



Arrington supports National Dairy Month

By Aidan McDonald

Not many farmers dream of becoming a political leader in order to help their friends, family, and home state. Jodey Arrington lives that exact dream. On the House floor, U.S. Representative Arrington (TX-19) debates bills that help energy and agriculture. June is National Dairy Month and Representative Arrington wants to affirm his support for dairy farmers. He has fought for all farmers and has helped build a fair and strong environment for them across West Texas and across the state of Texas.

I had the opportunity to interview Representative Arrington, and I was amazed by his strong relationship with the dairy industry. Arrington grew up in production agriculture, cotton farming, and said that “like most kids from Plainview, I was a farmhand during the summer.” While he grew up in the cotton industry, he understands production agriculture as a whole and has learned about the dairy industry extensively during his time in office. His relationship with the dairy industry has been strengthened over the years with dairy farmers inviting him to tour their facilities. During the tours, Arrington learned about the fascinating technologies the dairies used such as robotic arms and rotary parlors. Through his experiences, Representative Arrington learned how unique the dairy is and said that, “we have some of the most efficient operators [dairy farmers] in the world.”

In addition to that strong relationship, dairies have an important role to play in Arrington’s congressional district. The Congressman said that dairies represent millions of dollars in total economic impact to his district and more dairies want to move to Texas because of a better regulatory environment and more pro-business laws. He said that because of those factors and cheaper land, “you’re seeing a



U.S. Representative Jodey Arrington (TX-19)

migration of dairy farmers from other parts of the country to West Texas.” Arrington said because of new dairy farms West Texas has been able to benefit economically from new revenue streams and new jobs.

While talking about Rep. Arrington’s relationship with dairy and the role it plays, I had to ask about his legislative agenda regarding the dairy industry and agriculture. He started describing the difference between the various agricultural commodities and how they needed different legislation to be successful. He said that, “you don’t assume that the challenges facing each commodity are the same. The costs of production and markets are different. What I’ve learned, you’ve got to stay connected to the people who have the boots on the ground.” He said the best way to legislate the needs of dairy farmers is to take the time to “sit down and listen to them.” These meetings have influenced his policy decisions to reflect the needs of West Texas dairy farmers so that he can best assist them.

Rep. Arrington has been able to help West Texas dairy farmers

through specific legislation such as the United States Mexico Canada Agreement (USMCA), a free trade agreement between the United States, Mexico, and Canada that was a revamp of the North American Free Trade Agreement. At the signing of the bill Arrington replied, “This historic trade agreement is a major win for our farmers, ranchers, and energy producers who feed, fuel, and clothe the world.”

Rep. Arrington wants to recalibrate new needs in the upcoming farm bill. Expenses such as feed, fertilizer, and fuel have increased dramatically the past few years and the new farm bill needs to reflect those changes. With volatile markets, unfair trade disputes, and uncertainty created by global crises, Arrington believes it is necessary to create a safety net that provides stability to the United States agricultural economy. However, he also stated that the best thing the United States could do is support “free markets, fair trade, and robust competition. That’s how you reward the best operators and ensure the best value to the American people.”



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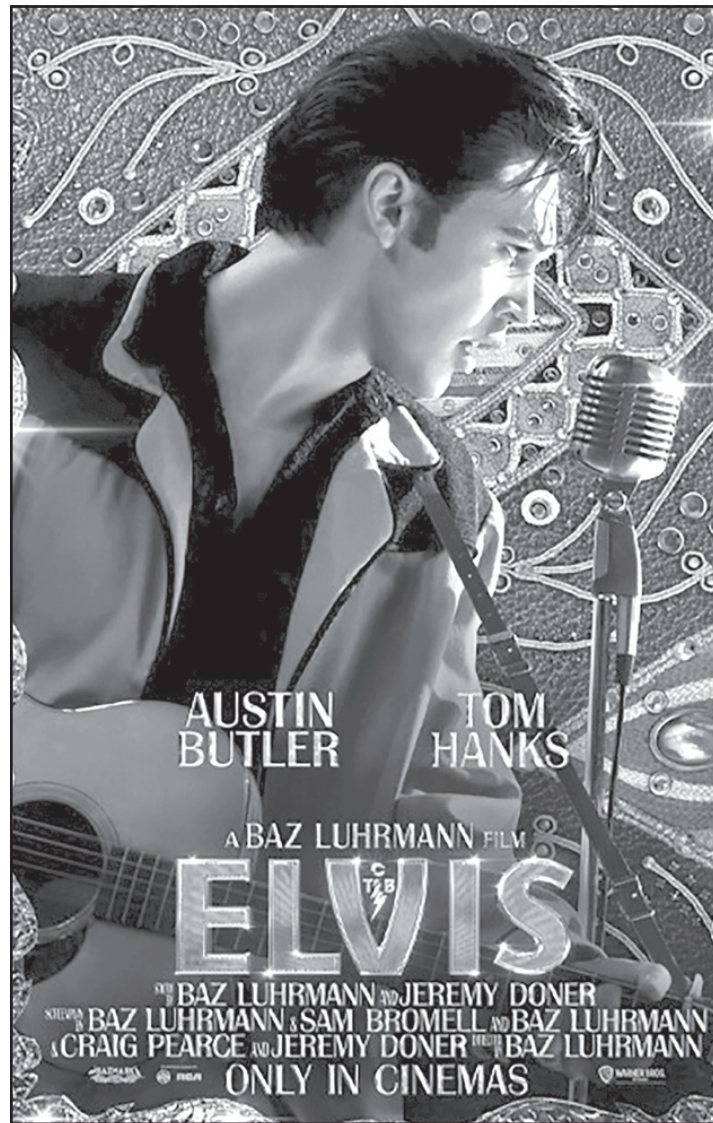
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- June 30
 - Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center
- July 1
 - Caregiver Group Meeting at 9:30 a.m. at Friona Banking Center
- July 4
 - Independence Day
- July 5
 - Summer Drama Workshop begins
- July 7
 - Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center
- July 10
 - FCCLA Pancake Dinner from 11:00 a.m. till 1:30 p.m. at Friona Community Center
- July 11
 - Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center
- July 14
 - Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center
- July 16
 - Cheeseburger Festival at Reeve Lake Park and Friona Community Center

“When I first saw Elvis”

By Jim Swafford

In the 1950s The Fair Park Coliseum in Lubbock, Texas was the place to go for major venues for live musical entertainment. When the Louisiana Hayride was in town, we would make every attempt to go. The venue was mostly country western entertainers on the bill. But on April 11, 1956, two entertainers were on the billboard, Faron Young and Elvis Presley. I was fifteen and keenly aware of who Elvis Presley was thanks to my sister Mary Ann two years older than me. She and her best friend Barbara Ann were gaga over Elvis. My daddy didn't have a chance except to let us attend the April 11th show.



