

Star Lites



By Bill Ellis

MANY OF OUR readers are acquainted with Jack Patterson, longtime resident of the Rhea Community.

And if you know him very well, you know that the transplanted Georgian is extremely fond of hunting and fishing.

"Someone was talking to me the other day, and stated that many folks the age of Ona (Mrs. Patterson) and myself aren't nearly as active as we are. They wanted to know what our secret was," Patterson told us this past week.

"I told this person that I guessed that we're still so active because Ona works hard, and I fish hard," he explained.

To say that Patterson enjoys hunting or fishing would be putting mildly. Very mildly.

Jack came by to share a photograph of himself and his 16-month-old great grandson, Clay Shamblin, who lives in Amarillo with his parents, Donny and Karri Shamblin.

In the picture, Jack is holding a 23-inch brown trout that he swears was caught by the young great-grandson. The fish is almost as big as the youngster.

This happened on Labor Day weekend on Clay's first fishing trip with Grand-dad Jack, to the San Juan River in northwestern New Mexico.

"I can't believe I let the child get that old before taking him fishing," Patterson stated, with his trademark laugh.

Jack is one of those individuals who plans to enjoy himself. Maybe that is part of the reason that he's still as active as he is, not having slowed his pace to speak of.

Jack was a driving force in the movement to stock Parmer County with pheasants, which gave local hunters, as well as hundreds of others from as far away as Dallas and the Houston area, the chance to hunt this popular game bird every winter in the county.

Pheasant hunting became a source of income from tourist dollars for the two-week, three-weekend season in December.

But something has happened to the pheasants in our area, and Patterson says he is at a loss to explain what it is. But one thing's for sure, he says: the birds weren't hurt by "overkill" by the hunters.

In 1982, Patterson invited a busload of hunters to come to the Rhea community from as far away as Austin. Before the group called it quits on that beautiful December day, every member of the party had a bird, and virtually everyone had shot their limit.

Then, a year or two later, Patterson said he noticed in the spring and summer that there was a good flock of pheasant hens, around 20-30, nesting out in his wheat field. There were seven or eight pretty cock-pheasants, and this made him optimistic about a nice crop of young pheasants, and a good hunting season.

"They always did well in the wheat. They make their nests out in the field, and the skunks and other predators can't find them," Patterson explained.

But by hunting season that year, it was evident that not only had there not been a good "hatch" of young birds, but that almost all of the grown birds he had watched earlier in the year also had died out.

"I think they were hit by some kind of disease. And we just can't seem to get the bird population back to where it was in 1982," he explains. "The game officials try to say they don't have the cover and feed they need, but that isn't the case. I haven't changed my way of doing things, and they just don't make it," he said.

Hopefully the pheasants will someday make a comeback. They're beautiful game birds, and this area had seemed well-suited for them until the last 10-12 years.

UNCLE AUSTIN SAYS: "If you have a job with no aggravation, you have no job!"



TALL CORN...The Godoy family is shown in their garden near Sixth and Summit. The near 10-ft. corn is a brand he brought back from a visit to Mexico, where it does very well. This stand, however grew to great height but failed to produce good corn. The Godoy's have lived in Friona ten years. He works at Hi-Pro and she works at the school cafeteria. Shown are (left-right) Eduardo, Sandra, Ericka, Salvador, Maclovia and Fabiola Godoy. (Photo by Ron Carr)



1995-96 CHIEFTAIN MASCOT...At the first home outing, Chieftain mascot Ruby Aronce is pictured by the tepee at the Springlake-Earth game. The mascot is selected by a vote of the student body. Ruby is a sophomore and the daughter of David and Manuela Aronce. (Photo by Ron Carr)

'Dirty 30s' Type Storm Hits Area

Oldtimers and longtime residents thought back to the dust storms of the 1930s in the local area on Thursday, when a gale-force windstorm swept a cloud of reddish dust across the area. The dust cloud was hundreds of feet high. It hit the city of Friona a few minutes before 5 p.m., about closing time for some businesses.

Being after deadline, a complete damage report was not possible. It appeared that the city may have fared somewhat better than neighboring Bovina, where the Allsup's store had steel beams on its roof raised about a foot. The store was closed, after some bricks were blown into the store, and shelf items were blown around.

The Roy V. Miller residence north of Friona sustained roof damage--for the second time in four months! The Millers had just completed installation of a new metal roof about a week ago, and Thursday's storm blew one side of the roof completely off.

The windstorm certainly damaged the area's crops, particularly the corn, whose harvest is just underway good.



NEW LOCATION FOR BUSINESS...Socorro's Beauty Salon opened this week at 505 W. 12th. Pictured are friends, employees, and members of the Chamber of Commerce at the grand opening ribbon cutting. Shown, center, are owners Socorro and Victor Gonzalez, with grandson Victor Nathaniel Gonzalez. (Photo by Ron Carr)

Friona Wins At Bingo In 2nd Quarter

"Bingo is not only fun to play", Nora Linares, Executive Director of the Texas Lottery Commission, said today, "but Bingo games also financially benefit many of the state's charitable organizations."

"During the second quarter of 1995," Linares added, "players in Parmer County did their share contributing to various local charities and, of course, collecting some lucky Bingo prizes".

Charitable Bingo players who frequented the one licensed Bingo charity in Parmer County won \$6,043 in April, May, and June of this year, Linares reported.

The charitable organization in Parmer County and the Bingo attendance reported this quarter was Friona American Legion Post #206 with 272 players.

