



St. Teresa's 2nd Annual Turkey Dinner

St. Teresa's Catholic Church of Friona will host their 2nd annual Turkey Dinner on Sunday, November 11 from 11:00 a.m. to 2 p.m. in St. Teresa's Catholic Hall. They will be serving turkey & dressing, mashed potatoes & gravy, green beans, bread, cranberry sauce, desserts, and tea & coffee. Donations will be \$12 for adults and \$6 for children under 10 years of age. Take-out plates will be available at no additional charge.

Community Thanksgiving Service set for November 18th

The Annual Community Thanksgiving Service will be held on Sunday, November 18 at 6:00 p.m. in the Victory Family Worship Center located at 110 E. 9th Street. This special community service is hosted by Friona Christian Ministries, and is an uplifting time to worship as a community of believers.

A special offering will be taken which will be used throughout the year to help people in our community with basic needs. Everyone is invited to attend this Christian worship service. There will also be a time of fellowship immediately following the service. If possible, please bring a snack and/or dessert for the fellowship.

FHS Veterans Day Program Nov. 9

Friona High School will host their annual Veterans Day Program on Friday, November 9 at 10:00 a.m. in the gym. All area veterans and their families are invited to attend the program.

Jon Field repeats as weekly winner

Jon Field of Amarillo was the only contestant to correctly pick 11 of the 12 games in week 10 and won the \$30 first place prize. Jon's only miss was the Randall-Wichita Falls Rider game. The win also gave him a two point lead in the season standings with two weeks remaining. Jon was also the winner in week 3.

Jeremy Dearing, Logan Loflin, Raymond Diaz, Sawyer Osborn, and Rusty McFarland all correctly picked 10 of the 12 games. Jeremy won the \$20 second place prize by only missing the Oklahoma-Texas Tech tie-breaker by 10 points. Logan Loflin missed the tie-breaker by 11 points and was in the money again with a \$10 third place prize.

With two weeks remaining in the contest, Jon and Jeremy are leading the way but several contestants are still within striking distance. Good luck to all!!! The current standings can be found on page 7.

Sales Tax Revenue Totaled \$2.6 Billion in October

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar said state sales tax revenue totaled \$2.6 billion in October, 7.3 percent more than in October 2017.

"Growth in state sales tax revenue continues to be strong, while moderating from the double-digit pace of recent months," Hegar said. "The rate of growth in sales tax collections continues to be highest from oil and gas-related sectors."

Total sales tax revenue for the three months ending in October 2018 was up 12.6 percent compared to the same period a year ago. The sales

tax is the largest source of state funding for the state budget, accounting for 57 percent of all tax collections.

In October 2018, Texas collected the following revenue from other major taxes on motor vehicle sales and rentals, motor fuel and oil and natural gas production: (1) motor vehicle sales and rental taxes — \$438.4 million, down 2.6 percent from October 2017; (2) motor fuel taxes — \$298 million, down 4.2 percent from October 2017; and (3) oil and natural gas production taxes — \$439.9 million, up 52.4 percent from October 2017.



The Annual Trunk or Treat Halloween event had to be moved to the Friona Community Center because of bad weather but that did not affect the attendance or the enthusiasm of the trick-or-treaters. Another huge crowd attended the event which was sponsored by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office, the Friona Police Department, and Leal's Mexican Food Restaurants of Clovis, NM. In the top photo, freshman running back Jacob Bautista tries a little Halloween hypnosis on the Idalou defensive back.

Other News

Friona Blood Drive

The Friona Community Blood Drive is Thursday, November 8th from Noon until 7:00 p.m. in the Calvary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall at 1500 Cleveland. The Friona Lion's Club will provide lunch for all donors and everyone will receive a Blaze Coffee "Accident Awareness" t-shirt. The blood supply is low and your help is needed and very appreciated!

Friday night is "Senior Night"

The Chieftain-Squaw booster club will honor football, cross country, and cheerleader seniors and their parents in a ceremony before the Friona-Dimmitt football game on Friday night. The event will begin at 6:30 p.m. and the game will start at 7:00 p.m. at Chieftain Field.

Coming Soon

The Friona Chamber of Commerce announced this week that Christmas in the park will be held on Saturday, December 1st from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. A lighted parade will begin at dusk. Also, you may go by the chamber office and enter the "Adopt A Tree" contest. More details next week.

Veterans Day Schedule
Friday, November 9th

Veterans Breakfast at
The Redeemer Center
 7 a.m. to 9 a.m.

Veterans Day Program at
FHS Gym 10 a.m.

Friona Weather November 8-14	T ☁️ 47 28 SE 10-15	F ☁️☀️ 50 30 NE 5-10	S ☁️ 55 34 SSW 20-30	S ☁️☀️ 51 25 NNE 10-20	M ☁️❄️ 41 20 N 10-20	T ☀️ 44 24 WNW 10-20	W ☁️☀️ 55 32 WSW 10-15	Precipitation November 0.00 Year 17.05	Burn Ban: No
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Community Calendar

Send Calendar information to:
frionastar@wtrt.net
 call (806) 250-2211 or fax (806) 250-5127

November 8

- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.
- Snack Pak 4 kids Friona United Methodist Church 4-4:30 p.m.
- Community Blood Drive at Calvary Baptist Church, Noon - 7:00

November 9

- Veterans Day Breakfast at the Redeemer Center 7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.
- Veterans Day Program at FHS Gym 10:00 a.m.

November 10

- PMC free pre-natal classes 9-10 a.m.

November 11

- Veterans Day
- St. Teresa's Catholic Church Turkey Dinner 11:00-2:00

November 15

- Friona Noon Lions Club meeting at noon at Headquarters
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.
- Snack Pak 4 kids Friona United Methodist Church 4-4:30 p.m.
- The Aging and Wellness Workshop at Friona Heritage Estates starts at 10:30 am and the optional lunch is at noon

November 18

- The Annual Community Thanksgiving Service at 6 p.m. at the Victory Family Worship Center.

November 22

- Thanksgiving Day

November 29

- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.
- Snack Pak 4 kids Friona United Methodist Church 4-4:30 p.m.

December 6

- Friona Noon Lions Club meeting at noon at Headquarters
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.
- Snack Pak 4 kids Friona United Methodist Church 4-4:30 p.m.

December 7

- Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day
- Caregivers Coffee Break at First National Bank Community Room 9:30 a.m.

