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Keep Friona Clean Roll-off box to open up for waste items

The City will open up the roll-off box this Saturday, August 3, from 10:00 a.m. -3:00 p.m. Please come by to dump those items that don't belong in your dumpster and do your part to help Keep Friona Clean!

The roll-off box is located at East 8th and South Jackson Ave. It is a free service provided to Friona residents. Examples of items not allowed in dumpsters includes: steel and metal, mattresses and furniture, refrigerators/AC units, paint



cans (with or without liquids), electronics and appliances, drums/barrels, brick, wood and concrete, railroad ties. Items not accepted in the roll-off box are tires, oil and tree limbs. To dispose of these items, please contact the City office at 806-250-2761.

Health Seminar is Friday

Bluebonnet Home Health & Hospice and Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service are hosting a seminar Friday, August 2nd from 10:00 a.m. until Noon at Friona Heritage Estates. The event is entitled Dementia? Deliriun? Depression? What's Really Going On? and will be conducted by Andrew Crocker, M.S., a popular conference speaker. The purpose of the seminar is

to support the County Extension Agents for Family and Community Health in their efforts to educate older adults, caregivers, and the professionals who serve

Bluebonnet will provide lunch which will be catered by Canna Ray. Heritage Estates is located at 201 East 15th Street in Friona. For additional information, call (806) 250-5599.

Texas Sales Tax Holiday is Aug. 9-11

Whether you're in need of notebooks, rulers or running shoes, Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar is reminding shoppers they can save money on those and other items during the state's sales tax holiday on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 9-11.

The law exempts sales tax on qualified items - such as clothing, footwear, school supplies and backpacks priced below \$100, saving shoppers about \$8 on every \$100 they spend.

"As Texas families begin the process of replacing their beach towels with lunch boxes, the sales tax holiday is the perfect opportunity to save some money on sup-

plies that may be purchased tax-free are listed on the Comptroller's website at TexasTaxHoliday.org.

Shoppers this year will save an estimated \$102.2 million in state and local sales taxes during the sales

Texas' sales tax holiday weekend has been an annual

plies families need before the school bell rings," Hegar said. "As a father of three, I know how these expenses can add up."

Apparel and school sup-

tax holiday.

event since 1999.

All too familiar



This location on east US Highway 60 has been the site of two fatal accidents within a 12-day span. A Friona woman was killed on July 13th and a Clovis man was killed on July 25th. The impact spots for both accidents are strikingly similar. The Department of Public Safety accident report markings on the pavement from the first accident can still be seen.

Battleship Texas gets \$35M from state, but in need of new home

Legislators appropriated \$35 million this spring to save the Battleship Texas, believed to be the only battleship in existence to have served in both World Wars. However, the bill included a condition that admission fees cover its \$2 million annual maintenance costs.

Over the last 12 years, the state has appropriated \$85 million in attempts to preserve the ship that was docked at the San Jacinto State Battleground Park, but that level of support ended with this last bill. Lawmakers earmarked the \$35 million with the knowledge that scrapping the battleship would cost \$30 mil-



lion. The cost to dry-dock it would be \$100 million. The state handed over operations of the historical site to the Battleship Texas Foundation on a 99-year lease that requires taking the battleship to a shipyard where its rusted-out hull will be replaced and other repairs made for about a year before it is relocated to a new home, yet to be decided.

The battleship, which is currently docked in La Porte, draws 80,000 visitors a year Fridays through Sundays. Foundation members say the attraction loses money operationally and repair costs compound the loss. They advocate moving it out of San Jacinto State Battleground Park to a site that can attract 300,000 to 500,000 visitors a year. Baytown, Corpus Christi, and Galveston officials have expressed interest in taking on such a project.

Story courtesy of Texas Government Insider, a publication of Strategic Partnerships, Inc., www.spartnerships.com.

Friona Rural Health Clinic Offering Back **To School Physicals and Vaccinations**

The Friona Rural Health Clinic will be open Saturday August 10th and 17th from 9am-1pm to offer physicals for your back to school needs, such as athletics, band and any other extracurricular activity that requires a physical. These physicals will be offered for \$20 on a walk in basis both Saturdays.

If you child needs updated on their vaccinations, they will be available as well and charged separately. It will be required that the child's shot records be brought with them in order to get vacci-

nated on either Saturday. Medicaid Texas Health Step physicals will also be available during the above mentioned times and billed directly to Medicaid, these also require the child's shot record to be presented. If you are unable to make either Saturday, you are welcome to call 806-250-2781 and make an appointment, physical price will be honored at that appointment. In the crazy times trying to get ready to go back to school, let Friona Rural Health Clinic help take one more thing off your list.

Friona Rainfall Data

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February	1.94	0.70	0.32	1.03	0.27	0.80	0.17	0.00	0.12	.42
March	0.97	0.25	0.36	0.12	0.18	0.56	80.0	1.61	0.18	1.85
April	0.87	0.03	0.16	0.05	0.33	0.82	1.19	2.36	0.70	1.63
May	2.12	0.07	2.22	1.35	3.52	7.43	2.01	1.54	1.24	3.15
June	2.17	0.71	1.88	2.64	2.31	4.03	2.73	1.97	1.18	2.35
July	4.30	0.08	0.46	4.04	4.32	4.30	1.34	3.48	4.30	1.38
August	4.40	0.30	1.19	1.14	1.36	2.73	3.50	11.70	2.87	
September	0.60	2.16	1.44	1.14	3.47	2.85	3.58	3.05	1.63	
October	0.81	1.12	0.54	0.04	0.29	7.15	0.00	3.27	4.83	
November	0.46	0.17	0.04	0.80	0.00	0.89	1.05	0.00	0.54	
December	0.09	1.62	0.67	0.45	0.12	2.14	0.26	0.00	0.39	
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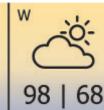
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Community Calendar

Send Calendar information to: frionastar@wtrt.net

call (806) 250-2211 or fax (806) 250-5127

August 1

-Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m. - Lions Club meeting at noon at Friona InterBank

August 2

-Friona Heritage Estates Mental Health Seminar, 10 a.m. - noon -Snack Pack Fridays at Methodist Church (north entrance) at 10:00-10:30 a.m.

August 3

-Cargill Job Fair at Friona plant 8 a.m. to 12 noon -Epic Kids Back Pack Giveaway at 10 a.m. – 12 noon at the Victory Family Worship Center.

August 4

-St. Teresa's Jamaica 2019 at 12 noon - 10 p.m. at St. Teresa's Catholic Church

August 6

-Town hall meeting with Rep. Jodey Arrington at Friona Senior Citizens Center at 10 a.m.

August 8

-Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.

August 9

-Snack Pack Fridays at Methodist Church (north entrance) at 10:00-10:30 a.m. -Back to School Bash at 6 p.m. at Prairie Acres

August 14

-School begins

August 15

-Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m. Lions Club meeting at noon at Friona InterBank

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Lions Club News

It's all about the fries!!!

The Friona Noon Lions Club would like to thank everyone who braved the heat during the Cheeseburger Festival to support our club by purchasing our "World Famous" french fries. You see, it really doesn't matter what world you're living in, these fries will be famous to you.

During the festivities, U.S. Representative Jodey Arrington stopped by to see how the fries are made. Frymaster

Andy Montana showed him the ropes including his reverse curl move to extract the fries from the basket and into the pan. Andy also informed him and Mayor Ricky White that the club was using red potatoes courtesy of Barrett Produce of Muleshoe. In July, these potatoes are fresh out of the fields in and around Springlake and Littlefield. Furthermore, the fries are cooked in cottonseed oil

that is produced by Pyco Industries in Lubbock. Andy also explained that the Friona Lions Club is proud to use local products made by local businesses.

