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## Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

**There's only one more week to go!**

Well, folks, just a week to go before it's Border Town Days time.

Sure, it's a lot of work for the folks involved, but it sure is worth it when you see it all come together.

Yes, Texico-Farwell is a tiny town, but we should all be proud of what a fine job we do to put on such a super event.

It's a kick for me when I am told of folks from other communities who come to LTD because they hear how good it is and they want to learn about how we do it so they can improve their own festivals.

Right on! As always, we have several class and family reunions scheduled, so a lot of ex-Wolverines and ex-Steers will be back in town for the fun.

You old-timers will enjoy coming by the park and seeing faces you probably have not seen in quite some time. That's nifty.

And, as always, LTD will mean a lot of fun for the kiddies. We have several carnival rides coming, plus face painting, LTD Express rides, pony rides, and lots and lots of yummy food.

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## County jail passes state inspection

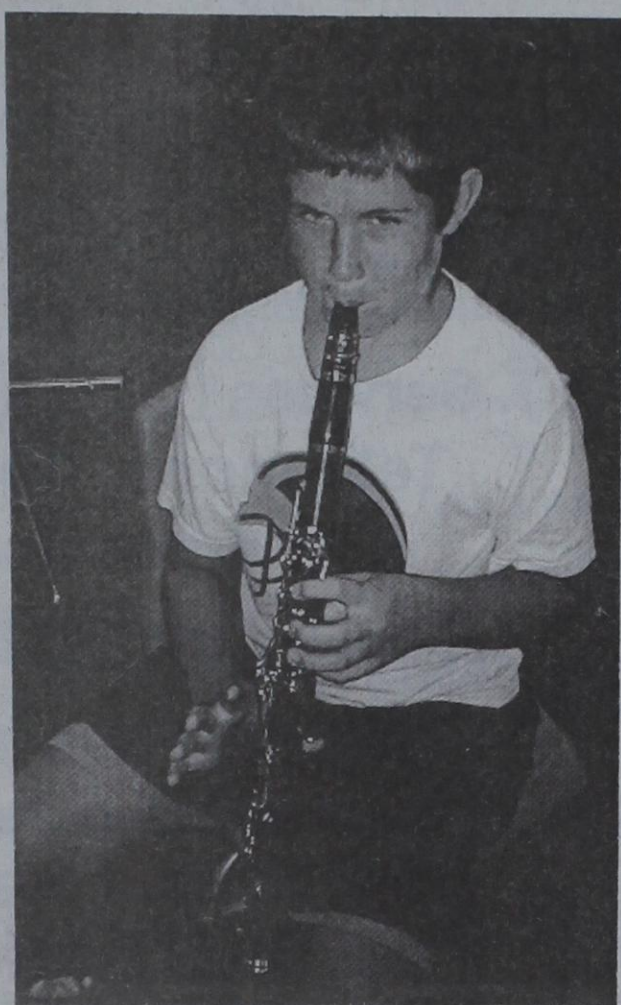
The Parmer County Jail had its annual jail inspection last Friday -- and it passed muster.

State inspector Dennis Cisneros gave the jail approval, saying there were no deficiencies noted.

The jail was built in 1975 and has a capacity for 21 inmates.

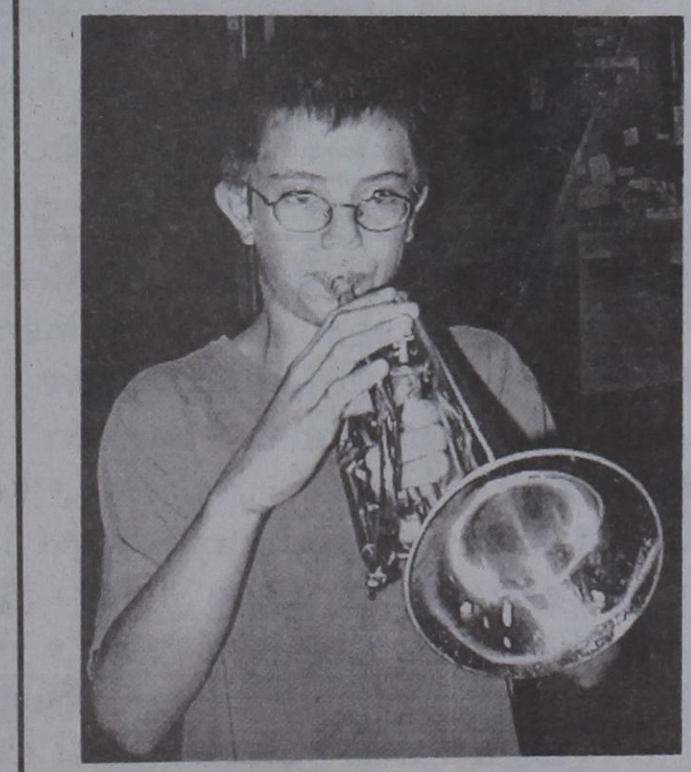
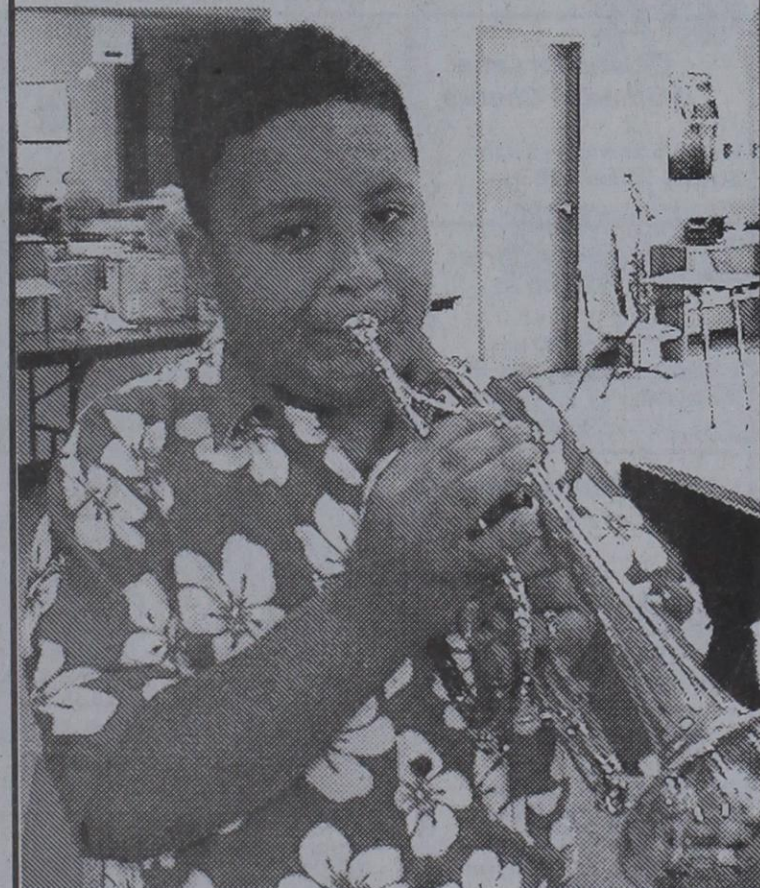
The jail population average this year has been 11.1, with 7 current inmates housed in it.

