

# Friona Star

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## Council to consider waste service rate increase

The Friona city council will meet in regular session Tuesday, October 13, at 6:30 p.m. in council chambers, 619 Main St. This meeting is being held on Tuesday due to the Columbus Day holiday on Monday October 12.

Among the items on the agenda will be consideration of a rate increase effective November 1, 2009, charged by Allied Waste Services.

Other items to be considered will be approving the Friona Star as the city's official newspaper. This action is taken each year to designate the Friona Star for official public and legal notices.

An ordinance concerning junked vehicles to be declared a public nuisance will be considered for action. Certain changes to the city's personnel policies will be discussed. A proclamation declaring November 2-6, 2009, as Municipal Court Week will be approved.

Also on the agenda will be consideration of a carport variance at 1211 Washington requested by Ricardo Estrada and a water meter request by Jayson Grimsley for a meter to be located outside the city limits. Approval of the accounts payable and financial statements will be considered.

Council meetings are opened with roll call, invocation, and the pledge of allegiance, followed by time on the agenda for public comments. The council cannot take action on comments or requests made during the public comments portion of the agenda. All city council meetings are open to the public.

**October 4-10  
is 4-H week**



JV Squaw Brianna Miller (13) slams the volleyball over the net as teammates Rachel Dickson (3) and Megan Sharrock (16) look on. The junior varsity girls defeated Dimmitt Tuesday night in two games. More JV volleyball photos at [frionaonline.com](http://frionaonline.com).

ron carr photo

## Angel Food ministries orders October 14-15

Monthly orders for the Angel Food ministries food program can be placed at the First Baptist Church office Wednesday and Thursday, October 14-15, from noon to 5 p.m. Cash, money order, or food stamps due at time of order.

Distribution will be Saturday October 24, 10-11 a.m. at the church fellowship hall. For information about this low-cost food co-op program call the church office at 250-3933.

## Early voting set for Nov 3 amendments

The general election for amendments to the Texas Constitution will be held Tuesday November 3. Early voting by personal appearance will be from October 19-30 at the county clerk's office during regular weekday business hours at the courthouse in Farwell.

One day is set aside for early voting in Bovina and Friona. That date is October 26 at Friona State Bank and FirstBank in Bovina. An election notice is published in this issue of the Star.

Applications for a ballot by mail should be sent to Colleen Stover, P.O. Box 356, Farwell, TX 79325. Deadline for ballot by mail applications is October 27.

## Chiefs open district this week

The Friona Chieftains ended the first half of the season with a 3-2 non-district record, good enough for second place in district behind the Muleshoe Mules 5-0 start.

But a new season begins Friday night October 9 as the Chiefs open district play

by hosting the Tulia Hornets. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. Defensive line coach David Towner said, "Even though Tulia has only scored 25 points this season we all have 0-0 records Friday night."

On paper the chances of the Chiefs reaching the play-

offs looks positive. Friona's first three district opponents, Tulia, Dimmitt, and Floydada, have a combined record of 1-14. Third place Childress, a perennial powerhouse, has dropped to 2-3 during non-district action. The Bobcats have been outscored 65-153 so far this year, not a good

year by previous Childress standards.

The Muleshoe Mules are riding a 20-game win streak including their undefeated state-champion season last year. The Chiefs meet the Mules here at Chieftain Field November 6 for the final district game of the season. It

will be senior parents night, the final game on Chieftain Field for the seniors, and could well determine the district championship.

After this week the Chiefs travel to Dimmitt (Oct 16), host Floydada here (Oct 23), travel to Childress (Oct 30), and host Muleshoe (Nov 6).



courtesy photo

The 2009 Friona Chieftains open district play Friday October 9 against the visiting Tulia Hornets. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m.

## Combs says Hispanics help propel the Texas economy

Hispanic households contributed more than \$171 billion to the Texas economy in 2008, and their annual buying power is expected to rise to nearly \$252 billion by 2013 - a 47 percent increase in just five years, according to a study by the Selig Center for Economic Growth at the University of Georgia.

"The nation is currently observing Hispanic Heritage Month, which celebrates the rich history and culture of Hispanic people," Texas Comptroller Susan Combs said. "Here in Texas, Hispanic Heritage Month is also a time to reflect on the enormous contribution Hispanic families and Hispanic-owned businesses make to our economy."

According to the U.S. Census Bureau,

Texas was home to 8.9 million Hispanics in 2008, 37 percent of the state's population. In the 2008 Hispanic Business 500, the Top 20 Hispanic businesses in Texas produced revenues of \$3.98 billion and employed 14,617 people.

Nationally, the Census Bureau reports there were 1.6 million Hispanic-owned businesses as of 2002. That year, Harris County had the third-highest number of Hispanic firms in the nation (61,934), behind Los Angeles County and Miami-Dade County. The number of Hispanic-owned companies nationwide grew by 31 percent between 1997 and 2002, triple the overall growth rate for all businesses. The Census

Bureau expects to release updated figures next year.

"We expect to see significant growth in Hispanic-owned businesses," Combs said. "Texas has a worldwide reputation as a business-friendly state. By encouraging growth and diversity, we provide opportunities for all businesses, large or small, to grow, prosper and propel our economy."

A good way for Hispanic companies to increase their business and improve their revenues is to become certified as Historically Underutilized Businesses (HUBs). HUB certification, plus registration on the state's Centralized Master Bidders List, can help businesses win contracts with state agen-

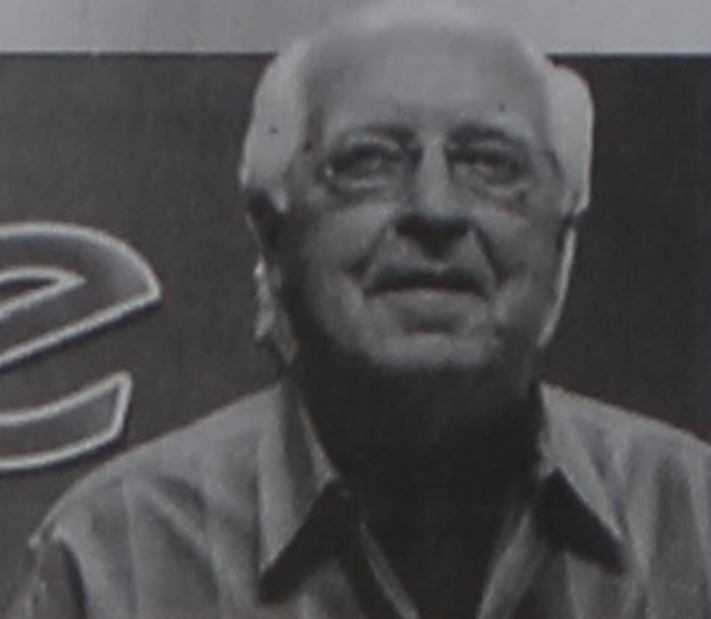
cies which are required to make a good faith effort to purchase goods and services from minority- and woman-owned businesses.

In fiscal 2009, 3,922 Hispanic businesses were certified as HUBs. The state spent about \$247 million dollars with Hispanic HUBs, about 27 percent of all HUB spending. In fiscal 2009, the Comptroller's office spent about \$700,000 with HUB certified Hispanic businesses. The agency works closely with the Texas Association of Mexican American Chambers of Commerce and regularly hosts HUB seminars to inform business owners about the opportunities available to HUBs. For more information about the state HUB program, visit <http://www.window.state.tx.us/procurement/prog/hub/>



# Out Here

By Ron Carr



## amount due amount paid

My son Zac is on his third cell phone so far this year. Zac is on my Sprint account. I've lost track of the number of cell phones he has lost the past six years. He had a cell phone stolen in Hawaii during spring break. Got it replaced. This summer he was in Bulgaria for several weeks and left his cell phone in a youth hostel in Sofia. He went to a Sprint store in Georgetown where he attends college for a replacement.

The Sprint insurance works this way: they will replace a cell phone of the same value and only twice a year. The deductible for replacements has increased to \$100. So Zac opted for a whiz bang Sprint version of the iPhone for about \$400 which they added to the monthly bill along with some other unlimited everything charges, ignoring my insurance. The whiz banger didn't qualify on the insurance.

I could have called them about Zac's replacement phone but I had rather be forced to watch reruns of Big Brother than have to call Sprint.

When the bill arrived in September it was in the ballpark of \$600, including Zac's new toy. My Sprint phone has no bells and whistles other than unlimited text which I find very handy. I have never taken a photo with my phone and don't intend to.

This is not about cell phones though. Most all bills we receive these days have a line for the amount owed and another line for "amount paid". To me that says "you don't have to pay the full amount just tell us how much you are paying". I don't fill in the "amount paid" line. It's the principal. Why should I tell them how much I'm paying? Look at the amount on the check.

So I decided to test Sprint. Instead of paying the full amount of the September invoice I remitted about half of the amount due and indicated the payment in the "amount paid" box. I planned to pay all the balance when the October bill arrived.

