



# FRIONA STAR

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## Attention FHS Seniors & Parents

Companies offering scholarships and financial aid information for a fee are contacting seniors. This information is FREE! Please do not pay for it. Contact Amy Brice at FHS - 250-3951 for more information.

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## Friona Star December Publication Schedule

As we countdown the shopping days until Christmas, the Friona Star will publish on our normal Thursday dates through the December 23 Christmas issue. We will publish on December 2, 9, 16, and 23.

In keeping with a tradition here at the newspaper, we will not publish a paper the week between Christmas Day and New Year's Day to allow our staff time off to enjoy the holiday period with their families.

There will not be a Friona Star published on Thursday, December 30. The last 2004 issue will be Thursday, December 23, and the next one will be January 6, 2005. The Star office will close at noon December 23 and reopen Monday, January 3, 2005, at 9 a.m.

We will be in and out of the office throughout the holidays to check our mail and phone messages. You can leave a message on our answering machine at 250-2211.

## Friona Blood Drive

The Coffee Memorial Blood Center will conduct a blood drive at Calvary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall, in Friona, on Tuesday, November 30, from 3 to 7 p.m.

Please call 1-800-658-6178 to schedule an appointment. Every donor will receive a Christmas ornament.



## Christmas in the Park November 29, 6 P.M.

Monday, November 29, at 6:00 p.m., the park will light up and Santa will arrive at the depot. The Friona High School Choir will perform and horse and buggy rides will be available.

Join the fun and begin the season of Christmas in Friona.

## TDH Immunization Schedules For Dec.

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

The clinic in Bovina will be December 6, 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 December 17, 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.

# Be Thankful!!

## Project Christmas Card Accepting Donations

Friona's annual Project Christmas Card, sponsored by the Parmer County Hospital Auxiliary, is now accepting donations.

The fundraising effort originally encouraged residents to donate money in lieu of mailing Christmas cards to friends.

Many residents now make Project Christmas Card an important part of their Christmas celebration.

Money collected is used to benefit Parmer County Community Hospital through purchase of new and needed equipment. PCCH is a vital part of our community and we need to assure its growth and stability.

Donations can be made at Friona State Bank, First National Bank-Friona Banking Center, and the Friona Texas Federal Credit Union. Checks can be made payable to Project Christmas Card.

In addition to the three financial institutions above, donations can also be made at the following businesses: Suds & Scissors, Friona City Hall, Ingram's Department Store, Hi-Pro Feeds, Kendrick Oil, Bi-Wize Drugstore, Hometown Hardware, Dairy Queen, Ivy Cottage, Friona school principal's offices, Friona Rural Health Clinic, Friona Star, and Sugar Shack.

Donations can be made any time until Christmas. As a public service the Friona Star will publish a thank you to donors in our December 23 Christmas edition. Deadline for donor names to be included in the newspaper is Thursday, December 16. Donations received after the deadline will be printed in the January 6, 2005, edition.



GOOD DEED....These 3rd grade students collected canned goods and money to buy a turkey to help a needy Friona family enjoy Thanksgiving. They are, l-r, Sergio Meza, Adan Hernandez, Jesus Torres, Blake Stowers, Angel Vazquez, Jacob Osborn, Kelsey Davis and Isaac Gallardo in front. courtesy photo

## Ho! Ho! Home For The Holidays

The Friona Chamber of Commerce has kicked off the 2004 "Ho! Ho! Home For The Holidays" promotion. The annual event is designed to promote local business and to encourage keeping some holiday dollars here by shopping at home.

The promotion will begin Thursday, November 18 and continue through Thursday, December 16. Participating merchants have been provided with tickets and gift boxes for collection.

Each customer of the business will be given one ticket per purchase to fill out with their name, address and merchant's name and drop it in the box at the business.

The tickets will be collected from merchants on Thursday, December 16. On Friday, December 17, there will be a drawing from the box of each participating merchant and each winner will receive \$25 in Friona Bucks to be spent at that particular merchant.

The names from each store will then be combined for one final drawing.

At least three prizes of \$100 in Friona Bucks will be drawn and can then be spent with any of the participating merchants.

The following businesses are participating in the 2004 "Ho! Ho! Home For The Holidays" promotion: A-1 Service Center, Bi-Wize Healthmart, Blackburn Hardware, Dairy Queen, Friona Star, Ingram's Department Store, Ivy Cottage Flowers & Gifts, Kendrick Oil Farm Store, Kendrick Oil Fast Stop, Los Arcos Restaurant, Lowe's Supermarket, Malouf's, Silver Screen Video, Sugar Shack, Tasty Cream, Town & Country Food Stores, Veterinary Industries of Friona, and W. T. Services.

Each of these businesses has a wrapped Christmas box with a nice slot on the top for you to deposit your name for the big drawings. Support our local businesses and win some Friona Bucks for the holidays.

## Don't Be A Turkey-Drive Safely

As Texans hit the highways this Thanksgiving holiday, crowded roads and tight schedules might cause some drivers to lose their tempers and take unnecessary risks. Armed with a few simple tips, you can defuse road rage and avoid looking like a turkey.

When confronted with aggressive drivers, the DPS recommends that you:

- Put your pride in the back seat and move aside.
- Do no speed up, block lanes, slam or tap on brakes.
- Report extreme cases of reckless driving to the appropriate authorities.
- Do not retaliate, gesture or make eye contact.
- Make sure everyone is buckled up.

"Many Texans complain about dangerous drivers, not realizing that some of their own bad driving habits could cause wrecks that threaten or destroy lives," said Col. Thomas A. Davis Jr., director of the DPS.

Avoid bad driving habits that lead to road rage, such as:

- Not using turn signals.

- Driving in the passing lane.
- Tailgating, flashing lights or honking.
- Using high beams in traffic.
- Not allowing adequate time for a giventrip.

During the Thanksgiving holiday, Highway Patrol troopers and other Texas law enforcement agencies will target speeders, drunk drivers, seat belt violators, and aggressive drivers.

Texas DPS is participating in the "Click It or Ticket Texas" campaign, which is aimed at increasing and enforcing seat belt and child seat usage. This year's campaign focuses on increasing seat belt use among pickup drivers and passengers and is called "Buckle Up In Your Truck".

DPS has zero tolerance policy toward seat belt violations, and fines range up to \$200, plus court costs.

Texas also participates in Operation CARE (Combined Accident Reduction Effort). Operation CARE is a nationwide effort by all state police agencies to reduce fatalities during holiday periods.



A FRIONA STATE BANK tour group visited Canada. (Story and more pictures on page 13.)



## OUT HERE

by Ron Carr

I know. I feel the same way. We have barely paused to give thanks and already the Christmas blitzkrieg is launched. At least hit the mute button while you are saying grace Thursday.

November 25, the day we sit down and rip the drumsticks off the Thanksgiving turkey, is exactly one month before Christmas. Hard to imagine and I am not ready. I don't plan to exert myself too much in getting ready either. If you were planning to get a big gift from me this year remember: "it's the thought that counts."

We received an email from Wal-Mart this week identifying what they say are the "12 hottest toys this Christmas." They said they sent the list so you shoppers could feel relaxed and confident in your gift-giving. Take it from me, there is no way you are going to feel relaxed and confident at a Wal-Mart store between now and Christmas.

I was at the Wal-Mart in Clovis Sunday and the shopping season tension has already begun. It will only get worse. There were stacks of Christmas hams in the freezers, bags of candy with Christmas wrappings, shrink-wrapped gift sets

of lotions, jewelry boxes, bath soaps, and the latest in toolboxes for your handy hubby. I bet there might even be a few Wal-Mart wives that get their very own toolbox this year.

It is no longer possible to buy a string of Christmas lights. Go back to the garden center and see what I mean. There will be thousands of little white-light deer grazing on Christmas lawns starting as early as next week. Christmas lights have now evolved into ropes of lights or the ever-popular white icicle lights to hang off your eaves. And if you are real lazy you can buy a fake Christmas tree with lights built into the branches. I'm inventing a small electronic unit that will sit on the floor and project a 3D hologram Christmas tree on your wall. Eliminates the need for messy decorations, dry needles, broken ornaments, and Christmas spirit.

As of Friday you will not be able to get a close-in parking place at any Wal-Mart store until early 2005. A lot of other people seem to get close-in parking but you won't be able to find one. Go ahead. Drive around for thirty minutes. It's not going to happen. And re-

member, if you see a shopping cart on the parking lot you better grab it and take it in with you.

Here's another Wal-Mart tip: ignore the 20 items or less signs. Take your basket to the nearest express line. A checker told me they have to check you out no matter how many items you have. Store policy or something. It is a fun way to test the Christmas spirit of the couple behind you who just came in to get a bottle of shampoo, a set of jumper cables, and a pack of wieners. Let them use the self service line.

While we are on the subject of Wal-Mart, I visited with John Teters at the Friona vs Hereford basketball game. His daughter Tiffany is the starting point guard for the Lady White-faces. John owns the KFC, Taco Bell, and Subway restaurants in Hereford (and is 'looking at' the closed Burger King). John said he is opening a Subway restaurant in the new Wal-Mart in Hereford. Also, for you Subway fans, starting in January you can get your Sub on toasted buns.

Also picked up a rumor that Friona's Stormi Lookingbill has been hired as the bakery manager at the Hereford Wal-Mart.

She is going to Wal-Mart training now I heard.

I hope you have a safe and warm and filling Thanksgiving. Weather permitting I will be in Frisco, Texas, at my daughter Kirsten's house for the holidays. My daughter Megan and sons Casey and Zac will be there too. I predict a lot of food, Trivial Pursuit, and big time shopping. As always I am thankful for the health and happiness of my kids. I am proud that I can say they are mine.

I am also thankful they are old enough that I do not have to choose anything from Wal-Mart's "12 Hottest Toys" list. Here they are. Merry Christmas.

Cabbage Patch Kids dolls; Barbie Princess & Pauper doll assortment; Marvel Spider Man Triple Action Web Blaster; Leapfrog Leapster Multimedia Learning System; ESPN Game Station; Little Tikes Hummer H2 Ride-On.

Color Video Now Personal Video Player; Bratz Funk Out Doll assortment; 1/6 scale Radio-controlled Cadillac Escalade and Hummer H2 or SUT; Plug-in and Play TV games; Schwinn 20-inch Sting Ray bike; and Sesame Street ELMO.

Don't forget the batteries.

## CAPITOL COMMENT



U.S. SENATOR  
KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON

## Americans Have Much To Give Thanks For

Thanksgiving is a uniquely American holiday. It does not commemorate a battle or other historical event, nor does it honor a specific person or even a particular religion. It is dedicated to the simple idea that we have received blessings as individuals and as a nation for which we should give thanks. It is this idea, far more than turkey, gravy and mashed potatoes, which makes each Thanksgiving so special to me and my family.

I frequently have occasion to appreciate these blessings, especially when I am at home in Texas and think about our nation and the world in which we live. I am particularly grateful for our standard of living, made possible by the hard work of millions of Americans. A recent study by Swedish economists Fredrik Bergstrom and Robert Gidehag reported the average living space for poor American households is 1,200 square feet. In Europe, the average space for all households, from rich to poor, is 1,000 square feet. We live in a productive economic system, and that's one reason we all should be thankful.

What separates Americans from the rest of the world is the freedom enjoyed by every American, from the most humble to the most powerful. A key civil right is guaranteed by the First Amendment, the freedom of speech.

This freedom is not matched by Canada or the nations of Europe. This means that unpopular words which may merely earn disapproval and criticism in the United States can result in jail or heavy fines imposed by the government in other countries. I am thankful the people of the United States support the rough and tumble of free speech instead of censorship, however well-intentioned.

Our recent presidential election is also a cause for thanksgiving. The election was a victory for the American people not because of which party won, but because we again proved to the world that we set aside our partisan differences after our elections as we cherish the democratic process. This year, when I saw young Afghan women ignoring death threats to cast their ballots in Afghanistan's first free elections, I was reminded yet again of how lucky we are to be living in the Land of the Free.

Finally, as I watch the progress of our troops in the War against Terror, I am grateful for the young men and women who fight against despicable enemies: enemies who behead civilians and shoot fleeing children. Our brave soldiers are cut from the same cloth as their forbearers who guarded the free world against communist totalitarian dictatorships in the Cold War, and destroyed Nazi Germany and Imperial Japan when those regimes tried to impose their dark vision on all Mankind.

When I think of the efforts our great nation has made to defend the cause of freedom, and the sacrifices made by America's sons and daughters in this fight, my heart is filled with boundless gratitude. Remembering all these things makes Thanksgiving one of my favorite holidays.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### God Save Us From A Pagan Nation

Dear Editor,

Whether people today acknowledge it or not - this is a Christian nation and it was founded that way and I'll prove it.

"In 1892, the United States Supreme Court made an exhaustive study of the supposed connection between Christianity and the government of the United States. After reviewing hundreds of volumes of historical documents, the Court asserted, 'These references...add a volume of declarations that this is a religious people...a Christian nation'. Likewise, in 1913, Supreme Court Justice George Sutherland reviewed the 1892 decision in reference to another case and reiterated that Americans are a 'Christian people'. And in 1952, Justice William O. Douglas affirmed that 'we are a religious people and our institutions presuppose a Supreme Being'."

