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Did you know?

• The unique smell of rain actually comes from plant oils, bacteria, and ozone.



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Tahoka Bulldogs Area Champions

with a big win over Hawley Friday! Wink edged out the Bulldogs at the Regional Quarterfinals to end their playoff run.



Mark your calendar!

Tahoka Homecoming is Sept. 25, 2020

What's Outside

NWS official readings for Tahoka

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Feb 25	50	22	
Feb 26	46	21	
Feb 27	65	26	
Feb 28	69	28	
Feb 29	75	40	
Mar 1	75	42	
Mar 2	68	48	

(Precipitation/temps measured as of 7 a.m. on date reported, for the previous 24-hr period)

Total Precip for Jan:	0.58"
Total Precip for Feb:	0.48"
Total Precip. for 2020:	1.06"



SHERIFF ABRAHAM VEGA

Sheriff Vega re-elected for another 4-year term

Lynn County Sheriff Abraham Vega was re-elected for another four-year term in Tuesday's Republican Primary election, with voters choosing the incumbent 558-467 in a close race over challenger Albert Flores for the law enforcement position. Incumbent Matt Woodley also was re-elected for another four-year term as Commissioner of Precinct 1. Voters cast 174 votes in favor of Woodley, and 61 for challenger Josh Isham.

These were the only two con-

tested races locally, with all other incumbents unopposed in their bids for re-election on the Republican ticket. Those incumbents include County Attorney Rebekah Filley, County Tax Assessor-Collector Donna Willis, and Pct. 3 County Commissioner Don Blair. Philip Mack Furlow, District Attorney for the 106th Judicial District, which includes Lynn, Garza, Dawson and Gaines counties, is also unopposed on the ballot. These positions are four-year terms that will begin Jan.

1, 2021.

In the presidential race, Lynn County voters chose President Donald Trump on the Republican ballot, and chose Joe Biden on the Democratic ballot.

There were 1,043 Lynn County voters marking ballots in the Republican Primary, with numbers unavailable at press time for total number of Democratic voters.

The winners from the Primary elections will be on the ballot in the November 2020 General Election.

JP Portillo named lone finalist for Wilson ISD superintendent

The Board of Education for Wilson Independent School District announces JP Portillo as the lone finalist for Superintendent of Schools. This action was taken at a special called board meeting on February 24, 2020.

A state-mandated 21-day waiting period is required before Mr. Portillo can be officially hired as Superintendent. Portillo currently is the Secondary Principal of Wilson ISD and has served in that capacity since 2017. Prior to that position, he served as a counselor,

teacher and coach, spending five years in the Wilson ISD system.

Previously Portillo served in Slaton ISD and in Cold-spring-Oakhurst ISD as a Spanish teacher, Department Head, Migrant Coordinator and coach. He served in these districts from 2005-2013.

Portillo will succeed Jerry Burger as superintendent of Wilson ISD. Burger has served as superintendent for the past five years.

"I will be retiring (for the second time) when my contract ends in June," Burger told *The Lynn*



JP PORTILLO

County News. "This job has been extremely enjoyable. My next step will be working in private business," he added.



Daylight Saving Time begins this **Sunday, March 8** at 2:00 AM. Don't forget to **SET YOUR CLOCKS FORWARD 1 HOUR.**

This is also a good time to check the batteries in all **SMOKE ALARMS**



Regional Semifinal Champions ... The New Home Lady Leopards claimed a Regional Semifinal trophy when they beat Claude in the Class 1A girls basketball playoffs in the regional tournament in Levelland, tossing in a last-second basket for the win. In the Regional Finals, the Lady Leopards were halted after a hard battle against the Nazareth Swiftettes. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)



LeopardNation

New Home girls end history-making season, all the way to Regional Championship playoff

The New Home Lady Leopards ended their best season in school history this past weekend, making it all the way to the Regional Championship playoff at the SPC Texan Dome in Levelland before the Nazareth powerhouse shut them out of a ticket to the state tournament.

Coach Stacy Manning's Lady Leopard squad had a perfect 9-0 district record, and were 31-5 overall for the season.

"This is the furthest the Lady Leopards have gone in program history, beating last year's record of getting to the Regional Semifinals," said Coach Manning.

The Leopards faced off against the Nazareth Swiftettes in Class 1A Regional finals on Saturday, losing a hard-fought battle 37-30.

Nazareth scored early and held the lead for most of the game. New Home came back and was only two points behind late in the fourth quarter. The Leopards had

to foul for a chance to get the ball back, and Nazareth made the free-throws, sending them to the State tournament.

Johnston was lead scorer with 17 points, including five 3-pointers.

In the first round of the Regional Tournament held at the Texan Dome Feb. 28-29, the Lady Leopards faced the Claude Mustangs and came out on top in a buzzer-beater, 48-46.

McKenzie Johnston led scoring with 19. Kelby Baccus scored 11 points, 6 of them from the free-throw line. Addie Stewart added 8.

"We are so proud of how our girls came together this year," said the coach. "We struggled to find a new chemistry early in the season, but really began making strides after the Christmas break. These girls are selfless, care tremendously for their teammates, and bought in to their roles, their coaches, and each other. We were obviously sad to see the season come to an end, but ultimately we are proud of their determination to finish strong. These girls laid it all on the line and fought every minute for their school with grit, determination, and class."



Did you know?

“ When you snap your finger, your finger moves at about 20 mph. ”
(Oh snap! ... you know you just tried it!)

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Did you know?

- In 2009, Stephen Hawking held a reception for time travelers, but didn't publicize it until after. This way, only those who could time travel would be able to attend. Nobody else attended.
- Violin bows are commonly made from horse hair.

Obituaries



Allen Brown Garrett

Allen Brown Garrett, 74, of Tahoka passed away Wednesday, February 25, 2020. He was born November 5, 1945 in Louisiana to Mr. Garrett and Elzadie Bailey. Allen attended high school in Lovington, New Mexico. He moved from Lovington, New Mexico to Tahoka, Texas. He married Pearl Hood on March 29, 2014 in Tahoka. He worked for Halliburton for 28 years before he retired. Allen was a member of Kingdom Life Fellowship in Lubbock.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his grandson, Jared T. Thomas; and his brother, Donald Ray Garrett.

Allen is survived by his wife, Pearl; daughter, Lisa Michelle Garrett; step-children, Cynthia Brown and husband Willie of Lovington, Patricia Price of Lubbock, Billy Wilborn of Austin, LaTara

Olayinka and husband Jimmy of Lubbock, and Reynell Linton and husband Floyd of Houston; sister, Linda Conley and husband J.B. of Arizona; his special nieces, Debbie Harris, Ollie Jo Lawson, Wanda Wilson, and Tamesha McClelland; 14 grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

A viewing was held from 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Friday, February 28, 2020 at Combest Family Funeral Homes in Tahoka. Services were held at 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 29, 2020 at Kingdom Life Fellowship in Lubbock with burial to follow at Nevels Memorial Cemetery in Tahoka. (PAID)

Letters to the Editor

Concern for cemetery care

To who it may concern: Whoever is responsible for the upkeep of the Nevels Cemetery (Tahoka), you do a good job of cleaning, but my concern is, we pay to beautify our loved one's graves by putting flowers and nametags out there.

This is the second nametag that has been destroyed. I know weather plays its part in fading them, but this time it was ran over, bent up, glass crushed and spilled all on the ground. I took pictures of this and picked it up. Maybe you don't have loved ones buried out there, but sooner or later you will, and I don't think you will like it. I do visit the cemetery and pick up flowers and replace them when the wind blows them away.