Congressman Arrington also made time to speak to club members Davy Carthel and John Jordan. Be sure to attend the Town Hall next Tuesday, August 6th at 10:00 a.m. at the Senior Citizens Center.







Wonderland park to host teacher appreciation night All educators to receive free WOW ride passes

Wonderland Amusement Park is excited to host Teacher Appreciation Night at the Park next Tuesday, August 6 from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Wonderland is celebrating area educators with a night full of fun with their families before the first official school bell rings. All educators will receive a FREE WOW Ride Pass



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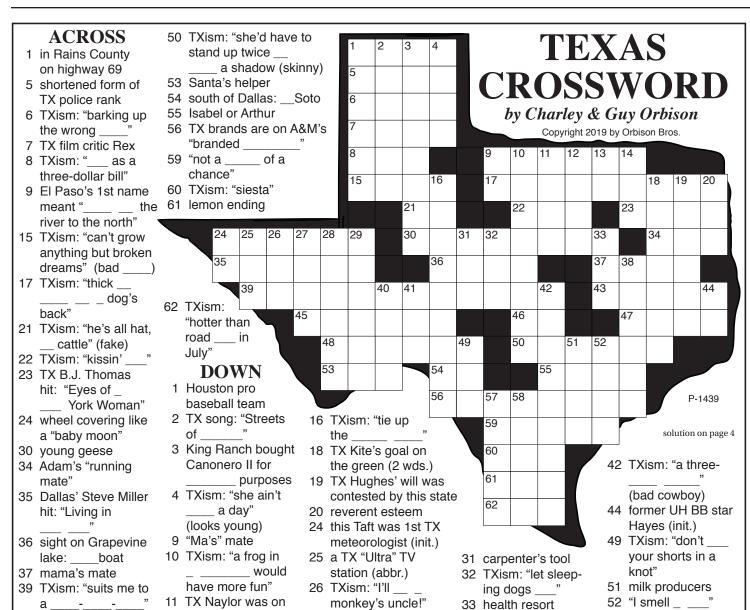
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ID and a special barcode at the gate. Their families will enjoy WOW Passes for only \$14+tax by presenting a second special barcode at the gate.

All discount codes can be found online at Wonderland-Park.com/teacher-appreciation. Come enjoy a night full of family fun during Teacher Appreciation Night and ring in the new school year with





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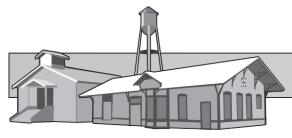
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TOWN TALK

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Dale & Donna Schueler are leading a 9-day bus trip in late October to the "Arc Encounter (Noah's Ark Replica) & Creation Museum" in Cincinnati Ohio. It should be a very enjoyable trip. If you have ever wanted to go but you don't want to plan and drive by yourself, this trip is for you. Call Dale Schueler at 806-265-7433 or Donna Schueler at 806-265-5960. Information can be picked up at the First Baptist Church office at 404 W. 5th in Friona.

Congressman Jodey Arrington will hold a town hall meeting on Tuesday, August 6th in the Friona Senior Citizen Center at 1410 Washington Ave. in Friona, Texas. The event will start at 10:00 a.m. and be sure to check in at the table when you arrive.

*** Sheep and Goat Validation tag orders are due August 25th. The fee is \$17.00 and covers county and major shows for the 2019-2020 show season. Thanks, Deena Leuea

Last chance!!! The Friona Public Library is currently accepting applications for their Library Director. Those interested in applying for the Friona Public Library Director job must complete an employee application, provide a cover letter and resume before the July 26, 2019 deadline. The City's recruitment brochure and application are accessible online at: https://www.cityoffriona. com/library or can be picked up at Friona City Hall. The application and all required supporting documents must be mailed, emailed, or delivered in person to Friona City Hall at the below address. Applications can be emailed to cityinfo@frionatx.us. For questions, please call (806) 250-2761

The Friends of the Library Book Shoppe, located at 119 West 6th, is open from 10 a.m. till Noon every Thursday morning during the months of June through September. ***

Don't forget the seminar at Friona Heritage Estates on Friday, August 2nd from 10:00 a.m. until Noon. Lunch will be catered by Canna Ray and the guest speaker will be Andrew Crocker, M.S., who will discuss health related issues concerning older adults and caregivers. Bluebonnet Home Health & Hospice and Texas A&M AgriLife Extension are sponsoring the event.

If you are interested in a booth at the Castro County Fair/Harvest Days on Saturday, September 7th, 2019 in Dimmitt, TX please contact Cathy at 806-869-7550 or Maegan at 806-647-2524. It's always first come, first served, and booths inside the Expo go fast. Booths range from \$35 to \$45 depending on where they are, and if you need electricity.

*** Back to School Bash is on Friday, August 9th starting at 6:00 p.m.

at Prairie Acres. Everyone is invited! They will be having Chili Cheese Dogs, Games, and Free School Supplies. They are also taking donations to help the youth in our Community! Donations of School Supplies are appreciated! Please drop them off at the Activity Department at Prairie Acres by August 7th.

St. Teresa's Jamaica 2019 will be on August 4th from 12 noon - 10 p.m. at St. Teresa Catholic Church 407 17th St., Friona Tx. Join them for great food, music, and games!

Epics Kid Backpack Giveaway will be on August 3rd from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the

Victory Family Worship Center 110 East 9th St., Friona Tx. Join them for a dance party, puppet show, and special guests!

*** **National Days!**

August 1: National Girlfriends Day, Respect for Parents Day

August 2: National Ice Cream Sandwich Day, National Water Balloon Day

August 3: National Watermelon Day, National Mustard Day

August 4: National Choco-

late Chip Cookie Day, National Friendship Day, National Sisters Day August 5: National Work

Like A Dog Day August 6: National Root

Beer Float Day, National Night Out Day

August 7: Purple Heart Day ***

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Bluebonnet Home Health

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East 15th Street in Friona. For additional information, call (806) 250-5599.

Kids Day at First Baptist Church will be August 7 starting at 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. for children who have completed kinder-5. The cost per children will be \$10. Registration and permission forms are online only at www.fbcfriona.com. For questions call or text Lindsey at 806-240-2270. ***

School supply lists can be found on our website at frionaonline.com/forms



determined Davis was re-

August 2, 2018

It was a record year for the Pudge Kendrick Memorial Golf Tournament. Over \$54,000 was raised and the proceeds will go to the Parmer County Cancer Coalition and the Hereford Cancer Coalition. Both organizations provide grants to local cancer patients. This year marked the 10th Anniversary of the golf event and the 4th year it has been held in Hereford.

The total payout for the tournament was \$12,750 and the top 3 teams in each flight received cash prizes. The tournament champions were Phillip Shelton and Darren Renwick. Phillip is the grandson-in-law to Pudge and is married to Amanda (Messenger) Shelton. Amanda is the daughter of Jay and Sally Messenger of Muleshoe. Phillip and Amanda currently live in Tennessee. Darren Renwick works for Yesway. Phillip and Darren received a cash prize and a golf bag each.

Greg Lewellen, spokesperson for the event, would especially like to thank the Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce, the City of Hereford, and the staff at John Pitman Golf Course for their help and guidance in operating the tournament.

