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Gail FFA Public Relations Team Takes Second at State Contest

The Gail FFA Public Relation's Team rounded out another successful year of competition by capturing the runner-up state title. On Saturday, December 4th, team members Hailey Adcock, Nick Flanigan and Joseph Hardman competed at the FFA State Leadership competition held at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, Texas.

After setting aside many hours for practice, outshining the district

competition, and securing the area crown, these three seniors demonstrated they have what it takes to compete with the best of the best. The contest required the ability to speak with confidence, work as a team, and answer spontaneous questions effectively.

The Public Relation's Team competed with nine other area winners throughout the state. The contest consists of a maximum eight-minute presentation

about FFA geared toward a civic organization. Evaluation of the performance is based on props, content, and most importantly the overall presentation by the students.

Hailey, Nick and Joseph represented Gail FFA in true Borden County Fashion-with pride, poise, and a dynamite performance. These students can be congratulated on their well-deserved outstanding achievements.

Lady Coyotes Work Overtime to Take Coahoma Tournament Title

Girls Go Four Overtimes in Second Round Win Against AAAA Sweetwater

For the third time in four years, Borden High School's Lady Coyotes claimed the championship at the 14th annual Coahoma Tournament, but if you came to see the championship game Saturday night, you may have left somewhat disappointed—because the actual "game" was played Saturday morning at 10.

Not that Saturday night's win wasn't a sweet one, because it was. It marked the seventh win of the season for the undefeated Lady Coyotes, and it came against a team

that has developed one of those December rivalries with BHS. The only time in the last four years that the girls did not win the title was in '97 when they lost in overtime to Coahoma.

But capturing the first place trophy did not come easy, and it was the previously alluded to match with Sweetwater that was the highlight.

The opening period ended in a 15-15 tie, which foreshadowed things to come. In that period, BHS hit 6 of 11 shots from the field, one

of two from the three-point line.

The Lady Coyotes shot well in the second quarter as they hit four of five from the two-point line, but five turnovers saw the lead change hands six times in the 2nd period and Sweetwater went in at halftime leading 27-24.

Some halftime adjustments were obviously made by the Mustangs as they came out in the third period and handled the Lady Coyotes' full court press much better, scoring on

Stardom Hits B.J.H. Encore Performance Today!

The Borden County High play production of Dennis Snee's Breaking Up Is Hard To Do proved successful Saturday in Welch, as the cast and crew brought home top honors from the District 9-A, Junior High One-Act Play contest.

Borden County was chosen as the top play in the district and was followed by 2nd place Dawson and 3rd place Loop. In order to provide one last opportunity for the community to see the play, an encore performance is set for today at 4:30 in the B.C. I.S.D. Auditorium.

Individually, the actors and actresses in Borden County's production also did well. Chosen as the "Best Actress" from all casts was seventh grader Ashley Ellison, who starred as Margaret, a smart-witted, elderly woman.

Named to the All-

Star Cast were eighth grader Dan Griffin (Narrator) and seventh grader John Wilson (Jonathan).

Eighth graders Kyle Pinkerton (Bob) and Shayla Gass (Doris) were also named to the Honorable Mention All-Star Cast.

Rounding out the production were eighth graders John Stamper (Marshall) and Evan Winegarner (Tony) and seventh grader Cassidy Rinehart (Carolyn).

Serving as crew members for the winning production were Emily Mayes (stage manager), Clay John Anderson (lights), Adam Carter (curtain), and Derek Rodriguez (sound).

Directors of the play were Darrin Ard, Sheri Gass, and Dawn Gutschke.

Congratulations to all cast and crew members. Thank you for your hard work and dedication.

transition baskets to start the period. As the period was coming to a close, Sweetwater had jumped to a five-point edge, 35-30, but BHS rallied—a basket by Wootan and a three-pointer by Smith—to close the margin to 38-37 Sweetwater.

Little did anyone realize

that the game was actually just beginning at this point. Scoring in the fourth quarter was at a minimum for both teams as each went to a slow-down game to take the best shot and use the clock.

