



## Fire department receives new vehicle

★The Friona Volunteer Fire Department took possession this week of its newest fire-fighting vehicle. The "Attack Three" was custom built around a 2020 Ford F550 XL Super Duty Extended Cab truck. It is gas-powered, has four-wheel drive, and is equipped with a heavy duty

suspension system. The fire-fighting amenities requested by the department include; a 200 gallon/minute pump, a 500 gallon tank, a 1-inch hose reel, 2 whip lines, spray nozzles on front bumper, 3 LED work lights, and a winching system that can

be mounted on the front or back of the vehicle. The "Attack Three" will excel when speed is the key factor in extinguishing the fire. Fire Chief Jim Taylor said the "Attack Three" will be ready for service as soon as the radio unit is installed.

## Primary runoff election is July 14th

Both the Republicans and the Democrats will have a Primary runoff election on Tuesday, July 14, 2020. The Republicans are voting on the Justice, 7th Court of Appeals District, Place 4, unexpired term. The Democrats are voting on two races, United States Senator and Railroad Commissioner. The winners of the runoff election will appear on the ballot November 3, 2020. In Texas, if you voted in

the Primary on March 3rd you must vote in the same Party (Republican or Democrat) for the runoff election that you voted in on March 3rd. If you did not vote in the March Primary, you are eligible to vote in either Party you choose in the runoff election. Voting locations will be the Friona Senior Citizens Center, Bovina EMS Building, Farwell Community Center, and Lazbuddie

Methodist Church. Oklahoma Lane voters will need to vote in Farwell and Rhea voters will need to vote in Bovina. Early voting will be in the County Clerk's Office in Farwell from June 20th until July 10th. Voting will not be held on Friday, July 3rd as it is considered part of the July 4th holiday. If you are over 65 years of age or will be out of Parmer County on July 14th and want to vote by mail, you must have an application to vote by mail on file in the County Clerk's office. The application must be received in the clerk's office by July 2nd. You may call

and request an application be sent to you, or print one from the Secretary of the State of Texas website. For the November Election, if you have submitted an application since January 1, 2020 and checked ANNUAL APPLICATION you will automatically receive a Runoff Ballot and a Ballot in November. There is no need to send in more than one application. If you want an application for the November Election, you have until the middle of October to get it to the Clerk's office. Please call Susie Spring, Parmer County Clerk at 806-481-3691 if you have any questions.

## July 4th Fireworks by the Lake

Sponsored by  
**Friona Chamber of Commerce & Ag**  
 in association with  
**Friona Volunteer Fire Department**  
**July 4, 2020**  
 Starts at dusk (around 9:50 p.m.)  
 Please utilize social distancing  
 Please pick up your trash

**No personal fireworks inside the city limits**

If you would like to make a donation for the firework show, contact the Chamber of Commerce at 250-3491

### Parmer County COVID-19 stats

As of Tuesday, June 16, 2020

<b>Tested at Parmer Medical Center</b> <b>443</b>	<b>Positive Results from PMC</b> <b>126</b>
<b>Negative Results from Parmer Medical Center</b> <b>301</b>	<b>Parmer County Residents Positive Results From All Test Sites</b> <b>160</b>
<b>Pending Results from PMC</b> <b>16</b>	

## Court okays lawn for Border Town Days

The Parmer County Commissioners Court met in regular session on Monday, June 22nd at 10:00 a.m. in the County Courtroom of the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell, Texas. The meeting began with prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and the Texas Flag.

There were no public comments. Minutes from the June 8th meeting were read and approved. Commissioners approved the payment of the accounts payables as presented by County Treasurer Sharon May. The Treasurer's Report was also approved.

Approval was given for Eli Gomez of Muleshoe to prune the trees around the Courthouse. Approval was also given for use of the Courthouse lawn during the annual Border Town Days celebration. LTD chairman Rob Pomper said that this year's event will be held on Saturday, July 25th.

Commissioners approved the outside audit conducted by Jack Kirkland. Judge Trey Ellis said that Parmer County is in outstanding fiscal health. The county currently has a 10-month reserve.

Approval was given for a \$27,918 deposit of CARES ACT grant money. The funds were used to install COVID-19 safety measures such as plexiglass at workstations and salaries for security personnel. A \$2,600 deposit was also approved for HAVA grant money to be used for COVID-19 safety measures for the upcoming elections.

Commissioners approved the hiring of Altha Herington to help in the treasurer's office during the budget and grant process. Treasurer Sharon May said that Deputy Treasurer Lucy Martinez will have a reduced work load and will be out for maternity leave.

Approval was given to Bovina ISD for \$27,000 from their portion of the Per-

manent School fund to pay expenses for their current construction project.

Sheriff Randy Geries reported that he was currently housing 21 inmates in the Parmer County Law Enforcement Center.

Parmer County Judge Trey Ellis said that as of Monday, June 22nd there were 160 reported cases of COVID-19 in the county. Also, there have been 102 recoveries reported. Two deaths have been attributed to the pandemic. Judge Ellis would like to encourage everyone to wash their hands often, wear a mask, and stay 6' away. Stay safe!!!

All meetings are open to the public. The Commissioners Court reserves the right to go into Executive session at any time. Go to parmercounty.org to find meeting agendas. Information in this article is only a summary. Any questions concerning specific actions should be directed to the court.

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Emergency Siren System: Alternating tone • Firefighters only | Weather Warning: 1 long tone • take cover — 3 short blasts • all clear | Tested 1st & 3rd Thurs. at 7 p.m.

Friona Weather	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	Precipitation	Burn Ban:
June-July 25-1	96   67 SSW 15-25	95   65 S 15-25	94   64 S 15-25	96   67 SSW 10-20	98   68 SW 15-25	99   66 WSW 10-20	98   65 SW 10-20	June 0.68 Year 4.66	Yes



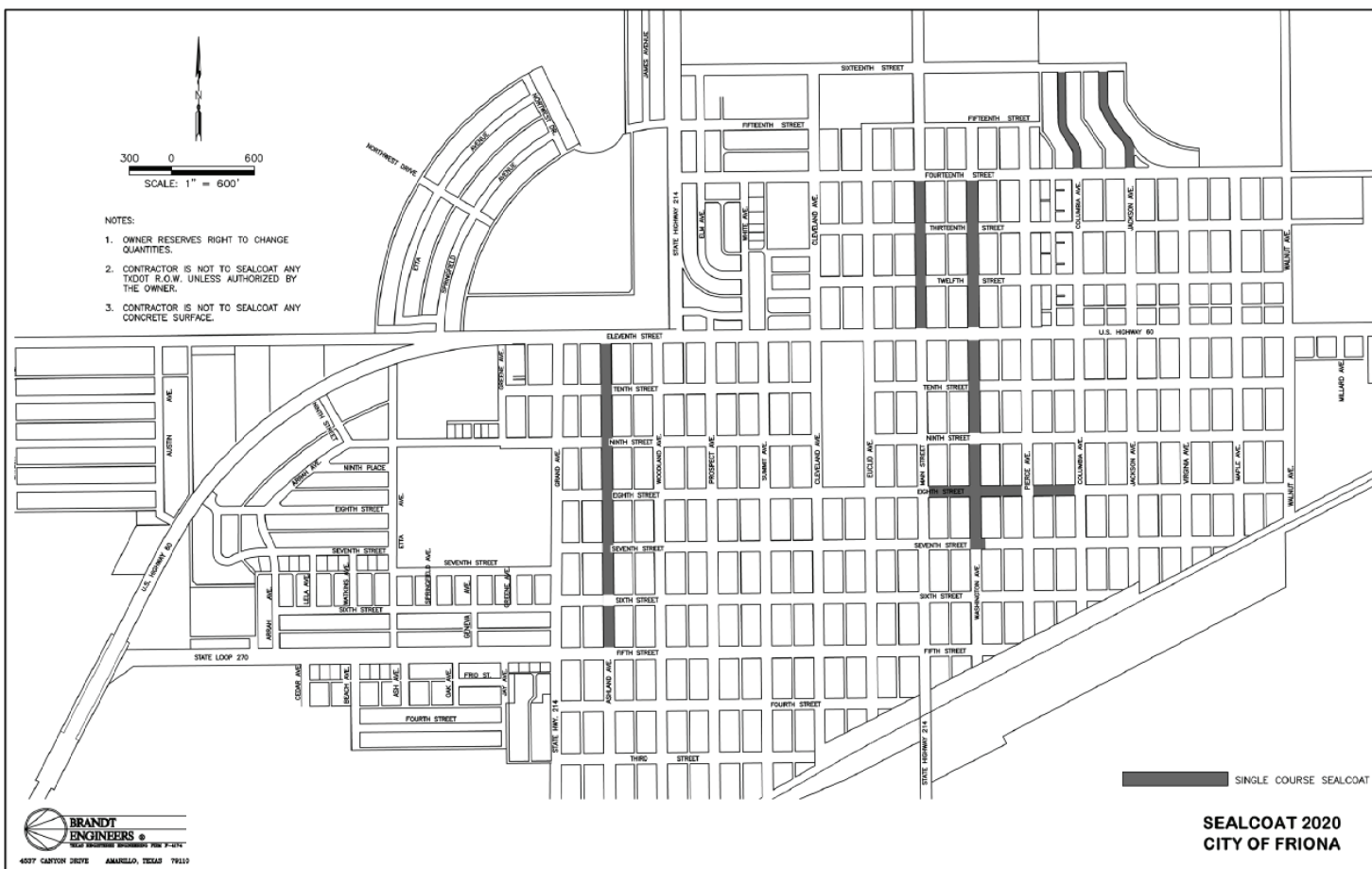
# Sealcoating project is June 29th

City Manager Lee Davila informed the Friona Star that next Monday, June 29, 2020, crews from G and G Operators, LTD will be in Friona sealcoating select streets. Sealcoating, or pavement sealing, is the process of applying a protective coating to asphalt-

based pavements to provide a layer of protection from the elements: water, oils, and UV. damage.

