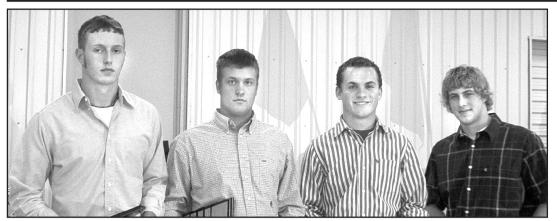
### WOLVERINES PLAY FOR STATE BASEBALL TITLE

See pictures, story on page 11



Football honors went to Logan Clemmer, Hardest Tackle; Roper Fulcher, WIN; Robbie Tabb, offensive MVP, and Rowdy Mitchell, team MVP. Not pictured is Joel Chavez, defensive MVP.

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# Nichols, Edwards win top Farwell athletic honors



Scholastic awards went to Robbie Tabb and Micah Christian. They also received the Chamber of Commerce scholastic awards



Student Council Sportsmanship awards went to Ashlie Martin and Chris Culver.

All-Around honors went vault, 8'0. to Tate Nichols and Salida Edwards at the annual Farwell High athletic banquet Tuesday at the Community **Farwell** Center.

In addition to the students pictured, highlights included:

-- Micah Christian was an All-American cheerleader for four years. The **Farwell** cheerleaders received the top chant award at camp.

-- Scholastic certificates went to Danielle Cargile, Melissa Howard, Ashlie Martin, Robbie Tabb. Saenz, Carlos Tate Nichols, Rowdy Mitchell and Micah Christian.

-- The cross country team finished 10th at state.

-- In football, Robbie Tabb made THSCA 2nd team academic All-State.

-- The girls' basketball team earned a playoff spot for the 7th straight year. The JV girls went 19-6 and were district champions.

-- Talethia Nolte set a

at the city park.

dump truck, too.

cigar box.

To help celebrate

Farwell's 100th birthday

in time capsule project

In honor of Farwell's 100th anniversary, the Farwell City Council agreed on Tuesday to place a time capsule

Any Farwell residents who wish to have something placed in the capsule are asked to bring those items to City Hall by July 1. Items need to be no larger than a

-- Agreed to participate in the Panhandle Region Mutual Aid agreement. This is basically to get help in

-- Heard street supt. Dee Hammitt ask that funds be budgeted next year for a new sewer cleaning machine. Councilman Wayne Gruben said the city needs another

-- Approved three building applications: a covered porch for Christina Galvan, 108 San Andres; a carport for Linda Porter, 709 Ave. F; and moving the old lottery booth to 501 4th St. for Ysidro Galvan to be used for

Farwell residents

invited to participate

The capsule will not be opened for 50 years.

In other business, the council:

case of a major disaster, such as a tornado.

-- In tennis. Chris Culver won district and the team was district champs for the 2nd straight year.

-- Both the girls and boys golf teams won district.

-- The JV cross country team took 1st at district. while the varsity team took 1st at the Happy Meet.

-- The boys' varsity basketball team finished 19-

-- In golf, Tate Nichols was 4th in state and had 1st places in the Friona, Farwell, Abernathy and Sundown Invitational Meets, as well as the district and regional meets in Lubbock. Derrick Chandler had 2nd places in the **Farwell** Friona, **Abernathy Meets.** 

-- In golf, the varsity girls won the Friona, Clovis Sundown and Christian Invitational Meets as well as the district meet. Micah Christian took 1st place in district.

-- Old school annuals, school record in the pole dating back to 1997, are

available at the school for \$5 each. See teacher **Dorris White.** 

-- In a humorous vein, high school principal Gary Cates gave out three "special awards" -- Amanda Martin, for "Big Hit"; the boys' basketball team for "Bad Hair Day", and Tate Nichols for "Going Left."

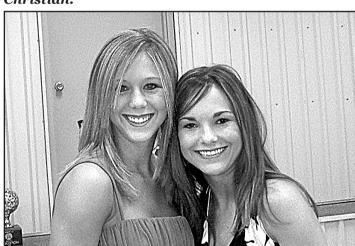
-- The theme for the dinner was a tail gate part with the meal provided by the Booster Club and prepared by the cafeteria ladies.



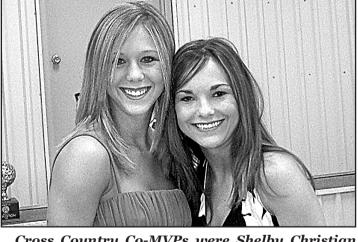
Boys' track MVP was Chris Culver.



Golf MVPs were Tate Nichols and Micah Christian.



Cross Country Co-MVPs were Shelby Christian and Melissa Howard.





Track MVPs were Matthew Edwards and Talethia Nolte.



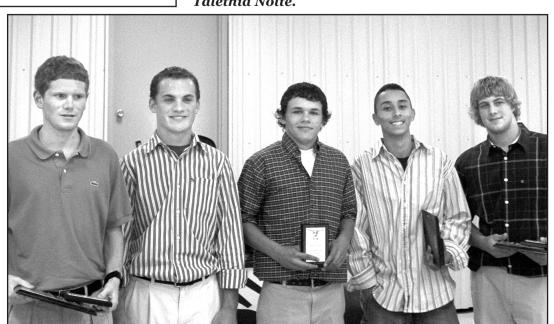
Girls' track MVPs were Beatrice Garcia and Cindy Quezada.



All-Around MVP awards went to Tate Nichols



Girls' basketball honors went to Beatrice Garcia, offensive MVP; Ashlie Martin, defensive MVP; Danielle Cargile and Micah Christian, WIN; and Britton Barrett, team MVP.