This concern is about caring.

- Mrs. Bennie Nance

Did you know?

- There are less than 30 ships in the Royal Canadian Navy which is less than most third-world countries.
- The youngest Pope in history was Pope Benedict IX who was 11 years old at the time of election. He is also the only person to have been the Pope more than once.
- Johnny Cash took only three voice lessons before his teacher advised him to stop taking lessons and to never deviate from his natural voice.



Second place team ... Last Thursday the Tahoka High School boys powerlifting team competed in Sundown, finishing second as a team, out of 12 teams.

Powerlifters compete in Sundown; four qualify for regional event

This past Thursday the Tahoka High School boys powerlifting team competed in Sundown. The boys team, comprised of 11 athletes, finished second as a team, out of 12 teams.

David Perez, Alexander Herevia, Malik Hamilton, and Nicodemus Ayala qualified for regionals and will be competing in Sundown on Saturday, March 14.

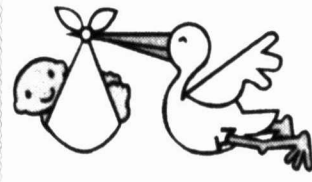
At last week's competition, David Perez finished 2nd in the 114-pound weight class, lifting a total of 680 pounds. John Michael Calzoncit finished 4th in 123-pound weight class lifting a total of

660 pounds. In the 148-pound weight class Jonathan Renteria finished 11th and Paxtyn Gwin finished 13th. In the 165-pound weight class Alexander Herevia finished 2nd lifting 1270. In the 198-pound weight class Nicodemus Ayala finished 1st lifting a total of 1345. In the 220-pound weight class Colton McCarty finished 6th lifting 915 pounds. In the 275-pound weight class Corbin Escobedo finished 2nd lifting a total of 1230 pounds. In the SHW division Kade Hurt finished 2nd lifting a total of 1055 pounds. Also competing for the boys was Malik Hamilton.



Honored ... Traci Jolly of Tahoka, an LCHD EMS medic, was recognized by the Citizen CPR Foundation in their "40 Under 40" Class of 2019. The 40 Under 40 Class of 2019 represents individuals who are dedicated to strengthening the future of Sudden Cardiac Arrest training, response and survival. Traci is one of 40 winners, less than 40 years of age, who have demonstrated extreme passion and have made meaningful contributions to sudden cardiac arrest.

BIRTHS



Zhaylee Josephine Charles Beard

Michael and Shara Beard of San Angelo, announce the birth of their daughter, Zhaylee Josephine Charles Beard, born on February 7, 2020 at 12:15 p.m. at Shannon Medical Center in San Angelo. She weighed 7 lbs, 13 ozs and was 20 1/4 inches long. She has four siblings, Asiyah, Micheal, Jr., Lukas, and Xaidyn Beard.

Grandparents are Carl and Josie Beard of Tahoka, and Charlene Perkins of San Angelo.

Senior Citizens LUNCH MENU

March 9-13

- Monday:** Beef soft taco, Spanish rice, broccoli, corn, mandarin oranges w/ whipped topping
- Tuesday:** Chicken spaghetti, carrots, zucchini, bananas w/ vanilla pudding
- Wednesday:** Veg. beef stew, salad, orange pineapple cup
- Thursday:** Turkey pot pie, corn, salad, ambrosia
- Friday:** Salmon patties, scalloped potatoes, green peas, salad, peach apple crisp

New Home LUNCH MENU

March 9-13

- Monday:** Pancakes/Muffin
- Tuesday:** Burrito/PBJ
- Wednesday:** Power breakfast/Banana Split
- Thursday:** Sausage Kolache/Cereal
- Friday:** Morn. Griddle/Cereal
- Lunch**
- Monday:** Braided Drumstick/Hot Dog
- Tuesday:** Tacos/Frito Pie
- Wednesday:** Lasagna/Chicken Nuggets
- Thursday:** Burgers/Pizza
- Friday:** Pork Sliders/Chicken Parm.
- Caribbean Salad daily

New Home Happenings

by Denise Sherrod

Gospel Singing on Sunday!

The New Home Church of Christ is hosting the Generations Gospel Quartet at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, March 8 (that's this Sunday!). Everyone in the community is invited, and there will be desserts served following the 45-minute program. The Church of Christ is at 325 N. Main (Slide Rd. or FM 1730—it has many names). The program will consist of a cappella hymns and spiritual songs. What a great way to begin the week!

Blessing Box Location Change

The Lady Leopard Blessing Box is now residing outside City Hall, which is the small metallic building to the east of the old gas station on FM 211 (or Broadway when you're feeling fancy). The Blessing Box is for the entire community. If you have extra non-perishable food items, please leave them there for those who may need them. If you do need something, go check it out. There's no sign-in sheet or other red tape. The Lady Leopards started this project as a way to thank the New Home community for its support.

New Home Community Library

When you are paying your water bill this month, go into the library and see if there's something you'd like to read. We have new bookmarks to help you keep your place and several new-to-our-library novels. Spring Break is coming—you may need something to read on the beach or in your corona-virus isolation unit. Wherever YOU read, we have the materials you need!

To submit items to New Home Happenings, email dtsherrod@gmail.com by Tuesdays at 10 a.m.

Please visit these Lynn County Churches

First Baptist Church
1701 Ave. K • Box 1547 • Tahoka, TX 79373
(806) 561-4557 • www.fbctahoka.org
PASTOR CLIFF HOLDRIDGE
Sunday School - 9:45 am
Morning Worship Service - 10:45 am
SNL (Youth) - 6:00 pm Sunday
Activities For All Ages - Call For Complete Schedule

A Time for Comfort
He comforts us in all our troubles so that we can comfort others. When they are troubled, we will be able to give them the same comfort God has given us.
2 Corinthians 1:4
A young woman sat with head bowed and tears flowing, the heaviness and pain of loss weighing her down. She cried out to the Lord for help as a child cries out for her mother. Almost immediately, God's comfort came. It was a though a tangible weight lifted and a breath of hope settled.

Draw First United Methodist Church
(established 1907)
P.O. Box 496 • O'Donnell, TX 79351
Phone (806) 428-3357
PASTOR: REV. WESTON PENDERGRASS
Sunday Morning Worship - 9:15 am

Tahoka Trinity Church
1925 Lockwood • Box 1168 • Tahoka • (806) 561-5317
PASTOR: PERRY SHUFFIELD
Sunday School - 9:45 am
Sunday Morning Worship - 10:45 am
Sunday Evening Worship - 6 pm
Youth - Sundays at 7 pm
For a ride to Sunday School or Church, call 561-5317

Are you in a time of mourning? Perhaps you've lost a big piece of your life - your job, a friendship, or a loved one. Ecclesiastes tells us, "There is a time to weep and a time to laugh, a time to mourn and a time to dance." In the brief years we spend on this planet, we experience seasons of great joy and seasons when we need God's comfort and peace more than the air we breathe. One day, God will use your suffering to bring encouragement and hope to others.

