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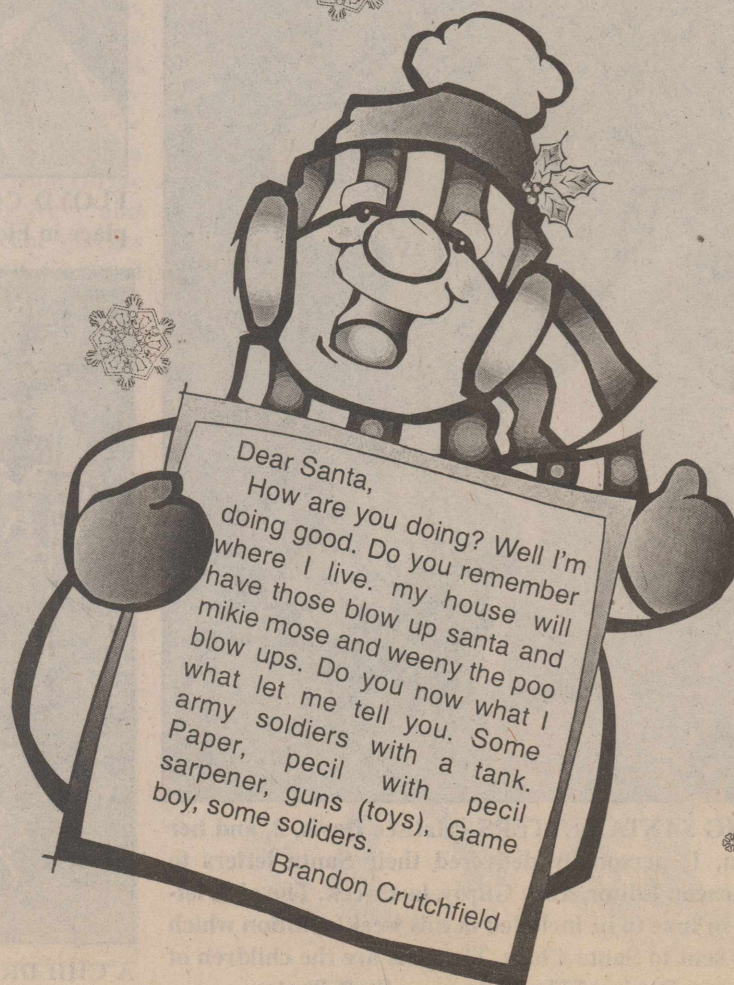
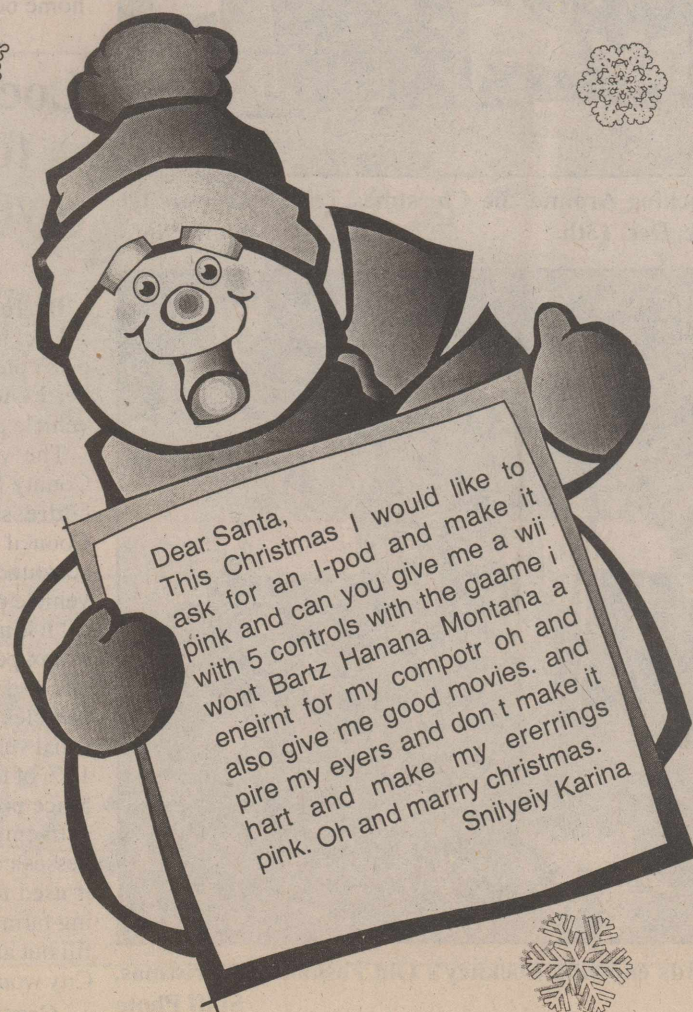
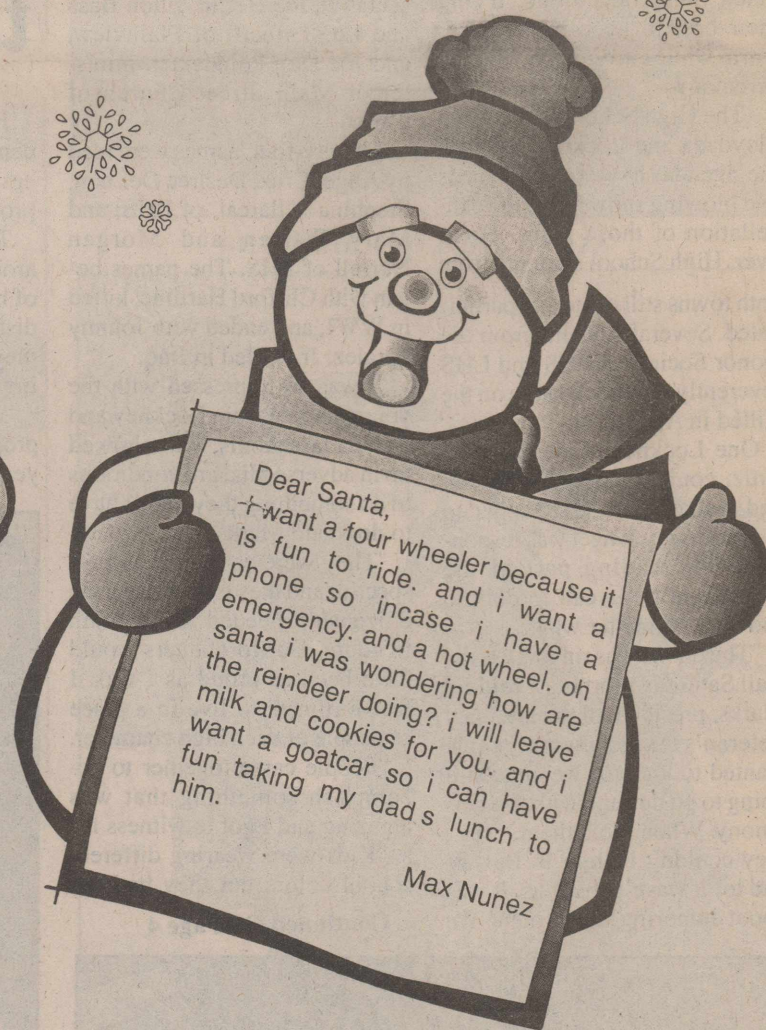
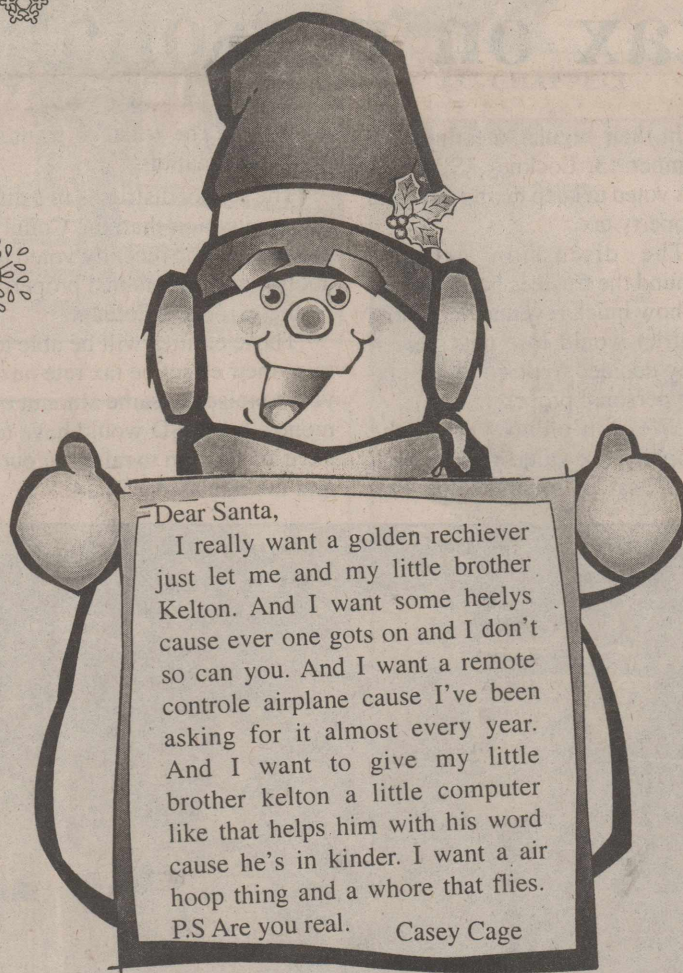
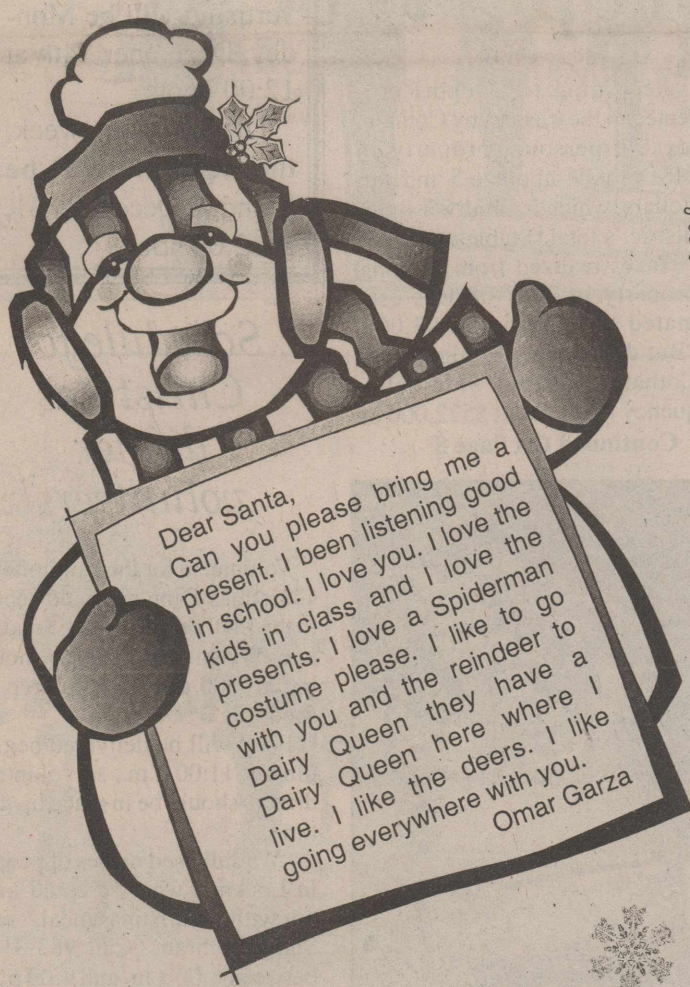
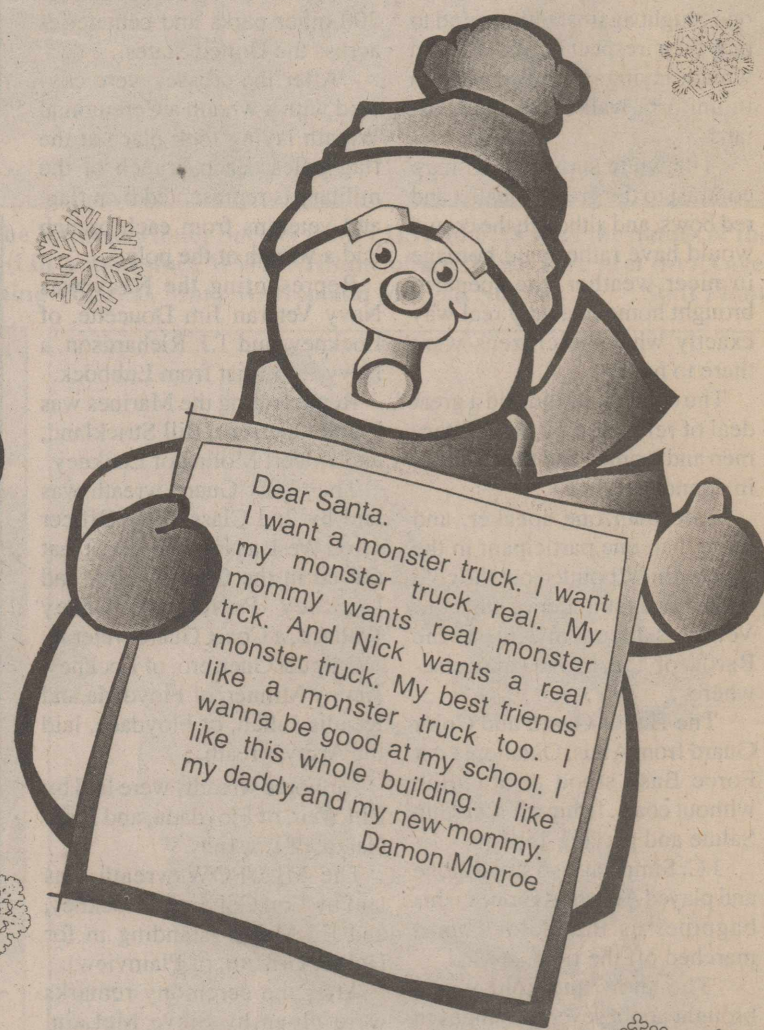
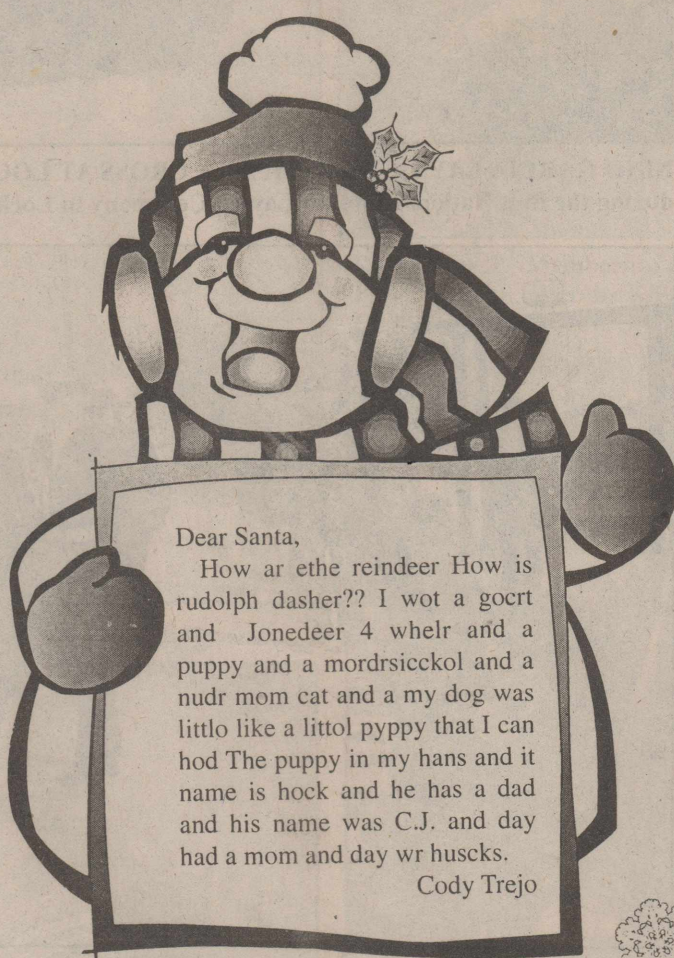
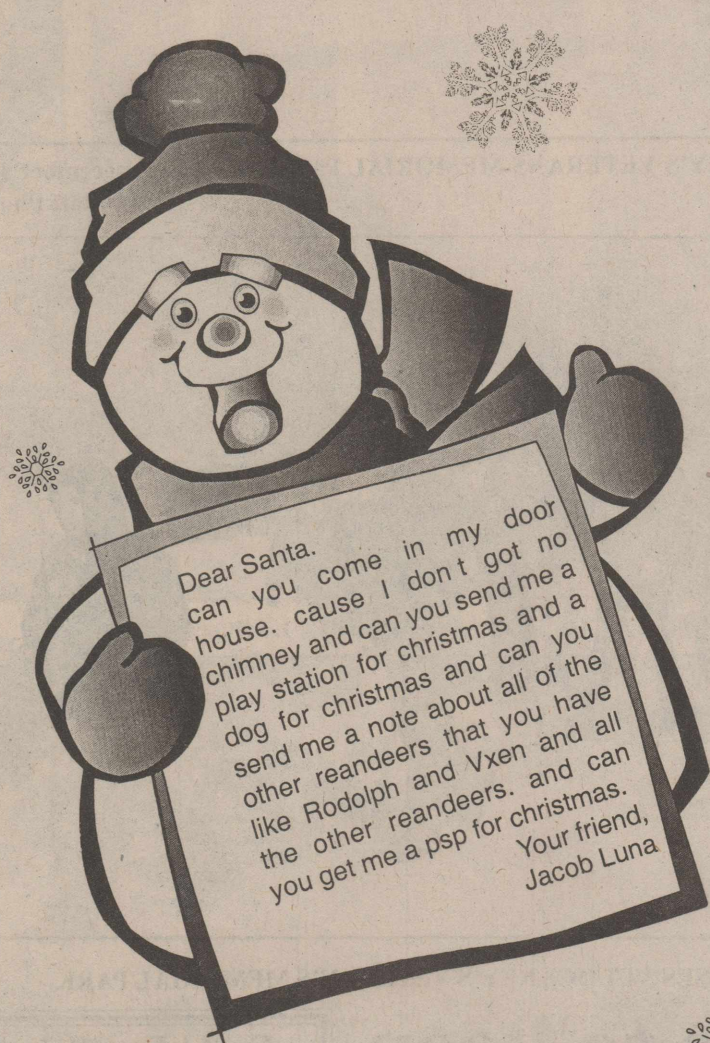
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Community honors those "Killed in Action"

Despite snow on the ground and winds driving the temperatures into the teens, a hardy crowd arrived at the Lockney Veterans Memorial Park, Saturday morning, to honor those from Floyd County who have fallen in wars since WWI.

Beginning at 10:00 a.m. citizens from Lockney, Floydada, and around the United States joined together to place wreaths at the white crosses in the park. Each cross represent a Floyd County resident who has died in combat. Those carrying wreaths ranged in age from the older Veterans to younger children. Each one fought against biting wind to pay their respect in the solemn wreath laying. Men and women in uniform walked beside civilians.

The white snow was a sharp contrast to the green wreaths and red bows, and although the crowd would have rather paid homage in nicer weather, the scenario brought home in a very real way exactly what the citizens were there to honor.

The cold winds did add a great deal of reflection by the military men and women and the civilians in attendance.

More than one speaker, and more than one participant in the proceedings, pointed out the cold served as a reminder of what our Veterans faced in Korea, the Battle of the Bulge, and elsewhere.

The Honor Guard and Color Guard from Altus, Oklahoma Air Force Base stood at attention without coats, firing off a 21 Gun Salute and playing Taps.

J.C. Simpson also stood alone and played Amazing Grace on his bagpipes as the Color Guard marched off the field.

The snow and cold winds brought about several changes in plans. But, like true soldiers the organizers adapted and improvised the proceedings, trying their best to keep participants warm while carrying on with the ceremony.

The High School bands from Floydada and Lockney were on the agenda, however bad roads and blowing snow led to the cancellation of those plans. However, High School students from both towns still came and participated. Several students from the Honor Society at FHS and LHS reverently read each name on the Killed in Action list.

One Lockney student, Angel Cruz, could not get his car out and walked with his brother to the ceremony. Angel was responsible for reading part of the names and felt a call to duty to show up no matter what.

"The phone was ringing off the wall Saturday morning," said Ed Marks, president of the Lockney Veteran's Association. "People wanted to know if we were still going to go through with this ceremony. When I told them, 'Yes', they couldn't believe it. But we had to. It wasn't about us. It was about honoring these men. We

were part of a nationwide program. We had to see it through."

The Wreath Laying Ceremony was part of a nationwide "Wreath Across America". At the same time wreaths were being laid at Lockney Memorial Park, wreaths were also being laid at the crosses in Arlington National Cemetery. The wreaths laid at the crosses in Lockney were donated by local citizens, however the wreaths laid at the base of the flags were donated by Morrill and Karen Worchester of Worchester Wreath Co. This is the same company that donates the wreaths to Arlington Cemetery and over 200 other parks and cemeteries across the United States.

After the crosses were covered with a wreath a Ceremonial Wreath laying took place at the flag poles. Each branch of the military is represented by a flag, and veterans from each branch laid a wreath at the pole.

Representing the Navy was Navy Veteran Jim Doucette, of Lockney, and T.J. Richardson, a Navy Reservist from Lubbock.

Representing the Marines was Frank Guerrero, Bill Strickland, and Robert Molina of Lockney.

The Coast Guard wreath was laid by 2nd Class Petty Officer Jarod West, a Navy Reservist that served in the Coast Guard, and Lockney Policeman Casey Wallace, a Coast Guard Veteran.

Miguel Guerrero, of Lockney, Jimmy Minner, of Floydada and Kendis Julian, of Floydada, laid the Army wreath.

Air Force wreaths were laid by Bill Weir, of Floydada, and Jesse Garza, of Lockney.

The MIA/POW wreath was laid by Lon Colvin, of Lockney, and Ed Marks (standing in for Hubert Griffith, of Plainview).

After the ceremony remarks were given by Steve McLain, minister of West Side College Church of Christ, State Representative Joe Heflin, Elton Bass and Lee Gilbert, of Plainview, and Joe Don Poindexter, minister of Main Street Church of Christ.

Seventy-four names were read by Angel Cruz, Desiree DeLeon, Stephina Villareal, of LHS, and Mary Warren and Morgan Norrell of FHS. The names began with Clifford Hartline, killed in WWI, and ended with Johnny Peralez, Jr., killed in Iraq.

"I was so impressed with the young people from Lockney and Floydada schools who showed up in adverse blizzard conditions to do something they didn't have to do," said Marks.

"They were courteous and respectful and they exemplified the citizenship needed to maintain freedom. Our forefathers would have been as proud as I was. I feel fortunate to live in a place of people of such high character.

"People came together to accomplish something that was amazing and I got to witness it.

"Kids were wearing different school colors but they had the

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NINO GARCIA LAYS A WREATH AT A CROSS AT LOCKNEY'S VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK, Saturday, December 15, during the first National Wreath Laying Ceremony in Lockney. Staff Photo



WREATHS ARE CARRIED ONE BY ONE TO THE CROSSES AT LOCKNEY'S VETERAN'S MEMORIAL PARK

LISD Trustees vote to keep tax on personal property

In their regular meeting, December 13, Lockney ISD trustees voted to keep taxing personal property tax.

The discussion centered around the trustees being unsure of how much revenue the school district would lose next year if they decided to discontinue taxing personal property.

"We don't know what the property tax value will be next year," said Superintendent Phil

Cotham. "The trustees wanted more information."

"The school district is in a different situation than the County and cities (who recently voted to abolish taxing personal property/vehicles)," said Cotham.

"Those entities will be able to raise their effective tax rate next year to raise the same amount of money, but LISD would have to have an election to raise our current tax rate above \$1.14."

According to a report presented to the trustees by Cotham, taxable personal property in LISD totals about 6.8 million dollars, which is about 8% of the district's total taxable value.

Taxes realized from personal property in 2007-08 was estimated to be around \$93,000. "But delinquency is high," said Cotham. "County wide delinquency totals about \$522,000 on

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Early Deadline

Next week's deadline to submit news or advertising will be Monday, December 24th at 12:00 noon.

The following week, the deadline will be Monday, December 31, at 12:00 noon.

Schedule for Christmas dinner volunteers

Volunteers for the Community Christmas Dinner should report to the Methodist Church, Sunday, at 6:00 p.m. and Monday morning at 7:00 a.m. to help prepare food.

Food will be delivered beginning at 11:00 a.m., so volunteer drivers should be in place by that time.

"We still need names of people in Lockney who we could help out with a Christmas meal," said Sudy Cochran. "Call 983-3171 between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. if you have a name for us."

The Christmas meals are delivered every year to elderly and home bound individuals.