The University of Houston did a 10 year study tracing quotes by the founding fathers. Eighty percent of them were from the Bible! To say our founding fathers weren't dependent on God's Word if just ludicrous. They didn't want one denomination in power, which is true, but they did want God's Word to be the foundation on which to govern.

A Christian nation isn't one that forces everyone to a standard of beliefs, but, rather acknowledges God's Word as the foundation on which to build our laws and lives. All people and all faiths are welcome and have always been. There is a deliberate attempt to write God out of American History. Justice Potter Stewart said in 1962, "If you keep saying that this is not a Christian nation, someday people will believe you."

Quotes are from "America: To Pray or not to Pray".

Rev. Ted Taylor

Hereford Church of the Nazarene



## A Farewell From Charlie Stenholm

For the past 26 years, it has been my privilege to represent the 17th District of Texas in the U.S. House of Representatives. I would have been honored to continue representing you in Washington, however, this was not meant to be.

As a result of Congressional redistricting, the voters of the newly drawn 19th District elected Congressman Randy Neugebauer to represent you in the next Congress.

I took my first oath of office in January of 1979, and in an effort to be as effective as possible, I chose to serve on those committees in the House where I thought I could do the best job for my constituents: Agriculture, Small Business, Budget, Veterans Affairs, and, more recently, the House Armed Services Committee.

Agriculture is so important to the economy of West Texas, and I am pleased that I was able to spend my entire 26 years on this committee. As one of a handful of farmers in Congress, I believe I brought a unique and important perspective to this committee.

For the past eight years I have served as the Ranking Member of the Agriculture Committee, and I was privileged to co-write the 2002 Farm Bill with my friend and former Chair-

man Larry Combest of Lubbock. This was the fifth Farm Bill I wrote in 26 years.

I am proud of what we were able to do to help restore the income protection safety net for commodity producers and to increase conservation spending. As Ranking Member, I had a staff of 13 dedicated professionals who focused solely on agriculture policy, and I know that a lot of you worked with them over the past eight years.

It appears that the new Ranking Member of the Agriculture Committee will be Congressman Collin Peterson of Minnesota. I have served with Collin since his election in 1990, and his policy interests reflect his Minnesota district: wheat, corn, soybeans, sugar beets, dairy and payment limits.

I am confident he will be an excellent Ranking Member and will continue the tradition of the Agriculture Committee and its staff of serving the national interests of agriculture to the best of their ability.

As your congressman for the past 26 years, it has been my pleasure to bring you a weekly agriculture radio show. While the topics have varied from time to time, price and weather have always been of tremendous concern.

This past October, the Presi-

dent proposed an assistance package for hurricane victims in Florida, to be paid for with an emergency spending measure. Unfortunately, the President's package did not include assistance for farmers and ranchers in other parts of the country.

I introduced legislation to compensate farmers and ranchers who were devastated by drought, flood, freezing weather and excessive rain in 2003 and 2004.

In the end, the House Leadership decided to provide Florida with emergency assistance, but the assistance to producers in other parts of the country would be paid for by taking \$3 billion from the Conservation Security Program enacted in the 2002 Farm Bill.

I continue to be concerned that the cuts made in farm conservation will have dire consequences for the future of the 2002 Farm Bill and will probably pave the way for large-scale cuts in agriculture programs. I sincerely hope that I am wrong in making this prediction.

Our country is facing tremendous challenges, both domestic and international. The best thing we can do as patriotic Americans is to unite behind our elected leaders in or-

der to build a stronger America and to leave a legacy that we can be proud of for our children and grandchildren.

Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to represent you in Washington all these years. Very few Americans have the privilege of serving in the halls of Congress, and I can tell you it is an honor that I will always cherish.

## Neugebauer Has New Chief

Congressman Randy Neugebauer has announced that, effective December 13, Gayland Barksdale will join his Washington D.C. office as Chief of Staff.

Barksdale is a Texas native, originally from Justin, outside of Dallas, and a graduate of the University of North Texas, where he majored in political science.

He joined Congressman Dick Arme's congressional staff in 1991 as Constituent Liaison. He was promoted to Legislative Assistant, Legislative Director and finally was Mr. Arme's Chief of Staff from 1999 until his retirement in 2002.

Barksdale is currently working for the U.S. General Ser-

vices Administration where he is Deputy Associate Administrator/Senior Advisor-Congressional/Intergovernmental Affairs, which is a Presidential Appointment.

As Chief of Staff for

Neugebauer, Barksdale will be responsible for the overall direction of the 19th District congressional offices in Washington, D.C. and in the 19th District.

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### Christmas Tour of Hereford Homes

The La Madre Mia Study Club will sponsor its 34<sup>th</sup> Annual Christmas Tour of Homes in Hereford. The tour is set for December 5 from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

The two featured homes will be the home of Beverley and Mike Mauldin, located at 127 Liveoak, and the home of Brandi and Joe Richards, located 11 miles North from 15<sup>th</sup> Street on Hwy. 385. It is white brick and on the East side.

As part of the tour, spiced tea will be served at Lone Star Home and Garden, 1302 W. Park Avenue. Snowman signs will be in front of the three locations.

Tickets are \$5.00 each and can be purchased at the door or from any club member. There will be a drawing for \$25 in Hereford Bucks, so ticket holders should sign their name and phone number on the back of their ticket and turn it in at the last home they tour.

Billie Kelley is president of

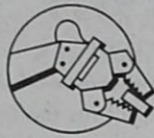
La Madre Mia Study Club. Serving on the home tour committee are Mary Herring, Cindy Cassels, Nancy Paetzold, Tracy Dunn-Noland, and Glenda Marcum. Committee chairman are Mysedia Smith, tickets; Tommie Stevens, gifts; Carolyn Baxter, signs; Lavon Nieman, publicity; and Susan Hicks, treasurer.

Other club members helping with the tour are Nicky Anderson, Ruth Black, Francyne Bromlow, Merle Clark, Linda Cumpton, Lajeane Henry, Kay Hall, Betty Lady, Beverley Maudlin, Gladys Merritt, Jan Metcalf, June Owens, Susan Robbins, Georgia Sparks, Tommie Stevens, Marline Watson, Mary Beth White, and Judy Williams.

This will be a fun afternoon to tour the three beautifully Christmas decorated locations, plus. The Deaf Smith County Museum will be open for tours and refreshments from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m.



**LAZBUDDIE ROBOTICS 2004 state participants:** Top row, l-r, Rochelle Smith, Amanda Schaeffer, Adam Pierce, and Kayla Parham; middle row, l-r, Jesse Gomez, Luzana Chavez, Bailey Warren, Brianna Sanchez, Melanie Winders, Erica Derma, Sponsor Debbie Weir, and Jason Davis; bottom row, l-r, Mica Brandvik, Ana Hernandez, Jarrod Jesko, Susie Juarez, Megan McGuire, and Kolten Morris. *courtesy photo*



### Lazbuddie Robotics Take 1<sup>st</sup> In Dallas

The Lazbuddie Robotics Team competed in Dallas on November 11 and 12 at the state competition. Sixty teams were present from Texas and several states west of the Mississippi River.

Lazbuddie took 1<sup>st</sup> Place in Best Team Shirt Design, which was based on the DNA (deoxyribonucleic acid) double helix molecule; 17<sup>th</sup> Place in the 2004 BEST Award category, which included an oral presentation, table presentation to judges, spirit and sportsmanship review, and a project summary notebook; and 37<sup>th</sup> Place in the robot race.



Andrea Salas

#### Meet the Class of 2016

Andrea is a kindergarten student at Friona Schools. Her parents are Greg and Luz Salas. She has one sister, Marissa and one brother, Steven.

Andrea likes to play with the cat, and ride her bike. Her favorite food is McDonald's Happy Meal and her favorite color is Purple.

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### Thinking Of You At Thanksgiving

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It's not the Grocery Store, The Department Store, The Convenience Stores, The Machine Shops, The Weekly Paper, Our Real Estate Offices or even the Banks that Make Friona Great, Although these businesses are important and we need them desperately. **What makes Friona great is you!!**

Thank you for your involvement in our community and with your neighbors. The trade you give our local businesses keep us in business, and that comes back around to helping you.

We at Friona State Bank appreciate our customers and try to show you that appreciation in every way we can. If we can do it better, please let us know.

We are thankful to live in our small community where the air is clean, the people are warm and friendly, and the potential to make a living is good.

At this Thanksgiving Season, let us all recognize our blessings and offer thanks.

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# Around Town

## Online Registration for CCC

Registering for the Spring 2005 semester at Clovis Community College could be as easy as a short walk to your computer. All students, both new and continuing, may register ONLINE November 15 through January 21. Online registration hours are Monday through Friday 7 a.m. to 10 p.m., Saturday 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Sunday 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Our web registration address is [www.clovis.edu/register](http://www.clovis.edu/register).

For more information about registration, please contact the CCC Admissions and Records Office at 505-769-4025.

## Muleshoe Christmas Bazaar December 4

The Moonlight Extension Education Club and Texas Cooperative Extension will hold their 26th annual Christmas Bazaar, Saturday, December 4 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Bailey County Civic Center at 2200 West American Boulevard in Muleshoe. Admission is free. Come and do your Christmas shopping and enjoy the community Christmas parade at 10 a.m.

## Retired Teachers to meet January 6

The Parmer County Retired Teachers and School Personnel Association met on November 2 in the community room of the Friona State Bank with twelve members present. Bobby Wied presented the program on "Artistic Vision" in which he described the artist's way of viewing the world when creating art and how this differs from ordinary viewing. Mary Maddox provided the refreshments. The next meeting is scheduled for January 6 at 2 p.m. at Friona State Bank.

## Friona Blood Drive planned for November 30

The Coffee Memorial Blood Center of Amarillo will be at the Calvary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall on Tuesday, November 30 from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. for the Friona Blood Drive. Please call 1-800-658-6178 for an appointment. Every donor will receive a Christmas ornament.

## United Methodist Women Met Nov. 10

The United Methodist Women met November 10 for the World Thank Offering. Connie Neelley led a very informative program on missions. The World Thank boxes with money for mission was turned in at that time.



## Meet the Class of 2016

Yulissa is a kindergarten student at Friona Schools. Her parents are Juan and Teresa Gomez. She has two brothers, Joshua and Elias.

Yulissa likes to play office and ride bikes. Her favorite foods are peaches and pizza and her favorite color is pink.

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Kyle & Heather (Clark) Grimsley

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NOON LIONS, l-r, Dale Houlette, Danny Black and Larry Knowles talk turkey at last Thursday's meeting.

ron carr photo



## Lions Club News

BY RON CARR, PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

The Noon Lions had a Thanksgiving turkey and dressing dinner last Thursday in the meeting room at Headquarters Restaurant. There were 12 members present and the club sweetheart Andrea Gerles.

The Noon Lions have a big BBQ cooker and a separate unit for cooking french fries. A few months back the club bought a flatbed trailer. Both the grill and the french fry cooker are now mounted on the trailer. The members thanked Danny Black and son Devin for doing most of the customizing of the fryer to mount on the trailer and the grill now has a smokestack too.

Lion Cecil Maddox arranged with Joe Murpree of Kendrick Oil Co. to store the cooker unit in the Fast Stop Fuel location next to his insurance office. A few Lions volunteers will clean out one of the bays and the mobile cook unit will have a new, safe, dry, storage home. Thanks to Joe Murpree and

Kendrick Oil for the support.

In other news, the Noon Lions donated \$300 to the Girl's Town Coat and Shoe Fund in Amarillo that allows underprivileged girls to shop for new coats and shoes. For many of the girls it will be the first new coats and shoes they have ever owned. The shopping is a district Lions Club project. The shopping spree was held Sunday, November 21 at Mervyn's in Amarillo. Seventy-five children under the age of 12 from Boy's Ranch were treated to new coats and shoes, then had a pizza party at Mr. Gatti's.

The Noon Lions also donated \$250 to the Friona United Way and \$50 to the Friends of the Library.

Participation in local programs is made possible through the Lions Club fundraising projects throughout the year. Thanks to all of you for your support of our fundraising efforts.




## Thanksgiving Blessings

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# Sheriff's Report

November 16, Kelly Capshaw, 35, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with assault, pending County Court.

November 19, Michelle Catano, 19, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with forgery by passing, pending Grand Jury.

November 19, Osvaldo Rangel, 35, of Friona, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with violation of community supervision on a charge of DWI-subsequent, pending District Court.

November 19, Ray Brentlinger, 35, of Amarillo, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with failure to ID, pending County Court.

November 20, Gabriel Rios, 19, of Clovis, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with public intoxication, posted bond.

November 20, Conrado Flores, 20, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with failure to ID, pending County Court.

November 20, Sean Massengill, 33, of Clovis, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with possession of marijuana-less than 2 ounces, pending County Court.

