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Lockmiller, Foote win top Texico FFA honors

Top Texico FFA awards went to Tristan Lockmiller, Star Greenhand, and Lindsey Foote, Star State FFA Degree, at the Texico FFA banquet on Monday.

Other major awards went to Uriel Munoz, most

competitive; Pal Herndon, Leadership; Rallin Harris, Junior Herdsman; and Shaylee Sours, Junior High All Around.

Two adults won Honorary Chapter Degrees - Elnabeth Grau and Karol Fury.

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Tristan Lockmiller was named Star Greenhand, and Lindsey Foote received the Star State FFA Degree.



The award for most competitive went to Uriel Munoz, and Pal Herndon won the leadership award.



Elnabeth Grau and Karol Fury, not shown, received Honorary Chapter Degrees.



Incoming chapter officers are Sabra Barnett, president; Lindsey Foote, vice president; McKenzie Mayfield, secretary; Uriel Munoz, treasurer; Rae Lynn Prather, reporter; Mitchell Pinnell, sentinel; Kyla Myers, chaplain; and Cassidy Downing, historian.

Johnson, Cuevas, Meeks are Farwell's top athletes



Top All-Around Athletes -- Abby Johnson, Edgar Cuevas and Seth Meeks.

The Farwell High School Athletic Banquet was held Tuesday at the Farwell Community Center.

See more photos on Page 10 and in next week's Tribune.



Sportsmanship awards -- Kristin Langford and Edgar Cuevas.



Golf MVP - Joey Villanueva.



Principal's awards for highest GPA -- Kristin Langford and Garrett Presnell.



Boys' track MVP - Koltan Morris.



Texico's 2012 National Honor Society

Here is the Texico National Honor Society. Bottom row from left, Uriel Munoz, Kassie Waller, Kimber Harrison, Taylor Lane, Karina Salazar, Claudia Campos, Selena Valdez, McKenzie Mayfield, Lindsey Foote, Mitchell Pinnell; 2nd row, Erin Lane, Kyla Myers, Allison Myers, Cassidy Downing, Adriana Garcia, Vanessa Maldonado, Mel Lucero, Laura McFarden, Sidonia Garcia, Margie Garcia, Sabra Barnett; 3rd row,

Aaron Massey, Jared Davis, Powers Hagler, Cesar Chavez, Elliott Pelfrey, Shaylee Anderson, Rallin Harris, Pal Herndon, Myrna Reynoso, Sarah Long, Chasity Sharp, Jonah Walls; and 4th row, Katelyn Wike, Rae Lynn Prather, Kylynn Thomas, Shelby Vannatta, Jaylyn Cooper, Jordyn Cooper, Wayne Skabelund, Aspyne Reames, Donovan Johnson, Jason Tuls, and advisor Karen Kibbe.



These students will compete in the State UIL academic meet at Austin: Koltan Morris, Kristin Langford, Hunter Hall, K'Leigh Jo White, John Ryan Isaacson, and Kayla Cullison.

Farwell wins Regional Speech Team championship

Farwell High School is sending six students, in eight categories, to the UIL Academic State Meet in Austin at the end of May.

Qualifying at the Regionals on April 20 at Levelland, where Farwell finished in 3rd place among 95 teams, are:

Hunter Hall and John Ryan Isaacson in Persuasive Speaking; Koltan Morris and Kayla Cullison in Informative Speaking; Kayla Cullison in Prose; Koltan Morris in Current Events; Kristin Langford in Headline Writing; and K'Leigh Jo White in Computer Applications.

Kelsey Knight is alternate to state in Prose, as well.

Official Regional results were: Computer Applications -- White was Regional Champion and Morris was 4th (alternate to state).

Headline Writing - Langford was Regional Champion.

Current Events - Morris placed 2nd.

Prose - Cullison got 3rd and Knight got 4th.

Informative Speaking - Morris placed 2nd and Cullison placed 3rd.

Persuasive Speaking - Hall was Regional Champion and Isaacson placed 2nd.

Farwell's crew earned a total of 67 points in speaking events which made them Regional Speech Team Champions. They received a plaque for this honor as

well. Angela Teachout noted this was the first time the speech team won this title at Regional since she became UIL coordinator in 2004.

Also competing very well but not qualifying for state were:

Olivia Schilling, Kathya Saenz, Lydia Gomez and Austin Mason in Accounting; Michelle Vega, Seth Chilton, Gabbie Schilling and Brooke Lavendar in Spelling and Vocabulary; Lavendar and Mitchell Ratke in LD debate; Bailey Mullins in Feature Writing; Luis Delgado in Editorial Writing; and Sanjuana Sotelo in Computer Applications.

Coaches of these events were Mrs. Teachout, Karen Schilling, Dorris White, and Kelli Schwertner.

Mrs. Teachout has also nominated Knight, Savanna Barksdale, and Lavendar for the State Speech Honor Crew. She is confident these girls will have the honor of working the state tournament and seeing how everything works in Austin.

Mrs. Teachout said: "Last year, Cullison was chosen for this honor, worked the state tournament, then qualified for state this year. That is what serving on the crew is intended for, to educate and show students the best of the best competing so they know what they have to do the next year to be competi-

tive at that level. In order to qualify for state, a student must place in the top 3 in individual events or be on the 1st place team in a team event.

"We are so proud of these students for their hard work and dedication to their events, but also in representing Farwell in such a great way. Farwell also has a chance to win the State Speech Team Championship title if everyone competes well and gets points. That's what they are shooting for."

Farwell already has 20 points toward the State meet title because Farwell won the state championship in CX Debate last March.

Mrs. Teachout concluded:

"The State UIL Academic Meet is set in Austin on May 21st and 22nd at the University of Texas. We wish all of them ... state medal!"

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Special events planned in Farwell

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce on April 26 discussed the recent Chamber banquet.

President Rob Pomper thanked everyone involved for their hard work. Although the turnout was small this year compared to previous banquets, he commented that everyone performed their jobs well.

He thanked the Farwell Student Council for their help serving the meals, the Senior Citizens Meal Site for their excellent preparation and food, as well as Bryan Kube and all of the helpers who cooked the steaks.

He announced that all left-over food was donated to the Senior Meal Site.

Pomper also complimented Sharon Dictson and Fred Chandler for the excellent entertainment.

The Chamber then discussed ideas for improving attendance for next year's banquet.

In other business, the Chamber:

-- Heard that opening day for the Farwell Little League is April 30. The Chamber approved a sign for the baseball field advertising the Chamber.

Mike Galvan reported that seven teams are currently signed up to play, ranging in age from t-ball to majors.

-- Discussed the annual Chamber Golf Tournament. Ronald Byrd reported that the date for the tournament is June 2. Byrd will head up this project and provide updates as the date get closer.

-- Learned that National Nursing Home Week is coming up in May. The Farwell Care and Rehabilitation Center is planning a special celebration that will include the Desert Cruisers car show from Clovis and a motorcycle exhibition from Big Mike's Bikes.

-- Heard that Big Mike's Bikes will celebrate its 2nd anniversary in Farwell on May 12. This special event will include bands, food, and numerous biker activities at his store next to Lowe's Supermarket.

The Latest

Joe Teachout, son of Robert Teachout, of Farwell, took 3rd place in the 800 run at the Regional track meet at Levelland last week in 1:59.29.

The state has a new format this year of allowing a "wild card" for

some 3rd place finishes.

There is a good chance Teachout will be picked for that spot and get to compete at State.

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Farwell High's Kory Jennings has won a \$500 scholarship in a national competition with other students who are members of Modern

Woodmen of America, a fraternal benefit society offering financial services.

He is the son of Gary and Sheila Jennings, of Farwell, and plans to attend South Plains College in Levelland.

Jennings is one of 100 grant winners this year.

Gymnasts medal at Championships

Farwell's Makenna Byrd and Landry Henderson and Texico's Riley Rohrbach all medaled at the 2012 Region 3 Gymnastics Championships held in Fort Worth, Texas. This Regional meet for Texas and New Mexico had over 1,200 gymnasts competing and leads up to the National competition in July. Following are their results:

Makenna Byrd placed 3rd overall in double mini and 9th in tumbling. Landry Henderson placed 1st overall in tumbling and 5th in trampoline. Riley Rohrbach placed 2nd overall in trampoline and 8th in tumbling.



Texico's Riley Rohrbach, and Farwell's Makenna Byrd and Landry Henderson.

