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2000 Borden Co. Livestock show Successful for exhibitors

A big crow turned out for the 2000 Borden County Junior Livestock Show and Premium Sale held this past weekend, January 13th, 14th & 15th, at the county showbarn in Gail, Texas.

Fifty-three Borden County 4-H and FFA members entered and exhibited 144 animals during the three-day event.

Judging of the animals were: Classifier, Don Richardson, retired CEA-AG, Howard County; Steer Judge, John Senter, CEA-Ag, Garza County; Lamb and Swine Judge, Curtis Preston, CEA-Ag, Bailey County; Showmanship Judge, Vance Christie, Howard College Ag Instructor.

The activities began on Wednesday as exhibitors began to bring their animals in to get them settled down in their new homes. When all the weighing, bathing, and shaving began everyone got involved, including the young and the old.

On Thursday evening the Steer Show began when announcer Charles McCook called for the first class of steers to enter the ring. Things really got busy and didn't slow down until all 14 steers were shown and presented their ribbons.

On Friday morning beginning at 8:30 a.m. thirty-two Lambs began entering the building ready to make their appearance in front of the crowd.

At 10:30 a.m. immediately following the lamb show, exhibitors began to bring the first group of swine into the ring to begin the judging. Around 98 swine were exhibited and presented with ribbons.

On Saturday morning, the day began early with a complementary Chuckwagon Breakfast for the crowd. The Awards Ceremony began at 9:00 a.m. in the show barn and the Premium Sale began at 9:30 a.m. with auctioneer Monty Paxton calling for the animals to enter the ring.

The B.C.J.L.A. directors and members did a wonderful job organizing this year's stock show. A new wash room area was added to the barn facilities this year, which made the facilities extra nice and more convenient.

The Borden County Jr. Livestock Show is always enjoyable to the community and is a great learning time for the youth of this county. Thank you to all who helped in any way during this big project for our youth.

Below is a list of the results of this year's show:

Steer Show

European Lt. Wt.

1st Kalli Poole; 2nd Kalli Poole; 3rd J. Ryan Gicklhorn

Kalli Poole received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Ben Miller.

European Hvy Wt.

1st Kaci Poole; 2nd Jessica Ellison; 3rd Kylan Reynolds; 4th Kevin Ellison

Kaci Poole received a belt badge donated by Indian Canyon Ranch

European Breed Champion

Kaci Poole

Reserve Breed Champion:

Kalli Poole

American Lt. Wt.

1st Kylia Culp; 2nd Tanner Poole; 3rd Kaci Poole; 4th J. Ryan Gicklhorn.

Kylia Culp received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Scott Clatyon



Award Winners: These 4-H and FFA members received Awards during the Saturday morning's Award program. (L. to R.) Brionne Jackson, Shawna Kempf Megan Brooks, T.C. Stipe, J. Ryan Gicklhorn, James Bond, Caden Nowlain, Tyler Wallace, Hailey Adcock, Kaci Poole, Tanner Poole. (Kneeling) Sharelle Gass, Cassidy Ogden, Baylee Benavidez, Miller Valentine, Kalli Poole, LaShae Johnson and Cassidy Rinehart.

American Hvy. Wt.

1st Tanner Poole; 2nd Kylia Culp; 3rd Tyler Wallace.

Tanner Poole received the belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Mickey McMeans.

American Breed Champion:

Tanner Poole

Reserve Breed Champion:

Kylia Culp

Grand Champion Steer:

Kaci Poole – received a monogrammed briefcase donated by Doyle & Shirley Newton; a belt buckle donated by Dennis & Sherri Poole, Bob & Mary Kempf and Julie Mumme; $100.00 and a memorial plaque given In Memory of Borden Gray by the Borden Gray Family

Reserve Grand Champion Steer:

Tanner Poole – received a briefcase donated by Bill & Donna Aten and a buckle donated by Ralph & Dewey Faye Miller.

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High School Basketball

Coyotes Fall to Nazareth in Non-District Games

District Basketball Race Continues: Coyotes Split with Grady

Borden County High School's Lady Coyotes are now 2-0 in district play as a result of a 56-39 win over Grady on January 11.

A strong first quarter allowed the girls to maintain momentum as they took a 15-6 lead and then outscored Grady in the remaining three quarters.

As a team, the Lady Coyotes shot for 53% from the field and a strong 37% from the behind the arc. Seven different Lady Coyotes scored in the contest: Valerie Wootan (16), Adrianna Baeza (10), Julie Mayes (10), Kaci Poole (8), Lindsey Smith (8), Hailey Adcock (2), and Bekah Hensley (2).

Crystal Dye had two steals, Holly Thomas had one steal, and Rika Copeland had two rebounds in the game.

In boys' action, Grady jumped out to a 7-0 lead before Nick Flanigan hit a trademark 3-pointer with 3:45 remaining in the first period to make the score 7-3.

Flanigan hit another three before the period ended, and the Coyotes trailed 16-10 after the first quarter.

Trent Pepper and Justin Lawrence scored the only points for the Coyotes in the second period while the Wildcats hit for 15 points and led at half-time, 31-16.

Cody Nowlain started off the scoring for the Coyotes in the third period with a bucket at the 6:21 mark and followed with another basket with 5:15 remaining. In the third period, the Coyotes shot 50% from the field but were unable to narrow the gap and trailed 44-26.

Despite Lawrence's 10 rebounds—his average per game is 10.2—Grady won the boards consistently throughout the evening en route to their 57-36 district win. The Coyotes now stand at 1-1 in district play.

Nazareth Puts on Shooting Display in Wins Over BHS

Rather than take a Friday night off, BHS scheduled games with perennial Panhandle powerhouse Nazareth this season. Though the results were not as hoped for, the experience of playing against top-rated teams will prove important come playoff time.