Boys' basketball honors went to Tate Nichols, team MVP: Robbie Tabb. defensive MVP; Chris Culver and Carlos Saenz, PRIDE; and Rowdy Mitchell, defensive MVP.

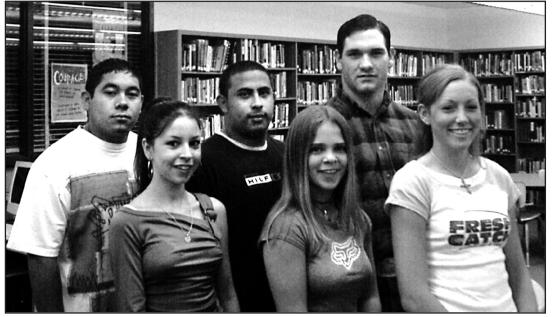






#### Farwell Junior High top scholars

The Farwell Junior High 8th grade banquet will be held at 6 p.m. May 26 at the Farwell Community Center. From left are Nina Galvan, valedictorian, daughter of Maria Marquez; Kayla Sanders, salutatorian, daughter of Larry and Lisa Sanders; and Mikaela Ceniceros, historian, daughter of Lucia Lucio and Jose Ceniceros.



#### Farwell High NHS inductees

Six students were inducted into the Farwell High National Honor Society. In back are Juan Carlos Vidaurri, Luis Olmos, Justin Ware; in front, Selene Delgado, Jourdan Kirkland, Talethia Nolte.

#### Sheriff's Report

On May 10, in 287th District Court, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

-- Michael Mack, 33, of Oklahoma City, charged with DWI with a child under the age of 15, was sentenced to 180 days to 2 years in a state jail facility, deferred for 2 years; \$378 court costs; \$500 fine: 120 hours of community service, and obtain substance abuse counseling at own expense.

-- Rosie Isabel Mireles, 38, of Friona, charged with possession of a controlled substance (cocaine), was sentenced to 2 to 10 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, deferred for 5 years, \$278 court costs, \$1,000 fine; \$350 attorney fees; 160 hours of community service, and obtain substance abuse counseling.

-- Richard Izaguirre, 32, of Friona, charged with subsequent DWI, was sentenced to 3 years in the Department of



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-- Josie Lopez (now known Josie as Dominguez), Perryton, Texas, charged with attempted aggravated assault (reduced from aggravated assault with a deadly weapon), was sentenced to 2 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, \$278 court costs, \$1,000 fine.

-- Juan Manuel Rivera, 28, of Friona, charged with subsequent DWI, was sentenced to 2 to 10 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice, probated for 3 years; 10 days in Parmer County Jail as a condition of community supervision; \$403 court costs: \$1,000 fine: 160 hours of community service; loss of driver's license for 18 months, and obtain alcohol counseling at own

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-- Moises Ventura, 44, of Knoxville, Tenn., charged with unlawful transport of persons for pecuniary benefits, was sentenced to 6 months in a state jail facility, \$278 court costs, \$500 fine, \$350 attorney fees, and forfeiture of \$2,421 in cash and a 1995

Ford Econoline van.



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Well, folks, we are coming down to the end of another school year. As always, there have been lots of programs, assemblies, banquets and graduations

Here are the last few to mark on your calendars: May 19 -- Farwell kindergarten graduation will be at 1:30 p.m. The same night will be a big one for Farwell -- a "Family Fun Night" at Farwell Elementary School; the 6th annual Student Art Show from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the junior high gym; the Farwell Band concert at 7:30 p.m., and a community fund-raising Mexican pile-on dinner hosted by the Farwell Band Boosters from 5 to 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria. And the Bovina High athletic banquet will be at 7 p.m.

May 20 -- Both Farwell and Bovina elementary schools will have their annual Field Days.

May 21 -- Lazbuddie's athletic banquet will be at 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

May 24 -- Lazbuddie's academic program is slat-

May 26 -- Bovina kindergarten graduation at 10

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#### The Latest

Farwell's Mark Howard was in Washington, D.C., recently to discuss energy and budget issues with legislators. He is a member of the Corn Producers Association of Texas.

In the association's last newsletter, a story and photo spread on the tour was included. Mark was featured in three photos.

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce 3rd annual golf scramble will be June 11 at the Farwell Country Club.

The fee is \$100 per 2person team (cart included) for the 18-hole scramble. Hamburgers will be served. Teams will be flighted by handicap.

Proceeds go to the Chamber's scholarship

To sign up, call the country club at 481-9210.

David and Carolyn George have a new grandson, Alex, both May 4 to Trena and Tom Linenger, of Fayetteville, Ind.

Three Texico High students have qualified to compete at the state FFA convention in June as a result of their placings at the District IV FFA public speaking contest:

-- Logan Potts, 1st, extemporaneous public speaking.

-- Brittany Anderson, 2nd, chapter prepared public speaking.

-- Daniel Schueler, 3rd, Greenhand public speaking.

About half an inch of moisture fell on the area last weekend.



Birthday surprise

Lazbuddie School Supt. Karl Vaughn was surprised after the Lazbuddie FFA banquet with some birthday presents in his office. Gifts included black balloons and baby food. He turned 50 last Thursday.

#### **Obituary**

#### Walter Spurlin

"Sonny" Walter Spurlin, 70, of Amarillo died May 15. He was a Farwell High graduate.

The family will have a graveside service May 19 at 3 p.m. ct at Lawn Haven Memorial Gardens in Clovis with Rev. Bob Thomas officiating.

