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Title I Education Meeting Tuesday

Be involved in your child's education! That is the message from Friona Independent School District officials.

A Title I, No Child Left Behind meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 5, 2004. The same meeting will be held twice, once at 9 a.m. and again at 8 p.m. Both meetings will be in the board room at the Friona ISD administration building, 909 E. 11th.

The agenda will include: discuss federal programs and funding; plans for increased parental involvement in school; evaluation of the Parental Involvement Policy; and discussion of changes for the 2004-05 school year.

The meetings are open to everyone. For more information or if you have questions call Kenny Austin at 250-5900.

Business News Around the Area

The Hereford Brand reported that the Burger King in Hereford closed suddenly last week. The location was owned by out-of-town owners and no reason was given for the closing.

In Clovis, the new Leal's on Prince Street is in full swing. Also the Clovis News Journal reports that the Blockbuster Video store at North Plains Mall will close by the end of the year. No word from the shopping center about the building. There was a rumor it might turn into an Olive Garden Restaurant.

Closer to home, the Burgers 'N More Cafe at the Friona Country Club has closed. Seems to be a struggle to keep a restaurant open at that location. The little red building next to Headquarters Restaurant, which has been a pizza place, barbecue place, snow cone place, shoe repair shop, and most recently a burrito place, is now a clothing and gift shop called La Morena. We are told they have a location in Hereford too.

Downtown, Trell and Harold Taylor have decided to close their cleaners and bus stop location at Main and 8th Street. Their last day of business will be October 31. Negotiations are underway to relocate the cleaners and bus stop operations here in town but nothing is official yet. The 6000-sq. ft. building is for sale too, listed with Property Associates Realtors.

The former Mars Real Estate building on west Highway 60 was sold to Francisco Ortiz, also owner of Pancho's Pool Hall and Restaurant on So. Main St. Mr. Ortiz is a local representative for Plateau Wireless and offers cell phone service, phone cards, and other merchandise at the Highway 60 location.



TDH Immunization Schedules For Oct.

Immunization clinics offering the vaccines that give protection against childhood diseases are scheduled for October 2004 in Friona and Bovina.

The clinic in Bovina will be October 4, in the Bovina EMS Building from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The clinic in Friona will be October 15, at 616 Euclid from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

All times are subject to change or cancellation due to weather or scheduling conflicts.

Maize Days Concludes Amidst Rain Showers

The final weekend of the 2004 Maize Days celebration was a success in spite of continuing rain in the area. The homecoming game Friday night vs. Dalhart, which the Chiefs won 42-8, was completed as rain and lightning was moving in. The game clock was run non-stop the last half of the fourth quarter as lightning was approaching. Just as the game ended, rain began to fall and continued until early Saturday morning.

It did stop for most of the day Saturday allowing the Dixon Six run, the parade, and the city park activities to take place. About 4 p.m. as the drawings were being held and activities wrapped up, it began to fall again and rained steadily until Monday. The Saturday night street dance was moved inside to the Community Center.

All the food vendors at the park, including the Chamber's barbecue, had steady diners all day. The Noon Lions Club funnel cake booth used up 11 buckets of batter as they sold about 350 funnel cakes during the day.

Winners of the various competitions were:

Parade floats: School - Friona High School junior class-1st place; Church, Civic & Business - Friona State Bank-1st place, Friona Banking Center-2nd place,

and Girl Scouts-3rd place.

Cars: Junior Renner, of Friona, 1959 Chevrolet pickup-1st place; Teddy Fangman, of Friona, 1960 Chevrolet pickup-2nd place.

Tractors: Roger Nelson, of Friona, 720 John Deere-Judge's Choice; C. Suffield, of Amarillo, 1936 Model D John Deere-Oldest; and Don and Bubba Sarchet, of Tulia, 1945 Model LA John Deere-Traveled Farthest.

Poker Run: Carolin Reeve-Best Hand

Cow Patty Bingo: Charla Cheshier

Lawnmower Race: Jerry Taylor of Amarillo-1st place; Tim Lane of Amarillo-2nd place; Gary Cogburn of Bushland-3rd place; Jason Rector of Friona-4th place; and Ray Hickenbottom of Amarillo-broke down.

50-50 Game: Christopher Alexander

Friona Fire Department 4x4 winner: Gary Moore of Friona.

The Band Boosters TV was won by Bobby Raymond of Friona. The Band Boosters send special thanks to everyone that bought tickets for their raffle and a special thanks to Ricky Rector.

Winner of the 70 pounds of steaks in the Boy Scout



PULLING a cattle truck isn't easy but it won the Friona junior class a first place float prize in Saturday's Maize Days parade. Tugging the ropes and tossing candy were, l-r, Adrienne Anthony, Lindsay Neill, Dollie Lookingbill, Michelle Stanberry, and Pedro Ramos. dana d. jameson photo

raffle was Retta Hand of Friona. 2nd; Dillon Kelley and Skyla Stormes, tied for 3rd. Off Road motorcycle races: Chance Butman, 1st; Riley Rector, 2nd; Doug Kelley 3rd. Kids: Chamber executive director Josh Barnett, 1st; Brayden Pope, Chris Alexander and her assistant Betty Lamb thanks every-

2004 Now Second Wettest On Record

BY BILL ELLIS

An exceptionally wet weekend, which deposited 3.66 inches of rain in Friona's official gauge helped push the total moisture for the year into second place all-time, according to a check of moisture records.

A total of 4.09 inches fell between September 20 and 27, placing the month's total at 4.80 inches, and hiking the year's total to 27.62 inches.

Until this week, the year 1997 had been the second-wettest year on record, 27.40.

The all-time record for Parmer County, since rainfall records have been tabulated, is 40.57 inches in 1941, the year which is the granddaddy of all rainfall years for most counties in the Panhandle-South Plains.

Although it seems unlikely that the 1941 record will be broken, lacking 12.95 inches from the current total with just three months left in the year, perhaps we'd better not make any bets.

September became the fourth month locally for a monthly total of over four inches. Two months, April and June, had

exactly the same recording of 4.81 inches, and July rang in with 4.18 inches.

(If I mis-read the month's total by only .01 inches, that would make a third month with exactly the same amount—quite a coincidence for this high of a total.)

With the exception of April, the latter third of each month has turned out to bring the most rainfall.

Last Sunday, the measurement was 2.67 inches, and fell like a mountain shower, lasting practically the entire day. Another 65 inches fell on Monday, and a total of 71 inches had fallen in the four days prior to the weekend.

The rain will be a big boost for the area's wheat, but without exception, the row crops are needing some hot, dry weather in order to mature, and the pattern will have to change drastically.

Sunday's temperature varied by only six degrees, from 54 to 60 degrees. The sun came out Tuesday afternoon, and looked good to most residents.

Attempts Bribe

Mom Joins Son In County Jail

BY RON CARR

Bribing the law is not recommended. Just ask Linda Kay Lawson, 52, of Clovis.

Lawson's son is a New Mexico inmate housed at the Parmer County Detention Center. Sheriff Randy Geris said the son approached a jailer and requested that the jailer smuggle cigarettes and a lighter into the jail. There is no smoking in the county jail facility. The inmate then told the jailer that his mother would pay the jailer \$100 to smuggle in the contraband.

The jailer, Billie Cartwright, contacted her supervisor about the bribe offer and plans were made to check Mrs. Lawson when she came to the jail. On Saturday, September 25, Lawson showed up at the jail, contacted the jailer, and handed over a bag with cigarettes, lighter, and a \$100 bill inside. Oops.

She was promptly arrested for attempting to bribe a jail officer and booked into the jail on bribery charges. Bond was set at \$10,000. No word on

whether she was allowed to keep the sack nor how the inmate son planned to smoke in a non-smoking facility without being discovered.

Sheriff Geris commended Cartwright on doing the right thing and reporting the situation. "This is the kind of people I need working in the jail," Geris said. The inmate son also has action pending against him at this time for his part in the scheme.

2004 HOMECOMING QUEEN



2004 HOMECOMING QUEEN Trisha Winebrinner was crowned at halftime of the Dalhart game. Escorting her was her dad Danny Roach. ron carr photo

October 2

Rosedale Baptist Church Final Service Sat.

The Rosedale Baptist Church in Rosedale, NM, will have a reunion and closing service for the final time on Saturday, October 2, at 2 p.m. MDT. The church will open at 10 a.m. for visiting and viewing memorabilia. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, meat and drinks provided.

The Rosedale Baptist Church was formed when

the Baptist churches of Hollene and Bellview merged. According to church records, the first meeting was held at the church November 17, 1940. At the time there were 75 to 100 members. Names like Lucy Harrison, Walter Potts, Clyde and William Shadix and Ernest Brown remember when the pews were full and membership was

almost 200. Vacation Bible School at the church was begun in 1947 and lasted for three weeks. After the dust bowl era of the early 1950s, Brown said the membership began to dwindle as people moved away and the school closed in 1955. The membership wound up being "just old people" Mrs. Harrison said.

Ernest Brown is one of

about 25 members still on the role of the church. "When I get this done I am going to join a church in Hereford," he said. Brown said they were not sure what they were going to do with the land. He said they were looking to give hymnals, a few bibles, books, pews, old pianos, and tables to a church or mission group. "We would like for them to stay active," he said.

The parsonage was damaged in a fire and will be bulldozed and buried. The church building could be sold for the lumber. Either way, members hope for about 100 people at the final service Saturday as they carry away memories of 64 years.





OUT HERE

by Ron Carr

An Expensive Flash

I never even saw it. Did you see it? Plenty of people must have seen it. The Federal Government says enough people saw it to make it worth over a half a million dollars, \$550,000 to be exact.

That is the amount of the fine the Federal Communications Commission levied against CBS for Janet Jackson's breast flash during the Super Bowl halftime show. And I never even saw it. The breast flash that is. The halftime show was produced by MTV. CBS just carried the game.

They say Janet Jackson and Justin Timberlake did the exposure on purpose. I can't figure out what the big deal was. There is more flesh than that exposed on an Oil of Olay commercial. Jackson said it was a wardrobe malfunction. CBS said they didn't know it was going to happen and I believe them this time. They are also the network of Dan Rather that reported the phony documents about Dubya's National Guard record so maybe they did know about Janet's coming out performance.

The FCC levied a fine of \$27,500 each on the 20 CBS-

owned television stations that showed Janet's appendage. I didn't see it. Did you see it? On the 20,000 replays they ran it was blocked out so I still haven't seen it. I would never have known something happened if they hadn't made a big deal of it.

The Associated Press said the \$27,500 fine is the maximum penalty for indecency. If JJ had stood there exposed for a full minute it would not be as indecent as stuff we see any night on the TV sets in America. Once again the federal government is using its 1000-pound gorilla tactics, and sanctimonious ideology, to pick up a few bucks for the treasury. It is going to take a lot of breasts to make a dent in the deficit.

See I have a problem with the government hammering a private business for something so seemingly insignificant as Jackson's halftime boo-boo.

In another little noticed action last week, the Justice Department began proceedings to extort \$280 billion from the tobacco industry. That is billion with a "B". The amount represents all the profit the tobacco

industry has earned in the last 50 years through fraud and deceit. Indeed the "civil racketeering" suit contends that for 50 years the tobacco industry has misled and tricked and intentionally suckered the American public.

Haven't we been here before? The states extorted their share of money from the tobacco merchants a few years back. Some lawyers did pretty well. One gave \$25 million of his fees to Texas Tech and still had plenty left. When the states got their tobacco loot it was supposed to be spent on programs to keep people from smoking. Most states spent their billions on other unrelated programs or to erase state treasury deficits.

If I recall, the massive settlement was reached with the guarantee that no more liability suits could be brought against the tobacco industry. That was part of the deal. As is always the case in dealing with the government a deal is not always a deal.

The \$280 billion federal action was initiated by the Clinton administration. John Ashcroft's

Justice Department said they really didn't want to go to court but they had to since Clinton started it. I don't know if I believe that either. What I do know is, it is not fair for the government to continue to bash a legitimate business, CBS or tobacco, just because they can.

And what is even stranger is that the actions are being taken while Dubya preaches tort reform to get rid of frivolous lawsuits. Let's see. It is okay for the government to pound money out of people, but the common folk should be limited in their choice of legal alternatives.

What is scary is this: nobody seems to care how big and powerful and ruthless the government gets. Elected politicians can't seem to solve problems. They create problems. Democrat or Republican the government always gets bigger.

The CBS fine for Janet Jackson's exposure is a misuse of power and violation of constitutional rights (remember those?). In simple terms, it is just not right.

Especially since I didn't even see it.

Political Ignorance Isn't Bliss

BY ILYASOMIN

As we enter the home stretch of the 2004 presidential election, the majority of citizens remain ignorant about many of the issues at stake. Surveys show that 70 percent of American adults don't know that Congress recently passed a prescription drug benefit for seniors, even though the new law—projected to cost \$500 billion over the next 10 years—is probably the most significant domestic legislation passed during the Bush administration.

More than 60 percent do not know that President Bush's term has seen a massive increase in domestic spending, about 25 percent above previous levels, that has led to a major increase in the national debt. And despite the extensive media attention focused on employment numbers, almost two-thirds of the public doesn't know that there has been a net increase in jobs this year. Three quarters admit they know little or nothing about the USA Patriot Act and 58 percent mistakenly believe that the Bush administration perceives a connection between Saddam Hussein and the 9/11 attacks.

However sad those results may be, they are not surprising. Decades of research show that most citizens know very little about politics and public policy. Ignorance goes beyond lack of awareness of specific issues. Even more alarming is that most citizens lack basic background knowledge about political leaders, parties and structure of government. For example, the majority of Americans don't know the name of their congressman, which branch of government is responsible for which issues and the basic differences between liberalism and conservatism.

Immediately after the 2002 congressional elections, only 32 percent knew that the Republicans had held control of the U.S. House of Representatives prior to the balloting.

It is tempting to conclude that voters must be lazy or stupid. But even a smart and hardworking person can rationally decide not to pay attention to political information. No matter how well-informed a citizen is, her vote has only a tiny chance of affecting the outcome of an election; about one chance in 100 million in the case of a presidential race. Since her vote is almost certain not to be decisive, even a citizen who cares greatly about the outcome has almost no incentive to acquire sufficient knowledge to make an informed choice. Acquiring significant amounts of political knowledge so as to be a more informed voter is, in most situations, simply irrational. But the rational decisions of individuals

create a dysfunctional collective outcome in which the majority of the electorate is dangerously ill-informed.

People who can influence politics in ways beyond casting a vote and those who simply find politics interesting might learn about it for perfectly rational reasons. But few of us are influential activists or campaign contributors. And most Americans find politics far less interesting than other forms of entertainment. Polls show that many more people know the names of the judges on "The People's Court" than those on the Supreme Court.

If political ignorance is rational, there are limits to our ability to reduce it by reforming the education system or by improving media coverage of politics. Studies show that knowledge levels have remained roughly constant for decades in spite of massive increases in education levels and greatly increased availability of information.

