## The Borden Star




## Turn Your Back

To lead an orchestra, a con- ing themselves to those who are ductor has to turn his back to doing worse. Additionally, the crowd. To lead your life, people love to give their opinyou have to turn your back to ion, often unsolicited. When the crowd. This means you you pay attention to the crowd, have to immunize yourself to you do yourself a disservice. what others say, think, or do At first it won't be easy to relative to your quest to turn your back. You have beachieve your goals.

Just as a conductor must fo- what others think. You want to cus on the performance of the be accepted and fear rejection orchestra, you need to focus on should you not be sensitive to the performance of your life. others opinions. You want to If a conductor faces the crowd, fit in.
he can't direct the musicians. Dave loved to cook and enDo you measure your per- tertain. One beautiful summer formance by what the crowd day, he invited a number of thinks. Are you more con- friends over for a barbecue. He cerned about the opinions of put several steaks on the grill. others than about the direction As he was cooking, one of his of your life? If so, you may friends came over and told find it hard to stay on a path of Dave the steaks needed more your choosing. salt. Wanting to accommodate
Far too many people have his guest, Dave followed his abandoned their dreams due to suggestion. input from the crowd. This is Then another guest came a shame, since it is you who over and suggested the food suffers when your dreams are needed more steak sauce. abandoned. The crowd rarely Again, Dave did as his guest roots for success. They would asked. Each guest proceeded rather see failure. If you doubt to make some suggestion about this, just look at the news. how to make the steaks better; How many stories depict de- add garlic, turn the flame up, feat and tragedy compared to turn the heat down, more success and triumph? spices, less spices.
People tend to be jealous Wh, less spices
When Dave served the when someone does better than steaks, no one liked them. Even them. Rather than attempting though Dave knew how to to elevate themselves, they boost their stature by compar-
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# Coyotes Battle But Fall to Another Ranked Opponent 

By Coach Richey

The Borden County Coy- the Red Devils pushed their otes traveled to Rankin Friday to play their third straight top ten team of the Season, playing the $6^{\text {th }}$ Ranked Rankin Red Devils. The Red Devils took the ball to start the game and marched methodically down the field for a score for the home team and a early 6-0 lead. The Coyotes seemed poised to answer driving inside the Red Devil 20 yard line only to have a sack and a penalty move the ball back before missing a wide open receiver in the end zone on $4^{\text {th }}$ down. This forced the visitors to turn the ball over on downs. The Coyotes would lose Hunter Jones on the play to a sprained ankle and he would not retirn to the game. The home town Red devils extended their lead to $14-0$ with $3: 12$ left in the $1^{\text {st }}$ quarter. Corbin Sumners answered for the Coyotes racing 79 yards to pay dirt with $2: 55$ left in the opening frame. Riley Herridge added the extra point kick to make the score 14-8. The Red Devils quickly answered with 1:06 left in the first to push the lead back to 22-8. Sumners and the Coyotes answered as Corbin followed some nice blocks by Thomas Harrision, Herridge, Tristen Benavidez, Michael Deax and Frank Banman to reach pay dirt 54 yards out. Herridge added the extra point to cut the lead to 22 to 16 with : 47 left in the first.
Rankin answered on their first drive of the second quarter, with another scoring run to extend the lead to 28 to 16 . On the next Borden County drive, the visitors went to the air for their connection as Harrison hit Benavidez on a beautiful pass and great catch to cut the lead to 28 to 22 with $7: 01$ left in the $2^{\text {nd }}$ quarter. The Coyote defense got their first turnover of the game with 5:30 left in the half, giving the visitors an opportunity to take their first lead, but an errant pass by the Coyotes was intercepted by the home team and moments later
lead back up to 36 to 22 Borden County again seemed poised to answer the Red Devils, driving inside the 15 yard line only to have a huge penalty slow the drive, followed by a pass that just missed the outstretched of Benavidez on what appeared to be a touchdown. Unfortunately for the Coyotes, the Red Devils answered and extended their lead to 33 to 22 with just over 3 minutes left.

On the Coyotes next offensive series, another penalty pushed them deep into their territory and then the Coyotes lost Thomas Harrison to an apparent concussion on a sack by the Red Devils. Borden by the Red Devils. Borden
County just missed again on a huge pass play only to give the Red Devils another scoring opportunity before half and that is just what the home team did, pushing the lead to 50 to 22. As a result, just when it looked as though the Coyotes were going to give the \#6 ranked team all they could handle, a couple of miscues and missed opportunities coupled with two key injuries, the Coyotes found themselves down 28 points at half.

