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The super Coopers Texico twin athletes look ahead to college

Texico High twins thankful for last year. Jordyn and Jaylyn For one thing, their Cooper had a lot to be Lady Spikers won the



Jordyn and Jaylyn Cooper

Farwell High wins 2 UIL sweepstakes

Farwell High School UIL students competed at two tournaments recently. At both, FHS won sweepstakes -- earning the most points overall in small school divisions.

At Snyder TFA tournament, Hunter Hall and Savanna Barksdale were quarterfinalists in CX Debate. Hunter was a semifinalist in Domestic Extemporaneous Speaking and Savanna was a semifinalist in Poetry. Hunter also was a finalist in Prose and placed 5th overall out of 46 Prose readers.

At Post UIL Tournament, Farwell won several events.

"We are very proud of how our students performed. They did well, but we also learned the areas we need to work on to be successful at UIL District this year. That is the purpose to these practice tournaments ... to motivate our kids by giving them a glimpse of success, but also show them their areas of weakness," said Farwell UIL coordinator Angela Teachout.

In Newswriting, Lauren Carpenter placed 6th; Ready Writing, Hanna Sudderth, 5th; Current Issues & Events, Kolten Morris, 1st and the team with Hayden Hadley and Trevor Schilling, 2nd overall; Accounting, Olivia Schilling, 1st, Lydia Gomez, 2nd, and Kathya Saenz, 5th. The accounting team was 1st with K'Leigh Jo White.

In Computer Applications, K'Leigh White was 1st and Sanjuana Sotelo, 2nd; Editorial Writing, Olivia Schilling, 2nd and Abby Johnson, 4th; Social Studies, Kolten Morris, 5th and Zachary Dale, 6th; Feature Writing, Lauren Carpenter, 2nd; and Headline Writing, Michelle Vega, 3rd.

In Speaking events, Kelsey Knight was 1st in Prose; John Ryan, 1st in Poetry; In LD Debate, Brooke Lavendar won her 1st tournament of the year placing 1st overall with an undefeated record and Austin Ratke was 3rd; Informative Speaking, Kolten Morris, 1st, Kayla Cullison, 2nd, and Trevor Schilling, 6th; and Persuasive Speaking, John Ryan Isaacson, 3rd.

Sponsors on these trips were Angela Teachout, Karen Schilling, Dorris White and Kelli Schwertner.

Mrs. Teachout thanked Richard Orozco for driving the bus on Saturday to Post.

The next TFA debate tournament is this weekend in Hereford and the next all-UIL practice meet is Feb. 4 in Idalou.

District UIL academic competition is at the end of March in Sundown.

Hinkson was first county resident to run for national office

It was 50 years ago that a historic first occurred in Parmer County.

Lazbuddie farmer and rancher Frank Hinkson became the first county resident ever to run for a national office.

He announced for U.S. congressman for an area covering 28 counties.

What also made his announcement more interesting is that he was a member of the Republican party. Since the Civil War, few GOP candidates were successful for any offices in the Lone Star state.

Asked why he signed up under the GOP banner, he replied, "People who are fed up with liberalism in the Democrat Party don't have a home anymore."

Hinkson was a member of the Farm Bureau and Methodist Church. He served on the Lazbuddie School Board for nine years as president.

He lost in the primary election to Jack Seale, former Amarillo mayor.

State volleyball championship for the sixth straight time. This means their team took the state title each each of their four years of high school, along with two State basketball championships and a State track title.

In addition, both girls signed to play college basketball with Eastern New Mexico State University. And to top it off, they were both named to the New Mexico Volleyball All-State team where they will compete in the state's all star game in July.

Jordyn Cooper was also named Class 2A Volleyball Player of the Year. The girls had a great 2011 and are looking forward to an even better 2012.

As seniors, they are certainly feeling "blessed" and thankful for their good fortune. When asked what one thing they wanted to share in this article, they didn't hesitate to answer.

Both said more than anything they want to thank their supporters and the entire community. Jordyn and Jaylyn appreciate the power of community support - maybe even a little more than the average player.

The girls lost their mother to breast cancer at a young age and feel like they have been raised by the community. Their mother, at the time the Texico Elementary School principal, made

Supt. R.L. Richards promise that he would "watch over her daughters" and bring them through school.

This was a promise that Richards took seriously. He relates a time last year when the girls were going through a rough patch and he "called them in and just asked them to pray with me. We prayed for strength and to help them get through their problems."

The girls say their strong ties to teachers, family, and supporters is a major reason that they recently chose to sign with Eastern New Mexico University to play basketball.

Jordyn and Jaylyn received offers from other colleges, but ultimately they decided they wanted to stay close to home. Since their family is close, the girls felt it would allow them to still come watch the games and be involved in their lives.

Lubbock Christian University also offered the girls scholarships, but as a private school, it was more expensive and their grandparents would have a hard time traveling to games. Jaylyn noted, "Maybe we were

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Jordyn Cooper



Jaylyn Cooper



Rebecca Davis opened Rebecca's last year in Texico

Retailers report good year

Several area retailers report that 2011 was a good year financially for them.

Retail managers and owners interviewed in Farwell and Texico report an increase in sales from the previous year and strong sales throughout the holiday season.

Sandra Ayres, manager of Dollar General in Texico, says their sales definitely increased from 2010. Her goal for 2012 is to "have everything that customers need." She predicts that her store will stock an improved variety of items to meet the needs of the Twin Cities' residents.

Rachel Cox, assistant manager of Family Dollar in Farwell, echoes those statements. She adds, "Our store has a really good staff that wants to offer the best to area residents. We are ordering better inventory and adding to what we stock in order to provide the most for our customers." Ms. Cox also reported better sales from the previous year and a very busy Christmas season.

The newest retailer in the area, Rebecca's, owned by Texico's Rebecca Davis, reports a great end to 2011 and a positive feeling about 2012.

She comments, "I was extremely pleased with how many folks I saw out buying local this year. I enjoyed meeting many new people and seeing many

folks I've known for a while."

Although the store opened late in 2011, strong Christmas sales show the support of the community.

For 2012, Mrs. Davis plans to begin a wedding registry for items in the store and also will offer tanning beds. She also wishes to meet the needs of our local customers, saying she would "love to hear from folks about what they want to see."

Old Country Store owner Cy Koehn says he is very thankful for a great 2011.

"We are thrilled with the support of our community and appreciate everyone who stops in here or places orders with us," says Koehn. "It has been really a good year for us."

Koehn reports a great lunch crowd but also good sales of items in the store. His wife, Violet, says that the bulk food items and soup mixes sold well and they hope to bring even more items in this next year. She also reports that her homemade dresses have sold well.

Violet can sew a quality dress to order for her customers. She even can make homemade doll clothes and children's dresses.

Both Old Country Store owners express the desire

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Farwell 7th boys win JH tournament

JV Girls

Farwell's JV Girls beat Bovina, 37-20.

Scoring were Taylor Stancell, 7; Taylor Presnell, Brooklyn Lamb and Kelsey Knight, 2 each; Alexa Mora, 5; Emily Stancell, 3; Jill Johnson and Christina Green, 6 each; Heather Johnson, 4.

Farwell doubled up on New Deal, 44-20.

Scoring were T. Stancell, 9; Knight, 6; Lamb, 4; Green, 12; Johnson, 8; Presnell, 2; and Stephanie Tercero, 3.

Varsity Boys

The Farwell Steers killed New Deal, 66-30, on Friday.

Scoring were Austin Mason, 15; Pearce Ponder, 12; Luis Galvan, 11; Collin Christian, 8; Kolten Morris, 4; Seth Meeks, 6; J.J. Herrera, 2; and Ruben Gutierrez, 2.

Farwell is now 9-9 on the season.

On Jan. 10, Farwell lost to Pampa, 61-29.

Scoring were Mason, 5; Galvan, 7; Christian, 2; Ponder, 7; Meeks, 2; and Gutierrez, 6.

Varsity Girls

The Lady Blue beat New Deal, 50-39, to run their season record to 16-8.

Scoring were Sasha Lara, 2; Caitlyn Stancell, 13; Abby Johnson, 5; Lauren Carpenter, 2; K'Leigh Jo White, 6; Chandler Barnes, 2; Clarisa Garcia, 14; and Keila Jennings, 6.

7th Girls

Farwell's 7th Girls beat Olton, 29-13.

Scoring were Treylin Griswold, 3; Edie White, 10; and Lindsy Coburn, 16.

