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New Borden County Event Center



Construction on the brand new Borden County Event Center is well on it's way. Borden County Judge, Van York, says completion of the Arena and Event Center is scheduled for January 2011.

Victory Over Wildcats Moves the Coyotes One Step Closer to District Chamionship

By Coach Richey

The Borden County Coyotes used a big 2nd quarter to pull away from a very game Grady Wildcat football team last Friday night. This put the Coyotes in a good spot to win their 3rd straight district championship without having to win their final game in Ackerly.

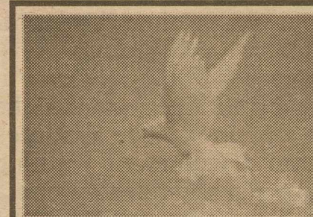
The Borden County offense had their best outing of the season as they had possession of the ball 10 times and scored on

their first nine possessions. Their only non-scoring possession was used to run out the final seconds of the clock to wrap up a huge district victory over the previous co-leaders of the district, Grady Wildcats. The Coyote offense used a methodical running game and a timely passing game set up by the run to score at will Friday night. The Coyotes, in the end, came away with a hard fought

66 to 38 victory over the #10 team in the state.

A combination of Tanner Richey to Quint Shafer got the Coyotes rolling as 4 straight running plays set up a play-action pass play to a wide open Shafer for a 27 yard scoring strike and a quick 6 to 0 lead only 2 ½ minutes into the game. The

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Dare to Live Without Limits

By Bryan Golden

The Treasure Within You

Within you is a vast treasure awaiting rediscovery. You have more power, potential, and capability than you realize. A sculptor looking at a piece of marble sees a figure waiting to be revealed. The sculptor's job is to remove enough stone to expose the silhouette.

What abilities, talents and desires do you possess that are waiting to be uncovered? Why is it that inner treasures are not always obvious? Let's follow a person's development from birth to adulthood.

When a baby is born, he or she has no concept of fear, failure or danger. We'll call the baby Alice. Her imagination and dreams are limitless. Yet, she's completely vulnerable to her environment.

Alice is totally dependent on her parents for food, shelter and protection. As Alice grows, her parents teach her the dangers of her surroundings. She learns what she can't or is not allowed to do. There is little, if any, emphasis on teaching her how to fully realize her potential.

Alice starts school and begins her formal education. That process includes learning proper rules of behavior. Rules, by their nature, outline what is not allowed or accept-

able. Again, there is little or no emphasis on how to fully realize one's potential.

Alice's education constantly imposes limitations. There are several interesting examples that illustrate the impact learned limitations can have. Put a flea into a small jar with a glass top. The flea quickly determines that there is a limit to how high it can jump. Remove the glass top and the flea, due to its conditioning, won't jump out of the jar even though it has the capability to do so.

Take a fish tank and divide it in half with a piece of glass. Put several fish on one side. The fish will hit the divider until they learn where the swimming limits are. Remove the divider and the fish will still remain on one side of the tank.

The educational system and societal constraints are the equivalent of the jar top and fish tank divider on Alice's development.

As Alice grows and interacts with others she will be exposed to jealousy. People tend to be envious of what someone else may have. Jealousy can manifest itself through ridicule, and alienation. If Alice shows ambition, unique abili-

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Coyotes Move Closer to Championship...

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Wildcats came back with a touchdown pass of their own as they converted a 4th and 11 situation into a 20 yard scoring strike. With the extra point kick, they had their only lead of the evening at 8 to 6. The Coyotes needed only 1 minute to regain the lead for good as Richey scampered 19 yards to the endzone. With the Helio Rosales kick the Borden County was back on top to stay at 14 to 8. The defense struggled a bit on the evening. They did however manage 3 take aways and got the first of those 3 as Richey stepped in front of a Wildcat pass and returned it 40 yards inside of Wildcat territory.

On the first play of the 2nd quarter, Tony Soto got the first of his 4 touchdown runs to push the Coyote lead to 22 to 8 following another Rosales Kick. The Coyote defense got another turnover on the next Wildcat possession and on a busted 4th down and short play, Richey and Shafer hooked up again to turn what looked like a drive ending loose ball into a nice 27 yard scoring strike. Another Rosales kick gave the home team a nice 30 to 8 lead with 4:46 left in the half. The game Wildcats would not concede as they put together a nice drive to cut the lead to 30 to 14 with 1:55 left in the half. As was the theme all night, the Coyotes countered quickly as Soto set sail on a nice 44 yard run behind a nice block by Austin Fields, Richey, Center Derek Tatum, guard TJ Basquez and end Shafer to regain the momentum on the first play of their drive. Again, Rosales booted the extra point to give the Coyotes a commanding 38 to 14 lead at the half.

The Wildcats used a nice 10 play 3 1/2 minute drive to start the 2nd half to get right back into this contest, but again, the Coyotes would answer with Soto's third scoring jaunt. This time the distance covered to pay dirt was 19 yards to double up the Wildcats at 44 to 22.

After a nice 3 and out by the Coyote defense, Richey started the 4th quarter by connecting with Fields from 7 yards out to increase their advantage to 50 to 22. Grady would not go away as they quickly answered to cut the deficit to 50 to 30.

Borden County put together one of their most important drives of the game and converted a huge 4th down play and eventually saw the final Richey to Shafer connection result in another Coyote touchdown and with another Rosales kick the Coyotes regained their 28 point advantage at 58 to 30.

The Wildcats made one last effort as they got on the board again, but moments later, Soto had his 4th touchdown of the evening. This pushed the lead to twenty eight. Borden County got their 3rd turnover of the contest as Richey jarred the ball loose and Steven Howard jumped on the loose ball to seal the victory as the 2nd team offense of McLayne Hall, Howard, Matt Roberson, David Rodriguez, got into the act and move the Coyotes within a victory of winning their 3rd straight district title.

