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2 Post residents arrested in drug bust

By Kent Mahoney
Post Dispatch

POST – Garza County Sheriff's deputies executed a search warrant last week at a residence located in the 300 block of South Ave. C and found a large cache of drugs in the residence.

According to reports released by the GCSO's office, the search yielded a three pounds of Marijuana, along with growing equipment and drug paraphernalia.

Klint Dylan Fluitt, 21 and Julia Rose Hadderton, 17 were arrested on possession charges inside the legal limit of a "drug free zone", and manufacturing a controlled substance of greater than two grams, but less than four grams, also in a drug free zone.

The 300 block of South Ave. C are well within the boundaries of the Post ISD campuses.

According to sheriff's reports, both were given bonds of \$100,000 each.

In an unrelated incident, a 23-year-old Post man was arrested and charged with assault with a deadly weapon after he told police he had fired shots at a residence in the vicinity of Fourth and Ave. H.

Riley James Odom gave both a written and verbal confession stating that he fired shots into a home occupied by Abel and Aaron Reyna.

According to sheriff's reports, Reyna denied any knowledge of who the shooter might be, and shell casings were found in a vacant lot just north of the residence. After further investigations, deputies found out the incident actually occurred at the Post RV Park located in the 1400 block of CR 185 in Garza County.

Odom was arrested and transported to Garza County Jail, where he later confessed to the shooting.

Bond amount was not listed on the offense report.



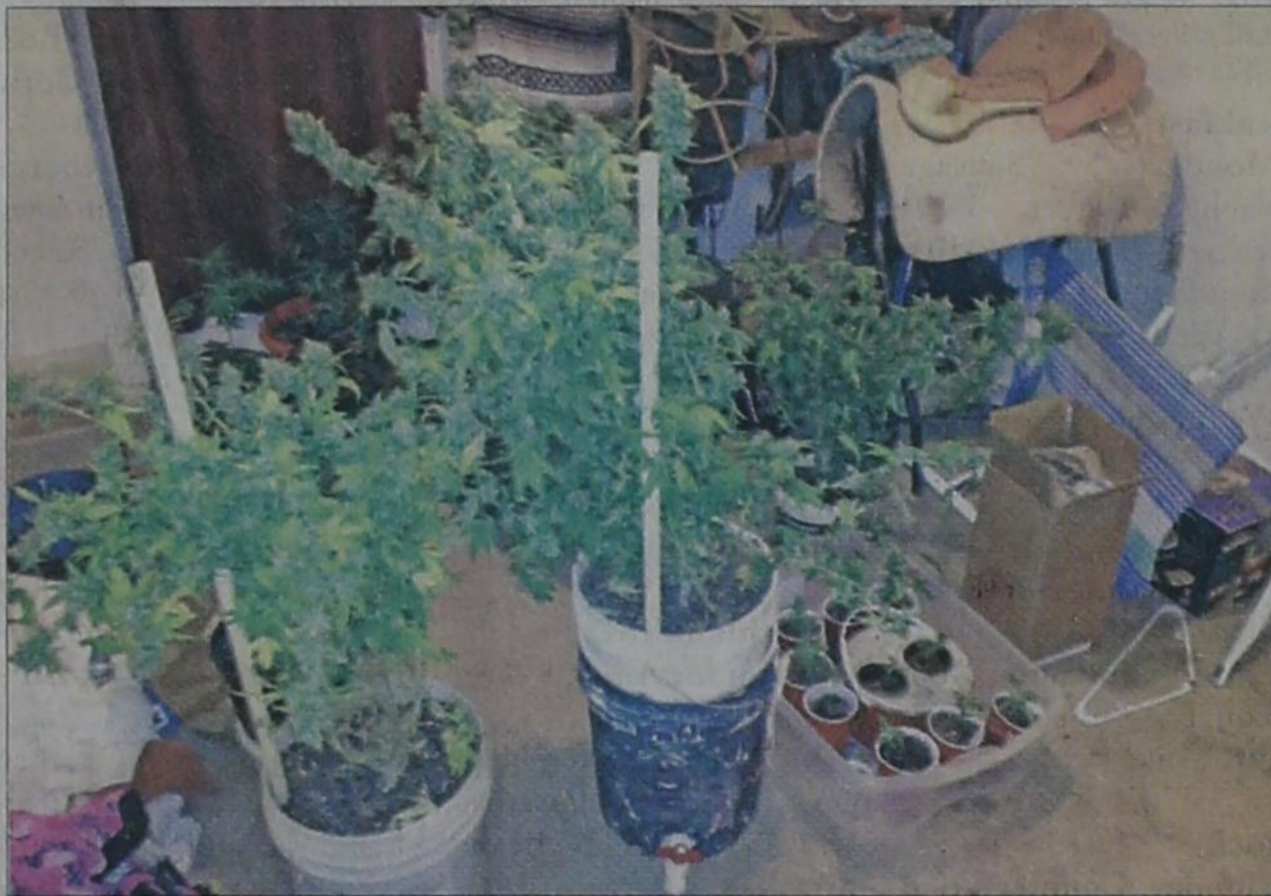
KLINT FLUITT



JULIA HADDERTON



RILEY ODOM



Marijuana plants in various stages of growth were confiscated by the Garza County Sheriff deputies while serving a search warrant in Post recently. More than three pounds were collected, along with other various drug paraphernalia. Two individuals were arrested and charged in the incident.

Photo by the Garza County Sheriff's Department

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Meet the Lopes

Meet the Lopes will be Thursday August 21st at the Jimmy Redman Stadium. Ice cream will be served at 6:30pm and Meet the Lopes starts at 7:30. We are asking that all moms of 7-12th graders bring a gallon of homemade or store bought ice cream by 6:20pm please!

Booster Club

The next meeting of the Post Booster Club Meeting will be on Aug. 25th at 6:30 at the Post High School Library.

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Corrections

If you spot an error of fact, contact Editor Kent Mahoney at thepostcitydispatch@gmail.com.

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Teachers treated to appreciation dinner by local civic club, bank

By Kent Mahoney
Post Dispatch

POST – Family, faith and being a part of something bigger than yourself was the theme at the Post Lion's Club annual Post Teacher Appreciation Dinner, sponsored in conjunction with Centennial Bank, held Tuesday night at the district's cafeteria.

Dr. Brent Richburg, executive director of technology and informational

systems with Plainview ISD spoke to a crowd of about 90 people, including teachers, family and fiends.

Richburg called the group a "family of educators" and expounded on a triad of topics, not of least of which was being a part of a larger, almost worldwide group.

"You are part of something bigger than yourself," he said. "You are entrusted with the most pre-

cious resource. You make a difference."

He also touched on family as being part of the success. "Tell your spouse you love them and treat them that way," he said.

Faith was not to be forgotten, as that is the foundation on which everything is built.

"Build a foundation more than men," he said. "Don't forget your roots."

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Dr. Brent Richburg, Executive Director of Technology and Informational Systems at Plainview ISD, speaks at the annual Lion's Teacher/Staff Appreciation dinner for Post ISD. About 90 people, including teacher, support staff and administrators were present for the event.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

Smokin in the Park kicks off this weekend

From Staff Reports

POST – The Fourth Annual Smokin in the Park barbecue cook off, sponsored by the Post Rotary Club, will take place this weekend at the Post City Park.

Teams will be pulling in as early as Thursday and Friday and the Rotary Club will be selling BBQ sandwich plates on Friday evening from 6-8 p.m. and during the day on Saturday for as long as the plates last. First come, first served.

The Cadillac Jack Band will be performing for your entertainment while food is being served.

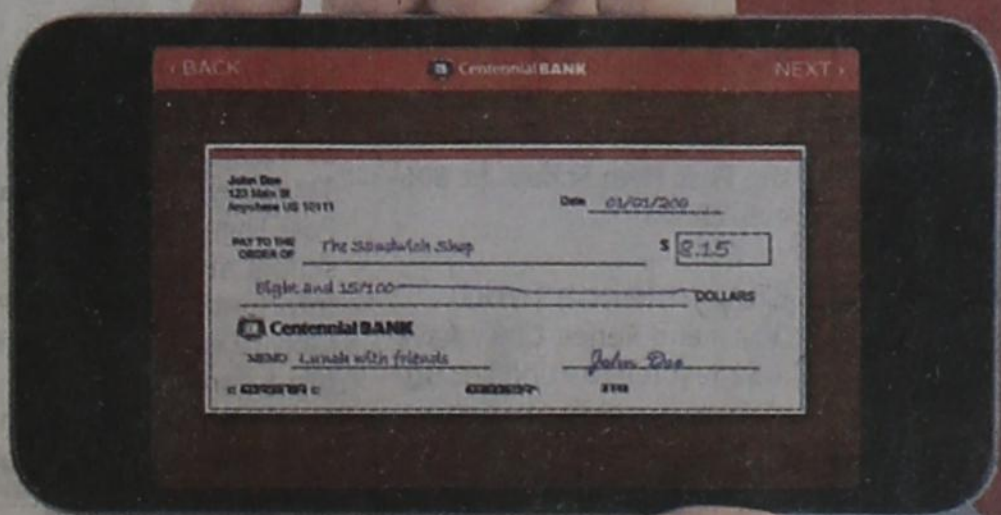
The State Championship event is sanctioned by the Lonestar Barbecue Society. Judging will take place on Saturday beginning at 10:30 a.m. Award winners will be announced at 4 p.m.

Payouts will be in categories of brisket, pork spare ribs and half chickens. There will be grand champions and reserve champions in each category. Payout will go to the top 10 places.

The Lubbock Vet Center and the Taylor County Mobile Vet Center (Abilene) will provide outreach services to Veterans and eligible dependents about Vet Center services at this event.

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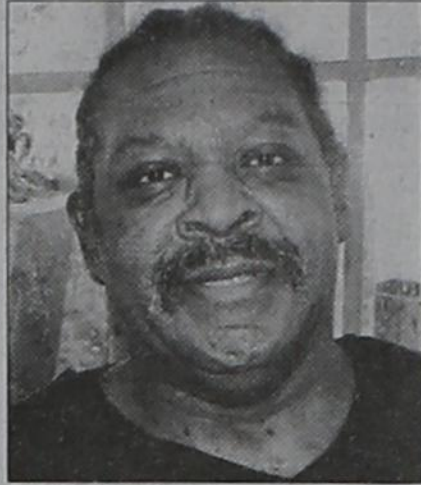
Thanks For Reading!