Wilson St. John Lutheran Church
13th & Dickson • Wilson, TX 79381 • (806) 628-6573
Sharing Christ's message of forgiveness and salvation with our community and beyond.
TONDA FREITAS, PLM
Sunday School - 9:30 am • Sunday Worship - 10:45 am

Wilson First Baptist Church
1403 13th St. • Box 67 • Wilson, TX 79381 • (806) 628-6333
PASTOR: BILLY PARMER
Sunday School - 9:45 am
Sunday Worship - 11:00 am & 6:00 pm
Discipleship Training - 5 pm Sunday
6:30 pm Wednesdays:
Fellowship Meal & Classes for all ages
• Bible Study & Prayer Mtg • Youth

I am so thankful that in my time of sorrow, you offer me comfort. I ask for relief from my heartache and receive it, Lord, in Jesus' name.
Do you need a church home? Please visit one of the churches listed on this page. May the peace and love of God, in Christ, be with you.

New Home Church of Christ
324 N. Main • Box 188 • New Home, TX 79383 • (806) 924-7579
MINISTER: MIKE HEATWOLE
Bible Class - 9:00 am
Sunday Worship Service - 10:00 am
Wednesday Evening Bible Study - 6:30 pm

First Methodist of Tahoka
1801 Ave. J • Tahoka • (806) 561-4503
email: fumctahoka@poka.com
Billy Everett, Pastor
Sunday School - 9:30 am
Sunday Worship - 10:30 am (Fellowship Hall)
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Let the Children Come 7 am-6 pm
LICENSED CHILD CARE 806-561-4529 M-F

Grassland Nazarene Church
2885 CR 25 • Tahoka, TX 79373 • (806) 327-5656
Pastor Genell Knisley
(806) 201-0792
Sunday School - 10:00 am
Sunday Morning Worship - 11:00 am
Wednesday Prayer Service - 7:00 pm

Sweet Street Baptist Church
1300 AVENUE J • BOX 751 • TAHOKA, TX 79373 • (806) 561-5310
Sunday School - 9:45 am
(A Bible Study Class for all ages)
Morning Worship - 10:50 am
(Uplifting Music - Message from God's Word)
Wednesday Night - 6 pm
(Prayer & Bible Study, Children & Youth Ministries)
EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

Wilson St. Paul Lutheran Church
16th & Houston St. • Box 136 • Wilson, TX 79381
(806) 628-6471 • www.stpaulwilson.com
PASTOR: DAVID W. ROLDE
Sunday School 9:15 am • Divine Service 10:15 am
"Where Christ Serves People"

New Home United Methodist Church
Pastor Madoc Thomas
(806) 470-2939
emt@madocthomas.com
350 N. Main • New Home, TX 79383
(806) 924-7549
Sunday School 9:45 am • Worship 10:45 am



Going to rebuild ... This week the charred remains of the Dixie Dog Drive-In in Tahoka, destroyed in a fire last October, were being demolished. Owner Mercy Tejada says the family is going to rebuild a new Dixie Dog in the same location on Main Street. (LCN PHOTO by Pam Elrod)

Tahoka Dixie Dog Drive-In to rebuild at same location

by JUANELL JONES

It's been a little more than four months since an early-morning blaze destroyed the Dixie Dog Drive-In in Tahoka, an iconic drive-in located at 1802 Main Street that has long been a favorite of locals. It was a Friday, on Oct. 11, 2019, on the morning of Tahoka's Homecoming weekend, that the drive-in burned down. Since then, the charred remains have been a stark reminder of the demise of the popular eatery.

This week the owner's family have begun demolition of the remains, and they intend to rebuild in the same location.

"The Dixie Dog sign is still standing out front, and we will keep that," Mercy Tejada, owner, told *The News* this week. "But we are going to put a new building in the same place as the building that burned," she added.

The awning over the front area where the picnic tables were located is salvageable, but the building that housed the kitchen and drive-up window is all being torn down, as the damage from the fire was excessive. Mrs. Tejada said the new building may be slightly smaller than the previous building.

Mrs. Tejada said that when the fire occurred, she had been in the process of getting information to have the building insured, but had not yet purchased the policy, so the building was not covered by insurance.

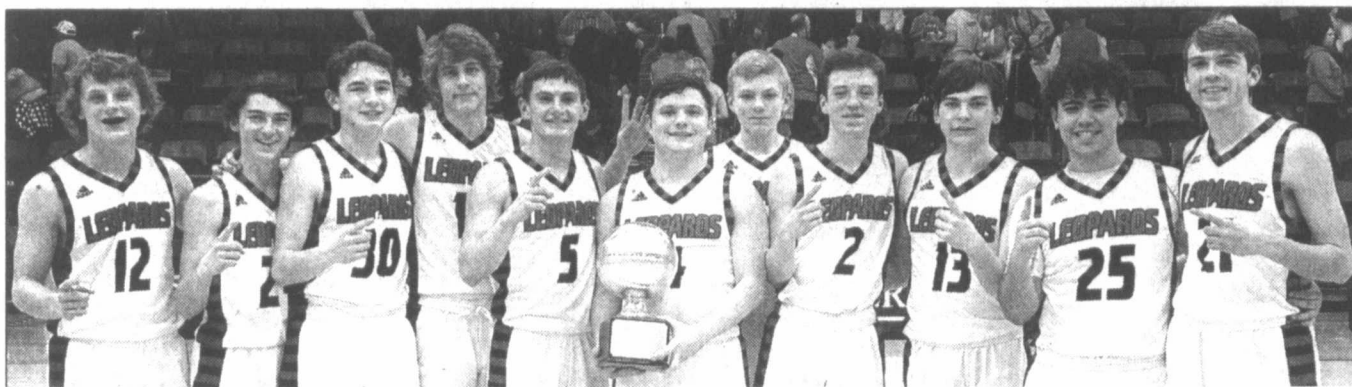
"It's expensive to rebuild," Mrs. Tejada admitted, "but we're rebuilding for the kids and grandkids, to have something to play with," she added with a laugh.

She did not know when the new Dixie Dog Drive-In would be completed.

"When we reopen, we'll have the original Dixie Dogs that everybody loved, and we'll still have Mercy's Special (a Mexican dinner)," she added, noting that family members were going to operate the new Dixie Dog Drive-In.

Did you know?

- You have over 600 muscles
- After you've eaten it takes approximately 12 hours for food to entirely digest
- A soap bubble is 10,000 times thinner than the average human hair
- There are over 60,000 miles of blood vessels in the average person



Leopards are Area Champions ... The New Home Leopards claimed the Area Championship trophy after beating Ropes 61-37 on Friday, advancing to the regional quarterfinals this week. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)

NH Leopards win Area with big win over Ropes

by RACHEL VEGA

The New Home Leopards took on the Ropes Eagles to win Area on Thursday, Feb. 27, and won 61-37. The win advanced the Leopards to the

Regional Quarterfinals on March 3, facing face Borden County in Slaton.

The Leopards took the lead early in the Area playoff, ending the first quarter 12-8,

and never looked back. They had a good 29-12 lead at the half.

They continued to dominate both offensively and defensively and went into the 4th

quarter with a 48-27 lead. At the final buzzer, New Home topped Ropes 61-37

Jordan Moore and Ryan Weeks led scoring for New Home with 16 points each. Trevor Wilson had 14, and Reagan Fiedler had 11.