He was born July 11, 1934 in Clovis to Mary Jane (Thomas) William Spurlin. He worked as a service manager for Ford Motor Co. for over 20 years. He was the owner and operator of Audio and Video Repair for many

He married Jackie Davis on July 11, 2002, in McLean, Texas. He was of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Steven, of Amarillo, 2 daughters, Kathy Snyder of Amarillo, and Sharon Lowrie of Lelia Lake; a brother; Jack, of Raton, N.M.; a sister, Jo Ann Brecunier of Houston, 3 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

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## Thursday, May 19

### **Art Show**

Featuring works by students in Grades 8 through 12 Farwell Junior High gym 6:00 to 7:30 p.m.

## Family Fun Night

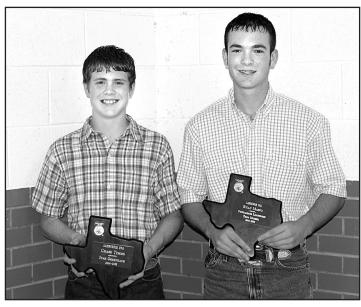
5:45 to 7:15 p.m. **Farwell Elementary School** Lots of Fun Activities!

## **Farwell School Band Concert**

7:30 p.m. **High School Auditorium** 

### **Mexican Pile-On Dinner**

Fund-raiser for the **Farwell Band Boosters** 5 to 7 p.m. School cafeteria.



Chase Timms was named the Star Greenhand award winner, and Ryan Mason won the Outstanding Leadership Team Member award.



Rochelle Smith won the Star Chapter Farmer award, and Erika Derma won the Outstanding Judging Team Member award.



Lazbuddie ag teacher Donald Gillit congratulates Brett Mimms on being named Outstanding FFA Member.



## Lazbuddie FFA awards presented

At left, this year's Member Honorary award went to Harry Dewitt. He couldn't make it, so the award was accepted by his wife Margaret and two of his kids, Cody and Kim.

The annual Lazbuddie FFA banquet was held on Tuesday night in the school cafeteria.

Awards went to:

Star Greenhand - Chase Timms

Star Chapter Farmer - Rochelle Smith

Outstanding Judging Team Member - Erica Derma

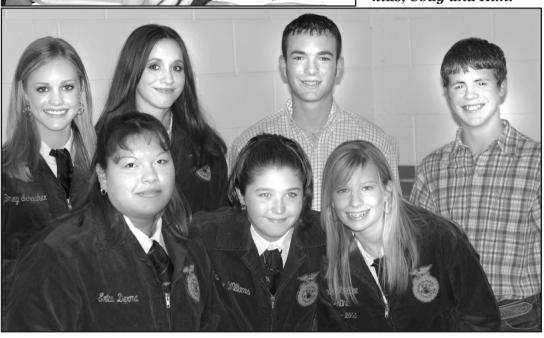
Outstanding Leadership Team Member - Ryan Mason

Honorary Chapter Farmer Award - Harry Dewitt

**Outstanding Member – Brett Mimms** 

New officers for 2005-2006 will be Erica Derma, president; Rochelle Smith, vice president; Ryan Mason, secretary; Brittney Schacher, treasurer; Chase Timms, reporter; Stephanie Williams, sentinel, and Megan McGuire as student advisor.

Current officers are Melanie Winders, president; Kayla Parham, vice president; Erica Derma, secretary; Brittney Schacher, treasurer; Rochelle Smith, reporter; Megan McGuire, sentinel; Stephanie Williams, student advisor.



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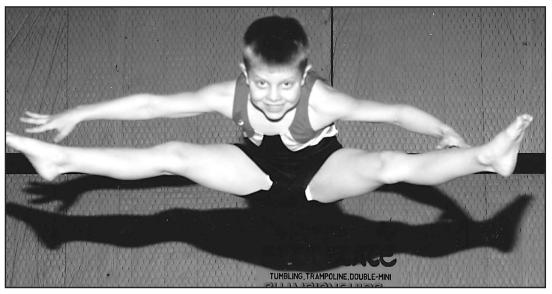


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**Hunter Hall** 

## Hall qualifies for nationals

Hunter Hall, son of Tra and Angela Hall of Farwell, recently qualified for the STTA national gymnastics championships to be held in August in Houston.

Hunter competed at the Southwest STTA Operation Flip 2005 State Championship Meet at South Plains College in Levelland April 30.

He placed 1st in tumbling, Division 4 for 9-120 year olds, and 1st in double mini trampoline. Level 5. His average score of 9.7 out of a perfect 10 in double mini quali-

fied him for nationals in that event. This is Hunter's first year to compete in gymnastics. He is a member of the Aerospirits Gymnastics Team of Muleshoe and is coached by Will Green and Amanda

He will be a 4th grader at Farwell Elementary School next year.

He is the grandson of Robert and Sherry Kay Hall, of Jayton; Sally Hucks, of Lubbock, and David Aberle, of Fargo, N.D.

## Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

#### Cullison did a good job, too

One of the problems I have had over the years writing columns is that when I praise someone. some folks can take it to mean I am criticizing that person's predecessors.

Such was the case with last week's column.

In saying how I felt the Farwell FFA program had moved up a notch, there was an implication that I was criticizing the previous FFA instructor Jon Cullison.

That was not intended that way. I thought Mr. Cullison did an excellent job in his years guiding the Farwell FFA program.

A year or two back, I ran into this same problem when I praised Texico School Supt. R.L. Richards for his work.

Since I was using "tunnel vision," I neglected to say that it was his predecessors who had built up the program and needed to be credited also.