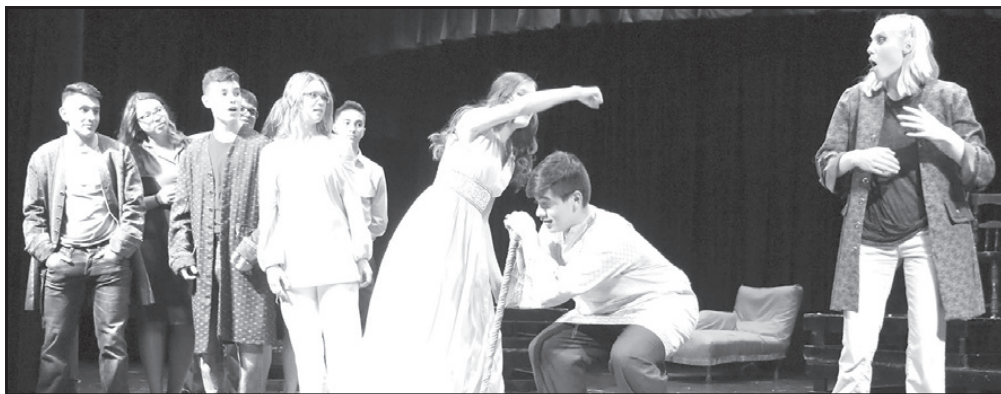
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Chieftain Theatre Company

Marcus Ely
 FHS
 Theatre Teacher



We hope you enjoyed our presentation of Ken Ludwig's Mid-summer/Jersey. Thank you for supporting us and the FHS Theatre Arts program



- ACROSS**
- TX Dan Jenkins' "___ Its Ownself"
 - Astro 4-run swing: "grand ___"
 - Dumas "Dogie ___"
 - boot width
 - TXism: "table grazed"
 - this Sarah designed first lone star flag
 - Archer ____, TX
 - once a race at TX Oatmeal Festival country concert: "Grand ___"
 - military assistants
 - meaning of Spanish words "El Paso"
 - compound excreted in urine
 - once an oft-used football formation (2 wds.)
 - in Parmer County on U.S. 60
 - the Longhorns play these guys yearly
 - ___ Kalb, TX
 - covered by lone star newspapers (2 wds.)
 - TXism: "mean as a bulldog on a gunpowder ___"
 - TX-based eatery: "Steak and ___"
 - this doc was famous for his TV spot
 - TX soft drink
 - River Trent tributary
 - seaweeds on the TX coast, e.g.
 - black-___ pea
 - famous TX western retailer ___ Leddy's
 - small mountain lake precedes "la-la"
 - TX B.J. Thomas tune: "Bring ___ Time"
 - football play when only a yard is needed: "quarterback ___"
 - Buchanan ___ on the Colorado River
 - "Little Joe ___ Familia"
 - hallucinogenic drug
 - TX "Turtle Lady," Loetscher
 - La Grange is the seat of this county
 - TXism: "never let ___" (composure)
 - TXism: "it's good for what ___ you"
 - TXism: "he can ride all ___ night" (stamina)
 - a 5th quarter for the Cowboys (abbr.)
 - elected TX county prosecutor (abbr.)
 - TXism: "straight as a movie ___"
 - state where Emmitt & Troy are enshrined
 - cattle auction indications
 - TX Vikki Carr had a Latin hit with "___ Amor" (1991)
 - sandwich cookie
 - loblolly pine in East TX is a long-___ tree
 - Deshaun Watson & Dak Prescott, e.g.
 - TXism: "he speaks cow like a ___" (good rancher)
 - UT QB Chis Simms played for this city's pro team (abbr.)
 - TX in July & August
 - TXism: "beats anything I ___ saw"
 - digital image dot
 - wreath for the head
 - private sch. to get ready for college
 - Irish for "Ireland"
 - TX-born Debbie's "The Singing ___"
 - this TX-born Keyes was Suellen in film "Gone With the Wind" (init.)
 - TXism: "snug as ___ in a pod"
 - heap of combustible material for cremating a corpse
 - popular dogs
 - a homestyle cooking eatery, mostly in TX
 - in Wichita County on highway 258
 - TX pro golfer Kite (init.)

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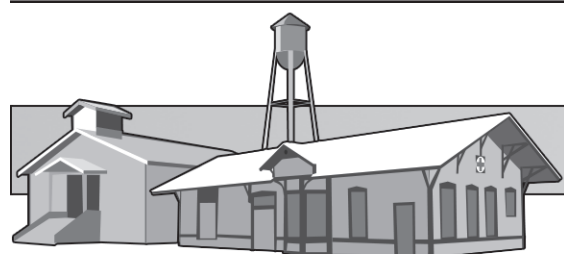
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Blood supply is low, Coffee memorial needs your help. Friona Community Blood Drive will be Thursday, November 8 from 12:30- 7 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church in the Fellowship Hall.

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Water improvement construction will be on N. Walnut Ave and on E. 14th St. Con-

struction will continue for the next 25 weeks. Completion date is schedule for April 15, 2019. For more information or for any questions you may contact the City's Public Works Director, Salvador Garcia at 806-250-2761

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The Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District is

sponsoring an Essay contest, open to all Parmer County resident students 18 years old and younger. They are also hosting a Poster contest for resident students 12 years old and younger. This year the theme is "Life in Soil: Dig Deeper." There are cash prizes of up to \$100 for essay winners. Call 806-481-3311 x3 for poster board and

entry forms.

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Please consider donating to the United Way and help our community continue caring for others. The United Way is accepting money donations at the Interbank.

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An AA meeting for the Parmer County area has been schedule for Thursday, November 15 at the Friona United Methodist Church located at 301 E. 8th street in Friona. The meeting will start at 7:00 p.m. and please use north entrance of the building on 9th street.

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The Aging and Wellness Workshop offered monthly is a growing fun event for seniors in the community as well as residents at Friona Heritage Estates. Fun filled thought provoking topics are discussed in a small group setting. Inspirational healthy topics aid seniors to develop and maintain positive habits that enable aging with grace and knowledge. Knowledge is power; thus, seniors feel embraced with good information, building relationships, and an optional healthy meal provided by Friona Heritage Estates. Please join us for a time of food, fun, fellowship and continue to age well with grace! For more information, please call Rhonda at Bluebonnet 247-0057 or Courtney at Friona Heritage Estates 250-5599. The event date for November will be Thursday November 15th at 10:30 a.m.. Then the event will go back to the regular date which will be held the third Friday of the month at 10:30 a.m. and the optional lunch is at noon. The place is the Friona Heritage Estates Dining Room. RSVP is appreciated the day before. RSVP to the number of 250-5599.

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Christmas in Friona will be on November 15, 16, and 17. Participating merchants will be Creative Chaos Boutique, Bi-Wize, Ivy Cottage, and Milk House Market. Stay connected through social media.

Good job to the FHS Thespians for their amazing fall play of "Mid-Summer is Jersey".

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Christmas in the park will be December 1 beginning with Santa's arrival at 3:00 pm-5:00 pm. Lighted parade will begin at dusk. Be sure and enter your lighted float, bicycle, golf cart, walking stick or just yourself. Write your letters to Santa in advance and give them to the elves.