The jail administrator is Wayne Gruben. Murlene Smith is the jail's administrative assistant. Randy Geris is Parmer County sheriff.



## Strike Up The Band!

Kids are enjoying the summer Texico Band program, directed by Ellen Reighley. The Texico Band will be participating in the Border Town Days parade on July 28.



# Crime Stoppers want your call

The Tribune's Mike and DeeDee Pomper were invited to the monthly meeting of Parmer County Crime Stoppers at the Justice of the Peace office in Bovina on Monday.

This is a good time to give an update on this worthwhile organization. The premise is simple: You can call 1-800-774-8477 anonymously, give a tip on a crime that occurred, and receive up to \$1,000 as a reward.

Attending were Ona and Jack Patterson, Bovina Police Chief Leon Saddler, Wayne and Deanna Gruben, Frances and Martin Kube, Murlene Smith, Darrell Crook and Deputy Jason Whitlow.

Also, future star Friona athlete Ryan Geris brought with him his parents, Sarah and Randy.

One major problem was pointed out during the business meeting.

When the sheriff's office dispatchers were also operating the Crime Stoppers hot line (1-800-774-8477), their tendency was to answer "sheriff's office" as they did all the time with regular phones. Well, when they would happen, the caller would quickly hang up before giving a tip.

So the group was throwing out ideas on someone else to handle the special Crime Stoppers telephone.

One idea was to find a home-bound person.

If anyone has an idea on who would or could handle the Crime Stoppers phone, please call the Parmer County sheriff's office.

Sheriff Geris said he

also will look into the problem.

Another topic involved Border Town Days.

The group will have a dunking booth at the park -- Sheriff Geris and jail administrator Wayne Gruben already have volunteered to "get wet"; a float in the parade, and will sell special bells with flickering lights.

Crime Stoppers also is

having special giveaways as fund-raisers. A story on those is given elsewhere in today's Tribune.

Last year, Crime Stoppers paid out two rewards. The top award they give out is \$1,000.

Currently, there is \$5,390 in its Reward Fund, and \$2,297 in its General Fund (for normal expenses). They also have

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## Combest emphasizes countercyclical income

The State Line Tribune participated in a conference call last Friday with Cong. Larry Combest regarding the new ag bill co-sponsored by Combest and Rep. Charles Stenholm.

Combest, a Republican, heads the House Ag Committee, and Stenholm is the ranking Democrat on it.

The bill adds \$73.5 billion over the current farm bill -- a total of \$168 billion, over 10 years.

Combest stressed that the committee has a limit on how much it can spend. So if any committee members have specific areas where they want to add money, then they also have to show where like financial cuts can be addressed.

As for initial reaction, he said the wheat growers have shown strong support. The bill was announced last Friday.

Hearings were to start this week, and Combest wanted them completed by Friday. Thus, work on the bill could be finished

next week and it would be ready for action in September when Congress reconvenes after its summer break.

A major plus in his bill, said Combest, is to guarantee "countercyclical income" that increases payments when prices fall. Essentially, they act as price supports for farmers.

Combest said the 1996 Freedom to Farm Act "was a mistake. It didn't work." And he blamed the lack of countercyclical income language in that act for its downfall.

He said he went back to the 1985 bill, which included countercyclical income.

Other parts of the Combest farm bill includes maintaining planting flexibility; keeping current loan rates, fixed rates and target prices for cotton; increases the loan rate for sorghum to \$1.89 per bushel; continues dairy price supports; expands CRP land to 40 million acres, etc.



## Sportsmanship award

A Texico-Farwell area CGAA 10 and under girls softball team took 5th place in the Clovis league and also won the Sportsmanship Award. In back are Hannah Hidalgo, Sarah Zarate, Megan Donovan, Kyree McField and Shawna Franse; in front are Kambrie Reid, Amanda Riley, Katie Fuller, Jerrica Reid, Holly Harrison and Amy Bocox. Not pictured are Kelsey McFadden, Janeesa Pleasant and Stephanie Foote.

Banter

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Not to mention the bicycle and tricycle contests, and the Big Parade! One food that always sells out fast is homemade ice cream. We can never get enough of it.

If you are a local non-profit group and want to make a lot of money at a fund-raiser, then sign up to bring homemade ice cream. It goes fast! And if you do want to sign up, see story elsewhere in today's paper on who to call, etc.

Anyway, the countdown for the fun has begun.

So get ready for family entertainment at its best -- the Texico-Farwell Border Town Days!



Erin Littlejohn and B.J. Mitchell

Approaching marriage

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Littlejohn, of Texico, announces the approaching marriage of their daughter, Erin Littlejohn, to Bradley Jay Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Mitchell, of Portales.

The couple will exchange wedding vows at 4 p.m. on Aug. 11 at Emmanuel Baptist Church, 524 N. Globe St., Portales. A reception will immediately follow the ceremony in the fellowship hall.

The bride-elect graduated Texico High School in 1998 and attends Eastern New Mexico University, majoring in early childhood education.

The prospective groom graduated Portales High School in 1997 and attends ENMU, majoring in history/teaching.

All friends and family are invited.