The map shows the streets that will be affected by the work. Davila said, "If you live on these streets, please do not park your vehicles on the street.

You might be charged if the vehicle must be towed. Also, please do not water your lawns that day in case the water runs off in the street." The seal-coat project is an annual event for the City to help improve streets throughout the town.



## Community Calendar

Send Calendar information to: [frionastar@wtrt.net](mailto:frionastar@wtrt.net)  
call (806) 250-2211 or fax (806) 250-5127

- July 4**
- Independence Day. Fireworks at Reeve Lake at dusk.
- July 6**
- Friona Noon Lions Club meeting at noon at The Farmwife Kitchen
- July 20**
- Friona Noon Lions Club meeting at noon at The Farmwife Kitchen

## COVID-19 News

### Coronavirus cases confirmed

**Texas Panhandle:**  
5,369 cases, 89 deaths  
3,207 recoveries

- Armstrong County: 3
- Briscoe County: 1
- Carson County: 6
- Castro County: 51
- Childress County: 6
- Collingsworth County: 6
- Cottle County: 4
- Dallam County: 59
- Deaf Smith County: 233
- Donley County: 28
- Gray County: 113
- Hall County: 2
- Hansford County: 23
- Hartley County: 14
- Hemphill County: 2
- Hutchinson County: 49
- Lipscomb County: 9
- Moore County: 877
- Motley County: 1
- Ochiltree County: 53
- Oldham County: 4
- Parmer County: 160
- Potter County: 2,822
- Randall County: 775
- Roberts County: 2
- Sherman County: 32
- Swisher County: 23
- Wheeler County: 16

**Eastern New Mexico:**  
174 cases, 2 deaths

- Curry County: 110
- Quay County: 5
- Roosevelt County: 54
- Union County: 5

**Oklahoma Panhandle:**  
1,011 cases, 6 deaths,  
989 recoveries

- Beaver County: 30
- Cimarron County: 1
- Texas County: 980

**Texas:**  
114,881 cases  
2,192 deaths  
69,190 recoveries

**United States:**  
2,390,000 cases  
123,000 deaths  
740,000 recoveries

**Worldwide:**  
9,240,000 cases  
477,000 deaths  
4,610,000 recoveries

**Wash your hands**  
**Stay 6 foot away**  
**Wear your mask**  
**Stay at home if sick**

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- 2.) Click on the "newspaper archives" link
- 3.) Search

### Potato Casserole

*The perfect summer side dish! This potato casserole will be a fan favorite with 9 grams of high-quality protein. This is perfect and easy to make with simple ingredients.*

**Ingredients**

- 2 pounds frozen hash brown potatoes, preferably Southern Style
- 2 tablespoons butter
- ½ cup milk
- 1 (10¾-ounce) can cream of chicken soup
- Salt to taste, approximately ½ teaspoon
- 2 cups (8 ounces) shredded Cheddar cheese
- 8 ounces (1 cup) sour cream
- ¼ cup chopped green onions
- 1 cup cornflake crumbs
- ¼ cup melted butter

**Instructions**  
Thaw potatoes. Preheat oven to 350°F. Melt 2 tablespoons butter in a 13x9-inch pan. Mix potatoes with next six ingredients; pour in pan. Bake about 45 minutes. Remove from oven; top with cornflake crumbs and drizzle with melted butter. Return to oven to bake 15 minutes more.

*Photo/Recipe courtesy of Dairy MAX*

## TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison  
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**ACROSS**

- 1 seat of Oldham County
- 5 Glock product, e.g. (2 wds.)
- 6 TXism: "you've got two chances, slim and \_\_\_"
- 7 dir. from Abilene to Hereford
- 8 lock opener
- 9 noted UT golf coach, Harvey (1931-63)
- 15 El \_\_\_\_, TX
- 16 TXism: "she don't \_\_\_ to stoke a sparrow"
- 19 TX Renee Zellweger's job
- 21 TXism: "tough row \_\_\_" (difficult)
- 22 TX Brooke Burns 2008 TV film: "\_\_\_ Wonderful Time of the Year"
- 27 chocolate wafer bars: "Kit \_\_\_"
- 28 TX LBJ was this to TX John Connally
- 29 Mexican dish
- 30 this TX Jack was "Lassie" producer
- 32 TXism: "that'll \_\_\_ nicely"
- 33 Abilene-born Ryan Guzman 2019 film: "\_\_\_ the World"
- 36 TXism: "feeling his \_\_\_" (frisky)
- 37 UT's Harry Ransom Center has desk of Edgar Allan \_\_\_
- 38 Gulf fish (2 wds.)

**DOWN**

- 1 \_\_\_ Alstyn, TX
- 2 self-esteem
- 3 WWII defensive position: "machine \_\_\_"
- 4 TX B.J. Thomas' "The Eyes of \_\_\_"
- 8 FM or AM licensed in Andrews
- 9 "El Paso del Rio del Norte" meant "\_\_\_ to the north"

**ACROSS**

- 39 TXism: "happy as a dog with \_\_\_"
- 41 female deer
- 42 TXism: "heavy as the front end of \_\_\_ Deere"
- 45 sleepin' furniture (2 wds.)
- 46 actress in TX-based "The Last Picture Show" (init.)
- 47 one of two numbers in a TX Dabney Coleman film
- 48 TXism: "hot as road \_\_\_ in July"

**DOWN**

- 10 actress in TX-based epic film "Giant" (init.)
- 11 dir. from Abilene to Seymour
- 12 \_\_\_ 35, from Laredo to Duluth, MN
- 13 Davy Crockett wore a \_\_\_ skin cap
- 14 PBS station in Houston
- 15 "The River Walk" (\_\_\_ Rio)
- 16 TXism: "\_\_\_ bien" (good)
- 17 better times: "the \_\_\_ days"
- 18 in Galveston: "Texas \_\_\_ Monument"

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### ON YOUR PAYROLL

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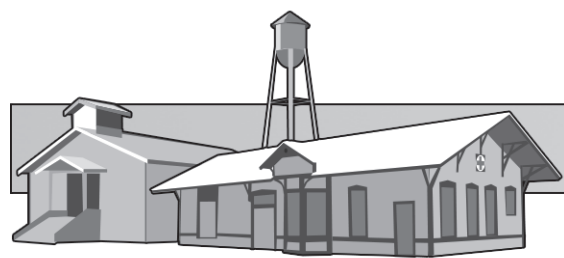
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# TOWN TALK

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The Gun Estate Auction this Saturday at 10:00 a.m. will be conducted in the building on the east side of LoneStar Ag. The building is connected to the main LoneStar Ag building but can be utilized as a private space for special events.

This year's wheat harvest is 99 percent complete. Friona Wheat Growers manager Greg O'Brian said that the average yield will be around 20 bushels per acre. The wheat crop had excellent test weights of 60-61 and is rated as #1 wheat. However, the protein levels were below

average. He said that the lack of rain in April and the late freezes took a toll on yields. The barley crop also had good test weights between 49-52 and the harvest is still in progress. Greg also said this is the first time he can remember the wheat harvest being finished before the end of June. Usually, combines are just getting warmed up around the July 4th holiday. By the end of the harvest season, Friona Wheat Growers expects to receive approximately 700,000 bushels of wheat and 700,000 bushels of barley.

It takes eight pounds of milk to make one gallon of fluid milk, (2) it takes 10 pounds of milk to produce one pound of cheese, (3) it takes 12 pounds of milk to produce one gallon of ice cream, (4) a single cow can produce 1,900 pounds of milk per month, and (5) the average American consumes 40 pounds of cheese, 20 pounds of ice cream, and 140 pounds of fluid milk per year. Support your Farmer County dairies by being an above-average American.

day, September 19th at the Friona Volunteer Fire Department. There will be a maximum of 1,000 tickets

sold. Tickets can be purchased from any member of the Friona Volunteer Fire Department.