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Adopt a tree, go by the chamber office and pick out your

special tree to decorate. Voting for best dressed tree will be done by canned foods to be donated to the Friona Food Bank. The tree with the most canned goods will be the winner of the traveling Christmas tree. The best dressed

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Just a reminder the chamber is still issuing Texas license tags. They are unable to issue farm tags or semi-trucks. Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture 621 Main Street, Friona, Texas 79035, Phone: (806) 250-3491 ,Fax (806) 250-2348

FRIONA FLASHBACKS

From the Friona Star Archives

November 8, 2017

The FHS Squaws Volleyball team got a treat on Saturday, November 4. They stopped at the All-sups in Plains on their way to the Area Volleyball Playoffs in Seminole and got to meet legendary Dallas Cowboy Hall of Fame Charles Haley. The ladies got his autograph and a picture before taking on Alpine.

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November 13, 2008

Around 10 a.m. Saturday morning November 8, DPS Trooper Joel Rejino initiated a traffic stop just east of Friona on Highway 60. The driver of the 1996 Ford explorer was JaWayne Helfferich, 39, of Clovis, New Mexico. The female passenger in the vehicle was his mother Glenda Camp, 66, of Portales, New Mexico. When Trooper Rejino told Helfferich to exit the vehicle for a field sobriety test he sped away into Friona, initiating a one hour chase that covered more than 40 miles along dirt roads, into pastures, then ending on County Road 21 in Curry County about 12 miles north of Clovis, New Mexico.

Helfferich's vehicle entered Friona and Friona Police Lieutenant Isidro Jimenez joined the chase in and followed the pursuit to its end. Parmer County Deputies and New Mexico Police eventually joined the chase. According to the release of New Mexico State Police, one of the Parmer County Deputies fired shots during the chase in an attempt to stop the vehicle. Helfferich vehicle collided with Trooper Rejino's patrol unit forcing him into a ditch on Curry 21. Rejino got out of his car as Helfferich made a U-turn and drove toward him. The trooper fired at Helfferich's vehicle, wounding the man and ending the pursuit. Lt. Jimenez was on the scene and administered first aid to the suspect. Helfferich was transported by ambulance to Plains Regional Medical Center and later airlifted to University Medical Center in Lubbock. He was said to be in serious condition. It was not known why

Helfferich ran from Trooper Rejino . Lt. Jimenez said there was a warrant on him in Curry County and alcohol was suspected to be a factor. The suspects mother Glenda Camp, later told Clovis newspaper that her son was not armed and never threatened officers.

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November 16, 1996

Chamber Kicks Off Holiday Promo. The retail Committee of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture has announced that it's "HO!HO! Home for the Holidays" promotion will begin on Friday, November 15, through Friday December 13. The promotion has been revised from recent years in order to accommodate the shopper and merchant. Each participating merchant will be provided with tickets and gift boxes for collection. Each costumer will be given one ticket per purchase to fill out with his or her name, address and merchant's name. The tickets will be collected from merchants on Friday, December 13. On that date, there will be a drawing from the box of each participating merchant. Each winner will receive \$25 in Friona Bucks to be spent with the merchant from which their ticket was drawn. The names from each store will then combined for one final drawing. The amount of the grand prize will be determined according to the number participating merchants. The grand prize is expected to be in the neighborhood of \$675.

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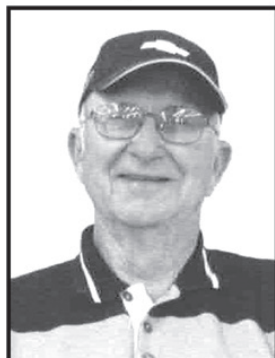
November 15, 1986

The Friona Chieftain football team will meet Perryton Friday in a bi-district playoff game in Amarillo. The Chieftains, 8-2, represent District 2-3A as the districts second-seeded team. Perryton, 7-2 won the top seed in district 1-3A. Friona was hit by wintry blast on Wednesday of this week, when an Arctic front blew through, bringing chill factor readings of up to 15 degrees below zero, and by far the coldest weather of the season.

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This Week's Game:

Friona Chiefs vs Dimmitt Bobcats at Friona on Friday, November 9 at 7:00 p.m.

Being Thankful, Part 1

By Teena Hughes

I remember Don Boren asking me to chair Council on Ministries (COM) in our church. I told him I would do it for two years. Five ministers and ??? years later, I am still the chair.

COM plans and carries out the ministry and fellowship of our church. One of the many things I learned from the Walk to Emmaus was that if your minister is gone, your church should continue to function as if he/she is there. And, that is one of the things I have tried to accomplish as COM chair.

While I grew up to be very independent and try to do everything by myself, I have learned that in any church, it takes people to carry out ministry and fellowship events. Lately, I have been feeling extra thankful for the people in my church.

Women graciously cook so we can feed the WT Wesley Foundation twice a year and have a stew supper to feed kids and their parents who attend our All-Saints Carnival. They also bake some of the BEST cookies!!!

Kidz for Christ (KfC) is our largest ministry, and most of the volunteers don't have a child or grandchild involved; they just come to the church every Wednesday, prepared to do whatever God asks of them.

The men in our church help out by cooking meals, making repairs to the church, helping others through our backyard ministries, and just doing whatever is asked of them.

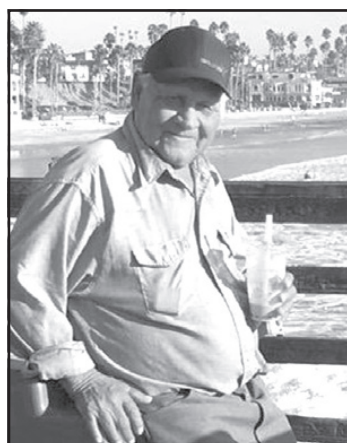
Men and women serve in teaching, sharing their musical gifts, and serving on the media team.

Over the years, God has taught me that I cannot do everything all by myself. He also taught me through Emmaus that by doing everything myself, I deprive others of serving and growing in the Lord and growing their leadership abilities. I have gotten better about asking people to help and delegating responsibilities, but it is something I still work on.

So, to everyone at Friona United Methodist Church (and all the churches in Friona), THANK YOU for EVERYTHING you do to serve God and His Kingdom. May each of you receive an extra portion of God's blessings as we prepare for Thanksgiving!!!

OBITUARIES

Nicolas Juarez



Nicolas Juarez, 81 of Farwell passed away November 1, 2018 in Lubbock. Celebration of Life Services were held Monday, November 5, 2018 at Friona Para Cristo Llamados A Conocerle with Pastor Aurelio Silva, officiating. Burial followed in the Friona Cemetery by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

Nicolas was born November 2, 1936 in Mexico to Jose and Elisea Torrez Juarez. He later married Ana Cabrera December 31, 1959 in Mexico.

He was a truck driver that loved his work. He was a man full of joy helping people in need, actively serving his church and loving his family. His smiles and laughter will be missed by many.

Preceding him in death is his parents, wife, 3 sisters and 1 brother.