Courthouse Notes

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

Nancy Roden - Dan Brooks, Lots 13-14, Blk 61, OT Friona.

Louis Welch - Jason Floyd, 1.13 a tract out of NW part of S31 Harding.

Judy Nelson - Guy Nickels, 1.21 a SE 1/4 S33 T11S R3E.

Doris Young - Jose Zamudio, Lot 1, Blk 40, Friona.

Larry Taylor - Alfredo Merino, W 90' L22 L23-24 Blk 49 Friona.

Eulogio Ruiz - Julio Ruiz, Lots 11-13, Blk 15, Farwell.

Donna Malcom - Galen Carson, Lot 1, Blk 81, Bovina.

Friona Wheat Growers - Tracy Bunker, 3.349 ac SE/pt S6 T4S R4E.

Lazbuddie announces TAAS scores

Lazbuddie School has announced its TAAS results for 2000-2001 for all students tested:

Grade 3, reading, 92%; math, 100%.

Grade 4, reading, 90%; math, 90%; writing, 100%.

Grade 5, reading, 88%; math, 100%.

Grade 6, reading, 89%; math, 89%.

Grade 7, reading, 67%; math, 100%.

Grade 8, reading, 94%; math, 100%; writing, 100%; social studies, 88%; and science, 100%.

Grade 10, reading, 83%; math, 75%; and writing, 82%.



Shae McGuire and Clayton Ramsey

Engagement told

Marty and Donna McGuire, of Lazbuddie, and Keith and Treana Herington, of San Marcos, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shae Krista, to Clayton Ramsey, son of Berry and Vicki Wilhoit, of Rogers, N.M.

Clay is a 1996 graduate of Dora High School and Shae is a 1998 graduate of Dora High.

The couple will exchange vows on Aug. 18 at 7 p.m. at Dora Baptist Church.

A wedding shower will be held for the couple at 2 p.m. on July 22 at the Dora Church of Christ. Selections are at Crafters Mall, Poynders, Wal-Mart and J.C. Penney.

Murder trial opens here

The first degree murder trial of Frank Chris Mendez Jr., 44, of Friona, began Tuesday at the Parmer County courthouse.

He is charged in the stabbing death of Sandra Jenkins, of Friona, during a New Year's Eve party last Jan. 1.

The trial is expected to take 2 to 3 days.

Obituaries

Norma Dunbar

Services for Norma Dunbar, 71, of Clovis, were Saturday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel in Muleshoe with the Revs. Glen Harlin and Stacy Conner officiating.

Burial was in Muleshoe Cemetery.

She died July 10. She was born Sept. 14, 1929, in Tempe, Ariz., and married John Dunbar on April 11, 1948, in Las Vegas.

She moved to Clovis in 1977 from the West Camp community. She was a homemaker and a member of the former West Camp Baptist Church.

Survivors include a brother, C.L. "Jake" Saylor, of Farwell.

Memorials are suggested to the Northwest Texas chapter of Myasthenia Gravis, 281 CR 135, Ovalo, Texas 79541.

Happy Birthday!

July 19: Mark Howard
July 23: Mike Goettsch
July 25: Angie Milloy
July 21: Tim Cooper

July 25: Kendall Devault

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## Contests' registration under way

All youngsters are reminded that registration has opened for the Border Town Day's Decorated Bicycle and Tricycle contests.

Youths must sign up at Texico City Hall. Teresa Harth and staff are ready for you.

This year offers some extremely nifty incentives -- 2 brand new bicycles and a tricycle are being given away.

Tedson Trailers and Master Tech Auto Service, both of Texico, have donated the two bicycles -- one for a boy and one for a girl.

And Borderline Cuts, of Texico, has donated a new tricycle.

This year's BTD theme

is "Wild and Wacky West." It is very important to follow the theme since that is a large part of the judging.

The judging is done by Clovis residents recruited by the Clovis Chamber of Commerce.

Also, an anonymous donor has provided funds for cash prizes to be given away in each category.

And if that isn't enough incentive to participate, all entrants will receive a free train ride ticket for the Border Town Days Express.

The Twin City train will be operated by members of St. John's Lutheran Church at Lariat youth group. The train will make runs around the Farwell City Park after the parade ends.

"Everything is ready at Texico City Hall for kids to register," said Linda

Moss, who once again will honcho the annual bike contest. And, once again, she is being assisted by Joy Stanton.

The registration deadline for the contests is at 3 p.m. on July 26.

Mrs. Moss said that youths planning to enter the contests need to register, giving their name and age, to be eligible for all the prizes.

The contest will be held one hour before the Border Town Days parade kicks off on Saturday, July 28. After the bicycle contest ends, all participants will ride in the parade to the Farwell City Park.

Prizes will be announced at the beginning of the Day in the Park activities, at 1 p.m. cdt, at the Farwell City Park gazebo.

All participants need to be on hand at that time to receive their prizes.

No motorized bikes are allowed in the contests.

All riders must bring their decorated bikes and trikes to the west side of

the Texico branch of Citizens Bank building in Texico by 9:45 a.m. Texas time (that's 8:45 a.m. New Mexico time).

The contest is open to all youths who live in the Texico and Farwell school districts. Also, the BTD committee voted this year to allow children and grandchildren of local folks to enter, also, even if they live elsewhere.

There will be two

judging categories: -- Tricycles, for youths 3, 4 and 5 years old. -- Bicycles, for youths from 6 through 12 years of age.

Other rules are: -- All participants ride in the parade. Their folks can go along, too. (For the tricycle entries, adults are necessary to be with the youngsters.)

The parade ends at Farwell City Park and a ci-

cycle rack will be set up just across the street on the property of First Baptist Church of Farwell.

-- Riding bikes in the park during BTD is not allowed, for safety reasons.

-- You must be present at the park to receive your cash prizes (or if you win the bicycles and tricycle!) when the announcements are made during the 1 p.m. ceremonies.

### TEXICO'S STATE CHAMPIONS HAVE BEEN INVITED TO BTD

Special note to members and coaches of the Texico High School girls' and boys' state basketball championship teams:

You have been invited to ride in the parade at Border Town Days on July 28, then have some of your team members and/or coaches say a few words at the gazebo during the opening ceremonies.