The Lady Coyotes started off with opportunities galore as Nazareth had turnovers on its first three possessions. The girls could only convert on one of those, and scored the game's first points at 6:46. This would be the Lady Coyotes only lead of the game.

Nazareth hit a three with :34 remaining in the first to take a 13-11 lead.

Lindsey Smith and Julie Mayes connected on consecutive baskets to tie the score at 15 in the second quarter. But, once again Nazareth hit two three's that gave them a 26-19 half-time lead.

The Lady Coyotes mounted a run in the third period. With 2:20 to go in that quarter, Lindsey connected to close Nazareth's lead, 36-34, but that would be as close as BHS could get. Strong free throw shooting by the Swiftettes put them at a 10-point advantage going in to the final quarter.

Free throw shooting and those three-pointers allowed Nazareth to keep that lead, finishing with a 69-54 win.

Lindsey finished with 16 points on the evening, including three three's; Valerie added 14, Julie with 8, Adrianna Baeza and Bekah Hensley chipping in 7 points each.

Defensively, the Lady Coyotes saw Adrianna grab 12 rebounds, Bekah had four steals and caused two others, and Valerie blocked three shots.

When Adrianna got in foul trouble, Crystal Dye and Rika Copeland stepped in to help the Lady Coyote cause.

The boys led in the Nazareth game 6-3 with less than four minutes to play in the first quarter, but then Nazareth went on a 17-0 run. They led at the end of the first period, 20-6.

That scoring trend continued throughout the remainder of the game as Nazareth boys proved they can shoot 3's just like the Nazareth girls do. Trent Pepper tried his best to keep BHS in the game as he scored 12 points in the second quarter. On the evening he finished with 22 points.

The Coyotes did hit six of nine shots in the third, but it wasn't enough as Nazareth hit for 17 points to lead 54-31.

In the final period, BHS was outscored 12-9 and finished on the short end of a 66-40 score.

Lawrence finished with nine points and 11 rebounds; Cody Nowlain added six points and grabbed six defensive boards; Payton Brown scored two points and had four rebounds; Nick Flanigan hit one free throw, had one assist and one steal in the game. Also seeing action was Brionne Jackson. Freshman T. J. Sharp was sick and unable to play in the game.

JV Teams Take on Grady in District Play

Borden High School's junior varsity squads were both in action January 11 as they traveled to Grady to meet the Wildcats.

The Lady Coyotes upped their season record to 10-2 with their win, defeating Grady 64-18.

The girls scored big in every quarter, hitting double digits, as they had no trouble in earning their second district win.

All girls scored in the win: Dalene Kempf, 13 points; Bobbie Kempf, 12 points; Pati Rodriguez, 12 points; Kylia Culp, 10 points; Micah Hensley, 9 points; Carolina Arrelanos, 4 points; Laura Stamper, 2 points; and Michele Bond, 2 points.

The boys' junior varsity team, now down to five players, worked hard though losing to Grady, 26-21.

At the end of one period, the score was tied 9-9 by virtue of Rowdy Dunlap's ' five points and Jacob Zant's four.

But, the Coyotes could score only three points in the second quarter on a three-pointer by Jacob Zant and trailed at half-time, 17-12.

Talin Pepper scored four points in the third quarter and T. C. Stipe added two, but Grady maintained the lead going in to the final period.

Brionne Jackson contributed defensively to the Coyote cause. The Coyote jv team now stands at 3-8 on the season and 1-1 in district play.

Next action for the JV teams will be January 18 in Ira and at home against Westbrook January 21.

Menu

Lunch: $1.00 K - 6th.
$1.25 7th - 12th.
Breakfast: - 50c

January 24th - 28th

MONDAY: Vegetable Soup, Grilled Cheese, Pickles, Fruit & Milk
Breakfast: Eggs & Ham, Toast, Juice & Milk
TUESDAY: Steak Fingers, Potatoes, corn, Hot Roll, Juice Bar & Milk
Breakfast: French Toast, Juice & Milk
WEDNESDAY: Chicken Spaghetti, Green Beans, Carrots, Garlic Toast, Jello & Milk
Breakfast: Hot Pocket, Hash Browns, Juice & Milk
THURSDAY: Cowboy Beans, Potatoes, Salad, Corn Bread, Fruit, & Milk
Breakfast: Oatmeal, Toast, Juice & Milk
FRIDAY: Sloppy Joes, French Fries, Salad, Cookies & Milk
Breakfast: Sausage Gravy, Biscuits, Juice & Milk

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Coyote Pups Sink Sands; Missy Coyotes Fall in District Contest

Borden Junior High's basketball teams travelled to Ackerly January 10 to face Sands in district action. The girls lost their game, 50-26, while the boys won 47-21

Despite the loss, the girls played a solid first half and went to the locker room for half-time tied with Sands 17-17.

But a 17-2 scoring run by the Lady Mustangs in the third period left BJH facing a big deficit in the fourth quarter. The girls only scored nine points in the second half as they fell to Sands.

Scoring for the Missy Coyotes were Shayla Gass, 11 points; Emily Mayes, 10 points, and Cassidy Rinehart, four points.

Other Missy Coyotes' statistics: Alexis Brooks, seven rebounds; Ashley Ellison, one rebound; LaShae Johnson, one rebound, one steal; Thelma Balaque, two rebounds, one assist. Also seeing action were sixth-graders Cassidy Ogden, Keesha Clement, Megan Brooks, Micah Peterson, Shiloh Poole, and Whitney Anderson.

A 20-point fourth quarter powered the Coyote Pups to their win over Sands. Up to that point, the game had been tight with BJH leading at half-time 18-13.

At the end of three, BJH had increased that lead to a 27-21 score and then came the shooting display in the fourth.

Leading the way for the boys was Evan Winegarner, who connected on three 3-pointers and finished with 11 points on the evening.