July 31, 2008

By the time some of you read this Larry Donell Davis will be dead. His attorneys filed an appeal for a stay of execution or a 180-day reprieve. Both were denied. If all goes as planned, the State of Texas will kill Larry Davis tonight (Thursday July 31) by lethal injection. Last week Dave Henry, an Amarillo Globe News writer, published a story about Larry Davis and the man named Michael Barrow he and some friends killed in 1995 in Amarillo. They stabbed him numerous times with knives and an ice pick then beat him with a pipe. They stole some merchandise from Mr. Barrow's home and pawned it which lead to the arrest and convictions. Davis is' the only one of the five defendants to receive the death penalty. In the words of Dave Henry, "no one will rejoice or celebrate when Davis is executed. Davis' death will be a waste of life, but it was another waste of life that the justice system

sponsible for that later led to his fate." Larry Donell Davis will be the 13th person from Randall/Potter counties executed since 1976. He was born in Friona. No one here seems to remember a Davis family. Henry's newspaper story said Davis was a native of Parmer County so I did some amateur research. County Clerk Colleen Stover, an always helpful county employee, looked up his birth certificate. Larry Donell Davis was born October 9, 1967, in Parmer County Community Hospital, delivered by Dr. Lee Spring. The father was shown as Don Davis and the mother as Ella Fae Harris. The address was listed as Route 3, Box 331, Friona. At the time of Larry Donell's birth the family had six other vis family around here in the late 1960s. After a lot of head scratching and such, no one was able recall them. A black family with a mom and dad and seven kids? You'd think someone would remember, The Texas Department of Criminal Justice (the prison system) has a website with a death row link. It is not a nice place to browse. Here is a brief look, at Larry Donell Davis' wasted life: February 1992, 2-year sentence for possession of a prohibited

living children. I asked several old-timers about a Dabut then it was 40 years ago. weapon and theft over \$750; July 1992 released on parole; August 1993 returned from parole; May 1994 released on mandatory supervision; July 1994 returned from parole with a new conviction, 4 years for theft; May 1995 released on mandatory supervision. Then on August 28. 1995, Larry Donell Davis and the four others went to Michael Barrow's home where they stabbed and beat him to death. They took a VCR, a camcorder, a stereo system, a cordless phone, a television, and jewelry. He was convicted and sent to death row June 11, 1999, at the age of 31. The death row website says his education level was 9th grade. Chances are the Davis family were Did I mention that in 1993 he was accused of the beating and stabbing of a Dallas man but Dallas County decided not to prosecute since he had already received the death penalty in Amarillo. No one knows what life was like for Larry Donell Davis after Dr. Spring brought him safely into the world at our small town community hospital. I couldn't find anyone who even remembered him. What happens between the beginning and the end of lives like that of Larry Donell Davis? Some folks (mostly mommas) are prone to say of murderers that they are really nice persons, somethingjust snapped to cause 'em to stab another human being 27 times, beat him with a pipe, and steal his stuff. Perhaps the Davis family turned Larry Donell into an uneducated monster. Maybe he was deprived of most of life's necessities. Obviously he was never taught (or cared) about responsibility and consequences. Tonight in Huntsville, the State of Texas will explain life's consequences to Larry Donell Davis for the last time.

July 30, 1994

A grinding collision on U.S. Highway 60 at Euclid Street last Saturday evening sent two Clovis, N.M. residents to Parmer County Community Hospital, where they were treated and released. Friona Police Department spokesman Steve Jones said that a 1979 Dodge Ram pickup driven by Antonio Jiminez Nava, 34, of Bovina, ran the stop sign at Highway 60 and crashed into a 1969 Chevrolet pickup driven by Ronald Gene Stevenson, 50, of Clovis. The Stevenson vehicle was headed west on Highway 60, Nava was northbound. The impact knocked the Stevenson pickup into the fence that surrounds the Friona Junior High football field. Emergency workers had to use the Jaws of Life implement to open the Stevenson vehicle door and extricate him and his wife Kathy. Nava was cited for driving while intoxicated, no driver's license and no insurance. The accident happened at 7:15 p.m. on Saturday, and was' investigated by the Friona Police Department and the **DPS**

City Council has light agenda for July

The Friona City Council met in regular session on Monday, July,16th at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at 619 Main in Friona, Texas. The meeting began with a roll call, an invocation, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Council received public comments regarding the 2018 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report. Next, the Council approved the Minutes of the June 10, 2019 regular council meeting.

The Friona Police Department gave its report regarding budget, expenses, personnel, and upcoming events. In other business, the Council approved the Accounts Payable and Financial Statement for June 2019. The Council also approved a request by Elio Garcia for a variance to build a carport at 1122 Etta.

The Council then met in closed session for the annual evaluation of the Municipal Court Judge. (as authorized by the Texas Government Code, Subchapter D, Sec. 551.074 Personnel).

All meetings are open to the public. The City Council reserves the right to go into Executive session at any time. Go to cityoffriona.com to find the agendas and minutes from previous meetings. Information in this article is only a summary. Any questions concerning specific actions should be directed to the City Council.

LEGAL NOTICE

Application has been made with the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission for a (BF) Beer Retail Dealer's Off-Premise License and (P) Package Store Permit by B&T Investments, Inc. dba The Windmill, to be located at 3356 FM 2298, Hereford, Deaf Smith, Texas. Officers of said corporation are Jimmy Carolyn Johnson, President; William Brent Johnson, Vice President; and Thomas Brent Johnson, Secretary/Treasurer.



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> August 2 Staci Hart Billy Sifford Archer Neill

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August 3

Connie Johnson Valerie Brockman Norbert Schueler Jason Wells Rachel Douglas Sherelle Pruitt Peggy Stowers

August 4 Trapper Neill Rosa Reves Quint Ellis Phillip Zeller Annabelle Rushing

August 5 Kirk Frye **Ivv Schueler** Darla Hutchins Genesis Bautista Patricia Yanez Lindsey Bowyer Tino Salinaz

August 6 Paul Mohr Kaleb Rainey Tori Fleming

Margaret Parsons

August 7 Jud Sims Kayl Schueler Alma Norwood Mareike Preyer

To have your birthdays listed in the newspaper, email them to frionastar@wtrt.net or call @806.250.2211

Texas Weekly Fuel Update and Outlook

Texas gas prices have fallen 3.5 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$2.47 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 13,114 stations. Gas prices in Texas are 5.5 cents per gallon higher than a month ago, but are still 16.9 cents per gallon lower than a year ago.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the lowest price in the state today is \$2.13 while the highest is \$3.19 per gallon. The cheapest price in the entire country today stands at \$1.97 while the most expensive is \$5.09 per gallon.

The national average price of gasoline has fallen 3.0 cents in the last week, averaging \$2.72 per gallon. The national average is up 1.8 cents per gallon from a month ago, yet stands 12.1 cents per gallon lower than a year ago.

"Average gasoline prices have been on cruise control the last week, falling gently for the second straight week as oil prices remained largely in check as we enter the final month of the summer driving season," said Patrick DeHaan, head of petroleum analysis at GasBuddy. "Even with Iran's escalating activity in the Strait of Hormuz and a large draw in U.S. oil inventories, oil markets weren't able to push higher, suggesting there may be more downside in the weeks ahead. Concerns still abound over a the lack of a China/U.S. trade deal as talks get back underway this week, but by and large, motorists can expect to see little organized movement at the pump in the week ahead, and barring any new situations, we should be able to cruise into the fall months without a major hiccup in prices."

GasBuddy is available on all mobile platforms. The app and website have the most accurate and real-time fuel prices at over 140,000 unique stations in the United States, and is the most comprehensive money-saving companion while on the road. For more information, visit www.gasbuddy.com





Accident claims the life of Clovis man

A Clovis man is dead after a crash involving a pickup and tractor-trailer on US Highway 60. The accident occurred Thursday afternoon, July 25th, about 4.5 miles west of Friona.

According to the Texas Department of Public Safety, at around 2:20 p.m., a tractor-trailer driven by Jerry Varnee, 71, of Portales, New Mexico was traveling east on US 60 in the outside lane. At the same time, Benjamin Arguello, 22, of Clovis, New Mexico was traveling north in a 1997 Chevrolet Silverado pickup and was preparing to cross the eastbound lanes of US to in order to turn left onto west US 60.

