICT GAMES



LOCKNEY'S LITTLE LONGHORNS for the week of 11-5-07: (back row, l-r) Jake Moore, Brandon Crutchfield, Darin DeLeon, Dixie Williams, and Stetson Lane; (third row, l-r) Isabel Jimenez, Joshua Molina, Lani Vanlandingham, and Pedro Pacheco; (second row) John Cleto, Daylen Gatica, Yesenia Garcia, and CJ Perales; (front row, l-r) Joel Valdez, Diago Rodriguez, Eddeny Chavira, Yanellie Bernal and Mia Rodriguez. Staff Photo

## Lockney School Menu

Menu  
November 12-November 16

Monday

Breakfast-Banana bread or cereal, toast, juice, milk

Lunch-Pig in a blanket or grilled cheese, corn, fruit, milk

Tuesday

Breakfast-Sausage biscuit or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
Lunch-Chicken nuggets or ham, potatoes, green peas, fruit, roll, milk

Wednesday

Breakfast-French toast or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
Lunch-Pizza or PBJ sandwich, salad, fruit, milk

Thursday

Breakfast-Rice or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
Lunch-Beef taco or ham and cheese, pinto beans, salad, fruit, milk

Friday

Breakfast-Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
Lunch-Hamburger or chicken patty on bun, fries, salad, fruit, milk

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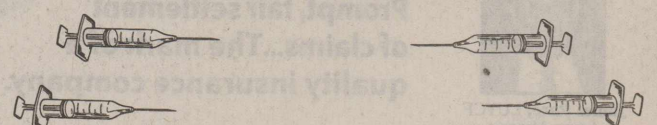
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CURTIS EMERT (left) AND BOBBY GILLILAND (right) pose with a goul inside the Floydada Boy Scout Haunted House. Staff Photo

**Texas A&M University Crop and Ag Report Local Conditions**

**Lorri Jones**  
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COLLEGE STATION-With the passing of Halloween, and Thanksgiving pie baking a few days away, Texas pumpkin producers are bringing in the final harvests from the South Plains region.

"Pumpkin sales are still taking place, but starting to slow down," said Jett Major, Texas Cooperative Extension district administrator in Lubbock. "Yields and sales have been slightly better than last year."

Extension regional offices reported the following conditions for the past week:

**Central:** Windy conditions prevailed this week, and rain is needed. Temperatures have cooled to near normal for this time of year. Some small grain fields have experienced army-worm problems. Cotton harvest is very late. Pecan drop has begun, and many producers began harvesting.

**Coastal Bend:** Much cooler weather moved into the area. Cotton producers began deep tillage and stalk destruction. Ranchers are cutting hay and working cattle.

**East:** A cold front dropped temperatures significantly. Some areas received up to 2 inches of rain. However, other areas are still in need of moisture. Hay supplies are excellent, and many producers are still baling hay. Winter pastures are being planted in areas that have received rain. Producers in Anderson County are planting clover and ryegrass and preparing to plant pine seedlings. Livestock are in good condition. Calf weaning is nearing completion. Demand for cattle is strong; however prices are weaker for inferior cows and calves.

**Far West:** Topsoil moisture was reported as very short to adequate. Very windy conditions were reported with gusts up to 49 mph, but overall temperatures were milder. Val Verde County reported one-quarter inch of rain, but all other areas of the region remained dry. Range, pastures and cotton are all in very poor to excellent condition. Peanuts are in poor to excellent condition. Winter wheat is in very poor to

good-condition. Ranchers need rain because pastures are dry. Pawnee pecans, an earlier maturing variety, are all harvested. The rest of the pecan crop will wait for a frost to open the shucks. Red chiles are being harvested. Fall onions are already planted and emerged with good stands. The final cut of alfalfa is complete.

**North:** Soil moisture ranges from short to adequate. Rain early in the week slowed wheat planting. Small grains are emerging slowly. With night temperatures in the 40s and 50s, growth of warm season grasses have slowed. Farmers are trying to sell surplus hay. Conditions are good for the current planting season, and winter annuals are doing well. Summer pastures and livestock are in good shape.

**Panhandle:** Soil moisture ranges from very short to surplus with most areas reporting short. Most areas need moisture to improve wheat and range conditions. Corn is still being harvested in some fields. Cotton ranges from very poor to excellent with most areas reporting fair. Producers began harvesting some fields. Peanuts are rated fair as the harvest continues. The sunflower harvest continues. Wheat ranges from very poor to good with most areas reporting fair. Range conditions are rated very poor to good with most areas reporting fair. Cattle are in good condition.

**Rolling Plains:** The cotton harvest is in full swing, with dryland yields ranging from 600 to 670 pounds per acre. Producers have defoliated mature cotton, and this year's crop is good. Lack of rain has dried out winter wheat, or caused it to fail to emerge. Pastures are beginning to play out, and some supplemental feeding has begun. Cattle are being shipped out of the county because of the lack of winter grazing. The calf market has started to slide because of dry conditions. Most insect pressure has slowed.

**South:** The weather has been mild with cool temperatures throughout most of the region. Adequate soil moisture conditions have helped corn and onion planting. Sugarcane and citrus harvesting has begun. In the

western parts of the region, cabbage harvesting in some early-planted fields was reported. Spinach planting continued and is expected to be completed by the end of next week. Most vegetable crops are doing well. Because of recent rain and mild temperatures, native range and pastures are in good condition, helping livestock remain in good to fair condition.