The coliseum was full, packed to the ceiling. Our seating was midway in the center down on the floor level. It was time for the show to begin and we waited. Nothing! Later a man announced Faron Young was a bit delayed and a local group came on stage

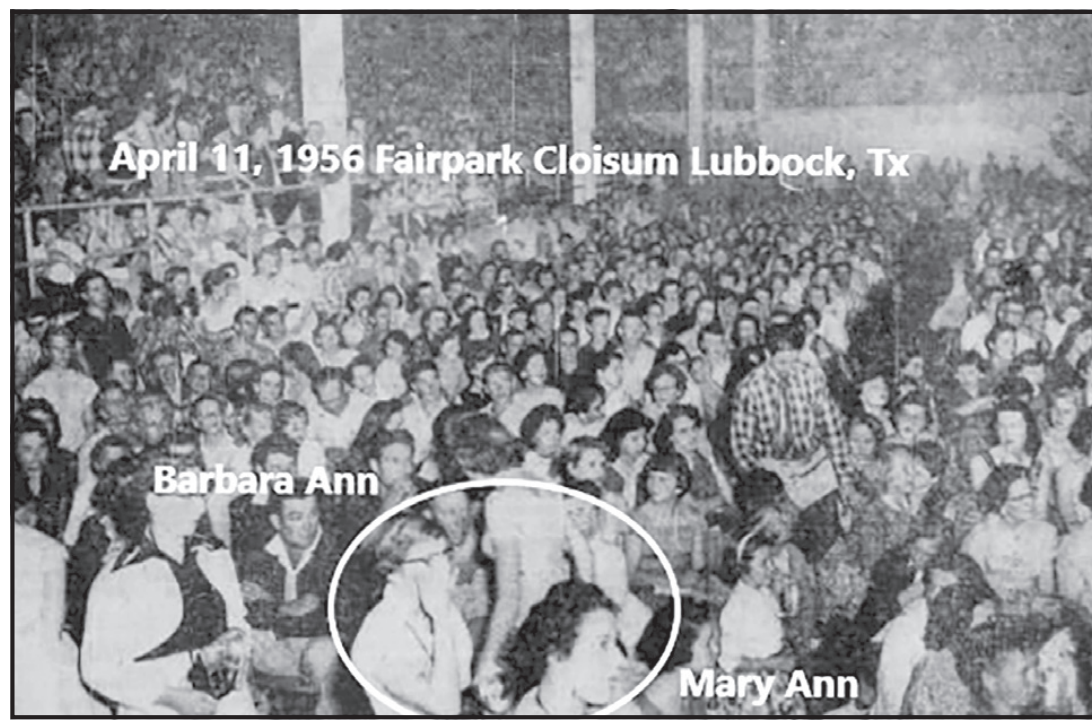
to fill in, Buddy Holly and the Crickets. One member of Buddy's group playing guitar was a friend of ours Sonny Curtis from Meadow, Texas. Sonny and my sister Mary Ann were in the same grade. Sonny's brother,

Pete Curtis married my third-grade teacher Glenda Winston. Glenda was my piano teacher. Sonny went on to be a great songwriter, played with the Everly Brothers and Paul McCartney. Back to the show.

Faron Young came on stage and sang a few songs. With the usual country twang, the audience gave the usual applause. All was quiet on the western front as he walked off stage. I don't know how to describe what happened next. The man making the introduction barely got the word out "Elvis" when the place erupted with this shrill scream in unison. The girls, including my sister and her friend, were all standing and screaming. Some girls hanging over the rails on the upper level shaking their heads and screaming. Elvis's first song was "Blue Suede Shoes" and when he started shaking the scream level blew the top off.

After the show, the girls rushed to the stage to get his autograph. Luck was on Mary Ann and Barbara Ann's side. They got an audience with Elvis and got a picture autographed and then Elvis autographed their hands. "Elvis" on one hand and "Presley" on the other hand. At home that night I watched in disbelief and amazement as they fell on the bed looking at their hands both swearing never to wash them again. That was in 1956 and now in 2022, a movie is coming out about Elvis. If you would like to experience what I did that night in Lubbock here is your chance.

Editor's Note: The movie Baz Luhrmann's "Elvis" opened in theaters on June 24th took the No. 1 spot at the box office last weekend with \$31.1 million in sales.



April 11, 1956 Fairpark Cloisum Lubbock, Tx
FULL HOUSE—AND THEN SOME—A portion of the 14,000 fans who jammed their way into the Fair Park Coliseum Tuesday night for two performances by rock 'n roll singer Elvis Presley. The crowd, mostly teenagers, almost mobbed Presley after the show, seeking autographs and souvenirs. (Photo and cutline from Lubbock Avalanche Journal)

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- cattle
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FRIONA FLASHBACKS

From the Friona Star Archives



FRIONANS VISIT CAPITOL...Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes and Mary Rando, both of Friona, and Helen Read of Pampa are pictured here with Congressman Bob Price following a tour of the White House. Mrs. Rhodes accompanied Miss Rando, who has been employed in Congressman Price's office for the summer, and Miss Read, a teacher in the Alamogordo public schools, to Washington. Enroute the trio visited several places of historical interest. Miss Rando, who is a graduate of Friona School, has been attending New Mexico State University and working for the Alamogordo Daily News. Mrs. Rhodes is a teacher in the local school system. (Friona Star, Thursday, June 29, 1972)

SHERIFF'S REPORT

Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office:
Eric Geske, Sheriff

(6/20/22) Jose Alfredo Morales, 27, of Muleshoe was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's office on a Motion To Revoke Community Service - Original Charge: Burglary of a Habitation, pending.
(6/22/22) Stephen Ray Ramos, 32, of Amarillo was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's office on two Potter County Warrants, pending transport.