Those to carry on his legacy include: 3 sons- Juan Juarez of Fallbrook, CA., Lupe Juarez of Texico, and Eloy Juarez of Farwell, 4 daughters-Antonia Ramirez of Friona, Victoria

Costilla of Fairview Height, IL., Gloria Juarez of Friona and Maria Teresa Tarango of Clovis, 2 brothers-Gregorio Juarez of Ira, Texas, Nazario Juarez of Mexico, 1 sister-Eliberta Juarez of Snyder, Texas, and 26 grandchildren.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online register book at www.hansardfamily.com



Texas Crop and Weather Report: Texas Panhandle

Temperatures were near to slightly above normal. Soil moisture was adequate. Briscoe County wheat looked good. Cotton fields looked excellent with many fields opening and producers preparing for harvest. Cotton farmers began stripping areas that had dried out, but many were still waiting for fields to dry enough to finish harvest. Late corn harvest continued. Wheat plantings were ongoing, but some producers were waiting on some corn to be harvested so drills could pull in behind com-

bines. Some planted wheat produced excellent stands. Harvest of all summer crops was in full swing. Soybean harvest was complete. Cattle were supplemented on range. Weaning of spring calf herds continued. This summary was compiled by AgriLife Extension district reporters.

Psalm 103—Bless the Lord

Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Blessing the Lord and praising the Lord ought to be the natural, regular and intentional response of His redeemed children, but often it can be hard to muster up the want to, gumption and energy to really praise and bless God as He deserves. Thankfully, Psalm 103 is a strong antidote to the cancer of spiritual apathy. The cure that Psalm 103 presents is not a guilt trip regarding spiritual laziness, or waiting for perfect circumstances, but calls you to fix your gaze upon His character, which doesn't change with circumstances or bow to feelings, but is the anchor our souls need.

The Psalm starts out as a call for you to bless the Lord, with all that you are. God expects praise to be 110%, not 20%, 30% or even 90%, because He alone is worthy. From there He reminds us not to forget His benefits, the greatest of which is His forgiveness of our sins. Next, the Psalm shifts into hyper drive regarding a clear focus on the forgiving, firm and loving nature of God. In fact, Psalm 103:12 is where the Bible says our sins are removed "as far as the east is from the west," which is an infinite amount. Because of God's amazing nature and awesome ways, don't wallow in your problems, but bless and praise His name for He reigns and He forgives all who call upon Him through Jesus Christ.

Panhandle Parables

God and Country

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

By the time you actually get to read this the dust of the election will be settled, well sort of. Don't worry this is not a political article, at least I don't think that is where this is going. I will say this it has saddened me to see believers beat each other red and blue during this election cycle. But beyond the politics and 1st and 2nd Amendment arguments there is a group of men and women of whom I would like to take a moment to thank for protecting our process and all the rights and privileges that we are blessed enough to appreciate if we are paying attention.

I would like to thank those who have served this country and were able to come home and become veterans. I have friends on both sides of the political isle that have served our nation and I am thankful for all of them. Because of these veterans, I can stand before a crowd each Sunday and preach from God's Word. I can assemble and worship in freedom. Because of these veterans each of us can cast a ballot that allows our voice to be heard. Because of these veterans I can travel across the United States because that is what they fought to protect. Both my grandfathers fought in World War II. My dad served during Vietnam, my cousin served several tours in Iraq and Afghanistan and retired with over 20 years of service. I pray we not take lightly the sacrifices of the thousands and thousands that have served to protect our way of life. Paul says in Romans 13 to give honor where honor is due. For those who served this great nation, thank you. To those who continue to serve thank you. May God grant you blessing and peace. May we give you honor. This Sunday is Veterans Day. If given the opportunity shake a hand of a veteran and thank them. You can never appreciate someone too much who is willing to die for you. Happy Veteran's Day.

Creating Your Own Fabric Design

Date: Saturday, December 1, 2018
Time: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. (lunch in class)

Create/design how your own unique fabric looks by adding multiple elements and processes to your plain base fabric. Relax, play, and create using stamps, inks, color pens and pencils, various types of paper items (such as old stamps, old sewing patterns, printed paper napkins, used teabags, postal stamps dollies, etc.) Use metallic leaf, drawing of your creation, and/or writing. Let your imagination soar. This fabric can be used in many different ways which will be discussed and if time allows, you can begin your next project using uniquely created fabric.

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FBC Friona Kids Choir Presents:

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Sunday, November 18th @ 10:40am

A Thanksgiving musical complete with Pilgrims, Indians, and the story of the first Thanksgiving. The songs give praise to God for all He has done for us, especially through His Son, Jesus Christ. Don't miss this special blessing!



"We Live by Faith, Not by Sight." 2 Corinthians 5:7

Friona

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Website-www.frionaumc.com

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Scoreboard

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8th Grade Football
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Friona Maidens 8th B team
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High School Basketball

November 10th
@ Bovina
JV Girls
Varsity Girls

Junior High Basketball

November 12th
Girls @ Tulia
7th Grade at 5:00
8th Grade at 6:15
C Team at 7:30

Junior Varsity Football
Friona 18 Tulia 6

7th Grade Football
Friona 30 Tulia 20

Friona Maidens 7th B team
Friona 62 Dimmitt 2

November 13th
vs. Dalhart
JV Girls at 5:00
Varsity Girls at 6:30

Freshman Football
Friona 41 Idalou 22

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Area Playoffs
Friona 1 Sonora 3

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Friona 29 Dimmitt 17



Varsity Football
The Chieftains lost to Tulia 44-6 last Friday night and were eliminated from the playoffs. The Chiefs have a record of 4-5 and look to finish the season on a winning note as they host Dimmitt this week. This week will be the final game of the season. It is "Senior Night" and senior players and their parents will be recognized before the game.

Junior Varsity Football
The JV football team beat Tulia by the score of 18-6. Josiah Rejino scored on touchdown runs of 6 yards and 5 yards. Josiah also threw a 15 yard touchdown pass to Javier Rodriguez. The defense played very well and held Tulia to only six points. This week: @ Dimmitt at 6:30



Freshman Football
The Freshman Football team beat Idalou by the score of 41-22. Scoring was as follows. In the 2nd quarter, Alberth Arguellos ran one yard for a touchdown and Tim Ally kicked the PAT. Bryan Chavira ran 5 yards for a touchdown and Tim kicked the PAT. Alberth Arguellos ran one yard for a touchdown and Tim kicked the PAT. Alan Martinez intercepted an Idalou pass. In the 3rd quarter, Jacob Bautista ran 10 yards for a touchdown and Tim kicked the PAT. Tim kicked an onside kick and recovered it himself. In the 4th quarter, Jacob ran 30 yards for a touchdown. Later, Jacob ran 60 yards for a touchdown and Tim kicked the PAT. Moises Pina made the second pass interception of the game. This week: @ Dimmitt at 5:00.



