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Coahoma High School seniors wait to receive their diplomas during commencement ceremonies Friday night at the Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Triple killing

Jury selection for murder trial will begin in August

By THOMAS JENKINS
Staff Writer

Preparations for the capital murder trial of an Odessa man accused of shooting and killing three Odessa police officers in 2007 will begin with jury selection in Big Spring's 118th District Court in mid-August, according to Ector County officials.


White

Larry Neil White, 62, was arrested at his home in Odessa in September 2007 after police officer responded to a report of a domestic disturbance believed to have been issued by his wife. White allegedly opened fire on the officers, killing Arlie "Lee" Jones Jr., Scott Gardner and Abel Marquez.

According to police reports, the three officers were gunned down while attemp-

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Construction-ravaged campus to see less hectic times ahead

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

It's still about a year away, but Howard College officials can begin visualizing what the Big Spring campus will look like without backhoes and ditches and hardhats all over the place.

When college trustees meet Monday — at 12:30 p.m. in the Student Union Building Cactus Room — they will hear a report on the progress of more than $20 million in renovation projects that have turned the Birdwell Lane campus into a construction site for more than a year now.

To use a horse-racing metaphor, the projects are in the back stretch and are close to turning for home.

College President Dr. Cheryl Sparks said work crews are well into the third and final stage of construction. Among projects recently completed or nearly so are:

• Science building addition — Work on the new wing is

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County to consider Basic IDIQ offer

❑ Will convene at 10 a.m. Monday.

By THOMAS JENKINS
Staff Writer

Howard County commissioners are expected to consider a proposal from Houston-based Basic IDIQ (Indefinite Delivery Indefinite Quantity) Inc. for design and construction of a new warehouse and office building for the government's road and bridge department Monday.

Commissioners first met with representatives from Basic IDIQ in March, as Tina Boneta, account executive for the company, explained the services the group offers its clients.

"There are several different ways to contract for construction. However, the government has allowed a new way, which is through job order contracting," Boneta told the court. "The way this works with us, until our firm gives you a firm, fixed price, there are no charges of fees. This process is growing in popularity, and we've done construction for the Texas Tech Health Sciences Division in different parts of Texas, as well as work for Midland ISD.

"There is accountability at every level with this type of contract, and the contractor cannot come back and submit a change order. The only change orders can be submitted by the county. It's a process that just hasn't been used much outside of government contracts, but it is available to counties, cities and entities like that."

The court recently ap-

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Work crews plant a tree in a median along Main Street Friday afternoon. The addition of the trees is part of an effort by the city of Big Spring to improve the thoroughfares in downtown Big Spring.

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‘Turf’ times coming to Forsan HS

Crews begin installing new playing fields

By STEVE REAGAN
Staff Writer

FORSAN — Construction crews this week took the first step in a million-dollar upgrade of Forsan Independent School District athletic facilities.

Workers plowed up the existing grass football field and will soon replace it with a $750,000 artificial surface.

For the next three months, crews will be busy installing the new field.

“We fully expect to be on our new field for the first day of two-a-day practices in August,” said Terry McDonald, athletic director for the school district.

With the grass surface removed, workers will now dig down until they reach a stable base, McDonald said. Then they will begin working on the stone foundation and drainage system, with the artificial surface the last piece of the puzzle to be installed.

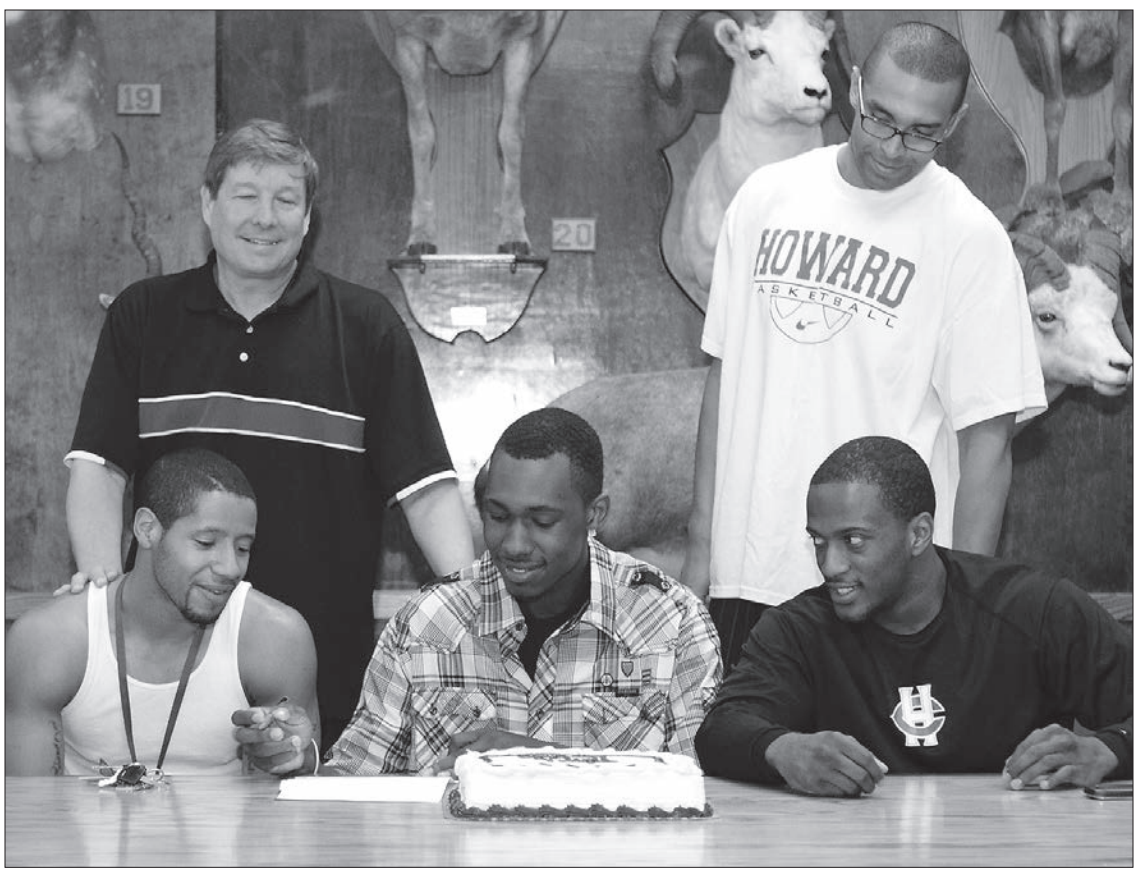
School trustees approved new playing surfaces for the football, softball and baseball fields back in February. Total cost of the proj-

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HERALD photo/Steve Reagan

The Forsan High School football field is now nothing more than a patch of plowed earth, but by early August it will sport a new $750,000 artificial surface, school officials said.



Howard College basketball player Virgil Cissoko, front row center, is joined by teammates and Head Coach Mark Adams as he signs a letter of intent to play for Angelo State University at the HC Student Union Building recently.

HERALD photo/Tony Claxton

13-year-old tops Everest

BEIJING (AP) — A 13-year-old American boy became the youngest climber to reach the top of Mount Everest on Saturday, surpassing the previous record set by a 16-year-old Nepalese.

Jordan Romero called his mother by satellite phone from the summit of the world’s highest mountain, 29,035 feet (8,850 meters) above sea level. He is now one climb away from his quest to conquer the highest peaks on all seven continents.

“He says, ‘Mom, I’m calling you from the top of the world,’” Leigh Anne Drake told The Associated Press from California, where she had watched her son’s progress on a GPS

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Sports in brief

BSHS schedules sports camps

Big Spring High School will be the site of several sports camps this summer.

Those camps include:

• Camp of Champs — This weight-conditioning program, open to students in grades 3 through 7, will be held June 1-10 at the Athletic Training Center.

Coach Don Kelso will conduct the camp. Cost is $25 per person.

• Summer Track Program — Open to all BSISD students, this camp will run from June 1 through July 15 at the ATC and Blankenship Field.

The camp is conducted by Nick Roberson.

• Baseball Skills Camp — BSHS Coach Bert Otto will conduct this camp, open to children in grades 1 through 8, from June 1-3 at Steer Park.

Cost is $25 per person.

• Softball Skills Camp — Coach John Sparks will conduct this camp, open to children in grades 3 through 8, from June 1-3 at Lady Steers Field.

Cost is $25 per person.

• Boys Basketball Skills Camp — Students in grades 2-8 are eligible for this camp,which will be conducted from June 7-10 at the junior high gym. Coach Marcus Morris will conduct the camp.

Cost is $25.

• Girls Basketball Skills Camp — Also open to students in grades 2-8, this camp will be held from June 21-24 in Steer Gym.

Coach Mike Warren will conduct the camp. Cost is $25 per person.

• Football Skills Camp — Coach Nick Roberson will conduct this camp, open to students in grades 1 through 8, June 21-24 at the ATC. Cost is $25 per person.

For more information on any of the camps, contact the ATC at 264-3662.

Kickball tournament slated for Mize Field

A “Kick Off The Summer” kickball tournament is scheduled for May 22-23 at Cotton Mize Field.

The tournament features a four-game guarantee and is open to players ages 10 and under.

At least three girls must be on the field at all times, organizers said.

Cost is $10 per player.

Registration can be done by phone or until 10 a.m. at Mize Field the first day of the tournament, organizers said.

All proceeds will go to “Mayhem,” an 8 and under girls’ softball travel team.

For more information, call 213-6156 or 599-3948.

Parent-child golf tournament scheduled

Big Spring Country Club will host a parent-child two-person scramble golf tournament June 5-6, officials said.

The tournament will have two divisions — trophy and open — and will be flighted by first day scores. A parent may play with more than one child.

Entry fee is $80 per team in the open division and $40 per team in the trophy division (second team registration is half price).

To register, call 267-5354.

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Firestorm Burrito

SIMPLE Summer Cookouts

FAMILY FEATURES

When getting together with family and friends for cookouts this summer, keep things simple. Simple means less stress and more time to enjoy the good food and good company ... but, it doesn't mean sacrificing great taste.

Foods that have great flavor packed into them, such as Johnsonville Sausage, mean you spend less time cooking, and more time enjoying your guests' company. They're packed with flavor, saving you the time and money you'd need to get extra ingredients for your dishes. And, they're easy to cook — enjoy them hot off the grill as they are, or dress them up with one of these easy recipes.

Make sure you keep the side dishes simple, too. Fresh watermelon wedges, grilled corn on the cob, potato salad and deviled eggs are always big hits.

For more flavorful, yet simple, summer cookout recipes, visit Johnsonville.com.

Grilling Tips

- For perfect brats, grill them slowly over medium-low heat with the lid on your grill. Grill the brats for about 30 minutes, turning every 5 minutes or so.
- Use tongs to turn brats and other sausages to make sure you don't pierce the casings.
- If you start getting flare-ups, move the sausages to another part of the grill. This is easy to do if you don't crowd too many on the grill at one time.

Firestorm Burrito

Yield: 8 servings

Sauce

- **1 cup sour cream**
- **2 1/2 teaspoons roasted chipotle and onion seasoning**
- **1 heaping tablespoon fresh, chopped cilantro**

Burritos

- **8 Johnsonville BOLD Jalapeño & Cheese Smoked Sausages**
- **1 green pepper, finely diced**
- **1 red pepper, finely diced**
- **1 tomato, diced**
- **1 bunch green onions, sliced**
- **1 red onion, diced**
- **1 jar lime and garlic salsa**
- **8 ounces shredded Pepper Jack cheese**
- **1 package 10 to 12-inch flour tortillas**

Blend sour cream, spice and cilantro; set aside.

Prepare sausages according to package directions and keep warm.

Heat flour tortilla and spread about 2 tablespoons sour cream sauce onto a tortilla with 2 tablespoons of salsa.

Place sausage onto tortilla and top with 1 tablespoon each of diced peppers, tomatoes and onions.

Sprinkle with 1 ounce of shredded Pepper Jack cheese over above and roll as you would a burrito.

Italian Onion & Roquefort Sandwich

Yield: 5 servings

- **1 medium onion, thinly sliced**
- **4 ounces crumbled Roquefort or blue cheese**
- **1/4 cup olive oil**
- **2 tablespoons red wine vinegar**
- **1 tablespoon steak sauce**
- **1 teaspoon minced chives**
- **1 teaspoon chopped fresh parsley**
- **1/2 teaspoon minced garlic**
- **1/4 teaspoon salt**
- **1/4 teaspoon pepper**
- **1 package (19.76 ounces) Johnsonville Italian Mild Sausage Links**
- **5 hoagie rolls, split**

In bowl, combine first ten ingredients to make dressing. Cover and refrigerate for at least 2 hours.

Grill sausage according to package directions.

Place one grilled link in each roll; spoon onion and Roquefort dressing over sausage. If desired, grill or broil sandwich for 2 to 3 minutes or until cheese is melted. Serve warm.



Italian Onion & Roquefort Sandwich

Brat Hot Tub

Yield: 5 servings

- **1 11 x 9 x 2 3/8-inch aluminum foil baking pan**
- **2 to 3 beers**
- **2 tablespoons butter**
- **1 medium yellow or white onion, sliced**

Put pan on hot grill. Pour in beer then add butter and onions. Grill brats to juicy, golden-brown perfection. Serve immediately and place any remaining brats into steaming hot tub.



Brat Hot Tub

Summer Sausage S'mores

Yield: 24 servings

- **1 12-ounce Johnsonville Original Summer Sausage, sliced 1/4 inch thick**
- **Cheddar cheese (enough for the amount of sausage slices), sliced to the diameter of the sausage**
- **Round snack crackers (enough for the amount of sausage slices)**
- **Course-ground mustard**

Place sausage slices on a hot grill. Grill until sausages starts to curl into a cup shape, about 3 minutes. Flip sausage and place cheese inside the cupped side. Cover grill and allow cheese to melt.

Meanwhile, spread cracker with mustard, to taste. Remove sausage cups from grill and sandwich between crackers just before serving.



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Obituaries

Rocky New

Rocky New, 52, of Coahoma died Friday, May 21, 2010, in Sterling County. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday, May 24, 2010, at the Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel with the Rev. Ken McMeans, pastor of College Baptist Church, officiating. Interment will follow at Coahoma Cemetery.



The family will receive friends from 4 p.m. until 5 p.m. Sunday, May 23, 2010, at the funeral home.

He was born Nov. 21, 1957, in Big Spring and married Sheri Graham on Aug. 9, 1986, in Odessa.

Rocky graduated from Coahoma High School in 1976, attended Angelo State University and had worked as a pumper for many years. He was very involved in his kids athletics and coached their various teams. Rocky served as president of USGA Girls Softball and was named Man of the Year by the Coahoma Lions Club. He was a Baptist.

Rocky enjoyed fishing with his kids, never met a stranger and loved telling jokes.

Survivors include his wife, Sheri New of Coahoma; his son, Regan New of Coahoma; his daughter, Ashle New of San Marcos; three brothers, Roy New of Big Spring, and Steve New and Tommy New, both of Coahoma; three sisters, Ann Trawick of Tye, Patsy Burns of Abilene and Rhonda Quay of Odessa; his in-laws, Bud and Ruth Graham of Big Spring, and Linda Beckwith of Mason; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his father, Tommy New; his mother, Willie Grant; and his stepfather, Lloyd Grant.

The family suggests memorials be made to a favorite charity.

Arrangements under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home & Crematory of Big Spring. Online condolences can be made at: www.npwelch.com

Paid obituary

Ismael Bihl

The Rev. Ismael Bihl, 70, of Big Spring died Friday, May 21, 2010, at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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Police blotter

The Big Spring Police Department reported the following activity between 7 a.m. Friday and 9 a.m. today:

• JONATHAN WILLIAMS, 17, of 2401 Alamesa, was arrested Friday on a charge of theft.

• ROSHANDA EVETTE BETHANY, 30, of 1601 E. 17th St., was arrested Friday on a charge of driving while license invalid with a previous conviction or suspension.

• SHOTS FIRED was reported in the 2400 block of E. Marcy Drive.

• BURGLARY OF A VEHICLE was reported:
In the 400 block of S. Aylesford.
In the 400 block of S. Bell.

• THEFT was reported in the 1600 block of S. Gregg Street.

Take note

• The Big Spring Salvation Army will be holding a fundraiser Monday from 5 p.m. until 9 p.m. at Pizza Inn. Salvation Army and staff will be waiting tables and providing other services for donations during that time period. The funds raised will help finance a trip to Georgia to support Paul Ryerson, a young man from Big Spring who is graduating from the Salvation Army's Evangeline Booth College school for officer training. He will be commissioned as an officer in the Salvation Army and will be stationed in El Paso. For more information, call 267-8239.

• The Carolyn Payne Benefit Fund is at Wells Fargo Bank. The account number is 8634321536. Payne lost both of her sons last week and help is needed to cover funeral expenses. Contact Jeanie Knocke for more information at 268-6212.

• One hour a week or one hour a month can make a big difference in someone's life. Whether it's visiting with a patient or simply working in the office, there are many ways you can be a hospice volunteer. Training to begin June 19, June 26, and July 10 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. If you can't make these dates, call. We will work around your schedule. To inquire, please call Michelle Coutermarsh, volunteer coordinator for Compass Hospice, at (432) 263-5999 or apply in person at 1003 E. FM 700 in Big Spring. Let's start to make a difference today!

• If you were laid off between December 2008 and March 2010 and are interested in training, contact the Workforce Solutions Permian Basin office in Big Spring at 263-8373 or 1-800-749-8373. Training dollars are available to assist those affected by the layoffs and ultimate plant closure.

Today's Weather

Local 5-Day Forecast

Sun 5/23	Mon 5/24	Tue 5/25	Wed 5/26	Thu 5/27
90/67 Intervals of clouds and sunshine. High around 90F. Winds S at 20 to 30 mph.	**82/65** Windy with thunderstorms in the area.	**81/64** Scattered thunderstorms possible.	**85/63** A few thunderstorms possible. Highs in the mid 80s and lows in the low 60s.	**86/63** Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the mid 80s and lows in the low 60s.
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Texas At A Glance



Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
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Amarillo	89	62	windy	Livingston	93	67	pt sunny
Austin	90	70	windy	Longview	93	69	pt sunny
Beaumont	92	72	pt sunny	Lubbock	88	65	windy
Brownsville	93	77	t-storm	Lufkin	94	69	pt sunny
Brownwood	92	69	windy	Midland	90	70	pt sunny
Corpus Christi	89	76	mst sunny	Raymondville	94	75	pt sunny
Corsicana	90	70	pt sunny	Rosenberg	92	71	mst sunny
Dallas	92	71	pt sunny	San Antonio	91	72	windy
Del Rio	92	73	windy	San Marcos	91	69	windy
El Paso	93	63	sunny	Sulphur Springs	93	70	pt sunny
Fort Stockton	92	68	t-storm	Sweetwater	91	68	windy
Gainesville	89	69	pt sunny	Tyler	93	67	pt sunny
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Oswalt wants out; asks Astros to trade him

HOUSTON (AP) — Astros ace Roy Oswalt wants out of Houston.

General manager Ed Wade said Oswalt's agent, Bob Garber, contacted owner Drayton McLane earlier this week to make the request. When asked if it was a request or a demand, Wade said that distinction didn't matter.

"Roy's contract has a no-trade clause, not a trade-me clause," Wade said. "There is no rule that allows a player in his contract status to demand a trade. So demand, request, hold your breath until you turn blue, it's all the same. It's acknowledged and noted."

The 32-year-old Oswalt recently said he would be willing to waive his no-trade clause.

Wade said he wants to win with Oswalt on the Astros. Houston went into Friday night's game against Tampa Bay with the worst record in the National League at 14-27.

McLane said the call came a few days ago and that there has been no movement by anyone in the organization since then. That doesn't mean the team won't consider the request in the future.

"I always consider everything that would make the Houston Astros better," McLane said. "So we'll certainly look at that, but we'll look at a number of other things also."

Oswalt has made nine straight quality starts to open the season but is 2-6 with a 2.66 ERA. He has gotten the lowest run support in the league.

McLane said he's been around long enough that nothing surprises him and that he wasn't disappointed by Oswalt's request.

"No. Roy is like I am," he said. "Do I want to win? Do I want to be a champion? Absolutely. And they want to win. So they want to know which direction we're headed and that's something we've got to consider ... we have not played well and that raises questions."

TEEN

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tracker online.

"There were lots of tears and 'I love you! I love you!'" Drake said. "I just told him to get his butt back home."

The teenager with long curly hair — who climbed Mount Kilimanjaro in Africa when he was 9 years old — says he was inspired by a painting in his school hallway of the seven continents' highest summits.

"Every step I take is finally toward the biggest goal of my life, to stand on top of the world," Jordan said earlier on his blog.

The former record for the youngest climber to scale Everest had been held by Temba Tsheri of Nepal. He reached the peak at age 16.

Also Saturday, officials said a Nepalese Sherpa who lives in the Salt Lake City suburb of Draper broke his own world record by climbing Everest for the 20th time. Apa, who goes by one name, went up with fellow climbers on a mission also to collect garbage, a growing environmental problem on the mountain.

Mountaineering Department official Tilak Pandey said several climbers took advantage of Saturday's clear weather to reach the summit.

Jordan's climbing team reached the peak hours earlier than expected.

"The first thing, they all hugged each other and said, 'I love you, I can't believe we're finally here' and started crying," said Rob Bailey, the team's spokesman, by phone from the United States.

Jordan, from Big Bear, California, was climbing Everest with his father, his father's girlfriend and three Sherpa guides. He left for the peak from the base camp on the Chinese side.

Everest was his first challenge above 26,240 feet (8,000 meters).

Unlike neighboring Nepal, the other approach to Everest, China has no age limit for climbers. Jordan registered with Chinese officials in April, said Zhang Mingxing, secretary general of China Tibet Mountaineering Association.

No interview with Jordan would be possible until he returns to advance base camp, which could take a couple of days, Bailey said. Climbers stay overnight at three or four camps before the summit, depending on their route and pace.

Jordan carried a number of good luck charms, including a pair of kangaroo testicles given to him by a friend who has cancer.

"That's the one that probably meant the most," Bailey said.

At the summit, Jordan left behind his lucky rabbit's foot and planted some seeds that a Buddhist monk at a local monastery had given him for luck on his journey, Bailey said. Then he took the satellite phone and called his mom.

Jordan continues the recent trend of young adventurers. Earlier this month, 16-year-old Australian Jessica Watson became the youngest person to sail around the globe solo, nonstop and unassisted. Thousands lined Sydney Harbor to cheer as she cruised past the finish line in her pink yacht.

TURF

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ect, once all three fields are resurfaced, will be slightly more than $1.2 million.

"At the football field, we have an underground watering system that's more than 20 years old that needs to be pulled up ... while the softball field has major drainage issues," FISD Superintendent Randy Johnson said in February, pointing out that wet grounds forced Forsan to move four of its softball games to Big Spring last season. "We've been researching this for more than a year now and we believe using artificial turf will allow us to get more use out of the fields and is the safest and most cost-effective way for us to go."

First priority for work crews is the football field.

"(After this spring's playoffs), the baseball and softball teams won't be back on their fields until February of next year," McDonald said. "So we've got a little more time to work on those areas."

Installing artificial turf makes sense economically, Johnson said.

"Research shows that the fields will pay for themselves within 8 to 10 years," Johnson said. "And when the time comes to install a new surface, the costs will be significantly lower because all the surface work will have already been done and all they'll have to do is roll out a new carpet."

The fields also will be cheaper to maintain, he noted.

"We'll have to purchase two machines that effectively sweep the fields and collect any trash ... but the fields will be as close to maintenance-free as we can get," Johnson said. "In the past, the maintenance staff used to be on the fields for a day getting them ready. We'll be trading that for one person working 45 minutes a couple of times a week."

And the new surface will be advantageous to students and coaches, McDonald added.

"We're going to get to play on a good, solid surface all year," he said. "Weather's not going to bother you, rain's not going to bother you ... Just the consistency of the field will be a big advantage."

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Engagements



Weylin Craig Wolf and Lacey Renee Wilkinson

Wilkinson-Wolf

Lacey Renee Wilkinson of Big Spring and Weylin Craig Wolf of Vincent are planning to be married at 6 p.m. June 26, 2010, at First Baptist Church in Big Spring.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Richard and Brenda Wilkinson and David and Kandi Burris, both of Big Spring. She is the granddaughter of Willie and Ann Wilkinson of Falfurrias and the late Bobbie and Rosetta Swartz of Premont.

The groom-elect is the son of Steve and Jean Ann Wolf of Vincent. He is the grandson of the late Jack and Wanda Wolf of Vincent, the late Don Parks of Sand Springs, and Kenneth and Mona Langley of Ennis.

