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## Winners Named in County Stock Show

The 2008 Lynn County Stock Show and Sale, dedicated in memory of Wacie Barnett, was held Jan. 17-19 at the county showbarn with 127 exhibitors showing 236 animals, including 153 barrows, 25 lambs, 30 meat goats and 28 steers. Lynn County 4-H member Hadley Reynolds showed the Grand Champion Barrow and Lynn County 4-H member Jamie Bingham had the Reserve Grand Barrow. In the steer division, Matt Taylor (Lynn County 4-H) showed the Grand Champion Steer and Justin Forbes (O'Donnell FFA) showed the Reserve Grand Steer.

Jordan Clem (New Home FFA) showed the Grand Champion Lamb and Jesse Terry (Lynn County 4-H) had the Reserve Grand Champion Lamb. Celee Smith (New Home FFA) showed the Grand Champion Meat Goat and Maddison Truhlicka (New Home FFA) showed the Reserve Grand Meat Goat.

Harley Reynolds (Lynn County 4-H) was named Overall Showman at the stock show, and other Showmanship winners included Jordan Clem (New Home FFA) Sr. Lamb, Rebekah Bartley (New Home FFA) Sr. Goat, Hailey Wilkinson (Lynn County 4-H) Sr. Steer, Clara Barrington (New Home FFA) Jr. Goat, Merritt Mitchell (Lynn County 4-H) Jr. Steer, Jesse Terry (New Home FFA) Jr. Lamb, Josh Paul (New Home FFA) Jr. Swine, and Heath Link (New Home FFA) Sr. Swine.

In the Baked Goods Division, Trevor Gieklhorn (Lynn County 4-H) was selected as Grand Champion (Pie) and Merritt Mitchell (New Home FFA) was Reserve Grand Champion (Cookies/Bar Cookies). Other winners were: Champion Bundt Cake/Sheet Cake - Jessica McLelland (Tahoka FFA), Champion Layer Cake - Maci Dimak



**Grand/Reserve Buckle Winners and Sponsors...** Pictured are Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion winners and sponsors at the Lynn County Stock Show and Sale, held Jan. 17-19. They are, in back from left, Jared Martin-BE Implement, Mike White-Lynn County Farm Bureau President, Matt Taylor-Grand Champion Steer, Jamie Bingham-Reserve Champion Pig, Justin Forbes-Reserve Grand Steer, Jordan Clem-Grand Champion Lamb, Kendall Barnett-Lee Lawn and Feed; front row from left, Jesse Terry-Reserve Grand Champion Lamb, Celee Smith-Grand Champion Goat, Maddison Truhlicka-Reserve Grand Champion Goat, and Hadley Reynolds-Grand Champion Pig. (LCN PHOTO by Pam Elrod)

(Lynn County 4-H), Champion Brownies - Alexandria McDaniel (O'Donnell FFA), Champion Quick Bread - Linzee Gibbins (New Home FFA), and Champion Yeast Bread - Coy Mercer (Lynn County 4-H).

Princesses who assisted at the stock show included Hailey Wilkinson, representing New Home FFA, Shelby Williams with O'Donnell FFA, Victoria Zepeda with Wilson FFA, McKenzie Dimak with Lucky Leaf 4-H, Kenzie Angeley, Senior 4-H and Meghann Rivas, Tahoka FFA. (See STOCK SHOW, page 4)

## No Injuries Result From Auto Collision In Tahoka

A collision between two cars at Ave. L and Lockwood in Tahoka last Thursday caused no injuries. A 2004 Ford Mustang driven by Joseph Bertolino, 47, of Brownfield and a 1995 Geo Prizm driven by Billy Ray Saldana, 16, of Tahoka were involved.

Police also investigated a report Wednesday, Jan. 16, that a 38-year-old Tahoka man had been pushed and threatened at a gin. He said he would file charges against the other man, a 41-year-old Tahoka resident.

Police investigated an apparent attempted suicide last Thursday and on Monday arrested a 22-year-old Tahoka man on a warrant from Dallas alleging sexual assault on a child.

Held in Lynn County jail this week were 41 persons, including 17 held for Lubbock County. Only one person was jailed during the last week, on a charge of driving while intoxicated, third offense or more.

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### St. John's Church To Celebrate 90th Anniversary

Saint John Lutheran Church in Wilson will celebrate their 90th Anniversary on Sunday, January 27, 2008. There will be a fellowship at 10 a.m. in the Education Building and the Celebration Service will be at 11:15 a.m.

Bishop Kevin Kanouse and Reverend Yvonne Kiebler will be leading the service. Following a dinner there will be a Forum with Bishop Kanouse and comments from past pastors and friends.

### Grandparents - Get Your Pictures Ready!



**Jaxxon Zant**  
Leland & Susan Zant, Lee & Gail Whitley, Billie Lane & the late Jim Lane, Dale & Ethel Lynn Zant, Ila Mae Bullion (2007 Brag Pages)

The Valentine Brag Pages will be in the February 14 issue of The Lynn County News and you can have your grandchildren's photos published for only \$8 each picture. **Deadline is Thursday, Feb. 7.**

### Bale Count 1/22/2008

Texas Star Gin, Wilson/Union	115,235
New Home Coop, Lakeview	68,221
Woolam Gin, O'Donnell	47,072
Farmers Coop Assn. #1 Tahoka	45,756
Farmers Coop, O'Donnell	36,630
Wells Coop Gin	33,691
Grassland Coop Gin	18,101
Close City Gin, Post	15,950
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>380,656</b>

### Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Jan. 16	38	28	
Jan. 17	39	18	Trace Snow
Jan. 18	45	17	
Jan. 19	42	15	
Jan. 20	53	14	
Jan. 21	63	21	
Jan. 22	28	23	
Total Precipitation Jan:			0"
Total Precip. Year to Date:			0"

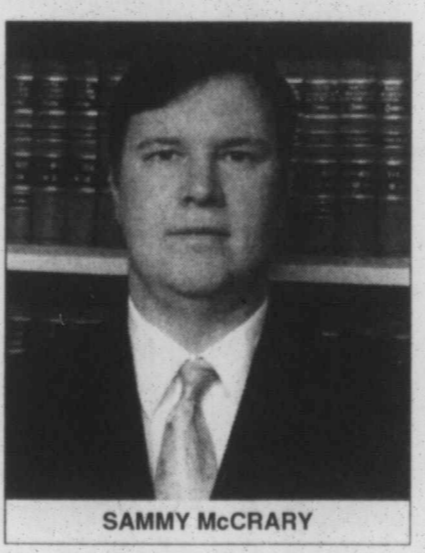
## Sammy McCrary Announces Candidacy For District Attorney

I want to announce that I have filed as a candidate for District Attorney of the 106th Judicial District, which consists of Lynn, Garza, Gaines, and Dawson County. I will be a candidate in the Republican primary on March 4 for the position now held by Ricky B. Smith, who is retiring at the end of his current term.

Over the past 10 years, I have tried numerous serious cases before juries in the four counties of the 106th Judicial District. Most of the cases I have tried have been against child molesters, career criminals, and defendants charged with murder and attempted murder. While trying these serious cases, I have maintained a 95% conviction rate. In addition, I have argued cases on appeal before the Seventh, Eighth, and Eleventh Courts of Appeals as well as the state's highest criminal court, the Court of Criminal Appeals. To date, no criminal I have prosecuted has ever been released from prison due to a reversal on appeal. I have also represented many victims of domestic violence throughout the district in obtaining protective orders.

In 2002, I earned my certification as an expert in criminal law from the Texas Board of Legal Specialization and I was recertified in criminal law this past year. In addition, I have worked my way up to the position of 1st Assistant District Attorney. As 1st Assistant District Attorney, I have had the opportunity to train and supervise many new attorneys as they learned to try felony cases.

"When you go to vote for a district attorney, you are really hiring a lawyer. If you are the victim of a crime, you don't get to go out and hire a lawyer to prosecute the criminal. Instead, you are represented by your elected District



SAMMY MCCRARY

Attorney and his assistants. Although you often hear about the rights of criminals, I believe the hardworking citizens of our communities deserve the best legal representation possible. I have been honored to represent you, the citizens of Lynn County, for the past 10 years as your Assistant District Attorney and 1st Assistant District Attorney. My record as a prosecutor is public record in the offices of the District Clerks of Lynn, Dawson, Gaines, and Garza County.