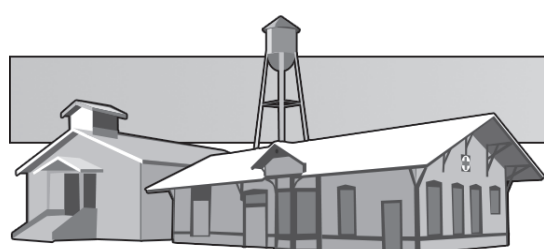
COURTHOUSE NOTES

Susie Spring, County Clerk
Warranty Deeds recorded at the Parmer County Clerk's Office from June 16, 2022 to June 23, 2022

(6/16/22) Mikel Lee Tucker, Elizabeth Tucker — Cassandra Sterrett Bussey, Travis Bussey — Lot 7, Block 4, Ridgecrest Addition, Unit No. 3, city of Farwell, Parmer County Texas
(6/17/22) Edward Dean Wuerflein — Wuerflein Properties LP — The Southeast Quarter of Section Six, Block W, E.K. Warren Subdivision No. 1, Parmer County and Lamb Co., More Tracts on Documents
(6/17/22) Orange Farms LLC — Prins USA TX Holding LLC — All of Sections 58, Block "H", Thomas Kelly Subdivision, Parmer County Texas, More Tracts on Exhibit "A"
(6/21/22) Victor A. Delgado, Norma Delgado — Luis Amezcua, Lilia Delgado Amezcua — All of Lots 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20 of Block 10 of Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County Texas
(6/22/22) Hub Bag Inc. — Jose Alfredo Pinon, Alicia G. Pinon — A Tract of Land in the West 1/2 of Section 12, T6S, R3E, Capitol Syndicate Subdivision, Parmer County Texas

Puzzle Solution

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TOWN TALK

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Friona July 4th events — The 4th of July Parade will line up at 9:00 a.m. and begin at 9:15 a.m. at 1606 W. 10th Street. The annual neighborhood parade will travel around the block and return to the starting area. Free snow cones will be provided by Fire & Ice. Everyone is invited to participate! The Friona Volunteer Fire Department will conduct a fireworks display at Reeve Lake beginning around 9:50 p.m. **Personal fireworks will be allowed until Midnight inside the Reeve Lake area ONLY.**

Bovina July 4th events — the Bovina Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a parade on July 4th that starts at 10 a.m. at North & 3rd streets and ends at the city park. There will be a \$13 brisquet plate lunch served at the park beginning around 10:45 a.m. Vendors will be there along with a mechanical bull, water slide, cornhole tourney, etc. The Bovina Fire Department will put on its annual fireworks

display at the football field and will offer free watermelon prior to the show. Call or text Lori Saenz at 517-8248 for information.

More than just a drink and a salad — The seventh month of the Gregorian year is named in honor of Julius Caesar. In 63 B.C. Caesar had been elected Pontifex Maximus. July was originally named Quintilis after Marcus Aure-

lius Claudius Quintillus, a Roman Emperor who died in 270 B.C.

Buck Moon — July's full moon is called the Buck Moon because that's when a male deer's antlers grow the fastest.

On deck — next week's Star will feature July 4th highlights and a preview of the upcoming Cheeseburger Festival Week schedule of events.

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National Days
June 30:
Meteor Watch Day
July 1:
Postal Worker Day
July 2:
Hop-a-Park Day
July 3:
Eat Your Beans Day
July 4:
Independence Day
July 5:
Workaholics Day
July 6:
Fried Chicken Day
★★★

Uniting Parents announces free conference

Uniting Parents announces the 4th Annual Route 66 Abilities Conference to be held on July 9th at Church of Christ at the Colonies located on 4500 Wesley Road in Amarillo as they celebrate 30 years of services in the Texas Panhandle!

This conference is for parents, guardians, self-advocates, and professionals in the field of disabilities. Lunch is included and there are respite stipends for off-site childcare. In addition, there are 5 hours of continuing education for social workers, counselors, psychologists, and family therapists.

English and Spanish sessions are available for attendees. Speaker topics include Medicaid Waivers, SSI/SSDI, Work Incentives, Long Term Services

and Resources, Guardianships and Alternatives, Special Education, and Emergency Preparedness.

Parents, if you have a child with a chronic illness or disability, you know how hard it is to get the information and help you need. It may seem hopeless, but you are not alone. Learn about the resources your child needs at no cost to attend.

Hurry, online registration ends July 4th. Onsite registration will also be available. **REGISTER NOW/ REGÍSTRESE AHORA EN:** <https://www.cohs.net/amarilloevents> or call the coalition of health services at 806.337.1700 ext. 212. Uniting parents is a program of the coalition of health services. you are not alone!

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Let Freedom Ring...
Happy 4th of July!

The Liberty Bell is a symbol of the United States. For many years, it rang for freedom. The bell no longer tolls, but the ideals for which it stands still ring true. Do you know other symbols of America?