On the first drive of the $2^{\text {nd }}$ half, it again appeared that the Coyotes were about to add to their point total when a fumble gave the Red Devils the ball again and they wasted little time extending the lead to 58 to 22. The Coyotes still were not phased and they drove down the field and yet again seemed poised to answer, but as was the case most of the night, a huge penalty wiped out a long run and then on back to back plays Borden County just missed on pass plays, one of which would have been a touchdown that was just out of the reach of Sumners. The Borden County defense got their first defensive stop of the day inside their 2 yard line, but a Coyote fumble would give
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Senior Coyote, Tristan Benavidez, runs the ball for gained yards in Friday nights' bout against the Rankin Red Devils. Tristan had a total of 57 yards for the game, a score and 8 tackles.


Coyote teammates, Colby Pennell (\#33) and Nathan Ham (\#28) together bring a Rankin defender to his knees.


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## School Lunch Мепи

Sept. 23-27, 2013

## Menu subject to change

Monday - Breakfast: PB\&J, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Hamburger, Garden Salad, Fresh Veggie Cup, Mixed Fruit and Milk variety.

Tuesday - Breakfast: Chicken-n-Biscuit, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Steak Fingers, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Apple-Pineapple D'Lite, Roll (9-12 grade only) and Milk.

Wednesday - Breakfast: Pancake Pup, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Baked Potato w/ham \& cheese, Breadstick, Garden Salad, Corn, Snowball Salad and Milk.

Thursday - Breakfast: Animal Cracker \& String Cheese, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Pizza Dippers w/spaghetti sauce, Garden Salad, Baby Carrots, Apple Slices, Breadstick, Vanilla Pudding ( $9-12$ grade only) and Milk.

## Friday

Breakfast:Breakfast Taco, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch:BBQ on a bun, Black Beans, Baby Carrots, Orange Smiles and Milk.
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# Pups Pound the Red Devils in Season Opener 

By Coach Richey

The Borden County Pups take a nice defensive play by In the $2^{\text {nd }}$ half, Wilson conopened the 2013 football sea- Thomas Nix to stop a Red son with a convincing victory Devil drive, but that was the over the visiting Rankin Red only real threat the visitors had Devils. The Pups started out slowly getting stopped on their the quarter, Proulx hit Wib first offensive possession, but with a 36 yard scoring strike to things began to roll after that as the Pups managed 57 points on the day

Nick Proulx followed some nice blocks from center Braxton Barnes, ends Ryan Wilborn and Clayton Addison and Fullback Brian Torres and 0 Quarterback Morgan Wilson en route to a 61 scoring sprint. Wilson hit Wilborn with a pass for the extra point to give the Pups a $7-0$ lead in the first quarter.

In the second quarter, the defensive group of Barnes, Wilson, Wilborn, Torres, and Proulx were joined by several players, Kable Kleck, Thomas Nix and JW Nix, Peyton Merket and Addison who continued to dominate the Red Devils, not allowing a touch-
nected with Wilborn again for a Pup score, this time from 33 yards out. Again the $2^{\text {nd }}$ group came up short so the score remained 25 to 0 . The visitors got on the board for their initial score of the game and got the extra point conversion against Borden County's second defense to cut the Pups lead to 25 to 7 in the $3^{\text {rd }}$. Proulx quickly answered, rumbling 46 yards untouched to push the lead to $31-7$ with $4: 36$ left in the $3^{\text {rd }}$.

The Pups scooped up a fumble on their next defensive series as Wilborn and Barnes sacked the Red Devil quarterback forcing a fumble, but the Pups would come up short as they mixed in some plays with their $2^{\text {nd }}$ team offense. In the their $2^{\text {nd }}$ team offense. In the
$4^{\text {th }}$ quarter, the Pups got a goal $4^{\text {th }}$ quarter, the Pups got a goal
line stand and two plays later, Ryan Wilborn took to the ground Pups second defense to cut their lead to 37 to 14 .

## Players of the Week



Coyote Players of the Week are (left to right) Freshman Jayton Lewis (Running back/Cornerback), Freshman Kale Yarbro (End), Junior Mason Coor (End/Safety), Freshman Hunter Jones (Running back/Safety) and Junior Riley Herridge (Quarterback/Cornerback).


7th grader, J.W. Nix tackles a Red Devil in last weeks home game against Rankin. The Pups defeated the Red Devils 57 to 14.