This is an important vote that will determine the quality of the lawyer that will represent you if you or your family should become the victim of a crime. I encourage you to review and compare my record. I hope that you will consider the work I have done for you as your 1st Assistant District Attorney and give me the opportunity to continue representing you by promoting me to be your District Attorney."

Thank you for your support.  
- Sammy McCrary  
1st Assistant District Attorney  
(Paid Pol. Announcement by Sammy McCrary)

**woodwork**  
by dalton

RECENTLY I watched a movie on TV called "Insomnia," and I must have slept through part of it, because all I remember about it is that the main character went for a long time (days?) without sleep.

If I did sleep through part of that film, I should go purchase a copy and watch it again, because not many things put me to sleep. I do not sleep well, ever. I am uncomfortable lying down, and I usually turn over about 167 times a night trying to find a comfortable position. Sometimes I doze for maybe an hour, then wake up, and when I finally get out of bed the next morning I am exhausted.

When I am trying to sleep, I am at least two or three of the Seven Dwarfs - Grumpy, Sneezy, Dopey and Achy (was he one of them?). And whose fault is it that I have trouble sleeping? Mine, I guess, because I never acquired the ability to just let go of everything and sleep.

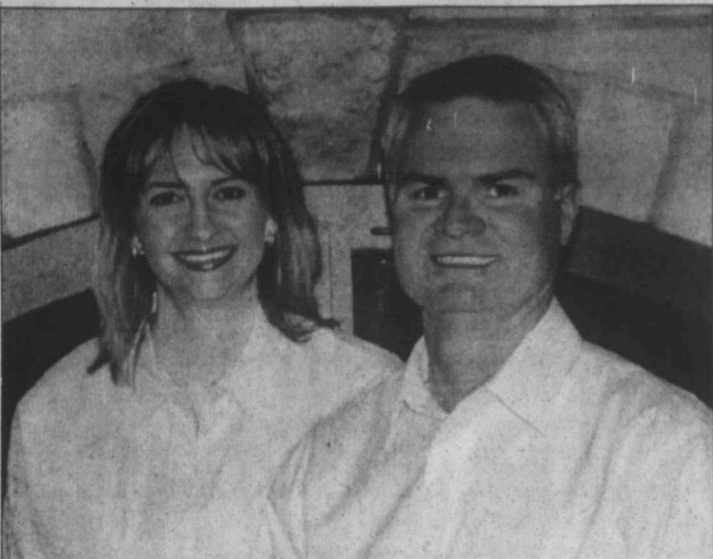
Some people (like my wife, who says she just turns off her thinker) can just simply lie down and go to sleep in minutes. I can't do that; I start thinking about all the things I did that day, many of them wrong, and all the things I need to do the next day. I worry that I'm still awake when I need to be sleeping and resting. And tunes keep running through my head.

I read last week that watching television or sitting in front of a computer for as much as three hours in the evening will interfere with a person's getting restful sleep. So maybe I watch too many late night movies.

The only times I really get sleepy are when I am driving while looking into the sun, or when I am in church. Most people (especially the preachers) do not like others to sleep in church.

One night a few years ago I needed to talk to our pastor and my very good friend about something we were supposed to do the next morning, and by the time I remembered to call, it was after 10 p.m. I called anyway, and when he answered, I told him, "I can't sleep. Would you mind preaching to me for a few minutes?"

He took that pretty well. Probably gave him another sermon topic, actually.



MR. AND MRS. TERRY RAY CAMPBELL  
(nee PATRICIA ANN DAVIS)

**Davis-Campbell Vows Exchanged**

Billy and Ann Davis of Tahoka announce the marriage of their daughter, Patricia Ann Davis, to Terry Ray Campbell, on Jan. 4, 2008.

The couple resides in Lubbock.

**Lynn County Relay For Life Planned For April 18 Here**

The 2007-2008 Lynn County Relay For Life will be held April 18, 2008 at the Tahoka High School football stadium from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. For the second consecutive year, this 12-hour event will be sponsored by Tahoka High School students to raise money for the American Cancer Society, and to raise cancer awareness.

"We encourage everyone to take part in this extraordinary event. There are many ways that any and everyone can be a part of the Relay such as, forming a team to walk, sponsoring/donating, register as a survivor, purchase a luminaria, or just come out and enjoy the food, entertainment, and activities planned for the night," says Amy Barrera, Event Chair.

There will be numerous events and activities throughout

the night. One of the most important events is the Luminaria Ceremony. People will be given the opportunity to purchase a bag and dedicate a special message to a loved one that has been a victim of cancer. The bags can be "In Honor of..." or "In Memory of...". The luminarias will be placed around the track the night of the Relay to honor these brave people. We will be accepting donations for each bag from anyone interested in purchasing. For more information, please contact Sarah Calvillo, Luminaria Chair, at (806) 777-1160, or Amy Barrera, Event Chair, at (806) 928-0353.

For more information on the Tahoka Relay For Life, please contact Amy Barrera, Event Chair, at 544-7571 or amy\_ashley\_08@yahoo.com or Mrs. Patti Rambo at 561-4538.

**OBITUARIES**

**Seniada Montes**

Rosary for Seniada Montes, 69, of O'Donnell was held at 7 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 17 at St. Pius X Catholic Church. Funeral Mass was celebrated at 10 a.m. Friday, Jan. 18 at the same church with Deacon Simon Resendez officiating. Burial followed at City of O'Donnell Cemetery under the direction of Calvillo Funeral Home.

Seniada passed away on Wednesday, January 16, 2008. She was born on November 16, 1938, in Waxahachie, to David (1979) and Hilaria Montes (1956). She recently moved to Lubbock from Sherman to be closer to her family. She was a Catholic.

She was preceded in death by a sister, Maria Esparza, in 1999.

Survivors include three sisters, Siria Vargas, Linda Montes, and Carolina Benavides, all of O'Donnell.



ELERENE BARTON

**Elerene Barton**

Celebration of Life services for Elerene Barton, 82, of Clyde, were held at 1:00 p.m. Monday, January 21, at the White Memorial Chapel in Tahoka with Mark Hackett officiating. Interment followed in the Tahoka Cemetery, under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

Mrs. Barton died January 19, 2008 in Clyde, Texas. She was born to Everett and Willie Berryhill on September 3, 1925 in Rochester, Texas. She married Amos Barton on May 3, 1943 and they had three sons. She then married Bill Bell in August of 1963 and they had one son. Elerene was a long time resident of O'Donnell and Lamesa and a member of the Lamesa Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by Amos Barton, Bill Bell, Everett and Willie Berryhill and one brother, Bill Berryhill.

Survivors include four sons, Jimmy Barton and wife Linda of Clyde; Jerry Barton of Kerrville; Monty Barton and wife Carolyn of Klondike; Clark Bell and wife Cindy of Bowie; eleven grandchildren; numerous great-grandchildren; two brothers and two sisters.

Memorials may be made to the Tahoka Cemetery Association at 1612 Lockwood, Tahoka, Texas 79373.

**Petra Sepeda**

Rosary services for Petra Sepeda, 63, of Tahoka were held at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 22, at the St. Jude Catholic Church in Tahoka. Mass services were held at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 23 at St. Jude's with Celebrant Deacon Francisco Aguilar. Arrangements were under the direction of White Funeral Home in Tahoka.

Mrs. Sepeda died January 19, 2008 in Lubbock. She was born on October 7, 1944 in Tahoka to Guadalupe Liendo and Consuelo Lara. Petra was a lifelong resident of Tahoka. She married Frank Sepeda, Sr. in 1967 and he preceded her in death on July 3, 2004. She was a homemaker and a member of St. Jude Catholic Church in Tahoka. She was preceded in death by her husband and father.

Survivors include her mother; two daughters, Connie Sepeda of Tahoka, and Judy Hernandez of Lubbock; two sons, Frank Sepeda, Jr. of Memphis, TX, and Martin Sepeda of Tahoka; fifteen grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; five brothers, Jesus Liendo, Amador Liendo, Jose Liendo, Martin Liendo, and George Liendo, all of Tahoka; eight sisters, Elena Valverde, Rosa Hernandez, Ortenzia Sepeda, Eloisa Quintero, Julia Quintero, all of Tahoka, Eva Sandoval of Lubbock, Maria Liendo of Bovina, TX, and Martha Gonzales of Lubbock.