Lacey is a 2002 graduate of Big Spring High School and received her bachelor of science degree in elementary education from Howard Payne University in Brownwood in 2006. She is a first grade teacher at Coahoma Elementary School.

Weylin is a 1999 graduate of Coahoma High School and received his bachelor of science degree in agriculture services and development from Tarleton State University in Stephenville in 2004. He is co-owner of Wolf Dirt Contractors, as well as a farmer and rancher.

Following the wedding, the couple will reside in Vincent.



Elijah Sean Peters and Valerie Michelle Martinez

Martinez-Peters

Andrew and Sandra Martinez of Coahoma announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Valerie Michelle Martinez, to Elijah Sean Peters of Big Spring.

The couple will exchange vows at 1 p.m. Aug. 7, 2010, at Immaculate Heart of Mary Church in Big Spring.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Rosalinda Gonzales and Felix Gonzales, both of Big Spring and the late Sabina Flores Martinez.

She is a 2006 graduate of Coahoma High School and currently attends Midland College, pursuing a degree in nursing.

The prospective groom is the son of Beth Peters of Big Spring and the grandson of Iris Phillips of Big Spring and the late Willie Phillips.

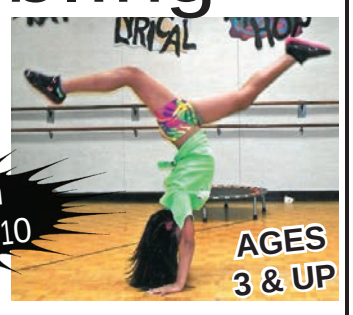
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Haley Brooke Adams and Shelby Wade Lefever

Adams-Lefever

Haley Brooke Adams and Shelby Wade Lefever, both of Lubbock, will exchange wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. June 26, 2010, in a backyard ceremony at the bride's home in Big Spring.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Ricky and Patti Adams and the granddaughter of Sonya Swindell and the late Bill Swindell, all of Big Spring.

The prospective groom is the son of David and Rhonda Lefever and grandson of Ronnie and Helen Richardson, all of Big Spring; Desmond and Dixie Powell of San Angelo; and Ruth Lefever and the late William Lefever of Lancaster, Pa.

Haley is a 2007 graduate of Big Spring High School, attended Howard College and is presently majoring in retail merchandising at Texas Tech University. She is employed in the office of the vice president for research at Texas Tech.

Shelby is a 2006 graduate of Forsan High School, attended Howard College and is presently majoring in exercise sports science at Texas Tech University. He is employed by Academy.

The couple will be living in Lubbock as they complete their bachelor degrees at Texas Tech.

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TRIAL

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ting to enter White's home from an area in the property's backyard. Both Gardner and Jones were pronounced dead at the scene, while Marquez died in a Lubbock hospital several days later.

Following a standoff that lasted several hours, White was taken into custody after he was shot in the abdomen. He was treated at an Odessa hospital and later booked into the Ector County Jail, where he was held without bond.

District Judge Denn Whalen, who presides over the 70th District Court, agreed to the change of venue from the Odessa-based court to Big Spring following nearly a year of requests to do so from White's attorneys, Woody Leverett and Raymond Fivecoat of Midland. The attorneys claimed White could not receive a fair trial in Ector County due to the publicity generated by the case.

According to Ector County District Attorney Bobby Bland, jury selection in the case is set to begin Aug. 17 and is expected to take several weeks to complete.

"Anytime you're working with a capital murder charge, it takes considerably longer to choose a jury," said Bland. "So there's really no way to know for sure how long the process will take. We expect to begin the trial, which should take between one and two weeks to complete, sometime in October."

Because the trial was moved from Odessa to Big Spring, local officials say Ector County will be responsible for the cost of the proceedings, which will be overseen by Whalen.

"Ector County will be responsible for all costs from this trial," said Howard County Judge Mark Barr shortly after the change of venue was announced. "So we're OK from an economic standpoint. They (Ector County) will also cover the cost of any law enforcement overtime accumulated during the trial, so it won't put the county out at all."

While the trial won't take a fiscal toll on the county, Barr said he does expect the proceedings to put a strain on jurors and prospective jurors.

"That's going to be the real challenge," he said. "From what I understand, they plan to call a jury pool of about 700 people, so those proceedings will most like take a long time to complete. Money won't be the challenge, but picking a jury most likely will be."

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Support Groups

MONDAY

• Encourager's Support Group for all widows and widowers meets the first and third Monday of the month. For more information, call Nancy Hale at 398-5239.

• Diabetes Support Group meets the second Monday of each month at 7 p.m. at Dora Roberts Rehabilition Center, 306 W. Third St. Medical lectures and information for Type 1 and Type 2 Diabetics and caregivers. Call 267-3806 for information.

• Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) No. 21 meets at 5:30 p.m. at the First Christian Church at 10th and Goliad for weigh-in. The meeting begins at 6 p.m. Call 213-1342 or 263-6819.

TUESDAY

• The Path, faith-based addiction recovery, meets at 6:30 p.m. at Spring Tabernacle Ministeries, 1209 Wright St.

•Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. and closed discussion meeting 8 p.m. to 9 p.m.

• Al-Anon, 615 Settles for family members and friends of alcoholics meets at 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

• RSD (Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy, a chronic pain disease), a new support and informative group meets at 213 Circle. Call Lucy at (432) 517-9207 for more information.

THURSDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m.; women's meeting; 6:30 until 7:30 p.m. Non-smoking closed discussion meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

FRIDAY

• AA open discussion meeting from noon until 1 p.m. at 605 Settles. Open Big Book study meeting, 8 p.m. until 9 p.m.

SATURDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous open discussion meeting, 615 Settles, noon to 1 p.m. Open podium/speakers meeting 615 Settles 8 p.m. until 9 p.m. Open birthday night, no smoking meeting the last Saturday of each month at 8 p.m.

• Candlelight Meeting Group of Alcoholics Anonymous at 10 p.m. at 1609 S. Main in Big Spring. For more information call (432) 935-5805 or (432) 517-2272.

SUNDAY

• Alcoholics Anonymous meets from 11 a.m. to noon at 615 Settles. Open meeting 5 p.m. until 6 p.m.

COUNTY

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proved an inter-local agreement with Basic IDIQ that allows the county to work with the Houston-based company. According to County Judge Mark Barr, commissioners will get a chance to look at the proposal during Monday's meeting.

"They have the numbers for the project, so they will be presenting those to the commissioners," said Barr. "They'll lay down a number for us and let us know what we're looking at and the most the project will cost us. There are a lot of variables in a project like this, and while it's certainly nothing of the magnitude we went through on the jail project, there's still quite a bit of work that goes into it. If the commissioners like what they say, they will have the opportunity to enter into a contract for it."

Barr said the work Basic IDIQ has done to prepare the proposal won't cost the county a dime if the court decides not to accept the proposal.

Also during Monday's meeting, the council will discuss invoices and purchase requests with County Auditor Jackie Olson. County Treasurer Teresa Thomas will discuss personnel considerations, while County Road and Bridge Administrator Eddy Jameson will present pipeline crossings and a report on road maintenance.

Big Spring Police Department Lt. Terry Chamness is also expected to meet with commissioners, while District Clerk Colleen Barton will discuss records management.

The meeting will get under way at 10 a.m. in the commissioners courtroom, located on the third floor of the county courthouse. For more information, contact the county judge's office at 264-2202.

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COLLEGE

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completed and furniture and equipment are being moved into the new labs. Sparks said the new rooms should be available for students by the start of the first summer semester in June.

Once the new wing is occupied, existing science building rooms will be vacated and renovated. Bids for that portion of the project will be approved later this summer, with work completion expected in December.

• Administration building main wing — Sparks estimated that the administration wing containing several college service offices, will be back in business sometime in August, completing work on the building as a whole.

• Cooling system — Work on the central chiller is "95 percent complete," Sparks said, and workers have begun filling in pipe trenches which have turned the campus into an obstacle course. Once the chiller work is complete, the old underground storage tanks which use to feed the cooling system will be dug up and removed — "which will make an even bigger ditch," Sparks conceded — but that new obstacle should be filled back in within the next few weeks.

Projects still remaining include:

• Practical Arts Building — Plans for renovating this building are still being refined and Sparks projects bids being awarded in mid-June. Renovation is expected to take up to 12 months.

• Dormitories — Students have now vacated the dormitories, which will undergo extensive renovation of infrastructure systems, and asbestos abatement has begun. Workers are under a strict time limit on completing work in this area, as the dormitories must be open to students when the fall semester begins in late August.

"Once all these projects are complete, we'll be getting pretty close to the end," Sparks said, with only work on grounds and sidewalks remaining. "Then we can start putting everything back together."

In other business Monday, trustees will consider:

• Oaths of office for newly re-elected trustees.

• An update on the state-mandated 5 percent budget reduction plan and budget planning for the next fiscal year.

• Bids for security cameras, computer equipment, fitness center equipment and parking lot repair.

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Jimmy John Newsom, 52, died Monday. Memorial services were at noon Saturday at Christ Community Fellowship.

Riley Wyatt, 75, died Tuesday. A gathering will be held from 5:30 p.m. until 7 p.m. Saturday at Myers & Smith Funeral Home

Rev. Ismael Bihl, 70, died Friday. Services are pending at Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

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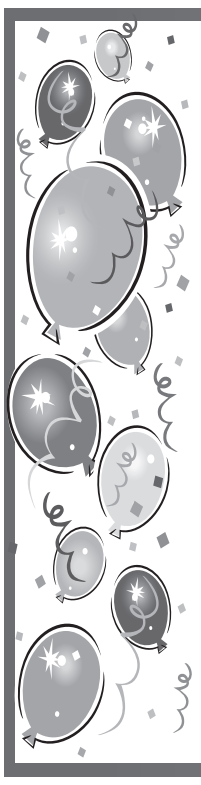
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Rangers extend winning streak to 5

ARLINGTON (AP) — Texas Rangers slugger Josh Hamilton can play small ball, too.

In the Rangers' first interleague game of the season, Hamilton showed a little National League flair. His first career sacrifice bunt came between run-scoring doubles by Vladimir Guerrero and Nelson Cruz and Texas extended its winning streak to a season-best five in a row with a 2-1 victory over the Chicago Cubs on Friday night.

"That was amazing. It surprised me the way he did it," said Cruz, who was on deck when Hamilton squared around.

"Obviously they're not expecting it. That's in my favor," said Hamilton, known for long blasts and his 28 homers in the first round of the 2008 Home Run Derby at the old Yankee Stadium. "We've been talking about if the situation calls for it, you know, be a team player, get it done."

In his 1,585th career plate appearance, in his 376th game and on his 29th birthday, Hamilton bunted after Guerrero's RBI double drove in Ian Kinsler to tie the game. Cruz then doubled.

Colby Lewis (4-2) labored through six innings for his first victory in five starts.

Lewis (4-2) didn't have a 1-2-3 inning until the sixth, but he had already thrown 109 pitches by then and was done. Darren O'Day and Frank Francisco each worked scoreless innings before hard-throwing right-hander Neftali Feliz extended his Rangers rookie record with his 12th save in 14 chances.

Feliz worked around Tyler Colvin's pinch-hit double and benefited from Cruz's leaping catch against the wall.

Ted Lilly (1-4) pitched into the seventh but remained without a victory since winning his injury-delayed season debut April 24 for the Cubs. He is 0-4 his last five starts.

"The only thing I'm trying to do is win, whatever fashion it takes," Lilly said. "What it comes down to for me is giving up fewer runs. I need to pitch better. ... I will say we're capable of hitting better. Everyone's trying to find a way. I don't think you can look at any one thing. We're in this together for the rest of the year."

An infield hit and two throwing errors got Kinsler to third leading off the fourth.

"Kinsler hustles out a single that turns into a triple and then we do what we have to do to get the runs in," manager Ron Washington said.

Kinsler kept running after leading a slow roller that third baseman Mike Fontenot fielded and threw wide of first base. After second baseman Ryan Theriot grabbed the ball in short right field, he flung it into left field for another throwing error when trying to get Kinsler out at second.

Lewis hadn't won since April 25, when he was 3-0 through his first four starts and then got a no-decision despite throwing nine scoreless innings his next outing. The right-hander was 0-2 in three May starts before facing the Cubs.

The former first-round pick, who is back with the Rangers after spending the past two seasons in Japan, struck out four and walked three. Lewis had two walks and two strikeouts in a 30-pitch first inning.

Lilly began the season on the disabled list while still recovering from arthroscopic shoulder surgery in November, then won his season debut — and hasn't since. He allowed two runs over 6 2-3 innings in Texas.

Fontenot blooped a leadoff double into short left in the second. He scored when Geovany Soto grounded into a double play. But that was it for the Cubs, who left nine runners on base.

"It's time somebody gets a big hit around here. It really is. ... Once you get past the sixth week of the season, you don't need any more at-bats to get sharp," manager Lou Piniella said. "It's really not that hard. I played 17 years. It's not like I haven't played up here. It's not that hard, it really isn't. I know everybody's trying, but it's not that hard."

Former Rangers Alfonso Soriano and Marlon Byrd had consecutive two-out singles in the eighth, grounders past third baseman Michael Young. But Francisco got out of the jam when Fontenot took a called third strike.

NOTES: Former Cubs RHP Greg Maddux, an assistant to GM Jim Hendry, is with the team this weekend to work with young pitchers. Maddux also gets a chance to visit his older brother, Rangers pitching coach Mike Maddux. ... Soriano, still a second baseman when with Texas in 2004-05, was backpedaling in left field when he awkwardly reached up for Hamilton's flyball over his head that became a double.

Myers, Astros handcuff Tampa Bay, 2-1

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Astros don't want to make too much out of one win.

But in a season with so few, this one felt good.

Brett Myers didn't allow an earned run in seven innings and the lowly Astros snapped the mighty Tampa Bay Rays' six-game winning streak with a 2-1 victory Friday night.

Hours after the last-place Astros (15-27) confirmed that ace pitcher Roy Oswalt had requested a trade, the worst team in the National League beat baseball's top team, handing the Rays just their 12th loss in 42 games.

"They're the best team in baseball, so it's a confidence-booster for us, knowing we can beat anybody as long as we pitch good and get some timely hitting," closer Matt Lindstrom said.

Hunter Pence broke a 1-1 tie with an RBI single in the sixth inning. Myers (3-3) yielded six hits and struck out seven.

"Every win right now is magnified for us," Myers said. "We can't look too far ahead, but we'll enjoy it tonight and try to come back tomorrow and get another one."

Rays starter Matt Garza (5-2) allowed six hits and two runs in eight innings. He struck out six and walked three.

Jeff Keppinger doubled in the sixth inning before Garza walked Lance Berkman on four pitches. Berkman was forced out, but Carlos Lee reached after the one-hop throw to first was late. Pence's line drive single to shallow center sent Keppinger home and gave Houston a 2-1 lead.

"We just continue to play hard and things like that can happen," Pence said. "Every win you want to be a springboard, but really and truly you just have to keep coming every day prepared."

A walk by Tommy Manzella loaded the bases with two outs, but Garza was able to limit the damage in the sixth by retiring Kevin Cash.

Tampa Bay had runners at first and second with one out in the eighth inning after singles by Evan Longoria and John Jaso. Brandon Lyon retired Willy Aybar before striking out Reid Brignac to get out of that inning. Brignac threw his bat and batting helmet down in disgust after the strikeout.

"We looked like we got in at 4 a.m. this morning," Rays manager Joe Maddon said. "We didn't have the same energy that we normally have. We made some mental mistakes that we normally don't make. With runners in scoring position tonight, we didn't have that normal good at bat."

Lindstrom gave up one hit in a scoreless ninth for his 10th straight save this season and 22nd overall dating back to last season. The streak is the longest current one in the majors.

Carl Crawford scored in the first when Pence couldn't scoop up Ben Zobrist's double in right field for an error that made it 1-0.

Myers had some trouble in the third when he gave up a single before hitting Carlos Pena with a pitch and walking Jaso to load the bases. He got out of jam by striking out Sean Rodriguez for the third out.

Houston evened the score at 1-1 on an RBI single by Keppinger in the third inning.

"That third inning I kind of got out of my game plan," Garza said. "I felt like I was rushing myself, and I was. That's what happens when you don't stay within yourself."

New York state of mind isn't so good right now

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York Yankees finally got a decent start from a pitcher they've been skipping in the rotation, then struggled to score any runs for him.

But hey, at least their troubles are limited to the field.

The New York Mets have issues in the clubhouse, too, after pitcher John Maine was sent to the disabled list with what the team called a weak right shoulder. The move came hours after Maine was yanked from his start against Washington after five pitches and got into a heated dugout exchange with manager Jerry Manuel.

The season isn't two months old, the sweltering summer months still a few weeks off, and already tempers are flaring as both New York teams try to get their legs under them.

"It was exciting — Subway Series, big series. It was fun," said rookie Kevin Russo, who drove in both of the Yankees' runs in their 2-1 win Friday night.

The Yankees avoided a season-high fourth straight loss thanks to some strong pitching — for a pleasant change — by Javier Vazquez, and an error by Mets second baseman Alex Cora that helped set up Russo's decisive hit in the seventh inning.

Still, they remain four games behind the Tampa Bay Rays in the AL East.

The Mets are in even worse shape in the NL East, where they dropped seven games out of first place after their 10th loss in 13 games.

Another season of high expectations has been reduced to the all-too-familiar story lines of injuries decimating the roster and a manager forced to constantly answer questions about his future. This time, the pressure is ramping up on GM Omar Minaya, too.

There has already been turmoil off the field with the lingering injury to Carlos Beltran, but it only became exacerbated Friday when Maine stood in front of his locker and told a group of reporters that he felt fine despite getting pulled from his last start.

Maine said that he had not been told he was headed to the disabled list, but a couple hours later — just before the first pitch against the Yankees — it was announced that he was put on the DL. On top of that, reliever Elmer Dessens was already on his way from Triple-A Buffalo and would arrive in plenty of time to pitch against the Yankees.

"We're better than we've been, absolutely," the Mets' Jason Bay said. "At some point, I think you have to look at yourself, and I think we all have."

Back on the field, timing and injuries meant the always anticipated Subway Series opener didn't feature stars like CC Sabathia, A.J. Burnett or Johan Santana on the mound.

No sir. Not for the record crowd of 41,382 that turned out at Citi Field.

The Mets trotted out 35-year-old Hisanori Takahashi, their best reliever, who hadn't started a game since he was pitching for the Yomiuri Giants. Meanwhile, the Yankees gave Vazquez his second start in 21 days — after skipping his turn twice.

Both looked a bit like those All-Star pitchers, too, escaping trouble just about every inning against two of the highest-priced payrolls in baseball. The only hits that seemed to fall were an array of bloopers that looked like deflating balloons off the bat.

The Mets only managed two walks through the first four innings against Vazquez, who left the game with a bruised finger. One of those runners was stranded after a pair of strikeouts and the other was cut down trying to steal. When the Mets finally got a hit, Angel Pagan's bloop in the fifth, Rod Barajas promptly grounded into an inning-ending double play.

"We know we have the offense," Pagan said, "we just have to find a way."

The Yankees weren't a whole lot better, putting runners on second and third with less than two out in the third and fourth innings and getting nothing out of it. Alex Rodriguez gave them another chance with a bloop double in the sixth, but Takahashi made Robinson Cano look like a fool on a pitch in the dirt, and the strikeout ended yet another threat.

Even when the Yankees finally scored, they needed some help to do it.

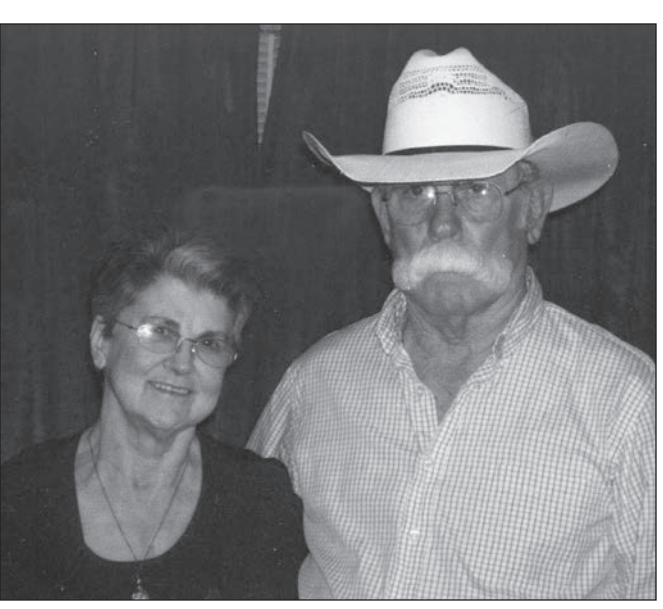
Nick Swisher had singled to lead off the seventh and Francisco Cervelli followed with a groundball to second base that Cora threw into center field while trying to start a double play. Russo promptly delivered a two-run double, dooming the Mets to another loss.

"I just threw it away," Cora said. "I'm thinking two instead of one, and next time I need to get the one. I'm not going to make excuses. I just need to execute."

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Anniversary



Alvin and Marilyn Constant Moore
55th anniversary

Former Big Spring residents and BSHS graduates Alvin and Marilyn Constant Moore recently celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary with children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

The couple were married April 10, 1955, in Clovis, N.M.

Alvin is the son of the late Lloyd and Ruby Moore and Marilyn is the daughter of the late Dee and Wayne Constant.





Eulalio and Gloria Rodriguez
50th anniversary

Eulalio and Gloria Rodriguez of Big Spring celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with family and friends with a special mass and reception at Sacred Heart Church Saturday. The event was hosted by their four children, Carolyn and Rudy Correa of Amarillo, Esther Rodriguez of Lewisville, Thomas and Diane Rodriguez of Duncanville and Robert and Lori Rodriguez.

The couple met at a dance in Coahoma and were married May 21, 1960. They are both retired and have nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. They are members of Holy Trinity Catholic Church and busy themselves with hobbies that include music, gardening and quilting.

According to the couple, the key to the success in marriage is to "have faith in God and work to keep your marriage happy."

Contact the Herald at editor@bigspringherald.com

Menus

Forsan ISD

Monday: Breakfast - Muffin, yogurt, juice, milk. Lunch - Hot dog, tater tots, ranch style beans, baby carrots with ranch dressing, chilled pears, milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Scrambled eggs, toast, juice, milk. Lunch - Pizza, seasoned corn, tossed salad, orange smiles, brownie, milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Breakfast on a bun, juice, milk. Lunch - Ravioli, green beans, garlic toast, sliced peaches, milk.

Thursday: Breakfast - French toast, juice, milk. Lunch - Ham sandwich, lettuce, tomato, pickle, funyuns, fruit cup, milk. (Early dismissal)

Friday (Last day of school): Breakfast - Cereal, toast, juice, milk. Lunch - Cheeseburger, lettuce, tomato, pickle, sun chips, cinnamon applesauce cup, milk. (Early dismissal)

Big Spring ISD

Monday: Breakfast - Cereal, colby cheese, juice, milk. Lunch - Nacho grande, refried beans, lettuce and tomato, sliced apples, milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Sausage roll, juice, milk. Lunch - Sweet and sour chicken, rice, garden salad, fruit cocktail, oatmeal cookies, roll, milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Tortilla, cheese omelets, fruit cup, milk. Lunch - Barbecued chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, peaches, rolls, milk.

Thursday: Breakfast - Ham/cheese buscuits, juice, milk. Lunch - Beef Shepherd's Pie, garden salad, pears, rolls, milk.

Friday: Breakfast - French toast sticks, juice, milk. Lunch - Chicken patty with cheese, baby carrots, lemon pudding, fresh fruit, milk.

Stanton ISD

Monday: Breakfast - Manager's Choice. Lunch - BBQ on a bun or Manager's Choice, potato puffs, sandwich salad, peaches, milk, teddy grahams.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Manager's Choice. Lunch - Hot dog or Manager's Choice, seasoned corn, vegetable sticks, apples, milk.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Manager's Choice. Lunch - Taco or Manager's Choice, pinto beans, lettuce and tomato, pineapple, cornbread, milk.

Thursday: Breakfast - Manager's Choice. Lunch - Pizza or Manager's Choice, vegetables, fruit cup, milk.

Friday: Breakfast - Manager's Choice. Lunch - Sack lunches.

Coahoma ISD

Monday: Breakfast - Waffles, sausage, juice, milk. Lunch - Hamburgers, chips, lettuce, tomato, pickles, apples, milk.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Pop Tarts, sausage, juice, milk. Lunch - Burritos, peaches, tater tots, milk.