## COURTHOUSE NOTES

Susie Spring, County Clerk

### Warranty Deeds recorded at the Parmer County Clerk's Office from June 11, 2020 to June 18, 2020

(6/11/2020) Jessie Cumpian — Miguel Cumpian, Abigail Cumpian — All of L 9 of B 86 of Original Town of Friona in Parmer County Vol 5 Pg 421 in Parmer County

(6/15/2020) Rex Wells, Sue Wells — Spencer Stokers — A tract of land out of NE part of Sec 20 Township 1 N R 4 E in Parmer County

(6/16/2020) Salvador Juarez, Socorro Juarez — Jesus Miguel Nunez — The easterly 70' of L 7 and 8 B 15 Original Town of Bovina in Parmer County

(6/16/2020) The Estate of Reba Buske, Dave Buske, Lydia Delventhal — Jayson Grimsley, Jyl Grimsley — All of 1.606 Ac tract of NW part of NE 1/4 of Sec 1 Township 3 S R 3 E of Capitol Syndicate Subdiv in Parmer County

(6/17/2020) Jose Cano, Leticia Merino — Santos Esquivel Martinez, Floricel Martinez — All of L 13 and part of L 14 and 15 of B 43 of the Original Town of Farwell in Parmer

## SHERIFF'S REPORT

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

(6/19/20) Christopher Gentile, 29, of Friona was arrested by the Friona Police Department on charges of Resisting Arrest, Escape from Custody, Assault, and Terroristic Threat — pending County Court.

(6/20/20) Craig Greunke, 51, of Friona was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office on a charge of Assault — pending Grand Jury.

June is dairy month and hear are five milk facts. (1)

The Friona Volunteer Fire Department is holding a "50 for 50" fundraiser again this year. The drawing will take place at 1:00 p.m. on Satur-

## Friona Flashbacks



NATIONAL DAIRY MONTH was celebrated at High Plains Dairy with an open house and ribbon cutting Thursday, June 26. The DeWit family, Margret, 2nd from right, Harry, in back left with baby, and their children welcomed over 300 guests to the open house, tour, and hamburger lunch. Ron Carr photo. (Friona Star, July 3, 2003)

## Happy 60th Anniversary to Robert and Connie Neelley



Congratulations to Robert and Connie, married June 1, 1960. They are celebrated by their 3 children and spouses, 12 grandchildren, and 1 great-granddaughter. A family party was held in Kingsland, Texas to honor this special occasion. They continue to enjoy life, especially road trips to visit family and friends, time in the Texas Hill Country, the mountains in New Mexico, and fishing spots in Colorado. Robert & Connie are blessed with their lifelong friends of Friona when they decide to stay home for a visit!

Camping in your backyard? I'm off... ... to find a flashlight and comic books. Kids: color stuff in!

# Newspaper Fun!

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## Let's Camp

Are you thinking about camping this summer? Many families will go to their local campgrounds and parks. Some campgrounds are in the woods like the famous Smoky Mountains and some are on flatter parcels of land oceanside. Lots of families will build a "tent" to camp in their own home or will put up a tent in their backyard at some point this year. Whatever you choose, have fun!

...and so the ghosts of the trees climbed...

### Camping Fun In Your Yard

Fill in the crossword with things to bring or do for camping in your own backyard.

1. a comfy sleeping
2. keep from itching with this
3. helps you see in the dark
4. keeps soup warm for later
5. playing \_\_\_\_\_ for fun!
6. scary ghost \_\_\_\_\_ at night
7. set up a \_\_\_\_\_ for shelter

### Camping Fun Inside Your Home

Fill in the puzzle with fun things to do or bring when camping indoors!

1. comfy item to rest head on
2. build a \_\_\_\_\_ fort
3. perfect drink for a hot summer night
4. \_\_\_\_\_ to watch when it gets dark
5. share \_\_\_\_\_ books
6. healthy, fun treat
7. your favorite \_\_\_\_\_ game to play with your friends

**FREE Digital Comic Book**  
What's more fun than camping out and reading **comic books** by flashlight? Visit our web site for a FREE "Let's Camp" puzzle set! While you're there, get a FREE copy (for the first 100 readers) of the "Chip n' Fish" comic book by award-winning artist Matt Ryan. It all begins at [readingclubfun.com](http://readingclubfun.com).

## Camping Stuff

Look around your room to find the things you need to pack for your camping trip to a park or campground. Find and circle these items that may be on your list:

underclothes	socks
laundry bag	shirts
sunscreen	soap
envelopes	hat
toothbrush	shorts
toothpaste	books
hiking shoes	comb
small games	whistle
hairbrush	jeans
sneakers	jacket
flashlight	towels
stamps	camera

## Night Hike!

Start at the moon. Find a pathway to the cabin so the moon can light the way to where you'll be sleeping.

## What Kind of Camp Will You Have?

If you'd like to, you can choose a theme for the kind of camp you'd like to have at home. There are many fun ideas to choose from. What kind of camp are you going to have if you have (a):

1. butterfly net, walking stick, binoculars
2. helmet, balls, goal, bat, stick
3. pots and pans, recipes, spices
4. costumes, imagination, props
5. wand, playing cards, top hat
6. balloons, face paint, tent
7. magnifying glass, notebook, flashlight
8. dice, scorecard, rulebook
9. glitter, glue, popsicle sticks
10. instruments, dancing shoes or sneakers, speakers

## Milk House Market

### Wedding Registry

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Lindy Wiseman & Lino Tarango  
Cassidy Devault & Tyler Hough

Hours: Thursday - Friday 11-5  
Saturday: 10-3

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### Farmhouse to Your House

## Puzzle Solution

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## Gas prices continue to rise

By GasBuddy

Texas gas prices have risen 2.1 cents per gallon in the past week, averaging \$1.83 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's survey of 13,114 stations. Gas prices in Texas are 22.0 cents per gallon higher than a month ago but stand 52.5 cents per gallon lower than a year ago.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Texas is priced at \$1.49 while the most expensive is \$2.59 per gallon. The national average price of gasoline has risen 1.5 cents per gallon in the last week, averaging \$2.12 per gallon. The national average is up 17.2 cents per gallon from a month ago but stands 52.9 cents per gallon lower than a year ago.

"Gasoline demand has continued to recover over the last week, with a 3% rise in demand versus last week according to data from Pay with GasBuddy, and that continues to push gasoline prices higher as well, for the

eighth straight week," said Patrick De Haan, head of petroleum analysis for GasBuddy. "Americans continue to increasingly get in the car as summer progresses, eager not to miss out on the best months of the year, and our data is clear on that. In turn, the resurgence in gasoline demand is also pushing oil prices to their highest level in months, fueling gas prices to rebound as Americans try to find some sense of normalcy amidst the ongoing COVID-19 situation. For now, it's likely that we remain on this path of rising prices, but we won't see gas prices snap back to normal for some time yet."

GasBuddy's survey updates 288 times every day from the most diverse list of sources covering nearly 150,000 stations nationwide, the most comprehensive and up-to-date in the country. GasBuddy data is accessible at <http://FuelInsights.com>.

## Happy Birthday Friona Folks!

**June 25**  
Duran Vaughn  
Sydonia McDaniel  
Christopher Kemple

Jim Varner  
Tristan Gonzales  
Taysha Huckins  
Dewayne Procter  
Tracy Bunker

**June 26**  
James Peace  
Cade Brewer  
Bristol Barnett  
Jim Ellison  
Jacquelyn Buchanan

**June 30**  
Brook Stevick  
Karene Cass  
Keegan Neill  
Jayden Madrigal  
Dallas Reeves  
Zack Fair  
Dalton Surman  
Jana St.Clair  
Martin Lopez

**June 27**  
Andy Alexander  
Jo Osborn  
Chad Wilkins  
Kelly Cash  
Ruben Rivera  
Kathy Carthel

**July 1**  
Ibby Lewellen  
Benny Pryor  
Amelia Randolph Cramer  
Courtney (Clark) Lamberson  
Jennifer Harris  
Tommy Hutchins  
Shalia Sifford

**June 28**  
Sherry Atwell  
Bill Hardin  
Leslie (Wilkins) Ware  
Jackie Stowers  
Dwight O'Brian  
Holly (Jack) Noble

**June 29**  
Aleyda Lechuga  
Andrew Stowers  
Elizabeth Gore



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Thanks and God Bless,  
Holly Campbell

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- Preferably, stay in your car and we'll bring your prescription out to you!
- If you are staying home, call us about delivery
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# We Do Not Lose Heart, pt 2

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

2 Corinthians 4 is a chapter calling believers not to lose heart for the sake of the gospel. When one's hope is in Jesus Christ they can echo the words of Paul in verse 8-9, "We are afflicted in every way, but not crushed; perplexed but not driven to despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down but not destroyed." Christians have the ability to take heart in difficulty because of the Lord that they serve, and the future that is before them.