Quarterfinal Champions ... The New Home Leopards claimed the Regional Quarterfinal Championship trophy after beating Borden County, advancing to the regional tournament this weekend. They face Texline at 1 p.m. Friday in the semifinals. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)

New Home Leopards head to Regional Tourney

by RACHEL VEGA

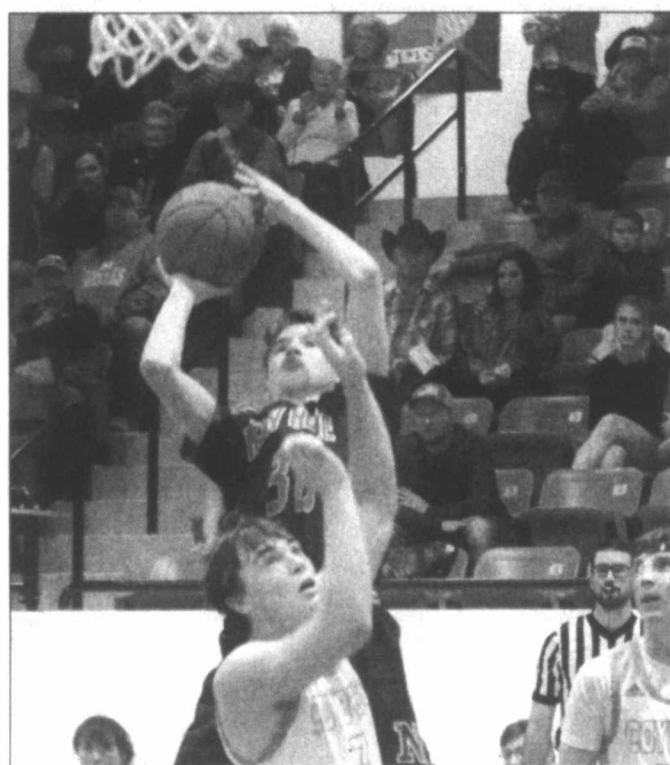
The New Home Leopards are headed to the Regional Tournament after defeating the Borden County Coyotes 42-27 on Tuesday, March 3, in the Regional Quarterfinals in Slaton. They will face Texline in 1A Regional Semifinals, at 1 pm Friday at SPC Texan Dome in Levelland. Texline beat Valley 54-50 in the quarterfinals to advance.

New Home took the lead early in the game and led at the end of the first quarter 11-6. They continued to hit the backboards and went into halftime leading 19-8.

They came out even stronger after the half and finished the third quarter with a 30-15 lead.

When the final buzzer sounded, New Home ended Borden County's run 42-27.

Freshman Regan Fiedler was high point with 16. Ryan Weeks added 12.



Jump shot ... New Home's Reagan Fiedler (30) goes up for a basket in the Leopards' regional quarterfinal win over Borden County Tuesday night. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)

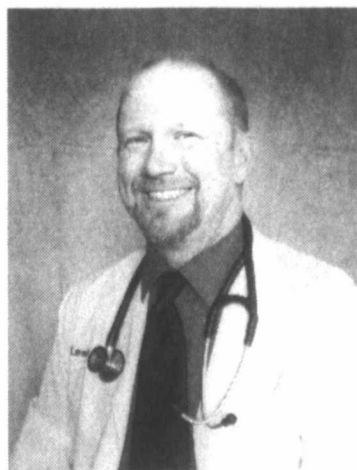
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Lynn County Hospital District
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as we celebrate the
Retirement
of
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Wednesday, March 11, 2020
from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m.
LCHD Meeting Room
2600 Lockwood, Tahoka, Tx



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CHRISTOPHER LEACH, M.D.

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Eagles are Area Champions ... The O'Donnell Eagles claimed the Area Championship trophy after beating the Morton Indians 49-42 on Friday, advancing to the regional quarterfinals this week. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)

O'Donnell Eagles win Area with 49-42 victory

by RACHEL VEGA

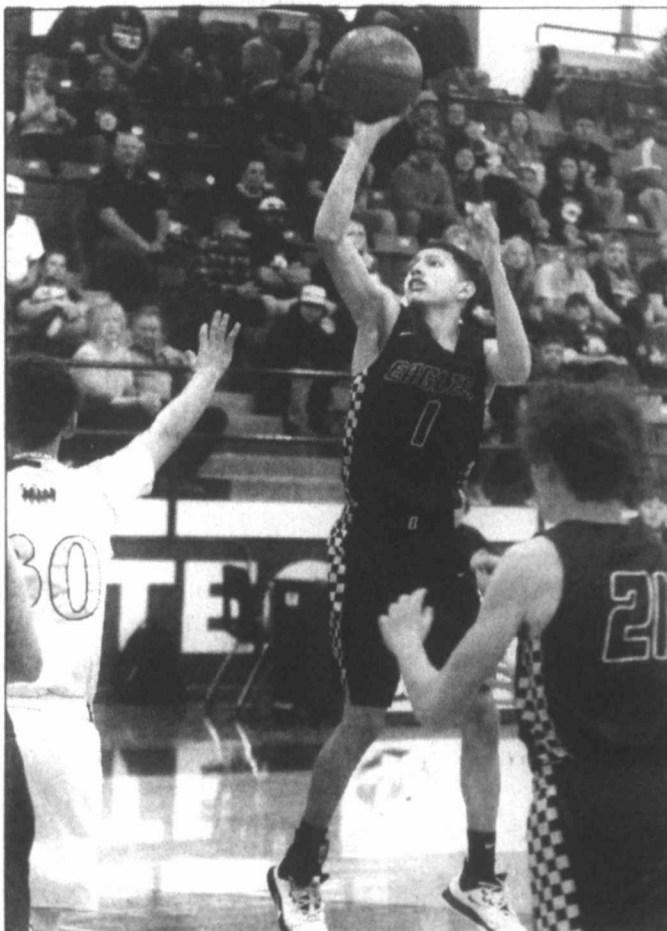
The O'Donnell Screamin' Eagles faced off against the Morton Indians on Friday, Feb. 28 in the Area round of Class 1A basketball playoffs. After trailing the first three periods, the Eagles pulled ahead and beat the Indians 49-42 to win the Area championship trophy. The win advanced the Eagles to the Regional Quarterfinals, facing Klondike March 3 in Seminole.

Morton hit the backboards early on and had an 18-6 lead on O'Donnell going into the 1st quarter. The Eagles began to strike back and narrowed the gap, trailing by just three at the half, 26-29.

The Eagles continued to battle in the 3rd quarter and were just one basket behind going into the last quarter, 30-32. The fourth quarter found the Eagles fighting on both ends of the court, and they were able to continue to put in the points, winning by seven.

Sophomore Robert Zavala led the scoring with 14. Senior Austin Alvear added 11.

CONGRATULATIONS! to the Screamin' Eagles



Eagles rule ... Austin Alvear (1) eyes the basket for a shot in the O'Donnell Eagles' Area win over Morton 49-42 on Friday. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)



Quarterfinal Champs!... O'Donnell beat Klondike 69-50 for the Regional Quarterfinal title Tuesday. They advance to the Regional Tournament in Levelland this weekend.

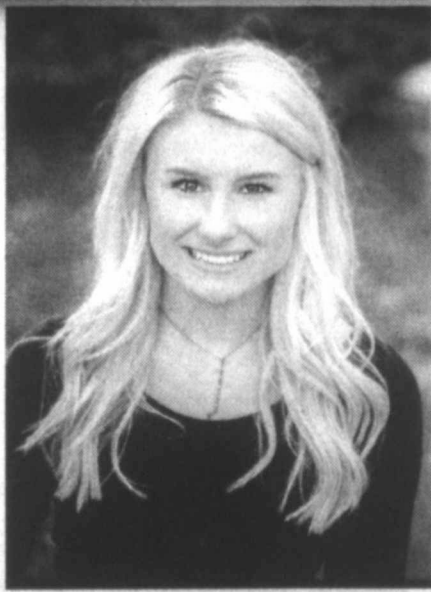
O'Donnell Eagles head to regional tourney

The O'Donnell Eagles are headed to the Regional UIL Basketball Tournament in Levelland this weekend, after clinching the Regional Quarterfinal title over Klondike Tuesday night. The Eagles will face Nazareth in regional semifinals at 2:30 p.m. Friday at the SPC Texan Dome.