At the Farwell 7th grade tournament, Farwell topped Yucca, 35-28.

Scoring were Griswold, 6; White and Ariana Cabello, 2 each; Coburn, 17; and Kendal Stancell, 8.

Farwell lost to Texico, 18-12.

Scoring were Griswold, 2; White, 4; and Stancell, 6.

Farwell was nipped by Elida, 21-19.

Scoring were Griswold, 4; Coburn, 6; and Stancell, 9.

7th Boys

Farwell's 7th grade boys won the Farwell Tourney.

They beat Elida, 42-15.

Scoring were Ty London, 10; Dalton Castle and Heath Hadley, 5 each; Adrian Vara, Dakota Meeks, Justin Perez and Alejandro Bermea, 2 each; Isiah Benoit, 4; Cameron Bass, 3; Jace Perkins, 6; Garbiel Lopez, 1.

Farwell topped Yuca, 35-26.

Scoring were Castle and Bass, 4 each; Benoit, 6; Perkins, 16; and London, 5.

And Farwell topped Texico, 42-35.

Scoring were Vara, 5; Benoit, 6; Hadley, 5; Bass, 2; Perkins, 11 (with a trio of 3-pointers); London, 11.

On Jan. 9, Farwell beat Olton, 41-12.

Scoring were Castle, 9; Vara, 2; Hadley, 2; Benoit, 4; Bass, 5; Perkins, 6; Jacob Steelman, 3; London, 2; Dakota Meeks, 4; Justin Perez, 4.

8th Boys

Farwell's 8th Boys wiped out Olton, 60-7.

Scoring were Adrian Aleman, 2; Angel Graxiola, 14; Andrew Michal-

ski, 4; Erick Tovar, 14; Oscar Muniz, 14; Gerardo Martinez, 8; Otho Gonzales, 4.

JV Boys

Farwell's JV Boys lost to Pampa, 45-30.

Scoring were Curt Langford, 4; Pedro Ruiz, 8; Tristan Owings, 1; Christian Pena, 15; and Austin Oliver, 2.

Farwell fell to New Deal, 48-24.

Scoring were Ruiz, 2; Owings, 4; AJ Bermea, 3; and Pena, 15.

8th Girls

Farwell topped Texico, 26-21.

Scoring were Jenna Kirkland, 2; Skylar Chadwick, 1; Regan Agee and Brenna Jarman, 4 each; Ami Favila, 10; and Cambree Haseloff, 5.

The Latest

The Texico Volunteer Fire Dept. will have a fund-raiser enchilada supper on Jan. 28 at 5 p.m. mt at the Texico Community Center for Dwayne Foreman.

The Texico firefighter has been diagnosed with cancer and funds raised will go toward medical expenses.

The dinner will last until 9 p.m. or until the food is gone.

St. Ann's Catholic Church is selling sausage again this year. The sausage is sold by the pound and can be regular, jalapeno or extra hot. You can place an order with any St. Ann's member or call Tami Schilling at (806) 225-7350.

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Farwell team wins Lazbuddie tourney

Farwell 8th grade boys, back from left, Coach Hanks, Ricardo Parra, Keith Kalbas, Gerardo Martinez, Jose Sotel, Armando Arevalo, Andrew Michalski, Otho Gonzales, Oscar Muniz, Adrian Aleman, Erick Tovar, Angel Graxiola. (Photo by Esperanza Martinez)

Farwell JV girls in action



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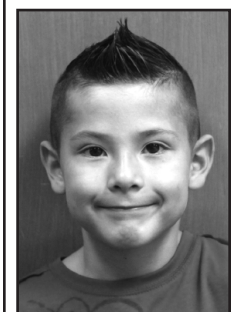
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Texico hosts Tip-Off Tourney



The 5th - 6th grade girls Lady Raider team, coached by Arnold and Christine Reyna, also took 2nd place in the tournament.

Texico hosted its first-ever Texico Tip-Off Basketball Tournament last weekend.

Area teams competed in Pee Wee division (1st - 2nd) through 5th - 6th grade. It was a very successful fund-raiser with tournament proceeds benefiting the Texico Booster Club.

Eight different Texico teams competed over the two day event.



The Texico 5th - 6th grade boys team lost a close one to Melrose to also take 2nd place in the tourney. The boys are coached by Cary Crist.



The Texico 1st - 2nd grade boys team coached by Jason Tuls and Tim Gutzler placed 2nd in the Pee Wee division.



The 3rd - 4th grade boys team for Texico placed 2nd in their age group. This team is coached by John Paul Heavyside and James Phipps.



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Texico addresses cleanup issue

The Texico City Council again addressed the cleanup of the Raul Esparza property on Lamar Street on Jan. 10.

City Inspector Terry Martin reported some progress has been made in the cleanup effort, but there is still a lot of work to do.

He said some of the junk has been moved to a house on State Street and questioned its legality.

Esther Esparza, a family member, said they couldn't work any more quickly because the Clovis dump was closed and they were waiting for good weather.

She said more progress would be made before the next City Council meeting. Councilman Jerry Bradley said, "It's been two years to get this far; two more weeks won't make a difference."

Martin said he will check the property for progress every other day until the Jan. 24 meeting.

In other business, the council:

- Heard that only two people -- Audrey Kittrell and incumbent Doug Scioli, signed up for election to the City Council. Both will be elected unopposed. Mrs. Kittrell will replace Bradley.

- Heard from Martin that cheaper flood insurance might be coming soon for Texico. Clovis recently joined the National Flood Plain Program and if Texico adopts an ordinance, they will join as well.

There is no cost to the city, and since Texico is not in a flood plain, the city should be able to get a large discount on flood insurance. Martin pointed out that some mortgage companies require flood insurance.

- Received a report from Police Chief Doug Bowman that 24 loose dogs have been caught by city police and city workers in the last two weeks.

Farwell tourney may be reinstated

The Farwell School Board on Jan. 11 discussed reinstating the Farwell Invitational Basketball Tournament next December.

The event had been an annual affair until two years ago.

Athletic Director Shane Perkins has sent out 26 letters to other schools inviting them, and a couple of positive responses have already been received.

In other business, the board:

- Heard that the two new 47-passenger school buses have arrived. The school plans to sell the old ones.

- Extended the contract for Supt. Mike Read for another year. He is on a two-year contract.

- Heard that enrollment is at 585.

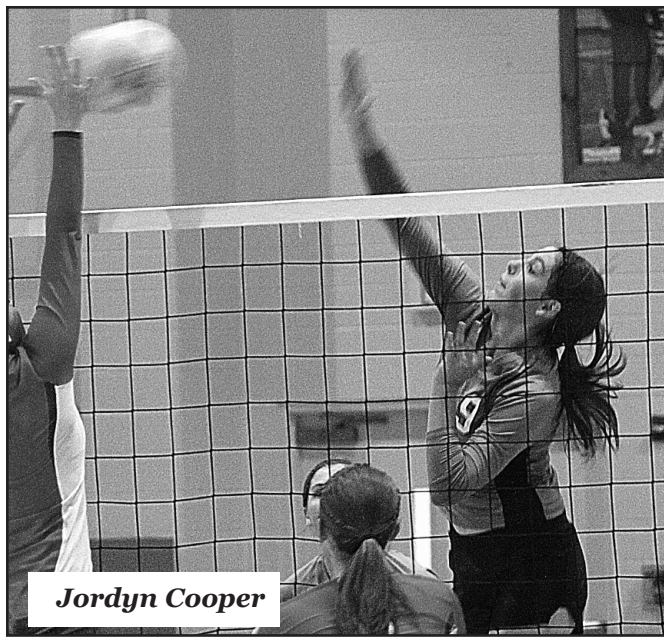
- Because snow cancelled a day earlier this school year, the school plans to have school on May 7, which had been listed as a "snow day."

- As part of school board appreciation month, the ladies in the administration office prepared a stew for board members.

Movie night

Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in corn and soda will be served.

night on Feb. 4 at 6:30 p.m.



Jordyn Cooper



Jaylyn Cooper

Cooper twins

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just meant to make a difference at Eastern. There is a lot of support for Christian values at LCU already. We want to be good examples at Eastern and help change people's lives."

Helping people is a theme for both girls.

Jordyn wants to major in math with a minor in secondary education. Her main goal is to coach. She wants to make a difference for young girls who are up-and-coming athletes.