Nick Proulx runs the ball fora total of 61 yards into the endzone and scores for the Pups.

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## Borden County JV Splits Two Games

By Coach Benavidez

The Borden County JV football squad had two games against Garden City and Klondike on September $5^{\text {th }}$ and $12^{\text {th }}$ respéctively. The young Coyotes were able to split these two games coming away with a loss and a win.

The first game was played at Garden City against a very talent-laden Bearkat squad. The Coyotes were the first to draw blood as Jayton Lewis was able to follow some great blocks by his teammates and take off on a 43 yard run. The PAT was unsuccessful. Two minutes later, the Bearkats were able to punch the ball in from 31 yards out with the PAT. In two of the Coyotes next outings on defense, they were able to stop Garden City on downs. However due to the inexperience of the young Coyote team is partly to blame for the following fact which is that on the Coyotes next five possessions, the team turned the ball over 5 consecutive times after a few plays on each drive. These drive killers definitely aided Garden City as they had a 39-6 advantage with 1:37 left in the $4^{\text {th }}$ quarter.

The Coyotes did score one final time on a 55 yard run by Nathan Souder. The PAT failed making the final score 12-39 in favor of the Bearkats. Diego Bernal led all tacklers on defense with 9, Jayton Lewis was next with 8, Robert Jordan 7, Dylan Murphy, Mason Coor, Steven Carrillo, Kale Yarbro and Nathan Souder each had 5, Braxton Coor and Jaden Huse 2 each.

The next game for the Coyote JV squad was the Klondike Cougars. Borden County traveled to Klondike on the $12^{\text {th }}$ of September. The first quarter was a hot one for the Coyotes
as they scored on 3 different runs by freshman running back Jayton Lewis. The Coyote defense did well holding the Cougars to only one score in the first quarter. The score at the end of the $1^{\text {st }}$ was Borden County 20 Klondike 6.

Both teams continued to get hotter and hotter offensively in the second quarter as Klondike added to its score twice more on runs to make their side of the score board light up to 18 . However, the Coyotes would not be outdone as they were able to score three more times themselves on a run from Jayton Lewis.

Special teams also got in on the scoring mix with a 50 yard kickoff return for a score by Mason Coor. Coor from his quarterback position then quarterback position then Kale Yarbro on a 17 yard strike in the endzone making the score at halftime 18-38 Borden County.

The second half saw the Cougars score one more time to make their final score 25 while the Coyotes added two more scores on another shot from Coor to Yarbro and also a Nathan Souder run into the endzone topping the final score at $50-25$ in favor of the visiting Coyotes.

Leading the team in tackles for this game was Jayton Lewis with 16, followed by Robert Jordan with 12, Kale Yarbro 10, Diego Bernal 9, Mason Coor 7, Nathan Souder 6, Dylan Murphy and Braxton Coor 2 each and Steven Carrillo and Jaden Huse 1 each. Congratulations on the win, guys! Come out and support these Coyotes as they take on the Hermleigh Cardinals at Hermleigh next Thursday.


> The Jr. High Cheerleaders will have a bake sale on

> Sept. $26^{\text {th }}$

## During the

Jr. High home game

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## Pups Defeat

## Red Devils...

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Torres got his first score of the young season as he tip toed his was 41 yards to the end zone to push the lead back to 43 14. JW Nix followed a nice block by Merket that allowed the $2^{\text {nd }}$ team to convert the extra point and a 44-14 lead. After a defensive stop, JW Nix juked his way to pay dirt from 40 yards out and a Pups touchdown. Later on, big brother followed suit reaching the end zone from 21 yards out. Riley Lewis hit Clayton Addison with the extra point pass and the final tally of 57 to 14 and victory number one on the season. The Pups will travel to Hermleigh next Thursday.

## Coyotes Lose to Rankin...

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the Red Devils the ball at the Borden County half yardline.
The Red Devil touchdown on the first play pushed the lead to 64 to 22. The Coyotes again responded offensively driving inside the Red Devil 5 yard line only to have their final run on $4^{\text {th }}$ down come up less than a half yard short of the first down inside the 2 yard line. The Red devils then ended the game on a long run, bringing a close to a much more competitive game than the score will attest at 72 to 22 . The Coyotes had at least 4 or 5 tremendous scoring opportunities that could have made a big difference in the outcome. Again, not saying that the Coyotes could or would beat the Red Devils, but these young men should have played the \#6 team in the state much closer.