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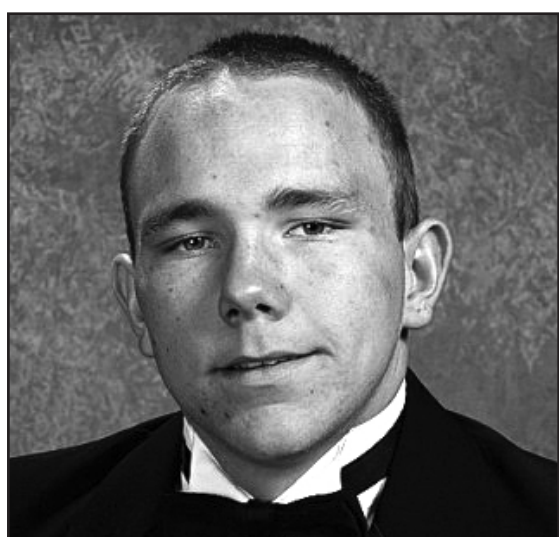
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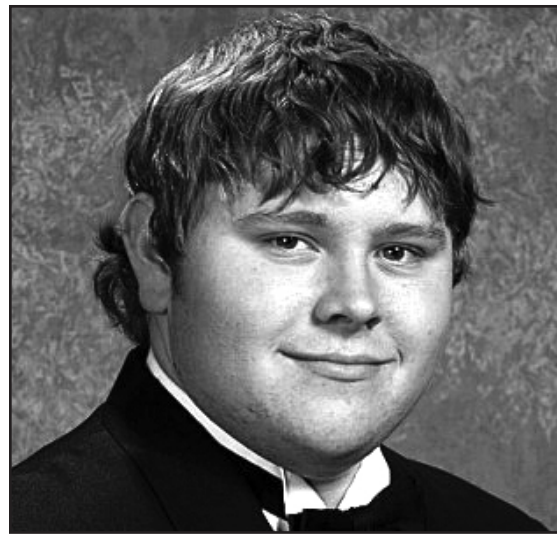
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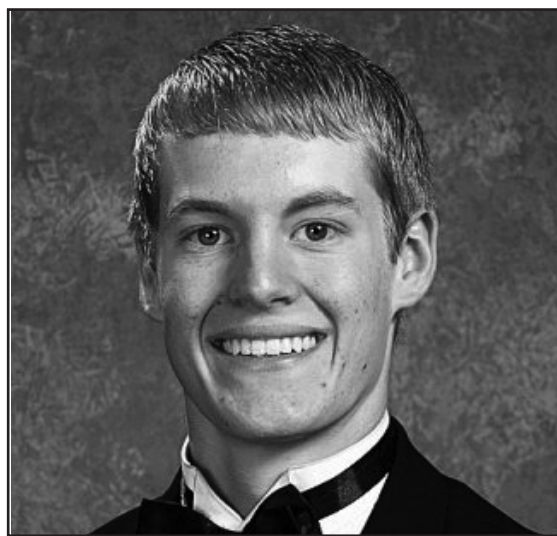
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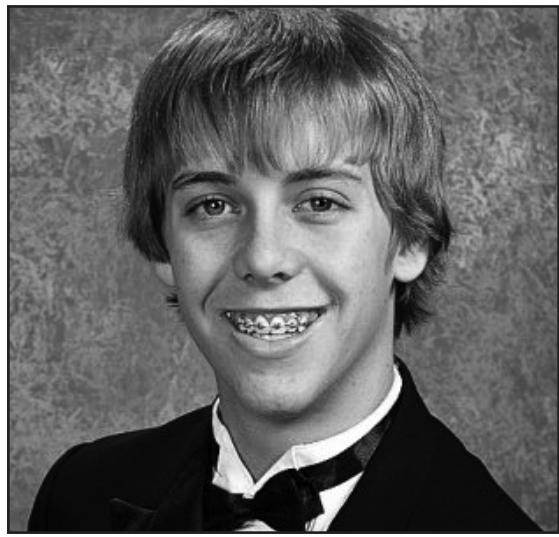
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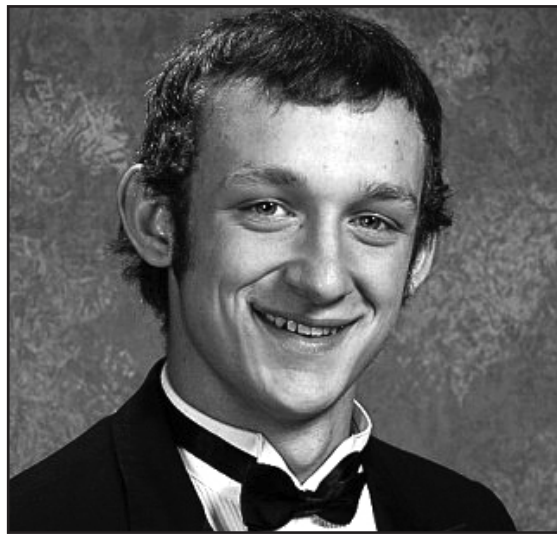
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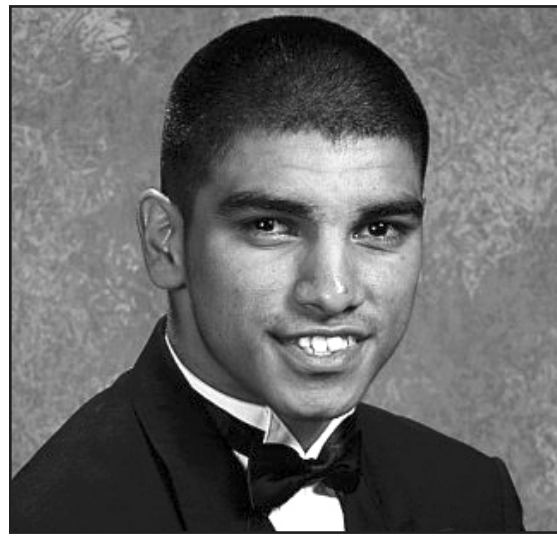
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Texico FFA

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Academic awards went to Tyler Bridges, Sarah Daniels, Justin Rucker, Kyla Myers, Sabra Barnett, McKenzi Mayfield, Elliott Pelfrey, Rae Lynn Prather, Taylor Lane, Allison Myers, Powers Hagler and Kylynn Thomas.

Outgoing chapter officers were Pal Herndon, president; Kylynn Thomas, vice president; Taylor Lane, secretary; Allison Myers, treasurer; McKenzi Mayfield, reporter; Lindsey Foote, sentinel; Elliott Pelfrey, chaplain; and Aspyn Reames, historian.

Parents of the FFA seniors were given special plaques making them Honorary Chapter Farmers. The FFA chapter advisor is Tod Pinnell.

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Gerald Devault

Funeral services for Gerald Harvie Devault, 69, of Lubbock, were May 1, 2012, at the First Baptist Church in Farwell, with Dr Herbert Bergstrom and Rev. Russ Ponder officiating.

Burial followed at Portales Cemetery with Lincoln Devault, Garrett Devault, Griffin Petrich, Joe Irby, Jim Irby, Billy Smith, Stacey Petrich and Greg Tabor as pallbearers. Honorary pallbearers were Holt Irby, Sherman Creek, Derrell Smith, Melvin Littlejohn and all his Lions Club friends.

Gerald went to be with the Lord on April 28 in Clovis.

He was born Sept. 24, 1942, in Clovis to Harvie and Eura Devault. He grew up in Portales. He married Doris Smith of Dora, N.M., in June 1960. He graduated from Texas Tech University in 1965 with a degree in animal science, where he was a member of the Texas Tech Meat Judging Team.

In 1965, he began his career with Glover Packing Co., where he was employed until 1973. Following his career in the meat business, he ventured into the retail business, first establishing Ladye Bugg, Calico Cottage, Garden Center Nursery, the Greenhouse, and Devault Floral at the South Plains Mall. In 1982, a second location of Devault Floral was opened on 19th Street until retirement in 2010. Upon retirement, he moved to Farwell where he was a member of the First Baptist Church.

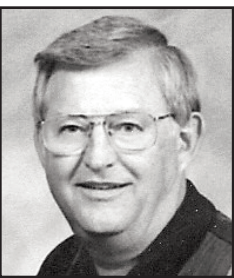
Gerald dedicated his life to serving others. No place was that more evident than his service with the Lions Club and living their credo "We Serve.". He was a founding member and the charter president of the Lubbock Lip Lipscomb Lions Club. Gerald served on committees for the Texas Lions Camp and The Lions Eye Bank of Texas. He was a Governor for District 2-T2 in 1983-1984 and later became president of the Past District Governors of Texas in 1990-1991. He was a recipient of the Melvin Jones Fellowship for dedicated humanitarian services.

As a young man, he coached his boys' numerous sports teams and has continued to support his grandchildren in their sports and activities. One of his proudest accomplishments was being able to say all three of his kids were Texas Tech graduates, and he was looking forward to seeing his grandchildren follow in their footsteps. He passionately loved his family and friends. Gerald loved to hunt Blue Quail and fish the rivers of Tres Ritos for trout. Some of the best times of his life were spent playing marginal golf with dear friends, cooking out with his family, and attending family reunions.

Gerald was preceded in death by his parents and brother-in-law Bill Smith.

Surviving are his wife, Doris; son Gregg and daughter-in-law Wendy, of Midland; son Kendall and daughter-in-law Tracy, of Farwell; daughter Lori and his wife's son-in-law Stacey Petrich, of Midland; grandchildren, Garrett, Avery, Camby, Lincoln, Cassidy, Griffin, Madison and Shelby; sisters Felton Creek and brother-in-law Sherman, and Brenda Devault, all of Lubbock; brother and sister-in-law Holt and Laverne Irby, of Garland; sister-in-law Louise Smith, of McKinney; brother and sister-in-law Derrell and Jody Smith, of Waco; plus numerous nieces and nephews.

The family would appreciate any memorial in his name. Most special to him would be the Texas Lions Camp. P.O Box 290247, Kerrville, TX 78029.



Kylynn Thomas and McKenzi Mayfield received the record keeping awards.



Powers Hagler and Brandon King received Cody Downing Memorial Scholarships in honor of a fallen classmate.



Named Junior Herdsman was Rallin Harris, and Shaylee Sours won the Junior High All Around Award.

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Live Cattle prices have shown some strength early this week and should be in a position to move a little higher by the end of this week. Short term trends have also turned higher for the first time in the last few weeks. Show lists are down across the country this week which could also help to support a rally from these levels. Cash trade last week is still carrying a large premium to the nearby June contract which closed around \$114.00 today.

Feeder prices also saw some fairly good strength early in the week and should also move higher for at least a few days. Last weeks low held above the early April lows which is the first sign of strength seen since prices topped back in early March. There are also some time frames coming due which could catch the market and hold. It may take some time to determine whether or not this bottom is strong enough to hold?

Soybean prices have now taken out the highs made last September. This level had been expected to be tested at some point, but now that prices have actually crossed these levels, price trends would be expected to move higher over the near term. Higher soybean prices will have an impact on the rest of the grain complex. This could be one of the reasons corn and wheat prices are also beginning to show strength.

Corn prices saw a huge jump last Friday and more follow through buying early this week. The market is currently trading at a major technical level of resistance around the \$6.34 level basis the July contract. Most of the support seems to be coming from a surge of exports of beans and corn to China. A close above the \$6.34 level could send the market back up into the upper end of a six month trading range. This would place the July Corn price between the \$6.60-6.70 price levels.

Wheat prices have rallied, but not to the degree seen in the corn and bean prices. The grain complex has been so closely tied to the rest of the grain complex that higher beans and corn are most likely going to pull wheat prices higher if trends continue. While most of the support seems to be found in the nearby contracts, the effect should be the same. There is usually pressure going into harvest, but a higher grain complex could still go a long way in supporting wheat prices in general.

