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Teammates, family, coaches and Principal Davidson look on as Natalie Wheeler signs her letter of intent to play basketball for West Texas A&M University next year. Front Row: Paige Hughes, Rebecca Wheeler, Natalie Wheeler, Barry Wheeler & Grant Wheeler. Back Row: Coach Ramsey, Larissa Payne, Scarlett Sperry, Katherine Pigg, Natasha Ramos, Enequina Valdez, Chelsea Wheeler, Coach Smith, Amanda Roys, & Principal Davidson.

Natalie Wheeler Signs Letter Of Intent With West Texas A&M

Natalie Wheeler, daughter of Barry and Rebecca Wheeler signed a letter of intent during the early signing period Wednesday, November 13. She committed to West Texas A&M University on a Basketball Scholarship.

"I'm very proud of Natalie, she is one of those special players that only comes around once in a great while. She is extremely talented, excels in the classroom, and has the kind of character that you can build your team on," stated Coach Greg Ramsey. She is surrounded by several good players, causing Coach Ramsey to be very optimistic about the possibility of a playoff berth for the team this year.

Natalie is a 5'10" starting forward for the Lady Patriots this year. Natalie averaged 19 points and 7.5 rebounds as a Junior. She is a three time All District selection, a first team All Region pick and was a second team All State pick as a Junior. "Natalie will bring more athleticism, speed and quickness to our perimeter play," Lady Buffs Head Coach Bob Schneider said, in a recent interview with the Amarillo Globe-News. "Her size will be an asset on defense, and her speed will help in the transition game."

Turkey Fall Festival A Big Success

By Lawana Cruse

The weather could not have been more perfect or cooperative Saturday, November 16 for the Turkey Fall Festival. Cars were lined up on both sides of the street and several people remarked that downtown Turkey looked like it did in the 50's on a Saturday.

The merchants were busy and everyone seemed to be enjoying themselves. The Turkey Roost Museum was filled to capacity with a wonderful assortment of craft booths, where people did some early Christmas shopping. The Fine Arts and Quilt Show at the Gem Theatre far exceeded expectations. Forty of the most beautiful, interesting, and unusual quilts that you could see were on display. In addition there was a beautiful display of china painting; two authors and their books, and a wonderful assortment of paintings from local and area artists.

At 4:00 p.m. people began gathering at the Bob Will cafeteria for the Brisket Supper, that has become so popular over the last several years. In the evening people gathered in the old Turkey High School Gym for the Gene Watson concert. Pat Seigler and Friends were the opening act and they were fabulous. Then Gene Watson and his Farewell Party Band put on an even better show than they did last year.

Many people helped to make this day a big success, with all of their hard work and effort. The best people in the world live right here in this area. We are also home to some of the finest talent you will ever see or hear, and it was displayed right here in Turkey during the Fall Festival. Plans are already in the works to make next year's events even bigger and better!

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According To Recent Reports From The North Pole Santa Claus Is Now Accepting Letters From All Good Boys & Girls For Christmas Santa's Mail Box Is Located In Front Of The Valley Tribune

Patriots Claim Bi-District Crown

The Valley Patriots claimed their first Bi-District Championship in 10 years with a 46 - 0 victory over the Follett Panthers last Thursday.

Derrick Cruse lead the Valley rushing attack in a game that saw ten different ball carriers for the Patriots. Cruse finished the game with 84 rushing yards and 50 receiving yards, while scoring three touchdowns.

Justin Wilks hit Cruse on a 50 yard touchdown pass on a fourth down with 5:37 left in the first quarter. Robert Mendoza scored from 13 yards out and Clif Yearly scored from 5 yards out to give the Patriots a 20 - 0 first quarter advantage.

"The defense just failed to cover Derrick as we were about to punt on that first touchdown," Coach Bret Tyler said. "Wilks recognized that Cruse was uncovered so he just threw him the ball."

Cruse scored twice in the second quarter, once on a 20 yard run and once on a one yard run to give the Patriots the big 34 - 0 lead. Fidel Valdes caught a 5 yard pass from Wilks and the half time score was 40 - 0.