November 21, Sonja Perkins, 48, of Bovina, was arrested by the Farwell Police and charged with DWI-3rd or more, pending Grand Jury.

November 19, in 287th District Court, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

— Fernando Gonzalez-Rascon, 48, of Clovis, charged with DWI with child under the age of 15, was sentenced to 180 days to 2 years in a state jail facility, deferred for 2 years; \$378 court costs; \$750 fine; 120 hours of community service; obtain substance abuse counseling at own expense.

— Glenda Rene King, 25, of Farwell, charged with forgery, was sentenced to 180 days to 2 years in a state jail facility, probated for 2 years; \$303 court costs; \$750 fine; \$350 attorney fees; \$426 restitution; 120 hours of community service.

— Charles Ray Leal, 28, of Friona, charged with possession of a controlled substance (cocaine), was sentenced to 12 months in a state jail facility; \$278 court costs; \$750 fine; \$350 attorney fees; \$150 restitution.

— James Castillo, 19, of Texico, charged with possession of a controlled substance (cocaine), was sentenced to 180 days to 2 years in a state jail facility, probated for 2 years; \$303 court costs; \$750 fine; \$150 restitution; 120 hours of community service; loss of driver's license; obtain substance abuse counseling at own expense.

— Carlos Rodriguez-Flores, 38, of Friona, charged with DWI with child under the age of 15, was sentenced to 180 days to 2 years in a state jail facility, deferred for 2 years; \$378 court costs; \$750 fine; \$350 attorney fees; 120 hours of community service; obtain substance abuse counseling at own expense.

— Francisco Vicente, 36, of Guymon, Oklahoma, charged with tampering with a government record, was sentenced to 2-10 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, deferred for 2 years; \$278 court costs; \$1,000 fine; 160 hours of community service.

# COURTHOUSE NOTES

The Parmer County Clerk's Office recorded the following warranty deeds from November 10, 2004 to November 16, 2004.

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# THINK ABOUT THIS God Is Changeless

By T. LEON TALLEY, Sixth Street Church of Christ

Did you ever pick up an old high school annual or maybe look at one of your old family albums. Everything changes, doesn't it? Even in the past ten years; newer, better, faster computers, cell phones, everything is changing. And even though some of these changes are good, they can create a lot of stress.

Alvin Toffler in his book, "Future Shock" said that this generation more than any other is looking for some points of security and stability in their lives. Now even though this book is already several years old, this statement is still very true. It there any place to find security? The answer is Yes!

And the answer is not found in this world. The answer is in the one who created the world. "Every good and perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father of Lights, with whom there is no variation, or shifting shadow." (Jas. 1:17) This means that our God never changes. In fact, God Himself says so. (Malachi 3:6) Now, everything else does. Even you, take a good look in your mirror. We're always changing the way we think, the way we act, the way we look and the way we feel and all of these changes create a lot of tension. So the question we need to explore is how do we take the stability of an unchanging God and apply that to our ever changing world, so that we can live life to its fullest. That will be our focus in some future articles.



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## Every Good and Perfect Gift

By MARK STOVALL, First Baptist Church

When I sit down and really think about the blessings that have come my way this year, it seems too great a task to write them all down. At the community Thanksgiving service Pastor Ruben Rivera challenged me with the retelling of the story of Jesus healing the ten lepers. Only one returned to Jesus to rejoice in the miracle of his healing and to offer a feeble attempt to say thank you to his Savior. I realized the hard fact that I, too often, fall into this category with the other nine who grabbed the grace gift God afforded them and never looked back.

What a tremendous price Christ paid so that I might live and breathe and experience the adventure of living this life (not to mention life everlasting that follows). "O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be", seems a most fitting statement describing my dependence on God. His willingness to live me even though he knows me "inside out" testifies to His amazing grace! My activity over this holiday will be to work up my thanksgiving list and take my position abased before the Lord, giving gratitude to Him for everything I can recall from the greatest to the least. "Every good and perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of Lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow of turning." I know that all glory and honor and credit goes to Him, but He used many of the people in our community to deliver His blessings to me and my family this year. Along with thanking God, I need to thank others also. My life and the life of my family were preserved by the actions of the law enforcement community that acted in our behalf. Many officers stood in peril to secure our safety. I can not say Thank You enough.

Our Church family carried us through great difficulties and made our troubles their own. We received help and encouragement from sister churches, from businesses, and from people as far away as California who prayed and strengthened our hand. Thanks to all of you for being willing vessels through whom the Lord has worked and shown forth His Love.  
Mark, Debby, & Hannah Stovall

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### Facts About The BIBLE BY JOHN LEHTI

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#### SIMON CALLED PETER!

PETROS, OR PETER, IS THE GREEK TRANSLATION OF THE ARAMAIC \*CEPHAS\* (A STONE OR ROCK). THIS IS THE NAME WHICH JESUS OF NAZARETH BESTOWED UPON SIMON ON HIS FIRST MEETING (JOHN 1:42). THE PROPHETIC MEANING OF THIS NAME WAS AFTERWARDS RECOGNIZED BY THE OTHER APOSTLES (MATT. 16:18,19). SIMON, OR PETER, WAS THE SON OF A MAN NAMED JONA (MATT. 16:17), A HUMBLE FISHERMAN, WHO FOLLOWED HIS TRADE ON THE SEA OF GALILEE. PETER, WITH ANDREW, HIS BROTHER, FOLLOWED IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THEIR FATHER AND THEY ALL HAD A PARTNERSHIP IN A FISHING BOAT WITH THE SONS OF ZEBEDEE, JAMES AND JOHN, AND ZEBEDEE, HIMSELF. AT THE TIME OF HIS FIRST MEETING WITH JESUS, PETER WAS A NATIVE OF BETHSAIDA, LATER, HE LIVED WITH HIS FAMILY IN CAPERNAUM. IT IS INTERESTING TO NOTE THAT JESUS PICKED MEN OF A HUMBLE STATION IN LIFE TO BE HIS FOLLOWERS AND DISCIPLES. IN FACT, IT IS RECORDED IN THE ACTS (ACTS 4:13) THAT PETER AND JOHN WERE "... UNLEARNED AND IGNORANT MEN... " YET THEY COULD SWAY CROWDS WITH THEIR RHETORIC, LOGIC, AND COMPLETE UNDERSTANDING OF SUBJECTS THAT ONLY EDUCATED MEN WERE SUPPOSED TO HAVE! OF COURSE, THE FACT THAT THEY GAINED THEIR LEARNING AT THE FEET OF JESUS, SERVED TO GUIDE THEM, AS THEY CONFRONTED HOSTILE PRIESTS, OR WITLESS LISTENERS, TO THEIR TRUTHS! FROM THE FIRST, PETER'S ARDOR, HIS COURAGE AND VIGOR MARKED HIM AS THE ULTIMATE LEADER OF THE DISCIPLES! AND CERTAINLY, DURING THE EARLY YEARS OF LEADERSHIP IN THE CHURCH, PETER WELL JUSTIFIED HIS NAME, "THE ROCK," WHICH JESUS HAD GIVEN HIM!

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**SQUAW GUARD Katy Welch (21) looks to pass to l-r, Misty Adams, Trisha Winebrinner, or Andrea Geries.**

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**BRENDA MURPHREE**

## Chiefs Battered By Hereford 62-30

BY RON CARR

Coach Jeff Isom's Friona Chieftains opened the basketball season against a rough and tough 4A Hereford squad Friday at the Friona gym. It was a mismatch for the smaller Chiefs but a good test of opponents to come as Hereford pounded out a 62-30 victory.

The Chiefs were down by only 28-16 at the half. Hereford came gunning in the second half though, shutting down the Chiefs scoring while on a 34-14 second half run. Chiefs scoring leader Jon Nava had 11 of his game high 16 points in the 2nd



**JON NAVA**

half. The only other Chief to score in the 2nd half was Chad Hutson with 3 points in the 4Q.

Score totals in addition to Nava's 16 were Hutson and Hayden Patton with 5 each, and Rudy Gonzalez and Matt Gammon 2 each.

Results of Tuesday's match with River Road were not available because of an early Friona Star Thanksgiving deadline. The next game is set for Tuesday, November 30, as the varsity and JV boys and girls host Farwell. The JV girls kickoff the action at 4 p.m.

Record 4-2

## Squaws Get Revenge: Beat Hereford 50-41

BY RON CARR

Let's call it revenge. All five of Friona's starters this year were on the squad last year when Trisha Winebrinner's 3-point shot was waved off as it went through the net at the final buzzer denying the Squaws victory. No buzzer shot was needed this time. The 2A Squaws fought head-to-head with the 4A Lady Whitefaces and won handily 50-41. Revenge is sweet. The win improves the Squaws record to 4-2.

It started out great for Friona as Winebrinner scored 6 points before Hereford found the ball. The Squaws led 9-5 early in the 1Q. But they stayed at 9 points the rest of the 1Q and until late in the 2Q while Hereford had four 3-point goals in the 1st half and led 23-14. The Squaws played hard, they just couldn't find the bottom of the basket. It did not look good by halftime.

Not to worry. In our opinion the Squaws played the hardest and most aggressive second half of basketball we have seen them play in a long time. The backcourt press, which these girls play with passion, caused chaos for the Lady Whitefaces throughout the 2nd half. Plus Friona got hot on the boards, defense and offense, outscoring Hereford 36-18 and wrestling for rebounds.

Led by 3-point goals from



**THE PRESS...Harassing the Lady Whitefaces in a backcourt press are Andrea Geries (10) and teammate Katy Welch.**

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Brenda Murphree and Misty Adams in the 3Q, the ladies pulled within six points but still behind 26-32. But the press continued and the tide turned in the 4Q. They took the lead 37-36 about midway through the 4Q. As time ticked away, Andrea Geries calmly ran the table on free throws, making six in a row. Katy Welch added two free throws as Friona pulled away for the 50-41 win. Friona outscored Hereford 24-9 in the 4Q and made 13 of 16 free throws on the night.

Winebrinner led scoring with 18 points, Welch 12, Geries 7 (all free throws), Misty Adams 5, B. Murphree and Krista Graham 3

each, and Shayli Reed 2. One sad note on the game. Sophomore guard Lucretia Field got her chance for glory in the 2nd half and it lasted 12 seconds. She had limited playing time this year so Coach North put Lucretia in to start the 2nd half. She took the inbounds pass, dribbled across mid-court, tried to cut left to avoid a defender and turned her right knee. Elapsed time 12 seconds. She was helped off the court for what will be the last time this season. Coaches said she tore her ACL and will have surgery next week and miss the rest of the season.



**MATT GAMMON (33) hustles a rebound. Other Chiefs, l-r, Jon Nava, Ramey Alaniz, Hector Sanchez, and Rudy Gonzalez.**

dana d. jameson photos



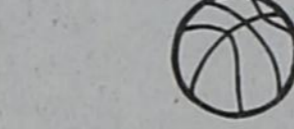
**RAMEY ALANIZ**



**RUDY GONZALEZ**



**KRISTA GRAHAM**



### Freshmen Boys & Girls Beat Tulia

Friona Freshman Chiefs coached by Jose Gonzales were in action on Monday night against Tulia. The freshmen boys traveled to Tulia to take on the Hornets in their season opener. They defeated Tulia 61-28.

High point scorers for Friona were Sawyer Reed with 13, Eric North and Alex Gurley 10, Ryan Geries 8, Chris Haile and Dillon Welch 6, Trent Hudson 4, Ryan Schwab and Kaison Graham 2.

The Freshmen Squaws battled the Tulia Freshmen at home. The Squaws defeated Tulia 33-18.

Ashley Ingram scored 10 points, Michelle Martin 8, Hollis Gurley and Erin Anthony 6, Erin Austin 2 and Brooke Herbert 1.

## 9th Girls Take 3rd In Olton Tournament

The 9th grade Squaws traveled to the Olton Tourney this past weekend to participate in a JV tournament.

Coach Lanny Crow's Squaws had a rough start in the first game against Plainview JV losing 28-16.

Ashley Ingram and Michelle Martin scored 5 points each. Hollis

Gurley 4 and Erin Anthony 2.

On Friday morning the Squaws rallied against Hart JV by winning 37-18.

Martin led the team with 8 points, Lauren Hughs 6, E. Anthony and Blair Smiley 5, Ingram, Jordan Monroe and Brooke Herbert 3 each, and Erin Austin and Mor-

gan Anthony 2 each.

The Squaws took on Olton JV Saturday afternoon to win in a battle to the final-buzzer 30-29 and a 3rd place finish.

Monroe scored 9 points, E. Anthony 6, Gurley and Herbert 4, Martin and Austin 3, and Hughs 1.



**NO DOUBT Coach Lanny Crow is imparting words of wisdom to his Squaw freshman squad. At right, Hollis Gurley battles a defender.**



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THE JV boys vs Plainview at the Olton tournament, l-r, Phillip Saiz (41), Valente Casas (00), Sean Lookingbill (11), and Andrew Aguirre (3). dana d. jameson photo

### JV Boys & Girls In Weekend Tourneys

BY DANA D. JAMESON

Friona Junior Varsity boys coached by David Towner started off their season with a 52-11 win against the Plainview JV at the Olton Tourney last Thursday.