Read the clues to fill in the crossword:

- our national bird; white feathers on its head; lives near bodies of water
- Archibald Willard's dad was model for The _____ of '76 painting
- South Dakota mountain with carved faces of four U.S. Presidents
- first President; Commander-in Chief of the Continental Army during war
- describes basic U.S. laws and rights
- Pledge of _____**; to show devotion to country
- _____ ; credited with sewing the first American flag after George Washington visit (according to legend)
- national anthem, **The _____ Banner**; based on poem written about a British attack on Fort McHenry
- _____ is a symbol of the U.S. in human form; wears a red, white and blue suit and a top hat
- Statue of _____**; a giant, copper gift from France; has greeted millions of people coming to America
- colors on U.S. flag and many symbols of patriotism
- classic American pastry with fruit, cinnamon and sugar
- Declaration of _____**; declared that the 13 colonies were now a new nation no longer controlled by British
- nickname given to U.S. flag
- _____ of U.S. has eagle holding 13 arrows in one talon, olive branch in the other
- Maryland & Virginia donated land for our national capitol, _____

4th of July
Help **Pinch** with his packed schedule! First, he has to decorate his bike; then ride to the parade; after the parade, he'll stop by a picnic; and finally end his day at the fireworks!

The Great Seal
Ask a grownup to help you use your computer to find "The Great Seal of the United States of America" so you can see the details of our government's seal. The seal, which has two sides, is stamped onto very important papers and items to show that they are approved by the government.

Pop Quiz!

Circle the correct answer: T = True F = False

The Great Seal of the United States of America:

- assures people that the U.S. stands by items it is printed on T F
- is on the one-dollar bill T F
- is on our country's flag T F
- has 13 stripes (up and down), olives, leaves and arrows T F
- has the Liberty Bell hanging from one wing of the eagle T F

Patriotic Music

How much do you know about the music played on the Fourth of July? (Ask Mom or Dad to help with this puzzle!) **Match each clue to the person or song it is describing.**

- This is our National Anthem. The words were written by Francis Scott Key during the War of 1812.
- This man was known as the "March King." He loved marches and wrote over 100 of them.
- This is a song that the British made up to poke fun at the poorly dressed American soldiers. It is our oldest patriotic song.
- This man claimed to have been "born on the Fourth of July" and to be "... A real live nephew of my Uncle Sam..." He is famous for patriotic songs: "Yankee Doodle Boy," "You're a Grand Old Flag" and "Over There."

A. John Philip Sousa
B. George M. Cohan
C. "Yankee Doodle"
D. "Star-Spangled Banner"

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Check Your Mirrors

By Sue Jane Sullivan



Observations from a Delivery Driver, Part II

--carrying a 35 lb. bucket of kitty litter up three flights of apartment stairs makes me loathe cats even more (except barn cats, which have a valid purpose)
 --carrying three bottles of wine, candles, fresh flowers, fresh vegetables, and a brisket up three flights of apartment stairs is a reminder that romance is alive and well
 --purchasing wine for the first time has introduced me to wonderfully creative labeling (19 Cell Block Red, Chicken Run Red, Smoking Loon Merlot, Frog's Leap Cabernet)
 --declining a guy's early morning request for smokes and, uh, a pack-

age of intimate items will always be the right call
 --not declining a lady's afternoon snack order of a gourmet ice cream sandwich from ritzy downtown Austin, keeping it insulated for the 15-minute drive to her place, paying for downtown parking but only getting a \$2 tip is a mistake that will not happen again
 --dieting while doing food deliveries is a test of faith
 --unloading bags of groceries while sometimes making five or six trips to the porch is good exercise
 --unloading those groceries on porches with beautiful potted plants and flowers makes me forget

how badly my knees hurt
 --unloading at places where the family leaves snacks and ice water for delivery drivers restores faith in humanity
 --getting certain hand digit gestures for making some quick lane changes on Loop 289 or Mopac may be understandable but not appreciated
 McDonald's, the Soup Peddler, Whataburger, JuiceLand, Starbucks, Waterloo Ice House, Blue Sky Texas, H-E-B, and many more--I am driving, delivering, and discovering new neighborhoods in Lubbock and Austin. It is, at least for me, delightful.

50th Annual Nazareth German Festival is July 9th

The public is invited to attend the 50th German Festival and Suds and Sounds on July 9th in Nazareth, Texas. Activities are planned throughout the day to celebrate German heritage and community spirit, and end with an outdoor concert in the ballpark. Proceeds benefit the community of Nazareth.
 A traditional German meal will be served from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. with a cost of \$12 for adults and \$8 for children. There will be an Arts

& Crafts Show as well as a Classic Car Show. Kids waterslides and face painting will also be available with a \$10 wristband. There will also be live music at Paige's Bier Garden.
 Reckless Kelly and Kyle Park will be headlining Suds and Sounds presented by the Nazareth Knights of Columbus at the baseball field. Gates open at 4:00 p.m. Tickets are \$30 at the gate, or you can purchase advance tickets online at nazsuds-sounds.com for \$25.

Back in 1902, German-speaking families from the American Midwest began settling in Nazareth. More than 100 years later, you can still witness enduring features of German culture in the community. Started in 1973, German Fest is a chance to share that heritage with others. Celebrate the 50th festival with a cold drink, a hot sausage, good music, and some of the friendliest people in the Lone Star State. See you there!

Happy Birthday

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 Brook Stevick
 Karene Cass
 Keegan Neill
 Jayden Madrigal
 Dallas Reeves
 Zack Fair
 Dalton Surman
 Jana St.Clair
 Martin Lopez</p> | <p>July 3
 Alan Mowery
 Jan Reeve
 Booney Gonzales
 Cyle Lookingbill
 Megan Evans
 Phil Johnson
 Ruben Vazquez
 Angel Mills</p> |
| <p>July 1
 Ibby Lewellen
 Benny Pryor
 Amelia Randolph Cramer
 Courtney (Clark) Lamberson
 Jennifer Harris
 Tommy Hutchins
 Shalia Sifford</p> | <p>July 4
 Carla Moser
 Rashel Sifford
 Casey Kendrick
 Myrna Hill
 Stephanie Roden
 Caturia Watson</p> |
| <p>July 2
 Joann McDonald
 Rhonda Wilkins
 Janet Edwards
 Carol Jackson
 Matthew Stanberry
 Steven Mann
 Emilee Leftwich
 Laura Blackburn
 Charlie Herring</p> | <p>July 5
 Joe Osborn
 Cynthia Gonzales
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 Shelby Lewellen
 Jo Igo
 Aaron Salinas Jr.</p> |
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 Max Jones
 Krita Potts
 Terry Copley
 Lance Gatlin
 Alex Dunnam
 Deidre Ferguson
 Phoebe Kemple
 Valerie Izaguirre
 Dominick S. Rocha
 Charlie Pool</p> |

Gas prices down for second week

By GasBuddy

Average gasoline prices in Texas fell 12.0 cents in the last week, averaging \$4.52 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's survey of 13,114 stations in Texas. Prices in Texas are 29.1 cents higher than a month ago and stand \$1.73 per gallon higher than a year ago. The price of diesel has risen 2.6 cents nationally in the past week and stands at \$5.80 per gallon.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Texas was priced at \$3.99 while the most expensive was \$5.68.