Lockney votes to abolish vehicle tax

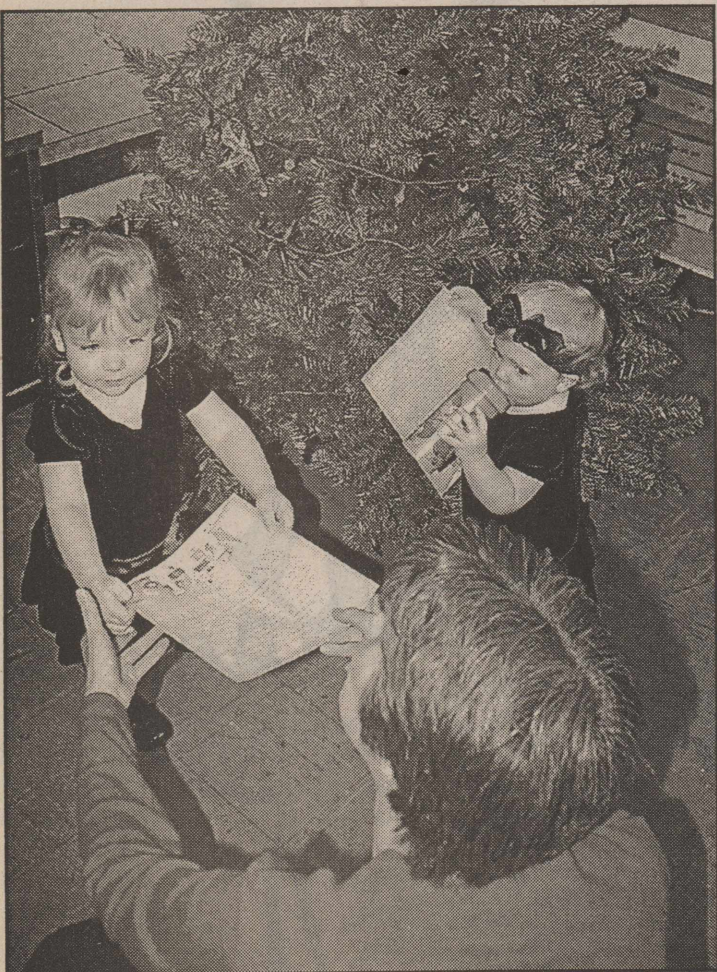
By Judy Macha

Lockney City Council members voted unanimously, December 13, to discontinue the motor vehicle personal property tax.

The votes came after Floyd County Tax Appraiser Jim Finley addressed the Lockney City Council and explained the facts surrounding the issue of motor vehicle personal property tax.

"It is not economically feasible to tax personal vehicles. Out of all our delinquent taxes, personal vehicles represent 46 1/2%. Personal vehicle taxes only make up 12% of taxable value brought in. Since proposition 6 passed, the self-employed or small businesses can write off one vehicle if used for business use, including farmers. They would have to fill out an exemption form. The City would not lose income as the

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DELIVERING SANTA LETTERS--Malisce Davis, 2, and her sister, Emma, 1, personally delivered their Santa letters to Hesperian-Beacon Editor, Alice Gilroy, last week. The girls letters got here in time to be included in this week's edition which is personally sent to Santa Claus. The girls are the children of Terri and Denny Davis, of Floydada. Staff Photo



FLOYD COUNTY COURTHOUSE was "Rocking Around the Christmas Tree" and won 1st place in Floydada's Cowboy Christmas Parade, Dec. 13th. Staff Photo



A CHILDREN'S CHOIR entertained the crowds enjoying Lockney's Old Fashioned Christmas, December 13th. Staff Photo

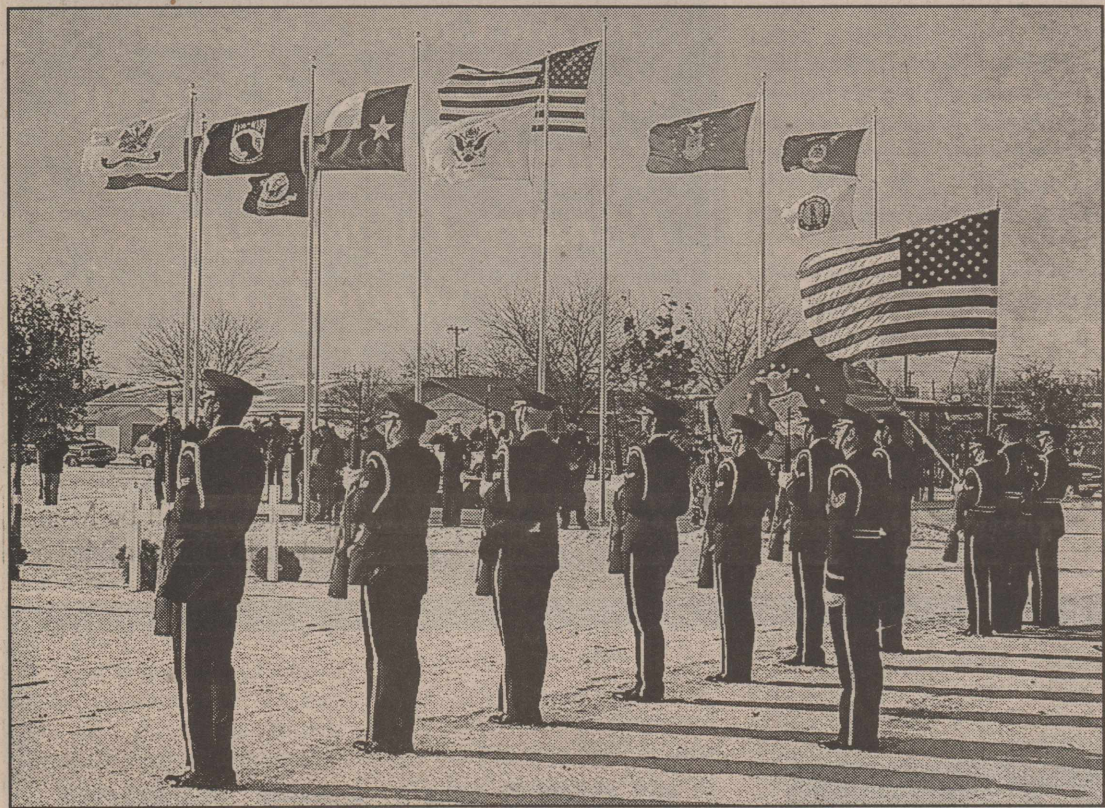
The first Wreath Laying at the Veteran's Memorial Park in Lockney, Dec. 15th



HONOR GUARD FROM ALTON, OKLAHOMA AIR FORCE BASE



ROLL CALL--Members of the National Honor Society from LHS and FHS read the names of the Floyd County Veterans Killed in Action since WWI. NHS members shown here are: (l-r) Angel Cruz, Desirree Deleon, Stephina Villareal, Mary Warren and Morgan Norrell. Staff Photo



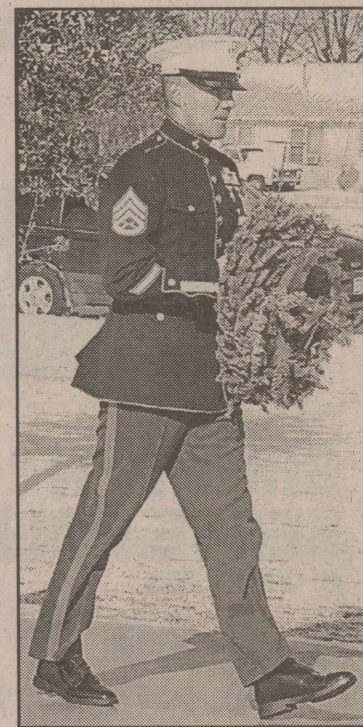
VETERANS LAYING FLAGS AT THE BASE OF THE FLAG POLES INCLUDED: (l-r) Miguel Guerrero, Kendis Julian, Frank Guerrero, Bill Strickland, and Robert Molina. Staff Photo



J.C. CHAPPELL



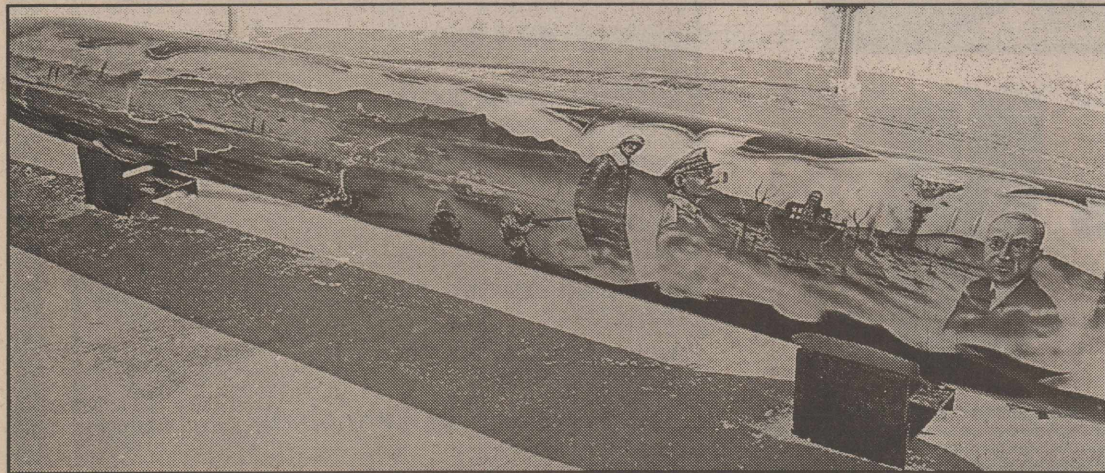
BILL WEIR AND JESSE GARZA



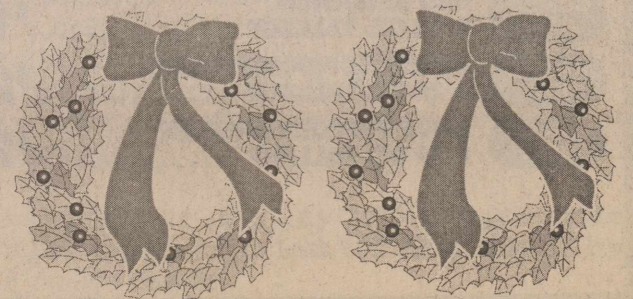
FRANK GUERRERO of Lockney



COAST GUARD REPRESENTATIVES--Laying the Coast Guard wreath was Petty Officer 2nd Class Jarod West (back), and a Navy Reservist and former Coast Guard (name unknown).



A WWII TORPEDO (at left) is now sitting at the base of the flags in Lockney's Memorial Park. It was recently painted by Andy Stapp, of Lockney. The detailed artwork depicts a beach assault scene from D-Day featuring the Army, Navy, and Air Force. This scene merges into another with General Patton, then Douglas MacArthur, Hiroshima after the bomb, President Truman, and General Eisenhower talking to a Japanese general. A quote from President John F. Kennedy's inaugural address is on the other side of the torpedo. Staff Photo



By The Way

By Alice Gilroy



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I have a confession to make. If I had not worked at the paper, and if I would not have had to go to the Wreaths Across America ceremony in Lockney on Saturday--I would not have gone.

It was so very cold and there is no one in the whole world who is more cold natured than me.

I was grumbling while I was getting dressed to go to the ceremony. My 2nd layer of coveralls was hard to squeeze into, but I still managed to get a big coat on as a 3rd layer. If I could have gotten a 4th layer over anything I would have done it.

I could barely sit behind the wheel of my car. If I would have had to slam on my brakes I never would have been able to bend my legs to move quickly. Besides that, I would have kept sliding on the ice until I was able to get my foot back off of the brake.

Whine-whine-whine. When I got to the Veteran's Memorial Park I was surprised to see quite a few people there (at least 50 brave souls--maybe more). That made me feel a little guilty--but I was still grumbling while I tried to crawl out from under the steering wheel.

I was breathing heavy when I finally got out and stood up straight.

The arctic blast on my face hurt, but before I could lodge another complaint to God about the unfairness of it all, I was gently reminded of the men who I was there to honor and what they gave for me.

The awful cold made me stop and think--what did those young men feel like covered in snow in Korea or at the Battle of the Bulge?

They didn't have all the layers of clothes I had. They didn't have the option of getting back in a car or standing behind a wind break.

I was ashamed of myself--I told more than one person, "I would have made a terrible soldier."

What is really sad, is that if I hadn't had to come to the Park I would have missed one of the most beautiful ceremonies I've ever seen.

Ed Marks said he prayed for 72 degree weather--which brought a laugh from Steve McLean (a Church of Christ minister) who jokingly told Ed not to pray for him if he was ever sick.

I wondered why God delivered the worst weather day of the year, but by the time the ceremony started it was obvious to everyone that the cold was exactly what we needed to experience.

It was an awesome sight watching children and older Veterans placing wreaths at the crosses with wind driven snow whipping through the field of white crosses.

When the Honor Guard marched out to the field and stood at attention in their uniforms (with no coats), I had to fight back tears. They never flinched. Their 21 gun salute and playing of Taps was such a beautiful tribute to our fallen military. Then J.C. Chappell topped it off with Amazing Grace on the bagpipes.

How he played those bagpipes in that cold I'll never know.

The speeches were short but straight from the heart. They were all beautiful.

Thanks so much to all the people who worked so hard to bring this program to Lockney.

Thanks to all who traveled so far to participate. Thanks to those who unselfishly gave of their time and especially to those who gave their lives for me.

And while I'm on the subject of unselfishly giving your life, I just want to wish everyone a Merry Christmas.

And remember, Christmas is really all about Easter. Jesus was born so he could sacrifice himself for us.

God bless you all!

Community honors fallen soldiers

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same heart and the same spirit." Marks said he was very grateful to those who faced the weather to accomplish "and fulfill and mission of love."

"The Honor Guard said they were impressed and wanted to come back," said Marks. "The Coast Guardsman who traveled from Corpus Christi was so impressed he said he wanted to

come back here and live when he retires."

A new addition to the park was also on display for the first time. A WWII torpedo which had been donated to the Park when the first plans were being made to build the park, has now been painted by Andy Stapp, of Lockney, and placed in the center of the ring of flags.

"Andy told me if we let him

do what he wanted we wouldn't be disappointed," said Marks. "And we sure weren't. It is awesome."

Stapp, who is known for his beautiful air brush paintings of cars, airplanes, etc., surprised everyone with his detailed work on the torpedo. The painting depicts a beach assault scene during D-Day showing the Navy, Air Force, and Army. This scene merges into another segment showing General Patton, then

Douglas McArthur, the after effects of the bomb on Hiroshima, President Truman, and then General Eisenhower talking to a member of the 101st Airborne.

On the back is a quote from President John F. Kennedy's inaugural address: "Let every nation know whether it wishes us well or ill, that we shall pay any price, bear any burden, meet any hardship, support any friend, oppose any foe to assure the survival and the success of liberty."

Letters to the Editor

Mr. Towery,

In reading your comments in "View from the Lamplighter" in the 13 Dec issue, may I offer a small correction? The U.S. does not have a "National Intelligence Agency." We have a "National Security Agency" and a "Defense Intelligence Agency", and of course, the "Central Intelligence Agency." It is understandable how one could confuse these three and thus come up with the term "National Intelligence Agency," so I offer this clarification from personal experience. While on active duty as a Lieutenant Colonel in the US Air Force, I was assigned to the Defense Intelligence Agency for one assignment while at the Pentagon in Washington DC.

Not only did I have the honor of serving in the Defense Intelligence Agency, in my capacity I also worked closely with the other two aforementioned intelligence agencies. I won't offer a judgement on the thesis of your column, other than to say, as a former military intelligence professional, I disagree with some of your comments. I will only offer that factual intelligence data can be interpreted and used in any fashion desired by those who have access to the data. I would only request you not disparage intelligence professionals who collect and analyze intelligence information.

As to those who would interpret and use the information for their own agendas, whatever they might be, please feel free to demand an accounting from them. Thank-you for your time.

Brian L. Vickers, Lt Col, USAF (Ret) Class of '73, Floydada High School

Dear Editor, Thank you for the job you do keeping the paper going. I think it is the lifeblood of the community.

Fred Merrell

Dear Editor

I want to apologize for any inconvenience on Saturday the 15th, due to the weather we postponed Scouting for Food.

I felt it was too cold and icy for the boys. We will reschedule Scouting for Food until January 12th at 1:00 p.m. in the afternoon.

Hopefully the weather will cooperate and we will advertise the event the week before.

Please have a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

By Curtis Emert, Cubmaster



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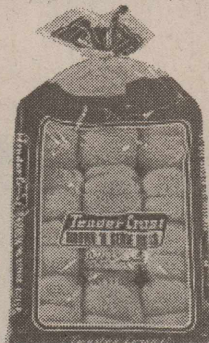


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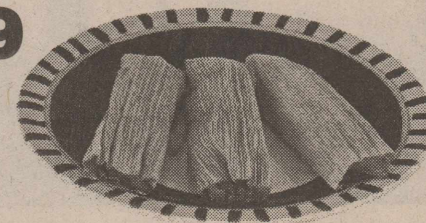
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LOCKNEY VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK DONATION--- John Quebe (l) is shown handing a \$625 donation to Ed Marks. The Trinity Lutheran Church at Providence holds an annual Pheasant Hunter's Breakfast and this year the church chose to donate the proceeds to the Lockney Veterans Association for use on the park. Staff Photo

Willson presented Grand Cross



JIMMY WILLSON

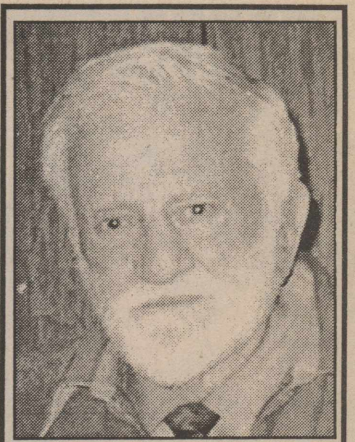
On Wednesday, September 19, James M. Willson, Jr., 33rd degree G.C. ("Jimmy") was recognized at a banquet held in Dallas and was presented the Grand Cross which was awarded to him by the Supreme Council of Scottish Rite of Freemasonry on August 26, 2007. He is one of three living Grand Cross recipients, namely, R.W. and Ill. Sam Hilburn III Ill. J.C. Montgomery and Brother Jimmy. He attended the public schools of

Floydada and has received the Eagle Award in the Boy Scouts of America; the Silver Beaver Award and the Distinguished Eagle Award. He graduated from Southern Methodist University, then served in the Army from 1942 to 1946; married Anne O'Berry Newman and is the father of five children. He served three terms on the City Council of Floydada and two terms as Mayor. He was the Treasurer, Secretary and Presi-

dent as well as District Governor of the Rotary Club. He was Past President of the Floydada JC's, Director of the Floydada Chamber of Commerce and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. He also served as President of Floydada Development Company. He served as Vice President, District Chairman and served on the Executive Board of South Plains Council of the Boy Scouts of America. He is Past Commander of the American Legion.

After becoming a Master Mason in 1956, he served as a District Deputy in 1958, Grand Marshall in 1976, Grand Orator in 1978 and Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas in 1981. He served as Grand High Priest in 1978 and Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters in 1987, Grand Commander in 1973-74 and currently serves as Grand Treasurer of the Grand Encampment Knights Templar. He is a member and active in all appendant bodies of Masonry. He is an honorary member of All Shrine Temple in Texas. He received his Thirty-Third Degree Inspector General Honorary in 1965 in the Valley of Dallas and now is a member of both the Valley of Dallas and Lubbock. He has been a trustee of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital since 1984 and now serves as Vice President and Treasurer.

He is the only person to be awarded the Grand Cross by the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the Southern Jurisdiction and the Knight Grand Cross of the Grand Encampment.



Happy 80th Birthday
We love you,
Anna, Luke & Nicholas



During the month of November the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department may have had its most active month so far this year.

With the local cotton harvest well underway, static electricity and the current lack of moisture reeked havoc on both local cotton producers and the volunteer firemen as well. Eleven of the eighteen fires this month were cotton related. The other seven calls were a variety of natures including, grass fires, structure fires, gas leaks, and controlled burns.

On December the 8th the FVFD held its Annual Christmas Party and Award Ceremony. Fire Chief Dinks Eckert was awarded the honor of "Fireman of the Year", and for the first time in department history Craig DuBois was the recipient of not one but both of the department "bonehead" awards. Congratulations Dinks and Craig!

With Christmas time just around the corner and lights popping up all over town the FVFD would like to remind everyone that a little common sense and caution could very well prevent a disastrous Holiday Season. The National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) reports that during 2002-2005, an average 210 home fires started when Christmas trees ignited. These fires caused an estimated annual average of 24 civilian deaths, 27 civilian injuries and \$13.3 million in direct property damage.

With the help of the NFPA, the Floydada Volunteer Fire Department would like to remind consumers about the importance of safe holiday decorating habits. There are a number of helpful hints that could keep everyone's family safe this Holiday season, such as using surge protectors, not overloading electrical outlets or extension cords and make sure your lights are turned off before you go to bed or leave the house. For a complete checklist of Holiday safety tips log on to www.nfpa.org.

The FVFD and their families would like to wish every one a Happy Holiday Season and a very Merry Christmas.

REJOICE!



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Courtroom Activities

Sara Henderson, 21, of Kermit, pled guilty to Forgery/A Check and her probation was revoked. She was sentenced to one year in a state jail facility, \$500 fine, restitution, court costs and attorney's fees in each case. The date of the offenses was April 24, 2005 and April 8, 2005.

Also in District Court, probation was revoked on Esmeralda Ybarra, 24, of Floydada, for Forgery/a Check. She was sentenced to 18 months in state jail facility, \$500 fine, restitution, court costs, and attorneys fees in each case (2). The offenses occurred on June 9, 2006 and September 11, 2006.

Tiffany Shepard, 29, of Lubbock, pled guilty to the March 4, 2004 charge of Possession or Transport of Certain Chemicals with intent to Manufacture a Controlled Substance. She was sentenced to 8 years in ID/TDCJ, a \$500 fine, restitution, court costs and attorneys fees.

In County Court, October 4, 2007, a Theft case of \$20.00 or more but less than \$500 against Tyler R. Boggeman was dismissed.

For the month of November, in J.P. Court, Pct. #1 & #4, there were 72 traffic violations filed. Of these, 24 were seatbelt violations. There were 19 License and Weights violations, 1 Disorderly Conduct for fighting, 1 alcohol violation by a minor, 4 Parks and Wildlife violations, and 2 thefts.

Palo Duro Oil and Gas Update

By Tom Musser

Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc.: Five Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. wells have status changes listed on the December 2007 Railroad Commission of Texas Oil and Gas Proration Schedule.

The Briscoe County R.I. Montgomery Lease (196514) Well #1 has changed status from 14(B)(2) Denied to Temporarily Abandoned.

The Motley County D.M. Cogdell, Jr. Estate Lease (201274) Well #10-01 has changed status from 14(B)(2) Extension to OZ, Well Not Eligible for an Allowable.

The Motley County Echols "2" Lease (216243) Lease Well #1 has changed status from 14(B)(2) Extension to Temporarily Abandoned.

The Motley County M. Burleson Ranch "60" Lease (216247) Well #1 has changed status from 14(B)(2) Extension to

Temporarily Abandoned. While the RRC currently lists the M. Burleson Ranch "60" Well #1 as Temporarily Abandoned this well is currently being test pumped by Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc.

Floyd County: The BASA Resources, Inc. Foster Lease (69173) Well #1 has been assigned a lease number by the Railroad Commission of Texas, Oil and Gas Division and is listed on the December 2007 proration schedule as Shut-in. The RRC notes that they received the form W-2 Completion Report on the Foster #1 on November 1, 2007. The Foster Lease (69173) Well #1 has been Shut-in since December 2006.

Floyd County: On Monday morning, December 17, 2007 Schlumberger Equipment began rigging up on the PetroGlobe Energy USA Ltd. McIntosh Lease Well #176 to begin testing

the well this week. Mr. Bill Powers, Chairman of the Board of Directors of PetroGlobe, Inc.



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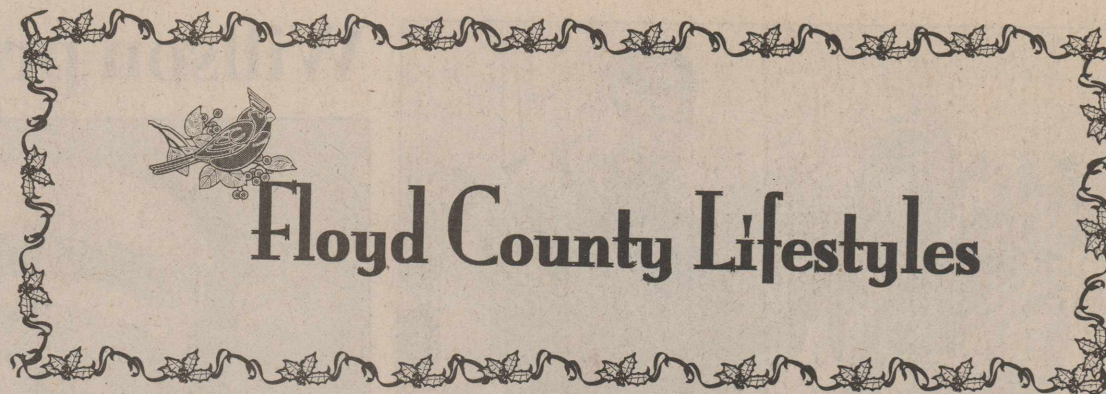
Shirley Hayes

Shirley has worked for the hospital since 1967 as a nurse aide in the clinic. She assists the nurses with getting patients to the exam room and checking their vitals. Shirley helps out wherever she is needed in the clinic. She likes working at the clinic because she likes helping people young and old. It is a nice place to work. She loves reading, taking care of the sick, and taking care of her family.