Thus, I apologize for any slight I may have have wrongly caused any former FFA advisors.



#### Vandevender visits congressmen

Sandy Vandevender, General Manager of Five Area Telephone Cooperative and West Plains Telecommunications, visits with Josh Winegarner of U.S. Senator John Cornyn's office. Vandevender, along with board members from Five Area, met in Washington, D.C. along with of other members the National Telecommunications Cooperative Association. Various economic development and rural telecommunications issues were discussed with members of the Texas Congress.

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## Texico High academic awards listed

Here is the list of Texico academic honors:

Pinnell -- Ag III, Brittany Anderson and Taryn Allen; Ag I, Bryn Mayfield and Ashley Conlee; Ag Mech, Logan Potts and Trent Crow; Ag IV, Brette Hadley and Garett Mayfield; Ag II, Mikayla Cherry Melissa Freitas; and Ag communications, Brooks and Lacy Price.

Anderson -- Algeba II --Stephanie Bailey and Leslie Vannatta; Calculus -Josh Pena and Garett Mayfield; Algebra II --Mikayla Cherry and Adam Ingram; Pre-calculus --**Brittany Anderson and** Brandie Abernathy; Precalculus - Nicole Harris and Logan Potts; Algebra I - Brooke Bailey and Daniel Schueler.

Roch -- English II --Mikayla Cherry Rolando Renova; AP English III -- Nicole Harris and Brittany Anderson: geometry -- Bryn Mayfield

faced over the years. It showed how the people got together, made the city grow, and become what it is today.

I went to the reception

last week in Hereford hon-

oring Tommy Weemes,

who has retired from Deaf

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ever since I arrived here

has been my privilege to

know him. Many is the

time he would tell me sto-

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I wish he and his family

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after 46 years.

I know that story focused on Farwell, but the same is true for many of the cities in this area. It is really the people who make our cities.

This area will see some economic hardship in the near future, but do not forget that Roswell went through this in the mid '60s and they worked hard to bring in industry to diversify their economy and build up the economic base that was lost.

In the last year, Clovis enticed the cheese plant to move in, and there are plenty of more opportunities that can follow that

I know that there are a lot of people in Clovis and the surrounding areas that depend on the base. This isn't going to be easy, but I Because that know that with a little luck paper showed many of the Clovis will come through struggles that the city this and keep growing.

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and Barbara Vidal; geometry -- Melissa Freitas and Katy Tucker; English III --Zac Morgan and Jessica Harris.

Foster -- pre- algebra --Noe Marquez.

Billingsley -- English 110 -- Tyler Luce; English 111 -- Francisco Estrada; Math 110 -- Dominique Askew; Math 111 -- Andrew Castillo.

Thomas -- computers --**Damien Robbs and Briana** Abernathy; child development -- Monica Ortiz and Courtney Hall; accounting -- Lacy Price and Amber Johnson; foods and nutrition -- E.J. Grissom and Desiree Sena; leadership -- Barbara Vidal and Diana Reynoso.

Littlejohn -- government -- Gabriel Sena and Chris Brown; government - L.J. Jenkins and John Schueler; WH -- Mikayla Cherry and Alex Nunez; WH -- Buddy Jorde and Leslie Vannatta; DE -- Josh Murray and Brooke Bailey; and DE -- Bryn Mayfield and Rolando Renova.

Luscombe -- U.S. history -- Bryan Vannatta and Barbara Vidal; U.S. history -- Faith Martin and Josh Brown; health -- Courtland Luscombe and Bryn Mayfield; health -- Macy Martin and **Daniel** Schueler; physical education - Tyler Luce and Noe Marquez.

Irwin -- biology - Britta Gordon; biology -- Nicole Harris, Brittany Anderson and Logan Potts.

Zarate - - Spanish III -Kelli Dunnahoe and Susy Trillo; Spanish I -- Adilene

**Estrada** and Schuler; Spanish II --Nicole Harris and Logan Brown; Spanish III -- Josh Pena and **Ashley** Littlejohn; Spanish II -David Vega and Buddy Jorde: Spanish I -- Diana Revnoso and Sarah Johnson.

Bass -- English I -- Bryn Mayfield and Barbara Vidal; English I -- Courtney Hall and Noe Marquez: **English II -- Melissa Freitas** and Adilene Estrada; psychology **Briana** Abernathy and Diana Reynoso.

Art awards -- Elvis Gayton, Seneca Turner, David Vega. Megan Billingsley, **Jessica** Lightner, Crlos Meza, Noe Marquez, **Amber** Billingsley, Diana Reynoso, Stacy Swerczyk.

Scanlan -- physical science -- Brvn Mavfield and Daniel Schueler; biology --Cherry and Mikayla Melissa Freitas; lifetime fitness -- Joshua Brown.

Prokop -- AP English --Candace Sallade and Jacob Freitas: Sr. English -- Josh Pena, Logan Brown and Seneca Turner; and Jr. **English - Caitlin Cary and** David Vega.