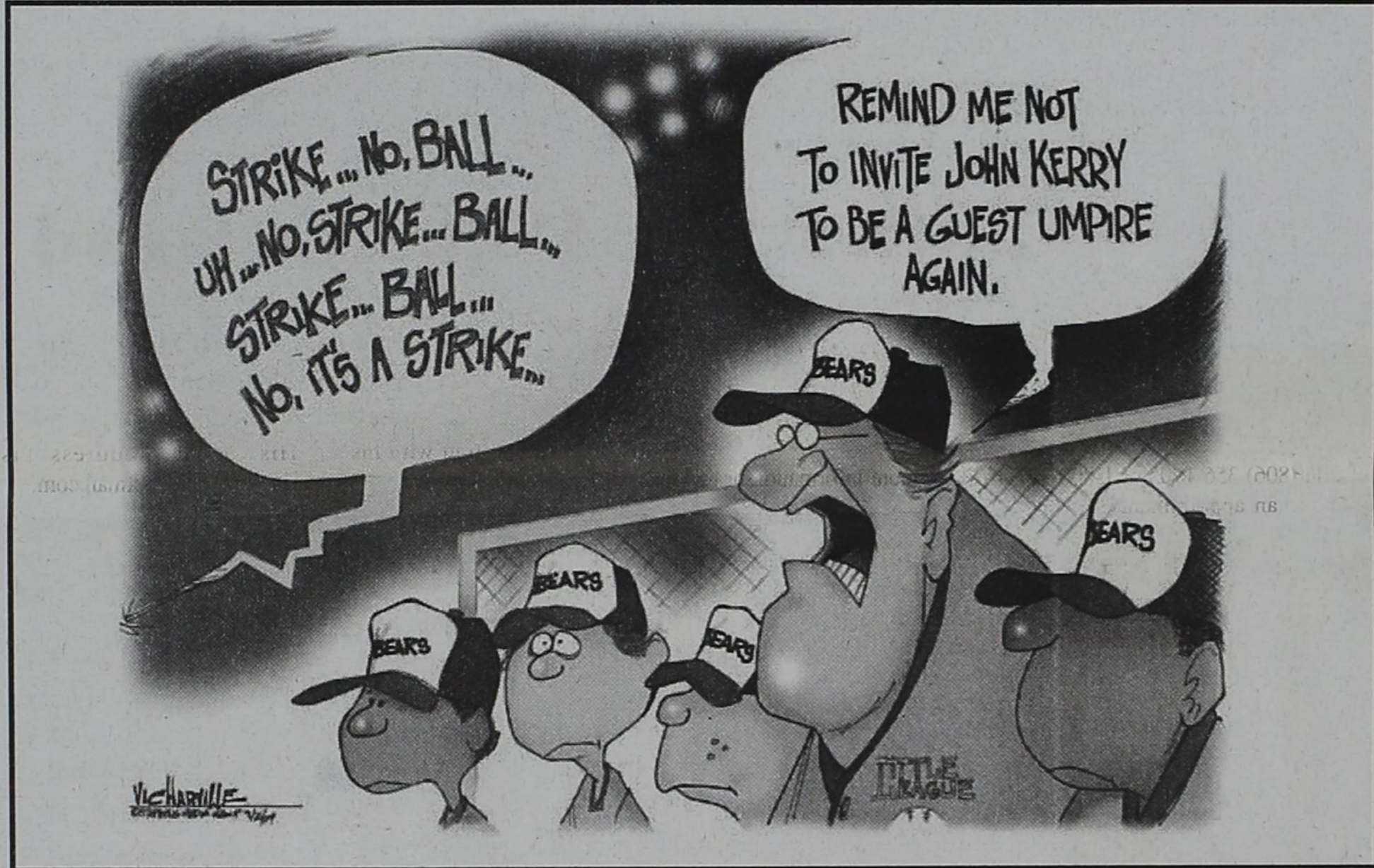
With the rise of the Internet and 24-hour news channels, political knowledge is readily available to those willing to take the time and effort to find it. The problem is not that the truth isn't out there, but that most don't bother to seek it.

Even if the majority of voters were willing to pay more attention to politics than they do, that still might not be enough to cope with the complexities of modern government. The federal government alone spends over 20 percent of our national gross domestic product and adopts thousands of regulations that touch on almost every aspect of our lives.

Even the best-informed voters are unlikely to be aware of more than a small fraction of this activity. Thus, huge swathes of government power are likely to escape public scrutiny, and therefore also escape public accountability and democratic control. If government had fewer functions, it might be easier for voters to keep track of them.

The problem of political ignorance is not going to be solved anytime soon. But, it may be possible to ensure that more people possess at least basic political knowledge. At the same time, we should consider the possibility that a government with fewer functions might be easier for voters to understand and control.

Ilya Somin is assistant professor of law at George Mason University. He is the author of the new Cato Institute study "When Ignorance Isn't Bliss: How Political Ignorance Threatens Democracy", and the book "Democracy and the Problem of Political Ignorance", forthcoming from the University of Michigan Press.



Neugebauer Says Stenholm Desperate

Two weeks ago, liberal Democrat leader Nancy Pelosi appointed Charlie Stenholm to the Armed Services Committee after he ignored countless open slots on the panel in his years of service. Last week, Stenholm tried to make 19th District voters believe he was a Republican by running an ad showing him with Presidents Reagan and Bush. Earlier this week, Stenholm unleashed a negative, misleading attack ad against Randy Neugebauer which cited incorrect votes and even attacked Neugebauer on a bill he voted for. Now, Charlie Stenholm is trying to fool District 19 voters with a confusing charade surrounding the Working Families Tax Relief Act.

Stenholm voted earlier this year against real marriage penalty relief, against extending the \$1,000 per child tax credit, and against keeping the Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT) from en-

snaring more middle-class families. Thursday, just 40 days away from the election, Stenholm went to the House Floor and criticized the tax relief bill, which included those three relief measures and the Wind Energy Production Tax credit, by calling it "fiscally irresponsible". He then voted against bringing up the rule to allow the bill to be considered and against the rule itself.

But then, in a startling and desperate attempt at an election-year conversion, Stenholm voted for the tax relief measures that he has continuously opposed. "These are taxing times for a taxing Congressman like Charlie Stenholm," said Neugebauer campaign spokesman Matt Schaefer. "Like his choice for President, Stenholm is on every side of an issue. Against tax relief, against it again, and then for it. Congressman Neugebauer has always

supported President Bush's tax relief plan and believes the people of the 19th District will not buy Stenholm's 11th hour, one-vote conversion."

In April, Stenholm voted against marriage penalty relief and for a sham Democrat substitute bill that would have raised taxes by \$207 billion according to the Joint Taxation Committee. Stenholm also voted against marriage penalty relief twice in 2002, once in 2001 and four times in 2000. Stenholm also voted against extending the \$1,000 per child tax credit earlier this year. In addition, Stenholm has voted against the repeal of the estate tax at least six times over the last five years.

Stenholm continually criticizes the tax relief plan that President Bush and Congressman Neugebauer support. Stenholm, who was a tie-breaking House vote on President Clinton's largest tax increase in

American history, introduced an alternative budget this year which would have raised taxes by \$165 billion.

"It's the fourth quarter, the Cowboys are whipping the Redskins, and Congressman Stenholm is a Skins fan painting a star on his hat," Schaefer said.

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Stenholm Or Neugebauer: Who's Slings The Mud?

Congressman Charlie Stenholm said his opponent, Randy Neugebauer is trying to "have it both ways" with a new ad released Wednesday. He said Neugebauer's new ad implies that he wants to run a positive campaign, but his campaign has already attacked Stenholm on television, distributed negative brochures in both Lubbock and Abilene, and has been on the attack for months.

Neugebauer released an ad on Wednesday accusing Stenholm of "mudslinging" and claiming that he wants a discussion of the issues.

"Randy Neugebauer has the audacity to attack Charlie Stenholm for his latest ad when he has been running a slash and burn campaign for some time now," Stenholm campaign spokesman Jodi Zweifler said Thursday. "You can't make false

claims about your opponent and then try to take the high road when your own record is questioned."

"In his new ad, Randy Neugebauer says he wants to keep the campaign on the issues and that is exactly what Congressman Stenholm's new ad is doing," Zweifler said. "All we are asking the voters to do is to look at the record and see which Congressman has a proven record of putting West Texas first and which Congressman casts his votes according to the dictates of the party bosses in Washington. We believe when voters do that, the clear choice is Charlie Stenholm. I'd like to know what issues Randy Neugebauer thinks are more important than the pay our troops receive, caring for our veterans, or providing affordable drugs for our seniors."

Taxpayer Group Honors Cornyn

U.S. Senator John Cornyn, a member of the Senate Budget Committee, was presented with the American for Tax Reform's "Hero of the Taxpayer" award at the group's annual award reception at the U.S. Capitol last week.

"By passing an economic growth package, and committing to make President Bush's tax relief permanent, we've seen a promising turnaround in our economy," said Sen. Cornyn. "I expect one of our most difficult tasks will be to hold the line on

spending, but we must continue the growth, continue to increase jobs and, perhaps the most difficult job for Congress, put the brakes on the size of government."

Americans for Tax Reform (ATR), a national taxpayer advocacy group, annually honors members of both chambers of Congress for voting in taxpayers' favor on at least 85 percent of the issues tracked by the organization. Cornyn received a 100 percent score from ATR.

ATR is a non-partisan coal-

ition of taxpayers and taxpayer groups. Legislative votes are tracked by the group's government relations team and members are awarded based on the team's record.

In April, Sen. Cornyn was named by the National Taxpayers Union as one of the Senate's 10 best senators for his voting record.

The group is a non-partisan organization that monitors all votes related to fiscal policy. The group released ranking once a year.

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Around Town

CASA Volunteer Training Scheduled For October

BY JACKIE FRANCIS, Executive Director

Help break the cycle of child abuse by becoming a Court Appointed Special Advocate Volunteer.

Imagine the experience of children who are removed from their parents because the people who should have taken care of them couldn't or wouldn't.

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CASA volunteers ensure children don't get lost in an overburdened legal and social service system. They may be the

only guiding presence involved from the beginning to the end of that child's case. For these children it can mean the difference between instability and permanence, insecurity and learning to trust, invisibility and being made a priority.

The October training will be October 15, 16, 17, 22, and 23 at Amarillo Area CASA. For more information about becoming a CASA volunteer or the training, please contact Jackie Francis at 363-1211.

We hope you decide to join our family of volunteers, everyday people, who are committed to improving abused children's lives.

It is easier than you think—again for more details on this flexible and hugely rewarding volunteer opportunity please call your local CASA office at 806-363-1211.

Muleshoe Christmas bazaar planned

The Moonlight Extension Education Club announces its Twenty Sixth Annual Christmas Bazaar to be held December 4, at the Bailey County Civic Center and Coliseum, in Muleshoe. Applications for booth space are being accepted until November 31. To request an application contact: Linda at 806-272-3463 or Gail at 806-272-3024.

Trunk or Treat set for October 31

The Calvary Baptist Church will once again be hosting "Trunk or Treat" Sunday, October 31 from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. in the church parking lot. Anyone that doesn't want to sit out in the cold for the trunk or treat can bring their candy for this event any morning at the church. Everyone is welcome. Remember to sign your child or children up for the Wisemen to visit in December.

FHS fall open house scheduled

Friona High School fall open house is scheduled for October 5 at 6:30 p.m. Parents will follow their child's class schedule, visiting each class. All parents are invited to attend.

Mexican pile-on dinner October 10

The Calvary Baptist Church at 1500 North Cleveland will hold a Mexican pile-on dinner Sunday, October 10 at 12 noon to 1:30 p.m. Donations will be taken for the meal. All proceeds to be split between the J.P. Sims Scholarship Fund, Friona Heritage Museum and Friona Public Library. Carry outs will be available.

St. Teresa's to host brisket dinner

St. Teresa's Catholic Church will host a brisket dinner October 3 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The menu consists of brisket, beans, potato salad, cole slaw, bread, relish plate, coffee, tea and dessert. Donations of \$5 for adults and \$3.50 for children under 11 will be accepted.

Local Marine Is Stationed In Iraq



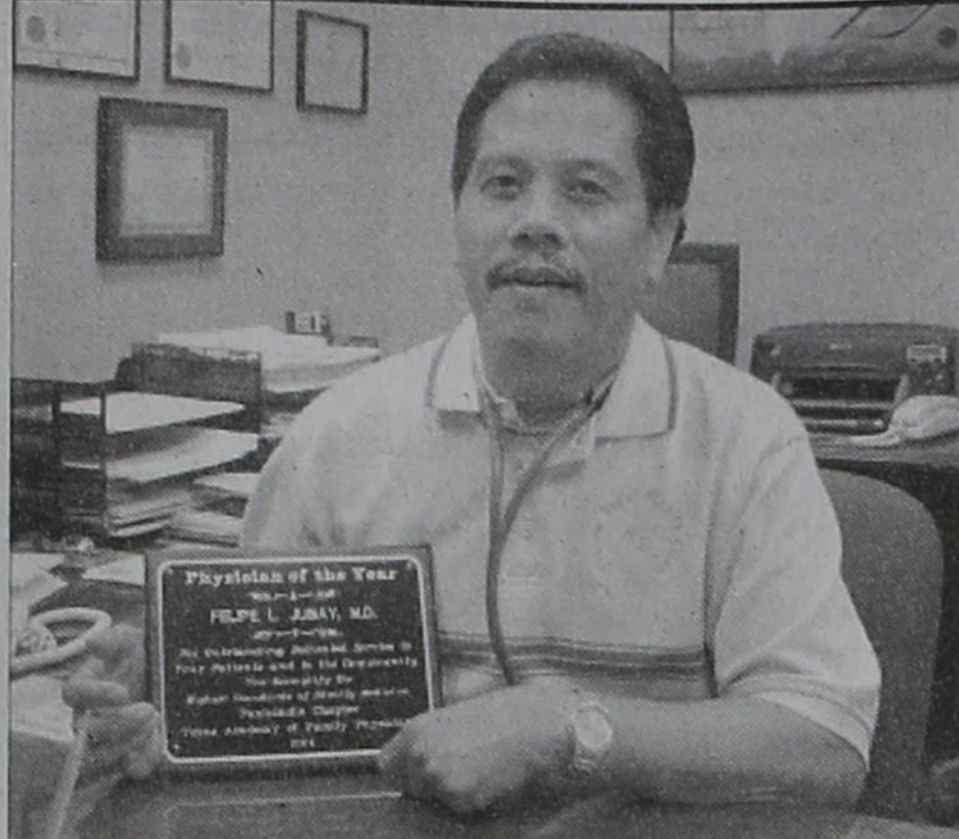
HUGO RIVERA

Hugo Rivera, a 1999 Friona High School graduate, is currently stationed in Iraq with his U. S. Marines unit.

Lance Corporal Rivera is the son of Lazaro and Clementina Rivera of Friona. During high school, Rivera was a standout athlete and was employed by Hi-Pro Feeds before joining the Marines.

We are publishing Hugo's mailing address and email address with the permission of his parents, so his friends and fans might send messages or packages.

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DR. FELIPE JUBAY

Jubay Named 2004 TAFP Physician Of The Year

At this year's Texas Academy of Family Physician's (TAFP) Fall Conference, the academy took the opportunity to award local physician, Felipe L. Jubay, Jr., as their "PHYSICIAN OF THE YEAR".

Dr. Jubay practices at Friona Rural Health Clinic, where he treats a spectrum of patients.

"Family and General Practice is more than medicine, it's having an impact on families, an impact that transcends medicine. Dr. Jubay is committed to the care and treatment of patients and dedicated to his profession," a clinic spokesperson said.

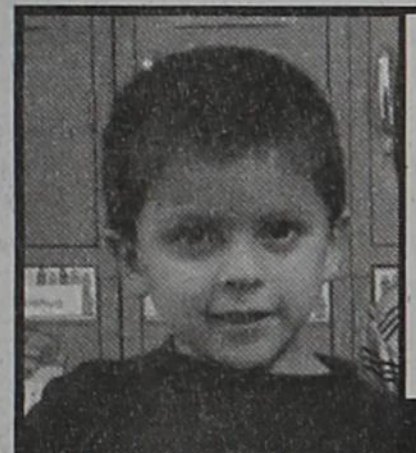
Dr. Jubay and his family moved to Friona in October 1993 where he joined Dr. Robert S.

Alexander in practice. His wife, Monsedita, is employed at Parmer County Community Hospital in the medical records department.

Their two daughters graduated from Friona High School with honors and both attended Texas Tech University. Sherri Anne has just completed Texas Tech Physician Assistant School in Midland, Texas and will be taking her state board in October.

Presently, Lynette is attending Texas Tech Physician Assistant School in Midland.

This community is very grateful to have such a fine physician and his family among us. Congratulations on your honor as Physician of the Year.



Meet the Class of 2016

Samuel is a kindergarten student at Friona Schools. Her parents are Maria and Jose Chihuahua. He has 4 sisters, Blanca, Karina, Anay, and Leidi. Jose is his brother.