The \$6,043 won locally is part of the \$107.2 million in prizes that Bingo charities across the state paid to winners. That includes \$84.9 million for regular Bingo prizes and \$22.3 million in prizes for pull-tab Bingo games.

Players in Dallas County Bingo halls won \$16.4 million during the second quarter, the most in the state. Tarrant County placed second with \$13.5 million, followed by Harris County, with \$11.5 million.

Temperatures

Date	Hi-Low
Friday, September 22	57-37
Saturday, September 23	82-42
Sunday, September 24	66-48
Monday, September 25	71-48
Tuesday, September 26	81-53
Wednesday, Sept. 27	87-53
Thursday, September 28	90-57
Moisture: .14" September 28.	

Cindy Carthel Corners Third Week FB Prize

Cindy Carthel is the top prize winner in the 3rd week's Friona Businesses Football Contest.

Second prize money, \$7.50, went to Elizabeth Torres of Muleshoe and 3rd place's \$5 prize was awarded to Tim Elmore of Kemp, Texas.

Carthel, Torres, & Elmore were in a group of six entries that correctly picked 14 winners.

With an official tie-breaker score of Dallas 34, Arizona 20, Carthel's guess was Dallas by 33-20, only one point off.

Torres was four points away, predicting Dallas over Arizona by 31-21, while Elmore missed by 12 with Dallas picked 28-14.

Other 14 correct entries were Myrtle Melton, Bobby Wied, and Kent Patterson.

Bunched at 13 correct picks were; Joshua McDonald, Mark Blankenship, Don Max Vars, Heath Brown, Ron Smiley, Mitchell Smiley, Clint Mears, Rick Carr, Cliff Daniel, Sandra Berend, Jack Clark, Tyson Neill, and Donnie

McDonald. Dimmitt's loss to Tulia, Perryton's loss to Dumas, and Texas A&M's upset loss to Colorado were popular "misses" by contestants this week.

After only three weeks, nine people have moved into a tie for first in overall with 42 points.

They are: Rick Carr, Cindy Carthel, Tim Elmore, Myrtle Melton, Joshua McDonald, Tyson Neill, Kent Patterson, Mitchell Smiley, and Elizabeth Torres.

However, 23 others are within a mere six-point striking distance of the lead, which will no doubt change hands several times over the remaining ten weeks of the contest.

It is never too late to enter and enjoy the weekly fun and competition. Entries must be brought to the Star office, or postmarked, not later than 5 p.m. each Friday.

A complete listing of point total standings, plus contest entry blank and rules, can be found elsewhere in this edition.



WEEK THREE FOOTBALL WINNER.....Cindy Carthel accepts her \$10 top prize as the winner of the Friona Star football contest's third week. Presenting her check is Danny Kendrick, of Kendrick Oil Co., a regular contest sponsor. (Photo by Ron Carr)

Spirit Wind 1996 Alumni Reunion Set

Next summer, the 1996 Spirit Wind Choir will host a reunion weekend in Midland, Friday, June 7 through Sunday, June 9. The alumni will rehearse with the 1996 choir on Friday and Saturday and then will participate in 8:30 a.m. and 10:50 a.m. worship services on Sunday.

A social event will be planned for Saturday evening which will offer everyone a chance to renew friendships and catch up on old times.

We are in need of addresses of the former members of Spirit Wind. If you know of anyone in your church, a friend, or a family member who has been a part of Spirit Wind, please send their address so that they may receive all further communication about the weekend.

Parent Conference Scheduled

A Parent Conference has been set at Friona Primary School on Wednesday, October 4. This is the first time a Parent Conference has been held at the school.

"I wanted to personally encourage you to remember this day, and make a special effort to set up a conference time with your child's teacher. You are your child's first teacher, and it is very important that you participate actively in your child's formal education," Jim Parker, principal, commented.

Grades EC, pre-kindergarten, kindergarten and first will not attend school Wednesday. Children in grade school, junior high and high school will attend school.

Please mail or fax any information you may have to Bert W. Bostic, St. Luke's United Methodist Church, 3011 West Kansas, Midland, Texas, 79701. The fax number is 915-694-9608.

Bonfire Set October 5

The Friona community is invited to a bonfire Thursday, October 5 at 8:30 p.m. at Reeve Lake. The bonfire is being held the night before Friona's football game against Tulia, and it will kick off homecoming activities.

The annual event, sponsored by the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, will spotlight the Chieftain football team and coaches, the cheerleaders, the band and Flag Corps.

Teresa Buske, Chamber executive, stated, "We hope everyone will come out and support our young people. A lot of good activities have been planned, and this is a good way the community can show support for our high school and its students."

The Books Will Be Here Monday (!?)

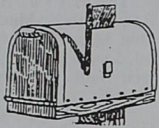
The Star has finally tracked down the lost shipment of books which has been promised for the past three weeks. They'll be in the office on Monday or Tuesday.

"Mommy's Little Angels" by Mary Lou Cavenaugh is the book about the Lumbra baby murders. Cost will be \$5.99 plus tax.



YOUNG FISHERMAN....Jack Patterson of the Rhea community is shown with his great-grandson Clay Shamblin and a 23-inch brown trout he caught on his first fishing outing in northwest New Mexico. Clay is the son of Donny and Karri Shamblin of Amarillo.

Letters To The Editor



Dear Editor:
I lived in the Friona area for years. I lived in the Lakeview area, and am the son of J.M.W. Alexander, a former county commissioner for several years.

