Indonesia's bird flu d
rises to 52 An Indonesian man who had been
suffering from bird flu for days
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official said, taking Indonesia's death toll from the disease to 52 .
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## Two-thirds of Japanese new PM Abe

 New Prime Minister Shinzo Abeenjoys the backing of around two thirds of the Japanese public making him one of the country
most popular leaders most popular leaders ever as he
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veys showed on Thursday.

## Argentines rally for missing "Dirty War

 missing "Dirtywitness Tens of thousands of Argentines
rallied on Wednesday for the safe rallied on Wednesday for the safe
ty of an elderly man who vanished after his testimony of torture
helped convict a former police officer in a "Dirty War" trial.

School gunman kills girl, himself An armed man took two girls
hostage at a Coiorado high school on Wednesday, fatally shooting one of the students and then him
self when police stormed the classroom where he was barricad
ed, authorities said.
 Suicide bomb vicims can sue
NatWest: NY judge
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New York trans fat ban: L saver or Orwellian?
A proposal to ban most artery clogging trans fats from New York's restaurants could restaurateurs, supporters of th initiative said on Wednesday

Cowboys' Owens denies Dallas $\begin{aligned} & \text { attempted suicide } \\ & \text { Cowboys } \\ & \text { football }\end{aligned}$ Terrell Owens denied reports o Wednesday he attempted suicio
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MySpace may be worth $\$ 15$ bil-
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MySpace, the social networkin $\$ 15$ billion within three year measured in terms of the value created for shareholders of parent
company News Corp. a Wall company News Corp., a Wall
Street media analyst forecast on Wednesday.

Japan's Sanyo may cut 1,000 more jobs
Struggling electronics maker
Sanyo Electric Co. <6764.T> is considering slashing up to 1,000 appliance operations, the Sanke daily reported on Thursday.
U.S. home sales up, durable goods orders fall Sales of new U.S. homes unex
pectedly rose in August after July sales came in much weaker tha durable goods fell, according to government reports Wednesday that signaled continHP director says CEO has full support of board
A Hewlett-Packard Co. director
said on Wednesday Chief Executive Mark Hurd has the full support of the board and that there
have been no discussions whether Hurd might resign amid the con troversy over the company investigation into boardroon leaks.

Japan's Sanyo may cut 1,000 more jobs
Jater Sanyo Electric Co. <6764.T> is more jobs as it seeks to rebuild its appliance operations, the Sankei

(Back Row, L-R) Rotarians Maria Sibley, Jason Cantrell, Neely Landrum, and President Justin Boyd; (Middle, L-R) Reading Recovery Teachers Kristi Ramon, Verlin Winegarner; (Front Row,
-R) students Yolitzin Hernandez, Eric Vela, Danny Loya, and Elena Silvia.

Gus Birdwell Elementary Literacy Program Receives Grant from Rotary

 was presented a check to benefit by Spearman Rotary benefits the not be overstated. Rotary's goal is
Gus Birdwell Elementary School's Hansford County Library. $\$ 500$ Uus Birdwell Elementary School's
Hansford County Library. $\$ 500$ to raise awareness of literacy
Literacy Program. Funds from this
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able to purchase new book titles for Hansford Library in their honor.


Grand Opening! Panhandle Crisis Center will open a new resale shop in Spearman on Monday, October 2, 2006. The new store location will be at 306 Hancock. The Spearman Crisis Center office will also move to this location. The new store hours will. be Monday \& Tuesday, Thursday \& Friday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and closed on Wednesday's. We hope to see you
there! We will accept donations for the resale store from 10 a.m. through $4: 30$ p.m. If anyone there! We will accept donations for the resale store from 10 a.m. through $4: 30$ p.m.
is interested in volunteering, please call Janice at the Perryton office, $435-5008$.