We appreciate Shirley and congratulate her for being selected for this honor by her co-workers!



50 YEARS AND COUNTING....Joe and Virginia Taylor celebrated their anniversary with Christmas Open House at their Circle Dot Ranch home where they were married October 12, 1957. They have two children, Gregg Taylor of Big Lake and Rise Ford of Lockney. They are blessed with five grandchildren Tiffany Taylor, Jackson Taylor, Carlynn Taylor, Trinity Ford and Leah Ford.



Floyd County Lifestyles

Lockney Senior Citizen News and Menu

By Vera Jo Bybee
On behalf of the Center we want to thank Schacht's Florist for donating two big hams. Wanda and C.F. said Clar came over bringing those two big hams, and said they were from his sister Margaret. So everyone come and eat the Schacht's ham at the Center this Thursday.

This is a good time to thank everyone for any and all donations that are given to the Center. We do so appreciate them.

Everyone at the Center is so glad to have Windy Clark out playing dominoes with the guys in the afternoon and for coming to the pot luck supper Thursday night and for staying to play dominoes.

Someone else we are so happy to have back here is Sunny and Larry Hamfit.

Homer Cypert, my neighbor across the street north, has been in the Mangold Memorial Hospital but is at home recuperating now. Their son James is here with them at this time.

We still have so much sickness in our community. I want to name them, but I'm afraid I might overlook someone and not put their name in, so I will just say, please keep all of our ill ones in your prayers.

I am better physically this week. I am over my cold. The Z Pack worked.

I also received two books on grief this week from Dr. Hardy Clemons. He is a retired Baptist minister and a grief counselor. He wrote one of the books. I really liked it best because he wrote about his grief when he lost his mother and father, H.P. and Kathryn Clemons. Mr. Clemons was our high school superintendent and Mrs. Clemons taught Senior English in the 40's.

They moved away in 1947 when Hardy was a freshman and I was a Junior.

And after that I lost touch with the Clemons' family. They say Hardy went to Tech and was the Drum Major for the "Going Band from Raider Land". Then he made a Baptist minister and had a church in Lubbock. I missed out on all this cause in the meantime I had got married to my Donnie and was living in the country having babies.

I didn't know anything about Hardy until Mary Evelyn Quattlebaum told me she and her husband Bill kept in touch with Hardy because he was their pastor when they lived in Lubbock. She said she thought Hardy

might enjoy my Lockney News so she gave me his email address so I could send him "The Lockney News Letter from Home."

You know God works in strange and mysterious ways. He knew I was going to need some help when he took Donnie to heaven, so after 60 years he got me in touch with Hardy, the pastor and grief counselor. There is no other answer to why this happened. Hardy's book has helped me so much. I only cry every other hour now. No, I am better because of so many prayers said for me. This week when people ask me how I am doing I can say "Good" after reading Hardy's book. This is really hard so please still keep me and my sweet children, who are helping me so much, in your prayers.

Here is a reading sent to me by a former Lockney resident, Beth Kellison McNicol.

I asked the Lord to bless you, as I pray for you today; to guide

you and protect you, as you go along your way.

God's love is always with you, God's promises are true. And when you give God all your cares, he will see you through.

Menu
December 26-December 28
Mon: Closed Christmas Eve
Tues: Closed Christmas Day
Wed: Chicken strips
Thrs: Frito pie
Fri: Meatloaf

Floydada Senior Citizen News

By Margarette Word

The Center will be open Monday, December 24th, closed Tuesday, December 25th and Wednesday, December 26th. We will be open Thursday, December 27th. Tuesday, January 1, 2008, we will be closed.

Our Christmas Party took place Monday December 17th at 4:00 p.m. We had 33 to attend. Virginia Taylor brought us a Christmas Story. We sang Christmas Carols with William Bertrand leading and Jo Payne at the piano. We exchanged White

Elephant gifts and had lots of good food to eat. Everyone seemed to have a good time visiting.

Our sympathy to Dorothy Reeves on the loss of a brother.

Our sympathy to Ila White on the loss of a sister.

Our sympathy to the family of Donald Standifer.

We do thank you for remembering the Center when you need to make a memorial donation.

Thought for the week - We wish you all a Merry Christmas

and a Very Happy New Year!

Menu

December 24-December 28

Monday- Oven roasted brisket, potato salad, asparagus, roll, peach apple crisp
Tuesday- Closed (Christmas Day)

Wednesday- Closed
Thursday- Salmon croquettes, tossed salad, pinto beans, cornbread, pears

Friday- Vegetable soup, pimento cheese sandwiches, salad, cinnamon apples

1934 Study Club

By Wilma Gowens

The 1934 Study Club met Tuesday, December 11, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. in the home of Faye Bertrand. Delicious refreshments were served by our hostess.

The meeting was called to order by our President, Diana Glover. The prayer was led by Diana. Willie Mae Ferguson read the minutes and led Roll Call to be answered with "My Christmas Plans."

Connie Bertrand gave a book review on a book by Fannie Flagg, "Can't Wait to Get to Heaven." It was a very funny and enjoyable story and was enjoyed by all.

In lieu of Christmas gifts, our members gave a contribution to "Relay For Life." The Club received a contribution in memory of Queen Annie Lawson to be applied to a worthy service. We are grateful to Lou Bureson for

this gift.

Members present were: Faye Bertrand, Wilma Colston, Betsy Dempsey, Willie Mae Ferguson, Diana Glover, Wilma Gowens, Emagene Haenisch, Nell McClung, Wanda Turner, Marie Warren and Margarette Word. Members unable to attend were: Jo Lyles, Flora McNeill and Ila White.

The next meeting will be January 8, 2008 in the home of Wilma Colston.



QUILTS ON DISPLAY AT LOCKNEY LIBRARY DURING OLD FASHION CHRISTMAS

Christmas Parade Winners

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce handed out the following awards after the Christmas parade, December 13.

The Floyd County Courthouse won 1st place with their "Rocking Around the Christmas Tree" float; Dollar General won 2nd place with their reindeer float; and St. Mary Magdalene Church won 3rd place with the Valentine King and Queen float.

Door prizes and recipients are: Cogdell Clinic, Brooke Galvan; Hesperian-Beacon, Roy Garcia and Susie Sanchez;

Chamber of Commerce, Leslie Gonzales; Goen & Goen, Darlene Lackey; Assister insurance, Shirley Morton; Kaleidoscope, Nora Navarro; Lighthouse Electric, Jessica Prisk and Robbie Odom; Cornelius Conoco, Jose Ramos and Father Jose Relente; Ginger's Beauty Salon, Stacy Reeves; Quality Body Shop, Geoffrey Sanchez; City Auto, Andrew Arvizu; Plains Bell Federal Credit Union, Richard Casares and Eli Ovalle; Playstation 2 and Gift Certificate, Rosemary Segura; \$40 gift card and \$20 in gas, Cynthia Cisneros.

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Oil and Gas Update

By Tom Musser

Continued on page 5

stated that along with testing the McIntosh Well #176 that PetroGlobe has scheduled additional work on the McIntosh Lease Well #1077 for January 2008.

Motley County: Completion work has begun on the Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. Cogdell "64" Lease Well #1.

Tyner Texas Operating Company Rushing Lease Well #1 drilling permit expired December 13, 2007, without the well bore being drilled.

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Dec. 23rd register to win a Watch
Dec. 24th register to win a Wallet

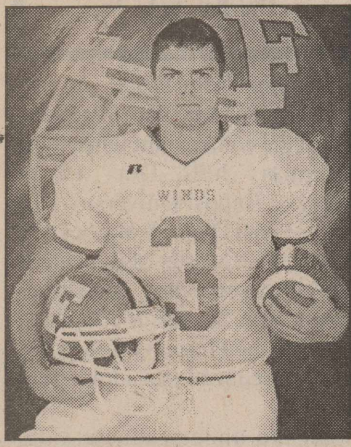
We'll be open Christmas Eve until 4:00 p.m.

Lots of great ideas for last minute Christmas Shoppers.

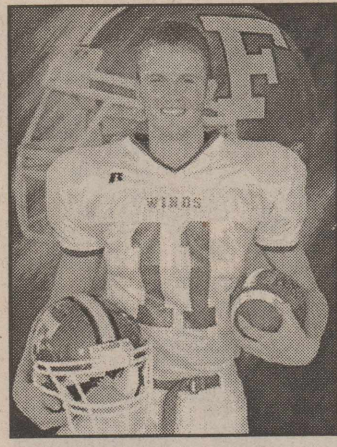
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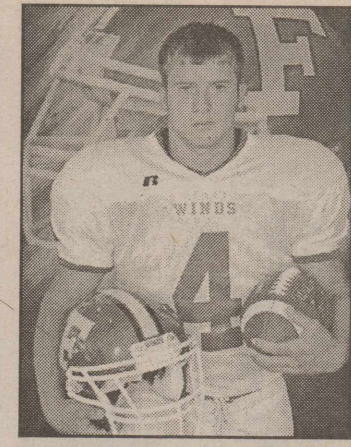
BLAKE GREER
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
1st Team Defensive
Secondary
(Unanimous Selection)



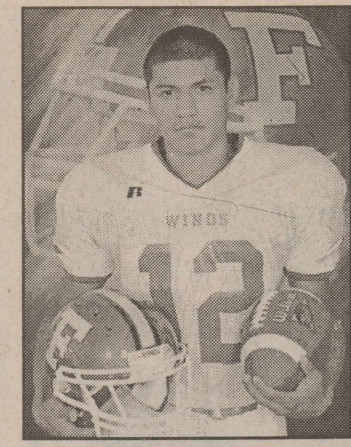
PAYTE BEEDY
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
1st Team Quarterback
2nd Team Defensive
Secondary



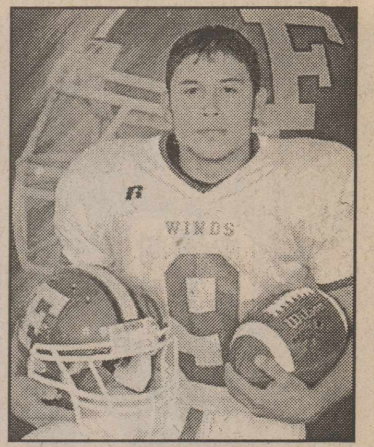
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Floydada-Junior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
1st Team Running Back
(Unanimous Selection)



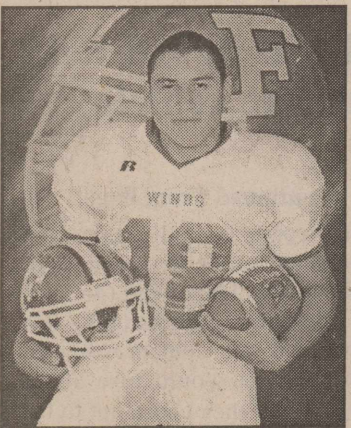
KEVIN SMITH
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
1st Team
Linebacker



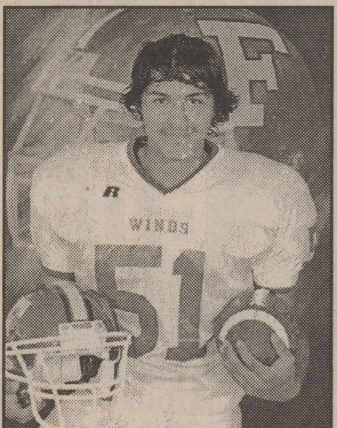
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Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
1st Team Receiver



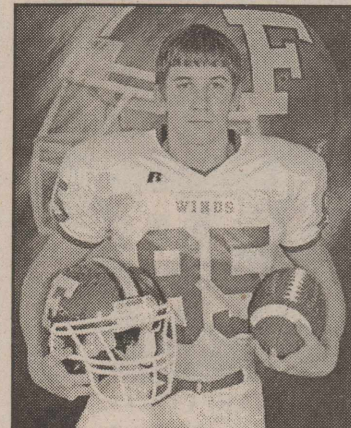
ELADIO SALDANA
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
2nd Team Defensive
Secondary



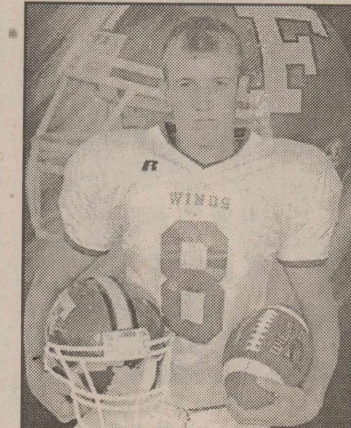
DANIEL SALDANA
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
2nd Team Linebacker



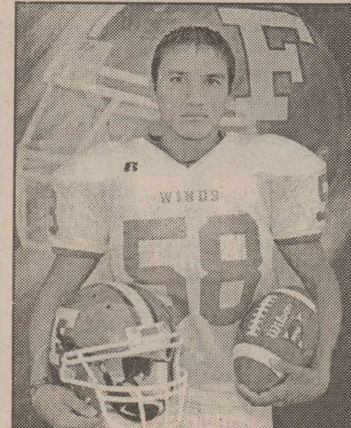
LUIS FOSTER
Floydada-Junior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
2nd Team Offensive Line



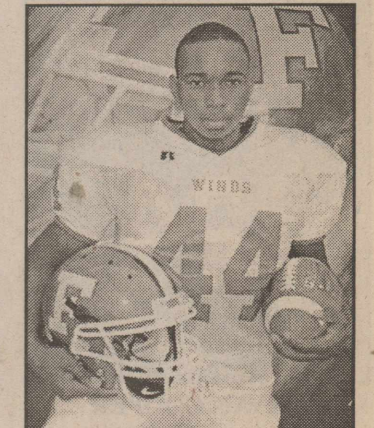
TANNER SUE
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Tight End



KODY SMITH
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Linebacker



SAMMY RAMIREZ
Floydada-Senior
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Defensive Line



FRED WILLIAMS
Floydada-Sophomore
2007 3-2A
ALL DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Defensive Line

Photos by Bobby's Photographic Memories



FISSD Educators and Students of the Week: (back, l-r) Educators Evie Cervera, Anise Jackson; Students of the Week: (back, l-r) Melissa Arzipe and Savannah Casares; (front, l-r) Kristina Sanchez, Kassandra Mendez, Rachel Graham, and Cutter Smith. Not Pictured Tyler Saldana.

Courtesy Photo

Lady Winds Basketball Report

By Coach Styles
Anton Tournament
11/29-12/1

Floydada-67; Hart-23
Megan Aleman-16, Laken Reedy-13, Lexie Terrell-10, Whitley Beedy-8, Brianna Weeks-7, Blanca Suarez-6, Jennifer Leatherman-4, Tara Hughes-2, and Whitley Walker-1.

Floydada-59; Elida, NM-47
Whitley Walker-14, Jennifer Leatherman-14, Megan Aleman-14, Brianna Weeks-5, Blanca Suarez-4, Lexie Terrell-4, Tara Hughes-2, and Whitley Beedy-2.

We played Anton in the finals-Floydada-40 Anton-43. Megan Aleman-22, Whitley Walker-9, Brianna Weeks-4, Blanca Suarez-2, Jennifer Leatherman-2, and Whitley Beedy-1.

The Lady Winds are 5-4 on the year. We had a good tournament. We held their leading scorer (had 34 the night before) to 9. They played hard.

We travelled to Friona on December 4th and forgot to get off the bus.

Floydada-29 Friona-42.
Jennifer Leatherman-12, Megan Aleman-6, Brianna Weeks-4, Whitley Walker-3, Blanca Suarez-2, and Whitley Beedy-2.

New Deal Tournament 12/6-12/8

Floydada-55 Sringlake-48
Megan Aleman-21, Blanca

Suarez-10, Jennifer Leatherman-9, Lexie Terrell-5, Whitley Walker-4, Whitley Beedy-3, Brianna Weeks-2, and Morgan Norrell-1

Floydada-68 New Deal-44
Megan Aleman-28, Blanca Suarez-15, Whitley Walker-6, Jennifer Leatherman-5, Morgan Norrell-4, Brianna Weeks-4, Lexie Terrell-3, Tara Hughes-2, and Whitley Beedy-2.

The girls played their best game of the year. Their execution was flawless. Hopefully, we can build on this throughout the year. New Deal is ranked #8 in the state.

Great job, ladies.

Floydada-42 Smyer-61 Championship Game
We ran into a buzz saw. There is a reason they are undefeated and ranked #3 in the state. They hit ten 3's.

Whitley Walker-9, Megan Aleman-9, Whitley Beedy-8, Lexie Terrell-7, Jennifer Leatherman-6, and Blanca Suarez-3

Overall record 7-6.

We play at Lorenzo, December 14, at Crowell vs. Archer City December 18th.

I am very proud of the girls and what they have accomplished so far this season. Come out and support the Lady Winds and the Winds.

Thanks for reading the Hesperian-Beacon

COLLEGE NEWS

Paul and Brenda Atteberry are proud to announce their daughter Dawn Ryan has received her Master of Arts degree in History from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, Texas on Saturday December 15, 2007.

FJHS LADY WINDS BASKETBALL

By Sarah Hinsley

The Floydada Junior High 7th grade Lady Winds played Littlefield at home December 12, 2007. They lost 16 to 30. The Lady Winds couldn't get it going. They made lots of turnovers.

On December 17, they travelled to Shallowater, the score was 42 - 18. They played a little better but still made lots of turnovers. They haven't found the right combination of players the last few games.

Our country and our leaders need your prayers



SCIENCE WINNERS--The 5th grade Science class at Floydada Elementary recently completed a Solar System project. Ribbons were awarded in the Display category to: (l-r) John Cortinas, 1st; Josh Barrientos, 2nd, and Aaron Chavarria, 3rd.
Staff Photo



SCIENCE WINNERS--The 5th grade Science class at Floydada Elementary recently completed a Solar System project. Ribbons were awarded in the Models category to: (back, l-r) Desiree Guerra, 1st, and Bethany Morales, 3rd; (front) Juan Nunez, 2nd.
Staff Photo



J.C. SIMPSON, of the Floydada High School Band, auditioned for the ATSSB Honor Band, December 8. He was selected as 1st Chair Tenor Saxophone and will advance to the State audition in January.
Photo by Debbie Montandon

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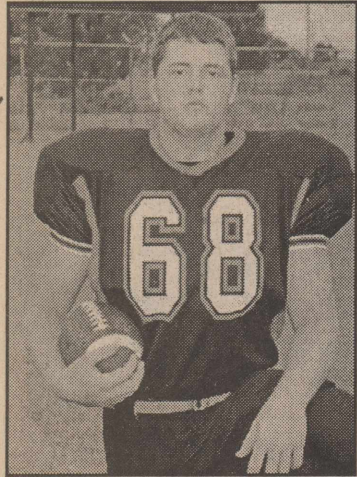


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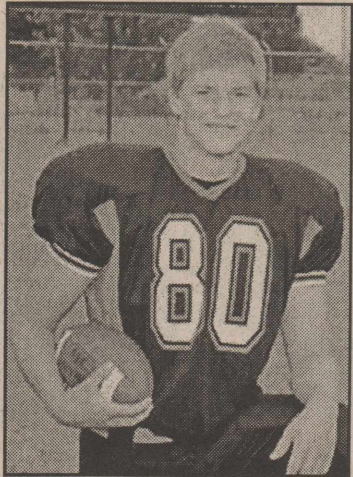
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Longhorns named to All District 3-2A Team

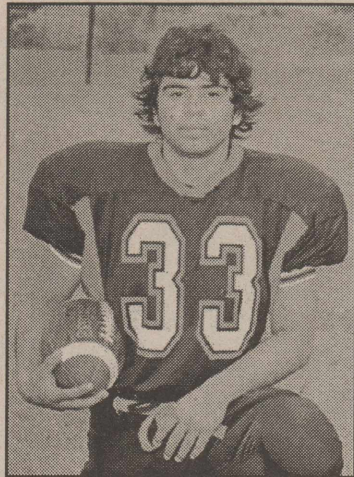
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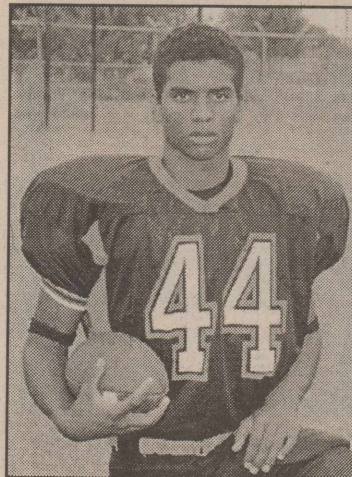
TANNER MORRIS
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
1st Team Offensive Line
2nd Team Defensive Line



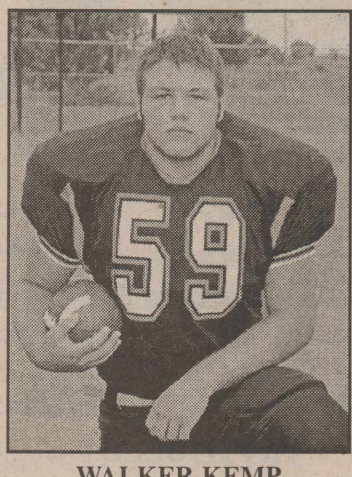
DRU CARTEL
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
2nd Team Tight End



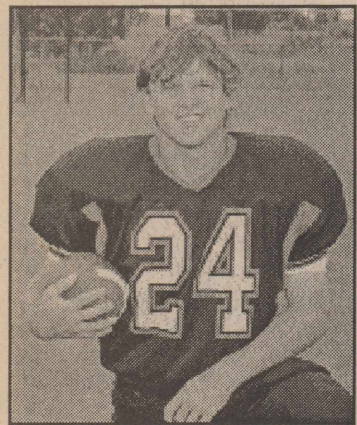
ZACH GONZALES
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
2nd Team Punter



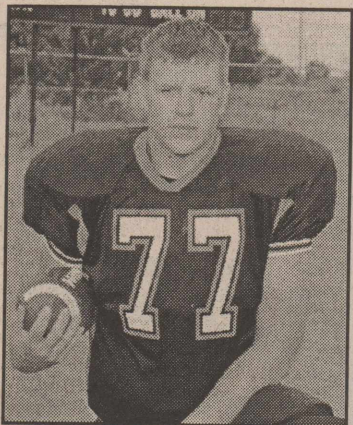
JONATHAN COLEMAN
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
2nd Team Running Back



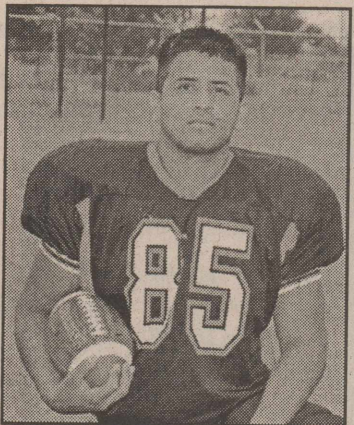
WALKER KEMP
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Offensive Line



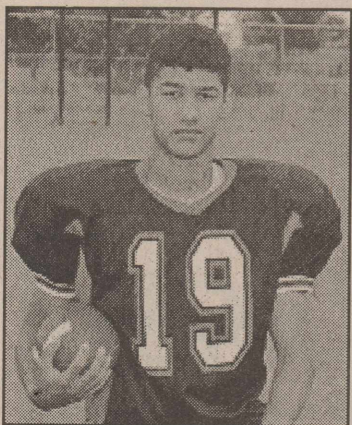
BRYAN COOPER
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Running Back



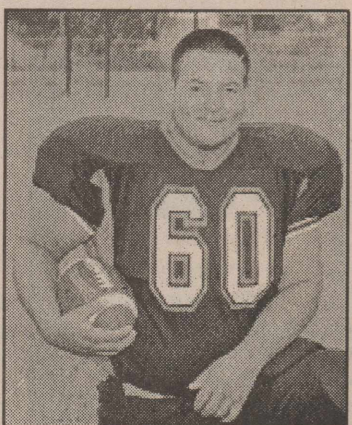
CALEB SCHUMACHER
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Offensive Line



RUBEN PESINA
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Tight End



DIMITRI CORTEZ
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Defensive Back (Secondary)



MIGUEL DURON
Lockney 2007 3-2A
ALL-DISTRICT
Honorable Mention
Defensive Line

Students from Floyd County were among more than 80 graduates at the winter commencement ceremony held Dec. 16 at Wayland Baptist University.

Jolee Ann Dietrich of Lockney received the Master of Education degree in secondary education. Sylvia Ann Suarez of Floydada received the Master of Education degree in educational administration.

On the undergraduate side, Janee Nichole Harrison of Lockney received the Bachelor of Science degree in life science, graduating magna cum laude. Lorienta Molinar Lerma of Lockney received a Bachelor of Science in Occupational Education degree.

LISD board talks about vehicle tax

Continued From Page 1

all property from all entities, and personal property accounts of about \$243,000 of that (46.5%).