After dad quit as a county commissioner, he and my mother moved to Missouri, where they are buried.

We lived in the Lakeview area at that time--we moved to that area in 1926 from Dallas. I finished Friona High School and a couple of years at West Texas State. I came to Dallas been here ever since. I worked for a bank and also at a wholesale house, where we covered five states.

I retired from working and have lived in Lancaster, Texas, for years. I am the only one of the Alexander "kids" still living, and I'll be 82 years old on October 26.

I could tell you some wild tales about our moving to the Friona area in 1926 and our stay there. Having attended WTSU for two years, the Depression had me moving to Dallas to find work--and I've been here ever since.

Please send me the Star, so I can see what is going on out on the Plains.

Many thanks, and I will be looking forward to getting the paper.

Lex Alexander
608 S. Dallas Ave.
Lancaster, Tx. 75146

Dear Mr. & Mrs. Ellis and the Friona Star:

To let you know I really appreciate you helping me enter the Friona Art Show during your Maize Days.

Also, thank you for the canvasses (my prize). It was so thoughtful of you both.

Sincerely
Jackie Hinderliter
Clovis, N.M.

Dear Editor:
As a supporter of the Christian Coalition, I want you to know that I am very concerned about the

relentless anti-Christian bias of the news media.

For example, Dan Rather of CBS NEWS described conservative Christians as "hatemongers." The Washington Post, in a feature article, described us as "largely poor, uneducated and easy-to-command."

CBS News anchorman Bob Shieffer made this outrageous comment: "We've noticed that there is a link between crime and religion." These kinds of false caricatures must stop.

Christians make up the majority of your readers. I'm writing to urge you to be fair in your coverage of Christians. Why not publish some positive articles now and then about all the good work Christian organizations are doing in our community?

Sincerely,
Mr. & Mrs. R.E. Snead

Editor's note
Dear Sneads:

I realize your card was pre-printed by the Christian Coalition, but I wonder if you were lumping the Friona Star in with CBS and the Washington Post, especially with your final statement.

As far as I know, we've never published ANY KIND of anti-Christian articles in the Star, and all the while, our columns are wide open for any kind of publicity boosting the activities of Christian organizations. We realize that such is not the case on a nationwide basis, but next time please look at the final sentence of your form letter before you sign it and mail to us! Some newcomers might think the Friona Star was a Devil's Advocate." --B. Ellis

Dear Friona Star,
Enclosed is my check to renew my subscription for another year. I really enjoy keeping up with the hometown news. Keep up the good work.

Thank you for running the picture and article for our ten-year reunion (Class of '85).

Thanks again,
Celia O'Brian Mason

Friona Flashbacks

....from the files of The Friona Star

50 YRS AGO-SEP 28 1945

On Monday, the Friona Locker Company opened its doors for business and in the afternoon at least four hogs were slaughtered and placed in the cooling room, preparatory to processing and conversion into bacon, cured hams, and sausage, etc. The operative work of the company is in charge of Wilmet Crow, one of the proprietors of the business, and he is ably assisted by A.L. Talley and T.B. Whitfield.

45 YRS AGO-SEP 28 1950

Friona city commissioners and mayor met Tuesday and unanimously framed ordinances setting the city tax rate at \$1.25 representing a twenty-five cent increase over the previous levy.

This action followed on the heels of increased agitation for a paving program for Friona, heretofore blocked by lack of sufficient credit earned by the city under its old tax structure. Mayor Bainum pointed out that even with the old tax structure, the city's tax rate is still considerably under the average for towns the size of Friona across the state.

40 YRS AGO-SEP 30 1955

The opening of the new Sixth Street Church of Christ building will be held on Sunday, October 2. A program for the day has been planned.

The formal opening services will be held at 3 p.m. There will be three guest speakers: Stanley Lockhart, minister of the Church of Christ at Levelland, and former pastor of the local church; Doyle Chapin, minister of the Vega Church of Christ, and Bob Wear, minister of the Canyon Church of Christ.

35 YRS AGO-SEP 29 1960

The Friona City Council, meeting in a special session Monday afternoon at the City Hall, spent about three hours discussing a budget under which the City of Friona will operate during the tax year, October 1, 1960 to September 30, 1961. This is the first year that the city has operated under a budget set up on a tax year; as previous budgets were based on calendar years. The budget just ended was based on a nine-month period.

30 YRS AGO-SEP 30 1965

The enrollment in Friona Public Schools is up almost nine-per cent over last year, it was revealed this week by Superintendent Alton Farr. Current

Sausage Dinner Set Here

The annual German Sausage Dinner at St. Teresa's Catholic Church will be held Sunday, October 1. Serving begins at 11 a.m. and will continue until 2:30 p.m.

Homemade German sausage, homemade sauerkraut, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, relish plate, dessert, coffee and tea make up the menu.

Adults will be served for \$5 and children will be charged \$3. Take-out orders are available.

A country store will also be operating with an assortment of homemade items for sale. German sausage and sauerkraut will also be sold.

enrollment was listed the past week at 1367, which was an increase of 111 students over the 1256 total at the end of the 1964-65 school year.

25 YRS AGO-OCT 1 1970

Business places in the City of Friona will begin collecting the one-cent city sales tax on all purchases starting Thursday, October 1. City Manager Jake Outland reminded merchants that the city sales tax will be collected on everything that is currently taxable. Merchants will simply add the extra penny to each \$1 purchase.