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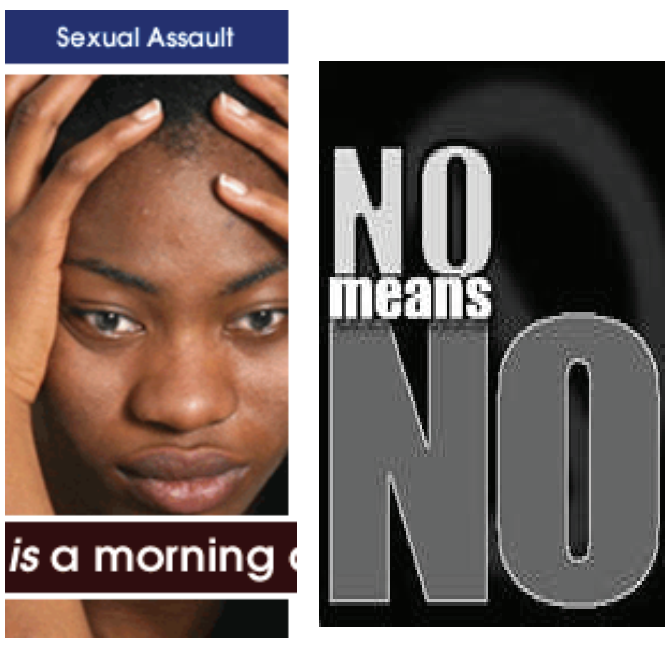
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OUR VIEW

'Click it or Ticket' means we must use our seat belts

A word to the wise is sufficient. As we've noted before, it's an adage we're all too familiar with, and that's especially true when it comes to the use of seat belts when we're driving.

There's another adage, too. No mercy. Sound familiar?

Beginning Monday and continuing through June 6, if you're one of those people who refuse to wear their seat belts, that's exactly what law enforcement officers will offer you — no mercy.

The "Click It or Ticket" program — a nationwide campaign developed to force people into compliance with seat belts laws — is highlighting new laws that require back seat passengers fasten their safety belts and that children under the age of 8 must ride in a child safety seat or boster seat, unless their taller than 4 feet, 9 inches.

To program has worked both nationally and locally in the past. In 2002, when the program began, the usage of seat belts in Texas was around 76 percent. It is now at more than 90 percent.

The result is fewer injuries and deaths as a result of traffic accidents.

Unfortunately, traffic crashes are still the leading cause of death for those between the ages of 4 and 44. Last year more than 3,400 people were killed in collisions on Texas streets and highways.

Wearing a safety belt, however, increases the odds of surviving an auto accident by more than 50 percent. And in pickups, that number increases to 80 percent.

Believe us, we have personal experience in this area. It behooves us all to make sure we wear our seat belts and make sure others in our vehicles do the same.

After all, a word to the wise...

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A SMALL PRAYER

by K. Rae Anderson

May we merge our ideas with Your plans for our life, Lord.

Amen

It's over! Let's get back to work

The municipal and school district elections are finished, and the new officers have been installed. Like the maddening march of time, this is the way of our world, our state and our community.



THOMAS JENKINS

Having been a reporter in Big Spring for the past 12 years, these elections begin to take on a new meaning for me. They are a reminder that the only truly constant thing in our world is change, and like the old song goes, the more those things change, the more they stay the same.

Every so often, however, I get a bit choked up over the whole process.

The first time I can remember getting a bit misty eyed over an election was when longtime County Judge Ben Lockhart left office several years ago. I suppose seeing Ben retire from the position after so long hit close to home because he was one of the first county officials I dealt with in my career as a journalist.

As most people who know Ben will attest, he always had a joke or a sly grin to put you at ease, even when you had to ask him tough questions other politicians would take personally. Most of all, after so many years of working with him, I considered him much more than just a county judge. I considered him a friend.

And that is how relationships are built between local officials and the media. A story here or there, a few quick laughs when the going gets tough, and a willingness to work together, not because of a paycheck, but because the citizens of Big Spring deserve true, unbiased reporting.

Tuesday night, as former mayor Russ McEwen left his post after a decade of service, I couldn't help but feel those same pangs in my heart.

I can remember when he took office almost like it was yesterday. I was working as the Big Spring bureau chief for NewsWest 9, a total newbie to the world of television reporting. But it took little time for McEwen and I to get acquainted, and I quickly began to understand what drove him to work so hard, not just as part of the city council, but also in other aspects of the community.

Political ambition? Was McEwen shooting for some state or federal office? Well, if he was, I never got that feeling. Was it a power trip, a need to control things? No, and I would absolutely stake my reputation on that fact.

What drove McEwen — and so many other city and county officials who serve our community day in and day out — was a love of Big Spring like none other I had witnessed. He wasn't just looking to make a few improvements to the city. No, he was much more ambitious than that. He wanted to make Big Spring a better place to live, not just for him and his family, but for everyone who called Big Spring home.

Honestly, all of this sort of boggled my mind. I had recently moved to Big Spring from Sumter, S.C., and the community spirit here was something I had never seen before. I have nothing against my former hometown or state, but I never experienced such a strong sense of community until I moved to West Texas.

Let's face it, people, Big Spring has a tremendous number of problems to overcome before it will ever see the kind of growth or success it saw while Webb Air Force Base was its epicenter. An ailing infrastructure designed for a much larger population, aging and dilapidated structures and a shrinking tax base will all have to be overcome before the city can begin to grow again.

And while the task seems enormous, there are a few who believe they can be overcome, and Russ McEwen is one of those people.

Bear in mind, I've taken a great deal of heat from commenters at the www.bigspringherald.com for my work with McEwen, and have been called everything from a bootlicker to a stooge. One commenter even told me I was going to have to tear myself away from the "McEwen teat" now that he had lost the election and turn my attention to newly elected Mayor Tommy Duncan.

What I would like to see, however, is a unification of the voters and citizens of Big Spring now that the election is over. I believe McEwen would agree whole-heartedly with me when I say it's time for all of us, regardless of who we voted for, to get behind Duncan and offer him as much help and encouragement as we can during his first term.

If your candidate didn't win the election, take a few moments to clinch your fists and grind your teeth, and then get over it.

Most of all, however, don't be like these small-minded individuals riding around with "Obummer" — apparently that's the negative moniker for our president — bumper stickers extolling our long, lost Dubya. Elections are won and lost, but spending the next three years sniping at our mayor is futile and nonproductive.

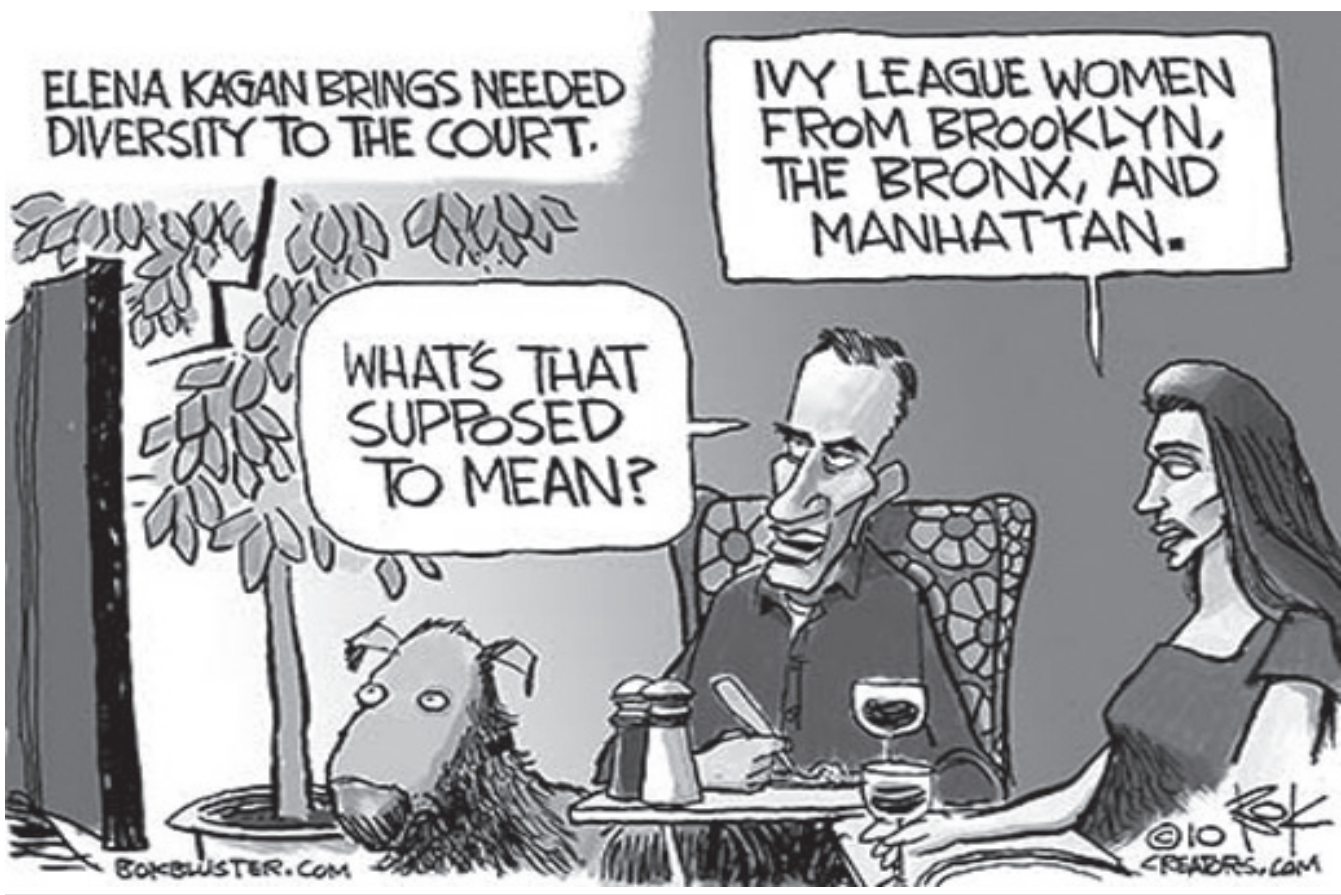
The one thing we simply can't afford to do, however, is relax. If the city of Big Spring is ever to become something more than it is, it will take hard charging city and county leaders willing to work hard to see real improvements in the Crossroads area.

The city council is on the right path. The creation of the Big Spring Police Department's Narcotics Division — the initial idea of Councilwoman Stephanie Horton — has helped make Big Spring a safer place. The water line replacement program, implemented by the city's Water Distribution and Collection Superintendent Rick Boiles, has helped drastically cut the number of main water line breaks in the city. The roadways in downtown Big Spring are improving by leaps and bounds, the city is addressing its ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) concerns and the Settles Hotel is no longer a huge "what if" in the city's plans.

Progress like this doesn't come easy, and McEwen — as well as outgoing District 5 councilmember Troy Tompkins — have a lot to be proud of. Changes of this magnitude don't happen overnight.

And with our two newest members of the council now aboard, let's hope that push for the future continues.

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YOUR VIEWS

TO THE EDITOR:

I would like to send congratulations to the Goliad sixth-grade band members.They went to Greenwood this past Saturday for a band contest. They played beautifuly and did great on their solos and trios.

They received with a 1 in band overall and most of them received 1 in solo and in trio.

The support the kids got from their parents was great. We are very proud of what they have done this year and I commend their band instructor at Goliad and Rocky Harris at the high school.

MARILYN MIEARS
BIG SPRING

TO THE EDITOR:

While in Lubbock May 19, I was so excited when my low fuel light came on my car. I filled it up and only paid $2.52 per gallon!

That was more than 30 cents per gallon less than I'd have paid for unleaded gas in Big Spring!

If we'd been in our pickup, we could have gotten diesel at $2.78 per gallon. Yet another huge savings from our local prices.

Can anyone out there explain why Big Spring is the absolute first to raise fuel prices and the absolute last to lower them? Maybe it is time for another investigation into fuel price fixing in our town.

PAULA HENRY
BIG SPRING

TO THE EDITOR:

I would like to publicly thank Rex Lee and Patricia Webb, owners of the Texas RV Park of Big Spring. Following the recent heavy rain, rocks, gravel and other hazards came down the hill on Hearn Street before getting onto South U.S. Highway 87.

It was a dangerous area and, if one had to make a sudden stop, their vehicle most likely would have not been able to stop.

Tuesday of this week, Rex Lee and one of his employees went down to the intersection, set up traffic cones for protection and they loaded up all the loose rock, gravel and other items onto a trailer and hauled it away.

I am quite sure nobody asked them to do this, yet they took time away from their business to make it safe for those of us who live in the neighborhood.

Thank you Rex Lee, Patricia and the employee for caring enough to remove the hazardous items and making it safe for all.

You are truly appreciated!

DALE PITTMAN
BIG SPRING

Chicago one win from NHL finals

CHICAGO (AP) — Big Buff, as they call Dustin Byfuglien, scored the biggest goal of his career.

He sent the United Center into pandemonium and moved the Chicago Blackhawks to within one victory of the Stanley Cup finals for the first time in 18 years.

Dave Bolland's nifty pass from behind the net found the 257-pound Byfuglien in stride as he skated hard into the slot Friday night. When the puck hit the net off Byfuglien's stick in overtime, Chicago had a 3-2 win over the San Jose Sharks and a 3-0 series lead in the Western Conference finals.

Two assists from Jonathan Toews, a breakaway goal by Bolland in the third period and 44 saves from Antti Niemi put the Blackhawks on the cusp of their first appearance in the finals since 1992. They can wrap up the series in a sweep Sunday at home.

"I mean, you're not going to get too high on yourself or too full of yourself like that. You got to do the right things and play the right way if you're going to have success," said Toews, the team's 22-year-old captain, who has a point in 12 straight playoff games.

"We've done that. There's nothing about us that says we're unbeatable. As soon as we get away from playing our game, you know, we're a mediocre, average team. We got to go out there, work hard, stick to our guns, stick to how we learned to play this year. That way we're going to be tough to beat."

And right now they Blackhawks are just that, as the talented Sharks — the regular season champions in the West — have discovered.

"The reality is we're down 3-0. Happened a week ago with two good teams playing and Philadelphia found a way to come back, so there's something to draw in there," San Jose coach Todd McLellan said.

"Plus the fact that we've been in this series I think for every minute. That's got to leave us feeling good. But we know we're in a hole and we've got to dig our way out. "

Byfuglien has carved out a reputation for parking his big body in front of the net but this time he used his speed and good hands to score 12:24 into overtime.

"It's great, something I'll definitely remember," Byfuglien said.

"Bolland made a good play and just laid it out in the slot, and all I had to do was finish."

Chicago would like to finish off the Sharks on Sunday and avoid a trip back to the West Coast.

"With San Jose, they're such a good team, we definitely can't, you know, let off at all. We got to keep going right to the final buzzer," Byfuglien said.

"We want to feel like that's the most important game we play all year. That's the motivation and incentive. We know we have to be better than tonight," Chicago coach Joel Quenneville said.

Bolland scored on a breakaway to put Chicago ahead 2-1 in the third period, but Patrick Marleau answered with a rebound goal with 4:23 left in regulation to tie it and force overtime.

Marleau also scored in the second period on a power play, giving him four goals in two games. Patrick Sharp had a man-advantage goal for the Blackhawks.

"We've just got to stick with it and stay with it longer and harder, I don't know how many missed shots we had," Marleau said. "If we can hit the net that much more, the better our chances."

Bolland, whose defense was a key in the first two games, picked up a loose puck at center ice after Toews blocked a shot.

He skated ahead, and at the last second maneuvered in to beat Nabokov with just under seven minutes remaining in regulation to give Chicago a 2-1 lead.

But the lead didn't last long.

About 2½ minutes later, Marleau scored on a rebound with 4:23 to play.

Just as a two-man advantage was about to expire, Marleau scored his first goal on a rebound shot from the slot.

The power-play goal came about four minutes into the second period to put the Sharks ahead 1-0.

The Sharks were 1 for 6 on the power play, including 0 for 3 in the third period.

"We're running up against a good goaltender. We've got to keep going and persevere," San Jose's Joe Thornton said.

"We've just got to stay calm. We're playing good hockey, but for whatever reason we're down 3-0."

An apparent early first-period goal by San Jose's Joe Pavelski was disallowed following a video review.

As Pavelski battled Duncan Keith for a rebound in front of the net during a power play less than two minutes in, the puck went into the net. But after the review, officials ruled that Pavelski directed the puck in with his skate and waved it off.

Favre confirms ankle surgery

The Associated Press

Brett Favre posted a short statement on his website on Friday night confirming he had arthroscopic ankle surgery, possibly clearing the way for the quarterback to return to the Minnesota Vikings next season.

Favre's future has been up in the air since the Vikings lost to New Orleans in the NFC championship game. He had said he would need ankle surgery if he wanted to play in 2010, but there was no word Friday about his playing career.

"This is to confirm that I did have a procedure to remove some scar tissue and bone spurs from my ankle which had been bothering me for a period of time," Favre said on his website. "I appreciate your concerns."

ESPN.com reported Dr. James Andrews operated on Favre's left ankle at the Andrews Institute in Gulf Breeze, Fla., on Friday morning.

Favre, who turns 41 in October, is coming off one of the best seasons of his storied career.

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Economic Development arm, Howard College get award

Special to the Herald

Big Spring has been recognized for its community efforts to positively impact economic conditions by developing new training programs that meet employer demands for qualified and skilled workers.

Big Spring Economic Development was awarded the Workforce Excellence Award in the category of cities with a population of 15,001 to 40,000 by the Texas Economic Development Council (TEDC), an Austin-based, statewide, non-profit professional association devoted to the development of economic and employment opportunities in Texas, on April 22.

In early 2009, the Big Spring Economic Development Board (BSEDC) met with the Howard College Department of Workforce Training (HCDWT) to discuss methods by which the BSEDC could assist HCDWT in training efforts for incumbent employees, dislocated adult workers and at-risk youth in the Howard County area.

Subsequent meetings led to the participation and partnerships of several local key businesses and industry members, who stated, collectively, that new training should stem from green energy concerns across the Permian Basin.

Owners and staff of Price Construction, the Colorado Water Municipal Water District, Alon, Western Container, Paint & Safety and others, met with BSEDC members and HCWDT administrators to ascertain the largest and fastest growing employer needs in the area. All were agreed that the biggest employment needs are in the areas of welding, heavy equipment operation, hydraulics and electrical.

The ability to place qualified workers in these fields would greatly encourage economic development efforts in Howard County by supplying viable employees to employers who are currently experiencing a worker shortage.

The shortage, it was agreed, had stifled economic projects, creating the need to look outside the area for employees.

The group created a plan to incorporate intense workforce training in the above areas through the Howard College Department of Workforce Training, with curriculum development input from employers and instructors.

All courses would have to be certified through a national trade organization for appropriate, up-to-date, state-of-the-art curriculum. This major objective would necessitate a roster of qualified instructors; purchase of new, viable equipment and software; renovation of the HC workforce building; and a written plan to recruit, nurture and retain students for the duration of the coursework.

In addition, with assistance from HC personnel and human resource departments from participating business and industry, students would receive entry into the work-

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RETIREMENT CELEBRATION HELD



Courtesy photo

Marcy Elementary School teachers Rebecca Stone, Mary Terrazas and Sheryl Gass celebrated their retirement with the staff giving them a reception. Teachers from all campuses attended. The retirees have a combined total of more than 70 years of teaching experience.

REAP workshop slated Tuesday

Special to the Herald

FORT STOCKTON — A Rural Energy for America Program (REAP) workshop will be held by U.S. Department of Agriculture Rural Development representatives at 6 p.m. Tuesday at the Martin County Library in Stanton.

According to USDA officials, representatives will be on hand to assist applicants in completing applications for Renewable Energy and Energy Efficiency 9007 Program loans and to answer any questions.

Applicants interested in increasing the production and use of renewable energy sources should attend. Funding is available through USDA Rural Development REAP loans authorized by the Food, Conservation and Energy Act of 2008.

Eligible projects include installing renewable energy systems such as wind turbines, solar, geothermal, biomass, anaerobic digesters, hydroelectric and ocean or hydrogen systems. Funding may also be used to purchase energy-efficient equipment, add insulation and improve heating and cooling systems.

In fiscal year 2009, this program helped fund 1,485 REAP projects in 50 states, Puerto Rico and the Western Pacific Islands.

The program is designed to assist farmers, ranchers and rural small businesses that are able to demonstrate financial need.

All agricultural producers, including farmers and ranchers, who gain 50 percent or more of their gross income from the agricultural operations are eligible. Small businesses that are located in a rural area can also apply. Rural electric cooperatives may also be eligible to apply.

Typically, eligible businesses have less than 500 employees and revenue of less than $6.5 million.

Grants are awarded on a competitive basis and can be up to 25 percent of total eligible project costs. Grants are limited to $500,000 for renewable energy systems and $250,000 for energy efficiency improvements. Requests for as little as $2,500 for renewable energy systems and $1,500 for energy efficiency improvements will be considered.

USDA Rural Development will accept applications for REAP grants and loans until 4:30 p.m. June 30. All applications should be mailed to Business Programs, 101 S. Main St, Suite 102, Temple 76501.

For information, contact Daniel Torres or Billy Curb at the Texas State Office at 254-742-9780. Those interested in applying are encouraged to submit an application as soon as possible.

Veterinary camp set for eighth year

Special to the Herald

SAN ANGELO — The West Texas Youth Veterinary Science Workshop, open to all Texas youth, will be July 11-14 at the Tom Green County 4-H Center in San Angelo.

The event is sponsored by the Texas AgriLife Extension Service offices in Sutton, Schleicher, Irion and Tom Green counties.

The annual event introduces high school students to careers in veterinary science and related fields. Instructors will include veterinarians, university and research faculty, AgriLife Extension and Texas Animal Health Commission personnel.

Course topics will include zoology, the Beef Quality Assurance Program, toxicology, parasitology, anatomy, nutrition, first aid, beef feedlot health management, large and small animal practice, microbiology and horse science. The workshop will include classroom study, lab work and field trips.

Enrollment is limited to 30 students, but participants from across Texas are welcome to attend. Participants must be of high school age, have an interest in veterinary science and be willing to work in teams.

Adult project guides are also needed, but must pass a background check before participating.

Applications must be submitted to the AgriLife Extension office in Sutton County by June 15. Participants will be informed of their acceptance by June 21. Applications are available from any AgriLife Extension county office or by visiting http://sutton-co.tamu.edu .

Send applications to: AgriLife Extension Office-Sutton County, P.O. Box 1047, Sonora, 76950.

Individual registration is $250, due June 28. In the event of cancellations, refunds will be offered in full until July 2. The fee is nonrefundable after July 2.

For more information, call the AgriLife Extension office in Sutton County at 325-387-3101.

Energy Watch



Bhupen Agrawal is branch manager and a managing director — investments for the Wachovia Securities Midland office.



Bill Franks, AAMS, is a senior registered client associate and the senior associate to the branch manager.

Last week in our Market Commentary we stated that because most were in a "What, me worry?" complacent mood, we were in a "Yes, me worry" mood about the short-term outlook for the stock market.

Our major worry was that the market had experienced only a mild correction of its 16 percent rally in only 10 weeks. Well, folks, a lot changed last week and so did our advice for investors.

Last Thursday, the market experienced some panic selling and a trading glitch that dropped the DJIA 1,010 points for a few minutes before a recovery. In just four days, the DJIA dropped 771 points — down 7.4 percent from its April 26 closing high. Trading volume expanded sharply and three weeks of correction culminated with some pretty serious bloodletting.

We believe the risk/reward ratio for new selected stock buying has again become positive, and we thus recommended putting about half of cash reserves into the market.

As we went from a sit-on-your-hands advice to do partial buying, we were asked the obvious question — can the market go lower? Of course, the answer is "yes," and we do anticipate some backing and filling by the market over the very short-term.

Meanwhile, the economic news remains generally good. April nonfarm payrolls released last Friday jumped 290,000 following a 230,000 increase in March. Yes, the unemployment rate rose to 9.9 percent, but that was due to the fact that more people were looking for jobs, which is a positive.

The Institute of Supply Management (ISM) April manufacturing index increased to 60.4. A reading above 50 indicates expansion.

Greece remains a problem, but our recovering economy should be able to weather the European Union storm.

We fully realize that last week's very volatile and sharp market decline has raised the fear level of investors. Yes, it would be very uncomfortable to buy stocks at this time.

And, yes, often the best time to buy stocks is when you are very uncomfortable buying stocks. That is because it takes a big drop to increase fears, but the drop also increases value.

OK, so how can investors control normal fears?

Our advice is to step back, relax, perhaps listen to a Frank Sinatra recording, and look at the big picture. What we see in the big picture is a bull market being fueled by moderate gross domestic (GDP) growth, very little inflation and very low interest rates that the Fed has said will stay low. Also, there's a reasonable price/earnings multiple of about 14.7 times 2010 earnings estimated for the S&P 500.

Sure, there are lots of things to worry about, but the time to really get nervous is when there appears to be little to worry about. Last week's market drop will bring the bears out of their caves.