**South Plains:** The first freeze damaged some leaves on cotton plants but did not kill the plants themselves. Daytime highs are only reaching from upper 60s to lower 70s F. The cotton harvest continued with good to excellent yields being reported. The sorghum harvest continued with above average yields being reported. The peanut harvest continued. Winter wheat is in fair to good condition. Wheat growth has slowed down due to warm conditions. Fields still look good but could use some rain and cooler temperatures. Pastures and ranges are in fair to good condition and are beginning to dry. Cattle are in mostly good condition. Producers are now beginning to supplement cattle due to dry conditions and decreasing grazing quality.

**Southeast:** Rain last week promoted the planting of winter pastures. Ryegrass and clover are being planted. High winds have dried out soils. Some ratoon rice and soybeans were harvested, and hay was baled. Livestock are doing fine with no reports of insects or disease.

**Southwest:** While year-to-date cumulative rainfall remains at about 120 percent of the long-term average, the region is dry with only about one-third inch of rain in almost two months. Forage availability remains above average for this time of the year, but grasses are showing stress, and the soil is cracking from dryness. Farmers are heavily irrigating fall crops. The recent cool weather will help conserve limited moisture. The land is ready for early spring planting. The cotton harvest is still behind schedule. The peanut, cabbage, spinach, green bean and pickling-cucumber harvest continues. The pecan harvest is almost complete.

**Cotton** **News**  
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Having spent a lot of time over the last month in Washington, DC, Plains Cotton Growers Executive Vice President Steve Verett knows the challenges facing agriculture during next week's farm bill debate in the Senate.

As he prepares to head back to Washington early next week, Verett says it is time to encourage each and every member of the Senate to support the hard work done by the Senate Agriculture Committee and ask them to support passage of the Food and Energy Security Act of 2007 when it comes to the floor.

Following its relatively smooth trip through the Senate Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry Committee, the Senate farm bill represents another important step in the process to develop U.S. agriculture policy that will be in effect through 2012.

The final, and most challenging part of the process in the Senate is now at hand and, according to Verett, it will be a vastly different landscape than what producers have seen traversed so far by their representatives in Washington.

"Compared to the restrained and respectful discourse that has allowed the process to move forward so far," explains Verett, "The Senate Floor debate could easily be far less friendly and seem considerably less structured simply due to the manner in which the Senate conducts business."

Having been characterized as a potential "free-for-all" by Senate Agriculture Committee Chairman Tom Harkin, the Senate debate could take quite some time based on Senate rules and expectations that a sizeable number of amendments will be offered along the way.

Among the hot button issues expected to make an appearance during the debate is a controversial "AgJobs" amendment that would draw the politically divisive immigration reform issue into the realm of the farm bill debate.

Also expected are numerous efforts to try and alter the significant pay limit reforms that were hammered out by the Senate Agriculture Committee, make additional cuts in the federal crop insurance program over and above what was agreed to by the Committee and make additional changes to the proposed Average Crop revenue option that was included in the final bill.

The immigration and pay limit amendments may well take

center stage as high profile issues during the debate, but equally important will be fending off the less publicized amendments that could undermine the bill's ability to continue the highly popular and fiscally responsible safety net provisions that are the foundation of the 2002 farm bill.

Add in the possibility that the Senate may also need to set aside time to consider other pending items of business and it is not hard to imagine that the farm bill debate could take as long as 2 weeks to complete.

According to statements from Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid of Nevada, the goal will certainly be to get the bill done in one week's time, but even he has been compelled to leave the door open for a longer timetable.

Overcoming the challenges that lie ahead, says Verett, will take a concerted effort that should logically include a broad

range of interests, including commodity, conservation and food and nutrition groups, who each have a lot to gain in the bill's current form.

"Leaders from both sides of the aisle have worked hard toward a common goal and within a very restricted budget allocation," explains Verett. "Despite these challenges they were able to find common ground, add to the safety net options available to growers and still make substantial changes in many areas such as pay limit reform, adding support for the fruits and vegetables, beefing up conservation spending and committing additional funds to food and nutrition programs nationwide."

Understanding that the Senate bill is the necessary "next step" in the process, Verett says Plains Cotton Growers will be working hard to support the bill that came out of the Senate and to prevent it from being undermined in any way.

"We are working closely with the National Cotton Council and others to secure passage of the Senate bill and to defeat the addition of amendments that would be harmful to cotton producers and the cotton industry as a whole," concludes Verett.

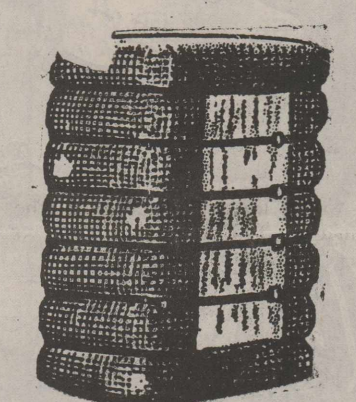
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**2007 Cotton Quality Summary**

The following is a summary of the cotton classed at the Lubbock and Lamesa USDA Cotton Division Cotton Classing Offices for the 2007 production season.