#### Courthouse Notes

Parmer County The clerk's office recorded these warranty deeds last week:

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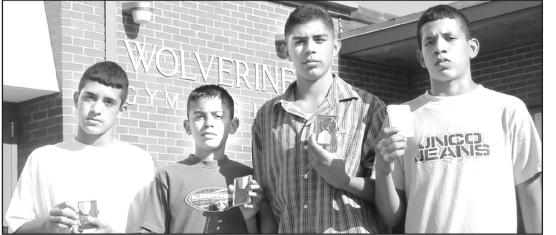
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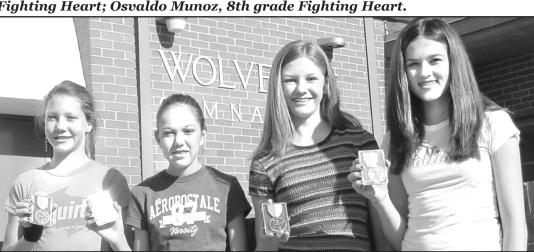
Basketball -- Seth Bailey, top 7th grade player; Jordan Broome, top 8th grade player; Marques Pena, 7th grade Fighting Heart; Tanner Allen, 8th grade Fighting Heart.



player; Jesse Walthers, top 9th grade player; Jonathan Hill, 7th grade Fighting Heart; Osvaldo Munoz, 8th grade Fighting Heart.



Track - Edgardo Meza, top 7th grade athlete; Carlos Renova, top 8th grade athlete; Humberto Burciaga, 7th grade Fighting Heart; Luis Estrada, 8th grade Fighting Heart.



Volleyball -- Victoria Richards, top 7th grade player; Jerrica Reid, top 8th grade player; Shay Anderson, 7th grade Fighting Heart; Laiken Crist, 8th grade Fighting Heart.



Basketball -- Kaitlin Luscombe, top 7th grade player; Braeden Hadley, top 8th grade player; Lisa Vidal, 7th grade Fighting Heart; Holly Harrison, 8th grade Fighting Heart.

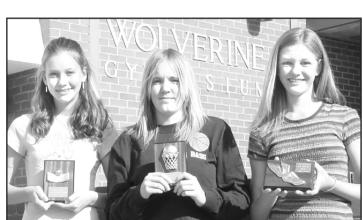


Track - Lisa Vidal, top 7th grade athlete; Shelby Queener, top 8th grade athlete; Jennifer Shirley, 7th grade Fighting Heart; Anette Monarrez, 8th grade Fighting Heart.



MVP's Brett Anderson, football; Mario Posada, basketball; Mark Rivera, track.

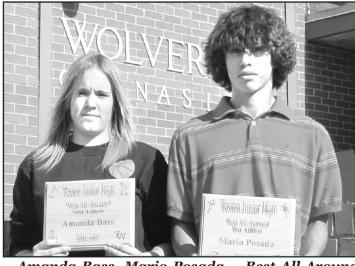
## Bass, Posada named top Texico JH athletes



MVP's Jaryse Harris, volleyball; Amanda Bass, basketball; Shay Anderson, track.



Levi Richards, Shelby Queener --Sportsmanship Awards.



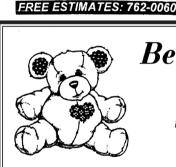
Amanda Bass, Mario Posada -- Best All-Around Athletes.

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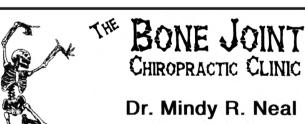
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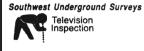


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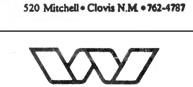
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Matt Barnes and Dan Patterson built a rocket-powered car for Mr. Dyer's physics class at Farwell High School. It went 176 feet during a test last Friday.

#### Letter to the Editor

Dear Mike,

Just wanted to drop a quick note and let you and your readers know what a pleasure it was to read and discuss the March 24, 2005, edition of your paper with Ms. Gracie Dane during my recent visit to Roswell.

When reading the article on Page 8 regarding the Texico school board members, she told me a story about how Mr. Richard



#### Receives degree

Dr.Karen Neie Waldrip graduated Southwestern from Oklahoma State University on May 7, with a doctor of pharmacy degree. She will working in Tucumcari, N.M., at Wellborn Pharmacy. She is married to Josh Waldrip. Parents are Glen and Freda Neie, grandparents areHoward and Marcia Leavell, and Oliver Neie.

Hadley had told someone "don't you forget that Gracie is the Texico Wolverines' biggest fan."

She went further and reminded me of how she (and Monty Parsons, her husband and my grandfather) had received a plaque from the school identifying her, not only as the biggest fan in Texico. but as the "World's Biggest Fan."

So, no matter what critique you may get on your wonderful paper, please rest assured that there are people all over the country who appreciate its content and style.

**Along** with the addressed and stamped envelopes (that I hope you use to send the football pool contest sheets to Grandma next season), please find my check for a mailed subscription up here in Minnesota.

P.S. With warmest and kindest thoughts of the High Plains country, I remain a loyal reader, especially when I have the opportunity to read and discuss it with Grandma.

Robert and Lisa Judd Dakota, Minn.

#### Marriage License

The Parmer County clerk's office issued marriage licenses last week to: Clay Hill and Tara Wheeler; and William Wanzer II and Melinda

#### The Latest

Farwell's **Johnathan** Vega, an incoming freshman in pre-engineering, received a Vice President for Academic Affairs scholarship at West Texas **A&M** University.

The Parmer County Commissioners held a special meeting on Friday to award a bid for the bank depository. It was awarded to the Farwell Banking Center of Muleshoe State Bank.

Word has been received of the death of Rob Donaldson, 38, of Amarillo. He died May 6.

Parents are Robert and Maxine Donaldson, of Muleshoe, and grandparents are Roger and Sharon Menning, of Farwell.

Aileen Teel has a new great-grandson, both May 3 -- Charlie Tanner Bogard. Prents are Jennifer and Bogard, Sean Richardson, Texas.

**Farwell** Monday - pizza and "clean out the freezer."

Tuesday - chicken nuggets and "clean out the reezer."

Wednesday - hamburgers and "clean out the freezer." Thursday - pizza and clean out the freezer."