Chase Maynard scored from ten yards out with 6:08 left in the third quarter to end the game. Yearly finished the game with 45 yards on seven attempts, while Robert Mendoza finished with 53 yards on only three carries.

Alex Espinoza carried once for 34 yards and Fidel Valdes finished with 18 yards on two carries.

"We were happy that we got good contributions from so many different ball carriers," Tyler said.

"I thought some of the young guys looked really good when they got a chance to play" The Patriot defense had their best outing of the year holding the Follett offense to minus three yards rushing and three yards of total offense. Robert Mendoza led the team with nine tackles, while Yearly and Cruse each tallied five tackles.

"Our defense was outstanding," Tyler said. "I just can't say enough good things about Robert Mendoza. He is so impressive every week."

Manuel Chavez recorded four tackles, Adam Ortiz had three tackles and an interception, and Justin Wilks and Kellan Roberts each had two tackles. Fidel Valdes, Douglas Payne, Dylan Gaddis, Alex Espinoza, Cody Barrett, Albert Espinoza, Charlie Walden, and Juan Regalado each recorded at least one tackle to assist in the defensive effort.

"It was a good win and one we wanted," Tyler said. "Follett has beat us twice in that same location so we wanted to get the victory in Miami."

The Patriots will next challenge the Wellman-Union Wildcats in the Regional Quarterfinals. The game will be played Friday at 7:30 p.m. at Lubbock Roosevelt High School.

"We are excited," Tyler said. "Wellman-Union has a good team and we'll have to play well to win, but that is what the playoffs are all about."

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J.R. Adamson

J.R. Adamson, Jr. enlisted in the Army on February 4, 1944. He served in central Europe during World War II, and was given a EAME Campaign Ribbon with three Bronze Stars, the Victory Ribbon, Distinguished Unit Badge, Good Conduct Medal and the Combat Infantry Badge.

J.R. was given an Honorable Discharge on May 14, 1946, when he returned to Texas Tech in order to get his degree. He taught school many years in Turkey and Quitaque, where he was principal of the schools.

Would You Like To Honor Your Veteran?

If you would like to honor a family member in our series of "Honoring Those Who Served", whether it was in WWI, WWII, Korea or Vietnam, please contact us here at The Valley Tribune. We will be happy to help you, this series will be ending soon if we do not have any more submissions. Call us at 806-455-1101.

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Calendar Of Events

- November 22**
REGIONAL QUARTERFINAL GAME
 *Patriot Tailgate Party @ 6 p.m. at Roosevelt School Parking Lot
 *Valley vs Wellman-Union at Roosevelt School @ 7:30 p.m.
- November 23**
 *Valley Patriot Basketball JVG & VG vs Jayton here @ 1p.m.
 *Caprock Canyons State Park Haynes Ridge Hike @ 9 a.m.
- November 24**
 *Briscoe County 4-H Food Show at Silverton Senior Citizens @ 2 p.m.
- November 25**
 *Quitaque Fire Department meeting
 *Turkey Lions Club meeting @ 7 p.m.
 *Valley Jr. High Basketball G&B vs Hedley here @ 5p.m.
 *Valley Jr. High Basketball G vs Nazareth here @ 7 p.m.
- November 26**
 *Valley Patriot Basketball JVG, JVB, VG, VB vs Ralls here @ 4p.m.
- November 27**
 *Valley School Thanksgiving Holiday begins
- November 28**
 *THANKSGIVING
 *TEC Board meeting



Mr & Mrs Adam Ryan Seymour

White & Seymour Wed In Amarillo

Shay Breonne White of Amarillo and Adam Ryan Seymour of Turkey were married Saturday, October 19, at The Party Barn in Amarillo. Randall County Judge Ernie Houdashell officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Jan and Rick McClain and Clayton and Stephanie White. Grandparents of the bride are Margaret and Willis Roberts and the late Marie and Woodford White.