Other Coyote scorers were as follows: Dan Griffin, 10; Kyle Pinkerton, 8; Adam Carter, 6; Andy Lozano, 5; Ben Griffin, 3; John Stamper, 2; and Derek Rodriguez, 2.

All Coyote Pups contributed to the win. Those seeing action in at least three quarters were Clay John Anderson, Dusty Gwinn, Garrett Chapman, Billy Roper, Tyler Wallace, and John Wilson.

Next action for the junior high teams is at home on Thursday, January 20, against Lubbock Christian Jr. High. The girls' game begins at 6 p.m. followed by the boys' tip-off.

Third Six Weeks and Semester Beta Achievement; Scholastic Achievement and Honor

Semester Beta Achievement:

(Students with no six-weeks grade lower than 90 for a semester)

Twelfth Grade: Jana Himes and Staci O'Brien. **Eleventh Grade:** Trent Pepper and Valerie Wootan. **Tenth Grade:** NONE **Ninth Grade:** Michele Bond **Eighth Grade:** NONE **Seventh Grade:** Garrett Chapman and John Wilson. **Sixth Grade:** Whitney Anderson.

Semester Scholastic Achievement:

(Students with a 90 average with no six weeks grader below 85 for the semester)

Twelfth Grade: Amanda Watts. **Eleventh Grade:** Ross Aten; Tom Griffin; Rebekah Hensley and Shawna Kempf. **Tenth Grade:** Andrea Lozano. **Ninth Grade:** Micah Hensley. **Eighth Grade:** Clay John Anderson; Dan Griffin; Kyle Pinkerton; John Stamper and Evan Winegarner. **Seventh Grade:** Emily Mayes and Billy Roper. **Sixth Grade:** NONE. **Fifth Grade:** Ana Arellanos; Clint Chapman; Rowdy Clary; John Cowart; Sarah Harding; Alejandra Mujica; Jake Payne; Kalli Poole; Kylan Reynolds; Lindsey Stamper and Daniel Williams. **Fourth Grade:** Miller Valentine; Kate Wallace and Rachel Wilson. **Third Grade:** Carlos Hernandez; Krystle Hobson and Jessica Pelham **Second Grade:** Michael Cooley; Rachael Payne; Shylo Rinehart; Lacey Roberts; Chelsea Stephens and Raylea Underwood.

Third Six-Weeks Beta Achievement:

Twelfth Grade: Jana Himes; Staci O'Brien; Ryan Sanders and Erica Schooler. **Eleventh Grade:** Rebekah Hensley; Ross Aten; Trent Pepper and Valerie Wootan. **Tenth Grade:** None: **Ninth Grade:** Michele Bond and Micah Hensley. **Eighth Grade:** Dan Griffin and Kyle Pinkerton. **Seventh Grade:** Garrett Chapman and John Wilson. **Sixth Grade:** Whitney Anderson.

Third Six-Weeks Honor Roll:

Twelfth Grade: Joseph Hardman; Kaci Poole, Lindsey Smith and Amanda Watts. **Eleventh Grade:** Abby Flanigan; Tom Griffin; Rebekah Hensley and Shawna Kempf. **Tenth Grade:** Andrea Lozano. **Ninth Grade:** Brionne Jackson; Bobbie Kempf; Dalene Kempf and Talin Pepper. **Eighth Grade:** Clay John Anderson; John Stamper and Evan Winegarner. **Seventh Grade:** Emily Mayes. **Sixth Grade:** Shilo Pool. **Fifth Grade:** Ana Arellanos; Clint Chapman; Rowdy Clary; John Cowart; Alejandra Mujica; Jake Payne; Taylor Peterson; Kalli Poole; Kylan Reynolds; Lindsey Stamper and Daniel Williams. **Fourth Grade:** Sharelle Gass; Logan Howard; Miller Valentine; Kate Wallace and Rachel Wilson. **Third Grade:** Carlos Hernandez; Krystle Hobson; Jessica Pelham and Pete Ramirez. **Second Grade:** Flynn Chapman; Michael Cooley; Skyler Dear; Erica Hartley; Olivia Key; Karl Lamming; Rachael Payne; Chelsie Pigford; Shylo Rinehart; Lacey Roberts; Chelsea Stephens and Raylea Underwood.

Poka Lambro Scholarship Available

Poka Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc. is now accepting applications for three $2,500 scholarships. The son or daughter of any Poka Lambro Telephone Cooperative member graduating from an area high school is eligible.

Scholarship recipients are selected based on academic achievement, involvement in extra-curricular activities, and financial need.

Applications have been mailed to area high schools and may also be obtained from Poka Lambro. Entry deadline is March 1, 2000. Scholarship presentations will be made at Poka Lambro's Annual Membership Meeting in March.

For additional information, please contact Amy Preston at 1-800-422-2387.

HELP! More returned letters needing address corrections

Below is a list of more returned letters for the 2000 Borden County Reunion. Please send any corrections to me Judy Kingston, Rt. 1, Box 118, O'Donnell, TX 79351 – 806/439-6686

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Again We have three more postcards returned without a name on them, One postmarked Lubbock one in Abilene and the third one has only a partial postmark, But the person wrote "But Please add S. Main" Check with your classmates, family and friends about these.

2000 Borden Co. Livestock

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Lamb Show

Southdown

1st LaShae Johnson; 2nd Kate Wallace; 3rd Miller Valentine; 4th Tyler Wallace.

LaShae Johnson received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Tim Wilson

Southdown Breed Champion

LaShae Johnson

Reserve Breed Champion:

Kate Wallace

Finewool

1st Cassidy Ogden; 2nd T.C. Stipe; 3rd Cassidy Ogden; 4th Cassidy Ogden; 5th Cassidy Rinehart; 6th T.C. Stipe; 7th Symeron Rinehart

Cassidy Ogden received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Van L. York

Finewool Breed Champion:

Cassidy Ogden

Reserve Breed Champion:

T.C. Stipe

Champion Finewool – Cassidy Ogden received a monogrammed briefcase donated by Van & Barbara York.