Cotton prices took a hard hit early this week, but seemed to rebound into Monday's close. The overall trends remains sideways overall with prices closing around the middle of this range which has lasted for almost two months. Technically, until prices can break-out either above or below, there is little chance to see a trend begin. Prices look like they may have found a balance or level of value until fresh news can kick start this market and begin to move again.

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Obituaries

Bill Prince

Services for Bill Prince, 83, of Clovis, were held Monday in Clovis.

He died April 26 in Lubbock. Muffley Funeral Home handled arrangements.

He was born Aug. 2, 1928, in Oklahoma County, Okla., to Walter and Lula Prince.

He came to Farwell in 1957 and was owner of Farwell Grain Inspection. He married Glenna Deavours May 25, 1977.

He once served on the Farwell School Board.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Kanice Williams of Ft. Smith, Ark.; and a son, Richard, of Casa Grande, Ariz.

Mary Aragon

Services for Mary Aragon, 68, of Texico, were held April 27 in Clovis.

She died April 20 at home. Steed-Todd Funeral Home handled arrangements.

She was born July 7, 1943, to Esmael and Estela Arias in Pastura, N.M.

Survivors include 3 daughters, Mary Urioste, Pauline Chavez and Nikki Trujillo, all of Clovis; and 2 sons, Joshua Beare, of Texico, and Johnny Aragon, of Clovis.

Marshall Durham

Services for Marshall Durham, 75, of Portales, were held April 27 there.

He died April 22. He was born May 31, 1936, in Pettit, Texas.

Among the survivors are his wife, Sue, and a son, Keith, who is the Texico High School principal.

Juanita Pena

Services were held

Tuesday at the First Baptist Church of Bovina for Juanita Pena, 91, of Bovina.

Burial was at Bovina Cemetery. Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home handled arrangements.

She was born Dec. 27, 1920, in Pearsall, to Rafael and Florentina Trevino. She married Manuel Pena.

Surviving are a son, Jose, of Bovina; and 2 daughters, Irene Ramon, of Bovina, and Gloria Rodriguez, of Fredericksburg, Texas.

Yanett Jaramillo

Infant Yanett Jaramillo died April 26 in Hereford.

Parents are Gregoria and Santa Robles Jaramillo. Also surviving are a brother, Luis, and three sisters, Daisy, Jennifer and Anahl.

Graveside services were held April 28 in Friona Cemetery with Rev. Rafael Marin, pastor of Iglesia Bautista Hispana Church in Bovina, officiating.

Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

Bike rodeo set

Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will have a bike repair and rodeo day on May 19.

Bike repairs will start at 10 a.m. and the rodeo will start at 1 p.m.

Church members will fix flats and chains and get kids back on the roads.

'Dip' scheduled

Farwell city employees will offer a free flea and tick dip to Farwell dogs on Saturday from 8 a.m. until noon at the city barn on 1st Street.

The dip was donated by Tractor Supply.



Lazbuddie tennis stars

At Saturday's junior high tennis meet at Levelland, Lazbuddie's Austyn Steinbock took 3rd place singles and Iridian Fernandez took 2nd place singles. (Photo by Carolyn Scott)

Moths invade area

From Monti Vandiver, Parmer County extension agent - IPM:

The Moth Invasion is under way. We had a similar outbreak in 2003.

Most of these moths are the adult army cutworm. Its most notable trait is its migration pattern.

Adults normally emerge in May and early June; warmer temperatures this year have them emerging earlier. They gradually migrate to higher elevations in the mountains where they will spend the summer. As they migrate, they rest during the day in dense vegetation or seek shelter in garages, attics and living areas of houses, and can become a significant nuisance pest.

During outbreak years, tremendous numbers of these moths can congregate around buildings and residential areas, staying for up to a few weeks; however, when temperatures begin to warm, they move to higher elevations offering cooler temperatures and new sources of food.

After spending the summer in the Rocky Mountains, they return to the Plains to mate and deposit eggs. The subsequent larvae can be a significant pest in wheat and alfalfa.

Control of these moths is difficult. Sealing cracks around doors, windows, attic access points, plumbing and electrical fixtures helps.

Light management may help -- keep outside lights around doorways and windows to a minimum, draw the curtains, and keep unused inside lights off.

Chemical control methods may provide limited control, direct spray contact gives the best results but the treatment must be repeated.

I have found the use of a shop vac is a cleaner way to remove a few moths from inside the home compared to simply "swatting."

Meet Texico's Class of 2024



Karen Romo is a Texico kindergarten. Her birthday is June 29. Her parents are Humberto and Claudia Romo. She has two brothers, Eric and Daniel. Her grandparents are Jose, Cuca, Pedro and Isabel. She likes to play and run. Her favorite foods are queso, frijoles and ensalada. Her favorite colors are red and purple. She doesn't like to pick up her toys.

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Top Texico academic students are Dwight Turner and Kit Doran; at Lazbuddie are Richard Chitwood and Paul Wilbanks.

Farwell's Iris Goldsmith wins Chamber of Commerce award for outstanding athlete.

Chosen Farwell cheerleaders are Bonnie Cochran, Jeanie Pettigrew, Brenda Dale, Carolyn Lindop and Mikala Austin.

Paul Skaggs gets Texico FFA honorary farmer degree. Lynn Doshier is named Star Chapter Farmer.

At Farwell Elementary, Camille Hobbs is named May Day queen, with Robert Curtis as escort.

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While the end-of-the-school-year events predominate, there are some sports still on tap:

The Texico girls golf team heads to State. Good luck, girls!

And for the Bovina and Farwell tracksters who make it to State, way to go!!

Coming up later this month is the Texas academic contests, with Farwell sending a contingent to it. Good luck, kids!

And here's a look at the other upcoming school events:

Lazbuddie -- Prom, May 4; junior high academic banquet, May 8; high school academic banquet, May 10.

Bovina -- Band concert, May 3; high school athletic banquet, May 8.

Texico - Kindergarten graduation, May 10.

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Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geries:

On April 29, Jose Flores, 24, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of driving with an invalid license with previous conviction, pending in county court.

On April 29, Roberto Villarreal, 43, of Friona, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

On April 29, Guadalupe Perez, 51, of El Paso, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

On April 26, Phillip Luna Jr., 24, of Lockney, Texas, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a motion to revoke (possession of marijuana), pending in county court.

On April 26, Christina Mora, 36, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a motion to revoke (forgery), pending in district court.

On April 28, Kenneth Edgington, 25, of Texico, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of DWI, pending in county court.

On April 23, Angelica Moreno, 18, of Clovis, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., pending in county court.

On April 25, Jeremiah Roberts, 33, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of terroristic threat, pending in county court.

On April 23, Lucario Balboa, 19, of Farwell, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of possession of a controlled substance, pending before the grand jury.

On April 23, Andy Chavez, 24, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of driving with an invalid license with previous conviction, pending in county court.

On April 23, Lacey Maes, 19, of Clovis, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz., pending in county court.

In 287th District Court on April 18, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

Boyd Campbell, Jr., 38, of Weatherford, Texas, charged with unauthorized use of a vehicle, was sentenced to 2 years State Jail Division (TDCJ), \$319 court costs, \$7,500 fine and \$19,197 restitution.

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Council updated on Ute water project

The Texico City Council, on April 24, heard from Lewis Cooper, the Texico representative to the Ute Lake Water Project, that the city of Logan has filed a lawsuit to stop the project.

Cooper speculated that Logan is trying to save the recreation aspects of Ute Lake, but the lake was originally built specifically to bring water to the eastern side of New Mexico.

Cooper felt the lawsuit would be dismissed, but it could drag on long enough to make the project fall apart.

In other news, the council:

- Discussed cleaning up the city. Several homeowners have received notices to remove junk cars, and the city will then look into reports of residents living in RVs or other places that don't meet the 800 sq. ft. minimum

required by the city.

- Received a report from City Clerk Carolyn Johnson that the Community Development Block Grant, which is being used for the sewer plant, has been approved to go out for bidding.

- Heard that city employees, along with Texico Police, have hauled off over 10 dogs during the week.

- Received a report from Cooper that the Eastern Plains Council of Governments has changed the way they hand out State money. In the past communities could ask for small amounts and build up until they had enough money to do a project. Now they will concentrate only on doing projects that are ready to go.

The Latest

Memorial Day services planned

Parmer County American Legion Post 206 commander Bill Dannheim alerts folks to the Memorial Day schedule.

On May 28, Legion members will be at : Farwell -- 9 a.m., veterans memorial at the city park for a service.

Bovina -- 1 a.m., city cemetery for a service. Friona -- two services. The first will be at 1 p.m. at the cemetery across the highway from Cargill Meat Solutions. The second will be at 2 p.m. at the city cemetery.

More details will be announced later. All are welcome to attend these important services, said Dannheim. The post will have its monthly meeting on May 21 in Friona at 7 p.m. to complete all details.

Air Force Airman Joseph Winslow graduated from basic military training at Lackland AFB in San Antonio.

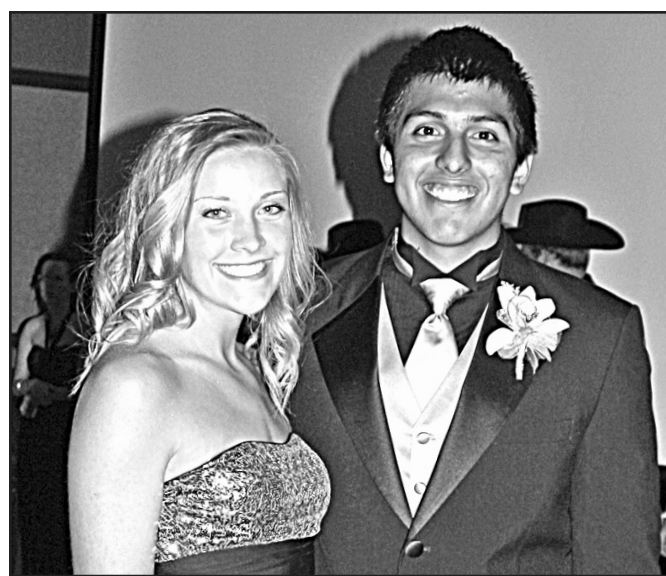
He completed an intensive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills.