Samuel likes to play, eat pizza, and his favorite color is red.

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Breast Cancer Screening Oct 18

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center Comprehensive Breast Center will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at Parmer County Hospital, 1307 Cleveland Avenue, in Friona, on Monday, October 18, 2004.

Breast cancer affects one in eight women. The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an annual breast exam, mammogram and performing a breast self-exam each month.

Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance. All exams are done by appointment only.

Call (806) 356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673 for more information or to schedule an appointment

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Friona Flashbacks

75 Yrs. Ago
October 4, 1929

A deal was consummated here the latter part of last week whereby W.F. Bays of Vaughn, New Mexico, becomes the proprietor of the Friona Motor Company, having purchased the entire interest of J.H. Elder in these two promising business concerns.

70 Yrs. Ago
October 5, 1934

The city's new well has been completed at a depth of 192 feet with 55 feet of water in it and the new pump has been received and installed. The well has been tested out and found to throw a stream of clear water, from an apparently unfailing supply.

65 Yrs. Ago
October 6, 1939

The Star is authorized to announce that the people of the local Methodist Church will hold their first worship services in their new church on Sunday, October 8.

60 Yrs. Ago
October 6, 1944

G.E. and Nelson Welch, who are arranging to open an auto supply store here sometime about the first of November were in town Monday morning, when G.E. was seeking a suitable residence for he and Mrs. Welch to live in while fitting out the store building. Nelson Welch, the junior member of this firm is a Friona boy and well known by all our people. The other member is an uncle of Nelson's. They have secured the O.G. Turner building on Main Street and remodeled the building for their business.

50 Yrs. Ago
October 7, 1954

Parmer County gins have all been placed in operation this week in plenty of time to serve the current harvest. Two new gins in the central section of the county, the L&H Gin, just west of Friona, operated by John Davis, and the Tri-County Gin at Summerfield, operated by S.W. Peterson. Both these gins are owned by Floyd Linsey and Fred Huls.

45 Yrs. Ago
October 8, 1959

Hollis Horton, Jr. nosed out Thelma Watkins for top honors in this week's Cotton Bowl Football Contest by guessing the closest in the tie-breaking Friona vs. Sunray football game.

40 Yrs. Ago
October 8, 1964

Contract for the \$1.25 million school construction program

was awarded at a special meeting of the Friona Independent School Board last Saturday morning. General contractor for the job will be their firm of Knox, Gailey and Meador of Lubbock, on a bid of \$839,937. Hodges Electric Company of Plainview was awarded the electrical contract on a bid of \$87,564. Gray Plumbing of Midland was given the plumbing contract on a bid of \$141,245.

35 Yrs. Ago
October 9, 1969

Four girls are candidates for Homecoming Queen. They are Gwyn Moore, Susan Vestal, Carleen Greeson and Gay Welch. The Hale Center Owls will provide the opposition for Friona's Homecoming contest.

30 Yrs. Ago
October 6, 1974

Amal Malouf, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Malouf, was crowned as Maize Queen for 1974-75 here Thursday as a highlight of the 1974 Maize Days celebration

25 Yrs. Ago
October 14, 1979

The Friona Women's Club will observe their 70th anniversary with an open house Sunday, October 14 at the Federated Club House. The club was started at a meeting on the "front porch" of the drug store in September of 1909.

20 Yrs. Ago
October 7, 1984

Ethridge-Spring Insurance Agency will be observing its 50th year in business in Friona. An open house and reception will be held at the company office, 603 Main Street on Friday, October 12.

15 Yrs. Ago
September 30, 1989

Raymond Delgado was honored by Templo Bautista Church for serving as the church's assistant pastor for over 12 years. Delgado has also been with the Friona School system for the past 12 years.

10 Yrs. Ago
October 1, 1994

Principal, Frank Belcher of Friona High School announced today that Roy Flores has been named a commended student in the 1995 National Merit Scholarship Program.

5 Yrs. Ago
October 1, 1999

In spite of being dogged by untimely penalty flags and fumbles, the Chieftains still managed to score their first shut-out win of the season at Dalhart last Friday, 26-0.

Sheriff's Report

September 21, Samuel Dominguez, 34, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with DWI-3rd charge or more, pending Grand Jury.

September 21, Edward Jacobs, Jr., 37, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with duty on striking fixture/highway/landscaping, pending County Court.

September 22, Tobie Torres, 25, of Farwell, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with indecency with a child in Lubbock County, pending transport.

September 23, Michael Dodge, 28, of Clovis, New Mexico, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol and charged with possession of marijuana-less than two ounces, pending County Court.

September 24, Rafael Martinez, 39, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol and charged with display of a fictitious driver's license, pending County Court.

September 25, Dusty Stowers, 17, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with possession of marijuana-less than two ounces, pending County Court.

September 25, Ginger Rodriguez, 28, of Bovina, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with traffic warrants, posted bond and released.

September 25, Linda Lawson, 52, of Clovis, New Mexico, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with bribery, pending Grand Jury.

COURTHOUSE NOTES

The Parmer County Clerk's Office recorded the following warranty deeds from September 16, 2004 to September 23, 2004.

Andrew J. Friesen and Andrea Friesen - Cristie W. Friesen and Mary G. Friesen, N/2 NW/4 S11 T15S R2E.

Cristie W. Friesen and Mary G. Friesen - Andrew J. Friesen and Andrea Friesen, N/2 NW/4 S11 T15S R2E.

Alec Gordon and Sharon E. Gordon - Steve L. Thompson and Gina L. Thompson, 150X170' OF SW/PT OF NE/4 S1 T3S R3E.

Sandra L. Gonzalez - Victor Gonzalez and Socorro Gonzalez, W/2 L1-2 B86 FRIONA.

James W. Cunningham and Cunningham Living Trust - Joe Cunningham, N4 L3 B5 FRIONA.

Samuel Perez and Susana M. Perez - Daniel Padilla and Lina Padilla, L5-6 B86 FRIONA.

Misti M. Cooper - Danny Campbell and Holly Campbell, E80' L7-8 B65 FRIONA.

Anthony J. Tesillo and Whitney L. Tesillo - David W. Newhouse and Patricia L. Newhouse, L2 B2 STALEY.

Johnny Carranza and Loretta Carranza - Dorotea Carranza and Tomasa Carranza, 994 AC S6 T4S.

James Blanton Moss III and Suzan Cranfill Greenway Moss - JKS Storage Inc., L14-15 B116 BOVINA.

Gene Zachary and Karon Zachary - David George and Carolyn George, L49 B2 WESTERN ADDITION FRIONA.

Movie Reviews

Sky Captain and the World of Tomorrow Interesting Style

BY NATHAN PARSON

I applaud the effort the film makers took to make this movie look as old as possible while using modern effects. Its refreshing to see something new, even if its a throwback to old movies and comic books.

Much like the Final Fantasy movie, the visuals are really the only thing about this movie that is worth mentioning. That said, I didn't really care for the visuals and near the end it seemed they ran out of budget for some of the effects.

The storyline went from being boring and tired to absolutely ridiculous. I prefer movies that stretch or break the bounds of reality, but this one breaks its own rules of reality. I felt like they realized they forgot to write an ending in the script, or maybe the guy who wrote the script died and the last pages got misplaced or destroyed. Whatever happened, they had to think of an ending fast and this was the best they could do.

If you find the visual style more than "interesting," this movie is for you. On a scale of 1-10, Sky Captain and the World of Tomorrow is a 7.

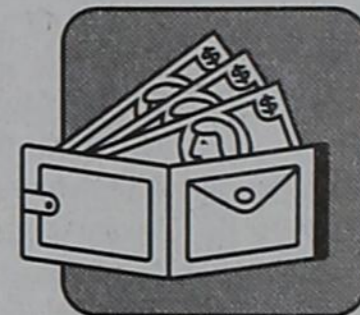
The Forgotten

Weak Ideas but Brilliant Execution

BY NATHAN PARSON

This movie does exactly what you would expect a thriller to do. Nothing great, but it does make you jump. Even the parts you are expecting...parts that are in the trailer will make you jump. If not for the surround sound of a movie theater and a certain special effect, the movie wouldn't have been half as good. Without those two details, this movie could have been reduced to an episode of "The Outer Limits."

I would suggest seeing this in a theater, but not when it comes out on dvd. On a scale of 1-10, The Forgotten is a 7.



Parmer County Receives Sales Tax for Sept. '04

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn announced that the state collected \$1.42 billion in sales tax in August, up 8.2 percent compared to a year ago.

And when the state's 2004 fiscal year ended August 31, general revenue-related sales tax collections totaled \$15.3 billion for the year, up 7.9 percent compared to FY 03, reflecting rising consumer confidence and increased business spending.

"Sales tax grew at its highest annual rate since Texas' 1998 economic boom," Strayhorn said. "2004 was truly an economic bumper crop of a year for Texans." For the year 2004, Parmer County delivered \$327.4 million in September sales tax payments to local governments, a 7 percent increase compared to September 2003.

So far this calendar year, local sales tax allocations are up 8.2 percent compared to the same period in 2003. September's

sales tax allocations include local sales taxes collected in July and reported to the Comptroller in August.

The Comptroller's next local sales tax allocation will be made on Friday, October 8.

Parmer County's September 2004 payment totaled \$34,899 broken down as Bovina \$5,351; Farwell \$7,791; and Friona \$21,757. In September 2003, the tax payment total was \$36,094.

Comparing September 2003 to September 2004 tax receipts, Bovina is up 6.38%, Farwell is down -11.07%, and Friona is down -2.44%.

For the year 2004, Parmer County cities have received a total of \$316,939 compared to \$274,395 for the same period last year. For the year, Bovina tax revenue is down -3.17%, Farwell is up 14.570%, and Friona is up 21.14%, for an overall increase of 15.50% for the county.

Happy Birthday Friona!

October 3 thru October 9, 2004.

Oct. 3-Sarah Schueler, Joe Mann, Sally Osborn Whatley, Marlene Mueller, Danny Guerra, Lanis Graham, Jackie Martin, Jane Huddle, Darlene Swinney, Janis Polson, Steven Moore, Gertrude Murphree, Hannah Raymond

Oct. 4-John Robert Schueler, Amelia Rankin, Leslee Floyd, Darrel Auburg, Joseph Ryan, Travis Graves, Coy Jameson, Eloy Caballero, Allan Haile, Debbie Lewellen, Winifred Hurst

Oct. 5-Fred Florez, Gay Tannahill, Ruth Harguess, Clayton Dean Smiley, Megan Hoon, Kim Parr

Oct. 6-Kit Preston, Jennifer Tell, Shain Clark, Amanda Geries, Billie Fairchild, Kevin Cooper, Kathryn Zagorin, Mark Zagorin

Oct. 7-Laura Brockman, Roy V. Miller, Dr. David McFarland, Lory Hand

Oct. 8-Shannon R. Jones, Debra Grable, Ryan Randolph, Angelica Flores

Oct. 9-Brooklynne Johnston, Melody Lamb, Betty Lamb, Maddie Murphree, Effie Hicks, Derrick Vazquez



Meet the Class of 2016

Carina is a kindergarten student at Friona Schools. Her parents are Cynthia and Eugenio Rodriguez. She has one brother, Damian. Carina likes riding her bike, and playing with kittens. Her favorite foods are pizza and hamburgers. Her favorite color is pink.

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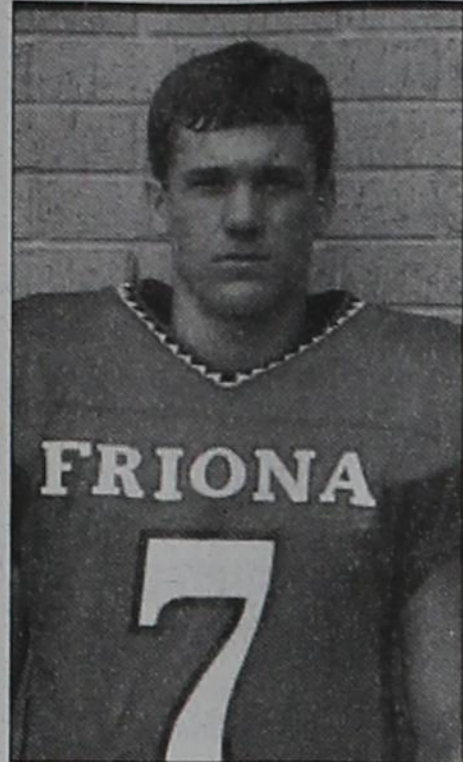


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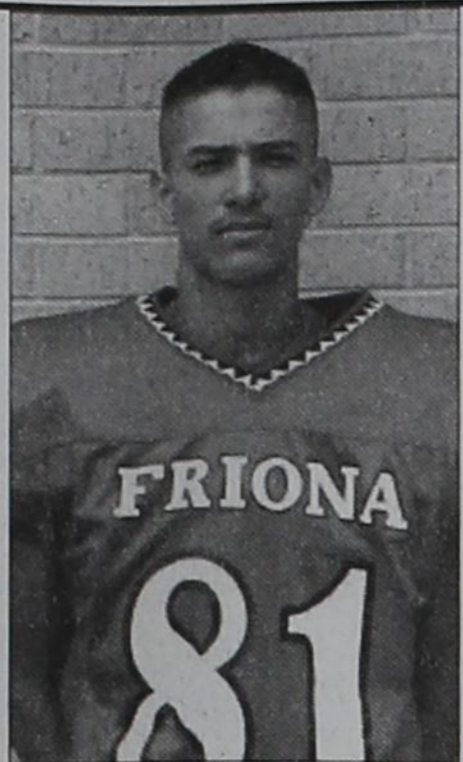
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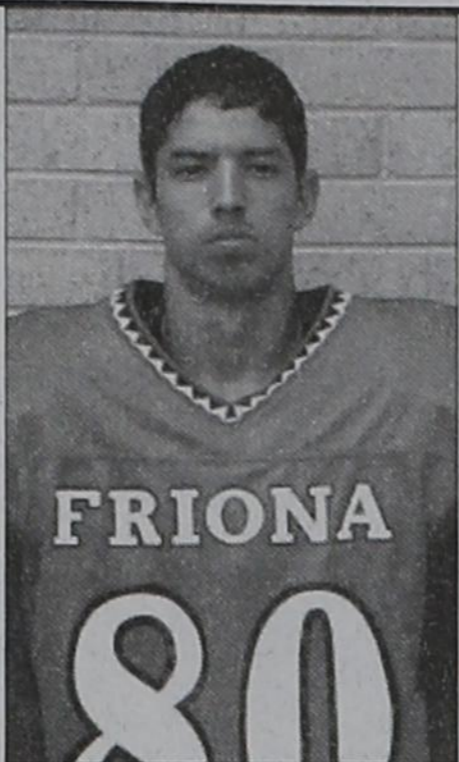
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DAVID DAVILLA



HOMECOMING Princess Brenda Murphree and her father, Jim. ron carr photo



HOMECOMING Princess Andrea Geries and her father, Randy. ron carr photo



HOMECOMING Princess Katy Welch and her father, Kevin. ron carr photo

Payback Time: Chiefs 42 Dalhart 8

Last year the Dalhart Golden Wolves celebrated their homecoming on a Saturday afternoon by trouncing the Chieftains 50-0. Friday night was payback time for the Chiefs.

In their best game of the year, the Chiefs used an explosive offense and swarming defense to stuff the hapless Golden Wolves 42-8 before a capacity homecoming crowd at Chieftain Field.

Senior quarterback Derek Fairweather had a career best game as he led the Chieftains with three rushing touchdowns and threw for another two. The TD tosses were crowd pleasers as the lefty QB connected with Freddy Reyes for a 63-yard touchdown and again to David Davila for a 53-yard score.

Fairweather drew first blood in the first quarter as he faked a handoff then glided around the left side and was breezing past the secondary before anybody knew he had the ball. The play was good for 42-yards and six points. Sophomore Cesar Prieto, moved up from JV to replace injured kicker Antonio Monreal, booted his first varsity extra point dead center of the uprights.