TDA Announces Signup For Livestock Assistance Grants For Producers Impacted By Drought


## Local Weather Forecast





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State rural agency Executive Committee to meet in Pampa October 5-6, 2006
The Execuive Commintec and saff of the offree of Rural
 Room, 1100 W Coronado Drive, Pampa. agency operations and various rural topics. In addition to other agenda
items. The Executive Committee will also review additional agency tiems. The Executive Committee will also review adaitional agency
business and will invite public comments on agenda items, the agency's
programs, services and activities, as well as other rural concerns complete, detailed agenda for the meeting please visit ORCA's website
at http://www.orca.state.tx.us/ and select About ORCA>Executive at hitp:///www.orca.state.tx.us/ and select About ORCA>Executive
Committee>MMeetign Dates and Agendas. Three advisory committees will meet at 1 p.m. on Thursday, October Sth to review agenda items with ORCA staff. Those committees are:
Finance, Rural Health, and Community Development. The public is
welcome to attend the meetings which will be held at se same location welcome to attend the meetings which will be held at the same location
as the Executive Committee meeting.
The Executive Committee formal meeting will convene Thursday, October 5 th at $2: 30 \mathrm{pm}$.
A reception, which is open to the public and costs $\$ 8$ per plate (cash only $)$ will follow the meeting, catered by Dyer's Bar-B-Que Restaurant,
from $6-9$ from 6-9 p.m. at the same location.
Agenda items not completed Agenda items not completed on the first day will be considered the
following day, Friday, October 6th, beginning at $8: 30$ a.m. at the same location.
Persons with disabilities who plan to attend this meeting and are in
need of a reasonable accommodation in order to observe or participate should contact Sandy Cardiff at $512-936-6706$ at least four (4) working days prior to the meeting As the state agency dedicated solely to rural Texas, ORCA makes the ties. ORCA was created by the 77th Legislature to facilitate and focus the State's health, economic development, and community develop-
ment programs targeting rural communities in Texas. The agency ment programs targeting rural communities in Texas. The agency
ensures a continuing focus on rural issues, monitors governmental actions affecting rural Texas, researches problems and recommends solutions, and is
federal resources.

Hansford County Library continues recycling program
Hansford County Library began a recycling program in February to it has now been expanded and will run indefinitely.
The library is continuing this endeavor for two reasons. First, we believe it wilt help preserve our environment by keeping these harmfu
items out of our landfills, and secondly it will help raise needed funds for the library.
The library is recycling empty copier and printer cartridges as well as used cell phones, laptops, Palm Pilots and iPods. You can help by turning your "trash into our treasure" and feel good about helping the environmen at the same time
Collection bas
as at the library. Small items may be placed in plastic bags and inserted into the book drop.
Many people have used cell phones and printer cartridges to dispose of,
either at home or at work. This is a fun, easy and FREE way to help your


Spearman Lynx need new score board

## Deadline Notice

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ace. Jo Alice Clawson will collect the tapes at 711 Womble or they e mailed to PO Box 488. Call $733-2247$ tor pickup of tapes, or for more

Spearman Booster Club
Spearman Booster club meets Tuesday nights at 7 p.m. in the High
School library. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting. This week's
4-H Smoked Meat Sale selling smoked meats for their annual fund raising eftorts. Products avail
 amales, pork patties, breakkiast burritos, Sausage, pecan pie, Hunters ackage (sweet jalapeno flavored ham, peppered pork loin, smoke
bacoon \& jalapeno summer sausage) and suasage links. Funds beneefif he awards program and recognition banquet tor all 4 -H members.
Orders must be received by October 17 th, with a delivery date before hanksgiving. Please contact a 4-H member or call the County Extension
Otfice $659-4130$ or $733-2901$ to place your order. If email would be easi r hanstord@ag.tam


Golf Cash Ball
Hanstord Golf Club is making plans for its annual Golf Cash Ball. This years event will be held Saturday, November 4 , at the O'Loughlin Center
The Vera Brothers Band will be the entertainment once again this year
Tickets which will be $\$ 50$ each will Tickets which will be $\$ 50$ each will go on sale the first week of October
and be available from any golf club board member. Each ticket will provide not only an evening of great food and entertainment, but also
chance at the cash prize drawings. If you have any questions or would like to buy a ticket, please call Lance Kemp, $659-5062$, Curtis Coving
$659-5185$, Cass Lasater, $659-5007$ or Mikal Willimon, $659-5525$.

Day/Night Golf Tournament

 continue following the meal. All interested are invilted to attend. Bri
team, or come by youriself and join a team at the tournament.