Friday - no school.

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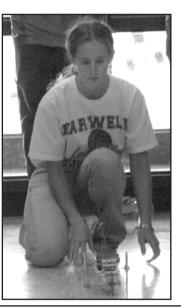
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Lazbuddie  Methodist Church Rev. Randy Thomas Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m.	Church of God in Christ,  Mennonite  James Koehn - minister  Sunday School - 10 a.m.  Worship Service - 11 a.m.	First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie
First Baptist Church of Farwell  Rev. Randy G. Mullin Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wed mission aux., 7:30 p.m. www.fbcfarwell.org	First Baptist Church of Texico Rob Hollis minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.	St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
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**Lariat Church of Christ** Sam Billingsley - minister

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Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.

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Worship - 11 a.m. mt

Wednesday - Bible Study 6:30 p.m. mt First Baptist Church Aaron Reed, pastor

youth, 7 p.m. Tuesday; 7 p.m. Wed. - Fri. Lazbuddie

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#### Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 -- Ch. 4 Sun. **Bovina United**

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Church, Texico

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Religious Education -

Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.

Phillip Steyn -- preacher

Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m.

Worship; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m.

1:15 - 2:15 p.m.

Rev. Quita Jones Sunday School - 9:45 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday study, 7 p.m.

Hispana in Bovina Rafael Marin, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m.

Wednesday worship, 7 p.m. **United Pentecostal** 

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#### The Latest

Muleshoe is working with South Plains College to extend its services, thus offering services to area vouths.

The Muleshoe center would offer classes via Internet, two-way video, and traditional classes with instructors.

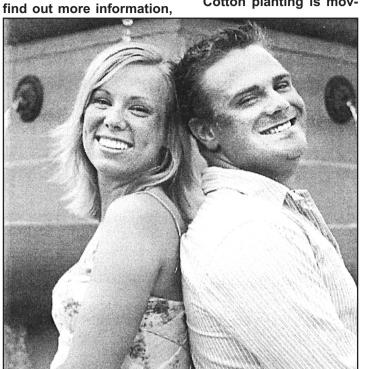
A career/college night is planned for May 26 at the Muleshoe Civic Center to

registration rules, financial aide and classes to be offered here starting this summer.

Harold Carpenter reports that the annual workday to clean up the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery on Memorial Day, May 30, starting at 9 a.m.

There will be a business meeting at 10 a.m.

Cotton planting is mov-



Courtney Mitchell and Kyle Mayfield

### Mitchell to wed Mayfield

Melissa Mitchell, of Alpharetta, Ga., and Bruce and Roxanne Mayfield, of Texico, announce the approaching marriage of their children, Courtney Mitchell and Kyle

The couple will wed June 18 at the North Atlanta Church of Christ in Atlanta. All friends and family are

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ing ahead. Projection is for 3.6 million cotton acres in the Panhandle, with virtually all of the current crop planted to date on irrigated land.

A relay across America, dedicated to the cause of world harmony, will pass through Texico-Farwell on May 23 about 2:30 p.m. ct.

Runners in the 50-state **USA World Harmony Run** are carrying a flaming torch to symbolize their goal of harmony though sports.

**Enrollment for ITV** classes at South Plains College will be held May 26 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the **Bailey County Coliseum in** Muleshoe.

Classes will be held at the Muleshoe High ITV lab.

Did you happen to notice that big black bar at the top of Page 1 in last week's issue?

It was supposed to read "Graduation 2005".

What went wrong? Well, the Tribune is electronically mailed to the Clovis printing plant each Tuesday night. The person in Clovis receiving the transmission last week formatted the paper incorrectly, putting "black on black."

Thus, the wording was left out of the headline in last week's Tribune.

#### Texico Police

Here is the weekly report from Texico Police **Chief John Mares:** 

On May 11, Victor Loya, 19, of Texico, was arrested on a charge of battery on a household member.



Parmer County 4-H'ers compete at district livestock judging contest.

#### Colton Christian 1st overall in Junior II district livestock judging contest

Four-H'ers from 20 Texas counties competed at the District 2 livestock judging contest on April 30 and Colton Christian won 1st overall in Junior II category.

Results were: Junior 1

Beef -- Taylor Stancell, 7th; Caitlyn Stancell, 8th.

Sheep **Bretton** Stancell, 5th; K'Leigh White, 12th; **Tyler** Schilling, 14th.

Overall - Taylor Stancell,

Junior 2 Beef -- Colton Christian,

#### Farwell Police

Farwell Police Chief Robert Achterberg reports that two business thefts occurred last week:

--Several hand tools and other items were taken from the Jay Bowers construction site on 1st Street and Avenue A.

--Hand and woodworking tools were taken from Mill 7 Elevator Supply, at the east end of Avenue A.

2nd; Russell Schilling, 10th.

Colton Sheep Christian, 1st; Russell Schilling, 3rd.

Swine Colton Christian, 8th.

Overall Colton Christian, 1st; Russell Schilling, 9th.

Team placing for Junior 2 were beef, 4; sheep, 1, and swine, 3. Parmer County took 2nd place. Senior

Sheep -- Dan Patterson,

Swine -- Alisha Wauson, 5th; Dan Patterson, 6th.

Overall -- Dan Patterson. 6th.

Also attending were **Emily** Allen, Caleb Christian, Collin Christian, Johnson. Levi McCormick and Michelle Wauson.

#### Meet Farwell's Class of 2017



David Martinez, a Farwell kindergartener, has a July 31 birthday.