Mr. and Mrs. Brady Kyle Cross  
(nee Candice McCall Moczygemba)

**Couple Exchange Wedding Vows**

Candice McCall Moczygemba and Brady Kyle Cross were united in marriage December 22, 2007 at 6:30 p.m., at the First Baptist Church in Wilson with the Rev. Billy Parmer of Wilson, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Randy and Stephanie Moczygemba of New Braunfels, and the granddaughter of JoAnn Cook of Lubbock, the late Dan Cook of Wilson, and the late Leo and Rose Moczygemba, of Wilson.

The groom is the son of Ricky and Lana Cross of Wilson, and the grandson of Juanell B. McMellan of Slaton, and the late Leonard Brieger, Billie Jean and the late Irvin Cross of Post.

Escorted by her father, the bride wore an ivory strapless gown with a semi-cathedral train. The dress featured an in-laid band of café colored satin on the front of the dress and an in-laid panel of the same extending the length of the train. The dress was adorned with crystal beading, embroidered lace, and sequins. She carried a bouquet of crimson peonies, white hydran-

geas, red roses, hypericum berries and pheasant feathers.

Serving as maid of honor was sister of the bride, Charley Moczygemba of Corpus Christi. Bridesmaids were: Barbie Stevens of Olympia, WA, Delese Philpott of Lubbock, Megan Bogler of Kerrville, and cousin of the bride, Makayla Cook of Spring Branch.

Cody Cross, brother of the groom served as best man. Groomsmen were David Yowell of Lubbock, Doak Funk, cousin of the groom, of Lubbock, Jordan Weaver of Wolfforth, cousin of the groom, and Jordan Cook, cousin of the bride. Serving as flower girl was Rebekah Parmer of Wilson, and ring bearer was Garrett Raceca of Wilson.

Pianist was Nancy Walker, and vocalists were Les and Nancy Walker and soloist Mike Jones.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Mercantile at the Green Building in Wilson.

Following a wedding trip to New York City, NY, the couple will reside in Wilson.

**Senior Citizens MENU**

Jan. 28-Feb. 1

**Monday:** Chicken Patty on a Bun, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato & Onion, Chips, Sliced Peaches

**Tuesday:** Beef Spaghetti, Tossed Salad, Garlic Breadsticks, Cookies

**Wednesday: Turkey & Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Sweet Potatoes, Green Beans//Cranberry, Rolls, Pumpkin Pie**

**Thursday:** Roast with Vegetables, Tossed Salad, Homemade Biscuits, Pudding

**Friday: BREAKFAST FOR LUNCH!** Scrambled Eggs, Pancakes/Hash Browns, Bacon, Toast, Fruit of the Day

Memorials and donations may be made to the **Lynn County Pioneers (Senior Citizens)** 1600 S. 3rd • P.O. Box 223 Tahoka, Tx 79373

**Wedding Announcement Policy**

The Lynn County News accepts wedding announcements at no charge if run within 8 weeks following the event. A \$35 fee will be assessed if run after that time. All information is subject to editing. Wedding and Engagement forms are available at the Lynn County News Office, 1617 Main, P.O. Box 1170, Tahoka, TX 79373, (806) 561-4888, Fax 561-6308.

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**Save the Date**

New Home Baptist Church have chosen March 30, 2008 as the day they will celebrate their **100th Anniversary.**

Please keep this date open. We want you to be a part of this special occasion. Invitation will follow.

**March 2008**

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**Helen Knox is having a Birthday!**

Please come help us celebrate **90 years of a great life.**  
YOUR PRESENCE WILL BE HER GIFT.

Sunday, January 27  
2:00-4:00 p.m.  
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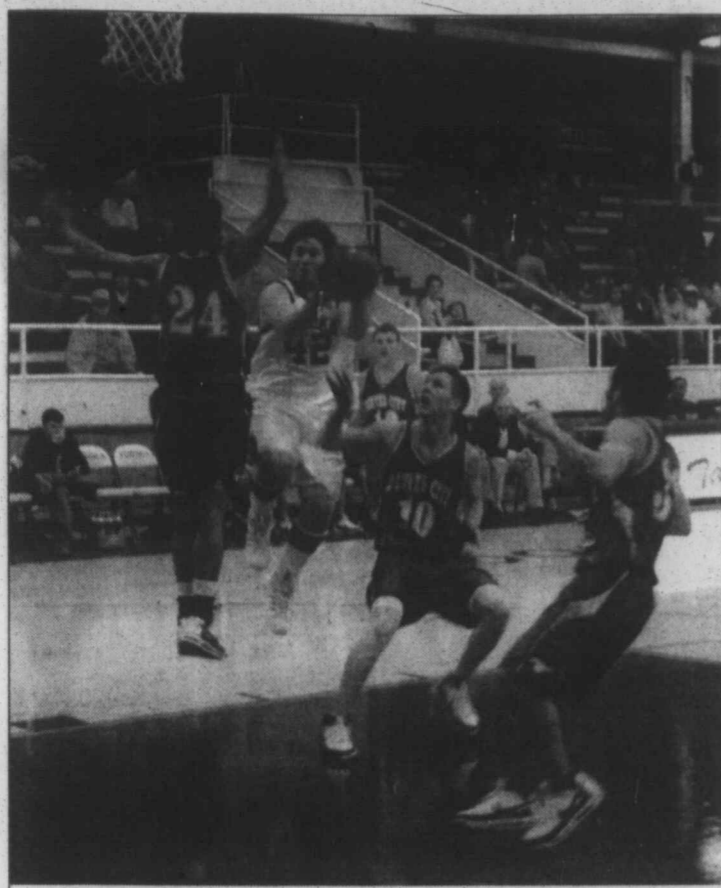
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**A little hang time ...** Tahoka's Levi McKay (#42) and a Denver City player face off in a little hang time as McKay prepares to shoot the ball. The Bulldogs lost 56-33 last Tuesday night. (LCN PHOTO by Tina Wuensche)

**THS Senior Photos Due For Slide Show**

The Tahoka High School Senior Slide Show Committee reminds seniors and their parents that the deadline to turn in one baby photo and one current photo to Mrs. Shelly Stone to be included in the Senior Slide Show is February 29th at 3:40 p.m.

Also, if the senior/parent wants any group photos of the class to be included as well they may turn those in at this time. The group photos can be from any grade level.

"Please be sure to write your name on the back of each photo so that they can be returned to you. If you have yet to take your senior photos and therefore do not have a current photo, please just bring in the baby photo and let Mrs. Shelly Stone know that you will turn in your current photo as soon as possible," said a representative of the slide show committee.



**Take that, Tigerettes! ...** The Lady Bulldogs knocked Slaton off of their perfect district record Tuesday night, with this 2-point winning shot by Kyra Helms in the last couple of seconds of the game. Tahoka won 43-41 to take Slaton's district record down to 5-1, and bringing up the Lady Bulldog record to 4-2. The Tahoka teams play at Idalou Friday night. (LCN PHOTO by Mark Wuensche)

**Tahoka SCHOOL MENU**

January 28-February 1 Breakfast

**Monday:** Morning sausage  
**Tuesday:** Cinnamon Rolls  
**Wednesday:** Breakfast muffin  
**Thursday:** Cereal w/ graham cracker

Lunch

**Monday:** Pizza, salad, banana, sliced peaches  
**Tuesday:** Stuffed baked potato, baby carrots, fresh fruit cup  
**Wednesday:** Oven crispy chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, fancy gelatin  
**Thursday:** Nachos Grande, lettuce and tomato, cornbread, orange smiles

**GRANDPARENTS: Get Your Pictures Ready!**

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*Deadline is Thursday, Feb. 7.*

**2008 Calendars are here!**

We have desk calendar pads, appointment books and calendar refills ...

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**SPC Announces Photography Classes**

South Plains College will offer two classes for photography enthusiasts - Beginning Photography and Black & White Darkroom.

The Beginning Photography is for individuals interested in basic photography principles in film and digital media, camera settings and handling, choice of subject matter and print finishing options.

The class will be on Mondays from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Jan. 28 through March 3. The classes will meet in the Fine Arts Building, Room 102. The cost is \$30 for the course. Miscellaneous expenses for students will be \$20-\$40 for printing and film.

For individuals interested in the darkroom experience, print-

ing and basic darkroom techniques with some advanced techniques and print finishes should register for the Black & White Darkroom.

The Black & White Darkroom class will be on Wednesdays from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Jan. 30 through March 5. The classes will meet in Room 102 in the Fine Arts Building. The cost of the classes will be \$30. Lab fees cost \$15 and will be due the first night of class. Supplies list available at registration.

The instructor for both classes is Kim Brown.