Mayes began the 4th period with a basket to give

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Coahoma Tournament Results

Lady Coyotes Work Overtime

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BHS the lead and added another to give the Lady Coyotes a 44-42 edge. When the girls kept the ball for the final two minutes with effective passing and dribbling, things looked good. And, they looked even better when, with six second to play, Wootan drove the baseline, made the lay-up and got fouled. She also made her free throw which put BHS in front 45-42.

Now, this "seemed" to be enough, but as the seniors know who have been studying *Hamlet*, what seems isn't always what is.

Sweetwater, against a full-court press, drove to mid-court, launched the mercy shot, and it was answered as the buzzer sounded. The three-pointer was good to tie the score at 45-45.

At this point someone should have announced that all those with heart ailments, high blood pressure, or with child should exit the gym. No one did, so we're assuming that everyone did survive what took place in the next 16 minutes of overtime play.

It was not to be the run and gun game that the Lady Coyotes prefer; their patience was to be tested, and they passed. No points were scored in the 1st overtime period, and only two each in the 2nd and 3rd.

Sweetwater scored first in the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th overtimes, but the Lady Coyotes handled the pressure and answered back each time. Wootan scored two in the 2nd overtime while Baeza scored the two points to tie the score in the 3rd.

Numerous shots were missed inside the paint, and it was obvious that at this point fatigue was beginning to play a factor. Here's where that cross-country training paid off as the girls kept their full-court press throughout all four overtime periods.

Finally, yes finally, in the last four minutes, BHS found some breathing room as

Wootan scored on a put-back, was fouled and made the free throw.

One advantage the girls had over Sweetwater is that the overtimes saw BHS with the bonus situation—this made a difference in this last overtime because Wootan and Mayes each made two free throws to put the game away, 55-51.

Sweetwater had one last chance again with seconds remaining, but this time the shot didn't fall, and the players and fans breathed that collective sigh of relief. Really, they did.

So, it should be obvious that writing about the championship game at 7 p.m. would really be anticlimactic, so suffice it to say that BHS defeated Coahoma 58 to 30—something and went home happy but tired.

Named to the All-tournament team were Seniors Adrianna Baeza, Julie Mayes, and Junior Valerie Wootan.

In Thursday's opening game, the Lady Coyotes matched up with the Crane Golden Eagles.

The girls made the most of five steals and five assists to jump to a 13-6 lead at the end of the first quarter. Senior Shaina Isaacs had four of the steals while Senior Julie Mayes scored 11 of her 13 points in this quarter.

The defensive rampaged continued as Coach Gailan Winegarner substituted liberally and never lost any momentum. In this quarter alone the Lady Coyotes grabbed seven steals, four by junior Bekah Hensley and ripped the nets for 23 points, nine of those scored by Junior Valerie Wootan. Senior Kaci Poole also helped on the boards by grabbing three rebounds while Senior Crystal Dye had one assist and one rebound of second period play.

At halftime, the girls led by a score of 36-14.

Things only improved in

the third quarter as Lady Coyotes shared playing time. For Senior Adrianna Baeza, who missed most of last season with a torn ACL, this game was particularly satisfying because of extended play. In the second half alone, she scored 14 points and nabbed five rebounds.

One telling statistic that often is overlooked was the passing talents that led to points scored—assists. As a team, the Lady Coyotes finished with 24 assists, with Hensley (7), Mayes (5) and Senior Lindsey Smith (4) leading the way.

In the final period, more good defensive play was seen as Junior Holly Thomas grabbed two steals, Senior Hailey Adcock had one steal and scrambled for two offensive rebounds, while Senior Amanda Watts finished with four points and three rebounds and one steal. Final score: Borden County 73, Crane 38.

TOURNAMENT STATS

Team Totals

Ppg. Average: 62
Ppg. Opponents: 42
Rebound per game: 29
Steal per game: 12
Assists per game: 11

Individual Stat Highlights

Vs. Crane, Sweetwater, Coahoma

Baeza 12/12 at free throws
Watts 7 rebounds in final
Dye 2 rebounds, 1 assist in Final
Mayes 2/4 3's in 2nd round
Poole 3 rebounds, 1 steal
Smith 3 3's in final
Isaacs 10 steals, 10 assists
Hensley 7 assists in one game
Thomas 3 steals
Wootan 18 ppg. avg.