Leading the way for the Coyotes was Corbin Sumners with 19 carries for 239 yards and two scores. Sumners also added 6 tackles. Tristen Benavidez had 3 catches for 57 yards and a score and was in on 8 tackles. Hunter Jones was 2 of 2 for 37 yards and 3 tackles. Thomas Harrison was


## Texas Stories

A Showcase of the Texas Spirit Tumbleweed Smith

## Climbing A Waterfall is a Unique Experience

Jamaica is 150 miles long and 50 miles wide. It is just 90 miles south of Cuba. Early people in Jamaica lived in what was called "the Land of Springs." It was once owned by Spain and called Santiago. In the mid-1600's it became under the rule of England and was named Jamaica. In 1962 it achieved full independence from England. With a population of 2.8 million, it is the third largest English-speaking country in the Americas, after the United States and Canada. The musical genre reggae originated on the island. Bob Marley was Jamaican. Ian Fleming, who wrote the James Bond novels, lived in Jamaica and used the island as the setting for many of his stories. His 1962 movie Dr. No was filmed in Jamaica. So was the 1988 film Cocktail starring Tom Cruise. The 1993 comedy Cool Runnings depicted Jamaica's Olympic bobsled team.

Tourism is one of Jamaica's main sources of income with nearly 2 million foreign visitors a year. The island's premier tourist destination is a place called Dunn's River Falls. Water from a natural spring in an underground limestone cave cascades for 600 feet down wide terraced natural stairs into the Caribbean Sea. Geologists call the falls a living phenomenon because they are continuously rebuilt by sediments in the spring water. Visitors go to the falls and climb the slippery slopes while facing rushing water Along the way are lagoons and pools where visitors relax or catch their breath. Walkways and balconies alongside the falls allow people to get photos of their family members in the water.

The falls were in private

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hands for a while, then in
1972 the government attained the property to expand its booming tourist industry. Spaniards called the area "Las Chorreras" (a place where liquid drops) which later became Ocho Rios (eight rivers), even though there are only four rivers in the area. Ocho Rios is the name of a nearby resort city.

When you get to Dunn's River Falls you walk through a tropical forest of shade trees, some of which have bright red blooms. When we were there in mid-July with our party of ten, every cruise ship and resort in Jamaica must have told their guests to go to the falls. It was extremely crowded.

Climbers start at the beach. The falls are rare because they empty directly into the Caribbean Sea. Smart climbers wear water shoes, which adhere to the slippery boulders. You can rent these at the beginning of the climb. The climbers begin the ascent slowly, some forming a human chain led by a guide. The water is cool and most of the climb is in the shade. It takes about an hour and a half to make the uphill trek, more if thousands of people are there.

When visitors first hear about the falls, climbing them looks interesting and fun. But once they start climbing, it becomes a bigger challenge than they anticipated. At the end, there is a good feeling of accomplishment. Not everybody can say they climbed a w a t e r fall Tumbleweed Smith lives in Big Spring and is a folklorist, after dinner speaker and producer of THE SOUND OF TEXAS syndicated radio show. Contact him at tumbleweedsmith.com

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PLANNING MEETING


In the Courthouse in Gail
Anyone wishing to be involved in the Lights for Gail is invited to attend this planning meeting! We welcome everyonel There are many opportunities to volunteer and become involved!! Hope to see YOU there!

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## Have any questions or unable to attend?

Please contact, District Executive, Brian Sweeney at 432-212-3577 or Brian.Sweeney@Scouting.org


Fathers play a critical role in the development of their children, however, many fathers are uncertain about the responsibilities and privileges associated with this role. Children need fathers who love and care for them on a consistent basis. The latest research indicates that fathers who are actively involved in raising their children can make a positive and lasting difference in their lives. Listed are 20 reasons why your child needs you to be an active father. Being and active father:

- Lets your child know that you love him/her.

Provides your child with • Lowers your child's greater financial resources.

- Provides your child with a positive male role model.
- Provides your child with emotional support.

Enhances your child's self-esteem

Enhances your child's intellectual development.

- Provides your child with guidance and discipline.
- Gives your child someone to play with.
- Provides your child with someone to talk to when he/she has questions.

Increases your child's chances for academic success. - Provides your child with an alternative perspective on life.

- Lowers your child's chances for early sexual activity.

Lowers your child's chance for school failure.

- Lowers your child's chances for youth suicide.
- Lowers your child's chances for juvenile delinquency.