For the girls, Vicky Roberts, mother of Jennifer Roberts, has been contacted. For the boys, Deborah Autrey, mother of Ryan Autrey, has been contacted. Please check with each other to set up your floats for the Big Parade!

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parents \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone number \_\_\_\_\_  
 Shirt size \_\_\_\_\_

For early registration, mail this form with the fee to Vickie Ashley, 400 Craig St., Texico NM 88135.

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 1 - 3 Bedroom home, large den dining room, fireplace, step down sunroom, large bathroom, marble tub, utility room, commode, sink, washer and dryer hook ups, kitchen center bar, GE dishwasher, trash compactor, breakfast area, lots of storage, brick construction, double garage, two electric openers, two carports, central heat and air, private patio fence, NICE CLEAN HOME!
- PAINTINGS**  
 1 - Lot paintings by Blanche Lenderson oil paintings, water paintings, watercolor (paintings have been on display at many art shows) Portraits. Signed by Blanche  
 1 - Painting by Caballero
- ANTIQUES**  
 1 - Antique etched glass cabinet, 2 drawer, 4 doors, 30"x69"  
 1 - Antique Oak mirror, beveled glass 21"x44"  
 1 - Antique chest, 3 drawers, full size with 2 1/2 size drawers, mirror, one chair, 1 two side fold down table-antique green  
 2 - Antique lamp stands, oak  
 2 - Antique butter knives, William Rogers  
 1 - Antique fainting couch with green fabric (old)  
 1 - Antique wash stand, two shelf, two door  
 1 - Antique gold bedroom suite, two stands, full size bed, chest, mirror  
 1 - Palo table, metal, four chairs
- FURNITURE**  
 1 - Cherry table, fold down side with leaves  
 1 - Round fruit table, two leaves with four chairs  
 1 - Desk, 5 drawer with chair  
 1 - Maple corner lamp table  
 2 - Wooden chest set, 4 drawers  
 1 - Corner shelf (matches the above set)  
 1 - Maple round table, folding sides leaf  
 2 - Brown occasional chairs  
 1 - File cabinet, 2 drawer  
 1 - Serta electric king size bed, (incl. addition, with headboard  
 2 - Lamp stands, drawers, marble tops, matching  
 1 - Bookcase, four shelf, two drawers on bottom  
 1 - Lot lamps, electric  
 1 - Chest upright, 7 drawers, 15"x48"  
 1 - Mirror round  
 1 - RCA Colortrack 2000, nearly new television  
 2 - Chests, 3 drawer 17"x30"x57"  
 1 - Maple corner shelf, four shelves, with bottom storage  
 1 - Twin size bed with metal headboard  
 1 - Murphy Fire King 2 drawer filing cabinet with lock and key  
 1 - Wooden office desk, 6 drawer, fold down typewriter shelf (old)  
 1 - Maple mirror  
 1 - Pine bookshelf, five shelves  
 1 - Lot chairs VIK  
 1 - Brown reclining chair  
 1 - RCA television set, color 27" with remote  
 1 - L-shaped sectional with sleeper, pullout foot rests  
 1 - Spacia command television, wood cabinet, does not work  
 1 - Floor chest  
 1 - Lot knives-forks  
 1 - Kenmore refrigerator/freezer, 2 door, 26, ice maker, ice and water in door, back front, Nice  
 1 - Sharp carousal microwave, nearly new  
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 1 - Lot beaded glass cups, saucers  
 1 - Set Franciscan china, (wood table)  
 1 - Water pitcher with wash bowl, Buffalo pottery  
 1 - Butter dish, Haviland Limoges  
 1 - Set hand painted Lotion china pink roses, green, tea set  
 1 - Set Richard Ginon, Italy china Pitona (gold around edge)  
 1 - Lot Crown Victoria  
 1 - Zenth television set  
 1 - Lot Golden Elegance china (set in box)  
 1 - Black and Decker mixer, new  
 1 - Black cedar chest  
 1 - Synchronic tape player  
 1 - Kenmore electric dryer  
 1 - Kenmore electric washing machine  
 1 - Kirby G-4 vacuum cleaner  
 1 - Remington-Rand adding machine, antique, works  
 1 - F.B. Rogers, 5 piece serving set, gold color
- REAL ESTATE #2 - 12-1 P.M.**  
 1818 West Ave D, Muleshoe, Tx., Blanche Lenderson - Owner  
 Main Area 1482 Sq. Ft.  
 Carport 677 Sq. Ft.  
 Covered Porch 166 Sq. Ft.  
 Covered Porch 60 Sq. Ft.  
 Storage 200 Sq. Ft.  
 Carport 364 Sq. Ft.  
 \*According to Bailey County Appraisal District  
 1-3 Bedroom home, living room, dining room den with fireplace, entry hall, kitchen, large bath, lots of storage, dishwasher, electric stove, refrigerator, air and heat pump, storage building, large 2 car open side garage, brick construction.
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## Texico cheerleaders to sponsor mini-cheer camp

The Texico varsity cheerleaders will sponsor a mini-cheer camp on Aug. 7, 8 and 9 from 9:30 a.m. to noon mdt at the Texico School old gym.

The fee is \$30. It includes a t-shirt and mini-pom poms.

The camp is for girls in 6th grade and under, all the way down to age 3.

To register, call Vickie Ashley at 482-3249 or Tara Lockmiller at 389-5123.

Or you can sign up at the cheerleaders' table at Border Town Days.

## Office locates in Friona

The High Plains Resource & Development (RC&D) area office will be located in Friona in the building vacated by the NRCS field office and the Parmer County Soil & Wa-

ter Conservation District, 1306 W. 9th St.

Thomas Reed has been appointed coordinator of the High Plains RC&D area.

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**Letter to the Editor**

Dear Mike,

Smokey and Clara Gast are two of the finest people in the world and are the type of people that reach out to others in time of need. Smokey, especially, is the type of man that would give you the shirt off of his back with a smile and never ask for anything in return. He is one of the most giving, loving and caring men in the world. He does the majority of care for his wife, Clara, who many know is bound to a wheelchair and needs constant care.

I am a helper for this wonderful couple and feel that I must speak out about the way that several young people have treated them, both recently and in the past.