Light Wt. Cross

1st Shawna Kempf; 2nd Dalene Kempf; 3rd Kate Wallace; 4th Kate Wallace; 5th Bobbie Kempf

Shawna Kempf received the belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. R.D. Lewis

Heavy Weight Cross

1st T.C. Stipe; 2nd Miller Valentine; 3rd Miller Valentine; 4th Jacob Zant; 5th Miller Valentine.

T.C. Stipe received the belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Mike Johson

Cross Breed Champion:

Shawna Kempf

Reserve Breed Champion:

T.C. Stipe

Light Weight Medium Wool

1st LaShae Johnson; 2nd Payton Brown; 3rd Shawna Kempf; 4th Cody Nowlain; 5th Cody Nowlain.

Payton Brown received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Ray Don Underwood

Heavy Wt. Medium Wool

1st LaShae Johnson; 2nd LaShae Johnson; 3rd Shawna Kempf; 4th T.C. Stipe; 5th T.C. Stipe; 6th Jacob Zant.

Jacob Zant received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Gary Stipe.

Medium Wool Breed Champion

LaShae Johnson

Reserve Breed Champion:

LaShae Johnson

Grand Champion Lamb:

LaShae Johnson – received a monogrammed briefcase donated by Key Brothers Implement; a belt buckle donated by Cap Rock Electric, Stanton, Texas; and a Memorial plaque given In Memory of Corky Ogden by the Ogden Family.

Reserve Grand Champion Lamb:

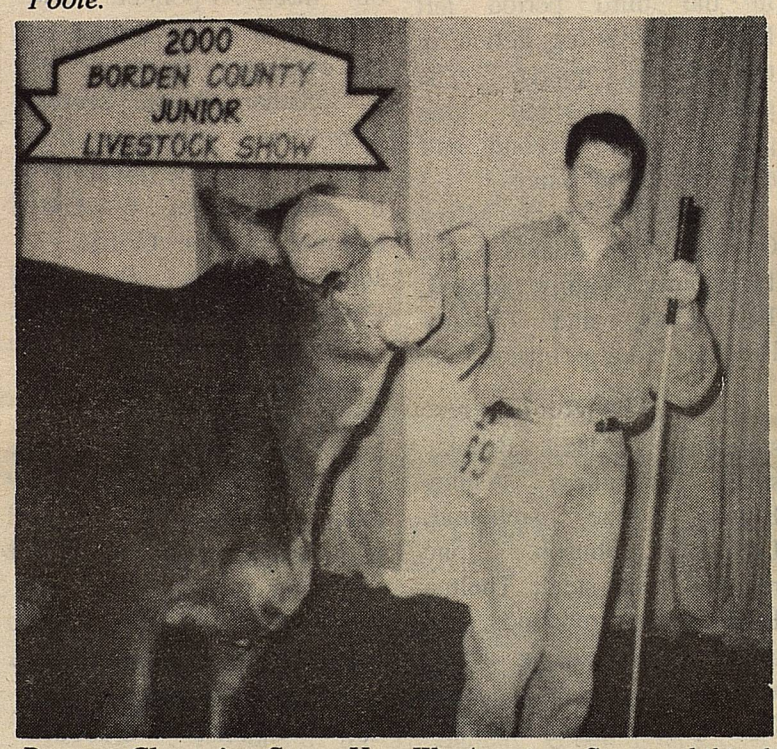
LaShae Johnson – received a briefcase donated by Roy & Loveta Josey and a buckle donated by Mike & Tammy Valentine



$500 Scholarship Recipients: *Cap Rock scholarship received by Hailey Adcock; BCJLA scholarship, received by Kaci Poole.*



Grand Champion Steer: *Hvy. Wt. European Steer, exhibited by Kaci Poole.*



Reserve-Champion Steer: *Hvy. Wt. American Steer, exhibited by Tanner Poole.*



Grand Champion Lamb: *Hvy. Wt. Medium Wool lamb, exhibited by LaShae Johnson.*



Reserve-Champion Lamb: *Lt. Wt. Medium, owned by LaShae Johnson, exhibited by Kalli Poole.*

Swine Show

LW White OPB:

1st Alexis Brooks; 2nd Shelby Roberts; 3rd Megan Brooks; 4th Dalene Kempf; 5th Andy Lozano; 6th Andrea Lozano; 7th Andy Lozano.

Alexis Brooks received the belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. E.L. Farmer.

HW White OPB:

1st Shelby Roberts; 2nd Cassidy Rinehart; 3rd James Bond; 4th Shayla Gass; 5th Ashley Ellison; 6th Caden Nowlain.

Shelby Roberts received the belt badge donated by Mrs. Patsy Underwood.

White OPB Breed Champion:
Shelby Roberts
Reserve Breed Champion:
Cassidy Rinehart

LW Duroc:

1st Zane Williams; 2nd Rowdy Clary; 3rd Garrett Pool; 4th Lindsey Smith; 5th Kalli Poole, 6th Sharelle Gass.

Zane Willimas received the belt badge donated by Mr. Hurston Lemons, Jr.

HW Duroc:

1st Miller Valentine; 2nd Tyler Wallace; 3rd Jessica Ellison; 4th Symeron Rinehart; 5th Shiloh Pool; 6th Brionne Jackson.

Miller Valentine received the belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Frank Herridge.

Duroc Breed Champion:
Miller Valentine
Reserve Breed Champion:
Tyler Wallace

Champion Duroc – Miller Valentine – received a memorial plaque given In Memory of David Holmes by the Kent Holmes Family.

LW Hampshire:

1st Caden Nowlain; 2nd Brionne Jackson; 3rd Heather Brooks; 4th Megan Brooks; 5th Miller Valentine; 6th Chance Pool; 7th Alexis Brooks; 8th Micah Peterson.