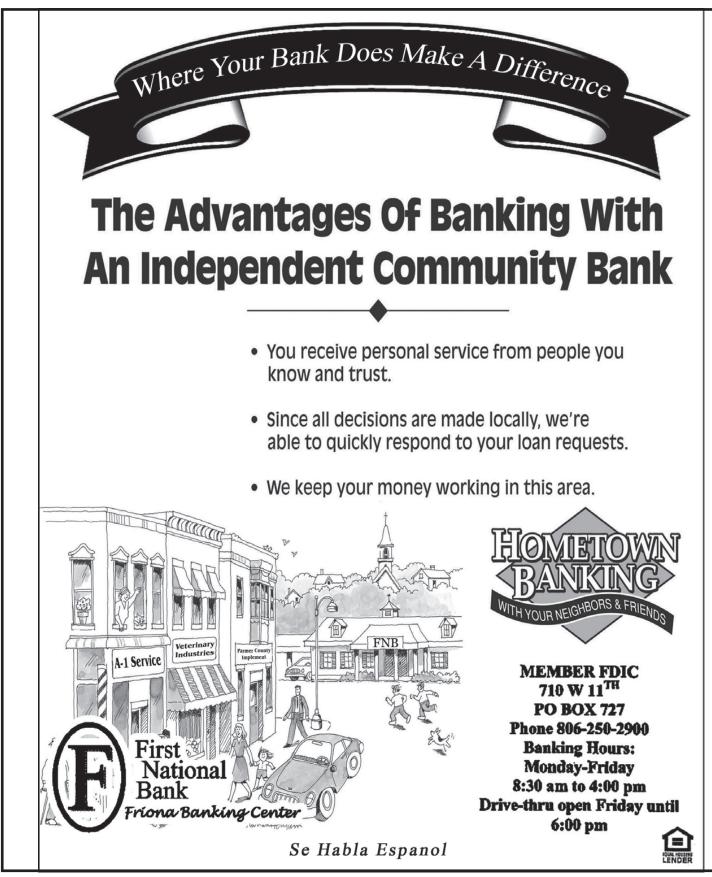
Arguello failed to yield the right-of-way and entered the path of the tractor-trailer. The driver of the tractor-trailer, Varnell, was unable to avoid striking the pickup, causing significant damage to the driver's side of the pickup in the collision. The time of death for Mr. Arguello was recorded by Judge Deena Leuea, Parmer County Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2.

The crash remains under investigation.

Castro County Fair booths available

If you are interested in a booth at the Castro County Fair/ Harvest Days on Saturday, September 7th, 2019 in Dimmitt, TX please contact Cathy at 806-869-7550 or Maegan at 806-647-2524. It's always first come, first served, and booths inside the Expo go fast. Booths range from \$35 to \$45 depending on where they are, and if you need electricity.







Warranty deeds as reported by the County Clerk's Office from the week of July 18,2019 through July 25, 2019

The Massie Family Trust-William Herring, 6.24 Ac W/2 of Sec 20 1 North Range 4 E

Elipidio Banuelos and Maria L. Banuelos De La Cruz-Jesus Valdez and Esmeralda M. Vasquez, all of Lots 10, 11, 12 Block 17 Charles W. Summers and Rena Sue Summers- Coby Charles

Summers, 20.00 Ac Tract Land South Part Sec.33 Block H Thomas Kelly Sub Vol.5 Pg 169 Vedors Lien Vol 4 Pg 37

Miguel Caldera and Amparo Gomez- Alfonso Rueda Garcia, All of L1&2 Blk 34 ot of Bovina

Friona Country Club DBA Frio Draw Golf and Rec Center-Friona Golf Club LLC., Vol 79 Pg 333 File No 50906 0.94 Ac Triangular Tract Out Of West 110.55 S 1/2 of Sec 1 Township 3 S Range 3E

Friona Golf Club LLC- Tyler Rentals LLc, Vol 156 Pg 328 File

Sherry Walker Zehner- Cherub Investments LLC, Lot 12 Blk 2 Staley Add To City Of Friona



Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office: Randy Geries, Sheriff

7/24/19- Raymundo Vazquez, 30, of Friona was arrested by DPS for DWI- Fine \$700.00 Court cost 120 days probated 18 months serve 6 days in jail as part of probation.

7/24/19- Dominic Rodriguez, 21, of Morton was arrested by the Sheriffs Office for violating probation (terroristic threat) probation revoked serve 90 days jail lay out fines and court cost

7/26/19- Louis Adams, 55, of Hereford was arrested by DPS for El Paso County warrant. Pending transport.

7/27/19- Eleazar Rocha, 44, of Friona was arrested by the Sheriffs Office for assault. Pending County Court.

7/27/19- Juan Hernandez, 44, of Farwell was arrested by the Sheriffs Office for DWI open container. Pending County Court.

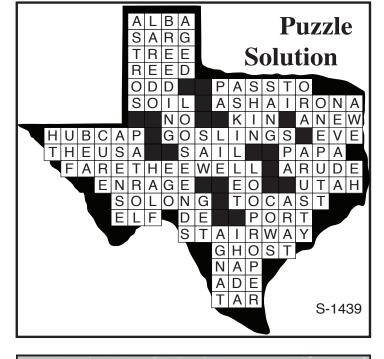


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Psalm 132 - Standing on the Promises

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

"Standing on the promises of Christ my King; Through eternal ages let his praises ring; Glory in the highest, I will shout and sing; Standing on the promises of God," are the words of the well-loved hymn, as they resonate the truth that flows from Psalm 132. Psalm 132 looks back at God's actions in choosing Zion to be the place he was worshipped, and it recounts the many of his promises in bringing this about. In sum-

mary, the reminder is that God is so gracious, that his people can stand on his promises in any and every circumstance.

Are you standing on God's promises? If you are, then a few key areas are part of the natural flow of your life. First, to stand on God's promises means you have taken part in his amazing promise of salvation through Jesus Christ. If you are genuinely saved from your sins, then the Holy



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about. Finally, you are living in faith, with people of faith, the church. Standing on the promises of God isn't a call for intense individualism, but is a call to surrender to the Lord and submit to his leading, his Spirit, his Word and his church.

Panhandle Parables

The Wonder of it All

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

Like most of you I seem to meet myself coming and going. Life can get a little crazy at times and it is easy to get caught up in the whole chaotic schedule of chasing the day. If there is anyone guilty of missing a few roses along the way it is me. I know I need to stop and smell them, I see them, but the pressures of getting things done keep my feet moving at an exhausting pace. Then it happens, I hustle to a park in Amarillo to hear my daughter and piano friend play a duet. My phone is set to record, and they begin to play, Louie Armstrong's "What A Wonderful World." I learned that it originally sold few than a thousand copies in the US yet topped the charts

in Great Britain. Go figure, we are too busy to see a wonderful world.

Of course, being the proud dad, I am doing my best to not embarrass my daughter when they finish. They did great, and if you see me around town, I will happily take out my phone and let you pause for just a minute, four minutes actually and listen.

How is it we miss so much trying to do more? We have got to learn to slow down and wonder a bit. Look at God's creation, yes, I believe He did it all in six days. We need to see the wonder in a child's discovery, we need to wonder about the power it took to make Palo Duro Canyon. We need to stop and smell the proverbial rose and maybe a few real ones. Life is full of wonder and we are here for such a short time relative to eternity. Make it count. I heard a quote tonight from the end of the movie "Same Kind of Different As Me." (I recommend it great movie.) Denver, said "You never know whose eyes God is looking through to see you." True enough, but sadly, I am fearful the eyes He choses to look at me are the ones I overlook because I am too busy being busy.

One last little note, when I played back the video of my daughter's wonderful performance, I heard something that I did not hear when it was live. A chorus of locusts were also playing in the background of the performance last Friday night in the park. Just a little reminder to me, what a wonderful world!