Based on information he had from this year Cotham estimated the district would lose about \$27,778 if they chose not to tax personal property. "But again, we don't know what the property values will be next year."

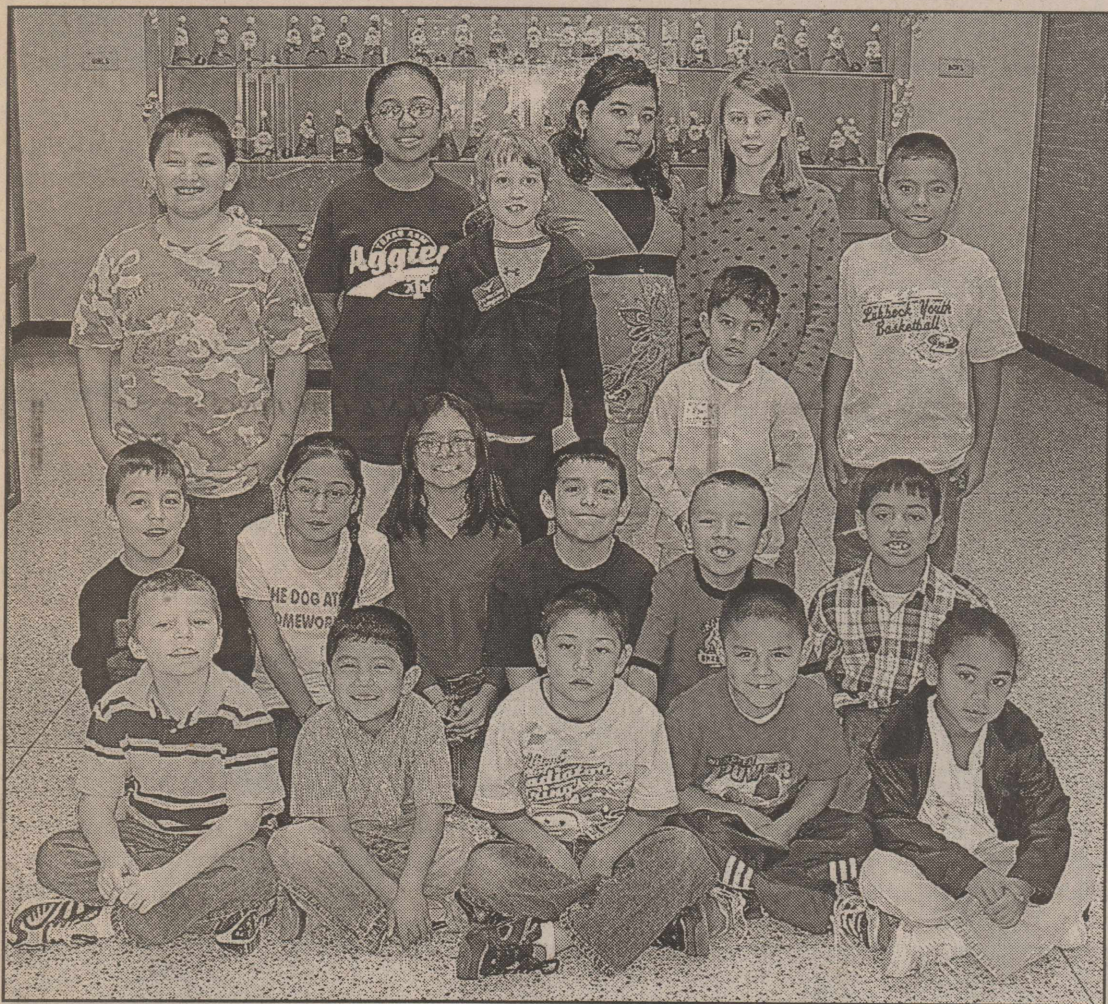
Trustees also discussed construction and maintenance projects going on campuses.

Outside doors are being replaced on the Band Hall, Ag building, and Home Ec building.

Also, inside the Elementary School hallway, a cage door is being removed and replaced with double glass doors.

The bank balance for LISD at the end of November showed \$326,884.91 with CD investments of \$3,561,491.31.

Pictures Courtesy of Hall Photography



LOCKNEY'S LITTLE LONGHORNS for the week of 12-17-07, (back row, l-r) Nival Gomez, Sadie Mathis, Brianna Vasquez, Kennedy Hallmark, John Salas, (third row, l-r) Allyson Young, Esai Garcia, (second row, l-r) Jadden Luna, Maria Palomin, Lisa Hernandez, Jonathan Rodriguez, Lucas Rendon, Ramiro Martinez, (front row, l-r) T.J. Thomas, Josiah Rodriguez, Daniel Palomin, Shawn Marquez, and Mikayla Williams. Staff Photo



CHAMBER WORKERS--(l-r)Rise Ford, Renee Hrbacek, and Denise Doucette serve popcorn at Lockney's Old Fashioned Christmas. Staff Photo



VETERAN LAYS WREATH--Joe Hayes (right), a Vietnam Veteran traveled from Dallas to pay respects at the Wreath Ceremony in Lockney on Saturday, December 15th. Staff Photo

Lockney School News

School will dismiss Wednesday at 2:00 p.m., Thursday at 2:00 p.m. and Friday at 12:00 noon. School will resume Monday, January 7, 2008 at 8:00 a.m.

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LONGHORN BAND PERFORMS-- The Longhorn Band played Christmas music for shoppers in Lockney at the Old Fashioned Christmas celebration. Staff Photo



COWBOY CHRISTMAS AND WHIRLWIND BAND--Members of the Whirlwind Band entertain the crowd at Cowboy Christmas. Staff Photo

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By Shawn Wade
Supporters of the Senate Agriculture Committee's 2007 Farm Bill proposal rallied together this week, winning final passage of the bill. This sets the stage for a post-New Year conference with the House of Representatives and hopefully the completion of the legislation in early 2008.

By a vote of 79 to 14 the U.S. Senate overwhelmingly approved the Farm, Nutrition, and Bioenergy Act of 2007, H.R. 2419, on Friday, December 14, 2007. While final Senate passage will no doubt be remembered as an important moment in the bill's evolution, history is more likely to judge the debate leading up to the final vote, and in particular the events of Thursday, December 13, 2007, as the key to eventual extension of the highly successful, and fiscally responsible, safety net provisions of the 2002 Farm Bill.

The Senate package, as proposed by the Senate Agriculture Committee, contained significant reforms in many areas, including pay limits and program eligibility requirements. The measure also provides significant new investments in conservation, specialty crops and food and nutrition programs that will allow most, if not all, affected constituencies to claim some level of victory.

The road to Senate passage was not an easy one by any measure, says PCG Executive Vice President Steve Verett.

"There was a lot of hard work and a lot of thought put into the provisions of this bill," said Verett. "It was a pleasure to see virtually every segment of production agriculture come together to support this bill, and to actively engage in the process of educating members of Congress unfamiliar with the issues involved."

Verett notes that the

legislation's supporters were ultimately successful in beating back all of the amendments from perennial farm bill opponents who were not satisfied with the reforms agreed to by the Senate Agriculture Committee.

Of primary concern to farm bill supporters were four amendments that were debated and defeated on the Senate floor during the course of the debate.

The first of these amendments was the proposal by Senators Richard Lugar (R-IN) and Frank Lautenberg (D-NJ) to replace current commodity support programs with an area-based crop insurance program. The measure was debated on December 11, and handily defeated with a 37-58 vote.

That vote seemed to set the stage for the next round of significant action that began on December 12 and concluded with floor votes on December 13.

During the course of the day, votes on the three remaining amendments that sought to make significant additional changes to the Senate Agriculture Committee's bill followed the script written earlier in the week.

The first of these amendments to come to a vote was the Dorgan/Grassley Payment Limitation amendment. Put forward by Senators Byron Dorgan (D-ND) and Charles Grassley (R-IA) and needing 60 votes to pass, the amendment was withdrawn after it failed on a 56-43 vote.

Next in the queue was the amendment from Senator Amy Klobuchar (D-MN) to further tighten the means test on farm program participants, but leave the \$2.5 million means test for conservation program participation unchanged. Also needing 60 votes to pass, the measure was withdrawn after it managed to draw only 48 in favor.

Having gone 2-for-2 on the

day, farm bill supporters turned their attention to what most observers felt was the last remaining major hurdle for the legislation, the amendment from Senator Sherrod Brown (D-OH) that proposed to make detrimental cuts to the Federal Crop Insurance program, the proceeds of which would be redirected to other purposes. The Brown amendment was soundly defeated on a 32-63 vote.

Closer to home, Texas Senators John Cornyn and Kay Bailey Hutchison supported the Senate Committee bill on final passage and by voting against all of the amendments discussed above.

"Agriculture is the second largest contributor to the Texas economy," notes Verett, "and it is clear that both Senators Cornyn and Hutchison understand the importance of this critical legislation to Texas agriculture. It shouldn't go without saying, though, that High Plains cotton producers, and the agribusinesses they rely on, are appreciative of the votes our Senators cast on their behalf this week."

The next step in the process is consideration by the House-Senate Conference Committee, a process which is expected to start in early 2008. With relatively similar provisions in both the House and Senate versions of the legislation, it is expected that the budget provisions required under Congresses "Pay-Go" provisions will be the most contentious issues to work through. While far from over, Senate passage of the Farm, Nutrition, and Bioenergy Act of 2007, H.R. 2419, this week brings the finish line one giant step closer. It also ensures that America's farmers and ranchers can enjoy the holiday season with one less worry on their minds.

2007 High Plains Cotton Quality Summary



FLOYD COUNTY QUEENS-- Floyd County Queens ride in the parade at the Cowboy Christmas celebration in Floydada. Staff Photo



COWBOY CHRISTMAS ELF-- This Elf was on hand, passing out candy, at the Floydada Chamber of Commerce during the Cowboy Christmas celebration. Staff photo

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Office	Bales	Color	Leaf	Staple	
Lamesa	90,843	21+	2.35	36.24	
Lubbock	298,161	21+	2.43	36.16	
Mike Strength Uniformity Bark					
Lamesa	4.23	30.14	80.91	4.7%	
Lubbock	4.05	29.77	80.69	1.9%	

Season Totals To Date:					
Office	Bales	Color	Leaf	Staple	
Lamesa	640,210	21+	2.23	36.11	
Lubbock	2,130,624	21+	2.38	36.00	
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City Council votes down vehicle tax

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effective tax rate will be adjusted. Without personal vehicle tax, the effective tax rate would go up 5.4 cents," according to Finley. "It would take a full time tax office employee just to run down personal vehicles."

Police Chief Jerry Edwards asked, "How many currently register their vehicles out of county

just to beat this tax?" "A lot," Finley answered.

The Council followed along with Floyd County and Floydada Independent School District in voting to discontinue motor vehicle personal property tax.

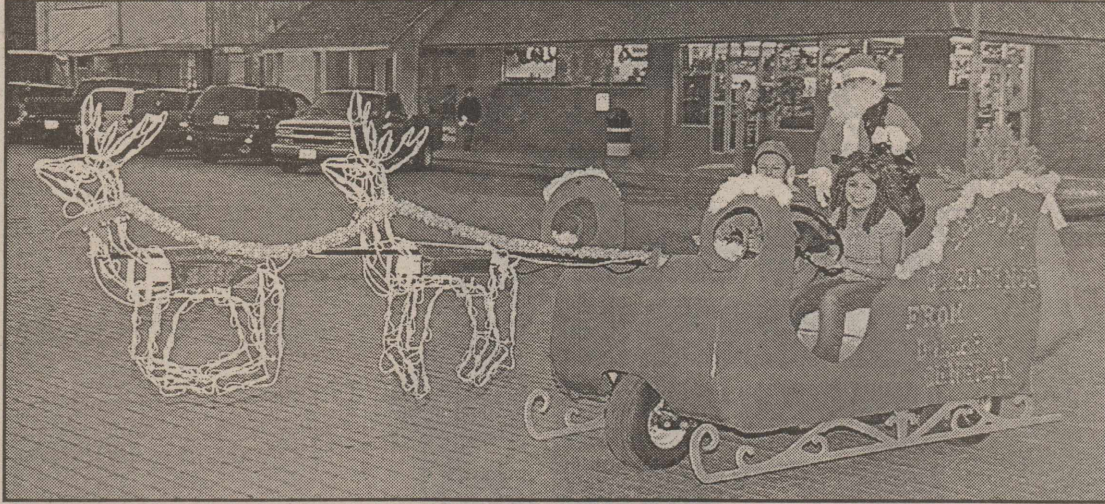
The Council also passed a request for a carport and fence variance at 627 SW 1st Street.

At the end of his department

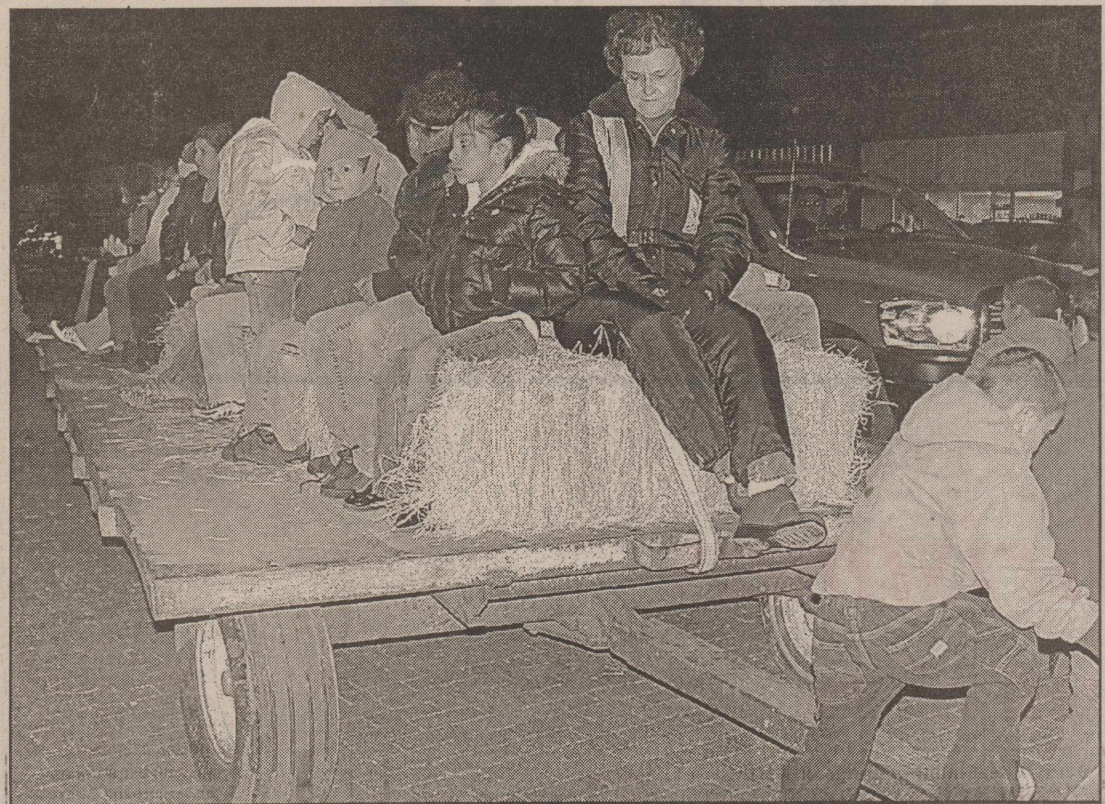
report, Edwards said, "This will be my last City Council Meeting as Chief of Police. My retirement

date will occur five days shy of twenty-one years here at Lockney. It's been a good ride."

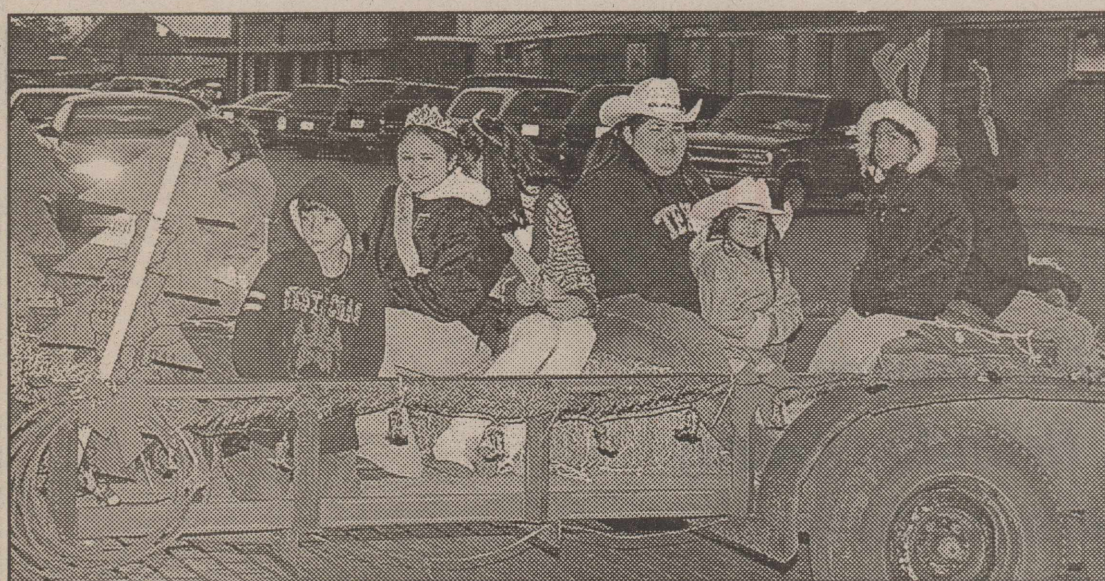
Tina Graves spoke on behalf of the Council, "You've done an awesome job Jerry and we appreciate you."



DOLLAR GENERAL had the 2nd place float in Floydada's Cowboy Christmas parade, December 13th. Staff Photo



HAY RIDE AT OLD FASHION CHRISTMAS IN LOCKNEY, DECEMBER 13th



PARADE FLOATS AT OLD FASHION CHRISTMAS IN LOCKNEY, DECEMBER 13th

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Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

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Rev. Brian Adams
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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service ... 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.
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Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.

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Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday 8:00 p.m.
Wed. Service 7:30 p.m.

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Wed. Evening 6:00 p.m.

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Morning Worship ... 10:50 a.m.
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Donations to Light the Cross Fund have been made as follows:
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THIS WEEK'S

KLLL BLOOD DRIVE
The KLLL Blood Drive for Floydada is Friday, December 21st from 1:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. The mobile coach will be parked in front of the EMS building. Everyone will get a 27th Annual KLLL Country Christmas t-shirt.

LOCKNEY BOY SCOUTS

Lockney Boy Scouts will be retiring flags in January. If you have a torn or tattered flag to return please contact Scoutmaster Danny Huggins, 652-8966 or any Boy Scout.

We would like to thank all our many friends and family for all the kindness shown to us during Louis' illness.

Thank you for all the telephone calls, cards, visits, food and especially your prayers.

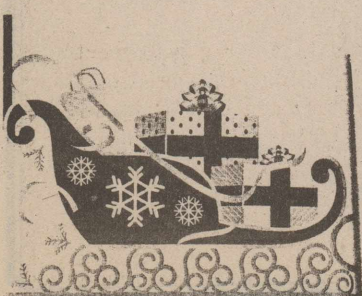
May God bless you.

*Sincerely,
Louis and Ferne Anderson*

Carr's Chapel would like to invite you to be part of our Christmas Eve service on December 24th at 6:30 p.m. If you would like to sing, do a reading or play an instrument, please contact Ann Carr at (806) 983-3854

Let us not forget the man in the red suite (Santa) as he will be dropping by to see us all. Please come and join us at this special time of the year and may you all be blessed.

To get to Carr's Chapel take FM 37 west till you come to FM 378 turn left (south) and the church is about 1 mile on the east side of the road.



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Every Week!*



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*We Hope You Enjoy
Reading Our
Special Christmas Edition*



Thinking of You at Christmas

With warm wishes and gratitude from our family to yours.

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Pre-K wants a puppy

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Dora movie. I want a guitar for my dad and a movie for my mom. Bring clothes and candy for my sisters. My brothers want games.

**I love you Santa,
Litty Moreno
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring a Dora game and my brother wants a Spiderman doll. My dad wants a computer. I think my mom wants a necklace.

**Thank-you Santa,
Emily Champion
PK-1**

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a hiccup doll and some Heely's. My sister wants a Dora game. My mom wants a little puppy and I want to call him Pinto. We already have Blue's Clues for the baby.

**I love you Santa,
Jazel Mendoza,
PK-1**

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a motorcycle and my brother can ride on the back with me. My mom and dad want a pretty cover for their bed. My sister Connie wants a pillow for her ipod. Sonia wants an ipod.

**I love you Santa,
Martin Garcia
PK-1**

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a cell phone and a watch. I also want big dinosaurs. My mom wants a cell phone too and my dad a watch. A football for my brothers and a mermaid toy for my sisters.

**Thank-you Santa,
Sebastien Pancardo
PK-1**

Dear Santa,

Please bring me a Batman and Superman game. I want my brother to get a Spiderman. Bring Granny Dorothy a necklace. My mom a purse and my dad a watch.

**Thank-you Santa,
Ja'quorien Sweat
PK-1**

Dear Santa,

Santa bring me a toy. I want two things. A helicopter and Elmo.

**Richard Luna
PK-2**

Dear Santa,
Skateboard for Christmas.

**Lilian Nieto
PK-2**

Dear Santa,

I want a drum and a spiderman suit. And I want a toy that's Buzz-lightyear. Am in-between naughty and nice list at school. Will work on the naughty list. I want a soccer game and I want a spiderman game. Aaron wants a set of Texas Tech beds. And Louie wants cologne so he can go to school with it and he wants an X-box. My mom wants two things, a red mustang. She wants polka dot blanket and a polka dot purse. My dad don't know what he wants.

**Daniel Saenz
PK-2**

Dear Santa,

I want a big monster truck. I want my monster truck real. My mommy wants real monster truck. And Nick wants a real monster truck. My best friends like a monster truck too. I wanna be good at my school. I like this whole building. I like my daddy and my new mommy.

**Damon Monroe
PK-2**

Dear Santa,

I want a pony. And a play toy. A Christmas toy for my sister. My daddy wants a toy. I been mean at school.

**Mary Strange
PK-2**

Dear Santa,

I want a Barbie, a game boy and a baby doll. I want a new lamp and a bear. A Nintendo DS for my brothers. Lip gloss for me. I play in the writing area at school. I've been playing on the computer. And I've been good.

**Alaina Segura
PK-2**

Dear Santa,

Can you please bring me a present. I been listening good in school. I love you. I love the kids in class and I love the presents. I love a Spiderman costume please. I like to go with you and the reindeer to Dairy Queen they have a Dairy Queen here where I live. I like the deers. I like going everywhere with you.

**Omar Garza
PK-2**

Floydada Pre-K gets help with letters

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a drum and a motorcycle. I also want a tire for my car. Bring my Grandma a book so she can read to me. Bring my Mom a blanket.

**Thank-you Santa,
Azariah Guerra
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a laptop, a Dora computer, crayons, and paper for drawing, a laptop for Leslynn, a watch for my mom and my dad wants a watch too. P.S. I will leave you milk and cookies.

**Love you Santa,
Jozelynn Ortiz
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a racing car, a big moving dinosaur, and my baby brother wants a book, my mom and dad bring them an ABC letter wall, my brother Kevin wants guitar Hero game. P.S. I will leave you chocolate chip cookies.

**Love you Santa,
Christopher Salazar
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me an ice cream maker with sprinkles. I also want the playhouse with three Barbies.

**I love you Santa,
Averi Anderson
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie Playhouse set. I want a ping pong table for my Dad because he wanted one when he was little. Bring my mom bunny slippers and my sister a Dora doll that grows hair. Bring my baby sister the kitchen that talks.

**Thank-you,
Shaina Bhakta,
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring a motorcycle and a car for my brother and me. My parents want a turtle.

**Thank-you Santa,
Serena Austin
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a spiderman toy. My brother wants a red bear and my sister wants clothes and dolls. Bring my parents clothes.

**Thank-you Santa,
Raymond Hernandez
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me My Little Pony. I want a play puppy and roses for my mom, Camaray. I want my daddy to have new boots. Mary would like a big pony and a baby brother.

**I love you Santa,
Audri Strange
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me an ice cream maker with sprinkles and I want a Rub-a-dub George. I want to go see the movie Enchanted. I also want the movie Ratatouille and game.

**I love you Santa,
Taylor Trevino
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a laptop, a car for my mom, a spiderman and cowboy boots for my brother because he wants to be a cowboy, and for Jasmín an ipod. P.S. I will leave you some strawberry cookies.

**Love you Santa,
Katelyn Rivas
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a laptop, a train set, a Princess Barbie doll, and a puppy. For Josh a Spiderman costume, and for my mom a necklace. P.S. I will leave you hot chocolate and chocolate chip cookies.

**Love you Santa,
Breanna Gonzales
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Spiderman toy and a puppy. Please bring Denise a Barbie. Domenic wants a Spiderman too.

**I love you Santa,
Devin Riojas
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Dora game and a Barbie too. I also want a Barbie movie.

**I love you Santa,
Leandra Jimenez,
PK-1**

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a fire truck, a firefighter hat and boots. Clets to play baseball. I also want a train.