The final three verses of 2 Corinthians 4 proclaim that when one has an eternal focus, they can face today with hope and not lose

heart. These verses do not ignore the challenges one faces when it says, 'our outer self is wasting away,' but the Bible does not simply stop there. The scriptures go on to proclaim 'our inner self is being renewed day by day.' The reality for the child of God is that as you grow in Christ, your outward situation may be filled with trials, but your inner nature will be renewed by the power of the Holy Spirit and the promises in the Word. When you are "being renewed day by day" you have an eternal perspective that is guided by the truth of Jesus Christ. In fact, this eternal perspective assures us that

"this light momentary affliction is preparing for us an eternal weight of glory beyond all comparison," v17. In other words, the pain today cannot compare to the greater glory of God to be revealed in the future, because God is glorified when His people suffer well and endure hardship as faithful stewards of His grace and mercy.

Therefore, do not lose heart for the sake of the faith! This is not a cry to do your best, or grin and bear it, but this is a reminder that we must take heart because of the gospel ministry believers have been given for the glory of Christ and the good of all men.

## Expectations

By Teena Hughs

Something I have finally overcome is planning something, like a reunion, and expecting a certain number to attend. It leads to disappointment when my expectations aren't met.

We had our Southwest Texas Junior College reunion Saturday night. We had 55 say they were coming, but only 46 came, compared to last year's 74. We had several conflicts this year, and of course, the virus kept some away. I found myself not being disappointed, mainly because I didn't set any expectations for this reunion; I was just so glad we were having it with all that is going on in the world!

This got me to thinking of other expectations I have. At church, I expect kids to behave a certain way at Kidz for Christ; if someone tells me they will do something,

I expect them to do it or let me know they can't do it; I try to treat people fairly and with respect, so I expect the same thing from others.

So, what does God expect from us? He expects us to read His Word, learn what it says, and to obey it. There is no excuse for not knowing what God expects of you; it is all written in the Bible. Therefore, there is no excuse for us not doing what God expects!

When God gave us the Ten Commandments in Exodus 20:2-17, He expected us to obey them. When He said we are to love Him with all of our heart, soul, mind, and strength, and to love our neighbors as ourselves in Mark 12:29-31, that is what He expects us to do.

Thankfully, we have the Bible as our guidebook for living life; thankfully, it covers every thing we will

ever deal with; thankfully, it works every time we use it. God has given it to us for a reason...to help us become the people He desires us to be. He expects us to use it for our benefit, not as a door stop or dust collector!

When I have an expectation, it is because I want something to happen, usually my way, usually to make me look good, successful, and as a reward for my efforts. With God, it is also about us, but not so we can look good or be filled with pride. God's expectations for us are to help us, so we can help others become the person He expects us to be.

How well do we meet God's expectations? How well do we know what His expectations of us are? There is no time like the present to delve into God's Word and find out!

## Panhandle Parables

# Call to Compassion

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

Nearly 20 years ago, I met an elderly lady that reframed the way I see people. As a minister it has always been my desire to help. I thought that I had good intentions in my helping others. I did want them to know the Jesus I knew, although I didn't beat people up with a Bible. I will admit it is an easy temptation to judge others that find themselves in less than desirable circumstances. Most ministers can relate because there are those who take advantage of help and once you have been burned a time or two you can easily get cynical. Likely, true of anyone whose help has been taken advantage of.

Now back to my original story, I met this elderly lady full of grace. I remember at her passing all the kind things said of her character. One

time while visiting with her and her husband who was in the hospital, she told me a story that has challenged me every day since. She told me about her mother. They lived near the railroad tracks during the great depression. She said every morning her mother put on a big pot of stew. Every evening they began to wander up, hobos that would wander to the house that smelled so good from the pot of stew. This lady's mother would simply feed these poor souls wandering with no real direction. When asked why she would allow such folks come close to her house, she would say graciously, "These folks are somebody's son or daughter and I would hope heaven forbid if my child was in that spot someone would offer them the refuge of a meal to encourage them in

the hopeless state they found themselves." The daughter in her eighties smiles as she shared that story and too lived a life of compassion for others.

I sat there almost ashamed of the opportunities I had missed because I was concerned of what others might think. My mind flashes of the homeless lady I passed in Rome with her clothes thread bear as I passed dragging my suitcase full of clothes. I still struggle at times, but now I am mindful of the compassion of a lady I never knew except through her daughter who only saw them as someone's child. Compassion is in short supply in many places, but oh to change the world if we would heed the call to compassion leading us to be patient and kind to those in a different situation than I.

**Editor's Note:** In last week's edition of the Friona Star we listed the wrong authors on two of the articles on page 5. Brett Hoyle, Pastor of First Baptist Church wrote We Do Not Lose Heart, pt 1, and Jeff Procter, Minister of 6th Street

Church of Christ wrote The Great Equalizer. We apologize for any confusion the mistake may have caused. We thank Brett, Jeff, and Teena for all their efforts in writing the articles that help make our hometown newspaper special.



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## State Capital Highlights

By Ed Sterling



### Governor, education commissioner say schools will open in fall

AUSTIN — While COVID-19 testing, contact tracing, case counts, hospitalizations and deaths increased last week, more and more Texans ventured out of their homes with the deadly coronavirus showing no sign of abatement.

Gov. Greg Abbott recently renewed his COVID pandemic disaster declaration for all counties affected by the disease. Even so, Abbott and Texas Education Commissioner Mike Morath on June 18 sounded a hopeful note, saying schools would resume normal operations in the fall. "It will be safe for Texas public school students, teachers and staff to return to school campuses for in-person instruction this fall, but there will also be flexibility for families with health concerns so that their children can be educated remotely, if the parent so chooses," said Morath, adding that detailed guidance would be issued soon.

Texas State Teachers Association President Noel Candelaria reacted, saying teachers and other school employees "need to be directly involved in planning for the safe reopening of school facilities" and a rush to reopen schools puts at risk the health and safety of millions of Texas school children, educators, families and communities.

Cumulative figures posted June 21 by the Texas Department of State Health Services showed some 111,601 people in Texas diagnosed with COVID-19 and 2,182 confirmed deaths resulting from the disease.

Meanwhile, Gov. Abbott and Dr. John Zerwas, University of Texas System executive vice chancellor for health affairs, on June 16 said the Lone Star State's hospital capacity can accommodate an uptick in COVID-19 cases. Texas Department of State Health Services Commissioner John Hellerstedt and Texas Division of Emergency Management Chief Nim Kidd joined Abbott and Zerwas in making the announcement.

In related news, the governor's office on June 15 released a new public service announcement titled "Wear A Mask On And Off The Field." In the PSA, Dallas Cowboys linebacker Jaylon Smith says: "I wear a face mask every single day on the football field to protect myself. Now I'm switching it up to a different mask to protect myself and others around me. As we open up Texas, it's crucial that we all do our part in this fight against COVID-19. So when you leave the house, make sure you wash your hands, make sure you practice social distancing, and last but not least, wear a mask. You be safe. Go Cowboys."

### Juneteenth gains momentum

Protest marches in Texas and other states continued last week, following the May 25 killing of Texan George Floyd by Minneapolis police.

Marches in the Lone Star State and elsewhere incorporated the Black Lives Matter movement. The marchers also called attention to Juneteenth, the annual celebration

that memorializes the June 19, 1865, announcement by Union Army Gen. Gordon Granger in Galveston that slavery was banned and all slaves were set free.

Until then, news of President Abraham Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation, signed Jan. 1, 1863, and the fact that the war ended on April 9, 1865, had been withheld from the estimated 250,000 slaves then in Texas.

Gov. Abbott, in a June 19 Twitter posting wrote, "Today marks the 155th anniversary of the date that news of the Emancipation Proclamation arrived in Texas. We celebrate and recognize the freedom Juneteenth represents. Texas continues to stand for liberty for all."

U.S. Rep. Sheila Jackson Lee, D-Houston, authored a resolution that was referred to the House Committee on Oversight and Reform on June 19. The legislation, cosponsored by 207 representatives, would make "Juneteenth Independence Day" a national observance. U.S. Sen. John Cornyn, R-Texas, offered a similar resolution cosponsored by 57 senators.

### Paxton reacts to DACA ruling

Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton expressed his disappointment with the U.S. Supreme Court's June 18 ruling to uphold the Obama administration's 2012 Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals program.

The case, Department of Homeland Security et al. v. Regents of the University of California et al., was brought to the high court via the San Francisco-based 9th Circuit Court of Appeals.

Paxton said he looks forward to litigating the same issue, the constitutionality of the Obama administration's action creating the program, in a case now pending in a South Texas U.S. district court.

As of Dec. 31, 2019, some 107,000 Texans were counted by the federal government as DACA recipients, meaning they have applied and been cleared to reside in the U.S.

### Jobless rate decreases

The Texas Workforce Commission on June 19 announced that in the month of May, the Lone Star State's unemployment rate dropped slightly to 13.0%, the first decrease recorded since March, when COVID-19 sent a robust economy on a downward trajectory.

During May, Texas added 291,000 private-sector positions led by the leisure and hospitality sector, followed by the education and health services sector and the trade-transportation-utilities sector.