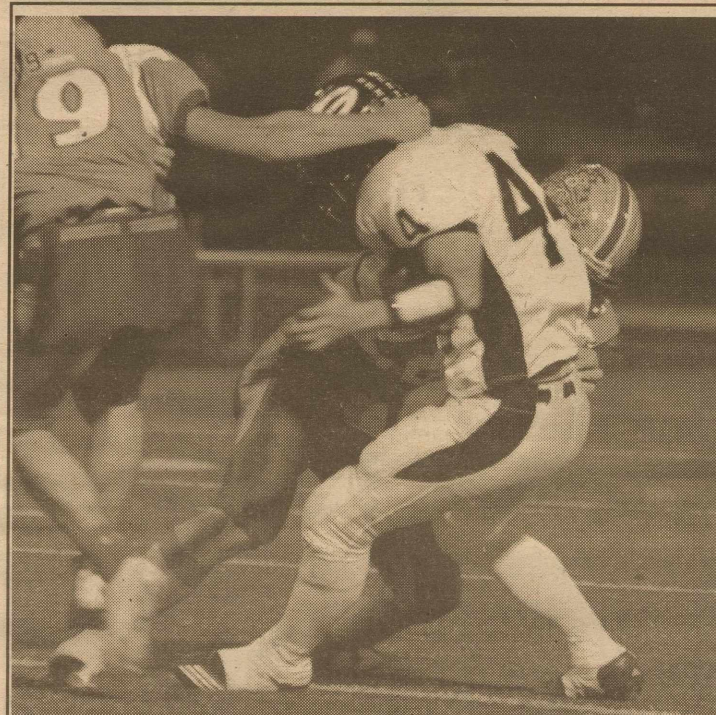
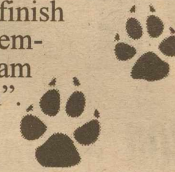
Leading the way for the Coyotes was Tony Soto with 17 carries for 160 yards and 4 scores and was in on 13 tackles, a caused fumble and a pass break up. David Rodriguez had a tackle and 5 carries for 16 yards. Quint Shafer had 15 tackles and 3 receptions for 68 yards and 3 touchdowns. Zach Telchik, played quarterback for the first time with the 1st team offense and did a fantastic job, was in on 9 tackles. TJ Basquez had his best night blocking and had 2 tackles. McLayne Hall on special teams and 2nd team offense. Steven Howard had 3 tackles, 2 pressures and a fumble recovery. John Hensley had 15 tackles, one for a loss, a sack a fumble recovery and 2 pressures. Tanner Richey had 8 carries for 106 yards, was 5 of 8 passing for 90 yards and 4 scores and was in on 18 tackles an interception and a caused fumble. Austin Fields had 3 carries for 24 yards, 2 catches for 22 yards and a score and was in on 5 tackles had a sack and 2 pressures. Derek Tatum had another good night blocking and was in on 11 tackles, one for a loss. Helio Rosales was 6 of 9 on extra points and a touchdown saving tackle on kick-off and Matt Roberson was in on a tackle.

The Coyotes next travel to Sands in a pivotal contest. It is very unique because with the

Coyotes big victory over the Wildcats and the Wildcats big victory over Sands a point system has been put in place to help settle any possible three way tie. The Coyotes actually only have to stay inside of 17 points to ensure a district championship and a berth in the play-offs. The Coyotes would just like to make things easy and finish the district unblemished and leave no doubt to the 2010 district champions.

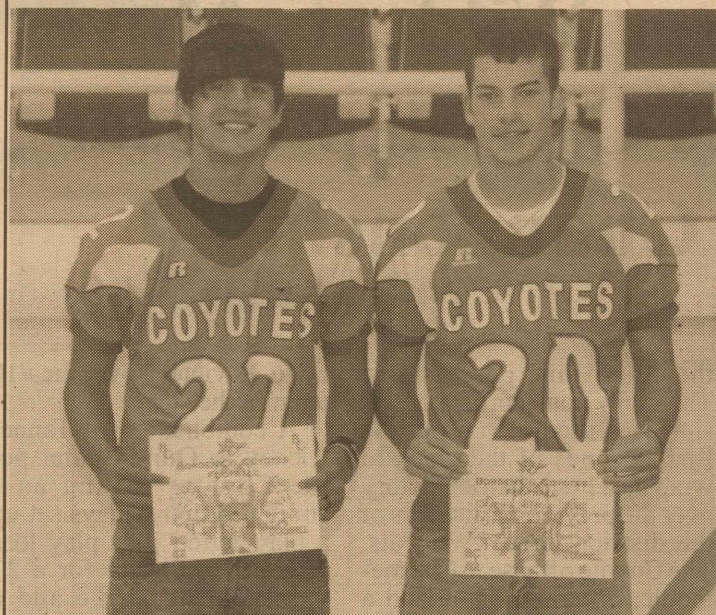
Please come to Ackerly to support the Coyotes in yet another huge game against long time Rivals, the Sands Mustangs.

Congratulations guys on a huge win. Now refocus on the 1st of many goals set forth this season. Take care of your business and finish the Job. Remember - "New team - Same Dream".



A Grady Wildcat is tackled from the side by Borden County Coyote, Derek Tatum (#28).

Players of the Week



Receiving Player of the Week honors are Tony Soto (left) (Running back/Cornerback) and Tanner Richey (right) (Quarterback/Running back/Safety). Great job!

School Lunch Menu

November 8 - 12, 2010
Menu subject to change

Monday - Breakfast: Ham & Biscuit, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Burrito, Spanish Rice, Tossed Salad, Fruit, Sugar Cookie and Milk.