**Thank-you Santa,
Michael Perez
PK-1**

In the Spirit of Christmas

May this season of spirituality and miracles bring serenity and joy to all those near and dear to you, and may Heaven shine its grace down upon you.

**The Summers Family
Moore-Rose
Funeral Home**
Lockney

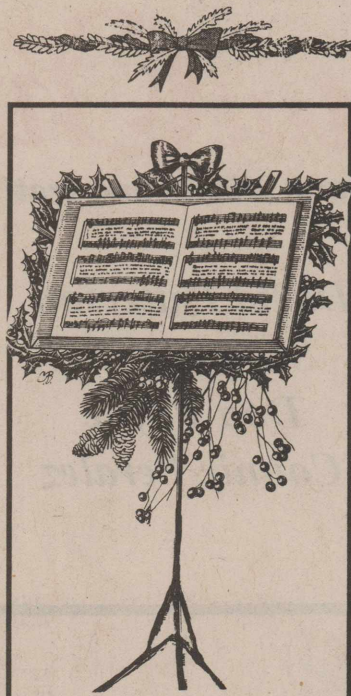


Peace & Joy at Christmastime

We're proud to be a part of this fine community and are grateful for the privilege of serving you.

Happy Holidays and heartfelt thanks!

Lockney Cooperatives



Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year 2008

Serving you since 1946
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CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS
To Our Friends & Neighbors

Wishing you an old-fashioned Christmas in the company of loved ones, good fortune and peace. Thanks for your support and friendship.

**Ray Lee
Equipment**
Floydada

Pre-K trying hard to be good for Santa

Dear Santa,

Bring me toys. Santa get my sister a doll. And transformer toys for me. My mom don't get toys. My brother a gun for mad dog. My dad don't get anything he got a bed. Yes to Santa Claus.

Thomas Longoria
PK-2

Dear Santa,

Bring me presents and toys. I want for Christmas a spiderman toy. A princess for Luna and Larrisa. My dad got a gun and a doggie face. A princess too for my mom and my grandma. My tio has to get a spiderman. I'll be good at school.

Andrew Gonzales,
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a laptop and I want a camera. I've been good at school. I listen to my teacher. I listen to my mama. Am everybody's friend at school. I want Barbies for my sister.

Yareli Pecina,
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a laptop for Christmas, Bratz, my laptop that I want is gray. For the needy kids I want to get them a laptop. My brother wants a Barbie that talks. Laci has been good at school. I've been listening.

Laci Gourdon
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a Teddy Bear, a laptop and I love you. I've been listening at home and at my Nana's. I like school cause it's fun. I want Barbie's for my sisters and a laptop.

Mercedes Alaniz,
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want some toys. I want a book and a laptop. A doggie, buy some toys. Be nice to teacher and Mrs. Davis.

Genavie Irlas
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a Hannah Montana and a Bratz. I want a four wheeler when I get big. A baby doll. I want for my Mom a laptop. For my dad a computer. I've been good at school and at home.

Emily Lopez,
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a tractor and a truck, a Shrek and a boat. A present for me. I not acting good at school.

Jason Samarippa
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a monster truck and a bicycle. I want Christmas lights and a little bear. I want to be a football player. I have not been listening in the classroom. I will follow the rules in the classroom. I want a cowboy hat for my grandpa and a phone for my grandma. A working jacket for my mom. And a little kitty cat. And an exercise for my brother.

Jacob Luna,
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a Santa toy. Superman flying like this. My mom playing toys. My mommy tattoos. Open presents my sister. Be nice.

Eric Silva
PK-2

Dear Santa,

Buy tractors. I want them. My brother wants tractors too.

Malachi Duran
PK-2

Dear Santa,

Bring me a present. A cowboy toy. I want my brother to have a cowboy toy like me. I want my mom to have a cowboy girl and my dad a cowboy. I was acting bad at school. I have to get out of the bad list and go on the good list. You have to erase my name from the bad list and put it on the good list. I have to act right.

Rolando Ortiz
PK-2

Dear Santa,

I want a pair of skates, a Barbie, and a pair of pants. I want a star pillow-you know a funny one would be a fuzzy one and I would like that! I also want a snowflake pillow and a sunny pillow. Sister would like a star pillow too! My momma like big people pillows. I will be good from now on!

Love,
Aliana Gonzales
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I wish you would have a very good day and a very good Merry Christmas. There are a lot of things I know you gotta do but please don't forget about me or my sister. I need a Bratz laptop and a Bratz dress. Don't forget the black Dorothy shoes. Make sure you have a good day!

Love,
Kristina Sanchez
PK-3

Dear Santa,

Bring me Heely's, a piano, a Princess cash register. That's all!

Merry Christmas,
Andrea Cortinas
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I want a gun with bullets. I want some Power Rangers and a helicopter and a train set. I want the Transformers movie!

Merry Christmas,
Austin Hester
PK-3

Dear Santa,

Don't forget to bring me toys! I want a costume. I want stuff so I can write on paper. Give me lots of glitter so I can put it on the paper to decorate. That's all!

Merry Christmas,
Kendal Hughes
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I like your reindeer because they look pretty. I love you Santa. I wish I could have a reindeer. Will you bring me a zebra toy, a pumpkin toy, and Transformers, the movie. I also want a real watch for Christmas. I need a real radio and a real baby zebra. Thank-you for bringing my real baby zebra.

Merry Christmas,
Mason Seeton
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I want two big dinosaurs. I need Transformers and a Spiderman toy. I really need an X-Box 360 too!

Merry Christmas,
Alonzo Ascencio
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I want a football just like my other one. Man, I lost it! I want a soccer ball with stripes and a bike, a Power Ranger one with a helmet. The helmet has to have Power Rangers on it too! I need a Ninja Turtle, I like that movie. I need a computer, a clock with a turtle on it.

Merry Christmas,
Ray Reyes
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl! I want a candy and lots of presents. I want presents and toys. I want Barbies and books.

Merry Christmas,
Natalie Ramirez-Ibarra
PK-3

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a present. A Ninja Turtle would be the best! I want golf clubs and golf balls.

Desmond Wickware
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I want you to bring me presents for my birthday. I need Hannah Montana toys. I want you to bring my sister presents for her birthday too. I want Andrea to get presents for my birthday. That's it! I love you!

Thank-you,
Jessica Perales

Dear Santa,

I wish you a Merry Christmas! I hope you wrap good presents for me. I want some books that will help me work at school. I want you to get me a pencil that will help me at school. I want a Ninja Turtle jacket. My dad's name is spelled B-r-i-l, and he likes to go fishing. My brother's name is spelled, A-l-e-x, and he likes military toys and the military channel. My mom's name is Sonya and she would like something that will help her hair out, I don't know what it's called though. She likes Dancing with the Stars and the Bachelor.

Love,
Ryder Glass
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I want you to bring a net that catches fish. I want you to bring me some paper for the printer. I need you to bring my other grandma that is in Ruidoso, some more paper in case she doesn't have any.

Thank-you,
Luke Holcombe
PK-3



May the warm glow of the Season light up your life.

The City of Lockney

Pre-K says "Hi" to Rudolf

Dear Santa,

I want you to bring me some Heely's. I need two trucks and two race cars. I would like to have the toy General, from Dukes of Hazzard.

Thank-you,
Grayson White
PK-3

Dear Santa,

I would like for you to bring me a book and some toys. A horsie, a tree, a school, and a tractor would be nice. I need a star too.

Merry Christmas,
Rylie Patterson
PK-3



To Our Good Neighbors At CHRISTMAS

We're proud to be a part of this fine community and are grateful for the privilege of serving you.

Happy Holidays and heartfelt thanks!

City Bank

201 N. Main
Lockney, Texas

105 S. Wall
Floydada, Texas



Member F.D.I.C

The Light is come into the world

Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.
John 8:12 (KJV)



May the Light of Christ shine on you at Christmas and guide you in all of the years to come.

Triple T Restaurant

Floydada

THE LIGHT OF THE LORD



May all of creation experience it this Christmas.

Henderson, Chappell & Company
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Edd V. Henderson, CPA
Darla Chappell, CPA
Lena Gwinn & Gayla Griffin



Mom helped me write my letter Santa

Dear Santa,
How are you this fine day? We do hope that you are doing well otherwise you may not be able to make your rounds on Christmas Eve and that would just be disappointing to so many of us little people. Anyway, enough of the chit chat. My name is Aliana Gonzales, age 5, and my sister is Ava Gonzales. We have both been exceptionally good girls this year and this we know as a fact because our family tells us so. We do hope that your records show us to be good.

I, Ali, would like for you to bring me some Barbie or Princess stuff for Christmas this year. A doll would be nice. I would also love to have some roller skates, maybe some clothes and Texas Tech stuff.

My sister, Ava, is still too young to ask for anything in particular because she is only one year old, so I will ask for her. She could probably use some learning toys, I know these were great for me when I was just a kid like her. She could also use some clothes because she is growing so fast.

You know, Santa, these are just some ideas but really whatever you bring us we will appreciate. We are not very particular because we are fortunately very blessed little girls. We have a mom and dad, grandmas, grandpas and lots of aunts and uncles who love us very, very much. We realize there are other kids out there who don't have some of the stuff that we have, so for these kids please remember to bring something. I know that there are people out there who help you with these kids and we do hope that they are all able to get a Christmas present this year. I think my aunt is going to take me shopping for one of these kids so that I can help one of them, too.

So, again, Santa, thank you for all the presents you have brought us in the past and thank you for anything you can bring us this year. Also, please remember all our cousins, our friends and all the little kids in the world.

We love you, Santa,
Ali and Ava Gonzales

Dear Santa,
I want a cat. I need a dog. Please bring me toys, not too many though. I have been good..
Thank-you,
Denise Mendoza
PK-3



Dear Santa,
I would like you to bring me books and a CD. Don't forget to bring me a baby girl to take care of. I will name her Beverly. I need the Hannah Montana movie and a car to drive would also be nice. Please don't forget about my brothers they have been nice too! I love you, Santa!

Merry Christmas,
Katie Dunn
PK-3

Dear Santa,
Bring me an Eagles helmet, a Texas Tech jacket, an Eagles football, and a Green Bay football too. I need Transformers too! I want a motorcycle so I can drive on the road.

Merry Christmas,
Alexyz Alvarado
PK-3

Future 'Winds looking for Santa

Dear Santa,
We have been very good this year (maybe a little mischievous, but always loveable). We can't wait to meet you! Mama says we better write a letter so we won't forget to tell you about all the goodies we like. We would really like the Fisher Price Star Station. We love singing all the time and daddy taught us all his best dance moves. With the two microphones we will be able to sing together and make some great music!

Santa, we would also like some fun "girly" stuff. We would like lots of bows, clips, and pony-tail holders. We love "lipstick" (chapstick) and we really want some smell good stuff like mommy's. We saw some real fun bubble bath at the store and we think we would just love it!

Santa we love you very much and will have milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve.

Love, hugs, and "sugars",
Malise, 2, and Emma, 1,
Davis

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl 8 years old. I have tried to be good this year. I would like a Hannah Montana doll and a scooter.

Please don't forget my little sister Cristin.

Thank-you,
Catharine Kemp



Dear Santa,
I want a little Pony game. I want a Disney "Learn to Write" board. I want a kitty-in-a-purse. I want a baby carrier. I want a princess movie. I want some chap stick and lipstick. I want a little doll. I sure love Hello Kitty stuff. For my Santa Claus present I want house shoes. I love you!

Katie Dunn, 4
Pre-K

Dear Santa,
I want kitty house shoes. I love Thomas the Train. I want bubble bath. I want choo-choo trains. I want a chew-chew train game.

I love you,
Samuel Dunn, 2

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control airplane that's green. And I want another airplane. It is red. One of those that you put wings on all by yourself. I want some candy and a chew-chew train. And a remote control helicopter. I want race car house shoes. I want some orange/grey/black boots (like the ones I have) but not torn.

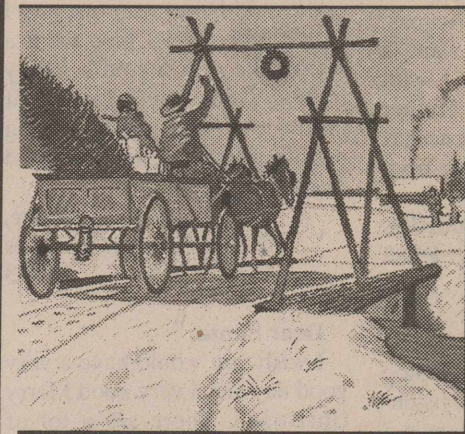
Love,
Eddie Dunn, 6
First Grade



Have a Holiday Filled with Old-Fashioned Love & Joy

The simple pleasures are still the best, and for us that means having the chance to say thanks to all of you.

Floyd County Central Appraisal District

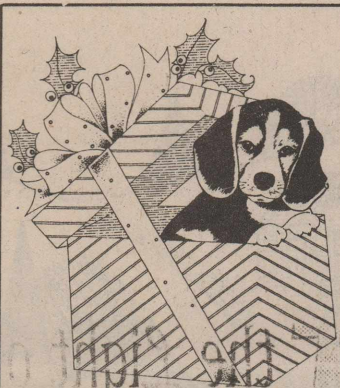


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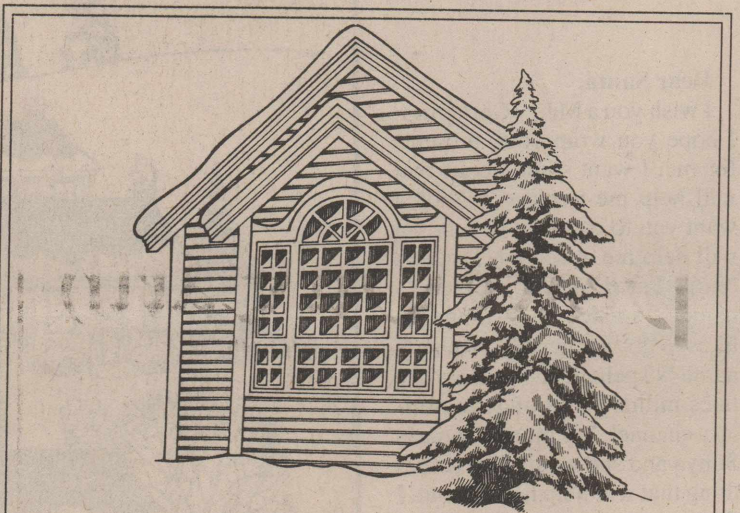
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JOY

We wish you much happiness and good fortune through the holiday season and beyond. Thanks for doing business with us.

Lockney Veterinary Clinic
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HOLIDAY Peace

Our thoughts are with you throughout this season of hope and brotherhood. May you experience the true spirit and meaning of the holiday.

God bless you.

The Moore-Rose Summers Family Funeral Home
Floydada



A Child Is Born!

Rejoice and embrace the spirit of the first Christmas when our Saviour was born.

With deep appreciation for your loyal patronage and continued friendship.

Nielson's Restaurant & Catering
Jon, Tami, Seth
&
Staff

Holiday Trimmings

We're all celebrating the season in style this year, thanks to great customers like you.

Happy Holidays!

Rudy's Barber Shop
Floydada

Blessings of the Season

During this most magical season, may faith be your guide and good fortune your constant companion wherever you go.

Thanks for including us in your travels this past year.

D & J Gin
306 E. Shurbet
Lockney

David & Dar Lee Foster
Jody & Shawnda Foster
Eddie & Ann Foster

Kindergarten kids believe

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a PSPA skateboard and transformer boy, spiderman 3 game. I would also like to go see my great grandma in Leon Gito Mexico.

Kevin K-3

Dear Santa,
This year I have been a good girl and I hope you come to my house this year for Christmas if you do I would like you to bring me some Healy shoes, a dora kitchen and some clothes. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Paige K-3

Dear Santa,
My name is Justin Delgado and I'm 5 years old and I am writing this letter so that you can bring me lots of presents. I want 5 hot wheel race cars, four wrestler's bautista, Rand Orton, Shawn Micheles and the Big Show. I also want a wrestling ring with the cage and any other toy you would like to bring me.

Justin Delgado K-3

Dear Santa,
I would like hot wheels Dragon set and I would like a radio with CD's and I would like a I Pod and a little TV with DVS Player and Tape. and a basketball goal. and a basket ball and a lamp and a fake phone and heely's that are black. and some books that are easy and some for are twin brothers. And Diego set.

Marcus K-3

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a lot of toys and I hope to see Santa to tell him what I want for Christmas and for my family to have a good merry Christmas.

Cassandra A. Chavira

Dear Santa,
I want a real bab doll with a stroller and a electric scooter and a bratz doll and my own room with a new bed and tinketbell stuff. Thank you.

Bresa K-3

Dear Santa,
I would like a robot puppy, a barbie kitche, puppy rings, and something for my brothers. I have been a good girl all year.

Kassah J. K-3

Dear Santa,
I want a blue light ring McQueen. I want transformers (ptimmus Prime and Bumble Bee). Merry Christmas.

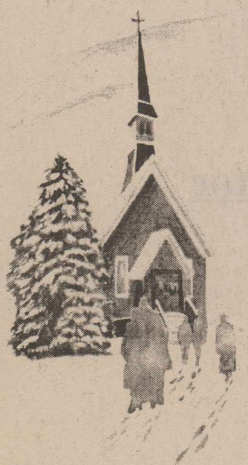
Love, Tyson Snell K-3

Dear Santa,
My name is Patrick. Im 5 years old. Please bring me a racrond a choo choo train like my moms.

Thank you, Love, Patrick K-3



Peace And Happiness



Wishing You A Blessed Season At This Special Time Of The Year

Campbell Plumbing



Floydada Kindergarten writes Santa

Dear Santa,
This year I have been nice and sweet kid and all I would like is an X-box 360 or a wii. So if you can get me one of this things I would be very thankful.

Gustavo K-2

Dear Santa,
This year i have been a Good Girl. For X-ma i want a dora kitchen. I also would like for you to buy my brother something about Diego. I also would like you to buy the children that are not getting nothing something. I want everybody to have a Merry X-mas and Happy New Year.

Marissa K-2

Dear Santa,
I will make cookies and milk for you so you won't get too skinny for your suit. I've been praying for you and All of your reindeer to have a safe trip to Floydada, TX.

Mommy and Daddy told me that you will brig me only one big thing, so I've been thinking long and hard about what I want. So I've decided I would like a new computer. Daddy will make a special place in the office for it.

Don't be afraid of our dog - he only barks. God bless you Santa!

Piper Peralez K-2

Dear Santa,
for crismas I want a toy revacume and a retroller sueburban car for my brother. I want to tell Santa I wuv him berry much. And I want a tranzformer wobot. And I want allmy cousins to get somtin special.

Jeffrey K-2

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want some toys and a baby doll so I can take care of it. And for Crismas I want to see my uncle Rubeen Ortiz. And for my Grandmom Santa, I want you to give her a nice bracelet and for my uncle Rene Ortiz I want you to give him aa stuffed teddy bear of Shrek. And for my mommy Brenda Ortiz I want her to have a Happy Merry Christmas and that I love her and for her to have a happy new year. I guess that's it Santa. Have a Happy Merry Christmas everyone.

Kassandra L. Casteneda K-2

Dear Santa,
Hi. How are you and your reindeer? I love Rudolph the Red Nose Reindeer. Could you get my baby brother some play cars. My sister Angela a computer. My brother Adam a PSP, my brother David a Drum Hero. My Dad a red mustang. Also bring my Mom some Diet Dr. Peppers. And if your elfs still have time make me a red remote control mustang. Thank you. I love you Santa. Hope you have a good Christmas.

Andrez Suarez K-2



Peace On Earth

On the occasion of our Saviour's birth, We join you in praying for peace on earth; And send this message of goodwill your way, As together we celebrate Christmas Day.

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Will you bring computers?

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year I want a new playstation game. a new powerwheel and a spiderman suit. I also want some more ben 10 toys. My birthday is December 27, 2007 and I want a really big TV.

LaMychar K-3

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a Easy Bake oven. Barbie dollHouse and Teddy Pollar White Bear and that is what I would like Santo to get me one more thing I wish my family comes back together.

Jacquetta Porter K-3



...And To All A Good Night!

May all your dreams come true during this magical season. We couldn't have wished for better friends than you. Thanks for everything!

Caprock Motor Parts & Hardware

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Clara, J., Richard & Lance

A Season for Celebration

During this special time of year, we remember and celebrate the birth of Jesus, who came to be the Light of the World.

Wishing you a Merry Christmas and a New Year filled with blessings.

Karen Houchin Law Office
Karen, Eddy, Daniel, Erin, Keri, Abbie & Eli

*Season's Greetings from our family to yours.
May the spirit of the season stay with you throughout the year.*



Merry Christmas

Floydada Power & Light



Floydada Kindergarten can't wait for Santa

Dear Santa,
I like spending time my family, but for Christmas I would love to get a big barbie doll, or one of those big new born baby. For my brothers I would like for them to get a wii game and with a transformer car. For baby Luisito I would like for him to get a teddy bear. Andd for my mommy I would like for her to have a very special Christmas. For her to receive a special present too. Oh, one more thing can you please tell my uncle Ruben Ortiz that I love him and miss him. Thank you.

With love,
Nereida Lyzette Silva
K-2

Dear Santa,
I want cd player for Christmas. I also want makeup and some dolls to play with. I want to have Santa to be my guest for Christmas. I wish I had a car to play with my dolls and drive them around. I wish Santa could bring me some clothes. I want a candyland game so I can pay with my family. I wish Santa could get my teacher better and my family.

Myra
K-2

Dear Santa,
for Xmas I want an I-Pod, Dora playset and also I would like a big power wheels for me and my sister. I will have your milk and cookies ready. I love you!

Leslynn
K-2

Dear Santa,
The things I want for Christmas are a scooter, dolls and a doll house.

Alexis Hernandez
K-1

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a pair of Healy's and a ipod I would also like a bb gun. Thank you Santa!

Mike
K-2

Can you find my house?

Dear Santa,
I love you. The milk and cookies will be ready when you come. They will have a lot of sugar. I heard your story about rudolph. We will have food for the reindeer too. I love your elves, they make wonderful things. Can you give love to everybody. I want them to do that santa, I am sorry I did not come to see you at the lighthouse. Surprise me with the present you bring. I will be good. Have a wonderful Christmas Santa.

Payton Teeple
K-2

Dear Santa,
My name is Jocelyn Rene Robbins. For Christmas I would like a password journal, heeleys, easy bake oven, a guitar and a game. Me and my sisters were good. My sister Ember would like an electric guitar and Kallie would like a new game for her XBox 360. Thank you Santa.

Jocelyn Robbins
K-1

Dear Santa,
I have been good all year long. This christmas I would like a DS, cell phone, also a Digital camara, New clothes for me and my sister for my baby sister a cute Little puppy.

Azalea Garza
K-1

Dear Santa,
I want a doll with a baby bottle and a bratz doll I can put makeup.

Ruth Ramirez
K-1

Dear Santa,
Please send me an IPod. I also want a remote control car. Could you please send me a tree house too.

Jose Lira
K-1

Dear Santa,
Hi Santa. Many kids are come to see you. I want a mustang ragging stripeg. Heelles too. bow and arrow that i broke. Thank you.

Tyler Kidd
K-1

Dear Santa,
I would like a motorcycle to play. Also a bike fo rme. Please bring my little sisteer Rosie a doll to play wwith. Good health for everyone!

Hermilo Martinez, Jr.
K-1

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year so here is what I want. a Mario Brothers game and also Lipstickand Make-up also a Bratz doll and a Hanna Montana wig.

Thank you,
Emily Cisneros
K-1

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want Heely shoes. Magnet iX and Power wheel jeep. Hurricane with monster traction. I have been good this year. I will leave cookies, mikle for you, and carrot for Roudolf.

Ethlen Rodriguez
K-1

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year well most of the time. All I want for Christmas is a Bratz doll and a pair of Heiley's. can please bring my brothers javi and leo some cars most of the time they've been good. oh yeah, I want just other dolls too! and more games for my v-smile.

Anastasia Santos
K-1

Dear Santa,
Hi. I would like a an airplane with a remote control. Please.

Eric
K-1

Dear Santa,
All I want for christmas is a Powerwheel Jeep that has a CD Player. and Baby Alive because she relly Piss. also a puppy that comes with a leach. and also I love you. I want a swimming pool a real one. I also want a cheerleader outfit.

Amber Morales
K-1

Dear Santa,
I have been a good girl this year and I would like a new babydoll some clothes. I would also like a Bear that you color on. I will bake you some cookies and leave some milk by the tre. Merry Christmas.

Kylie Stovall
K-1

Dear Santa,
I want a scooby doo Game. A Frog computer game. I also want a Batman toy. Homes. Janpienkew 5 Ki.

Ruben Overo
K-1

Dear Santa,
My name is Michael Perez and for Christmas I want the new Guitar hero game. I would also like a pair of boots. I would a kitty cat. I want some new cool coloring books and new colors if you can bring me a John Cena poster for my room because he my favor wresler. I also would like a power tool set and a jungle set with animals. Santa I know I might not get all of this but one or two things would be nice. I will make you milk a cookies. I hope you enjoy them.