Lowers your child's - Provides your child with a sense of physical and emotional security.

Facilitates your child's moral development.

- Promotes healthy gender identity in your child.
- Helps your child learn important life skills.

Fathers, your children need you! Remember, the best gift any parent can give is their TIME!

## Thank You

## We would like to express our deep

 appreciation to the Borden County Spanish Club for the roping that was held in June to benefit Maurice Herridge. Thank you to everyone who helped sponsor this event. A huge thank you to Peter Benavides, for pulling it all together. Also, thank you to the Anderson family for donating a horse to be raffled off, and many thanks to all who bought tickets. We appreciate everyone of you so much. Please continue to keep Maurice in your prayers. God bless,Maurice, Tondra, Seleste, and Maeghan Herridge


A stranger walked into our recording studio and was impressed with all of the equipment that we use. He had difficulty believing everything that he saw. Turning to me he asked, "Where did you get the loot to buy all this?"
"From God," I answered. "We ask Him for what we need and He always provides it to us when we need it!"
We walked to my office and paused in front of our "prayer board" which contained pictures of the items we were praying for. Looking at a folding machine he asked, "Think you'll get it?" replied, "I know we will. God answers prayer!"
With an unbelieving smile he sat down across from me. The phone rang and a voice said, "Just heard your broadcast and it blessed my heart. I want to do something for you. What do you need?"
"A folding machine," I answered. "Order it," he said, ""m sending the check right now.
"Wowl I've just seen a live answer to prayer!"

Jesus said, "Whatever you ask in prayer, you will receive, if you have faith."

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## Dare to Live

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make a tasty steak, he listened becue.
to everyone. The result was inedible food. If Dave had done the cooking his way, everything would have turned out fine. Dave's party would have been much more successful had he turned his back to the crowd.

Imagine Dave's frustration In spite of all the effort, time, and money he put into having a successful party, it was a flop. Dave tried to please everyone but in the end no one was happy.

What happened to Dave is exactly what happens to many people. They take advice from anyone and everyone. Their minds constantly vacillate depending on who they are speaking to at the moment. The result is just as unsatisfactory as the food at Dave's bar-

There was a better way for Dave to handle the situation All he had to do was thank each of his friends for their suggestion while he continued to grill the food his way. With this approach, Dave would have had a successful party without being rude to anyone

Turn your back to the crowd Do your own thing. Conduct your life the way you want Thank others for their suggestions while proceeding along your own path. Keep your attention focused on what's ahead of you.

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You are invited to join us on Tuesday, october 1st at 600 pm .n in the Borden County Event Center for a Fall program to help harvest tips and methods for organzing your life to cnioy more time with you family - from menu plaming, grocery shopping, home management, time managenent and ways to cmjoy quality time together:

Enjoy a sampling of a few simple recipes
and make an easy take-home profect (for even the least creative people)
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## 4-H Enrollment Time!

The start of the new school year means it is also time to enroll in 4-H. Go to https://texas.4honline.com. Members who are re-enrolling will need to update their profiles. New members will need to create a family profile and add members. If you need assistance with passwords, contact the Extension Office - we can help!!

Please note that there is a participation fee of $\$ 20$ per 4-H'er through the end of October (after November 1 it will be $\$ 25$ ). We invite parents to enroll as volunteers (4-H pays the screening fee).

Please feel free to contact the Extension Office if you need any assistance. Looking forward to a great year for Borden County 4-H!!

## 4-H Food \& Nutrition Project

4-H'ers interested in the Food and Nutrition project should make plans to attend the Food and Nutrition Workshop! We have made changes in our meeting times to accommodate the youth involved in cheer practice. We will now be meeting from 5:00-6:00 p.m. on Monday, September 23, Monday, September 30 and Monday, October 7 in the Borden County Event Center This project is for all 4-H youth that are interested in learning about basic nutrition, eating healthy, basic food preparation skills, and much more. For more information, please call Julie at the Texas A\&M AgriLife Extension Service-Borden County Office at 806-756-4336 or email at julie.smith@agnet.tamu.edu


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 ThoughtI thank thee more that all our joy is touched with pain; That shadows fall on brightest hours, that thorns remain; So that earth's bliss may be our guide, and not our chain. For thou, who knowest, Lord, how soon our weak heart clings, Hast given us joys, tender and true, yet all with wings; So that we see, gleaming on high, idviner things -Adelaide Anne Proctor

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## Team Building



## Team Building Friday

by $6^{\text {th }}$ Grade Class Secretary Tatum Treadwell
and $7^{\boldsymbol{h}}$ Grade Secretary J. W. Nix
The team-building event for last week was a National Geographic 12piece puzzle on the Promethean board. The grades were each divided into pairs. The winners for the $6^{\text {th }}$ Grader were Hailey Lowrey and Kaylee Walker. They quickly finished the puzzle in 49.48 seconds. The $7^{\text {th }}$ Grade winners were Kaile Hernandez and Myka Blissard who completed their National Geographic puzzle in 29.28 seconds.