He is the son of Michael Winslow, of Farwell, and Tara Winslow, of Clovis. He is a 2011 graduate

of Farwell High School.

Word has been received of the death of Lance Windel, brother of Lisa Sanders, of Farwell.

Two Lazbuddie High athletes competed at the Regional track meet at Levelland last weekend.



Mr. and Miss FHS

Abby Johnson and Edgar Cuevas were named Mr. and Miss FHS at Farwell Prom on April 28.

Athletic Director Todd Rutledge reported that Shea Scott finished 12th in the discus, throwing 90'.

Lacey Jesko vied in the 400 dash but pulled a hamstring during her race. Thus, her time was-

n't good enough to make the finals.

Texico High senior Claudia Campos received the Daniels Scholarship for four years to the college of her choice.

Courthouse Notes

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

- Kent Ries, et al - Cow Country Farms, SW/4 S27 T2N R1E
- Beverly Adkins - Shannon Fell, N/2 S30 T11S R3E
- Andres Bermea, Jr. - Alfredo Bermea, Sr., L20-22 B9 Farwell
- Edward White, Sr. - Juventino Rodriguez, L2 B40 Friona

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Border Banter

-Mike Pomper

The other week, DeeDee and I flew (actually, we took an airplane) to Washington, D.C., to see daughter Patty Sue and husband Mark.

The trip went well, although the high prices of restaurant food were a bit of a culture shock. Sandwiches, for example, start at \$10 and go up ... way up. That's the way it is when most folks are federal employees and making the big bucks.

But a very pleasant situation occurred during our travel that I wanted to share with you.

We took an American Eagle from Amarillo to Dallas-Fort Worth Airport on the first leg of our journey. Since the Eagles have little space for carry-on suitcases, they get stowed, then returned to us after the flight.

We waited in the lobby for our carry-ons, which only took a few minutes. There was an Army fella wearing his fatigues waiting, too.

One lady, I would say 50-ish, while deplaning, went up to that soldier and thanked him for his service to our country. She shook his hand and said how much he was appreciated.

An hour later, DeeDee and I waited in line to board the American jet to take us to D.C. After they boarded the infirm passengers, they called out for first class.

And before they announced regular boarding for folks like DeeDee and me, they asked that any military personnel step forward and would be boarded

first.

Wow. That was beautiful. A soldier is first thanked by a lady. Now, military personnel get a chance to board early. It made my day.

And here's why:

As longtime readers know, I enlisted in the Army during the Vietnam War. I served two years in West Germany and one at an Army-Air Force defense unit in lower New York state.

Upon arriving on our shores after serving in Europe for 24 months, I was not greeted with open arms. Instead, I was shafted several times by "Americans" because I was in the Army.

Frankly, this made a strong negative imprint on me for decades.

I will give you one example:

As soon as we arrived back in the U.S., I bought a used car to return to Chicago to pick up all our worldly possessions (yes, they fit into one car with a wife and baby) and get to my new post in New York state.

It was not a great drive back because the car began spewing oil. In fact, between Chicago and Eastern Pennsylvania, I had gone through 24 cans of oil. The fella who sold me the car had lied about it.

So the car died on the interstate in a driving rainstorm near Conshohocken, Pa., as nighttime approached.

A state trooper came by, called a towing company for the car, and took my family to a motel for the night.

The next morning I went to the body shop and was told the drive train had had it and the car was worthless. They agreed to take the car in trade (for parts) so I wouldn't have to pay for the towing.

When I returned to the motel, I realized I needed some transportation fast

Just Passing Through

WILL ANDERSON

(Editor's note: This is Part 3 of a column dealing with the future of Farwell's medical clinic.)

Does Farwell return to one medical practice with its planned expansion of services and care? Or does Farwell stay with a second care provider?

Farwell Family Healthcare wants to expand its staff and services and needs space for that growth, hence the request to expand into

because it was Saturday morning and I had to be back on post by Monday at 8 a.m.

I was a corporal in the Army and AWOL (absent without leave) was not an option.

So I called Hertz to rent a car to get my family home. I explained that I was a corporal and needed to rent a car to get back to base.

Hertz turned me down.

Why? Because I was a corporal in the Army. They only rented to sergeants and above. It didn't matter that I was serv-

both sides of the clinic.

If one health care provider was sufficient for so many years and our area has not grown that much, are two medical care practices essential?

If the board rejects the request of Farwell Family Healthcare to expand -- and a decision on that would only be taken if Mrs. Burney finds a buyer for her practice and the board determines it can remain in the clinic, what is the chance some other city will attempt to lure the Farwell Family Healthcare practice away from Farwell by offering room to grow?

Looking back the last 56 years, Farwell citizens

ing my country during wartime. I simply wasn't good enough for them.

I then called Avis, and told them I was a sergeant. I got a car to rent.

So you can see, dear reader, why I was so happy to see the reception that soldier got at the DFW Airport, being thanked by that lady. And the fact that American Airlines does something nice for our military personnel.

It was good to see our military honored.

We've come a long way since 1968.

have pitched in as board members to retain our health care providers and to provide our facilities. The successes those families achieved over all those years are a benefit to all of our families today.

It is up to all of us, right here and now, to carry on that tradition of trying to make things even better for our area residents that will follow us in the years to come.

There are many ways to participate in this decision process and to make your opinions and suggestions known.

Letters to the Editor of this newspaper will reach about everyone who has a stake in our medical care.

If you have questions that need a direct answer, they can be addressed to the board members directly. Farwell Hospital Board meetings are the first Thursday of every month

Farwell Community Meal Site

Monday - smoked sausage, fried potatoes, blackeye peas, corn bread, brownie.

Tuesday - pot roast, potatoes, carrots, green beans, rolls, Jello with fruit.

Wednesday - cheeseburger, LTP, french fries, banana pudding.

Thursday - spaghetti, tossed salad, veggies, garlic sticks, fruit truffle.

Friday - chicken & dressing, cranberry salad, green beans, sweet potatoes, rolls, pumpkin pie.

Seniors over 55, \$4.00; all take-outs, 50 cents extra; guests under 55, \$6.50. Delivery is 50¢.

at noon in the Farwell Care and Rehabilitation Center.

The May board meeting, though, was postponed until May 10.

Those meetings are open to every one of us and our elected board members encourage and appreciate the input of the communities they serve.

One way or another, let all of us pitch in to continue the quality of health care in our communities. Our families benefit today from the generosity and dedication of our neighbors over the last 56 years.

It's up to us to step up now and do the same.

Farwell

Monday - oven crispy chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot roll, peaches, milk.

Tuesday - corn dog, baked beans, carrot dippers, apple, pudding cup, milk.

Wednesday - sub sandwich, LTP, baked chips, pear half, milk.

Thursday - pizza, garden salad, orange smiles, cookie, milk.

Friday - chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, glazed carrots, hot roll, cherry fruit bar.

Texico

Monday - nachos with meat & cheese, pinto beans, fruit, milk.

Tuesday - beefy macaroni, green beans, hot rolls, fruit, milk.

Wednesday - lasagna, green beans, crackers, fruit, milk.

Thursday - pizza, garden salad, carrots, fruit, milk.

Friday - no school.

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Pioneers who died during the year were B.A. Rogers, Jack Dunn Sr., G.P. Meissner and Fred Kepley.

"Vic" Venable retires as Farwell's 1st water supt., starting in 1948; replaced by D.E. Hammit Jr.

George Prothro is new Tribune managing editor.

Boyd White wins tailfeather contest.

Farwell Convalescent Center opens with Dora Nittler as 1st administrator.

Valedictorians are: Jacquelyn Langford, Farwell; Jimmy Robinson, Lazbuddie, and Spencer Turner, Farwell.

Steerettes are state golf champions for 2nd year in a row: Claire McFarland, Penny Hughes, Deana Williams, Carol Vinton and Kathy Booth.

Mr. and Miss THS are Don Cherry and Deanne Day. Carnival royalty are John Kelley and Roxanne Cherry.

Outstanding athletes are: Russ Jones and Bonnie Foster, Farwell; and Cheri Tharp and Spencer Turner, Texico.

Texico marshal Willie Ronquillo resigns, replaced by Mickey Fenn.

Dr. Lee Clayton is new Farwell dentist.

Farwell girls basketball coach Joe Allen resigns.

Jack Rose earns rank of Eagle Scout.

Max Carter appointed to Texico City Council after Ruby Goforth moves to Clovis.

Tri-County Savings opens branch in Farwell.

Marie Christian elected to Texico city council.

Farwell athletic director Eugene Jennings quits; replaced by Van Whately.

Dairy Queen opens in Farwell.

Three charter members attended Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church's 50th anniversary -- Carrie Christian and Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Grissom.

Lariat's Jessie Jenkins critically injured in house fire.

Chamber Citizens of the Year were: Rev. W.T. Perry and Lauretta Pool, Farwell; and Joe Caywood and Clara Wiehl, Texico.

Derrell Jennings, Marvin Mimms and Jerry Don Glover elected to Lazbuddie school board.

Texico FFA honors Rusty Rucker, Star Chapter Farmer, and Steve Doolittle, Star Greenhand Farmer.

Texico Homecoming royalty (basketball) - Deanne Day and Richard Hadley; and (football) Keith Hadley and Deanne Day.

Booster Club presidents are Fred Chandler, Farwell, and Eddie Harrington, Texico.

Farwell Homecoming royalty are Russ Jones and D'Lynn Eubank.

Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Martin have 60th anniversary.

Texico School Board okays independent football play after state moves school into Class 2A with nearest district opponent 135 miles away. Texico would be smallest school in that class.

Lazbuddie voters okay \$575,000 bond issue for new gym and other improvements.

Sharron Hughes wins Farwell Country Club's ladies golf tourney.

James Parker dies in light plane crash south of Texico.

Doris Ford named ESA sorority president.

Flu and other illnesses almost close Farwell Schools; absentee rate hits 15 percent.