Jaylyn wants to major in communicative disorders and speech therapy. She also feels the need to help people with her work. She can see herself coaching league teams or doing clinics for kids in her spare time. Both girls really like working with kids and can remember how they felt as young players, coming to Texico games and "idolizing the high school players." Now, Jordyn and Jaylyn always make it a point to speak with young girls who come up to them after games to encourage them to pursue sports. They want to be good examples for the young people in the community.

Whatever career path they choose, Jordyn and Jaylyn know it will take a lot of hard work. But, they already know what it takes to be successful. Even as six year olds, starting to learn basketball, the girls decided to dedicate themselves to sports.

Jordyn said, "My dad coached our teams. He didn't make us play, but said if we were going to play then he expected us to put all our effort into it. We would look around and notice other players just messing around and decided then that we were going to give it our all."

That dedication has paid off. When asked about their recent State volleyball championship, Jaylyn said, "It was a great run and an amazing journey. Really, the best part was the bond with the team -- it is definitely as valuable as the championships. We will always remember the close relationship with these girls and our coach."

They give unending thanks to Coach Kristen Scanlan who began coaching them in 6th grade and continued as their high school coach. The girls praised her positive attitude saying, "she always has the best attitude. She is a strong Christian lady who genuinely cares about each one of us and it shows in her coaching. She is just the best coach."

Jaylyn adds, "We are having a hard time realizing

that our volleyball career may be over. But what is worse is the realization that we will never play for Coach Scanlan again."

However, the girls are looking forward to their ENMU career. They have a cousin on the team so they hope it helps with their transition. Their coach is new to ENMU, so they don't know a lot about her program yet.

Jordyn said, "Coach Wilson watched us play one time and immediately confirmed she wanted us at ENMU. It was a nice feeling to know she wanted both of us."

Being together has been a big issue for the twins. They always knew they wanted to go to college together and will share a dorm room and help each other through practices and studies. Both want to play ball and complete their degrees. They also foresee graduate degrees and eventually careers in our area.

"This is such a great community with really great people," said Jordyn. "We are so thankful to have grown up here with such good support. It is amazing how many people have come to watch our games and followed our sports."

The twins are also thankful for their family support. Their dad, Lynn, and older sister, Kelley Fontanilla and her family, have been especially important to them. As a Texico teacher, Kelley has stayed close to the girls and supported their activities.

For these two Texico twins, they hope to one day give back as much as their community has given them. They feel "blessed with so many strong relationships" in this community and hope to strengthen the bond as they look forward to playing basketball at ENMU. "We hope that everyone comes to watch our games at Eastern and we will certainly be here to support Texico teams in the future."

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The Latest



Bermea makes All-State band

Farwell's Alicia Bermea, the daughter of Mona and Alfredo Bermea, was named to the All State band. She plays contra bass clarinet. Only 240 students were selected to the band, and less than 20 were from small schools.

The Bailey County extension office will host the Llano Estacado Cotton Conference Jan. 26 at the Bailey County Electric Co-op. 604 E. American Blvd., Muleshoe, with registration starting at 8 a.m.

The cost is \$25. For more information, call 272-4583.

Harry Sheets celebrated his 82nd birthday in Farwell on Saturday.

Among the guests were former coaches Jerry Dee Owen and Vernon Scott who were both hired while Sheets was on the school board.

Parmer Medical Center administrator Lance Gatlin has announced his resignation, effective Feb. 17.

He has accepted a post as administrator for Amarillo Pathology Group and an associated company, Physicians Preferred Laboratory.

He had served as PMC leader since 2003.

Sharon Menning is the new secretary at Hamlin Methodist Church.

The 13th annual Life in Christ Academy fundraiser ribeye dinner will be held at the Farwell Community Center Feb. 12 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The dinner includes baked potato, green chili corn, green beans, salad, rolls, cobbler and drink.

The cost is a free will donation at the door. Take-outs are available.

A dessert auction will be held.

Academy students will also perform.

It was interesting to see Farwell's Larry Gregory coaching the Elida Junior High girls team play in Farwell last weekend at the junior high tourney.

Gregory is a former Farwell High top athlete, basketball coach and superintendent.

He is now Elida School principal.

The New Mexico Coaches Association basketball rankings for Class 2A put the Lady Wolverines in 1st place and the Texico Wolverines in 4th place

in their respective divisions.

The Farwell High Spanish class is fundraising with flamingos.

If the flamingos show up in front of your home, you can pay \$5 for the class to come pick them up, \$10 for them to be put in front of someone else's home, or if you don't want to donate, you can just call and they will pick them up.

Parmer County's new American Legion Post will meet Jan. 23 at 7 p.m. at the Friona American Legion Post.

It's "Ladies Night" and spouses are invited.

Area "42" honcho Jerry Whitney reports that the gae will be played Jan. 20 at the Texico Community Center, Jan. 27 in Clovis, then on Feb. 3 in Texico again.

Games start at 6 p.m.

Clint Russell's wife, Holly, of Lazbuddie, was recently hospitalized.

Texico 3rd grade teacher Red Lonsdale is scheduled for back surgery in Amarillo soon.

Here's the list of entrants in the annual Texico spelling bee:

8th grade - Kasye Long, champion; Whitney Skabelund, runnerup; Madilyn Cook, Luke Spears.

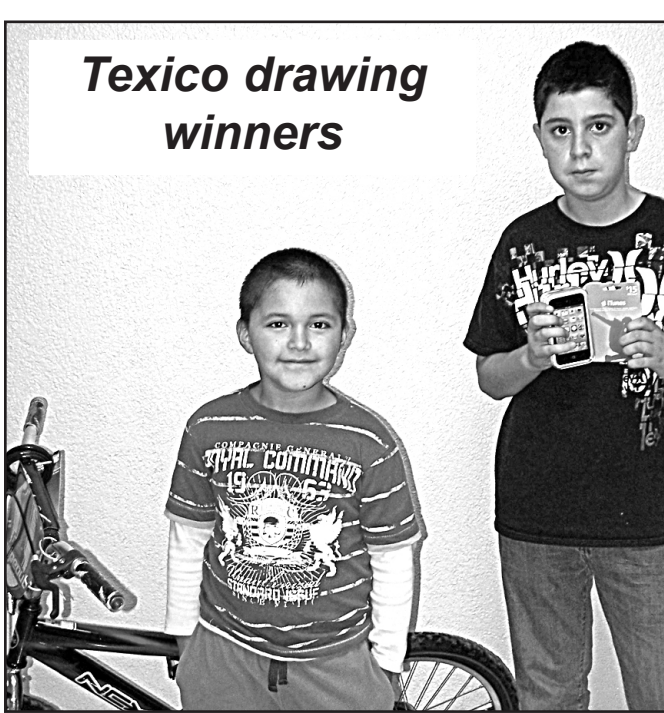
7th grade - Kyleigh Bridges.

6th grade - Hannah Myers, Matthew Barriga

5th grade - Sydney Cook, Kayla Lam.

4th grade - Elias Cardenas, Elizabeth Torres.

3rd grade - Grace McDaniel.



Texico drawing winners

Educare Dental Group recently gave free exams at Texico Schools. There was no cost to families. Those who had Medicare had their bills sent there. Two drawings were held. Winners were Victor Buendia, left, a 2nd grader who won a bicycle; and Ivan de'Anda, a 6th grader, who won an I-pod. (Photo by Karen Stevenson)



Folks at Dollar General

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to expand their inventory for next year and work toward providing the best customer service possible. Koehn comments, "We have a small staff, but we are determined to try to offer faster, better service next year." They also plan to expand their catering business and provide quality food for local events or businesses.

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Just Listed - 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.

Just Listed - 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.

Just listed - 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.

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

Just Listed - 620 acres SW of Lariat. 1 10-tower Zimmatic sprinkler with 7 wells.

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

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

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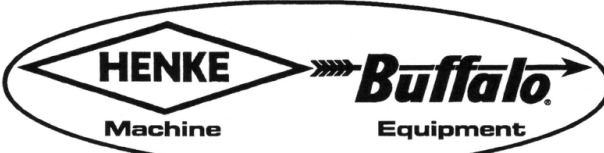
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 Farwell -- the JV & varsity teams host Sudan on Jan. 20 and Olton on Jan. 24. The JH teams play in the Frional Junior High Tourney Jan. 19-21. On Jan. 23, the JH teams play at New Deal.
 Lazbuddie -- the varsity teams host Hart on Jan. 20, then play at Kress on Jan. 24. The JH teams play at Happy on Jan. 23.
 Bovina -- the JV & varsity teams host Olton on Jan. 20 and Hale Center on Jan. 24. The MS teams play at Springlake-Earth on Jan. 23.