Junior High Football
The 7th grade football team beat Tulia by the score of 30-12. Isaac Olmos had 2 touchdowns and was leading receiver with 70 yards. Diego Oviedo and Aidan Trevino had one touchdown each. This week: Dimmitt at 5:00 at Chieftain Field.

The 8th grade football team beat Tulia by the score of 22-16. Mario Bautista had 2 touchdowns and was leading rusher with 112 yards. Josiah also had a touchdown. This week: Dimmitt at 6:30 at Chieftain Field.

Varsity Volleyball
The Friona Squaws fell to the Sonora Lady Broncos 1-3 (12-25, 15-25, 25-23, 17-25) in the Area playoff round last Thursday night in Seminole. The Squaws finished the season with a record of 31-8. The Squaws won the Logan Tournament, beat long-time rival Shallowater, finished second in District 1-AAA behind state-ranked Bushland, and were Bi-District Champions. Congratulations on a great year!!!



7th Grade Cheerleaders, Back Row (l-r): Mercedes Espinoza, Reese Stowers, Melody Upton, Amy Montana, Reagan Daniels, Middle Row (l-r): Gabriella Castillo, Jaycee Burney, Saraya Luna, Alezandra Rodriguez, Front Row (l-r): Yeslie Faudoa, Ellie Galaviz, Yvonne Legarreta, Not pictured: Genesis Hernandez.

8th Grade Cheerleaders, Back Row (l-r): Karlee Osborn, Emma Schueler, Elaney Arzate, Kamryn Riethmayer, Middle Row (l-r): Rosangela Alonzo, Janessa Garcia, Breanna Rivera, Nicole Guerra, Front Row (l-r): Litzzy Gonzalez, Vanessa Perez



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88 Jeremy Dearing	68 Eddie Gauna
86 Scott Brown	Ambrosio Rios Jr.
85 Mike Field	67 Tenna Montana
84 Sandra Berend	Rodney Shelby
Andy Montana	66 Joy Morton
83 Rusty McFarland	Robert Rios
82 Mack McFarland	64 Harley Merritt
Enrique Rodriguez	63 Amy Montana
81 John Curtis	Teresa Shelby
Laura Field	62 Jimmy Anima
Brent Loflin	Tim Elmore
Logan Loflin	Liz Field
80 Birdie Owens	58 Martha Rodriguez
79 Mal Manchee	56 Branden Paschal
Linvell Rose	53 Delia Rios
Tyrone Shelby	51 Butch Casey
78 Wm. Gromowsky	Greg Lewellen
77 Frank Dominguez Jr.	
Brett Field	
David Smalts	
76 Lester Fennell	
Yvette Garcia	
75 Sawyer Osborn	
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*District Game		JV Girls	JV Boys	V Girls	V Boys
November 10	@Bovina	TBA	-	TBA	-
November 13	Dalhart	5:00	-	6:30	-
November 16	@ Vega	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
November 20	@ Littlefield	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
November 27	Boys Ranch	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
Nov. 29-Dec. 1	@ Nazareth Invitational	-	-	TBA	TBA
Nov. 29-Dec. 1	Frona JV Tournament	TBA	TBA	-	-
December 4	Sunray	4:00	4:00	5:15	6:45
December 6-8	@ Farwell Tournament	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
December 14	@ Bushland*	5:00	-	6:30	-
December 14	@ Vega	-	5:00	-	6:30
December 18	Muleshoe*	5:00	-	6:30	-
December 18	McLean	-	-	-	5:00
December 21	@ Canadian*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
December 27-29	@ Littlefield Invitational	-	-	TBA	TBA
January 3	River Road*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 5	Spearman*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 8	@ Tulia*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 11	Bushland*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 15	@ Dimmitt*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 18	Canadian*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 22	@ Muleshoe*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 25	@ River Road*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
January 29	Tulia*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
February 1	@ Spearman*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
February 5	Dimmitt*	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00
February 8	@ Bushland*	-	5:00	-	6:30
February 12	Muleshoe*	-	5:00	-	6:30

Texas Weekly Fuel Update and Outlook

Gasoline prices in Texas have fallen 6.5 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$2.48/g yesterday, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 13,114 stations in Texas. This compares with the national average that has fallen 7.0 cents per gallon versus last week to \$2.73/g, according to GasBuddy.

Including the change locally during the past week, prices yesterday were 23.3 cents per gallon higher than a year ago and are 18.2 cents per gallon lower than a month ago. The national average has dropped 17.7 cents per gallon during the last month and stands 20.9 cents per gallon higher than a year ago.

"Motorists have just enjoyed the largest one week decline in average gas prices in 2018 with the national average falling to its lowest level since April," said Patrick DeHaan, head of petroleum analysis for GasBuddy. "Oil markets have been weak as refinery maintenance season has slowed down crude oil inputs, leading to oil inventories that have risen noticeably. In addition, jitters over the economy and stock market have helped to push values down. But beware- any politician taking credit ahead of the elections is absolutely pulling your leg. We should see prices move lower yet again- but this behavior is par for the course every autumn. In addition, sanctions on Iran were reimposed yesterday, but while some countries that import oil from Iran have waivers, those waivers may be temporary- so the drop at the pump may not continue indefinitely."

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IN THE INTEREST OF:

Name **Fernanda AC**
Year of Birth **2018 A female**

Case No. **2018-JC-0000037**

NOTICE OF HEARING-Publication

Pursuant to K.S.A. 38-2237

TO: Unknown Fathers
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You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed in this court alleging that the child named above is a Child in Need of Care. The Court may find that the parents are unfit by reason or conduct or condition which renders the parents unable to care properly for a child, the conduct or condition is unlikely to change in the foreseeable future, the parental rights of the parent should be terminated, and a permanent custodian should be appointed for the child.

A hearing on the petition is scheduled for the 4 day of December, 2018, at 1:15 p.m. At the hearing the Court may issue orders relating to the care, custody and control of the child. The hearing will determine if the parents should be deprived of their parental rights and the right to custody of the child.

The parent(s), and any other person having legal custody are required to appear before this Court on the date and time shown, or to file your written response to the petition with the Clerk of the District Court prior to that time. Failure to respond or to appear before the Court at the time shown will not prevent the Court from entering judgment as requested in the petition, finding that the child is a Child in Need of Care, removing the child from the custody of parent, parents or any other present legal custodian until further order of the Court, or finding the parents unfit, and entering an order permanently terminating the parents' parental rights.

An attorney has been appointed as guardian *ad litem* for the child: Christine Larson, 419 N. Washington, Liberal KS 67901. You have the right to appear before the Court and be heard personally, either with or without an attorney. The Court will appoint an attorney for any parent who desires an attorney but is financially unable to hire one. The Court may order one or both parents to pay child support.

Date and time of hearing: December 4, 2018 at 1:15 pm.