Evidently they were not amused by my attempt at bill-paying humor. Keep in mind I have been a customer for going on seven years. My October Sprint bill had the following warning at the top of the first page: "Hello! Unfortunately your account is past due. Please pay the total below immediately."

Before I could get it remitted, Sprint pulled out their big stick. Zac received a "service alert" on his phone. I received a separate notice in the mail which spent the first six paragraphs chewing my butt with all sorts of threats. The final paragraph said "If your payment has already been made please accept our thanks and disregard this letter. Sincerely, Sprint Customer Finance Services."

When Zac made a call on his cell, it was diverted to a Sprint recording that once again expressed displeasure at my bill paying techniques and urged prompt payment or they would pull the plug. I've sent the payment and can only hope the mail gets it there before we are forever banished from Sprintville.

So much for the significance of the "amount paid" box.

## Soutsoukakia: meatballs etc.

BY RON CARR

I can't pronounce it but it's Meatballs with Roasted Garlic, Olives, and Tomato. Serve these meatballs with crusty bread to soak up the sauce. Cook the meatballs and the sauce in the same pan—the flour that coats the meatballs helps to thicken the sauce.

To roast garlic, cut off the top quarter of the garlic head. Wrap in foil and roast at 375 about one hour or until soft. Unwrap and cool 15 minutes. Squeeze garlic pulp into a bowl and mash.

Before you get the idea I became a chef overnight, this long complicated recipe with lots of weird ingredients came from the October issue of Relish Magazine. Seems like a lot of trouble for meatballs but if you are a cook that likes a food challenge this one's for you. Look it over, make a list, and go grocery shopping.

### Meatballs with Roasted Garlic, Olives, and Tomato

Serves 8

MEATBALLS	SAUCE
1/2 lb ground pork	1 tbsp extra-virgin olive oil
1/2 lb ground lamb	3 garlic cloves sliced
1/4 lb ground beef	1 lg onion chopped
1 onion chopped	1/2 cup red wine
4 garlic cloves chopped	2 cups reduced sodium beef broth
6 garlic cloves roasted & mashed	2 cups reduced sodium chicken broth
2 tbsp chopped fresh dill	1 28 oz can Italian plum tomatoes undrained
2 tbsp chopped fresh parsley	4 bay leaves
1/2 tsp salt	1/2 cup tsakistes or best-quality olives pitted and halved
Coarsely ground black pepper	1/2 cup kalamata olives, pitted and halved
1 tbsp Dijon Mustard	1/2 cup kalamata olives, pitted and halved
8 slices white bread with crust removed	Fresh parsley, dill, and mint chopped (optional)
1/2 cup 2% milk	2 tsp dried oregano
1/2 cup all-purpose flour	
3 tbsp olive oil	

- To prepare meatballs, combine pork and the next ten ingredients (pork thru mustard) in a large bowl. In a separate bowl, soak bread in milk until saturated. Remove bread from milk, squeezing to drain off extra milk. Add bread and excess milk to meat mixture; mix well. Shape mixture into 24 golf ball size meatballs. Dredge in flour.
- Heat oil in a Dutch oven. Add meatballs; cook until brown on all sides. Remove and drain on paper towels.
- Add oil, sliced garlic and onions to pan; sauté until golden brown, about 5 minutes. Add wine; stir to loosen brown bits. Cook until most of the liquid is absorbed, 10 to 15 minutes. Add broths and tomatoes. Stir, breaking up tomatoes a bit. Add bay leaf. Simmer 30 minutes. Add meatballs to sauce. Cook one hour.
- Just before serving, add olives, fresh herbs (if desired), and oregano. Stir to combine. Serve.

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## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**Friday, October 9**  
 Chieftains open district play vs. Tulia here. Kickoff is 7:30 p.m. Squaws host Tulia volleyball, JV at 4 p.m. and Varsity at 5 p.m.

**Monday, October 12**  
 Columbus Day holiday

**Friday, October 16**  
 Chieftain football at Dimmitt at 7:30 p.m. Varsity/JV volleyball at Dimmitt at 4 p.m.

**October 19-30**  
 Early voting at county clerk's office for November 3 constitutional amendments election. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays.

**Friday, October 23**  
 Chieftain football vs. Floydada here at 7:30 p.m.

**Monday, October 26**  
 Early voting for November 3 Texas constitutional amendment election at Friona State Bank and FirstBank in Bovina.

**Mon-Fri, October 26-30**  
 Red Ribbon Week for primary, elementary, and junior high.

**Friday, October 30**  
 Chieftain football at Childress at 7:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, November 3**  
 Polls open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. for constitutional amendment election. Poll locations: Calvary Baptist Church, Friona; EMS Building, Bovina; Rhea Community Center; Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church; Farwell Community Center; and Lazbuddie School.

## ON YOUR PAYROLL

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- Governor**  
 Rick Perry, Room 200, State Capitol, Austin 78711; (512) 463-2000 or (800) 252-9600
- Texas Senate, District 31**  
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**ACROSS**

- TX-based CAF has a Messerschmitt Bf 108
- sandwich cookie
- College Station AM
- Coleman's "Fiesta de Paloma"
- music genre of TX Vanilla Ice
- it's red with acid, and blue with alkaline
- in Jasper Co. on 96
- TXism: "busy as \_\_\_\_\_ fry cook in a truck stop"
- TX Ann delivered keynote at '88 Dem. convention
- a hungry bear can \_\_\_\_\_ camping trip
- Ft. Worth's University Baptist has a tall one
- 2009 TX Rangers is close-\_\_\_\_\_ ball club
- "senor" so. of border
- chuch song book
- Cowboy Flozell is an offensive \_\_\_\_\_
- before LK in NT
- TX truck windshield: "bug-\_\_\_\_\_"
- TXism: "spinning like a weather \_\_\_\_\_ in a whirlwind"
- actress Farrow in "A Wedding" with TX-born Carol Burnett
- actress Vaccaro who was raised in TX
- causes someone to lose their freedom
- TXism: "take a \_\_\_\_\_ off" (sit down)
- "D" of TX staple "DQ"
- mischievous youngsters
- fatal Dallas street for JFK
- TX-born Burnett won this award in '72, '74 & '75
- Santa \_\_\_\_\_, TX
- dangerous water flows near a TX beach
- exclamation of alarm
- Grande
- former country music TV cable network (abbr.)
- American technology conglomerate (abbr.)
- TX Nash's "I Can See Clearly \_\_\_\_\_"
- this Howe coached for Rangers & Astros
- early TX wool co.: "New \_\_\_\_\_ Sheep Company"
- newspaper for town in Wichita Co. on hwy. 370 (3 wds.)
- ill-mannered
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ but the fillings in my teeth" (went broke)
- based on true story: "Murder \_\_\_\_\_ Texas"
- pos. of Cowboy Martellus Bennett
- TX A&M has "Center for \_\_\_\_\_ Sciences"
- ancestor of domestic cattle in Europe
- struck with a blow
- Houston Astros or TX Rangers (2 wds.)
- gratis in software: "free \_\_\_\_\_ beer"
- last words of TX William Longley: "I see a lot of \_\_\_\_\_ out there, and mightily few friends"
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ the bottom of a well"
- OK town
- Mr. Houston (init.)
- TX QB Detmer & baseballer Cobb
- Gov. Pease (init.)
- empower
- part of DPS: "Texas Highway \_\_\_\_\_"
- TX Chris LeDoux song: "Workin' \_\_\_\_\_ Dollar"
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ a time"
- actor Duvall in "Breakout" with TX Randy Quaid (init.)
- Rangers "Pudge" was AL \_\_\_\_\_ in '99
- in Liberty Co. on 90
- TX Jim Reeves' "\_\_\_\_\_ Losing You?"
- bring in from another country
- what TX golfers dream of: "hole \_\_\_\_\_"
- TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_right boys" (police)

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 Letters to the editor are always welcome. Views expressed in letters are those of the writer and do not always reflect the views or opinions of the editor or staff of the Friona Star. Submission of a letter does not guarantee publication. All letters are subject to editing for grammar, style, or length. Letters must be signed and include name, address, and phone number of sender for verification. Anonymous letters are never considered for publication.

**DEADLINES**  
 News articles and advertising are due by 5 p.m. Tuesday to guarantee publication. Articles and ads submitted after the deadline are accepted only on a space available basis. Deadlines may be changed from time to time for holidays or special issues.

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Thursday, October 8, 2009

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Jill Hefner and son Senator Kel Seliger Thursday October 1

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# Town Talk II

By Ron Carr, Phone-250-2211, Fax-250-5127, Email-frionastar@wtrt.net

Fall is inching along with falling temps and morning fog. The fog has caused a couple of vehicle accidents in the county so take extra caution. Better yet, don't drive until the fog clears. Amarillo meteor guys are predicting rain Wednesday and Thursday this week. Fine with me. Just hope it doesn't rain Friday night when the Chiefs host Tulia here to open district play.