Parents of the groom are Mack and Brenda Seymour. Grandparents of the groom are Hazel Fuston, the late T.R. Fuston and the late Lee and Josephine Seymour.

Matron of honor was Danielle Taff, sister of the bride. Bridal attendants were Jan Littlejohn, Alexis Scott, and Adrienne Miller. Junior bridesmaid and candlelighter was Madison Meyer.

Best man was Cody Yates. Groom's attendants were Genie Seymour, sister of the groom, Brody Davis and Brandon Stewart.

Flower girls were Haley Taff, niece of the bride and Sydnee Meyer. Ring bearer was Brett Taff, nephew of the bride. Reception attendants were Stacy Scholl, Monica Caperton and Cody Harris.

The Great Unknown provided music for the reception and dance.

The bride graduated in 1998 from Caprock High School. She attended Amarillo College. She is an office clerk for Diagnostic Imaging at Baptist St. Anthony Hospital. She is also a certified EMT for the Turkey Volunteer Fire Department.

The groom graduated in 1997 from Valley High School. He attended Texas Tech. He is currently engaged in farming. He is also a firefighter and certified EMT for the Turkey Volunteer Fire Department.

After a honeymoon to Las Vegas, the couple made their home in Turkey.

LETTERS
to the
Editor

Valley Tribune,

Please find enclosed a picture of J.R. Adamson, Jr. and I hope it can be used in the section that you have had to honor veterans.

Thank you so much for doing this. It is a fine tribute to our veterans who did so much for us.

J.R. passed away in January 1992 after a battle with lung cancer.

Thanks again,
Mary Beth Adamson

Valley Tribune,

Do you have any more information about the Gasoline, Texas reunion?

I received the following e-mail from June Chandler Everheart, everheart@taylor.net: *Do you know the date of the Gasoline reunion? some of our family lived in Gasoline (Chandler, Bedwell) and we lived nearby at Kent Community. Some of the folks might like to come, if we knew when it was. Thanks.*

It is next summer, but I don't know any details. If anyone can help me contact me at Lorie@sunguru.com.

Thanks,
Lorie Christian

Valley Tribune,

Mother, Stella Conner, enjoys reading the paper, even though she doesn't remember a lot of the people in the area there. Thanks for keeping the Valley Tribune going.

Elgin Conner

Quitaque Weather
Forecast for Next 9 Days

Day	High / Low (F)	Precip %
Thu Nov 21	66° / 42°	0%
Fri Nov 22	66° / 39°	0%
Sat Nov 23	66° / 36°	0%
Sun Nov 24	50° / 23°	10%
Mon Nov 25	45° / 29°	0%
Tue Nov 26	49° / 36°	0%
Wed Nov 27	60° / 36°	0%
Thu Nov 28	57° / 34°	0%
Fri Nov 29	57° / 33°	0%

Last Updated Wednesday, November 20, 2002, at 5:09 AM Central Standard Time (Wednesday, 6:09 AM EST)

TURKEY TALK

Visiting in the home of Billy and Margie Pinkerton over the weekend were their children, Vera and Ed Hammock; Tommy, a niece; Juli Hascoll and daughter Annie; and Margie's mother, Ruth Moore. Juli brought crafts for the Show and they all were all on hand to help out where needed during the Craft Show at the Turkey Roost Museum. John and Machele Francis of Silverton visited Louis and Oleta Randell Friday night.

Happy Birthday

November 21
Christy Clardy, Maurice Fuston, Dusty Hill, Garrett Mills, Linda Morrison, Rene Martinez, Vinnie Kimbell, Chancy Dowd

November 22
Denver Anderson, Glen De Pigg, Deacon Burleson, Keith Lane, Christa Williams

November 23
Renee Dudley, Mary Weeks, Marjorie Bell, Kayla Breanne Beavers, Gaby Fierro

November 24
Therma Farley, Linda Hamilton, Brenda Coker, Jeremy Hughes, Natosha Kimbell, Michelle Turner, Verla Barrett

November 25
Marion Kalafus

November 26
Kenneth Helms, Paige Mills

November 27
Nick Jimenez, Brenda Seymour, Trent Mckay

November 28
Ruth Hooks, Ronald Clay, Colvin Morrison, Tracy Guest

Happy Anniversary
November 24
Mr & Mrs Roland Hamilton
November 26
Mr & Mrs Lowell Proctor
Mr & Mrs Steve Farley
Mr & Mrs Bud Ham

OBITUARIES

Mary Turner

Mary Turner, 70, died Sunday, November 10, 2002.