OBITUARY

Billie Rae Treider McGee

Graveside services for Billie Rae Treider McGee, 91, of El Monte, California will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, August 3, 2019, at the Lazbuddie Cemetery.

Billie died July 11, 2019 in El Monte, California. She was born January 6, 1928 in Texas to Juel and Francis Treider who preceded her in death, as well as one son, Denny Ray McGee and one sister, Bobbie Treider Grant. She married Burke McGee in 1946 and he preceded her in death. They had three children, Terry Mc-Gee, Denny McGee and Cathy Young.

Survivors include son, Terry Burke McGee and wife Mary Ann of West Covina, California; daughter Cathy Diane Young and husband Eddy of Willow Park, Texas; two brothers, Teddy Treider



and wife Adell of Lazbuddie, Texas, Larry Treider and wife Paula of Lazbuddie, Texas, two sisters, Jeanete Hurt and husband Earl of Bovina, Texas, Imogene Smith and husband David of Friona, Texas; 7 grandchildren; many great grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Get ALL the Facts

By Teena Hughs

For over 40 years, Feller's first cousins have had a family reunion; that is, up until the last two years. Last year's reunion was cancelled; this year's was never planned. Apparently, some of the cousins are getting together soon, but not all of the cousins were invited. How did we find out? One of the uninvited cousins voiced her unhappiness over this on Facebook!

The bottom line is this: people can gather with whomever they desire; they can invite whomever they desire; they can not invite whomever they desire. That doesn't prevent others from getting their feelings hurt, being angry, feeling not good enough to be invited.

Over the years, I have learned that there are two sides to every story, situation, and argument. I have been burned way too many times by speaking out when I have heard only one side of a situation, so I didn't respond to the Facebook post.

However, I did wonder about the other side of the story. I wondered if the upset relative had all the facts, and if she had confronted the relatives who are getting together, before taking to Facebook? I wondered if this post caused other people to be upset in any way? I wondered what family division will occur because of this situation?

We live in such a fast decision-making, immediate right or wrong, rush-to-judgment world, that we don't take the time to get all the facts. The news media is terrible about jumping to conclusions before getting all the facts; remember the kids from the Christian school at the Lincoln Memorial being confronted by the Indian and other protesters for wearing MAGA caps? That student will probably be filthy rich by the time all the law suits are settled, all because the news media didn't get all the facts before they reported the story.

It is vital to get ALL the facts before saying or doing something. Doing so will save yourself a lot of embarrassment, much heartache, and you will come out looking so much wiser and smarter because you chose to wait and get all the facts before speaking out in some form or another.

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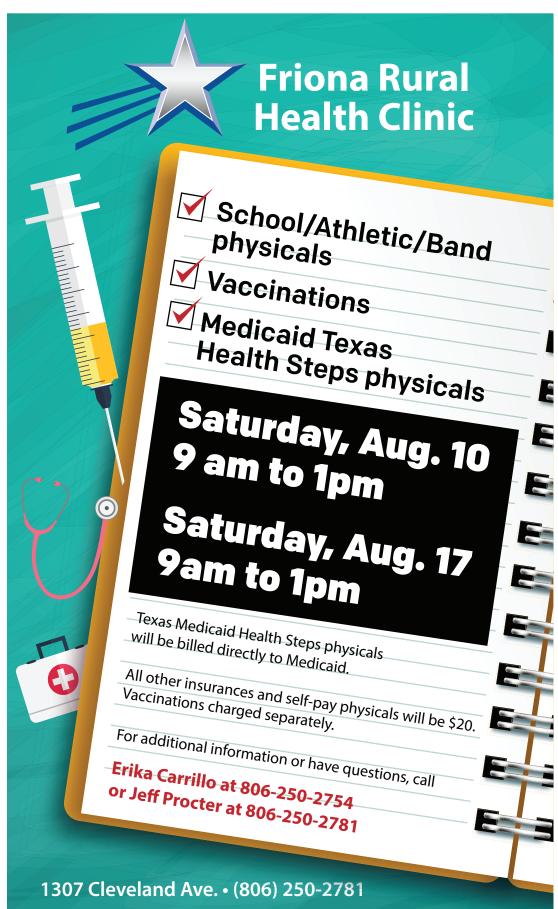
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to test their mettle. A record \$13,000 in prize money was paid out to the top four finishers in each flight.

And if that wasn't enough, World Long Drive professional Mitch Dobbyn was on hand to give donors a chance to win a \$5,000 golf vacation for two.



Jerry and Linda Stevens 2019 Tournament Champions

On the par 5 8th hole, Mitch would hit a tee shot for the team, usually over 400 yards, and if one of the team members holed out the second shot they would win the Pebble Beach golf vacation prize. Two teams actually hit the green with their second shots and one team almost holed it. Mitch helped raise \$7,300 for charity and \$3,400 of that went to the Parmer County and Hereford Cancer Coalitions.

How much more do you need? How about \$79,000. That is the amount that has been collected so far this year to benefit the two local Cancer Coalitions. Tournament spokesman Greg Lewellen said that he is amazed at how the tournament has grown each year.

The Results

The husband/wife team of Jerry & Linda Stevens are the tournament champions. Their two round Championship Flight total of 121 (60-61) was four shots better than the two teams of who tied for second place. Jeff O'Rand & Phillip Kahlich and Braden West & Billy Pope shot identical scores of 125 (64-61). Jeremy Herrera & Shane Baucom finished fourth with a score of 126 (62-64). Besides the first place prize money, Jerry & Linda also won monogrammed golf bags. The top four teams in the Championship Flight also received engraved Yeti tumblers courtesy of Valero.

Jerry & Linda are Hereford residents and are not the only golfers in their family. Their son, Jay, played collegiate golf at WTA&M University and won this same tournament back in 2015 with playing partner Nathan Sullivan. Their daughter, Sammi, played her college golf at the University of New Mexico and played 3 1/2 years on the pro tour. Jerry said that he and Linda play in 4-5 tournaments a year and that they miss playing golf at the Friona Country Club.

In the 1st Flight, Keith & Kayla Bartley shot a second day 61 to pull away from the pack. Their two round total of 127 (66-61) was also four shots better that the second place team of Tim Simons and Bob Baker who shot 131 (65-66).

The 2nd Flight was the only one that had two teams tie for first place. The teams of Dee King & Joe Marquez and Mike Maynard & Rodney McCracken both shot scores of 137 (69-68). This flight was the most competitive. Only two shots separated the top five teams. All five teams won money. Interestingly, seven of those ten players have lived in Friona in the past.

Rick Roden & Rhett Roden shot a 142 (72-70) to win the 3rd Flight by a single shot over the team of Joe Villanueva & Ruben Villanueva 143 (71-73).

Brodie Boren & Wayde Boren 143 (73-70) won the 4th Flight by a single shot over Isaac Alanzo & Pete Rodriguez 144 (73-71).

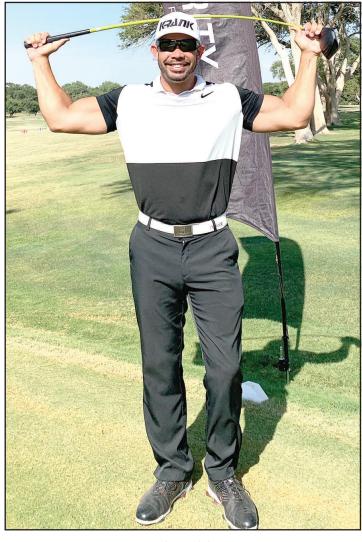
Rick Carr & Coy Jameson fired a 148 (76-72) and repeated as 5th Flight champions with a one shot victory of Zac Schilling & Hadley Bunch who shot 149 (75-74).