Don't listen to the gloom-and-doomers. Instead, listen to Sinatra singing "Come Fly with Me" and focus on the big picture.

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Dear Margo

by Margo Howard

Dear Margo: I've been in a relationship with a fantastic man for two years. We are in our late 20s and have talked about marriage and our desire to have children. The problem is, I have caught him looking at gay porn twice, and now I'm questioning whether this relationship is the real thing or a "cover" for his secret desires and/or life.



Margo Howard

He insists he was just looking at pictures and would never cheat on me. I realize that men can be curious and there is a gamut of sexuality that doesn't preclude men from looking at other men. If this were the only problem, I think I could chalk it up to curiosity. However ... he was on a dating website for men seeking men and was looking in our suburb. If he were just looking at pictures, why not include men from all over the city? He doesn't really have an answer to that. I don't have proof of betrayal, but my gut has never been wrong about deception. I really want to believe him because our relationship has been great up until this point. (Our sex life has been normal, from what I can tell from previous relationships.) Am I just being stupid to believe he's straight? What do you think? — *So Mad I Can't See Straight*

Dear So: I think if I saw my significant other looking at gay porn and trolling the Internet for dates with men in our suburb, I would face the fact that the guy was, at the very least, gayish. Then I would have a weepy spell followed by a tantrum. I would probably also be wondering, "Why me, God? Why me?" This man may not have acted on his "curiosity" (and I'm not even sure about that), but because there are signposts and questions, I would call it a day and save yourself a likely divorce. Marriage is tough enough without worrying that the Mister is occasionally queen for a day. — *Margo, intuitively*

Dear Margo: The past few years, I've noticed an increase in qualities I don't think are positive for the human species. Respect seems to be diminishing. Materialism, hate and selfishness are pervading society. You see this in many different aspects, whether it's politics or the news.

Normally, I wouldn't be writing about something like this, but lately it's really affected me. I'm losing faith in the goodness of people, and it's depressing me. I was never like this before. I was an optimistic person and tried to see the good qualities in people, even if I found them less than appealing. Now I find myself closed off more often, and my optimism is faltering. It's much harder for me to trust people or even try to find their good qualities. I'm often preoccupied with sadness and worry that the future of humans is in doubt. I no longer want children because I fear for their futures. Logic says I'm being ridiculous, but I can't stop how I feel, and it's affecting my daily life. I need some advice. — *P.K.*

Dear P.: Funny, I periodically have your thoughts, but I basically will myself back. There is, indeed, a definite lack of civility, which some people are trying to address. There are also more crazy people, and the world can seem very threatening. The country is polarized, and "anything goes" seems to have overtaken earlier values.

I would say to you what someone said to me when I felt overwhelmed considering all the programs and charities needing help. No one can do everything, but everyone can do something. Seek out and concentrate on people doing things you admire and behaving in ways you approve of. There really are good people who are not just out for themselves. Don't give up on everybody because you have been disappointed. I really believe that if you change your focus and accept that some of life has gone haywire, your depression will fade. As someone said on Twitter, "Life is a comedy for those who think and a tragedy for those who feel." — *Margo, attitudinally*

Dear Margo is written by Margo Howard, Ann Landers' daughter. All letters must be sent via e-mail to dearmargo@creators.com. Not all letters will be answered.

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In Re Jay Michael Morales, family.

In Re Makaylah Nadine Rios, family.

Citibank vs. Gussy Watkins, accounts, notes and contracts.

Gary Todd Harris vs. WTG Processing LP, injury or damages.

In Re Marcus Jim Torres, family.

Amanda Rivera vs. Michael Rivera, protective order.

Melissa Ann Butler vs. Devon Lee Butler, divorce.

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Jana Lynn Phillips vs. Willie Ray Phillips, divorce.

Marriage Licenses:

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Lonnie C. Arn, 56, and Charlotte Turner, 48, both of Big Spring.

Jay R. Mills, 48, and Maria V. Mora, 51, both of Big Spring.

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Grantor: Christopher Cotten and Jonathan Cotten

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Date: May 13, 2010

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Property: The S/65.2 feet of Block 23, Saunders Addition

Date: May 14, 2010

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Grantee: Felix Lugo

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Date: May 18, 2010

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Grantee: Larry Rodgers

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Grantee: Betty Reed

Property: Lot 19, Block 22, Monticello Addition

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Grantee: Misty Leshey Nelson

Property: A 5-acre tract out of Section 44, Block 32, T-1-S, T&P Rr Co. Survey

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Grantor: Janel Robertson

Grantee: Mark Hyatt and Brenda Hyatt

Property: Lots 1-6, Block 55, Original Town of Big Spring

Date: May 14, 2010

Grantor: Scott Prather and Lauren Prather

Grantee: Lorenzo Martinez Valbuena and Rebecca Valbuena

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Date: May 17, 2010

Grantor: Gary Duck

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Date: May 17, 2010

Grantor: Jerry G. Clayton

Grantee: Bernadette Valentine

Property: All of Lot 6 and the N/34.7 feet of Lot 7, Block 1, Mittel Acres Addition

Date: May 18, 2010

TIPRO names Carter director of public affairs

Special to the Herald

AUSTIN — Teddy Carter has been named Director of Public Affairs for the Texas Independent Producers & Royalty Owners Association announced today by TIPRO's President Walter "Tad" Mayfield.

"Carter's experience weaves energy, political and regulatory backgrounds together to form a strong foundation that will benefit Texas independent oil and gas producers," Mayfield said. "As our industry faces challenges, Carter will be able to represent our needs at the Capitol, with regulatory agencies and in the public forum."

Carter begins his tenure at TIPRO in June after serving over a decade at the Texas Senate in various roles. He most recently was as committee director/clerk for the Texas Senate's Natural Resources Committee under Sen. Kip Averitt.

Additionally, Carter held a similar position for the Natural Resources Committee under then Chairman Sen. J.E. "Buster" Brown. He also served at the Senate Committee on Jurisprudence and the Senate Committee on State Affairs as clerk under Sen. Robert Duncan.

Carter brings expertise on oil and gas policy issues, as well as environmental issues encompassing air, water and waste. He is a Texas native, attended Texas Tech and received his bachelor's degree from Texas State University.

Carter replaces Donna Warndof, TIPRO's vice president of public affairs, who accepted the position of regional communications and public affairs manager for TIPRO Explorer member Occidental Petroleum. Her responsibilities will include media/community relations and internal/public affairs in Texas, New Mexico and Colorado.

"The 82nd Legislature's session will offer Texas independent oil and gas producers opportunities as well as opposition," said TIPRO Executive Vice President Justin Furnace. "How we successfully balance the two will enable us to reach successful outcomes for our members. I could not be more pleased to have Teddy on board with TIPRO. He will be a terrific asset to our members as we enter into the 2011 session."

With more than 2,000 members, TIPRO is a statewide trade association representing independent oil and natural gas producers and royalty owners. Founded in 1946, TIPRO members range from small family-owned companies to the largest publicly traded independents as well as mineral estates and trusts.

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Texas may get nuclear waste from dozens of states

BETSY BLANEY
Associated Press Writer

ANDREWS — Texas was all set to be part of an agreement with Vermont to dump nuclear waste in a remote region of the Lone Star state, and for the most part people living near the site were OK with it.

Now, though, that compact could mushroom to include waste from 36 other states, reinvigorating those who oppose the project to fight harder.

Environmentalists, geologists, the Texas League of Women Voters and others say the huge dumping ground will pollute groundwater and otherwise wreak havoc with the environment. The company that runs the site contends it'll be safe and many local residents applaud any expansion as a way to bring more jobs and prosperity to the West Texas scrubland.

"They got to put it somewhere," said Kathy Trevino, a retired nurses' aide who lives in Andrews, the closest town to the site. "As long as they're safe and don't intentionally cause harm, I don't have a problem with it."

Opponents of the compact have an uphill climb in trying to stop the expansion. But they recently flooded the commission with thousands of comments critical of the rules that outline how the compact will handle other states' applications to dispose of the waste in Texas. That forced the panel to delay voting on those rules.

Also, more than a dozen state lawmakers have joined the opposition, saying the commission needs to slow down the approval process.

The 1,340-acre site owned by Waste Control Specialists is one of the nation's only dumps licensed to take all three categories of low-level waste.

The commission is proposing rules to regulate waste that would come in from other states. If approved, the facility would take the low-level waste which includes workers' clothing, glass, metal and other materials used at nuclear power plants, hospitals, universities and research labs. Currently those facilities store the waste at their own sites.

In the early '80s, the federal government began urging states to build low-level nuclear waste landfills, either on their own or in cooperation with other states in compact systems. Since then, South Carolina entered into a compact with New Jersey and Connecticut, agreeing to dispose of nuclear waste at a landfill that later accepted waste from dozens of other states.

Ten years ago, South Carolina lawmakers said they no longer wanted to be the nation's dumping grounds and in 2008 the facility began accepting waste from only its compact partners, leading other states to look to Texas to store their waste.

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>
> —Geologist Pat Bobeck

And there could be more nuclear waste in need of a home if President Barack Obama moves ahead with his plan to build dozens of new nuclear facilities.

Environmentalists are largely worried about toxins from the site leaking into groundwater beneath the scrub brush land that's brought oil prosperity to arid West Texas for nearly a century.

They point to South Carolina as an example. Tritium levels have been detected in groundwater beneath South Carolina's nuclear waste landfill that are above the Environmental Protection Agency's standard for safe drinking water. The company that runs the site acknowledged a leak, traced to the late 1970s, when the company says its disposal practices were not as advanced as today.

"I think it's horrible," longtime opponent Peggy Pryor said of the Texas site. "They still haven't proved to me that it won't leak into the aquifers."

Radiation safety experts said they understand opponents' concerns but questioned their validity.

"That does not mean there will be zero leaks," said Andy Karam, a radiation safety expert with 30 years experience. "It just won't hurt anybody. There won't be enough radiation to be harmful."

Company spokesman Chuck McDonald has said the site is safe and state and federal regulators approved it after exhaustive study and analysis.

An increase in volume from the other states' waste would mean more money. The county gets 5 percent quarterly of Waste Control Specialists' gross receipts from the waste disposal operation. Also, residents are backing the site with $75 million in bonds to build it.

Critics say the rules, which address process, don't address safety issues for waste trucked along Texas roadways nor do they make clear how much the state's financial liability goes up once the waste is here.

"Once waste comes into the state of Texas, the state of Texas accepts the economic burden ... through the remainder of time, so I think we need to slow down," said State Rep. Lon Burnam, D-Fort Worth.

The compact commission consists of two Vermont governor appointees and six who were appointed by Gov. Rick Perry.

Pat Bobeck, a geologist for more than two decades, left the state's environmental agency in 2007 when her recommendation against approving the site was ignored.

More waste, Bobeck said, means bigger problems.

"It's just like garbage in your garbage can — if you have more, it stinks more and faster," she said. "When profit becomes more important than safety, safety goes out the window."

Online:

Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Compact Commission: http://www.tllrwdcc.org/rule.html

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State briefs

Texas board adopts new social studies curriculum

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas schoolchildren will be required to learn that the words "separation of church and state" aren't in the Constitution and evaluate whether the United Nations undermines U.S. sovereignty under new social studies curriculum.

In final votes late Friday, conservatives on the State Board of Education strengthened requirements on teaching the Judeo-Christian influences of the nation's Founding Fathers and required that the U.S. government be referred to as a "constitutional republic" rather than "democratic."

The board approved the new standards with two 9-5 votes along party lines after months of ideological haggling and debate that drew attention beyond Texas.

The guidelines will be used to teach some 4.8 million students for the next 10 years. They also will be used by textbook publishers who often develop materials for other states based on those approved in Texas, though Texas teachers ave latitude in deciding how to teach the material.

U.S. Education Secretary Arne Duncan said after the votes Friday that such decisions should be made at the local level and school officials "should keep politics out" of curriculum debates.

"Parents should be very wary of politicians designing curriculum," Duncan said in a statement.

But Republican board member David Bradley said the curriculum revision process has always been political but the ruling faction had changed since the last time social studies standards were adopted.

"We took our licks, we got outvoted," he said referring to the debate 10 years earlier. "Now it's 10-5 in the other direction ... we're an elected body, this is a political process. Outside that, go find yourself a benevolent dictator."

UT considers renaming dorm after KKK link found

AUSTIN (AP) — Simkins Residence Hall is the last all-male dormitory at the University of Texas. Tucked into a quiet corner of campus along Waller Creek, it was the first men's dorm with air conditioning.

It is notable for another reason as well: Simkins is named for a UT law professor who was a leader of the Ku Klux Klan.

William Stewart Simkins, who taught at the School of Law for 30 years until his death in 1929, organized the Klan in Florida after the Civil War along with his brother, Eldred, who later became a member of the UT System Board of Regents.

Now, 55 years after opening the dorm, the university is about to begin a review that could result in the removal of Simkins' name from the building.

The disclosure this week of the review came one day after the American-Statesman asked university administrators about the residence hall's name and several weeks after the release of a scholarly article examining Simkins' record.

The article, posted in an online journal, the Social Science Research Network, and part of a collection to be published by the Cambridge University Press, also details the resistance by UT administrators and regents to integration in the 1950s and 1960s despite two landmark U.S. Supreme Court rulings against segregation.

"Simkins engaged in illegal, terrorist behavior during Reconstruction and doesn't merit having a building carrying his name," said the article's author, Tom Russell.



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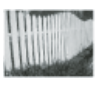
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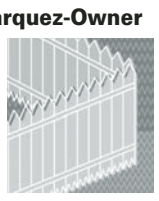
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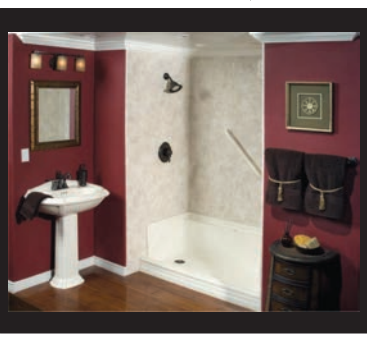
Bob Fishback was presented with the Mirabeau B. Lamar award for outstanding teacher recognition from Forsan. The award was presented by the Staked Plains Masonic Lodge. Also pictured is Superintendent Randy Johnson.



Forsan Independent School District teachers of the year are, from left, Bob Fishback, district technology director; Tammi Jones, Elbow Elementary School; and Steve Park, Forsan Junior/ Senior High School.

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♥ 6 3 2
♦ 9 6 4
♣ J 10 7 5

WEST
♠ Q 10 7 5 3 2
♥ 5
♦ J 8 3
♣ A 6 4

EAST
♠ K 8 4
♥ K 9 4
♦ K 10 7 2
♣ 8 3 2

SOUTH
♠ 6
♥ A Q J 10 8 7
♦ A Q 5
♣ K Q 9

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♥	Pass	1 NT	Pass
4 ♥			

Opening lead — five of spades.

Suppose declarer has two finesses to take but, due to a lack of entries, can only try one of them. How does he decide which one to attempt? A great many considerations can influence such a decision, like clues from the bidding or the possibility of developing extra tricks in the suit if the finesse fails.

Sometimes, though, the problem can be resolved by applying simple common sense, whereby declarer sees that one finesse offers something more — or something less — than the other.

Consider this deal where South is in four hearts and West leads a spade, dislodging dummy's only entry. The contract can be made if declarer chooses the right finesse to take at trick two. If he leads a diamond to the queen, he winds up with 10 tricks; if he tries the trump finesse, he does down one.

Granting that either finesse has a 50 percent chance of winning, the diamond finesse is clearly the proper one to take — not because it succeeds on this particular deal, but because it offers a better chance to make the contract.

If the diamond finesse works, the play is essentially over; declarer loses at most a heart, a diamond and a club.

But even if the heart finesse succeeds, the contract is not assured. If East was dealt K-x-x or K-x-x-x of hearts, declarer still has a trump loser. Therefore, the diamond finesse, which settles the issue outright if it works, is superior.

In the actual deal, best defense — where West withholds his ace of clubs until the proper moment — will defeat declarer if he takes the heart finesse at trick two.

Tomorrow: Famous Hand.

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#6547 May 18 & 23, 2010

Legals

Notice of Application for Fluid Injection Well Permit
Linn Operating, Inc., 600 Travis, Suite 5100, Houston, TX, 77002, is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.
The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Glorieta/Clearfork formation, TL&M B Lease, Well Number 18WI. The proposed injection well is located 3.8 miles Southeast of Coahoma, in the Iatan, East Howard Field, in Howard County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2,654' – 2,930'.
LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.
Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).
#6553 May 23, 2010

Legals

Notice of Application for Fluid Injection Well Permit
Linn Operating, Inc., 600 Travis, Suite 5100, Houston, TX, 77002, is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation which is productive of oil and gas.
The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Glorieta/Clearfork formation, TL&M B Lease, Well Number 19WI. The proposed injection well is located 3.8 miles Southeast of Coahoma, in the Iatan, East Howard Field, in Howard County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2,654' – 2,930'.
LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.
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#6554 May 23, 2010

Legals

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The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the Glorieta/Clearfork formation, TL&M B Lease, Well Number 20WI. The proposed injection well is located 3.8 miles Southeast of Coahoma, in the Iatan, East Howard Field, in Howard County. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 2,654' – 2,930'.
LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.
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#6555 May 23, 2010

Legals

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TxDOT) CONTRACTS
Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read.
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Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.txdot.gov and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor.
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NOTICE OF DRAFT FEDERAL OPERATING PERMIT AND ACID RAIN PERMIT
DRAFT PERMIT NO.: 091

APPLICATION AND DRAFT PERMIT. Power Resources, Ltd., P.O. Box 2700, Big Spring, Texas 79721, an Electric Services facility, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for a renewal of Federal Operating Permit and Acid Rain Permit (herein referred to as Permit) No. 091, Application No. 14585, to authorize operation of the C.R. Wing Cogereration Plant. The area addressed by the applicaiton is located at northwest corner of Alon Refinery, 2 miles east of Big Spring and 1/4 mile north of Interstate 20, in Big Spring, Howard County, Texas 79720. This application was received by the TCEQ on December 15, 2009.

The purpose of a federal operating permit is to improve overall compliance with the rules governing air pollution control by clearly listing all applicable requirements, as defined in Title 30 Texas Administrative Code § 122.10 (30 TAC § 122.10). The draft permit, if approved, will codify the conditions under which the area must operate. The permit will not authorize new construction. The executive director has completed the technical review of the application and has made a preliminary decision to prepare a draft permit for public comment and review. The executive director recommends issuance of this draft permit. The permit application, statement of basis and draft permit will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ Center Office, 12100 Park 35 Circle, Building E, First Floor, Austin, Texas; the TCEQ Midland Regional Office, 3300 North A Street, Building 4-107, Midland, Texas 79705-5406; and the Howard County Public Library, 500 Main Street, Big Spring, Texas, beginning the first day of publication of this notice. At the TCEQ Central and Regional Office, relevant supporting materials for the draft permit, as well as the New Source Review permits which have been incorporated by reference, may be reviewed and copied. Any person with difficulties obtaining these materials due to travel constraints may contact the TCEQ Central Office file room at (512)239-1540.

PUBLIC COMMENT/NOTICE AND COMMENT HEARING. Any person may submit written comments on the draft permit. Comments relating to the accuracy, completeness and appropriateness of the permit conditions may result in changes to the draft permit.

A person who may be affected by the emission of air pollutants from the permitted area may request a notice and comment hearing. The purpose of the notice and comment hearing is to provide an additional opportunity to submit comments on the draft permit. The permit may be changed based on comments pertaining to whether the permit provides for compliance with 30 TAC Chapter 122 (examples may include that the permit does not contain all applicable requirements or the public notice procedures were not satisfied). The TCEQ may grant a notice and comment hearaing on the application if a written hearing request is rexeived within 30 days after publication of the newspaper notice. The hearing request must include the basis for the request, including a description of how the person may be affected by the emission of air pollutants from the application area. The request should also specify the conditions of the draft permit that are inappropriate or specify how the preliminary decision to issue or deny the permit is inappropriate. All reasonably ascertainable issues must be raised and all reasonably available arguments must be submitted by the end of the public comment period. If a notice and comment hearing is granted, all individuals that submitted written comments or a hearing request will receive written notice of the hearing. This notice will identify the date, time and location for the hearing.

Written public comments and/or requests for a notice and comment hearing should be submitted to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, or electronically at www.tceq/state.tx.us/about/comments.html and received within 30 days from the date of newspaper publication of this notice.

A notice of proposed final action that includes a response to comments and identification of any changes to the draft permit will be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments, a hearing request, or requested to be on the mailing list for this application. This mailing will also provide instructions for public petitions to the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) to request that EPA object to the issuance of the proposed permit. After receiving a petition, the EPA may only object to the issuance of a permit which is not in compliance with the applicable requirements or the requirements of 30 TAC Chapter 122.

MAILING LIST. In addition to submitting public comments, a person may ask to be placed on a mailing list for this application by sending a request to the TCEQ Office of the Chief Clerk at the address above. Those on the mailing list will receive copies of future public notices (if any) mailed by the Chief Clerk for this application.

INFORMATION. For additional information about this permit application or the permitting process, please contact the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of Public Assistance, MC-108, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087 or toll free at 1-800-687-4040. General information about the TCEQ can be found at www.tceq.state.tx.us. Si desea informacion en Espanol, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040.

Further information may also be obtained from Power Resources, Ltd., by calling Mr. Sammy Hunnicutt at (432)263-8468 extension 14.

Notice Issuance Date: April 27, 2010

#6550 May 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31 and June 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22 and 23, 2010

Tomorrow's Horoscope

Venus in Cancer is opposed to the dwarf planet, Pluto. There's tension in our relationship picture that can be eased by getting our domicile in good working order. Staying home is favored under this Libra moon. Whatever we have to do to keep the order, peace and harmony in our relationships, it will likely happen at home.


HOLIDAY MATHIS

ARIES (March 21-April 19). You'll have the direct realization that life is wonderful without having to psych yourself into the idea. There's no need to build a case for it because there is no reason behind the notion. Life simply is wonderful.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20). Get rest. Stay home as much as possible. Do things that require little exertion. You have a busy week ahead of you, and one behind you, so this is your well-deserved pit stop. Make the most of it.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21). If love is a form of attention, then the object of your affection is loved indeed. You will tend to this person's every nuanced need and desire. This you can do only because you are feeling so selfless and giving.

CANCER (June 22-July 22). You're giving off intense vibes. You're in a mood to connect with people in brief but meaningful ways. When you shoot that certain smoldering look, the one on the receiving end just melts.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22). No matter what the field of interest is, too much information on one subject will eventually bore you to tears. Instead of sticking with one thing until you're saturated by it, move around.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22). Calm down. It's not all up to you. You're responsible for a lot, but most things will happen naturally without you. If you sit in one place, the grass will grow up around you and you don't have to do a thing to make it happen.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23). You have a way of making people feel better about the mistakes they have made. You won't be quick to judge, and you'll understand the appeal of a wrong path. Your compassion will help turn a negative into a positive.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21). You'll finish everything you are supposed to get done and still have time to mess around. It's a good thing, since the foolish, time-wasting pursuits wind up being the highlights of the day.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21). You'll run into people you think you'll see again. The reality is that if you want that to happen, you have to make the effort. Get names, phone numbers and e-mail addresses.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19). You're nice to be around now, and loved ones will want to do things with you. It's because you don't complain. Complaining, disapproving, grumpy people will be jealous of all the attention you get.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18). You understand the equality of all beings. Even though one feels superior and the eye of the world may perceive him that way, you see how everyone is the same. This idea will give you confidence.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20). People like you and want to work and play with you. However, circumstances and generally busy lives won't allow for natural, easy contact. Make arrangements and appointments.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (May 23). Because of the way you show your love and respect for others and the world around you, you make a difference. You'll wheel and deal in June and have more savings as a result. You'll get swept up in a fascinating new interest in August. November features the signing of contracts and/or the exchange of vows. Leo and Pisces people adore you. Your lucky numbers are: 2, 5, 41, 22 and 15.

FORECAST FOR THE WEEK AHEAD: To get anything in life, a trade must happen. There is always an exchange, even for the simplest of goals. We want to experience the shop at the end of the block. We must trade the effort it takes to move our body the 30 steps and give up the half a minute in the transition. But suddenly we are there, looking in the window, determining whether the price we paid was worthwhile. This week there will be bigger and different bits of life that we want to experience, and the cost will not be as obvious as we would like it to be. Some will thrill to the risk; others will shy away from it. Yesterday's opposition of Jupiter and Saturn continues to dominate this week's theme. The planet of abundance pulls across the heavens from the planet of restriction. The force of this important aspect will be felt clear through August. Both Jupiter and Saturn are in mutable signs and are positioned close to the cusp, suggesting that big changes are on the horizon, especially having to do with the way people earn money, what is valuable and what must be done in order to attain valuables.