The Golden Wolves relied mainly on passing throughout the game. On their first possession after the Friona TD, the Chiefs held, took over on a punt, and drove to score with Freddy Reyes carrying it over for a 4-yard TD. Prieto's kick was good.

In second quarter action, Fairweather continued to march the offense as he scored his second TD on a 6-yard run. Later in the quarter, Fairweather launched a 63-yard scoring bomb to F. Reyes, then connected with Sergio Saenz on a

two-point conversion.

The Wolves got on the board with a short pass as the half ended. They missed the extra point and the Chiefs had a commanding 28-6 lead at the half.

The Chiefs would score twice more in the third quarter. Wide receiver David Davila streaked down the left sideline and ran under a perfect strike from Fairweather for the 53-yard TD. Prieto was good on the kick. The sophomore was 4 for 5 on extra point tries and consistently boomed long kickoffs giving the Golden Wolves poor field position for most of the night.

In the fourth quarter, coaches gave second team players some experience. On one series, with Friona back at their own three-yard line facing a punt situation, Chief punter Patton ran out of the end zone giving Dalhart a safety and Friona a free kick from the 20. With rain and lightning threatening to move in and the score 42-8, the referees let the clock run out the quarter.

Overall Fairweather was 7 of 8 in passing for 177 yards. In addition to the TD tosses, he connected with Hayden Patton twice and Willy Castillo once. Fairweather also carried 12 times for 78 yards and the three TDs. Jacob Hoon added 13 carries for 64 yards, Pedro Ramos 7 for 22, F. Reyes 8 for 26, Saenz 6 for 11, and Andrew Chico 4 carries for 12 yards.

The Chieftain defense also sparkled this night. In addition to his touchdown catch, David Davila intercepted two Golden Wolves passes. Sophomore defensive back Juan Reyes also intercepted Dalhart twice and

Andrew Chico recovered a fumble. J. Reyes also had 5 unassisted tackles and Davila had 3. Between them the two were in on 12 tackles.

Linebacker and defensive captain David Mendez had 3 unassisted and 7 assisted tackles to lead the team. On the final stat tally, coaches credited the Chief defense with 12 quarterback pressures, led by sophomore Adam Carrasco with 3, and Mendez, Eduardo Godoy, and Patton 2 each.

Coach Bob Ferguson was optimistic about the win. "We think the boys finally played together as a team and Derek gained a lot of confidence with his performance," Ferguson said. "The week off will help us prepare for district play and give some of our guys time to heal." Friona is off this week and open district play vs. Dimmitt there October 8.

Coaches will take advantage of the open night to scout Tulia and Floydada, Ferguson said. Rudy Gonzales and Antonio Monreal should return to the lineup vs. Dimmitt. Also, Ferguson said that the two weeks of practice will give coaches time to work with Hayden Patton and Willy Castillo to fill the backup quarterback role of Steven Sanchez who is out for the season with a knee injury.



J.V. CHIEFS, L-R, Tolby Wilcox (44), Jacob Gonzales (73), Philip Saiz (34) Stephen Campbell (77). holly campbell photo

Friona JV 40 Dalhart JV 22

It was a game made for the fans as Friona's JV broke some huge plays and routed the Dalhart JV 40-22 at Dalhart.

Coach Rex Cumpton described it this way: "It was a strange game. Our offensive stats weren't very impressive because we only snapped the ball 15 plays of offense and another 6 plays on extra points. The big part of this game was three special team scores, two kickoff returns and one punt return. You don't see that combined with two defensive scores very often. I never have. A good job all around."

Friona rolled up 220 yards of offense—160 rushing, 60 passing—while holding Dalhart to 99 yards. Scoring for the JV Chiefs were: Eric North, a 56-yard TD reception; Eddie Ortiz, two TDs, a 30-yard fumble return and 85-yard kickoff return; Valente Casas, two TDs, a 90-yard kickoff return and a 55-yard punt return; Gerald Padilla, a 78-yard interception return; Tolby Wilcox, two 2-point conversions.

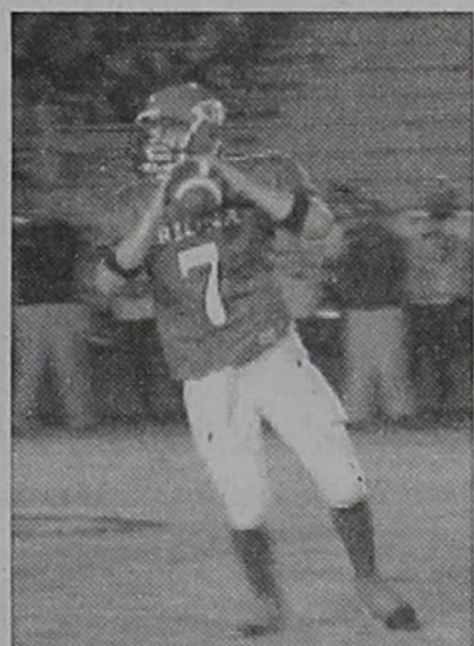
The JV Chiefs are open this week and open district play at home vs. Dimmitt next Thursday.

8th Braves 38 Plainview 6

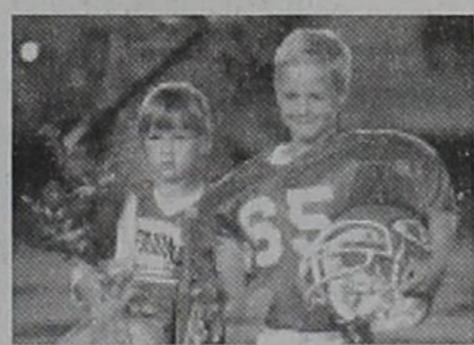
The 8th grade Braves had a solid game, defeating the Plainview 8th graders 38-6.

Scoring by Friona went this way: a 2-yard run by Justin Dominguez, a 9-yard run by Justin Echevarria, an 18-yard run by Dominguez, a 40-yard run by Echevarria, and a 5-yard run by Dominguez. Two-point conversions were added by Andy Bentley (2), Alex Dunnam, and Rolando Castanon.

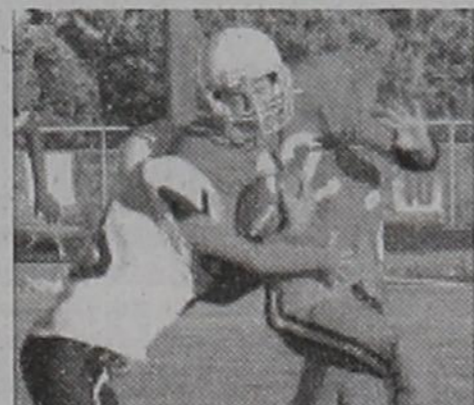
Other outstanding offensive standouts were Daniel Mendoza, Patrick Rios, Alex Vega, and Aaron Hand. On defense, Dominguez had an interception, Licerio and Dunnam had a punt block recovered by Gilberto Torres, and Joey Mendoza, Luis Prieto, and John O'Brian were commended by coaches for their outstanding defensive play.



FAIRWEATHER in action against Dalhart. dana d. jameson photo



Homecoming Escorts



8th Grade Braves

7th Braves 8 Plainview 20

Friona's 7th graders lost to the Plainview 7th 20-8 last Thursday. Friona's score came on a 36-yard TD pass from Stetson Reed to Jonathan Licerio and Reed added the 2-point conversion.

Other outstanding players named by coaches were Alex Ferguson, David Ramos, Matthew Stanberry and Alfonso Grado. Marquese Saenz recovered a fumble and Jordan Kelley and Ramiro Vega combined on a blocked punt and recovery.



2003 HOMECOMING QUEEN Claudia Cruz and attendant Jordan Jamerson. dana d. jameson photo



CHIEFTAIN Fabian Dominguez smiles for the camera with his favorite homecoming girl, Abby Isom, daughter of Coach Jeff and Brittany Isom. dana d. jameson photo



HOMECOMING Princess Kristin Butman and her father, Jerry. ron carr photo



JACOB HOON runs for yardage. dana d. jameson photo

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SOPHOMORE Cesar Prieto, (55) kicks one of his four extra points. dana d. jameson photo

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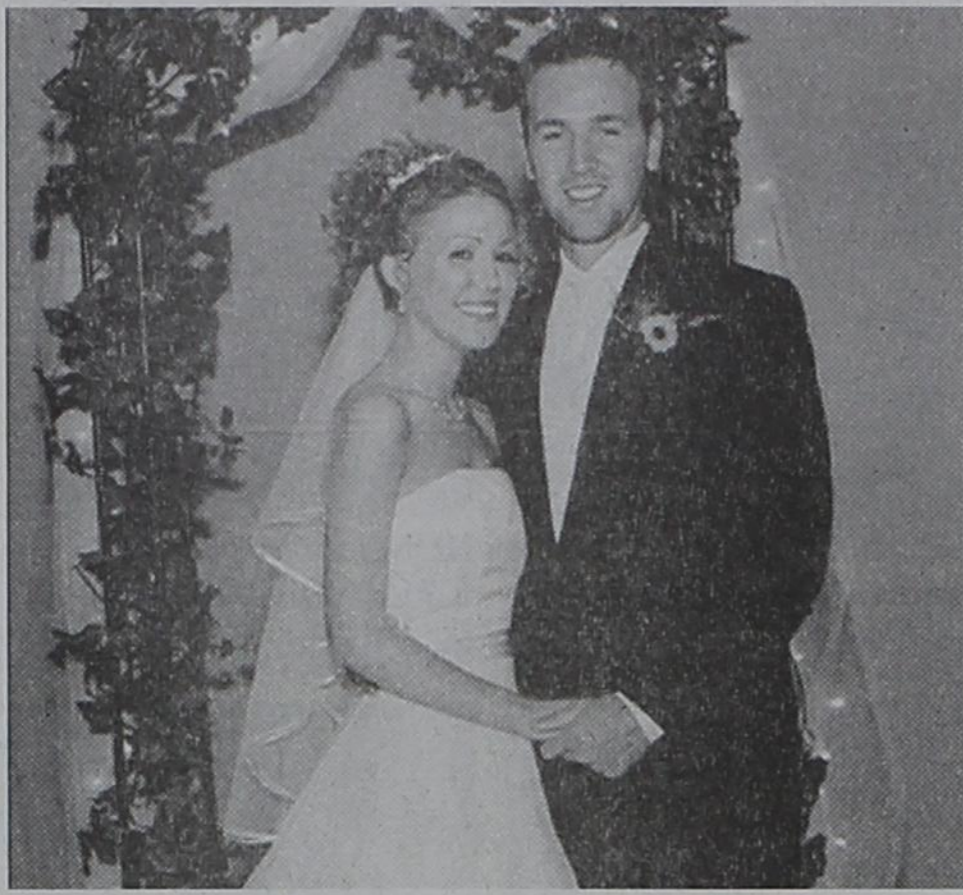
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MR. & MRS. GABRIEL SCOTT FERRIS
(née Kayla Joy Wyly)

Kayla Joy Wyly, of Friona, and Gabriel Scott Ferris, of Dalhart, were united in marriage on Saturday, August 14, 2004, at 7:00 p.m., at Plum Creek Fellowship Church in Amarillo with Randall Ator officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Criss and Karen Wyly of Friona. Grandparents of the bride are James and Lydia Wyly of Friona and Clarence and Joy Holmes of Amarillo.

Parents of the groom are Scott and Donna Ferris of Dalhart. Grandparents of the groom are Robert and Barbara Ferris of Greensburg, Indiana and Margaret Kroger and the late Carl Kroger, also of Greensburg, Indiana.

The bride, escorted by her father, wore a strapless gown of white organza. The waist was outlined with satin bands, and the back flowed into a tiered apron design with satin band detail at the edging.

She wore a silver headband of rhinestones and an elbow-length two layered veil complete with satin band edging. She carried a

bouquet of red roses and small yellow sunflowers, accented with stems of dried wheat, picked the day of the couple's engagement.

Lory Wyly, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor. Bridal attendants were sister of the groom, Emily Ferris, and sister of the bride, Kathleen Wyly.

The bridesmaids wore navy organza tea length skirts with coordinating tops and carried bouquets of fresh cut red roses and small yellow sunflowers.

Zac Yoder of Longview, Texas, friend of the groom, served as best man. The groom's attendants were Teldon Bohlender of Lincoln, Nebraska, friend of the groom, and Weston Wyly, brother of the bride. The groom and his attendants wore classic black tuxedos.

Ushers were Kade Morrison and Ben Martin, of Lubbock, both friends of the groom.

A slideshow featuring the bride and groom as they grew up, began the ceremony. Cory Kroger accompanied the slideshow with his own guitar arrangement. Josh Watkins played "As the Deer"

as the wedding party entered the sanctuary. "How Beautiful", sung by Madelyn Ferris, truly described the atmosphere as the bride was presented to her groom.

The church shimmered with lights in the trees and candles sitting on rustic stands with climbing ivy. The couple recited their vows under an arch of soft lights, ivy, and tulle.

The wedding reception was held at the church following the wedding. White lights glistened through the tulle and glass that held the bride's white, three-tiered cake featuring red rose petals placed on each layer. The top layer rested on clear columns and held three red roses, symbolizing the couple's new covenant. Rachael and Jessica Patterson, cousins of the bride, served at the bride's table.

The groom's table held a German chocolate cake, homemade brownies, and M&Ms served by Janet Harrison and Linda Bohlender.

The couple was escorted from the church in a white horse drawn carriage, following the reception. The guests rang bells to wish the couple a life of love and joy.

The groom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner Friday evening, in Amarillo, at Homewood Suites by Hilton. Guests enjoyed a special time with the couple, including treasured home videos.

The bride is a graduate of Friona High School. She received a Bachelor of Science degree in Speech Communication from West Texas A&M University in Canyon.

The groom graduated from Dalhart High School and attends West Texas A&M University, where he will receive his Bachelor of Science in Agriculture Business and Economics, in December.

The couple planned a honeymoon to Colorado Springs, Colorado and will reside in Canyon.



FOURTH GRADERS Darian Irons, left, and Kylie Boyd do their part by sharing a pair of rubber gloves to pick up left over Maize Days litter at Friona City Park.

Down Syndrome Buddy Walk Sat.

The Panhandle Down Syndrome Guild will host its 3rd annual Buddy Walk at Sam Houston Park, Saturday, October 9. Registration is at 9 a.m. and the Walk begins at 10 a.m.

The Buddy Walk is an advocacy walk and party to celebrate October as National Down Syndrome Awareness Month.

The primary goals of the Buddy Walk are to celebrate the lives of people with Down syndrome, promote acceptance and inclusion of people with Down syndrome, and to raise funds for education, research, and outreach programs.

This year's special guest is Chris Burke, an actor with Down syndrome, who played Corky on the hit TV series Life Goes On, and his friends Joe and John DeMasi.

In addition to the entertainment, attendees will be treated to food, games, prizes, face painting, a petting zoo, and

bouncers for the children. Organizers say this is a family friendly event, free to the public, although donations are always accepted.

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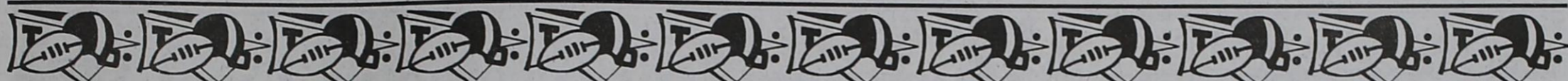


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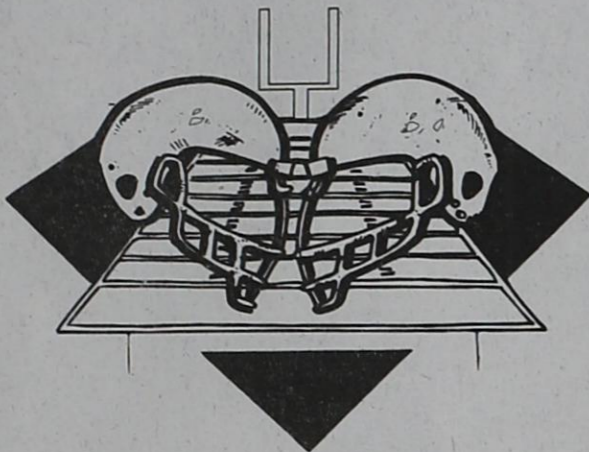
Friona Star 2004 Football Contest

**WEEKLY
1ST PLACE PRIZE**

\$50

2ND PLACE PRIZE

\$25



Overall Point Total
Grand Prize
\$200
2nd Place \$100

CONTEST RULES

Tie Breaker: Pick the score of both tie breaker games. The second tie-breaker game will be used in case two or more players are tied after the first tie-breaker game.