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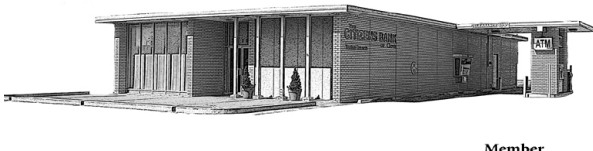
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Texico FFA team wins State in Parliamentary Procedure

Texico FFA Greenhand and Chapter Parliamentary Procedure Teams competed at the State Contest on Monday.

The Greenhand Team won 3rd. Team members were Tristan Lockmiller, Justin Rucker, Tyler Bridges, Tanner Pelfrey, Jonah Tuls, Matthew McWhorter, Brendon Clark and Dalton Wren.

The Chapter Team was the State Champion. Team members were Sabra Barnett, Elliott Pelfrey, Rallin Harris, Lindsey Foote, Uriel Munoz, Rae Lynn Prather and McKenzi Mayfield.

The advisor is Tod Pinnell. ***

Texico FFA Greenhand and Chapter Parliamentary Procedure Teams competed at the District IV Contest last week.

The Greenhand Team won 1st. Team members were Tristan Lockmiller, Justin Rucker, Tyler Bridges, Tanner Pelfrey, Jonah Tuls, Matthew McWhorter, Brendon Clark and Dalton Wren.

Chapter Team was 2nd. Team members were Sabra Barnett, Elliott Pelfrey, Rallin Harris, Lindsey Foote, Uriel Munoz, Rae Lynn Prather and McKenzi Mayfield.

Both teams qualified for the state contest.

Lazbuddie JH boys in action



'Horns tip Silverton

Varsity Boys
The Lazbuddie Longhorns lost to Happy, 50-21, last week.

Scoring were Justin Schacher, 4; Jared Timms, 3; Jarrod Jesko, 2; Alex Lopez, 4; and Todd Nichols, 8.

On Friday, the 'Horns beat Silverton, 44-42.

Scorers were Nichols, 15; Jesko, 11; Lopez, 6; Trevor Hill, 3; and Timms, 9.

Lazbuddie is now 6-10 overall and 1-1 in district.

Varsity Girls

The Lady 'Horns team were defeated by Happy, 44-35.

Scoring were Shyann

Rainey, 8; Ashton Mason, 4; Maysun Hester, 12; Lacey Jesko, 7; Karina Galaviz and Shea Scott, 2 each.

Lazbuddie lost to Silverton on Friday, 44-32.

Scoring were Jesko, 15; Rainey, 9; Mason and Galaviz, 2 each; and Hester, 4.

The Lady 'Horns are now 1-2 in district and 16-8 overall.

The Latest

Word has been received of the death of Marie Redwine, 70, of Friona.

She married Clyde Redwine in 1962 in Lazbuddie.

The Lazbuddie School

Board on Jan. 11 approved an internet safety policy as required by the Children's Internet Protection Act.

The board also:

-- Discussed the superintendent's evaluation process.

-- Ate dinner prepared by FCCLA students (January is school board recognition month). Students also gave board members gifts.

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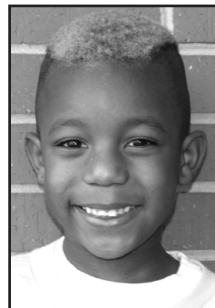
Wednesday - lasagna, green beans, salad, garlic bread, apple pie.

Thursday - green chili stew, corn bread, salad, earthquake cake.

Friday - chili dogs, french fries, pickles - onions, salad, cherry cobbler with ice cream.

Seniors over 55, \$3.50; all take-outs, 50 cents extra; guests under 55, \$6.50. Delivery is 50¢.

Meet Texico's Class of 2024



Karen Smith is a Texico kindergartener. His birthday is Oct. 7.

Parents are Tiffany Martin & Tony Smith. Siblings are Shamond and step-sister Tori. Grandparents are Terry & Sandra Martin.

He likes playing outside, puzzles, cars, x-box and soccer.

His favorite color is blue. She likes to eat fish and chicken nuggets.

He doesn't like onions or "girl stuff."

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Wednesday - oven crispy chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot roll, sliced peaches, milk.
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Friday - pizza, crunchy broccoli, salad, corn cobette, pears, milk.

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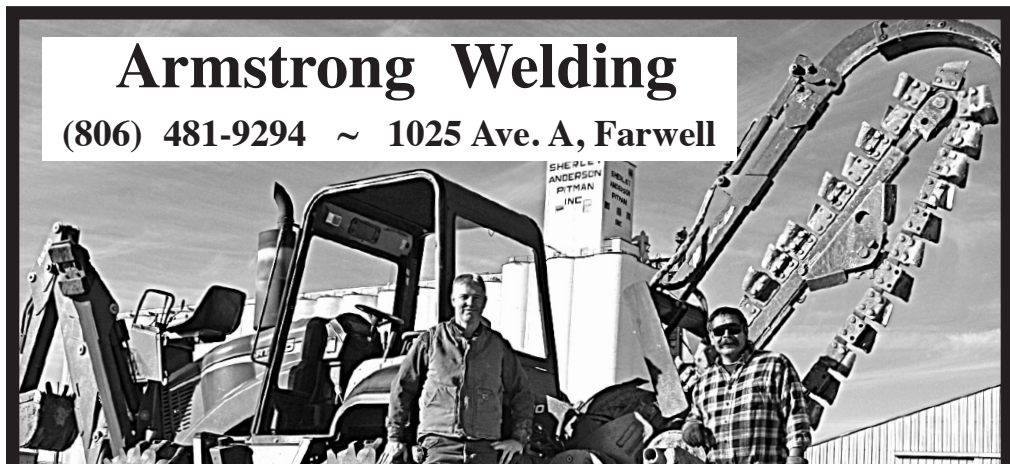
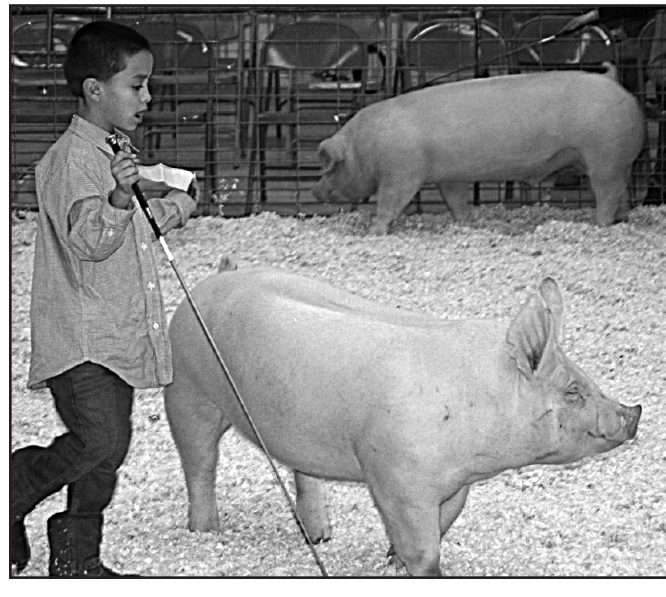
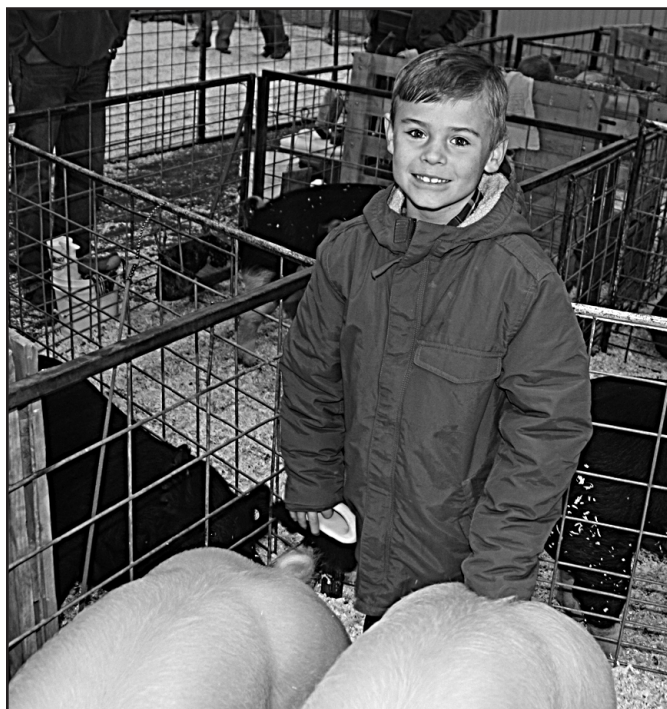
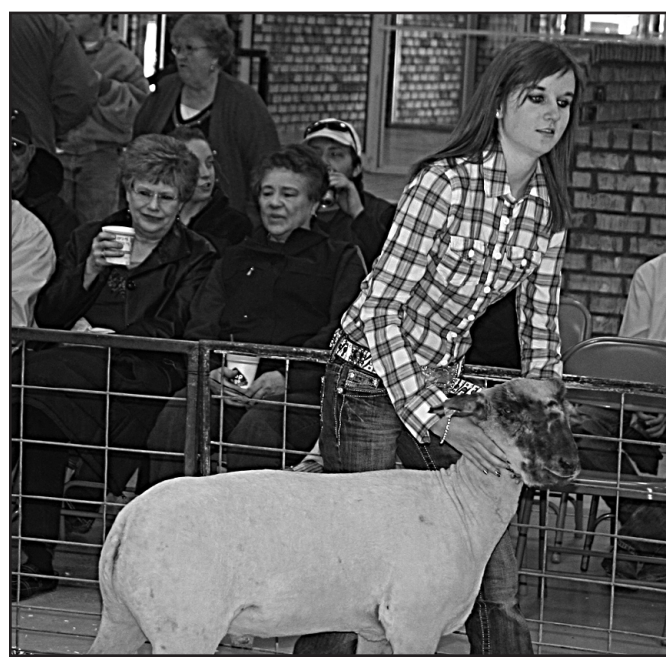
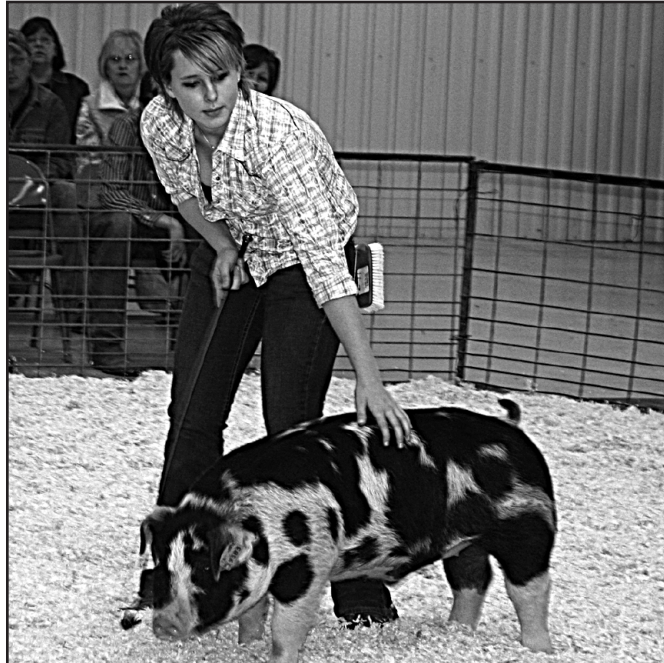
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Farwell Elementary Students of the 3rd 6 weeks are: kindergarten, Sherlyn Carrillo, Lilly London, Keilana Woznick; 1st grade, Piper Actkinson, Julian Solis, Jaelyn Smith; 2nd grade, Lydia Calderon, Carlos Castillo; 3rd grade, Jory Barrera, Garrison Bohler, Kerigan Kasel; 4th grade, Marcus Baca, Karson Barnes, Daniel Dzul, and 5th grade, Kinley Kalbas and Caitlyn Garcia.