Week Ending October 25, 2006:					
Office	Bales	Color	Leaf	Staple	
Lamesa	67,656	21+	2.09	35.96	
Lubbock	202,672	21+	2.38	35.76	
Mike Strength Uniformity Bark					
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Lubbock	4.17	29.4	80.6	2.0%	
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**Hunter Education Class Offered**

**The Lockney Police Department will be holding a Hunter Education class on Sat., Nov. 10th and Sun., Nov. 11th**  
If you were born on or after Sept. 1, 1971 it is mandatory that you take this course to legally hunt in Texas.  
When ..... November 10th & 11th  
Where ..... Lockney Community Center (Just south of the swimming pool)  
Time..... Saturday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Cost ..... \$15.00 (Mandated by the state - due 1st day)  
Pre-Registration is required. Please call the Lockney Police Department at (806) 652-3548 (day hours) and have the following information ready when you call: Full name, date of birth, Social Security number, mailing address - city - state - zip code - phone number - (If you possess a drivers license or ID card this information is also required)  
Please bring a pencil or ink pen to class both days.  
All youth under the age of 17 **MUST** have a parent or guardian come with them on Saturday (10th) and sign a permission slip for you to take the course and allow you to handle firearms in the class **THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE.**

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# Obituaries

## JAMES FRANKS

James Allen Franks, 64, of Puerto Cortes, Honduras, and Fort Worth, Texas, passed away Thursday, October 25, 2007. He was born July 15, 1943 in El Reno, Oklahoma to Harry Huel Franks and Fleta Pearl (Reed) Franks. He attended schools in El Reno, Oklahoma, Houston and Floydada. Jim graduated from Floydada High School in 1962 and went on to attend Texas Tech and serve in the United States Air Force.

Jimmy is survived by one sister, Melba Franks Vickers and husband, Bob, of Lubbock, one nephew, Brian Vickers of Monument, CO, two nieces, Brenda Vickers of Weatherford and Beverly Vickers Boldes of Lubbock, two cousins, Robert Ward of Floydada and Richard Ward of Dougherty. He is preceded in death by both parents and one brother, Douglas Lewis Franks.

A private graveside service is pending.

Survivors include his wife, Tammie of Petersburg; three children, James and his wife San Juana of Olton; Brien and Tori of the home; one brother and sister-in-law, Rodney & Denise Smith of Lockney; one sister, Kim Heisterkamp of Plainview; one grandchild, James David; along with several nieces and nephews.



## PAUL TEUTON

Paul E. Teuton, 89, of Lockney, Texas flew away into the presence of his beloved Lord, Sunday, November 4, 2007.

Celebration and remembrance of his humor and wit will be held at The First Baptist Church of Lockney, Texas on November 8, 2007 at 2 pm, officiated by Pastor Dr. Carl Moman.

Interment will be at Lockney Cemetery with military honors. Under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Lockney. Family will receive friends from 5-7 p.m., Wednesday, November 7, 2007 at Moore-Rose Funeral Home in Lockney.

Paul was born in Wayne, OK, Paul's Valley, the second of four brothers, he was a lifelong resident of Floyd County where he farmed and managed the Teuton Family Estate and Trust acquired in the Federal Land Act of 1906. He graduated in 1937 from Lockney High School where he played football and hooky.

With the events of WWII he was working in the oil fields of Houma, LA but enlisted and joined the Horse Calvary at Ft. Bliss, El Paso, TX on January 22, 1941. For 5 1/2 years he served in the 34th CAV-RCN-TR Infantry Division in North Africa, Italy and Anzio Beachhead with the rank of Captain.

After the war, Paul returned to Lockney and First Baptist Church where he taught Sunday school for over 40 years. He was a member of the VFW and served

as Adjutant for the American Legion.

Paul and his wife Laura were honored in May 2007 as Floyd County Pioneer Couple of the Year.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Edd and Maude Ross Teuton and three brothers, Wilmer Ross, William Thomas, and Delbert Dan, a host of friends, relatives and fallen soldiers.

He is survived by his wife of 60 years, Lorraine N. Pellegrin Teuton; one son James E. Teuton and wife Paula Jane; two daughters, Pamela Kae Teuton Smith and husband Charles Carden of Taylor, TX and Paula Lorraine Teuton Funnell and Husband Jerry of Amarillo, TX; three grandsons, Jason Alexander Smith of Ft. Patrick AFB, Cocoa Beach FL, David Paul Clifton Teuton of Borger, TX and Joshua Douglas Smith of Lubbock, TX.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the First Baptist Benevolence Fund, P.O. Box 446, Lockney, Texas 79241.

## THIS WEEK'S

### LOCKNEY BAND BOOSTER

Lockney Longhorn Band Boosters will hold a meeting Thursday, November 15th at 7:00 p.m. in the Band Hall.

### THANKSGIVING SERVICES

Lockney's Community Thanksgiving Service will be September 18th at 7:00 p.m. at the Lockney Elementary Cafeteria. Dr. Carl Moman will deliver the message. The offering will be given to the Community Storehouse.

### CRAIG GILLY HIGHWAY DEDICATION

Craig Gilly Highway Dedication will be held November 24th at 10:00 a.m. at Hwy 207 and FM 689. Wear your Hawaiian shirt if you have them.