The 6th Flight was also won by one stroke with the team of Robert De La Cruz & Rodney Strafuss shooting a 153 (77-76) and defeating Joseph Hernandez & Kevin Prisk who shot a 154 (77-77).

The 7th Flight had the largest margin of victory as Danny Hobbs & Pat Hoover 157 (81076) won by nine shots over the second place team of Kevin Foster & Karen Boren 166 (81-85).

Cash prizes were awarded to the top four teams in each flight. The payout was: \$750 for 1st place, \$500 for 2nd place, \$250 for 3rd place, and \$125 for 4th place.

Complete tournament results can be found on page 9. Next year's tournament is scheduled for July 25th and 26th. See you there.



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Signup opened on Monday, July 29th for the Market Facilitation Program (MFP), a U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) program to assist farmers who continue to suffer from damages because of unjustified trade retaliation from foreign nations. Through MFP, USDA will provide up to \$14.5 billion in direct payments to impacted producers, part of a broader trade relief package announced in late July. The signup period runs through December 6, 2019. MFP payments will be made to producers of certain non-specialty and specialty crops as well as dairy and hog producers.

Non-Specialty Crops

MFP payments will be made to producers of alfalfa hay, barley, canola, corn, crambe, dried beans, dry peas, extra-long staple cotton, flaxseed, lentils, long grain and medium grain rice, millet, mustard seed, oats, peanuts, rapeseed, rye, safflower, sesame seed, small and large chickpeas, sorghum, soybeans, sunflower seed, temperate japonica rice, triticale, upland cotton, and wheat.

MFP assistance for 2019 crops is based on a single county payment rate multiplied by a farm's total plantings to the MFPeligible crops in aggregate in 2019. Those per acre payments are not dependent on which of those crops are planted in 2019. A producer's total payment-eligible plantings cannot exceed total 2018 plantings.

Dairy and Hogs

Dairy producers who were in business as of June 1, 2019, will receive a per hundredweight payment on production history, and hog producers will receive a payment based on the number of live hogs owned on a day selected by the producer between April 1 and May 15, 2019.

Specialty Crops

MFP payments will also be made to producers of almonds, cranberries, cultivated ginseng, fresh grapes, fresh sweet cherries, hazelnuts, macadamia nuts, pecans, pistachios, and walnuts. Each specialty crop will receive a payment based on 2019 acres of fruit or nut bearing plants, or in the case of ginseng, based on harvested acres in 2019.

More Information

Payments will be made in up to three tranches, with the second and third tranches evaluated as market conditions and trade opportunities dictate. If conditions warrant, the second and third tranches will be made in November and early January.

MFP payments are limited to a combined \$250,000 for non-specialty crops per person or legal entity. MFP payments are also limited to a combined \$250,000

for dairy and hog producers and a combined \$250,000 for specialty crop producers. However, no applicant can receive more than \$500,000. Eligible applicants must also have an average adjusted gross income (AGI) for tax years 2015, 2016, and 2017 of less than \$900,000, or 75 percent of the person's or legal entity's average AGI for those tax years must have been derived from farming and ranching. Applicants must also comply with the provisions of the Highly Erodible Land and Wetland Conservation regulations. More information can be found on farmers.gov/mfp including payment information and a program application.

CRP and ARC/PLC Acreage Maintenance

Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) participants are responsible for ensuring adequate, approved vegetative and practice cover is maintained to control erosion throughout the life of the contract after the practice has been established. Participants must also control undesirable vegetation, weeds (including noxious weeds), insects and rodents that may pose a threat to existing cover or adversely impact other landowners in the area.

All CRP maintenance activities, such as mowing, burning, disking and spraying, must be conducted outside the primary nesting or brood rearing season for wildlife, which for Texas is March 1st through July 1st. However, spot treatment of the acreage may be allowed during the primary nesting or brood rearing season if, left untreated, the weeds, insects or undesirable species would adversely impact the approved cover. In this instance, spot treatment is limited to the affected areas in the field and requires County Committee approval prior to beginning the spot treatment. The County Committee will consult with NRCS to determine if such activities are needed to maintain the approved

Producers enrolled in the Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) or Price Loss Coverage (PLC) programs must protect all cropland and noncropland acres on the farm from wind and water erosion and noxious weeds. Producers who sign ARC county or individual contracts and PLC contracts agree to effectively control noxious weeds on the farm according to sound agricultural practices. If a producer fails to take necessary actions to correct a maintenance problem on a farm that is enrolled in ARC or PLC, the County Committee may elect to terminate the contract for the program

Farm Reconstitutions

When changes in farm ownership or operation take place, a farm reconstitution is necessary. The reconstitution — or recon

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— is the process of combining or dividing farms or tracts of land based on the farming operation.

To be effective for the current Fiscal Year (FY), farm combinations and farm divisions must be requested by August 1 of the FY for farms subject to the Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) and Price Loss Coverage (PLC) program. A reconstitution is considered to be requested when all:

- of the required signatures are on FSA-155
- other applicable documentation, such as proof of ownership, is submitted.

Total Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) and non-ARC/PLC farms may be reconstituted at any time.

The following are the different methods used when doing a farm recon:

Estate Method — the division of bases, allotments and quotas for a parent farm among heirs in settling an estate;

Designation of Landowner Method may be used when (1) part of a farm is sold or ownership is transferred; (2) an entire farm is sold to two or more persons; (3) farm ownership is transferred to two or more persons; (4) part of a tract is sold or ownership is transferred; (5) a tract is sold to two or more persons; or (6) tract ownership is transferred to two or more persons. In order to use this method the land sold must have been owned for at least three years, or a waiver granted, and the buyer and seller must sign a Memorandum of Understanding;

DCP Cropland Method — the division of bases in the same proportion that the DCP cropland for each resulting tract relates to the DCP cropland on the parent tract;

Default Method — the division of bases for a parent farm with each tract maintaining the bases attributed to the tract level when the reconstitution is initiated in the system.

Maintaining Good Credit History

Farm Service Agency (FSA) Farm Loan programs require that applicants have a satisfactory credit history. A credit report is requested for all FSA direct farm loan applicants. These reports are reviewed to verify outstanding debts, if bills are paid timely and to determine the impact on cash flow.

Information found on a customer's credit report is strictly confidential and is used only as an aid in conducting FSA business.

FSA's farm loan staff will guide you through the process, which may require you to reapply for a loan after improving or correcting your credit report.

For more information on FSA farm loan programs, visit www.fsa.usda.gov or contact Parmer County FSA Office at PO Box H, Farwell, TX 79325, Phone:1-806-481-3311.

FINAL RESULTS

11th Annual **Pudge Kendrick Memorial Golf Tournament**

John Pitman Golf Club • Hereford, Texas July 27th-28th, 2019

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Championship Flight Jerry Stevens / Linda Stevens Jeff O'Rand / Phillip Kahlich Braden West / Billy Pope Jeremy Herrera / Shane Baucom Hayden West / Russell Artho Bobby Baker / Key Harrison Robert Jones / Jason Foerster Jeremiah Bretones / Greg Anderson Caleb Johns / Daniel King Kip Smith / Charlie Kerr	1st T2 T2 4th	60 64 64 62 63 64 62 64 64 63	61 61 64 64 65 67 67 70	121 125 125 126 127 129 129 131 131
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7th Flight Danny Hobbs / Pat Hoover

Chad Robertson / Michael Hartquist

Bobby Fite / Charlene Sanders

*Rocky Nichols / Jordan Nichols

*Collin Cooper / Camden Cooper

Danny Hobbs / Pat Hoover	1st	81	76	157
Kevin Foster / Karen Boren	2nd	81	85	166
Dustin Green / Richard Castillo	3rd	83	84	167
Kyle Morgan / Lucretia Morgan	4th	80	88	168
Ryan Young / Terry Pak		80	90	170
Don Carthel / Dan Carthel		84	87	171
*Richard Davila / Edward Davila		81	75	156
Michael Haverstock / Brandi Hedrick		81	wd	

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*exceeded shot rule

Long Drive #13 AM/men	Jeremiah Bretones
Long Drive #13 AM/women	Jamie Lewellen
Long Drive #13 PM/men	Braden West
Long Drive #13 PM/women	Linda Stevens
Closest to pin #3	Linda Stevens

Past Tournament Champions (John Pitman Course)

Jay Stevens / Nathan Sullivan	2015	Total	124
Aaron White / Thomas Maldonado	2016	Total	119
Aaron White / Phillip Kahlich	2017	Total	119
Phillip Shelton / Darren Renwick	2018	Total	121





On July 15th and 16th, 4-H members from Bailey, Lamb, and Parmer Counties participated in the 4-H Path to the Plate program. They learned more about where their food, and various byproducts, come from and how much work it takes to make that happen.