Couples Super Scramble set for October 1 couples Super Scramble. Tee time will be at $1: 30$ p.m. The will hold a be $\$ 20$ per couple, will include a Mexican Pile-On Meal. To sign up, call
arry at $659-2233$ between 4.5 per

## Gruver Prayer Shawl Ministry Expands Focus

 Gruver Prayer Shawl Ministry recently celebrated a one year anniversaryhaving given 62 prayer shawis to triends in need of spiritual renewal. The ministry is expanding their focus to create customized clothing for wound
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provide comfort and maintain their dignity, thereby facilitating the healing
 ments or contributing to this cause will be Monday Oct. 2 , at 9 a.m. and
7 p.m. at Gruver United Methodist Church. Contact Cathy Potts at 733 2329 or www.sewmuchconfort.org for more information.
Health Fair Center will hold their annual Health Fair on Wed., Nov. 1, at the
O'Loughlin Center. The doors will at 7 a.m. for lab work and flu shots.

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## Gubernatorial race gets

 SCRAPPIER WITH NOV. 7 ON HORIZON
## With 40 or so days between now and Election Day, candidates for ovemor are punching hard.

 governor are punching hard.Gov. Rick Perry's reelection campaign accused opponent Carole
Keeton Strayhorn, in her role as state comptroller, of allowing insiders o secretly set tax policy
But Strayhorn's cam But Strayhorn's campaign countered that the comptroller's tax policy
committee conducts open meetings and discloses its actions. In another salvo apainst all opponents, Perry touted himself as the
only candidate who is thinking big enough to prepare Texas for its future only candidate who is thinking big enough to prepare Texas for its future
transporation needs.
Strayhon's Strayhorn's counter to Perry has been to appear around the
public hearings on his proposed Trans Texas Corridor project. In these forums "One Tough Grandma" regularly knocks the incum-
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Strayhorn's camp has in effect called the multi-billion dollar project
fiscally irresponsible and a problem for homeowners, ranchers, farmers fiscally irresponsible and a problem for homeowners, ranchers, farmers
and businesses that would find themselves displaced in a new superhighway matrix
After calls
After calls by open government advocates to make the Trans Texas
Corridor construction contract publio, Attorney General Greg Abbott ruled the contract is public information. But the contract is still under
res wraps because CINTRA has sued to keep certain parts of it confidential.
Meanwhile, Hill Country independent Kinky Friedman was admonshed by the Texas NAACP for using racial slurs in an oid stanil. Also taking Friedman to task for racially insensitive language were
Strayhom, Perry, Democrat Chris Bell and state Rep. Garnet Coleman, D-Houston.
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Also, Perry's camp blasted Friedman for changing his position on bor-
der security many times. and criticized Bell for wanting to appoint a panel of experts instead of giving details on how he would improve pubIic education. DECISION TO COME ON MONEY GIFTS
People who hold public office must report gifts they receive to the
Texas Ethics Commission. But what if a gift is a check? Presently, reporting rules are vague:
vague enough to allow an official to report that he received a check from Jane Doe, but not the dollars and cents written on it.
The Texas Ethics Commission the state agncy then
The Texas Ethics Commission, the state agency that handles such mat-
ters, has been asked to decide if check amounts need be disclosed lers, has been asked to decide if check amounts need be disclosed.
A decision on the matter is not likely to occur until after the electio if at all. Why? With the Texas Legislature convening in January, law-
makers will be able ro rewrite the state election law, where campaign makers will he able, to, rewrite the state election law, where campaign
finance winning takes lace.
State Reps Fred Hill R-Richardson, and Elliott Naishtat, D-Austin, plan to file legislation requiring disclosure of amounts. From now through October, 2 million Texas school children in grades
kindergarten through sixth will bring home child identification kits and letters to parents or guardians.
Each kit will contain an ink
Each kit will contain an inkless fingerprint card, two swabs to obtain
a child's DNA from their saliva, and a laminated wallet card to keep an apdated photograph and physical description of the child, according to a governor's office news release.
Funding for the program co
chrough a $\$ 1.8$ million state grant to Association of Texas, plus private donations.
HURRCANE RITA'S FIRST ANNIERSAR Sept. 24 marked the one-year anniversary of Hurricane Rita. The
storm, clocked at 120 mph when it hit Sabine Pass, pushed a wall of
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Words from Faith $\mathcal{E}$ Grace This week we study Numbers 11:4-29, Psalm 19, James 5:13-20, and
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nust encourage all who possess gifts of the Spirit to use them for the good of the faith community, so that we may all be blessed and nonee
exhausted in good works. The Psalmist sings a song of the goodness of
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James gives practical advice to the early faith community. Let those who are suffering pray. Let those who are happy sing songs of praise.
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James recommends that the sins of a believer be confesced to wronged and to the faith community so that the prayerer of the faith com-
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| Spanish Cristo Redentor Church Sunday Mass: $1: 30$ p.m. Friday Evening Mass Summer - 8:00 p.m. FallWinter - $7: 30$ p.m |
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| Oslo Lutheran Church (ELCA) <br> 6 Miles West \& 12 Mile North of Gruver <br> 339-7709 <br> Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. <br> Pastor-Paul Fiske |
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| Morse Baptist Church Pastor - Mike Martin |