Farwell scholars listed

Here are the 3rd six week honor rolls for Farwell Elementary School.
 Barnes -- Honor Roll: Austin Hester, Cunthia Maldonado, Slade Perkins; Achievement List: Spencer Schilling, Valeria Ruiz, Conner Johnson, Adal Garcia, Bailey Chadwick, Jory Barrera, Rylee Austin.
 McFarland: Honor Roll: Leefe Actkinson, Garison Bohler, Maci Mullin; Achievement List: Christian Cano, Ashely Carrillo, Aldo Galvan, Christopher Herrera, Carli Lunsford, Jonathan Mora, Kassidy Nelson, Emma Smallwood, Lane Terry.
 Cooper: Honor Roll: Mililani Woznick, Deborah Stinson, Kevin Avila; Achievement List: Bethany Young, Guerrero Olmos, Luke Mitchell, Haidin LeClear, Louis Germain, Christian Exiga, Eric Erives, Hector Cecena.
 Lavender: Honor Roll: Marcus Baca, Kyn-ton Haseloff, Brisa Solis, Erica Williams; Achievement List: Ivonne Gonzalez, Braden Lunsford.
 O'Neill -- Honor Roll: Ainsley Actkinson, Ian Beverage, Adriana Chavez; Achievement List: Karson Barnes, Sylvia Galvan, Eduardo Graxiola, Emma London, Abi May.
 Arnold -- Honor Roll: Coby Glover; Achievement List: Daniel Dzul, Angel Germain, Victoria Gutierrez, Jaclyn Klein, Baylee Lavender, Paulina Rodriguez.
 O'Hare -- Honor Roll: Kinley Kalbas; Achievement List: Jack Isaacson, Jackon Jarman, Trace Stancell, Jessica Reyes, Jorden Villareal, Katey White.
 Hester -- Honor Roll: Christian Barrett, Caitlyn Garcia; Achievement List: Mathew Dyck, Kylie Haseloff, Sterling Henderson, Mathew Kube, Estefany Plascensia, Ramon Reyes, Gabriel Vara.

Border Banter
--Mike Pomper

A look at the future for the Dallas Cowboys after this year's disastrous season:

They have lots of holes to fill. I see that two of their coaches are leaving -- one for the offensive line and the other for the secondary backfield.

Guess what? These were the two leaky areas that cost them an easy playoff berth.

I do support Head Coach Jason Garrett. Yep, he made some errors, but at least he owned up to them. I think with this year under his belt, he will come on to be an excellent head coach.

When it came time for a 3rd and short situation, more often than not the Cowboys backs could not make it by going straight ahead. The Dallas "o" line was not able to budge most defensive lines. At best, it was inconsistent.

I am not a coach and I don't know why. Bigger, fatter players? Better execution? Better desire? Better athletic players?

You tell me. The weakness in the secondary was obvious and just got worse. Dallas needs more speed in its defensive backfield. They simply cannot do man-on-man coverage

with their present alignment.

That means more zone coverage. And any decent NFL QB can pick apart zone coverage. And you saw the results this season.

The Cowboys have a lot of talent. It's bunched up in their offensive "weapons" and line-backer corps.

Defensive end DeMarcus Ware did not get the help he needed in rushing the QB. Go ahead and name me

another good pass rusher on the team. Just not there.

Ware has to have help or the double teams against him will continue to give opposing QBs plenty of time to find their targets.

So you can see the Cowboys have several "holes" to fill. While it may be nice that they will get some new coaches, I think it's more important they find better players to put on their roster. Coaches don't play.

Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County clerk's office last week recorded the following warranty deeds:
 Della Broyles Estate -- Johnny Trevino, Part of NE/4 S1 R3S R3E
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 Ronald Garrett -- Triangle Cattle, SE/4 S29 Blk C Rhea Brothers
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Friday, Jan. 20
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Saturday, Jan. 12
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Railroads gave Parmer County life

(Editor's note: The following story was compiled from "Early Days in Parmer County" by Frank H. Payne, published in 1974 in "A History of Parmer County.")

Parmer County was created on August 26, 1876. The county was named after Martin Parmer, a Virginian. He came to Texas in 1925 and settled at Mount Prairie in Cherokee County. Parmer represented San Augustine in the 1836 Constitutional Convention. He died the following year.

By 1898 the Pecos Valley and Northeastern Railroad built switches in a diagonal pattern across the country from northeast to southwest. Switches were built along the line and were named Black, Friona, Bovina, Wilsey, and Parmerton. Later the railroad attempted to develop a townsite at each new switch.

While the railroad was being built, an incident occurred on Christmas Day. The crew decided to celebrate the day in Bovina. They were riding the engine and caboose to town when a herd of antelope attempted to cross the tracks in front of them. The train slowed: the men fired at the antelope, and they missed every one of them. However during all the excitement, a large buck had managed to catch itself on the cowcatcher of the engine. Upon arrival in Bovina, the crew ate antelope steak for Christmas dinner.