Smokey had a wallet and some coolers stolen off the tailgate of his pickup in front of his house last Saturday. From the few minutes that it took him to take Clara inside to walking back outside, he was ripped off.

He was robbed by boys. Perhaps they're the same two boys that were hiding in his garage and then left their wet, muddy footprints in Smokey's garage and driveway. Perhaps they're the same two boys that he saw running across the vacant lot near his house. Smokey did the right thing by calling the police and making a report. Smokey then had to call the long list of companies that represented everything from credit cards, insurance, banks and more to report his belongings stolen.

If it wasn't enough to be ripped off and then burdened by the time it took to handle his affairs, he then found out that, while he was taking care of business, the boys had already tried to use his credit cards to get money from an ATM machine.

Isn't it pathetic that the children and youth of Farwell are resorting to theft to foster their habits... their drug habits, their drinking habits, their stealing habits? Theft and vandalism seem to be the "in thing" to do around Farwell lately.

If anyone in Farwell still has their head in the sand thinking that "my precious children would never do a thing like that" then you had better wake up. A huge number of kids in Farwell that have two parents living at home, with good jobs, good income, plenty of food and the trendiest clothes are the exact kids that are the troublemakers of the new millennium.

And if I hear the adage "kids will be kids" one more time, I may get sick. Our children should be treasured, loved and doted on, but with unmaterialistic attachments and strong guidance and strict discipline. Whatever happened to true discipline, respect, morals, the desire for good character and the love of the Lord in our children's lives? When did our children not become accountable for their actions?

Kids, youth, young people ... children took Smokey's belongings.

Were they your children, Farwell?

Sincerely,  
Jo Moss

Dear Mike,

Words can never express the amount of kindness that has been showed toward our daughter, Carlee, and our family during this very difficult time.

If you are not aware, Carlee had a brain tumor removed in May, and the results were malignant. From that time til now, we have been blessed by surrounding communities with offerings of prayers, love, food, support, monetary donations and fund-raisers.

I could not imagine how a family in a large city or a place that was different than ours could make it through situations such as this. I am very proud to be associated with people such as yourselves that always jump on the band wagon and support families in need like ours.

We know we are in for a battle, but with our faith and trust in God, wonderful doctors, and community support, we will get through this.

Sincerely

The Luscombe family

**Gallman recognized**

Deon Gallman, a senior animal science major at Texas Tech University was named to the President's List for the spring semester.

A 4.0 grade point aver-

age is required to be named to this list.

Deon, a Lazbuddie High graduate, is the son of Robert and Ellen Gallman. of Lazbuddie.

**Farwell Convalescent Center  
Chit Chat**

by Debbie Parmer, Activities Director

It's been awhile since I've done "chit chat" and I hope I can remember what it is all about.

I want to start by telling you about a couple of our recent outings. On July 3, we took several residents to Green Acres Park for a picnic, then a trip to Melrose for the Billy the Kid Museum. Residents really enjoyed their picnic, and had a lot of fun watching and feeding the ducks. The museum was of great interest, too. Two residents had never been there. What fun on a hot July day! Thank goodness for air conditioning.

On July 4th, residents enjoyed eating watermelon in the afternoon. In the evening, we took several residents to Green Acres Park to watch the fireworks. Clovis really had a nice fireworks display, and it was a beautiful evening to be out. All enjoyed. We topped the outing off by stopping at the Dairy Queen for drinks and ice cream.

We do have a new synthesizer to use for devotions and special music functions, or one-on-ones. We would like to thank Harold Carpenter and our chaplain, Bill Bridwell, for the donation.

On July 9, our Auxiliary meeting was held. Their next event will be at the park at Border Town Days. Don't forget to stop by, and buy some baked goods. They are always yummy!

The next Auxiliary project is to buy a microphone/speaker system for the residents' dining room. This speaker system will be used for resident/family gatherings. With the holidays just ahead of us, this system would really be a plus for us. So ... don't forget the fund-raiser on July 28 at BTM in Farwell City Park. Donations are accepted.

The Auxiliary will host an ice cream party for residents in August, and a watermelon party in September. Just a reminder to the community ... the Auxiliary takes new members year-round. The next Auxiliary meeting will be Sept. 10 at 4 p.m. at the Farwell Convalescent Center. Come join the fun!

Residents' monthly birthday party will be July 27 at 3 p.m. Family members are encouraged to attend. Music is provided by the Border Town Four, which sometimes turns into the Border Town Five or Six! We *always* have a wonderful time.

We look so forward to Border Town Days every year. It is hard to believe it's that time of year again. Time flies! Residents really look forward to the parade. Several residents will be assisted to the park on the 28th to enjoy all the BTM fun. We will see you there!

**Sheriff's Report**

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

On July 10, Jesse Bockhouse, 26, of San Diego, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of marijuana. In county court, he was fined, paid court costs and given 3 days in jail.

On July 16, Severiana Rojas, 20, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of graffiti. The case is pending in district court.

On July 16, Ramon Perez, 19, of Albuquerque, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of violation of a

**Aycock limits his legal practice**

Longtime Parmer County attorney Charles Aycock announced this week that he was planning to limit his legal practice.

As of July 15, he had officially retired from civil practice, except to finish up cases he already had been working on.

Also, he no longer is a partner in the law firm of Aldridge, Aycock, Actkinson, & Rutter, of Farwell.

He said he has sold his share of the practice to Jeff Actkinson, another lawyer with the firm.

Other partners are

**Texico Police Report**

Here is the weekly report from Texico Police Chief Kelley Brophy.

A house burglary occurred last week on Anderson Street.

It's being investigated and there are suspects.

On July 15, Oren Howard, 52, of Muleshoe, was charged with DWI.

Johnny Actkinson and Marion Ty Rutter.

Aycock will continue, for the time being, as Parmer County attorney but said that he will be naming Jeff Actkinson assistant county attorney, a new position.

Aycock said the county attorney's caseload has increased tremendously in the past several years. Theft by check misdemeanors and felonies have had a quantum leap.

By limiting his practice, Aycock and his wife, Margaret, plan to do more traveling.

Aycock has been practicing law since 1967, and came to Farwell in 1969. He has served as county attorney for 20 years so far.