For more details, call the Division of Continuing and Distance Education at 806-894-9611, ext. 2341.

**Boys Little Dribbler Signup Dates Set**

Signup dates for Tahoka Boys Little Dribblers will be Sunday, Jan. 27 and Tuesday, Jan. 29.

Signup Sunday from 1:30-3 p.m. at PJ's Deli and Bakery. Cost is approximately \$35, and parents should bring a copy of their child's birth certificate for proof of age.

The second and final chance to sign up will be Tuesday, Jan. 29, starting at 5:15 p.m. at the Tahoka High School gym.

**District 4-AA Basketball Standings**  
(as of 1-23-08)

**GIRLS**

Slaton	5-1
Denver City	4-2
Tahoka	4-2
Idalou	4-2
Post	1-5
Roosevelt	0-6

**BOYS**

Idalou	4-0
Denver City	3-1
Post	2-2
Roosevelt	2-2
Slaton	1-3
Tahoka	0-4

**Owens Makes Dean's List**

Skyler R. Owens was selected to the Dean's List for the 2007 fall semester at Angelo State University.

She is the daughter of Joe and Kellie Craig of Tahoka, and Chris Owens of Richmond, VA. She is a 2005 Tahoka High School graduate.

**ATTEND CHURCH IN LYNN COUNTY**

<p><b>First Baptist Church</b> 1701 Ave. K • Box 1547 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4557 • www.fbctahoka.org PASTOR: REV. RICHARD HARBISON Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship Service - 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship Service - 6 p.m. Activities For All Ages - Call For Complete Schedule <i>There's A Place For Me at FBC!</i></p>	<p><b>Wilson St. Paul Lutheran Church</b> 16th &amp; Houston St. • Box 136 • Wilson, TX 79381 (806) 628-6471 • www.stpaulwilson.com PASTOR: DAVID W. ROHDE Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Divine Service - 10:15 a.m. <i>"Where Christ Serves People"</i></p>	<p><b>First United Methodist Church</b> 1801 Ave. J • Box 500 Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4503 email: functahoka@poka.com PASTOR: VERNON BAKER Sundays: Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship - 10:45 a.m. Youth - 6 p.m. Sundays, 7 p.m. Wednesdays Branded Ministries - 6:30 p.m. Tuesdays</p>	<p><b>O'Donnell First Baptist Church</b> 701 Standefer • O'Donnell, TX 79351 (806) 428-3236 PASTOR: SCOTT HENSLEY Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 7 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Sweet Street Baptist Church</b> 1300 Avenue J • Box 751 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-5310 PASTOR: LYNN LONG Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. (A Bible Study Class for all ages) Morning Worship - 10:55 a.m. (Uplifting Music - Message from God's Word) Evening Worship - 6 p.m. (Praise &amp; Worship - Gospel Message) Wednesday Night - 7 p.m. (Prayer &amp; Bible Study, Children &amp; Youth Ministries) EVERYONE IS WELCOME!</p>	<p><b>Ambassadors for Christ</b> 701 N. 1st • Tahoka, TX 79373 Phone 806-797-5132 PASTOR: LONNY LANGEHENNING SUNDAY SERVICES: Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m. Evening Praise &amp; Worship - 8:00 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study - 7:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Grassland Nazarene Church</b> 2885 CR 25 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 327-5656, 327-5655 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 a.m. Sunday Evening Worship - 6 p.m. Youth and Adults: Wednesdays - 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Wilson First Baptist Church</b> 1403 13th St. • Box 67 • Wilson, TX 79381 (806) 628-6333 PASTOR: BILLY PARMER Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m. Discipleship Training - 5 p.m. Sunday Sunday Evening Worship - 6 p.m. Wednesday Bible Study &amp; Prayer Mtg-6 p.m., Youth 7 p.m.</p>
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<p><b>TAHOKA Church of Christ</b> 2320 Lockwood • Box 1177 • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4060 • email: tooc@poka.com MINISTER: RON FANT Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship - 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Bible Classes - Wednesday 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>TAHOKA St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church</b> South 4th &amp; Ave. M • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4436 PASTOR: REV. EDUARDO TEO DEACON: FRANCISCO AGUILAR Mass - 9:30 a.m. Sunday, 7 p.m. Wed. &amp; Thur. Rosary - 7 p.m. Tues. CCE Class/Confirmation Instruct. - 7 p.m. Wed.</p>	<p><b>TAHOKA St. Jude Thaddeus Catholic Church</b> South 4th &amp; Ave. M • Tahoka, TX 79373 (806) 561-4436 PASTOR: REV. EDUARDO TEO DEACON: FRANCISCO AGUILAR Mass - 9:30 a.m. Sunday, 7 p.m. Wed. &amp; Thur. Rosary - 7 p.m. Tues. CCE Class/Confirmation Instruct. - 7 p.m. Wed.</p>	<p><b>Draw First United Methodist Church</b> (established 1907) P.O. Box 496 • O'Donnell, TX 79351 Phone (806) 428-3357 or Fern Barnes (806) 327-5583 PASTOR: REV. LARRY GAUMOND Sunday Morning Worship - 9:15 a.m. Sunday School following</p>

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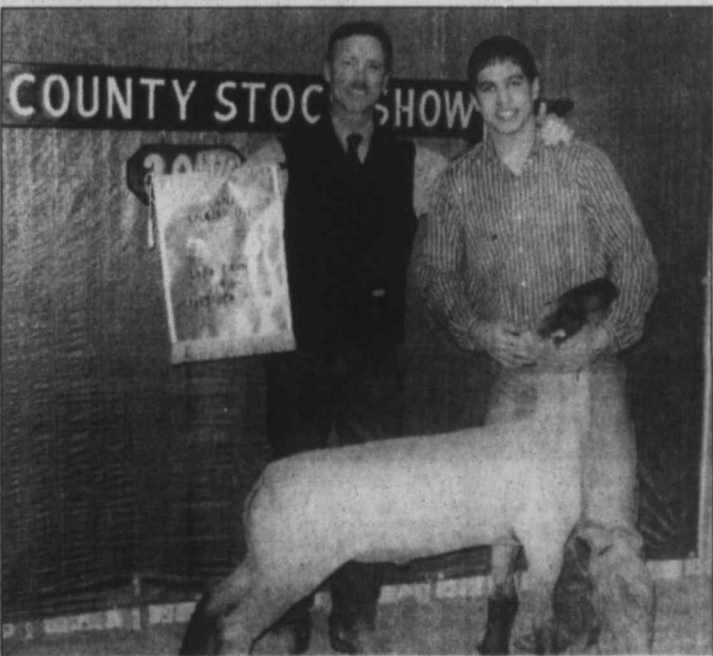
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**Grand Pig...** The Grand Champion winner of the swine division was Hadley Reynolds (Lynn County 4-H). Pictured from left are Bryan, Hadley, Paula and Harley Reynolds.



**Grand Steer...** Grand Champion Steer was shown by Matt Taylor (Lynn County 4-H). Pictured from left are, Slate May (Tahoka Ag Teacher), Bryan Reynolds, Matt and Toby Taylor.



**Grand Lamb...** Jordan Clem (New Home FFA) showed the Grand Champion Lamb, pictured here with Jay Waller (Judge).



**Grand Goat...** The Grand Champion Goat was shown by Ceelee Smith (New Home FFA), shown here with Jay Waller, judge.

## Barnett Family Expresses Thanks

To The People of Lynn County,  
We would like to express our gratitude for the Honor of having the 2008 Lynn County Stock Show dedicated in memory of our Baby Girl Wacie Barnett. To all the families that stock show we wish you all the best at the majors and Good Luck to the Seniors of 2008. Stock showing has always been special to us because we did it as a family. We love supporting the Lynn County Stock Show and our county has a great group of kids. Thank you for all the friendships, kindness, and support you have given our family during this tough time. We could not have survived without you. Remember "Every good and perfect gift is from above"... James 1:17.

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**Wacie Barnett Scholarship...** Recipients of the Wacie Barnett Scholarship were Hailey Wilkinson and Corey Smith (center), (Lynn County 4-H) both of New Home. Presenting the scholarship were from left; Kendall, Riley, Russell and Jolene Barnett.



**Princesses...** The Lynn County Stock Show Princesses were from left, Hailey Wilkinson (New Home FFA), Shelby Williams (O'Donnell FFA), Victoria Zepeda (Wilson FFA), McKenzie Dimak (Lucky Leaf 4-H), Kenzie Angeley (Senior 4-H), and not pictured, Meghann Rivas (Tahoka FFA).