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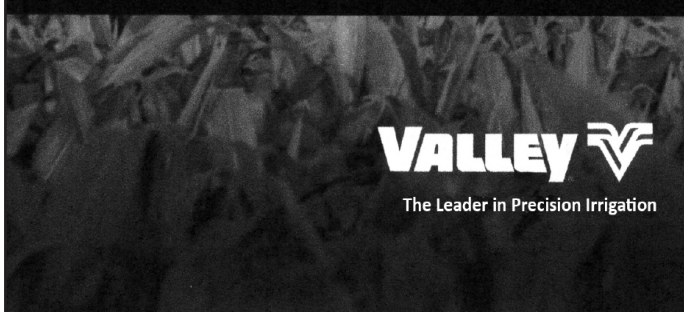
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Must See! Spacious, beautiful split-level brick home. 3 bedroom, 2 3/4 bath in Texico. Large kitchen with built-ins and breakfast nook, utility, formal living and dining room with fire place, large den, game room, sun room, master bath with jacuzzi bath and shower. Central heat/refrigerated air. Cabinets and storage closets galore! 2 car attached garage, attractive landscaping with sprinkler, fenced back yard with covered patio, storage building and 3 car detached garage.

Just Listed - 3 bedroom, 2 bath home in Farwell. Approx. 1,800 sq. ft. Central heat, ref. air, 2-Car carport. Beautifully landscaped yard, with covered patio.

3 bedroom, 2 bath nice brick home on 2.4 acres northeast of Farwell. Fireplace, central heat, refrigerated geo-thermal system. Large quonset barn.

Brick country home on 60 acres near Progress, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central heat, ref. air, single car garage, nice metal shop. Priced to sell.

Large brick country home on 2.6 acres north of Lazbuddie on highway. 5 bedroom, 3 bath, central heat, ref. air. Lots of recent remodeling, large 50'x100' metal barn. On highway.

Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath with central heat, ref. air, large den with fire place, living room, kitchen, utility, 2 car detached garage with 2 car carport. Lots of attractive updates, and modernization completed in recent months. Large fenced backyard with garden area and storage building.

3 bed, 2 bath home on Highway near Progress. On 10 acres. It needs some carpet, but sellers are willing to help.

Commercial building at 1305 Ave. A in Farwell. 60' x 120' metal building with office and 5 ton overhead crane. On 3.1 acres with perimeter fence.

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155 acres, irrigated, with nice brick home and livestock pens on highway near Farwell.

157 acres irrigated in Oklahoma Lane area. Circle sprinkler, 1 irr. well with a 3 bedroom, 2 bath country home and several out buildings.

17 acres near Progress on Highway. Could be split. Would made a great home site!

620 acres SW of Lariat - 1 1/2 tower Zimmatic sprinkler with 7 wells

252 acres of irrigated land northeast of Farwell with 2 wells and 2 circle sprinklers.

Southwest of Texico, 40 acres on paved road. Will split into 10 acre tracts. Call for details!

480 acres irrigated. Southeast of Cooks truck stop. 3 circles, 5 wells.

1685 +/- acres irr. near Lazbuddie. 10 circles, 12 wells, on highway.

160 acres South of Lariat on highway. 1 sprinkler, 3 irr. wells. Owner says sell.

Bovina Area Listings

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Regulators win Amarillo tournament

The State Line Regulators, a USSSA baseball team made up of 12 year old and under local boys, won the Beef O'Brady Spring Classic Baseball Tournament in Amarillo. Top row: Coach Craig Rohrbach, Dalton Thatcher, Coach Dave Gutierrez, Josh Gutierrez, Jay Teachout,

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The Latest

The Border Town Days Committee will have its second meeting of the year on Monday at 7:30 p.m. ct at A-Me-De's Restaurant in Texico.

The meeting is open to everyone.

On the agenda will be picking a theme for this year's big event.

The First Baptist Church of Texico will have an "Go for the Gold Olympian" Vacation Bible School June 4-8 from 9 a.m. to noon. mst.

Farwell High looked at moving the Baccalaureate, originally scheduled for May 20th, to the Saturday before, but after discussions, they settled on the 20th.

A garage sale planned this weekend at the First Baptist Church of Texico has been postponed.

A new date will be announced later.

Air Force Airman 1st Class David Scott graduated from basic military training at Lackland AFB in San Antonio.

He completed an inten-

Morris hurdles his way to State

Farwell High's Kolten Morris is headed to the State track meet in Austin later this month.

Finishers in 1st and 2nd places advance to State. Forty-five teams vied at Regionals. Farwell finished 9th.

He qualified by taking 2nd in two events at the Regionals at Levelland last week: 110 hurdles and 300 hurdles, in which he set a school record.

sive, eight-week program that included training in military discipline and studies, Air Force core values, physical fitness, and basic warfare principles and skills.

Scott is the son of Jackie Scioli and a 2004 graduate of Texico High School.

Race car driver Kyle Petty will be leading a motorcycle tour that will stop at Stripes in Texico next week.

The tour is a fund-raiser to money for cancer research. They are traveling from Napa, Calif., to the Texas motor speedway.

Parmer Bailey County Crime Stoppers has received donations of \$1,000 from both the Parmer County Farm Bureau and Cargill Meat Solutions.

Crime Stoppers President Janice Clement said the group paid more than \$1,100 in rewards

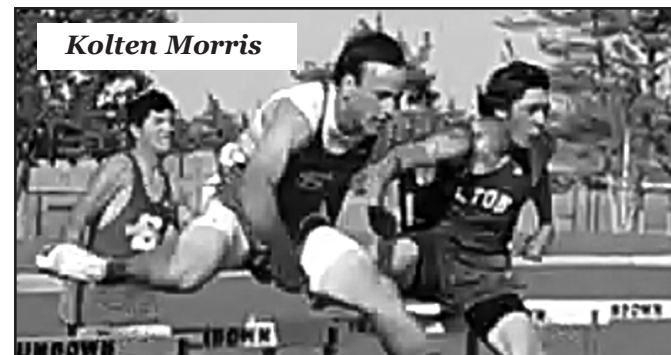
Morris ran 15.38 in the 110 hurdles and 39.97 in the 300 hurdles.

Also:

-- Hunter Hall finished 4th in the pole vault with a jump of 13'0.

-- Ubi Trevizo-Marquez took 8th in the shot put with a throw of 46'7.5.

The Lady Blue had three relay teams compete at Regionals and Lauren Carpenter vied in the high jump.



Kolten Morris

The top finish was by Alexa Mora, Jill Johnson, Kayla Cullison and Abby Johnson, which finished 5th in 4:17.40.

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Girls' basketball awards - Caitlyn Stancell, WIN; Keila Jennings, Defensive MVP; Clarisa Garcia, Offensive MVP; Kristin Langford, MVP; Emily Agee, WIN; K'Leigh Jo White, Defensive MVP.



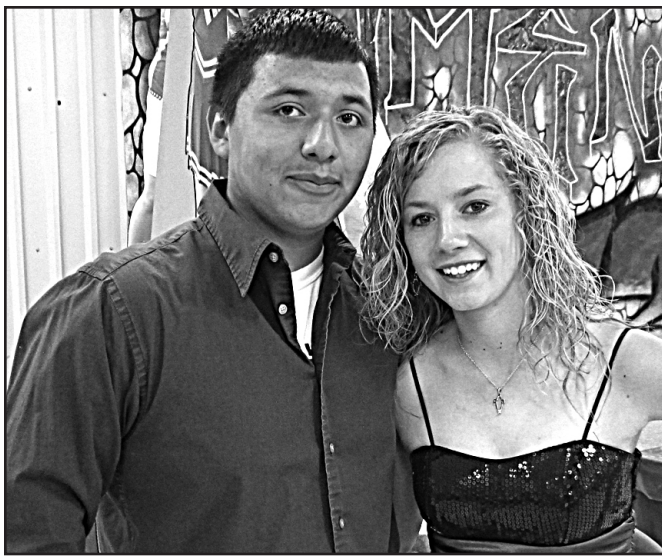
Cross Country MVP - Kristin Langford and Abby Johnson.



Girls' track MVPs - Alexa Mora and Chelsea Bass.



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The Latest

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All proceeds will help them on their trip.

They will also be selling hot dogs and sodas for \$1 each.

*** Here's an extra note on the EMS classes to be offered in Parmer County

soon. The total cost for the program is \$776.50.

If you have more questions, please call Bovina EMS Director Larry Mitchell at (806) 225-7079.

Meet Farwell's Class of 2024



Ava Garcia is a Farwell kindergartener. Her birthday is May 11. Parents are Elizabeth Galvan & Joseph Garcia. Siblings are Savannah & Zavier. Grandparents are Gus & Debbie Galvan, & Hermalinda Ortiz. She likes playing with toys and her angry bird. Favorite color is pink. Favorite foods are chicken nuggets and anything with cheese. She doesn't like doing her chores or waking up in the morning.

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Wolverines win District track meet

It's been a busy week for Texico tracksters. At the Tucumcari Relays on April 21, the Wolverines finished 2nd with 94 points -- 1 1/3 points behind the host.

Placing were:
 Long jump - Shay Harrison, 2nd, 18'5"; Justin Rucker, 4th, 17'7."
 Shot put - Daniel Gomez, 4th, 38'4.5; Jesus Rivera, 5th, 38'1."
 Discus - Rivera, 3rd, 116'1; Zach Madrid, 6th, 107'4."
 Triple jump - Rallin Harris, 2nd, 37'2.5; Tristan Lockmiller, 3rd, 37'1.5."
 Javelin - Rivera, 1st, 179'3; Harrison, 4th, 128'0."
 100 dash - Brandon King, 1st, 11.06; Harrison, 4th, 11.43."
 200 dash - Jason Tuls, 3rd, 24.41; Rivera, 4th, 24.68."
 400 dash - Wayne Skabelund, 1st, 52.75; Rucker, 2nd, 54.56."
 800 run - Eliseo Arenivaz, 5th, 2:16.40."
 400 relay - Texico, 3rd, 47.59."
 1600 medley relay - Texico, 1st, 3:43."
 1600 relay - Texico, 1st, 3:35.31."

The Wolverines won District easily with 195 points. Tucumcari had 86; Clayton, 81, and Santa Rosa, 74.