Among Texas' Metropolitan Statistical Areas, the Amarillo MSA recorded May's lowest unemployment rate with a non-seasonally adjusted rate of 8.5%, followed by the College Station-Bryan MSA with a rate of 8.6% and Abilene MSA with a rate of 8.9%.

"Texas businesses are opening their doors, taking precautions and working around the clock to serve all Texans," said TWC Commissioner Representing Employers Aaron Demerson.

## Check Your Mirrors

By Sue Jane Sullivan



Before setting out on my first trip to West Texas since mid-March, I want to cover one more difficult topic. Once I get to those granddaughters, my columns will no doubt reflect the energies of time spent with a "destructor baby" and her "Miss Sassy Pants" sister. These are direct quotes from their mother—my daughter—after 14 weeks in lockdown with her daughters.

Let's just jump in and see what Check Your Mirrors has in her arsenal to throw on this fire referred to as Cancel Culture. Call it my two cents of reason instead of fuel. Several former students with a passion for history and social studies have reached out recently to dialogue this. These guys are informed, and that makes our discussions meaningful and productive.

Years ago after my divorce, it felt therapeutic to take my 16 x 20 bridal portrait and discuss-throw it in the county dump ground. Then I went to the top of the bleachers at the football field and heaved a glass memento of our union and watched it shatter.

Tangible visuals matter. Canceling those can be healthy sometimes. Ask any therapist.

However, my daughters were never in danger of being dumped or tossed from the bleachers. (They remain grateful for this). Photo albums contain their dad's images. (None of that psycho scissoring to remove evidence that he existed). I kept my married name for the duration of my teaching career, and changed it only after my daughters both married and their father remarried.

Canceling history by throwing-the-baby-out-with-the-bathwater is foolish.

If we cancel all things offensive in general, we do not learn analytical skills. We risk sugar-coating history instead of facing the ugly truths, and some are very ugly. To date, the most powerful museum I have visited is in Montgomery, Alabama—The National Mu-

seum for Peace and Justice. "The memorial structure on the center of the site is constructed of over 800 corten steel monuments, one for each county in the United States where a racial terror lynching took place. The names of the lynching victims are engraved on the columns. The memorial is more than a static monument. It is EJI's hope that the National Memorial inspires communities across the nation to enter an era of truth-telling about racial injustice and their own local histories."

- Equal Justice Initiative website.

I appreciate how and why this lynching history is preserved.

I made the clear distinction that this lynching history is not celebrated.

When determining what should be cancelled and why, preservation and celebration might ought to be our gauges. If a person's overall body of work involves a painful reminder that had long-term consequences, it may be fair to re-evaluate his or her public face.

Re-evaluating is just what I did over the weekend when I read that Teddy Roosevelt's statue in front of the American Museum of Natural History in New York City was marked for removal.

In my first reaction, I was thinking about the wax statue inside the museum, an image Robin Williams made famous in the movie "Night at the Museum." I saw no wrong in replicating the Rough Riders' leader charging into battle. Further reading, however, supplied compelling reasons for the removal of the other Roosevelt statue located outside at the entrance to the building.

I passed by that statue in 2007 and was not in the least offended. But then again, I was focused on a president I admired and ignored the other two images: Roosevelt on a horse, flanked by a Native American and a Black man with no shirt. Visuals matter to a people removed

against their will (and often violently) from their lands and to people forcibly removed to a new continent explicitly in order to be enslaved to labor and subsist in systems benefitting whites.

The Roosevelt family issued a statement in support saying "the world does not need statues, relics of another age, that reflect neither the values of the person they intend to honor nor the values of equality and justice. The composition of the Equestrian Statue does not reflect Theodore Roosevelt's legacy. It is time to move the statue and move forward."

A statue of Teddy Roosevelt in any of our national parks would be reasonable, suitable, and deserved. He made sure federal lands were protected and set aside as public parks for all to enjoy. In lieu of comments Roosevelt made about race, however, the image of him front and center with an indigenous and enslaved men below and behind him is not his best angle.

Flip the coin but continue to use reason. Some protesters in California decided last week that a statue of Ulysses S. Grant had to go, too. For Pete's sake, the Union General's father was an abolitionist. Grant owned only one slave in his lifetime, and that unfortunate event occurred because of his marriage to a slaveowner's daughter who insisted Grant have one. He freed Williams Jones in 1859. The logic behind tearing down a statue of the Grant because he at one time owned one slave is the impulsive, irrational collateral damage of people not reasoning but fueling the strife.

The list goes on: Washington and Jefferson, both slaveowners. Put their names to the test of reason, that we recognize their overall body of work and service to our country suggests that their history at least should be preserved, even if not universally celebrated. The same test, however, applied to Jefferson Davis may prove otherwise.

Cancel Culture is not a new phenomenon (few people name their children Judas, Lucifer, or Adolf and for good reason). Here are some suggestions for the new wave: Civic leaders bring opposing groups together, to sit down at the/any table and work on solutions that are authentically responsive. Call on young people to serve on task forces to get their input on who, what, why, and how changes can be implemented. Finally, teach your children well. You can set the tone about Aunt Jemima, Uncle Ben's Rice, and Red Man chewing tobacco, whichever viewpoint you hold. Did you notice the name of the lynching memorial? It isn't "Look What Those White Honkies Did to Us!" but "The National Museum for Peace and Justice." Rather than mock, vent, or divide, the founders chose wisely. I encourage you to likewise choose wisely when you talk and listen to your kids about these issues.

Do not dismiss the need for change though. As stated in last week's column, it is needed. Hopefully, we can move now from the streets to the table, making sure there are seats for all.

## Food safety tips when grilling, cooking outdoors

### Proper cleaning is key to avoiding foodborne illness from grate to plate

by Paul Schattenberg

Cleaning grill grates, keeping a clean workspace, and properly storing and preparing meats are all important to maintaining food quality and avoiding foodborne illness, said Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service experts.

#### A clean grate is a great start

Davey Griffin, Ph.D., AgriLife Extension meat specialist in the Department of Animal Science of Texas A&M University, said cleaning the grill grate is not as simple a proposition as it may seem.

"A lot of people think scraping the grate clean with a wire brush is an effective way to clean it, but if you're using a substandard wire brush some of the metal particulate can get transferred on the grate, into the food and then ingested," he said. "This can cause some serious health problems."

Griffin said using a nylon brush on a cool grate can be an effective measure in removing most of the large pieces of charred food from the grate.

"You don't want to use a nylon brush on a hot surface as it could melt the bristles," he said.

Griffin said the grates of smaller grills can be removed and washed with soap and water or possibly power washed if the equipment is available.

"Another effective way to clean grates is to ball up a piece of aluminum foil to where there

are still some rough edges and use that to thoroughly scrub the surface," he said. "I've also known people to cut an onion in half and use the flat surface of the onion to clean the grate. The onion has an acidic content that helps break down the leftover food and will also add a little more flavor to the item being grilled."

Griffin said meat should always be cooked to the recommended internal temperature. He said, using a properly calibrated meat thermometer is the best way to ensure meats are adequately cooked.

"You also want to make sure the grilling surface is sufficiently hot before you place any meat or vegetables on it," he said. "An easy way to determine that is to hold the palm of your hand about 6 inches over the grate. If you feel it is warm enough for you to want to remove it after a few seconds, then the grill is ready to use."

Griffin noted there are also a number of safety steps that can be taken to lower the risk of starting an unwanted fire while grilling.

#### Properly clean your food prep workspace

The most common type of food safety-related issue when grilling is the possibility of foodborne illness from inadequately stored or undercooked foods, said Jenna Anding, Ph.D. AgriLife Extension



**Making sure grill grates and food preparation surfaces are clean are essential steps in lowering the risk of foodborne illness when grilling. (Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service photo)**

nutrition specialist in the Department of Nutrition and Food Science at Texas A&M.

"It's important to keep a clean workspace and ensure meats are properly stored and prepared," Anding said. "And it's important to maintain food quality and freshness by ensuring proper temperatures during storage and cooking."

She said poultry, fish, seafood or ground beef should be cooked or frozen within a day or two of purchase. Steaks or pork chops should be cooked or frozen within four to five days.

"The safest way to thaw meat or poultry is by placing it in the refrigerator a day or two before you plan to cook it," she said.

She said some meats defrosted in the microwave may not thaw out evenly and other parts of the food may be partially cooked, so it's better to let them thaw in the refrigerator.

"Don't thaw meats at room temperature as this may increase the chance of foodborne illness."

If cooking away from home and not sure about a water source, take a container of fresh water and paper towels or use antibacterial towelettes or hand sanitizer, Anding said.

"Be sure to wash hands before and after touching raw meat, poultry or seafood, making sure food preparation surfaces, cutting boards, grilling utensils and serving platters are washed and sanitized. And if you've placed raw meat or fish on a platter before grilling, don't use that same plate to serve the food unless it can be cleaned with hot, soapy water first."