20 YRS AGO-SEP 28 1975

"This project actually had its beginning back in the 1920s, when people living to the south of Friona had problems crossing the draw at times when they needed to come to Friona," said Mayor R.L. Fleming during his remarks at dedication ceremonies at the new overpass into the city Tuesday. Also speaking on the program was George C. Wall, Jr., district engineer for the highway department's Lubbock district.

15 YRS AGO-OCT 19 1980

Friona Chieftain Band's marching percussion section came home with top honors from the Drum Corp competition held last

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Saturday at Texas Tech. Members of the Corp are Sandy Spring, Sheri Dodson, Jessica Maurer, Patti Hinton, Reese Fleming, Stanley Ellis, Andrew Fleming, Richie Malouf, Judy McLellan, Kristi Britting, Lynn Koelzer, Wade Davenport, and Diane Johnston.

With the help of friends, a 23-year-old man was finally able to return home to Friona. Panhandle residents from Odessa to Hereford chipped in \$2,437 to buy Alex Guerra three respiratory therapy machines he needed before doctors would release him from High Plains Baptist Hospital.

5 YRS AGO-OCT 6 1990

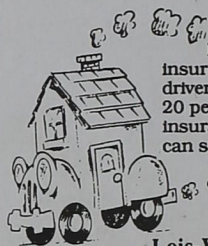
Diana Lumbra, 32, was convicted Wednesday by a jury in Garden City, Kansas, for killing her

four-year-old son, Jose Antonio Lumbra, last May 1 at her home in Garden City, where she had lived since 1985.

From an ad in the Star, Oct 6, 1990: "Dear Friends and Customers; As of October 4, we have closed the Barber Shop. For supporting us during our 51 years in business here in Friona we would like to express our sincere THANKS. Waneta and Ralph Taylor....."

Eddie Mays, long time Friona resident, recently won one division of the Panhandle Professional Writers group annual writing contest in Amarillo. She was awarded an honor certificate and a cash award by the sponsoring organization for a short story entitled, "A Man's Job."

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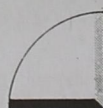


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Out Here

By RON CARR



"Bad boys, bad boys! Whatcha gonna do when they come for you? Bad boys, bad boys...!!!"

It's the theme from a popular FOX network TV Show "COPS."

When 18-month-old Brittany Howard hears it, she runs into the room, points to the TV and says, "It's Daddy, it's Daddy!"

Mike Howard gets his wife, Donna, to tape the show if he is on duty. He's a Friona cop.

To observe life from the other side of a police car windshield, I asked permission to ride with Officer Howard on a Saturday, 4 p.m. to midnight shift. The Friona PD had me to sign a waiver saying that if I got injured or killed during my ride, the city was not responsible.

With that comforting thought in mind, I showed up at PD headquarters a little before 4 p.m. that Saturday. The night dispatcher, Doris Richards, looked over her glasses at me, probably wondering if a grown man didn't have anything better to do on a Saturday night.

At each shift change, officers have a brief meeting to pass along information from the previous shift on any current situations to watch for during the next eight hours. Officer Howard learned that a DPS warrant had been issued for a Friona man for non-payment of a traffic ticket. He knew the guy.

"He'll come into town tonight, you watch and see," he said as we got into the car.

The Friona PD dispatch is the communications center for Parmer County. It is a Public Service Answering Point (PSAP). All 911

calls and communications between police, sheriff and state trooper units come through Friona.

Our car, Unit 105, had enough equipment, instruments and radios to fly a small airplane. There were three microphones, a radar unit, and five buttons to control lights. He could have made the car light up like a Christmas tree. Then there was the regular radio which was tuned to a country FM station and the 32-oz Coke cup, neatly tucked into its space in the center console.

Three microphones are on the center console. There is the PA mike which allows the officer to talk over the PA speakers mounted outside.

The CB mike is for monitoring the CB's, mostly trucks. In truck talk, city police are "city kitties", and state troopers are called "full-grown's".

The third and most important mike is the PSAP radio network unit. Officer Howard made sure I knew where it was and how to operate it.

Five more buttons on the center console control all the lights. From left to right, they read, "rotating lights, take down, flashing lights, left alley, and wig-wag."

His belt held pepper spray, handcuffs (two pair), gun, portable radio, and collapsible baton. My belt didn't even have my name on it.

We left the station at 4:15 p.m., headed west on 5th, then back east of Highway 60. His right had flicked the radar into action, as he would do many times that night.

Doris radioed for us to come back to the station. She had gotten a long distance call from relatives of a local family that the father had died. We were sent to the home to notify them of the death, but they were not at home. An hour later we went back, but by then they had been notified.

"I'm glad I didn't have to tell them. It's a part of the job I really don't like," Mike said.

We went to the highway again to "shoot some radar." Before we got started, Officer Howard said, "There he is. I knew he would come to town."

Before I could say "Who, what?" we were eastbound on 60 behind a new-looking pickup. It was the man wanted on the DPS warrant.

He was arrested, handcuffed and taken to the station in the back of the police car. His fine was \$93; hard to find on a Saturday night. After a few phone calls, with no luck, Howard booked the young man into the Friona jail. But not for long. Before we got to the other end of town, dispatch called. Someone was there to pay his \$93.

Officer Howard returned, undid what he had just done, had the man sign a paper and he was released.

During the next few hours, I saw places that even most Friona old-timers have probably never seen. Hiding places, parking and smooching places, and beer-drinking congregating places.

We went to the cemetery, out 214 north and south, on backroads and underpasses, shining spotlights and looking for trouble. Luckily, I guess, we didn't find much.