Tuesday - Breakfast: Cinnamon Pastry, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Barbequed Chicken, Macaroni & Cheese, Tossed Pears, Cornbread and Milk.

Wednesday - Breakfast: Pancake Pup, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Steak Fingers, Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Roll, Frozen Cherry Bar, and Milk.

Thursday - Breakfast: Omelet & Toast, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Fajita Chicken Over Rice, Broccoli & Ranch, Seasoned Corn, French Bread Stick, Apricot Fruit Fluff and Milk.

Friday - Breakfast: Breakfast Pizza, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Pizza, Tossed Salad, Fresh Banana, Chocolate Cake and Milk.

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Borden Co. 7th Grade Complete Comeback to Improve to 3-1

By Coach Richey

The Borden County 7th grade Pups jumped out to an early lead Thursday striking quickly on a Thomas Harrison to Nathan Souder 35 yard scoring pass play to make the score 6 to 0 early in the first quarter, but from that point until the beginning of the 4th quarter, this group that had made only a few mistakes in their short time playing separate from the 8th grade. That kept the visiting Anton Bulldogs not only in the game, but provided them a 13 point lead early in the 4th quarter.

The Pups had actually played the Bulldogs earlier in the season and beat them by two touchdowns, but the Bulldogs changed some things on offense and defense and got back a couple of injured players and as a result they gave the home town Pups some fits. The Bulldogs new spread offense caught the Pups off guard and allowed them to strike from 50 yards out to tie the score at 6 early in the 2nd quarter.

The Pups next offensive possession saw them put the ball on the ground 2 of their 3 offensive plays and forced Borden County to punt the ball. On the punt, a nice hit by Harrison forced a fumble. Unfortunately the ball bounced once on the turf and landed in the waiting arms of another Bulldog and he raced the remaining 31 yards to pay dirt to give the visitors a 13 to 6 lead following the extra point conversion.

Late in the 2nd quarter, Borden County put together a nice drive to move the ball deep into Bulldog territory and eventually found paydirt as tailback Tate Wheatley followed nice blocks by center Souder, guard Merik Valentine, rotating ends Caelon Thuett, Robert Jordan, Colby Pennell and Kelby Miller and fullback Joel Andrade to cut the lead to 13 to 12. The Pups failed on their extra point attempt to leave the score at 13 to 12. The Bulldogs answered with a late score to make the halftime score 19 to 12 in favor of the visiting Anton Bulldogs.

In the 2nd half, it looked as though the Pups were headed to another score, but another fumbled ball and penalties stalled the drive. A huge hit by Andrade on the first defensive play following the Pups turning the ball over on downs gave the Pups new life.

It looked as though that new life was going to reach pay dirt, but following a nice screen pass from Harrison to Andrade set Borden County up at the 1 yard line, a interception thwarted the drive, but the Bulldog defender returned the miscue 82 yards the other way to increase the lead to 25 to 12 midway through the 3rd quarter.

On the next Pup possession they traveled to the 1 yard line again, but on the first play of the 4th quarter, Colby Pennell was hit hard and fumbled the ball at the goal line and it was recovered by the bulldogs. The Pups misfortunes may have actually been a blessing as on the very next play, a big hit by defensive ends Valentine and Andrade forced a fumble in the endzone that was recovered by a Bulldog, but the result was a safety and 2 points for the Pups.

The visiting Bulldogs had to kick-off to the Pups and they wasted little time as on the very first play the combination of Harrison to Souder resurfaced and the result was a 42 yard pass and catch to cut the lead to 25 to 20. On the next defensive possession, Borden County finally figured out the spread offense and made 3 great stops in a row and forced a punt. Valentine caught the punt and gave the Pups a chance to take the lead. Figuring the sweep boot might catch them again, Harrison connected on first down with Andrade who rumbled to pay dirt from 46 yards out to give the Pups their 2nd lead of the game with 2:30 left in the game at 26 to 25. The Pups now had to play defense again and that is just what they did as, Andrade, Wheatley, Harrison, Souder, Jordan and Valentine, along with Flint Roberts, and Pennell combined to stop the

Bulldogs on 4 plays. Borden County could not run out the clock on offense so they had to play defense for two more plays and held on to the exciting come from behind 26 to 25 victory.

What a great victory for the 7th grade group of Harrison, Andrade, Valentine, Miller, Samuel Raborn, Roberts, Jordan, Thuett, Souder, Pennell and Wheatley. Congratulations guys on a super win.



7th grade Coyote Pup, Colby Pennell (#30) gains yardage as Thomas Harrison (#32) clears the path to the endzone.

Coyote JV Fall to Grady Wildcats in Tough Match

By Coach McCook

The Coyote JV football team faced a tough opponent last Thursday. Though it appeared the contest would be evenly matched for the first quarter or so, the Wildcat JV from Grady proved unstoppable, methodically scoring on every drive. What made the game even more difficult was that the Coyote offense could not answer. Grady shut out the Coyote JV 46-0 midway through the third quarter. The Coyote JV team will play

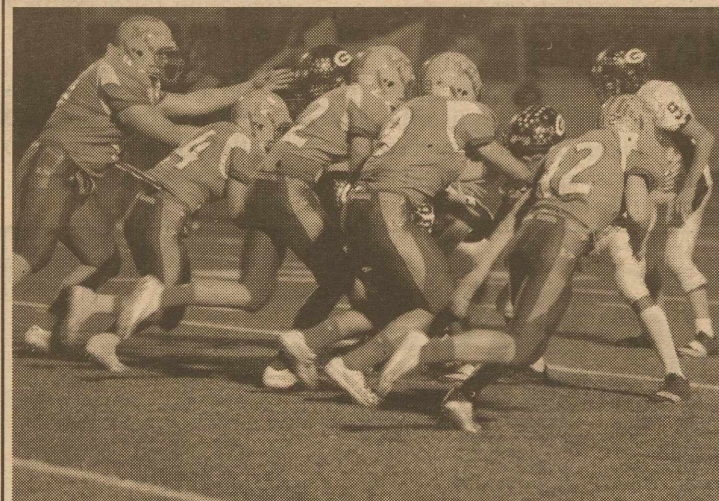
Sands this Thursday at Gail.