Antonio Monreal scored 17 points, Valente Casas, Andrew Aguirre, Kelby Monroe and Tolby Wilcox 6, Micha Hummes and Phillip 4, Caleb Miller 2 and Chance Lewellen 1.

Friona's second game on Friday against Olton JV proved to be tougher. The Chiefs lost 41-29. Miller led the team with 11 points followed by Lewellen and Phillip Saiz 7, Monreal 3 and Sean Lookingbill 1.

The Chiefs bounced back on Saturday to claim 3rd place by defeating Hart JV 32-21. Monreal

led the team with 13 points, Lewellen 10, Andrew Aguirre 5, Monroe and Miller each with 2.

Coach Ky Graham's Junior Varsity girls participated in the Nazareth Tourney held this past weekend.

In their first game Thursday against Levelland the team lost 44-24. Breann Barnett led the team with 5 points, Kambree Davila and Sandra Godoy 3, Erica Davila, Leslee Avalos, Denise Vasquez, Beth Nava, Molly Carthel and Briar Barnett 2 each and Briana Wright with 1.

The JV Squaws came back to win their second game Friday against Farwell 44-32. Vasquez led the team in scoring with 11 points. Others scoring

were Avalos 7, Briar Barnett 6, Wright 5, Miranda Frye 4, Godoy 3, K. Davila, E. Davila, Julie Echevarria and Molly Carthel 2.

In Saturday's game the Squaws led at halftime against Muleshoe 14-13. Muleshoe came back after half to win 42-36. Vasquez and Carthel led the team with 10 points each, Frye 7, Breann Barnett 6 and Briar Barnett 3.

JV girls and boys competed against River Road in Friona Tuesday, but results were not available because of our early Thanksgiving deadline. They will host Farwell here on Tuesday, November 30 with games beginning at 4 p.m.



IN LEFT PICTURE, Chance Lewellen, front, and Caleb Miller smother a Hart Longhorn. Right, Phillip Saiz, l-r, Brett Field (30), and Sean Lookingbill (11) scramble for the ball. dana d. jameson photo



This time of year always seems to bring us a little closer together. We're thankful for the opportunity to serve you and wish each of you a bountiful holiday, full of blessings and goodwill. Enjoy the time with your family..

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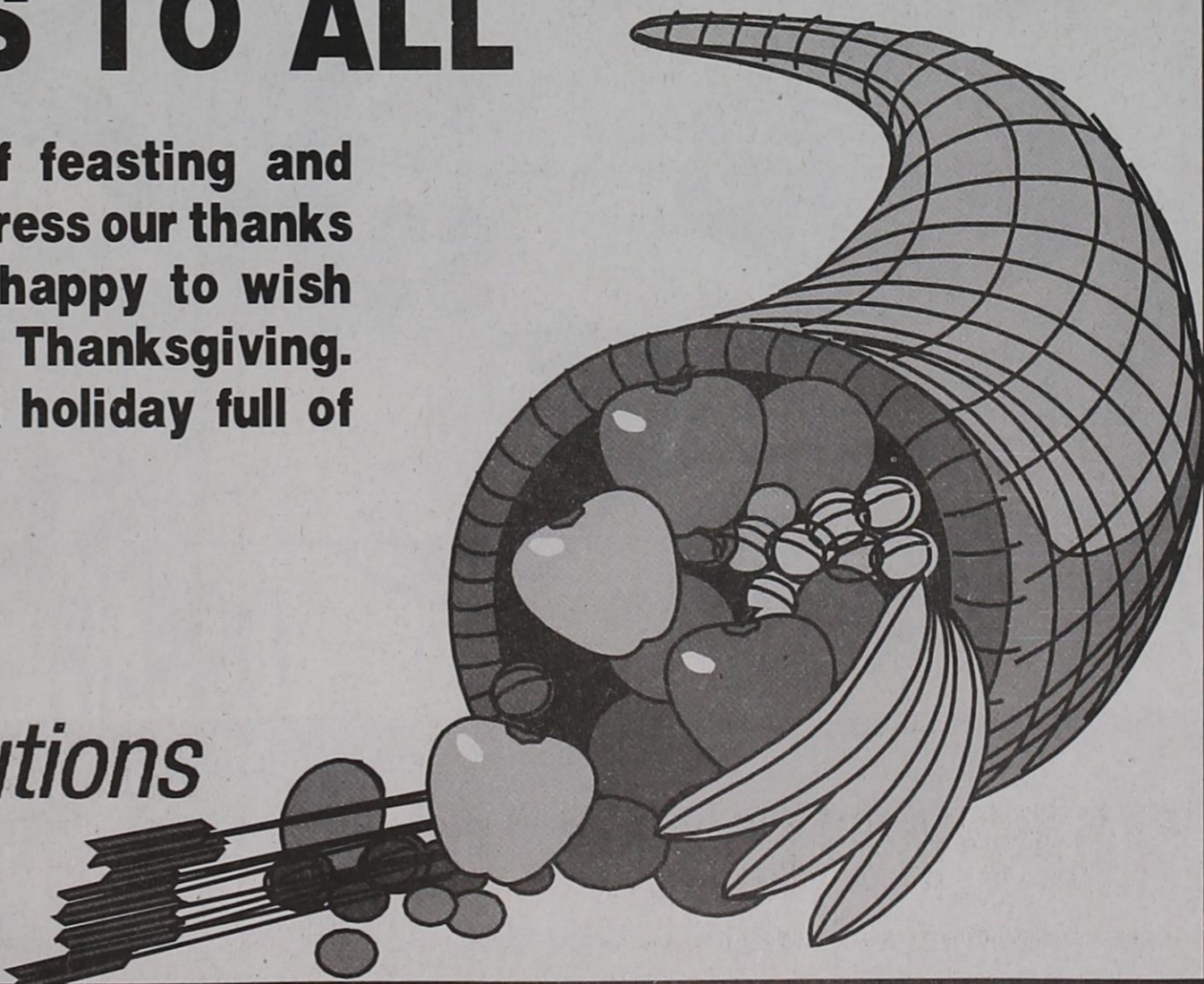
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### TBWEF Auction Provides Significant Return To Active Zones

LUBBOCK, November 19, 2004 By Shawn Wade

So far the success of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Program has been most evident in the dramatic decrease in boll weevil populations and activity in cotton fields across Texas.

With that success, has also come evolution as the program begins to process of moving many of the currently active zones out of the process of active eradication and into the realm of suppression and monitoring.

These new phases of the program require considerably less manpower and infrastructure to carry out. A by-product of this downsizing is scaling back the amount of equipment used by the program.

On October 9, headquarters staff of the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation conducted a one-day auction of surplus vehicles that netted big returns for eleven active eradication zones across the State.

On that day some 845 registered buyers from six states, the furthest away being Minnesota, participated in the sale and contributed to the purchase of over 200 vehicles, 100 other surplus pieces of equipment, such as mist blowers and high-cycles. The sale returned \$917,177.04 to program accounts.

"The Foundation staff is to be commended for the tremendous job they have done to conduct eradication programs in a cost-efficient and responsible manner," notes PCG Vice President of Operations Roger Haldenby. "Those efforts are underpinned by good management of the financial and logistical aspects of the program."

Haldenby notes, with reduction in personnel and equipment needs in many active zones next year, the ability to auction off equipment that is no longer needed and create a cash infusion for each zone insures that producer funds are used to their fullest.



### 2004 Amarillo Farm & Ranch Show Set for Nov. 30 - Dec. 2

Texas farmers and ranchers, interested in learning about the latest agricultural technology and seeing the newest equipment options available, will want to take the time to visit Amarillo and the Amarillo Farm and Ranch Show.

The show, which is held entirely indoors in the Amarillo Convention Center, provides visitors the chance to interact with more than 370 vendors and view 825 exhibits.

Show hours are 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. November 30 and December 1, and 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. December 2. Admission is free.

In addition to numerous exhibits and business opportunities, the show also provides educational opportunities for agricultural producers.

### Friona Primary School Perfect Attendance Awards Given



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION



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## County Sales Tax Receipts Are Up

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn said today that state sales tax collections rose in October by 8 percent compared to October 2003. The state's October sales tax revenue was \$1.29 billion. Strayhorn today sent \$417.8 million in November sales tax rebates to cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts, up 6.2 percent compared to November 2003.

"Sales tax collections continue to grow as this economic bumper crop of a year enters the crucial fourth quarter for Texas businesses and the holiday shopping season," Strayhorn said.

But the Comptroller's Fall 2004 economic forecast calls for slower economic growth during the next three years. Texas' gross state product is expected to grow at an average annual rate of 3.3 percent during calendar years 2005, 2006 and 2007, down from the previous forecast of 4.2 percent average annual growth.

October state sales tax collections and November sales tax allocations to local governments represent September sales reported to the Comptroller in October by monthly tax filers and July, August and September sales reported to the Comptroller in October by quarterly tax filers.

Parmer County's November 2004 payment totaled \$40,886 broken down as Bovina \$7,883; Farwell \$7,488; and Friona \$25,515. In November 2003, the tax payment total was \$38,496.

Comparing November 2003 to November 2004 tax receipts, Bovina is up 9.06%, Farwell is up 9.49%, and Friona is up 4.44%.

For the year 2004, Parmer County cities have received a total of \$388,359 compared to \$345,524 for the same period last year. For the year, Bovina tax revenue is down -2.71%, Farwell is up 14.310%, and Friona is up 16.1863%, for an overall increase of 12.39% for the county.



### Internat'l Media Credits Texas Beef Producers

Texas beef producers received international media coverage for their investment of Texas checkoff dollars in research, to sequence the bovine genome. A database of the sequencing was recently released, out of which researchers hope to improve cattle health and disease management, and enhance the nutritional value of beef. The sequencing will also lead to advancements in human medicine. The Texas Beef Council so far has invested \$200,000 in the \$53 million effort.



Prices Good November 26-30

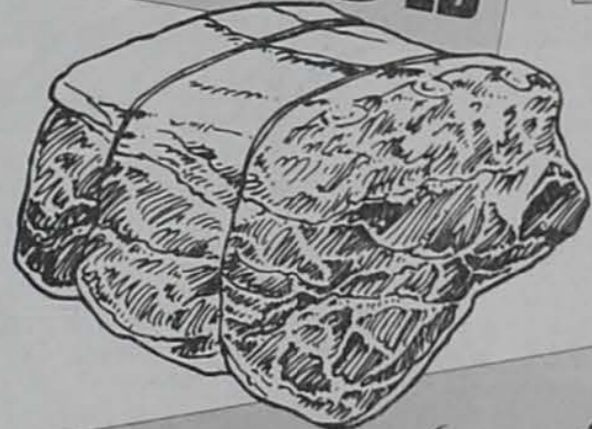
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Mon-Sat: 8am-9pm  
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**Money Orders**  
25¢ Each Daily

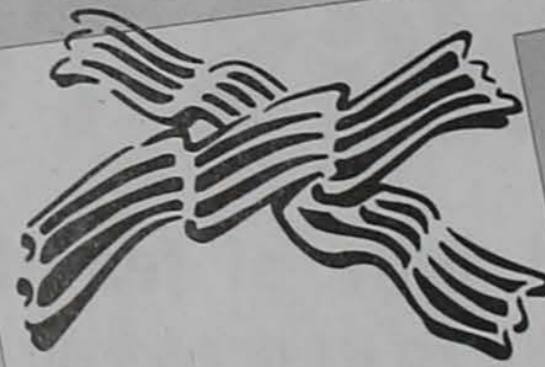
**Friona Texas**  
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Beef Arm Roast Boneless  
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Hamburger Patties Market Made Any Size Package  
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Hormel Mesquite Bacon  
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Decker Vp Meat Bologna  
**\$1.19**

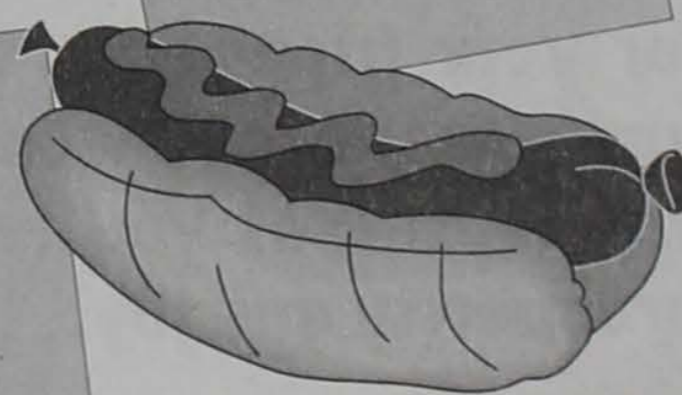
Decker Bacon Original 12 oz  
**\$2.29**

Decker Meat Franks  
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Decker 4x6 Cooked Ham  
**\$2.39**



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**\$1.19**



# SEE YA AT LOWE'S



### Bovina Reflections

**45 Yrs. Ago**  
**December 2, 1959**  
In recognition of 20 years of teaching in Bovina Schools, Mrs. Leola Williams was honored with an appreciation tea Monday evening at the close of a PTA meeting in the school cafeteria.