#### Recommended food temperatures

Anding said poultry should be cooked to an internal tem-

perature of 165 degrees.

"Fully cook meats like hot dogs to 165 degrees and hamburgers to 160 degrees," she said. "Beef, pork, lamb, veal steaks, chops and roasts should be cooked to at least 145 degrees. For safety and quality, however, allow these foods to rest for a few minutes after removing them from the grill before serving."

#### Chicken grilling

After cooking, Anding said, be sure to keep the food hot until it is served — at least 140 degrees — otherwise, eat or refrigerate it right away.

"Keep food covered and never let it sit out for more than two hours," she said. "If the weather is 90 degrees or hotter, eat or store your food within one hour."

For additional information, go to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Food Safety and Inspection Service fact sheet.

The family of Norma Whitten wishes to thank everyone in the communities for the outpouring of love shown over her passing. We deeply appreciate all the prayers, concerns, meals, flowers, and memorials given at this time. We also want to thank the Bovina Ambulance personnel, Parmer Medical Center doctors and staff, Air Ambulance personnel, and BSA Hospital and Hospice for all the professional and caring assistance.

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### Friona

4/5/3 Brick w/cent. h&a, basement, fp, close to high school, \$25,000 cash allowance at closing .....\$291,775

NEW: 3/2/2 Brick w/cent. h&a, fireplace, all electric, new storage building, new patio cover, sprinkler f&bCont Pend

NEW: 3/3/2 Brick w/ central heat & air, 2 living areas, fireplace, storage building, fenced backyard .....Cont Pend

NEW: 3/2/2 Brick w/cent. h&a, entryway, 2 living areas, open floor plan, fenced backyard, close to HS ...Cont Pend

3/1/1 Stone w/ central heat & air, carport, cellar, corner lot, close to schools, metal roof.....Cont Pend

### Bovina

REDUCED: Commercial Building in Bovina: Brick w/cent. h&a, (7) offices, extra lot.....\$62,000

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3/2/2 Brick w/cent. h&a, fireplace, 2 living rooms, attic storage, fenced backyard, corner lot,close to HS .....SOLD



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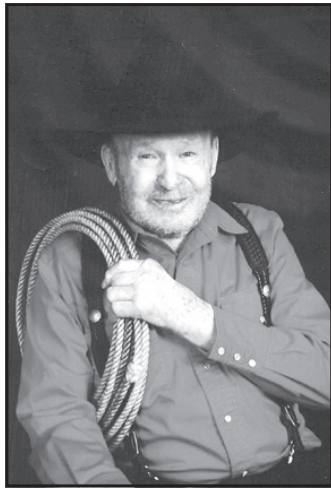
# OBITUARIES



## Charles Edward "C.E." Trimble II

Charles Edward "C.E." Trimble II, 91, of Bovina, Texas passed away Thursday, June 18, 2020 in Farwell, Texas. Viewing was held from 9:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. with family visitation from 6:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. Monday, June 22, 2020 in the Ron Smiley Memorial Chapel of HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona with Celebration of Life Services scheduled for 11:00 A.M. Tuesday, June 23, 2020 at the Bovina United Methodist Church with Rev. Skip Hodges of Friona, Rev. Larry Mitchell, pastor, and Dale Trimble, officiating. Burial following in the Bovina Cemetery by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

C.E. was born March 16, 1929 in Mobeetie, Texas to Eula (Fultz) and William (Bill) Trimble. He graduated from Mobeetie High School in 1947. He served as a Staff Sargent and aircraft maintenance technician in the US Air Force 1950-1954. He married Esther Rosie May Wutzke on July 4, 1954 in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho. After Esther's



passing, he later married Joy Gay, July 15, 1980.

He attended barber school and worked at the Bovina Barber Shop on Saturdays for several years and later was a farmer and rancher for over fifty years in Bovina. He bred, raised, and raced thoroughbred horses. He was active in many community activities such as Lions Club, Bovina Roping Club, twice chairman of Bovina Bull Town Days, and served on the Bovina ISD School Board. He was awarded New Mexico Horseman of the year in 1992 and the Heritage Award by the Bovina Chamber of Commerce on March 20, 2014. He was a member of the Bovina United Methodist Church.

He is preceded in death by his parents, wife, Esther Wutzke Trimble, 1 sister - Billie Lou Trimble Watson,

and 1 brother - Horace Lee Trimble.

Those to carry on his legacy include his wife, Joy Trimble of Bovina; daughters Christie Ferkin and husband Robert of Cornville, AZ, and Cathie Sharp and husband K.W. of Lubbock; and son Charlie and wife Ginger of Muleshoe, 1 sister Barbara Bunnell of Odessa, TX, 1 brother Cary Johnson of Burnet, TX, 7 grandchildren - Jason Sharp, Lauren Sharp Clem, Caitlyn Sharp, Emily Agee Dalton, Regan Agee, Charlie May Trimble, and Jarryd Ferkin, 4 great grandchildren - Emilia Sharp, McKinley, Chloe, and Kollins Clem, numerous nieces and nephews. 3 stepchildren - Rusty and wife Lea Lindeman of D'Hanis, TX, Connie and husband Teddy King of Krum, TX, and Ted and wife Joanie Lindeman of D'Hanis, TX. 5 Step Grandchildren - Brandy Lindeman Redden, Becky Lindeman Santos, Jenny King Grandi, Jessica King Crawford, and Tyson Lindeman.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online guest book at [www.hansardfamily.com](http://www.hansardfamily.com)

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## Troy L. Kirby



Troy L. Kirby, 92, of Dimmitt passed away on Monday, June 22, 2020 in Lubbock. Celebration of Life Service will be held on Thursday, June 25, 2020 at 10:00AM in the First Baptist Church with Pastor Jonathan Sullivan and Rev. Paul Kenley officiating. Burial will follow in Castro Memorial Gardens Cemetery under the care of Colonial Funeral Home. Viewing was held on Wednesday, June 24, 2020 from 6:00PM - 8:00PM at the funeral home.

Troy Kirby was born on July 1, 1927 in Mangum, OK to Ammar Temple Kirby and Jewel Edith (Young) Kirby. Troy met and fell in love with Billie (Armstrong) Kirby and they married on June 2, 1946. They moved to Dimmitt in 1959 where he worked as a barber for many years and then began working as a carpenter. He spent most of his time building cabinets and remodeling for many people throughout Dimmitt. Troy

served on the city council for several years and was very involved with "Helping Hands" with the Baptist Church and was always willing to help anyone in need. He and Billie became members of the First Baptist Church in Dimmitt in 1959 and he served as deacon for 54 years while also serving on many committees within the church. Troy will be most remembered by the love he had for his family and his church. Troy will be dearly missed by all his family and

friends.

Those left to cherish his memories are his wife of 74 years, Billie Kirby of Dimmitt, TX, children, Keri Jack and husband Galen of Friona, TX, Bobbi Childers and husband Larry of Lubbock, TX and Kent Kirby and wife Whitney of Ft. Worth, TX, 2 brothers, Wade Kirby and wife Marie of Dimmitt, TX and Hulon Kirby and wife Doris of Sunnyvale, CA, 2 sisters, Joy Byers of Eulless, TX and Una Shaw and husband Sid of Cushing, OK, 6 grandchildren, Kelly Jack and wife Teresa, Holly Noble and husband Justin, Jason Wooten and wife Carla, Rusty Wooten and wife Michelle, Callie Sanders and husband Mason and Berkeley Allen and husband Calvin along with 8 great-grandchildren.

Troy is preceded in death by his parents, Ammar and Jewel Kirby and siblings, Clifford Kirby, Murl Carrell, Lavern Simmons, Twila Lester, Olan Kirby and Chester Kirby.

## Joe R. Saiz



Joe R. Saiz, 93 of Friona passed away June 17, 2020 in Amarillo. Viewing was held from 9:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M. Friday, in the Ron Smiley Memorial Chapel of HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home with Celebration of Life Services set for 10:30 A.M. Saturday, June 20, 2020 in the Ron Smiley Memorial with Rev. Skip Hodges, officiating. Burial following in the Friona Cemetery by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

Joe was born July 4, 1926 in Vaughn, New Mexico to Rosendo and Guadalupe Valdez Saiz. He is a veteran of the U.S. Army serving in

WWII. He married Frances Medina October 7, 1946 in McAlister, N.M.

He was a carpenter and a farmer and loved to tinker with old cars, fish and go camping.

Joe is preceded in death by his parents, children-Junior Saiz, Johnny Saiz, Frank Saiz, Robert Saiz, and Erlinda Valerio.