Deaths

Deloise (Dan) Reed

Deloise (Dan) Reed was born in Lamar County on March 9, 1950. He went home to be with the Lord on August 15, 2014 at 8:35 AM. Services were Tuesday, August 19, 2014 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church with Rev. Arthur Kelly officiating. Burial in Terrace Cemetery was under the direction of Hudman Funeral Home.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Bill and Alberta Reed, one brother: W. M. (Dutch)



DELOISE REED

Reed and two sisters, Eddie Mae Reed and Viola Humphrey. He leaves to cherish his loving memory two daughters:

Shannon and Tammy Reed both of Lubbock, four sisters: Dora Williams and Dorothy Pringler both of Post, Anna Bennett of Oklahoma City and Dorothy Sue Griffins of San Diego, Ca, three brothers: Harold Ray Reed of Dallas, Bill H. Reed of Post and Charles Reed of Lubbock, seven grandchildren, three great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Menus

PISD Menu August 25-29

Breakfast

Monday: Sausage Kolache, Yogurt, Fruit Juice or Fresh Fruit, Milk
Tuesday: Cheese Omelette Wrap, Fruit Juice or Fresh Fruit, Milk
Wednesday: Breakfast Pizza, Fruit Juice or Fresh Fruit, Milk
Thursday: Waffles, Sausage, Fruit Juice or Fresh Fruit, Milk
Friday: Cinnamon Roll, Bacon, Fruit Juice or Fresh Fruit, Milk

Lunch

Monday: Country Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes w/gravy, Savory Green Beans, Strawberry Cup, Milk
Tuesday: Beef and Cheese Chalupas, Salsa, Garden Salad, Refried

Beans, Applesauce, Milk
Wednesday: Pizza Choice, Garden Salad, Baby Carrots, Apple Slices, Milk
Thursday: Soft Beef Tacos, Charro Beans, Tortilla Chips, Seasoned Corn, Salsa, Orange Smiles, Milk
Friday: Popcorn Chicken, Cucumber Slices, Sweet Potato Fries, Sliced Peaches, Milk

Southland ISD Lunch Menu for Aug. 25-29

Monday: Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Green Beans, Strawberry Cup, Milk
Tuesday: Chicken Quesadillas, Garden Salad, Refried Beans, Applesauce, Milk
Wednesday: Pizza, Garden Salad, Apple Slices, Milk

Thursday: Soft Beef Tacos, Seasoned Corn, Orange Smiles, Milk
Friday: Cheeseburgers, Zesty Cucumbers, Sweet Potato Fries, Sliced Peaches, Milk

Trailblazers Menu for August 25-29

Monday: Baked Ham, Dressing, Candied Yams, Pumpkin Crunch, Roll
Tuesday: Frito Pie Potato Wedges, Peanut Butter, Cup
Wednesday: Chicken Spaghetti, Veggies, Fruit Salad, Garlic Toast
Thursday: Taco Salad, Spanish Rice, Beans, Cookies
Friday: Chicken Fried Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Pea Salad, Fruit, Wheat Roll

Yesteryears

10 yrs ago

An architectural firm was hired Aug. 10 as Post Independent School District officials gear up for one of the largest construction projects the district has undertaken in years. During their regular August meeting, tapped the SHW Group of Fort Worth to serve as architect for the construction of new cafeteria and high school facilities. Superintendent Marlin Marcum said SHW Group, the premier school architectural firm in the state, has experience working with West Texas schools, with ongoing projects in Plainview and the Frenship Independent School District.

20 yrs ago

C.W. Post was not a person that overlooked even the smallest detail when planning and building his town. Late one night in 1909 the subject of fire was brought to his attention again. Several participants of a late night pool game were on their way home when they spotted a fire. Thanks to a barrel of water and a pail it was extinguished without much damage. In August of 1909 two volunteer fire departments (VFD) were formed. One for married men and one for single men. To go along with the volunteer fire departments C.W. Post sent down a hand cart, hose and hydrant, which remained effective and intact until 1910.

30 yrs ago

Meeting in their new chambers for the first time, City Council members held a meeting Monday night to discuss the budget and set new water rates. The City has had to subsidize the sewer, sanitation and water department with \$65,000 tax money and after having studied other towns the size of Post, it was determined that Post had had the lowest rates for the last several years.

40 yrs ago

The Garza County Commissioners Court opened two bids Monday on remodeling of the district courtroom, but awarded no contract pending efforts at another meeting this coming Monday to cut something out of the project to reduce the low bid. Two bids were received for approximately \$32,000 and \$36,000. Architect estimates were for a bid between \$28,000 and \$30,000.

50 yrs ago

Lightening, striking out of an otherwise welcome thunderstorm, is believed to have set the large brick home of J.A. (Jess) Propst afire, two miles west of Graham, about 4:15 p.m. yesterday. Actual fire damage was confined to the den, but there was extensive damage throughout the house. The Post Volunteer Fire Department answered the call, but most of the flames were reported extinguished by the time they arrived. Farmers in the area used a garden hose to fight the blaze.



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Survey results

Organizers from the Post Endowment Foundation held a community survey over the course of the last month and the results are in. A meeting has been set up for Aug. 26 at the Post ISD cafeteria from 4 to 6 p.m. A Colorado firm who specializes in determining the best ways to distribute funds of this nature conducted the survey and in a way that maximizes the helpfulness to the community.

Church anniversary

The Church of the Nazarene is celebrating their 90th year. If you have attended the local church at sometime in their history, you are cordially invited to attend a celebration Sunday, Aug. 24, at 11 a.m. District Superintendent of the West Texas, Dr. David Downs will be the guest speaker. A reception will follow. For more information, please call 806-495-3044.

Season Tickets

Post Bold Gold Antelope Football Season tickets are now on sale. Please contact the Post High School at 806-495-2770

Benevolence fund

Dusty and Renee Clary have a Benevolence Fund set up at Centennial Bank. For more information contact Marie Odom 806-495-4757.

New Art Exhibit

The OS Museum has opened a new exhibit titled "Magnificent Works of Art Gathered Around the World"

featuring the wood artistry of John Christopher White. Viewing hours are 10 a.m. to noon and 1 to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday at the museum located at 201 E. Main. The exhibit closes Sept. 27. For more information, call the office at 806-495-3570.

Flag Sales

The Post Lions Club is renting American Flags during the seven major Flag days in 2014 for \$30 for their PHS Senior Scholarship fund. The Lions will put in a flag holder and put the flags out during the year. Contact any Lion or President Jason Porter, Vice-President Chuck Ratliff or Secretary/Treasurer Byron Garrison.

Pictures, stories needed

Original pictures and family history and stories related to Graham Community are needed to prepare a community history book. Pictures will be scanned and sent back immediately to the return address provided. Please mail to Jane Mason, 109 Ridge Road, Post, Tx. 79356 or email to janemason301@yahoo.com.

GED classes

Free instructional sessions for the GED test are 5 to 8 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays in Room 18 at Post High School. Call the school at 495-2770 for information. The Post Public Library website now offers life-learning resources for GED test preparation, job search and workplace skills. Visit wtl.s.tl.state.tx.us/pplib to register. For information, contact librarian Peggy Ashley at 990-2149.

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Local Street Art -- Sit a Spell



Audree Williams of Post painted this "Sit a Spell in Post" offering. She is a student at West Texas A&M in Canyon.

Photo by Kent Mahoney



Mary Ezell of Snyder is the painter of this chair depicting wild horses.



David Norman of Post painted this chair with the Bryne's Smiles logo on it.



These two chairs sitting on the corner of Main Street and Ave I were painted by David Leake of Lubbock (left) and Angeline Collier of Post.



These chairs are sitting at the corner of Main Street and Ave. H and were painted by Kathryn Flanagan (left) of Lubbock and Sharon Trusty of Lubbock.

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The Paperboy As the world burns

Regarding the riots in Ferguson, Missouri, in which an unarmed black teenager was shot and killed by a white police officer:

This is not an opinion of right or wrong, it's simply an observation with a few questions.

In the inner-city, would it not be prudent to have a proportionate number of black police officers?



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Also, is there not a way to use non-lethal ammunition? I understand that if someone is armed, they could potentially shoot you and kill you, but in this world of technology, there must be a way to patrol the inner-city while being able to actually gain the public trust. Non-lethal ammunition might help in this regard.

I certainly don't envy police officers ... anywhere

around the country ... especially after such a tragedy. Law enforcement is now on edge in cities which could erupt in violence. It certainly would not be the first time.

I'm praying for the people in that community. I pray they find peace and that leadership provides the answers they are seeking.

The Islamic State is telling us, "We will drown all of you in blood."

This is the group trying to seize control of Iraq.

I think it's pretty clear what the intentions of Islamic extremists are. They want to convert or kill Jews and Christians and claim the planet for Islam.

Is there any reason to candy-coat this fact? At some point, hopefully not in my lifetime, we are going to see another world war. I just don't see the hostilities toward Israel and Christian

nations ending peacefully until one side wins.

I've often wondered why peaceful Muslims, which are in the vast majority, refuse to speak out against the violence towards Christians and Jews. It finally occurred to me that doing so is a death sentence for that individual or group.

It is going to take a great deal of leadership, strong allies, diplomacy and a very big stick to win this war. And make no mistake - it is a war.

Sometimes it's hard to watch the news, assuming you are getting an accurate portrayal of what is actually happening around the world.

Both at home and abroad, we are living in very dangerous times.

We have border issues and civil unrest in this country and if you look at other continents, there is unrest worldwide.

We don't hear much from European or Asian leaders and we don't seem to have much leadership from anyone here at home.

I'm afraid this world will remain unstable until people emerge that are less concerned with popularity and more concerned with results. And with that said, those types of leaders do not seem readily available.

I suppose time will tell, but around here, our politicians are much more concerned with winning elections and getting rich than doing the greater good.

And without a media to hold people's feet to the fire, there is not much incentive to do the right thing.

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The 501 School Days, Skull Days

If you think you'd like to be on a school board, sit through some tedious meetings before you get on the ballot. There are easier ways to satisfy a desire to serve and to experience the power of an elected position.