The Eagles beat Klondike 69-50 at Seminole High School gym Tuesday. The Eagles gained a 16-8 lead by the end of the first quarter, but Klondike rallied in the

second, with O'Donnell only 2 points ahead by the half, 29-27. In the third period, the Eagles strengthened their lead by 10, leading 47-37 going into the final period. The Eagles added 22 points in the fourth, while holding Klondike to 13 for the win.

AG TEXAS AgYouth of the MONTH



AgTexas Farm Credit Services is proud to honor our Ag Youth of the Month!

Kyley Gill

- Senior, New Home High School, 4.13 GPA
- Chapter FFA President, Chapter FFA Secretary
- State Qualifier in Livestock Judging
- Greenhand FFA Degree, Chapter FFA Degree
- Member of Lynn County 4-H, New Home FFA, National Honors Society, FCA, Student Council, UIL, Varsity Basketball, Cheer, Track and Cross Country.

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Fort Worth Stock Show Winners



Ft Worth Breed Champion ... Sawyer May, Tahoka FFA, showed the Breed Champion American Steer at the Fort Worth Stock Show.



Ft Worth Show ... Peyton Huffaker, Tahoka FFA, showed the 3rd Place Crossbred Steer at the Fort Worth Stock Show.



Ft Worth Show ... Jady Woodley, Tahoka FFA, showed the 8th Place Crossbred Steer at the Fort Worth Stock Show.



Tournament Champions! ... The Lady Bulldogs were the Tournament Champions in the Hale Center Varsity Softball Tournament over the weekend, shutting out Hale Center, Dimmitt, Clarendon and Muleshoe for the title.

Lady Bulldogs undefeated in softball, hosting tournament here this weekend

The Tahoka Lady Bulldogs softball team have a perfect record to date, at 7-0 as of Monday's win over Estacado, following a four-game shut-out to claim the Hale Center Varsity Softball Tournament Championship.

The Lady Bulldogs participated in the Hale Center Varsity Softball Tournament over the weekend of Feb. 27-29, winning four games over three days. Noelani Rodriguez and Keyana Quintero pitched for Tahoka, only allowing 8 runs over the entire tournament and the Lady Bulldogs scored a total of 29 runs on their way to winning the tournament championship! Karlie Swinford led the scoring and had a three-run homer in the first game against Hale Center, which Tahoka won 9-0. They beat Dimmitt 7-1, Clarendon 7-2, and Muleshoe 6-5.

The Lady Bulldogs traveled to Lubbock Monday night to play Estacado. Nina Arriazola led the team in RBI's driving in five runs with a double in the first, a single in the third and a single in the fourth. Noelani Rodriguez got the start for Tahoka surrendering zero runs on one hit over five innings, striking out 11 batters. The Lady Bulldogs won the game 12-0 and are now 7-0 on the season.

The JV also got the victory with a score of 12-7. Keyana Quintero pitched for the Lady Bulldogs and Kazmine Sires had a homerun in the 3rd.

Both the Varsity and JV softball teams will play this Thursday through Saturday in the Tahoka Varsity Softball Tournament.

Wilson man dies after one-vehicle accident

by JUANELL JONES

A Wilson man succumbed to injuries sustained in a one-vehicle accident in Lubbock County Sunday night. The driver, Alfredo Antonio Pantoja, 40, of Wilson, was pronounced deceased at University Medical Center in Lubbock after he was transported for injuries sustained when his 2002 Ford Taurus collided with a guardrail while traveling southbound on US 87 near Woodrow Road at 9:30 p.m., according to information from the Texas Dept. of Public Safety. The report stated that Pantoja was not wearing a seat belt.

A motorist hit a deer about one mile south of Tahoka on US 87 southbound lanes, at 5:46 a.m. Sunday, March 1. He reported that his vehicle was still drivable, but needed a report for insurance purposes.

A red utility trailer carrying a steam cleaner was reported stolen from a driveway of a residence on US 87

sometime during the night on Saturday.

Vandalism was reported at the New Lynn Gin, CR CC and CR 20, on Feb. 26. The caller reported that one of his vehicles had been stripped down and drug out in the middle of the road.

Lynn County Sheriff's Office was called to a residence on US 87 at 6:11 p.m. Feb. 25 for a report of a break-in and assault. The caller reported that her boyfriend had been assaulted by another male

that had broken into their residence, and reportedly threatened to kill them if \$20 was not returned that he claimed was missing from his residence. The individual left the premises before deputies arrived at the scene.

A driver was arrested at 4:44 a.m. Feb. 29, when Tahoka Police found his vehicle stopped in the middle of the southbound lane of US 87 at CR 19. The report stated that the vehicle was locked and the man appeared to be "passed out" and unable to unlock the door. The police officer, with assistance from a deputy, forced entry into the vehicle and the driver was reported to be resisting. He was arrested on charges of assaulting a public servant.

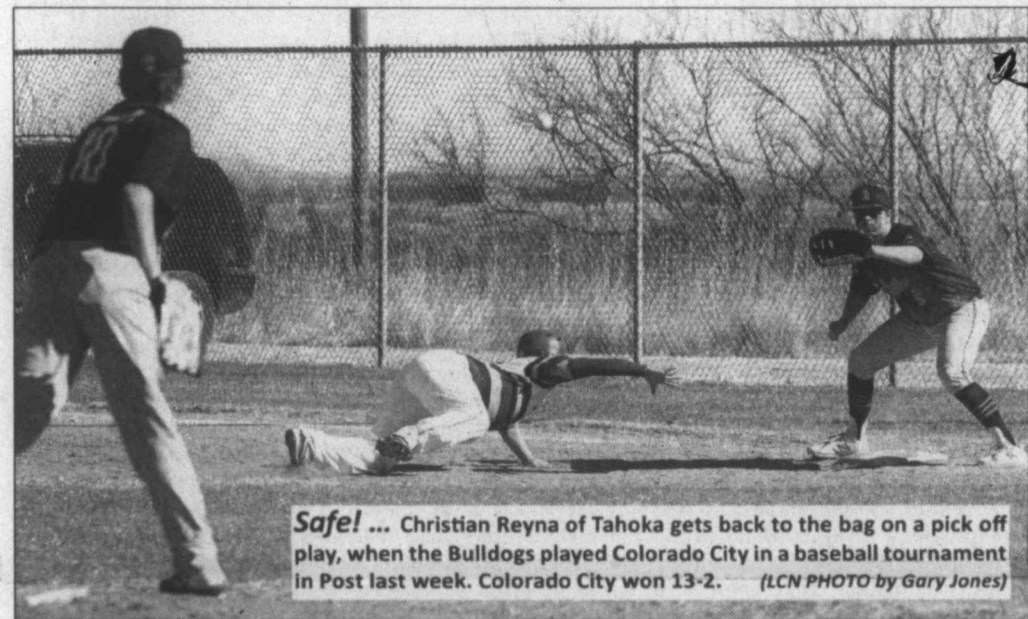
The Sheriff's Office received several calls regarding suspicious vehicles, including four calls from the same residence on FM 1730 about a man who kept coming onto their property several times over the course of two weeks, reportedly acting strangely and asking questions. On the last time that the man showed up at his property, the caller

reported he told the man to leave and the male shoved him before leaving.