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/s/ Sonia Nava, Deputy Clerk

Clerk of the District Court

2018-2019 Friona Maidens, Braves and C Team Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	PLACE	TIME
Nov. 5	Dimmitt	G (T)		5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Nov. 12	Tulia	G (T)	B (H)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Nov. 19	Muleshoe	G (H)	B (T)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Nov. 26	Dimmitt	G (H)	B (T)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Dec. 3	Tulia	G (H)	B (T)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Dec. 10	Muleshoe	G (T)	B (H)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Dec. 17	Dimmitt	G (T)	B (H)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Jan. 7	Tulia	G (T)	B (H)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Jan. 10,12	Frona JH Tournament			TBD
Jan. 14	Muleshoe	G (H)	B (T)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Jan. 21	Dimmitt	G (H)	B (T)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Jan. 28	Tulia	G (H)	B (T)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Feb. 2	Girls District Tourney (7th@RRHS, 8th@BHS, 9th@RRHS)			TBD
Feb. 4	Muleshoe	G (T)	B (H)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30
Feb. 9	Boys District Tourney (7th@BHS, 8th@RRHS, 9th@BHS)			TBD
Feb. 11	Dimmitt		B (T)	5:00 / 6:15 / 7:30

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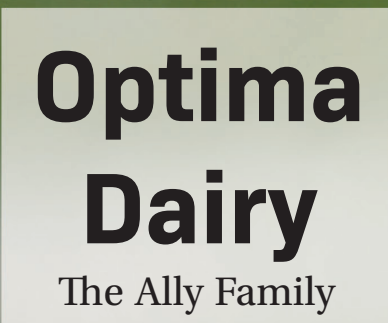
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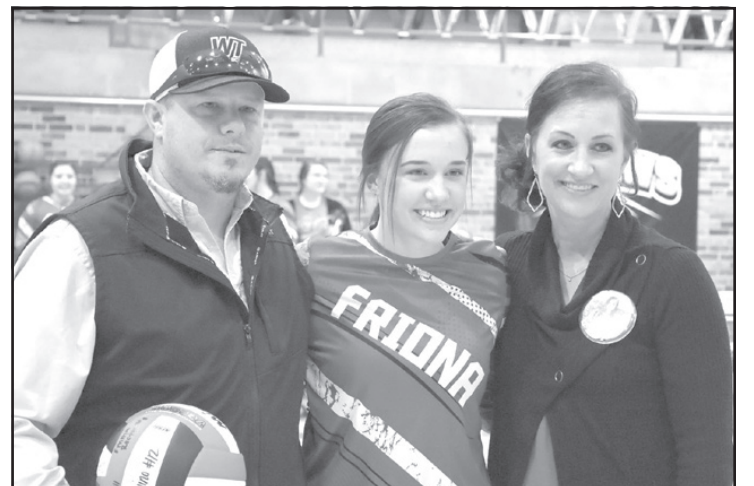
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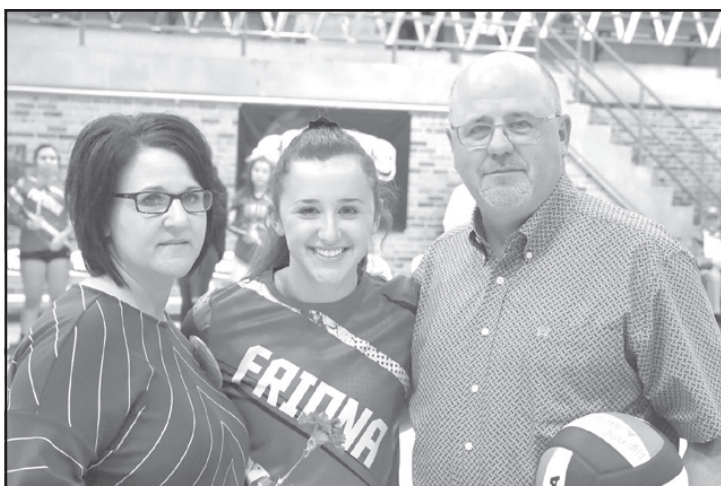
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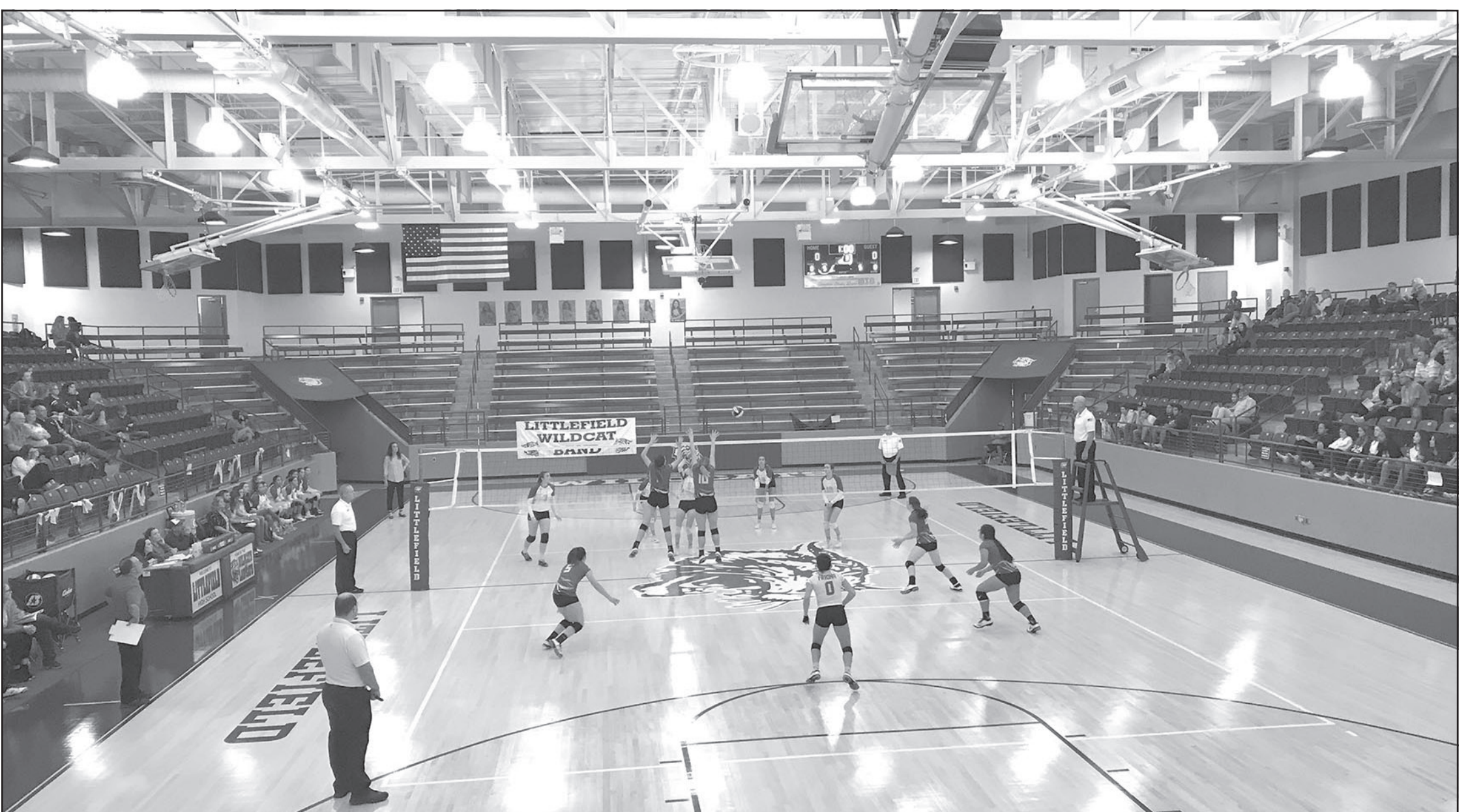
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Small Town Cookin'