# Farm Service Agency Acreage Reporting Dates for 2014 

(POST, TEXAS) - Garza- Triticale), except Oats Borden County USDA Farm Service Agency (FSA) Executive Director Victor Ashley announced that producers who file accurate and timely reports for all crops and land uses, including failed acreage can prevent the potential loss of FSA program benefits. Please pay close attention to the acreage reporting dates below, as some dates have changed for 2014. "In order to comply with FSA program eligibility requirements, all producers are encouraged to visit the GarzaBorden County FSA office to file an accurate crop certification report by the applicable deadline," said Ashley.

The following acreage reporting dates are applicable for Garza and Borden Counties:
November 15, 2013: Perennial Forage (Grasses and Alfalfa)
crop is reported with the inGrains (Wheat, Barley, Rye, "green manure," "left stand-
ing," or "seed" then the acreage must be reported by July 15 th.

According to Ashley Noninsured Crop Disaster Assistance Program (NAP) policy holders should note that the acreage reporting date for NAP covered crops is the earlier of the dates listed above or $15 \mathrm{cal}-$ endar days before grazing or endar days before grazing or
harvesting of the crop begins.

Additionally, producers can purchase both NAP and RMA coverage for 2014 annual forage crops. NAP coverage will not be available for 2015 annual forage crops

After September 15, 2013, late-file fees will be assessed for 2013 and 2014 late-file acreage reports.

For questions regarding crop certification and crop loss reports, please contact the Garza-Borden County FSA office at 806-495-2801.


For more informtion on listings, please contact Casey McNeely at 806/549-2103.

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| 8 | 9 | 10 School Pictures | 11 | 12 <br> Coyote JH \& JV vs Rankin-Here 5:30/7:00 | 13 <br> Coyotes vs. Rankin- <br> There @7:30 <br> Progress Reports | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 Coyote JH \& JV vs. Hermieigh-There 5:30/7:00 | 20 Coyotes vs. Hermleigh-Here @ 7:30 | 21 Cross Country@ Lubbock |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 <br> Coyote JH \& JV <br> vs. Dawson-Here <br> 5:30/7:00 | 27 <br> Coyotes vs. Dawson There @ 7:30 | 28 <br> UlL Academic Super Conference <br> (a) Texas Tech |
| 29 | 30 |  |  |  |  |  |

## Public Notice

## NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF EXECUTION issued on the $16^{\text {th }}$ day of July, 2013 , by the Honorable Probate Court Number 1 of County of Dallas, Texas, on a judgment rendered on the $26^{\text {th }}$ day of May, 2011 AD in a certain Cause numbered PR-08-02884-1; and styled: Barbara L. Mensch, plaintiff versus Monte Lewis Mensch, Independent Executor and heir of the Estate of Walter H. Mensch Deceased, at al, directed and delivered to me, as Sheriff, I have on this 9th day of September, A.D. 2013, levied upon and will offer for sale on Tuesday, the 1st day of October, A.D. 2013, at approximately 10:00 A.M. at public auction to the highest bidder, for Cash in Hand, at:

The Courthouse Door of the County Courthouse of Borden County, Texas the following described property, to wit:

Any and all right, title and interest in and to any oll and gas interests of any kind including wells and leaseholds owned by Waiter $H$. Mensch or Monte L. Mensch, executor or heir of the estate of Watter H. Mensch, on February 5, 2008 or in any way arising since that time from such interest, anywhere in Sorden County, Texas Including, but not limited to, the areas described in the Property Description below.
Any and all right title and interest in and under of derived from all presently existing contracts, agreements and instruments insofar as they relate to any interest held by Walter H . Mensch or Monte $L$. Mensch, executor or heir of the estate of Walter H. Mensch, on Februan 5, 2008, or arising since that time from any such interest, anywhere in Borden County, Texas including, but not limited to, the area described in the Property Description below including operating agreements, unitization agreements, agreements for the sale or purchase of oil, gas, casinghead gas or CO 2 , and processing agreements.