Individual Scoring

Vs. Crane, Sweetwater, Coahoma

Baeza 18, 6, 6
Watts 4, 8, 5
Mayes 13, 18, 15
Smith 6, 3, 14
Isaacs 5, 0, 2
Hensley 5, 2, 0
Wootan 21, 18, 16



Coahoma Tournament Results

Coyotes win against Snyder JV; Fall to Seminole

Adversity, with a capital A, hit the Coyote basketball team hard in the opening game of the Coahoma Tournament. But Coach Richey's troops battled, won their second game, and advanced to the consolation finals before losing.

In Thursday's opening game and opening minute, Senior Kevin Pinkerton went down with a knee injury. With Pinkerton's height and experience gone, the Coyotes found the going tough but stayed with the Lobos and found themselves trailing by only 4 at halftime, 22-18.

Third-quarter play—a 19-point effort by Monahans—gave them the lead for good as the Coyotes could only score six in this period.

Final period scoring improved, but Monahans finished with 18 points to win 59-33.

In Friday's win, BHS jumped out 14-2 and kept intensity en route to a 45-35 victory over Snyder JV.

Saturday saw the boys play two games. At 10 a.m. they met Anson. Only a cold second quarter kept them from winning this ballgame as the Coyotes only found the mark for two points to Anson's 10. BHS stayed with Anson the remainder of the game but was unable to get back the difference as they fell 38-26.

Closing out tournament play, Coach Richey and team met with Seminole, a perennial powerhouse in West Texas.

However, this game proved to be the Coyotes' best showing despite a close 43-39 loss.

BHS stormed back from a 17-4 first-quarter deficit, outscoring Seminole in the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th quarters, only to fall short at the end.

Senior Justin Lawrence was named to the All-Tournament Team. He scored 56 points in the three-day tournament for a 14 ppg. average.

Below are tournament statistics for the four games:

INDIVIDUAL STATS

Vs. Monahans
Lawrence.....14 points
Grant.....7 points
T. Pepper.....5 points
Stamper.....4 points
Sharp.....2 points
Flanigan.....1 point

Vs. Snyder JV
T. Pepper..... 14 points
Sharp..... 12 points
Lawrence..... 10 points
Grant..... 5 points
Griffin..... 2 points
Stamper..... 2 points

Vs. Anson
Lawrence.....11 points
T. Pepper.....5 points

Griffin.....4 points
Grant.....2 points
Sharp.....2 points
Stamper.....2 points

Vs. Seminole
Lawrence.....21 points
Sharp.....9 points
T. Pepper.....4 points
Stamper.....3 points
Griffin.....2 points

PARENTS CLUB MEETING

There will be a Parents Club meeting on Monday, December 13th in the school cafeteria beginning at 5:00 P.M. prior to the Jr. High Basketball games with Westbrook.

Plans need to be made for additional activities for the Holidays and for the Spring.

Coyotes take season opener as Boys Basketball Begins

The transition to basketball from football isn't always pretty, particularly when a team has only two days to work out. But Tuesday night's boys' game against Jayton proved that what matters is that final look at the scoreboard—and Coach Trey Richey had to like what he saw, a 51-48 victory in the Coyotes season opener.

Compiling the team this year are Seniors Nick Flanigan, Justin Lawrence, Kevin Pinkerton, Ryan Sanders, and Robert Stamper; Juniors Tom Griffin and Trent Pepper; Sophomore Dale Grant and Freshman T.J. Sharp. Junior Jerry Hernandez, Seniors Heath Gwinn and Joseph Hardman

are serving as managers.

Of this group, the Coyote squad features the return of five lettermen, only two of which were starters. What they lack in experience was made up for in hustle and effort as the team rallied in a strong second quarter and then held on to fight off a determined Jayton group.

First-quarter action saw the Coyotes shoot 50% from the field to score eight points to Jayton's 12. Lawrence connected for four of those eight points.

It was the second quarter that eventually made the difference in the game as the BHS got hot and scored 19 points while holding Jayton to five. From the field, the Coyotes hit six of 14 shots

and went to the free throw line 12 times, hitting seven of those. Pepper made seven points in this period of play.

The ten point lead at intermission was a good cushion, but the Coyotes were going to need it before the night was over.

Foul trouble surfaced in the third quarter as did some cold shooting as BHS hit only two of 10 shots. Along with eight turnovers, this all led to Jayton working its way back to end the third quarter trailing only 34-30.