Big crowd for flu shots last Tuesday. The Friendship House was full at 9:30 a.m. I signed in as #30 but left and went back at 11:15 a.m. after the initial rush. Didn't feel a thing and now am insulated

against the flu I hope. Good news for us seniors and bad news for the Kleenex, Aspirin, and Chicken Noodle Soup folks.

News from Prairie Acres. Molly Reyes is the new business office manager. A Family Council meeting will be held Tuesday October 20 at 7 p.m. in the boardroom. Friona city manager Patricia Phipps will be a guest. Friends and family of Prairie Acres residents are invited to attend.

On October 27 at 6:30 p.m. P-Acres will have a family supper. The nursing home staff will provide turkey, dressing, rolls, cranberry

sauce, and tea. Family members should bring a vegetable, salad, or dessert.

The P-Acres Halloween party is October 30 at 3 p.m. along with a Halloween carnival. Then on October 31 the staff will be handing out candy to trick-or-treaters beginning at 6:30 p.m. until they run out of candy. Bring the little ones by.

The Friona Tribal Trails cross country meet was held here last Saturday. At least ten schools, probably more, were entered. Local businesses such as Fast Stop, Sonic, and Dairy Queen benefit as the students and family and school staff buy food, ice, and other items. Saw the Amarillo Highland Park bus parked at Tasty Cream after Saturday's meet. Nice bit of business for the local folks.

Received word of the passing of Lew Longmire. He was at the home of his son in Las Lunas, New Mexico for the past several months due to ill health. Funeral arrangements were pending at our press time. Services will be in Friona by Blackwell Funeral Home.

Saw Clarence Martin Tuesday at the flu shot clinic. He was still recovering from a car accident in mid-Septem-

ber in Canyon that sent him to the hospital but no broken bones. Another car turned in front of him at that Canyon signal light on Highway 60 and VFW Road which has been a dangerous intersection over the years. Clarence was still moving slow but recovering nicely from some seatbelt and air bag bruises.

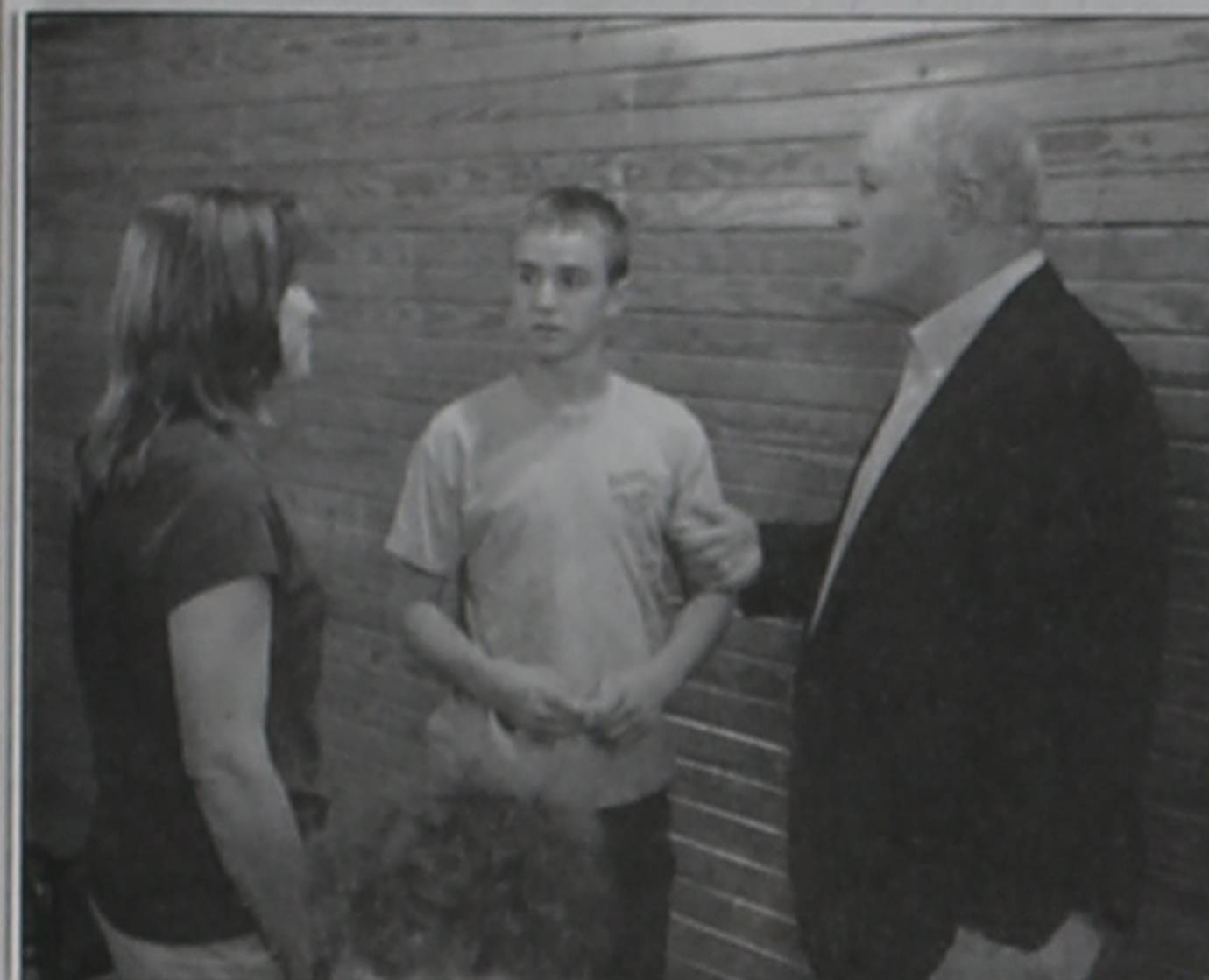
Nice crowd of about 25 turned out for State Senator Kel Seliger's visit last Thursday at the city park depot. The senator is a sincere

straightforward guy, unusual for a politician. He spoke and answered questions for over an hour.

Took the tour of the Early Childhood Center at 8<sup>th</sup> & Euclid during Maize Days. The school district is very proud of the building, as well they should be. The former welding shop was transformed into pleasant, roomy, modern space. The result is startling actually and is thanks to the foresight of former superintendent Jim Parker. What a great accom-

plishment for Friona. Hats off to the school administration and the school board.

My mother is 90. Her aunt, Lois Spainhour, is 91. Aunt Lois lives in an assisted living home in Greenville, Texas. They have not seen each other in more than 10 years. This week Aunt Lois and my cousin Judy Allen are flying out here to visit for a couple of days. It will be Aunt Lois' first airplane flight. I'll have the results of the flight and the visit next week. Until then!



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Jill Hefner and son Jacob Hefner visit with State Senator Kel Seliger during his town hall meeting Thursday October 1 at the depot in city park.



ron carr photos

The Friona Chieftains had an open date last Friday. During the off week the coaches and athletes take to the streets for community clean-up time. The youngsters were found along Highway 60 and at Reeve Lake last Wednesday picking up trash.



ron carr photo

Flu season is here and the Texas Health Department gave flu shots at the senior citizen center last Tuesday. Here, technician Denice Gerber administers a flu shot to Clarence Martin.

## What is... 4-H

4-H is . . . Head, Heart, Hands, and Health



Head

4-H challenges you to think and make decisions, both for yourself and as a member of a group. You will discover new ways to do things and different ways of dealing with everyday challenges. 4-H is big on selfdiscipline, responsibility, initiative, and leadership. You will become a positive force in today's world.

It can be tough growing up today. To sort out their ideas and emotions, 4-H members often talk to club leaders and to each other about what matters to them. 4-H gives you a chance to become friends with other young people and caring adults. It is about building character, accepting people who are different, and making your community a better place to live.



Heart



Hands

In 4-H, you learn skills that you can use for the rest of your life. You won't just talk about it, you will actually get your hands on it, learn by doing. Members choose from about 100 different skills - everything from bicycle safety to cooking to computer technology to veterinary science. 4-H often helps members discover interests that lead to rewarding careers.

Being healthy means feeling good; doing your best to balance school, friends, and family; and making the best choices. 4-H focuses on developing healthy lifestyles and understanding what happens when you make unhealthy choices.



Health

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### Alamo exhibit at PPH Museum

Immediately after the battle took place, the Alamo was regarded with an almost religious fervor; however, during the past century and a half, the story of the Alamo has evolved into a symbol with much less respect.

In *Remembering the Alamo, 1836-2009*, opening October 10 in the Mary E. Bivins Gallery, an eclectic assortment of Alamo kitsch, photographs, art and music will reflect the transformation of the Alamo as a sublime Texas symbol to a souvenir and branding symbol.

During the 50 years after 1836, travelers often took chunks of stone from the Alamo church as souvenirs but, in an effort to discourage the practice, German-made porcelain Alamo items and souvenir spoons became available in the late 1880s and remained popular until World War I. During the 1920s, most souvenirs were produced in the United States and Japan, and when the depression hit, the cheaper, domestically-produced plaster and thinly-plated metal items became popular.