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I've probably racked up more long hours at school board meetings than most school board members. Not by choice. It's what reporters do. We attend meetings. I've observed that the job of school trustee ain't easy.

So, seeing large skull motifs among the design choices for back-to-school backpacks hanging on racks and walls in major retail shopping venues made me think about the complexities of school attire and accessories from various viewpoints, school board included.

Student's perspective first:

If I were a male adolescent and I had to choose a new school backpack, I might opt for the brand named "Mojo" with a big human skull featuring a curved zipper between upper and lower teeth. How cool is it to walk down the hall with a larger-than-death skull on your back? Pretty cool.

If my mother nixed the choice, then I'd go for one offered by Hawk, a competing brand that offers a more subtle design, albeit with skulls. You just have to look closely to see they're woven in with skateboards and stuff. Only the pickiest parent would inspect the pattern closely enough to detect the macabre touch.

If I were a school board member tasked

with school policies regarding attire, I might be hitting myself in the head and saying, "We forgot to ban backpacks with skulls when we wrote this year's dress policy."

On the other hand, maybe human skulls are OK on campus. Now that the Goth fad is passé - seen any Goths lately? I didn't think so - morbid themes have automatically undergone the sort of sanitation that occurs when the serious practitioners of a bizarre fad live long enough to see their distinctive style appropriated by the designers of fashion for the masses, especially the younger masses. Not that skulls are necessarily Goth (unless they have fangs), but you probably get my drift.

What's more, maybe skulls have always been OK at school. Maybe I'm the only one fretting. I really don't remember skulls every coming up at any school board meeting in policy manual discussions when lengths for hair and shorts and skirts have been at issue. Am I a prophet with neither cause nor audience? So be it.

Parent's perspective last:

Mothers tend to be in charge of back-to-school shopping excursions. I've never been a mother, but I had one. Not that we had backpacks when I was in school, but if I'd wanted one with a skull would she have let me make that choice?

Maybe. But first she would have recounted her design philosophy. She was against all designs that are fetching at first glance but in time grow tiresome. In her unwritten policy manual, human skulls would have fallen in the same category as flowerly wallpaper. Tiresome.

Mother was right.

Out and About in Close City

BY Nancy Morris

Here is another story from the book *Walking Backwards in the Wind* by Helen Mangum Fields. I find this book very interesting.

The community churches in Ragtown held revivals every August. They were scheduled to last a week but could last longer if enough money was collected to make it worth the evangelist's time to prolong his stay. The revivals were given plenty of advance notice through posters nailed to telephone poles and fence posts along county roads and on the front window of Mr. Parrish's general store at Ragtown. Farmers and their wives were looking forward to a diversion away from the hard work in the fields. For a week or more everyone would dress up and go to these revivals. A

week of social gatherings was frowned upon by the clergy but it was okay to attend revivals as they served a purpose. As long as there were crowds at the revivals and money in the collection plate, everyone was happy.

The evangelist and his song leader were expected to be housed by the host minister. The pastor's wife would feed them breakfast but it fell upon the ladies of the congregation to provide the other two meals each day. There were two churches in Ragtown, the Baptist and the Church of Christ. There had been a Methodist church but the membership dwindled until it was eventually disbanded. The Baptist members did not attend the Church of Christ revivals nor did the Church of Christ attend the Baptist revivals. The Methodist member attended both as did other denomination members who did not have a church

home. The only difference between the two meetings was the setting. The Church of Christ held their revival in a tent outside and the Baptist held theirs in the church building.

The song leader led us in songs such as *When The Roll Is Called Up Yonder* and *The Old Rugged Cross*. After the singing was over the offering plate would be passed around. The evangelist preached a long, scary, condemning, pleading sermon, designed to convince us we were hopeless, lost sinners. After the sermon was over and the Amen was said, the social part began. Women put out invitations to their quiltings, exchanged news and gossip. The men talked farm conditions and politics. The kids played and got into fights. The young folk continued their romancing.

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Grace Baptist Church- 820 N. Avenue S- 990-3497
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Temple Bautista- 315 W. Main
Trinity Baptist Church- 915 N. Ave O, 990-3038

Catholic
Holy Cross Catholic Church- Ave K and Main Street- 495-2791

Church of Christ
Church of Christ- 108 N. Ave M 495-2326
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Church of God
Church of God of Prophecy- 602 W. 14th, 495-3644
Power House Church of God and Christ, Pine Avenue

Disciples of Christ
First Christian Church- 812 W. 13th, 495-3716

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First United Methodist Church- 216 W. 10th, 990-2942
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Nazarene
Post Church of Nazarene- (Pastor: Charles Gibson) 202 W. 10th, 495-3044
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Tips for dove hunters this season

Dove hunting is a tradition for many Texas hunters and their families, and they won't be disappointed this hunting season even if the drought continues substantially in some parts of the state, according to wildlife biologists. Every year, about 250,000 mourning dove hunters harvest 5 million mourning doves in Texas — making the Lone Star State the nation's leader in both the number of hunters and harvest.

This year should be no exception. The 2014-2015 Texas dove season begins Sept. 1 in the North and Central Zones and on Sept. 19 in the South Zone. The daily bag limit statewide is 15 and the possession limit is 45. Remember that in addition to a valid hunting license, a Migratory Game Bird endorsement and Harvest Information Program (HIP) certification are also required to hunt dove.

HIP certification involves a brief survey of previous year's migratory bird hunting success and is conducted at the time licenses are purchased. Hunters can find detailed information in the Outdoor Annual.

Brush up on dove season basics with this brief video describing zones, split seasons, bag and possessions limits,

license requirements and more for 2014. Although drought may lead to a decrease in dove populations, it may have the reverse impact on hunting success.

Doves will congregate in areas of seed and water availability during early fall, so hunting success can increase in areas that provide both food and water and decrease at hunting spots that do not.

Read the full dove forecast in *Texas Hunting* 2014.

Here are two tips to help keep everyone safe and the dove population plentiful:

Avoid swinging on game.

One of the most frequent ways that accidents occur, especially when taking aim at dove.

Identify your zones of fire and stay within them once game is within range. Share this video with your hunting buddies and new hunters before you head into the field.

Check harvested doves for bands and report them. Leg banding is part of ongoing research and population management that helps make the most of hunting license dollars. Please report bands to the toll-free number 1-800-327-BAND (2263) or online at www.reportband.gov.

Netters take Knox in 3

By Kent Mahoney
Post Dispatch

POST — The Lady Lopes moved their early season record to 3-1 after action on Monday and Tuesday against Aspermont and Knox City.

Post took three straight from Knox City, 25-17, 35-17 and 25-14. The Lady Lopes were in control the entire match.

"Our attitude is everything," said coach Jennifer Petersen. "We were a different team tonight."

Petersen was alluding to the difference in play from Monday's loss to Aspermont and Tuesday's win at home.

"We seemed more relaxed tonight," she said. "We had more action with hits from the back row. I saw a lot of improvement with the way we try to hit the ball."

Post jumped out to a 7-2 lead early and never really looked back. KC never got closer than six points the rest of the game.

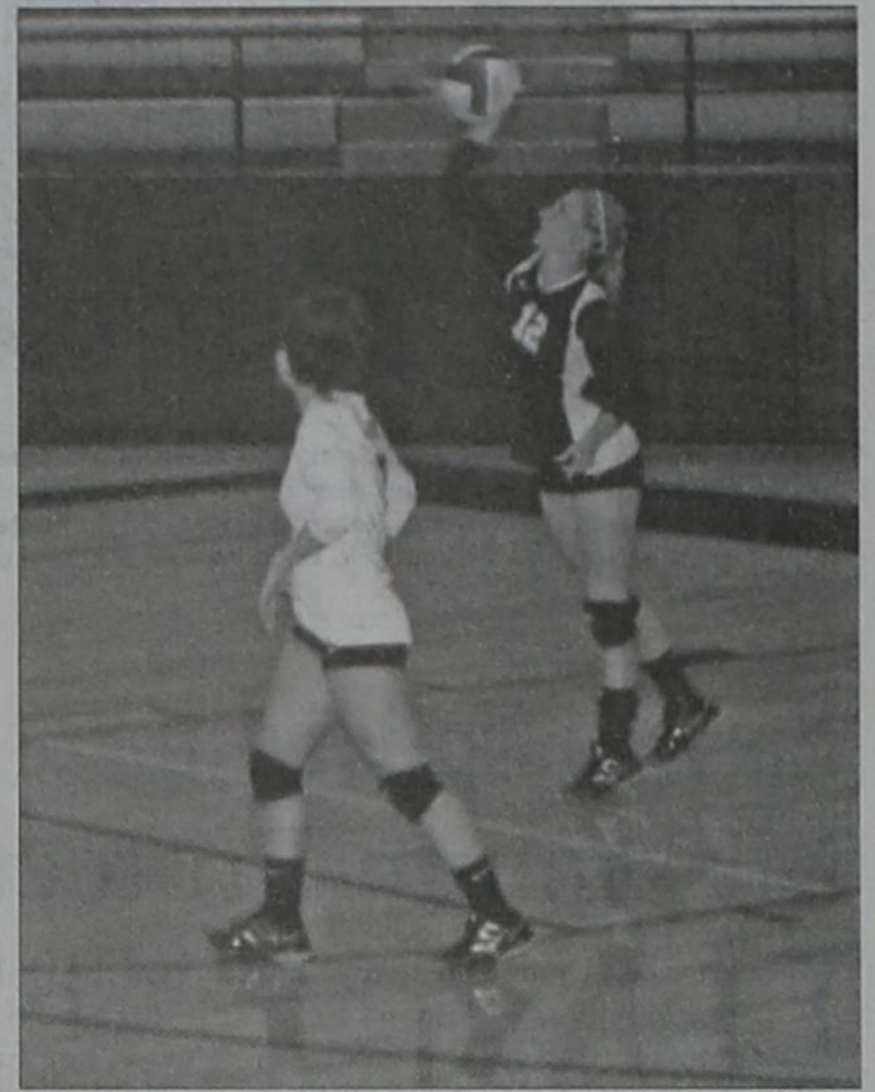
Game two was a study in contrast as Knox City stayed with Post most of the game, but seemed to lose their steam with the score tied at 14.