Those to carry on his leg-

acy include his wife Frances of Friona, 5 sons-Daniel Saiz and wife Jovita of Enid, Oklahoma, Nick Saiz and wife Cheri, and George Saiz and wife Agnes, all of King-land, Jessie Saiz and Gilbert Saiz, both of Amarillo, 3 daughters-Cecelia Steelman of Clovis, Connie Northcutt of Carrizozo, N.M., and Francis Huckins of Friona, 2 sisters Geneva Brailiff of Friona, and Ruby Olgin of Hereford, 1 brother-Manuel Pacheco of Houston, 31 grandchildren, 50 great-grandchildren, and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online guest book at [www.hansardfamily.com](http://www.hansardfamily.com)

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## Leon Milton Langford



Leon Milton Langford, 84 of Farwell passed away surrounded by family and friends on June 16, 2020 in Farwell. Family conducted Graveside Services were held on June 18, 2020 at Sunset Terrace Memorial Cemetery in Farwell with Celebration of Life Memorial Services to be held 12:00 P.M. Saturday, June 20, 2020 at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell. Honored Bearers are Mack Heald, Roy Snodgrass, Jerry Hill, Joe Foster, Mike Corn, Jim Boyd, and Charlie Martin. Arrangements by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

Leon was born on November 15, 1935 in Clovis, NM to Elmer Milton Langford and Ogetha Maye Barker Langford who predeceased him.

He is survived by his sweet wife Danalee Cherry-Langford who gave him so much joy the last year and a half. He left his three children, Jacquelyn Taylor and Robert, Mac Langford and Coleta, and Watson Langford and Melissa quite a legacy that they will pass on to 16 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren. He loved each and every one of those babies! In addition, Danalee added two bonus kids Floyd Cherry and Roxanne Mayfield and Bruce to the family.

Leon was raised in the Pleasant Hill, NM community where he farmed and ranched with his Dad and son until 2004. Langford Herefords moved to Okmulgee, OK to land that was part of the Watson Ranch. The business grew to be one of the largest producers of registered Hereford bulls in the

country. Leon served on the Board of Directors for the American Hereford Association. Among many highlights of his career was winning his first National Show at the American Royal in 1999.

Leon, true to his name, was a lion. He survived many challenges in his life. He married Julia Dee Kelso in 1956 and were blessed with four children. Russ Darren passed in a plane crash along with his best friend and son. On May 30, 1973, his wife Julia and daughter Leone Annette were killed in a car accident.

On August 15, 1979 he married Suzanne Watson. Her daughter Joanna Castner Post joined the family at that time. Suzy's family was also in the registered Hereford business. We lost Joanna to illness in 2014 and Suzy passed in the summer of 2018.

He was blessed to reconnect with an old friend Danalee Cherry and they married in March of 2019. They weren't able to have as many adventures as they wanted, but shared lots of love and laughter after they moved

back home to Farwell. He loved to feed family and friends anytime you came to visit - a trait passed down from his mother. Even when he was ill, he was telling the family to get something on the table.

His life can be summarized by the following statement that a friend posted on Facebook:

"I have visited your family's ranch website and been impressed by your history and the fact you have been able to hold your heritage together as you have. So many large operations have been lost through bad management and poor decisions, along with family disputes and interference from others that it is a true inspiration to see a family fight its way through to success and dominance with a great breed in a tough business where weather and drought and snow and blasting north winds can often alter your fate."

Memorials may be made to: Hereford Youth Foundation of America or charity of your choice. Please have checks made out to HYFA and sent to 11500 N. Ambassador Drive, Kansas City, MO 64153. Please include Leon Langford Memorial in the memo.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online guest book at: [www.hansardfamily.com](http://www.hansardfamily.com)

The family thanks everyone for their love and support.

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## Lucy Mae Stokes



Lucy Mae Stokes, 102 of Amarillo, formerly of Friona passed away June 21, 2020 in Amarillo. Viewing was from 10:00 A.M. until 8:00 P.M. Tuesday, June 23, 2020 in the Ron Smiley Memorial Chapel of HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home with Celebration of Life Services set for 10:30 A.M. Wednesday, June 24, 2020 in the Ron Smiley Memorial Chapel with Rev. Skip Hodges, officiating. Burial following in the Friona Cemetery by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home.

Lucy was born March 4, 1918 in Como, Texas to John Minor and Maggie Barnes Bradley. She had been a

beautician since her teens. She was the center of her family and loved to read, crochet, and was a faithful member of the Friona United Methodist Church.

Lucy Mae is preceded in

death by her parents, 2 sisters, and 3 brothers.

Those to carry on her legacy include two daughters-Jolynda Horton and husband Bill of Amarillo, and Carole Hunter of Canyon, 1 son-Jim Stokes of Bainbridge Island, Washington, 4 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren and 1 great-great-grandchild.

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## Jackie Lee Smith



Jackie Lee Smith, 77 of Bovina passed away June 21, 2020 in Friona. There will be no services. Arrangements by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

Jackie was born April 19, 1943 in Alamogordo, N.M. to Vincent May and Pansy Jones Lee. She later married Larry Banks Smith in 1969.

Jackie was a mail carrier with the U.S. Postal Service for over 25 years. She loved her grandchildren and attended all of their sports and FFA activities.

She loved gardening and all types of animals.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband and 1 brother-Vincent May Lee Jr.

Those to carry on her legacy include 2 sons-Vince Smith and wife Sharla of Farwell, and Joel Smith and wife Shauna of Bovina, 1 sister-Judy Blair and husband Jim of Reserve, N.M., grandchildren, Jaelyn, Ty, Tel, Jolee and Trig Smith.

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## Raul Medina Chavez



Raul Medina Chavez, 66 of Friona, passed away June 19, 2020, in Amarillo. Viewing and Rosary Services was from 7:00 P.M. until 9:00 P.M. Wednesday, June 24, 2020 at St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Friona. Mass of Christian Burial Services are scheduled for 11:00 A.M. Thursday, June 25, 2020 at St. Teresa's Catholic Church with Father Marco Gonzalez of Amarillo as Celebrant. Burial following in the Friona Cemetery by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

Raul was born in Mexico to Jose Carmen Perez Chavez and Ofelia Medina Negrete Chavez. He worked at Cargill Meat since 1980, loved to dance and was a member of

St. Teresa's Catholic Church.

Raul is preceded in death by his parents, and 2 brothers Jose Carmen Chavez Jr. and Jose Antonio Chavez.

Those to carry on his legacy include his wife Elvira Chavez, 2 sons- Raul Chavez Jr. and

Andy Chavez both of Friona, 5 brothers- Martin Chavez of Mexico, Luis Chavez of Phoenix, AZ, Salvador Chavez of El Paso, Armando Chavez of Mexico and Sergio Chavez of Las Cruces, New Mexico, 5 sisters Paz Chavez of Mexico, Letty Polanco of El Paso, Isela Diaz of El Paso, Guadalupe Alvarado of Mexico and Haydee Rodriguez of El Paso, and 3 grandchildren.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online guest book at: [www.hansardfamily.com](http://www.hansardfamily.com)

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# Census News



## 2020 Census Self-Response Rate Information - June 22, 2020

National Response Rate .....	61.6%
Texas Self-Response Rate.....	56.4%
Parmer County Self-Response Rate .....	41.2%
Friona Self-Response Rate.....	52.5%
Bovina Self-Response Rate .....	33.9%
Farwell Self-Response Rate .....	20.4%

### NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF PARMER

To those indebted to or holding claims against the Estate of DORIS BARNETT, Deceased, No. 3208 in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, Probate Matter:

The undersigned having been duly appointed Independent Co-Executor of the Estate of DORIS BARNETT, Deceased, by the Judge of the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, on the 9th day of June, 2020, hereby notifies all persons indebted to this Estate to come forward and to make settlement, and those having claims against this Estate to present them to the Executor within the time prescribed by law, at the following address:

Representative, Estate of Doris Barnett  
 c/o Shyla R. Buckner  
 Sprouse Shrader Smith PLLC  
 P.O. Box 15008  
 Amarillo, Texas 79105

RICKY BARNETT, Independent Co-Executor of the Estate of DORIS BARNETT, Deceased

### NOTICE OF JOINT GENERAL PRIMARY RUNOFF ELECTION REPUBLICAN PARTY AND DEMOCRATIC PARTIES

To the Registered Voters of the County of Parmer, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., July 14, 2020, for voting in a general primary runoff election for the Republican and Democratic Party to nominate federal officers, Members of the State Legislature, and state, and district offices.

On Election Day, voters must vote in their precinct where registered to vote.

Location of Election Day Polling Places Include Name of Building and Address	Precinct Number(s)
Senior Citizens' Center, 1410 Washington, Friona, TX	101, 202 and 402
EMS Building, 109 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street, Bovina, TX	201, 203, and 303
Lazbuddie Methodist Church, 665 FM 1172, Lazbuddie, TX	401
Farwell Community Center, 209 9 <sup>th</sup> St. Farwell, TX	301 and 302

For early voting, a voter may vote at any of the locations listed below:

Locations for Early Voting Polling Places Include Name of Building and Address	Days and Hours of Operation
Farwell County Courthouse 401 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street Farwell, TX	June 29-July 2 8:30 AM-5:00 PM July 6-9 8:30 AM-5:00 PM July 10 8:30 AM-3PM

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: Susie Spring, Early Voting Clerk  
 PO Box 356  
 Farwell, TX 79325

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on: Thursday, July 2, 2020 at 5:00 PM

Issued this the \_\_\_ day of June, 2020.