Placing were:
 Long jump - Harrison, 1st, 19'6.25; Rucker, 4th, 17'9.25."
 Shot put - D. Gomez, 4th, 39'0.25; Rivera, 6th, 36'8."
 Discus - Rivera, 1st, 122'10; Madrid, 6th, 101'11."
 Triple jump - Adrian Gomez, 1st, 39'0; Harris, 2nd, 36'5.5; Lockmiller, 3rd, 34'4.25."
 Javelin - Rivera, 1st, 160'10; Harris, 4th, 131'0."
 High jump - Arnolfo deAnda, 3rd, 5'2."
 Pole vault - deAnda, 1st, 11'6; Jaron Faircloth, 3rd, 10'6."
 100 dash - King, 5th, 11.41."
 200 dash - Alan Valles, 2nd, 23.40; Tuls, 4th, 24.27."
 400 dash - Rucker, 1st, 53.50; Skabelund, 2nd, 53.75; Lockmiller, 3rd, 55.40."
 800 run - Colton Hollis, 1st, 2:01.28; Harris, 3rd, 2:12.75; Matthew Graves, 4th, 2:13.78."
 1600 run - Hollis, 1st, 4:39.25; Arenivaz, 2nd, 5:03.93; Graves, 4th, 5:29.24; Faircloth, 6th, 5:39."
 3200 run - Arenivaz, 1st, 10:57.90; Tyler Bridges, 6th, 12:47."
 110 hurdles - A. Gomez, 1st, 15:09; Donovan Johnson, 2nd, 16:12; Harrison, 3rd, 16.93."
 300 hurdles - Harrison, 1st, 41:06; A. Gomez, 2nd, 41.31; Johnson, 3rd, 43.28."
 400 relay - Texico, 2nd, 44.59."
 800 relay - Texico, 1st, 1:32.63."
 1600 medley relay - Texico, 2nd, 4:03.99."
 1600 relay - Teico, 1st, 3:38.12"

The Lady Wolverines finished 3rd at the Tucumcari Relays with 60 poibnts. Clayton won with 110.

Placing were:
 Long jump - McKenzi Mayfield, 2nd, 15'6.25."
 Triple jump - Breanna Douma, 4th, 27'2; Chyanne

Scarborough, 5th, 26'4."
 Javelin - Mel Lucero, 3rd, 96'7."
 High jump - Sarah Daniels, 3rd, 4'10."
 100 dash - Douma, 6th, 13.68."
 200 dash - Lucero, 3rd, 27.90; Scarborough, 4th, 28.61."
 400 dash - Cassidy Downing, 4th, 1:08.72."
 1600 run - Kassie Waller, 6th, 6:53.43."
 3200 run - Kyla Myers, 6th, 14:50."
 300 hurdles - Daniels, 2nd, 52.59."
 400 relay - Texico, 4th, 53.22."
 800 relay - Texico, 2nd, 1:52.06."
 1600 medley relay - Texico, 2nd, 4:38.50."
 1600 relay - Texico, 4th, 4:33.12."

The Lady Wolverines finished 2nd at District with 108/5 points.

Clayton won with 133; Santa Rosa had 93, and Tucumcari had 80.

Placing were:
 Long jump - Mayfield, 4th, 14'8."
 Discus - Shaylee Anderson, 3rd, 93'0.5."
 Triple jump - Douma, 4th, 26'8; Scarborough 5th, 26'0.5."
 Javelin - Lucero, 1st, 107'2; Taylor Stephens, 5th, 86'4."
 High jump - Anderson, 1st, 5'0; Daniels, 2nd, 4'10."
 Pole vault - Lucero, 1st, 6'0."
 100 dash - Daniels, 4th, 13.76; Downing, 5th, 13.78; Scarborough, 6th, 14.06."
 200 dash - Lucero, 2nd, 27.06; Scarborough, 5th, 28.75."
 400 dash - Downing, 4th, 1:06.72."
 800 run - Karina Salazar, 4th, 2:56.96."
 1600 run - Darby Tharp, 2nd, 6:45.21; K. Olguin, 4th, 7:04.90; Waller, 5th, 7:09.37."
 3200 run - Olguin, 3rd, 14:59.84; Myers, 4th, 15:08.72."
 300 hurdles - Anderson, 1st, 51.36; Daniels, 2nd, 51.74; Erin Lane, 6th tie, 55.43."
 1600 medley relay - Texico, 1st, 4:40.44."
 1600 relay - Texico, 1st, 4:27.49."

Texico's 8th Boys took 3rd at the Marshall Track Meet on April 21 with 66.5 points.

Placing were:
 High jump - Dylan Weems 2nd tie, 4'8; Zach Harrison, 4th, 4'6."
 Long jump - Rafael Maldonado, 1st, 15'10."
 Triple jump - Maldonado, 5th, 31'11.75."
 Discus - Blake Edwards, 6th, 88'0."
 100 dash - Edwards, 4th tie, 12.93."
 200 dash - Ramon Garcia, 3rd, 25.09; Jake Barnett, 5th tie, 27.52."
 400 dash - Logan Caselman, 2nd, 59.56."
 1600 run - Uriel deAnda, 5th, 5:59.69."
 110 hurdles - Harrison, 1st, 17.77."
 300 hurdles - Harrison, 1st, 46.11."
 800 relay - Texico, 3rd, 1:47.25."
 1600 medley relay - Texico, 3rd, 4:46.29."
 1600 relay - Texico, 2nd, 4:25.93."

Texico's 8th Girls were 4th at the Marshall Meet with 69 points.



Placing were:
 Shot put - Emily Hodnett, 5th, 23'0."
 Discus - Hodnett, 2nd, 72'2."
 200 dash - Audrey Wren, 2nd, 30.01; Hailee Kelley, 6th, 34.71."
 400 dash - Arianna Meza, 2nd, 1:15.35; Kelley, 5th, 1:19.04."
 800 run - Klara Sawyer, 6th, 3:05.55."
 1600 run - Sawyer, 3rd, 6:59.89; Gaby Sites, 4th, 7:01.96."
 100 hurdles - Halee Prather, 3rd, 21.07."
 300 hurdles - Brianna Reyna, 4th, 57.96."
 400 relay - Texico, 1st, 56.72."
 800 relay - Texico, 1st, 2:00.41."
 1600 medley relay - Texico, 3rd, 5:5.69."
 1600 relay - Texico, 2nd, 4:57."

Texico's 7th Boys finished 4th at the Marshall Meet with 33 points.

Placing were:
 High jump - Mason Golden, 1st tie, 4'10."
 Discus - Andres Rodriguez, 2nd, 95'7; Devon Rose, 4th, 80'7."
 Shot put - Collin Williams and Rodriguez, 6th tie, 28'11."
 100 dash - Golden, 1st, 12.11."
 400 dash - Michael Hill, 4th, 1:03.12; Andrew Meeks, 5th, 1:03.26."
 800 run - David Martinez, 6th, 3:01.17."
 1600 run - Hill, 3rd, 6:07.82; Lance Myers, 6th, 6:54.76."

Texico's 7th Girls were 4th at the Marshall Meet with 28 points.

Placing were:
 Discus - Maddie Sealey, 5th, 61'3."
 Shot put - Sealey, 3rd, 26'8; Claudia Colmenero, 5th, 24'9."
 200 dash - Whitney Skabelund, 3rd, 30.39."
 400 dash - Micah Pinnell, 5th, 1:13.31."
 1600 run - Bridges, 4th, 7:03.03; Amanda Meeks, 5th, 7:08.25."
 100 hurdles - Jaden Stephens, 4th, 19.99."

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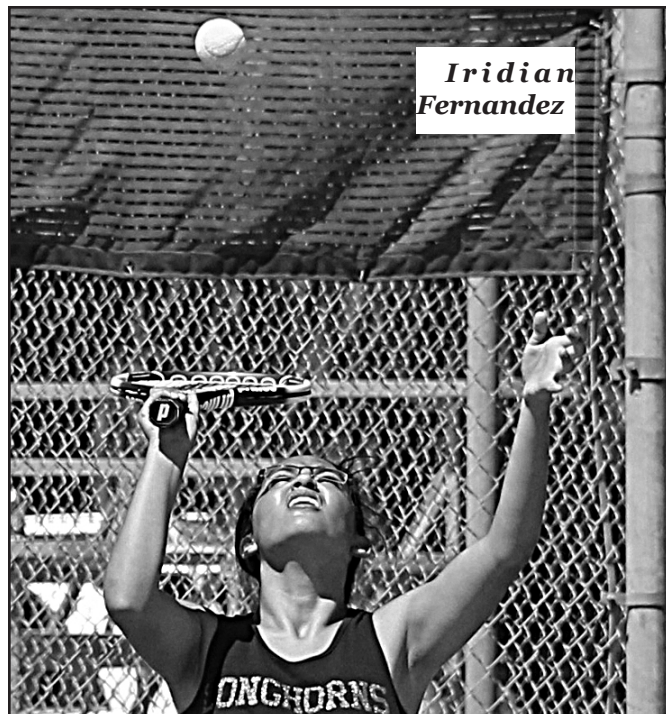
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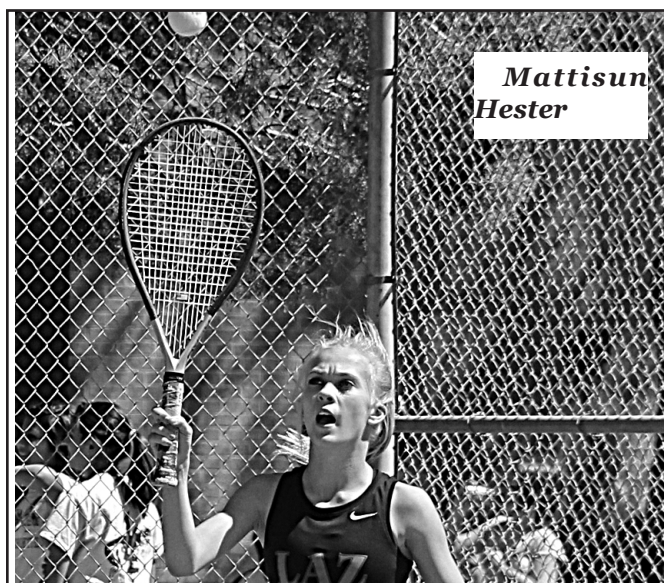
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Texico to host opening State playoff game

The Texico Wolverines are seeding No. 5 in the State baseball playoffs.