Post had kills from Lauren Record, Kelbie Oden and Callie Odom, who started the rally with a kill at 17-16 for the Lady Lopes. Someone in the stands remarked, "The smallest player on Post just had the biggest hit," referring to Odom's cross-court spike.

Post jumped out to an 11-2 lead in the third game of the set with service aces from Oden and Yvette Armendariz.

KC battled back to 8-16, but Post kept the pressure on to finish the match in a team victory.

Post lost Monday to Aspermont in three sets 24-26, 22-25 and 18-25, but



Lady Lope Kelbie Oden serves one of her aces during a match with Knox City Tuesday night at Post's Antelope Arena. The Lady Lopes moved to 3-1 on the season after defeating KC in three straight games.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

gained some insight about themselves.

"They have a big middle hitter—a go-to girl," Petersen said. "As she goes, so goes Aspermont."

According to Petersen, Post had problems with communications and just let the ball hit the floor at times.

"They lost to Aspermont last year," she said. "I think had we been on top of our game and not lost serve at times, we could have had this one."

Looking forward, Post travels to Littlefield this weekend, taking part in the first tournament of the season.

Post will have pool play Friday with Levelland, Lubbock Christian and Friona. Based on their round-robin play, teams will be split into gold, silver and bronze bracket play on Saturday.

In sub-varsity action, the Lady Lopes JV stayed undefeated at 4-0 with wins over Aspermont and Knox City.

In Monday's match, Post won 25-12, 20-15, 15-9. Quincy Quintana led the team with nine points followed by Victoria Gutierrez with seven.

Daisha Greathouse had six kills followed by Ana Ruiz with four.

Post defeated Knox City, dropping the first game 27-25, but roared back with 26-24 and 25-18 wins.

Quintana led with five points and Greathouse had seven kills.

The freshmen Lady Lopes dropped to 0-2 on the season with a 23-25, 10-25 match loss to Knox City. Individual stats are not kept at freshmen games.

All teams will be in action again on Monday as they host Tulia.

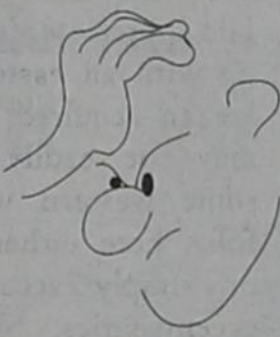
Cryptogram

A cryptogram is a puzzle where a sentence is encoded by substituting the actual letters of the sentence with different letters. The challenge of the puzzle is to 'decode' the sentence to reveal the original English sentence. We have provided a few of the decoded letters to help get you started.

Hint: Quote by Ernest Hemmingway

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Puzzle of the Week

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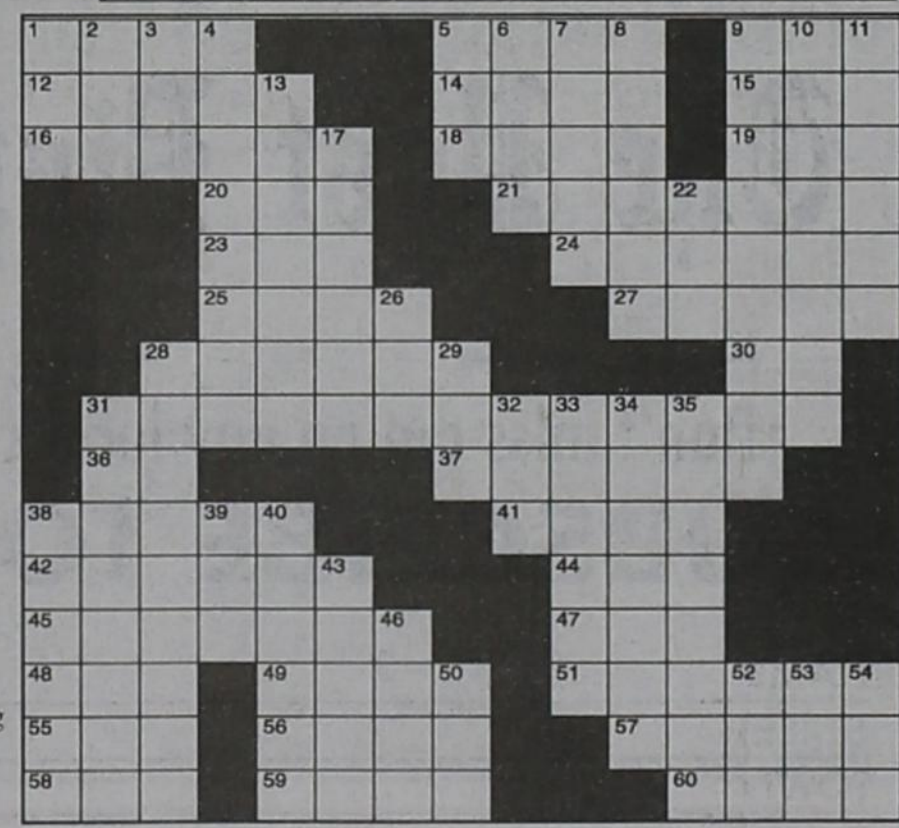
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9. What part of (abbr.)
12. Mayhem
14. One of the Algonquian people
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16. Two-dimensional
18. Phonograph recording
19. ___ Angeles
20. Toronto Port Authority
21. Pharmacist
23. A paranormal ability
24. Blood-sucking African fly
25. A dog of mixed breed
27. Window latches (Brit.)
28. Assuredness
30. Atomic #27
31. Charlie Rose on PBS is one
36. Physician's moniker
37. Am. Revolutionary loyalists
38. Volcanic craters
41. S. Pakistan region along Indus river
42. Related on the father's side
44. A strong pull
45. The lightest metal known
47. Point midway between E and SE
48. Black tropical American cuckoo
49. Having an outer covering
51. Scan words again
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56. Beano
57. Saponaceous
58. Equal (prefix)
59. Soluble ribonucleic acid
60. St. Paul's architect Christopher

CLUES DOWN

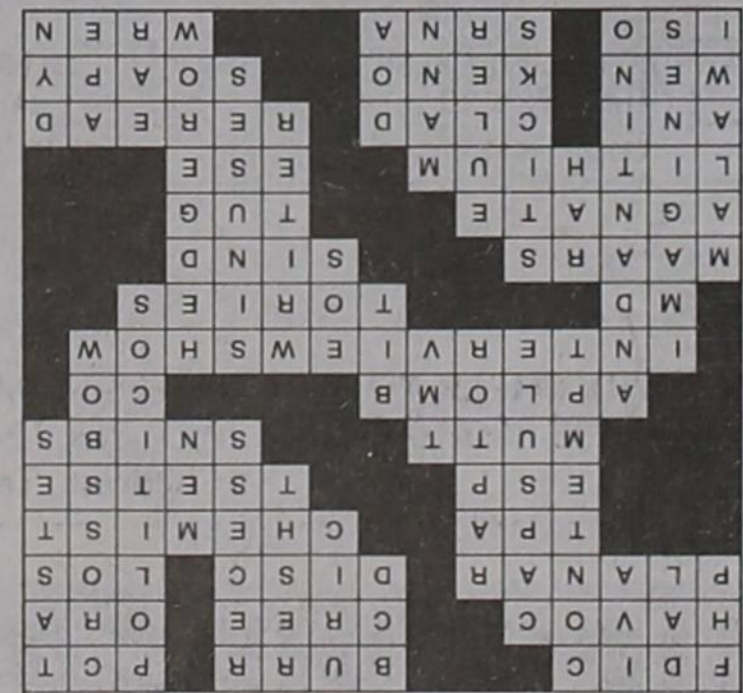
1. Frictional horsepower
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3. Marsh elder
4. Derision
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7. N.W. Iranian city
8. A space set back or indented
9. Ones active in party politics
10. Triggered arrow weapon
11. Gustatory perceptions
13. Gelatine case for medicine

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

POST DISPATCH



PUZZLE SOLUTION





The Post branch of the People's Bank had their Grand Opening last week, where over 100 people attended. Pictured in the ribbon cutting are (from left to right) Jason Ballou, Larry Allen, Kay Wallace, Blake Boyd, Keith Williams, David Foster, Charles Hardin, Rosa Latimer, Raquel Britton, and Lisa Kirkpatrick. Food was served and door prizes handed out, including a Leti cooler.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

Fifteen years and counting

By Ron Smith
Special to the Post Dispatch

The last 15 years have been the most rewarding of my career. And I'm not done yet. Let's celebrate another milestone. August marks the 15th year I've attempted to serve Southwest farmers and ranchers through the pages of Southwest Farm Press. Some might ask, "Where did the time go?" Others might counter with, "Are you still here?" I am. And I must say the last 15 years have been the most rewarding of my career. And I'm not done yet. From day one, I felt at home. I attribute much of that welcoming attitude to the some 28 years of groundwork performed by former editor Calvin Pigg. Southwest Farm Press was well respected and as part of the staff I benefitted from that reputation. I hope I've done little to besmirch that credibility over the last 15 years. I do appreciate y'all putting up with an easterner. We are an acquired taste and may not readily adapt to some western ways. But folks here either ignored or simply accepted my eccentricities. No one ever made me wear those pointy-toed boots on my non-pointy-toed feet. I bought one pair. My feet hurt. I have not been required to wear a ten-gallon hat on my four-

gallon noggin (though some might dispute the size of my head). No one said I had to buy a pickup truck, but I did anyway, two, so far, and I've rolled up a lot of miles on each of them. I've bounced across a lot of teeth-rattling dirt roads, been lost more times than I like to admit and have admired the scenery from Denton to the High Plains on countless occasions. I've been stopped for speeding too many times but fined only twice. Even the troopers are tolerant - mostly. South of Dallas the landscape is similar to the Southeast-rolling hills, a few woodlands and pastureland. The Valley and South Texas provide excellent options for wintertime stories as farmers take advantage of the milder winter climate to grow a variety of crops. I've found February to be an opportune time to visit the Weslaco or Harlingen areas and escape what can sometimes be a frigid month in North Texas. I've learned to enjoy the peculiar gait of roadrunners scampering out of mesquite thickets along the roadside, looking for bugs or small reptiles. And I love the sunsets, especially when a storm threatens and the clouds display hues from yellow, to orange to red to purple. Rainbows are rare, however. One sandstorm was enough.