We stopped a pickup from Kansas on suspicion of DWI. They were just eating ice-cream while driving.

We listened in on a call from unit 210 Bovina as they chased and stopped five cars between Bovina and Farwell for weaving and unsafe driving. Turns out they were practicing parade maneuvers.

Officer Howard couldn't figure out why Main Street was so quiet on a Saturday night. The teens were at a dance at the high school with chaperon parents plaining dominoes out in the hall.

About 11:25 p.m. the radar zapped a Clovis car, going westbound on 60, doing 49 mph in a 35 mph zone. The woman driver from Clovis was polite. Said she

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BAD BOYS, BAD BOYS? NOT!.....Friona Star reporter Ron Carr, left, and Friona PD officer Michael Howard are pictured with unit "105 Friona" prior to a recent eight-hour shift, when Carr rode along to observe a routine police shift. See Carr's Out Here column for the results.

Friona Contest Standings

42--Rick Carr, Cindy Carthel, Tim Elmore, Myrtle Melton, Joshua McDonald, Tyson Neill, Kent Patterson, Mitchell Smiley, Elizabeth Torres.

41--Sandra Berend, Steve Gartin, Ted Procter.

40--Courtney Carthel, Donnie McDonald, Ron Smiley, Don Max Vars, Bobby Wied.

39--Roddy Berend, Jack Clark, Kirk Frye, Jerry Hinkle, Lisa Reed, Thomas Reed, Larry Rogers, Mark Walker.

38--Jerry Bentley, Mark Blankenship, Cliff Daniel, Alan Haile, Mal Manchee, Landon Martin, John Sright.

37--Phil Brockman, Heath Brown, Dennis Field, David George, Clint Mears, Jimmy Walker, Lisa Weatherly.

36--Wayne Amstutz, Raul Brailif, Scott Brown, Martha Clements, Bobby Davis, Linville Rose, Don Spring, Ray Stanley.

35--Jo Blackwell, Shirley Fangman, Jyl Grimsley, Harrol Redwine, Brandon Stephens, John Young.

34--Scottie Brown, Kiki Carthel, Daniel Hernandez, Roger Johnson, Deborah Raymond, Martha Rodriguez.

33--Doug Carthel, Heath Patterson.

32--Eric Espinoza, Kayla Smiley.

31--Claire Brown, Francisco Torres.

30--Mike Raymond, Eufemia Torres.

29--Randi Burkhardt.

28--Raymond Delgado, Jesse Morales, Jon Field.

27--Eddie Gauna, Jerry Gossett, Leslie Redwine.

26--Tonya Gartin, Lance Looper, Quentin Shelby.

25--Rodney Allen, Clinton McCoy.

24--Colby Carthel, Moses Reyes.

23--Corben Baxter, Colby Ingram, Alan Monroe, Mark Zachary.



AMBER GRANTHAM

FHS Girl Is Honored By Mar.-Ed.

By Amber Grantham

Amber Grantham is the daughter of John and Jody Thomas. She is sixteen years old and is a junior who enjoys reading and drawing in her spare time. She has a younger and older sister, who encourage her to finish high school and further her education.

This is her first year to be in the M.O.C.T. program. It gives young adults the chance to teach themselves responsibility, education and managing money. It prepares those who want to go to college and work part-time the opportunity to learn a job marketable skill. This program teaches kids how to make decisions that will affect them for the rest of their lives.

Sid Garcia of Family Dollar is giving Amber the opportunity of learning on the job experience. She would like to thank Mr. Garcia, Mr. Bronniman, her sisters, Robin Grantham and Kathy Stancell, and her parents for encouraging her to fulfill her dreams.

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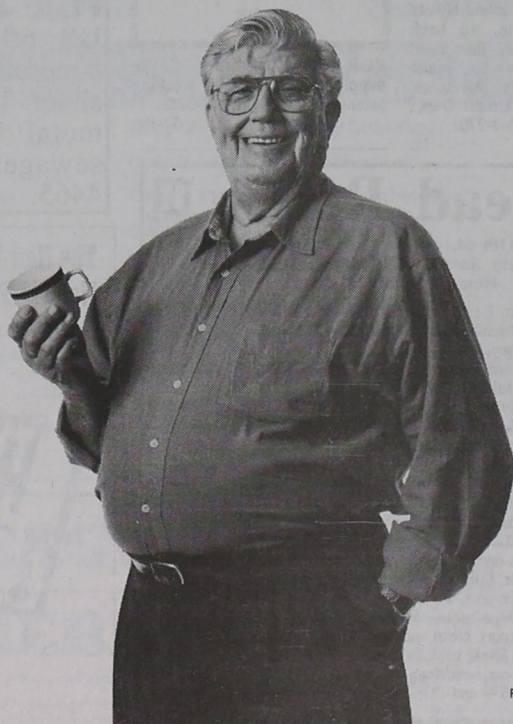
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Are your children too cranky for school work? Then, make sure they eat breakfast.

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Parents can help their children master the three Rs by providing them with a healthy start.

"Breakfast is still the most important meal of the day," said Montandon, an assistant professor of pediatrics at Baylor College of Medicine.

"Children who eat breakfast get a head start on essential daily nutrients because breakfast provides one-fourth to one-third of the day's energy and nutrient needs. Children who skip breakfast usually fall short of their daily dietary needs."

It doesn't matter if children are first-graders or freshman, breakfast gives students an energy boost and improves classroom behavior, overall attitude and mental and physical performance.

Montandon believes that even the most hectic household can find time for breakfast.