When he began thinking of limiting his practice, Aycock said he realized that he was now handling the grandsons of folks he dealt with when he opened his practice.

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**Notice to Bidders**

The Farwell Independent School District is currently accepting bids for the following: gasoline, diesel, athletic supplies, milk, cafeteria food, cafeteria miscellaneous supplies, janitorial supplies, office supplies, school supplies.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Thursday, August 14, 2001, and will be presented to the Board of Trustees at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 14, 2001.

If you are interested in placing a bid for any of the above items, please contact Larry Gregory, superintendent, Farwell I.S.D., Box F, Farwell, TX 79325. You may call (806) 481-3371 for a specification list on the items on which you wish to bid.

The Farwell I.S.D. Board of Trustees reserves the right to refuse any or all bids.

Larry Gregory  
Superintendent

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Competitive quotes will be obtained by Lazbuddie Independent School District for the 2001-2002 school year for purchases in the following category: Motor Fuel.

If you would like to submit a competitive quote for the above category, please contact Carolyn Scott, business manager, at P.O. Box 9, Lazbuddie TX 79053, or call (806) 965-2156. These quotes will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 8, 2001.

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Hardy Carlyle, Superintendent

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**COTTON:** Prices are making every attempt to move higher with the grain complex, but a lack of fundamental improvements still has prices on the defensive. Hot dry weather and a loss in total acres had had little effect on prices. Don't be too surprised to see cotton making a grain move someday when everyone least expects it to happen? Hang in there.

**CORN:** Prices are being supported heavily by demand coming from China. The fact that high pressure is creating hot and dry weather across the Mid West has been a bonus for prices. This market will likely feed off adverse weather until there is a change in the forecast. Remember the market trades on weather predictions 5 days ahead.

**WHEAT:** Looks like prices finally kicked into gear last week. The market doesn't have the adverse weather to support prices like corn and beans. Export demand and or Kernal Bunt may be the wild cards pushing prices higher? Fundamentally, wheat should be the strongest grain, but it seems to be the weakest for the moment. Look for higher prices later.

**SOYBEANS:** The leader of the pack when it comes to grain. Strong demand and adverse weather have been the perfect combination supporting prices. Prices should remain strong into early August or until weather changes. Either way, demand for soy products will remain strong until the new crop is harvested.

**LIVE CATTLE:** Prices may have bottomed last week at \$72.50 basis the August contract and \$69 in the cash? Prices are expected to remain soft this week and then explode upwards into August. Still looking for prices to reach \$76-\$78 into first week of August. Cash may remain \$1-2 below the August contract until we get into the month of August.

**FEEDER CATTLE:** Targets were met at \$89.50 last week basis the August contract. Corn may add some pressure, but prices should still be able to rally up into early August. Targets remain between \$94-96, but it will take higher fed cattle prices and strong demand to push back to new contract highs over the coming weeks.



court order (possession of a controlled substance). The case is pending in district court.

On July 10, Christopher Burrus, 31, of Hereford, was arrested on a charge of theft by check by the sheriff's office. He paid a fine, court costs and restitution in county court.

On July 11, Sheon Polk, 21, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of 2 counts of violation of probation. The case is pending in district court.

In 287th District Court, with Judge Gordon Green presiding, on June 10:

-- Robert Jacques Anchondo, 20, of Farwell, charged with aggravated assault on a peace officer, was sentenced to 6 years in the Texas Department of Corrections, probated for 6 years; \$292 court costs; \$1,000 fine; \$312 restitution, and 240 hours of community service.

-- Marcie Linnette Matthews, 38, of Farwell, charged with hindering apprehension, was sentenced to 2 to 10 years in the Texas Department of Corrections, deferred for 2 years; \$267 court costs; \$250 fine, and 40 hours of community service.

-- Kenneth Lee Bails Jr., 23, of Hereford, charged with a Class A misdemeanor assault (reduced from escape), was sentenced to 90 days in Parmer County Jail, \$100 fine, and \$267 court costs.



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### Cheerleaders receive awards



Farwell varsity cheerleaders are, back row from left, Danielle Cargile, D'Anna DeLeon, Jessica Chandler, Kyra Christian and Khallie Foster; middle row, Melissa Howard; front row, Jaimie Diaz, Micah Christian, Ashlie Martin.

The Farwell varsity cheerleaders and mascot attended camp at McMurry University in Abilene June 27-30.

Eighteen squads were represented. The Farwell squad received special awards each day.

On the first night, they got the Herkie Award, for a squad which exemplifies leadership, values and teamwork. It is a special award because it is voted on in secret by all the

squads at camp. On the second night, they received the Motion Award for displaying superlative motions.

They also received the Stunt Smart Award for displaying excellent skills in spotting and stunt techniques.

The mascot, Crystal Stover, received a humongous spirit stick that day for her hard work.

A very special thing at NCA camps is ALL-American cheerleader. Participants are nominated by staff members to try out, according to jumps, tumbling, leadership, stunts and motions.

Jessica Chandler, D'Anna DeLeon, Kyra Christian, Micah Christian, Danielle Cargile and Khallie Foster were nominated to try out.

The mascots also have All-American and Crystal Stover was nominated to try out.

On the 3rd night of camp, the Farwell squad received the Motion Award again.

On the fourth day, final awards are given.

Farwell received the spirit stick.

Crystal (Stormy) received the Prop Artist Award. This is for the mascot who showed the most creativity and ingenuity in props workshop and skits.

Crystal also was chosen as an All-American Mascot, which is a great honor. This makes her eligible to perform at a football bowl game in December.

Cheerleaders for 2001-2002 are Jessica Chandler, D'Anna DeLeon, Kyra Christian, Khallie Foster, Jaimie Diaz, Melissa Howard, Ashlie Martin, Micah Christian and Danielle Cargile.

The squad's sponsor is Tanya Chadwick.

### 'Overpass' update given

Wonder about progress on the long-awaited overpass between Texico and Farwell?

To make it work, there needs to be an agreement between Texas and New Mexico.

First, Texas' side: Steve Perez, the Texas area highway engineer stationed in Littlefield, said, "It's a go on our side."