The Far West Texas desert provides a stark, almost scary beauty. It's nice to look at but I wouldn't want to be stranded in it. East Texas and Southwest Oklahoma remind me of places I covered many years ago in the Carolinas and Georgia. Woodlands surround many farmsteads restricting field size. Pastureland typically is a bit greener because of usually higher annual rainfall. Southwest Oklahoma offers the surprise of a rock mountain thrusting upward from the mostly flat landscape. And New Mexico terrain varies from near desert near El Paso, to plains up around Hobbs and mountains near Santa Fe. I've found some good fishing holes; Lake Fork the Pecos, Blue River the flats off South Padre Island, and, my favorite Lower Mountain Fork at Broken Bow, Oklahoma. So, after 15 years, I feel more than fortunate to have had the opportunity to write about Southwest agriculture. Mostly, I feel fortunate to have met interviewed and become friends with the farmers and ranchers of the region. You are good folk. I love my job. Fifteen years? Time flies when you're having fun.

Ron Smith is a writer for the Southwest Farm Press and has a blog on their website.

Nancy's Notions Maximum Protection Facts

Last week I mentioned 'maximum' protection a few times referring to the car seat safety and recommended guidelines. CDC.gov's Injury Prevention site has loads of data to stress the importance of car seat safety. As most of you know, I like crunching numbers so this week I wanted to share statistics to back up the research.



NANCY MCDONALD

Facts. Motor vehicle injuries are a leading cause of death among children in the United States. Many of these deaths can be prevented. Buckling children in age and size appropriate car seats, booster seats, and seat belts reduces the risk of serious and fatal injuries:

*Car seat use reduces the risk for death to infants less than one year old by 71%; and to toddlers ages 1 to 4 years old by 54% in passenger vehicles.

*Booster seat use reduces the risk for serious injury by 45% for children aged 4-8 years when compared with seat belt use alone.

*For older children and adults, seat belt use reduces the risk for death and serious injury by approximately half.

How big is the problem? In the United States during 2011, more than 650 children ages 12 years and younger died as occupants in motor vehicle crashes and more than 148,000 were injured.

One CDC study found that, in one year, more than 618,000 children ages 0-12 rode in vehicles without the use of a child safety seat or booster seat or a seat belt at least some of the time.

Of the children who died in a crash in 2011, 33% were not buckled up.

What are the risk factors? Of the children who died in a crash, more of the older children, 45% of 8-12 year olds, were not buckled up compared with younger children, one-third of 1-7 year olds; one-fourth of infants under 1).

From 2001 to 2010, approximately 1 in 5 child passenger deaths under 15 years old, in the U.S. involved drunk driving; 65% of the time, it was the child's own driver that had been drinking.

Most child passengers of drunk drivers were not buckled up in the fatal crash.

Restraint use among young children often depends upon the driver's seat belt use. Almost 40% of children riding with unbelted drivers were themselves unrestrained.

Child restraint systems are often used incorrectly. One study found that 72% of nearly 3,500 observed car and booster seats were misused in a way that could be expected to increase a child's risk of injury during a crash.

How can injuries to children in motor vehicles be prevented? Based on strong evidence of effectiveness, the Community Preventive Services Task Force recommends car seat laws and education programs to increase restraint use and decrease injuries and deaths to child passengers.

A recent study of five states that increased the age requirement to 7 or 8 years for car seat/booster seat use found that the rate of children using car seats and booster seats increased nearly three times and the rate of children who sustained fatal or incapacitating injuries decreased by 17%.

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NOTICE OF 2014 TAX YEAR PROPOSED PROPERTY TAX RATE FOR CITY OF POST 2013

A tax rate of \$0.563239 per \$100 valuation has been proposed by the governing body of City of Post 2013.

PROPOSED TAX RATE	\$0.563239 per \$100
PRECEDING YEAR'S TAX RATE	\$0.552717 per \$100
EFFECTIVE TAX RATE	\$0.563239 per \$100

The effective tax rate is the total tax rate needed to raise the same amount of property tax revenue for City of Post 2013 from the same properties in both the 2013 tax year and the 2014 tax year.

YOUR TAXES OWED UNDER ANY OF THE ABOVE RATES CAN BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

$$\text{property tax amount} = (\text{rate}) \times (\text{taxable value of your property}) / 100$$

For assistance or detailed information about tax calculations, please contact:

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Dr. Brent Richburg, center, was the guest speaker at the Annual Lion's Club Teacher Appreciation Dinner held Tuesday night at Post ISD cafeteria. He is pictured with (from the left) Post Lion's Club President Jason Porter, Lion's District Second Vice Governor Jim Petty, Michael Crump of Centennial Bank, a sponsor of the event and Lion's Club Queen Mollie Burtch.

Photo by Kent Mahoney

DINNER

From Page 1

You need them more than every now."

Richburg remembers coming through Post as a child and commented on

the air quality, to which his "granny" informed him "it was the smell of money," he had encountered.

Other speakers on the bill were Michael Crump, representing Centennial Bank and District Lion's Second Vice District Governor Jim Petty.

Rounding out the event's activities were door prizes handed out by Lion's Queen Mollie Burtch and Kim Mills-Oller.

The Post Lion's Club meets on the first and third Thursday's of the month at the VFW Hall on East US Highway 380.

Early voting begins Monday

From Staff Reports

POST - Garza County Clerk Jim Plummer would like to remind county residents that early voting for the Special Election for State Senate District 28 begins Monday at 8 a.m. at the Garza County Court House.

Early voting goes from Aug. 25th until Sept. 5, with the exception of Labor Day, Sept. 1. The early polls are open from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. for all precincts.

Election Day polling will take place at the Post Community Center, 113 W. Main St. from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m. on Sept. 9th. This will also be a consolidated polling place.

Sample ballots and more election in-

formation can be found online at www.GarzaCounty.net.

State Rep. Charles Perry (R-Lubbock) heads a total of six candidates from the area on the ballot.

Other Republicans include Jodey Arrington, E.M Garza and Delwin Jones.

Former Sweetwater mayor, Democrat, Greg Wortham and Libertarian candidate Kerry Douglas McKennon round out the field.

The seat is vacant because Robert Duncan accepted the chancellor's position at Texas Tech University on July 3. Duncan defeated Garza for the in the Republican Primary in 2012, and then defeated M.J. Smith, a Libertarian, in the general election in that same year.

Texas Tech students prepare to 'Wreck 'Em' for football season

It's that time of year again when Red Raider voices billow from Jones AT&T Stadium. The crowd cheers as the Masked Rider rides across the field, the Texas Tech University fight song plays and the football team emerges onto the field pumped up for the first game of the season.

To help students get in the spirit, Texas Tech Athletics, Tech Activities Board and the Center for Campus Life will host a Wreck 'Em Rally on Saturday (Aug. 23) at Jones AT&T Stadium, featuring a message from Texas Tech head football coach Kliff Kingsbury, live music and movie night.

"As a part of Raider Welcome and a new student's first weekend at Texas Tech, we are excited to provide this event as a fun, free and safe opportunity for students to experience university spirit and traditions," said Amy Murphy, dean of students and managing director for Texas Tech's Center for Campus Life. "The first few weeks at a new university can be overwhelming. We want students to have access to unique experiences unlike anything they could participate in outside of their new school. What better place to hang out late at night than Jones AT&T Stadium surrounded by other Red Raider students excited for the upcoming school year."

A Texas Tech student I.D. is required for admission.

Wreck 'Em Rally schedule of events:

7-8:30 p.m., RaiderGate, R1 Parking Lot: The event kicks off with Texas Tech's official student tailgate, complete with inflatables, tailgate games, a DJ and Texas Tech's new StrEat food truck.

9-10:30 p.m., Jones Takeover, Jones AT&T Stadium: Students can enjoy free food and giveaways, and also have the chance to take pictures on the field.

10:30-11 p.m., Wreck 'Em Rally, Jones AT&T Stadium: Students will have the opportunity to learn game-day chants and traditions from the spirit squads, the Goin' Band from Raiderland, and hear from Kingsbury and Texas Tech head soccer coach Tom Stone.

11 p.m. - Midnight, Jason Boland and the Stragglers, Jones AT&T Stadium: The Texas Country band will perform a private concert for students.

Midnight - 2 a.m., Movie Night at the Jones, Jones AT&T Stadium: Wreck 'Em Rally will finish with the new movie release "Draft Day" on the Jones AT&T Stadium video board.

For more information, visit Texas Tech's Tech Activities Board website.

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Local youth attended vacation bible school at Calvary Baptist Church recently as one of at least three such offerings by local churches. The annual summertime VBS camps are a staple of activity for children of all ages.

Courtesy photo



Post High School coach and teacher, Michael Ramos dumps an ice water bucket on Mark Yarbrough, Lamb County district attorney Monday during Post ISD's inservice. Lamb visited PISD to speak to teachers and staff. This is just one of many bucket challenges for ALS (Lou Gehrig's Disease) rocketing around the country. Also pictured are Lubbock District Judge, Bill Sowder, Post Elementary Principal Staci Marts and 6th grade ELA teacher Kim Greer. According to social media reports, more than \$20 million has been raised this year by this challenge alone.

Photo by Lance Dunn

USDA notified producers on acreage history, yields

POST - Written notifications from USDA are underway to farmers that provide updates on their current base acres, yields and 2009-2012 planting history.

Please cross check the letter from USDA with your farm records. If the information is correct, no further action is needed at this time, but if our letter is incomplete or incorrect, contact your local FSA office as soon as possible.

Verifying the accuracy of data on a farm's acreage history is a required early step for enrolling in the upcoming Agriculture Risk Coverage (ARC) program and the Price Loss Coverage (PLC) program. Later this summer, farmers and ranchers will have an opportunity to update their crop yield information and reallocate base acres.

By mid-winter all producers on a farm will be required to make a one-time, unanimous and irrevocable election between price protection and county revenue protection or individual revenue protection for 2014-2018 crop years. Producers can expect to sign contracts for ARC or PLC for the 2014 and 2015 crop years in the spring of 2015.

Covered commodities include barley, canola, large and small chickpeas, corn, crumbe, flaxseed, grain sorghum, lentils, mustard seed, oats, peanuts, dry peas, rapeseed, long grain rice, medium grain rice (includes short grain rice and temperate japonica rice), safflower seed, sesame, soybeans, sunflower seed, and wheat. Upland cotton is no longer a covered commodity.