Mailed entries should be sent to the Friona address above and postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.

Entries are due by 5 p.m. each Friday.

Cash prizes of \$50 for first place & \$25 for second place will be awarded weekly.

Three ways to enter:
Fax to: 806-250-5127
Mail to: Football Contest
P.O. Box 789
Friona, TX 79035

Each correct game picked counts as one point. Player with most total points at the end of the 13-week contest will win a Grand Prize of \$200. Second place overall winner will receive \$100.

Bring entry to: Friona Star Office
916 Main St.
-or-
Dorothy's Beauty Shop
3rd St. in Bovina.

Only one entry form per individual Must be 10-years or over to enter. Newspaper employees and their immediate families are not eligible to enter.

For questions or more information about the football contest, call: 806-250-2211.

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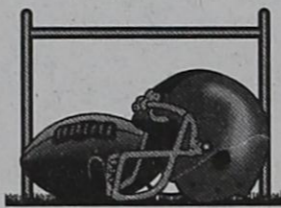
ENTRY FORM

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TIE BREAKER SCORES:

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WEEK 6

GAMES PLAYED OCT. 8,9,10

DEADLINE 5:00 P.M. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8

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Bovina Reflections

45 Yrs. Ago
October 7, 1959

Billy Burnam, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnam, left Wednesday for Ft. Ord, California, where he will be stationed in the Army.

40 Yrs. Ago
September 30, 1964

A four-point recommendation has been submitted to Parmer County Commissioners Court on the proposed multi-purpose dam project for the area by the county steering committee.

35 Yrs. Ago
October 1, 1969

The 1865 organ, to be given away in November by St. Ann's Catholic Church, is on display at Marie's Used Values on Main Street, according to Father Gerald Dunford.

30 Yrs. Ago
October 2, 1974

Gaines Hardware Company, one of the oldest business firms in Bovina and operated by members of the family since its opening day, will close its doors for the final time within the next two or three weeks, according to Mrs. Neal Mager.

25 Yrs. Ago
October 3, 1979

Annette Stevenson and Eddie Garcia were crowned Homecoming Football Queen and King at Bovina's pep rally last Friday night.

20 Yrs. Ago
October 3, 1984

According to Billy Whitecotton, president of the Trade Days committee, they have secured a place on Highway 60 for booths to be set up

and will have the land cleared by next Trade Days.

15 Yrs. Ago
October 4, 1989

The PTA school employee of the week is Tony McGowan, band director at BHS.

10 Yrs. Ago
October 1, 1994

Leon and Elois Saddler went to White River over the weekend and had a good time tubing with their children, Derrick and Karen. White River is near Post, Texas.

5 Yrs. Ago
October 1, 1999

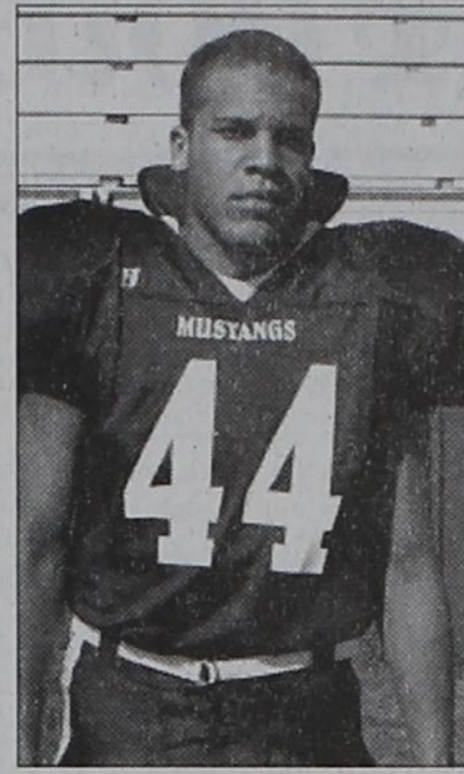
The Bovina Mustangs and Smyer Bobcats tied in one category Friday night: each team gathered 212 yards of offense during the 48-minute fracas. Coach Scroggins grumbled about the 212-yard total, then reflected "if we could have 212 yards and 33 points every game, I'd sure take it."

Happy Birthday Bovina

- Oct. 3 thru Oct. 9, 2004
- Oct. 3-Carolyn Rains, Starlia Clayton
- Oct. 4-Scooter Russell, J.B. Barrett, Elsa Galvan
- Oct. 5-Tonya Koelzer, Kari George
- Oct. 6-Burl Taylor, Polly Mills
- Oct. 7-Misty Kirkpatrick
- Oct. 8-Jeff Steelman, Lori Sharp, Louise Hawkins
- Oct. 9-Yolanda Ramon, Virginia Steele, Cherise Ventura, Kimberly Stormes, Garry Beauchamp, Kevin Eschberger

Bovina 35 Clovis Sophs 12

Mustangs Impressive in First Win



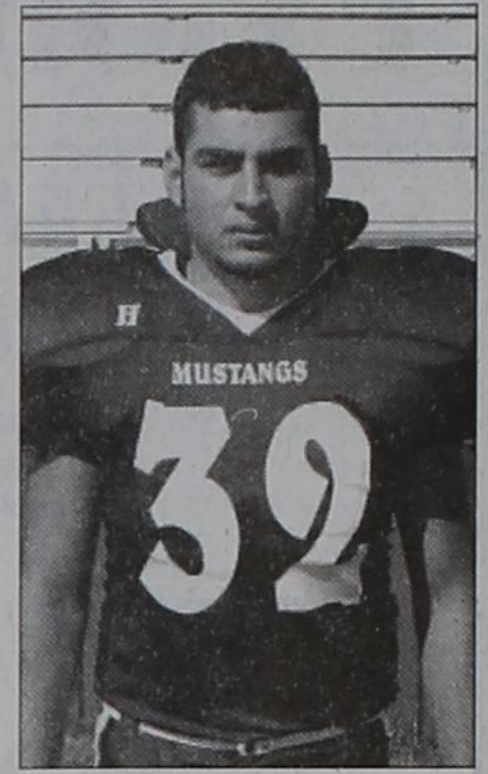
JOSH SHELBY

The Bovina Mustangs pulled it all together Friday night to provide Bovina fans with an exciting 35-12 homecoming victory over the Clovis sophomores.

The Mustangs earned their first win of the year in decisive fashion, piling up 243 yards of running offense and only 25 passing. They took advantage of turnovers as the defense scored twice. Javier Guevara returned an interception 45-yards for a touchdown and Josh Shelby recovered a Clovis fumble in the end zone for a touchdown.

Clovis scored on an 80-yard kickoff return and a 50-yard pass play so Bovina coaches have some work to do in practice before the Mustangs meet the Amarillo JV this week in Amarillo. Hugo Martinez, Shelby and Eddie Segovia each scored rushing touchdowns and Segovia was good on all five extra point kicks.

Segovia rushed 11 times for 68 yards, Jeff Casas carried 10 times for 66 yards, and Josh Shelby carried 10 for 61 yards. Bovina outgained Clovis in the game 268 to 95 yards. Bovina is now 1-3 on the season.

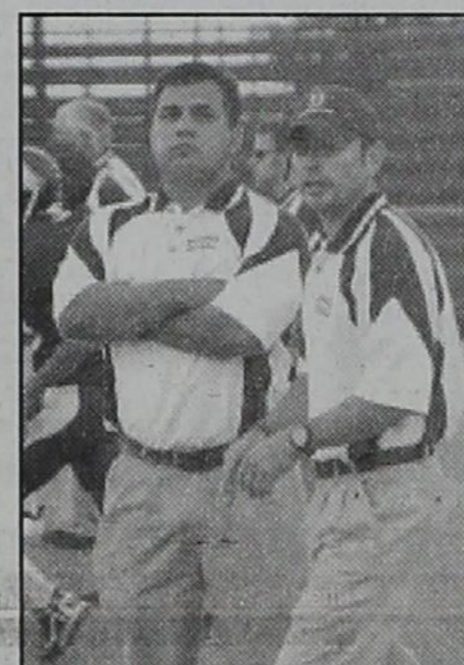


EDDIE SEGOVIA



MUSTANGS, Esteban Guevara (5), Luis Munoz (79), Kole McNary (20), Hugo Martinez (65), and Miguel Munoz (45) close in on a Clovis runner.

Homecoming Photos By Coy Jameson



COACHES Hector Guevara & Steve Arias.



QB JEFF CASAS (1) in action Friday Night



TIME to go to work



THE BALL BOYS were looking good too!

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For more info call John Tannahill for appt. to inspect. Will be sold on location @ 12:00 Noon 50 - Jts. 6"X20' Alum. Gated Pipe 100 - Jts. 7"X20' Alum. 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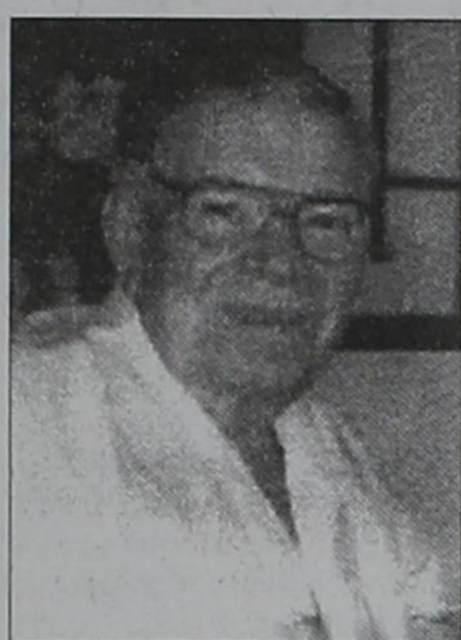
Russell Wayne Bryant

Funeral services for Russell Wayne Bryant, 78, of Las Cruces, New Mexico, were held Tuesday, September 21, 2004 at Getz Funeral Home with Rev. Loyd Cain officiating. Burial followed at the Masonic Cemetery. The U.S. Navy and the Marine Corp League of Las Cruces provided military honors. Pallbearers were members of Mr. Bryant's family.

Mr. Bryant died Saturday, September 18, 2004. He was born March 2, 1926 in Burkburnett, Texas to E.T. and Lola Barker Bryant.

Russell was a veteran of the U.S. Navy where he served his country honorably. He was a retired farmer from Muleshoe, Texas. He also sold cars and was an insurance agent for the Farm Bureau. Russell had a passion for golf and fishing and was a member of the Christian community for most of his life. He will be deeply missed by all his family and friends who knew and loved him.

Survivors include his wife of 31 years, Bettie Bryant, of Las Cruces; children Michael Bryant



RUSSELL WAYNE BRYANT

and wife Vicki, Debbie Hurt and husband Steve, Diane Actkinson and husband Johnny, Kim Shelton and husband Wade, all of Texas, and Janice and husband Dr. Norman Harrison of Las Cruces; one brother, Don Bryant and wife Mary Anna of Texas; grandchildren, Dr. Robert Harrison, Derek, Tory, Heather, Haley, Bethany, Jeff, Greg, Jill, Lacey, Jake, MacKenzie, and Tyler; and five great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Boy Scout Troop 56 News

From Scout leaders Kurt and Tara Wales, the local troop has been busy.

Boy Scout Troop 56 made a trip to Alibates Flint Quarries, outside of Flint, Texas, to hike and tour the old quarries used by American Indians.

Guided by a Park Ranger, the boys learned about the various Indians who came to the Panhandle to dig or trade for the rare Rainbow flint found only at Alibates. They also found out where and how the flint was dug. Flint from the quar-

ries has been found on both U. S. coasts.

The boys ate lunch and hiked in nearby McBride Canyon. The visit helped several boys to complete requirements for the Citizenship in the Nation badge. Attending the outing were Abriel Terrones, Ethan Wales, Jake Hefner, Clayton Sides, Jaime Benavides, Sam Wales, Adrian Garcia, and Jordan Kelley.

On August 30 the Boy Scout Awards were held. Scout Troop 56 has two boys that have earned Star Rank and three scouts who

have achieved Second Class Rank. Jordan Kelley and Ethan Wales completed a community service project, served as troop leaders and earned at least four Eagle required badges, have advanced to Star Rank.

Sam Wales, Clayton Sides, and Jacob Hefner moved up to Second Class Scouts by earning badges, performing community service and meeting other specific requirements.

Jordan Kelley earned badges in Citizenship in the Nation and Family Life. Ethan Wales earned Shot-

gun Shooting, Citizenship in the Nation, Family Life, and Gardening badges. Sam Wales earned his Pioneering and Gardening badges. Jacob Hefner received Shotgun Shooting and Pioneering. Clayton Sides and Adrian Garcia each earned Pioneering badges.

"To complete each of the requirements to advance in rank or earn a badge takes a lot of personal initiative from these guys," Tara Wales said. "They are to be commended for all their hard work during the summer."

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

Friona Industries, L.P. has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for renewal of Air Quality Permit No. 1140A which would authorize continued operation of their Animal Feedmill Facility located at 1201 East 11th Street, Friona, Parmer County, Texas. Additional information concerning this application is contained in the public notice section of this newspaper.

A TODAS LAS PERSONAS Y ENTIDADES INTERESADAS:

Friona Industries, L.P. se ha registrado con la Comision de Calidad Ambiental de Texas (TCEQ o Texas Commission on Environmental Quality) para la renovacion de un Permiso de Calidad de Aire Num. 1140A el cual autorizara continuar el funcionamiento de un(a) Animal Feedmill Facility en 1201 East 11th Street, Friona, Condafo de Parmer, Tejas. Informacion adicional sobre esta solicitud puede encontrarse en la seccion de avisos publicos de esta publicacion.

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 2002 Ford F150 XLT, Maroon, 68k miles, One owner! \$14,900 1563TA	 2002 Chevy Avalanche Z-71 Black, 54k miles, GM Certified! \$24,900 3045	 2002 Chevy Tahoe LT, 4x4, Pewter, 57k miles, Leather! \$20,900 1109TA	 2003 Chevy Tahoe LS, 2WD, Maroon, 24k miles, GM Certified! \$24,900 3062PA
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West Texas Agriculture Is The Cornerstone Of Our Way Of Life

BY CONGRESSMAN CHARLIE STENHOLM

As a farmer I understand the support we need to preserve our unique way of life. My family and I grow cotton, wheat, grain sorghum, and have a few cattle on our Jones County farm.

For years I have served as the Ranking Member of the House Agriculture Committee. In this position, I help oversee every federal agricultural agency, law and regulation. I provide guidance to other members of the committee and Congress as they form new agriculture policies. This position allows me a seat at the table when any agriculture policy is being discussed.

One of the achievements I am most proud of was my work with then-Chairman Larry Combest in crafting the 2002 Farm Bill. This bill was a bipartisan effort that provided a strong safety net for crop producers and created the largest conservation effort in our nation's history. The 2002 Farm Bill also benefited many West Texas farmers by upping direct payments on some crops as well as providing payments to supplement harvests when market prices are low.

I am worried that the Farm Bill's future may be threatened. I am concerned because of a proposed \$1.26 billion cut in funding next year for conservation, rural development and research and energy programs. I believe our fiscal policies, which are being developed without common-sense bipartisanship, are eroding the Farm Bill.

I have also worked with Congress and the Administration to improve strategies to prevent and respond to agricultural

terrorism. I am also working to implement an animal identification system to protect the health of the U.S. livestock industry.

Since agriculture and energy are closely linked, I also take a great interest in energy legislation. I believe that our country needs an energy policy and I've supported the President in his efforts to establish one.