Caden Nowlain received the belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Bob Buchanan.

HW Hampshire:

1st Tanner Poole; 2nd Joe Castillo; 3rd Lindsey Smith; 4th Heather Brooks; 5th James Bond; 6th Kyle Pinkerton; 7th Dalene Kempf; 8th Michele Bond; 9th Alexis Brooks.

Joe Castillo received the belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Randy Adcock.

Hamp. Breed Champion:
Tanner Poole
Reserve Breed Champion:
Joe Castillo

LW Cross:

1st Megan Brooks; 2nd Lindsey Smith; 3rd Alexis Brooks; 4th Rowdy Clary; 5th Shayla Gass; 6th Brionne Jackson; 7th Adam Carter; 8th Heather Brooks; 9th Kaci Poole.

Megan Brooks received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. William Roper

MW Cross:

1st Heather Brooks; 2nd Kyle Pinkerton; 3rd Megan Brooks; 4th Kaci Poole; 5th Garrett Pool; 6th Lindsey Smith; 7th Sharelle Gass; 8th Kyle Pinkerton; 9th Andrea Lozano.

Heather Brooks received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Randy Hensley.

HW Cross:

1st Chance Pool; 2nd Hailey Adcock; 3rd Symeron Rinehart; 4th Andrea Lozano; 5th Brionne Jackson; 6th Andy Lozano; 7th Kevin Ellison; 8th Andy Lozano.

Chance Pool received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Ross Sharp.

Cross Breed Champion:
Megan Brooks
Reserve Breed Champion:
Lindsey Smith

LW Black OPB:

1st Garrett Thomas; 2nd Holly Thomas; 3rd Kalli Poole; 4th Dore Rodriguez; 5th Shiloh Pool; 6th Raul Rodriguez; 7th Raul Rodriguez; 8th Derek Rodriguez; 9th Dore Rodriguez; 10th Tyler Wallace.

Garrett Thomas received a belt badge donated by Lisa Ludecke.

MW Black OPB:

1st Kalli Poole; 2nd Kate Wallace; 3rd Holly Thomas; 4th Garrett Thomas; 5th Garrett Thomas; 6th Holly Thomas; 7th Holly Thomas; 8th Garrett Thomas; 9th Baylee Benavidez; 10th Dusty Gwinn.

Kate Wallace received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Kenny Hensley.

HW Black OPB:

1st Miller Valentine; 2nd Cassidy Rinehart; 3rd Holly Thomas; 4th Baylee Benavidez; 5th Bobbie Kempf; 6th Derek Rodriguez; 7th Garrett Thomas; 8th Baylee Benavidez; 9th Derek Rodriguez, 10th Brionne Jackson.

Cassidy Rinehart received a belt badge donated by Mr. & Mrs. Larry Smith.

Black OPB Breed Champion:
Garrett Thomas
Reserve Breed Champion:
Kalli Poole

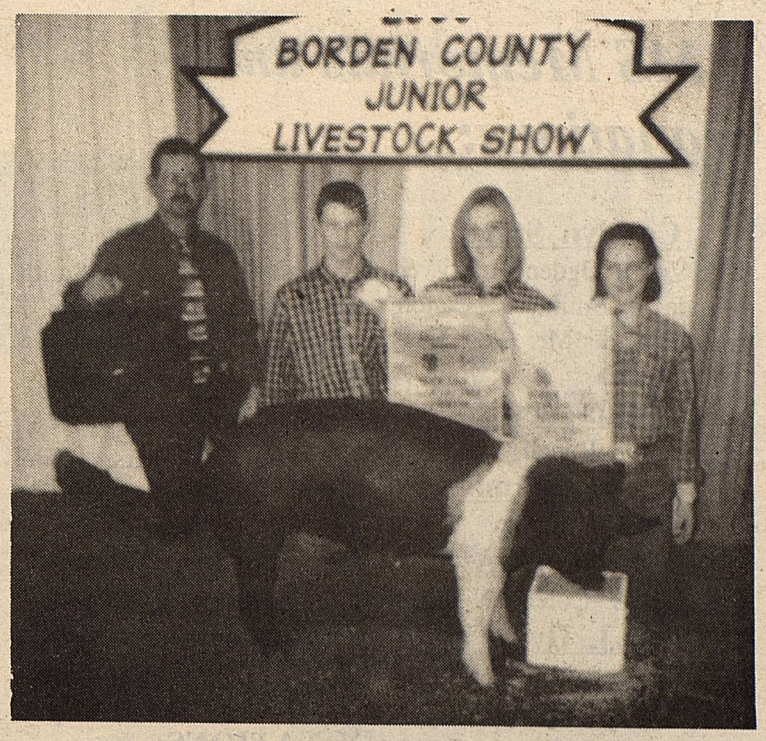
Grand Champion Swine:
Tanner Poole – received a monogrammed briefcase donated by Lisa Ludecke,; a belt buckle donated by Max & Jane Jones, Monte Smith Family, and the Buddy Wallace Family; a memorial plaque given In Memory of Buddy Sharp by the Buddy Sharp Family.

Reserve Grand Champion Swine:
Megan Brooks – received a briefcase donated by Key Brothers Implement, a belt buckle donated by Scott & Brandi Brooks and Gary & Connie Stipe.