### HARVEST FESTIVAL FOR MISSIONS

First United Methodist Church will hold their Harvest Festival for Missions on November 10, 2007 from 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. There will be a Bazaar, a traditional Turkey Dinner and drawing for a quilt.

Tickets available at church office 983-3706.

### CHRISTMAS BRUNCH

The 2007 Christmas Brunch benefiting the American Cancer Society Relay for Life will be Saturday, December 1, 2007 from 9:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. in the home of Tom and Laura Farris, located at 1000 W. Kentucky, Floydada. Valet Parking will be provided.

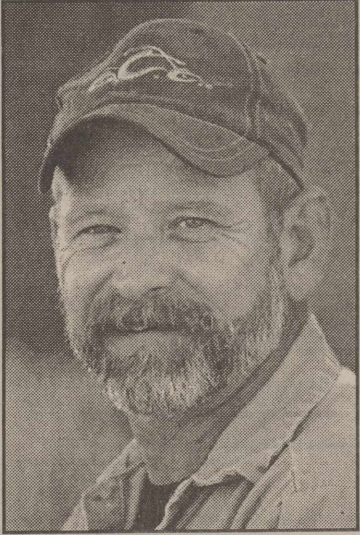
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## JERRY (JD) SMITH

Jerry (JD) Smith, 47, of Petersburg, passed away on Thursday, November 1, 2007 at University Medical Center in Lubbock. A memorial service was held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, November 5, 2007 at First United Methodist Church in Lockney with Brother Brian Adams officiating.

JD was born on November 17, 1959. He was the son of the late Joe Dale & Kathy Smith. He attended school in Lockney, and following school he served in the United States Air Force from 1978-1984.

On June 11, 2004 he was united in marriage to Tammie Daniels in Petersburg, Texas. He was employed by Excel Corp. in Plainview.

He was preceded in death by a son, Brandon Doyle Smith; one brother, Monty Dale Smith, and his parents.

Words cannot express how much we appreciate the love and kindness that has been shown to our family during the past several weeks. The calls, food, flowers and prayers have meant so much.

We would also like to say a special "Thank You" to everyone that helped harvest the grain crop for us. You will never know how much that really helped Rodney. Your concern and friendship has really helped us through a very difficult time.

Rodney and Denise Smith  
Tana and Tessa

The Floydada Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts would like to thank the community for all their support of our Spook House and Halloween Carnival.

We would like to thank Ace Hardware, Dollar General, Lowe's, Nick Long Insurance, John Deere, First National Bank, Script Printing, Floydada Housing Authority, Plains Bell Federal Credit Union, Troy Faulkenberry Irrigation Systems, and Producer's Coop for all their donations and support.

We would also like to thank all the people who helped make both a huge success. A big Thank You to 106.1 for letting us advertise our events.

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The Floydada Volunteer Fire Department would like to thank Martha Farris and Tom Farris and the Farris Foundation for their recent contribution of \$ 8,000. The money will be used for the new training field.

"Love...bears all things, believes all things hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails."