Services were held Tuesday, November 12, 2002 in Johnson Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Harold Turner of Pentecostal Holiness Church of Seminole, Oklahoma officiating. Burial was in the Childress Cemetery.

Mrs. Turner was born on December 25, 1931, in Wharton County. She married Leon Turner on December 18, 1949, in Turkey, Texas. They lived in Quitaque and Turkey in the 50's & 60's. They owned and operated a laundry at one time in Quitaque.

Mary was preceded in death by a son, Ronnie Turner and a daughter Connie Turner.

Survivors include her husband; a son, Don Turner of Dallas, four sisters, Jessie Reagan of Quitaque, Alice Causey of Amarillo, Margaret LaFanta of Springtown and Joyce Farado of Dallas; a brother, Robert Campbell of Dumas; a grandchild; and three great-grandchildren.

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THINGS THAT
By Laura Taylor
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FLOMOT NEWS

BY EARLYNE JAMESON

OVERHEARD

Even for people who spend a lot of time alone, friends are important. We all need people who choose to stand by us, and for whom we choose to do the same.

We've had a wide range of friends. Unfortunately, not all of them are still in our lives. It makes us more thankful for the ones who are. We care about these people and value their friendships as well as their unique personalities.

Has Surgery

Mrs. Nada Starkey had eye surgery in Amarillo, Thursday. She is a patient in Baptist St. Anthony Hospital following surgery Monday, Nov. 18 in Amarillo. With her during her surgeries beside her husband, Jack were children, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey of Canyon, Mr. and Mr. Clifton Reid of Amarillo and Mrs. Jackie Lynn Davis of Fritch.

Mrs. Tim (Melissa) Kendall and sons, Jere and Jacob visited from Friday until Sunday in Clyde with her grandmother, Mrs. Ottilie Gray.

Mrs. Ersie VanCleave of Dougherty is visiting this week with her mother, Mrs. C.W. Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cruse and son, Derrick, their mothers, Mrs. Marihelen Wason of Matador and Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse of Flomot, Keane Cruse of Turkey, Mrs. Darla Gwinn, Fannin and Danielle of Whiteflat enjoyed the football game in Miami Friday night. Derrick and his V alley Patriots teammates started the Six Man Bi-District Playoffs with a 46-0 rout of Follett. The game was stopped at 6:08 mark of the third quarter.

Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter attended to business in Plainview, Friday. Weekend visitors of Wilson Barton was his nephew, Alfred Seay of Truth of Consequences, N.M. and son, Cliff Seay of Las Vegas, N.M. They enjoyed the volunteer fireman's supper in Matador Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross were in Lockney recently for her medical tests. They were in Plainview, Sunday attending to business.

Mrs. Cora Gail Gunn Trent of Albuquerque, N.M. visited last Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ike Clay. Their grandson, Parker Carson of Turkey visited them Saturday night and Sunday. His parents Mr. and Mrs. Pat Carson, Ryleigh and Walker were in Amarillo to attend the rodeo.

Visiting overnight Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter were Mrs. Cindy Calvert of Carrollton and Mrs. Christi Milam, Haley and Emily of Petersburg. Other guests in their home Sunday were Mrs. Salina Elliott of Floydada, Chad Calvert of Carrollton, Mrs. Keri Sehon and Brian of Ropesville, Dwain Milam of Petersburg, Mrs. Judy Stark, Mrs. Geneva Martin and Mr. and Mrs. L.E. Shorter of Flomot. Chad Calvert also visited in Turkey with his mother, Mrs. Wanda Calvert.