Post FFA members attend state convention



Post FFA officers attended the FFA state convention in July in Fort Worth, with more than 11,000 fellow members. Attending the convention were (front row, from the left) Callie Odom, Lauren Lynch and Jessi Isbell; (back row, from the left) Auggie Menchaca, Kevin Finch and Russ Morris.

Courtesy photo

FT. WORTH - Members of the Post FFA Chapter attended the 86th annual Texas FFA State Convention held July 14-18, here.

Attending the event were Post chapter president Callie Odom, vice president Jessi Isbell, secretary Russ Morris, reporter Lauren Lynch, treasurer Auggie Menchaca and sentinel Kevin Finch.

More than \$2 million in scholarships were awarded to FFA members and

more than 2,200 members received the Lone Star FFA degree, the highest degree of active membership bestowed by a state FFA association. Recipients were recognized on stage for their accomplishment.

Members also competed for state titles in public speaking and agriscience events. In the interest of premier leadership, personal growth and career success, the Texas FFA Association also

offered an opportunity for students to compete in the fourth annual Spanish Creed Speaking Invitational Event. The Creed delivery and the five-minute question and answer period were conducted entirely in Spanish.

More than 11,000 members and guests were attended the event. Texas FFA is the nation's largest with over 104,000 members in 1,045 local chapters.

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\$4,130* Total Savings

2014 Ford Explorer
#14107

Total Before Disc.	\$21,125
Sync & Sound Disc.	-\$490
MSRP	\$20,635
Retail Customer Cash	-\$2,000
Ford Credit Retail Cust. Cash	-\$1,000*
WM Discount	-\$640

Your Price: **\$16,995**

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Total Before Disc.	\$21,125
Sync & Sound Disc.	-\$490
MSRP	\$20,635
Retail Customer Cash	-\$2,000
Ford Credit Retail Cust. Cash	-\$1,000*
WM Discount	-\$640

Your Price: **\$16,995**

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\$4,130* Total Savings

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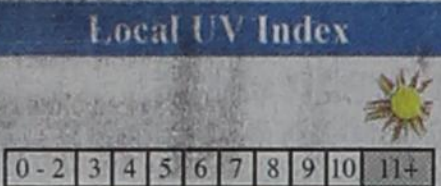
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0-2: Low, 3-5: Moderate, 6-7: High, 8-10: Very High, 11+: Extreme Exposure

Detailed Local Forecast

Today we will see mostly sunny skies with a high temperature of 95°, humidity of 38%. South wind 15 to 20 mph. The record high temperature for today is 103° set in 2010. Expect partly cloudy skies tonight with an overnight low of 69°. South wind 10 to 15 mph. The record low for tonight is 59° set in 1981. Saturday, skies will be mostly sunny with a high temperature of 96°, humidity of 40%. South southwest wind 10 to 15 mph. Skies will be partly cloudy Saturday night with an overnight low of 69°. South wind 10 to 15 mph.

Weather Trivia

What location in the world had the most rainfall in one year?

Answer: Cherrapunji, India had 1,042 inches of rain in 1861.

Peak Fishing/Hunting Times This Week

Day	Peak Times		Day	Peak Times	
	AM	PM		AM	PM
Fri	9:33-11:33	10:03-12:03	Tue	12:58-2:58	12:28-2:28
Sat	10:18-12:18	10:48-12:48	Wed	1:41-3:41	1:11-3:11
Sun	11:02-1:02	11:32-1:32	Thu	2:24-4:24	1:54-3:54
Mon	11:45-1:45	---			

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Weather History

Aug. 22, 1987 - A cold front lowered temperatures 20 to 40 degrees across the north central United States and produced severe thunderstorms in Ohio and Lower Michigan. A thunderstorm near Sydney, Mich. produced high winds that spun a car around 180 degrees.

Aug. 23, 1933 - The Chesapeake-Potomac hurricane moved over Norfolk, Va. and Washington D.C. A tide seven feet above normal flooded businesses in Norfolk. Damage in Maryland was estimated at 17 million dollars.

Sun/Moon Chart This Week

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Moonrise	Moonset
New 8/25	Fri 7:13 a.m.	8:22 p.m.	4:41 a.m.	6:30 p.m.
	Sat 7:14 a.m.	8:21 p.m.	5:34 a.m.	7:07 p.m.
	Sun 7:15 a.m.	8:20 p.m.	6:27 a.m.	7:42 p.m.
	Mon 7:15 a.m.	8:18 p.m.	7:20 a.m.	8:15 p.m.
First 9/2	Tue 7:16 a.m.	8:17 p.m.	8:13 a.m.	8:48 p.m.
	Wed 7:17 a.m.	8:16 p.m.	9:06 a.m.	9:20 p.m.
	Thu 7:17 a.m.	8:15 p.m.	10:00 a.m.	9:53 p.m.

Last Week's Almanac & Growing Degree Days

Date	High	Low	Normals	Precip	Farmer's Growing Degree Days	
Date	Degree Days		Date	Degree Days		
8/12	91	65	91/67	0.00"	8/12	28
8/13	95	64	91/67	0.00"	8/16	32
8/14	95	69	91/67	0.00"	8/17	32
8/15	99	70	90/66	0.13"	8/18	28
8/16	97	66	90/66	0.00"	8/15	34
8/17	96	67	90/66	0.00"		
8/18	93	63	90/66	0.00"		

Growing degree days are calculated by taking the average temperature for the day and subtracting the base temperature (50 degrees) from the average to assess how many growing days are attained.

Kent's Korner

Are you ready for some football

Last Friday was the first scrimmage for the Post football team against Brownfield. The experience was electrifying.

I've not covered sports in a little more than a decade, focusing on news and management.

It felt good to get back in the press box and watch some athletes hone their skills.

It was a little more challenging than I had anticipated as none of the Lopes were wearing jersey numbers.

I'm sure some of the fans could pick out the players by their style or maybe with the type of cleats they were wearing.

And I'm not complaining. I know a lot of coaches who do this to ward off advance scouts from learning too much about the Lopes.

From what I could figure out, Post had their bright spots early on, but it seemed fatigue settled in as the night wore on. But that's to be expected at some level.

By the time you read this, the Meet the Lopes night will have come and gone. But if you happen to pick this up on Thursday, come on out to the stadium and see what the Lopes have to offer.

I had a really nice note from Naomi Matsler about a visit from her grandson.

She writes: I had a very nice visit with my grandson, Tim Sears and his lovely wife, Jamie these past few days. They are from Missouri. This was Jamie's first time to come to Texas. We had a good time visiting with all of the family members in our area. They enjoyed seeing the interesting places here in Post.

Jamie was very impressed with the pump jacks. She took several pictures of them. They both enjoyed seeing the wind turbans especially at night with the red lights along Hwy 84 as they drove in late Monday night. Tim has not been here in five years.

Have to love those folks from Missouri.

I received some late news from the University of Houston about a former Post HS graduate.

Benny Zhuang, a University of Houston (UH) architecture major and resident of Post, was among more than 6,500 students who made the dean's list in the spring 2014 semester.

I believe Zhuang's parents still reside here. Congrats, Benny. Keep up the good work.

Smokin in the Park is this weekend. Come on out to the Post City Park and get ya some BBQ as long as the plates last.

And finally, be sure to pick up next week's paper and tell all your friends and neighbors to do, too.

Next week will be the first (of many to come) Fall Sports Preview special section.

I have been burning the midnight oil for a few nights in the past week to pull this all together.

Consider it my gift to the community. For as much work that goes into a proposition as this, I really enjoy doing something for the athletes that get their team pics, names and schedules in the paper.

In the same edition, I plan to do some team reviews to kick off the fall sports season. We will begin with football for Post and Southland and present previews for volleyball and cross-country in the following weeks.

I have maintained over the years that next to Ann Landers, sports in the second most read page in the paper. Of course some of my cohorts would disagree. But I truly believe that a major part of a community's identity is their high school sports program, especially football.

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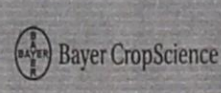


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2014 Southland Eagle Football Roster

#	Hgt.	Weight	Year	Name	Position
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3	5-7	160	10	Walker Booth	RB/LB
6	5-8	145	9	Christian Sanchez	RB/E
7	5-6	140	9	Israel Guerra	RB/LB
9	5-10	160	12	Zaron Garza	E/S
10	5-8	140	12	Wyatt Benham	C/DL
11	5-6	130	11	Hayden Benham	RB/LB
12	5-10	185	12	Demaria Fisher	RB/DL
19	5-8	210	12	Gilbert Flores	G/DL
21	5-8	130	10	Marcos Flores	E/DE
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26	5-6	150	11	Zachary Vizcaino	RB/E
30	5-10	150	10	Erick Alfaro	WR/S
38	5-10	210	10	Dalyn Fogerson	C/DL
44	6	140	12	Ethan Self	RB/S
45	5-10	200	9	Corbin Mason	E/DE

2014 Southland Varsity Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time	Location
8/15/2014	*Anton/Hart	5:00	Anton
8/22/2014	*Motley Co.	6:00	Motley County
8/29/2014	O'Donnell	7:30	O'Donnell
9/4/2014	Nazareth	7:30	Southland
9/12/2014	Whiteface	7:30	Whiteface
9/19/2014	**Cotton Center	7:30	Southland
9/26/2014	Dawson	7:30	Dawson
10/3/2014	Loop	7:30	Southland
10/10/2014	Lorenzo	7:30	Southland
10/17/2014	Open		
10/24/2014	***Whitharral	7:30	Whitharral
10/31/2014	***Wilson	7:30	Wilson
11/7/2014	***Wellman	7:30	Southland

* Scrimmage
** Homecoming
*** District

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 Assistant Coaches: Justin Rucker, Kyle Fogerson
 Superintendent: Toby Miller
 Principal/AD: Craig Hamilton
 Cheerleader Sponsor: Brandee Hamilton
 Cheerleaders: Ashlee Graves, Madison Worley, Allyson Martinez, Jessica Payton, Daniella Galindo
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2014 Southland JV Schedule