1 Corinthians 13:7-8

# Floyd County Church Directory

**AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Jay Simpson, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.  
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**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
810 S. 3rd, Floydada  
Darwin Robinson, Pastor  
983-5278  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.  
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**CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP**  
Floydada  
Armando Morales, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.  
Bible Study ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.  
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**CARR'S CHAPEL**  
Service Every Sunday:  
Morning Worship .... 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.  
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**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
West College & Third, Lockney  
Steve McLean - Minister  
Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.  
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**CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Levi Sisemore - Minister  
Floydada  
Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study .... 7:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Anthony D. Sisemore, Pastor  
Bill Swinney,  
Minister of Ed./Music  
Eric Kaiser - Min. Students  
Sunday School ..... 9:15 a.m.  
Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study ... 6:30 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Lockney**  
Carl Moman, Pastor  
Chad Cook, Youth Min.  
Phil Cotham, Music Min..  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday (Youth)....7:15 pm  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Les Hall, Pastor  
Early Worship .....8:30 am.  
Sunday School..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ...10.50 a.m.  
Youth (Sunday).....5:00p.m.  
Youth (Wednesday)..7:30 p.m  
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Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service ... 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service .... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Jr. High .....5:30 p.m.  
Wed. High School... 6:30 p.m.  
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**GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
Joe Bennett, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday ..... 8:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service ..... 7:30 p.m.  
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**MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Lockney  
Jay Don Poindexter, Minister  
Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.  
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**MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Ralph Jackson  
401 N 12th St (983-5805)  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Study .. 7:00 p.m.  
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**NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges  
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Sunday Singing .... 10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.  
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**OUT REACH HARVEST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
310 E. Mississippi  
Floydada  
Rev. David Ramos, Pastor  
Ester Ramos, Praise Leader  
Sunday Bible...10:00 a.m.  
Morning Praise...11:00 a.m.  
Evening Praise ...5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Worship.... 7:00 p.m.  
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**POWER OF PRAISE FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
Rev. Manuel Rendon,  
Pastor  
704 N. Main, Lockney  
Sunday Services .. 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening .... 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m  
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**TRINITY ASSEMBLY**  
500 W. Houston  
Floydada  
Henry Russell, Co-Pastor  
Vance Mitchell, Co-Pastor  
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 10:40 a.m.  
Sunday Evening ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Providence Community  
on FM 2301 293-3009  
Rev. Burnell Lund,  
Minister  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.  
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**WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Floydada 983-3548  
Sunday Worship ... 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening ..... 5:00 p.m.  
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**PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Lockney  
Jesus Caballero, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.  
Discipleship ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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**PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Floydada  
Pastor Reverend Raymond Asebedo  
Sunday School .... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 10:55 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Evening ..... 6:00 p.m.  
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**SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Jim McCartney, Pastor  
Wed. Communion .. 8:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m.  
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**SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Joe Weldon, Pastor  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
701 W. Missouri  
Rev. Ray Gonzales  
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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**ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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Father Jose Relente  
Phone: 983-5878  
Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m.  
Mon.Wed. Mass ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Confession Sat. 10:00-11:00 a.m.  
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**TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**  
Lockney  
Rev. Joe Hernandez  
Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
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Rev. Eliseo Ovalle 983-6202  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service ..... 7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA**  
Rev. Herman Martinez  
308 W. Tennessee,  
Floydada  
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 5:00 p.m.  
Tuesday ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Thursday Service ... 7:30 p.m.  
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Minister  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.  
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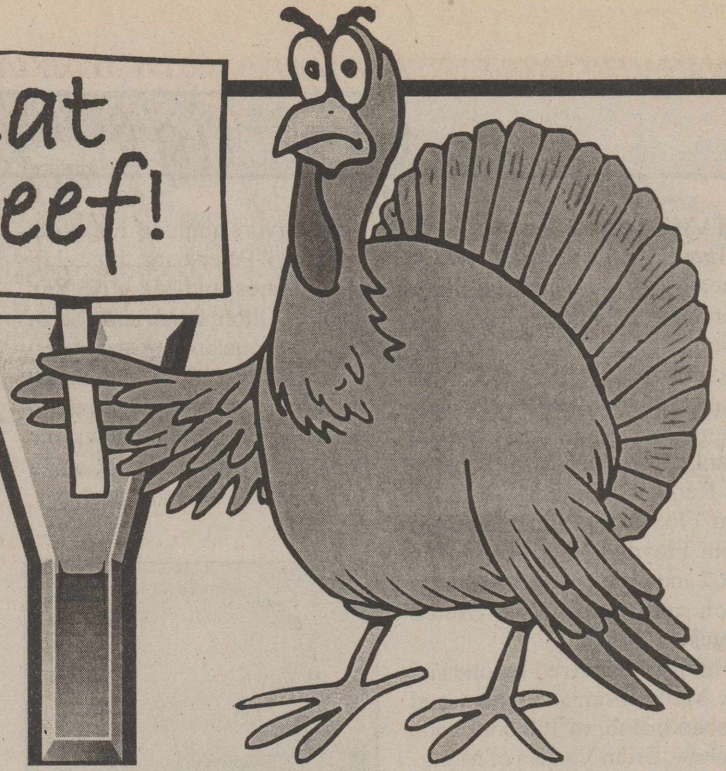


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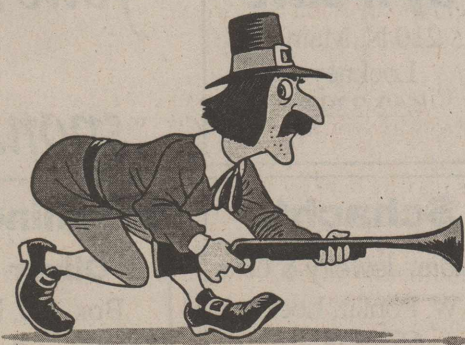
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THE FLOYD COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT will be accepting applications for the part-time position of Telecommunicator/911 Operator. Applicants must be able to work all shifts, week-ends and holidays. Applications will be taken thru November 9, 2007. Applications can be picked up at 120 E. Missouri, Floydada, Texas 79235. Only serious applicants apply. 11-8c

WANTED COUPLE to live in and manage 16 unit motel in Floydada. Apartment and utilities provided plus salary. Maintenance skills necessary. Call 817-915-4648 or fax resume to 325-762-2901. 11-8p

AVON REPRESENTATIVES needed in Floydada and Lockney. Make huge Christmas money! Free gifts and samples. Will train. Call 441-5620 or 577-8197. 12-27c

WANTED: CNC Plasma Torch Operators/Fabricators. Duties include forklife operation. M-F, 3 pm - 12 midnight. \$12.00 per hour, health, retirement benefits. Apply at 101 North Main in Petersburg, TX. Ask for Richard. 11-15c

\$2000 BONUS FOR Experienced Satellite Installers - We need full time, hard working, DirecTV satellite installers with strong customer service skills. Excellent wages and medical/dental/vision/401K benefits available. Paid training for those with no experience. Call 800-411-4374 or go to [www.premiercomm.com](http://www.premiercomm.com) for further info. 11-15c