Elisa and Stan Wigley of Lubbock visited last Friday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ross.

THINGS THAT MAKE YOU GO HMMM...

By Laura Taylor

The days are flying off the calendar and the holidays are approaching like a freight train with no brakes! If your days are like mine, you wake up making a list of all the things you need to get done before Christmas. It's enough to make your head spin right off! Well sit down and grab a cup of hot chocolate or hot tea and relax for a few minutes and enjoy a couple of funnies.

A man in Phoenix calls his son in New York the day before Thanksgiving and says, "I hate to ruin your day but I have to tell you that your mother and I are divorcing; forty-five years of misery is enough!"

"Pop, what are you talking about?" the son screams. "We can't stand the sight of each other any longer," the father says. "We're sick of each other, and I'm sick of talking about this, so you call your sister in Chicago and tell her"

Frantic, the son calls his sister, who explodes on the phone. "No way they're getting divorced!" she shouts, "I'll take care of this."

She call Phoenix immediately and screams at her father "You are not getting divorced. Don't do a single thing until I get there. I'm calling my brother back, and we'll both be there tomorrow. Until then, don't do a thing, DO YOU HEAR ME?" and hangs up.

The old man hangs up his phone and turns to his wife. "Okay" he says, "They're coming for Thanksgiving...and paying their own way."

Now if that didn't get your mind off of your To-Do list try this one.

(1) First of all, pick the number of times a week that you would like to have dinner out. (Try for more than once but less than 10)

(2) Multiply this number by 2

(3) Add 5

(4) Multiply your answer by 50 (I'll wait while you get the calculator)

(5) If you have already had your birthday this year add 1752...if you haven't, add 1751.

(6) Now subtract the four digit year that you were born.

You should now have a three digit number. The first digit of this was your original number (how many times you want to eat out each week.) The next two numbers are YOUR AGE!

Break's over, time to get back to work!

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Cooks Corner

By Virginia Sailsbury

I love to cook holiday meals, but the least favorite meals of the season for me to prepare are the dinners on the "eves" of Thanksgiving and Christmas. This week, I'll give you two ideas for menus for these pesky meals. Look them over, and if you want to prepare one of them, just add the ingredients you need to your probably already lengthy Thanksgiving shopping list. One less thing to think about!

This first menu features Tamale Pie as the main dish. You probably already have cornmeal to make the dressing, just buy some ground beef. Serve it with a green salad including avocado and open a can of black beans or pinto beans. Quick, tasty, and unlike anything you are serving for Thanksgiving dinner.

TAMALE PIE

- 1 cup yellow cornmeal
 - 1/4 teaspoon salt
 - 4 cups milk
 - 1 1/2 pounds ground beef
 - 1/2 cup chopped onion
 - 1 clove garlic, minced
 - 1 can (16 oz.) tomatoes
 - 3/4 teaspoon salt
 - 1/4 teaspoon red pepper
 - 1 1/2 Tablespoons chili powder
- Combine meal, salt and milk. Cook until thickened, about 8 minutes, stirring constantly; cover and set aside. Cook beef, onion and garlic slightly. Stir in remaining ingredients. Spread half of the meal mixture in bottom of a greased 13x9x2 inch pan. Cover with meat mixture; top with remaining meal mixture. Bake at 375 for 45 minutes. Serves 8-10.

Another menu features Refried Bean Burgers, preferably grilled OUTSIDE, since the kitchen is busy, and Oven-baked French Fries. For the Refried Bean Burgers, grill patties as usual. Spread canned refried beans on tops and bottoms of heated buns. Serve with your favorite condiments-guacamole is great on these. Serve with these fries.

OVEN BAKED FRIES

- 4 medium potatoes
 - 2 Tablespoons vegetable oil
 - Salt
 - Paprika
- Cut potatoes into strips and place in bowl of ice water to crisp. Drain and pat dry on paper towels. Spread strips in one layer on baking sheet. Sprinkle or spray with the oil and bake at 450 degrees until tender, about 30-40 minutes, turning frequently. Sprinkle with salt and paprika. Makes 4-6 servings.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving, and that means that Friday is the start of the Christmas season. I'll print some recipes for appetizers, sweets, and other tasty stuff all the month of December. 'Tis the season to be eating! Don't forget to ask God to continue to BLESS AMERICA.