"In some cases, it might require waking the family 10 to 15 minutes earlier than usual. But, when you consider you are giving your children a classroom edge and helping them learn a lifetime of good eating habits, it is well worth the effort."

A balanced breakfast should include a dairy product such as a low-fat milk or yogurt, a grain such as a high-fiber bread or a cereal, a protein such as peanut butter, cheese, or a lean cut of meat, and a fruit or 100 percent fruit juice.

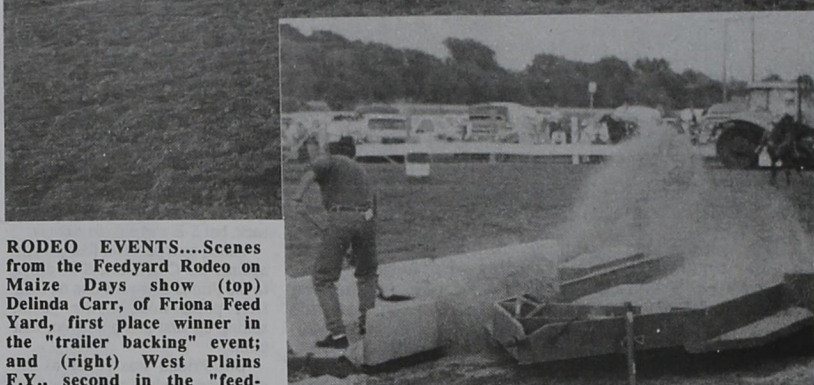
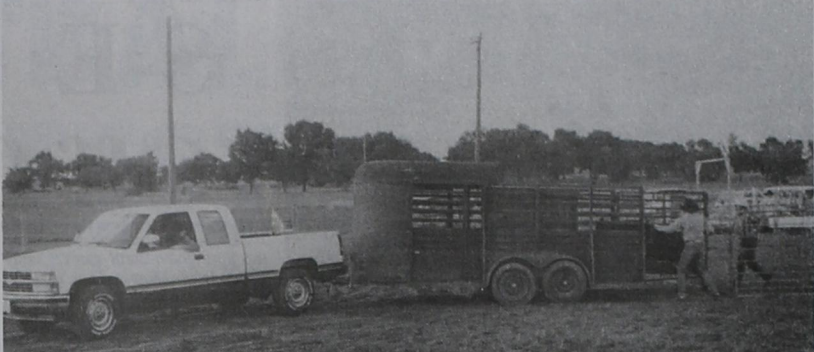
"It's alright to occasionally serve sweetened cereals and convenience foods such as toaster waffles, breakfast burritos and other frozen entrees," she said. Parents should carefully read labels because many of these foods contain high levels of sugar, sodium, and fat.

Parents should also remember that they are important role models. Children are more likely to eat breakfast if their parents eat breakfast, Montandon said.

If breakfast just does not fit into the morning routine at home, Montandon encourages parents to consider programs available at their local school.

And, remember on those mornings when no one is on schedule, you can always eat enroute. "Make sure to have plenty of breakfast items like low-fat breakfast bars, fresh fruit, and cartons of milk or 100 percent fruit juice on hand to offer your children in the car. The important thing is for them to eat something nourishing," she said.

HIPPITY-HOP CHAMPS....Aaron Albertson, right, entered the "lightweight frog champ," and Dan Patterson of Farwell had the "fastest heavyweight frog" at Maize Days September 16.



RODEO EVENTS....Scenes from the Feedyard Rodeo on Maize Days show (top) Delinda Carr, of Friona Feed Yard, first place winner in the "trailer backing" event; and (right) West Plains F.Y., second in the "feed-bunk race." (Photos by Lisa McLellan)

Out Here, by Ron Carr...

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was in a hurry to get home and after-all it was 11:30 p.m. Fourteen miles over the limit is a \$69 fine in Friona.

Just before midnight, Office Howard stopped to fill the cruiser with gas, as he does at the end of every shift. We headed back to the PD where Officer Brent Firestone was coming on duty. They had their "pass-it-on" meeting and Howard finished up his paperwork.

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He likes law enforcement. He told me that he couldn't see himself doing anything else. In fact, he tried a job at Pantex for awhile, but liked police work better.

He has been a Friona officer for two years and likes to work nights. "My adrenalin flows at night. I am a night person," he told me.

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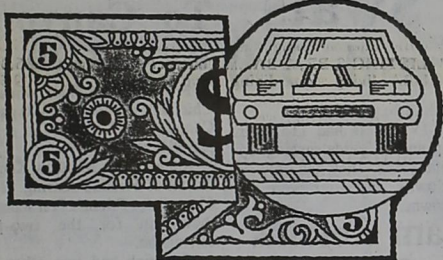


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WD, Anna M. S. Shepherd, Leon Shepherd, the NE 1/4 and the SE 1/4 of Sec. 6, T5S;R4E

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WD, Mike McCallum, Steelman Rentals, Inc., part of Lot 4, Blk. 83, OT Bovina