## HELP WANTED

SITE OPERATIONS SUPERVISOR--Renewable Energy Systems (RES), an expanding wind energy company is searching for a Site Operations Supervisor to be located at the Whirlwind Energy Center near Floydada, Texas. The position will be responsible to supervise the day to day operations of the Whirlwind Energy Center. The qualified applicant will have a BS Engineering degree (Mechanical or Electrical is preferred), 2-5 years of proven industrial experience, including the management of O & M contractors. Wind farm or Utility/Energy or mechanical background is preferred. Substation switching experience preferred. Ability to travel and a current and valid driver license. Skilled in MC Office, Outlook, Excel and Access. For more information about Renewable Energy Systems, please go to [www.res-americas.com](http://www.res-americas.com) Please send resumes to [hr@res-americas.com](mailto:hr@res-americas.com) 11-8c

CITY SECRETARY--The City of Lockney is seeking an experienced secretary to perform the duties as custodian of official city records. Other duties include, but are not limited to, attending and recording proceedings, typing minutes of official meetings of City Council, conducting City elections including early voting, coordinating and supervising the Records Management Program and performing related work as required by city charter ordinances and state statutes. Minimum qualifications: High School diploma or GED, secretary of five or more years in the private sector demonstrating progressive responsibility. Texas Municipal Clerk Certification preferred. This position will remain open until filled. Please request an application from the City of Lockney, P.O. 387, Lockney, TX. 79241. tfn

SERVICE REPS NEEDED in Floydada and surrounding areas. Call 806-792-0406. 12-6p

TRIUMPH SEED COMPANY has an opening for a secretarial position. Computer and organizational skills required along with good work ethic. Hourly pay, benefit package. Apply in person at Hwy 62 Bypass in Ralls or email resume to [jirwin@triumphseed.com](mailto:jirwin@triumphseed.com)

## HOUSES FOR SALE

Floydada FOR SALE--2 bedroom, 1 bath. 121 N. 1st, Floydada. Call 685-3737. 11-8p

FOR SALE--REDUCED PRICE - Living, dining, 3 bedrooms, bath, basement, garage, 2 carports, corner lot. 402 South Main. Call 983-1378, 983-3545 or 983-2938. tfn

\*819 W. MISSOURI--Neat and clean, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 car garage in great neighborhood. REDUCED! \$70,000.

\* GREAT COUNTRY PROPERTY with 8 acres, nice barn, pens and 3 bedroom, 1.75 bath home with basement. Super nice condition. \$99,900.00 - REDUCED \$95,000.

\*NICE HOME ON 3 ACRES--4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 living areas. Hardwood floors and fireplace in family room. Large kitchen, all electric. From FM 378, 1 mile east on FM 786, then south on CR 101. \$119,900.

\* 701 W. LOCUST--Cute 2 bedroom, 1 bath with workshop and corner lot. \$52,000.

\*APPROXIMATELY 3 LOTS with nice workshop on NW 6th in Lockney. \$10,500. KIM STREET, STREET REAL ESTATE, 806-292-9944. tfn

MUST SEE! 3-2-2, 810 W. California. 2 family rooms, covered patio, storage. Call 806-789-0872. tfn

COZY 3 BEDROOM, 2 bath home located in the 800 block of west Ross in Floydada. A MUST SEE! Call Assiter & Associates. 806-983-3322. tfn

\*BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY HOME -4 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2 car garage on 3 acres. \$120,000.

\*3 BEDROOM, 1 BATH home. 810 S. 4th Street. \$32,500.

\*2 BEDROOM, 1 BATH. 128 W. Tennessee. Good credit, will finance. ERA, Roberts and Wilkins. Call Bill Strickland, 806-292-1687. tfn

## Lockney

3 BEDROOM, 2 LIVING AREAS, sunroom, 1-1/2 baths, new backyard fence. 520 SW 3rd, Lockney. Call 505-762-6658 or 505-749-3459. tfn

## MISCELLANEOUS

BRAND NEW queen pillowtop mattress set, in wrapper. \$119. 806-549-3110. 11-8c

MUST SELL new king pillowtop mattress and box, in plastic. \$239. Call 806-549-3110. 11-8c

NAME BRAND full pillow top mattress and box set. NEW. Factory sealed. Must sell. \$95. 806-549-3110. 11-8c

MEMORY FOAM mattress sleep system. Never opened. Warranty. \$499. 806-549-3110. 11-8c

## SCRIPT PRINTING & OFFICE SUPPLY

\* Commerical Printing  
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108 S. Main Floydada 983-5131

## PETS

BORDER COLLIE PUPS for sale. Poco Bueno Stock Dogs. Call Tim at 983-3322 or email: [trixy@pocosd.com](mailto:trixy@pocosd.com) or [tim@pocosd.com](mailto:tim@pocosd.com) tfn

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THOUGHT I COULD DO IT, but I can't. Holding down 2 jobs, need to sell boxer puppy. 8 weeks old. All shots current, registered, have papers. \$200. Call Kathy Pritchard, 293-1426 (h), 685-4064 (c) or 983-3945 (n). 11-8p

## SERVICES

LARRY OGDEN AUCTIONEERING Estates, Farm, Ranch, Business, Liquidations, State Licensed and Bonded. (806) 983-5808, TX. #9240. tfn

## WANTED

I AM LOOKING FOR RV space in or around Floydada. Must have sewage, electric and water. RV is 36' in length. Call 806-492-2005 or 940-636-5974. 11-9p

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### MONTHLY RENTALS

5'x10' - \$20.00 per month  
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Corner Main & Locust, Lockney