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Turkey Roost Museum News

By Margie Pinkerton

The Turkey Roost Museum participated in the Saturday activities in Turkey with a wonderful Craft Show. Nine vendors were on hand with really nice items and the success of the show was due to all the wonderful visitors who supported us in this activity. The money from the booths will be used to pay for two additional display cases at the Museum.

The Museum is still selling chances on many items and will have the drawing for all of these items on Saturday, December 7th at the Turkey Jamboree. The Museum will be hosting the Jamboree concession stand that night and will serving stew with all the trimmings.

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- Geraldine Clary-Tulia, TX
- Cade Lange-Tulia, TX
- Larry Hedrick-Canyon, TX
- Dan Duncan-Ranhandle, TX
- Johnny Monk-Ralls, TX
- L.J. Donica-Garland, TX
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- 21 "entrance" so. of the border
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- 28 San ___ TX
- 29 TXism: "hen fruit"
- 30 fisherman
- 31 glossy fabric
- 35 "___ con Dios"
- 36 TX Perot started Electronic ___
- 42 George W. before he was president
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- 46 event at annual Brady, TX
- Bar-B-Q: "___ Gallop"

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- 1 TXism for "fell" (3 wds.)
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- 3 inclement weather
- 4 TXism: "a ___ of"
- 9 George W. is leading fight against ___ terrorists
- 10 TXism: "___ rooster" (angry)
- 11 TX group "Little Joe ___ Familia"
- 12 ex-TCU BB coach Moe ___
- 13 unusual cattle breed
- 14 TXism: "___ of bones" (skinny)
- 15 James J. of former Dallas co. LTV
- 16 TXism: "on his last ___"
- 18 Astro Oswald stat.
- 20 TXism: "___ humid my upper lip is midewing"
- 23 ex-Oiler coach ___ "Bum" Phillips
- 24 org. of countries (abbr.)
- 25 Texas ___ Corp. failed to build the "bullet train"
- 26 1st woman pres. of TWU: Mary Evelyn Huey
- 27 "Winnie the Pooh" donkey
- 32 TXism: "guilty ___ sin"
- 33 TX Detmer
- 34 TXism: "the tail wagging the dog"
- 36 ___ Library has info. on Alamo & TX
- 37 TX Charley Pride's "Kiss An Good Morning"
- 38 this Pat wrote "On Any Given Sunday"
- 39 TX Debbie Reynolds' ex-hubby Fisher
- 40 ___ detector
- 41 cut logs
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NEWS OF AND ABOUT VALLEY SCHOOL

Lady Patriots Improve To 2-1 For The Season

After an early loss to #3 ranked Happy, the Lady Patriots improved to 2-1 with impressive wins at Patton Springs and Guthrie. Last Friday the Lady Patriots traveled to Patton Springs and defeated the Lady Rangers by a score of 62-23. The Lady Patriots were led by Natalie Wheeler with 28 points. Some of the other girls who scored included Katherine Pigg - 8 points; Amanda Roys - 7 points; Enequina Valdez - 6 points; Natasha Ramos - 6 points; and Chelsea Wheeler - 5 points.

Tuesday, November 19 the team traveled to Guthrie to take on the Lady Jaguars. Once again Valley came away with an impressive 80-17 victory. Scoring for this game went as follows: Natalie Wheeler - 24 points; Amanda Roys - 16 points; Chelsea Wheeler - 14 points; Enequina Valdez - 10 points; Scarlett Sperry - 7 points; Paige Hughes - 5 points; and Katherine Pigg - 4 points.

The Lady Patriots will next be in action this Saturday, November 23 at home against Jayton. J.V. will start at 1:00 p.m. with Varsity following around 2:00 p.m. Please come out and support your teams.