**Baked Goods Winners...** Pictured from back left are Trevor Gicklhorn (Lynn County 4-H) - Grand Champion (Pie), Alexandra McDaniel (O'Donnell FFA) - Champion Brownies, Jessica McLelland (Tahoka FFA) Champion Bundt Cake/Sheet Cake; and in front, Linzee Gibbins (New Home FFA) Champion Quick Bread, Merritt Mitchell (New Home FFA) Reserved Grand Champion (Cookies/Bar Cookies), Coy Mercer (Lynn County 4-H) Champion Yeast Bread, and Maci Dimak (Lynn County 4-H) Champion Layer Cake.

## Stock Show Results ... (continued from pg. 1)

Other winners in the Lynn County Stock Show are as follows.

### BARROWS

Champion Berkshire- Avery McDaniel; Reserve Champion Berkshire- Josh Paul; Champion White OPB- Haylee Brewer; Reserve Champion White OPB- Chase Hiracheta; Champion Duroc-Heath Link; Reserve Champion Duroc- Meghan Jameson; Champion Hampshire- Hadley Reynolds; Reserve Champion Hampshire- Shelby Williams; Champion Spot- Rayley Parmer; Reserve Champion Spot- Allison Gibbins; Champion Poland- Arthur Castillo; Reserve Champion Poland- Jessica McLelland; Champion Yorkshire- Keely Nettles; Reserve Champion Yorkshire- Graham Henley; Champion Cross- Jamie Bingham; Reserve Champion Cross- Luke Hawthorne.

**Berkshire:** Class 1- Champion- Avery McDaniel-Reserve Champion- Josh Paul; 3- Madison Gass; 4- Alyssa Barton.

**White OPB** Class 1-1-Keaton Stice; 2-Ashton Link; 3-Travis Thompson; 4-Victoria Zepeda; 5-Linzee Gibbins. Class 2-Champion-Haylee Brewer; Reserve Champion-Chase Hiracheta; 3-Michael Paris; 4-Bailey Brewer; 5-Zach Paul.

**Duroc:** Class 1- 1-Audra Bruton; 2-Dane Rivas; 3-Brittani Ford; 4-Lauren Botkin; 5-Keely Nettles; 6-Audra Bruton; 7-Alexandra McDaniel. Class 2- Reserve Champion- Meghan Jameson; 2-Maci Dimak; 3-Zach

Paul; 4-Paige Ford; 5-Keaton Stice; 6-McKenzie Dimak. Class 3- Champion- Heath Link; 2-Jacob Laseman; 3-Alex Hinds; 4-Colton Taylor; 5-Coy Mercer; 6-Allison Hancock.

**Hampshire:** Class 1- 1-Kohl Angeley; 2- Haylee Brewer; 3-D.J. Ussery; 4-Brittany Jonas; 5-Brady Furlow; 6-Brandon Tomlinson; 7-Corbin Summers. Class 2- 1-Dain Jones; 2-Shelby Williams; 3-Heath Link; 4-Madison Gass; 5-Jerrold Jaquess; 6-Lauren Botkin. Class 3- 1-Brittani Ford; 2-Tanner Hancock; 3-Dane Rivas; 4-Rene Ramirez; 5-Josh Paul; 6-Quincy Decker; 7-Kelcie Thompson; 8-Cody Cross. Class 4- Reserve Champion- Shelby Williams; 2-Brandon Pyron; 3-Bailey Brewer; 4-Willie Vest; 5-Landry Barton; 6-Garrett Jameson; 7-Bry Todd. Class 5- Champion- Hadley Reynolds; 2-Gretchen Henley; 3-Corbin Summers; 4-Colton Taylor; 5-Michael Paris; 6-Graham Henley.

**Spot:** Class 1- 1-Whitney Decker; 2-Justin Forbes; 3-Justin Laseman; 4-Ashton Link; 5-Haley Lehman. Class 2-Champion-Rayley Parmer; Reserve Champion; Allison Gibbins; 3-Taylor Shellman; 4-Garrett Jameson; 5-Kaylan Lehman.

**Poland:** Class 1- 1-Champion- Arthur Castillo; Reserve Champion- Jessica McLelland; 3-Domenique Escobar; 4-Tannon Hudson.

**Yorkshire:** Class 1- 1-Jynna Askew; 2-Ethan Willis; 3-Dane Rivas; 4-Sarah Ussery; 5-Lindsey Burenheide; 6-Brady Furlow. Class 2- 1- Reserve Champion- Keely



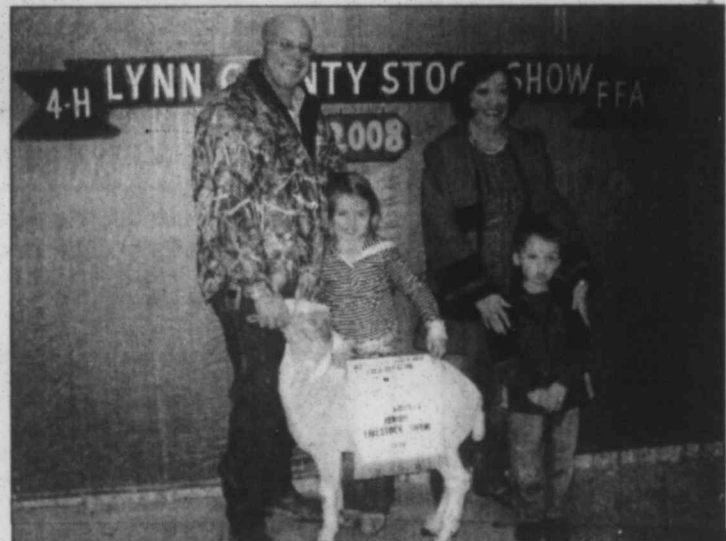
**Reserve Pig...** Reserve winner in the swine division was Jamie Bingham (Lynn County 4-H). Pictured from left are Bryan Reynolds, Jamie, and his parents, Christy and Jim Bingham.



**Reserve Steer...** The Reserve Champion Steer was shown by Justin Forbes (O'Donnell FFA). Pictured here with Forbes is Eddie Smallwood, O'Donnell FFA Ag teacher.



**Reserve Lamb...** Jesse Terry (New Home FFA) showed the Reserve Champion Lamb. With her is Jay Waller, judge.



**Reserve Goat...** Maddison Truhlicka (New Home FFA) is shown with her Reserve Grand Champion Goat. With her are, from left, her dad Corby Truhlicka, little brother Tristan, and her grandmother Ann Lisemby.

Nettles; 2-Alyssa Barton; 3-Meghan Jameson; 4-Brandon Tomlinson; 5-Sarah Ussery. Class 3- Champion-Graham Henley; 2-Gretchen Henley; 3-Meghann Rivas; 4-Landry Barton.

**Cross:** Class 1- 1-Levi Hawthorne; 2-Colton Taylor; 3-Chase Hiracheta; 4-Ashlee Anderson; 5-Austin Taylor; 6-Katlin Thompson; 7-Stacie Marquez; 8-Nathan Hoy; 9-Tatiana Marquez. Class 2- 1-Harley Reynolds; 2-Heath Link; 3-Hanna Forbes; 4-Brittani Ford; 5-Meghann Rivas; 6-Mark Overman; 7-Haley Lehman; 8-Ladareon Hunter; 9-Kenzie Angeley; 10-Whitney Decker. Class 3- Reserve Champion- Luke Hawthorne; 2-Keely Nettles; 3-Emilee Curtis; 4-Linzee Gibbins; 5-Jynna Askew; 6-Smith McLelland; 7-Trevor White; 8-Caley Bingham; 9-Cody Cross. Class 4- Champion Jamie Bingham; 2-Jacob Bingham; 3-Jenny Maeker; 4-Alex Webster; 5-Katie Jones; 6-Victoria Zepeda; 7-Chase Hiracheta; 8-Patrick Overman; 9-Cody Cross. Class 5- 1-D.J. Ussery; 2-Nicole Taylor; 3-Graham Henley; 4-Amanda Anderson; 5-Brandon Tomlinson; 6-Trevor White; 7-Kari Maeker; 8-Willie Vest; 9-Briana Laseman; 10-Taylor Shellman. Class 6- 1-Coy Mercer; 2-Ashton Link; 3-Haylee Brewer; 4-Shelby Williams; 5-Ethan

Willis; 6-Brandon Pyron; 7-Allison Hancock; 8-Brandon Pyron; 9-Brady Furlow; 10-Michael Paris.