Deputies also assisted several motorists and responded to domestic disturbance calls.

Lynn County Jail held 41 inmates during the week, including 24 held for Ector

County, 2 for Floyd, and 15 for Lynn. Local charges included one for assault causes bodily injury to family member, one for theft of services, one for possession of marijuana, one for FTA-possession of marijuana, and one for assaulting a public servant.



Safe! ... Christian Reyna of Tahoka gets back to the bag on a pick off play, when the Bulldogs played Colorado City in a baseball tournament in Post last week. Colorado City won 13-2. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)



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FCCLA conference ... Members of the Tahoka High School Chapter of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America attended the Region 1 Conference, which was held in Lubbock, Feb. 21-22. Pictured in back row from left: Natalie Lopez, Abigail Bernal, Nina Arriazola, Meah Vera, Dylan Quintero, Brany Fluellen; Middle row: Maribel Garcia, Danalyn Garcia, Patricia Camargo, John Calzoncit, Joey Herrera, Alexia Saldana; Front row: Karin Iles, Alex Perez, Anazaya Reyna, and Hope Quintero.

THS FCCLA members attend regional conference; 8 advance to state events

Members of the Tahoka High School Chapter of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America attended the Region 1 Conference, which was held in Lubbock, Feb. 21-22. Eight THS students qualified to advance to state competition in their respective events.

The chapter members were among 1,200 delegates attending the two-day conference. The youth developed the theme "Texas FCCLA: Our Legacy, Your Future" to celebrate FCCLA's 75th Anniversary. The meeting featured a series of specialized leadership tracks and general sessions in which members discovered ways to become actively involved in issues facing today's youth.

STAR (Students Taking Action with Recognition) and Proficiency Events are competitive events in which members participate in at the regional meeting. These events allow members to showcase their life skills in different areas of competition. Nina Arriazola, Abigail Bernal and Danalyn Garcia, all seniors at Tahoka High School placed 3rd in Interior Design, Level 3 STAR Event competition.

Interior Design is an individual or team event which recognizes participants who apply interior design skills learned in Family and Consumer Sciences courses to design spaces to meet client needs. In advance, participants will create design deliverables addressing the specifics of the design scenario provided to them. Participants must prepare a set of design boards showcasing their company, ideas, and designs. In addition, students must give an oral presentation to their "clients" and answer questions

related to their designs. Nina, Abigail and Danalyn will advance to the state competition.

Alex Perez, junior at Tahoka High School placed 2nd in Say Yes to FCS, Level 3 STAR Event competition. Say Yes to FCS Education is an individual event which recognizes participants who demonstrate the knowledge and skills needed to explore and experience the career of being a Family and Consumer Sciences educator. Participants must prepare a portfolio, conduct classroom observations, plan and execute a lesson, develop an FCCLA integration plan, and deliver an oral presentation. Alex titled her project "Get On Board with FCS" and asked 8th grade students at Tahoka Middle School to think about choosing Family and Consumer Sciences as a career. Alex will advance to the state competition.

Dylan Quintero, junior at Tahoka High School placed 2nd in Sports Nutrition, Level 3 STAR Event competition. Sports Nutrition is an individual or team event which recognizes participants who use Family and Consumer Sciences skills to plan and develop an individualized nutritional plan to meet the needs of a competitive student athlete in a specific sport. Participants must prepare a sample nutrition and hydration plan based upon nutritional and energy needs of the student athlete. The participants must prepare a visual, an oral presentation, and demonstrate a method to be used by the athlete to assist with nutrition management. Dylan will advance to the state competition.

Patricia Camargo, sophomore at Tahoka High School placed 2nd in Teach and Train, Level 2 STAR Event com-

petition. Teach and Train, an individual event, recognizes participants who demonstrate their ability to explore and experience the career of teaching or training. Participants must prepare a portfolio of the teaching/training career, prepare and execute a complete lesson/workshop plan and an oral presentation. Level 2 and Level 3 participants will also complete a shadowing experience of a "best practices" educator. Patricia titled her project "Express Yourself!" and taught expressions to a 7th grade math class at Tahoka Middle School. Patricia will advance to the state competition.

Maribel Garcia, junior at Tahoka High School participated in Cupcake Presentation, Level 3 Proficiency Event. Cupcake Presentation, an individual event, promotes Hospitality and Culinary Arts. Individuals must bake, decorate and display six cupcakes. Cupcakes will be evaluated on overall appearance, cake flavor, texture, frosting consistency, flavor, originality, and mise en place. Individuals are required to bake, decorate, and display 6 cupcakes, prepare a file folder, and an oral presentation.

Several members of the Tahoka FCCLA Chapter participated in taking a Family and Consumer Sciences Assessment, a subject-oriented objective test. Kailyn DeLeon and Meah Vera, seniors, and Brany Fluellen and John Michael Calzoncit, juniors, took the Step One exam. Karin Iles, Natalie Lopez, Anazaya Reyna, Alexia Saldana, and Hope Quintero, freshmen, took the Creed, Mission and Purpose exam. Tahoka FCCLA received 2 gold, 2 silver, 1 bronze, and 4 participation medals. Meah Vera and Hope

Quintero will advance to the state competition.

Joey Herrera, senior, represented Tahoka FCCLA as the Region I Vice President of Parliamentary Law. Joey held a variety of responsibilities, along with 16 other region officers, to ensure the success of the conference. In particular,

Mr. Herrera's duties included hosting the House of Delegates, the official business meeting for the region and overseeing the election process of the 2020-2021 Region I officer slate. Although this is his last year as an officer, Joey will assist region and state officers at the state leadership

conference in Dallas.

Amy Izzard and Whitney Wilson, FCCLA advisors, accompanied the students to Lubbock for the two-day event. Students that advanced will be competing at the FCCLA state competition April 1-4 in Dallas.

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NOTICE TO DEFENDANTS: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the Clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of twenty-eight (28) days after the issuance of this citation, a default judgment may be taken against you."

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of twenty-eight (28) days from the date of the issuance of the citation, the same being Monday, March 16, 2020, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m., before the 109TH DISTRICT COURT of Andrews County, at the Courthouse in Andrews, Texas, located at 201 North Main, Andrews, Texas 79714.

Said Plaintiff's petition was filed in Cause Number 21,535 on April 24, 2019, on the docket of said court, and styled

LONESOME OIL, L.L.C., PLAINTIFF, V. SANDRA TRACEY, AS PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE ESTATE OF DENNIS M. ALWARD, DECEASED ET AL, DEFENDANTS.