Collin Telchik led the Coyote rushers with 24 yards on 6 carries. Tristen Benavidez had 22 yards on 3 carries. Collin also completed 2 passes for 2 yards. Kurt Shafer completed 1 for 3 yards. Austin Tyler completed 3 of 3 passes for 30 yards. Tristen Benavidez caught 3 passes for 5 yards. Matthew Ham caught 1 for 9 yards. Matthew Proulx caught 1 for 6 yards. And Luis Andrade caught 1 for 14 yards.

Brady Dowds, Michael Taylor, Zach McMeans, Jared Smith, and Luke Burkett also contributed to the offensive effort.

On defense, Tristen Benavidez led the team with 7 tackles. Matthew Ham had 6; Luke Burkett 5; Jared Smith 2; Matthew Proulx 2; Austin Tyler 2; and Brady Dowds, Luis Andrade, Collin Telchik, and Zach McMeans had 1 tackle each.

Coyote Defense




The Coyote defensive line stalks the Wildcat offense in last Friday's game. Pictured are (left to right) Matt Roberson (#43), Austin Fields (#24), T.J. Basquez (#9) and Steven Howard (#12). The Coyotes came away with a 58-30 victory.

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Heart and Home ... 

by Julie Smith
Borden County Extension Agent-Family and Consumer Sciences

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Safety Tips for Using a Slow Cooker

It is not something new, but it is something old that has become new again! You guessed it, it is slow cooking! Many new products are out on the market to make slow cooking much simpler. From frozen meal packets to boxed meal kits, it is even easier to put a hearty meal on the table!

Now that the days are shorter, we are probably eating dinner much earlier and wanting a more hearty meal on our family's dinner table. This is the perfect time to get that slow cooker out of storage and start cooking supper at breakfast time and breakfast at supper time! There are many wonderful easy recipes out there for your slow cooker, but since it is a different type of cooking method, it is important to remember some food safety issues. Here are a few to remember while reaping the rewards of your slow cooker.

* Remember to keep perishable food refrigerated until preparation time. If cut up ahead of time, store meat and vegetables in the refrigerator.

* Always defrost meat or poultry *before* placing into a slow-cooker. It is best to make dishes with high moisture content such as chili, soup, stew, or spaghetti sauce.

* Cut food into chunks or small pieces to ensure thorough cooking. Do not use the slow cooker for large pieces such as roast or whole chicken because food will cook so

slowly it could remain in the bacterial danger zone (40E - 140E F) too long.

* Fill cooker no less than half full and no more than two-thirds full.

* Place vegetables on bottom and around sides and corners. Vegetables cook slower than meat and poultry in a slow cooker. Keep the lid in place, removing only to stir or check the food for doneness.

* Food will stay safe while cooking and when completed as long as cooker is operating.

* Throw away food even if it looks done when the power goes out or you are not at home during the entire slow-cooking process, and know the power went out.

* Finish cooking the ingredients immediately on a gas or camp stove or outdoor grill if you are at home when the power goes out.

* If food is completely cooked before power went out and you are at home, it should remain safe to eat up to 2 hours in the cooker with the power off.

* Store leftovers in covered containers, and refrigerate within one to two hours after cooking is finished.

* Reheating leftovers in a slow cooker is not recommended. Cooked food can be reheated on a stove top or in a microwave, and then put into a preheated slow cooker to keep hot for serving.

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Thought for the Day

Never cease loving a person, and never give up hope for him, for even the Prodigal Son who had fallen most low, could still be saved. The bitterest enemy and also he who was your friend could again be your friend; love that has grown cold can kindle again.

Dare to Live....

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ties or talents she may find herself being rejected.

Each time Alice experiences a negative reaction, a layer of stone forms around her dreams. She finds it easier to go with the flow and be accepted rather than blaze her own trail.

Alice finishes school and begins working. She may not be doing the kind of work she once dreamed of due to all of the limitations imposed on her while growing up.

If Alice shows too much enthusiasm or ambition she may be admonished by her coworkers. She could be denied a promotion while someone less capable moves ahead

because they are more adept at office politics.

Alice might want to go back to school to further her education or change careers. Perhaps she wants to start her own business. Her family and friends discourage her from being "unrealistic." Once again, a layer of stone is added as she receives little or no encouragement. Alice's dreams, aspirations, and abilities become so deeply buried that she forgets they ever existed.

Everyone has a buried treasure waiting to be rediscovered. What is yours? Uncover it and your life will be enriched in unimaginable ways.

November 4-H Calendar

Nov. 9 - 4-H Food Challenge Practice from 3:45 to 5:30 p.m. in Home Ec Lab.

Nov. 13 - District 4-H Food Show in Levelland.

Nov. 22 - District 4-H Gold Star and Distinguished Leader Banquet in Lubbock.

Nov. 26 - Lighting of the Star on Gail Mountain (Courthouse)

Nov. 30 - 4-H Food Challenge Practice from 3:45 to 5:30 p.m. in the Home Ec Lab.

Borden County 4-H would like to say **THANKS** to all those that supported the 4-H Raffle and Duck Pond! Funds raised will support our club, activities and events throughout the year!