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**Showmanship Awards...** Pictured here are the Showmanship winners and sponsors at the Lynn County Stock Show. From left back row, Jared Martin-BE Implement, Marci Gandy-Creative Awards-West Texas, Bob Ballard-Farmers Coop Association #1, Shawn Ballard-UAP Southwest, David Wied-New Home Coop Gin, Buzz Cooper-Texas Star Gin, Charles Anderson-Wells Coop Gin, Jordan Clem-Sr. Lamb Showmanship, Riley Barnett-Barnett Family, Jeff Schrader-Woolam Gin. Front row from left, Rebekah Bartley-Sr. Goat Showmanship, Hailey Wilkinson-Sr. Steer Showmanship, Clara Barrington-Jr. Goat Showmanship, Harley Reynolds-Overall Showmanship, Merritt Mitchell-Jr. Steer Showmanship, Jesse Terry-Jr. Lamb Showmanship, Josh Paul-Jr. Swine Showmanship, and Heath Link-Sr. Swine Showmanship. Sponsors not pictured are Glenn Ivens with Farmers Coop-O'Donnell, Helena Chemical and West Texas Insurance. (LCN PHOTO by Pam Elrod)

## Tahoka School News

by Tahoka High School Journalism Students

### MS Girls Basketball

The 7th grade girls lost to Roosevelt on Jan. 21, 20-39. Ashley Flores led scoring with 8, and Larissa Garcia added 7.

The girls competed in the Idalou Tournament. They defeated Abernathy 27-19. Taya Bishop was top scorer with 13.

The 8th grade girls lost to Roosevelt 13-32. April Lam and Stormee Martin scored 5 each.

The girls competed in the Idalou Tournament. They defeated Abernathy 30-18. They lost to Floydada 14-41 and Slaton 25-41. They beat New Deal 27-25.

### MS Boys Basketball

By Kadi Larpenter

The 7th grade boys basketball team defeated Roosevelt 12-4 on Jan. 21.

Swade Hammonds lead the team with a total of 5 points; Marcus Gonzales, Levi Hawthorne, and Luke Hawthorne followed closely with 2 points each.

The Tahoka 8th grade boys basketball team lost to Roosevelt. The final score was 22 - 43.

Chekota Parker lead the team scoring a total of 10 points. Following Parker was Zach Garcia who contributed with 6 points.

### JV Girls

By Rebecca Pando

The girls defeated Denver City on Jan. 15. The girls won 42-16.

The top scorer of this game was Sabrina Morales who scored 12 points throughout the game.

Kalee Wuensche scored 6. The JV Girls played the Roosevelt JV Girls on Jan. 18 in Roosevelt. They won 33-13.

Morgan Lockaby led scoring with 12 points. Following her was Brittany Garcia with 7 points.

### Tahoka Varsity Powerlifting

By Britt Wuensche

The Bulldogs and Lady Bulldogs of Tahoka participated at the Permian High School "MOJO" Powerlifting Meet on Saturday, January 19th.

Ty Cloe, D.J. Torres, and Marissa Gomez placed 1st in their divisions.

Jacob Stevens placed 3rd in his division. Ridge Hall, Tanner Hall, and A'Leesha Truelove placed 5th in their divisions.

Allen Henderson placed 6th in his division. Michael Gonzalez and Joel Lowdermilk took home 7th place in each of their divisions. Larry Coronado placed 8th. Ronie



**Powerlifting Medals ...** These Tahoka High School students were all medalists at the Odessa Permian Powerlifting Meet. They are, in back from left, Ty Cloe, Ridge Hall, Jacob Stephens; and in front, D.J. Torres, Tanner Hall, Marissa Gomez, Aleesha Truelove, and Taryn Bishop.

Gonzalez placed 9th and David Spuiell took home 10th.

Overall, the boys team got 5th place out of 10 teams. The girls team took 7th out of 10 teams.

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## Stock Show Results ... (continued from pg. 4)

### STEERS

**Champion English-** Shelby Williams; **Reserve Champion English-Harley** Reynolds; **Champion American-** Hadley Reynolds; **Reserve Champion American-** Trevor White; **Champion European-European-** Justin Forbes.

**Steer Division-English:** Class 1- Champion- Shelby Williams; Reserve Champion- Harley Reynolds; 3- Merritt Mitchell.

**American:** Class 1- 1-Hailey Wilkinson; 2-Wade Warren. Class 2- Reserve Champion- Trevor White; 2-Trevor White; 3-Allison Burenheide; 4-Nicole Taylor. Class 3-Champion-Hadley Reynolds; 2-Corey Smith.

**European:** Class 1- 1-Kristyn Edwards; 2-Trevor Halfman; 3-Lindsey Burenheide; 4-Trevor White. Class 2-1-Merritt Mitchell; 2-Brandon

Pyron; 3-Jay Martin; 4-Matt Taylor; 5-Jay Martin. Class 3- Champion-Matt Taylor; Reserve Champion- Justin Forbes; 3- Alyssa Barton; 4-Corey Barton. Class 4-1-Shelby Williams; 2-Hailey Wilkinson; 3-Landry Barton; 4-Corey Smith.

### LAMBS

**Champion Fine Wool-** Katherine Barrington; **Reserve Champion Fine Wool-** Lindsey Burenheide; **Champion Fine Wool Cross-** Kenzie Angeley; **Reserve Champion Fine Wool Cross-** Kristyn Edwards; **Champion Southdown-** Allison Burenheide; **Reserve Champion Southdown-** Brett Edwards; **Champion Medium Wool-** Jordan Clem; **Reserve Champion Medium Wool-** Jesse Terry.

**Fine Wool Division:** Class 1- Champion-Katherine Barrington; Reserve Champion- Lindsey Burenheide; 3-Jacob Laseman; 4-Justin Laseman.

**Fine Wool Cross:** Class 1- Champion- Kenzie Angeley; 2-Jacob Laseman; 3-Katherine Barrington; 4-Jacob Laseman; 5-Justin Laseman. Class 2 Reserve Champion- Kristyn Edwards; 2-Brett Edwards; 3-Cole Edwards.

**Southdown:** Class 1-Champion- Allison Burenheide; Reserve Champion- Brett Edwards; 3-Kristyn Edwards.

**Medium Wool:** Class 1-1-Jesse Terry; 2-Audra Bruton; 3-Devan Hargrove. Class 2- Champion-Jordan Clem; Reserve Champion-Jesse Terry; 3- Brett Edwards; Class 3- 1-Jordan Clem; 2-Kristyn Edwards; 3-Audra Bruton; 4-Cole Edwards.

### MEAT GOATS

**Class 1-** Caitlyn Martin; 2-Shalee Williams; 3-Clara Barrington; 4-Carson Zant; 5-April Torres; 6-Kyley Gill; 7-Mikaela Wallace; 8-Mikaela Wallace.

**Class 2-1-Brook** Tyson; 2-Clara Barrington; 3-Morghan Oaks; 4-April Torres; 5-April Torres; 6-Morghan Oaks; 7-Mikaela Wallace; 8-Rebekah Bartley.

**Class 3-1-Ceelee** Smith; 2-Maddison Tuhlicka; 3-Clara Barrington; 4-Hayden Smith; 5-Ashton Link; 6-Caitlyn Martin; 7-Madison Roye.

**Class 4-1-Ashton** Link; 2-Shalee Williams; 3-Caitlyn Martin; 4-Taylor Morin; 5-Taylor Morin; 6-Jessie Calvillo; 7-Jessie Calvillo.

## '08 Kennel Yearbook Orders Now Taken

Orders for the 2007-08 Kennel yearbook are now being taken. The yearbook includes organizations, sports, and school activities for students in middle school (6-8th grades) and high school. Once again it will be printed in color.

Yearbooks are \$30. Protective plastic covers are available for an additional \$2. Deadline to pre order is Feb. 29.

Senior parents/guardians also have the opportunity to send their senior a graduation message to be included in the yearbook. Parents/guardians may by ad space for \$25 or \$35 depending on the amount of space needed for the message. Send payment and include a baby picture and a message to the address below. Photos will be returned.

Parents/guardians of seniors from the class of 08 should have received information in the mail. Contact Rachel Lehman if you need more information.

To order yearbooks or to place senior baby ads, contact Rachel Lehman, yearbook adviser, at PO Box 1500, Tahoka, TX 79373. Make checks payable to THS Activity Fund. More information is also available on the Tahoka ISD website.