By Jeri Lynn White

Pumpkins, Again

The book, Pumpkin Town by Katie McKy, is a tale of a family of brothers who grow and harvest pumpkins. Each year the brothers keep the best pumpkins for themselves and pick out all the best seeds. The town runs into a problem when the brothers throw the lesser seeds into the wind. The seeds plant themselves all over the town and the next year grow into pumpkins. The brothers save the day when they sneak into town at night and gather up all

the pumpkins. As I was sharing this story with the children at the library, I realized that the author must have done her research because she mentioned varieties of pumpkins like Jack-be-Littles and Big Moons. After researching for last week's article, I knew these to be actual kinds of pumpkins. How fun is it when you learn something new and then notice this information in different places?

This story of pumpkin growing brothers got me to thinking

about how pumpkins are really grown. Then Bill reminded me that pumpkins are grown here around Friena. In fact, Mike Ratke grows quite a few acres. So, I called him and spent about forty minutes learning about growing pumpkins.

He began growing pumpkins in 1992 and now grows around 300 acres of pumpkins each year. Pumpkins are sold by the truckload. Each truck holds around 60 produce bins, and they loaded out around 450

trucks this season. That totals to about 960,000 pumpkins. These are sold and trucked to familiar stores such as Kroger's, Walmart, SafeWay, HEB, WinnDixie, and Sprouts, just to name a few.

Mike explained that over the years, just like with corn or sorghum, different varieties of pumpkins have come on the market, each with its own host of characteristics. The variety he grows is known as Magic Lantern. This variety is great for creating jack-o-lanterns because of its bright green stem and its resistance to mildew. This variety also grows to a very uniform medium size known as a 40 counter.

Growing pumpkins begins between June 5 -10. In 30 days, the pumpkins are blooming. I asked about water usage for pumpkins especially compared to other crops. Mike explained that pumpkins require as much water as corn, but not for as long a period. When the pumpkins begin to produce fruit, they really need water, around 45 days into the growing season. This water not only supports the growing fruit, it keeps the plant cool during the hot summer days. A pumpkin will mature in about 105-115 days. So, around September 15, the pumpkins are ready for harvest.

Pumpkins are harvested by hand directly into the produce bins that we see at the grocery store. These bins are on trailers that carry them across the country. If you are interested in watching how pumpkins are harvested, Mike shared some YouTube links with me. They used a drone to document the pumpkin harvest. Just search for Hector Rivera, 2018 Pumpkin Harvest on YouTube, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ZyOnl9RpDA>.

Although the pumpkins that Mike grows are not for human consumption, pumpkins are

subject to food safety regulations. This determines how the pumpkins are grown, harvested, packaged, warehoused, and labeled. Each pumpkin is required to have a sticker that tells the name of the farm, where the farm is located, and that it is produce of the USA. The pumpkins are also to be kept in bins and on pallets that have barcodes that show where these pumpkins were grown. As with most things in agriculture, the traceability of products increases cost for producers.

One of the most interesting facts I learned was about the pollination of the pumpkins. Female pumpkin blooms are only open for one day. During this short window of opportunity, bees must pollinate this bloom. Mike explained that the first bloom is the best to polli-

nate because it is in the crown of the plant. This produces the best fruit. Since we don't have enough naturally occurring bees, Mike hires a professional bee keeper from Colorado. He brings the bee hives to the pumpkin fields each year in time for the bees to do their pollinating job. The bee keeper places one hive per acre on the corners of the pumpkin circles. The hives are clean when they are placed in the fields. Then Mike and his wife Donna get to keep the honey that is produced by the bees. This honey is then packaged and sold at their bakery in Farwell, Annie and Martha's Artesian Bakery. After visiting with Mike and watching the harvesting videos, I have a much greater appreciation for the pumpkins I pick through at the store.

The Pumpkin Snickerdoodles recipe was given to me by Bill's Aunt Gail. These are tasty cookies that are great with a glass of milk or cup of tea.

Pumpkin Snickerdoodles

A Sweet Pea's Kitchen Creation, inspired by Recipe Girl barely adapted from Cook's Illustrated

Ingredients

- 2 3/4 cups all-purpose flour
- 2 teaspoons cream of tartar
- 1 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon pumpkin pie spice
- 1 3/4 cups sugar, divided
- 2 sticks unsalted butter, softened
- 1 large egg
- 3/4 cup pumpkin puree (I used 1 whole can when I doubled the recipe.)
- 2 tablespoons ground cinnamon

Directions

Adjust the oven racks to the upper-and lower-middle positions and heat the oven to 400 degrees F. Line two baking sheets with parchment paper; set aside. In a large bowl, whisk together flour, cream of tartar, baking soda, salt and pumpkin pie spice; set aside. In the bowl of a stand mixer fitted with a paddle attachment, cream the butter and 1 1/2 cups sugar at medium speed until light and fluffy, about 2 minutes. Scrape down the sides of the bowl with a rubber spatula as needed. Add the egg and beat at medium speed until combined, about 30 seconds. Add the pumpkin puree and beat at medium speed until combined, about 30 seconds. Add the dry ingredients and beat at low speed until just combined, about 30 seconds, scraping down the bowl as needed. Place the remaining 1/4 cup sugar and cinnamon for rolling in a shallow bowl. Roll a heaping tablespoon of dough into a 1 1/2-inch ball, roll the ball in the sugar mixture, and place it on the prepared baking sheet. Repeat

with the remaining dough, spacing the balls about 2 inches apart. Bake the cookies, one sheet at a time, until the edges are set and just beginning to brown, but the centers are still soft and puffy, 10 to 12 minutes, rotating the baking sheet halfway through baking. Cool the cookies on the baking sheets about 5 minutes; using a wide metal spatula, transfer the cookies to a wire rack and cool to room temperature.