The national average price of gasoline fell 8.8 cents last week, averaging \$4.88 per gallon. The national average is up 28.3 cents from a month ago and stands \$1.79 per gallon higher than a year ago.

"With Independence Day a week away, gas prices have continued to fall for the second straight week as the price of oil has faltered, ushering in the drop we're seeing. The good news is we could also see a third straight week of decline," said Patrick De Haan, head of petroleum analysis at GasBuddy.

De Haan cautioned, "While prices will be at their highest July 4th level ever, they'll have fallen close to 20 cents since our peak in early June. Motorists should be wary that while the decline could continue for the week ahead, any sudden jolts to supply could quickly cause a turnaround, and risk remains that when the peak of hurricane season arrives, we could see a super spike at the pump."

GasBuddy data is compiled from more than 11 million weekly price reports covering over 150,000 gas stations across the country

Small Town Cookin' By Jeri Lynn White

National Hot Dog Month

I know you probably don't need a recipe to make hot dogs, but I came across some suggestions for putting together this hot dog bar. I thought you might enjoy trying some new ideas for your hot dogs this Fourth of July. For pictures of the different hot dogs, go to www.howsweeteats.com.

HOW TO MAKE A HOT DOG BAR

www.howsweeteats.com

INGREDIENTS

Grilled hot dogs
 Grilled brioche buns

TOPPINGS:

White cheddar cheese
 Caramelized onions
 Grilled corn or Mexican corn salad
 Pickled green beans
 Diced shallot
 Grilled pineapple
 Baked beans (try it!)
 Crumbled gorgonzola
 Scallions
 Chives
 Pickle spears
 Bacon
 Tomato
 Shredded lettuce
 Jalapeno apple slaw

CONDIMENTS

Ketchup
 Yellow mustard

Spicy brown mustard
 Ranch dressing
 Buffalo wing sauce
 BBQ sauce

INSTRUCTIONS

To make the hot dog bar an easy process, make a list of all the toppings you'd like to have out. You can chop, cut and grate all of them the night before, place them in separate bowls or jars, then cover and store them in the fridge until it's go-time! For cookouts, I like to estimate about 1.5 hot dogs per person. For toppings, they will differ depending on what's popular in your family. I'd say as long as you have 1 cup of most toppings (for instance, you don't need an entire cup of bacon! But you do need a cup of cheese and tomatoes), you're good. Use your

judgement! Don't be afraid to get crazy - baked beans and mac and cheese actually taste amazing on hot dogs. Make it a carb party. To make the grilled corn salad I mention above: stir together about 1 1/2 cups corn kernels with 2 tablespoons chopped cilantro, a pinch of salt and pepper, a 1/4 teaspoon chili powder, juice from 1/2 lime and 2 to 3 tablespoons crumbled cotija cheese. This can be made the night before, but is probably best 2 to 3 hours before. To make the jalapeno apple slaw I mention above: toss together 2 cups shredded green cabbage with 1 grated apple, 1 thinly sliced jalapeno pepper, a pinch of salt and pepper, a drizzle of olive oil and juice from 1/2 lime. This can be made the night before. Gets even more flavor in the fridge!

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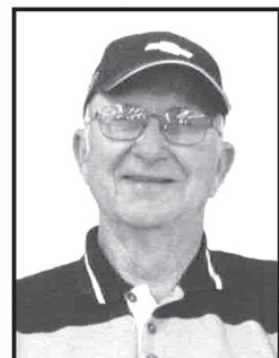


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A Brick or a Sponge?

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Are you more like a sponge or a brick when it comes to the Word of God? Obviously, a brick is hard and nonabsorbent, but a sponge is soft and absorbent. When it comes to listening to and obeying the Lord, we should be more like a sponge than a brick, in that we absorb his Word and then squeeze it out as we lovingly obey Christ. This is easier said than done, because the pressure of the world, our flesh, unconfessed sin, and unholy habits can so quickly harden our hearts to the Lord.

Proverbs 3:11-12 says, "My son, do not despise the Lord's discipline or be weary of his reproof, for the Lord reproofs him whom he loves, as a father the son in whom he delights." A few things are clear in this passage. First, don't despise godly correcting and directing. Obviously, we all have our expert opinions, but the problem is when our opinions or lives don't line up with God's truth. When that is the case, you

can either humble yourself or harden yourself. Next, notice that we are not to grow weary of the Lord's reproof. That implies that we will need lots of corrections, which is probably opposite of what we assume of ourselves. We think of others who need lots of correcting, but surely not us.

Finally, notice that God disciplines because he loves you and delights in you as his child. God's love was manifest in Christ's death and resurrection, but it continues to sanctify and shape you more into the image of Christ after you are saved. God's delight in you flows from his perfect delight in Christ, in whose image you are being conformed into as you grow as a Christian. You grow as a Christian as you live in loving obedience to the Lord, soaking up his truth and living it out, which brings us back to the original question of whether you are more like a sponge or a brick when it comes to God's Word.

Panhandle Parables

Let Freedom Ring!

By Jeff Procter, Minister, 6th Street Church of Christ

Sometimes I think we just forget what freedom is. We get comfortable with being told, what to eat, where to go, how to spend our money and all the while letting freedom slip from our grasp. We live in the greatest country on the planet and yet freedom slowly is being eroded into captivity and we don't even realize it. Most of my little articles appeal to the spiritual senses with a hope to encourage you in your walk with our Lord. But today, I want to appeal to you as Americans for just a moment.