Thank you,
Michael Lee Perez
K-2

Dear Santa,
I would like some Healys and a video game like an X-box from Wal-Mart. I think I would also like alot of game. I will have some goodies for you.

Seth
K-2

Dear Santa,
I would like Heeleys for Christmas a cinderella kitchen and a baby doll. And please bring my brothers a nintendo DS and Heeley's and a 18 wheeler truck.

Maris E. Casares
K-2

Dear Santa,
I want heelys and a doll.

Karen
K-2

Dear Santa,
What I would like the most is Starscreen prom Transformers. I would also like a four-wheeler so I can ride with my dad. I would also like a race car bed and a Sony PSP. Thank you for listening.

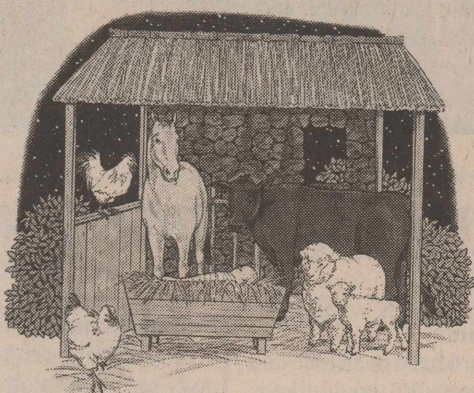
Bailey Brundage
K-2

Dear Santa,
I want you to try to bring me Heelys for me and some for Adam. I want a Dora calculator, a butterfly necklace and a pink Hannah Montana earrings. I want some Bratz stickers too. I need a jewelry box and a Dora Robe. If you can bring me some makeup too. I'll leave you milk and cookies.

Victoria Esquivel
K-2

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a swimming baby, 2 snow globes and anyother toys that you want to pick out. Please bring Elise a baby doll, a pony & bubbles. We will leave you cookies and strawberry or chocolate milk, whichever one you want. Thank you and stay warm.

Xochie Sinai Padilla
K-2



Away In A Manger

May you rejoice in the splendor of His many wondrous creations in this season of love. Merry Christmas!

Dr. Dean
Lisa, Gracie, Gay, Jo Lynn
Floydada

Santa's On His Way!



Hope you're as revved up for Christmas as we are!

Please share in our joy as we send a truckload of cheer and good wishes your way.

May this holiday be your best one yet!

Dick's
Automotive
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MERRY CHRISTMAS

From the Elected Officials of Floyd County



County Judge
Penny Golightly

County Commissioners

Precinct 1
Ray Nell Bearden
Precinct 3
Bill Quattlebaum

Precinct 2
Lennie Gilroy
Precinct 4
Jon Jones

Sheriff
Paul Raissez

County Clerk
Marilyn Holcomb

County Attorney
Lex Herrington

County Treasurer
Elva Martinez

County Tax Assessor/Collector
Delia Suarez

Justice of the Peace
Precinct 1&4
Tali Jackson

District Judge
Bill Smith

District Attorney
Becky McPhearson

District Clerk
Patty Davenport



SEASON'S GREETINGS

We hope everyone enjoys the warmth and good cheer of the holiday season. Thanks for your kind support and friendship.

Lambert Spraying
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Lockney
652-2708



CHRIST OUR SAVIOR IS BORN

May your holiday be filled with the blessings of His faith and love.

Muncy and Sandhill
Elevator



Kids Korner kids love Santa

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a remote control car, a big bike and Lighting McQueen stuff. I love you Santa.
Love, Charlie
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a Dora doll, some new clothes, and Dora shoes. See you soon.
Love, Elise
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a doll and a remote control car that I can drive. I love you Santa.
Love, Lexi
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
Please bring me a teddy bear and a Barbie. I also need new crayons. I love you Santa.
Love, Holley
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a spider man and a snowman and a big bike. I Love you alot!
Love, Trace
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a telephone, a fire truck and tools to work with. I love you Santa.
Love, Brock
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like some cars, a bike and a Transformer toy. I love you Santa.
Love, Andres
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a truck, a bike and a ghost rider.
Love, Jose
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a motorcycle, new cars and a new swing set. I love you lots.
Love, Adam
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a Banjo, a computer and Superman toys. We'll be waiting for you.
Love, Ashlyn
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a new doll, a new Barbie and new clothes. I love you a lot.
Love, Madison
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a red airplane, a remote control car and new movies. See you soon.
Love, Quinten
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a Transformer toy, a watch, also some cars. See you on Christmas.
Love, Jesus
Kids Korner Daycare

Dear Santa Clause,
I would like a motorcycle, new cowboy boots and new clothes. I love you Santa.
Love, Ethan
Kids Korner Daycare



1st graders believe in Santa Claus

Dear Santa,
My name is Joshua Cisneros. For X mas I would like a drum set, and a Dallas Couboy uniform.
Love, Joshua
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want an eagle Polar bear, God Zilla and a baby God Zilla.
Thank You,
James Gibbens
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want heelus for Christmas. I want a doll. I have been veru nice this year. I love Santaclaus. I Want Clothes.
Love, Nicole
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you? Well what I want for Christmas is some wrestling fors like John Cena and Rey masterio. I also want the wrestling cage and some hielies to skate in. God Bless.
Thank you,
Elias Luna
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
Can you get me a fish and also would like a Bratt doll a Bratt2 camera and a pink phone. I would like some dress shoes and the High School musical movie. I will leave you some gingerbread cookies and milk.
Love,
Denise Riojas
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want two pair of helia shoes one is for me and one is for my sister Paige. Please bring me a toy bog and baby boll. I want a Santa Starper. I want a high school musical phone. I want a Doratalker.
Form,
Aleck anb Paige
1st Grade

Dear Santa Clause,
I want a bike and a PlayStation2 and a guitar Ho Ho Ho Merry Christmas.
Thank you,
Laisha
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
Thought I would let you know what I would like for Christmas I just want a motorcycle that's big enough for a boy to ride that is eight yrs old and if its not asking for to much a helmet also and Disney electric car for my little niece
Thanks Santa,
Kadeem
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
Please bring me PSP, Sniper rifle, electric guitar, memory stick, grand theft auto and head phones.
Thank you,
Jonah Trevino
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a car set from the movie cars and I want it to snow on Christmas.
Love,
Javier Olvera
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmis I would like a Nintendo DS with a game. if you can't I want a new game for the Wii and socks.
Love,
Jacob R. Thomas
1st Grade



For a peaceful holiday season to you and yours.

Sue's Gifts & Accessories
Thanks for your loyalty throughout the years!

have a rockin' good time!

Take it from the man ...there's no time like the present to let you know how much we appreciate your patronage. Happy Holidays!



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1st grade loves laptops

Dear Santa,
I want some heely's and barbies and a kitchen set and some makeup to make me look butifuler. A Doll to do there her. A Cell Phone and a PSP with that. thank you!
Thank You!
Madison Barrientos
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
Can you please give me a motorcle without training wheels. can I have a pistol a real one so I can shoot birds with Kenneth Colemann. I am a good boy.
Esteban Alaniz
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I wish to have a Xbox360, 4 wheeler, a New Bike, a ring for my trapoun, and most of all a Merry Christmas with my family.
Cardell Wickware
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want some shoulder pads for football and a Dallas football helmet, too, and computer also. And Santa bless my mommy and daddy.
Love,
Jamie Garcia
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I am glad That I got to see you! Please bring me a Guitar and a skateboard and a laptop. Also please bring Peanut a new bed.
Love,
Allison M.
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want some Heelies, toy trucks, new books, a Power Ranger shirt and Power Ranger boots. I also need a new trampoline, a slide, and a new bike. And don't forget I want a new game. And that's all.
See You Later,
Anthony Suarez
1st Grade

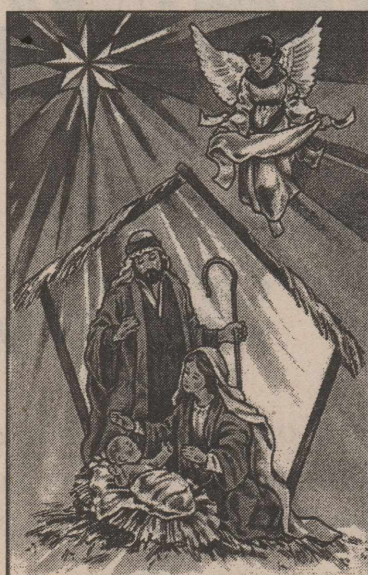
Dear Santa,
I have been a very good boy this year. For Christmas I would like a trampoline, heelies, Big truck, army toys, farm set, guns, and a glatbed pickup. If it's not too much trouble also a bouncy zebra for my little brother Logan. He's been pretty good too. We will leave milk and cookies for your snack.
Merry Christmas,
Ethan Smith
1st Grade



IN THE SPIRIT OF FRIENDSHIP

...we offer our very best wishes to you and yours this holiday season.

Ogden Auctioneers
Floydada



Behold His Glory and Rejoice!

May you be filled with the true spirit of Christmas—its peace, its joy, its love—and may the significance of that first holy Christmas be ever present in your heart.

We're sincerely grateful for your loyal patronage.

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In the True Spirit of Christmas

To wish you the Gift of Faith
The blessing of Hope
and the Peace of his love
at Christmas and Always

Scott Gin
John & Stacie Woelfel

Floydada 1st graders are making a list



Dear Santa,
I hope you and the reindeers are doing good! Are you and the elves working hard for Christmas? This year I would like an X-Box, A new Bike, Spinners, Power Ranger Mega Sword and helmet, Ninja Turtles. Oh, Thanks for our new Car!

Love,
Zachariah Gonzales
1st Grade

Para Santa,
esta navidad quiero estrar vien de sulut y quiero un pista de carros.

Gracias,
Pablo H. Mendoza
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
My name is Julian Duran I want to let you know all I want for Christmas. I want a X-box 360, a big truck, a bog, toy box in men, fun books, a bike bike.

Thank you,
Julian Duran
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
My name is Logan, I have tried to be good hope you think so I would like a spiderman computer a spiderman toy and a toy truck. Merry Christmas.

Love you Santa,
Logan
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a ipod. and I want my family to have a really good Christmas. I want my dog to have fun.

From,
Kylie
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
Are you doing good? I've been helping my mom cleanse you can come to my house. I would like for Christmas anything Hannah Montana, High School Musical or Cheetah Girls. Please bring my Brother a stuffed dog, my sister skull earrings and my Dad some good cologne. My Mom likes Starbucks. Be Careful.

Your friend,
Isabella Garcia
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
This christmas i would like a pair of healys and a computer i would like a wish Box and a ipod. my littl sister clarissa wants a Dolly and a purse and a Dora TV. thank you Santa

Love,
babe
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. For Christmas I would like WWE Wrestlers. Smack Down (vs) Raw 2008, and Power rangers.

Thanks,
Dylan Zavala
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want some heelies and Remote control cars, Chines fan, nerf Blaster Long Shot, Gun Case, Indian Head Band, base ball cards,

Love,
Monty
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a Rain Deer for Chrsmas and rial four my House and to bring me a Rial Rain Deer to flay in my House so I can have my present. Ok this is my only Drimg.

Alex torres
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas this year I want some Barbie dolls, Polly Pockets, a stuffed teddy bear, some swim toys, a sled, some jewelry, and play makeup. I have been good this year Santa.

Love,
Allison Orr
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a Vtech computer and a spiderman #3 game for my gameboy and spiderman #3 movie and something for my mom and Dad and sister and Brothers to.

Love,
Julian Alaniz
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I wota Leapster, Hischool Musical Barbie, Hillis, Seed Plaur, Bux, Kit, I bin a good grle thiser,

From,
Arianna
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want seven thing for Christmas. Movie, Teady Bear, Doll, ring, glasses, lipgloss, basketball.

Sincerely,
Tamera
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
for Christmas I want a Dog and lot of toys for me and my sister and for thers and for my family to have a good christmas.

Makaya
1st grade

Dear Santa,
I want a kitchen for christmas.
from,
Jacky Pancardo
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. I have been getting good grades and helping My Mommy and daddy at home. I would love for you to bring me an I dog and I dog bag for christmas.

Love,
Haley Sanchez
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
This is what I want for Christmas. A Motor Scooter, playstation3, make-up, Jewlery, and make my sister be nice to me please.

Love,
Kierra Henderson
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I have been good. Please bring me some toys and games. And something for my mom and granny. I Love you!

Alex Cisneros
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I want heleys for christmas and a laptop and a dog and a Dallas cowboys jacket and Raiders neckless and toy car and game boy and a ipod and a fire red virison.

Alexander
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like a 410 and a bike with a gas motor. Please bring me some new movies too.

Thank you Santa,
Everett Herrington
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a bike, watch, Texas Longhorns cap, and baseball glove.

From,
Angel Cervera
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I have been trying to be nice. Please bring me heelies, a bicycle and a harmonica. Also maybe a Barbie tent, a Barbie movie or a Barbie Princess house. I will leave you a candycane and milk.

I Love You,
Caitlin Bishop
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like a XboX, cars, shoes, and a football with a lot of preens. I would like some presents cause it will make me Happy and glad, so Please Santa give me some Presents. I Love You Santa.

Sincerely,
Avery Silva
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is for all my family to be well and be happy. I also wont you to bring me a big Toddy Bear and Rebelde Doll.

Samantha Maehado
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
I have been a very good girl this year. Please bring me a pink driving car. I will leave you some yummy cookies and milk. Please come soon!

Love,
Hannah M.
1st Grade

Dear Santa,
What I really really want for Christmas is Heelys. because most of my friends have heea's. and I want a Hannah Montana Movie and a Highschool Musical.

Love,
Margarita
1st Grade



In The Spirit Of The Season

Friendship. Loyalty. Support.
You've given us so much this past year and now we'd like to give you our thanks, along with our best wishes for a very gifted season.

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Floydada, TX
983-2251 - Mob. 983-1251 - Office 983-5812

Glad Tidings

As you take steps to enjoy this merry season of good cheer and good will, we'd like to express our best holiday wishes to all. Thanks so very much for your patronage.

Providence Farm Supply

Warm wishes...

For a season of peace, love and joy in every nation across the world.

FCS Federal Credit Union
Floydada

A Special Christmas Wish

Gift certificates available for facial, massage and nails.

We send our wishes for a wonderful Christmas to you and your family.

Ginger's Beauty Salon
208 S. Main, Floydada 983-3126

Glory to the Newborn King!

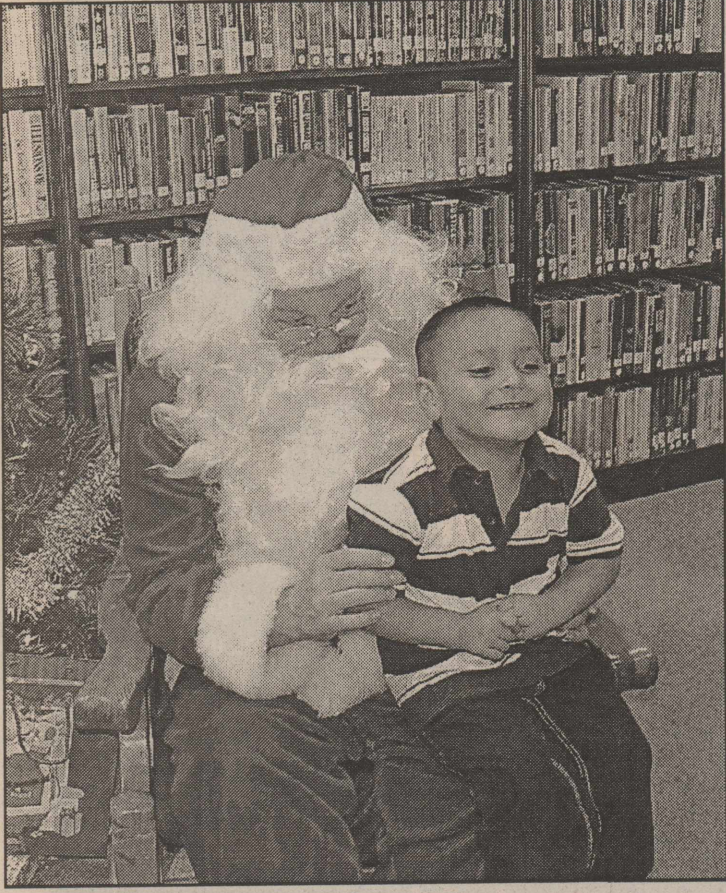
May you and the ones you cherish, enjoy all the many gifts this precious season has to offer. We really appreciate the gift of your friendship.

Lowe's
Pay-N-Save
Lockney
Frank Muniz
Manager

IN THE SPIRIT OF
Christmas

Celebrate the season with lots of love and good cheer. Best wishes and many thanks for your support.

WILBUR-ELLIS
803 S.E. Hwy. 70
Lockney



2nd grade ready for Santa

Dear Santa,
I wot a Brat Bat and Bay Brat Bol and a latap. I would like to have a Prs and bells and a nexes and a H-Bal and a Books to reb and a candkas.

**Your friend,
Danielle
2-A**

Dear Santa,
It's your old friend Alex Glass. This year I'm keeping my fingers crossed for a wii oh" by the canit come with four controllers and tow games wii sports and wii play also I would like a nerf dart gun it is called rapid fire twenty.

**Your friend,
Alex Glass
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want a x Box 360 with 5 game and Helleys and 7 Playstayshon and 6 games and a water bed and a club hous with a TV and a mineyfrig.

**Your friend,
Dorian
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want a game boy Advance and Heelys and if i be kind of good can i have a Spider-man Web Spinner.

**Your good friend,
Everett
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want to Peaks uv heelys and sum now dinosaurs one tearex and a snake and a rocketsip and guitar hero and a Dinosaurs Book and sum clothes.

**Your friend,
Alonzo
2-A**

Dear Santa,
i want a xBox 360 and i want a remote controle helicopter.

**Your friend,
Joseph Navarro
2-A**

Dear Santa,
360, Heelys, dog, paintbook gun, pet bull.

**Your friend,
Matt**

Dear Santa,
I want a Dallescowboys oufit. I wanta a hanna mataana wig. I want a tinker Bell wotch. I want a hanna motanna Book. I want a hanna motanna lunch box. I want a hanna motanna shurt. I want a dalles cowboys shose. I want hanna motanna chapsties. I want a DS. I want a hanna motanna color. I want a Dalles cowboys cover. I want a dalles cowboys and hanna motanna jaket.

**Your friend,
a Girl, Jarrah
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I would like 5 dollers for crismis.

**Your friend,
Mercedes Grerrero
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want wreselers ring with John Lena and ray musteryo and great cal lee and kano and under tacker and gurtar hero 3 and oomaga and a longhorne helmet and a jersey number 10.

**Your friend,
Ruben
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I would like two pars of heelys and a brain age and a phone also a for weeler a dog and a cat and a playstasein vidogame and a game boy and a peter built cow truck and a dirt bike a train set a hot wels bete that and a move called Santa clos the third and cars the move and a dallas coboy sute.

**Your friend,
Tyler Smith
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want a book and playcar and motclear I Hop we have a gchrismi and a wii isfunon chrismis.

**Your friend,
Ethan
2-A**

Dear Santa,
My broter want a college game for his play station. and my sister a Hanna Montana and oliver. And my Dad a new white suit for under the house. And my mom a ring. And I want a Missouri number 25. and a tony Romo shirt and a college game for my Nintendo.

**Your friend,
Jacob Chavarria
2-B**

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Merry Christmas to All

Merry Christmas

Merry Christmas

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Northwest of Lockney

More 2nd grade letters...

Dear Santa,
I want a hannah-montana doll with a stage and a back stage room and This is what I want for cristmas! Please.

**Your friend,
Lauren Hall
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I would like a peir of Heelys with one whill and a Hannah Mantana outfit and a Jacket like Lauren Hall. it si glitery?

**Your friend,
Jasmine Cuba
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want to get an wii for christmas and a gameboy. p.s

**Your friend,
Alex P.
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want a Hannah Montana topy with close and shoose and I want a nuther thing Hannah Montana wig Please Santa Clase.

**Your friend,
LeeJay
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I would like a pear of Heeles. I aliso want a brumb set, I wanta I pod to. I want a pear of clothes to, I want a paeer of spiners to.

**Your friend,
Stefanni Chavarria
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want a play stashin. I want a xbox 360 with niley whith will and a fon now show and some toys and a Blue simi with a now chraler with a Kpoier that have game.

**Your friend,
Seth
2-B**

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a gameboy and playhouse. Or a Hanna Montana outfit. Or Heeleyys with two wheels. And maybe a cellphone. And a Brats Laptop with a mouse. And a Hanna Montana Stage with a dressingroom. A. hairstyler. A small bear melhine. And a Hanna Montana wig. And a Hanna Montana guitar. Can you please send me things!

**Your friend,
Amanda Hernandez
2-A**

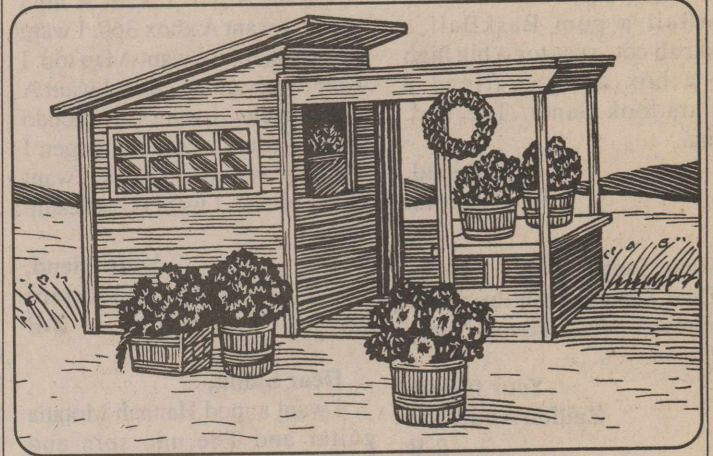
Dear Santa,
I want some Hells and a Barby and LiPlos and Chap stik and I want a floydada alfit and a Longhorn alfit and a hana montana seady and I want a big tv and a chrismis tree and some toys and I want charleats web and I want a hanamontana wig and a stage and I want a ril Bratz move and I want s ome close that is Pritty and some pants and Pritty Boots and some macob.

**Your friend,
Brittany, a girl
2-A**

Dear Santa,
I want a long shoot nerf gun and a Jonny 20 and a PSP to my PSP I want games to my PSP.

**Your friend,
Jaiden
2-A**

Bushels Of Thanks!

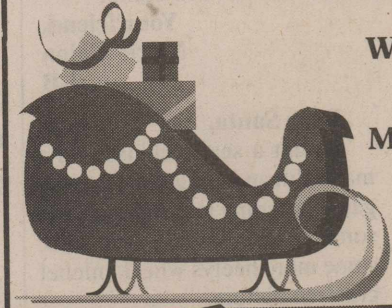


We wish all our neighbors and friends a joyous holiday season. We're very grateful for your valued business.

Darty Gin

Dougherty

CHRISTMAS HOPE IT'S UPLIFTING



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Johnson
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HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

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Barwise Gin
Scott & Dawna Hilburn

2nd grade 'Winds put it down on paper

Dear Santa,
I want a psp, a xbox a bike a footBall a gam BaskBall a Baskball cot. a car toy a big high car a box a toy a friend a dollars. look Santa. The end. Santa.

**Your friend,
Jordan
2-B**

Dear Santa,
Dear Santa, I wish for a little motorcycle and a laptop please and thank you.

**Your friend,
Zaiden Anderson
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a iPod so I can listen t mussia I want a Bratz cd I want High School musical cd.

**Your friend,
Mariana Olivera
2-C**

Dear Santa,
i've Been waiting for Christmas so here are the things i want a dreamhouse high school musical 2 computer the Bee movie.

**Your friend,
Brittney flores
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I would like a laptop and a Free razr and a ipod and a MP3 and a computer and clothes and i wish i was smart and i wish it snowed here a lot at Floydada and I wish are house ws prity and i wish my little club house had lechshide and i want the High School Musicle Move.

**Your friend,
Ricardo Castillo
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a I Pod an a nintendo D.S. and also I want a laptop and a phone. how are you doing There. Thank you for Bringing me my Bike last year. I still have it here at my house and I want a wii and want a Brats Diamonds computer and a Hight School Musicel. Thank you.

**Your friend,
Caitlynn Beth Sanchez
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want A wii. I want A mp3 player. I want A xbox 360. I want A Play Statoin. I want A lap top. I want A new game cube. I want A four-wheeler. I want A Nintendo game. I want an Alltel charger. I want 3 playstation games. I want A razr phone. I want A battleship game.

**Your friend,
Robert Jon Segura
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a ipod Hannah Motana guitar and The uno spin and Morttal kombat gameboy. my sister want a The Doolak Bops Movie a hugs lif movie a scooter with traing wheels.

**Your friend,
Liluana Baeza and
Mariana Barza
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I would like a power rangers set and a new superman toy and a batman toy and a texas ranger badge and a soldier toy set and a football.

**Your friend,
Caleb Miller
2-B**

Dear Santa,
Santa can you buy me a guitar hero III. I believe in Santo.

**Your friend,
Mario Colon
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a seal webkiss and a mandolin and DS game Hunting game hunting gun shot gun and some 13 dits for it guitar hero. some more heelys wheel. michel crabtree picture.