## Public Notice

### INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Lockney, Texas, will receive bids for construction of Sidewalk Improvements (TxCDBG #726272) until 2:00 p.m. on the 29th day of November, 2007 in the Lockney City Hall, 218 East Locust, Mailing address: City of Lockney, Attn: Mayor Rodger Stapp, 218 East Locust, Lockney, TX. 79241, at which time and place all bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids are invited for the construction of the following  
4" Sidewalks (including ADA Ramps and Steps) - 1,815 SY  
24" Curb and Cutter - 1,251 LF

Contract documents, including plans and specifications, are available at the office of OJD Engineering, Inc., 2420 Lakeview Drive, Amarillo, TX. 79109. Phone 806-352-7117, FAX 806-352-7188. Documents may be purchased at a cost of \$50.00 per set. This fee is not refundable. Questions concerning this project should be addressed to Clint R. Cook, E.I.T., Phone 806-652-7117, FAX 806-352-7188, or e-mail - [clintcook@ojdengineering.com](mailto:clintcook@ojdengineering.com). A Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the bid, issued by an acceptable surety, shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to City of Lockney, or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (at par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond. The successful Bidder must furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas, to act as a Surety or other Surety or Sureties satisfactory to the Owner. If the total bid is less than \$25,000, a Payment Bond will not be required.

This bid is a unit price contract. Method of payment to contractor will be via check by the municipality after approved requests for payment.

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


Attention is called to General Condition 309, "Restrictions on Public Buildings and Public Works Projects." The Bidder certifies by the submission of its bid that it:

1. Is not a Contractor of a foreign country included on the USTR list.
2. Has not and will not enter into any subcontract with a subcontractor of a foreign country included on the USTR list.
3. Will not provide any product of a foreign country included on the USTR list.

The City of Lockney reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the City of Lockney for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders qualifications prior to awarding of the contract.

City of Lockney Rodger Stapp, Mayor Nov. 8, 2007  
11-8, 11-15c



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- \* Attention First Time Buyers! 3 bed, 1 bath, 1443 sq. ft., close to schools, needs some TLC, priced to sale at \$ 27,900.
- \* Remodeled and updated 3 bedroom, 1 bath, refinished hardwood floors, CH, CA replaced recently still under warranty, new plumbing inside and out. \$ 79,500.
- \* IN CONTRACT! 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 living areas, sunroom, formal dining room, fireplace, extra large double car garage. LOCATED ON FM 97. ONLY \$ 120,000.
- \* Attention INVESTORS! 3 bed, 1 bath, 1161 sq. ft. corner lot, needs LOTS of TLC. Won't last long at \$ 18,500.
- \* 160 acres South of Lockney on 378, good farm land with 4 foot well, underground pipe, call for details.

Rhonda K. Thomas 652-2152  
Rob or Ceil Wilson 293-5722  
Dan or Debbi Wilkins 292-0263  
Jolie Steele - 729-6278  
Bill Strickland - 292-1687  
3009 Olton Road  
Plainview, Texas  
[www.erarwrealtors.com](http://www.erarwrealtors.com)

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FLOYD CO. - 627 acres, 3 pivots (1 towable), 7 wells with 40 hp subs, pavement on 3 sides.  
BRISCOE CO. - 1493 acre recreation paradise, 17-acre lake, 3 creeks, 3 homes.  
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Ben G. Scott-Broker 800-933-9698

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Call 806-853-9075

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1 Corinthians 13:7-8



Dedra Thomas  
806-791-2277 (o)  
806-543-7540 (c)

- \* NEW LISTING!! 3 bed, 1 bath home with 1 car carport on south side of town.
- \* NEW LISTING!! Cute 3 bed-1 bath home with 1 car attached garage.
- \* Nice 3 bed-2 bath home with 2 car attached garage on south side of town.
- \* Large 3 bed, 2 bath home with extra rooms, 1 car carport and 2 car garage.
- \* Cozy 3 bed, 2 bath home with 2 car garage on large corner lot.

Call for more details on these houses and the others we have listed!!

## Public Notice

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYER

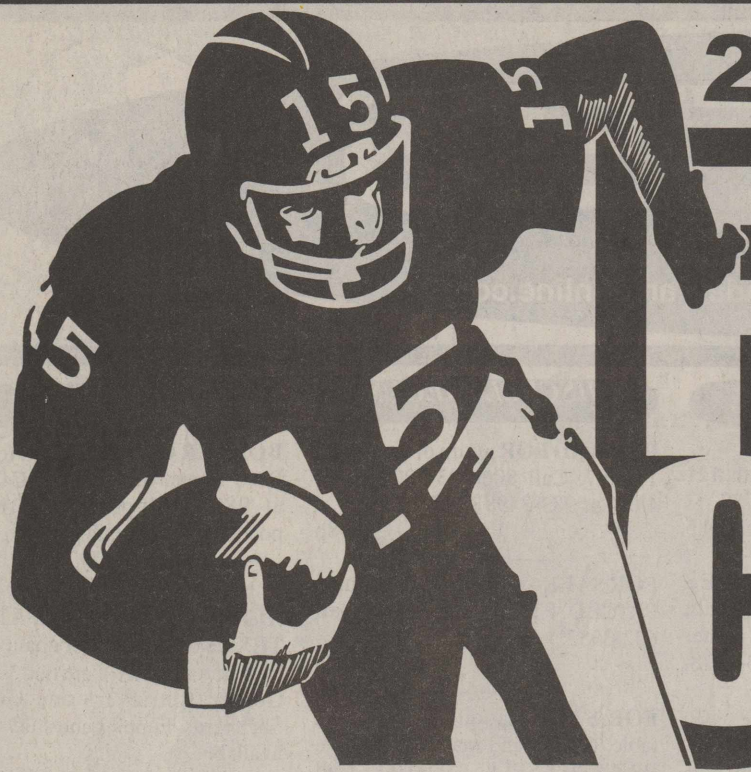
Pursuant to Texas Transportation Code Chapter 258, the Commissioners Court of Floyd County, Texas, intends to consider the adoption of an official county road map.