The Santa Fe Railroad acquired the Pecos Valley and Northeastern Railroad. They planned to build a line from Belen to intercept the Pecos Valley line where it crossed the state line. Judge J.D. Hamlin and John Hutson bought land on the New Mexico side at the point where the two lines joined. They laid out the townsite of Texico which started with a boom.

The townsite of Farwell was then established on the Texas side adjacent to Texico. The townsite consisted of 640 acres. Texico's boom extended to Farwell. Several brick business houses were built. Each townsite constructed a post office and the rapid business boom continued.

Instead of building their railroad yards and roundhouse in Farwell or Texico the Santa Fe bought a track of land ten miles west of Texico. They established their own townsite which became known as Clovis. Now Texico and Farwell could no longer harbor hopes of becoming sizable towns.

Judicial reasons made it expedient for Parmer County to be attached to Deaf Smith County. Bovina was expected to become Parmer County's county seat. Farwell at that time was not regarded as a favorable location for the county seat.

The necessary 150 voters signed a petition asking the commissioners court of Deaf Smith County to let Parmer County organize. After the petition was granted, Parmerton was chosen as the county seat. The first courthouse was a small box-strip building which housed a small vault.

Hardly had the new county been organized when a struggle over the county seat began. Even though Parmerton had been designated the county seat, no one but the local residents wanted it to remain there. Friona, Bovina, and Farwell each wanted to be named the county seat. A majority of Bovina's voters decided to support Farwell.

The hottest issue in the first general election following the creation of Parmer County was the moving of the county seat.

At that time the basis for claiming legal residence depended on where a man had his laundry done. Since the XIT ranch hands had their laundry done in Farwell every two months or so, they were eligible to vote in the election.

Election day dawned giving birth to a blurry of legal and illegal activities. After the smoke cleared away and tempers were once again under control, the results were in favor of moving the county seat to Farwell.

After all contested votes were validated, Farwell became the new home of the county seat.



Debate trophy winners

At the Friona UIL Speech Tournament on Jan. 7, Farwell's John Ryan Isaacson placed 1st in Experienced Persuasive Speaking and Kayla Cullison placed 2nd in Experienced Informative

Speaking, left photo. Hunter Hall and Savanna Barksdale, at right, won their 3rd tournament of the year and placed 1st in Experienced CX Debate out of 22 teams.

Sheriff's Report

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

On Jan. 10, Juan Lares, 31, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of manufacturing - delivery of a controlled substance between 4 grams and 200 grams, pending before the grand jury.

On Jan. 10, Gabriel Rodriguez, 31, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of manufacturing - delivery of a controlled substance

between 4 grams and 200 grams, pending before the grand jury.

On Jan. 11, Jose Acuna, 43, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of failure to appear (theft charge), pending in county court.

On Jan. 11, Richard Acuna, 22, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of failure to appear (theft charge), pending in county court.

On Jan. 12, Hector Rubio, 29, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of assault enhanced -- escape, pending before the grand jury.

On Jan. 13, Luis Hernandez, 23, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a Deaf Smith County warrant. He posted bond and was released.

On Jan. 13, Anthony Nunley, 26, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of violation of community supervision (forgery), pending in district court.

On Jan. 13, Nathan Barrientez, 22, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of violation of community supervision (evading arrest with a vehicle), pending in district court.

On Jan. 14, Romuldo Bravo, 33, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on charges of DWI and furnishing alcohol to a minor, pending in county court.

On Jan. 15, Maria Ramirez, 32, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon, pending before the grand jury.

On Jan. 15, Justin Bridges, 21, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of reckless driving, pending in county court.

The Latest

Edith Ann Walling reports the passing of Raymond Magness.

"He used to tell me stories about my daddy roping calves. And he used to come to the senior dances once in awhile. I will miss his stories," she said.

The Parmer County Historical Commission will meet at Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church, 324 5th St., Farwell at 7 p.m. on Jan. 19.

A special election is scheduled April 3 for a \$9.3 million bond issue to expand and improve the jail in Clovis.



New officer

Jared Romero has joined Farwell Police Chief Larry Kelsay in the Farwell Police Department. Romero has worked for the Parmer County Sheriff's Department for the last four years. He was born and raised in Clovis.

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Beverly Cassidy is president of Texico FBLA chapter. Mr. and Mrs. James Harriman move to Farwell.

Water District committeemen from Parmer County are Ralph Shelton and Carl Rea.

Gilbert Kaltwasser is new president of St. John's Lutheran Church council. Otto Lingnau is vice president.

Jim Terrels have a going away party.

Farwell Abstract

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LAZBUDDIE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES - GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2011

	General Fund	Other Governmental Funds	Total Governmental Funds
REVENUES:			
<i>Local and Intermediate Sources</i>	\$ 739,046	\$ 26,575	\$ 765,621
<i>State Program Revenues</i>	1,015,243	5,187	1,020,430
<i>Federal Program Revenues</i>	14,029	224,445	238,474
Total Revenues	1,768,318	256,207	2,024,525
EXPENDITURES:			
Current:			
<i>Instruction</i>	908,347	142,709	1,051,056
<i>Instructional Resources and Media Services</i>	13,053	--	13,053
<i>Curriculum and Staff Development</i>	250	--	250
<i>Instructional Leadership</i>	--	2,399	2,399
<i>School Leadership</i>	91,983	1,716	93,699
<i>Guidance, Counseling, & Evaluation Services</i>	578	--	578
<i>Health Services</i>	2,743	--	2,743
<i>Student Transportation</i>	80,012	--	80,012
<i>Food Service</i>	3,375	115,998	119,373
<i>Cocurricular/Extracurricular Activities</i>	121,080	--	121,080
<i>General Administration</i>	227,256	3,684	230,940
<i>Plant Maintenance and Operations</i>	234,554	2,014	236,568
<i>Data Processing Services</i>	31,261	--	31,261
<i>Capital Outlay</i>	10,563	--	10,563
<i>Payments to Shared Service Arrangements</i>	14,704	--	14,704
<i>Other Intergovernmental Charges</i>	19,353	--	19,353
Total Expenditures	1,759,112	268,520	2,027,632
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	9,206	(12,313)	(3,107)
Other Financing Sources and (Uses):			
<i>Transfers In</i>	--	12,313	12,313
<i>Transfers Out</i>	(12,313)	--	(12,313)
Total Other Financing Sources and (Uses)	(12,313)	12,313	--
Net Change In Fund Balances	(3,107)	--	(3,107)
Fund Balances - Beginning	1,428,112	--	1,428,112
Fund Balances - Ending	\$ 1,425,005	\$ --	\$ 1,425,005

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Reyna, Rivera, Skabelund lead Texico over Lubbock Christian

Varsity Boys

The Texico Wolverines are 10-5 on the season after tipping Lubbock Christian, 72-70, on Friday.

Scoring were Gentry Doolittle, 1; Sergio Posada, 3; Jesus Rivera, 15; Rallin Harris, 8; Miguel Reyna, 29; Wayne Skabelund, 10; and Mitchell Pinnell, 6.

On Jan. 10, Texico topped Melrose, 92-56.

Scoring were Posada, 13; Rivera, 6; Harris, 11; Reyna, 26; John Myers, 9; Skabelund, 7; D.J. Griego, 5; and Pinnell, 15.

Varsity Girls

The Lady Wolverines are 12-5 after putting away Melrose last week, 52-38.

Scoring were McKenzie Mayfield, 4; Shaylee Anderson, 14; Mel Lucero, 8; Karina Salazar, 6; Jordyn Cooper, 14; and Jaylyn Cooper, 6.

JV Boys

Texico's JV Boys beat Lubbock Christian, 44-35.

Scoring were John Myers, 10; Justin Rucker, 8; J.J. Tuls, 7; D.J. Griego and Jonah Walls, 6 each; Mitchell Pinnell, 5; Carlos Silva, 2.

Texico doubled up on Melrose, 67-32.

Scoring were Tuls and Rucker, 13 each; Griego, 10; Myers, 2; Colton Autrey, 3; Pinnell, 8; Silva and Walls, 9 each.

JV Girls

The Texico JV Girls beat Clovis, 29-22.

Scoring were Sarah Daniels, 9; Cassidy Downing, 6; Chasity Sharp, 8; Taylor Stephens, 4; and Gabby Posada, 2.

Texico put away Melrose, 45-20.