**Your friend,
Robert Nixon
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I would lik a ipod and a playstation and a monster truranda a ptopando guitar and a heelys and a general Lee.

**Your friend,
Hunter Smith
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I would like a wii and a playstation 3 and a game cube game and som media mondsandas and a razr and a iphon and a D.S. game and a goldblok.

**Your friend,
Connor Sims
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a will and a Bratz Diamonds computer and a x box 360 and a Bratz Badyz and a polar express movie. and I am going to make you some cookies and heelys shoe and thank you santa.

**Your friend,
Marissa Volk
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a transformer of Timusprime toy. I want a may flower boat toy.

**Your friend,
Roldordo
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a cell phone and a cell phone and a DS and a mp3 player and a laptop. And I want a razr and a wii a ipod and guitarhero III. and I want a Hannah Montanah CD and a High Scool Musical CD. American girl doll. And I want a high scool musical movie and a hannah montanah movie. And I want new heelys with the big H and some flowers on it. I wanta Venesa doll from high scool musical. I want a Troy doll from high scool musical. And I want a Sharpy doll from high scool musical. I want a Ryan doll from high scool musical. Thank you Santa.

**Your friend,
Lexi Molinar
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want for christmas heelys, four-whee, laptop, ipod.

**Your friend,
Dora Cervera
2-B**

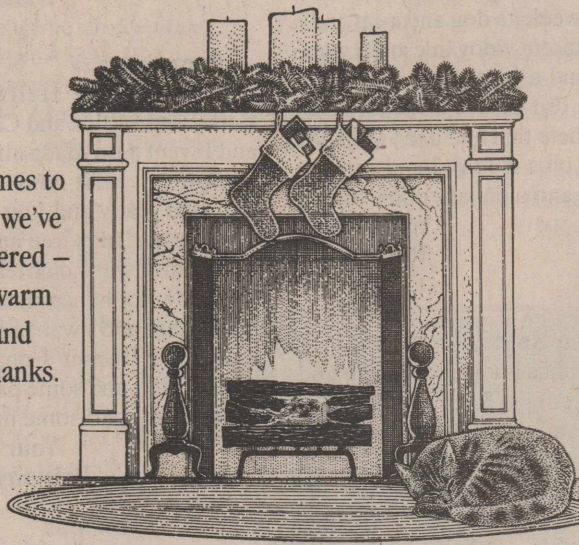
Deck the Halls



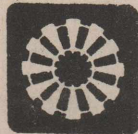
Deck the halls with joy for the most wonderful season of all! May the happiness last all year through!

**Davis Lumber
Lockney**

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS From Our Hearth To Yours



When it comes to Christmas, we've got you covered - with our warm wishes and heartfelt thanks.

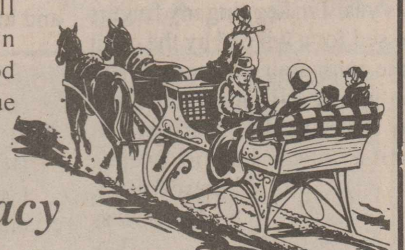


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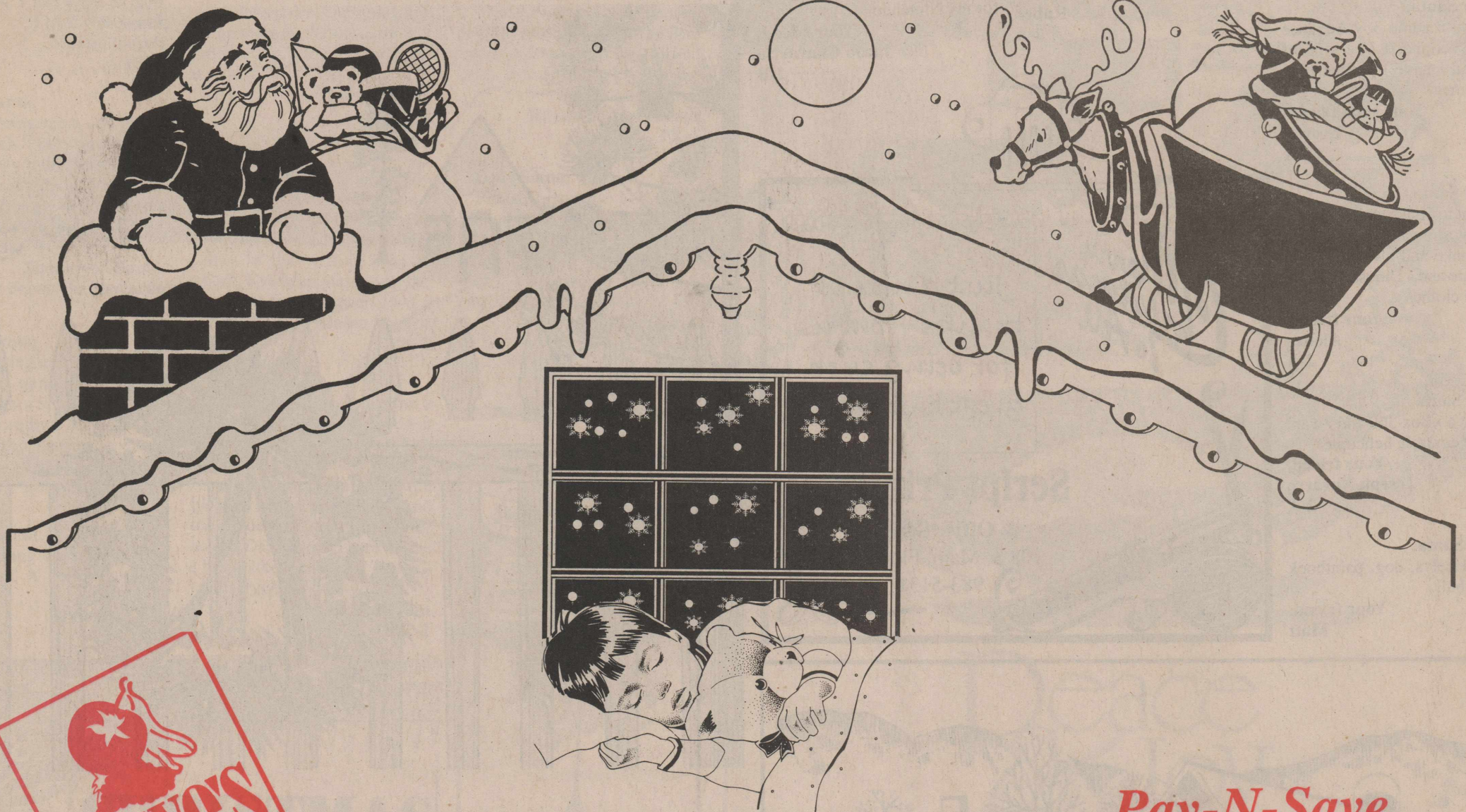


There's Nothing In The World Like Christmas In The Country

And we couldn't be happier than to share it with such wonderful people. To all of you we wish a season filled with warm fires, good friends, and dreams come true



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Just in the nick of time, we'd like to deliver our message of warmth and gratitude to our many good customers and friends. We really appreciate you dropping by this past year.

2nd graders love Santa and his reindeer

Dear Santa,
can you come in my door house. cause I don't got no chimney and can you send me a play station for christmas and a dog for christmas and can you send me a note about all of the other reandeers that you have like Rodolph and Vxen and all the other reandeers. and can you get me a psp for christmas.

**Your friend,
Jacob Luna
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want a american Girl Doll that is named nicki and Jackson and a DS please.

**Your friend,
Makenzi Graham
2-B**



Dear Santa,
For christmas i whant a ipod that has music and games and you can send messages to your Friends And to parents when there to Lubbock or plainview. And a ipod that has moves a lot of moves. And i whant a Hight School musicl moves. And a hannah montanah move. And some orange and white yellow heelys.

**Your friend,
Brianna
2-B**

Dear Santa,
for christmas I would like a wii and a ipod and I want a Dell comper and a Pink razr phone and I want kit and a MP4 plaer and new shoes and guitar hero and that's all.

**Your friend,
Kortney Campbell
2-B**

Dear Santa,
I want heely's for christmas and Toys trucks cars vans trailers.

**Your friend,
Refugio Torres
2-C**

Dear Santa,
I want a GameBoy and a GameBoy Game of footBall and a Bascktball and a BaseBall and a Mario Game 3 and a wii!

**Your friend,
Daniel Cervera
2-C**

Dear Santa,
I want a MP3 Player and a ipod and a chida girl 2 song and a dogs and a cats and a intedo deas.

**Your friend,
Destans Rosales
2-C**



Dear Santa,
I want a real leptop that comes with Badderreyo Fake nails. I do not want your elfs to work hard because I Love you and your elf.

**Your friend,
Sierra Perez
2-C**

Dear Santa,
I am going to like the toys That you are going to give mi. Santo me or my brother and my mom are making cookies.

**Your friend,
Jeremiah Johnston
2-C**

Dear Santa,
I wanta wii With a WWe smakdamnvs. Raw 2008 Feshring Ecwadxtoyo a Bumble toy a times prim toy Jax toy i pot. i want a baby toy for my baby bother.

**Your friend,
Alex Sanchez
2-C**



With Warm Holiday Greetings

At this special time of year we want to thank our friends and wish them all the joy and peace of an old-fashioned Christmas.

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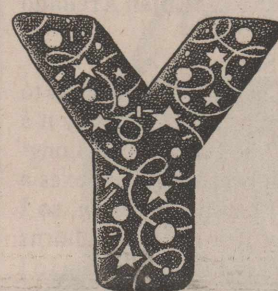
**Peace
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...Spread It Around This Holiday Season!



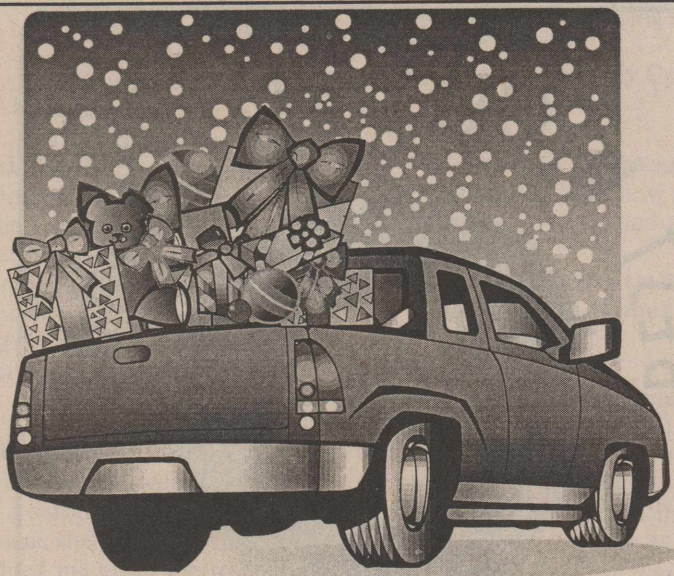
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Maybe cars will see you better if you turn the lights on!
And, do you always have to have that "Deer in the Headlights" look?

**Merry Christmas
Quality Body Shop**

Share of the Faith

*For unto us a child is born,
unto us a son is given: and the
government shall be upon his
shoulder: and his name shall be
called Wonderful, Counsellor,
The mighty God,
The everlasting Father,
The Prince of Peace
Isaiah 9:6*

*We're proud to join you and
your family in sharing the
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Floydada 2nd grade leaving milk and cookies

Dear Santa,
I want toy Horses and polly pocket's and Brabie's and Matal's Horses and i ego's and the wii game wii play acerecraeay setum high school Moseetak 12th Move and a creing book and 48 box of crayons and the santa claus 3 the exckko clous and i pod and the game Horses for gameboy and the game dogs for gameBoy.

Your friend,
Rachel Graham
2-C

Dear Santa,
I want DX sart. a Big nra Foot Ball. a wii, a Big stuff rusller. I want a Rvd, I want a Big TV.

Your friend,
Chris Emert
2-C

Dear Santa,
I want a toy dog and a bear, and a iPod and a snow gloves. I want 2 o them.

Your friend,
Kimberly Rios
2-C

Dear Santa,
I allways Love Chrimes and I want a rill lapptop and a Doll House and a Noow House.

Your friend,
Zayda Juarez
2-C

Dear Santa,
what I want for Chismes is a Dog. Cat, a new house, and a Candy.

Your friend,
Cristina Olvera
2-C

Dear Santa,
I would like a gameboy. and a car for me. and a 4 weler. and a Baby alai. and a n.p.3 player and a wii.

Your friend,
Cassandra Cervera
2-C

Dear Santa,
Hello, Santa! I've been wanting to meet your elfs, reindeer and Mrs. Clase too! So. I gess I want a skateboard ramp, skateboard and lots of other stuff like Heelys, toy trucks and, toy Hotweels, lete see. Hummm? Some gameboy games! You now the usally! Oh and some magic tree house books a most all of them. Okay? Merry Christmas!

Your friend,
Dusty Prisk
2-C

Dear Santa,
I want a toy house. I want heely's. I want a toy raindeer. I want a doll. I want a wii.

Your friend,
Destiny Marmolejo
2-C

Dear Santa,
I want a Duck call and three gees calls. and Tow Dear calls and some hunting coles whith a houd and some gackits.

Your friend,
Kaleb Dylan Whittle
2-C

Dear Santa,
I want you to give me a laptop to me and my brothers and sisters and my dad and mom and my family.

Your friend,
Gerardo Sanchez
2-B

Hey Santa we want Hannah

Dear Santa,
Smackdown vs Row 2008 psp so i can play it on the road, drum set so i can play it I want an electric guitar please

James Ponce

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for an I-pod and make it pink and can you give me a wii with 5 controls with the game i want Bartz Hanana Montana a eneirta for my compotr oh and also give me good movies. and pire my eyers and don't make it hart and make my ererrings pink. Oh and marrry christmas.

Snilyeyi Karina

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for a password journal pasoff and a boy and girl baby alive and a Bratz faripieke movie and a Haina montan doll and a Gabrela doll and a troy doll and a Bratz sell phone and allso a sharpay doll and monik doll and korben blue doll and i want all of this things because i am a good gril.

Thank-you Santa,
Micaela Jonsogura Lujan

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy this year I would like a new game for my play station 2 and a black i pod and some new shoes also I would like some new pants and a wii and a controlor with it also I would like a wwe 2008 smackdown vs. Raw game with the wii. Merry Christmas to Santa and people all over the world. thank you for the gifts.

Love, Alfonzo

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for a Amarian doll because she is like a Real doll. I would like a cell phone and a Gabreela doll. I would like a Flat Screen T.V.

Sencirely,
Valerie Espinoza

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for a bratz because I like bratz and I want a baby doll and a stroller and a brat that you could tack a picture and a wii to play and want a computer and some games with it and want a game boy and want some cloths and some pants and an x box and new shos and a tellfone and 5 baby Bratz.

By Damaris Mendoza

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for a cell phone Just for emergencies only and a laptop to play games, and a Hannah Montanah wig to play with. I want those Hannah Montanah CDs. I want an entendo DS for when I travel somewhere. I also want a lot of books that tell things from all over the world. I want a book all about space. I also want a lot of books to read. I want a puppy a little baby puppy that never dies just like Sparkey my old dog.

Sencerly,
Ashton Taylor Aciono

Dear Santa,
This year I want a Hamster, eletic guitar, a new Bike. A, pistol. Fly tech dragon fly, a new lunch box, a wii.

Sicerely,
Jaden Green

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for a xbox 360. Pse, modersikel, PS3, intindole wii, game boy a cowboys helmets.

Elijah Arellano

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for a: psp, so I can play it a xbox 360, so I can play it a Long-horn flag because I like Texas a PS3 so I can play it a wii, so I can play it a teaxs longhorns clock so I can tell time a pug so I can have a dog a bb gun so I can play guns a cowboys helmet so I can wear it some books so I can read a new binder so I can take to school a paintball gun so I can play a snake for to feed and a cellpone.

by Jesse Segura

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ast for a new book called soraven chapter book why i won't it becuse my sister has one like this.

Sonia Gonzales

Dear Santa,
this Christmas I have ben a good boy thi yar. I want a pickup that is a duley pickup that is like a Jeep but it has a traler that can hall a lot of duirt in it and I want a toy truck that can hall dirt too and I want a pilfer of you and a trom.

Your buddy,
Avery

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for a coloring book and a sellphone and a mp3 player and a Wii and a computer and a braz toy. and a lot of book another shirt of Texas Tech and a lap top.

from Briana

Dear Santa,
I want a XBoX 360 and a PSP and a game and a new bike and a BB gun and a LongHorn football and a sign that says only Parking for Longhorn fans only and a movie When the long Horns went to the rose Ball and Merry Christmas Santa.

from Esteban Lerma

Dear Santa,
I would like a eltric gitar and a foot ball. I would also like a bike and some legos. A BB gun scope and bb's. Thank you Santa.

Love Emery Herrington

Dear Santa,
I love Christmas do you? I want a Nintindo DS with games. Why because they're fun. Also I would like some movies. And CD's because I love singing. And a little Christmas tree. And a pink digite camera. Pollys. A big big barbie House. And a new CD Player with a microphone. Cary oky CD's to. Also a big art set. And computer games. Thank you so much Santa Claus.

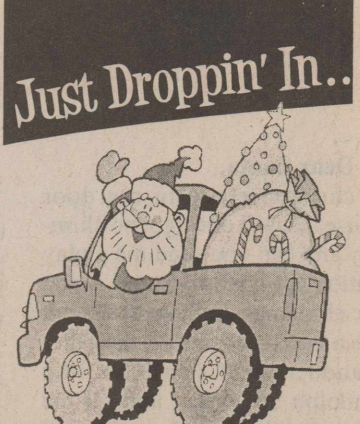
Love,
Brooke Galvan

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ast for a tellscope why because I want to suor the stars, Amercan girl doll why because I love dolls, lap top why I can take it back and forth to my moms and dads. Puppy, why so I can have someone to play with, bookes of enny kind why so I can read read read, ect guitar whe so I can rock and roll, Pull with diriffernt sids why so I can play with my frinds.

Love Karley Weems

Dear Santa,
All i want from Santa is a new phone and a new game that's called Sponge Bob and a dragon Ball z. I want a toy i want a toy truck. P.S. I also want a new game called spider-man friend or foe.

Your fiend, Michael Gonzalez



Drop by our place this season for holiday cheer.

Raceway Fuels
Lockney

BEST WISHES ALL AROUND

No matter what the occasion, good friends always come in handy. At this very special time of year, we thank you all for being ours.

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Catch The Spirit Of The Season!

What better time than now to renew our faith in the Lord and in good people like you!

Merry Christmas and heartfelt thanks.

McCoy Gin
983-3087

3rd grade Whirlwinds looking for laptops and video games

Dear Santa,
I want a real laptop With lots of games on it. I want it because all of my brothers have one and I do not have one. And I also would like something for my brothers. My brother David wants a guitar Hero. My brother Adam want a guitar Hero too. My little brother Alejandro want toy cars and my other brother Andrez wants toy cars too. Can you give my mom Diet Dr. peppers and my dad a orange mustang. We love you Santa.

Sincerely
Angela Suarez

Dear Santa,
I am sorry if I messed up your name or any other thing. First of all Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. This year I want a scate bord and elebow pads, nee pads, hand guards, and a helmet. Also I kneed tennis shoes. And a dream life. and dream life super-star. Desin star.

From Kaylee Morren

Dear Santa,
This Christmas I would like to ask for....a IPod, a laptop, and a nintendo D.S., American doll, and a car rea, and a real puppy, and a hannah montana back pack, Bratz kit, hannah montana T.V, and a Dallas cowboy shirt, all of this is what i want cause I don't get this stuff so I want this.

From, Rosary

Dear Santa,
Would you give my Littel sister a barbey house with Barbey's because she has been so nice she helped me clean the trash, and santa I want healys, and wii game, playstahan 2 games pleas. for my midel sister pring her makup. I know she has been bad, and my big sister get her a computer that hers. My biggest brother get him a x-box 360 and a game boy and game cube. my mom get her a new house for all of us My dad a new car, and a new TV. pleac santa they a been niec but som of us have been mean. how are you and misses clues and the raindeer and elfs. but santa plec can all the children. plece santa. I live by the arce anroc and donat sop in a Bich houses.

David Moreno

Dear Santa,
I want som new socks and the reson I wan't som is because I lost my socks thank you. I wan't some new shows thir pink and black and thire tenys and thir like slipon shows thank you Santa I want som new clothes like diferent clothes thank you Santa. I want a new sede player thank you Santa.

Brreka

Dear Santa,
a elechric gatar so I can Be loud. and a texas tech jersy. and a Dallas cowboys jersy coase I like those teams. and a bike so I can Ride around and more clothes. and a texas tech oidgraph football and a Dallas coboys one.

Love Mark McGowen

Dear Santa,
I wan't Heleys. I wan't a scatbard. I wan't cleacks. and I wan't drumes and a getar and a t for the fottball and I wan't a buldog. and a Petbul. and i wan't new pants. I wan't a new Bike. and a new expodishon. and a new houes. and a exbox360. and I wan't waits and a belt and my own cumputer and laptop and a wach.

Miguel Pena

Dear Santa,
All I want for Christmas is a pool table, air hockey, ping pong to play with my cousin, a football game on Playstation 2.

Love, Joe Johnston

Dear Santa,
Can I please have any kind of small puppy. And some bows and a shirt and a jacket. And also a Zebru carring bag that is all I want for Christmas. And by the way how is Mrs. Clues doing and how are the rain deer.

Love, Kennedy Coon

Dear Santa,
I would like an I Pod because I lost my mix stick. And how are you and Mrs. Clause and the raindeere.

Sincearly Brayden Campbell

Dear Santa,
I would like a pair of heileys Because everyone has them. I could ride them a school. I like the one that are blue and white. And I don't want traners that have 3 weels. And how is Mrs. Clause, are teh elfs doing good? This year I will leave cookies, milk, oats, and carrots. I would also like you to give my sister black and pink heileys. p.s. My mom has been good all year.

Love, Mattisun Kelly Hester

Dear Santa,
I want a four wheeler because it is fun to ride. and i want a phone so incase i have a emergency. and a hot wheel. oh santa i was wondering how are the reindeer doing? I will leave milk and cookies for you. and i want a goatcar so i can have fun taking my dad's lunch to him.

Max Nunez

Dear Santa,
i been bad this year because i did not lisen to my mom so can you forgive me for the bad things i did how are your raindeers so how is coumet Santa Can you give me a rom with teacher suff pleas and a little puppy but a brown and black one i want 2 the ones that i put and i want a sell phone were you can tex a people my little want a little bibe and i want heeles.

Nahomi Cuba

3C Dear Santa,
I want a ipod and gloves, hat, and score and toe socks and pants and pencils, gripers, erasers, and shapener and wach, games, neckless and bracslets some head bans thats all.

from Jade Deochoa

Dear Santa,
For Chrismas I would like a Nintendo DS because everybody has them. I want mine white please. Santa claus do the reindeer get tired while flying? And I'd also want a puppy a golden retriever. How is everything in the North Pole? I would also like some books and board games. Thank you for the bike last year. Will it snow on chrismas?

Sincerly,
Chassidy Sanchez

Dear Santa,
for Christmas i want 2 pear of Hilleys and some texes Tech stuff and some makeup Thats it and santa can you give my teacher Mrs. Jonier and my brothers because hey been good this year.

By, Brooklyn Smith

Dear Santa,
I want a pack of cards becuse everone in my famly has cards and skats because my brother has some and some shine shose are you real is Rodalf There is he real.

Matthew Mendez

Dear Santa,
I want a xBox 360 and a skateboard and a CD of rootor The red nose raindeer and a doll for my mom and 60 book. P.S. Say hi to the elvs for me.

From, Lewis Alaniz



Home for the Holidays!

May the warmth and joy of Christmas fill your home this season. We appreciate your patronage. You're always welcome at our door.

Payne Family Pharmacy

200 S. Main, Floydada
983-5111

Dear Santa,
I really want a golden rechiever just let me and my little brother Kelton. And I want some heeelys cause every one gots on and I don't so can you. And I want a remote controle airplane cause I've ben asking for it almost every year. And I want to give my little brother kelton a little computer like that helps him with his word cause he's in kinder. I want a air hoop thing and a whore that flies. P.S. Are you real.

from Casey Cage

Dear Santa,
I would like a....girls crush iteam, cloths, shoes, accesories, snow globes, pencils, erasers, Diary, Snow Boots, new Bike, Laptop, Make up, hannah Montana Guitar, happy Chrismas.

Alyssa Vega

Dear Santa,
I hope you come to Floydada. I wish you can give me the whole collection of the Magic Tree House books a binder with black and a calcauater. And all the black lagoon books 2 note booke with 120 pages chalk board with chalk xbox, laptop, xbox 360, globe, dictionary, wii, ps1, ps2, ps3, and a alarm clock! P.S. I think you are so awesome. I wish it was always Chrismas.