Congratulations to Becky Herridge on winning the \$100 Wal-Mart gift card and to Katie Gray for winning the Fisher Price Kid Tough Digital Camera from the Duck Pond!

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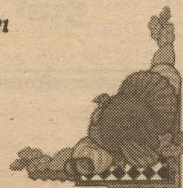
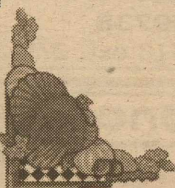
Sunday, November 7, 2010

At 12:30 p.m.

At the Plains Community Center

Please bring your choice of
vegetable, salad or dessert

Ladies will be at the
center on Friday at 3:30 p.m.
to set up tables.

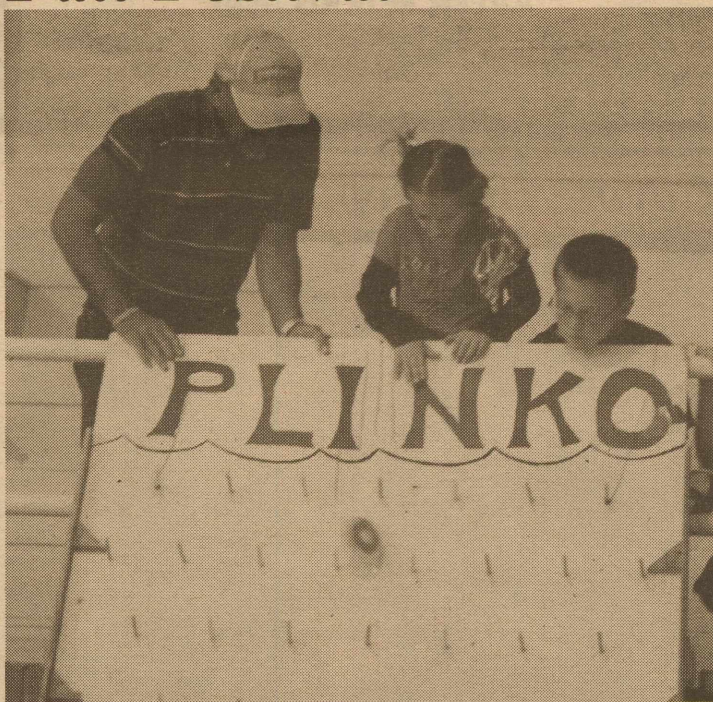


Neugebauer Visits Borden County



State Representative, Randy Neugebauer dropped in this past Wednesday to visit with the Borden County Coyotes. He presented the team and coaches with a flag that was flown at the Texas capital in honor of the Coyotes in recognition of back to back state football championships.

Fall Festival



Borden County 2nd graders, Susie Nuefeld and Will Yarbrow watch to see what their prize will be in the Plinko game during last Saturday night's Fall Festival. Many enjoyed the games, pastry walk, bingo and lots of good food.

Coyote Football Play-Off Shirts

Coyote Play-Off T-shirts will be on sale

Friday, November 5

Contact any Senior,

Mrs. Poole or Mrs. Key



14th Annual Borden County Home for the Holidays

"Comforts of Family"

on Thursday, November 18, 2010 at 6:00 p.m.

in the Community Room in Gail.

The favor of a reply is requested.

Please contact the Extension Office at (806)756-4336 or borden-tx@tamu.edu to RSVP.

A nominal fee of \$5 per person will be charged at the door
to cover the costs of food, program supplies, and the recipe book.

We hope that you will join us for a tasting of delicious recipes, entertaining tips, homemade gifts, food safety and storage, helpful holiday hints, and creative holiday decorations.

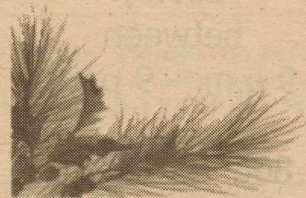
We will have fellowship and punch from 5:45 to 6:00 p.m. to allow an opportunity for everyone to visit. The program will begin promptly at 6:00 p.m.

For a community service project this year, we ask that you please

bring pajamas for youth from newborn through 18

to be donated to Buckner's Children's Home of Lubbock.

We will seek to provide all reasonable accommodations for all persons with disabilities for any Extension program. We request that you contact your Texas AgriLife Extension Service office as soon as possible to advise of auxiliary aid that you will require.



Commissioners Meeting

WHEREAS, On this the 12th day of September, 2010, the Commissioners' Court of Borden County, Texas, convened in Regular Session in the Commissioners Court room in the courthouse of Gail, Texas, the following members of the court being present, to-wit:

VAN L. YORK, County Judge, Residing; **MONTE SMITH**, Commissioner, Precinct N. 1; **RANDY ADCOCK**, Commissioner, Precinct No. 2; **ERNEST REYES**, Commissioner, Precinct No. 3; **JOE BELEW**, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4; **JOYCE HERRIDGE** County Clerk and Ex-Officio of the Commissioners Court, constituting a quorum, when the following proceedings were had, in accordance with the posted agenda.

Present were Ross Sharp, Deputy Tax Assessor and Chief Appraiser, Don Nunnally.

MINUTES APPROVED

Minutes of the Commissioners Court Meetings of September 28, 2010 were read. Commissioner Adcock made a motion to approve said minutes. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion. Motion carried.

COUNTY OFFICE REPORTS

After examination of the County Offices Reports, Commissioner Belew made a motion to approve submitted reports. Commissioner Adcock seconded the motion. Motion carried.

SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS

At 9:00 a.m. Commissioner Reyes made a motion to close the Commissioners Court Meeting and open the Hearing on the Final Subdivision Regulations. Commissioner Belew seconded the motion. Motion carried.

No interested person was in attendance.