Date	Opponent	Time	Location
8/28/14	O'donnell	6:00	Southland
9/4/14	Nazareth	5:30	Southland
9/11/14	Whiteface	6:30	Southland
9/18/14	Whitharral	6:30	Whitharral
9/25/14	Lubbock Titan	6:30	Southland
10/2/14	TBA	6:30	
10/9/14	Lorenzo	6:30	Lorenzo
10/16/14	Open		
10/23/14	Whitharral	6:30	Southland
10/30/14	Lubbock Titan	6:30	Southland
11/6/14	TBA	6:30	



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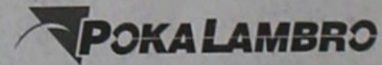


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9/11/14	Whiteface	5:30	Southland
9/18/14	Cotton Center	5:30	Cotton Ctr
9/25/14	Dawson	5:30	Southland
10/2/14	Loop	5:30	Loop
10/9/14	Lorenzo	5:30	Lorenzo
10/16/14	Open		
10/23/14	Whitharral	5:30	Southland
10/30/14	Wilson	5:30	Southland
11/6/14	Wellman	5:30	Wellman

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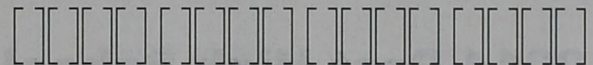
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2014 Post High School Varsity Volleyball Team

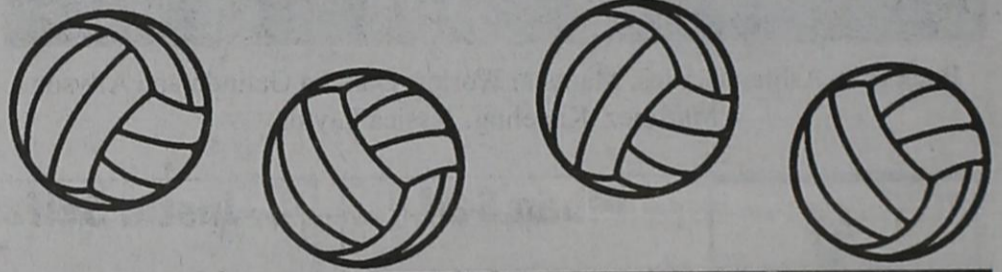


2014 Post High School Varsity Volleyball Roster

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|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Lauren Record – 1 | Setter/hitter/blocker |
| Kally Comeaux – 2 | Setter/hitter |
| Yvette Armendariz – 4 | Hitter |
| Anahica Duran – 6 | Hitter |
| Maggie Shelton – 7 | Defensive specialist |
| Kelsey Griffin – 9 | Hitter/blocker |
| Callie Odom – 10 | Hitter |
| Kelbie Oden – 12 | Hitter |
| Rebecca Taylor – 13 | Hitter |
| Brooklyn Courtney – 15 | Hitter/blocker |

Post "Bold Gold" Volleyball				
DATE	TIME	OPPONENT	SITE	TEAMS
8-Aug	TBA	Multiple team scrimmages	Olton	ALL
9-Aug	TBA	Multiple team scrimmages	Littlefield	ALL
11-Aug	5:00/6:00	Plainview Christian	Post	JV/Var
12-Aug	5:00/6:00	Olton	Post	ALL
18-Aug	1:00/2:00/3:00	Aspermont	Aspermont	ALL
19-Aug	1:00/2:00	Knox City	Post	ALL
21-23 Aug	TBA	Littlefield Tournament	Littlefield	Varsity
26-Aug	5:00/6:00	Tulia	Tulia	All
4-6 Sept	TBA	Post Varsity Tournament	Post	Varsity
9-Sep	5:00/6:00	Plains	Plains	JV/Var
13-Sep	10:00/11:00	Tulia	Post	ALL
16-Sep	5:00/6:00	Littlefield	Littlefield	ALL
18 & 20 Sept	TBA	Post 9/JV Tournament	Post	9/JV
27-Sep	10:00/11:00	Coahoma	Post	ALL
30-Sep				
4-Oct	TBA	Friona/Clovis Christian	Friona	ALL
7-Oct		open		
11-Oct	10:00/11:00	Shallowater *	Shallowater	ALL
14-Oct	5:30/6:30	Brownfield *	Post	ALL
18-Oct	10:00/11:00	Denver City *	Post	ALL
21-Oct	5:30/6:30	Shallowater *	Post	ALL
24-Oct	10:00/11:00	Brownfield *	Brownfield	ALL
28-Oct	5:30/6:30	Denver City *	Denver City	ALL

*Denotes District Games
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2014 Post Antelopes Varsity Team



2014 Post Varsity Roster

No.	Player	POS	HT	WT	CLASS
1	Christian Saucedo	RB/LB	5-5	155	11
2	Shandon Wiley	WR/DB	5-9	145	11
3	Dylan Pearson	WR/DB	5-8	145	12
4	Alex Ramirez	TE/LB	6-0	155	11
5/54	Alejo Rodriguez	RB-OL/LB	5-10	160	12
7	Carson Kirkpatrick	WR/DB	6-0	175	12
8	Christian Pearson	WR/DB	5-8	155	11
10	AJ Reed	RB/DL-LB	5-10	165	10
13	Anthony Soto	QB/LB	5-10	165	11
14	AJ Escobedo	RB/LB	5-11	165	10
17	Aron Lopez	TE/LB	6-2	180	11
20	Auggie Menchaca	RB/LB	5-6	145	10
21	Jarred Curtis	WR/DB	5-6	120	11
22	Austin Garza	QB-WR/DB	6-0	175	12
24	Brody Kelso	TE/DL	6-0	190	10
25	Cambry Gilbert	RB/DB	5-8	140	11
30	Sammy Soto	RB/LB	5-9	165	11
32	Blaine Reece	QB-RB/LB	5-10	180	11
53	Jaybren Rodriguez	OL/DL	6-0	220	11
55	Edel Sanchez	OL/LB	5-6	155	11
56	Hayden Belongia	OL/DL	5-5	145	12
60	Rafael Gonzalez	OL/DL	5-10	185	11
72	Russ Morris	OL/DL	5-7	230	10
74	Tristan Fannon	OL/DL	5-11	190	11
77	Jayson Walden	OL/DL	6-1	205	12

AD/HC: Michael Pittman (West Texas A&M)

Assistants: Beau Riker (LCU), Billy Kelso (OPSU), William Pevey (TSU), Keith Bloskas (UNM)
Billy Garza (TTU), Joshua Reese (UMHB), Michael Ramos (TTU), Jerry Pyles (Northeastern State)

Managers: Brennan Riker, Drew Porter, Treyson Crow, Slayden Pittman, Eric Garza, Paxton Nava, Landon Greer

Athletic Trainer: Ben Patterson (Midwestern State University)

Student Trainers: Dakota Greer, Kelsey Griffin, Colton Stamey, Kelbie Oden, Lauren Record, Quincey Quintana, Kally Comeaux

Superintendent: Michael Comeaux

Principals: Dr. Jadie Matthew-High School
Marvin Self-Middle School
Staci Marts-Elementary

POST ANTELOPES

2014 BOLD GOLD FOOTBALL

VARSITY

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Fri.	Aug. 15 th	Brownfield-scrimmage	Post	7:30
Fri.	Aug. 22 nd	Tulia-scrimmage	Tulia	7:30
Fri.	Aug. 29 th	Abernathy	Post	7:30
Fri.	Sept. 5 th	Tahoka	Post	7:30
Fri.	Sept. 12 th	Denver City	Denver City	7:30
Fri.	Sept. 19 th	Floydada - HC	Post	7:30
Fri.	Sept. 26 th	Slaton	Slaton	7:30
Fri.	Oct. 3 rd	Open		
Fri.	Oct. 10 th	*Coleman	Coleman	7:30
Fri.	Oct. 17 th	*Ballinger	Post	7:30
Fri.	Oct. 24 th	*Coahoma	Coahoma	7:30
Fri.	Oct. 31 st	*Colorado	Colorado City	7:30
Fri.	Nov. 7 th	*Stanton - SR	Post	7:30

District 3-AAA
Homecoming - September 19th
Senior Night - November 7th

JUNIOR VARSITY

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	TIME
Fri.	Aug. 15 th	Brownfield-scrimmage	Post	6:30
Fri.	Aug. 22 nd	Tulia-scrimmage	Tulia	6:30
Thur.	Aug. 28 th	Abernathy	Abernathy	5:30
Thur.	Sept. 4 th	Tahoka	Tahoka	5:30
Thur.	Sept. 11 th	Denver City	Post	5:30
Thur.	Sept. 18 th	Floydada	Floydada	5:30
Thur.	Sept. 25 th	Slaton	Post	5:30
Thur.	Oct. 2 nd	Open		
Thur.	Oct. 9 th	*Coleman	Post	5:30
Thur.	Oct. 16 th	*Ballinger	Post	5:30
Thur.	Oct. 23 rd	*Coahoma	Post	5:30
Thur.	Oct. 30 th	*Colorado	Post	5:30
Thur.	Nov. 6 th	*Stanton	Stanton	5:30

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS

DAY	DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION	7 th	8 th
Thur.	Sept. 11 th	Denver City	Denver City	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Sept. 18 th	Floydada	Post	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Sept. 25 th	Slaton	Slaton	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Oct. 2 nd	Brownfield	Post	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Oct. 9 th	*Coleman	Coleman	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Oct. 16 th	*Ballinger	Post	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Oct. 23 rd	*Coahoma	Coahoma	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Oct. 30 th	*Colorado	Colorado City	5:00	6:30
Thur.	Nov. 6 th	*Stanton	Post	5:00	6:30

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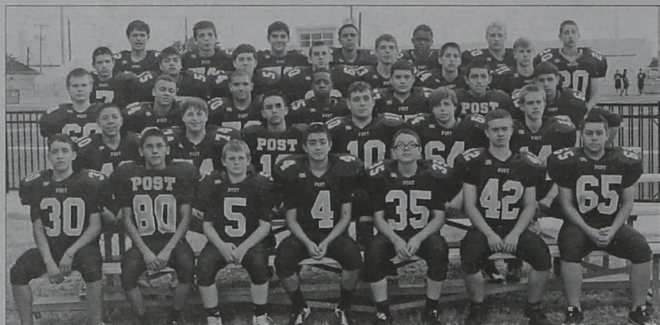
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2014 Post Antelopes JV Roster