**40 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 25, 1964**  
The Bovina Mustangs, handling the Vega Longhorns with more-than-expected ease won the District 1-B championship here Friday night, 26-0.

**35 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 26, 1969**  
Nothing was taken in a break-in Wednesday night of last week at Western Ammonia west of Bovina, but over \$5,000 in herbicides were stolen, the same night at Farwell.

**25 Yrs. Ago**  
**December 5, 1979**  
The new ambulance for Bovina arrived last Saturday. Bill Morgan announced his can-

didacy for the office of Sheriff of Parmer County.

**20 Yrs. Ago**  
**December 5, 1984**  
Named all-tournament from Bovina at the Vega tournament were Johnny Villarreal, Teresa Shepherd, Marie Pesch and Mindy Neal.

**15 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 29, 1989**  
Tom and Pam DeMarco and their five children spent most of the past week in Parmer County. They spent the Thanksgiving weekend in Friona and passed through Bovina Sunday, November 26 in their covered wagon. The family hopes to make it to California in their homemade rig.

**10 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 26, 1994**  
Cotton harvest is about half over in Parmer County, according to all the ginners. There had been 34,994 bales ginned, as of Monday afternoon. Last year at this time there had only been 21,289 bales ginned.

**5 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 26, 1999**  
Sergio Nieto and Jason Stone earned all-Tournament medals for their performances at the Morton tournament. The Mustangs defeated the Shallowater JV, Dora, N.M. and the Lubbock Coronado JV to win the title.

### Happy Birthday Bovina

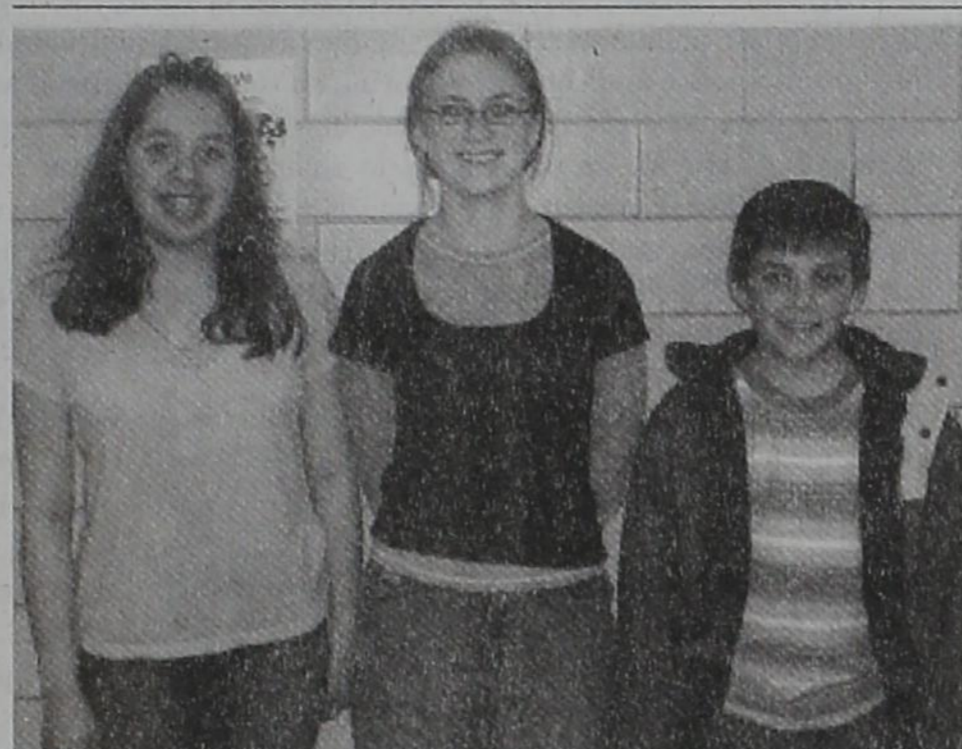
- November 28 thru December 4, 2004**  
Nov. 28-Dean Stanberry  
Nov. 29-Anthony Ramon  
Dec. 1-Flossie Rhinehart, Zane Anderson, Helen Deen  
Dec. 2-Grady Sorley, Jimmy Parson, Houston Bartlett, Minnie Kelso, Maggie Moore, Nancy Mayfield  
Dec. 3-Mark Clayton  
Dec. 4-Sherrie Ventura

### Mustangs Off To a 2-0 Start

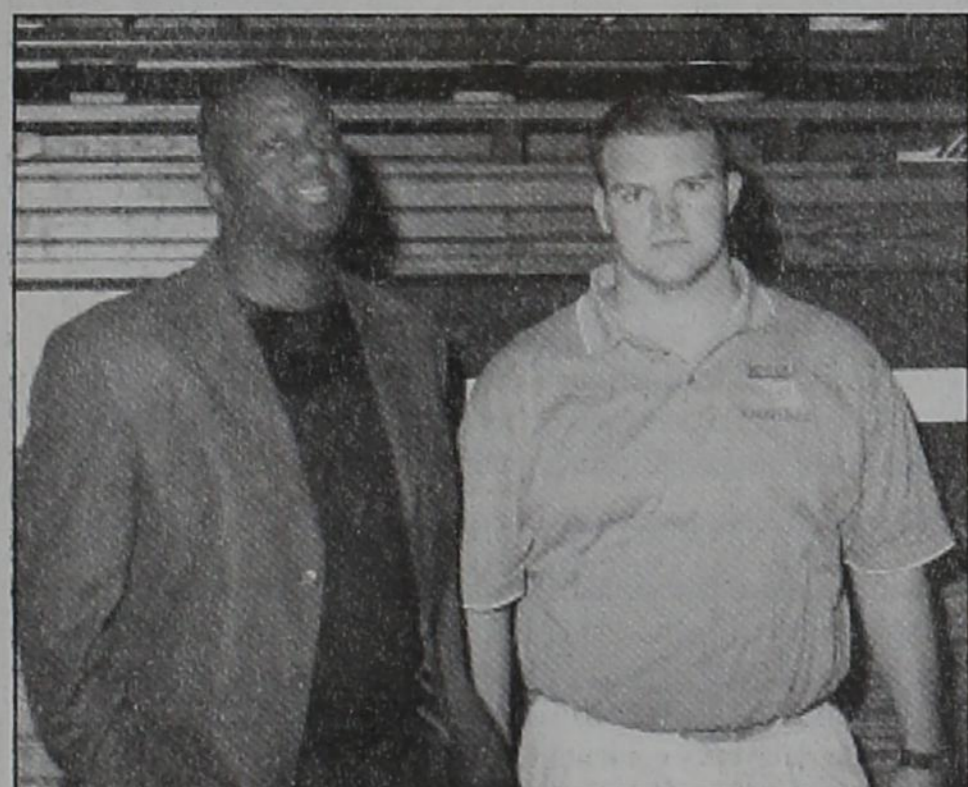
The Bovina Mustangs, under new head coach Shannon Shorter, have notched two victories in their first two games of the year.

The 'Stangs put away Clovis Christian handily 47-30 in their opener. Senior point guard Jeff Casas could have beaten Clovis Christian by himself. Casas poured in a team high 34 points, including three 3-point goals. Kole McNary and Josh Shelby pitched in 4 points each, Hugo Martinez 3, and Michael Ortiz 2.

In their next contest, the Mustangs destroyed Spade 70-32 as Casas again burned up the nets with 29 points, this time including five 3-pointers. Michael Ortiz scored 12, Kole McNary 10, Hugo Martinez 7, Chris Ortiz 6, Josh Shelby 4, and Eddie Segovia 2.



**BOVINA MIDDLE SCHOOL U.L.L. winners, l-r, Danna Guerrero 8th grade listening; Heather Miller 8th grade Mathematics, Spelling and Number Sense; & Jesus Anaya 7th grade Science 1.** courtesy photo



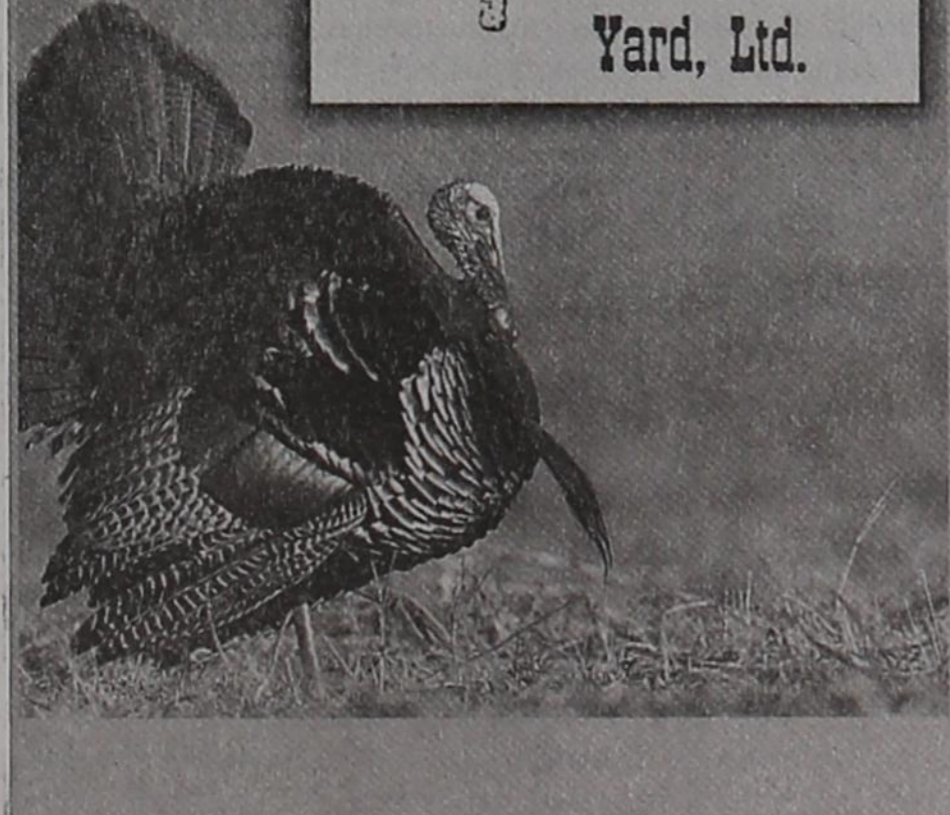
**NEW basketball coaches at Bovina High School are boys varsity head coach Shannon Shorter, left, and assistant coach Jody Morris. Both are new to Bovina High School this year.** coy jameson photo

### It's Turkey Time!

There's no better time than now to tell you how fortunate we feel to know people like you. Happy Thanksgiving and thanks, aplenty!



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### The Pilgrims

by Mary Dakon Crump



They left their homes to journey to a land that was unknown Where a harsh and bitter winter, earth claimed some for its own.

They struggled for a toehold there, to have a place to live. Would we have had the courage and have had the strength to give

Our faith to God to see us through, with nothing but the land? But, somehow, they still made it when they knew they held His hand.

They built here, on a foreign shore, foundations that would last. And we have so much more than they, those Pilgrims of our past.

When they had the first Thanksgiving, they asked our God to bless Their bounty, harvest and their lives. Can we do any less?

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# PPW 2005 Writing Contest

Panhandle Professional Writers announces its 2005 writing contests for adults and young people. Categories for the adult competition are Short Story, Non-Fiction Article or Essay, Non-Fiction Book, Screenplay, Memoir, Juvenile or Young Adult Short, Poetry Short, Poetry Long, Novel categories include Mainstream, Mystery/Suspense/Thriller, Historical or Western, Romance, Science Fiction/Fantasy/Horror, and Juvenile or Young Adult.

Published authors will score the first round. The top six scores from each category will be submitted to agents and editors for final judging. Cash prizes will be awarded to the top three scores in each category. Entry fees range from \$10-15 for PPW members and \$15-20 for nonmembers. Membership in PPW is not required to enter the contest.

Submissions must be post-

marked by March 1, 2005. Winners will be announced at the Frontiers in Writing conference on Saturday, June 25, 2005. Complete rules are available on the PPW web site [panhandleprowriter.org](http://panhandleprowriter.org). Questions regarding the adult contest should be directed to Kim at 806-676-8902 or 353-3259.

The Youth Contest is open to students from grades 3-12. Young people are judged by age groups... Grade School 3-5 grades, Middle School 6-8 grades and High School grades 9-12. Categories for the competition include Short Story, Non-Fiction Article or Essay and Short Poem. Entries must be postmarked by March 1, 2005. There is no entry fee for students.

Submissions will be judged by published authors. Students receiving the top five scores in each category will receive

plaques or certificates during a reception on Saturday, June 25, 2005. PPW will publish the winning entries and the book will be available for sale in the FIW conference book store. Proceeds from the book sales will help fund the 2006 contest.

Rules and entry forms for the Youth Contest are available on the web site [panhandleprowriter.org](http://panhandleprowriter.org). Questions regarding the contest may be directed to Barbara Propst at [bcollins@nts-online.net](mailto:bcollins@nts-online.net). Please note FIW Youth Contest in the subject line.