I want to believe that our greatest days are ahead of us, but evidence seems to show they are behind us. Why? Why has freedom been chopped up into little pieces that no longer look very free? I think the answer falls somewhere along the lines of responsibility and the lack of many for taking any. Freedom is not the easy road, it is the one that challenges our faith,

questions our desires and tests our fortitude. If we are to be a free society we must take responsibility of our actions and nurture the greatness that comes from being free.

This is not new to shirk responsibility. Adam and Eve passed the buck in the garden and gave up the freedom they had in God's garden to be shackled with the chains of sin. Yet God did not leave humanity without an opportunity to be free. He gave us Christ, who set us free if we will choose it.

So here is my challenge to you who are Christians and to all who are citizens of this great land. Take responsibility for just you. Let's start there. Let's do the things that need to be done, let's own the things that need to be owned and let's live like the price paid by so many is valued. Let's live like the price paid by the Christ for our redemption truly is life changing. Let Freedom Ring!!!

A Good News Story

By Teena Hughs

A high school senior by the name of Cooper Parsley put a smile on God's face.

Cooper and Garrett Freeman were team roping at the Texas State High School Rodeo in Abilene a few weeks ago. Garrett was the header, roping the horns, and Cooper was the healer, roping the rear legs. How they finished in the standings determined whether they would get to go to the National High School Rodeo later this year.

On their first steer, Garrett roped the horns, and Cooper roped the inside left leg. When they stretched out the steer, its right leg fell on the left leg, and from the way it looked, the judge and Cooper thought he had roped both legs. People in the stands knew Cooper had only roped one leg, and they were getting mad at the judge, because roping only one leg gives the team a five-second penalty.

When Cooper realized he had not roped both legs, he had a decision to make. He was about half-way back down the arena, and as he said, it was "Me fighting me." Everything was going through his mind: it's their senior year; they wanted to make the National Finals High School Rodeo; but, because of "cowboy justice", he wanted to do the right thing. So, he turned around and rode up to the judge. He told the judge he only roped one leg. The judge told him he was the judge, and he flagged them with a penalty-free run. He asked Cooper what he wanted him to do. Cooper told him to give him a leg, and five seconds was added to their time.

As it turned out, Cooper and Garrett were reserve team roping champions, and they will compete in the National Finals Rodeo for high school students. I don't know the times, but that five-second

and penalty may have kept them from winning the Texas State Championship.

What a lesson Cooper gave everyone that day about doing what is right! While he said it was the toughest decision he had had to make in a long time, we will never know how many people's lives he affected or changed that day! Last night I watched a show with actors who were in the John Wayne movie, "The Cowboys" 50 years ago. One of the actors said that when you were around John Wayne, you just wanted to tell the truth. That is what Cooper did: he told the truth!!!

We hear so much today about how young people are just awful; that the world is just going to heck; that there is no hope for the future because of today's young people. And then along comes Cooper Parsley, and he gives us hope; hope that there are still honest young people with integrity; young people who put honesty and integrity above winning. I don't even know Cooper, but I am so proud of him I can hardly stand it!!! And, I am proud of his parents for rearing such an honest young man! I hope he always maintains his honesty and integrity.

By the way, he apologized to his header after that first run, but he said he had to do the right thing. After their good second run, they did talk about it for a long time. He told Garrett he really didn't want to hear what he was thinking, and LOL, he probably didn't!

You can't mess up when you do the right thing. In a country that is desperate for role models, I applaud Cooper Parsley for doing the right thing!!! And, I encourage us all to be like John Wayne, where people around us want to tell the truth!!!

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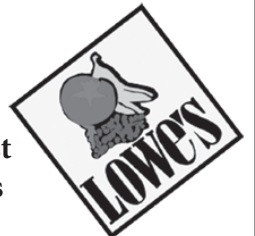
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Highway 60 project at a standstill

Parmer County Commissioners Court met in regular session on Monday June 27, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. in the County Courtroom of the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell, Texas. The meeting began with prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and Texas Flag.

Minutes from the June 13th meeting were read and approved. Commissioners approved the payment of the accounts payables as presented by County Treasurer Sharon May. The Treasurer's

Payroll Report was also approved.

Parmer County Sheriff Eric Geske reported that the Parmer County Law Enforcement Center was currently housing 36 inmates. Of those, 20 are paying customers from Deaf Smith County. Sheriff Geske also reported that he has billed out \$136,350 so far this year for the housing of out-of-county inmates. The PCLEC will probably continue to house out-of-county inmates for the foreseeable future.

Parmer County Judge

Trey Ellis reported that the Highway 60 project from Farwell back to Bovina Cattle Company is apparently at a standstill due to a shortage of workers. Judge Ellis said that he trying to determine what options the County has in trying to get the overdue project finished.

All meetings are open to the public. Information in this article is only a summary. Any questions concerning specific actions should be directed to the Commissioners Court.



Obituaries



Dana Campbell



Mass of Christian Burial for Dana Marie (Berend) Campbell, age 54, of Muenster was held at 10:00 AM on Friday, June 24, 2022 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church. Burial followed at Sacred Heart Cemetery. Rosary and Vigil was held at 6:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 23, 2022 at Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

Dana was born in Friona, Texas on January 25, 1968 to JoAnn (Hess) and the late LeRoy Berend. She died on June 20, 2022.

Dana graduated from Friona High School in 1986 and attended West Texas State University. She married her husband, Bryan Campbell, of Friona on June 14,

1997. They lived in Friona before moving to Muenster.

She is survived by their children: Jake, Emily, and Gage Campbell; husband: Bryan Campbell; mother: JoAnn (Hess) Berend all of Muenster; brother and wife: Roddy and Sandra Berend of Friona; in-laws: Randy and Deborah Campbell of Friona, Pam Campbell of Amarillo, and Elwanda Campbell of Friona.