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## Bridal Registry

Shower Dates Sarah Martin \& Brad Newman - Oct. 14 Janet Eckert \& Kevin Cummings - Oct. 28 Courtney Edwards \& John Brock - Nov. 18 Marcy Cherry \& Taos weldon Laurie Soane \& Chris Strawn


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Engagement Announcement
Dona and Bill Cherry of Amarillo announce the engagement of their daughter, Marcy Michelle, to Taos Black Weldon.
Weldon is the son of Teresa Cluck of Gruver and Blyn and Tim Weldon S Stratford.
The couple plan to wed October 7, 2006 at West Amarillo Christian



Couples Currently Registered
Janet Eckert \& Kevin Cummings - Oct. 28 Courtney Edwards \& John Brock - Nov. 18 Kasandra Drennan \& Donnie Davis Micha (Lewis) \& Brandon Casdorph Laura (Long) \& Kolby Sumner Farrell (Farley) \& Garrett Griffin Lori (Green) \& Eric Vasquez Marcy Cherry \& Taos Weldon Kassi Wilson \& Steven Foster Laurie Soane \& Chris Strawn Halee Beasley \& Steve Scott Christen Ferguson \& Bradley Brown


Sara (Jones) \& Jeremy Farmer - Nov. 19 John $\mathcal{E}$ Elissa みolt

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## Ochltree County Arena - Perryton

September 29 \& 30, October 1

Friday. September 29th
7 p.m. - 1st Performance

Saturday, September 30th 9 a.m. - Ranch Horse Competition 2 p.m. - WRCA Jr. Ranch Rodeo Pokey the clown (kids ages 5-16 7 p.m. - 2nd Performance

High Plains Fall Classic WRCA Ranch Rodeo Crazy House Western Wear, Jet Well Service and Barnett Insurance

## Spearman Lynx

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DEFENSE: Blayne Baker
Wellington Friday night.
 started for the Lynx (4-0) with a 33yard touchdown catch from Collin
Gillespie. Roberto Flores had the Gillespie. Roberto Flores had the
first of three rushing touchdowns lirst of three rushing touchdowns
on the night on a 22 -yard run and
Gillespie scored on a rush from 20 ards out. 25 yards out before the Skyrockets (1-3) scored on a 16 -yard pass from
Tate Baumgardner to Tate Baumgardner to Josh

Players of the Week OFFENSE: Collin Gillaspie
190-lb. senior quarterback 19--b. senior quarterback, com-
pleted 6 of 9 passes for 119 yards and 2 touchdowns, rushed 5 times
or 39 yards and 1 touchdown hett Renner, $240-\mathrm{lb}$. senior S- Glores 40 run (Garnett kick).


## Spearman vol. Hire Dept Harley Banquet Ball <br> Saturday, October 14, 2006

 7:00 p.m. O'Loughlin CenterRAFFLE
 2006 Harley Davidso Streetglide Touring Bike ( 88 CI Fuel Inj. Twin Cam, 40 watt 000:1 chance of winning Tickets - $\$ 50$ each

Sponsored by the Spearman Volunteer Fire Department Tickets available from any volunteer fireman

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Penalties-Yards Friday, September 29th, is be
homecoming for the Lynx. They will host the Childress Bobcats.
Kickoff will be at 7.30 Kre-game ail be at $7: 30$ p.m.,. with to that time. to that time.
The Spearman FFA will host their annual Homecoming dinner from 6-8 p.m. Tickets will be avail-
able at the door able at the door.
The homecoming coronation pep The homecoming coronation pep
rally will be held Friday morning at
$9: 30$ a.m. in 9:30 a.m. in the varsity gym.
Everyone is invited to attend. A snake dance will be held on A snake dance will be held on
Thursday night at 8 p.m.,. after the