Recipe Notes:

The dough can be made through step 3 and either covered tightly with plastic wrap and refrigerated for up to 3 days or frozen. To freeze the cookie dough, portion into individual balls, roll in the cinnamon and sugar, and freeze on a parchment- or wax-paper-lined plate (don't let them touch or they will fuse together) until completely firm, 2 to 3 hours. When ready to bake, reduce the oven temperature to 300 degrees and increase the baking time to 17 to 22 minutes.

YIELD: 4 dozen COOK TIME: 12 minutes

I found the second recipe out of necessity. Adaline always eats the inside of the pie and leaves the crust. After working to create a crust, it is frustrating when this part is left on the plate. So, I went looking for a way to fix only the inside of the pie. I found this pumpkin custard recipe online.

Pumpkin Custard


By Martha Stewart


INGREDIENTS

- 3/4 cup canned pumpkin puree
- 2 large eggs
- 1 1/2 cups evaporated skim milk (one 12-ounce can)
- 3/4 teaspoon pure vanilla extract
- 1/2 cup (packed) light brown sugar
- 2 teaspoons cornstarch
- 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon
- 1/4 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/4 teaspoon salt

Directions

Preheat oven to 350°F. In a large bowl, whisk together the pumpkin, eggs, milk, and vanilla. In another bowl, stir together the brown sugar, cornstarch, spices, and salt and sift into the pumpkin mixture. Stir the batter until combined well and pour into four 3/4 cup custard cups. Place the cups in a 9x11-inch baking pan and add enough warm water to come halfway up the sides of the cups. Bake for 50 minutes, or until set and browned lightly. Transfer the custards to a wire rack to cool. I also used a glass pie plate instead of the custard cups. Bake this in a water bath as well. You may have to add to the baking time since it is in a larger container.





Angelica Valencia

AgTexas Farm Credit Services is proud to honor our Ag Youth of the Month!

- Senior
- Parmer County 4-H - 3 Years
- Currently serving as Friena 4-H Chapter President
- Selected to participate in the 2019 Summer Texas 4-H International Study Trip to Athens, Greece and Italy
- Volunteer for 4-H Showcase – 2 Years
- Archery – 3 Years
- Show Lambs – 2 Years
- Show Pigs – 1 Year
- Varsity Cheer – 3 Years
- Varsity Choir – 3 Years
- Varsity Tennis – 2 Years
- UIL Number Sense – 2 Years
- UIL Spelling – 2 Years
- FHS Musical – 3 Years
- National English Honor Society
- Friena Chieftain Band – 4 Years
- All Region Band Member – 2 Years


- Currently 1st Chair Clarinet and Section Leader in Band
- A Honor Roll
- Ranked 9th in Senior Class
- Received Outstanding Student for Geometry Award
- Received Outstanding Student for Chemistry
- Nominated for All-American Cheerleader – 3 Years
- Active Member of the Texas Youth Association – 4 Years
- Volunteer for Snack Pak 4 Kids
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- Volunteer for Annual Cheeseburger Festival
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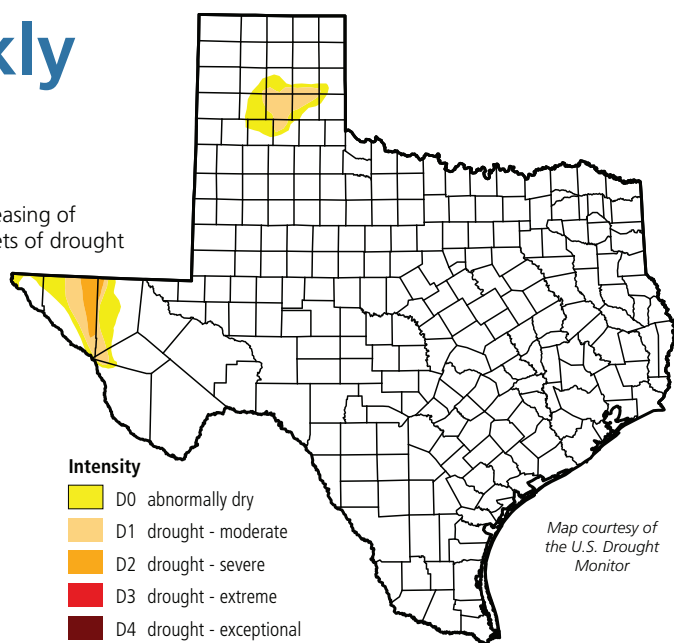
For the week of 11/05/18

Water conditions

The latest drought map shows continued easing of drought conditions in the state. Two pockets of drought remain in the Panhandle and far West Texas, but extreme drought has been eliminated from the state.

Drought conditions

- ◆ 2% now
- ◆ 4% a week ago
- ◆ 59% three months ago
- ◆ 3% a year ago



Christmas In Friona

November 15th, 16th & 17th

Creative Chaos, Bi-Wize, Ivy Cottage & Milk House Market

Stay Connected Via Social Media

Parmer Paws



This is Cletus, a Great Dane mix, who is on death row at the pound. He is a big boy, weighing over 100 pounds. He does not get along well with other dogs, but loves people. Call the city office if you're interested in meeting him.

PARMER MEDICAL CENTER FRIONA RURAL HEALTH CLINIC

Meet the Providers



Felipe L. Jubay, Jr., M.D.

Parmer Medical Center is proud to have Dr. Felipe Jubay as a member of the PMC healthcare team. Dr. Jubay moved here from Las Vegas about twenty-five years ago with his lovely wife Dita. Although the landscape is much the same (dry air, heat and lots of dirt) the bright lights and busy, busy city life are a far cry from Friona, Texas. So, why Friona? He says he likes being here "because the people are down to earth and friendly, the work environment is nice - the providers work as a team, AND, I can get to work in less than 2 minutes! Also, the administration, hospital board and Preferred Management have always been supportive of the medical staff."

Dr. Jubay and Dita have two children and four grandchildren. Dr. Jubay's daughters and grandchildren reside in Florida. Some of his proudest moments in life have been the birth of his two daughters, four grandsons and the graduation of both daughters from Physician Assistant school. Dr. Jubay is also proud to be the recipient of several awards in his career including Physician of the Year in 2004 by the Panhandle chapter of the Texas Academy of Family Physicians and, in 2013, Preceptor of the Year from the Texas Tech University Physician Assistant Program. Besides winning awards and traveling to play with the grandkids, Dr. Jubay likes music - he particularly enjoys singing and dancing.

As a physician, Dr. Jubay encourages his patients to "Take their medication as prescribed - never stop them or try to adjust them on their own and to make sure you return for scheduled blood tests every six months or as directed."

Dr. Jubay truly enjoys life in Friona. "Dita and I are proud to say we are so glad we chose to live in Friona. It was a hard decision at the time, but it was the right decision."

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- **BE CAREFUL** when changing your prescription drug program to make sure you have not switched to a Medicare Advantage Plan by mistake.

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If you have any questions, please contact Rhonda Wilkins, Director of Senior Services at 806-250-2754



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