As the fourth quarter started, it appeared that Jayton would keep the momentum as they took the lead with three consecutive shots to lead 40-37.

That's when the Coyotes dug deep and, despite Pinkerton's fifth foul, connected on three straight goals including a three-pointer by Flanigan. This gave them a lead, 44-40, that they would not relinquish.

BHS led 49-42 with under a minute to go in the game. Jayton made it close with two three-pointers in the closing seconds, but Stamper went long on an assist by to capture win, 51-48.

Team Statistics

11-30-99
shooting percentage 35%
free throw percentage 48%
offensive rebounds 10
defensive rebounds 30
steals 8

Individual Stats

11-30-99
Lawrence 12 pts., 5 rebounds
Pinkerton....8 pts., 10 rebounds
Flanigan.....5 pts.
Stamper.....8 pts., 2 assists
Sanders.....2 rebounds, 1 block
T. Pepper...13points, 10 boards
Grant.....3 rebounds
Sharp.....5 pts., 7 rebounds

JV Boys Basketball begins Season With Impressive Win

Take 63-14 Victory Against Jayton

Borden High School's JV squad had no troubling in their football to basketball transition November 30.

Coach Richey's junior varsity group all saw plenty of playing time as they defeated Jayton's junior varsity in a game highlighted by some great rebounding, key steals, and converted points.

In the first quarter, the game remained close. The teams traded buckets, but the Coyotes held the lead 12-6 at the end of period one play.

The second quarter was entirely different as the boys went on a 12-0 run in this quarter alone; Jayton never scored, and at intermission BHS led 25-6.

The onslaught continued in to the third quarter. Coyote players tallied 12 points to Jayton's two. Defensively, the boys relied on outstanding rebounding and pressure-creating turnovers to increase their lead to 37-8 after three periods of play.

Final period action saw no

let up even though Coach Richey had been substituting liberally throughout the contest. The Coyotes poured it on—26 points alone in this quarter—and held Jayton to just six more. The final score for the JV's first game was a convincing 63-14 triumph.

Scoring for the JV boys

was as follows:

L. Pepper 6 points
T. Pepper 2 points
Brown 22 points
Nowlain 25 points
Stipe 2 points
Dunlap 6 points

Freshman Brionne Jackson and Sophomore Jacob Zant also saw playing time in the win against Jayton.

Lady Coyote JV will participate in Caprock Tournament

The Lady Coyote JV team will participate in the Caprock JV Tournament in Post on Saturday, December 11th. They will begin the tournament at 9:00 a.m. playing Lubbock High Sophomore team.