Any and all right, tide and interest in and to all real and personal property, ixxtures, appurtenances, easements, licenses and permits insofar as they relate to any interest including working interest owned or held by Waiter H . Mensch or Monte L. Mensch, executor or heir of the estate of Walter H. Mensch, on February 5,2008 of in any way arising since that time from any such interest, including all associated equipment, and surface rights, anywhere in Borden County, Texas including, but not limited to, the areas described in the Property Description below.

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PHOTO ID REQUIRED FOR VOTING IN TEXAS
Photo identification will be required for voting in the Constitutional Election on November 5, 2013.

A voter will be required to show one of the following forms of photo identification at the polling location before the voter will be permitted to cast a vote:

Texas driver license issued by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS)
Texas Election identification Certificate issued by DPS
Texas personal identification card issued by DPS
Texas concealed handgun license issued by DPS
United States military identification card containing the person's photograph
United States citizenship certificate containing the person's photograph
United States passport
With the exception of the U.S. Citizenship certificate, the identification must be current or have expired no more than 60 days before being presented at the polling place.
Election identification certificates are now available only for voters who do not already have a required form of photo identification.

If you have any questions, please contact
Joyce Herridge, County/District Clerk
Phone 806-756-4312

## CALENDER FOR CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ELECTION NOVEMBER 5,2013

September 6 First day to submit application for early voting by mail.
October 7 Last day to register to vote
October 21 Early voting by personal appearance begins
October 25 Last day to receive application by mail
November 1 Last day to vote early by personal appearance
November 5 ELECTION DAY

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The above property is levied on as the property of Monte Lewis Mensch, Independent Executor and heir of the estate of Walter $H$. Mensch and will be sold to satisfy a judgment signed on the $26^{* 4}$ day of May, A.D. 2011, in the Probate Cour Number 1 of Dallas County, Texas in favor of Barbara L. Mensch for the sum of $\$ 732,946.00$ prinicipa; ; $\$ 79,200,39$ interest; $\$ 11,3655.61$ Court Costs of the total of which $\$ 473,907.25$ remains unpaid, and the further costs of executing this writ.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND on this the 9th Day of September, A.D. 2013.


SHERIFF
BORDEN COUNTY, TEXAS

## PUBLIC NOTICE

## Brict Explanatory Statements of Proposec Constitutional Amendments Spacial Election November 5, 2013

Proposition Number 1 (H.1R 62)

HIR 62 propoces a constinu fixnal amendimen to auhbrize the legishare to provide by statute for an cxeryption from ad valorem taxation of all or part ef the marhet value of the resideroe lhwestand of the surviving souse of a mem: ber of the linited states armed services who is killed in ac(wom, as long as the surviving spouse has nat remarried An eligitie grouse wha later qualifies a difierent proyerty as the surviving spouse": residence homestead could be authorived by statule to receive an exemption from ad valorem twation in the same amount roceived for the first qualifying bomestead during the last year in which the surviving spmase received the exemption.

The proposed amendment would appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislatarc to provide for anexemperan from ad valorem taxathon of all ar part of the market value of the residence homestead of the sunving spouse of a member of the ammed services of the United States who is killed in action."

## Propasition Number 2

 (H1K 79)HIR 79 propowes a constitutixral amendment to repeal the constitutional provision regaring the crealion of a State Medical Education Boxal and a State Medical EducaGion Fend, neither of which is in opermton. No new loans have been mode from the find by the board in more than 25 years, and the board currently has no apprimees and recetves no. progeram funding:
The propased amendment will appear on the bollot as follows: The cmstitutional amendment climinuting an cheolete requiremsent for a State Medical Education Board and a State Medical Education Fund, neither of which is operationne:"

## Proposition Number 3 (HJR 133)

HRR 133 would aultorixe local political stblivisions to extend the lereht of fime that aincratt
parts sould remain kemporarily in this sate before being subject os ad valorm taxation. Under currem law. merchandies, wares, and goocis (incladux aroraft parts) may remain in this sate temporanily for ip to 175 days before being subyect to ad valoxem exation; the proposed amendment would permit taxing entities to extend the exemption up to 730 diys after the date that a persom acquired or mported sirenaf parts in the stake.
The proposed amendrent will appear on the hallot as follows: "The constitabonal amendment to amhorize a political suldivision of this sate to extend the number of doys thel aircraft perts that are exempt from ad valsem taxation die to their location in this state for a temporary period nay be located in this state for purpoces of qualifying for the tax exexpution:"