Scoring were Shelby Vannatta, 11; Daniels, 8; Lindsey Foote and Posada, 2 each; Bianca Davalos and Rae Lynn Prather, 6 each, and Stephens, 10.

Texico lost to Lubbock Christian varsity, 51-23.

Scoring were Vannatta, 3; Foote, 10; and Davalos and Prather, 5 each.

"C" Girls

Texico's "C" Girls lost to Lubbock Christian JV, 42-20.

Scoring were Cassidy

Downing, 13; Chasity Weems, 4; Kyla Myers, 2; Taylor Stephens, 1.

8th Girls

Texico's 8th Girls beat Melrose, 38-12, to up their record to 10-1 on the season.

Scoring were Brianna Reyna, 22; Audrey Wren, Shaylee Sours and Emily Hodnett, 2 each; and Arianna Meza, 9.

7th Girls

Texico's 7th Girls finished 2nd at the Farwell Tourney, and now stand at 8-3 on the season.

They beat Yucca, 21-13.

Scoring were Jasmine Gannon, 10; Rosa Bravo and Whitney Skabelund, 4 each; and Tristyn McDaniel, 3.

Texico also beat Farwell, 18-12.

Scoring were Jaden Stephens, 9; Gannon, 7; and McDaniel, 2.

And Texico lost to Elida, 26-14.

Scoring were Stephens 7; Gannon, 4; McDaniel, 1; and Maddie Sealey, 2.



Notice is hereby given that the Bovina Emergency Medical Service has been granted a variance from the Texas Department of State Health Services to allow operation of an ambulance staffed with only one (1) certified EMS volunteer and one (1) non-EMS certified driver when necessary.

This variance is good for 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, effective as of Jan. 1, 2012.

Bovina Banter

From page 13

Senior Citizens Center will host their monthly luncheon on Jan. 25. They are always held the last Wednesday of the month.

Great lunch includes dessert and a drink for any donation you wish to give.

C'mon on down and have a great time!

It is power lifting time.

Bovina athletes will be lifting in Abernathy Saturday starting at 9 am.

Folks, this program is really something else, I know I tell you all every year but you really need to get out and see a meet. See one, and you will be hooked.

Bovina will host its own meet on Feb. 25. Mark your calendars.

Stock shows season is here.

I remember growing up in Bovina and going to the stock shows was the thing to do. I never took part in it (too afraid of the animals) but the

idea of doing it sounded good.

It takes a lot of work and quite a bit of dedication. Best of luck to all the contenders!

Bovina Basketball Little League board will meet on Jan. 19 at 7 p.m. at the Home Ec. building.

The board will try and get things sorted out and see what they need to do to get it started for another year. If you are interested in serving on the board, you are welcome to attend.

As always, meetings are open to the public and everyone is encouraged to attend.

God Bless and have a great week.

Interesting Fact of the Week: Woman's basketball began in 1892 at Smith College when P.E. teacher Senda Berenson modified

Naismith's rules (which are the 13 original basketball rules) for women.

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Mustangs win District opener



Bovina Banter

From page 14

and at Highland Park on Jan. 28.

In basketball, District matches continue: our JV and varsity teams host Olton on Jan. 20 and Hale Center on Jan. 24.

The Middle School teams play at Springlake-Earth on Jan. 23.

Let's all get out and root for our teams; it would be great to make the playoffs!

There was an interesting story in a 1960 issue of the Tribune.

It pointed out that Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Hromas, of Bovina, had been consistent subscribers to the State Line Tribune since November 1919.

Jesse Stone is doing much better and is at home. I am sure the family appreciated all the prayers.

Jesse, you scared everyone! I'm glad you are okay.

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Our scholars

Here are the 3rd six weeks honor rolls for Bovina Middle School:

- All A's
- 6th grade - Enrique Carrillo.
- 7th grade - Alma Hernandez.
- 8th grade - Itzel Anett.
- A-B
- 6th grade - Astrid DeLaCruz, Lucero DeLaCruz, Ariana Flores, Brenda Flores, Paulina Mena, Moises Perez, Miguel Rochel, Osvaldo Snyder.
- 7th grade - Lizet Anett, Abril Chavez, Adrian Orozco, Adriel Vela.
- 8th grade - April Hernandez, Cruz Herrera, Laura Perez, Irene Ramos, Roberto Salas, Yoly Torres.



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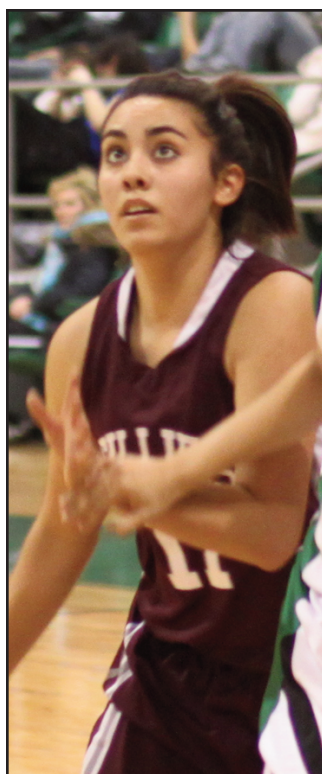
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Varsity Boys

The Mustangs lost to Lubbock Christian, 71-26, last week.

Scoring were Joseph Casas, 9; Abel Rocha, Kristian Antillon, Gael Vela and Jose Lara, 2 each; Darien Walker, 5; and Zachary Castillo, 3.

The Mustangs put away New Deal, 57-42.

Scoring were Antillon, 2; Casas and Rocha, 11 each; Walker, 4; Vela, 8; Justin Curtis, 3; Aaron Castaneda, 12; and David Martinez, 6.

On Friday, the Mustangs won their district opener over Springlake-Earth, 53-28.

Scoring were Rocha, 14; Curtis, 12; Antillon, 5; Lara, 2; Walker, 2; Vela, 10; Castaneda, 8.

Bovina is now 6-7 on the year.

JV Boys

The Bovina JV boys lost to New Deal, 52-10.

Scoring were David Velo, 6; Efran Martinez and Reyna, 2 each.

Bovina lost to Springlake-Earth, 29-24.

Scoring were Velo, 6; Stefan Knoll, Ivan Ramirez and Bernabe Delacruz, 2 each; Efran Martinez, 8; and Gabriel DeLaRosa, 4.

MS Boys

The Bovina Middle School boys won 2 and lost 1 in the Lazbuddie tournament.

They topped, Hart 33-22.

Scoring were Darius

Armijo, 2; Carlos Quintero, 3.

Vaquero, 9; Enrique Marez-Beltron, 6; Tony DeLeon, 5; Alex Lucero, 4; Jose Rodriguez, 5; Camilo DeLaRosa and Fernando Castaneda, 2 each.

Then they lost to Farwell, 45-19.

Scoring were Armijo, Vaquero, DeLeon, and Jose Rodriguez, 2 each; Marez-Beltron, 7; Lucero, 4.

Bovina finished strong against Kress, 41-26.

Scoring were Daniel Lara and Castaneda, 2 each; Vaquero, 13; DeLeon, 8; Rodriguez, 10; and Marez-Beltron, 6.

8th Boys

Bovina 8th grade boys fell to Hale Center, 33-19, on Jan. 9.

Scoring were Lara and Armijo, 2 each; Rodriguez, 5; Marez-Beltron, 6; and DeLeon, 4.

7th Boys

The 7th grade Bovina team lost to Hale Center, 26-11.

Scoring were Alex Lucero, 5; Fernando Castaneda, 4; and Austin Schlenker, 2.

Varsity Girls

The Fillies lost to Lubbock Christian, 72-24.

Scoring were Anabel Lara, 4; Andrea Villarreal, 7; and Edith Gomez, 13.

The Fillies fell to Farwell in their district opener, 58-19.

Scoring were Lara, 12; Gomez, 4; and Regina

Quintero, 3.

On Friday, the Fillies won a district game over Springlake-Earth, 40-31.

Scoring were Lara and Andrea Villarreal, 12 each; Gomez, 10; Samantha Villarreal, 3; and Quintero, 3.

Bovina is now 5-14 on the year and 1-1 in district.

JV Girls

Farwell topped the JV Bovina girls, 37-20.

Scoring were Yajayra Herrera, 3; Cynthia Jasso, 2; Brittany Perez, 2; Mandy Rojas, 4; and Tamara Rivera, 8.

Bovina lost to Springlake-Earth, 39-36.