CELEBRITY PROFILES: This Alaskan native famously lived in her car while she worked the coffee houses of California with her unique voice and acoustic guitar. Happy birthday to Jewel, the versatile Gemini who is masterful in many different genres of music, including folk, country, pop, opera -- she even yodels. Jewel has her natal sun, moon and Mercury all in the versatile, intelligent sign of the twins.

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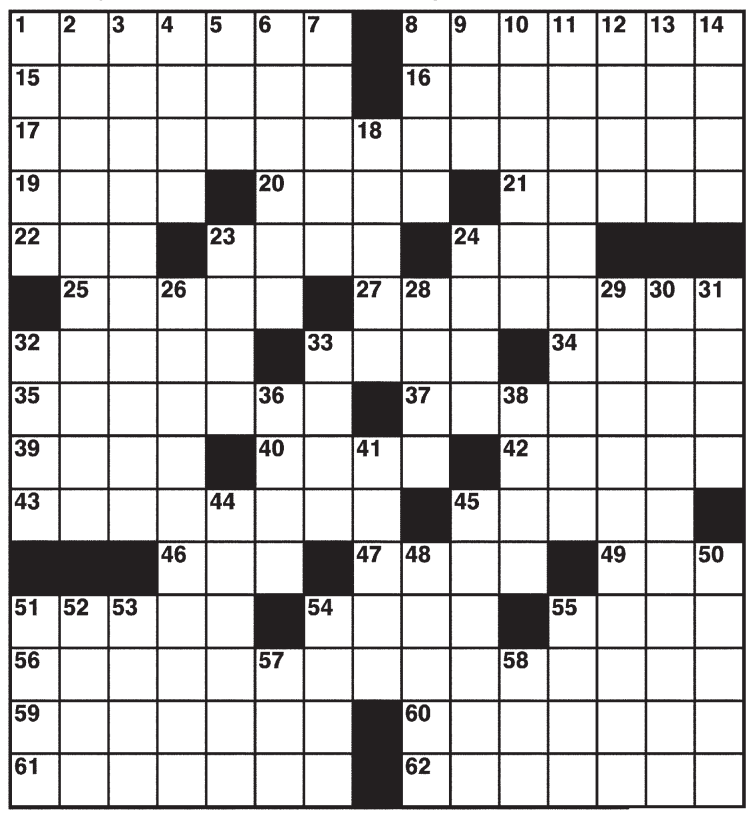
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8 Alphabetically complete passage
15 Like amaranth flowers, in myth
16 Not straight
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19 Fonda, in *My Darling Clementine*
20 Lay back?
21 They're related
22 Stranded carrier
23 Rattle
24 High lines
25 Happening
27 Product with the slogan "Think small"
32 Remain close
33 One celebrating Saint Sava's Day
34 Gross-weight deduction
35 OK
37 Spanish causeway
39 Work order
40 Unstable particle
42 Slogs (through)
43 Spotty
45 Big name in general aviation
46 NBA Atlantic Div. city
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News in brief

Clinton: NKorea must face international consequences for sinking of South Korean warship

SHANGHAI (AP) — Citing "overwhelming" evidence that North Korea sank a South Korean warship, U.S. Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton warned the communist state Friday of international consequences.

After discussions in Tokyo, Clinton planned to consult with counterparts in Beijing and Seoul on appropriate measures to take after an international investigative team on Thursday blamed North Korea for firing a torpedo that sank the South Korean ship in March, killing 46 sailors.

"This will not be and cannot be business as usual. There must be an international — not just a regional, but an international — response," she told a press conference in Tokyo, flanked by Japanese Foreign Minister Katsuya Okada. The subject has come to dominate her three-nation tour through Japan, China and South Korea.

The Chinese have the most leverage over the reclusive regime, and Beijing's support for any international response to Pyongyang will be critical to its success. But China, North Korea's main ally and a veto-wielding permanent member of the Security Council, has thus far remained neutral.

While it was "premature" to discuss exact options or actions that will be taken, Clinton said it was "important to send a clear message to North Korea that provocative actions have consequences."

AP sources: James R. Clapper leading candidate for top intelligence post

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House's leading candidate to replace Dennis Blair as national intelligence director is James R. Clapper, the Pentagon's top intelligence official, current and former U.S. officials said Friday.

Two current officials said another candidate is Mike Vickers, the Pentagon's assistant secretary for special operations. But a Defense Department official said Vickers has not been contacted for an interview. All the officials spoke on condition of anonymity because a replacement for Blair has not been announced.

Clapper currently is defense undersecretary for intelligence.

President Barack Obama was already talking to candidates for national intelligence director's job before Blair resigned Thursday under pressure from the White House.

Obama spokesman Robert Gibbs said the president had spoken with a number of well-qualified candidates so he could have people ready in case he decided to make a change with the intelligence post. Gibbs wouldn't comment on what candidates the president has spoken with, but said an announcement will come soon.

GOP dilemma: Ride the Rand Paul express without veering off the tracks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Even as national Republican officials seek ways to limit damage from Rand Paul's unorthodox remarks, the Kentucky Senate nominee raised more eyebrows Friday by defending the oil company blamed for the Gulf oil spill.

Those comments, on top of Paul's earlier suggestion that businesses should have the right to turn away racial minorities, sent gleeful Democrats into full attack mode while top Republicans pondered how to calm things down.

It's a delicate issue. The Republican establishment spurned Paul and supported his opponent, Trey Grayson, the hand-picked choice of Senate Minority Leader Mitch McConnell, R-Ky.

Paul, a favorite of the tea party movement, walloped Grayson in Tuesday's primary. Now, chastened GOP leaders are dealing with a novice and outsider who, feeling his oats, has expressed his robust libertarian views in a series of interviews that have caused political pros to wince.

High-ranking Republicans from Washington have quietly reached out to Paul and his aides, trying to start healing the breach and to nudge him toward greater campaign discipline, said three GOP operatives close to the situation.

Stocks jump in volatile trading a day after worst slide in over a year; Dow adds 125 points

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks ended sharply higher a day after posting their biggest drops in more than a year.

Trading was volatile Friday and there are still worries about how Europe is handling its debt crisis. Analysts said a bounce back after the slide Thursday wasn't surprising.

The Dow Jones industrial average rose 125 points after falling below 10,000 in morning trading.

The volatility comes after major indexes entered "correction" mode, having dropped more than 10 percent from their 2010 highs set last month. The gains Friday pulled the Dow back out of correction territory and left it down 9 percent from its peak.

Investors again looked to Europe for direction. The German parliament approved the country's share of a $1 trillion plan to help contain debt problems in the European Union. Major stock indexes in Europe were mixed but pulled well off their lows. Traders have been worried that stronger countries like Germany and France will be saddled with heavy debts to help weaker EU countries.

Obama seeks tougher mileage, emission standards for cars and — for first time — big trucks

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Barack Obama directed the government Friday to set the first-ever mileage and pollution limits for big trucks and to tighten rules for future cars and SUVs, setting the nation's sights on vehicles that run on half the fuel they now use and give off half the pollution.

"The nation that leads in the clean energy economy will lead the global economy. And I want America to be that nation," Obama declared at the White House as he signed a presidential memorandum that would reshape the country's driving habits long after he leaves office.

With the catastrophic oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico underscoring the risks of America's heavy reliance on fossil fuels, Obama gave federal agencies just over a year to come up with fuel efficiency and greenhouse gas emission standards for commercial trucks and buses.

Such vehicles are big polluters and fuel consumers even though they're far outnumbered by passenger cars. The Union of Concerned Scientists, an environmental advocacy group, said large trucks represent about 4 percent of all vehicles on U.S. highways but devour more than 20 percent of fuel.

According to the Environmental Protection Agency, commercial trucks account for 21 percent of greenhouse gas emissions in the transportation sector — compared with 33 percent for passenger cars and 29 percent for SUVs, pickups and minivans.

Facebook page that led to Pakistani ban removed, possibly by creator

ISLAMABAD (AP) — A Facebook page that was considered offensive to Islam and led to a Pakistani ban on the site has been removed, possibly by its creator.

Facebook said Friday it has not taken any action on the page, which had attracted more than 100,000 users and encouraged users to post images of Islam's Prophet Muhammad, purportedly in support of freedom of speech.

Most Muslims regard any depiction of the prophet, even favorable ones, as blasphemous.

Najibullah Malik, the secretary at Pakistan's information technology ministry, said earlier Friday that the government had no option but to shut down Facebook on Wednesday after a court order to do so.

Mothers of 3 Americans jailed in Iran leave without release of their children

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — The mothers of three Americans jailed in Iran for 10 months left for home Friday, getting one last chance to embrace their children but failing to secure their immediate release.

In a glimmer of hope, Iran announced that two of its nationals held in Iraq by U.S. forces for years were freed Friday. The release raised the possibility that a behind-the-scenes swap was in the offing or that their release was a gesture of goodwill in an attempt to free the Americans.

The Iranians' release "may have some diplomatic effect on this case," the Americans' lawyer, Masoud Shafii, told The Associated Press.

The U.S. has said it is not offering a direct swap, and Iranian officials made no public connection between the freed Iranians and the Americans.

Sarah Shourd, 31, her boyfriend Shane Bauer, 27, and Josh Fattal, 27, were arrested in July along the Iran-Iraq border, and Iran has accused them of espionage. Their families say the three were simply hiking in Iraq's largely peaceful mountainous northern Kurdish region and that if they crossed the border, it was accidental.

Catholic Church: synthetic cell potentially a good development but life originates from God

ROME (AP) — Catholic Church officials said Friday that the recently created first synthetic cell could be a positive development if correctly used, but warned scientists that only God can create life.

Vatican and Italian church officials were mostly cautious in their first reaction to the announcement from the United States that researchers had produced a living cell containing manmade DNA. They warned scientists of the ethical responsibility of scientific progress and said that the manner in which the innovation is applied in the future will be crucial.

"It's a great scientific discovery. Now we have to understand how it will be implemented in the future," Monsignor Rino Fisichella, the Vatican's top bioethics official, told Associated Press Television News.

"If we ascertain that it is for the good of all, of the environment and man in it, we'll keep the same judgment," he said. "If, on the other hand, the use of this discovery should turn against the dignity of and respect for human life, then our judgment would change."

Odd news

Md. homeless man who stole, crashed small plane did $12,000 in damage — but will pay just $40

FREDERICK, Md. (AP) — A homeless man caused about $12,000 in damage when he stole and crashed a single-engine airplane at a Maryland airport — but he'll pay just $40 in restitution.

Frederick County Circuit Judge G. Edward Dwyer Jr. expressed surprise Thursday upon learning of the small amount.

Dwyer asked: "Only $40?"

Prosecutors explained that insurance had paid for all the damage except for a $40 deductible.

Fifty-one-year-old Calvin C. Cox has served half of his nine-month sentence for the December theft. His lawyer has said Cox stole the plane because he was homeless and cold.

Nevada detective arrested, then informs media

LAS VEGAS (AP) — A Nevada detective who serves as spokesman for a county sheriff's office was arrested and released, then sent media a release about it, accompanied by his booking photo.

David Boruchowitz turned himself in to Nye County jail on Friday. He was charged with burglary and assault to try to harass candidates for public office.

The warrant for his arrest was issued by a special prosecutor appointed by a district attorney who was arrested May 5 on felony embezzlement, fraud and public misconduct charges.

Boruchowitz says in his release that his duties include investigating and arresting people who commit crimes, "no matter who they may be."

Boruchowitz says he investigated his own case honestly and within state laws.

Suspect's sneakers foils stuffed animal hideout

EL PASO (AP) — He might have gotten away with it, but for those darn sneakers.

An El Paso man running from the law at a carnival was captured when police say they spotted David Caro's sneakers poking out beneath a pile of stuffed teddy bears.

Authorities say Caro was trying to hide after ditching his car during a traffic stop Thursday. Police say Caro had swerved into the path of a motorcycle officer to avoid being pulled over.

Once inside the carnival, police saw Caro's shoes in the stuffed teddy bear pile and arrested him. He was charged with evading arrest and aggravated assault against a public servant.

It was not immediately clear if Caro had a lawyer.

The Boy Scouts of America will be having a ***Spring Recruiting Event*** Tuesday, May 25th, 5:00 P.M. at the Big Spring Mall.

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Boys age 7-10 (Cub Scouts) and 11-8 (Boy Scouts) are invited to bring your parent(s) or guardian.

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WAKE UP DINNER

FAMILY FEATURES

Who says waking up your taste buds only happens in the morning? The novelty of breakfast for dinner can be a lively change for the whole family. And when you give them the added kick of picante sauce, you can create hearty family meals with variety.

Cooking with *Pace* Picante sauce adds texture and zest to a surprising number of traditionally "breakfast-y" foods. These tips and recipes will add ease, taste and fun to the table in a fast and budget-friendly way.

Breakfast for Dinner Tips

Simple Supper Solution: Spoon scrambled eggs or egg whites onto a warmed whole wheat flour tortilla. Add cooked, crumbled bacon or diced turkey sausage, cheese and picante sauce. Fold the tortilla around the filling and you've got a fast and hearty dinner.

Hard-boiled Eggs Made Easy: To hard-cook eggs, place eggs in a saucepan (do not crowd) and cover with cold water. Bring to a boil, then remove from heat and let stand, covered, for 10 minutes. Drain, cover with cold water and let stand 5 minutes before peeling. This causes the egg to shrink away from the shell, making peeling a snap.

Morning Fun at Dinnertime: Invite the family to dress for dinner — in PJs, of course. Add fruit as a garnish to different foods. Use strawberries and bananas to make a friendly face next to crêpes. Cookie cutters aren't just for cookies — use them to cut an omelet or breakfast pizza into hearts, stars and other fun shapes.

Wake up to these and other recipes at PaceRecipes.com.



Breakfast Pizza



Ham Spinach Fiesta Crêpes



Tomato-Feta Frittata



Fiesta Breakfast Casserole

Ham Spinach Fiesta Crêpes

Makes: 8 servings (2 crêpes each)
Prep: 10 minutes
Chill: 30 minutes
Cook: 25 minutes

- **1 1/2 cups nonfat milk**
- **1 1/3 cups all-purpose flour**
- **3 eggs**
- **1 package (15 ounces) frozen chopped spinach, thawed and well drained**
- **1 jar (16 ounces) *Pace* Mexican Four Cheese salsa con queso**
- **8 slices (1 ounce *each*) smoked fully-cooked ham**
- **1 cup *Pace* Picante sauce**
- **4 ounces shredded Cheddar cheese (about 1 cup)**

1. Place milk, flour and eggs into a blender. Cover and blend until mixture is smooth. Refrigerate for 30 minutes.
2. Stir spinach and salsa con queso in a medium bowl.
3. Pour about 3 tablespoons of batter into a hot, greased nonstick skillet or crêpe pan, swirling skillet to spread batter over bottom of skillet. Cook for 1 minute or until crêpe is golden on both sides. Remove crêpe from skillet. Repeat, making 16 crêpes in all and stacking cooked crêpes.
4. Place 1/2 slice ham onto each crêpe. Top each with 3 tablespoons of spinach mixture. Roll up crêpes around filling. Place filled crêpes seam-side down into 2 (2-quart) shallow microwave-safe baking dishes. Top with picante sauce and cheese.
5. Microwave, one dish at a time, on high for 2 minutes or until cheese is melted.

Tip: Chill time is important for this recipe, because it allows bubbles in batter to subside, which makes crêpes less likely to tear during cooking.

Tomato-Feta Frittata

Makes: 6 servings (1 wedge each)
Prep: 20 minutes
Bake: 40 minutes

- **7 eggs**
- **1/2 cup water**
- **1 cup cooked regular long-grain white rice**
- **3 ounces crumbled feta cheese (about 3/4 cup)**
- **2 ounces shredded Cheddar cheese (about 1/2 cup)**
- **1/2 cup *Pace* Picante sauce**
- **2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro leaves**
- **1/2 teaspoon dried oregano leaves, crushed**
- **3 Italian plum tomatoes, sliced**

1. Heat oven to 400°F. Heat greased, oven-safe 10-inch skillet in oven for 5 minutes.
2. Beat eggs and water in large bowl with a fork or whisk. Stir in rice, feta cheese, Cheddar cheese, picante sauce, cilantro and oregano. Pour egg mixture into skillet. Arrange tomato slices on egg mixture.
3. Bake for 40 minutes or until eggs are set. Cut frittata into 6 wedges.

Tip: You can use any type of cooked rice for this recipe. It's a great way to use up leftover rice from your take-out Chinese dinner.

Breakfast Pizza

Makes: 6 servings (1 slice each)
Prep: 20 minutes
Cook: 10 minutes
Bake: 5 minutes

- **1 tablespoon butter**
- **1/4 cup chopped onion**
- **1/4 cup chopped green pepper**
- **1/4 cup chopped Canadian bacon**
- **1 (12-inch) prepared pizza crust**
- **8 eggs, beaten**
- **1/4 teaspoon ground black pepper**
- **3/4 cup *Pace* Picante sauce**
- **2 ounces shredded Cheddar cheese (about 1/2 cup)**
- **2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro leaves**

1. Heat oven to 400°F.
2. Heat butter in a 10-inch skillet over medium heat. Add onion, pepper and bacon, and cook until vegetables are tender.
3. Place pizza crust onto a pizza pan or baking sheet. Place in oven to warm.
4. Stir eggs and black pepper into skillet. Cook and stir until eggs are set. Spoon egg mixture onto pizza crust. Top with picante sauce. Sprinkle with cheese.
5. Bake for 5 minutes or until cheese is melted. Sprinkle with cilantro. Cut pizza into 6 slices.

Fiesta Breakfast Casserole

Makes: 6 servings (about 1 1/2 cups each)
Prep: 15 minutes
Chill: 2 hours
Bake: 45 minutes

- **1/2 pound bulk pork sausage**
- **12 slices Pepperidge Farm White Sandwich Bread, cut into cubes**
- **1 1/2 cups shredded Cheddar cheese**
- **1 cup *Pace* Picante sauce**
- **4 eggs**
- **3/4 cup milk**

1. Cook sausage in 10-inch skillet over medium-high heat until well browned, stirring often to separate meat. Pour off fat.
2. Spoon sausage into 2-quart shallow baking dish. Top with bread cubes and cheese. Beat picante sauce, eggs and milk in medium bowl with fork or whisk. Pour picante sauce mixture over bread mixture. Stir and press bread mixture into picante sauce mixture to coat. Cover and refrigerate 2 hours or overnight.
3. Heat oven to 350°F. Uncover baking dish.
4. Bake 45 minutes, or until knife inserted in center comes out clean.

Tip: Prepare dish the night before and pop into oven in the morning. It's great when you have overnight guests. Add a simple side of sliced melon and breakfast is ready!

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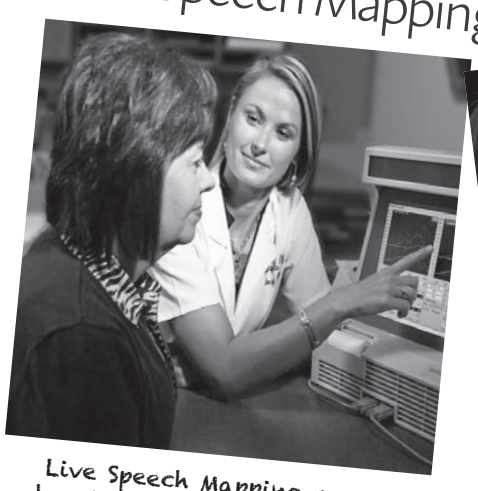
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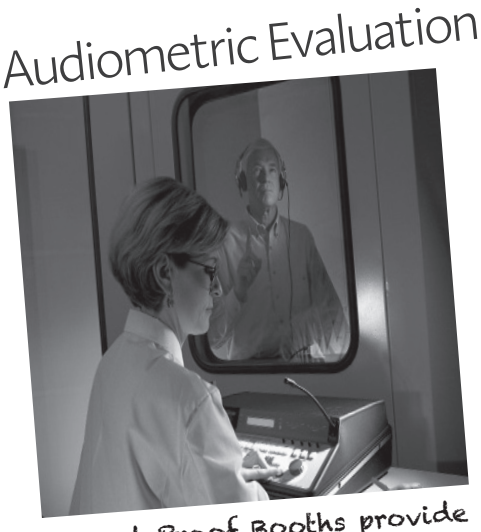
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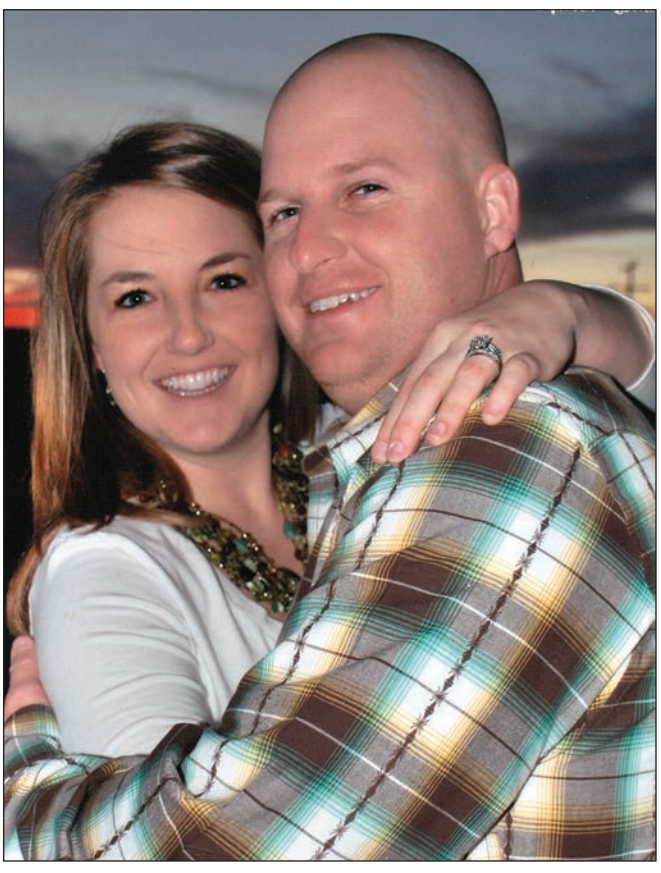
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Engagements



Lauren Chesworth and Eric Barber

Chesworth-Barber

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Chesworth are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lauren Chesworth, to Eric Barber, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Barber.

Lauren is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs Stephen Forshee and the late Mr. and Mrs. James Chesworth.

Eric is the grandson of Billy Barber, the late Bennie Barber and Nancy Cook Rakosky of Georgia.

The bride elect is a 2004 graduate of Big Spring High School. She earned a bachelor of science degree in exercise science and sports management at Howard Payne University in 2007. She is currently employed by the State of Texas.

The prospective groom is a 2002 graduate of Coahoma High School. He earned an associate of science degree in agriculture from Howard College in 2005. He is currently employed as a firefighter/EMT by the city of Big Spring.

The couple plan to marry Aug. 28, 2010, in Big Spring.

Kahn-Arguello

Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Kahn are happy to announce the engagement of their daughter, Lani Marie, to Nicolas Duran Arguello, son of Mr. Tommy Arguello and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Howard.

Lani was born in Humble, grew up in Lakeway and graduated from Lake Travis High School in 2001. In 2005, she received a BA from Texas State University in San Marcos with a focus in advertising. She currently works as the traffic manager for EnviroMedia Social Marketing in downtown Austin.

Nicolas was born in Big Spring and graduated from Midland High School in 1996. He moved to Austin in 1999 where he bought the house he and Lani live in. Nick works at Lone Star Roofing as the company's scheduler/project manager.

Lani and Nicolas are planning a fall wedding in Dripping Springs.

http://www.mywedding.com/laniandnick/



Nicolas Duran Arguello and Lani Marie Kahn



Kesha Christian and Brandon Tant

Christian-Tant

Kesha Christian, daughter of Johnny and Leslie Christian of Colorado City and the late Pamela Christian of Big Spring is to be married to Brandon Tant, son of Sonny and Sharon Tant of Big Spring on July 4, 2010, in Azle.

The prospective bride is a 2004 graduate of Forsan High School, a 2008 graduate of the University of North Texas and currently teaches theater in Tennessee.

The future groom is a 2005 graduate of Forsan High School and has pursued music as his career. He works as a songwriter and musician in Nashville, Tenn.

The couple's relationship blossomed in 2003 when they were in high school and the two have been inseparable since. They will make their home in Brentwood, Tenn.

Who's Who

Hampton Lee Hollingshead, a 2003 Forsan High School graduate, was awarded a master's of science degree in counseling psychology from Angelo State University on Saturday, May 15. He is the son of Joe Hollingshead of Christoval and Kathryn Wiseman of Big Spring.