## Proposition Number 4 <br> (HJR 24)

HRR 24 proposes a constitatioxal ameniment that would allow the legislature to provide for an exermption from ad valorem tuxation of part of the market value of the residence humestexd of a partially disabled veteran or the sarviving spouse of a partially disabled veteran if the residence homestead was donuted to the disabled veterm at no cost to the veteran by a chartable organization.
The proposed amentruent will aperer on the hallot as follows; The constitutional amendment authorivizy the legishtare to provide for an exemption from ad walkem treation of part of the market whese of the residence bonestead of a partially disabled veteran or the surving spouse of a partially disabled veteran if the residence homestead was donated to the disabled veteran by acharitable organization."
Proposition Number 5 (SJR 18)
SIR 18 would amend the definition of "reverse mortgage" to authorize the making of reverse mortgage lans for the purchase of homestend properry in addition to the curremt
legel uses of thase hans, and for home-nde municipalities would give lenders nocours to fill shont-tern vacancies againct borrowers who fail to timely occupy the hamostcad properties purchased with sach loans. SIR 18 would also add to the definition of "reverse mortage" in extexsion of credit that is not closed berowe the 12tix day after the lender provides to the prospective berower a written notice summaxizing risks and conditions of a neverse mortyage The language of the required natice is preseribed in the resolution.
The proposed amendineat wll appear on the ballot as follows: The constitutional amendment to auhtrize the making of a neverse mwrtage lan for the purchase of homestead property and to amsend lender disolosures and other requirements in connection with a reverse mortgage loan.

## Proposition Number 6 <br> \section*{(S.JR 1)}

SJR 1 mould create the State Whter Implementation Fund as a special fund inside the state measury and outside the General Revente Fund Moncy in the find would be administered by the Texas Wher Derelopment Board (TWDB) and would be used to implement the state water plan, as adopred by gencral law, by TWDu.

The proposed amendruent will appera on the ballot as follows: The constitutional amendment providing for the cration of the State Water Implemen* faton furd for Texas and the State Wieter Implementation Reyenue Fund for Texas to assist in the finumcing of provity projests in the state water plam ocmeare the avalabrity or adequate water respureess"

## Proposition Number 7 (H1) 87 )

HIR 87 propoces a constituthonal amendment to allow foxnc-rule municipalities to solopt charter provisions authoriving the filling of vacancies in the goveming body by appoinmenes, but anly when the remainder of the vacant term is less than 12 months. Under curnext law municipal whers may adopt terms of office for municipal officers longer than two years, but upon approving loniper terms of office, any resulking racancies in aflice mast be fillod by special election. The proposed amendment soukd provide an option

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The proposed amendremt will apper on the ballot as follows: The coustimbonal amendment authorizing a homernle mancipality to provide in its chaster the procodare to fill a vacaxy on its goveming body for which the unexpired term es 12 momhe or less
Proposition Number 8 (II.IR 147 and S.IR 54)

HRR 147 would repeal the Iexas Constituion's maximum tax rate for a Hidalgo County haspital district, the naximum rate is cumently set at 10 cents per \$100 vahation. This rate is lower than the maximam tax rate allowable for hospital districts in all ofher coumies in the State 75 censs per $\$ 100$ valuation). The repeal of the comstitutional cap woull athorize hospital destrice cux rates in Hidalgo Coumy equal to the hospital district tax nate laws applicable to all suther Texas counties.
The proposed ansendment will appear on the ballot as follows: The constitutional amendmeat repealing Section 7. Artiole DX Texas Constitution. which relates to the creation of a hospital destrice in Hidalgo Comaty:

## Proposition Number 9

 (S.JR 42)SIR 42 nould expanal the potentiol sanctions that the Slate Commission an Judicial Conduct can issue following a formal proceding. This comstitutional amendmert would allow the Commission to isane an order of public adnonition, waming. reprumal, of a requisenem to obtain sditioxal training of adxcation in addition the the Conmission's curreat authority to isswe a public corsure er recommend remowat er retirement of a jule.

The propased amxadnent will arpear oa the bullot as follows: The constitutional amend ment relating to exponding the types of sanctions that may be assersed against a jubee or justice following a fommal proceeding instituted by the State Commision on hadicul Condust."
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