And New Mexico's side: Ralph Meeks, the state district engineer located in Roswell, said the state has made no commitment as far as he knows.

The state has about \$1 million currently for statewide projects. "Money is real tight," said Meeks.

"We haven't committed to Texas' offer, as far as I know," added Meeks.

Thus, until New Mexico allocates money for the project, things are at a standstill.



Farwell Steers mascot Crystal Stover

### Crime

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\$90 in a Probation Fees Fund. Crime Stoppers has had four murals made (painted by jail inmates) that will be placed around the county. Two of the murals will be on the BTD float so everyone can see what they look like.

A Farwell site (on the wall of the old theater building on Avenue A) has been found for one mural. Other sites are needed in Bovina, Friona and Lazbuddie. If you can suggest a site, please call the sheriff's office.

### EMS Report

The Farwell ambulance transported persons from the Farwell Convalescent Center to Clovis hospital on July 11 and 13.

### Lazbuddie rates 'silver'

The Lazbuddie School chapter of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) competed at the national contest in Anaheim, Calif., last week.

The applied technology team of Landon Parham, Julio Aguilar, Fabian Guzman, Tray Thorn, Jeffrey Phillips and Eric Magby had placed first in the state STAR contest.

The team had a presentation and video that described their project, a landscape design which included construction of a pond for the school's courtyard.

The Tribune was unable to find out how they did at the nationals except that they received "silver."

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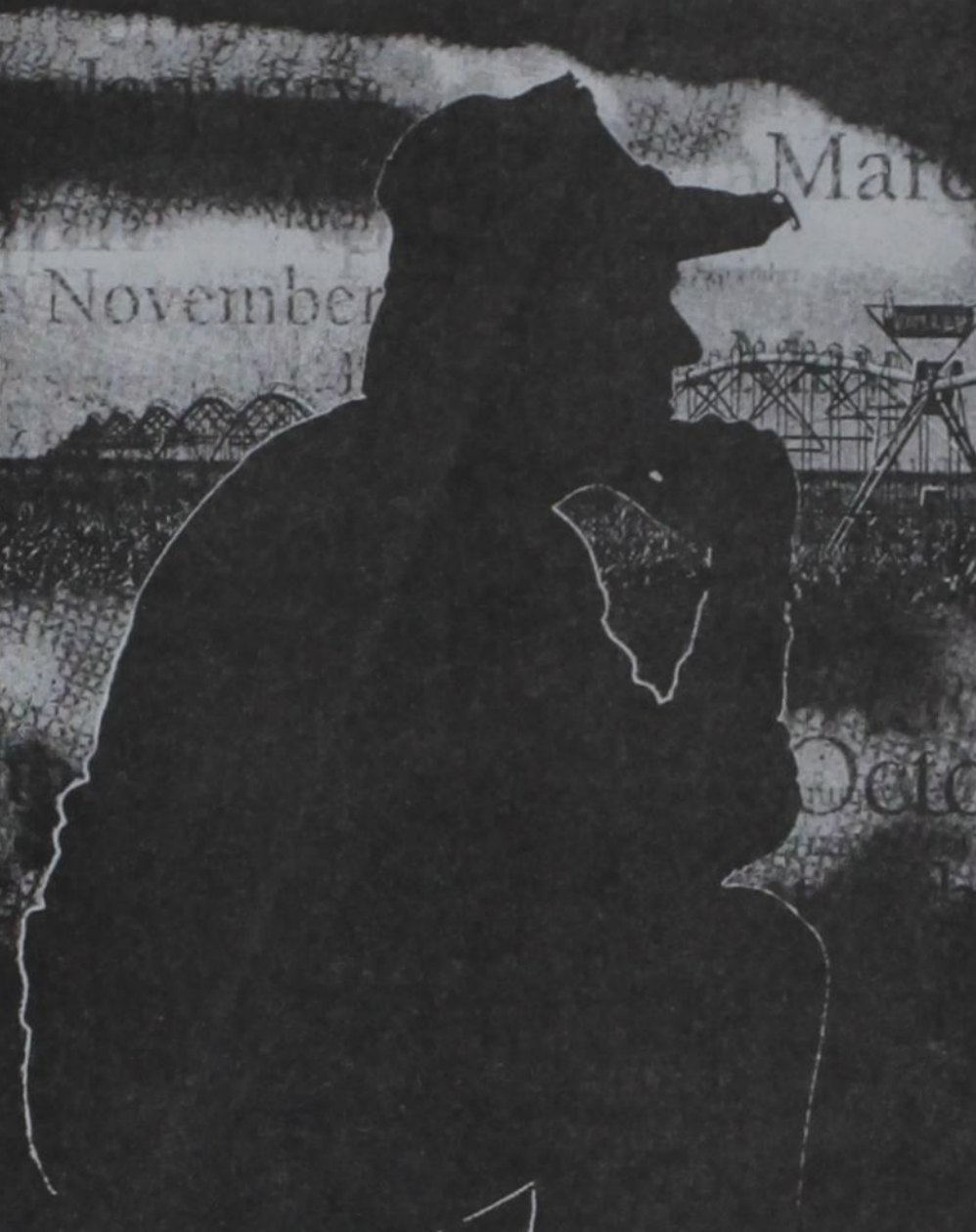
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## The Latest

It's always amazing to see how a heavy rain can affect one area, while nearby areas go dry.

Such was the case last Friday night.

A 1 1/2 hour downpour, with high winds, swept through the Twin Cities with rain gauges showing about 2.2 and 2.3 inches of moisture.

But Clovis just had a real light shower.

Lazbuddie reported just a shower.

And Lonnie McFarland, at the Sherley-Anderson grain elevator in Lariat, reported .26" there, with a nearby residence reporting just .10".

Former Parmer County Sheriff Gary Blair was sworn in last week as a Bailey County deputy sheriff.

The Farwell cheerleaders will be putting on a youth cheerleading camp July 24-26 from 9 to 11:30 a.m. at the high school gym.

The fee is \$20. To sign up, call Tanya Chadwick at 481-9014.

Youths attending the Texico summer band camp went to Casel-Land in Clovis last week to play miniature golf, go cart and use the batting cages.

On July 19, the band participants will have a swimming party and cookout. Their families are invited.