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**All Region Band ...** These Tahoka High School band students made All Region Band. They are (Back Row) David Spruiel, Kaleb Collins, Levi McKay, Brandon Moss, Raymond Hernandez; (middle row) Mitchell Chapa, Alex DeLeon, Ernest Gomez, Benjamin Freitag, Trey Daves, A'Leesha Truelove, Sarah Tello; (front row) Beth Shuey, Kristin Box, Marissa Villegas, Lindsey Barrientez, Monica Strickland, and Martin Rosas.

### TISD Students To Perform In Region Band

Twenty-three Tahoka ISD students qualified for their respective Region Bands and Honor Bands and will be performing this weekend, Jan. 25-26, at the Lubbock Civic Center. They will spend all day Friday in rehearsals plus Saturday morning. Saturday afternoon they will perform in a series of concerts with the 1A Middle School Region Band performing at 1:30 p.m., the 2A Middle School Region Band at 2:00 p.m., 3A Middle School Honor Band at 2:30 p.m., the 1A-2A High School Region Band at 3:00 p.m., and the High School Honor Band at 3:45 p.m. Following these concerts will be the 4A and 5A All-Region and Honor Bands. These students qualified by competing against the best bandsmen in Region 16.

Those making the Middle School All-Region Band are Hannah Thomas - clarinet, Efrain Ramirez - trumpet, Justin Forsythe - 1st chair baritone, Bryan Callahan - baritone, and Jaime Condarco - baritone (alt.).

Making the High School All-Region Band are Martin Rosas - clarinet, Monica Strickland - clarinet, Lindsey Barrientez - clarinet, Marissa Villegas - bass clarinet (alt.), Ben Freitag - 1st chair alto sax, Sarah Tello - trumpet, Levi McKay - 1st chair horn, Trey Daves - horn, A'Leesha Truelove - trombone, Kristin Box - trombone, Beth Shuey - trombone, David Spruiel - trombone (alt.), Kaleb Collins - bass trombone, Mitchell Chapa - euphonium, Ernest Gomez - euphonium, and Alex DeLeon - mallets.

Those making the ATSSB 3A Honor Band are Brandon Moss - trombone and Raymond Hernandez.

"These outstanding young people are to be commended for their hard work and level of achievement for they competed against 450+ students. We are very proud of them," stated directors Carroll Rhodes and Johnathan Smith.

application closing date: Guar, Millet (Graze), pumpkins, Sorghum, Sorghum Forage (For Grain), Alfalfa (fg/sd) and Sorghum Forage (Graze). March 1st NAP application closing date for: Pecans, Peppers (jal), Sunflowers and Okra

NAP coverage requires a service fee of \$100 per crop, per producer with a \$300 cap per county. Out-of-pocket expense will not exceed \$900 for any producer, even if production occurs in multiple counties. Service fees may be waived for eligible, limited resource producers.

Crops eligible for NAP coverage are those for which standard crop insurance is not available, and include fruits and vegetables, aquaculture, pecans, turfgrass and forage crops.



**45-Year Service Award ...** Lyntegar Electric Cooperative's General Manager, Wilton J. Payne (left) and Board President Earl Brown Jr. (center) present a 45-year service award to Sherry Tilley at the annual service awards banquet. Ms. Tilley began working at Lyntegar in 1962. She is currently the Billing Supervisor for Lyntegar.



**Retiring ...** On January 16, 2008, Pete Gutierrez was honored with a retirement reception after 26 years of service at Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc. Shown here with Line Department Manager Glenn Anderson (left) and General Manager Wilton J. Payne (right), Gutierrez started his career with Lyntegar on January 6, 1982 as a wash and grease man. In 1988 he advanced to meter reader and retired in that capacity.

### Lyntegar Presents Service Awards

Lyntegar Electric Cooperative, Inc. recently recognized employees with service awards at their annual Service Awards Banquet held on December 14, 2007. Sherry Tilley was recognized for 45 years of service. Ms. Tilley began her career at Lyntegar on March 12, 1962 as a Billing Clerk. After holding various positions in the billing department she was promoted to Chief Records Clerk in 1969 and then to Billing Supervisor in September 1984, and holds that position to present.

Crew Foreman Tommy Stone and Construction Superintendent Jerry Isbell were the next top awardees, each having 35 years of service. Stone started in Lyntegar's Line Department on July 5, 1972. He made his way to Journeyman Lineman in 1977 and to Crew Foreman in 2004. Isbell started as a Second Class Lineman on August 21, 1972. He soon became a First Class Lineman and then Journeyman Lineman. In 1999, Isbell was promoted to Crew Foreman, to Assistant Maintenance Superintendent in 2000, and to Construction Superintendent in 2002.

The 30-year recipients were Ricky Meeks and Leonard Nettles. Meeks began working

for Lyntegar on July 18, 1977 as a Groundman/Equipment Operator. He was promoted to Apprentice Lineman in 1978, Second Class Lineman in 1981, First Class Lineman in 1982 and then to Journeyman Lineman in March 1984. Leonard Nettles was elected to Lyntegar's Board of Directors in August 1977 for District #7. He is currently the Vice-President of the Board.

Other awards made at the banquet include: 25 years of service - Journeyman Lineman Charlie Engle, Maintenance Superintendent Menford Gandy, Assistant to Controller Robbie Autry and Meter Reader Allen Elrod; 20 years - Lamesa Branch Manager Gary Cartwright, Journeyman Lineman Johnny Antu, Jr. (Lamesa Branch), and Controller Ray Box; 10 years - Apprentice Lineman Eddie Nelson (Seagraves Branch); 5 years - Apprentice Lineman Brady McConal (Seagraves Branch) and First Class Lineman Justin Harvey; 3 years - First Class Lineman Stephen High (Sundown Branch), Dispatcher Jack Wood, Groundman/Equipment Operator Odilon Granados, Building & Grounds Keeper Bruce Horwood, and District #1 Director Ricky Day.

### NAP Insurance Closing Date Set March 15

Producers in need of insurance coverage for Spring and Fall annually planted crops under the Noninsured Crop Assistance Program (NAP) have until March 25, 2008 to apply for coverage on certain crops for which the catastrophic level of insurance is not regularly available, said Rodney Schoppa (Name.) Executive Director for the Lynn County Farm Service Agency (FSA).

"Crop insurance is an important risk management tool for producers, but it's not available for all crops. That's why NAP is so important," said Schoppa.

NAP is a federally funded program that provides financial assistance to producers of noninsurable crops when low yields, loss of inventory or prevented planting occurs because of natural disasters.


"Producers must apply for coverage before disaster strikes," said Schoppa "Like regular crop insurance, once an application period closes, the opportunity to obtain coverage is gone."

NAP applications for coverage on the following crops must be filed and service fees paid, by March 15, 2008, the



**MS All Region Band ...** Tahoka Middle School All Region Band members are, in back, Justin Forsythe, Bryan Callahan, and Jaime Condarco; in front, Hannah Thomas and Efrain Ramirez.

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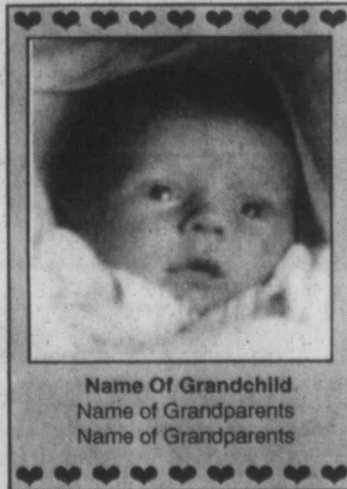
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**Overtime win ...** The Lady Bulldogs won 31-27 in overtime play against Roosevelt Friday night, bringing their district record to 3-2. Here, Kyra Helm (#31) aims for two, which she will make, giving Tahoka their first two points in the overtime period. The teams were tied 27-27 going into OT. (LCN PHOTO BY Tina Wuensche)

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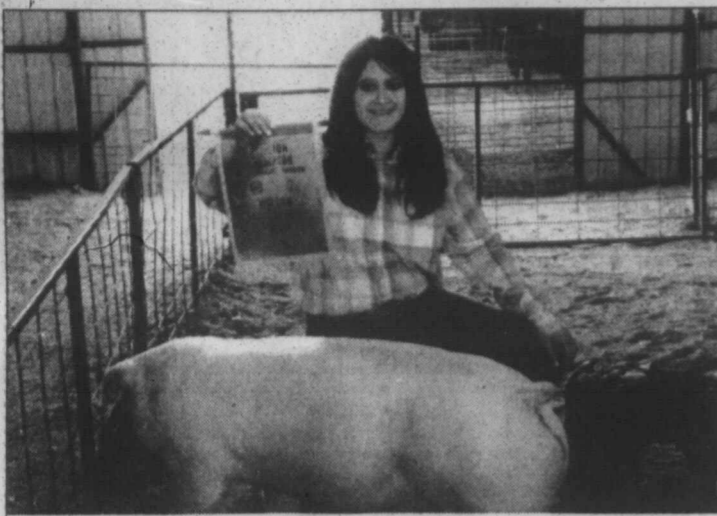
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**Reserve Grand at Wilson...** Victoria Zepeda showed the Reserve Grand Champion Hog in the Wilson Livestock Show.