## BP America Production Company Gas Odorization Program

BP America Production Company is committed to safety and environmental excellence. The company is a leader in the industry in the implementation of safety programs to proect its neighbors, employees and customers.
As part of BP's gas safety program, BP will be implementing a gas odorization program for domestic gas transported $b$ homeowner gas lines from BP operated wells. Mercaptan, an odorant, will be injected into the gas line near the BOP operated wellheads. This odorant will enable homeowners and surrounding neighbors to identify any gas leaks on those gas lines. Those domestic gas lines are located in the area of Hansford County. Homeowners that are currently taking gas from BP wells will receive a separate etter advising of the details of this odorization program.
BP is working to educate the public about pipeline safety with respect to gas leaks. While it's very rare to have any type of incident with a pipeline, there are a few safety ips to keep in mind if you live by a pipeline.

1. How to know if there is a pipeline on your property or nearby:

On Your Property: If you won a homeowner gas line fro BP gas well, you should hire a qualified plumbing inspector to locate the line for you if you are contemplating any digging operations.
Neighborhood: Check for pipeline markers posted in your neighborhood.
Please keep in mind the marker may not show the exact location of the underground pipeline.
Call Before You Dig! In the state of Texas, call (800) 344-8377
2. Recognizing a leak:

By Sight: A pool of liquid on the ground near a pipeline, a dense white cloud or fog over a pipeline. or discolored or dead vegetation surrounding the pipeline may be signs of leak.
By Sound: An unusual noise coming from the pipeline, like a hissing or roaring sound, may be a sing of a leak.
By Smell: An unusual smell may accompany a leak. You may contact Crystal Wuest at 806) 371-4450 to receive a free BP pipeline safety brochure with a scratch-n-sniff meraptan area that will give you an indication of the odorant smell.
3. What to do if you suspect a leak:

Leave the leak area immediately. Do not light a match, start an engine, use a telephone switch on/off light switches or do anything that may cause a spark in the vicinity of the leak.
From a safe location immediately call 911 and the BP Hotline number (806) 948-5167 and report exactly what you have seen, heard or smelled and where this incident took place. Warn others but do so without entering or re-entering the area where a pipeline leak is suspected. Do not drive any vehicle into a leak or vapor cloud area.
In case of an emergency call: BP Hotline (806) 948-5167.
If you own a gas line from BP operated gas well. BP recommends that each homeowner have a back up source for heating their house, water heater, appliances in case the well goes down or if their gas tap line freezes up.
Spearman Vol. Fire Dept.



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| Greyhounds vs <br> West Texas Commanches | $A+M$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Friday, } \\ \text { Sept. } 29 \\ 7: 30 \text { p.m. } \end{array}$ |
|  | 2006 Gruver Greyhound Varsity Football Team <br> No. $\qquad$ $\qquad$ Setn hompson Tucker Williams Chandler Miner Miles Messer Justin Vasquez |  |
| Gruver Redi-Mix Gruver • 733-2907 Cement a big win! | $5_{6}$ |  |
| Little Tiffanies Gruver • 733-5290 Ring in a victory! |  | Gruver Cablevision Gruver • 733-5295 Supporting the Hounds! |
| Celebrate Spearman $\cdot 659-3350$ Celebrate $a$ homecoming victory! | Julie Williams Insurance Agency <br> Gruver • $733-2826$ <br> Insure us a win! | The Bunkhouse Restaurant Spearman - 659-2089 Steak out a win! |
| Sunray Co-Op Gruver Branch • 733 -2481 Plant the seeds of victory! | Simple Simon's Pizza Spearman - 659-9991 Slice up a win! | Brown, Graham \& Co. Spearman - $659-2538$ Countin' on a win! |