In the first round, Texico will host the Estancia Bears, seeded No. 12, on Wednesday, May 2, at 5 p.m. mt.

If the Wolverines win, they continue State play at Albuquerque next week at Cleveland High School.

The rest of the playoff schedule is: May 9, 2:30 p.m. mt; May 10, noon mt; and May 1, 1 p.m. mt.

The Wolverines won the District title with a 16-4 smashing of Santa Rosa on April 27.

The Wolverines finished District play with a 7-2 record.

The game was over after 5 innings due to the 10-run rule.

John Myers and Jarron Hill combined on a 3-hitter.

Top batters were Hill, 2 singles and 2 RBIs; and Carlos Silva, a single, two walks and got on base when he was hit by a pitch.

Earlier in the week, the Wolverines stomped on Tucumcari, 11-3.

Hill pitched a 3-hitter.

Top batters were Jonah Walls, 2 singles and 2 RBIs; D.J. Griego, a single, triple and RBI. Silva got on base 4 times on walks.

The Wolverines ended their regular season with a non-district double-header on Saturday against Pecos.

The teams split their games, and Texico has a 13-12 record going into the State playoffs.



Sergio Posada reacts after being hit by a pitch. Photos by Cary McFarden.



The Latest

Texico 5th graders will have a Living Museum on May 3 from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. mst.

Students will dress up as famous characters from each state.

Texico's golf team heads to the state tourney on Monday.

At the District meet, Allison Myers, Megan Long and Laura McFarden earned All-District honors, with McFarden shooting an 82 for best score.

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Notice of Public Hearing of Texas Department of State Health Services and the City of Farwell, TX

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing of the Texas Department of State Health Services and the City of Farwell will be held on the 8th of May 2012 at 6:00 p.m. at Farwell City Hall at 100 9th Street at which time the following subject will be discussed, to wit:

A variance from the Texas Department of State Health Services for the Farwell Volunteer Emergency Medical Service to operate with one certified EMS volunteer and one non-EMS certified driver on the ambulance if necessary.

Celebrating National Teacher Day

National Teacher Day is Tuesday, May 8, across our fine nation.

On behalf of Farwell Schools, our Board of Trustees and myself, I would like to personally say "Thank You" to our Farwell ISD faculty for the outstanding job you do each day for our students.

You are appreciated!
Mike Read, Superintendent

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City of Texico Public Meeting City Budget

Fiscal Year 2012
Tuesday, May 8, 2012
At 6:00 p.m.
Texico City Hall, 219 Griffin

All residents are encouraged To attend this meeting

Lula Scioli

Lula Iona Scioli, 78, of Clovis, died April 27, 2012, at Clovis Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center.

Services were held April 30 at The Chape in Clovis with Rev. Dick Ross officiating. Burial followed at Sunset Terrace Cemetery in Farwell.

Pallbearers included Josh Scioli, David Scioli, Chris Scioli, James Kennett, David Scott and Billy Scott.

Lula was born Jan. 10, 1934, to Elzie and Sarah (Wood) Daniel in San Bois, Okla. She married Anthony J. Scioli Sept. 20, 1955, in Farwell, and they came to Clovis in 1975.

She was an instructor at Vogue Beauty College. Lula enjoyed ceramics, playing guitar, and collecting rocks.

Survivors include 2 sons, Mike (Jackie) Scioli, of Clovis, and Doug (Susan) Scioli, of Texico; a daughter, Lou (Kevin) Barry of Clovis; a brother, Idis Daniel of Kinta, Okla.; 7 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband; six brothers and a sister; and a great-grandson, Grayson Scioli.

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From the 1977 Tribune:

Katherine Lockhart, the Farwell School nurse for 25 years, has retired. When teachers and students return to school this fall, they will notice the absence of the gracious, silver-haired woman who always had kind words and happy smiles for all she came into contact with.

When Mrs. Lockhart embarked on her career 25 years ago, she served Farwell, Bovina and Lazbuddie schools on a cooperative basis. The schedule was set up that way because none of the schools had enough teachers to warrant a full-time nurse.

In 1959, Farwell reached its quota, but not the other schools. So services continued to be shared. During the last few years, she served Farwell and Bovina mostly, and Lazbuddie on an advisory basis. She would visit Farwell on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays, and Bovina on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

Mrs. Lockhart's tasks were varied and always aimed at helping the student. Besides administering first aid when necessary, she also screened students for potential health problems, always seeking the proper avenue to help the child.

Mrs. Lockhart fondly recalls a boy afflicted with curvature of the spine who was restored to full physical capacity after she helped arrange for an operation. In 25 years, she has seen her share of epidemics, from mumps, chicken pox and measles to scarlet fever and, prior to the vaccine, a few cases of polio.

Mrs. Lockhart said teachers always sent students to her who didn't feel well. Sometimes, students would like on the bed for awhile, other times she would have to call their parents. State laws always prohibit dispensing any medication other than first-aid fundamentals.

During her years at Farwell Schools, she noted many transformations, including construction of the elementary and high school buildings, gym, band hall, and home economics cottage. She said the present administration building was once the old home ec cottage.

Mrs. Lockhart said one of the earlier superintendents had recommended that she not wear the stiff white uniforms which characterized nurses, as school-age children might be unnecessarily frightened. So she opted for a soft blue uniform she has worn all these years.

Looking back, she said children are basically the same, but may have been more disciplined years ago. And she noted that high school principal Jack Williams, who also retired this year, was the only Farwell administrator or teacher who was part of the system when she was hired in 1952.

Mrs. Lockhart and her husband John, who was a retired railroader, live in Texico. Because of her interest in science and related fields as a youth, her choice of a nursing career was quite natural.

Her first job as a private duty nurse was in Dallas. Then she took a nursing job at Clovis Hospital and met her husband in that community.

Parmer County Judge A.D. Smith, who was the ex-officio county school superintendent in 1952, and his wife Genevieve, who taught music, suggested to Mrs. Lockhart that she become a nurse for the county schools.

Over the years, she said her basic responsibilities had not changed but there were a few improvements, such as an audiometer which detects early hearing problems, and updated visual testing equipment.

Mrs. Lockhart also teaches Sunday School at the First Baptist Church of Texico and has taught elementary school classes as well. She also has worked with a missionary group.

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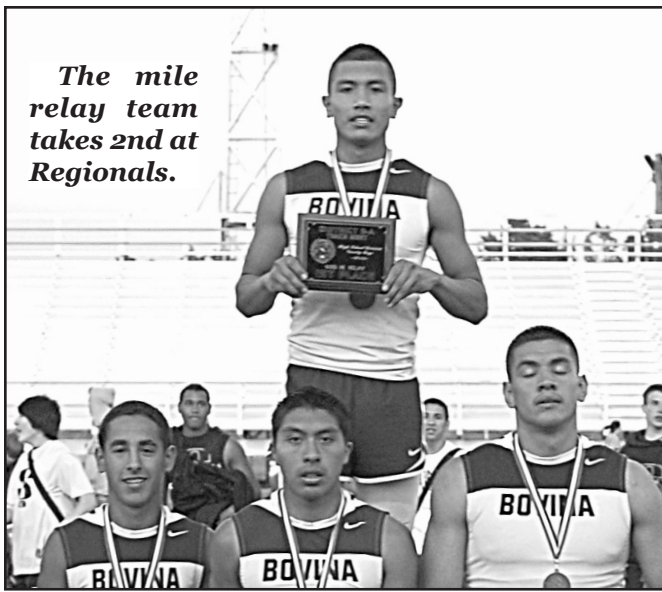
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Mile relay team heads to State

Bovina's Mile Relay team is headed for State. The team of Ramiro Nicolas, Joseph Casas, Jose Lara and Rolando Perez, finished 2nd in the time of 3:25.25 at the Regional Meet at Levelland last week. Finishers in 1st and 2nd places advance to State. Forty-five teams competed. The Mustangs finished 12th.

Also:
 -- 3200 run -- Juan Pinela finished 6th in 11:03.28; Abel Rocha, 13th, 11:10.94, and Pedro Dominguez, 13th, 11:10.94.
 -- 1600 run -- Pinela was 8th in 4:54.30.
 -- Discus -- Aaron Castaneda took 8th with a throw of 134'7.

On the girls' side, Anabel Lara finished 12th in the 3200 run in 14:14.26.

Fund-raiser basketball tournament scheduled

The first annual Bovina basketball tournament for boys will be held May 10-12, announced Izzy and Charlotte Marrufo.

Divisions are 5/6 grades and 7th grade. Entry fee is \$125 and three games are guaranteed. Deadline to sign up is May 7. Call (806) 881-6965. Funds raised for summer camp for high school athletes.



Giving blood

High school student Gael Vela gives blood at a recent blood drive at Bovina Schools. (Photo by Celia Quintana.)

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Bovina Banter

From page 15

at the school auditorium at 7 p.m.

Our band has been an award-winner throughout the year and is a great representation of the wonderful and successful things we have here in Bovina.

I hope everyone comes out to a great evening of good music.

School will be out early on May 4 at 12:04 pm.

School lunch menus for next week:

Monday - steak fingers, cream potatoes, green beans, fruit cocktail, rolls.

Tuesday - sloppy joes, pickle spears, apples, potato chips.

Wednesday - chicken quesadilla, pinot beans, corn, yogurt.

Thursday - lasagna, tossed salad, crackers, garlic toast, peaches.

Friday - pepperoni pizza, carrot, celery, Jello cookies, oranges.

The school athletic banquet is on May 8 at 6 p.m. Make sure you get your tickets ... it helps out if the people putting it together have an idea as to the attendance.

They will serve rib eye steaks with all the trimmings. Tickets are \$10.

The high school will hold the academic award ceremony May 10 at 6 p.m.

Hosting it in the evening will hopefully allow more parents the opportunity to attend and support their child.

It is wonderful to see the school trying to accommodate the community.

Dr. Bob Dana, the chiropractor who was working with Dr. Mindy Neal, has returned to live in Dallas.

A Mother's Day chicken dinner will be hosted by the Catholic Youth Organization on May 13 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at St. Ann's Catholic Church.