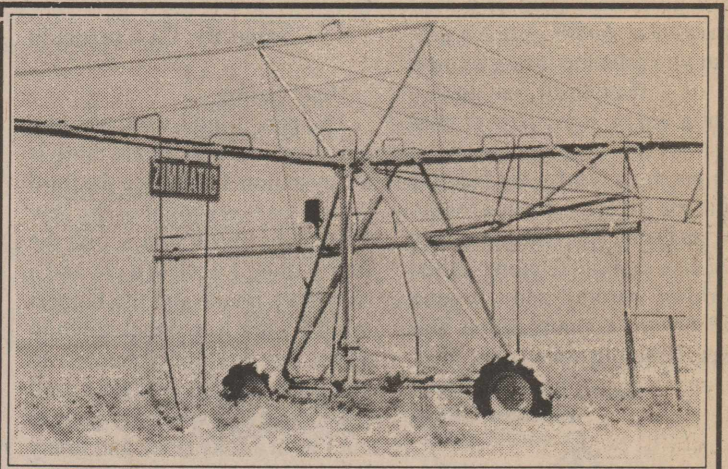
Love, Sammy Segura

Dear Santa,
For Chrismas I would like a telescope. and new chair for my desk. Also I would like a digital camra and a new bed spead with dots. Thank you. P.S. Thanks for of the presents last year.

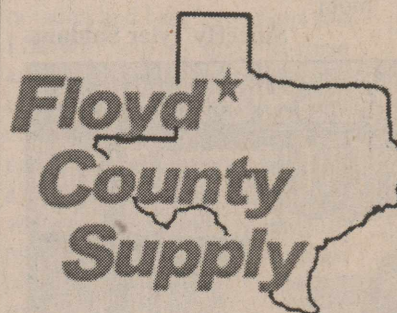
Your friend,
Macee Brotherton

Dear Santa,
how are you. How are your raindeers. would you please give me some heeelys for Chrismas and a baby alive, and a coat.

Sincerly, Chasity Cantrell



Irrigation Equipment



720 S. Main, Lockney

Merry Christmas!
Lindan & D'Lyn Morris, Owners

Henry Segovia
Tire Manager

Peace, Good Will Toward Men



May the light that came into the world on that first Christmas continue to shine in

Producer's Cooperative

Floydada **Elevator & Fuel** Dougherty

God rest ye, merry friends
And bless you in all the days ahead!
Happy Holidays!



Goen & Goen
Floydada

Kyle Smith, Pam Bennett, Pat Franklin, Gail DuBois, Jana Borchardt, Rebecca Moore & Greg Goen

Jesus is the Reason for the Season



Christmas is... glad surprises, candlelight, children's faces smiling bright, home and friendship, love and mirth, happy memories... peace on earth.

Merry Christmas from our families to yours.

Dr. Gary & Brenda Mangold

Dr. Kevin & Victory Stewart

Dr. Jamie & Cheryl Cox

Dr. Kevin & Michealle Stennett

Dr. Sharie & Sam Moore

3rd graders say they're on the nice list

Dear Santa,
I want to get everything that I want for chirmis. I want a xbox 360 Heelys TV. chokbordr and pupey.

Carson Turner

Dear Santa,
I want a PSP if you can't give me it give me a IPod or a Mp3 player of a shuffle. I don't care what you give me just give me a DS or a Gameboy but most I want a wii or some new clothes or shoes and a nintendo and if you get me a wii I want Hannah Montana for my sister and for everyone I want carnival games and I want a computer game called World of Warcraft and if I get a PSP I want a game called Star Wars. Tell your wife I said hi.

Sincerely,
Hayden Oakes



Dear Santa,
I want a steel cage ring, Randy Orten, The Great Kbal. an xbox 360 game, Triple H, Shawn Michaels, computer, Tony Romo, Jason Witon, Damarcus Ware, Patrick Crayton, King Booker, Dallas Cowboy blanket, Oklahoma pillow, Toy Motorcycle, Spongebob toy, Game boy, Game Q.

Sincerely, CJ Coronado

Dear Santa,
The first thing I want is a hug from you and the second thing is a playstation 3 and a psp the third thing I want is a night of the new Magicians Book and a ps2 the fourth thing I want is a car and a two more books and the biggest thing I want is a smackdown to and a raw toy, and Johncena to and 619 and horsewoggle to and a still cage to go with my guys to but I want a Joke Book and funny Book and a Captain underpants Book and a Treehouse Book to and a lot of bling bling and some of new Books and a car for my mom.

Sincerely Tyler Saldana

Dear Santa,
my name is Josh isidro Guzman and I go to third grade. I want a low Rider bike and Heelys and a ipod and a big toy robot and a dinosar robot toy and a good wrench 95 and all. The ninja turtles movies and all the Junie B. Jones book and all the Simpsons movies and all the Harry Potter movies and Dinosaurs and all the lilo and stitch movies.

Love your best friend,
Josh Guzman



Dear Santa,
Would you please give me a Hanah Montana ring and a necles of Hanah Montana and also some stuff of High School musical like a toy of it or a braslet of High School musical and also a ring of High School musical also a necles and a Hanah Motena braslet and some cloas and shose and stuff.

From, Jazmin Casares

Dear Santa,
Can I have a toy horse, a toy unicorn whith is wings and a barn for it with a horn, a toy doll, a toy dog, a toy truck, and a toy bee. I hope you have a Merry Chrismis Santa. We will leave raindeer fod out for your raindeer.

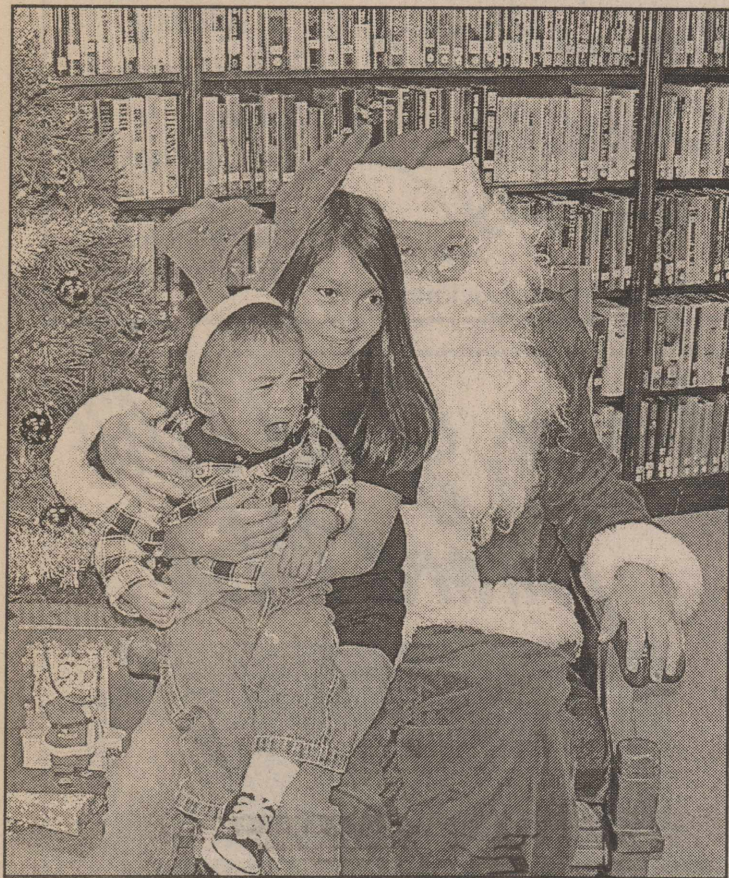
Kailee Jackson

Dear Santa,
Can you please bring me a vedio camera and some vedios for it. and my brother a plaizma screen tv. he Has been a really good boy this year. and can you please bring my mom and dad a screen t.v. for my mom and dad's room and for my sister she wants a camera. and can you please give Taylor a baby alive. and my cousin Roxanne wan'ts a baby alive. my and my sister want a vidio player. for our room. and can you bring marcee a puppy she has been a good girl. Chasity want's Hilleys and a baby alive and I want Hilleys. I have allso been a good girl. Kailee want's a Toy hours. and I also want a camera.

Sincerely, Selena Espinoza

Dear Santa,
I want a i pod and the game rock band and I also want a xbox 360 and a psp and a ps3 and I want Books to read and I want a computer so I can check on my space and I want a lap Top and games to play on my xbox 360 and ps3 and when I get 16 I want a car and I want a realy guitar and I want all of the guitar hero games and a fake guatar for my game and I want a Diego toy for my brother and I want a Dora toy for my 2 sisters. and tell your wife I said hi.

From, Albert Dehoyas



Lockney 1st grade makes a list for Santa

Dear Santa,
I would like a Bratz laptop and a digital camera. I've been very good. P.S. I will leave cookies and milk.

Reagan Leah Nuncio
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I wish I had a psp and psp game. I wish I had a four wheeler to.

Love,
Bryson Clyde Walker
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I am 6 years old. I would love to get a remote control car from the fast and the furious and a 18 wheeler toy and for my family to be together on the holidays.

Daniel Palomin
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a yoyo for Christmas. Dear Santa, I like you. Dear Santa, I want a Game boy. Please may I have a lunch box.

Austin Ledesma
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a barbie, a baby doll and a bratz doll.

Love,
Isabel Jimenez
First Grade

Dear Santa,
How is the North Poll Santa? How is Miss Closs? How is Roodof? Can you give me macupe and a brat doll?

Mia Perales
First Grade

'Horns have been good

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like a Brat Doll. I like a talking parrot.

Litzzy Reyes
First Grade

Dear Santa,
My wish this year for Christmas is. I wish that you could bring me a play station and games. Thats all I ask. Thank you Santa.

Julian Medellin, Jr.
First Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I want a Power Rangers Transformer and I want an skate board for my older brother.

Pedro Pacheco
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a aircraft carrier.

Bryson Hallmark
First Grade

Dear Santa,
For Christmas I would like an X Box. Smack Down-v-raw 2008. Wrestling ring.

Robert Idrogo
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I want a motorcycle and a princess Barbie and a bear for boots.

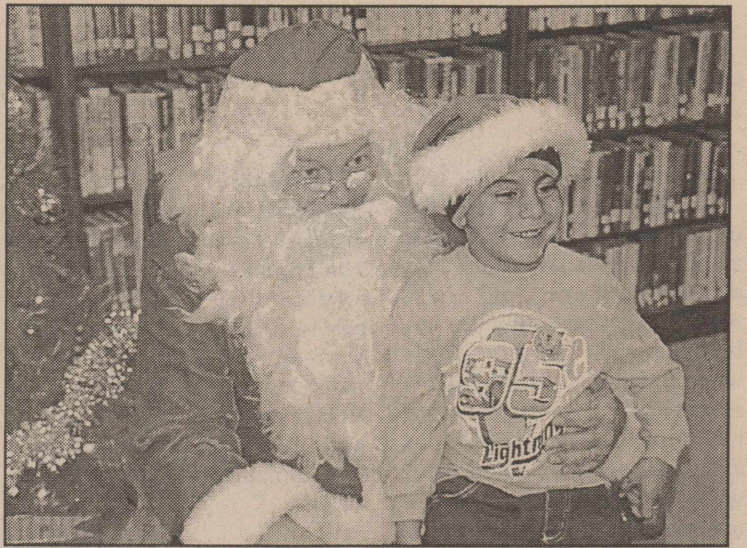
Love,
Miranda Fry
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I would like to get a football an a remote control jeep. Thank you.

Joshua Ray Pena
First Grade

Dear Santa,
I was a good gril this year. I won't a bike weth threle well. and High school musical.

Mia Rodriguez
First Grade



Best Wishes and many thanks!

Celebrating over ten years of local service, and we couldn't have done it without your support!

Hospice Hands of West Texas

305 N. Main - Lockney
806-652-3000



HOLIDAY GREETINGS

It's our favorite time of the year, when we pause to thank our many good friends in the area for making business easy to do around these parts. Have a happy and healthy season!

Garcia's OK Tire Store's

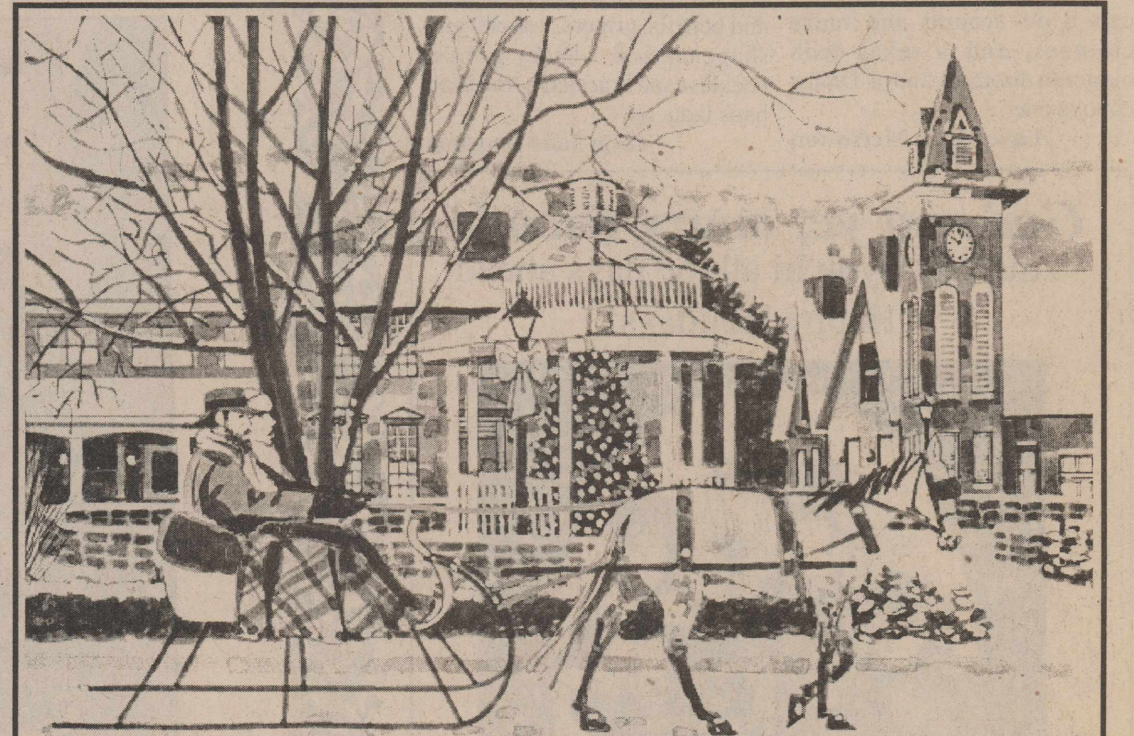
Floydada & Olton

Kaleidoscope Elves have been working hard all year long producing your personalized gifts, teamware, corporate wear and promotional wear. We take this special time to thank you for allowing us the opportunity to serve you and we would appreciate your continued patronage as we begin our tenth year.

Kaleidoscope

Embroidery & Screen Printing
110 S. Main St. - Lockney

Owners-Mike & Ginger Mathis
Associates-Melissa Kunselman
Whitney Gardenhire



With Heartfelt Thanks At Christmas

The best part of any journey is the people you meet along the way, and we're pleased to say, we've never met a better bunch of folks than you. Thanks for making the trip worthwhile. Merry Christmas!

Probasco

Flying Service

Lockney 2nd graders want to know if Rudolf is "rill"

Dear Santa,
How are you? What I want for Christmas from you. Is a Wii. I would also like some clothes for my pet Salamanders and their babies some clothes.

Love,
Ryder Race
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
Is Rudolph rill? Dear Santa can you buy me a game bord? Please buy me a toy deer. Can you buy me a resley?

Love,
John Cleto
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph and the other reindeers doing. Is Rudolph real. What I want for Christmas is a Wii and an I pod and a psp and a toy John ace na and a toy Rey musteo and some legoes and xbox 360 and I want a for wheeler and I want a dirt bike. and I want a play stashion 3 and a gurtar hero and I want something for my baby brother.

Love,
Efren Nunez
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are Mrs. Claus doing and the raindeer doing but I want a white baby puppy.

Love,
Juan
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are your reindeer. I have been rilly good. I want an angel and my sister she wans a dichl camra and I want a bike that has black weels and my bruther wans a rase car for Christmas I want a puppy for Christmas and I want a Christmas bell for Christmas.

Love,
Marissa Montoya
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you Santa and your wife and Rudolph. I been good this year so you can come to my house. O yeah, I forgot I wat it call girl crash it like you sterate it make your eny coler and a laptop and a picr you can tipe to eny one and I what a real horse and I what a real cellphone and the coler of it I it coler to be red and black.

Love,
Sarah Keyser
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you doing in the Noth pole good I bet tell the elves that I said hi and the reindeer to. My bd was on December the 3rd Ive been a little nodde but can you stop by my house I got reindeer food I for got to tell you that I am eighth now Just like my friend Sara. Sara's gots reindeer food to so do not for get to stop by her house to I got a cake it was good. I what a rell laser phone that is red black and white.

Love,
Maria Alonzo
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Clause I hope she has been makeing Gingerbreadmen for you I hope they are good. My mom made sum they wer good. how is Rudolph I hope he is good. May Dad was good he was veryvery good. I was good veryvery good. I what a ditbike and a pet lizard.

Love,
Austen
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you How are the reiedeer Wen is Christmas How is Rudolph How is your Wife is She OK Are you OK too When are you comeing I made some cookies for you and your Wife I hope you are OK over here how old are you happy holidays I live in Lockney my sister want Brazt pixes.

Love,
Ricky Cuellar
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you dooing I hope you are Still good I have been reilly good this is wait I want. a new born puppy I hope it is a girl and I want a baby alive this is wiat my mom wants She wiaints a flat sren TV and a new cnvtil car that is red and good grads in shcool and to see my dad and I want a new pear of pants I waer a 7 slim and a new pear of shoes I waer a 13 I want a pear of glasses I have to wear rading glasses and a neckless ring and a braslit.

Love,
Samantha Catlett
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are is your very cute reindeer and you? I have been rely good. I want a toy Rudolph and a toy ferrete and a skateboard and a Webekenz black Frie dasher and I rely rely rely want a computer.

Love,
Allyson Louise Young
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph? How is the North Pole? I want a I pod and a xbox 360 a phone and a laptop for my mom a Angel for my Dad a new dvd player, for my babby sister a Talking Dora.

Love,
C.J. Perales
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you and i been so good so i would like a bage puppy that was just born and i Would like i am me it is and for my sister money. And for my dad a new car that is an Espoolad and for me a lap top and a i pod and a Braz Baby doll and a Baby alive and a miny Baby alive and do you still have those my size anny and ann dolls And solgers that is My sizas and they had ma ba nikel Batery. I am sorry for Being Bossy. Can you bring them?

Love,
LaJohntae English
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is everything OK is your slae how are your dear and Mrs. clause for Christmas I want a phone a laptop, xbox 360 with a nigubike game a tomy 20 or just mony for me for my mom a burthstone neckles for my dad a new geril little sister Tasha babby doll like a real babby for my brother a dog that barks. My other sister a new dress. p.s. a fourwheeler and have a good Christmas.

Love,
Tristan Schlueter
Second Grade



Dear Santa,
How ar ethe reindeer How is rudolph dasher? I wot a gocrt and a Jonedeer 4 whelr and a puppy and a mordsickol and a nudr mom cat and a my dog was littol like a littol pyppy that I can hod The puppy in my hans and it name is hock and he has a dad and his name was C.J. and day had a mom and day wr huscks.

Love,
Cody Trejo
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Clause and rudolph? I want a reindeer the red nose rann der tete Bear and you. How are the elfs. Maer Christmas Santa and Mrs. Clause. My sister want a bratz. and My other sister want a the hole tete Bears. Moery Christmas Rudolph. I want a baby and baby stof. I ben good and my sisters are too. and my mother and my dad are too. Maer Christmas Rudolph and a Calinder.

Love,
Allyssa Jimenez
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you and how is Mrs. Clause. So anyways how is the Northpole Going. is your reindeer excited about Christmas and are your elfs really fast work-ers? Does Mrs. Cluas feed the penguins in the northpole and i like your sliagh becuase its the color of red and i like red and and Merry Christmas. xxxooo oxx

Love,
Raymundo Alvarado
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you. I want a nef log sate how is Rudolph i hop he is good.

Love,
Austin H. Salazar
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is roodof santa. Derar santa how is mrs. clause. Derar santa how is the reindeer. Derar santa how are you doing santa. Derar santa can i have a xbox 360 santa. Derar santa can i have a nicklis of john cena.

Love,
Israel Cuellar
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you and Mrs. Clause and the reideer can I have gutar and a bean bag and book and a pet rabbit, video comera Haivivch, a nintendo Ds game, a back pack, a dollhouse, a digal camera, a movie elf and prancer the movie, a labtip, a little pet shop, be smart globe, a movie flicka, a gitcard, a snowclobe, a nutcracker, a watch, a note pad, some blocks, puzzle, some marbles, some shoos, a folder, a glasse case with a mirror with glasse Glof and toy ches, a blacket, a hot wheel race track, a game for my VSmile, a game fo my lepster, video camera High School Micle.

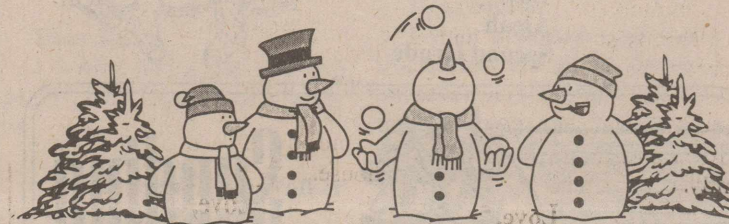
Love,
Ryann Araujo
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How are you. I been will good I will lik a rasulr and a vcto gam and Spierman thee and a pet dog and will a chat pad. Lucy is very good mor veret foolol and a pelgun and a pack.

Love,
Ramiro
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is Rudolph I have been a good boy and I want a money in the bank match. from Nickolas

Love,
Nickolas Trey Rendon
Second Grade



Merry Christmas!

Here's hoping every happiness comes your way throughout this holiday season and beyond.

Many thanks for your loyal support



City Auto

201 E. Missouri, Floydada

Ho! Ho!

Here's ho-ho-ho-ping your Christmas is great.

Stapp Body Shop
Lockney

God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. (John 3:16)

We appreciate the opportunity to know and serve so many beautiful friends. We wish all of you the best.

Main Street Pizza

220 S. Main Lockney 652-2201
2401 North I-27 Plainview 293-2201

David and Michael

Dear Santa,
How is Rodooff with a big red nose, can you give me and my bruther a forwelers and can we have a scooter and can we have a red ipod and can we have a wish box and can we have rudolph a red nose reindeer stuf anamal and i for got how is Mrs. Clause and can i get a stuf anamal. Thank you. Good by.

Love,
Jose Gonzales
Second Grade

Dear Santa,
How is Mrs. Clause and I want a skatbord and a Bike and a Wii and dret bike and a xbox 360 and my tow front teeth and a prter of King Cog atoy blisin and Halo 3 at the move of super-man retertern.

Love,
Lupe Huerta
Second Grade

AT THE BIRTH OF OUR SAVIOR

We'd like to join you and your family in heralding in the most joyous holiday season, ever. Noel!

Staff and Residents of
Lockney Health and Rehabilitation Center

Hope your Yule is cool

And your New Year rules!

Plains Bell Federal Credit Union
Laura Turner Lou Burseson
206 West California, Floydada

GREETINGS

Behold His blessing for it brings hope to all mankind.

In appreciation of your continued good will and patronage. Have a very joyous season.

Brown Implement
Floydada

"Merry Christmas!"

In lieu of cards, we send these Christmas Greetings to our friends and neighbors in Floyd County.

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 COACH AND LAJUAN EDDLEMAN
 JOHN R. AND TERESA HOLLUMS
 RONALD AND ALYNE EVANS
 JOEL AND ANN EVANS
 WES AND LYNN CAMPBELL
 JERRY, DARLA, B. J. AND J. C. CHAPPELL
 TIM ASSITER
 HANSEL AND CONNIE SANDERS
 JOE, ANNE, JURAHEE AND TATE JONES
 LILLIE MAE MILTON
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 JERRY AND JODIE MCGUIRE
 DONNELL AND WILMA GOWENS
 NORMAN AND EDITH MUNCY
 WALTER AND MARY ALICE DAVIS
 BILL AND DELL GRAY
 MIKE, JANA, CHRISTINA AND ALLISON MUNIZ
 BETTY BAKER
 MARY HELEN BAXTER
 SHIRLEY MORTON
 WYNELL HINSLEY
 JUAN AND MANUELA MENDOZA
 LARRY AND PENNY OGDEN
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 WELDON AND MARY EMERT
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 BRENT, SARAH AND ABBY SANDERS
 CRAIG, JULIE, KYLER & KONNER ELLISON
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 PHILLIP AND MILDRED SMITHERMAN
 SUE DANIELS
 ERIC, LEIGH, ETHAN AND LOGAN SMITH
 JOHNNY, REGENIA, KEVIN AND KODY SMITH
 LESLIE AND DORIS NIXON
 GARY, ROBIN, KIRBY AND KEENAN NIXON
 JAMES AND KAY CAGE
 CARMEN AND JOE STARKEY
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 BILL AND JO LYNN DEAN
 A. C. AND BETH PRATT
 EDNA GILLY
 TRAVIS AND SUE JONES
 JON, BRENDA AND ABBY JONES
 GARY AND EMMA PATE
 FRANCES WEATHERSBEE
 MRS. BILL TYE
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