Until the 1950s, most Alamo souvenirs and other items related to remembering the Alamo were relatively serious, some almost religious in nature. The popularity of Walt Disney's *Davy Crockett* movies and television programs increased interest in the Alamo and resulted in the production of many different items made "to remember the Alamo", including the first toys relating to the battle.

Since that time, the Alamo battle has been regarded increasing less seriously than it was prior to World War II, as reflected in Alamo souvenirs, movies, product labeling and other popular culture. The exhibit continues through March 12, 2010.

### Sheriff's Report

The following is reported weekly by Parmer County Sheriff Randy Gerles office:

September 30, 2009, Jose Lucero, 35, of Texico, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department and charged with public intoxication, fine \$500, and evading arrest, pending County Court.

September 30, 2009, Johnny Chapoy, 32, of Hereford, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office and charged with motion to revoke (possession of a controlled substance), pending District Court.

October 1, 2009, Victoria McGinnis, 23, of Amarillo, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a Potter County warrant, posted bond and released.

October 2, 2009, Francisco Ramirez, 35, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office on a Dawson County warrant (DWI with a child), pending transport.

October 2, 2009, Creston Standard, 20, of Clovis, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol and charged with possession of marijuana (less than 2 ounces), pending County Court.

October 5, 2009, Allan Wolfe, 43, of Farwell, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office and charged with theft by check, pending County Court.

October 5, 2009, Irma Frias, 41, of Clovis, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol and charged with theft by check (Potter County), posted bond and released.

### Halloween night out at PPHM

Back by popular demand! While parents enjoy a quiet night on the town, kids ages 4-11 can celebrate Halloween at the Panhandle Plains Historical Museum Friday, October 16, from 5:30-9:30 p.m.

A spectacular museum experience, kids will hear age-appropriate ghost stories about Pioneer Town, "guess the goo", make a mask and play games at the pumpkin carnival. Prizes will be given for the best dressed guests so kids are encouraged to come in costume.

Cost is \$20 for the first child and \$15 per sibling. Space is limited. Advanced registration and payment are required by October 15. Contact Elaina Cunningham at 806-651-2258 or [ecunningham@pphm.wtamu.edu](mailto:ecunningham@pphm.wtamu.edu) for reservations.

### Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County Clerk's Office recorded the following warranty deeds from September 16, 2009 to September 30, 2009:

HUD - Toribio Monarez and Maria Monarez, L8 B27 FRIONA. Miguel Hernandez and Carla Nieto - Francisco Nieto and Maria Nieto, L3-5 B77 BOVINA.

Barbara Kay Charles and Billy Ray Charles - Juan Pablo Vela, 30' L3 L4 B113 BOVINA.

Juan P. Vela - Jose Juan Vela, NPT L4 B74 BOVINA. Patsy Riggins - 4 Way Pump Service Inc., SE/4 S6 T4S R3E; 5.111 AC SE/4 S6 T4S R4E; SE/4 S6 T4S R4E.

Oakley Stevenson Inc. - Yvonne Stevenson, NW/4 S23 BLK A; NE/4 S23 BLK A; 3.99 AC SW CORNER OF NW/4 S21 BLK A.

Oakley D. Stevenson - Yvonne Stevenson, NE 49' L5 ALL SW 44' L4 B1 RIDGELEA; 558 AC ABNER TAYLOR; S200 AC S11 T7S R2E; NE/4 S12 T7S R2E; 151.1 AC SE/4 S12 T7S R2E; NW/4 S5 BLK A; SW/4 S21 BLK A; NW/4 S21 BLK A; NW/4 S22 BLK A; S2 S22 BLK A.

HUD - Christopher Antillon, Gina Antillon, and Ricardo Antillon, N72.7 L1 B62 BOVINA.

7 C Family Partnership - Landon Meeks and Shawndee Meeks, SW/4 S26 BLK C.

The Statewide Mortgage Loan Trust - Kevin Hughes, NW/70' L2 B113 BOVINA.

Ovidio Balli III and Maria Balli - Erika Perez, L3-4 B71 FRIONA.

Kevin Hughes and Suzan Hughes - Hugo Palacios, NW 70' L2 B113 BOVINA.

D.T. King Jr. and Cindy G King - Eric Estrada and Emilia Estrada, NE/4 S1 T3S R3E.

Rogelio Jaime Ortiz, Rogelio Jaime, Maria Jaime Quiroga, and Maria Jaime - Victor Jaime, W/2 L13-16 B28 FARWELL.

Angie Gomez - Adrian Rubalcava, L16-17 B32 BOVINA.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

October 11 - October 17, 2009

(To add, delete or change a name on our birthday list, please call us at 250-2211 or e-mail to [frionastar@wtrt.net](mailto:frionastar@wtrt.net).)

Oct. 11-Sarah Dean, J.T. Bowyer, Cathy Shields, Bethany Ann Jones, Julie Howard, Kimberli Mills, Carrie Chilton, Florence Dorsey, Taryn Jamerson

Oct. 12-Kim Smiley, Martha Schueler, Thelma Coffey, Aaron Black, Linda Goen, Sondra Nichols, Kenneth Smith, Elizabeth Peak, Diane Heard, Myra Olmos

Oct. 13-Russ Shelton, Rhonda Murphree, Joe Boeckman, Steven Smith, Junior Clark, Lucretia Field Morgan, James Clark, Jason Sheena, Shirley White, Tyson Kerby

Oct. 14-Roger Coffey, Melissa Hardgrove, Lance Looper, Joe Reeve, Lon Outland, Donnie Lewellen, Greg Burselson, Sara Cooper, Zachary Schilling, Denver Riddle, Melissa Vanleave, Evie LeRoy

Oct. 15-Mende Petree Moore, Valerie Beth Hardgrove, Tessa Baker, Ron Brookfield, Ron Carr, Marcy Gomez, Holly Snead, Donna Mears, Carmen Porras, Lou Behrendsen, Sue Piercy, Midori Vaughn, Melanie Sarpalus, Nicolas Martinez, Jason Blouch, Carolyn Widner, Alfonso Espinoza, Melanie Scott, Valerie Lopez, Rebecca Ann Schlenker, Retta Hand

Oct. 16-Stephen R. Jones, Jordan Cochran, Gary Renner, Wade Wright, Aline Turner, Tracy Rowland, Kregg Wilson

Oct. 17-Brittany Montoya, Teresa Nichols, Joe Malouf, Valoris Osborn, Mitzi Campbell, Sandra Berend, Kevin Coffey, John Randall, Ronda Drake, Dorothy Prudhomme, Sarah Duke

### Lions Club News

BY RON CARR

Friena Noon Lions met Thursday October 1 with 16 members present. Boss Lion Troy White reported the tailgate hamburger evening at the homecoming game netted the club about \$2600. Thanks to everyone who supports our Noon Lions hamburger cookouts.

Proceeds from our Lions Club fundraisers are used for local events, scholarships, Miss Friena, and other community projects. We thank you all. The next scheduled Noon Lions cookout is not until the FHS All-Sports banquet in May.

The club is in need of a deep fryer. One of our deep fryer units gave out. If you have a deep fryer or know someone who does contact Boss Lion Troy White or Lions Dale Houlette or Clint Mears.

Lion Cecil Maddox was recognized for his 48 years of service to the Lions Club. Lion Maddox was a charter member of the Noon Lions. In appreciation of his service he was presented with a Texas Star with a Lions emblem. The Texas Star was made from a plow disk and donated by Lion Homer A. Haile. The Maddoxes are in the process of moving to Colorado.