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Big Spring residents Callie Paige and Christopher Weihert have been named to the 2010 Spring Dean's List at Southwestern University in Georgetown.

To be selected, students must have at least a 3.6 grade point average on a 4.0 scale with at least 12 semester hours and be in good standing with the university.

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Kent Minchew of Big Spring was one of 219 students to receive degrees during spring commencement exercises at Sul Ross State University.

Ceremonies were held Saturday, May 16, in the Pete P. Gallego Center on the Alpine campus.

Minchew received his master of science degree in criminal justice.

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The Northern California chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences held its 39th annual Emmy Awards ceremony in San Francisco on May 15.

Among the recipients was BZ Lewis, formerly of Big Spring, who won an Emmy for composing music for the CBS Television station in the Bay Area. The Emmy is awarded for outstanding achievement in Television Production. The San Francisco/Northern Chapter covers northern California, Hawaii and Reno, Nevada. This is the third Emmy win for BZ.

Lewis owns Studio 132 in Oakland, Calif., and is a partner in popTuna, a successful company that has created music for movies, video games and television. BZ has a B.A. in music from the University of Texas, where he studied under classical guitarist Adam Holzman.

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PLAINVIEW — Students from Big Spring were among those honored for spring academics at Wayland Baptist University. Students earning a grade point average between 3.5 and 3.99 are included on the Dean's List, while the President's List includes those with a perfect 4.0 grade point average.

Catherine Leubner, daughter of John and Ruth Leubner, was named to the President's List. Clint Lockhart, son of Jack and Tammy Lockhart, and Morgan Metcalf, daughter of Roy Lee Metcalf and Sonya Metcalf, were named to the Dean's List.



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Annie's Mailbox ®



KATHY MITCHELL
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Dear Annie: I am a screener of online applications for a company that has more than 125 stores across nine states. Each week, we get hundreds of applications. My job is to reject the unsuitable candidates and perform a short phone interview with the promising ones. The qualified are forwarded to an area manager for consideration.

Competing for employment is serious business these days. I'm astonished at how carelessly people present their applications. Please pass these pointers on to your readers:

1. Get a serious e-mail address. Create something simple and direct such as yourname@whatever.com. Keep the cutesy-sexy ones for your friends. I'm not impressed with "hottie99."

2. Your Facebook friends may not mind if you misspell, abbreviate and use all caps or all lower case, but to a recruiter, this appears unprofessional and not very intelligent.

3. Be available. Accept blocked calls, and make sure you answer the phone as if your next job depends on the person at the other end.

4. The voice message on your answering device should be clear and upbeat.

5. Follow instructions when responding to a message from a company to which you've applied.

I sincerely hope this information helps someone. — Screener

Dear Screener: We're certain it will. Thank you for taking the time to give our job-seeking readers a few pointers that will undoubtedly help them rise above the pack.

Dear Annie: My older brother is a junior in high school, and my parents spend all their time trying to find the right college for him. They have gone through books and magazines, but frankly, my brother could care less. He's lazy and is letting my parents do all the work for him.

Anyway, because of this I am being neglected. Not a lack of food or water, just attention. This also happened when my brother was in middle school and was having a hard time with teachers and schoolwork. My mom promised it would never happen again, but three years later, here we are.

I'm invisible to my mother. I've talked to her about it, but she says I'm so independent and self-sufficient that she doesn't think I need the attention. But, Annie, on my birthday, they totally forgot me because they were visiting colleges with my brother.

When this happened last time, my mom and I went to therapy. It helped then, but what do I do now? — Neglected

Dear Neglected: There's an old saying, "The squeaky wheel gets the oil." Your brother requires more assistance than you and, therefore, gets more attention. But your parents probably bless you every day for being so low-maintenance. Talk to your mother again, and remind her of the suggestions made by your therapist. Also discuss this with your father and even your school counselor. And keep in mind, your brother will be leaving for college in the near future, and then you'll have your folks all to yourself.

Dear Annie: I read the letter from "Confused," the disabled 58-year-old woman whose relatives want her to dump her 73-year-old husband and keep trying to control her health care.

You missed an important opportunity to remind everyone, and especially folks with health issues, to have a legally crafted and properly executed advanced medical directive and living will. "Confused" would then have the opportunity to express her wishes and to state who would be the one to implement them when necessary. That would eliminate the interfamilial hassles and fighting. — A.E.

Dear A.E.: It is always wise to have your end-of-life wishes in writing, and we appreciate the reminder to our readers. In this particular instance, however, we doubt it would end the family fights. Her relatives want to control everything, including her marriage. Unfortunately, no living will covers that.

Dear Annie: I am a divorced father and have raised two children alone for the past six years. The kids are now 19 and 16. The problem is chores.

My son takes out the garbage, feeds the cat, shovels snow in the winter and cuts the grass in the summer. He also brings in the groceries and sets the table. My 19-year-old daughter, however, is reluctant to even wash a dish. She considers such things to be punishment.

There are times when I don't get home until after 8 p.m. and still have to cook dinner. I pay my daughter's tuition bill for college, and when she needs a laptop, she gets it. Yet, if I ask her to sweep the floors, you'd think I wanted the moon. She says she doesn't have time, but if I walk into her bedroom, she's on Facebook with her friends.

I really don't think 20 minutes a day is too much to ask for providing a roof over her head and food on the table. Other than this, we have a great relationship. Both kids are respectful, polite and funny and make it easier for me to work because they can take care of themselves. Ours is the house where everyone "hangs out," and I'm fine with that.

Talking to my daughter does nothing but create stress for everyone involved. Any suggestions? — Frustrated Dad

Dear Dad: Try allowing your daughter to be part of the process. Have a family conference, and calmly explain that maintaining the household is a joint effort and requires everyone's participation. Make a list of chores, and ask your children to divide them with you so that no one is overly burdened. If she still refuses to cooperate, you have other choices. You can tie her tuition and other expenses to what she does around the house, you can tell her she has to get a job and pay rent, or you can ask her to move out. Living independently can often ward off problems at home.

Dear Annie: I've been in a relationship with my boyfriend for 18 months. Recently, I was caught off guard. I was at my cousin's house watching a movie. She left the room for a few minutes, and while she was gone, her phone buzzed with a text message from my boyfriend's number. He asked if he could see her again because he "had a great time the other night."

Should I confront them, or should I stop jumping to conclusions and wait to see the outcome? — Not Sure What To Think

Dear Not Sure: Oh, let's not wait. It's possible someone else was texting from your boyfriend's phone, or there could be an innocent explanation for their evening together, but you have a right to know what's going on.

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Wednesday: Breakfast - Biscuits, gravy, sausage, juice, milk. Lunch - Pizza, salad, oranges, milk.

Thursday: Breakfast - Pancake sausage on a stick, juice, milk. Lunch - Corn dogs, chips, fruit, milk.

Friday: Breakfast - Donuts, ham, juice, milk. Lunch - Hot Pockets, chips, pickle spears, fruit cups, milk.

Senior Center

Monday: BBQ chicken, potato salad, ranch style beans, cornbread, mandarin oranges, milk.

Tuesday: Pork tenderloin, sweet potatoes, green beans, biscuit, chocolate pudding, milk.

Wednesday: Stuffed bell pepper, potatoes, peas and carrots, rolls, applesauce, milk.

Thursday: Beef stew, tossed salad, oatmeal raisin cookies, milk, V8 juice.

Friday: French fries, beans, coleslaw, cornbread, cobbler, milk.

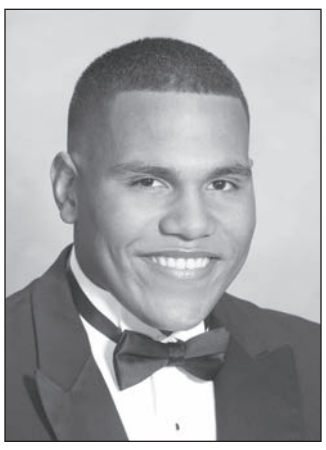
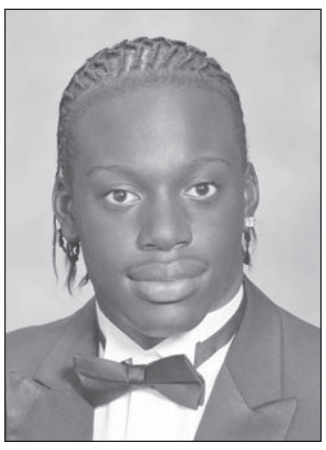
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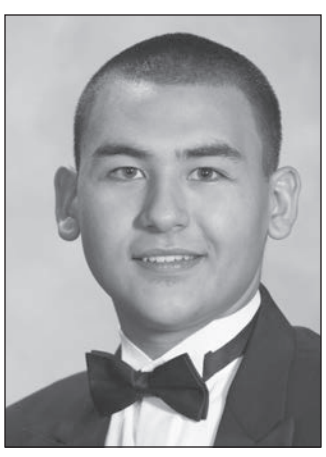
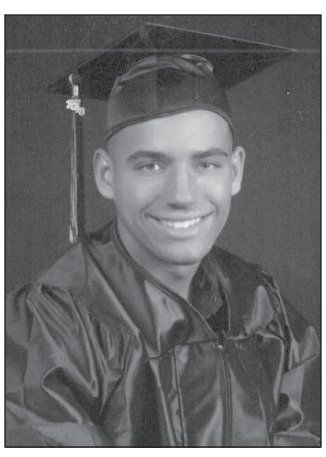
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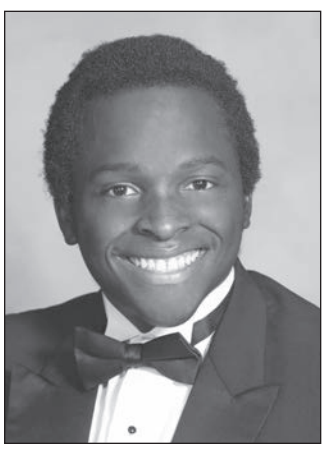
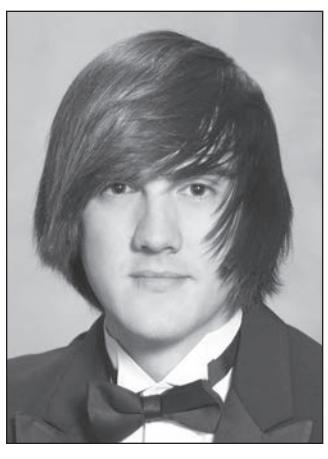
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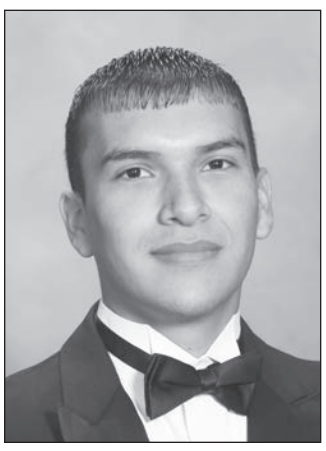






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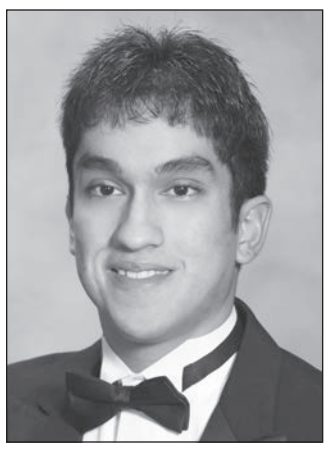
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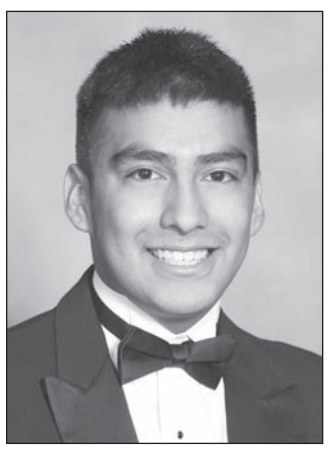
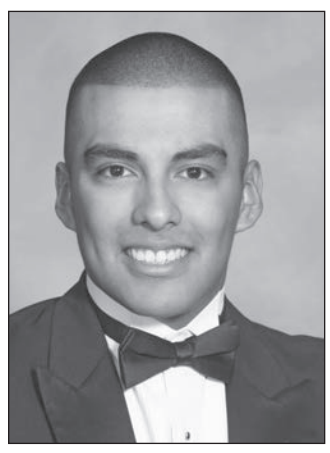




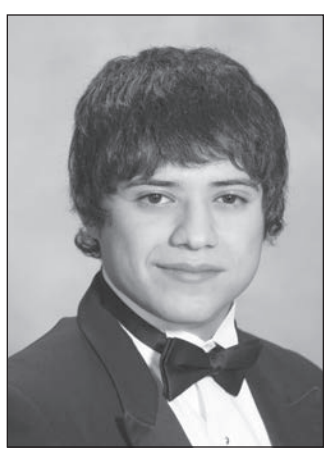

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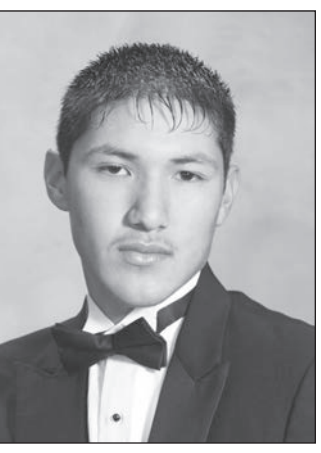




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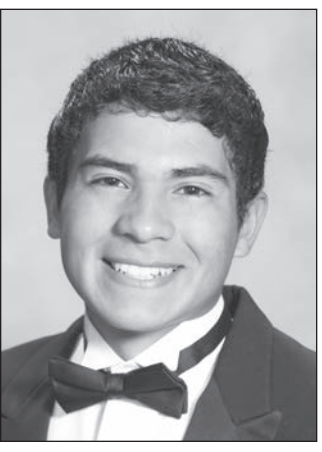
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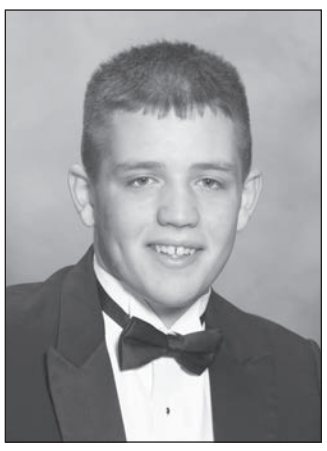
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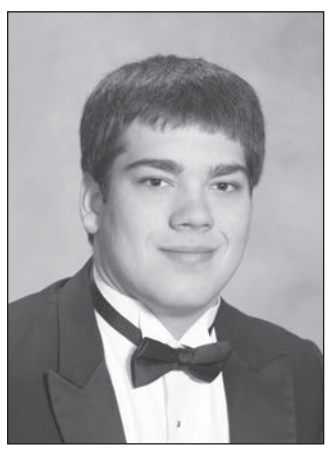
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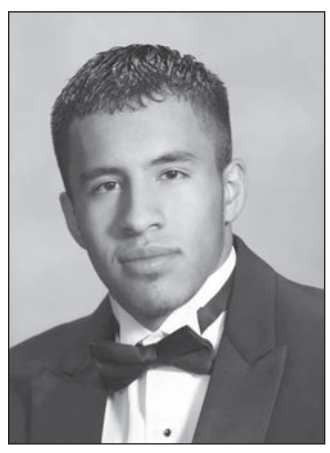






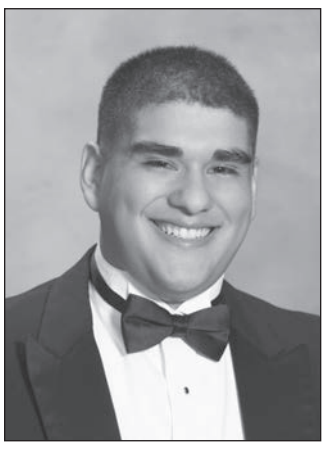






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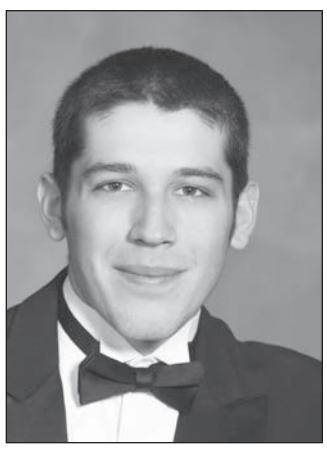
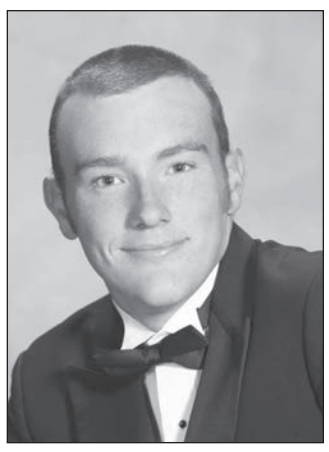
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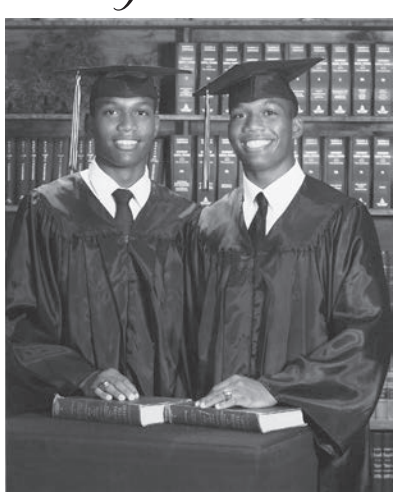





Steven Islas
Chaquesta Johnson
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Jeremy Langford
Jeremy Layman

Xavian & Tevian,
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Mom & Dad

XAVIAN & TEVIAN PARNELL SR. '10

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Callie,



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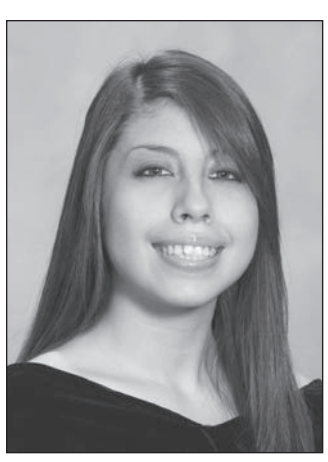
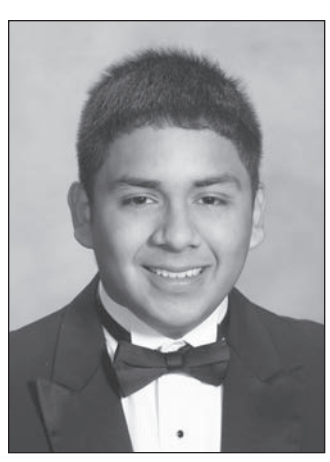




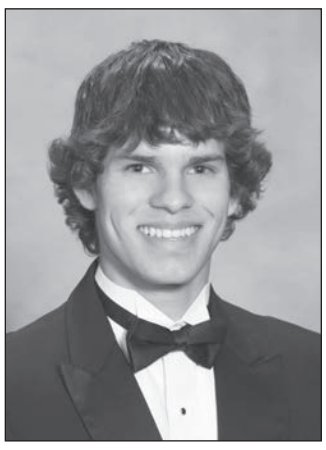
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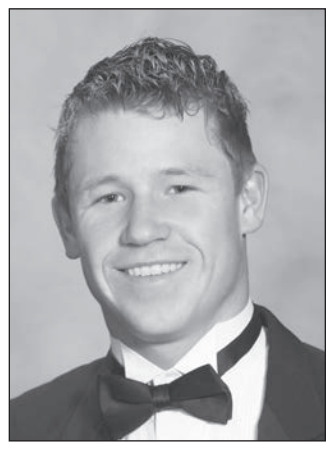
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Dominique Martinez
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Halee,



Your family loves you so very much and are so proud of you!

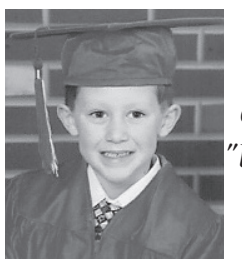


Mom, Lonnie,
Matthew,
Grandma Sue,
Lyndsey,
Michael
Jason

HALEE THOMAS SR. '10

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Brantley,



You have grown from our Brantley "bear" to a fine young man that we are very proud of.

Keep God first in your life and everything else will be great for you!!



Honey, (Dad Dad), Uncle Kevin,
Aunt Amber & Madison

BRANTLEY CAHOON SR. '10

208011

Gracie,



You have been making us proud since God blessed us with you. We wish you the Best now and forever!

Congratulations on this great Accompishment.

Love Always, Always

Mom, Jaime, Sissy Avarielle, Fabian, Kris & Karissa



GRACIE ENRIQUEZ SR. '10

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Hooray, Hooray!

You're the greatest, Class of '10! You've shown great promise, and all signs point to continued success and accomplishment.

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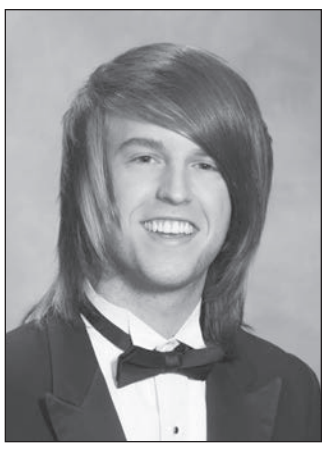
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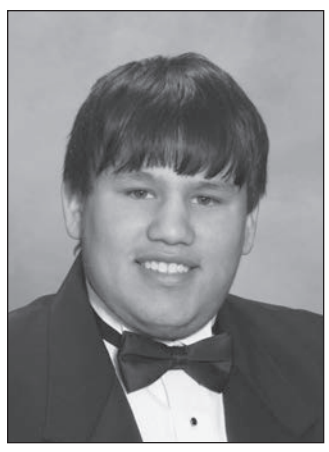
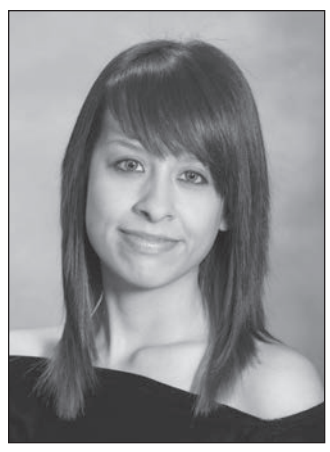
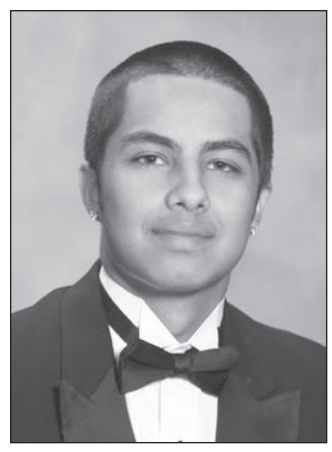
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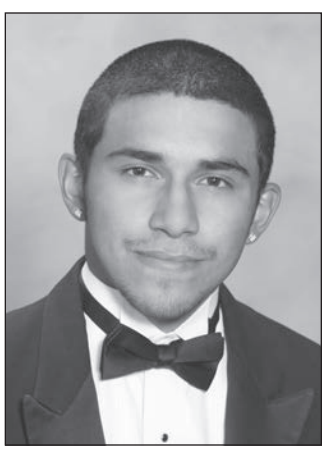


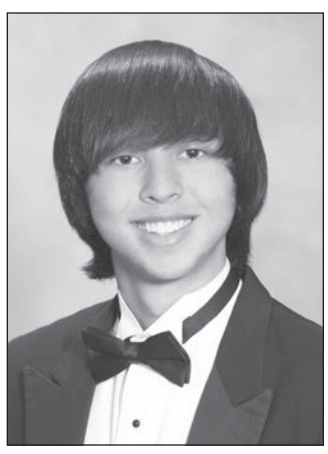

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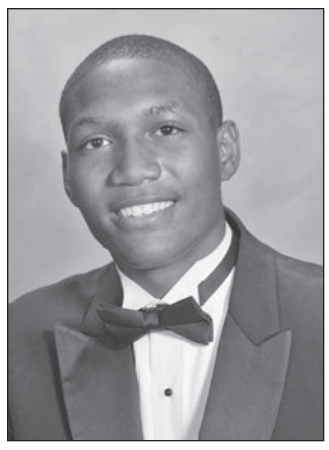
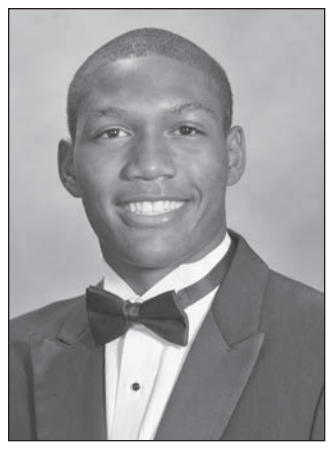







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Xavian Parnell
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Damian Perez



Congratulations Sabrina



We love you and are so proud of you.