At 9:05 a.m., Commissioner Adcock made a motion to close the hearing and to open the Commissioners Court Meeting. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reyes.

SUBDIVISION REGULATIONS

Commissioner Belew made a motion to approve the Subdivision Regulations for Borden County. Commissioner Smith seconded the motion.

TEXAS ANIMAL

DAMAGE CONTROL ASSOCIATION

Joel Dennis and Johnny Kemp, Trapper, visited with the Court. Commissioner Adcock made a motion to approve the Field Agreement with Texas Animal Damage Control Association. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Smith. Motion carried.

CANVASS ELECTION

Commissioner Adcock made a motion to set Commissioner Court Meeting for November 10, 2010 at 8:00 a.m. for the Canvassing of the November 2, 2010 General Election. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion. Motion carried.

ELECTION JUDGES AND ALTERNATES

Commissioner Adcock made a motion to appoint Shirley Bennett as the Alternate Judge in Precinct No. 2A. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reyes. Motion carried.

ACCOUNTS ALLOWED

The current accounts were examined and Commissioner Adcock made a motion to approve and pay said accounts. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion. Motion carried.

SOIL CONSERVATION CONSTRUCTION

Two applications for Soil Conservation Construction of Fireguards were received from Tim Wilson in Precinct 1 and 2; and from Larry Smith in Precinct No. 2. Commissioner Adcock made a motion to approve the applications with Commissioner Smith seconding the motion. Motion carried.

REINVESTMENT ZONE

Orlando Puig and Jonathan Butcher with BNB Renewable Energy met with the Court concerning the Reinvestment Zone I Western Borden County.

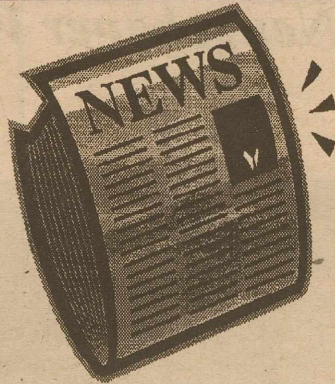
ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDA

No new items were presented.

ADJOURN

Commissioner Belew made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion and was approved unanimously.

THE FOREGOING MINUTES READ AND APPROVED THIS THE 26th day of October 2010.



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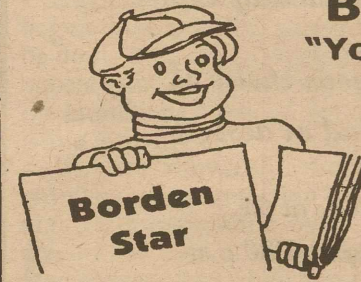
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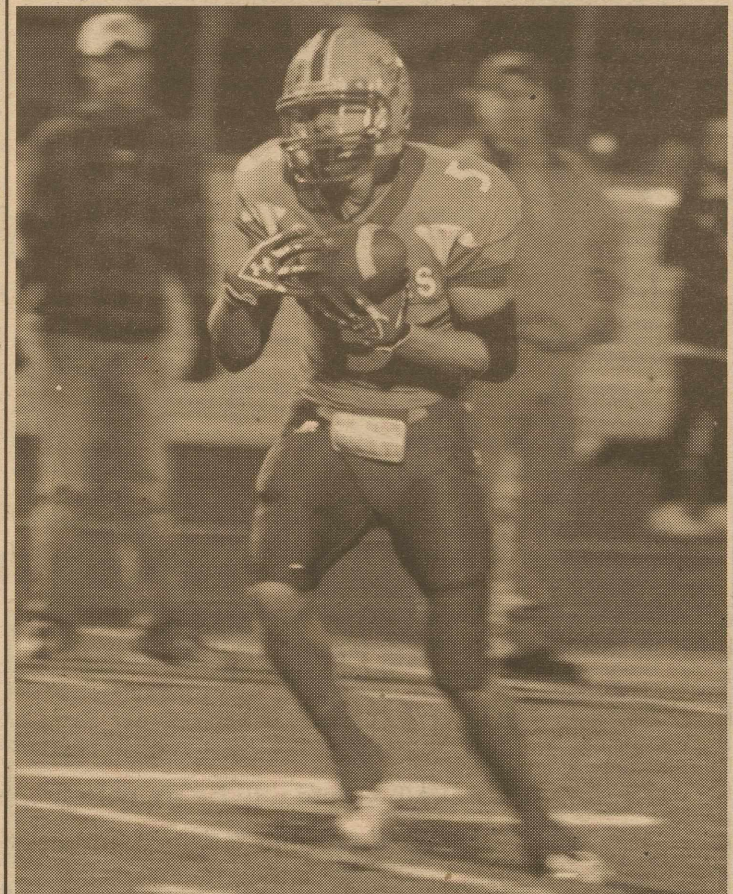
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Coyote Interception



Borden County end, Quint Shafer intercepts a Grady pass. He had a total of 3 interceptions and 3 touchdowns for 68 yards against the Wildcats.

Texas Stories

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Tumbleweed Smith

The most Beautiful BBQ Book in Texas

I judged goat in Brady again this year. The city's goat cooking event is in its 37th year and I've been to a lot of them. This year I was promoted to team captain. I also was one of the selected judges to decide the winner of the "mystery meat" contest. Three of us judged the showmanship competition. That's my favorite job and hope to do the same thing next year. This year, more than fifty judges sampled the offerings of 132 goat cookers. I had some good goat and I had some pretty bad goat.

Rookie judges are held up in ridicule. They wear goat horns around their necks and take good-natured ribbing from veteran judges. Some of the judges are high-powered folks. Writers, photographers, legislators, and movie stars have judged goat in Brady.