The 2005 writing competitions are held in conjunction with PPW's Frontiers in Writing conference to be held at the Ambassador Hotel in Amarillo, Texas on June 24-25, 2005. The Adult competition is sponsored by Panhandle Professional Writers. Sponsors for the Youth Contest are PPW and AuthorHelper.

**The Original TEXAS CROSSWORD**  
answers on page 14  
by Charles & Gay Orbison  
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**ACROSS**

- TXism: "blaze the trail"
- TXism: "got as much to do as a hibernating bear"
- filmed in TX: "Zapata!"
- "make \_\_\_ even dozen"
- TXism: "couldn't find hide \_\_\_ hair of him"
- a Cherokee chief Houston
- Port Arthur has "Mardi \_\_\_" gala
- outward appearances
- elected county prosecutor (abbr.)
- TX singer Thompson
- famous TX square dance caller Golden
- it precedes tequila in distillation
- Dr. Pepper started at Waco's "\_\_\_ Drug Store"
- "that is" abbr.
- TXism: "fits like hide on \_\_\_"
- \_\_\_ Park, TX
- newspaper: "El \_\_\_ Texas"
- popular TX fruits
- "take \_\_\_ breath"
- leave the tracks \_\_\_ Paso, TX
- TX actor Busey
- in Fannin Co. on hwy. 69
- two-steppers
- TX Tarzan Ron

**DOWN**

- TXism: "\_\_\_ high off the hog"
- VIP at the Denton Record-Chronicle in Johnson Co. on hwy. 67
- TX sausage maker, singer, & actor
- it could be classified in 2-down
- TXism: "the meanest bull can be \_\_\_"
- this Sharif was in \_\_\_ "Heavenly Dog"
- film with TX canine actor Benji
- TX Robin Wright's hubby Sean
- TXism: "it \_\_\_ big loop to rope him" (large man)
- TXism: "let '\_\_\_ rip!"
- TX Freddie Fender's "Before the Next \_\_\_ drop Falls"
- TXism: "\_\_\_ summer squash"
- detaches from mom black cuckoo
- "surf the \_\_\_"
- dir. to San Antonio from Abilene (abbr.)
- Ranger broadcaster Nadel (init.)
- this Holliday killed his first man in TX
- Lake El ("The King's Salt")
- Tech "Red \_\_\_"
- drowsy
- LBJ line: "\_\_\_ fella Murkins"
- past UH BB star Elvin (init.)
- TXism: "useless as a saddle on a \_\_\_"
- Nacogdoches: "The \_\_\_ of Texas"
- TXism: "got a mind like \_\_\_ trap"
- TXism: "\_\_\_ like ants out of a burning stump"
- TX rancher Chuck Norris film (abbr.)
- person from Lubbock Co. town
- Travis \_\_\_ a line in the dirt at Alamo
- Abilene Reporter-
- "Doomsday" LB \_\_\_ Jordan
- \_\_\_ Rio, TX
- TXism: "big biscuit in the pan" (abbr.)
- country singer Jimmie who had Kerville home
- TXism: "got a mind like \_\_\_ trap"
- Jerry Jones jet
- country roads

**Happy Thanksgiving**

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**NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN AN EXISTING FACILITY AIR PERMIT**

PROPOSED AIR QUALITY PERMIT NO. 73559

**APPLICATION** Attebury Grain, Inc., has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for issuance of an Existing Facility Air Permit, Air Quality Permit No. 73559, which would authorize operation of the previously grandfathered emission sources at the Black-Grain Elevator located at 2480 US Highway 60, Friona, Parmer County, Texas. The facility will emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter. This permit will not authorize new construction or an increase in emissions.

This application was submitted to the TCEQ on September 2, 2004. The application is available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, the TCEQ Amarillo regional office, and the Friona Chamber of Commerce, 623 Main Street, Friona, Parmer County, Texas. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the Amarillo regional office of the TCEQ.

The TCEQ executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application.

**PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING** You may submit public comments or request a public meeting or request a notice and comment hearing to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. The TCEQ will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. The deadline to submit public comments is 30 days after newspaper notice is published.

The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or ask questions about the application. A public meeting about the application will be held if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

**After the final deadline for public comments following any public meeting or notice and comment hearing, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material or significant public comments. If comments are received, the response to comments, along with the executive director's action on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted comments or is on a mailing list for this application.**

**OPPORTUNITY FOR A NOTICE AND COMMENT HEARING** A person who may be affected by the emission of air pollutants from the site may request a notice and comment hearing. The TCEQ may grant a notice and comment hearing on this application if a written hearing request is filed within 30 days after publication of this newspaper notice. The purpose of a notice and comment hearing is to provide an opportunity to submit comments on the draft permit. If a notice and comment hearing is granted, all individuals who submitted written comments or a hearing request will receive written notice of the hearing. This notice will identify the date, time, and location for the hearing. Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the Commission's jurisdiction to address in the proceeding.

**MAILING LIST** In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices for this specific application mailed by the Office of the Chief Clerk by sending a written request to the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

**INFORMATION** Written public comments or requests for a public meeting or requests for a notice and comment hearing should be submitted to the Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TCEQ can be found at [www.tceq.state.tx.us](http://www.tceq.state.tx.us).

Further information may also be obtained from Attebury Grain, Inc., P.O. Box 2707, Amarillo, Texas 79105 or by calling Mr. Stephen Tillery, Operations Manager at (806) 335-1639.

Issuance Date: October 19, 2004

**AVISO DE RECIBO DE SOLICITUD E INTENTO DE OBTENER UN PERMISO DE CALIDAD DE AIRE**

PERMISO NUM. 73559

**SOLICITUD.** Attebury Grain, Inc., se ha registrado con la Comisión de Calidad Ambiental de Texas (TCEQ o Texas Commission on Environmental Quality) para autorizar un permiso de Calidad Existente, Permiso Núm. 73559, el cual autorizará la operación de Black-Grain Elevator en 2480 US Highway 60, Friona, Condado de Parmer County, Tejas. La instalación va a emitir los siguientes contaminantes atmosféricos: particulado. Este permiso no autorizará construcciones nuevas o aumentos a emisiones.

Esta solicitud fue sometida al TCEQ en Septiembre 2, 2004. La solicitud está disponible para revisarse y copiarse en la Oficina Central del TCEQ, en la Oficina Regional del TCEQ en Amarillo, y en Friona Chamber of Commerce, 623 Main Street, Friona, Parmer County, Tejas. El archivo del cumplimiento de las leyes de la instalación, si existe, estará disponible para el público en la Oficina Regional del TCEQ en Amarillo.

El director ejecutivo del TCEQ ha determinado que la solicitud se halla administrativamente completa y conducirá un análisis técnico de la solicitud.

**COMENTARIOS PÚBLICOS/JUNTA PÚBLICA** Usted puede someter comentarios públicos, solicitar una junta pública, o solicitar una audiencia de aviso y comentarios sobre esta solicitud a la Oficina del Chief Clerk en la dirección a continuación. El TCEQ considerará todos los comentarios públicos en el desarrollo de una decisión final sobre esta solicitud. El plazo límite para presentar comentarios públicos es 30 días después de la publicación de este aviso en el periódico.

El propósito de una junta pública es para proveer la oportunidad de someter comentarios, o hacer preguntas sobre la solicitud. Una junta pública sobre la solicitud se llevará cabo si el director ejecutivo determina que existe un grado significativo de interés público en la solicitud o si la solicita un legislador local. Una junta pública no es considerada una audiencia en controversia.

Después del plazo final para someter comentarios públicos subsecuentes a cualquier junta pública, o audiencia de aviso y comentarios, el director ejecutivo considerará los comentarios y preparará una respuesta a todos los comentarios públicos relevantes y materiales, o significativos. Si se reciben comentarios, la respuesta a los comentarios, junto con la acción del director ejecutivo sobre la solicitud, serán entonces enviadas por correo a todos aquellos que hallan sometido comentarios públicos o que estén en la lista de correo sobre esta solicitud.

**OPORTUNIDAD PARA UNA AUDIENCIA DE AVISO Y COMENTARIOS** Cualquier persona que pueda ser afectada por los contaminantes atmosféricos de esta facilidad puede solicitar una audiencia de aviso y comentarios.

Es posible que el TCEQ conceda una audiencia de aviso y comentarios si una petición es sometida dentro de 30 días después de la publicación de este aviso en el periódico. El propósito de una audiencia de aviso y comentarios es proveer la oportunidad de someter comentarios sobre el permiso preliminar. Si una audiencia de aviso y comentarios es concedida, todas las personas que sometieron comentarios por escrito o que hayan peticionado la audiencia recibirán un aviso acerca de la audiencia. El aviso tendrá la fecha, hora y localidad de la audiencia. Asuntos como el valor de la propiedad, ruido, seguridad de tráfico, y zonas municipales están fuera de lo que la Comisión tiene la jurisdicción de considerar en este proceso.

**LISTA DE CORREO** Además de poder someter comentarios públicos, usted puede solicitar que se le ponga en una lista de correo para recibir información adicional de esta solicitud solicitando a la Oficina del Chief Clerk en la dirección a continuación.

**INFORMACION** Comentarios públicos por escrito, peticiones para una junta pública o peticiones para una audiencia de aviso y comentarios deberán someterse a la Oficina del Chief Clerk, MC-105, TCEQ, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Tejas 78711-3087. Para más información sobre esta solicitud o el proceso de permisos, por favor llame a la Oficina de Asistencia Pública, gratis, al 1-800-687-4040. Información general sobre el TCEQ se puede encontrar en el [www.TCEQ.state.tx.us](http://www.TCEQ.state.tx.us).

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 NEW LISTING: Motel & Restaurant...call for info.....\$150,000  
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 National Treasure PG  
 1:15 - 4:00 - 7:00 - 9:35  
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**70 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 30, 1934**  
 Many farmers of this locality are still busy sowing wheat; the rain that fell two weeks ago delayed planting. Some of these farmers had been waiting for the moisture to complete their seeding operations; others had not sown any, and still others find themselves obliged to resow much of their acreage that had already been sown earlier but failed to get a stand on account of lack of moisture.

**65 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 24, 1939**  
 Reports reaching the Star office are to the effect that work on the Palmer County REA project is progressing at a most satisfactory rate, and that present indications are that the lines will be ready for energizing by the early part of December. Workmen

are busy wiring homes of the subscribers so as to be ready for the current as soon as the lines are ready to receive it.

**60 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 24, 1944**  
 The biggest crowd in Friona's history is expected for the district title game which will be played on Thanksgiving Day in Friona between Friona and Hereford. Friona and Hereford won the right to play last week when the executive committee of the district met. Three teams, Friona, Hereford and Tulia, tied for the district's co-championship, but Hereford and Friona drew the right to play to see who represents the district in bi-district play.

**50 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 26, 1954**  
 Less than \$9,000 stands in the way for construction planning for the new Palmer County Community Hospital, manager Jimmie Baxter said this week. The organized drive is still underway to secure the needed funds in the next few days, and over one-third of the contracts remain to be made in Friona alone. At last accounting, \$32,594 was in hand on the project with another \$8,688 on the books as pledged.

**40 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 26, 1964**  
 Nine members of the 1964 Friona

Chieftain Football Team were named to the all-district teams chosen by District 3-AA coaches at a meeting Monday at Olton. Four of the players, tackle, Dale Milner; fullback, Doug Dodd; tackle, Gene Weatherly; and halfback, Milton Hargus, were selected to the first teams. In addition, halfback, Danny Murphree; tackle, Ray Braxton; guard, Bob Sims; center, Bing Bingham and end Larry Buckley, were named to the second team.

**35 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 27, 1969**  
 The last service to be conducted at the old building of the Union Congregation Church will be held next Sunday morning at 11 a.m. The adobe building, which the members of the church have been using for 47 years, will see its last use as a place of formal worship on this date.

**30 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 24, 1974**  
 Boswell and Crafton, Inc., Contractor, has begun construction on the first section of State Highway 214 from the Bailey County line north to Clay's corner. Work will include the reconstruction of the grading, structures, flexible base and asphalt surfacing to a 26 ft. travelway with 9 ft. paved shoulders.

**25 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 25, 1979**  
 Friona's 1979 United Fund drive topped the 100 per cent mark this week. Co-chairmen Danny Kendrick and Larry Knowles, reported that as of Wednesday noon, a total of \$10,934 had been deposited at Friona State Bank. This represented 103 per cent of the 1979 goal.

**15 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 25, 1989**  
 Two members of the Friona Chieftains were chosen first team all-district, Jeff Stowers and Ismael Rocha.

**10 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 26, 1994**  
 Robert Neelley, on behalf of Friona State Bank, presented a gift of a complete set of video tapes of original NASA films to Hal Ratcliff, superintendent of the Friona Schools, for the use of the students of FUSD.