Mom, Dad And Savana



SABRINA BEDELL SR. '10

208124

Minnelli,



We are so proud of everything you've achieved and the person you are.

Congratulations

Love Josiah, Mom, Dad, Grandma & Miklo



MINNELLI PEREZ SR. '10

208128

Martin,



We are so proud of you for your accomplishments during your high school years.

Good Luck on your future endeavors.



Love, Mom, Jesse, Brittany, Matthew & Smokey

MARTIN YANEZ SR. '10

208012

You Did it, Grads!

As a proud member of the graduating class of 2009, you've been part of a hardworking, dedicated team of students. Together, you've studied, grown, overcome obstacles and made important decisions about your futures.



The City Of Big Spring

We hope you'll continue to encourage and support one another as you move forward, whether it be toward college or an exciting new job. We're proud of you, graduates, and we look forward to seeing each one of you achieve great things.

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PROUD OF OUR GRADS

We'd like to take this opportunity to salute the Senior Class of 2010 on their crowning achievement. We know that it took a lot of hard work and dedication to earn that diploma, and we're proud of your efforts. Keep up the great work as you continue to face new and exciting challenges. We look forward to seeing you achieve great things in the future!

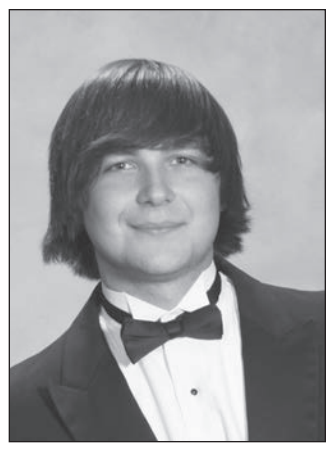
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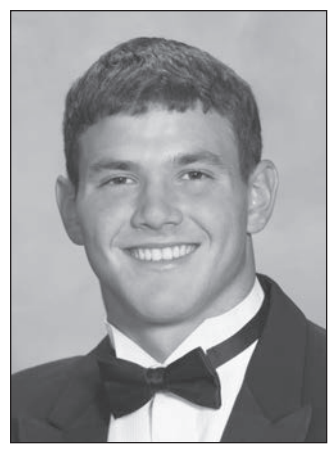




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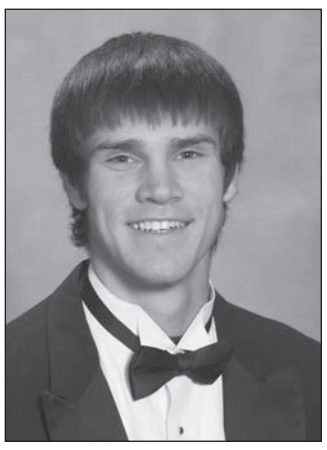
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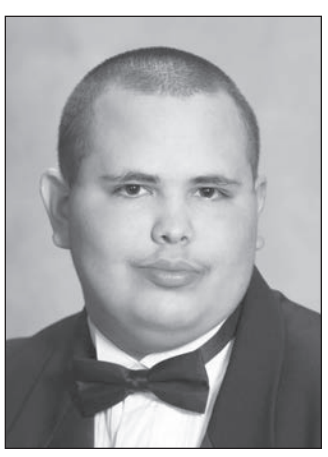
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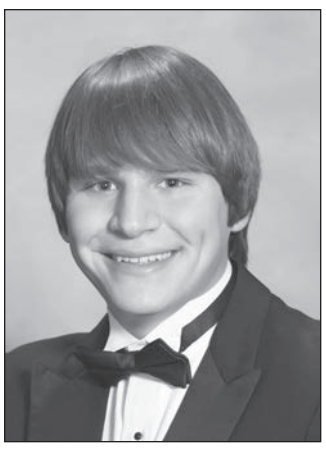


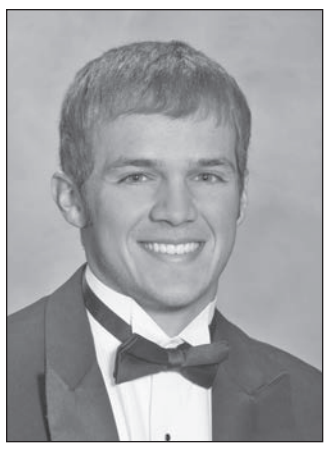




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Linzee Yarbar **Matthew Ybarra**

Celebrating You!

Your big day is finally here, so give yourself a pat on the back and enjoy the accolades you so richly deserve! You've worked hard to earn that diploma, and we congratulate you on a job well done.
May you continue to achieve great things as you continue your journey through life.
Our Best Wishes All The Way!

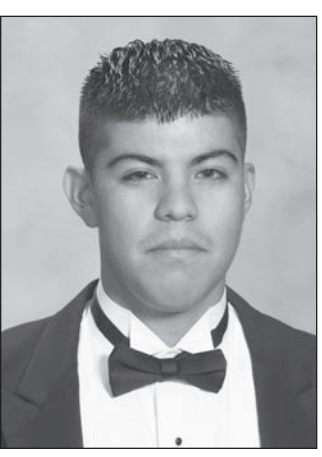
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We're sending out our very best wishes and congratulations to the accomplished Students of 2010. Here's hoping graduation is just the beginning of your success!

Hats off to you, Class of 2010!

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Juan Zavala **Marissa Zavala**

Congratulations, Hannah & Kate!



Love, Mom & Mom

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Congratulations to all graduating Seniors!



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- Benjamin Franklin

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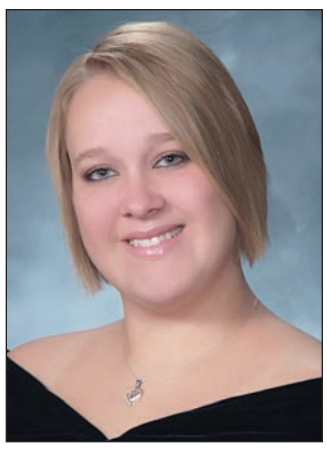
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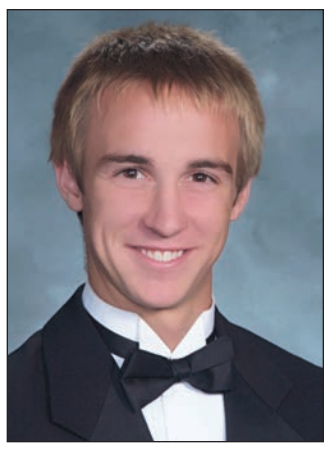
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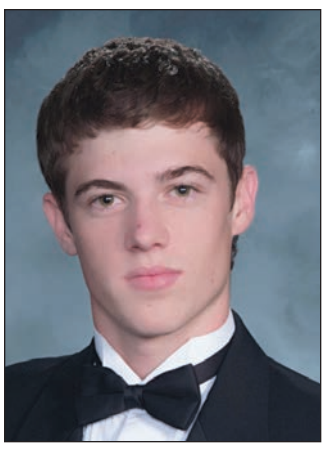




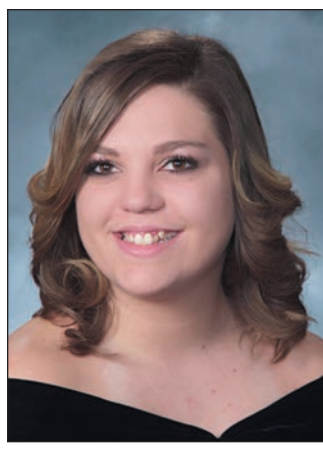


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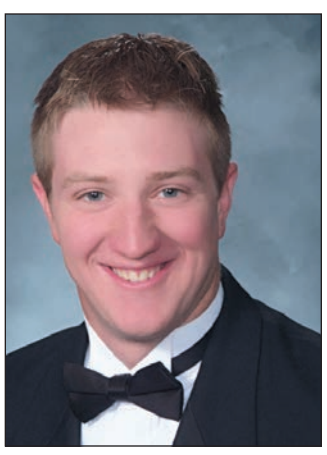
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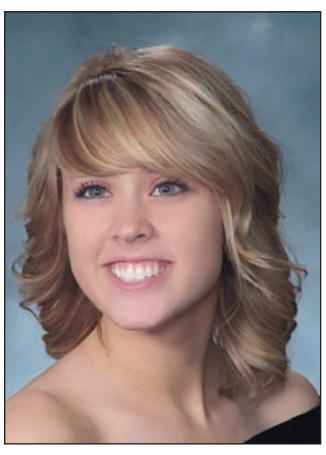
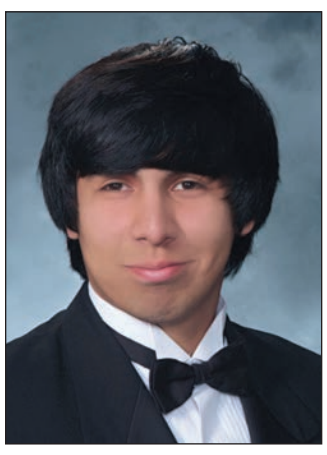
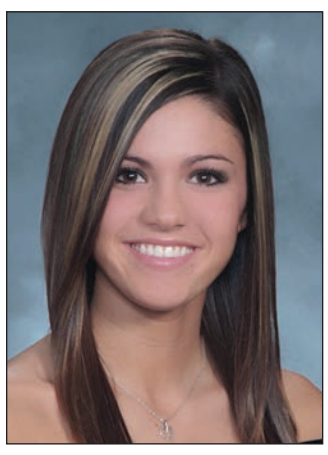
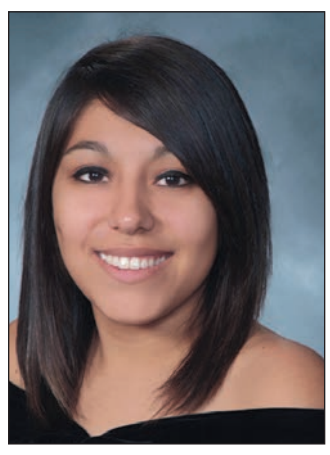
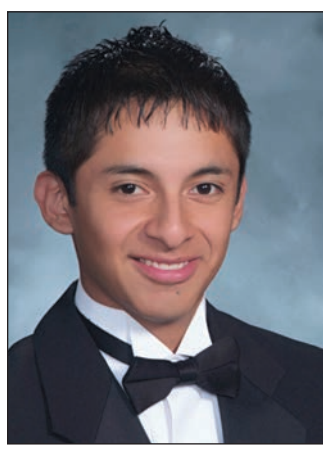





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Alexander Crabtree
Richard Douglass
Katie Dunn

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Isaac Garcia
Kylie Gee
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Ray-Ray



As your dad, I want to take this opportunity to express my deepest congratulations for all your accomplishments. As a baby, you endured a lot of physical handicaps/disabilities and overcame those. Look at you now. Here you have made it to State in track and are also an outstanding baseball player. Your teachers have expressed an admiration for your talents and seem to express that you are also a role model for which other students can learn and follow. You have paved the way for a lot of students to know that dreams can come true if you work hard toward your goals. Just follow your dreams and make them all real. You are not through yet and have yet to go further which I will support indefinitely.
I am proud of you and will love your forever.

DAD - Ray Gutierrez

RAY GUTIERREZ SR. '10

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GRADUATION DAYS
Congratulations

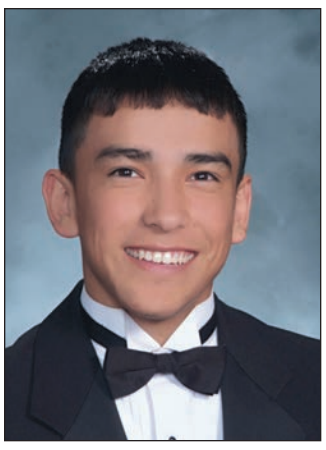


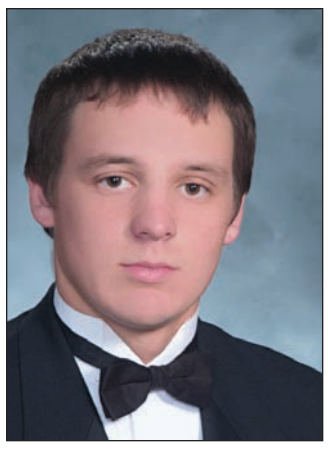
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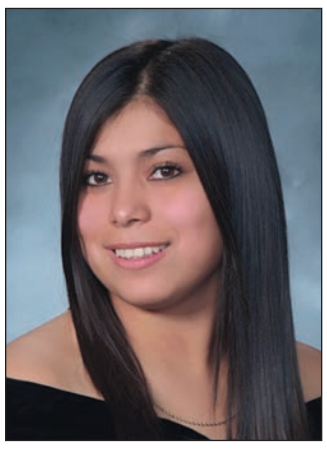
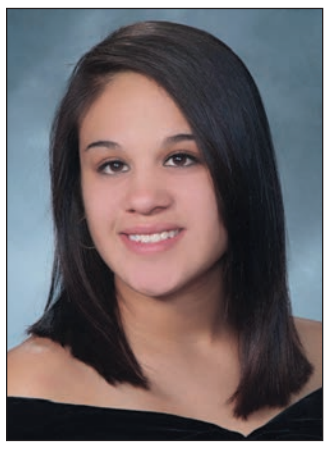
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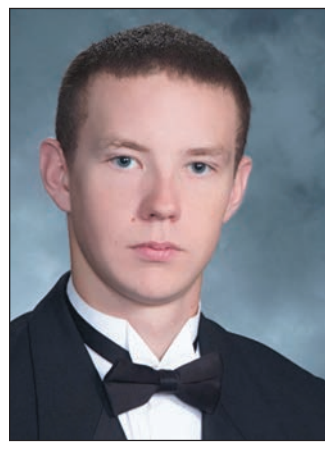





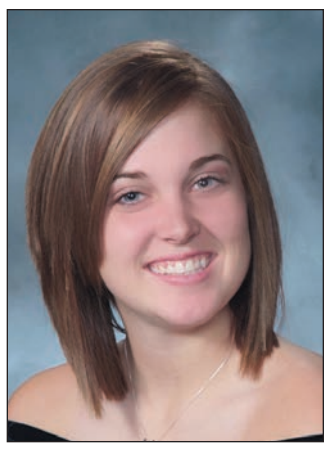

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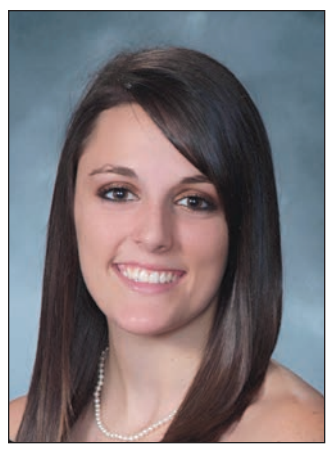
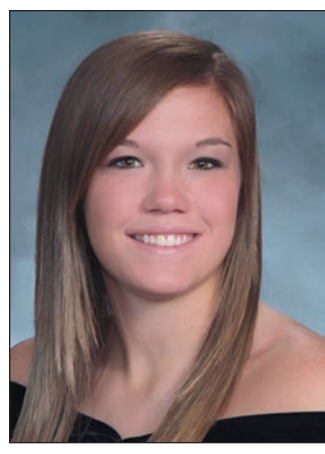



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Seth Mansfield
Jordan Martin
Kourtney McAdams

Hayli McCullough
Ashleigh McFadden
Kaeli Mendoza
Kalea Neff
Neather Newton



2010 Graduates

Your journey to this final step has been a long one with a lot of hard work, determination and dedication. Your parents, teachers, friends and neighbors have nurtured you to this point. The success each of you has accomplished will be a milestone to begin your new lives.

Our hats off to each of you for a job well done.

Congratulations

The City of Coahoma and all of its staff Salutes You



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You diploma is your reward for all the hard work and dedication you've devoted to your education. Now a bright future awaits you, and there are no limits to success you can achieve, you are the hope and future of our community, and we expect great things from you. You've made us very proud, and we look forward to celebrating your future successes!

Dr. Manuel R. Carrasco

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Graduates, you've made us proud. Congratulations on such a fine accomplishment. Your hard work, motivation and intelligence will continue to serve your self as you pursue the future of your dreams. May you achieve all of your life's ambitions.

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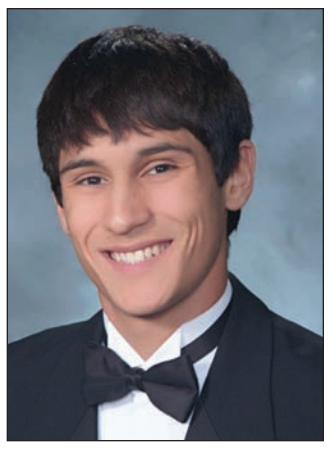
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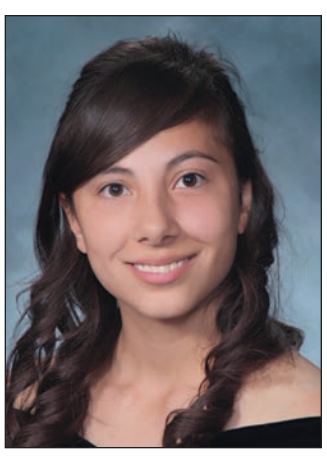








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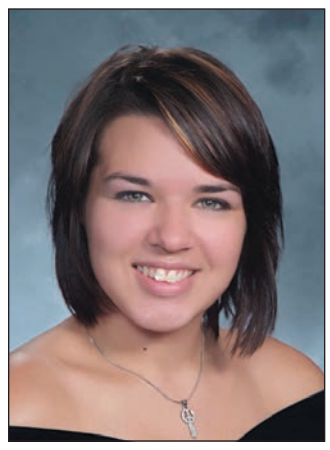
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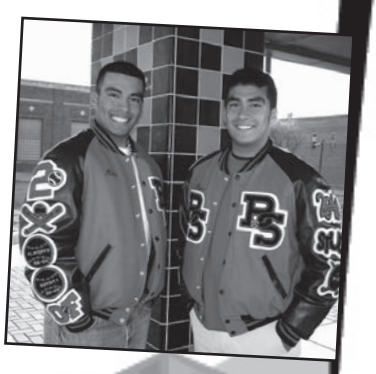
The Lord bless you & keep you. The Lord make His face shine upon you & be gracious to you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you & give you peace, May He grant you according to your hearts desires & fulfill all your purpose. May the Lord give you increase more & more you & your children now to Him who is able to do exceedingly abundantly above all that we ask or think according to the power that works in us.

To Him be glory in the Church by Christ Jesus to all generations for ever & ever. Amen



We Love You & Are Very Proud Of You!

Momma, Edward, Arali, Lani, Neli, Buelo & Buela Enriquez



MARC & MIKE ENRIQUEZ SR. '10

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Ray,



We are proud of you and love you.

Reach for the Stars because You deserve them!

Love, Mom, Shaun, Dustin, Mary, Jayda, Evan,Carissa, Chris, Ashley & Allie

RAY GUTIERREZ SR. '10

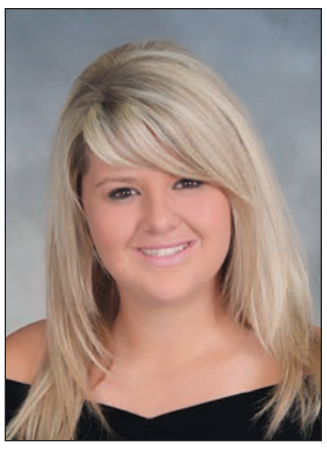
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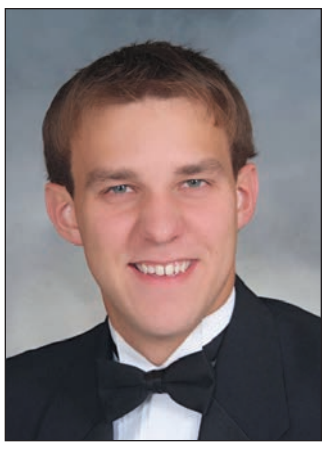


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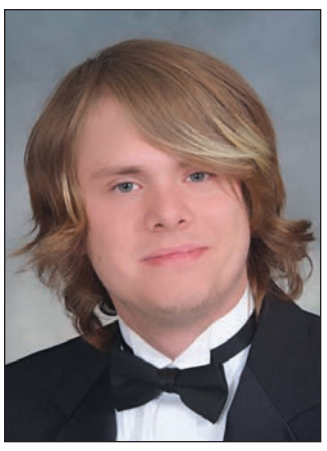






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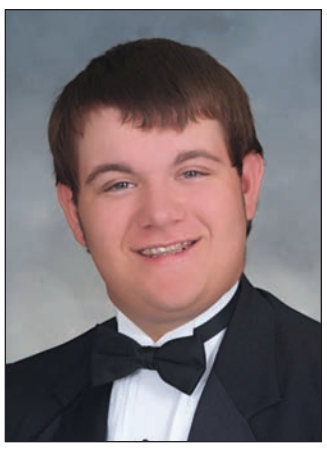












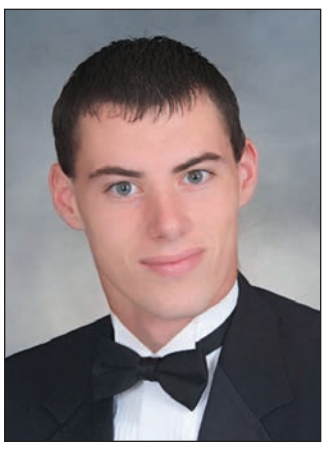


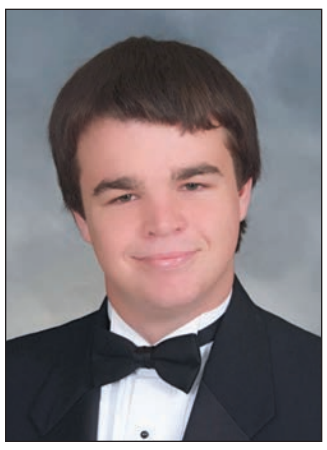


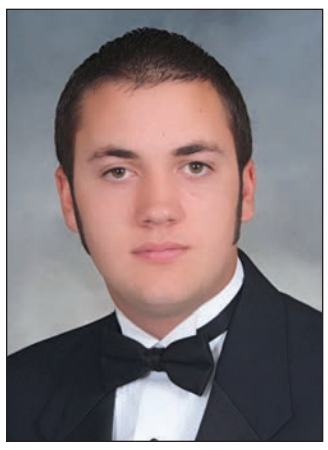


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Congratulations



D'Amberly

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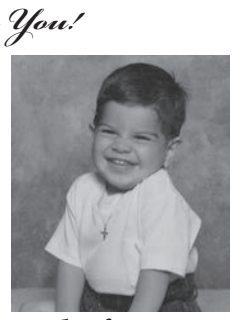
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Mom, Dad, Alyssa & Billy

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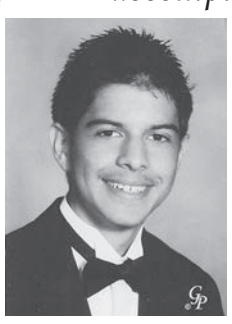
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Happy Graduation Day To You!

At last you've completed this journey.



We are so proud of your accomplishment.



Always believe in God and you will have everything.