A brief statement of the nature of the suit is as follows: This suit serves to quiet title in the following lands: Sections 18, 19 and 22, Block Abstract-37, Public School Lands Survey, Andrews County, Texas; Section 2, Block Abstract-51, Public School Lands Survey, Andrews County, Texas; Section 3, Block Abstract-53, Public School Lands Survey, Andrews County, Texas; Section 10, Block Abstract-13, Public School Lands Survey, Gaines County, Texas; Sections 22, 24 and 25, Block Abstract-25, Public School Lands Survey, Gaines County, Texas; Sections 2 and 4, Block Abstract-26, Public School Lands Survey, Gaines County, Texas; Sections 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 13, 14, 16, 17, 21 and 22, Block Abstract-27, Public School Lands Survey, Gaines County, Texas; Section 1, Block Abstract-30, Public School Lands Survey, Gaines County, Texas; Sections 14 and 15, Block Abstract X, Public School Lands Survey, Gaines County, Texas; and Section 1, Rusk Trans. Co. Sy., Lynn County, Texas.

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BY: /s/ Jackie Alaniz
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Defense ... New Home Lady Leopards Kelby Baccus (30), Kiley Gill (21) and Carley Smith (11) work the defense against the Nazareth Swiftettes in the regional finals on Saturday. The Lady Leopards stayed with the Swiftettes throughout, but were unable to get the win in the end, 30-27. (LCN PHOTO by Abraham Vega)

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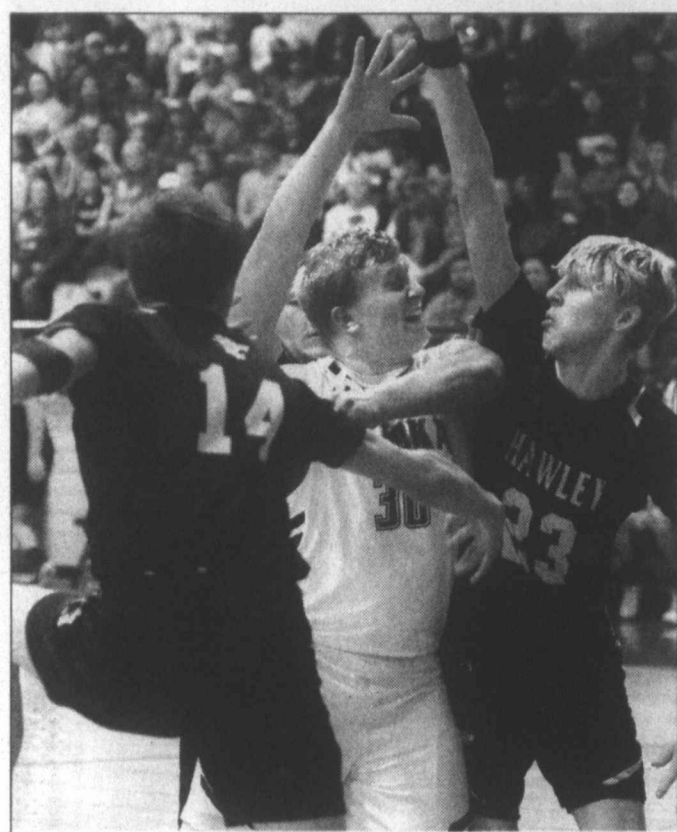
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Surrounded ... Cameron Tekell (#30) has a hard time getting two, surrounded by Hawley players at the Area playoff last week, but he tossed in 12 points for the Bulldogs that night. Tahoka won 46-38 to claim the Area title in Class 2A basketball. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

Bulldogs get the gold ball with 46-38 win at Area

by JUANELL JONES

The Tahoka Bulldogs probably brought home some battle scars from Friday night's Area win over Hawley, as it was a fast and physical game at the Snyder High School gym - but they brought home the gold basketball too. Tahoka beat Hawley 46-38 for the Area championship trophy in the Class 2A battle, to advance to the regional quarterfinals in the boys UIL state basketball playoffs.

Hawley, runnerup in District 7, had outscored Winters 62-48 in the bi-district round to face the Bulldogs at Area.

Tahoka came out hot in the first quarter, with Braden Stone hitting two 3-pointers as the Bulldogs racked up 16 points while holding Hawley to 10, but the Bearcats rallied in the second, adding 8 points and tying the Bulldogs 18-18 late in the second. The Dogs only managed 4 points in the quarter, but led 20-18 at the half.

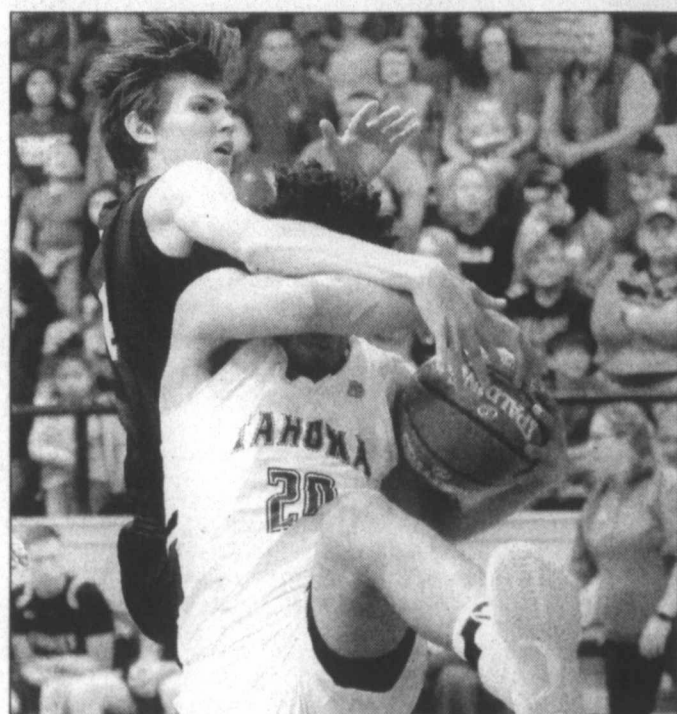
Soul Moore (#20) took a hard fall in the first period, but came back in the game minutes later. Another hard fall in the second quarter, however, kept him out for the second half of the game.

The third period was close, with Hawley keeping pace and tying at 26-26 about halfway through the quarter, but the Bulldogs never trailed. The Dogs persevered, adding 14 points to Hawley's 12, and led 34-30 going into the final eight minutes. The Bulldogs added 12 points in the final period, keeping the lead throughout as Hawley tossed in 8 points.

Scoring leaders for Tahoka were Braden Stone 14, Cameron Tekell 12, Tristen Stice 9, and Sean Reed 7, all



Champions! ... Tahoka Bulldog fans cheer for their team, as they are awarded the Area trophy for their 46-38 win over Hawley on Friday. (LCN PHOTO by Juanell Jones)



Lot of contact ... Tahoka's #20 Soul Moore gets the rebound in a very physical game against Hawley in the Area Championship at Snyder. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

of whom contributed a total of seven 3-point baskets for the night.

Rebounding leaders were Malik Hamilton 8, Sean Reed 7, Tristen Stice 6, and Cameron Tekell 5.

"The Bulldogs had a great game against Hawley," said Coach Lonnie Burnam. "The Bulldogs out-rebounded the Bearcats 36 to 26 which is a major reason for the win," he added.

Dogs edged out at quarterfinals

by JUANELL JONES

The Tahoka Bulldogs finished a great season Tuesday night, edged out by Wink at the Regional Quarterfinals in Class 2A UIL basketball playoffs. Wink won 55-51 in playoff action at the Andrews High School gym.

The Bulldogs, minus starter Soul Moore who had injured his knee in the previous playoff game, led at the end of the first quarter 13-12, and were tied 28-28 at the half. Wink pulled ahead slightly in the third, leading by 7 at one point, but the gap closed with the Bulldogs trailing by 4 going into the final period, 41-45.