She was preceded in death by her father: LeRoy Berend.

Eva Nell Dale



Services for Eva Nell Dale, age 81, of Muleshoe, Texas, were held at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, June 24, 2022 at the First Baptist Church in Muleshoe, Texas with Curtis Shelburne of Muleshoe officiating. Burial followed in the Bailey County Cemetery. Eva Nell died June 21, 2022 in Lubbock, Texas.

Eva Nell was born July 2, 1940 to John and Annie Mae (Brewer) Thomas in Clovis, New Mexico. She married Robert Carroll "Bob" Stovall Jr. in Friona, Texas on August 29, 1958. On January 10, 1993 she married C.R. "Cyrus" Dale in Muleshoe, Texas. She was preceded in death by her first husband, Bob, and her parents.

Eva Nell graduated from Friona High School and was a member of

the First Baptist Church in Muleshoe. She operated Bob Stovall Printing for many years, and she was very active at the Senior Citizens Center and helped at the Parkview Nursing Home. Eva Nell enjoyed jigsaw puzzles and playing the piano and organ.

Eva Nell is survived by her husband, Cyrus of Muleshoe, Texas; one son, Lyndal Stovall

and his wife Debbie of Lubbock, Texas; three daughters, Sheryl Christian and her husband Charles of Farwell, Texas; Cindy Davis and her husband Wesley of White Deer, Texas; Rhonda Grissom and her husband Chip or Loveland, Colorado; two brothers, John O. Thomas and his wife Judy of Portland, Maine; Bill Thomas and his wife Melinda of Alba, Texas; eleven grandchildren, Kolby, Colton, Caleb, Brooke, Candy, Jeff, Cally, Callen, Hillary, Dustin and Ashley; and eighteen great-great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials be sent to First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 483, Muleshoe, Texas, 79347 or Oneita Wagon, Senior Center, P.O. Box 292, Muleshoe, Texas, 79347.

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

Contract Documents are on file and may be examined in the office of the City Manager, City of Friona, 623 N. Main Street, Friona, Texas, 79035, phone (806) 250-2761 and the offices of Hi-Plains Civil Engineers, Consulting Engineers, 4537 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79110, telephone (806) 353-7233.

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Lessons taught, lessons learned

Frona First Responders Emergency Training Event • May 21, 2022

It was designed to be a learning experience and it did not disappoint. The inaugural Frona First Responders Training Event was held on Saturday, May 21st. First responders from cities, towns, and rural communities converged on Frona to improve their ability to diagnose and solve problems that arise in emergency situations.

Individuals, groups, organizations, and businesses would need to work together to make the event a success in the same way the event would strive to teach the attendees how to work together to navigate various emergency scenarios.

The training school began with classroom work, operating instructions,

and a complimentary meal. Cargill of Frona provided the cooking crew which delivered up awesome steaks while the Frona Noon Lions Club provided their "world famous" french fries. Lowe's Marketplace provided bottled water and A-Tex Dairy supplied the ice cream. Hi-Pro furnished all attendees with leather gloves and safety glasses.

Local volunteers served as "patients" and looked the part courtesy of UMC/Lubbock make-up artists. The City of Frona provided the Community Center for the meal and King Country/K3 Towing provided the venue just west of town. Vehicles used for the "crash scene" were donated by Daniel

De La O, Amy Laing, and Gary Stowers.

Those participating in the training event included Shallowater Fire and EMS, Amarillo Fire, UMC Lubbock EMS and Hospital, Rhea-Bootleg Fire, Frona Fire and EMS, Parmer County Sheriff's Office, and Farwell EMS and Fire. The EMS crews did receive CE credits.

Event organizer Nik Baucom, City of Frona EMS Director, said that planning is already underway for next year's event which will be sometime in April 2023. Baucom stated, "I would like to thank everyone involved for making the first-ever training event a success. We look forward to making next year's event bigger and better!"



Cargill Cooking Crew (l-r): Troy Castilleja, Daryl Marshall, Keith Shoemake, Justin Curtis, Michael Hewitt, Mike Villa, Kyle Lambert, Casey Conrad, and Jase Irwin



Frona Noon Lions (l-r): Mark Menke, Greg Lewellen, Lee Davila, Jaime Benavides, Fred Cook. Not in picture: Andy Montana and Clint Mears



Delegates attend conventions

Parmer County American Legion and Auxiliary Post 206 were very fortunate to have selected 6 delegates to attend the Boys State and Bluebonnet Girls State Conventions this summer. These juniors were nominated by their school counselors and principals from Bovina High School and Friona High School based on leadership, citizenship, academics, and character.

These young men and women represented the PCAL and Auxiliary as delegates for 2022. Adan Reveles Torres, and Diego Garcia of Bovina; and Mario Bautista, and Emmanuel Gonzales of Friona attended Boys State Convention in Austin, Texas on June 12-18, 2022. Makaylah Luna, and Laila Martinez of Bovina attended Bluebon-

net Girls State Convention in Seguin, Texas on June 19-25, 2022.

The delegates, along with their families, were honored with a hamburger cookout on Monday, June 27, 2022 at the XIT in Bovina. Each delegate shared their experiences while at the conventions with members of the American Legion and Auxiliary. Each delegate received a Certificate of Completion for their commitment and completing the Boy's State and Bluebonnet Girl's State Conventions this summer. Emmanuel Gonzales and Mario Bautista were unable to attend the cookout.

Please support your local American Legion so future students can share in this experience as they learn how government works.



In the photo (l-r): Trisha Winebrinner (coach), JoAnn Padilla (coach), Leah Salazar (6th), Harley London (6th), Jessica Viss (7th), Aimee Jimenez (6th), Annison Steelman (6th), Aaliyah James (7th), Aaliyah Padilla (7th), Gerald Padilla (coach), Reese Steelman (8th), and Yaselene Faudoa (8th).