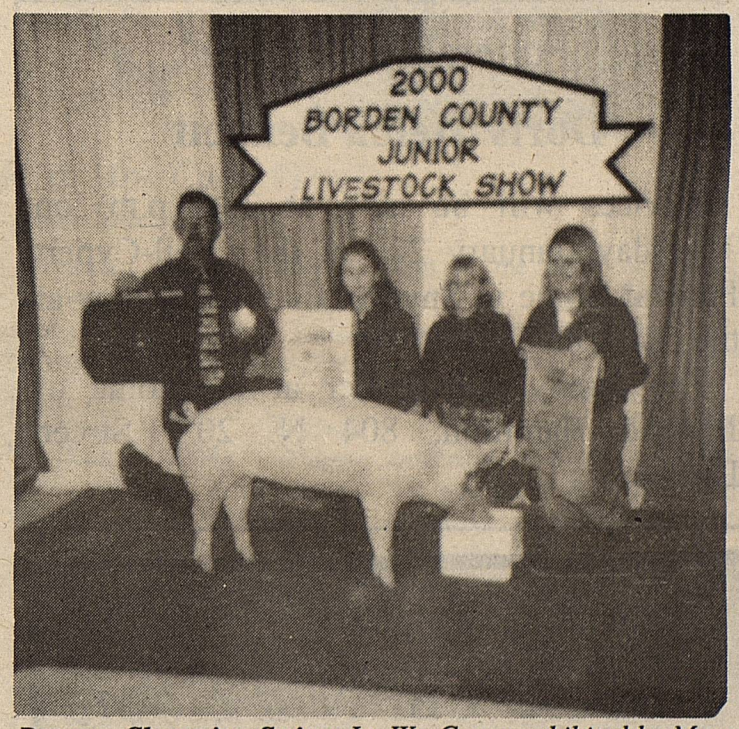
Other Award Winners:

$500.00 Scholarship:
Kaci Poole – donated by B.C.J.L.A.:

$500.00 Scholarship:
Hailey Adcock – donated by Cap Rock Electric, Stanton TX:



Grand Champion Swine: *Hvy. Wt. Hampshire, exhibited by Tanner Poole.*



Reserve-Champion Swine: *Lt. Wt. Cross, exhibited by Megan Brooks.*

Top Membership Salesman: donated by B.C.J.L.A – received by:
1st – Caden Nowlain
2nd – Andrew Lamming
3rd – Tyler Wallace

Elementary Beef Showmanship Buckle: Kalli Poole – donated by B.C.J.L.A. and Dr. Charles Church, DVM,. West Texas Vet Hospital, Snyder Texas
Junior Beef Showmanship Buckle: J. Ryan Gicklhorn – donated by Bill & Donna Aten
Senior Beef Showmanship Buckle: Kaci Poole – donated by Sid & Connie Hart

Top Beef Showmanship Buckle: Tanner Poole – donated by York Cattle Company

Elementary Lamb Showmanship Buckle: Miller Valentine – donated by Philena Farmer
Junior Lamb Showmanship Buckle: LaShae Johnson – donated by Wendell & Cindy Johnson and Randy & Donnelle Hensley.
Senior Lamb Showmanship Buckle: T.C. Stipe – donated by Mike & Stacy Johnson.

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EMS Memorials and Donations:

Carolyn Stone
By: Verna Ogden; Larry & Wanda Smith; Canon Ranch and Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Bush.

Paula Lewis
By: Canon Ranch

Jewell Whitmire
By: Doris Steadman

Debbie Dennis Awtry
By: Bill & Colene Nickum

D.J. Dyess
By: Larry & Wanda Smith

Fran Bennett
By: Larry & Wanda Smith and Bill Ludecke

Burl Belew
By Larry & Wanda Smith and Jess & Sharlot Stone.

Clay Kingston
By Glen & Judy Kinstong

Bill Westbrook
By Mr. & Mrs. Tim Wilson

John Dennis
By: Bill & Colene Nickum; Chris & Glenna Reiter; Canon Ranch and Mr. & Mrs. Jerry Bush

DONATIONS:
Mr. & Mrs. Chuck Kimmel

Funeral Notice For

Doris Melba Bennett

Services will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, January 20th at the Bell-Cypert Funeral Home in Snyder. Burial to follow at the Gail Cemetery.

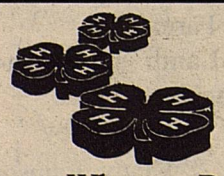
The family will gather at the home of Elwood Hamilton, 804 N. 20th. Street, Lamesa.

Branon Funeral Home

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403 N. Austin
Lamesa, Texas



Come join the fun!

What: Borden County 4-H Club Meeting
Where: County Showbarn
When: Wednesday, Jan. 26th
Time: 4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Refreshments will be served. Learn about 4-H and the programs it offers. For more information, please call the Extension office at 806/756-4336.

Hope to see you there!

Upcoming Events:

January

20th	JH vs. Lubbock Christian, H 6:00
21st.	HS vs Westbrook Here – 4:00 p.m.
22nd	JH Tournament @ Ira
22nd	HS UIL Literary Meet @ Andrews
25th	PHOTO DAY Basketball, all favorites, FFA and officers
25th	HS vs Grady Here – 4:00 p.m.



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Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

Here's a glass. It's filled with water.

I hit it. What splashes out?

Water. Why? Because water is on the inside.

When you're hit by an unkind word or a cruel deed, what splashes out - anger or love?

If your heart's filled with anger, out will come anger. If it's filled with love, out will come love.

Wouldn't you rather have the love of God come out? Then you must have the God of love in your heart.

A girl was unjustly scolded, but out came love. "What's the secret?" asked a friend.

"Jesus fills my heart," she explained, "and everything comes out right."

Does Jesus fill your heart?

POLITICAL CALENDAR
March Democratic Primary 2000

Justice of the Peace:
Jane Jones
Shirley Bennett
Dorothy Wilson

County Sheriff

Tax Assessor/Collector:
Billy Gannaway
Chuck Kimmel

County Commissioner: Precinct #3
Ernest Reyes
Joe Harding

County Commissioner: Precinct #1
Doug Isaacs

Stock Show Results:

Cont. from pg. 5

Top Lamb Showman Buckle: Shawna Kempf – donated In Memory of: Mrs. Edna Miller

Elementary Swine Showmanship Buckle: Sharelle Gass – donated by Ledbetter Peacan.