Briscoe County 4-H'ers Participate In Panhandle 4-H District Round-Up

By Cory Payne, TEC, F&CS, Briscoe County

Thirty Briscoe County 4-H'ers traveled to Canyon on Saturday, November 9, 2002 to participate in the Panhandle 4-H District Round-Up held at West Texas A&M University. This years program was sponsored by Xcel Energies Foundation.

Over 200 boys and girls competed in the 30 different competitions. Recognition awards were given in ceremonies at Canyon Jr. High. Medallions were presented to all first, second and third place entries. Contests included Method Demonstrations & Illustrated Talks, Public Speaking, Horse Quiz Bowl, and Share-The-Fun.

Briscoe County 4-H'ers made a sweep in the Horse Quiz Bowl competition claiming 1st, 2nd, 4th, and 5th place in the Junior Age Division and 1st in the Senior Age Division. 1st place Junior team members included Nichole Schott, Charla Rhoderick, Laura Scarborough, and Tanner Clay; 2nd place team members were Dusty Burson, Drew Reed, Tanner Schott, and Reese Scarborough; 4th place team members were Jacy Proctor, Payton Price, Autumn Phillips, and Kelsey Clay; and 5th place team members were Chancey Campbell, True Burson, Kaitlin Kinsey, and Khaki Scrivner. The 1st place Senior team consisted of Zack Burson, Tanner Young, Ty Reed, and Wil Boedeker. The Senior team earned the chance to compete at the state competition during Texas 4-H Round-Up in College Station in June.

Share-The-Fun vocal category contest participants were Scarlett Sperry who received 3rd place in the Senior age division, and Shandy Forbes who claimed 4th place in the Junior age division. J.T. West, Bryce Patton, Kevin Watson, Shane Watson, and Braden Estes earned participant ribbons for performing a dance in the Share-The-Fun Choreographed Routine Junior division.

Competing in the Method Demonstration/Illustrated Talk contest were John Luke Shannon with a Beef Method Demonstration, and Jacob and Hayson Pigg with an Indian Illustrated Talk. John Luke received a medal for second place and Jacob and Jayson received participant ribbons.

4-H Round-Up is a public speaking and decision making event providing 4-H members the opportunity to share their knowledge and skills through 4-H projects. We're very proud of how well these 4-H'ers represented Briscoe County.



Sonja and Ana Mora, children of Delfina and Guadalupe Mora of Turkey volunteer weekly in Turkey at City Hall, the Library and Senior Citizens Center. They stated "We just like to help people out when we can."

1st Six Weeks

1st Grade ~ Mrs. Hill
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This Week In Texas History!

- Nov. 15, 1863
U.S. Army occupied Corpus Christi.
- Nov. 17, 1830
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- Nov. 20, 1862
Matagorda Island shelled by U.S. Navy.
- Nov. 20, 1875
State Constitutional Convention reserved three million acres of land, the sale of which would be used for the building of a State Capitol.
- Nov. 21, 1948
Oil discovered in Scurry County, opening the west Texas oil fields.
- Nov. 22, 1826
Fourty Texans captured Nacogdoches and seized the local archives, leading to the Fedonian Rebellion.
- Nov. 22, 1963
President John F. Kennedy assassinated in Dallas, Governor John Connally wounded.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

- Monday, November 25**
Breakfast: Cereal, Toast, OJ/Milk
Lunch: Hot Pockets, French Fries, Pumpkin Pie Cake, Milk
- Tuesday, November 26**
Breakfast: Cinnamon Toast, Toast, OJ/Milk
Lunch: Corn dogs, Chips, Pork & Beans, Oranges, Milk