Friona girls win tourney

The Friona girls team captured 1st place in the 7th grade division of the Southwest Hoops Fuze Shootout in Plainview on June 17-18. Game re-

sults: Friona vs. Lady Elite W16-15, Friona vs. 55 Buckets W14-12, Friona vs. Olton W20-15, and Championship Game - Friona vs. Olton W23-15.



American Legion Auxiliary members: Shelby Rhodes, Makaylah Luna, Laila Martinez, Elida Villarreal



American Legion members with delegates: Gaylon Rhodes, Diego Garcia, Adan Reveles Torres, Richard Villarreal



L to R: Diego Garcia's Family ... Adan Reveles Torres with his mother.



Makaylah Luna's family.

Law of the Land

By John Grimaldi and David Bruce Smith

America won the war; now, all it needed was a constitution to empower itself to flourish. The Articles of Confederation had released the country from Great Britain's rule, but a better plan was required for the future.

So, as History.com described it, "Congress endorsed a plan to draft a new constitution, and on May 25, 1787, the Constitutional Convention convened at Independence Hall in Philadelphia. On September 17, 1787, after three months of debate moderated by convention president George Washington, the new U.S. constitution, which created a strong federal government



with an intricate system of checks and balances, was signed by 38 of the 41 delegates present at the conclusion of the convention. As dictated by Article VII, the document would not become binding until it was ratified by nine of the 13 states." On June 21, 1788, New Hampshire cast its ballot — the ninth in favor of ratifying the U.S.

Constitution— making it the law of the land.

The Grateful American Book Prize recommends Ratification: The People Debate the Constitution, 1787-1788 by Pauline Maier.

Source: History Matters: Showing our children that their past is prelude to their future at the gratefulamericanbookprize.com website.



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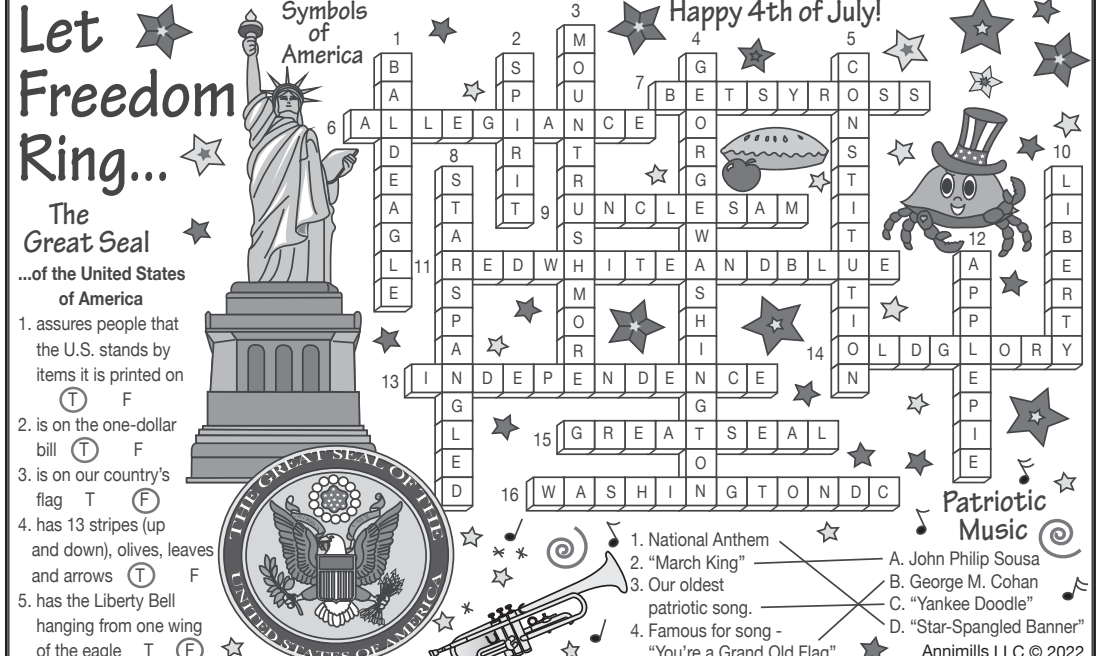
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You are invited to submit comments in writing on this notice to the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, P.O. Box 655906, Dallas, Texas 75265-5906. The comment period will not end before July 18, 2022 and may be somewhat longer. The Board's procedures for processing applications may be found at 12 C.F.R. Part 262.25. To obtain a copy of the Federal Reserve Board's procedures, or if you need more information about how to submit your comments on the notice, contact Karen Smith, Director- Applications, at (214) 922-6786. The Federal Reserve will consider your comments and any request for a public meeting or formal hearing on the notice if they are received in writing by the Reserve Bank on or before the last day of the comment period.



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Local Ag Association announces scholarship recipients

The Friona Vocational Agriculture Association has announced its annual scholarship recipients for 2022. Scholarships are awarded based on academic merit, and participation in Friona High School's FCCLA or FFA programs. Applicants submit an application form and an essay explaining how FHS's vocational training programs have prepared them for the future. Recipients are required to be enrolled in the Fall semester at a college or university to receive the scholarship. Four (4) \$1,000 scholarships were awarded to FFA students Tim Ally, Anthony Arbarca, Caden Bunker, and Isaias Olmos. Two (2) \$500 scholarships were awarded to FCCLA students Alberth Arguelles and Annacaren Salas. The Friona Vocational Agriculture Association provides monetary support to the youth of Friona who exhibit a commitment and dedication to 4-H, FFA, and FCCLA activities. Through this support, and their fundraising efforts, the association encourages young people to pursue endeavors that will enable them to become the future leaders of the community, state, and country. The Friona Vocational Agriculture Association is serving up a Pulled Pork Lunch on Friday, July 1st starting at 11:00 a.m. in the Vet Industries Parking Lot. All the funds raised will go to local 4-H, FFA and FCCLA kids. See ad below left.

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Scholarship recipients (l-r), Tim Ally, Isaias Olmos, Alberth Arguelles, Greg O'Brian (FVAA president), Annacaren Salas, Caden Bunker, and Anthony Arbarca

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