To benefit Texas agriculture producers, I co-sponsored legislation to adopt a renewable fuels standard and extend credits for ethanol and biodiesel production. This would profit corn and sorghum producers, and boost oilseed and livestock prices.

Additionally, I'm a founding member of the Ag-Energy Users Caucus. This group educates our colleagues on how the nation's agriculture producers are impacted by rising costs and uncertain supplies.

It's imperative that I return to my position as the Ranking Member of the Agriculture Committee so I can protect the 2002 Farm Bill and West Texas farmers best. If I am not re-elected, West Texas loses a crucial seat at the table during all agriculture discussions.

The new Ranking Member will be from Minnesota and the Chairman from Virginia. Do you think either of these members puts West Texas' interests first? I'm the independent voice for West Texas in Congress and on the Agriculture Committee, fighting for our way of life.

Cattle Owners: TB Test By Dec 31

Texas Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs reminded cattle producers to have their herds tested for cattle tuberculosis by December 31, the first step towards regaining Texas' TB-free status.

Texas' TB plan, developed in 2002 by a joint industry and regulatory working group, originally called for testing at least 2,400 purebred beef and seed stock herds by the end of August, 2004.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture recently announced that it was extending the testing deadline until December 31, 2004, to allow for more tests to be completed. If the 2,400 herds are not tested by the end of December, the USDA could revoke a temporary waiver that allows shipments of feeder cattle to go out of the state without

restrictions.

"Testing these herds is a vital step towards our long term goal of regaining TB-free status for the Texas cattle industry," said Combs. "Since the deadline does not fall until the end of December, not only can owners test their herds for free, they can take advantage of cooler fall months to work their cattle."

"We need the support of dairy and purebred beef producers to find any possible remaining TB infection, to prevent further spread of disease and to regain our ability to move breeding cattle across state lines without a TB test," said Dr. Bob Hillman, head of the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC), the state's regulatory agency for livestock and poultry health. "Allowing cattle TB to gain a 'hoof-hold' would be

extremely costly, in terms of credibility with consumers, and in our ability to trade freely with our interstate and international trading partners."

Since 1983, cattle TB has been detected in 19 Texas dairies and eight purebred beef herds. In 2000, Texas attained the TB-free status under the National Tuberculosis Eradication Program, but lost it in 2002, after two newly-infected herds were detected.

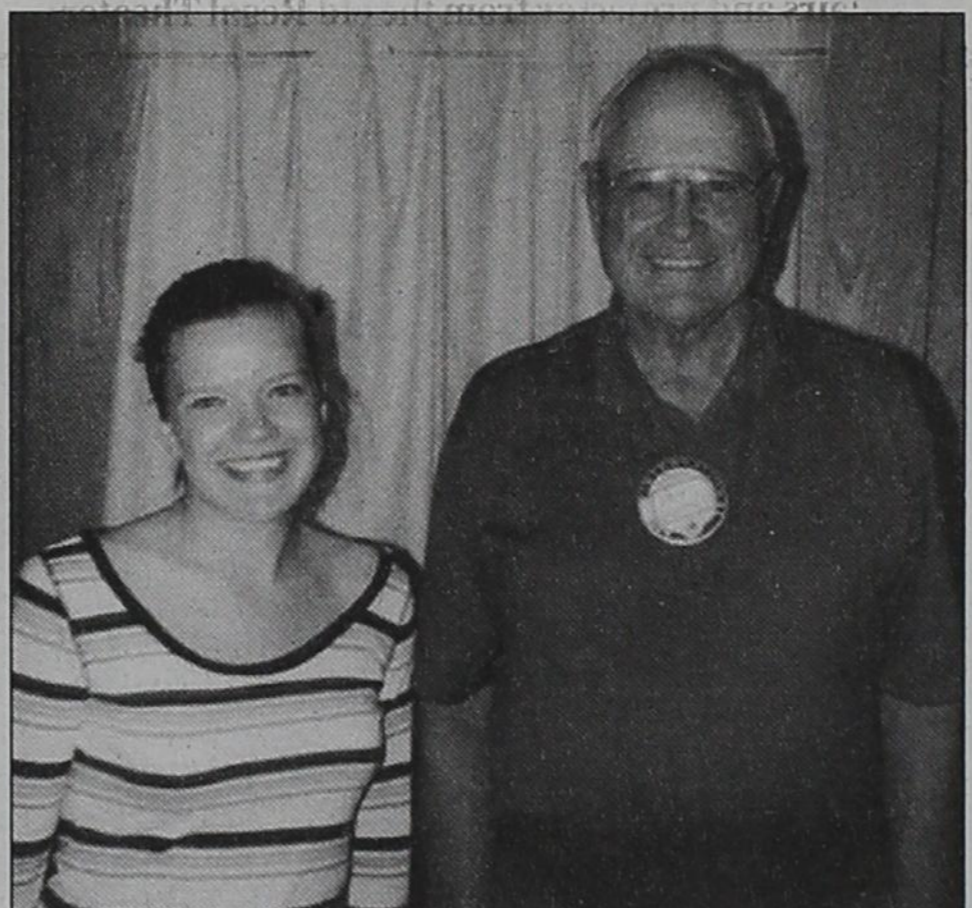
A joint industry and regulatory working group developed the Texas TB plan in 2002, agreeing to test 2,400 herds in return for a USDA temporary waiver allowing feeder cattle to move interstate without a test

or official identifications.

Some beef producers are concerned that restrictions on their herd would be enforced due to false positive results. But, new follow-up blood tests have shown to be effective in eliminating needless culling or loss of genetics.

To test a herd, producers should contact an accredited, private veterinary practitioner and make an appointment. Testing is free.

The Texas Animal Health Commission maintains lists of veterinarians who can conduct the test, and can be contacted at (800) 550-8242 or www.tahc.state.tx.us for more information.



RON DAVENPORT lectured on "Texas Animal Health" at the Friona Evening Lions Club, Thursday, September 23. Also pictured is Evening Lions Sweetheart Brittany Anthony.

Think Texas

BY SUSAN COMBS, Agriculture Commissioner

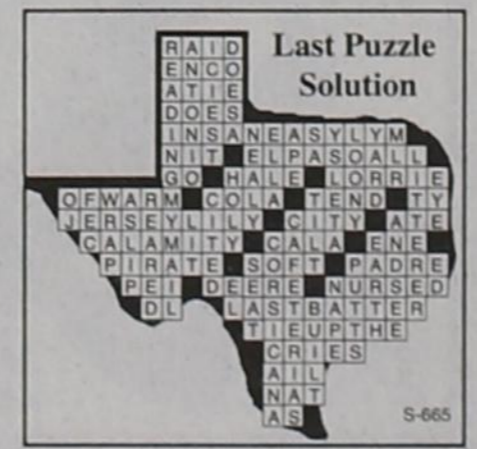
Pumpkins conjure up images of autumn hayrides and Halloween costumes, but there is more to this holiday staple than meets the eye. A pumpkin's deep orange color is a dead giveaway to the nutrition that's packed inside, and folks are finding that pumpkins aren't just for jack-o-lanterns or scrumptious Thanksgiving pies anymore.

Pumpkin is an ingredient that is being added to anything from savory risotto to sweet casseroles and hearty stews. Pumpkin can be used as a base for creamy sauces and soups, and it gives desserts, such as cheesecake, pudding, ice cream and sweet breads a nutritional boost as well. One-half cup of cooked pumpkin supplies enough Vitamin A for the day and is an excellent source of fiber, vitamin C and potassium. One-half cup of uncooked pumpkin has only 38 calories.

In Texas, the pumpkin harvest typically begins in mid-September and lasts through October. Texas is one of the top

10 states in pumpkin production, harvesting from 4,500 to 6,500 acres of pumpkins annually—most coming from Floyd County. The harvest season can yield as many as 30,000 to 40,000 pounds of pumpkins per acre.

Sugar pumpkins, weighing two to five pounds, have sweeter, more tender meat and are favored by consumers for traditional pumpkin pies. Choose pumpkins that are firm, fresh and heavy for their size. Pumpkins can be purchased at grocery stores, farmers markets, roadside stands and pick-your-own locations throughout the season.



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03/04 Disaster Update; First Day of Fall Accompanied By Cool/Wet Weather

LUBBOCK, September 24, 2004 BY SHAWN WADE

With little visible movement occurring on the FY2005 Homeland Security Appropriations bill that passed the Senate late last week, agriculture's focus continues to center on what has unexpectedly become a much anticipated appropriations bill.

The Senate bill included a couple of welcome late additions in the form of emergency hurricane and agriculture disaster relief. The agriculture disaster portion of the bill is estimated to provide some \$3 billion for weather related losses endured by farmers in 2003 or 2004.

That is why encouraging completion of the Homeland Security spending bill is at the top of the list for cotton and other commodities that endured crop losses due to drought in some areas and hail and similar severe weather in others.

Plains Cotton Growers officers and Executive Vice President Steve Verett will be discussing the importance of the disaster package during a round of appointments in Washington, DC September 28-29.

The latest news from Washington indicates that some technical issues need to be addressed before the bill can go to conference.

For Texas High Plains producers the good news was the Senate's apparent recognition that significant crop damage occurred in 2003 as well as 2004. Over one million acres of cotton were lost in 2003 on the Texas High Plains alone. The vast majority of the losses were caused by hailstorms that crisscrossed the region early in the growing season.

On the other end of the spectrum is the 2004 crop. With the arrival of Fall on the Texas High Plains, the big unknown is if the weather will continue to cooperate. A few more weeks of warm, sunny days would be just what many of them need to finish out the crop.

Unfortunately, Fall's arrival hasn't been exactly what many had hoped for going into the last week of September. Instead of a continuation of the near perfect weather that dominated the months first three weeks, the last ten days of September will apparently feature just the opposite.

This week the area has seen the arrival of a cool front that will hold down temperatures and rain. For many areas the rain that has fallen over the past few days will mostly be viewed as a welcome addition to a crop that was beginning to show some signs of moisture stress.

What is less welcome is the forecast over the next 7-8 days that projects daytime highs only reaching the middle to upper 70s. Nighttime lows are also projected to fall to the lower 40s in northern counties and into the 50s in counties south of Lubbock.

With more and more cotton reaching a point where harvest aid applications are imminent, the overall effect of the cool-down will be hard to judge. No matter what the weather brings, a gradual acceleration of both harvest aid application and harvesting activity will occur in the next few weeks.

In many fields the crop is essentially made and the next step is plant preparation and harvest. Slow to develop cotton in northern areas and all of the area's late-planted cotton needs more time, heat and sunshine to realize its potential.

Unfortunately, nobody knows what October will bring. Regardless of the crop situation, High Plains producers are all looking for the same thing. Warm, open weather provides the best scenario for both ends of the high Plains cotton spectrum.

Caribbean, Latin American Beef Buyers Come To Texas

Eight chefs and beef importers from the Caribbean Islands and Central America visited Texas A&M University and the Texas Beef Council in August. The foreign team learned the fundamentals of U.S. beef production and differentiated U.S. product from foreign competitors. At TBC, the group learned merchandising techniques that will help them sell more U.S. beef.

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Does Your Child Have an Anxiety Disorder?

You may think that your toddler's cries as you leave the day care, or your college freshman returning home after one semester, are signs of unconditional love or laziness. However, your child could be suffering from an anxiety disorder.

Anxiety can cause people to feel extremely frightened or uneasy at times when most would not. Anxiety disorder is the most common mental illness in American—one in 10 children may suffer from it. Here are some of the common anxiety disorders found in children:

Obsessive-compulsive disorder is characterized by repetitive behaviors, such as continuous hand washing, counting and/or arranging and rearranging objects. Young children will not realize this behavior is abnormal and may be upset when forced to change.

Post-traumatic stress disorder is usually seen in children who have suffered such trauma as abuse, natural disasters or extreme violence. Many children will have nightmares, depression, anger, and are easily startled.

Phobias are irrational fears of things that involve little danger. Children usually have social phobias, such as a fear of going to school or of criticism.

If you believe your child may have an anxiety disorder, contact your family physician.

(This information is provided as a service by the Texas A&M University System, Health Science Center. For specific questions, contact your physician or other health provider.)

YOUR EYES

First Eye Exam

One of the most common questions eye doctors are faced with is that of how old children should be at their first eye examination. Every doctor will have their ideal age for the initial exam, but most will agree that parents should trust their instincts with their children.

If a parent notices, for instance, that the child squints, rubs their eyes, exhibits and eye or head turn, or has an obvious infection or injury, he or she should have the child examined immediately. If these signs are not present, however, the age of two or three is most common. At that age, some vision measurements can take place with the child identifying figures like ducks and birthday cakes on a wall chart. The doctor can also test how the eye muscles are functioning. The health of the eyes can be checked as well.

Regular visits by your child to the eye doctor will pay off in a lifetime of good vision

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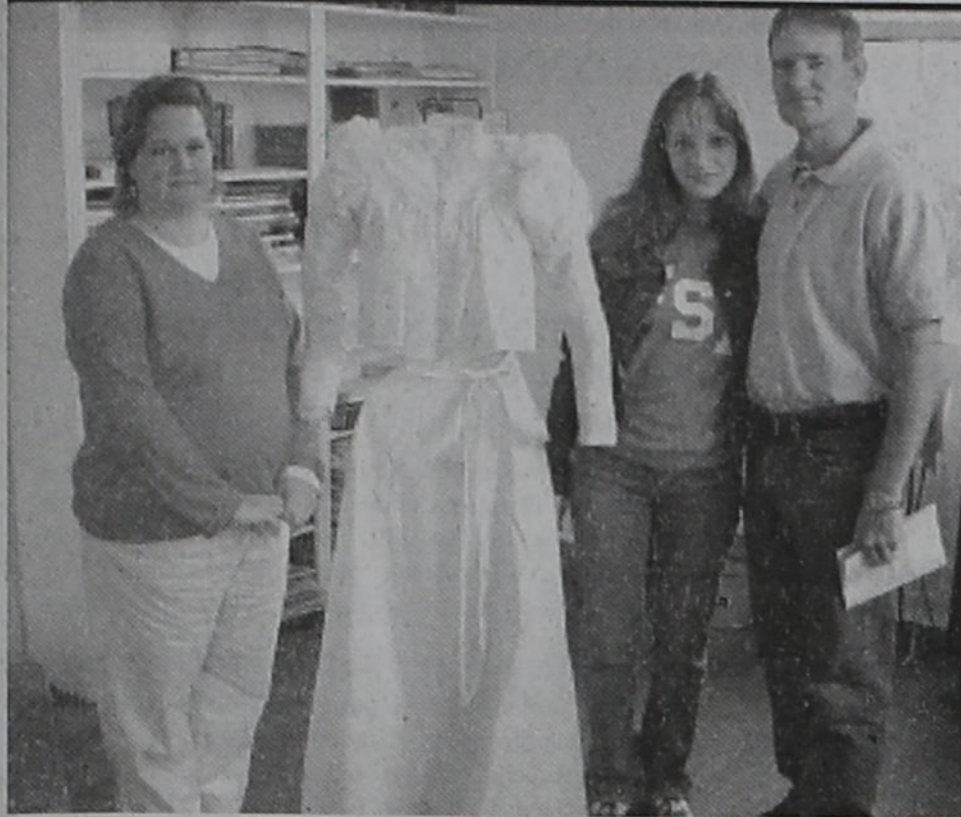
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Museum Open House Big Success

BY DARLA BRACKEN

Over 70 people signed the register for the Maize Days Pioneer Heritage Museum Open House with out-of-state guests from Oklahoma, and as far away as Idaho.

Several former residents were also on hand to tour the museum with highlights of the Black Merchantile Store Cash Register, Black Community Scrapbooks, and the 104-year-old wedding dress belonging to Sally Roundtree McFarland.

The museum is still seeking donations for the collection, but due to limited space, we must also limit items to those with historical value and interest to the area, in good condition (the earlier, the better), and with as much written detail as you are able to provide (dates, names, brands, history, etc.).