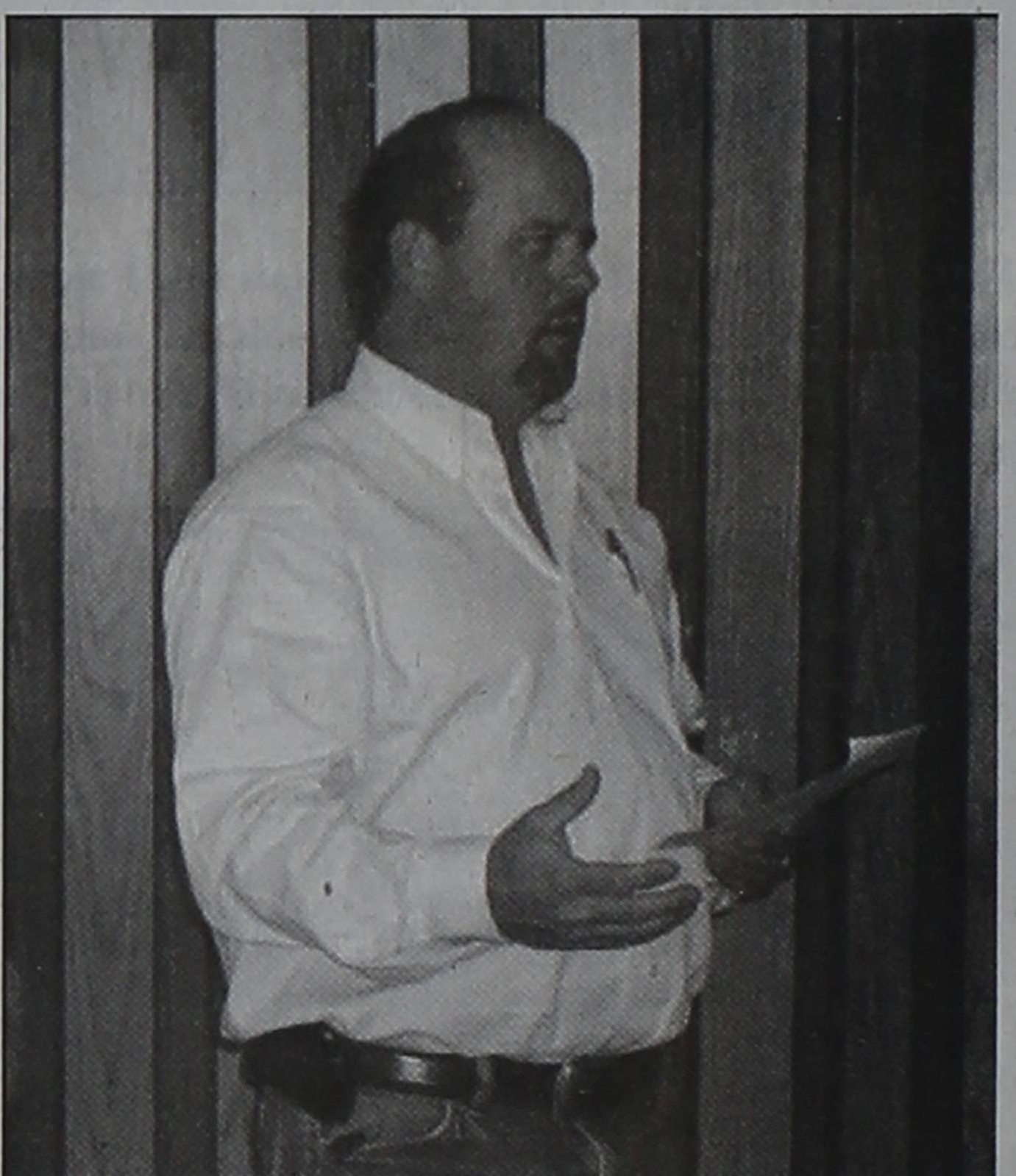
Lion Jon Douglas, a Friena volunteer firefighter, gave a short talk about the fire department and its history. The first Friena fire chief was appointed in 1926. There have been 6 fire chiefs since then. The department currently has 25 volunteer firemen and 11 fire vehicles. The present fire chief is Jim Taylor.

The next meeting of the Noon Lions will be Thursday October 15 at Headquarters Restaurant.



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Lion Cecil Maddox, left, is presented with a Texas Star by Boss Lion Troy White. Maddox was recognized for his 48 years as a Lion. He was a charter member of the Noon Lions Club in 1961. The Texas Star has Maddox's name and a Lions Club hood ornament emblem on it and was created by Lion Homer A. Haile. The Maddoxes are in the process of moving to Colorado. The club thanked Cecil for his many years of service.

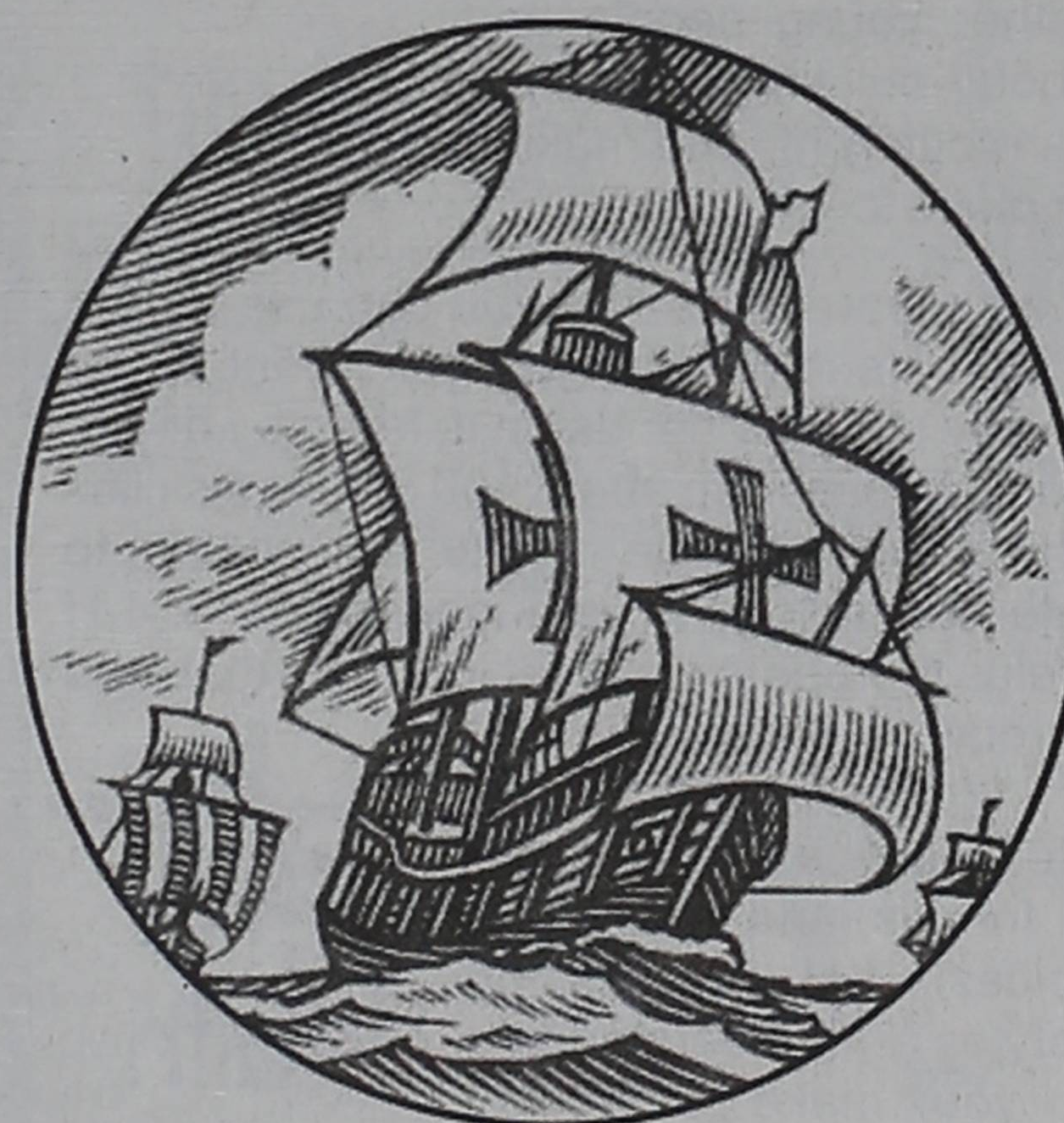


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Noon Lions member and Friena volunteer firefighter Jon Douglas gave a short program about the fire department at the Thursday October 1 Noon Lions meeting. Douglas is the manager of the CHS, Inc. grain and fertilizer facility in Friena.