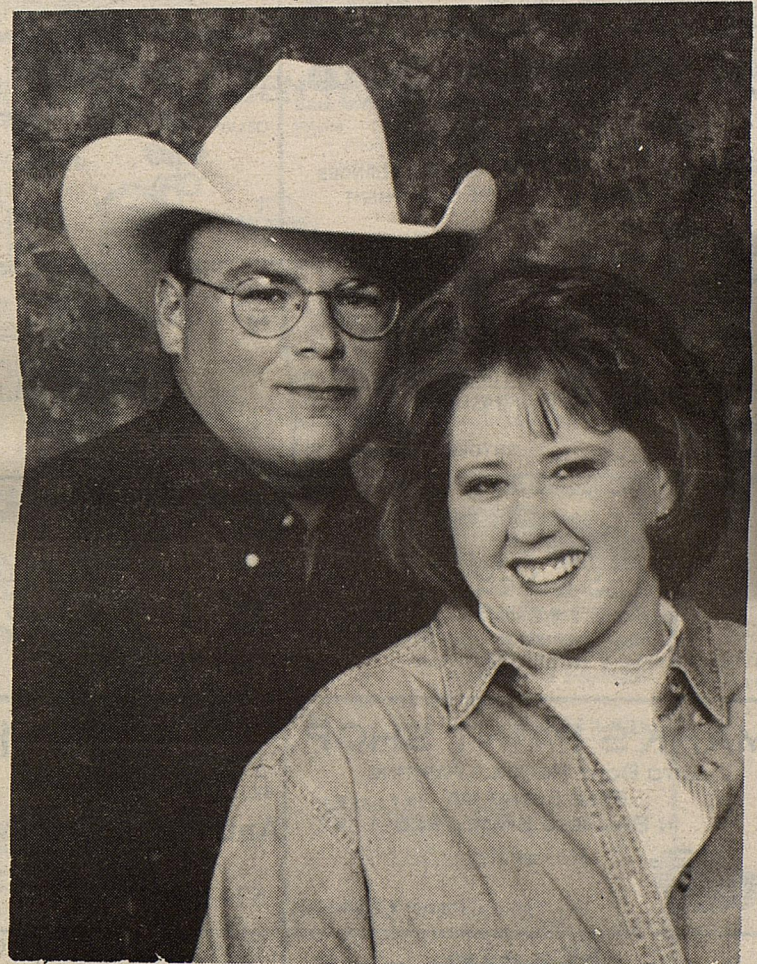
The winners bracket

will be played at 3:00 p.m. and consolidation bracket will be played at 1:30 p.m.

Other teams entered are Smyer JV and Post JV which will begin play following the Lady Coyotes at 10:30 a.m.

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Engagement Announced



James Smith & Tanya Renay Junell

Robert and Beverly Junell of Amarillo announce the engagement of their daughter, Tanya Renay, to James Don Smith.

Smith is the son of Terry Smith of Gail and the late Edward Smith.


The couple plan to be wed January 1, 2000, at Chaparral Baptist Church in Amarillo.

The bride-elect plans to earn an Associate's Degree in Physical Therapy Assistant in may from Amarillo College. She is a member of the American Physical Therapy Association.

The prospective groom earned a bachelor's degree in Animal Science from Texas A&M University in College Station. He is employed with Cimerron Feeders in Texhoma, Oklahoma.


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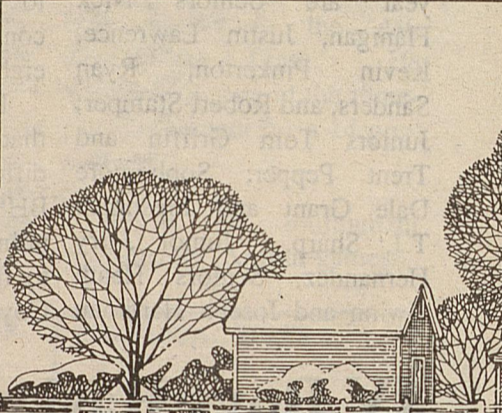
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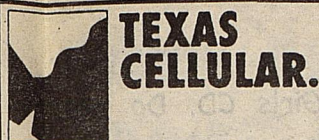
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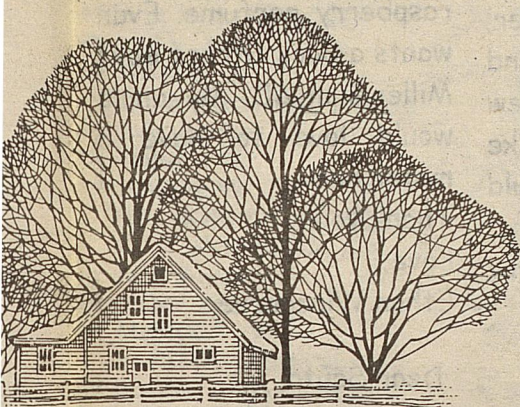
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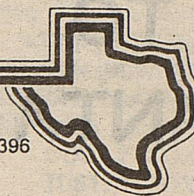
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Dear Santa,
I want some roller blades and a doll. I have been a good girl. I have moved, I live by the lake. My house is white with a tree on the side of it. My brother has been good, also. We both need new shoes.
Love,
Vivian Hernandez
Age 5

Dear Santa,
I want a Barbie, earrings, and a teddy bear. Karlie wants some babies. Jessica wants dogs and horses. I have been very good. I live on the Rocker Ranch. My swings are white, and there is a plastic Santa on the window. My Mama wants an apple music box, and Dad wants some boots.
Love,
Katie Pelham
Age 5

Dear Santa,
I have been doing good, Santa. Please bring a truck and a skateboard. I live in Vealmoor. My house is blue and white.
Love,
Chance Taylor
Age 5