I met Wyatt McSpadden, one of the rookie judges, in Brady. He is a native of Amarillo and worked for Stanley Marsh, who planted a bunch of Cadillacs nose down in a field as an art project. Wyatt was Marsh's official photographer on the Cadillac project as well as others. In the 90's Wyatt got interested in documentary photography and moved to Austin. His photos of prominent people have appeared in publications all across the country, many of them in Texas Monthly, where he is a contributing photographer.

He did the photography for a beautiful coffee table book titled TEXAS BBQ. He spent twenty years criss-crossing the state visiting small family owned barbecue operations. Wyatt is a true artist with a camera. His work hangs in some prestigious museums and galleries as well as in homes of collectors. The picture on the back cover of the book is simply a pepper sauce bottle filled with toothpicks. It looks intriguing enough to study it for a while to figure out what it is.

Looking at the photos you not only smell the barbecue but feel its soul as well. Wyatt uses both black and white photos in his book. He says some things

had to be black and white; others had to be in color. He photographed men stoking fires, colorful signs inside and out, greasy pits, old cash registers, cracked seats at a barbecue counter, piles of mesquite wood, tongs and tools used in preparing the barbecue, brick ovens, knives, butcher blocks, cooked meat, raw meat, hanging aprons, customers and strings of sausages. Wyatt's book of barbecue photography evokes strong emotions about the state's favorite food. Anybody who has eaten delicious barbecue at a place with a broken screen door can identify with the book.

The book contains quotes from Texas barbecue cooks: "You just can't throw meat in an oven and come back 24 hours later. You gotta sweat and inhale a lot of smoke. You gotta cook right over the coals where the meat can drip down. Then the flavor can come back up through it. You can't be lazy if you want real Texas barbecue, you gotta do the work." That's a quote from Steve Kapchinski, pit master at Martin's Place in Bryan.



17th Annual Lights for Gail

The "Star" on Gail Mountain will be sponsored on the following nights:

Nov. 26 - In Memory of: **Delmo Pearce, Karen Pearce**
By the Citizens of Borden County

Nov. 26 - In Honor of: **Martha Pearce**
By the Citizens of Borden County

Nov. 27 - In Memory of: **Wayne Key**
By Musslewhite Trucking Co.

Nov. 30 - In Memory of: **The Reinecke Family**
By Margaret Novak

Dec. 2 - In Memory of: **Carol Montgomery**
By John Montgomery

Dec. 4 - In Memory of: **Doris G. Beaver**
By Frank Beaver

Dec. 5 - In Memory of: **Bert & Dorothy Dennis**
By Joel & Betty Dennis

Dec. 5 - In Memory of: **Nell & Binie White**
By Binie L. & Edna White

Dec. 6 - In Memory of: **The J.W.C. Mullins Family**
By John Mullins

Dec. 6 - In Honor of: **Jim Wade**
By Borden County Waste Disposal, Ltd.

Dec. 8 - In Memory of: **Herman Ledbetter**
By Ross & Sarah Sharp

Dec. 10 - In Memory of: **Beno & Donna Hendricks**
By Bo & Jacque Hendricks

Dec. 13 - In Honor of: **Tip Baker**
By Borden County Waste Disposal, Ltd.

Dec. 15 - In memory of **Jim York Family**

By Van and Barbara York
Dec. 19 - In Honor of: **Our Kids**

By Doyle & Shirly Newton

Dec. 20 - In Memory of: **Fagan & Flora Johnson**
By Carroll & Jane Stone

Dec. 20 - In Honor of: **Mark May**

By Borden County Waste Disposal, Ltd.

Dec. 24 - In Memory of: **Arvil (Babe) Brewer**

By Ross & Sarah Sharp

Dec. 24 - In Memory of: **C. (Buddy) Sharp**

By Ross & Sarah Sharp

Dec. 24 - In Memory of: **Beno & Donna Hendricks**

By Ross & Sarah Sharp

Dec. 24 - In Memory of: **Our Parents**

By Doyle & Shirly Newton

Dec. 25 - In Honor of: **Mrs. Claus for 15 years of precious memories**

By the Citizens of Borden County and Lights for Gail Committee Members

Dec. 26 - In Honor of: **Mildred Sevey**

By Bo & Jacque Hendricks

Dec. 27 - In Honor of: **Guy Edwards**

By Borden County Waste Disposal, Ltd.

Dec. 31 - In Memory of: **Our Parents**

By Rich & Barbara Anderson

Dec. 31 - In Thanksgiving: **For Our Family**

By Rich & Barbara Anderson

Dec. 31 - In Honor of: **Brian & Sharon Jones & Robyn**

Light bulbs for the "Star" on Gail Mountain are being sponsored for the following:

IN MEMORY OF:

James W. Petty
By Mrs. James W. Petty

Garland Doyle
Glen Kingston

Clay Kingston
By Eva Doyle

Preston & Ella Sharp
Tom & Anne Nelms

Marvin D. "Chief" Brewer
Billy O. Gilleland

Ples & Annie Hallmark
By Ross & Sarah Sharp

Brandon Adcock
Bobbie Briggs

John Brummett
Georgia Garcia

John Harding
David Holmes

Robert Kilough
Charlie Lusche

Michael Massingill
Caden Nowlain

Clint O'Brien
Bonnie Pippin

Barbara Sharp
Armando Soto

Jarrett Stanford
Chad Williams

Larry Zant
By Van and Barbara York

IN HONOR OF:

Jason Sharp
LeAnn Robbins

Sarah L. Gilleland
Margaret Sharp

By Ross & Sarah Sharp
The Buddy Sharp Family

By Margaret Sharp
Bill & Donna Aten

By Donna Aten
Ross Sharp Family

Margaret Sharp
By Sarah Gilleland

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Carolyn & Earl Chapman
Musslewhite Trucking Co.