On Monday, they toured Hi-Pro Feeds in Friona.

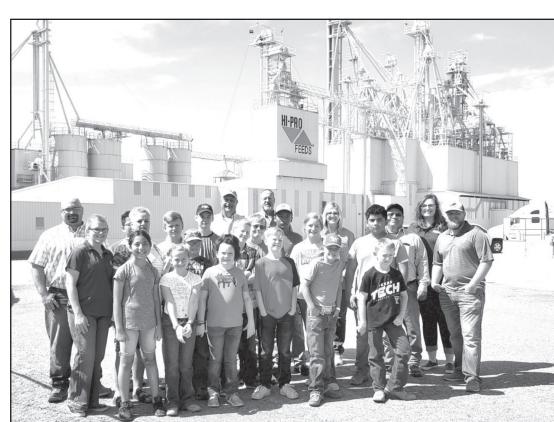
On Tuesday, they went to Lubbock and toured the Coursey Family Dairy Goat Farm and went to the South Plains Food Bank Farm (aka Farm & Grub).











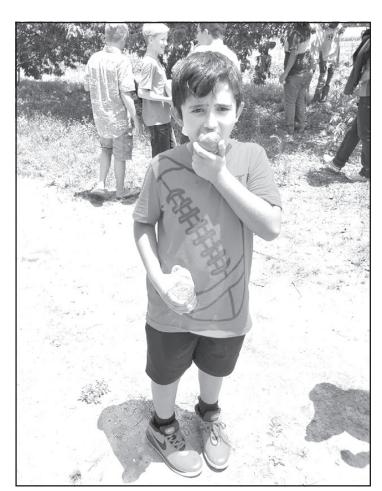
















State Capital Highlights

By Ed Sterling



Paxton lauds ruling against preclearance for redistricting maps

AUSTIN — Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton applauded a federal court ruling allowing the state to proceed with redistricting legislation without asking the federal government's permis-

The July 24 ruling by a three-judge federal court rejected plaintiffs' petition to require the state to obtain permission from the U.S. Department of Justice or a federal court before redistricting legislation could take effect.

After the San Antonio-based panel ruled on the ongoing voting rights case, Perez v. Abbott, Paxton said, "This court ruling is a win for our Constitution and the right of Texans to govern themselves."

Paxton called the plaintiffs' request for "bailin" - that is, requiring proposed changes to voting laws and redistricting plans to be "precleared" by the Department of Justice - a "baseless challenge."

The plaintiffs originally brought suit over redistricting plans Texas lawmakers adopted in 2011, claiming that plans were passed by the Republican-dominated Legislature to dilute the voting power of minorities. The Legislature repealed those plans in 2013 and adopted largely court-drawn plans. The U.S. Supreme Court in 2018 confirmed that the Legislature in 2013 fixed defects plaintiffs alleged to have existed in the 2011 plans.

Furthermore, notably, the high court in June ruled 5-4 that federal courts have no oversight role when redistricting lines are drawn to favor a political party.

Ballot order is drawn

Texas Deputy Secretary of State Joe Esparza on July 23 drew the ballot order for 10 propositions, the proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution that will appear on the Nov. 5 ballot.

At least two-thirds of the members of both the Texas Senate and the Texas House of Representatives approved each proposed constitutional amendment for Texans to vote on.

They will appear on the ballot in the following

-Prop. 1: "The constitutional amendment permitting a person to hold more than one office as a municipal judge at the same time."

-Prop. 2: "The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of additional general obligation bonds by the Texas Water Development Board in an amount not to exceed \$200 million to provide financial assistance for the development of certain projects in economically distressed areas."

 Prop. 3: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for a temporary exemption from ad valorem taxation of a portion of the appraised value of certain property damaged by a disaster."

prohibiting the imposition of an individual income tax, including a tax on an individual's share of partnership and unincorporated association income."

—Prop. 5: "The constitutional amendment dedicating the revenue received from the existing state sales and use taxes that are imposed on sporting goods to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department and the Texas Historical Commission to protect Texas' natural areas, water quality, and history by acquiring, managing, and improving state and local parks and historic sites while not increasing the rate of the state sales and use taxes."

-Prop. 6: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to increase by \$3 billion the maximum bond amount authorized for the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of

—Prop. 7: "The constitutional amendment allowing increased distributions to the available school fund."

—Prop. 8: "The constitutional amendment providing for the creation of the flood infrastructure fund to assist in the financing of drainage, flood mitigation, and flood control projects."

—Prop. 9: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation precious metal held in a precious metals depository located in this state."

—Prop. 10: "The constitutional amendment to allow the transfer of a law enforcement animal to a qualified caretaker in certain circumstances."

Voter registration urged

After the proposed constitutional amendment drawing ceremony on July 23, Deputy Secretary of State Esparza reminded all eligible Texans to register to vote in the November constitutional amendment election.

"The future of Texas is and will always be in the hands of Texans. This fall, voters will have the opportunity to directly impact the Texas Constitution, and I strongly encourage all eligible Texans to register to vote so that they can actively participate in shaping the future of the Lone Star State," Esparza said.

Texans will have the opportunity to approve the amendments with a majority vote.

For more information and resources for voting in Texas, visit VoteTexas.gov.

Sales tax holiday is set

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar last week reminded shoppers they can save money on a number of items during the state's sales tax holiday on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 9-11.

The law exempts sales tax on qualified items such as clothing, footwear, school supplies and backpacks — priced below \$100.

Apparel and school supplies that may be purchased tax-free are listed on the Comptroller's website at TexasTaxHoliday.org.

Texas' sales tax holiday weekend has been an



Friona Squam Volleyball Schedule 2019

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Date	Day	Орроненt	Teams	Times	Location
Aug.6	Tues.	WT/Holy Cross (Dual)	V	10/12	Here
Aug.9-10	Fr-Sat.	Shallowater Tournament	V	TBD	Shallowater
Aug.9-10	Fri/Sat	Trinity Tournament	С	TBD	Lubbock
Aug. 13th	Tues	Littlefield/Shallowater	C/JV/V	TBD	Here
Aug.16/17th	Fri/Sat	Littlefield Tournament	JV/V	TBD	LittleField
Aug. 20th	Tue	LCHS/Brownfield (Dual)	C/JV/V	4/5:15/6:30	Here
Aug.22-24	Thu/Sat	Denver City Tournament	V	TBD	Denver City
Aug.27	Tue	Melrose	JV/V	5/6	Here
Aug. 29-31	Thu/Sat	Border Bash Tournament	JH/JV/C	TBD	Here
Sept. 3rd	Tue	Estacado	C/JV/V	5/5/6:30	There
Sept.6-7	Fri/ Sat	Denver City JV Tournament	JV	TBD	Denver City
Sept.10 th	Tues.	Texico	JV/V	5:30/6:30	There
Sept.17 th	Tues.	Littlefield	JV/V	5/6	There
Sept.21st	Sat.	Portales	JV/V	2/3:30	There
Sept.24th	Tues.	Bushland	C/JV/V	5/5/6:30	There
Sept.28th	Sat.	Tulia	C/JV/V	11/12/1	Here
Oct 1st	Tues.	Open			
Oct.5 th	Sat.	Dimmitt	C/JV/V	11/12/1	There
Oct.8th	Tues.	River Road	C/JV/V	5/5/6	Here
Oct.12th	Sat.	Bushland	C/JV/V	11/12/1	Here
Oct.15th.	Tues.	Tulia	C/JV/V	5/5/6	There
Oct.22nd	Sat.	Open			
Oct.26th	Tues.	Dimmitt	C/JV/V	5/5/6	Here
Oct.29th	Tues.	River Road	C/JV/V	5/5/6	There