Dear Santa
I want a doll, and a teddy bear. I have been a good little girl. Mom

needs a picture book, and Dad needs a blanket. I live by Gail Mountain.
Love,
Stefanie Cooley
Age 6

Dear Santa
Please bring a golf cart and roller blades. I might need a helmet, too. I have been good, but Robert hasn't. Just bring him one piece of candy. Lindsey has been good, I will share the golf cart with her. My house is gray and white. I am going to leave you some milk and cookies.
Love,
Bethany Stamper
Age 5

Dear Santa,
Please bring Mom a new dress and Dad new boots. I need a skateboard with a helmet, and a black/green go-cart. I have been good. My house is all white.
Love,
Xavier Gonzales
Age 6

FIRST GRADE:

Dear Santa,
I would like a squeezey toy, Ricky Martin's new CD, and an Enrique Iglesias CS. My dad would like a deck of cards. Mom would like

Georgio perfume. Clay John wants a gun for hunting. Whitney wants some horse earrings.
Thanks you Santa.
Love,
Bailey Anderson

Dear Santa,
I would like a captain-sailor suit and walking soldiers and a remote control car. Bekah likes radios and Micah wants clothes. Dad wants cologne and Mom wants new dishes. My cousins would like a new Nintendo games. I will leave cookies for you and grass for the reindeer.
Love,
John Hensley

Dear Santa,
I would like a CD player, CD's and a Barbie. Dad wants a sweater. Mom wants a sweater, too. Logan, my brother, wants a play gun. Patty & Brian my aunt & uncle want a vacation. Ashley wants a Barbie, Kevin wants a gun, Jessica wants clothes, and Shawna wants her car fixed. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Kerri Anne Howard

Dear Santa,
I would like football pads and a uniform. Pete wants a racecar pencil sharpener. My sister loves Barbie. My dad wants a truck and would like a car. I have been good. Thank you Santa.
Love,
Alfredo Ramirez

Dear Santa.
I would like a CD cassette and my own Christmas tree. Tatum

would like a Potty Dotty. Tanner needs a play army suit and Trace would like a toy bunny. Please bring Mom some jewelry and Dad would like a football uniform. Please bring my cousin powerbeads.
Love,
Taylor Richey

Dear Santa,
I would like a remote control car and a bike. Raul needs a CD player, Derrick needs a TV and Dorey would like a new bed. My dad would like new shoes and Mom would like jewelry and perfume. I will leave you some cookies and milk.
Love,
David Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
I want a Dinosaur Nintendo game and a black watch and a toy arm soldier. Miller wants a new watch too. Merrick would like a toy boot he can put in the water. My Mom would like a pair of earrings. Dad wants a

Spice Girls CD. Do you need any new reindeer?
Love,
Miles Valentine

Dear Santa,
I would like a police suit, a fireman's suit, and a workbench with real tools and wood. I think my Dad would like a new battery powered flashlight. My Mom would probably like some raspberry perfume. Evan wants a Back Street Boys Millennium CD. My uncle would love to have a motor home.
Thank you.
Love,
Ethan Winegarner

Dear Santa,
I would like a BMX bike, a CD player, and 2 CD's. The CDs are WWF and the Back Street Boys. My Dad wants new tools. My Mom would like strawberry perfume. My sister wants anew bike.
Thank you Santa!
Love,
Justin Wilson

Have A Safe & Happy Holiday

There's no telling who you'll run into, so keep your eyes open... and enjoy the season!



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Sixth Annual Lighting of the "Star" on Gail Mountain



The "Star" on Gail Mountain will be sponsored on the following nights **In Memory Of** and **In Honor Of** the following:

December 10th
IN MEMORY OF:
BENO HENDRICKS
IN HONOR OF:
DONNA HENDRICKS
by Bo & Jacque Hendricks

December 11th
IN HONOR OF:
MR. & MRS. F.R. ALLEN
by Judy Wootan

December 12th
IN HONOR OF:
THE BORDEN JR. HIGH STUDENTS
by Judy Wootan

December 13th
IN MEMORY OF:
JAMES EUBANKS
by the Dennis Poole Family

December 14th
IN MEMORY OF:
C.C. NUNNALLY
by Mickey & Shirley McMeans

December 15th
IN HONOR OF:
JERRY & MARY CLAYTON
by M/M. John R. Anderson

December 16th
IN MEMORY OF:
DR. JOHN HANNABASS, wife KATE McClINTON & daughter MIRIAM
by Mac Clinton Norwood