**Grand Champion Honors at Wilson...** Katie Jones showed the Grand Champion Hog in the 2008 Wilson Livestock Show. Shown with Katie is Brooke Tyson.

## Winners Named In Wilson Stock Show

Katie Jones showed the Grand Champion Hog in the 2008 Wilson Livestock Show held Jan. 13, and Victoria Zepeda showed the Reserve Grand Champion Hog. Brooke Tyson showed the Grand Champion Goat.

Showmanship winners at the show included Rene Ramirez, 1st place; Nathan Bassinger, 2nd place; and Victoria Zepeda, 3rd place.

Other show winners are listed as follows.

Light Weight Class: 1st Place Artie Castillo; 2nd Place

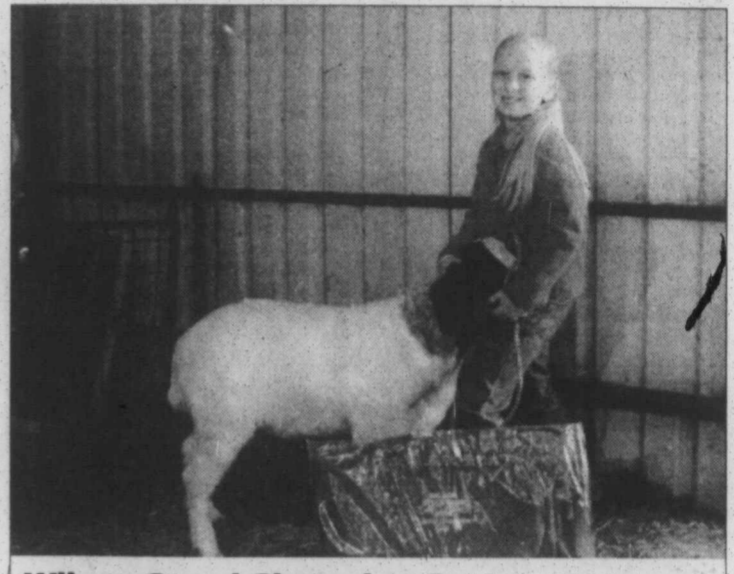
Dain Jones; 3rd Place Nathan Bassinger; 4th Place Victoria Zepeda; 5th Place Stacie Marquez.

Middle Weight Class: 1st Place Victoria Zepeda; 2nd Place Stacie Marquez; 3rd Place Dain Jones; 4th Place Stacie Marquez; 5th Place Tatyana Marquez

Heavy Weight Class: 1st Place Katie Jones; 2nd Place Rene Ramirez; 3rd Place Victoria Zepeda; 4th Place Stacie Marquez; 5th Place Tatyana Marquez



**Wilson Showmanship Awards...** Showmanship awards at the Wilson Livestock Show went to, from left, Victoria Zepeda, Nathan Bassinger, Rene Ramirez.



**Wilson Grand Champion Goat...** Brooke Tyson showed the Grand Champion Goat at the Wilson Livestock Show.

### New Home Girls Outscore Wilson

The New Home Lady Leopards won 65-42 over the Wilson Lady Mustangs in basketball action Jan. 18. New Home led 27-16 at the half and maintained their lead for the win.

Leading scorer for the Lady Mustangs was Anastacia Marquez, who scored 31 of Wilson's 42 points in the game, including a 3-pointer, seven field goals, and 14 free throws. Also scoring for Wilson were Amber Valadez and Kimberly Picon with 4 points each, and Danielle Chance added 3.

The Lady Mustangs played Southland Tuesday night, with Southland winning 70-17. Marquez was high point for Wilson with 11 points.

### Wilson SCHOOL MENU

January 28-31

Breakfast

Monday: Bacon, toast  
Tuesday: Pancakes  
Wednesday: Egg, sausage, toast  
Thursday: Cinnamon rolls

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Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., 4222 85th Street, Lubbock, Texas, 79423.

Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents for "Sanitary Sewer Improvements, TCDP Project #726481" may be obtained by depositing \$35.00 with Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc. for each set of documents obtained. The entire deposit will be refunded if each set of the documents and drawings are returned in good condition within 15 days following the bid opening.

The project "Sanitary Sewer Improvements, TCDP Project #726481" includes furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence and labor for the following:

Rehabilitation of approximately 1,660 L.F. of existing 6" sanitary sewer by the trenchless technology cured-in-place pipe (CIPP), and approximately 18 lateral re-connections.

This bid is a unit price contract. Method of payment to contractor will be via check by the municipality after approved requests for payment.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

A bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid for each project. A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of O'Donnell, Texas or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

The successful bidder must furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas, to act as a Surety or other Surety or Sureties satisfactory to the Owner. If the total bid of one project is less than \$25,000, Performance and Payment Bonds will not be required for the project.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs and contained in the contract documents must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

Attention is called to General Condition 309, "Restrictions on Public Buildings and Public Works Projects". The Bidder certifies by the submission of its bid that it:

1. Is not a Contractor of a foreign country included on the USTR list.
2. Has not and will not enter into any subcontract with a subcontractor of a foreign country included on the USTR list.
3. Will not provide any product of a foreign country included on the USTR list.

The City of O'Donnell, Texas reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the City of O'Donnell, Texas for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the Bidders qualifications prior to the contract award.

All contractors/subcontractors which are debarred, suspended or otherwise excluded from or ineligible for participation on federal assistance programs may not undertake any activity in part or in full under the TCDP project.

City of O'Donnell, Texas

James E. Williams, Mayor

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### Wilson ISD Superintendent's Contract Is Renewed By Board

Wilson Independent School District Board of Trustees met Jan. 10, renewing Superintendent Mike Jones' contract and approving a salary increase of 4.1 percent. The new salary for the Wilson Superintendent will be \$70,788 beginning July 2008. The board met in closed session for their annual evaluation of the superintendent's job performance, before returning to open session where they approved the contract renewal.

In other business, a student proclamation was read and approved by the board, recognizing

students for their honors received during the fall semester. Amanda Donald was recognized as the January 2008 Employee of the Month; and Students of the Month included Alex Balderas in the elementary school, Kaitlin Garcia as the junior high student, and Xia Rios as the high school student.

Supt. Jones read a proclamation from Governor Rick Perry declaring January 2008 as School Board Appreciation Month in Texas. Trustees were presented framed certificates of appreciation during the meeting.

The board approved moving the February board meeting to Monday, February 18, at 7:00 p.m. to avoid conflicts with Valentines Day, which fell on the regular board meeting date.

Supt. Jones gave reports on filling the principal's currently vacant position, construction timelines for repairing damage to the junior high and renovations to the school cafeteria, and TAKS testing results. The Junior High renovation project should begin this spring with the first phase being the demolition of the remaining fire-damaged classroom.

Board President Clyde Wilke led the meeting, with trustee Ricky Cross absent.

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### Legal Notice

#### Notice of Sealed Bids

Tahoka Independent School District is accepting Sealed Bids for the following item:  
1994 Chevrolet Caprice, 4 Door Sedan

The vehicle may be inspected at the Tahoka ISD Bus Compound located at North 2nd and Avenue P, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Bids will be accepted until Friday, January 31, 2008 at 3:00 p.m. the bids will be opened at this time.

Bids should be sealed and clearly marked Sealed Bid for 1994 Chevrolet. Bids should be sent to: Jimmy Parker, Superintendent  
Tahoka ISD, PO Box 1230  
2129 N. Main  
Tahoka, Texas 79373  
806-561-4105

No facsimile bids will be accepted. Bids arriving after the posted deadline will be returned unopened. Tahoka ISD has the right to reject any/or all bids.

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