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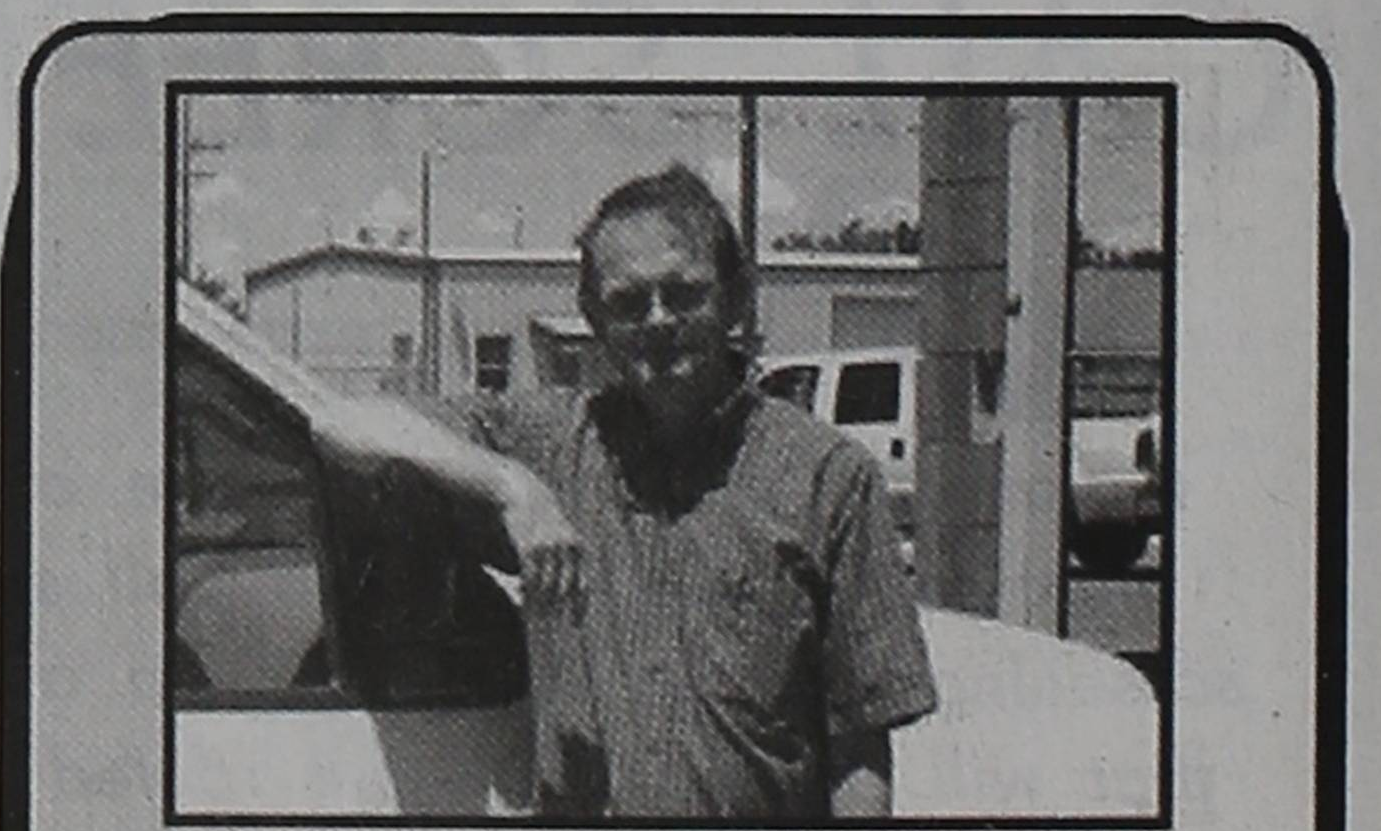
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# OBITUARIES

## Shirley Fangman

Shirley Fangman, 69, of Friona died Tuesday, September 29, 2009 at BSA in Amarillo, Texas. Mass of Christian Burial was held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday October 3, 2009 at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford, with the Reverend John Ohlig, of Amarillo, officiating. Burial followed at St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery under the direction of Rix Funeral Directors.



Shirley Fangman

Mrs. Fangman was born January 12, 1940 in Worthington, Minnesota to George and Josie McCloud Schulte. She married Teddy Fangman January 10, 1961 in Hereford. Mrs. Fangman attended St. Anthony's Catholic School and graduated from Hereford High School in 1958.

Shirley lovingly kept the nursery at Trinity Fellowship Church for 15 years and was a member of several bridge clubs. She also served as secretary in the Friona ISD for Mr. Gee and Mr. Jarboe.

She is survived by her husband, Teddy Fangman of Friona; one son, Scott Fangman of Friona; two daughters, Lana Bracken of Canyon, Texas, and Leslie Ham and husband Jason of Vega, Texas; her mother, Josie Schulte-Schmucker of Hereford; one sister, Judy Kitten of Amarillo; three granddaughters, Lexie Bracken, Laura Bracken, and Brylee Jesko, all of Canyon.

She was preceded in death by her father, George Schulte in 1993.

The family suggests memorials in Mrs. Fangman's name be made to the Parmer Medical Center, 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035.

To register online or send condolences visit [www.rixfd.com](http://www.rixfd.com).

## Edward Clyde Schilling

Edward Clyde Schilling passed away peacefully in his home in Hereford on October 2, 2009, after battling pancreatic cancer for several months. Schilling was born October 6, 1926, in Slaton, Texas, the son of Herman Schilling and Mary Katherine Kitten Schilling. He married Junell Kahlich on January 22, 1951. She passed away on February 29, 1988. He married Leona Miller on July 22, 1989, and she survives him.



Edward Clyde Schilling

He is survived by four sons, three daughters and their spouses: Wayne and Mary Schilling of Slaton; Richard and Sonya Schilling of Amarillo; Margaret and Mike Cessnum of Brady; Dennis Schilling of Summerfield; Marie and Derrel Craig of Moorpark, California; Theresa and Tommy Walch of Fredericksburg; and Matt and Kayla Schilling of Idalou. He is also survived by the following stepchildren: Burl and Paula Miller of Hereford; Rodney and Pam Miller of Canyon; and Peggy and Tim Babcock of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, along with 31 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren. He was blessed to have all of his children with him when he passed.

Edward Schilling was the fifth of twelve children. The following brothers, sisters and their spouses survive him: Walter and Anita Schilling of Dimmitt; Elvera Schwertner of Wilson; Lorine Schwertner of Hereford; Joe and Eunice Schilling of Amarillo; Leon and Martha Nell Schilling of Bovina; Ronnie and Elsie Schilling of Slaton; and Joleen and Michael Walsh of Canyon. He is also survived by sisters-in-law, Erma Lee Schilling of Friona and Agnes Schilling of Dimmitt; and brother-in-law, Albert Kuss of Slaton. The following brothers and sisters preceded him in death: Rita Schwertner, Lawrence Schilling, Mary Catherine Kuss, and Donnie Schilling, along with brothers-in-law Hubert Schwertner, Rudy Schwertner, and Oskar Schwertner.

Edward was raised on his parents' farm outside Slaton. As a young man, he enlisted in the Army Air Force, and served in the Pacific Theatre during World War II. He returned to Texas after the war. Farming was in his blood; he farmed in Slaton until 1951, when he married Junell and moved to a farm south of Plainview. In 1958, they moved to Summerfield, where he pursued his farming interests for the next 52 years. Edward retired from full-time farming in 1989, but continued participation in the USDA's CRP Program for the next 20 years.

With his life and livelihood centered on the farm, many of Edward's interests and accomplishments sprouted from his agricultural pursuits. He was actively engaged in organizations like Hereford Grain Corporation, where he served on the board of directors for 12 years. He was a conscientious steward of his land, receiving formal recognition as an Outstanding Conservation Farmer. Like many successful farmers, he was a self-taught mechanic, with an uncanny ability to figure out the inner workings of any mechanical device. He was able to coax decades of service out of every tractor or implement he owned.

Edward was a life-long devout Catholic. He played an active role in St. Anthony's Church in Hereford for over 50 years. All seven of his children attended St. Anthony's School. He was a Fourth Degree member of the Knights of Columbus. He was instrumental in the founding of the Catholic Life Insurance branch in Hereford, and served as its first president. He has served as an Alter Server, Lector, Eucharistic Minister, Religious Education teacher, RCIA sponsor, and as an active participant in ministering to the homebound. For years he served as the chairman of the St. Anthony's Parish Organization. In 1998 Edward received statewide recognition from Catholic Life Insurance as Fraternalist of the Year, honoring him for exemplary volunteer service in his parish and community. In his retirement, Edward expanded his volunteer efforts to include work with Meals on Wheels and BSA Hospice Services.

Memorial contributions may be made in Edward's name to the St. Anthony's Church Renovation Fund, to BSA Hospice Services, or to the charity of your choice.

## Delmar L. "Lew" Longmire

Graveside services for Delmar L. "Lew" Longmire, 92, of Friona, will be held at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, October 10, 2009 at the Friona Cemetery with family and friends officiating. Military Graveside services will be provided by Cannon Air Force Base honor guard. Arrangements are by Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.



Delmar L. Longmire

Lew passed away Tuesday morning in Los Lunas, New Mexico. He was born August 20, 1917 to Henry Grant and Flossie Ethel Hill Longmire in Loyston, Tennessee. He was preceded in death by his wife of 54 years, Ruth M. Helmke Longmire, in 1996. He was also preceded in death by two sons, Terry Grant Longmire in 1948, and Larry Richard Longmire in 2008; and one sister, Thelma Longmire Page in 2007.

Lew attended high school in Sibley, Illinois and received his High School Equivalency certificate at Albuquerque, New Mexico. He graduated from the following schools: Central Radio Engineering at Kansas City, Kansas, Army Airways Communications School at Scott Field, Illinois and from the National Youth Administration Schools at Canyon, Texas. Apprenticeships included Machine shop at Friona, Texas, and General Welding Shop at Gibson City, Illinois. Lew was Founder of the Experimental Aircraft Association in Albuquerque and he designed, built, and test flew over 40 aircraft in his lifetime. He was employed at Sandia National Laboratories from 1952 to 1973 as an Electrical Engineering Technician.

At the time of his death, he was a member of the following organizations: Veterans of Foreign Wars (lifetime member), American Radio Relay League W5LKV for 70 years, Planetary Society of America, and Society of Amateur Radio Astronomy. He served our country in the 7th Cavalry at Ft. Bliss, Texas for 1 1/2 years and in the U.S. Army Air Corps for 3 1/2 years during WWII. He served in the United States and in the South Pacific as well. He was a Certified Air Traffic Controller and held a pilot's license since 1945. In recent years, a plaque with his name on it was deposited on the planet Mars, courtesy of the Planetary Society of America.