Moore tried to come back into the action in the fourth, and managed a 2-point basket, but was able to stay in less than two minutes due to his knee. The Dogs caught up to Wink with two minutes remaining, tied 51-51, but missed free throws hurt the Dogs' chances, and Wink pulled ahead 55-51 for the win.

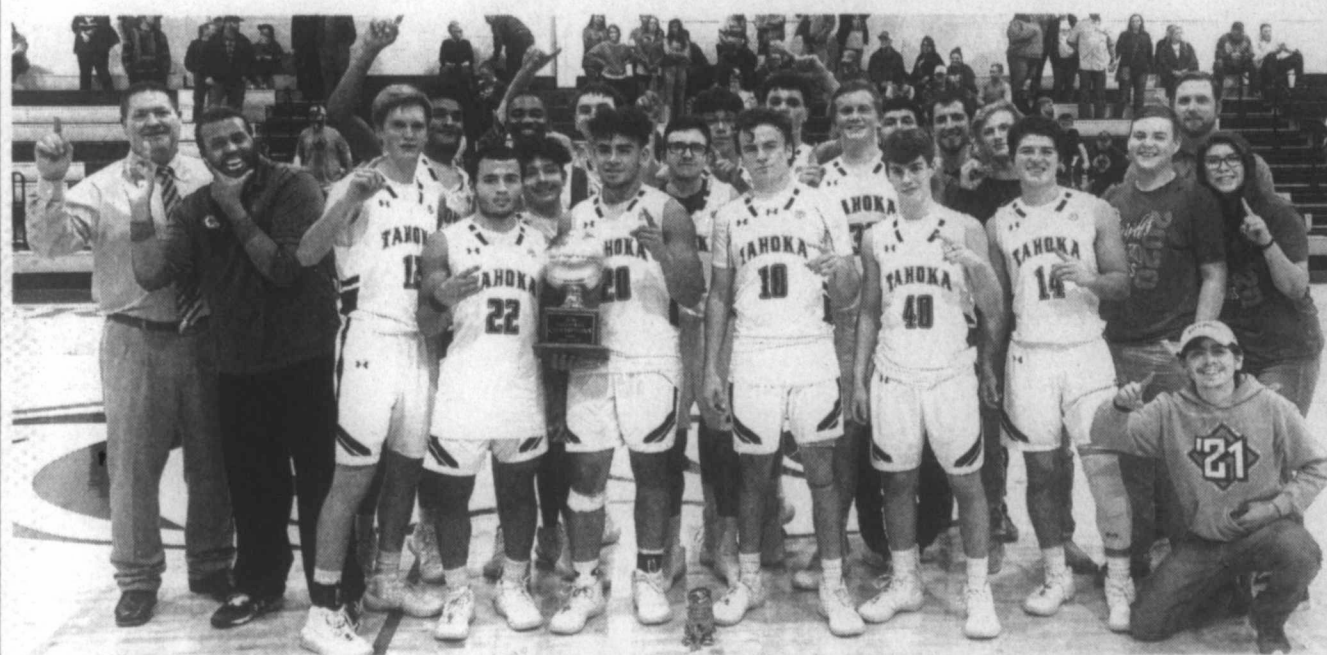
Tristen Stice had 21 points for the night, including two 3-pointers. Braden Stone added 11.

Coach Lonnie Burnam's Bulldog squad had a good run for the season, with an overall 19-15 record and 8-1 district record.

**Good job, Bulldogs!
Great Season!**



Area Champions!



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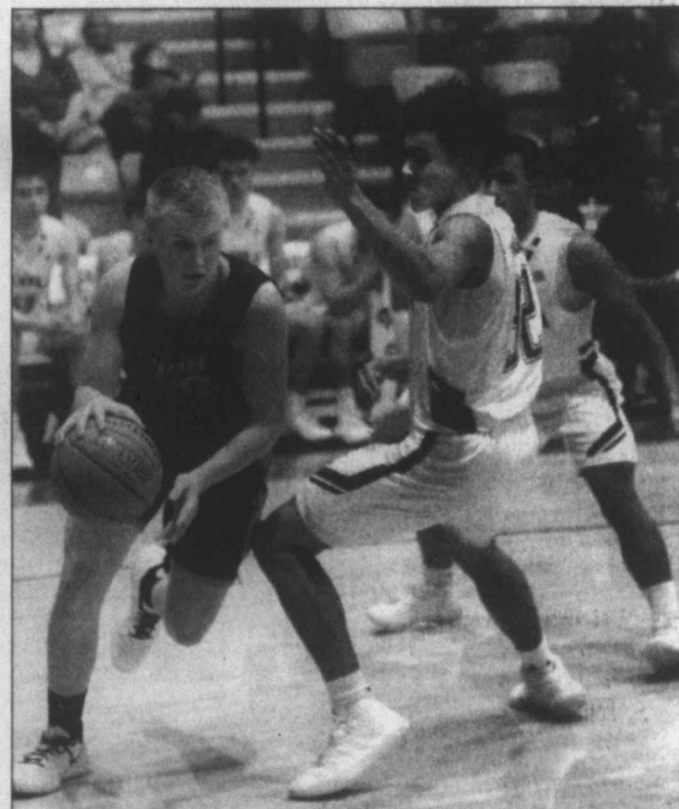
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Defense ... #32 Nate Castillo stops a Wink player from driving the base line, with Malik Hamilton behind him, in Tahoka's regional quarterfinal loss to Wink. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

THS track teams compete in Roosevelt field events

This past week the Tahoka High School boys and girls track teams competed in Roosevelt in only field events.

For JV boys, Iain Deleon finished 1st in long jump with a jump of 18 feet 2.5 inches and Hunter Garrison finished second with a jump of 18 feet 1 inch. In shot put Jon'Dylan Rodriguez finished second with a throw of 32 feet 2 inches. In discus Ismael Garcia finished 3rd with a throw of 80 feet 1 inch and Kade Hurt finished 5th with a throw of 69 feet 1 inch.

In the JV girls division, Devony Nambo finished first in long jump with a jump of 12 feet 4.5 inches and Anelyssa Elizondo finished 4th with a jump of 10 feet. In triple jump Anelyssa Elizondo finished 2nd with a jump of 22 feet 8 inches. In High Jump Kylie McNeely finished 2nd with a height of 3 feet 10 inches.

In the Varsity boys division, David Perez finished 3rd in the 3200 Meter run with a time of 12 minutes 41 seconds,

Joey Herrera finished 4th with a time of 13 minutes 41 seconds, and John Micahel Calzonciti finished 5th with a time of 13 minutes 45 seconds. In Long Jump John Stone finished 2nd with a jump of 19 feet 9.75 inches and in Triple Jump John finished 3rd with a jump of 39 feet 11 inches. In Shot Put Colton McCarty finished 4th with a throw of 35 feet 1 inch and in Discus David Ayala finished 6th with a throw of 90 feet 9.25 inches.

In the Varsity girls division, Nina Arriazola finished 1st in shot put with a throw of 27 feet 8.5 inches. In Discus Kazmyn Sires finished 1st with a throw of 64 feet 11 inches, Nina Arriazola finished 3rd with a throw of 62 feet 6.5 inches, and Karlie Swinford finished 4th with a throw of 61 feet. In High Jump Amy Tew finished 6th clearing a height of 4 feet 2 inches.

The next track meet will be Friday March 13th in Tahoka at The Bulldog Relays.



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