**5 Yrs. Ago**  
**November 26, 1999**  
 Noel Grajeda, Friona's scoring and rushing champ, was honored as the District 2-3A "Most Valuable Player," an honor he well deserves. Grajeda led the Chieftains in scoring and rushing categories for the second straight year.

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  - Nov. 29-Mitchell Gibson, Lisa Cummings Gonzales, Nicole Potts Talley, Ky Graham, Timothy Padron, Terry Foster.
  - Nov. 30-Shauna Maynard, Robin Rector, Dean Agee, Macey Ni'Kohl Townsend.
  - Dec. 1-Ryan Sifford, Shannon Burnett, Shayla Lincoln, Scott Nelson, Kyla Wood, Virginia Cleveland.
  - Dec. 2-Abbey Johnson, J.G. Baker, Ann Nichols, Jessica Norwood, Leon Massey, Christene Putman, Bill Pruitt, Bradley Martin, James Warren, Meredith Edelson, Mallory Claire Kemple.
  - Dec. 3-Brittney Martin, Thomas Alexander, Corben Baxter, Thomas Maricle, Ted Tucker, Randie Hamilton, Cheryl Cunningham.
  - Dec. 4-Brock Field, Leo Reed, Glenda Schueler, Erin Barnett.

**Last Puzzle Solution**

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THESE LADIES had cookie and candy arrangements for sale at one of the many booths at the Country Christmas Arts and Craft Fair last weekend. dana d. jameson photo



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STELLA SHIRLEY, center, joins friends at the changing of the guard at the Citadel.

# FSB Tour Group Goes To Canada

The Friona State Bank recently sponsored a ten-day tour of Canada's Atlantic Coast and the Maritime Provinces. Members of the tour from Friona were Doris Barnett, Ann Osborn, John Baca, Dale Widner, Sue Curry, Bonne Duke, Judy Cummings, Marca Herring (Friona State Bank Group Leader), B.J. and Tommie Mercer, Stella Shirley, Pat Holland, Joyce Veazey, Marie Wallace, Bob Naylor, Jerry and Lucy Beth



KATHERINE SMITH poses with some of her new friends from Joe Delany's scarecrows.

Maude Montgomery. The group enjoyed a short film, viewed exhibits and walked through Montgomery's historic home.

The tour drove back to the coast and the ride back to Nova Scotia. The ferry took a little over an hour.

They toured the Alexander Graham Bell Museum. Mr. Bell invented more than the telephone. He also invented the hearing aid and a language for the hearing impaired and built a mansion on the peninsula that is still occupied today by his descendants.

Day eight started by driving along the Cabot Trail. They watched a rug hooker and enjoyed a delightful tour of the St. Pierre Catholic Church, built in 1893. St. Pierre was built on ground near the harbor and can be seen from all parts of the parish.

They stopped at Joe Delany's scarecrows. Mr. Delany started with six scarecrows to scare off the crows. It became a tourist attraction as he added 50-75 stick people. Among the "stick" people are President Bush and Margaret Thatcher to kids playing ring around the rosy.

Mackenzie Valley was the next stop; they walked on a boardwalk through bogs and observed the flora and fauna.

The Cabot Trail winds through the Cape Breton Highlands National Park, which is covered with 4000 acres of hardwood forest. The group enjoyed a picnic at Macintosh Brook.

The Cabot Trail runs for 185

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Day one was devoted to travel. They flew out of Amarillo in two groups. The first group flew to Houston, Newark, New Jersey and then on to Halifax. The second group flew to Dallas-Ft. Worth, Boston and met up with the first group at Halifax.

Their tour guide, Tammy Waugh, met the groups at the airport in Halifax. She helped the group exchange their American money to Canadian dollars before they boarded a bus to the Westin Nova Scotia in Halifax for the night.

Day two began at 8 a.m. as the group traveled to one of the most beautiful spots in Nova Scotia, Peggy's Cove. They drove through many small fishing villages; saw ancient piles of rocks in the shape of humans called Inuhshuk and passed through cranberry bogs. They also visited with a fisherman who was repairing his lobster traps.

The rest of their day was devoted to exploring the sights of Halifax.

Day three began once again leaving at 8 a.m. the tour traveled through Nova Scotia to Amherst. They crossed a narrow isthmus that connects Nova Scotia to New Brunswick. It was difficult to tell when they crossed over into New Brunswick because of so many trees. Ms. Waugh informed the



THE GROUP enjoyed The Hopewell Rocks in the Bay of Fundy.

Summerside, which is home to the College of Piping. The college is devoted entirely to the Celtic arts and crafts and spent the next two nights in historic

miles through lochs and glens and was originally settled by highlanders. The lighthouse at Niel's Harbor enticed the group to take more pictures, before they went to the beautiful white sands of Black Brook Beach.

Fortunately, the group got to enjoy an unusually beautiful day at the beach because the weather is usually cold and foggy.

After dinner at the Lakeside Café they took a boat cruise around an island.

On Day nine they headed back to the Canso Causeway into Nova Scotia Mainland.

After lunch they gathered on the edge of an empty river and waited for a tidal bore. At exactly 12:35 they saw the water rushing by them filling the river. The group was told that it would take about 30 minutes for the river to continue rising before it stopped.

They traveled on to the Annapolis Valley, which is a marsh tidal basin. They also visited the National Acadia Park at Grand Pre, the site where much of Longfellow's "Evangeline" took place.

That evening the group spent the night at the Old Orchard Inn in Wolfville where they had their farewell dinner before returning home.



ENJOYING THE FIDDLER...Dale Widner and John Baca.

group that they could tell they were in New Brunswick because the signs were all in French.

After traveling through the Appalachian Forests of New Brunswick they arrived in Bouctouche, had a lunch of lobster roll, and were entertained by a drama with the "Gossipers".

About 7:30 p.m. that night the group gathered outside their hotel and a man playing the bagpipes led them to a "kitchen party." Everyone felt special because they were the parade.

Norma Thompson learned to play the wooden spoons and Marzell Connor learned to play the snare drums.

On Day four the group took the much-anticipated part of the trip, Bay of Fundy.

The Bay of Fundy has the highest tides in the world, up to 56 feet or 4 stories. This happens because of the depth, length and shape of the mouth



FAREWELL DINNER...Betty & Buddy Wiseman, Ann Osborn and Doris Barnett.

# OBITUARIES

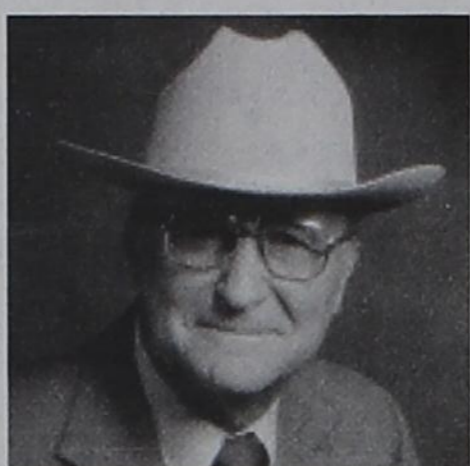
## William Meryle Massie

Funeral services for William Meryle Massie, 89, of Friona, were held at 4:30 p.m., Saturday, November 20, 2004 at the First United Methodist Church of Friona, with Reverend Steve Patterson, pastor, and Reverend Archie Echols of Roswell, New Mexico, officiating. Burial followed in the Friona Cemetery by Blackwell Funeral Home.

He was born on February 28, 1915 to Jesse Devau Massie and Oral Belle Hamilton Massie, in Texas. He died on Wednesday, November 17, 2004 at Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona.

He married Olive Massie on December 27, 1942, in Texas.

Mr. Massie was a Veteran of WWII serving in the U.S. Army Air Corp. He was a longtime



WILLIAM M. MASSIE

area farmer who was chosen Farmer County Conservation Farmer of the Year in 1967 and was a member of the Wheat Growers Association. He was chosen as Friona Chamber of Commerce Man of the Year in 1995. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, the Order of

Eastern Star, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

He was also a former member of the Board of Stewards and Friona I.S.D. School Board. A member of the First United Methodist Church of Friona, he served as a member of the Board of Trustees. He was an avid hunter and Friona Squaws supporter.

Survivors include his wife, Olive Massie of Friona; three daughters, Marca L. Herring of Friona, Betty M. Towle of Bar Harbour, Maine, and Jaynette Lea Looper of Friona; one sister, Gleo Millegard of Sioux Falls, South Dakota; two foreign exchange students, Anni Jensen of Denmark and Nergis Yazgan of Turkey; seven grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

## Frankie Gordon Coffman

Memorial services for Frankie Gordon Coffman, 65, of Farwell, were held at 11:00 a.m. CST, Saturday, November 20, 2004 at the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell, Texas, with Reverend Scott Spitsberg, minister, officiating. Burial followed in Oklahoma Lane Cemetery by Steed-Todd Funeral Home of Clovis, New Mexico.

He died Wednesday, November 17, 2004 at University Medical Center in Lubbock. Mr. Coffman was born October 13, 1939 in Clovis, New Mexico to E.R. "Weedy" and Joyce Barker Coffman.

He graduated in 1958 from Friona High School and attended West Texas State University. Mr. Coffman was a resident of Farwell for many years, where he was joyfully employed



FRANKIE G. COFFMAN

at the Apple Shack. In his spare time he enjoyed woodworking and gleaning fruits and vegetables, which was his passion, to share with family, friends, and the community. He was a faithful member of the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, Men's Breakfast Group, and the Emmaus Community. He will be remembered by his family, his Church family, and his many

friends.

His father, E.R. "Weedy", and three aunts preceded him in death.

Survivors include his mother, Joyce Barker Coffman; three children, Bart Mills Coffman and his wife Pam of Alva, Oklahoma, Bret Gordon Coffman and his wife Amy of Seattle, Washington, and Cassie Dera Coffman of Clovis, New Mexico; six siblings, Sharon Joy Gallon of Stillwater, Oklahoma, Melody Jayne Drake and her husband Owen of Friona, Texas, Hobbie Coffman of Farwell, Texas, Alice Jean Ewald and her husband Brian of Sunlake, Arizona, Arlene Gaye Klump and her husband Robert of Farwell, Texas, and April Dawn King of Amarillo, Texas; three grandchildren; several aunts and uncles; and numerous cousins, nieces, nephews, great-nieces, and great nephews.

Memorial contribution may be made to the American Diabetes Association.

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Attebury Grain, Inc., se ha registrado con la Comision de Calidad Ambiental de Texas (TCEQ o Texas Commission on Environmental Quality) para autorizar un permiso de Facilidad Existente, Permiso Núm. 73559, el cual autorizará la operación de Black-Grain Elevator en 2480 US Highway 60, Friona, Condado de Parmer, Tejas. Más información acerca de esta solicitud puede encontrarse en la sección de anuncios públicos de este periódico.

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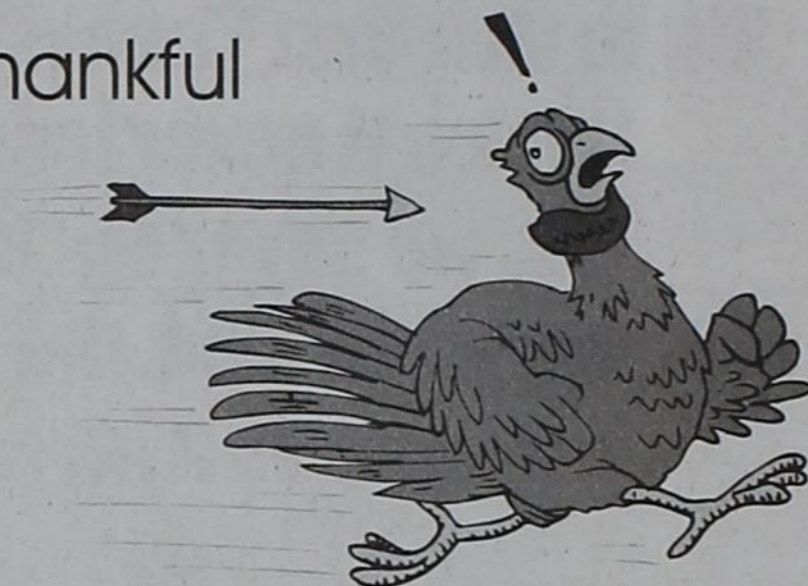
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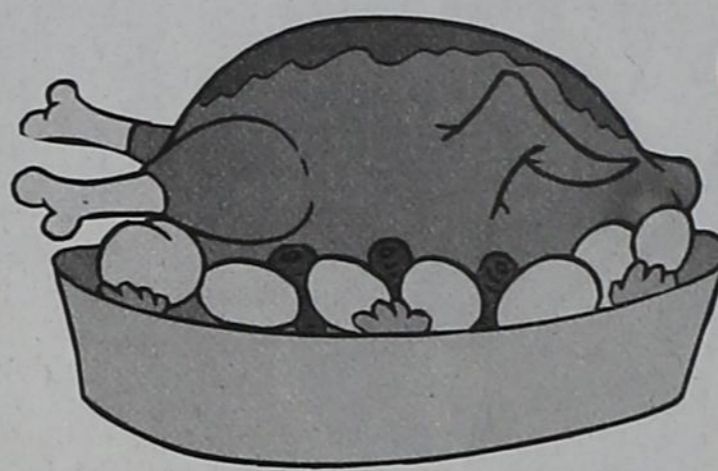
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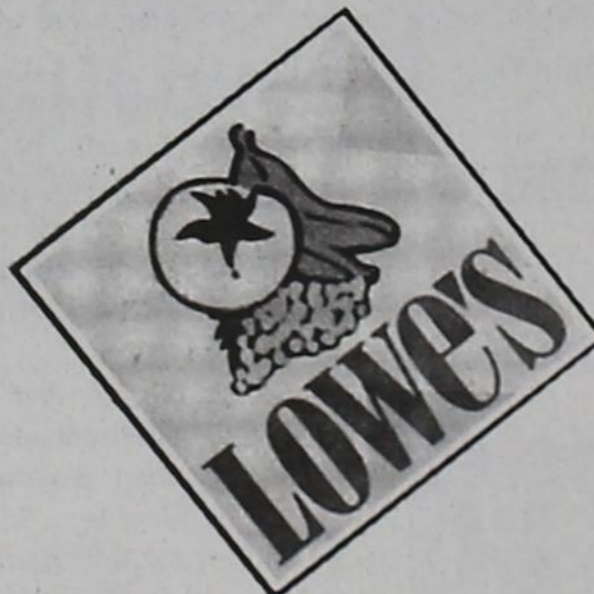