Scoring were Herrer, 11; Jasso, 10; Vanessa Herrera, 4; and Rivera and Perez, 6 each.

8th Girls

The Bovina 8th grade girls played in the Lazbuddie tournament.

The White team lost to Hale Center, 22-10.

Scoring were Monique Pena, 3; and Denise Gomez, 10.

Springlake-Earth beat Bovina, 24-6.

Scoring were Brianna DeLaCruz, Denise Gomez and Laura Perez, 2 each.

And Bovina fell to Hart, 24-16. Scoring were Pena, 2; Gomez, 11; and Perez, 3.

The Maroon girls team was outscored by Hale Center, 25-6.

Scoring was Itzel Anett, 6.


 Farwell, Texas Lazbuddie, Bovina
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1961

Huge grain tank at Worley Mills Elevator collapses. Bob Riethmayer named Parmer County Soil Conservation District Farmer of the Year.

50th wedding anniversaries are celebrated by Mr. and Mrs. P.D. Barron, Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Kersy and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Spurlin.

Zell Billingsley is named Farwell football queen. Carolyn Routon is named Farwell FFA Sweetheart. Melody Coffman is named Farwell Drum Major.

Carol Bell is named "Miss Flame" by Texico fire department. Carol White is Texico's 1st Homecoming queen. Trudy Lambert named Texico FFA sweetheart. Jean Hadley is named Most Beautiful at Texico. Sharon Tompkins is named Texico band sweetheart.

Texico passes an ordinance to control livestock in town.

Six Farwell scout dens are organized.

Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser is named Lutheran Woman of the Year.

QB Johnny Lovelace stars for Texico Tech football team.

Pioneers who died were Joseph Clark, Abe Williams, Margarette Foster, Jim Harding, Carrie Faville, J.H. Ford, Lula Haynes and John Bingham.

Jesse Landrum is appointed Farwell postmaster. He resigns late in the year and is replaced by Albert "Blackie" Smith.

Orville Brantley is new minister at Texico Baptist Church.

D'Rene Danforth is named Dolphin Queen at ENMU.

Darlene Hromas is named Farwell High's top "Homemaker."

Texico basketball king and queen are Ken Murdick and Patricia Patterson.

Gary Coker wins Parmer County 4-H grain sorghum contest.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Hopper have their 60th anniversary.

'Indian' Crim forecasts a good crop year.

Elected to the Farwell school board are Buck Gregory, Jesse Landrum and J.T. Ford.

Bond issue for new Texico high school passes 136-30.

Work progresses on new Farwell cemetery north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Love buy City Cafe.

Robert Shuman and Henry Haseloff buy Graham-Magness insurance agency.

Mrs. F.E. Winegeart opens Jim's Cafe.

Jean Reed named Farwell's outstanding girls basketball player. Benjy Dial named top football player and also wins the Loving Cup.

Top academic students are: Farwell, Judy Billingsley and Darlene Hromas; Texico, Gary Singleterry and Glendon Moss; and Lazbuddie, David Tarter and Beverly Smith.

Farwell athletic director Calvin Murray resigns.

Rev. J.R. Wood, of Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church, retires after 41 1/2 years as a minister.

Benjy Dial and Carroll Huggins chosen to play in Greenbelt Bowl. Dial named top back in the game.

Texico-Farwell Rotary Club organized.

Farwell Chamber of Commerce gets okay to build a city park south of the courthouse.

Bill Mayfield hired as Farwell basketball and baseball coach.

Helton Oil wins Portales softball tourney. Eddie Smith named Best Hitter.

Sherley-Anderson-Pitman expands Farwell elevator.

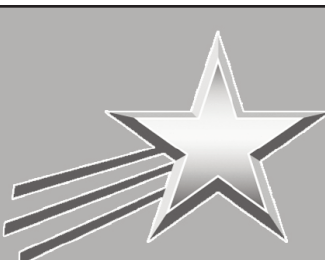
Fred Danforth resigns as Texico band director.

Nelson Smith retires after 33 years as Farwell rural route mail carrier.

Don Tarbet is new Farwell Church of Christ minister.

Joe Jones resigns as Parmer County extension agent, replaced by Deryl Coker.

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New police chief feels right at home

Bovina's new Police Chief, Andy Chester, feels right at home with small town life.

He was raised in a small town in East Texas and graduated from high school with a class of only 10 students. He recalls that up until he was married, he never really left the area where he was born and raised. Therefore, Chester really feels like his transition to Bovina has been easy.

Chester comments, "Small towns are just great. The Bovina residents have gone out of their way to meet me and welcome me to the community."

He was also very pleased with the reception from the City Manager and all the city officials. "Everyone has been so nice to me."

Recently, Chester even ran into a nice couple living in Muleshoe who came to this area with his relatives in the dairy business. "I am enjoying the people here and still meeting more residents every day. I am very glad to be here."



Andy Chester

The only thing that could make Chester's life a little easier is if his family could join him in Bovina. He still owns a house in East Texas and his wife is still working there, so his family has been unable to join him yet.

Chester says his wife loves this area and "would be here in a minute" if the conditions were right. She is still searching for job opportunities in this area and they need to sell their house first.

As far as the police department goes, Chester is very encour-

aged. He comments that this is the smallest agency he has ever worked with but they stay busy. He likes the people he works with and believes they have a strong crew.

So far, there has been no "major" incidents since Chester arrived -- just a few burglary and domestic disturbance calls. He states his goal is to keep it that way. He would like to provide great service to the people of Bovina and really be a part of the community.

Chester is excited about the new year and looks forward to finding a great place in the country outside of Bovina for his family and his horses.

Surprisingly, after a life in a humid, warm area, Chester isn't even deterred by our weather here. He looks forward to some snow and even told his wife that one of the most interesting things is when the snow comes in sideways here.

You certainly can't see that in East Texas.

Bovina Banter
Deanna Curtis • 251-1405

St. Ann's Catholic Church will host its annual German sausage dinner on Jan. 29 from 11:30 a.m. to noon at the parish hall on 3rd Street.

Donations are \$8 for adults and \$4 for children under 6. Take-out plates will be available.

And you can buy sausage prior to the dinner by contacting any St. Ann's member.

The sausage is sold by the pound and can be regular, jalapeno or extra hot. You can place an order with any St. Ann's member or call Tami Schilling at (806) 225-7350.

The dinner includes homemade German sausage, cream potatoes and gravy, green beans, sauerkraut, homemade bread and desserts, and more.

*** A look back at Bovina happenings.

Dec. 2, 1943 Mrs. Laura Dickerson, mother of G.H. and Claude Dickerson, died. Officiating was former local Methodist minister Rev. Biggs.

John McLean, hospitalized in Amarillo for a month, returns home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Loflin and son visited Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar

Venable and daughter visit Mr. and Mrs. V. Venable in Texico.

*** School lunch menus for next week:

Monday - chicken strips, broccoli cheese & rice, tossed salad, rolls, pears, corn bread, milk.

Tuesday - sloppy joe, pickle spears, corn, apples, potato chips, milk.

Wednesday - steak fin-

gers, cream potatoes, green beans, rolls, fruit, milk.

Thursday - chicken quesadilla, pinto beans, corn, apricots, milk.

Friday - pepperoni pizza, tossed salad, oranges, gingerbread, milk.

*** Our powerlifting teams will participate in meets at Abernathy on Jan. 21

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Paulina Mena



Noel Vela

Mena, Vela named Students of Month

Bovina Middle School Students of the Month for January are two band students who were selected for the Class 1A Middle School All-Region Band -- 6th graders Paulina Mena and Noel Vela.

They competed against 7th and 8th graders from 22 other schools in Region 16, that stretches from Farwell to Abilene.

Band Director Brad Walker noted, "Their accomplishment was simply outstanding and is indicative of hard work and determination to beat the odds in making the All Region Band."

"Paulina made 13th chair flute in a field of 84 flute players auditioning for 14 chairs. Noel made 6th chair baritone in a field of 25 baritone players auditioning for 6 chairs."

They will participate in the All-Region Band rehearsals Jan. 27 and 28, then play in the All-Region Middle School Band Concert at 1:30 p.m. Jan. 28 at the Lubbock Civic Center auditorium.

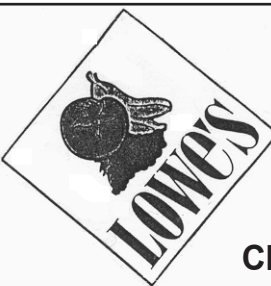
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