Survivors include two sons, Jerry L. Longmire of Los Alamos, New Mexico, and Tim P. Longmire of South Fork, Colorado; four brothers, Dr. C. L. Longmire of Santa Barbara, California, Calvin Longmire of Los Alamos, New Mexico, James Longmire of Sibley, Illinois, and Wayne Longmire of Torreon, Mexico; one sister, Jean Longmire Fouts of Sibley, Illinois; two grandsons; three granddaughters; one great-grandson; and three great-granddaughters.

## The high cost of Jehovahcare

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Jeremiah 18-20 is a section of God's word that not only tells us of God's Sovereignty over the nations, namely His patience and power, but also lets us know about the high cost of Jehovahcare. The cost that I refer to is not in tax dollars or hidden fees, but the cost of following God's plan for your life.

Jeremiah, the prophet, was called at an early age and he had a ministry of over 40 years in which he followed God and was a spokesman to the people. Sounds easy, but it wasn't. First, Jeremiah became rejected, ignored and even persecuted by his own people. Notice in Jeremiah 18:11-12, 18, he tells the people that God requires them to repent of their sin and follow God. Their response was one of rejection, sarcasm and slander. In fact, when Jeremiah spoke to the leaders in Chapter 19 about the sin in the land and God's coming judgment, he ended up being physically attacked and confined to the stocks (20:2).

In fact, looking at Jeremiah's life, he had few converts, was mistreated and ignored by the people in spite of living for God. In fact, God demands that those who would come to Him, through Jesus Christ, 'deny themselves, take up their cross and follow him'. Remember, the high cost of Jehovahcare is worth it, but true fellowship and unity with God is found only when you repent of sin (deny yourself) and trust in the Lord to forgive your sins and make you right with Him. The complete denial of self and living for the Savior, Jesus Christ, is the high cost of Jehovahcare.

### Think about this

## An obedient faith

T. LEON TALLEY, Minister, Sixth Street Church of Christ

In Genesis 17, we see God come to Abram and make a seemingly unbelievable promise. He promised Abraham a great land which would be the Land of Canaan. He promised Abram a son and He says that this son will come from Sarai. God promises that from this son he will have an enormous number of descendants.

But Abram and Sarai were unable by their own performance to bear a son. This raises several important questions:

\* What is God seeking from Abraham under these particular conditions?

\* Is God looking for performance, or something else?

\* Is God looking for perfection? Surely He is not. Abram, as we have seen, and will see, will lie on some occasions where his own self-interest is at stake.

What is God looking for? What is God looking for when He makes promises? God is simply looking for a great faith! The same is required of us as was requested of Abram and Sarai. God is looking for trust and reliance.

Here revealed is a great Biblical truth. This truth is: Promises by God require faith. On what principle does Abram come into a right relationship with God? It cannot be on his own performance because he and Sarai were physically unable to have children. It cannot be on Law. It can only be on the principle that God accepts Abram into a right relationship with Him based on Abram's obedient faith.

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## FHS Students and Staff for September

Friona High School is proud to announce the September Students and Staff Member of the Month.



Lupita Garcia

**Senior: Lupita (Maria) Garcia** is described as a student who "works very hard, with a great attitude and is always pleasant". Mrs. Berend says, "She is a hard worker and is kind to others."



Laura Lopez

**Junior: Laura Lopez** is a very sweet, intelligent young lady and works hard at everything she tries", says A. Johnston. Mrs. Osborn describes Laura as "a good student who always puts forth her best

effort in class. She also works well with other students."



Gracie Sanchez

**Sophomore: Gracie Sanchez** is one of the sweetest young ladies in school," says Mrs. Johnston. "Gracie works very hard in choir." Gracie is a friendly, hardworking student," says Mrs. Osborn. "She has shown responsibility and maturity by caring for her health."



Kalley Preston

**Freshman: Kalley Preston** is a hard worker. She is very polite and helpful to other students. She also plays

volleyball while maintaining a good grade average. Mrs. Johnston describes her as "a very driven young lady who is kind to everyone, works hard at everything she does, and will be one of our best leaders". Mrs. Berend describes her "as having a very positive attitude. Having her in class makes class fun!"



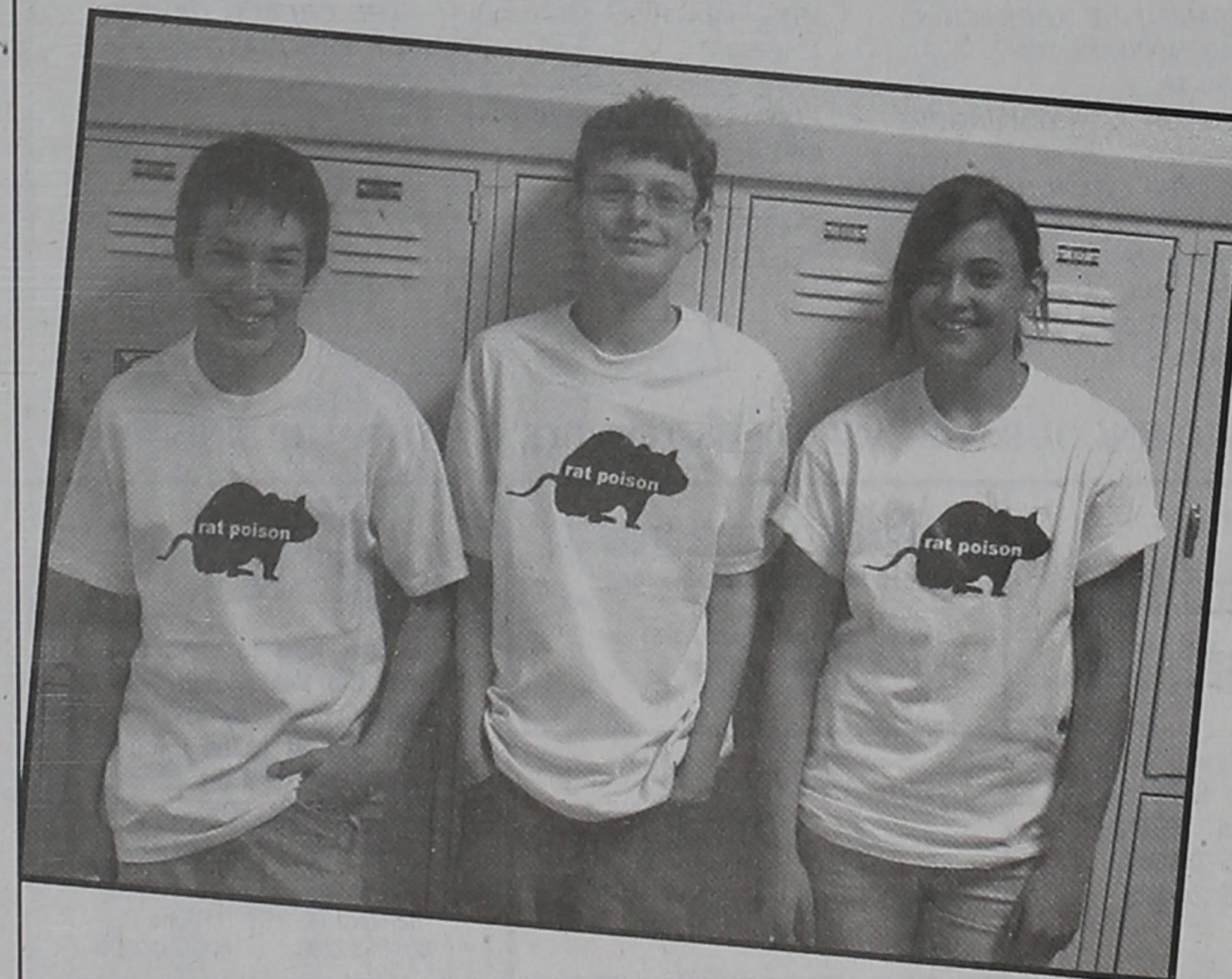
Lucy Castillo

**Staff Member: Lucy Castillo** is said to be "a remarkable lady and one of Friona's best! I have never seen anyone work as hard as she does. She always has a smile on her face. She is always pleasant". "She has a work ethic that should be a model for all of us," says one staff member. Another staff member said, "Lucy always has a smile and enjoys working with the students".

Congratulations to all these students and Lucy Castillo. We are proud to have them at Friona High School.



## We salute area 4-H members



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The 2009 Friona Chieftain coaching staff, back, l-r, David Towner, Victor Soliz, Mike Herbert, Todd Kilpatrick, Justin Sundlie; front, l-r, Jimmy Arias, David Woods, Styler Haddock, Jeff Isom.

## Schwab alone at the top in the Week 6 football contest

It was another tough week for football contest players. College and pro games were the main misses by Week 6 contestants. Eight players managed 13 of 18 correct. Five players edged up to 14 of 18. And one contestant stood alone at the top with 15 of 18 correct.