Love You,
Pop & Mema Gabriel

CHRISTIAN GARCIA SR. '10

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Congratulations Gracie



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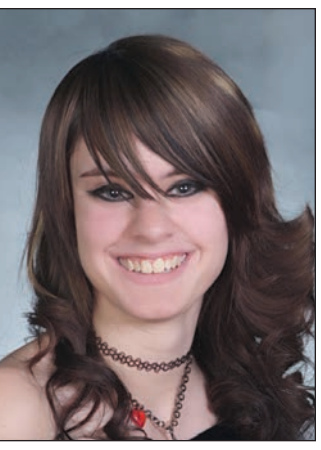
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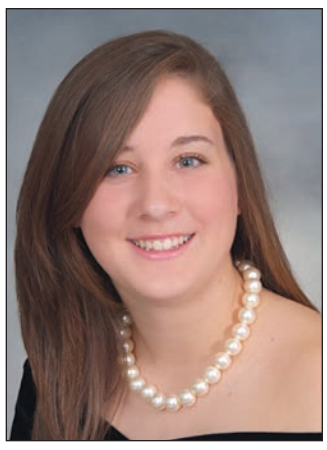
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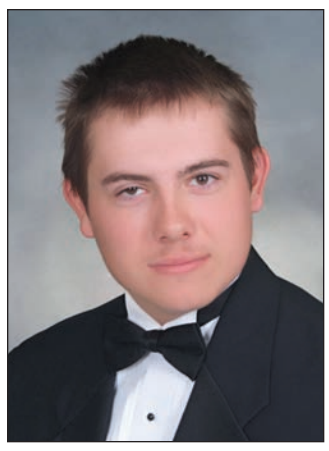
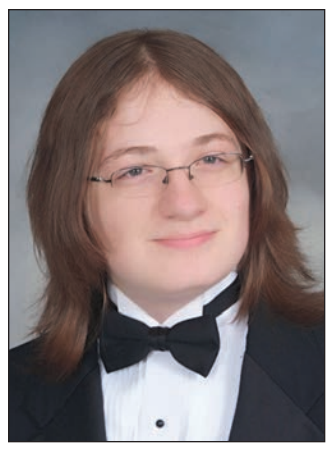
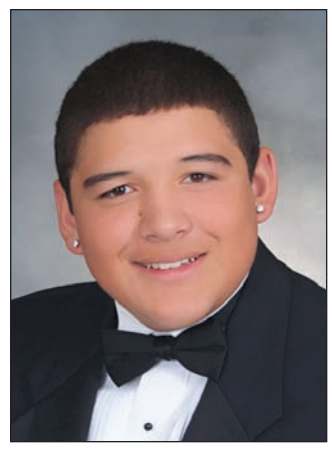


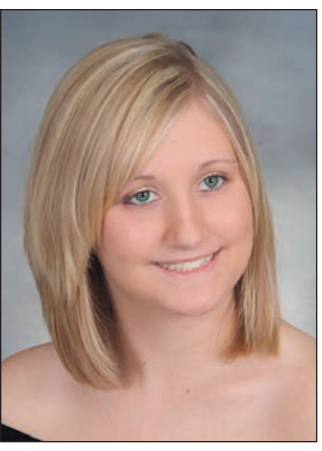




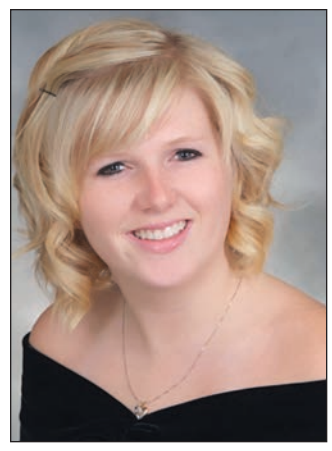
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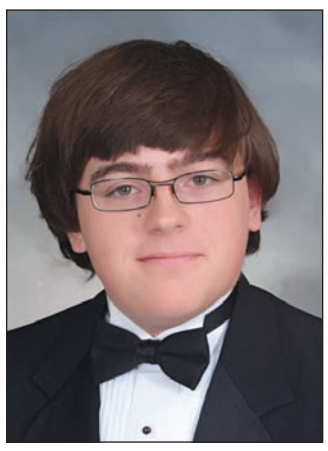


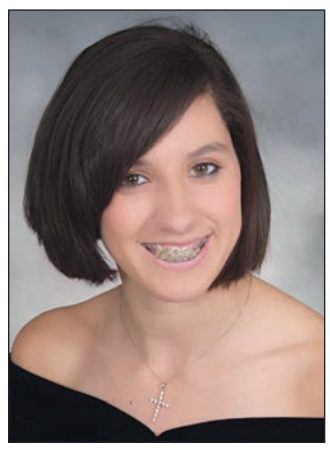




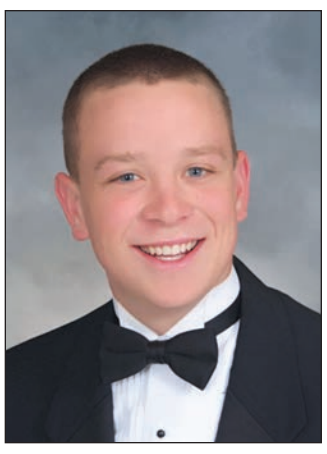
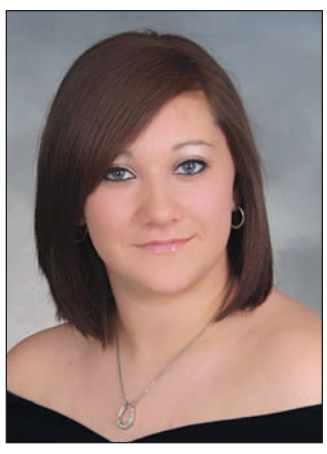
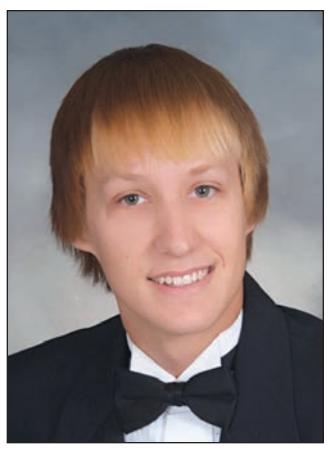
Amber Morrow
Jaycee Neighbors
Brittney Roemer
Hailey Sandridge
Mildred Sandridge

Shay Sims
Laura Spence
Belinda Strong
Franklin Suazo
Cassie Thompson








Travis Wald
Dillon Walker
Kelsie Wallace
Corey Welch
Mischa Willard

Dillon,



It just doesn't seem possible; our little soldier is now a real soldier. You have followed your dreams and goals and are now a PFC in the United States Army!

Along the path to the Army, you became an Eagle Scout. We are so proud of you. You have always been a leader and we know that God will carry you far. Always trust in Him.



We love you,
Mom, Dad and Kristen

DILLON WALKER SR. '10

208016

Brantley,



So proud of You
Light in your eyes...
Smile on your face...
Diploma in your hand...
God's love in your heart...
You're ready for a great future!

I am so proud of you and love you so very much!!!



Love, Mom

BRANTLEY CAHOON SR. '10

208123

Haley,



We are so proud of you.

Good Luck!



Mom, Dad, Erin, Luke, Sister,
Theda, Granny & Billy

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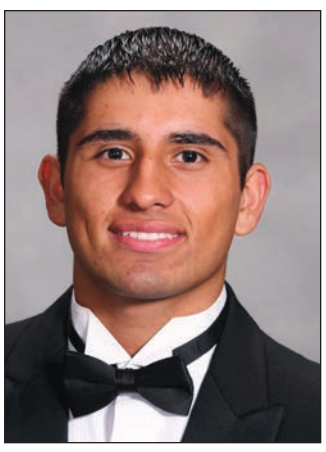
Congratulations 2010 Graduates!

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Sands High School Commmencement 8 p.m. Friday, May 21 High School Auditorium




Eva Aguinaga
Daniel Armendariz
April Garcia
Gabriel Guillen
Noemi Martinez

George McMorris
Braeson Ramey
Johnny Rogers
Ashli Stockton
Kimberly Wigington







Jake Rangel Hernandez



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Oliva, Salazar, Hernandez,
Rangel, Valles Families

JAKE HERNANDEZ SR. '10

208129

JohnE. Rogers



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Your hard work finally paid off. Congrats, your new journey of life has just started and you will continue to achieve great things in live.



Love You Always,
Mom, Rachel & Diane

JOHNE. ROGERS SR. '10

208131

Chance,



We Are So Proud Of You Rooster!

Love,
Waya, Dad,
Lorena & Kids,
Louis, Martha & Kids,
Dubby and
In Loving
Memory
Grandpa



CHANCE EDWARD URIAS SR. '10

208127

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Garden City High School Commmencement
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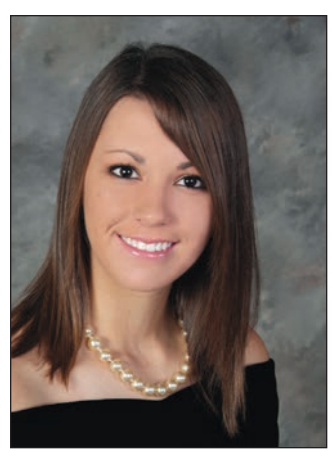


Adrian Arzola
Marcus Cook
Shyla Curry
Marcus Dalton
Stacey Enriquez











Noemi Gonzalez
Jonathan Gutierrez
Amber Halfmann
Kate Halfmann
Lane Halfmann



Laura Halfmann



Quinton Havlak



Dylan Jansa



Kelsey Jones

Selena,



We Are So Proud Of You Sugar

God Bless You In Accomplishing Your Dream!



Love Gonzels,
Grandma, Popo & Nana

SELENA GONZALES
SR. '10

208014

Gracie,

We wish you the Best of Luck in your bright Future!



Love,
Aunt Betty, Uncle Onofre Sr.,
Cousins Andrew, Onofre, Jr.,
Gregery & Danielle

GRACIE ENRIQUEZ
SR. '10

208117

Class of 2010

Here's To Success
Past, Present And Future

We would like to congratulate you, the Class of 2009 on achieving a true milestone in your lives. As you move through the various phases of life, remember that having goals and building solid relationships are at the core of all you will accomplish.

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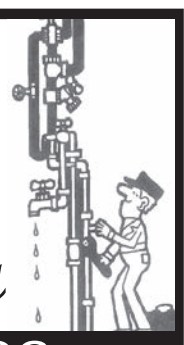
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Paige Niehues
Andrea Olivarez

Adriana Ramirez
Zulema Sarabia
Lauren Schwartz
Morgan Schwartz
Paige Sturtz













Laurena Talamantes



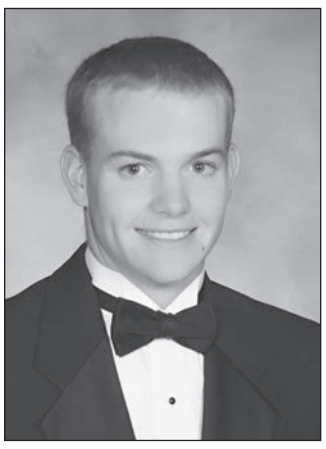
Amanda Trevino





Meagan Blocker
Dylan Cox
JJ Froese
Samuel Harryman
Maxwell Kennady

Tyler Matthews
Christian Medina
Zach Perez
Jeremiah Pugh
Anita Reed











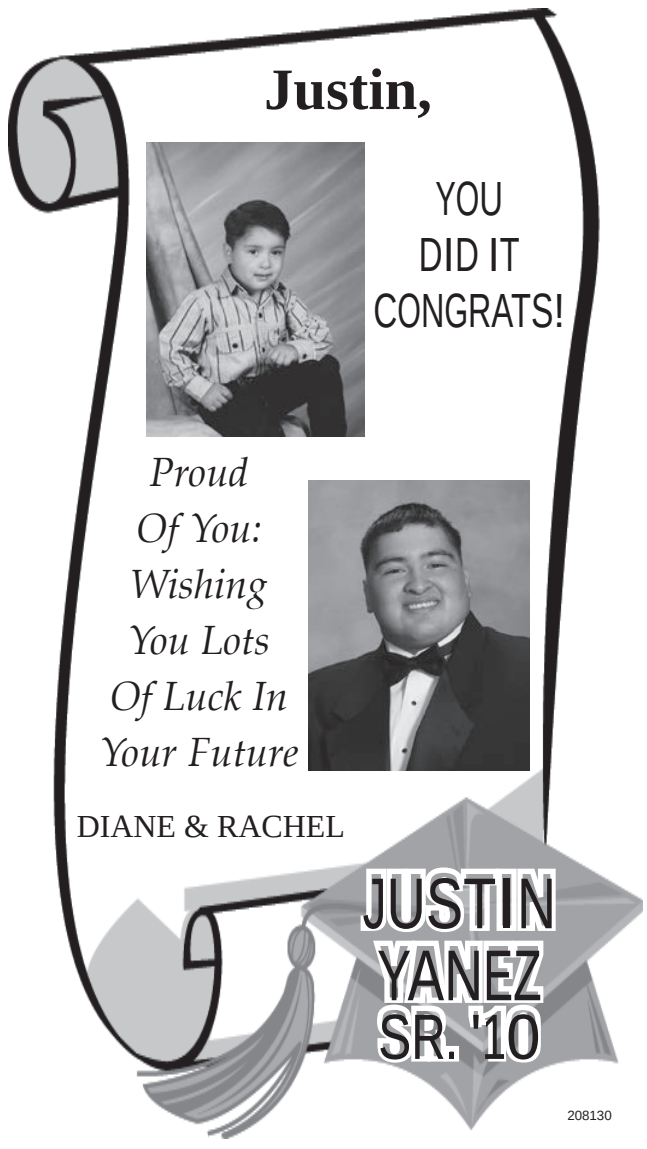


Chis Straub



Peter Unger











Stanton High School Commmencement
8:00 p.m. Friday, May 28
High School Auditorium









Brandon Almanza
Braden Anderson
Nathan Anderson
Kelby Baker
Christi Becker

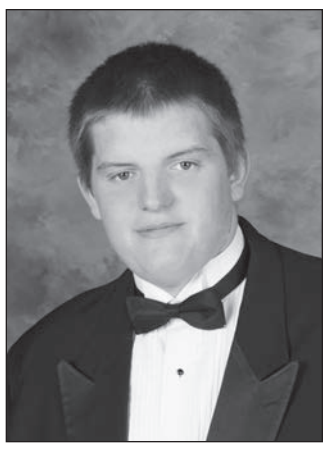
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Amanda Brown
Kayla Brown
Chita Carrasco
Joe Cazares







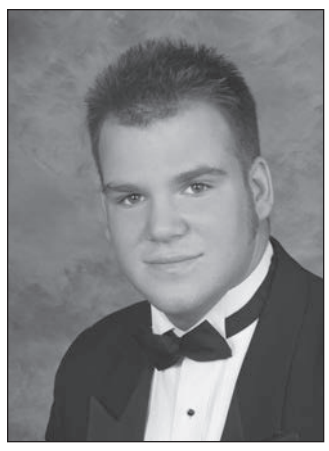






Gabriel Chapa
Katie Cooper
Marshall Cox
Crystal Decker
Rachel Fleckenstein

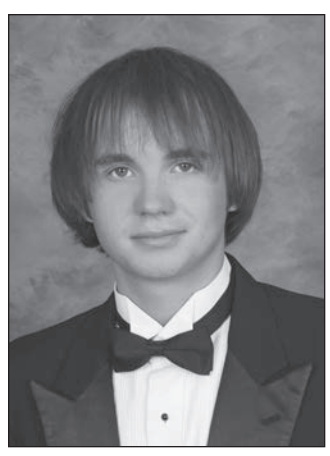
Amanda Fryar
Shawn German
Kristen Graves
Michelle Graves
Kelsey Hedrick









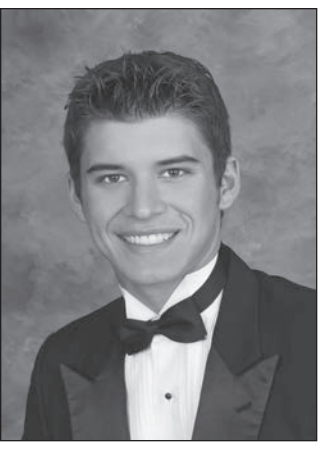
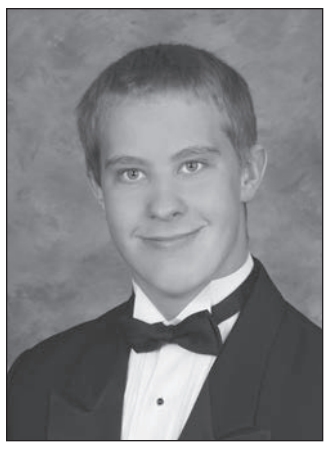

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Kesley Jones
Miguel Juarez
Dusty Kirby
Eva Lowewn

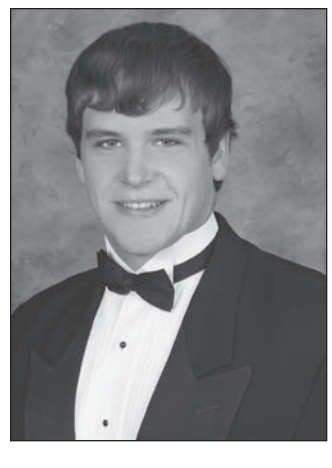
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Beatriz Martinez
Emily McAnaully
Luis Montez
Samantha Mulkey





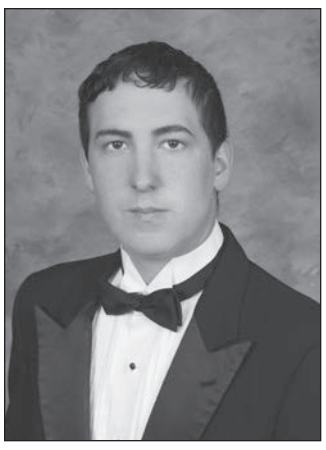
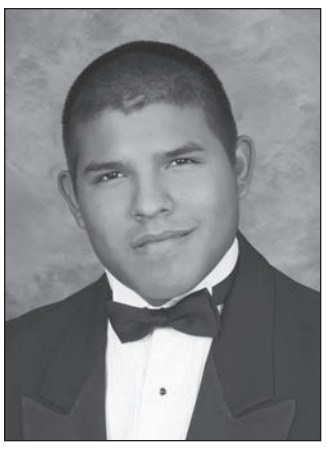


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Jeremy Oatis
Michelle Padilla
Lauren Parker
Blaize Perkins



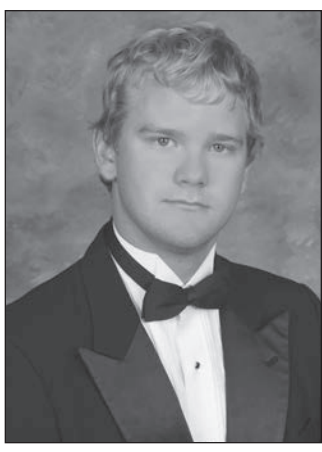




Caleb Ramsey
Tasni Reyna
Jobie Ritchie
Martin Rodriguez
Delia Salgado

Krista Sanchez
Tiffani Saucedo
Anna Smith
Taylor Turner
Woody Clay



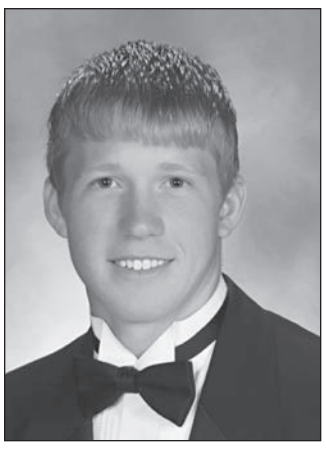






Borden High School Commmencement
8 p.m. Friday, May 28
Borden County Auditorium







Kagan Benham
Flynn Chapman
Michael Cooley
Marla Crenshaw
Brittany Day

Eric Espinoza
Jacie Eveland
D'Nae Johnson
Olivia Key
Karl Lamming













Laura Ocanas
Chellsie Pigford
Shylo Rinehart
Lacey Roberts
Chasiti Rutherford

Felicidades Gracie,



Te Queremos Mucho
Tu Mami Tola y
Papi-Reyes

GRACIE ENRIQUEZ SR. '10

208029



My precious Zaria, you've been through a lot this school year....but we're so proud of you and how you made it through! This is a BIG step for you....just beginning your education....I know God will be with you every step of the way. He has a Guardian Angel watching over you.... never lose that beautiful smile.

WE LOVE YOU SO MUCH!!!!

Love,
MeeMaw, Aunt Lynn, Uncle Floyd....
In Memory -
Mommy and PeePaw

ZARIA SMITH

208057

Aarika,



We are so very proud of you.

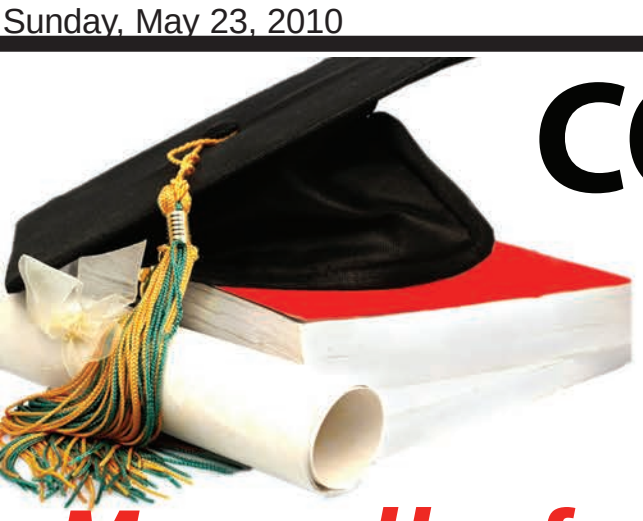
May God continue to watch over you & bless you.
I love you
Choppollina



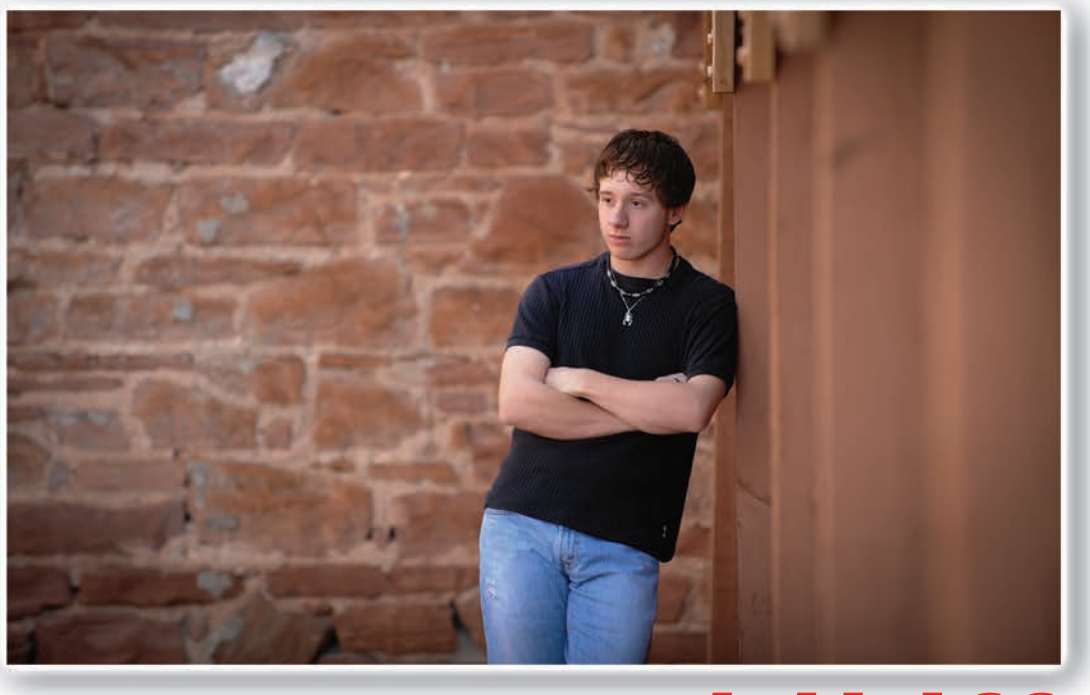
Love,
Mom, Daniel & Ralphie

AARIKA MARIN SR. '10

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Drew Tyler

Westbrook High School Commmencement
8:00 p.m. Friday, May 28
High School Auditorium

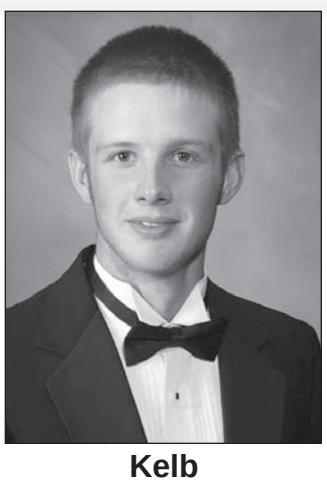




Skyler Williamson-Dear



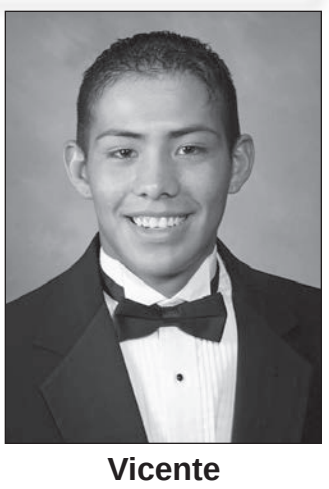
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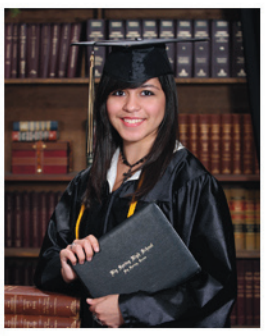


































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