Small Town Cookin By Jeri Lynn White

Cheesecake

Cheesecake, as we recognize it today, is a silky, smooth, and creamy dessert made from cream cheese in a sweet and crunchy crust. However, the cheesecake had a humbler beginning. It was a popular dish as far back as Ancient Greece. When Rome conquered Greece, the cheesecake fell into the hands of the Romans. Cato the Elder, a Roman senator and historian, made note of a savory cheesecake known as libum that was made from well crushed cheese, flour, and egg that was shaped into a loaf and cooked slowly in a hot fire under a brick. The Romans also had a sweet cheesecake called savillum. There is record of small cheesecakes being served at the first Olympic games in 776

Around 230 A.D. a recipe that begins to resemble the modern-day cheesecake was recorded by Athenaeus, a Greek writer. Then in about 1000 A.D., the cheesecake was introduced to Great Britain and Western Europe by the Roman conquering armies. The dessert spread to Scandinavia, England, and northwestern Europe. The cheesecake

Crust

Pecan filling

1 3/4 cups vanilla-wafer crumbs

1/3 cup butter, melted

2/3 cup dark corn syrup

1 1/2 cups chopped pecans

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

1/3 cup butter, melted

1 cup sugar

2 large eggs

1/4 cup firmly packed brown sugar

made its way to the Americas through the English colonies in the 1730's.

In 1872, William A. Lawrence, a dairyman, tried his hand at reproducing a neighbor's French Neufchatel unripened cow's milk cheese. He accidentally produced the first version of cream cheese. Soon after a grocery firm was said to approach Lawrence about mass producing the richer version of cheese. In 1880, Lawrence began to distribute his cream cheese in foil wrappers. In 1912, James Kraft developed a pasteurized cream cheese, and in 1928, the Kraft company trademarked and marketed Philadelphia Cream Cheese. The world of cheesecakes has never been the same.

In 1929, Arnold Reuben, best known for his famous sandwich, began serving cheesecake in his restaurant, Turf, at 49th and Broadway in New York City. Reuben claimed his family was the first to develop a cheesecake recipe using cream cheese, saying that other versions used cottage cheese. Thus, began the illustrious New York Cheesecake. In 1950, Junior's restaurant opened and has been the king of the New York Cheesecake ever since.

For more information about the history of cheesecakes, visit www.cheesecake.com, www.bakefromscratch.com, www.crumbleandwhisk.com, and www. whatscookingamer-

In honor of National Cheesecake Day on July 30th, I visited with Katie Gilley, our resident cheesecake guru, to get a few tips and some of her favorite cheesecake recipes.

Cheesecake Tips:

- Be sure your ingredients are at room temperature.
- · Cool the cheesecake slowly to reduce cracking on the top.
- After the cooking time is complete, turn off the oven and leave the cheesecake in the oven for an extra hour or

Although many recipes call for using a water bath, Katie prefers to just throw it in the oven. If the cheesecake cracks, Katie recommends using a topping to cover up the

cracks in the top. Many variations of the cheesecake exist, but Katie has shared her three favorites with us this week.

Pecan Pie Cheesecake

By: Christin Mahrlig www.spicysoutherncooking.com

Ingredients

Cheesecake filling 3 (8-ounce) packages cream cheese, softened

1 1/4 cups firmly packed brown sugar 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour

4 large eggs

2/3 cup heavy whipping cream

1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Instructions

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Combine vanilla-wafer crumbs and brown sugar in a medium bowl. Stir melted butter in with a spatula. Press into the bottom and halfway up the sides of a 9-inch Springform pan. Bake for 6 minutes and let cool. Combine all Pecan-Filling ingredients in a medium saucepan. Stir well and bring to a boil over medium-high heat. Reduce heat to maintain a simmer

and cook, stirring continuously, until mixture thickens, about 8 to 10 minutes. Pour into prepared crust. Reduce oven temperature to 325 degrees. Using an electric mixer, beat the cream cheese at medium speed until smooth and creamy. Add brown sugar and flour and beat until fluffy. Add eggs one at a time, beating well after each addition. Use a rubber spatula to scrape down the sides of the bowl to make sure everything mixes evenly. Add cream and vanilla and beat just to combine. Pour mixture over pecan filling. Place in oven and bake for 1 hour. Turn oven off but leave cheesecake in oven with door closed for 1 more hour. Remove cheesecake from oven and run a knife around the sides to make sure they are not sticking. Let cool completely. Refrigerate for at least 4 hours. Serve with Dulce de Leche.

Lemon Dream Cheesecake

www.tasteofhome.com

Ingredients

2 cups graham cracker crumbs 6 tablespoons butter, melted 1/4 cup sugar

FILLING:

4 packages (8 ounces each) cream cheese, softened

1 cup sugar

Preheat oven to 325°. In a small bowl, combine cracker crumbs, butter and sugar.

Press onto bottom and 2 in. up sides of a greased 10-in. springform pan. Place pan

½ cup heavy whipping cream ¼ cup lemon juice 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour

1 tablespoon grated lemon zest

2-1/2 teaspoons vanilla extract 1 teaspoon lemon extract

10 drops yellow food coloring, optional

5 large eggs, lightly beaten

Directions

rack. In a large bowl, beat cream cheese and sugar until smooth. Beat in cream, lemon juice, flour, lemon zest, extracts and food coloring if desired. Add eggs; on a baking sheet. Bake 10 beat on low speed just until minutes. Cool on a wire combined. Pour into crust.

Return pan to baking sheet. Bake 55-65 minutes or until center is almost set. Cool on a wire rack 10 minutes. Carefully run a knife around edge of pan to loosen; cool 1 hour. Refrigerate overnight. Remove sides of pan.

Family Favorite Cheesecake www.tasteofhome.com

Ingredients

CRUST:

2-1/2 cups graham cracker crumbs (about 40 squares) 1/3 cup sugar 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon

1/2 cup butter, melted

FILLING: 3 packages (8 ounces each) cream cheese, softened

1-1/2 cups sugar

cheese, sugar and vanilla until In a small bowl, combine the cracker crumbs, sugar and cinnamon; stir in butter. Press onto the bottom and 2 in. up the sides of a greased 9-in. springform pan. Bake at 350° for 5 minutes. Cool on a wire rack. Reduce heat to 325°. In a large bowl, beat the cream

1 teaspoon vanilla extract 4 large eggs, separated **TOPPING:** 1/2 cup sour cream

2 tablespoons sugar 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract

1/2 cup heavy whipping cream, whipped

Directions

smooth. Add egg yolks; beat on low just until combined. In a small bowl, beat egg whites until soft peaks form; fold into cream cheese mixture. Pour over crust. Bake for 1 hour or until center is almost set. Cool on a wire rack for 10 minutes.

Carefully run a knife around edge of pan to loosen; cool 1 hour longer. Refrigerate until completely cooled. Combine the sour cream, sugar and vanilla; fold in whipped cream. Spread over cheesecake. Refrigerate overnight. Remove sides of pan.



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