Parents are Dario and Socorro Martinez. A sibling is Alejandro. Grandparents are Concepcion Herrera, Alberto Martinez, Manuel Loera and Refugio Espinoza.

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2-Family Garage Sale -611 First St., Farwell,
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703 Ridgelea, Bovina, giagantic garage sale. Large mens/womens clothes, (XXH, XXXH) tools, christmas decorations and much more! Friday and Saturday May 20 & 21.





# **Wolverines vie** for state title

The Texico Wolverines will be in the state Class 1A championship baseball game on May 18 in Albuquerque. They defeated Magdalena, 18-3, on Tuesday in the

state semi-final to run their season record to 17-2. On Monday, they won their state quarter-final baseball game over Dora, 13-3. Texico went 3-0 against Dora this

year.

Against Dora, Braden Vaughan threw a 3-hitter, going all 5 innings.

Top hitters were Aaron Vaughan and Joel Maldonado, with home runs; Zane Anderson and Theo Marez with doubles, and Logan Brown with a pair of triples.

## Mexican pile-on dinner sponsored by Farwell Band Boosters

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#### Scholarship winners

Texico's Amber Parmer, left, and Ashley Littlejohn were among four Texico High seniors who received \$500 scholarships from Roosevelt County Rural Telephone Cooperative. Other recipients were Braden Vaughan and Gabriel Sena.

#### Mounted Patrol to offer 1st-ever Rodeo Encounter

The Curry County Mounted Patrol will celebrate the 35th anniversary of the Pioneer Days Rodeo by hosting Clovis' 1st-ever "Rodeo Encounter."

The Rodeo Encounter is free with paid admission to the rodeo, but will be held Thursday, June 2, only, from 5:30 to 7 p.m.

Mounted Patrol President Dewey Pierce said rodeo has been gaining in popularity over the last few years and they have arranged for contestants to mix and mingle with the fans.

Contestants will come from both the Texas and Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association circuits, and they will explain about the competition to fans.

Youths can learn to rope a dummy steer. Then they can try their hand on a live goat. And there will be stick-horse racing.

Pierce said that this year's specialty act, John Harrison, will be on hand for photos and autographs, as well as talented rodeo clowns Leon Coffee, Eddie Hatfield and Ryan Brown. They will share safety tips for "clowning around with a 2,000 lb. bull."

Winners of this year's Miss Rodeo New Mexico Pageant will attend, too, plus Miss Rodeo America.

The rodeo will be held at the Mounted Patrol Arena June 2-4. Box seats are \$12 at the gate; \$10 in advance; reserved seats, \$11 at the gate; \$9 in advance; and general seats, \$10 at the gate, \$8 in advance. Advance tickets are on sale at Joe's Boot Shop.

#### More Texico track results given

In addition to the results posted by Texico Lady Wolverines in last week's issue, Coach Michael Littlejohn noted:

-- The 800 relay team that was 4th included Brittany Anderson, Skyla Cockerham, Bryn Mayfield and Barbara

-- The 1600 relay team that was 2nd included Amber Parmer, Bryn Mayfield, Micah Mayfield and Vidal.

Zandi Queener was 7th in javelin; Erika Autrey was 7th in high jump; Parmer was 7th in the 100 dash, and the 1600 medley team of Anderson, Bryn Mayfield, Cockerham and Stephanie Bailey was 7th.



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# **Bovina schools hire** new band director

The Bovina School Board on Monday elected officers for the coming year:

Mike Beauchamp, president; Don Teague, vice president; and George Villarreal, secretary.

In other business, the board:

-- Received the resignations of Christy Barksdale, ESL teacher; Terry Tafoya, Head Start teacher, and Helen Kaufman, 4th grade teacher.

-- Offered a probationary contract to Ken Livingston, of Fritch, as band director. He replaces John Steinhardt, who is moving to the East Coast.

-- Agreed to have Brown, Graham & Co. do the audit for 2004-2005.

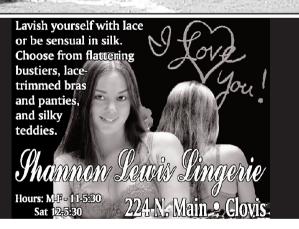
-- Agreed to seek bids for a bank depository for the 2005-2007 school years.

-- Took on action on the deeding of land under the show barn from the city of Bovina.



## Bovina baseball





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Thank you for your prayers, cards, food, beautiful flowers and visits. Friends and family have been so great. Without each of you and all the things you did, we wouldn't have made it. May all the praise go to God for His great care.

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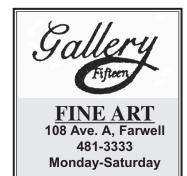
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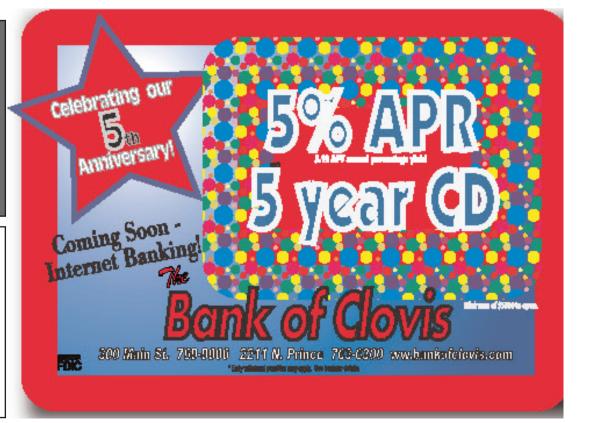


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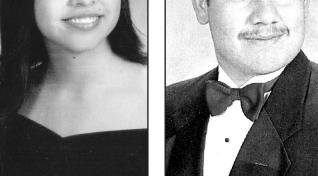
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## Rogelio Martinez Jr. Our top scholars

Valedictorian of the Bovina High School graduating class is Rogelio Martinez Jr., son of Rogelio and Alicia Martinez.