The \$8 meal includes fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, dessert and a drink.

Carnations will be given the first 200 mothers.

From Nov. 8, 1945:

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Steelman and family, of Clovis, spent the weekend in Bovina.

Daisy Holdren, of Phoenix, niece of J.H. Steelman, was accidentally killed.

Lt. Bass Elliott was promoted to company commander. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Elliott.

The young adult class at the Methodist Church held a party hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Rury went to Muleshoe on business.

Dessa King married Sgt. Roy Heuer and made their home in Bovina.

Mrs. Barbara Kessler received word that her husband has landed in the U.S. after 10 months in the Pacific.

Buck Ellison attended to business in Portales.

God Bless and have a great week.

Interesting Fact of the Week: Honey is easy to digest because bees have already digested it. It actually sounds pretty gross.

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Chiropractic and Medical Clinic

to open in Bovina

Mindy Neal DC and Kim McArthur FNP-C will be opening a combined clinic that will offer chiropractic and medical services to the surrounding area.

Mindy and Kim are both hometown girls. The combined clinic will start construction this week and opening date will be in August this year.

We are so excited to join forces and offer a number of different services for Bovina and the surrounding communities.



Antonio Rocha, Rosa Duarte, Hector Lopez and Karen Rocha work on parfaits.



Hector Lopez helps Salomon Lopez, Fernando Lopez, Aurora Lopez, Adriana Rojas and Liliana Cordova measure ingredients.

Mixing reading with fun

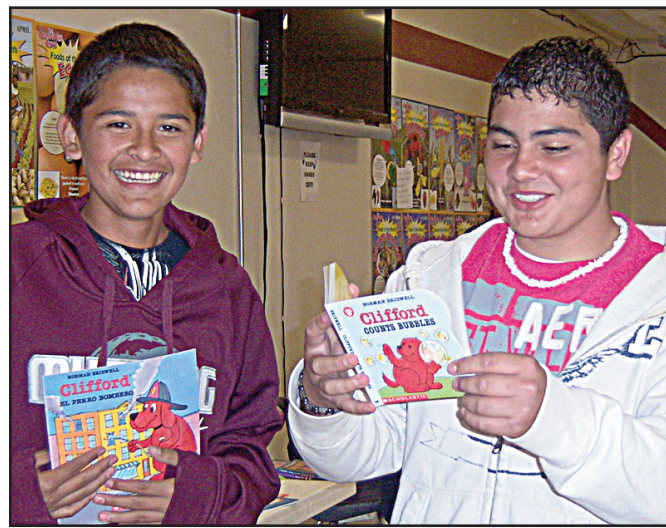
From Celia Quintana:
Bovina School has two Reading is Fun events each year to encourage each migrant child to read during the summer

In these meetings, we incorporate an activity that encourages reading. We always try to do something fun and that will also include math; just another way to demonstrate to parents how to use reading and math skills at home.

This year, students learned to make yogurt parfaits while selecting books.



Mateo Rojas, David Granados, and Vicente Rocha pick out books.



Hector Lopez and Antonio Rocha read their favorite books. (Photos by Celia Quintana)



Lory Saenz helps Kenya Chavez and Salomon Lopez pick out books.

Chamber sets up website

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce held a very productive meeting on April 26, reports Kay Swafford, the group's secretary-treasurer.

Fifteen persons attended, including Mayor Stan Miller and School Supt. Dale Fullerton.

Martha Tyler, who heads the welcoming committee, gave a lengthy report:

First, a ribbon-cutting ceremony was to be conducted April 28 at the Mustang Gift Shop on the highway.

Also, the welcoming committee plans to meet new residents and give them some gifts, like Bovina mugs, a brochure about the city, and a list of what's available in the area.

And a website, set up by Bovina High graduate Jesus Anaya, will soon go into effect.

The Chamber has bought three names so folks can find its website easily. It will be called "bovinachamberofcommerce" followed by .net, .org or .com. All three internet sites will get folks to the Chamber.

The group also approved a mission statement for the Chamber:

"Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is dedicated to being a strong advocate in promotion of business and enhancement of civic and cultural environment to foster a better quality of life for all who call Bovina home."

City Manager Jana Pitcock gave report on the Donor Wall for the Community Center. Funds raised through this project will go toward purchasing furnishings for the center.

Mrs. Swafford stressed that everyone in the area is invited to the Chamber meetings, which are held the last Thursday of each month at 6 p.m. at the EMS building.

To join the Chamber, the cost is \$25 for individuals and \$50 for businesses. All businesses will be listed on the new Chamber website.

So far, 25 individuals and 21 businesses have joined the Chamber.

Bovina Banter

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A big thanks to all the volunteers who helped with the First Baptist Church Rummage Sale. The proceeds go to the youth group to attend camp. They expect around 10 campers this year.

working on raising money for high school students to attend summer camps is headed by Charlotte Maruffo. They will put on a basketball tournament May 10-12 for the 5th-7th grade divisions.

If you like to volunteer to help, contact Charlotte

at (806) 881-6965.

Mother's Day is on the 13th ... please, do not forget. What an opportunity to express our love and appreciation to our mothers.

My mom is my hero. Thanks for all the love and support; I love you.

Mustangs Band's Spring Concert is May 3

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I was born and raised in Bovina; my parents are Joe and Celeste Olvera. My dad was a city councilman for 5 years and he inspired me to follow in his footsteps, always telling me that Bovina had the best residents.

My wife, Elida, and I have four children: Edgar, 11; Natalie, 9; Jacob, 2, and Miranda, 8 months. I am employed at the AGP Grain elevator here. My family attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

I am involved in several activities my children participate in, such as the Bovina Youth Basketball League, Bovina youth football and the Little Dribblers.

Bovina is my home and I love my home. I believe Bovina is prospering in ways I would never have thought of, with the Community Center as a prime example that our city is headed in the right direction.

For me, Bovina's advancement starts with the people who help manage it, and I want to be part of that. So I am asking for your support in the May 12 city election.



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Citizens of Bovina

I am asking for your vote on May 12.

I have served on the Council for 4 years, and have had the privilege to serve as your Mayor for 8 years.

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I feel as though Bovina is on the move, and has a bright future ahead.

The following is a list of projects that are in the works at this time:

1) The Community Center, this has been a long time coming, and should improve the quality of life in Bovina.

2) Affordable Housing, We are working with developers, and housing should be coming to Bovina in the very near future.

3) Industry and jobs, we have been working on this for a long time now and we can finally see the fruits of our labor, Bovina is slated to have a large boost in industry and jobs in the near future. We have been working with a large corporation to locate a 35 million dollar branch in Bovina, and there should be an announcement in the very near future.

These are just a few of the projects that are in the works, and with the addition of these, more businesses will come.

I feel that community involvement is a must, and volunteering is a good way to serve your community, that is why I continue to serve Bovina where I can, such as The Chamber of Commerce, Bovina EMS as a Paramedic, a member of the American Legion, and a member of First Baptist Church.

As you can see there are many things that take place behind the scenes to help Bovina prosper, and Experience is what we need to keep things moving forward, that is why I am asking for your vote on May 12.

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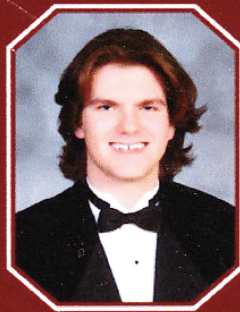
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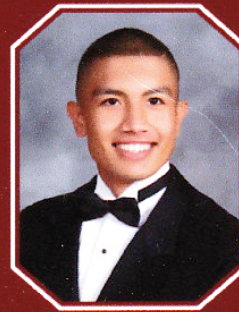
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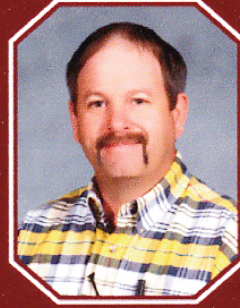
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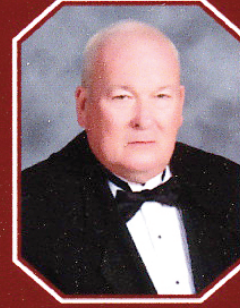
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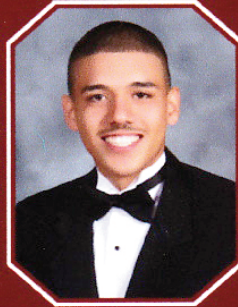


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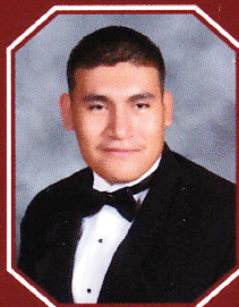
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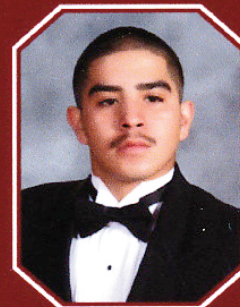
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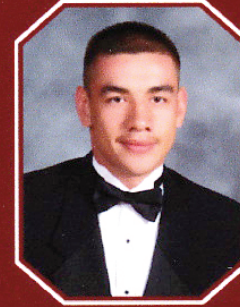
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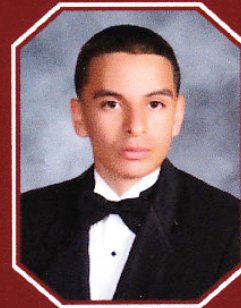


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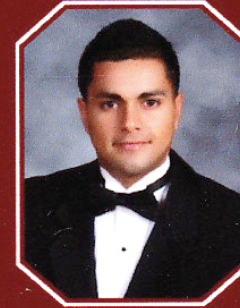
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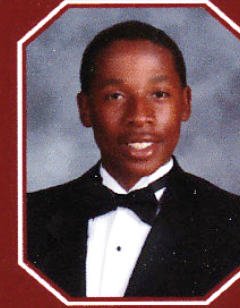
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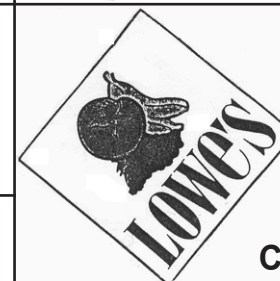
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