The Farwell City Council meeting was

postponed from July 17 to July 19.

Seen flocks of plastic flamingoes in some of the front yards here?

It's a fund-raiser by Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church's youth group, for their summer mission trip.

If you would like to have a flock placed in a friend's front yard, call Roberta Howard at 389-5472 for details.

The Twin Cities continued to suffer through a heat wave this week, as did much of the extended Southwestern area.

The sign at Security State Bank hit 105 degrees on Monday, for example.

Randy Ragland, former Texico School teacher, has been hired by Bovina Schools.

## It's a Boy

Tommy (Trey) Lynn Butler III was born to Tommy and Candy Butler, of Amarillo, on June 24 there.

He weighed 8 lbs., 6 1/2 oz. and was 22" long.

Grandparents are Wesley and Cindy Davis, of Evans, Colo.; Terry Butler, of Claude, and Tommy and Carol Butler, of Amarillo.

Great-grandparents are R.C. and Verna Davis, of Farwell; Cyrus and Eva Nell Dale, of Muleshoe; Buck and Ann Butler, of Claude; Jewell Butler, of Claude, and the late Freda Dale.

He had been working at Dimmitt Schools.

Linda Porter will be helping Hal Helton as parade marshals for the Border Town Days parade.

They will be helping line up the units.

The Texas Equipment Co., in Friona, closed this week. It was a John Deere dealership.

A family has some free puppies to be given away, if you call 225-6655.

## Marriage Licenses

The Parmer County clerk's office has issued marriage licenses to Neil Marzolf and Linda Gunn, and to Larry Patton and Victoria Roubustona.

## Fire Calls

The Farwell fire department went to a vehicle fire at 4th Street and Avenue A on July 13.

## Cheerleading Camp

The Farwell cheerleaders will sponsor a youth cheerleading camp Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday, July 24, 25 & 26, 9 to 11:30 a.m. Farwell High School gym. The fee is \$20. To sign up, call Tanya Chadwick at 481-9014.

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## Last call for BTD signups!

Last call for signups for Border Town Days: If you are a local non-profit group and want to have a concession at the park, call Cynthia Thigpen at 481-3620.

If you want to have a homemade arts and crafts booth at the city park during the fun day, call Lynne Mahaney at 481-3601.

To sign up your team for the 9th annual volleyball tournament, call Ryan Williams at 481-3494.

And buy your tickets for the giveaways, which will pick the winners at BTD on July 28.

Parmer County Crime Stoppers are offering a family getaway to Amarillo, including a night's stay at the Ambassador Hotel, 4 tickets to Wonderland Park and \$100 spending money. Donations are \$2. You don't need to be present to win.

The Farwell School Foundation will have giveaways for a 2-person swing, a birdhouse, a \$50 gift certificate to Hughes True Value, a Farwell School wind suit, and two tickets to get into all the Farwell School athletic events next year for free.

### Harris receives scholarship

Clifton Harris, of Lazbuddie High, and the son of Ken and Charlotte Harris, received a \$600 scholarship from Five Area Telephone Cooperative. He plans to major in ranching feedlot operations at Clarendon College.



## Riddle Rx to close

Riddle Rx pharmacy in Farwell will be closing in early August, announced Jon Riddle, pharmacist/owner.

Riddle had operated the pharmacy here for the past two years, after purchasing it from Donna and Mike Ratke.

The Riddle family will be moving to Dimmitt, where Riddle has purchased the pharmacy there. They also own pharmacies in Memphis and Tulia, Texas.

Riddle was raised in Bovina and had looked forward to moving back to this area. But the pharmacy here never made

enough money to warrant him staying here.

Situations involving pharmacies have changed over the years, with the growth of large store pharmacies. And with some of those pharmacies within a short distance of Texico-Farwell, it made it difficult to have a local pharmacy be profitable.

Riddle expects to just close the pharmacy here. He is trying to make arrangements to transfer over local records to an independent Clovis pharmacy, and an announcement on that is expected later.

### Want to join the BTD parade?

It looks like another great parade for Border Town Days this year. A lot of fun participants have already signed up.

The parade will kick off at 11 a.m. cdt on Saturday, July 28, at Griffin Street in Texico. The parade will go down the highway to 5th Street in Farwell, where it turns south, past the Farwell Convalescent Center and heads to the Farwell city park.

Has your group signed up yet? Cash prizes of \$75, \$50, \$35 and \$25 are given to the top four floats. This year's theme is "Wild and Wacky West."

To sign up for the parade, call either Mike Pomper at the Tribune, Judy Lekovich or Ruth Anne Bennett.

The list of all entries and where they line up for the parade will be published in the Tribune's July 26 issue.

### It's a Girl

Greg and Alyson Actkinson, of Farwell, announce the birth of a daughter, Ainsley Kei.

She was born July 12 in Lubbock and weighed 7 lbs., 9 oz. She has a brother, Landry, 8.

Grandparents are Larry and Betsy Aldridge, of Abernathy, and Johnny and Diane Actkinson, of Farwell.

Great-grandparents are Ozane Aldridge, of Lawn, Texas; Earl and Aleene Boler, of Granbury, Texas; and Russell and Bettie Bryant, of Las Cruces, N.M.

## Farwell hires junior high boys' coach

The Farwell School Board on Tuesday hired Brian Johnson as the boys' basketball and football junior high coach.

He is a graduate of Fritch High School and West Texas A&M University.

He also will teach Texas history.

In othe business, the board discussed landscaping the south side of the junior high.

Supt. Larry Gregory will seek prices on this proposed project.

### Lunch prices kept the same

The Lazbuddie School Board on July 10 agreed to leave lunch prices as the same as last year.

Hirings announced were:

- Misty Watts, math.
- Diana Wright, business.
- Vickie Burch, Spanish.
- Tammie Turner, superintendent's secretary.

Also, the board: - Reviewed the student code of conduct. Student handbooks will be sent to

school patrons next spring.

- Discussed the gifted/talented program and band instruments.

- Set the calendar for teacher appraisals.

- Gave a pay raise to Tonjua Scisson, who now will also be responsible for personnel records.

- Agreed to have the alternate education classroom, if needed, be set up in Friona. Previously, Olton School was used.

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