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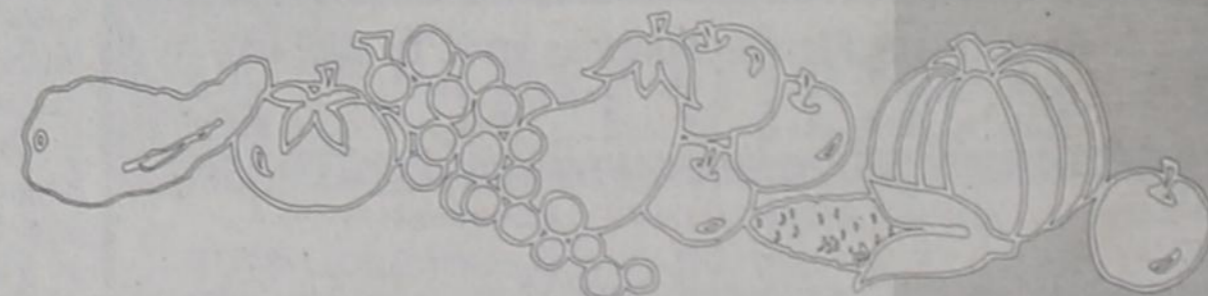


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# K. Ingram & R. Johnson Exchange Wedding Vows In Lubbock

Kahlie Anne Ingram and Ryann Lee Johnson, both of Lubbock, Texas exchanged wedding vows at 5:30 p.m., on Saturday, July 17, 2004. The ceremony was conducted in the First Christian Church, in Lubbock, with Dr. Michael Passmore, of First Christian Church officiating.

Parents of the couple are John and Beverly Ingram of Friona and Ric and Charlotte Johnson of Lubbock.

Grandparents of the bride are W.S. and Dorothy Ingram and Wade and Amelia Wright, all of Friona.

Grandparents of the groom are James Calmes and the late Frances Calmes of Lubbock, and Wanda Johnson and the late Herbert Johnson of Odessa, Texas.

Wes Gomer, organist/pianist, and Ian Klotzman, vocalist, friend of the couple, presented the music. Selections included Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring, Canon in D, Rigaudon, and Tocata in G During the lighting of the unity candle, Ian sang I Will Be Here, by Steven Curtis Chapman.

Before being given in marriage by her father, the bride presented her mother with a single red rose. When the ceremony was over, the bride presented her new mother-in-law with a single red rose, to symbolize the joining of the two families.

The bride wore a white, floor length, strapless, matte satin, A-line gown with pearls and crystal beading on the bodice and skirt. The back was split with an organza beaded semi-cathedral train, also accented with pearls and crystal beading.

She wore an Austrian crystal and pearl tiara, followed by a flowing veil with a double layer of white illusion tulle. Crystal and pearl jewelry was worn to accessorize the bridal attire and a diamond tennis bracelet,

which was a gift from the groom. Pinned to the inside of her gown was a gold cross from her great-grandmother and a silver wedding charm, which was a gift from her sisters. She also wore a garter made from her mother's wedding dress.

The bride carried a bouquet consisting of 12 white Eskeemo and 12 red Charlotte Roses, Million Stars and Tree fern greenery, wrapped in a white ballerina wrap with pearl accents.

Maegan J'may Ingram, sister of the bride, from Friona was the Maid of Honor. Ashley Faye Ingram, sister of the bride, from Friona, was the Junior Maid of Honor. Bridesmaid was Donna Dubose, friend of the bride, from Lubbock.

The bride's attendants were outfitted in apple red satin, A-line ball gowns with spaghetti straps. The bodice featured a chiffon drape across the front, gathered in the back, and flowed from the waist to the hem. They each carried three white roses with tree fern greenery and babies breath, and were tied with red flowing ribbons.

The groom wore a two button notch Fumagalli's coat, black tuxedo pants, white lay down collar shirt, white print vest with matching long tie, and Andrew Fezza cup toed shoes.

Line Walsh, friend of the groom, from Lubbock, served as Best Man. Groomsmen were Matt Frederick and Dee Turner, both friends of the groom and both from Lubbock. Groomsmen wore two button notch Fumagalli's coats, black tuxedo pants, white lay down collar shirts, silver print vests with matching long ties, and Andrew Fezza cup toed shoes.

Serving as ushers were Garrett Wright and Jordan Wright, cousins of the bride, from Lubbock; Justin Boyd, friend of the bride, from Canyon, Texas; and Jason Toelle, friend of the couple, from Lubbock.



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(nee KAHLIE ANNE INGRAM)

The flower girl was Alicia Johnson, niece of the groom, from Lubbock. She wore a white dress with sheer overlay, scattered with rose buds, with a white ribbon at the top of the bodice.

The church was decorated with greenery and white tulle pew bows. The altar featured a floor to ceiling stained glass window and was flanked with three candelabras decorated with greenery and floor length tulle that held 36 lit candles. The white unity candle was decorated with red ribbon, red beads, and pearls. It was accented with a red candle on each side to symbolize both families.

Rachel and Rebecah Mayne, cousins of the bride, from Lubbock, attended the registry. The table was decorated with a large picture of the couple, a white

candle with a pearl and crystal wreath around the bottom, one dozen Eskeemo and Charlotte roses in a vase given to the bride by her mother, the registry book, and on an easel beside the table, was an invitation to the ceremony, matted in a silver frame and signed by the guests.

The reception was held at Kirkendale Hall inside the church.

Reception assistants were Shantell and Morgan Lapel, cousins of the bride, from Austin, Texas; Courtney Johnson, sister of the groom, from Lubbock; and Chelsia Flournoy, friend of the bride, from Lubbock.

The bride's table was decorated with tulle draped around the edges and accented with tulle bows and red rose petals. The three-tiered, two layered,

chocolate wedding cake featured butter cream frosting. Votive candles surrounded with American red roses adorned each corner, of each tier, of the cake, while a free standing bouquet of red roses decorated the top tier. A silver punch bowl and two silver candelabras provided an inviting atmosphere for family and friends.

The groom's table held a brass coffee service and trays alternating circles of chocolate chip cookies and chocolate dipped strawberries. There were also vanilla cupcakes with white and red butter cream frosting to compliment the red and white décor of the bride's table.

A grand piano was decorated with a cream and white sheer cloth. In the center was a tall blue and white porcelain vase filled with a red flower arrangement. Silver candlesticks with white candles were surrounded with a variety of framed pictures depicting the lives of the couple from babies to adulthood.

The reception tables were covered with floor length white tablecloths. Each had a centerpiece which consisted of a mirrored tile, a crystal bowl with a white candle, and scattered red rose petals.

Following the reception, the couple left in a white limousine to attend a Jessica Simpson concert, in Lubbock, that evening. A few days later, the couple took a four-day cruise to Cozumel, Mexico.

A rehearsal dinner for the wedding party and families was held at Orlando's Italian Restaurant after the church rehearsal. A toast was made by both the bride's father and the groom's father, the best man, the maid of honor, and several friends.

The bride's maid luncheon was held at the home of Patsy Moffett, in Lubbock, on Saturday, July 10. The table was decorated with china, silver and

crystal place settings, and white roses. The menu included a fruit cup, chilled chicken salad, and homemade bread, with chocolate dipped strawberries and a chocolate fudge brownie for dessert.

The couple resides in Lubbock, Texas.

The bride is a 2001 graduate of Friona High School and is currently employed by The Real Estate Company. She is pursuing a career in real estate.

The groom is a 1999 graduate of Monterey High School and is currently employed by Gene Messer Mitsubishi.

Out of town guests were:

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Cassels of Hereford, Texas; Mrs. Christine Johnson of Shallowater, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. David Jones, Katie and Jacob of Guthrie, Texas; Nancy and Casie Urbanczyk of Hereford, Texas; Danny and Sky Jones of Hereford, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cass of Clovis, New Mexico; Mrs. Gay Price of Midland, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jake Head, Gunner and Slade of Hereford, Texas; Mrs. Karla Garcia, Shantell and Morgan Lapel of Austin, Texas; Mr. Jared Buske of Temple, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sullins of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Mrs. Ed Haire of Missouri City, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson of Borger, Texas; Mrs. Robert Winigar of Borger, Texas; Mrs. John Kaplan and daughter Hana of Borger, Texas; Mrs. Buddy Cox of Stinnet, Texas; Mrs. Wanda Johnson of Odessa, Texas; Mr. Rinny Johnson of Midland, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Johnson and daughter Connie of Odessa, Texas; Dr. and Mrs. Moss Hampton of Amarillo, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Scott Simpson of Floydada, Texas; and Mr. Tony Tarentino of Houston, Texas.



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## Neill Scores Week 12 Contest Win

Two recent FHS graduates swept the Week 12 football contest cash. The only 16 correct game entry in Week 12 was turned in by Tyson Neill, now of Canyon and a newlywed. He can for sure use the first place money.

Lance Field led a group of four contestants that picked 15 correct games to compete for 2nd place. The Washington 6 - Philadelphia 28 tiebreaker was used and Lance was 7 points off to edge his way into 2nd place. The other three 15-correct players and their points off were Mike Field 8, Mitchell Smiley 11, and Mark Walker 25. Nine contestants managed 14 correct picks.

There was one game in Week 12 which was counted correct for everybody. We listed the Oklahoma State vs Texas Tech game but it is not played until this week so we threw it out of the grading.

Jeremy Dearing and Myrtle Melton go into the final week tied for the overall point total grand prize lead with 153 points. James Elder is sitting in 2nd place at 152, only one point behind. The contest is officially over after this weekend. We thank all of our contestants that played the games and especially our sponsors for their support.

The Week 13 winners and the grand prize winners will be announced next week. Good luck to everybody and have a safe and happy Thanksgiving.

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### Football Contest Standings

- 153-Jeremy Dearing, Myrtle Melton
- 152-James Elder
- 151-Darin Hofferichter, Lance Looper
- 150-Scott Brown
- 149-Laura Field, Virginia Steele, Derek Sudderth
- 148-Martin Brito, Clint Mears, Christen Stowers, Glenden Sudderth, Bobby Thompson, Jimmy R. Walker
- 147-Lilia Brito, Mona Contreras, Tyson Neill, Mark Walker
- 146-Denae Anthony, Nathan Brockman, Mike Hutson
- 145-Ernest Mills, Pedro Ramos, Jamie Sudderth, Scott Sudderth
- 144-Raul Braillif, Alex Ferguson, Mike Field
- 143-Lance Field, Sean Lookingbill, Blake Sudderth, Del Ray Sudderth, Bobby Wied
- 142-Jery Roach, Michael Villa
- 141-Claire Brown, Jon Field, Frank Gonzales, Francisco Torres
- 140-Ronald Diaz, Mack McFarland, Dorothy Stowers
- 139-Jessica Stowers Dearing, Frank Dominguez, Jr., Lester C. Fennell, Rusty McFarland
- 138-Raymond Diaz, Lilly Michel, Don Max Vars
- 137-Elsie Allen, Linda Sudderth, Charles Wales
- 136-Quentin Shelby, Ron Smiley
- 135-Elizabeth Torres, Eufemia Torres
- 134-Jo Field, Jennifer Gonzales, Kelly Lookingbill, Andy Montana
- 132-Jayn Looper
- 130-Daniel Hernandez, Mal Manchee
- 127-Peggy Hargrove, Isabel Rios, Veva White
- 126-Brett Field, Christi Villa
- 125-David Gonzales
- 123-Lisa Lane, Martha Rodriguez, Sally Putman
- 122-Marilyn Engelking, Tenna Montana, Mitchell Smiley, Jeremy White
- 121-Frank Chavez, JoAnne Chavez, Debbie Weir

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