Please contact Darla Bracken at 250-3200 if you have items to donate. Size and duplication are also issues, but please feel free to call for an evaluation.

Annual memberships are available and we will have a new 2005 calendar in time for the November Bazaar. (We also have a supply of the 2004s, if you are interested.)

We do accept memorial/hono-

rium donations, a great way to remember your friends and loved ones. You may send these to our secretary, Sharon White, HCR 3 Box 138. Our next meeting will be October 11 at 6 p.m. and anyone who is interested in being a part of the Pioneer Heritage Museum is welcome to attend.

The Museum is interested in hearing your stories—especially if you were married in the church while it was in service. We need all the detail you can give—photos, anecdotes, memories, souvenirs, clothing, everything. We will be gathering these items for a display—not permanent loan.

We are also interested in oral histories of all types. We are also looking for an original pew from the building.

Friona High School's Service Learning has a very interesting display at the library, which tells about all their different projects. The display was done by the students themselves and provides information about these worthwhile community projects.

Friona Schools Feed Hungry Children cookbooks, with over 900 local recipes, are on sale for \$15 each. All proceeds go to Fill-An-Ark, a project of Heifer International. The display can be viewed during the month of October.

New Arrivals



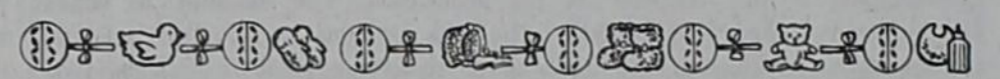
Kyler Ann Burgoon & Kylie Mae Burgoon

Andrew and Courtney Burgoon, of Canyon, proudly announce the birth of twin girls, Kyler Ann Burgoon, and Kylie Mae Burgoon, born on July 16, 2004.

Kyler weighed 4 pounds, 9 ounces and was 18 inches long and Kylie weighed 3 pounds, 8 ounces and was 16 inches long.

Their grandparents are Don and Cindy Carthel of Amarillo, and Bob and Connie Burgoon of Canyon.

Great-grandparents are Ann Carthel and the late Bill Carthel of Friona, Don and Liz Williams of Farwell, and Pauline Dosier of Canyon.



THINK ABOUT THIS

The Language Of Love

BY T. LEON TALLEY, Sixth Street Church of Christ

A recent study of maladjusted high schoolers shows how important it is to tell our children we love them. After the counselors had worked long enough to gain rapport with ten of the most maladjusted students, they asked them how long it had been since their parents had told them they loved them. Not a single one could remember having heard such a comment. By contrast, ten of the best adjusted teens answered the question by saying "this morning", or "last night", or indicated that they had been verbally reassured of their parent's love within the last few hours.

Parents need to realize that their children have been given as a stewardship from God. God has given us our children as a treasured trust, a gift. Our children are influenced by what we communicate to them, not by what we think. We need to ask God for wisdom and patience as we speak the language of love to our children, and we need to realize that we communicate louder and stronger by what we DO rather than what we SAY.

Love is spelled "TIME". We need to show a genuine interest in our children. No one ever came to their deathbed and said, "I wish I had spent more time at work."

The family is the first group your children belong to, if they don't feel love there, they likely never will.

104-Year-Old Wedding Dress Displayed at Heritage Museum

Sallie Roundtree (July 14, 1880-September 28, 1972) married John Barton McFarland April 25, 1900 in Bertram, Texas. She and her mother made this wedding dress (see picture) and it was worn on their 50th wedding anniversary by one of their daughters, Martha McFarland Clements.

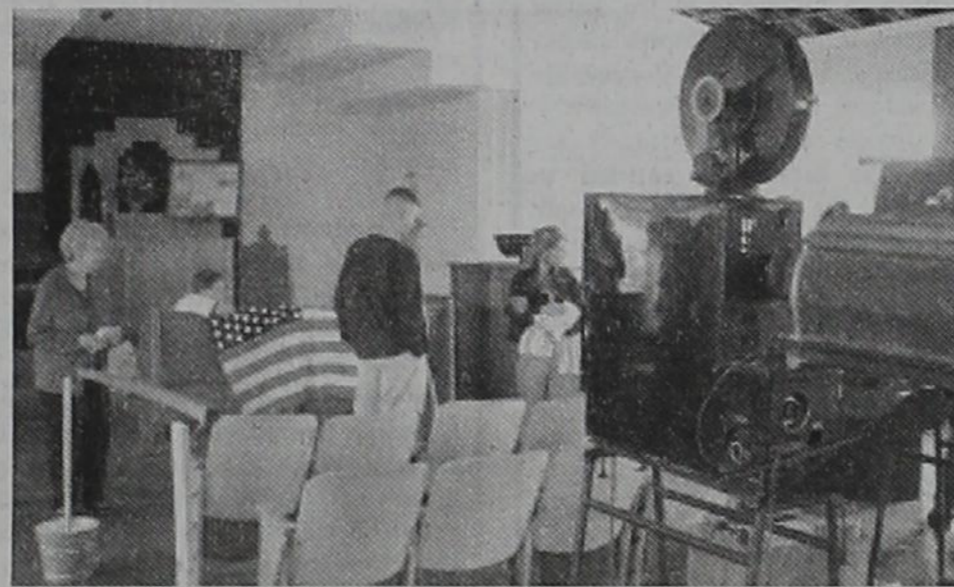
John and Sallie McFarland moved to Friona in 1925. Children of the couple included: Katy McFarland Osborn, Lonnie McFarland, Lora Mae McFarland, Ilene McFarland Osborn, Granville McFarland, Martha McFarland Clements, Robert Hines McFarland, Geraldine McFarland Taylor, Maurice McFarland, and Charline McFarland Jones.

The wedding dress was loaned to the Pioneer Heritage Museum for display by Martha McFarland Clements.

Many other items depicting Parmer County history are on display at the museum including the Black Mercantile Store, the Regal Theater, military uniforms, and antique furniture. Wendy and Tracy Carthel have done an outstanding job of displaying the museum items.



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2/1, storage building w/cellar in back.....Cont. pend.

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3/2/2 Brick cent. heat/air, patio nice backyard.....Cont. pend.
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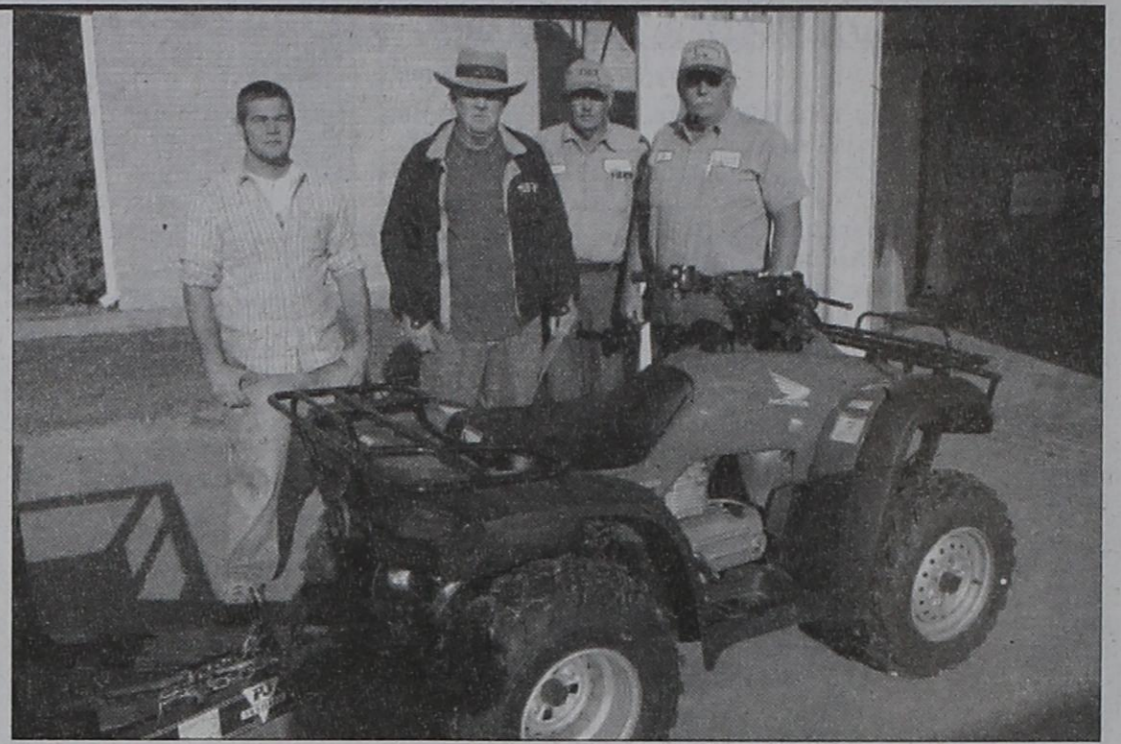
Class of 1964 Holds Reunion

The Friona High School class of 1964 held its 40-year reunion September 24-25. Twenty-six members of the class and their spouses gathered at the home of Gary and Karen Renner Friday September 24 for a cookout and socializing.

Dave and Norma Thompson were special guests of the group. Dave was one of the class parents and brought 8mm movies of the group's senior year activities. The class then met at the city park on Saturday to watch the parade and eat lunch together.



CLASS OF 1964...Standing, l-r, Wessie Hand, David Carson, Joyce Russell Dement, Brenda Woodruff Jackson, Carolin Guinn Reeve, Dianne Taylor Tatum, Fleta Smith Whitman, Patricia Floyd Wilkins, Aaron Drager, Paula Phillips O'Brian, Gene Hight, Numan Loafman, Jerry Parker, and Eric Rushing. Seated, l-r, Jerry Bruns, Jane Bruns Stephens, Carolyn Herring Carson, Rose Ann Greenson Ray, and John R. (Bobby) Hodges. Front row, l-r, Glen Herring, Patsy Hough Bell, Marca Lynn Massie Herring, Russell Scales, S. D. Baize, and Gary Renner. Joyce Dickson attended but was not present for the picture. *courtesy photo*



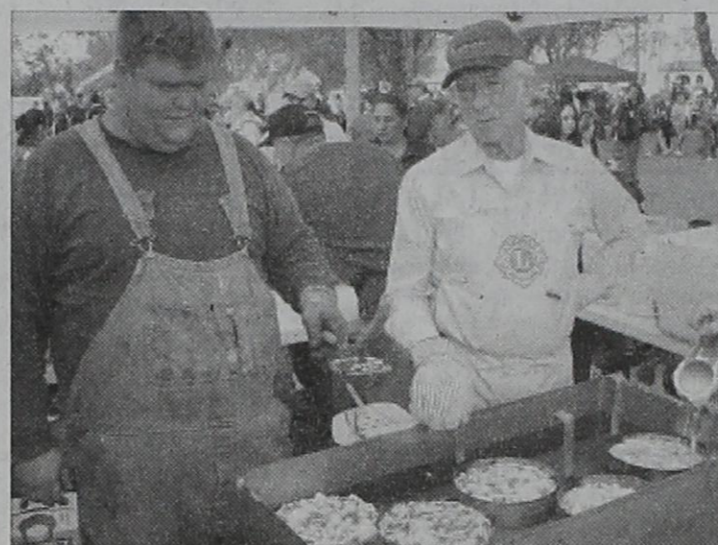
WINNER of the Honda 4-wheeler in the Friona Fire Department drawing was Gary Moore, second from left. Firemen Chance Butman, John Taylor and Jim Taylor delivered the 4X4 and trailer Wednesday at the fire department. Moore is employed at the Friona Farmer's Co-Op Gin. *ron carr photo*



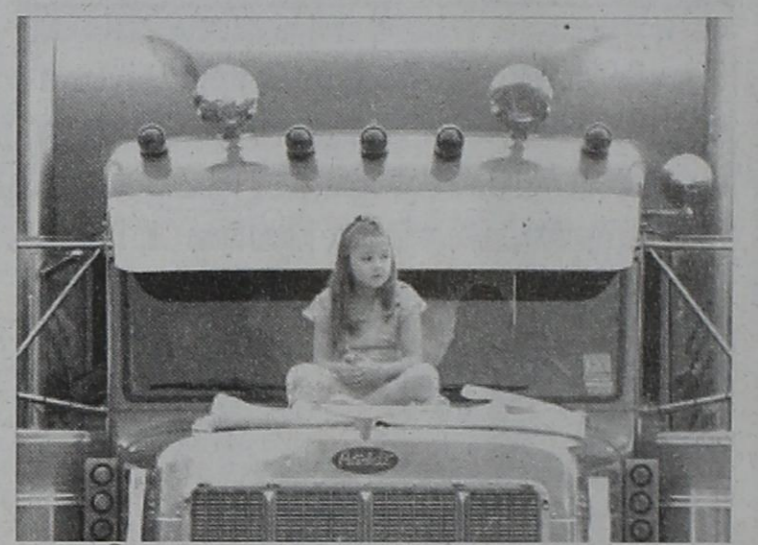
A BIG CROWD enjoyed the cool weather and plenty of food at the city park Saturday.



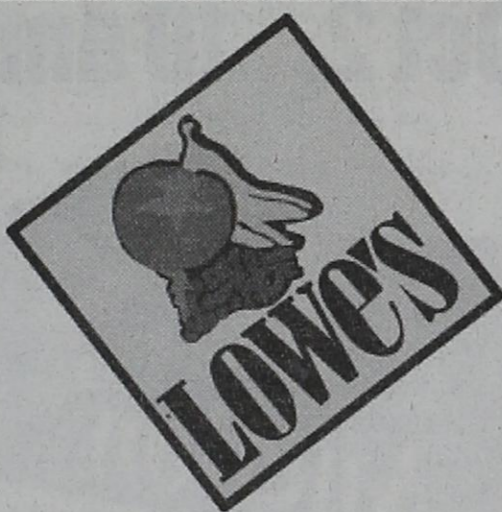
LYDIA ALEXANDER, daughter of Andy & Julia Alexander, was the winner of the afghan given away by the Friona Pioneer Heritage Museum last Saturday.



THE NOON LIONS CLUB served up 350 funnel cakes Saturday. Funnel cake cooks Devin Black, left, and Albert Ricketts kept the cakes coming throughout the day. *ron carr photo*



LITTLE MISS contestant Danielle Perez takes a parade ride on a big truck in Saturday's parade. Danielle was sponsored by Friona State Bank. *dana d. jameson photo*



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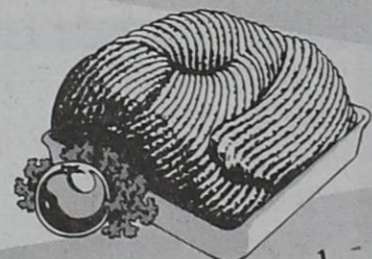
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\$1.39^{LB}



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Round Steak
Boneless
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Beef Top
Round Roast
Boneless "London Broil"
\$2.49^{LB}

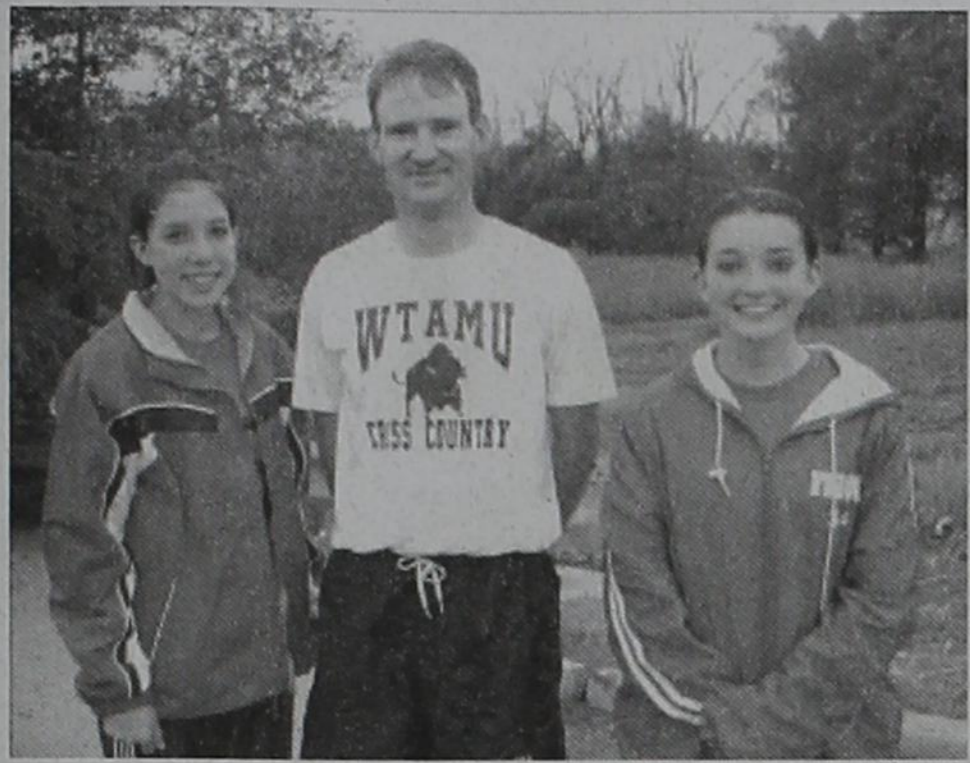
Pork Steak
\$1.59^{LB}



SEE YA AT LOWE'S

Dixon Six-Mile Run Results

A Maize Days tradition, the Dixon Six-Mile Run & Walk, was held Saturday morning as runners lined up on north Highway 214 and finished at Highway 60.