Signature of Republican County Chair

Bill White

Glen Maxey, Primary Director  
 Democratic State Party

### AVISO DE ELECCION CONJUNTA GENERAL ELECCION PRIMARIA DE SEGUNDA VUELTA PARTIDO REPUBLICANO Y PARTIDO DEMOCRATICO

A los votantes registrados del Condado de PARMER, Texas:

Notifíquese por la presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 14 de julio de 2020 para votar en la elección conjunta general para los partidos republicano y democrático para nominar oficiales federales, miembros de la legislatura estatal, y estado, y oficinas de distrito.

El Día de Elección, los votantes deberán votar en su precinto donde están inscritos para votar.

Ubicación de las casillas electorales el Día de Elección Incluir Nombre del Edificio y Dirección	Número de precinto
Centro de la Tercera Edad, 1410 Washington, Friona, TX	101, 202, and 402
EMS Building, 109 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street, Bovina, TX	201, 203, and 303
Iglesia Metodista de Lazbuddie, 665 FM 1172, Lazbuddie, TX	401
Centro Comunitario de Farwell, 209 9 <sup>th</sup> St. Farwell, TX	301 and 302

Para Votación Adelantada, los votantes podrán votar en cualquiera de las ubicaciones nombradas abajo.

Ubicación de las casillas electorales de votación adelantada Incluir Nombre del Edificio y Dirección	Días y Horas Hábiles
Farwell County Courthouse 401 3 <sup>rd</sup> Street Farwell, TX	29 de junio-2 de julio 8:30AM-5:00PM 6-9 de julio 8:30AM-5:00PM 10 de julio 8:30AM-5:00PM

Las solicitudes para boletas de votación adelantada por correo deberán enviarse a: Susie Spring, Early Voting Clerk  
 PO Box 356  
 Farwell, TX 79325

Las solicitudes de boletas por correo deben recibirse a más tardar al cierre del negocio: jueves 2 de julio 2020 a las 5:00 PM

Issued this the \_\_\_ day of June 2020.

Signature of Republican County Chair  
 Bill White  
 Glen Maxey, Primary Director  
 Democratic State Party

## Want pumpkins this fall? Time to get planting

Written by Abby Read

Raising your own pumpkin patch, whether it is for decorations or pies, can be a fun way to introduce gardening for your family. Even though pumpkin season is several months away, it's important to know the prime pumpkin-planting time is now. Russ Wallace, Ph.D., Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service vegetable specialist, Lubbock provides tips and basic requirements for growing your own personal pumpkin patch.

### Pumpkin planting season in Texas is summer

Sunlight hours and temperature play an important role in how well pumpkins grow in Texas. While too much sunlight and extremely hot weather can damage some plants, pumpkins thrive in early Texas summers.

Different varieties need various amounts of days to become completely ripe. You should choose the planting variety based on when you plan on harvesting your pumpkins for your fall activities.

"The best time of year to plant pumpkins is from early May through June, but it also depends on the variety to be grown," Wallace said. "Some varieties mature in 85 days while others may not mature for 120 days. So those with 120 days to harvest should be planted early."

### Pumpkins require good drainage to thrive

Knowing the soil in your area is crucial as pumpkins thrive in soils with good drainage.

Without good soil, pumpkins might need a change to their water intake, explained Wallace.

"Pumpkins can grow on any soil that has good drainage. In the High Plains pumpkins are generally grown on sandy loams to clay loams," Wallace said. "If grown on sandier soils they will require more irrigation."

If the soil in your area does not drain water well, adding organic matter such as peat moss and compost to the soil will give it better drainage. This should allow the soil to become suitable for growing pumpkins and other plants that need good drainage.

### Pumpkin water requirements may be higher than you think

With their growing season in the middle of Texas's hot and dry summers, it's important to keep in mind that pumpkins need a lot of water to thrive.

"Pumpkins require about 25-30 inches of rain plus irrigation," Wallace said. "They need most of their water when the fruit is developing/maturing. If water is not uniformly applied while fruit is maturing, the ends of the pumpkins will not fully develop. We see that a lot in high heat, drought conditions."

Proper watering conditions will set your pumpkin plants up for successful ripening for harvest. Irrigation and good, draining soil will help your pumpkin patch thrive in Texas weather.

## League of Women Voters of Texas' Nonpartisan Primary Runoff Election Voters Guide Available Now The Texas

Primary Runoff Election is July 14th - less than a month away!

Vote by mail ballots are arriving in mailboxes across Texas! Early voting starts next Monday, June 29th.

Texas voters may League of Women Voters' nonpartisan voters guide on VOTE411.org to research the candidates in the ballot. VOTE411 allows voters to select the candidates of their choice and print out their selections.

For those who prefer to read a print version of the Voters Guide, there is a copy of the Texas League's Voters Guide on the LWVTX website.

There is still time to apply to vote by mail. Vote by Mail applications must be

received by your county elections officials - not post-marked - by July 2, 2020.

For more information, voters may visit the League of Women Voter of Texas website LWVTexas.org or click here.

"Every election is an important election! Local, state and national elections have consequences that impact our daily lives - from the quality of the air we breathe and the food we eat, the schools for the children in neighborhoods across our cities and towns, to the roads we drive on. Your vote makes a difference!" said Grace Chimene, president of the League of Women Voters. "I encourage Texas voters to share the the Voters Guide

and the link to VOTE411.org with friends, acquaintances and colleagues."

Additional information can be found on the Voting and Election section of the League website. The League's special webpage on Voting & the Coronavirus addresses voting safely. The League also provides Texas voter information in Spanish on the website and in VOTE411.org. Texas voters may also find local information on their county website.

While the League of Women Voters never supports or opposes candidates or parties, they encourage every eligible Texan to Be A Texas Voter! Their mission is: Empowering Voters. Defending Democracy.

**Official Ballot - Republican Party Primary Runoff Election**  
 (Boleta Oficial - Elección Primaria Decisiva del Partido Republicano)

Parmer County, Texas  
 (Condado de Parmer, Texas)

July 14, 2020  
 (14 de julio de 2020)

**Instruction Note:** Vote for the candidate of your choice by darkening in the oval (●) provided to the left of the name of that candidate.  
 (Nota de Instrucción: Vote por el candidato de su preferencia llenando completamente el espacio ovalado (●) a la izquierda del nombre del candidato.)

"I am a Republican and understand that I am ineligible to vote or participate in another political party's primary election or convention during this voting year."  
 ("Yo soy Republicano y comprendo soy inelegible para votar o participar en la elección primaria o la convención de algún otro partido político durante este año electoral.")

State (Estado)

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40  Larry Doss

41  Steven Denny

SAMPLE BALLOT (BOLETA DE MUESTRA)

**Official Ballot - Democratic Party Primary Runoff Election**  
 (Boleta Oficial - Elección Primaria Decisiva del Partido Democrático)

Parmer County, Texas  
 (Condado de Parmer, Texas)

July 14, 2020  
 (14 de julio de 2020)

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"I am a Democrat and understand that I am ineligible to vote or participate in another political party's primary election or convention during this voting year."  
 ("Yo soy Demócrata y comprendo soy inelegible para votar o participar en la elección primaria o la convención de algún otro partido político durante este año electoral.")

Federal (Federal)

United States Senator (Senador de los Estados Unidos)

40  Royce West

41  Mary "MJ" Hegar

State (Estado)

Railroad Commissioner (Comisionado de Ferrocarriles)

42  Chrysta Castañeda

43  Roberto R. "Beto" Alonzo

SAMPLE BALLOT (BOLETA DE MUESTRA)





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Facebook page: Parmer County Babe Ruth Baseball League

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As part of Texans Recovering Together, StarCare is currently providing a

**COVID-19 Mental Health and Information Hotline**  
**877-320-0513**

If you are feeling anxious or stressed about COVID-19, call the StarCare COVID-19 Hotline:

**9a-6p | Monday-Friday**

Text StarCare to 67634 for COVID Information

Friends of the Friona Public Library annual basket raffle



Raffle tickets for basket drawings are available at the Friona Public Library.

Tickets are \$1 each

Tickets will be sold from June 15th – July 15th

There are 9 baskets that will be raffled, those include the following:

- Imagine your storybook Garden – Donated by Kitty Gallman
- When life gives you lemons – make lemonade – Donated by Milk House Market
- Everything's better in Texas – Donated by Ivy Cottage
- The art of Brazilian Embroidery – Donated by Malouf's Fabrics
- Oh, The places you'll go! – Donated by Frio-Draw Driving School
- Childhood Fun! – Donated by Friona Primary School

Baskets shown above from left to right are the following:

- Imagine what you can fix – Donated by Veterinary Industries
- Imagine your Story – Donated by Friends of the Library
- Imagination – Donated by Friona Elementary School

**Thank you to everyone who donated these baskets!**