He plans to attend West Texas A&M University and major in mechanical engineer-

He has served as president of the Student Council, president of the senior class, captain of the football team, and Leader of Band.

His achievements include being named Mustang of the Year, being a member of the Honors Band and recipient of the John Philip Sousa award, and a member of the National Society of High School Scholars and the National Honor Society.

In football, he was named 1st team All-District center and 1st team All-District defensive tackle. He also was on the baseball and basketball teams.

His community service has included tutoring youths, helping at St. Ann's Catholic Church, helping raise funds for a teacher in need, helping organize a drive to raise funds for hurricane victims, and helping with Red Ribbon Week activities.

His hobbies include hanging out with friends, playing sports, listening to music, and looking at cars. He has a sister, who is a Bovina High graduate, and three brothers who attend Bovina Schools.

Salutatorian is Victoria Carrillo, daughter of Ramuel and Maria Carrillo. She plans to attend Texas Tech University and get a degree in nursing.

Her achievements include being named Homecoming Queen, Outstanding Girl of the Year, and being on the honor roll. She has been a member of the National Honor Society, Student Council, FCCLA and participated in UIL events.

Her community service included tutoring, working with children and the elderly, helping organize Drug Free Week, and helping raise funds for hurricane victims.

Victoria has lived in Bovina all her life and is the youngest of five daughters. She will be the first in her family to attend a university.

Historian is Jessica Maldonado, daughter of Isidra Morales.

She has attended Bovina Schools for 13 years and has been involved in basketball, track, cross country, student council, National Honor Society, yearbook, FCCLA and UIL.

She has been part of the Upward Bound Program in Ada, Okla., for 3 years. She plans to attned Eastern New Mexico University and get a career in the health field.



## Cometery spraced up

At right, Diego Ruiz trims the bushes at the Bovina Cemetery. The cemetery looks very neat after the recent cleanup workday.



## Council deals with junk vehicles

The Bovina City Council on May 10 went over the list of folks who had not removed their "junked vehicles" during the time period when earlier asked.

**Decisions made were:** 

Phillip Griggs - -tabled.

Sandra Johnson -- vehicle has been removed.

Arturo Lugo Jr. -- given 10 days for removal. Linda Pena -- given 10 days for removal.

Mark Quesada -- given 30 days for removal.

Carlos Vaquera -- vehicle has been removed.

Melquiades Gonzales -- given 10 days to remove the car and 30 days to remove the

Billy Harbison -- given 10 days for removal.

Jose Gonzales -- given 10 days for removal.

Mike Knoll -- given 10 days for removal.

Juan Morales -- given 10 days for removal.

Glenn Ritchie -- given 30 days, but a question here since Ritchie maintains the vehicles are a business (Southside Motors).

In other business, the council:

- -- Welcomed new council members Gaylon Rhodes and Radford Venable.
- -- Heard residents Ann Corn and Pat Kunselman express their concerns on cemetery upkeep and billing.

Concerns were brought up over the need for volunteers to help clean up the cemetery. Also, the fact that the city doesn't bill folks for cemetery plots, but sends out donation letters instead.

No action was taken by the council.

- -- Larry Hodnett was elected mayor pro tem.
- -- Approved the ordinance directing the city's intention to issue certificates for the new santiation plant. Approval was given after city attorney Kathryn Gurley went over the matter with the banker. The money is expected to arrive June 9.
- -- Set the date for the next regular meeting as June 7. A budget workshop will be held May 24.
- -- Heard Rhodes suggest that a walking track be installed at the city park. City officials will look into this.
- -- Heard a presentation from Bob Gray, of Valor Communications, for telephone service.





Ridglea School kids break the piñata at Cinco de Mayo Day activities.

#### Becky's Bovina Banter

**Becky London - 251-1164** 

Do you remember Joseph T. Miller?

He was born Nov. 22, 1891, and died June 14, 1949, and is buried at the Bovina

Unfortunately, it seems the concrete above his grave is falling in and could crack open the grave.

City officials want to correct the problem but need to talk with a relative of Mr. Miller first. If you know of any living relatives, please call City Hall.

Two Bovina High graduates have received Vice President for Math, Computer Science and Engineering Technology scholarships at West Texas A&M University:

Hugo Martinez, an incoming freshman in pre-engineering, and Rogelio Martinez, an incoming freshman in mechanical engineering.

The Booster Club reminds everyone that the annual high school athletic banquet is tonight (Thursday).

Tickets, costing \$5, are available at the door.

Also, at the May 5 club meeting, it was noted that there was still a bill out for \$191 from last year's banquet that needed to be paid.

Edgar Ortiz competed in two track events at the state Class 1A meet last weekend. In the 3200 meter run, he finished 7th with a time of 10:13.82. In the 1600 meter run, he finished 3rd with a time of 4:32.55.

The Chamber of Commerce held a meeting on Monday and picked two Bovina High seniors to receive \$250 each as scholarships.

The Chamber also continued discussions on its 4th of July gala plans.

Earle Hise, 80, died May 15 at Runningwater Draw Care Center in Olton. He was the music director at Bovina's First Baptist Church several years ago and also taught music at the school. His wife lola lives in Olton. Their children are Leeona Garlitz of Olton amd Raymond and Glenn, both of Aztec, N.M. Their daughter, Vivian Grundy died last year.

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