## 2006 SHS Homecoming

| 2006 JV LYNX |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Name | No | Grade |
| Tate Batton | 10 |  |
| Skyler Sumner | 11 | 9 |
| Tyler Harper | 12 | 10 |
| Brett Landers | 20 | 10 |
| Fermando Flores | 25 | 9 |
| Chase Farrar | 28 | 10 |
| Caleb Odegard | 30 | 9 |
| Tyrell Etchison | 37 | 9 |
| Dayne Hargrove | 40 | 10 |
| Dakota Cator | 44 | 9 |
| Miguel Briseno | 51 | 9 |
| c.J. Renteria | 52 | 9 |
| Cullie Cooper | 58 | 10 |
| Chance Pack | 61 | 9 |
| Eddie Regalado | 64 | 11 |
| Zack Hughes | 65 | 9 |
| Andy Mendez | 66 | 10 |
| Gerardo Chavez | 68 | 10 |
| Jose lbarra | 70 | 9 |
| Tyler Schnell | 71 | 10 |
| W Fishburn | 72 | 10 |
| Colton Mayfield | 74 | 10 |
| Ruben Carbajal | 77 | 9 |
| Jorge Briseno | 78 | 10 |
| Carios Erives | 80 | 9 |
| Andrew Vela | 81 |  |
| Kacee Breeden | 82 | 10 |
| David Quezada : 9 IY | 84 | 9 |
| Jesus Mendoza | 85 | 9 |
| Josue Hermandez | 87 | 10 |
| Fabian Frayre ind | 88 | 10 |
| 2006 SHS Marching Band |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Band Director: Amber } \\ & \text { TeBeest } \end{aligned}$ |  | John DeSha Jordon Snider |
| Drum Major: Sara Bames |  | Jose Anya |
| Anthony Renteria |  | ${ }_{\text {Juse }}$ Josetara Diaz |
| Brenda Oritiz |  | Kayla Martinez |
| Britany Barnes |  | Manuel Mendoza |
| Charity Buton |  | Margarata Arate |
| Christina Hunter Colby Odegard |  | Mick M Moung |
| Colby Odegara Coutrey Baca |  | Miguel Briseno Pedro Anyaza |
| Daniel Grajeda |  | Raul Pena |
| Domingo Salazar |  | Sara Bames |
| Gustavo Lopez |  | Sarah DeSha |
| Haley Smith Hannah Hadock |  | Sergio Jacquez |
| Hebern Carasco |  | Wendy Gaytan |
| Jennifer Perez |  | Wendy Gaytan |
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| Hansford Implement <br> Spearman • 659-2568 <br> Plow 'em under! | First National Bank Spearman • 659-5544 • member FDIC Cash in on a win! | Golden Spread Sales Co. <br> Spearman - 659-3776 <br> Lookin' for a 'golden' win! |
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| First State Bank Spearman - 659-5565 • member FDIC Invested in a victory! | Five Star Equipment Co. <br> Spearman - 659-3743 <br> Make 'em see stars! | Interstate Bank, ssb Spearman - 659-2559 • interstatebank.net Bankin' on the Lynx! |
| Bartlett's Lumber \& Hardware Gruver • 733-2404 Nail down a win! | Gruver State Bank Gruver • 733-5061 • member FDIC Deposit another victory! | Cates Men \& Boys Wear <br> Spearman • 659-3426 <br> Wranglin' for a victory! |
| Hansford County Hospital District Spearman - 659-2535 <br> Give them a shot in the arm! | Rocking F Boot \& Saddle Shop <br> Spearman - 659-3342 <br> Boot 'em out! | MurMur's Cafe <br> Spearman - 659-3580 <br> Fry 'em up! |
| All Occasion Flowers 659-5180 Golden Spreád Carpet 659-3068 Good Luck Lynx! | H\&H Credit Union <br> Stinnett • 878-2452 <br> We're 'Interested’ in Lynx Football! | Gruver Agri Industries, Inc. Sew 'N Sew Designs by Alice Gruver • 733-5005 Keep 'em in stitches! |
| Panhandle Diner \& Deli <br> Spearman - 659-3864 <br> Serve up a win! | Bob \& Cathy Davis Gruver We're Behind You! | Prairie Motors, Inc. <br> Spearman - 659-2541 Drive away with a victory! |
| H\&H Water Well <br> Spearman • 659-5577 <br> Throw 'em in the well! | Panhandle Anchors, Inc. <br> Spearman - 659-5529 Weight 'em down! | Simple Simon's Pizza <br> Spearman • 659-9991 <br> Slice up a win! |




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