December 17th
IN MEMORY OF:
C.C. NUNNALLY
by Mr. & Mrs. T.L. Griffin

December 18th
IN HONOR OF:
ED, LARA, JAKE & RACHAEL PAYNE
by Ed & Lara Payne

December 19th
IN MEMORY OF:
BANNIE HANCOCK
by Tom, Sandra, Joe, Sue and Families

December 20th
IN HONOR OF:
GAILAN WINDGARNER FAMILY
by Sheryl Winegarner

December 21st
IN HONOR OF:
SARAH BLAND, MARY HUTTO, JOHN ROBERT ANDERSON & MARY WRISTEN
by M/M John R. Anderson

December 22nd
IN HONOR OF:
NAN & TOBY SHARP
by B.A. Hopking

December 23rd
IN HONOR OF:
MARGARET SHARP
by the Roland Key Family

December 24th
IN MEMORY OF:
ARVIL (BABE) BREWER
by Ross & Sarah Sharp

December 25th
IN MEMORY OF:
OUR FATHER, EDWARD SMTIH
by Gerry & James Smith

December 26th
IN HONOR OF:
THE EMPLOYEES OF BORDEN COUNTY BLESS EACH OF YOU!
by Terry Smith

December 27th
IN HONOR OF:
LARRY HOPKINS
by B.A. Hopkins

December 28th
IN HONOR OF:
SUE & BOB BEAL
by B.A. Hopkins

December 28th
IN HONOR OF:
CONNIE & SID HART
by B.A. Hopkins

December 30th
IN MEMORY OF:
MR. & MRS. BONNIE M. WILSON
by Rebecca, Glenn & Renee Wilson

December 31st
IN HONOR OF:
BORDEN COUNTY EMS
by Citizens of Borden County

IN MEMORY OF:
EDWARD SMITH
by Mr. & Mrs. Stanley Whisenhunt

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A BIG THANK YOU to all of my friends & neighbors for the prayers, cards, calls, food and other acts of kindness shown to us during my surgery and recovery.

Many thanks,
Rube & Sue

Thank You!

Thank you is an inadequate word to express the deep gratitude our family has for the many friends and acts of kindness shown to us.

For Carolyn's excellent care we thank all the doctors, nurses and staff of Southwest Cancer Center and University Medical Center in Lubbock.

For our friends who extended their kindness through phone calls, cards, food, floral tributes and visits to our home we will always be grateful.

To Rev. Buddy Payne of the First United Methodist Church in Post, Steve Stevens of the Plains Community in Borden County who delivered the eulogy, for the special music by Joe Sears of Brownfield and members of the First United Methodist Church of Post, we thank you for the special service and family luncheon.

The Family of Carolyn Faye Stone
Jerry & Cody Stone
Kristi, Korlee & Carter Carruthers
Bill & Gwen Carlisle

Gannaway seeks election to Sheriff's position

Billy Gannaway, presently serving as Deputy Sheriff of Borden County, announces his candidacy for Sheriff, Tax Assessor/Collector subject to the March Democratic Primary.

Mr. Gannaway has served as Deputy Sheriff of Borden County since April 1998. Previously he has served in Law Enforcement in Runnels County and Scurry County.

Health Fair

Friday, Dec 10th
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Borden Co. Show Barn,

A fee of \$2.00 will be charged at the door to cover screening and material costs.

Blood Pressure and Blood Glucose screening will be provided by Medical Arts Home Health - All Day!

Bone Density screening will be offered from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. only.

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Thank You!

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Also, please try to attend the meeting being held on December 13th at 5:00 p.m. This is a very important meeting to discuss the Teachers' Appreciation Luncheon and other upcoming events. Your attendance is needed and will be greatly appreciated.

Thank you again,
Tracy Cooley, Parents Club President



Christmas Caroling and Chili Cook-Off Planned

Sunday, December 12th
6:00 p.m.

Gail Baptist Church

Men bring your favorite chili and enjoy the evening of Caroling, Visiting and Eatin' Chili.

Santa will also be there for the little ones!