The purpose of this action is to clarify the public verses private status of the existing rural road network. After adoption, the official county road map will serve as conclusive evidence of the public's right of access over roads shown on the map and of the county's authority to spend public money to maintain the roads included on the map.

The Commissioners Court of Floyd County will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, November 13th, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. in the Commissioner's Courtroom, at which a citizen has the right to protest the county's claim of a public interest in a road included on the map. A person may file a written protest to the County Judge at any time prior to the public meeting.

The proposed official county road map will be available for viewing beginning October 17, 2007, during regular business hours at the Floyd County Courthouse. 11-1, 11-8c





# 2007 HESPERIAN-BEACON

# FOOTBALL CONTEST

Winners will be announced in next week's issue of the Hesperian-Beacon.

**1st Place: \$25    2nd Place: \$15    3rd Place \$10**

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OUR  
ATHLETES!**

<b>KFLP Radio 106.1 FM</b> 1. Cooper 2. Seminole	<b>Stapp Paint &amp; Body Shop</b> 3. Hereford 4. Dumas	<b>Providence Farm Supply &amp; Grain</b> 5. Olton 6. New Deal	<b>Muncy Elevator</b> 7. Amarillo 8. Lubbock High	<b>Lighthouse Electric Coop</b> 9. Abernathy 10. Childress
<b>Scott Gin &amp; Cotton Candles</b> 11. Smyer 12. Plains	<b>Clark Pharmacy</b> 13. Post 14. Idalou	<b>First National Bank of Floydada Member FDIC</b> 15. Paducah 16. Valley	<b>City Auto</b> 17. Odessa 18. Abilene	<b>Windmark Insurance (Clar Schacht)</b> 19. Friona 20. Muleshoe
<b>Quality Body Shop</b> 21. Farwell 22. Nazareth	<b>Ray Lee Equipment</b> 23. Levelland 24. Brownfield	<b>Nielson's Restaurant &amp; Catering</b> 25. Texas Tech 26. Texas	<b>Schacht Flowers, Jewelry and Gifts</b> 27. Auburn 28. Georgia	
<b>Floydada Power and Light</b> 29. Colorado 30. Iowa State	<b>Davis Lumber</b> 31. Wake Forest 32. Clemson	<b>Lowe's Pay-n-Save Floydada</b> 33. Texas A&M 34. Missouri	<b>D&amp;J Gin, Inc.</b> 35. Rice 36. SMU	
<b>Lockney Cooperatives</b> 37. Florida 38. South Carolina	<b>Lowe's Pay-n-Save Lockney</b> 39. Cowboys 40. Giants	<b>Payne Family Pharmacy</b> 41. Bears 42. Raiders	<b>Triple T Restaurant</b> 43. Packers 44. Vikings	<b>Cornelius Conoco Service</b> 45. Saints 46. Rams
<b>City Bank Member FDIC</b> 47. Colts 48. Browns	<b>Hammond Sheet Metal</b> 49. Dolphins 50. Bills	<b>Producer's Coop Elevator</b> 51. Browns 52. Steelers	<b>Blanco Offset Printing</b> 53. Ravens 54. Bengals	<b>DeBruce Ag Services</b> 55. Broncos 56. Chiefs

CUT ALONG THE DOTTED LINE

### Official Entry Form Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon Football Contest

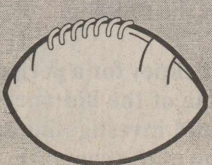
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#### Tie Breakers

Floydada vs Shallowater

circle winner and write total combined score in football

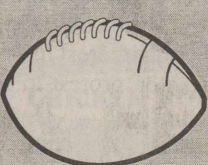
Lockney vs Littlefield



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_



### Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter this contest. Only one entry per week per person.

To play, circle the number of the teams you believe will win on the official entry form. To indicate a tie, circle the numbers of both teams playing the game. Also, write a guess of the combined total points to be scored by the two teams listed in each of the tie-breaker games.

**Only entries on official entry forms brought to a Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or Lockney no later than 5 p.m. on Friday will be accepted. Photocopies and mail entries will not be accepted.**

Three cash prizes are awarded each week. In the event of ties (the same number of correct games and equal scores on the tie breakers), prizes will be combined and shared equally by those tied. The tie-breaker scores will be used only to break a tie on the number of games correct.

**Print your name and address plainly on the official entry form and double check your choices before clipping out the entry form and depositing it at a Hesperian-Beacon office before 5 p.m. on Friday.**

Entries are limited to one per person per week. Weekly winners are limited to one per household.