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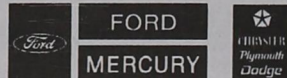
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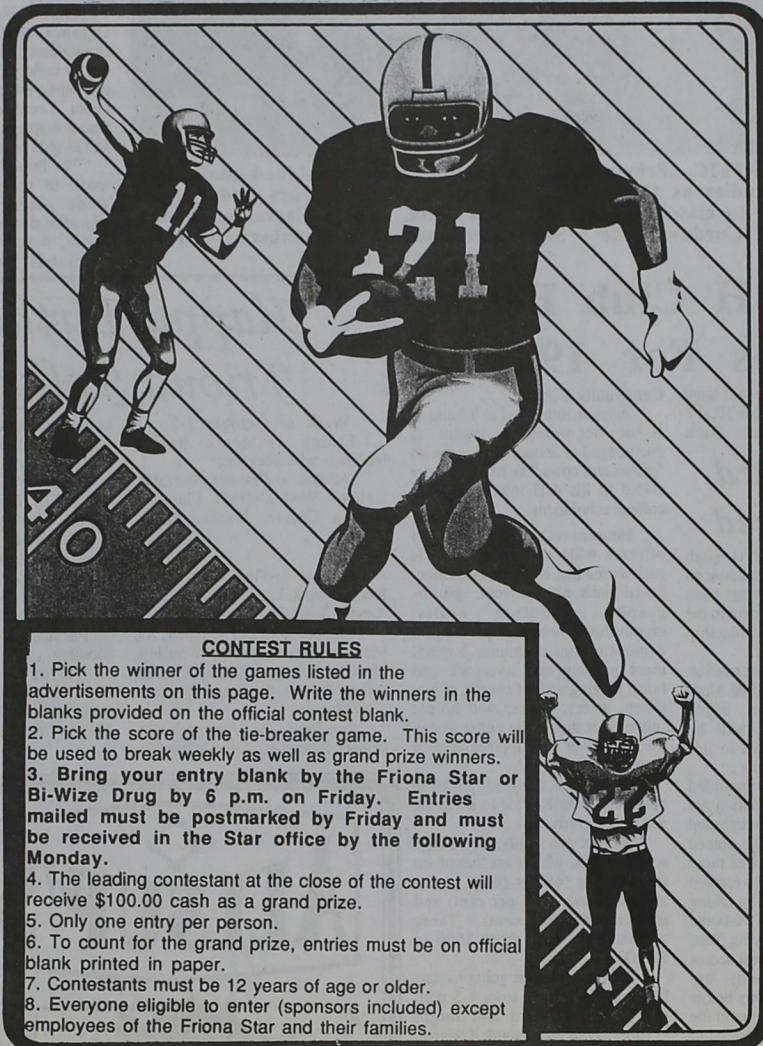
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D.A.R.E. Report

By Roy Don Smith

I enjoyed Maize Days and the parade. It was exciting to see the kids run from curbs and join in on the float. I want to thank Carol Cook for the use of his trailer. Mr. Monroe for the use of his barn. Donice, Stephanie, & Kimberly Jones for their help. I want to thank my wife and kids for their help and support during the past year and I can not forget YOU, the people of Friona. You have made all this worthwhile.

On the 19th, I gave a presentation to the Modern Study Club. The ladies were wonderful!! I do need to apologize for running rather long. A big thanks to Allo Reeve for giving me the opportunity to speak about this great program. We had a good time and a lot of my past was revived. I look forward to visiting them again. The food wasn't bad either.

On the 21st, I will present a program to the Noon Lions Club. This group has been such a great help to me in the past. Both the Noon and Evening Lions do so many great things for the community. A big thanks to Sharon Rector for giving me the chance to present the program.

If you know of ANY group or organization that would like to hear more about the program please give me a call. I must continue to promote this program until everyone is aware of its importance.

We have lost the war against drugs. Drugs are here and will continue to be here. All the money and time invested by law enforcement has had little or no effect on the drug trade. We must now shift our resources to education.

Education is the answer to most of today's problems. We attempted to take away the supply of drugs and failed. We must now take away the demand for drugs but this time we cannot afford to fail.

Support your kids. Let them know that you believe in them. Support the kids of Friona and Bovina. Let them know that their future can be positive and full of happiness.....Officer Smith.



COUNTING TRAFFIC....Friona first-graders this week combined math and transportation studies as they lined Highway 60 to count cars and trucks. Shown returning to class are, l-r, Margarita Villa, Angela Carrasco, Briana Wright, Desiree Cordova, and Sami Hernandez, all members of Mrs. Herbert's class.
(Photo by Ron Carr)

Local 4-H Club Begins Activities For 1995-96

The Friona 4-H Club will have a meeting Tuesday, October 10 at 7 p.m. at the Friona State Bank Community Room.

J. Goddard Is Honored

Frank Belcher, Friona High School principal, has announced that Julie Anne Goddard has been named a Commended Student in the 1996 National Merit Scholarship Program.

A Letter of Commendation from the school and National Merit Scholarship Corporation, which conducts the program, will be presented by the principal to this scholastically talented senior.

About 35,000 Commended Students throughout the nation are being honored for their exceptional academic promise. They placed among the top five per cent of more than a million students who entered the 1996 Merit Program by taking the 1994 Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test. Although the qualifying test scores of Commended Students are outstanding, they are slightly below the level required to continue in the competition for Merit Scholarship awards to be offered in 1996.

Anyone interested in joining 4-H or becoming a leader is encouraged to attend. 4-H is not all "plows and cows," as Michael Jeter stated in his 4-H interview for a college scholarship.

He went on to explain that 4-H offers a wide variety of projects such as sewing, foods and nutrition, small animal projects, photography, shooting skills, entomology, leadership, method demonstration, consumer buying, meat judging and livestock and horse judging and, of course, swine, sheep, steers, heifers and horses (mules) for those who either live in the country or have a place to keep large animals.

Kids learn leadership skills, community skills, how to set goals and keep records.