Number	Name	Class
2	Alonzo Armendariz	Jr
4	Fidel Trinidad	Fresh
5	Carson Mason	Fresh
7	Michael Silvas	Jr
8	Isaac Soto	Fresh
10	Ben Ayala	Soph
12	Damian Garcia	Fresh
14	Colton Thompson	Fresh
20	Austin Britton	Fresh
21	Hunter Graves	Fresh
22	Aric Garza	Fresh
25	Michael Pherguson	Fresh
30	Isaac Soto	Fresh
32	Dealan Reed	Fresh
33	Chance Courtney	Fresh
35	Pete Lazcano	Fresh
40	Daniel Gomez	Fresh
42	Ian Hayworth	Fresh
44	Brandon Britton	Fresh
50	Pacey Blevins	Fresh
51	Danny Soria	Fresh
54	Dylan Morris	Soph
55	Noe Hernandez	Soph
60	Ty Jones	Fresh
62	Valente Perez	Fresh
64	Blaze Smith	Soph
65	Thad Basquez	Fresh
68	Cord Isbell	Fresh
70	Stetson Boles	Soph
71	Jared Araiza	Jr
74	Colby Ammons	Fresh
77	Jonathan Hernandez	Fresh
80	Alex Alvarado	Fresh
84	Bryce Phelps	Soph
88	Jonathon Rodriguez	Soph

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2014 Post Varsity Girls Cross-Country Team



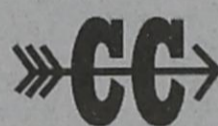
In alphabetical order: Sandy Benavides, Madi Carr, Lauren Lynch, Morgan Lynch, Shailey Miller and Kelby Tidwell. Not pictured: Cierra Fontenot

2014-2015 Cheerleaders



In alphabetical order: Lexi Antillon, Yvette Armendaiz, Dakota Greer, Lauren Lynch, Morgan Lynch, Shailey Miller, Ashlynn Powers, Baylea Pittman and Katie Quintana. Coaches: Stephanie Valdez and Renea Garza

POST CROSS COUNTRY 2014 SCHEDULE



Date	Meet	Location	Division
9/6	WTC Open	Snyder	V, JV
9/13	PPS Invitational	Lubbock	V, JV
9/20	Smyer Invitational	Smyer	V, JV, JH
9/27	Lubbock ISD Invitational	Lubbock	V, JV
10/4	Sundown Meet	Sundown	V, JV, JH
10/11	O'Donnell Meet	Lamesa	V, JV, JH
TBA	District Meet	Lubbock	V, JV, JH
10/31	Regional Meet	Lubbock	V
11/8	State Meet	Round Rock	V

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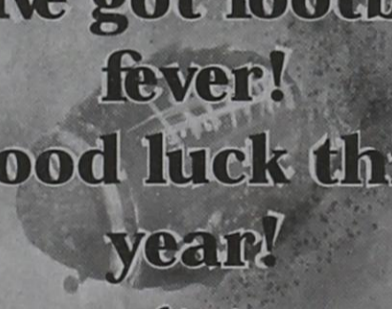


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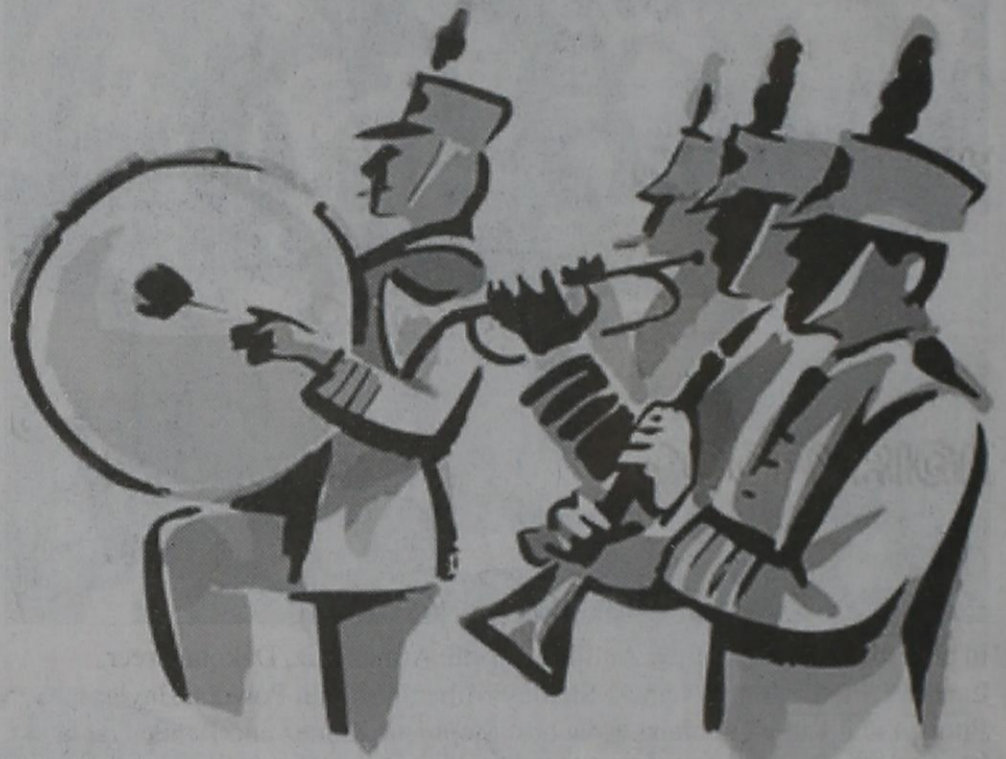


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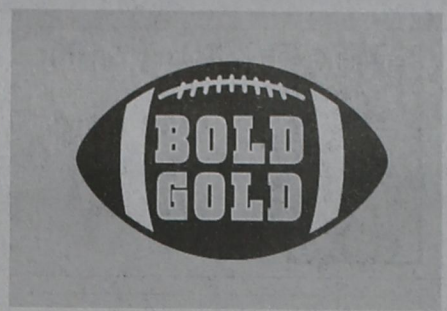
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Kelbie Oden

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Rebecca Taylor

Work hard, play hard and enjoy every moment of your senior year. Phil. 4:13

Love Mom, Dad, Michael & Nathan



Jessi Isbell

Jessi, We are so proud of you! Love watching you play and love to hear the "beautiful noise" you make on your bells. Georgette and Lonnie Isbell



Dakota Greer

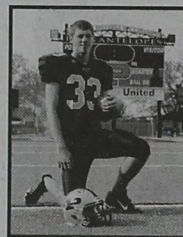
Good Luck Dakota on your senior year! So very proud of the beautiful person you have become!

Love, Mom, Dylan, and Brazos



Chance Courtney

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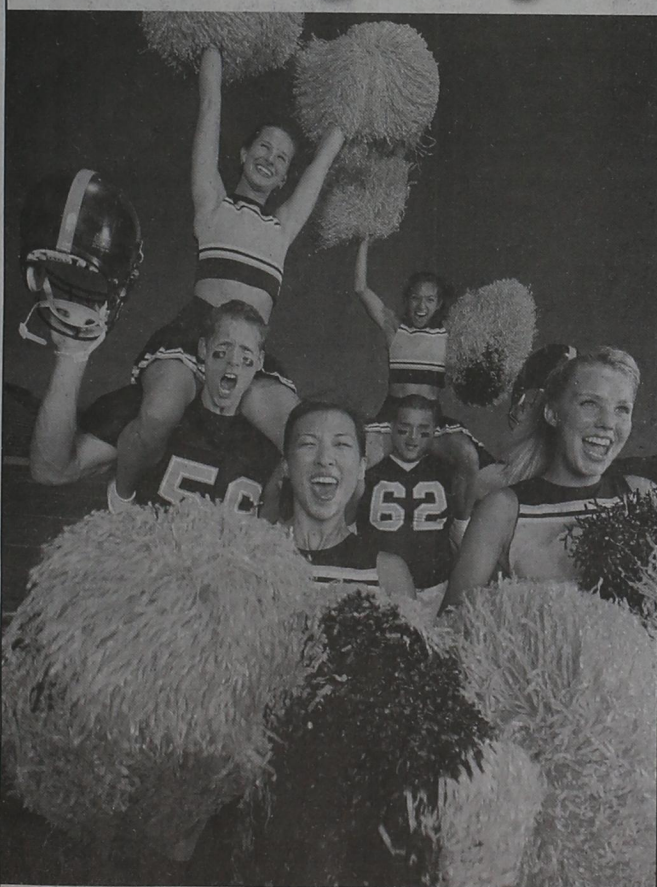


Kelbie Oden

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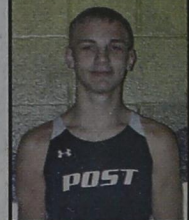


Kally Comeaux
*So proud
of you!
Go, fight, win!*



Jayson Walden
*Keep up the
hard work!
Go Lopes!*

Brody Kelso
*Best of luck
this season!
Go Lopes!*



Keegan Stanley
*In it to win it.
Good Luck!
Love,
Mom and Ronnie*

Shailey Miller
*Simply
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Go Lopes!*





Lauren Record
*We're #1!
Have a
great year!*


Russ Morris
*Play hard,
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furious!*





Jarred Curtis
*Have a
great year!
Go Lopes!*

Morgan Lynch
*Cheers to a
great year!
Love,
Mom & Dad*





Lauren Lynch





Colton Thompson
*Good luck on a
great season!
Go Lopes!*


Callie Odom
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Christian Saucedo
*We're behind
you all the way!
Good luck this
season!*

Carson Kirkpatrick
*Play hard, fast
and furious! So
proud of you!*







Christian Pearson
*So proud of
you! Good luck
Lopes!*

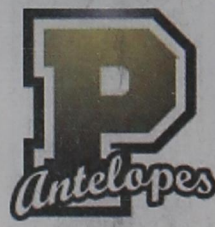


Brooklyn Courtney
*Good luck this
season! We're
proud of you!*




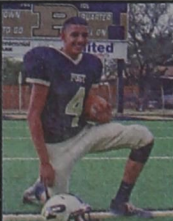


Blaine Reece
*Good luck!
We are
rooting for
you!*



Austin Garza
*Play hard
and win
big! Have a
great season!*





Alex Ramirez
*Best of luck
this season!
Let's go
Lopes!*

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run deep.**

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