Danielle Gwinn To Participate In Distinguished Youth Of Texas Program

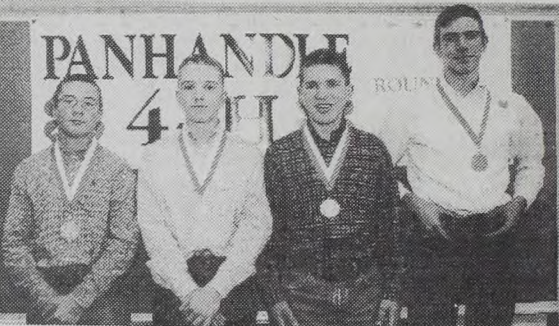
Danielle Gwinn, daughter of James and Darla Gwinn of Matador, has been selected to participate in the "Distinguished Youth of Texas Scholarship and Recognition Program", to be held at the Renaissance Hotel in Austin, November 29 to December 1, 2002. During the weekend event, two Texas students will be selected to receive a \$1,000.00 U.S. Savings Bond and the right to serve as a State Program Titleholder for one year.

In addition, both winners will receive \$250.00 to present to their respective schools from the Distinguished Youth of America Program. In all, more than \$5,000.00 in awards and prizes will be presented to various participants. The Distinguished Youth program is designed to recognize girls who rank high academically and who are leaders in their schools and communities. The judging criteria used to select the two state titleholders includes the following: Scholastic Record, Service to School and Community, Personality Projection, and Interview.

Danielle will be sponsored for the weekend by the following area merchants: Oden Chevrolet-Olds of Floydada, Floydada Ford & Mercury of Floydada, First Ag Credit of Matador, Red Ball Gin, Alexander Fuel, Motley Mill & Cube, The Hitchin' Post, and Sun Cotton Bio Fuel all of Roaring Springs.



1st place Junior 4-H Horse Quiz Bowl members included Laura Scarborough, Tanner Clay, Charla Rhoderick & Nichole Schott (not pictured).



1st place 4-H Horse Quiz Bowl Senior team consisted of Zack Burson, Will Boedeker, Tanner Young & Ty Reed.



Kevin Watson, Shane Watson, Bryce Patton, Branden Estes, & J.T. West received participation ribbons for performing their "Big Under" dance.

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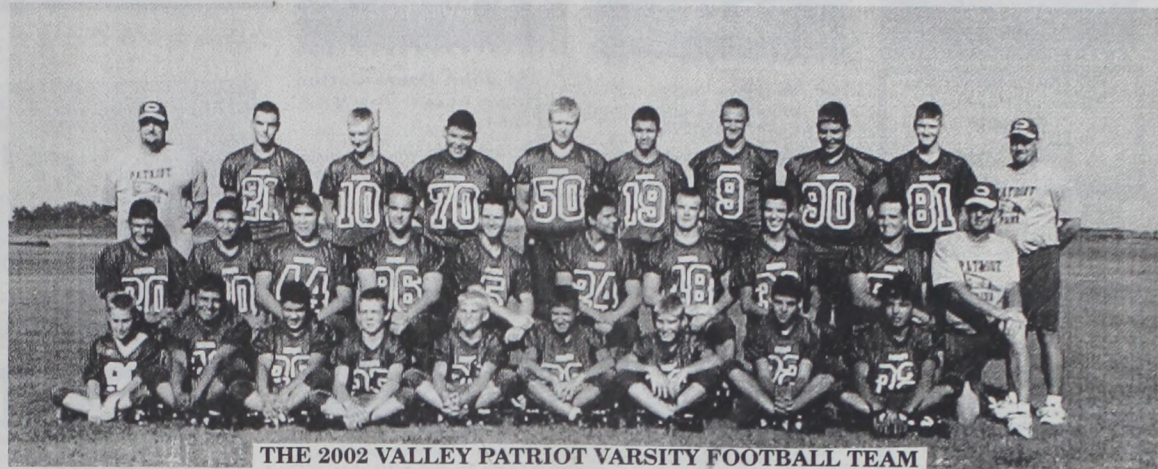
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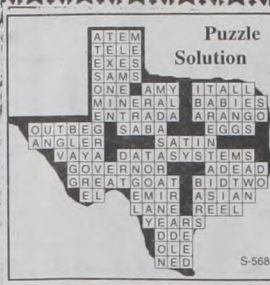
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