Come Join The Christmas Fun!



Snyder Oaks Care Center

Snyder Oaks Care Center is conveniently located at 210 E. 37th in Snyder, Texas. Snyder Oaks is a long term care facility that offers complete care for the aged and disabled with 24 hour nursing services. They also offer rehabilitation services on site, such as, Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy and Speech Therapy for those who may be recovering from illness or injury.

Snyder Oaks Care Center has recently opened a Special Care Unit in the facility that was developed to meet the specialized needs of individuals with Alzheimer's and related dementia. The surroundings are pleasant and inviting, stimulating yet less stressful, to promote a feeling of safety and security. Residents in the facility are encouraged to bring their own mementos and family treasures to enhance their long-term memories. The care is provided by staff that is specially trained in caring for persons with Alzheimer's and related dementia.

The staff at Snyder Oaks Care Center is dedicated to providing a healthy and safe environment in which those with Alzheimer's, related dementia and long-term care needs will be actively involved in living their lives. The facility provides an activity program, well-balanced meals, social work services, nursing services and therapy services to help meet people needs.

For more information about the Long Term Care Facility or the Special Care Unit at Snyder Oaks Care Center, please contact us at 915/573-9377, 210 East 35th Street, Snyder, Texas 79549

Menu

Lunch: \$1.00 K-6th.
\$1.25 7th-12th.
Breakfast: .50c

December 13th-17th

MONDAY: Chicken Stir Fry, Noodles, Salad, Bread Stick, Fruit & Milk

Breakfast: Eggs & Bacon, Toast, Juice & Milk

TUESDAY: Enchilada Casserole, Green Beans, Corn, Tortilla Chips, Pudding & Milk

Breakfast: French Toast, Juice & Milk

WEDNESDAY: Meat & Gravy, Potatoes, Broccoli & Cauliflower, Hot Rolls, Juice Bars & Milk

Breakfast: Hot Pockets, Fruit, Juice & Milk

THURSDAY: Hobo Stew, Salad, Rolls, Fruit, & Milk

Breakfast: Egg & Cheese English Muffin, Juice & Milk

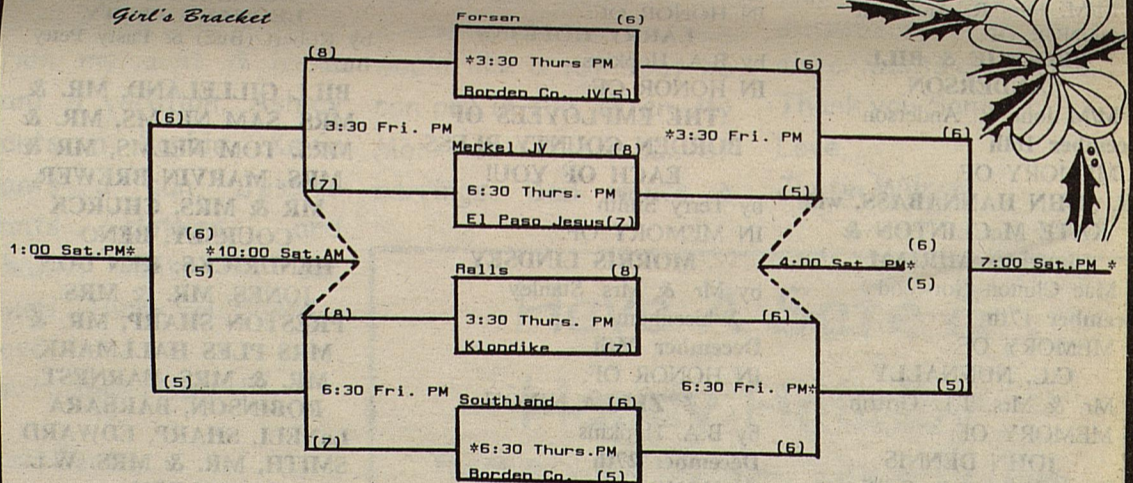
FRIDAY: Steak Sandwich, Tator Tots, Salad Cup, Brownies & Milk

Breakfast: Oatmeal, Toast, Juice & Milk

Coyote Christmas Classic

December 9th, 10th, & 11th, 1999

Girl's Bracket



Boy's Bracket