TWO-MILE RUN winners were FHS cross country runners, 1-r, Emmie Crutchfield, 2nd; coach Ben Kirton, 1st; and Erin Austin, 3rd.



A GREAT WAY to spend a Saturday morning for some people is running six miles. The top three in the Dixon Six Mile Run were, 1-r, Loren Martin 3rd; Rob Noland, 2nd; and Richard Martinez 1st place.

Winner of the six-mile run was Richard Martinez of Hereford in a time of 39:52. Rob Noland of Hereford was 2nd at 40:07 and Loren Martin of Friona was 3rd with 49:26. Others entering the competition in order of finish were Jason Zielinski, Channel 10 TV anchor from Amarillo, Justin McNeely of Friona, Andrea Porter of Amarillo, Jon Hendrickson of Friona and Alan White of Canyon.

A large contingent of Friona cross country girls took over the two-mile run. Cross country coach Ben Kirton led the run and finished first in 12:00. Emmie Crutchfield was 2nd in 12:25, Erin Austin 3rd at 13:44.

Other girls that finished the two-mile race were Lacey Lookingbill, Kayla Gonzales, Yesenia Rojas, Stephanie Aguirre, Erika Castillo, Jessie London, Ana DeLaPaz, Paige Herbert, Christy Widner, Corinne Hinton.

Also, Emma Lopez, Yesenia Ortiz, Monica Saenz, Melina Vega, Heather Sandoval, Uliana Palacios, Hannah Carthel, Melissa Gallego, Sasha Estrada, Monica Acosta, Kathleen Wylie.

Boys competing in the two-mile run were Jose Ramirez, Victor Prieto, and Victor Parra.

Rounding out the competition were five contestants in the two-mile walk. They were Jackie Martin, Lana Bracken, Cody Bracken, Teddy Fangman, and Gaylon Rhodes.



THE REIGNING ROYALTY had their own float. From left, Raquel Davila, Little Miss Katy McLennan, Salma Estrada, Kimberlee Jones, Miss Friona Kristin Butman, and Breann Barnett.



IT WAS A GOOD DAY for visiting, dining, gossiping, eating, relaxing, snacking and hanging out. The rain took a break long enough for a good crowd to mingle at the city park. Chamber officials said about 500 people were served at the Chamber barbecue catered by Desperado's of Amarillo.



COUSINS Sloan Osborn, left, son of Ben and Laurie, and Sterling Osborn, son of Matt and Jojo, brought their jeep and wagon for the parade.



ACTION was fierce at the 1st annual Maize Days lawn mower races.

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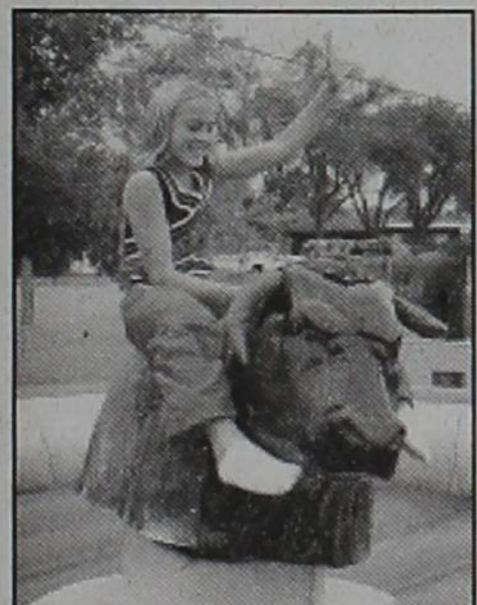
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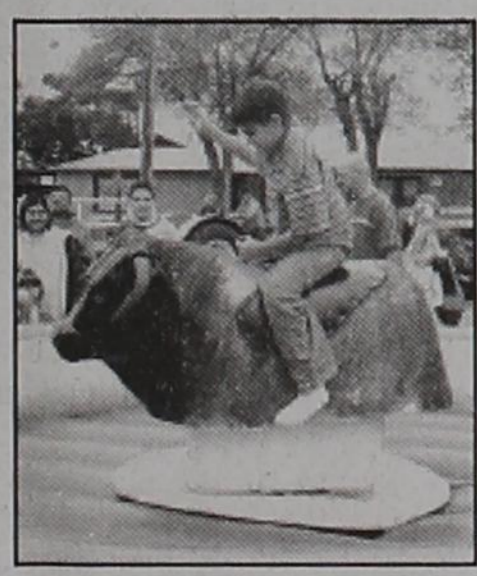
- 1 Cynthia Ann Parker was captured in a Comanche name before Exxon
- 5 name before Exxon
- 6 cowboy's bolo (2 wds.)
- 7 TXism: "a bull give milk?" (no)
- 8 Dallas founder Bryan died in the State
- 17 TXism: "wit"
- 18 1st Sun Bowl winner: Stars
- 20 TXism: "don't off half cocked"
- 21 Plainview county
- 22 Aikman once dated C&W singer Morgan
- 24 TX VP John Garner said his job "isn't worth a bucket ___ spit"
- 29 Coca-
- 30 TXism: "I'll ___ to it"
- 31 TX Detmer who won the Heisman
- 32 Judge Roy Bean's courtroom & saloon
- 34 TXism: "slicker"
- 35 TXism: "table grazed"
- 36 "The Texan Meets Jane"
- 37 TXism: "boose" (jail)
- 38 to Tyler from Waco
- 39 Galveston's Jean Lafitte was one
- 40 TXism: "___ as a baby's bottom"
- 41 South ___ Island
- 43 architect of Dallas City Hall: I.M. ___
- 44 TXism: "heavy as the front end of a John ___"
- 46 gave medical aid to
- 47 list of injured Astros (abbr.)
- 48 Gonzalez was this in Arlington Stadium (2 wds.)
- 50 TXism: "loose ends" (finalize)
- 51 TXism: "bawls"
- 52 TXism: "to turn green around the gills"
- 53 TX singer Stuckey
- 54 TXism: "fit ___ a fiddle"
- 55 TXism: "you're ___ (we think alike)"
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LAWN MOWER RACE

Friona ISD Monthly School Calendar October, 2004

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Chieftains Open Date	2 Friona JH Cross Country Meet
4 Band Rehearsal 6:00 - 8:00 pm	5 JH Cookie dough orders due HS Open House 6:30 p.m. Title I Parental Meeting 9:00 am and 8:00 pm at the Administration Building	6	7 JH Football vs. Dimmitt - T 5:00 & 6:30 JV Football vs. Dimmitt - H 6:00 pm	8 Early Dismissal Primary - 1:30 pm 2nd - 12th - 2:00 pm Var. Football vs. Dimmitt T 7:30 pm	9
11 Holiday	12 Jr. High Cross Country @ Friona 4:00 pm	13	14 JH Football vs. Tulia - T 5:00 & 6:30 pm	15 Varsity Football vs. Tulia T - 7:30 pm	16 Region I Marching Contest @ Amarillo
18 Progress Reports JH Greg Martinez Assembly @ 10:00 am HS Greg Martinez Assembly @ 2:45 pm HS Student Council Convention @ Amarillo	19 District Cross Country @ Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock 10:00	20	21 JH Pep Rally - 3:15 JH Football vs. Floydada - H 5:00 & 6:30 pm JV Football vs. Floydada - T 5:00/6:30 pm Herff Jones Jr. Ring Meeting @ 10:10 am	22 JH Cookie dough delivered Varsity Football vs. Floydada H - 7:30 pm Lion Club Tailgate Party 5:30 pm	23
25	26	27	28 JH Football vs. Olton - T 5:00 & 6:30 pm Herff-Jones Jr. Ring Meeting JV Football vs. Olton @ 7:30 pm - H	29 OAP JH Auditorium 3:00 pm Varsity Football vs. Olton T 7:30 pm	30 Caprock Speech Tournament

FHS Soph Wins Week 4 Contest

Last Friday night at Chieftain Field, sophomore backup quarterback Sean Lookingbill saw his first varsity action. He was moved up to varsity from JV to replace the injured Steven Sanchez.

He did not see any action until late in the fourth quarter

when the Chieftains were already ahead 42-8 and referees were letting the clock run because of the rain and lightning threat. The good news is he got into his first varsity game. The bad news is coaches sent him in with the Chieftains backed up at their own 3-yard

line. Sean ran a couple of series with no disastrous results and now he is a varsity veteran.

The even better news for the youngster is that he won the \$50 first place money in the Week 4 football contest. Sean was one of four contestants to pick 17 correct games. He edged out the others when his tie-breaker in the Houston vs. Kansas City game was only 7 points off. Second place went to Mark Walker of Canyon, a contest regular, who was 10-points off the tie-breaker game.

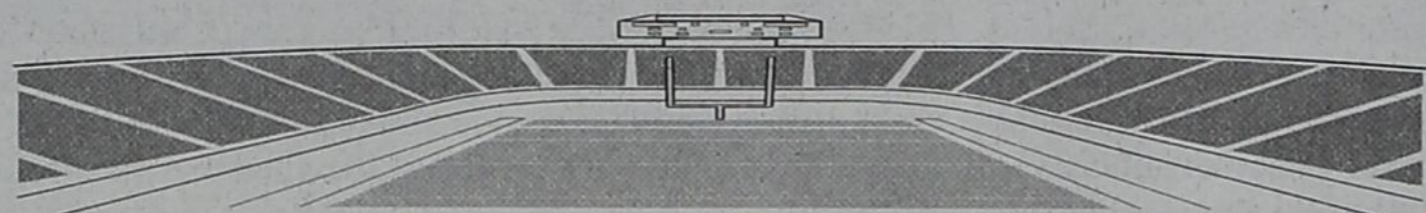
Others with 17 correct picks were Myrtle Melton and Tim Elmore. Three players picked 16 correct and another 17 had 15 correct picks. The Fort Elliott vs. Wheeler game listed in the Week 4 contest was not played so everyone was given credit for the game.

In the overall point race, Myrtle Melton holds first place alone with 53 points, followed closely by Lilia Brito and Lance Looper at 52 points. The current standings are elsewhere in the paper.

Good luck and good pickin' as Week 5 looms and nine more weeks ahead. Do you feel the pressure?

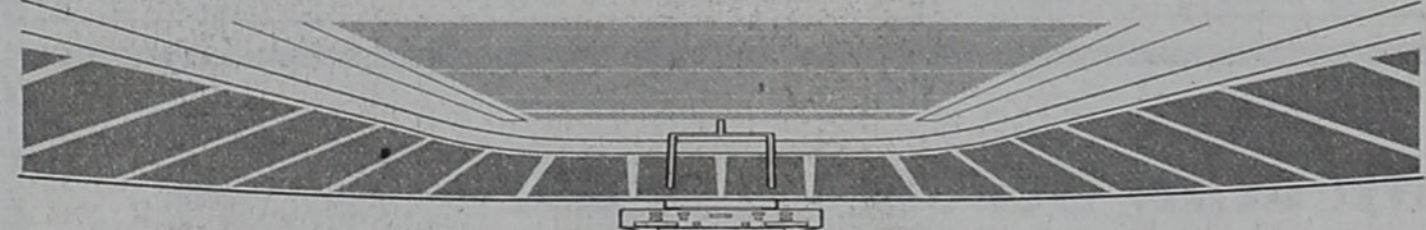


FOOTBALL CONTEST Week 4 winner was FHS sophomore Sean Lookingbill shown receiving his \$50 check from Holly Campbell, owner of Property Associates Realtors, one of our football contest sponsors. courtesy photo



FOOTBALL CONTEST STANDINGS

53-Myrtle Melton	47-Elsie Allen, Raymond Diaz,	41-Brett Field
52-Lilia Brito, Lance Looper	Lance Field, Daniel	40-Marilyn Engelking, Jo
51-Martin Brito, Alex	Hernandez, Jan Smith, Don	Field, Jennifer Gonzales,
Ferguson, Mike Field, Sean	Max Vars, Jeremy White,	Taryn Jamerson, Caleb
Lookingbill, Ron Smiley, Del	Bobby Wied	Monroe, Debbie Weir
Ray Sudderth, Glenden	46-Jayson Blouch, Raul	39-James Elder, D'Lynn
Sudderth, Bobby Thompson	Brailif, Jon Field, Frank	Jamerson, Chance Lewellen,
50-Mona Contreras, Darin	Gonzales, Andy Montana, Joy	Tenna Montana, Thomas
Hofferichter, Jayne Looper,	Morton, Isabel Rios, Janie	Reed
Derek Sudderth, Michael Villa	Sudderth, Linda Sudderth,	38-Antonio Duran, Jr., David
49-Nathan Brockman, Claire	Alesja Tucker, Christi Villa,	Gonzales, Lisa Reed, Martha
Brown, Scott Brown, Jeremy	Charles Wales	Rodriquez
Dearing, Frank Dominguez,	45-Peggy Hargrove, Cody	37-Harley Merritt, Bobby
Jr., Mal Manchee, Clint	Jamerson, Lisa Lane, Brent	Sansom, Travis T-bone Spring
Mears, Lilly Michel, Ernest	Loflin, Francisco Torres,	36-LaFawnda Mays
Mills, Tyson Neill, Elizabeth	Weston Wylly	35-Jesse Morales, Pedro
Torres, Jimmy R. Walker	44-Denae Anthony, Frank	Ramos, Stetson Reed, Clyde
48-Laura Field, Mike Hutson,	Chavez, Jessica Stowers	Renner, Mitchell Smiley
Kelly Lookingbill, Mack	Dearing, Mickey Pena,	34-Jacob Hoon
McFarland, Rusty McFarland,	Dorothy Stowers	33-Kirby Frye, Clayton Smiley
Jerry Roach, Quentin Shelby,	43-Brenda Brito, JoAnne	32-Rick Jamerson
Virginia Steele, Christen	Chavez, Tim Elmore, Lester	31-Garry L. Gonzales, Sally
Stowers, Blake Sudderth,	C. Fennell	Putman
Scott Sudderth, Mark Walker,	42-Ronald Diaz, D.L.	30-Ted Procter, Dean Sasser,
Veca White	Swafford, Eufemia Torres	Teresa Shelby



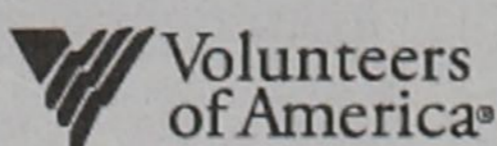
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BOVINA'S HOMECOMING King and Queen for 2004 were crowned before the game vs. Clovis last Friday night. They are Hugo Martinez and Victoria Carrillo. coy jameson photo



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Part 3 of a series

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