Seniors can apply for college scholarships, which are based on involvement (45 per cent), grades and test scores (45 per cent) and interview (10 per cent). These scholarships range from \$500 to \$15,000.

Debbie Pollard is going to start being at the library from 1-5 p.m. every second, third and fourth Wednesday of each month if anyone needs help, forms or has questions.

4-H Members Set Special Activities

The Parmer County 4-H program will begin celebrating National 4-H Week on October 1, which has been designated as Texas 4-H Sunday.

During National 4-H Week, October 1-7, 4-H programs throughout the United States will host a variety of activities to make the public aware of what 4-H is all about. Local activities will include poster displays, recruitment efforts and awards program.

"In Texas, some clubs use this week to recruit new members, while others sponsor various educational events," said Dr. Nelson Jacob, 4-H youth development specialist with the Texas

Agricultural Extension Service. "It's a good time to promote 4-H and let everyone know all about the program and its value to the community."

In Parmer County, youth between the ages of 5 and 19 participate in the 4-H program. In addition to the technical knowledge and skills learned with individual projects, 4-H members participate in leadership, citizenship and community service programs.

With the help of more than 65,000 volunteers, the 4-H program has become an integral part of the education of more than 450,000 urban, suburban and rural youth in Texas.

Recognition of the Texas 4-H Youth Development Program reached all the way up to the governor's office in 1993 when Governor Ann Richards signed a proclamation declaring May 24 as 4-H Day in Texas.

The proclamation was signed in addition to resolutions passed by both the Texas House of Representatives and the Senate.

The declaration honors the Extension 4-H program for 85 years of providing learning experiences to help young Texans acquire knowledge, develop life skills and form attitudes to enable them to become self-directed, productive and contributing members of society.

Earlier this year, the U.S. Senate also honored the 4-H program nationwide with the passage of Senate Resolution 100, declaring April 5, 1995 as "National 4-H Day."

Happy Birthday Friona Folks....

Week of October 1-7 Friona residents having birthdays next week are:

October 1--Frances Gonzales, Debbie Wedel, Beth Fleming, Karson Charles Nance, Sheila Clark.

October 2--J'mai Cash Gayle, Joseph Tullis, Lacye Osborn, Linda Rando, Scott Cummings.

October 3--Sarah Schueler, Joe Mann, Sally Osborn Whatley, Marlene Mueller, Danny Guerra, Danny Guerra, Sr., Lanis Graham, Troy Hutson.

October 4--Coy Jameson, John Robert Schueler, Amelia Rankin,

Leslee Upton, Darrell Auburg, Joseph Ryan, Travis Graves, Eloy Caballero.

October 5--Fred Florez, Gaye Tannahill, Ruth Harguess, J.R. Varner, Clayton Dean Smiley.

October 6--Kit Preston, Jennifer Stell, Shain Clark, Amanda Gerles.

October 7--Laura Brockman, Roy V. Miller, Dr. David McFarland, Lori Hand, Wilma Moseley.

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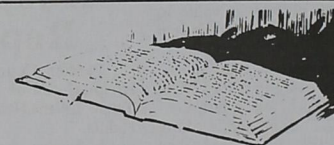
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READY TO ROCK-n-ROLL....Members of the Friona Noon Lions Club are shown just prior to the start of the bed race at Maize Days. The "passenger" is Teresa Buske, Chamber executive, and one of the "pushers" is Oscar Barrera of Energas.



CYCLISTS....Two of the guys riding unicycles in the Maize Days parade were caught by the Star camera. On the left is Paul Wyly, and on the right is Eddie Miller of Lazbuddie.

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A Tip For Measuring Mutual Fund Performances

If you'd like to evaluate your mutual fund more carefully, but aren't sure what to look for, you should know about total return.

Total return is one of the best indicators of a mutual fund's performance. It includes income dividends, capital gains and changes in the value of a mutual fund's share. Your total return will vary slightly according to whether you take your dividends in cash or reinvest them.

Here's an example of total return assuming all dividends and capital gains are reinvested:

Account Value 12/31/94	\$20,250
Account Value 12/31/93	\$18,000
Change in Value	+ \$ 2,250

To find the total return on this account, take the change in value and divide it by the beginning value: \$2,250 divided by \$18,000=.125 or 12.5 per cent.

If you choose to receive dividends in cash, total return is calculated as follows:

Account Value 12/31/94	\$18,558
Account Value 12/31/93	\$18,000
Change in Value	\$ 558
Total Dividends	\$ 1,674

Add the change in value to total dividends, and divide this sum by the beginning balance:

\$558 + \$1,674=\$2,232.
\$2,231 divided by 18,000=.124 or 12.4 per cent total return.

As you can see, taking dividends in cash rather than reinvesting them and letting them compound will give you a slightly lower total return. The difference becomes larger over longer periods

of time.

You can find a mutual fund's total return in its annual report. The total return reported by the fund, however, may not agree with your calculations. Mutual fund performance figures are based on specific time periods. If you do not own the fund for the entire period covered by the annual report, your total return will be different.

Total return also is affected by additional investments and redeemed shares. If you buy more shares or sell shares right after a major increase or decrease in the fund's share value, your total return will reflect this.

However, long-term investors should not be overly concerned about short-term results. Over meaningful periods--five to ten years or more--your fund's total return figures are generally a good measure of how well your investment is progressing.

There are several ways to measure the performance of any mutual fund, but total return is the most widely accepted. No other method simultaneously takes into account income, gains and changes in share value.

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