Junior Swine Showmanship Buckle: Cassidy Rinehart – donated by Ralph & Dewey Faye Miller.

Senior Swine Showmanship Buckle: Brionne Jackson – donated by Woolam Gin

Top Swine Showmanship Buckle: James Bond – donated by Dr. Charles Church, DVM, West Texas Vet Hospital, Snyder, TX.

Overall Showman Buckle: Tanner Poole – donated by Don Cox

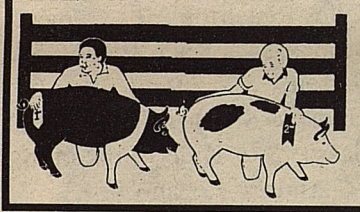
Top Hand Award: Tanner Poole – Plaque donated by B.C.J.L.A. Jacket donated by Cap Rock Electric, Stanton, TX

Outstanding 1st Year Exhibitor Plaque: Baylee Benavidez – given In Memory of James McLeroy by the James McLeroy Family.

All Breed Champions received a Moorman Feed Bucket donated by Bill & Mary John Phinizy.

Grand Champion winners received a feed scoop donated by Bill & Mary John Phinizy.

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O'Brien, Teeters Exchange Vows In Double Ring Ceremony

Staci Ja O'Brien became the bride of Caleb Austin Teeters in a candlelight wedding on December 18th, 1999 in the First Baptist Church of Lamesa. Rev. Dennis Teeters, father of the groom officiated the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Barry O'Brien of Borden County and Rev. and Mrs. Dennis Teeters of Lamesa.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride presented her mother a red rose on the way to the altar. The bridal gown was of ivory satin designed by Eden. It was of Victorian styling with a high neckline and v-shaped illusion tulle on the front and back of the fitted bodice, which was graced with appliqued Battenberg lace adorned with pearls. The sleeves, also of tulle and lace rested on the bride's wrists in scallops. The full skirt featuring the same lace and pearls as the bodice, fell into a chapel length train with a lace scalloped edging. The back waist was set off by a large square bow. The bride's headpiece was a pearl tiara with a two-tiered finger length bridal illusion veil accented with tiny pearls.

The bride carried a cascading bouquet of winter white Virginia roses, stephanotis and English ivy. Streamers of sheet ivory ribbon trailed from the tulle collar of the arrangement. A small white Bible, carried by the bride's mother in her wedding, nestled atop the bouquet. In keeping with tradition, the bride wore a diamond ring belonging to her maternal grandmother as something old. Her gown was new, the Bible in her bouquet was borrowed and her garter was blue. She also carried in her shoe pennies from the years both she and the groom were born.

Summer Teeters, sister of the groom, served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Shaina Isaacs and Adrianna Baeza. The female attendants wore identical hunter green satin dresses. The empire waistline fell to an A-line skirt featuring a low square back with a large ivory chiffon bow. Each girl carried long-stemmed winter white Virginia roses and princess pine greenery tied with hunter green and ivory sheer ribbon streamers. The flower girl was Chelsea Stephens. Her dress was of hunter green satin, with a v-shaped bodice and an organza full layered skirt.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with ivory lapel accents, ivory vest and tie and a shirt. His boutonniere was a single white bridal rose with stephanotis. Attending the groom were, best man, Will Warren and groomsmen, Michael Black and Clayton Roberts, Tanner Richey served as ringbearer. Each wore black tuxedos with hunter green lapel accents, vests and ties with ivory shirts. Their boutonnieres were a single white bridal rose.

Ushers were Clint O'Brien, brother of the bride, Nathan Teeters, brother of the groom, Justin Lawrence and Nick Flanigan.

Guests were registered in the foyer by Kaci Poole and Shana Hamilton. Registration tables were covered with ivory and hunter green floor length cloths. Each table featured an arrangement with alstromerias and Christmas greenery. Small baskets held scrolls with a poem written by the groom.

Velda Phipps provided piano music for the ceremony. Lindsey Vogler and Michael Matlock sang "From This Moment On". Blake Northam sang "I Promise You" and "I Will Be Here". At the conclusion of the ceremony the bride presented the groom's mother with a red rose. The wedding party exited the sanctuary to "Jingle Bell Rock" by Point of Grace.

The alter area was adorned with Christmas greenery and twinkle lights. Brass sunburst and spiral candelabras featuring English ivy and ivory tulle, served as background for the ceremony. Clusters of white poinsettias also scattered the altar.



Mr. & Mrs. Caleb Teeter
...nee Staci O'Brien

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlor. The bride's tables were covered with ivory and hunter green cloths, scalloped with ivory bows. The cake was a multi-tiered Italian Cream. Bridesmaids bouquets, English ivy and strands of pearls adorned each table. Sparkling punch was served from a crystal bowl. Kaci Poole, Amanda Watts and Katie Duncan served the guests.

The groom's table was laid with a hunter green cloth and ivory lace overlay. Brass three-tiered candles centered the table. A chocolate basket weave cake was topped with chocolate dipped strawberries. Coffee was served from a brass urn. Attending the groom's table were Traci Phipps, Lindsey Vogler and Shana Hamilton.

Following a honeymoon in New Mexico, the couple will reside in Plainview.

COURTESIES:

A bridal brunch was held in the parlor of the First Baptist Church of Lamesa on November 6th. Hostesses for the event were: Jo Ann Brown, Tanya Bryant, Lesa Burgeson, Belinda Bush, Sharon Bush, Marilyn Byrd, Risa Coleman, Cindy Corley, Rhonda Crossland, Sharalyn Ferguson, Julie Frizzell, Shelly Hightower, Lanette Hogg, Staci Howard, Anissa Huckert, Suzan Mayfield, Lynn McCraw, Star McGee, Alecia Napper, Michelle Northam, Velda Phipps. Kathy Roberts, Becky Seago, Sandra Seago, Tina Swarb, Duronell Warren and Melody Young.