Big Country Electric
Cooperative, Inc.

Mickey & Shirley McMeans
Gerry & Julie Smith

Poka Lambro Telephone
Cooperative

Tim & Carol Wilson
David A. Dorward

Tumbleweed Smith
Branon Funeral Home

Warren & Betty Beaver

CHRISTMAS DECORATING CONTEST

Make your plans now to enter your home and/or yard in the Christmas Decorating Contest sponsored by Lyntegar Electric Co-op. Entries will be judged on originality, quality and visual impact by an impartial party from Lyntegar. Prizes provided by Lyntegar Electric Co-op will be awarded to the top three winners and will be announced at the Lighting of the Star. Lyntegar is awarding cash prizes again this year: \$150 for first place, \$100 for second place, and \$50 for third place!!!

Join in the fun! Complete and mail the entry form below and help decorate Gail for the Holidays!

CHRISTMAS DECORATING CONTEST

Name: _____

Physical Address: _____ Phone: _____

Directions to home: _____

Mail your entry to "Lyntegar & Lights for Gail - Christmas Decorating Contest", P.O. Box 312, Gail, TX 79738. All entries must be received by November 22, 2010 at 5:00 pm, and the location of the entry must be within a five-mile radius of Borden County Courthouse. Judging will be done on Wednesday, November 24th between 6:00 p.m. and 8:00 p.m.

The
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8th Grade Snagged by Wildcats

By Coach Baeza

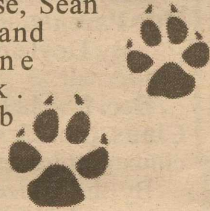
The 8th grade traveled to Grady last Thursday to take on a tough Wildcat team and came up short with a 40-55 loss.

The Coyotes traded touchdowns with the Wildcats early but were unable to keep pace. Ricky Torres following some good blocking raced 64 yards for the Coyotes only touchdown in the first quarter to put us trailing 7-13. In the second quarter the Coyotes were plagued by turnovers but were able to put some offense together with Ricky Torres going 30 yards for a touchdown and Riley Herridge hooking up with Frank Banman for a 9 yard pass to put the Coyotes down 19-41 going into half.

The second half did not begin well for the Coyotes as Grady found the end zone twice early in the third quarter. The Coyotes did not give

up however as Ricky returned a kick-off 60 yards to end the third and then made a 50 yard run to start the fourth to make the score 33-55. The Coyotes played good defense in the fourth and did not allow the Wildcats to score while adding one more score as time ran out with Riley Herridge finding Cayden Vaughn on a 28 yard pass to end the fourth to make the final score 40-55.

The Coyotes did a good job of continuing to play hard even as things were not going their way with good defense and blocking by Nathan Ham, Jayden Huse, Sean Tucker, and Hurricane Vankirk. Good job Coyotes!



Lady Coyotes Fair Well in Scrimmage

By Coach McCook

The Lady Coyotes played in their first scrimmage Sat-

urday against Westbrook. The scrimmage consisted of six eight-minute quarters. The Lady Coyotes won the scrimmage handily, outscoring the Lady Wildcats in all but the last quarter (17-8, 16-6, 11-6, 10-10, 10-4, 12-15). The Lady Coyotes next scrimmage will be held Tuesday at 5:00 in Post.

Taylor Richey and Stefanie Cooley led all scorers with 19 and 10 points respectively. Raegan Belongia had 8 points; Lexi Peterson and Mollie McMeans had 5 each; Aubree Lester, Kylie Voss, Teryn Soto, and Jordan Day each scored 4; Sydnie Day had 3; and Taylor Gass, Kalyn Massingill, Shea Burkett, and Kaylyn Dean each had 2. Mabelle Barr, Bailey Anderson, and Mallory McMeans also contributed to a good start to the 2010-2011 season.

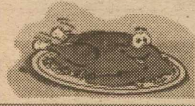


Lady Coyote, Aubree Lester dribbles around a Westbrook player in Saturday's scrimmage against the Lady Wildcats.



NOVEMBER 2010



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 BB @ Post 5:00 gG (scrimmage)	3	4 7 th vs. Klondike @ 5:00 here JH Football vs. Sands here JV vs. Sands here	5 End of 2 nd Six Weeks Coyotes @ Sands 7:30* ACT Registration Deadline for Dec. 11 th Test	6 Regional Cross Country @ Arlington Speech Tournament Canyon
7 Fall back to Standard Time	8 Beginning of 3 rd Six Weeks FFA - Open House	9 BB @ Spur 6:00 G	10 Elementary/JH UIL Writing Contests (on campus)	11 Classroom Observance of Veterans Day	12 Possible Football Playoff Game BB vs. Roby Here 6:00 gG	13 State Cross Country @ Round Rock
14	15 Lone Wolf District Leadership Contest (WTC, 4:30 p.m.) JH BB vs. O'Donnell Here 6:00	16 Elementary/JH Academic UIL BB vs. Midland Christian - Here 6:00 gG	17 Elementary/JH Academic UIL	18	19 Possible Football Playoff Game BB vs. Smyer Here 4:00 gGbB Last day to drop a class from WTC	20 Area II FFA Leadership Contest (Howard College, Big Spring) Extemp workshop Room 36 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m.
21	22 JH BB vs. Loop Here 6:00	23 BB @ Garden City 4:00 gGbB PROGRESS REPORTS	24 Thanksgiving Holidays	25 Thanksgiving Holidays 	26 Thanksgiving Holidays Possible Football Playoff Game Lighting of the Star	27
28	29 JH BB @ Wellman-Union 6:00	30 BB @ Seagraves 5:00 gGbB				