A miscellaneous bridal shower was held on November 7th in the Borden County School. Hostesses were: Mary Airhart, LaNita Avery, Terri Buchanan, Dorothy Gray, Darby Key, Karan Key, Sue Jane Mayes, Shirley McMeans, Paula Miller, Sheri Poole, Hayley Richey, Deidre Smith, Sue Smith, Beth Stamper, Lori Stephens, Sharlot Stone, Kim Thomas, Shawna Ward and Sheryl Winegarner.

A lingerie shower was held in the home of Shirley Dye on November 21st. Hostesses were Shirley Dye, Lori Stephens, Debby Isaacs and Donnelle Hensley.

A surprise Christmas ornament party was given for the couple by Risa and Terry Coleman in their home on December 12th.

REHEARSAL:

Dennis and Susie Teeters, the groom's parents, hosted a rehearsal dinner for the wedding party and guests in the fellowship hall of First Baptist Church, immediately following the rehearsal on December 16th. A meal of salad, baked potatoes and filet mignon followed by cheese-cake was served. One area featured a table displaying pictures throughout the lives of the bride and groom. Bride and groom angels also decorated the room.

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As Ear Infection Season Fast Approaches, Good News For Parents

Effective Treatment Relies on Appropriate Use of Antibiotics

(DM)–Parents of small children are more familiar with a big health issue in the coming millennium – antibiotic resistance – than they know. A recent national survey of 1,431 mothers of small children found that 90 percent of moms have heard the term, antibiotic resistance. However, almost one-third of these mothers say there were times when their child was not able to complete the full course of antibiotic therapy, one of the contributing factors to the increase in resistance. Two common reasons included: a bad reaction to the medication, and stopping therapy when the child feels better, before completing the full course of antibiotics.



"Administering the complete dose of prescribed antibiotics on schedule is important," says John S. Bradley, M.D., Director of the Division of Infectious Disease at Children's Hospital in San Diego. "Significant deviation from the prescribed schedule can weaken the capability of the drug and lead to more visits to the doctor's office, and an increase in antibiotic resistance."

The overuse and misuse of antibiotics has spawned a new breed of "superbugs," disease-causing bacteria that no longer respond to antibiotics. Chief among them is *Streptococcus pneumoniae*, the bacteria that causes meningitis, pneumonia, and a disease most parents know all too well – childhood ear infections (acute otitis media or AOM).

Antibiotics work only against bacterial infections and have no effect on viral infections, like colds and flu. Open communication between parents and doctors is needed to determine the cause of infection and to ensure that appropriate medication is prescribed.

Following are some tips for parents to follow for optimum antibiotic use:

• Be sure that the full course of antibiotics is taken as directed by your physician.

• Do NOT stop administration of antibiotics when your child looks or feels better.

• Do NOT share or save the antibiotics for later use.

• Call your pediatrician if your child is having difficulty taking or not responding to current antibiotic therapy.

The antibiotic recommended by the CDC and the American Academy of Pediatrics for first-line treatment of AOM is amoxicillin. If your doctor has prescribed amoxicillin but your child is still showing symptoms after three days, call your doctor for further guidance. The CDC has suggested three alternate antibiotics for possible use when a first-line treatment fails – intramuscular Rocephin® (ceftriaxone), oral amoxicillin clavulanate and oral cefuroxime axetil.

For children who are vomiting, having diarrhea, cannot swallow oral medications or have had treatment failure with amoxicillin, there is an option. Rocephin is an injectable antibiotic given in the doctor's office that treats ear infections with a one-dose shot. Rocephin, the number one injectable antibiotic available in the United States for the past 14 years, was approved by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration for the treatment of AOM, giving parents a new treatment option in the ongoing battle against children's ear infections.

Courthouse News

WHEREAS, On this the 20th day of December, 1999, the Commissioners' Court of Borden County, Texas, convened in Special Session in the Commissioners Courtroom at the Courthouse in Gail, Texas, the following members of the Court being present, to-wit:

VAN L. YORK, County Judge, Presiding; DOUG ISAACS, Commissioner, Prec. #1; LARRY D. SMITH, Commissioner Prec. #2; VERNON WOLF, Commissioner, Prec. #3; HURSTON LEMONS, JR. Commissioner, Prec. #4 and JOYCE HERRIDGE, County Clerk.

constituting a quorum, when the following proceedings were had, in accordance with the posted agenda.

MINUTES APPROVED

Minutes of the Commissioners Court meeting of December 13, 1999 were read. Commissioner Wolf made a motion to approve said minute and motion was seconded by Commissioner Isaacs. Motion carried unanimously.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED

The current accounts were examined and Commissioner Smith made a motion to approve and pay said accounts. Commissioner Wolf seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

REGULAR COURT DAY

A motion was made by Commissioner Isaacs to set the Regular Meeting Date for the Commissioners Court for 2000 on the second Monday of each month. Commissioner Lemons seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

BORDEN COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

Julie D. Mumme, County Extension Agent, FCS and Dennis Poole, CEA-Ag met with the Commissioners Court giving a report of activities and accomplishments obtained during 1999. They also gave a report on the progress of work being done on the Show Barn. They expressed their thanks and appreciation for the help and the County contributions of work on the Show Barn.

SOIL CONSERVATION CONSTRUCTION

An application for Soil conservation Construction was received from John T. Wilson in Precinct No. 1 and 2. A motion was made by Commissioner Smith and seconded by Commissioner Isaacs to approve the application. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURN

A motion was made by Commissioner Isaacs to adjourn. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Lemons and approved unanimously.



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First Baptist Church Gail will celebrate *"Super Sunday"* on January 30th. with Dinner in the fellowship hall immediately following morning services. Everyone is invited to bring Pot-Luck and come join the food and fellowship.
No evening services

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