Pat Schwab, manager at Cargill Cattle Feeders, missed only the losses by Oklahoma, Cincinnati, and the Cowboys. It is the first week since the contest started that we did not need the tie-breakers. Mr. Schwab is the recipient of the \$25 weekly first place cash. Congratulations Pat.

The five players with 14 correct were Francisco Torres of Muleshoe, Sandra Berend of Friona, Scott Brown of Muleshoe, Meredith Jordan of Farwell, and Jason Gutierrez of El Paso. Another eight players managed 13 of 18 correct. Mrs. Berend's 14 correct games vaulted her into the point total lead with 77 points.

Week 6 marked the half way point of this year's 12-week contest. There is plenty of time to make a run at the \$150 grand prize to be awarded to the contestant with the most total points. (In case of a tie the grand prize will be split among the winners). Here are the current point leaders (50 or more points):

- 77 - Sandra Berend
- 75 - Frank Gonzalez, Jr., Jimmy Walker
- 74 - Christen Griffin, Dorothy Stowers
- 73 - Raul Brailiff, Jamie Lewellen, Mal Manchee
- 72 - Mark Walker
- 71 - Weston Wyly
- 70 - Scott Brown, Jeremy Dearing, Mike Greer, Aprile Hudson, John R. McFarland, Tyson Neill, Enrique Rodriguez
- 69 - Brent Loflin, Clint Mears, Harley Merritt, Dean Nichols, Ron Smiley
- 68 - Jess Dearing, Marcus Rosales, Pat Schwab, Michael Villa
- 67 - Claire Brown, Lester Fennell, Greg Lewellen
- 66 - Brandon Berend, Sally Gonzalez, William Gromowsky, Mack McFarland, Caleb Monroe
- 65 - Frank Dominguez, Jr., Myrtle Melton, Linvell Rose
- 64 - Joe Bowens, Jr., Ashley Gutierrez, Benito Ortiz, Jr., Mitchell Smiley
- 63 - Ronald Diaz, Robert Kerby, Jessie Morales, Francisco Torres, Christi Villa, Debbie Weir
- 62 - Brenda Brito, Meredith Jordan, Teena Nunley, Teresa Shelby
- 61 - Marilyn Engleking, Eufemia Torres
- 60 - Martin Brito, Isabel Rios
- 59 - Tim Elmore, Daniel Hernandez, Mason Loflin, Tyrone Shelby, Blair Smiley
- 58 - Bailee Brailiff, Kaegan Kerby, Dewayne Williams
- 57 - Barbara Grimsley, Sharon May, Haden Smiley
- 56 - Tommy Wolfe, Rodney Shelby
- 55 - Wayne Wolfe, Sylvia Ortiz
- 54 - John David Haile
- 52 - Velta Anderson, Robert Caswell, Irma Lozoya
- 51 - Raymond Diaz, Clayton Smiley
- 50 - Jason Gutierrez

## SCHOOL MENU

Oct. 12 - Oct. 16

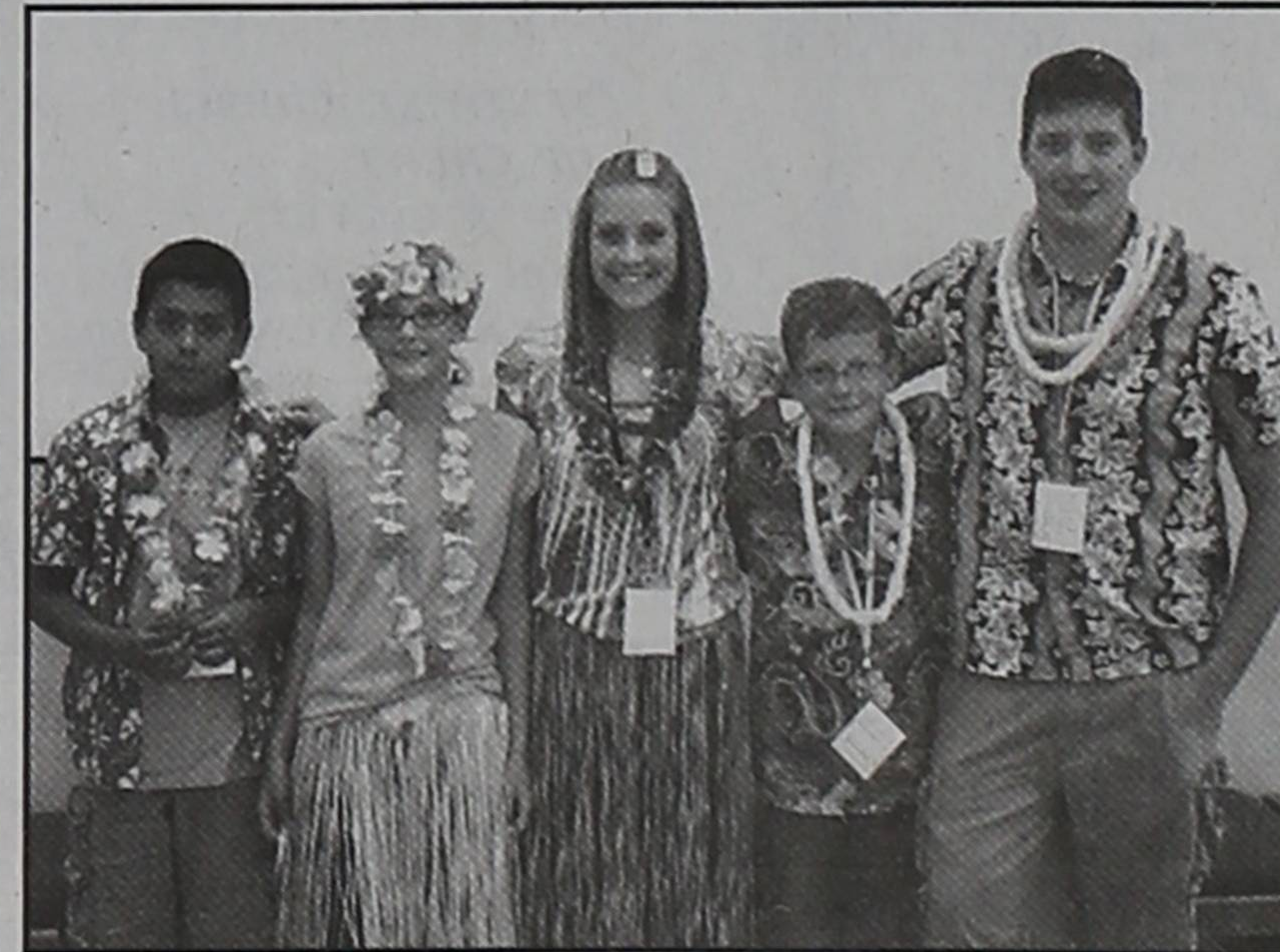
### Breakfast

- Monday, Oct. 12**  
Choice of Cereal  
Assorted Muffins  
Apple Juice
- Tuesday, Oct. 13**  
Pancakes  
Sausage  
Apples  
Apple-Cherry Juice
- Wednesday, Oct. 14**  
Breakfast Burrito  
Cheese Sauce-Land 'O Lakes  
Grape Juice
- Thursday, Oct. 15**  
Breakfast Pizza  
Scooby Treats  
Orange Juice
- Friday, Oct. 16**  
Sausage/Biscuit  
Dried Apricots  
Assorted Juice

### Lunch

- Monday, Oct. 12**  
Ham & Cheese Sandwich  
Pickle Spear  
Broccoli  
Cole Slaw  
Fruit Cocktail
- Tuesday, Oct. 13**  
Chili Cheese Fries  
Carrot Sticks  
Green Beans  
Orange Smiles
- Wednesday, Oct. 14**  
Steak Fingers  
Mashed Potatoes  
Tossed Salad  
Peaches
- Thursday, Oct. 15**  
Tacos  
Ranch Style Beans  
Spanish Rice  
Pears
- Friday, Oct. 16**  
Spaghetti w/Meatballs  
Green Beans  
Corn  
Flavor Apples

All Meals Served with Ice Cold Milk



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## West TX meeting

BY SHAWN WADSWORTH  
The Texas Cotton Flow Meeting Association's 2009 Texas Cotton Flow Meeting is scheduled for October 14-15 in Lubbock.

Speakers participating in this year's Flow Meeting include representatives from Texas AgriLife Extension, the Texas Transportation Commission, the American Cotton Shippers Association, the National Cotton Council and the Washington, DC-based Agriculture Transportation Coalition. TCA President Ted Cargill of Cordova, Tennessee, will preside over the meeting and Lubbock Cotton change President Canale will provide the opening and invocation. Kicking off the meeting will be a report on the



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# West TX cotton flow meeting October 15

BY SHAWN WADE

The Texas Cotton Association's 2009 West Texas Cotton Flow/Marketing meeting has been scheduled for October 15 in Lubbock.

Speakers participating in this year's Flow Meeting include representatives from Texas AgriLife Extension, the Texas Transportation Commission, the American Cotton Shipper's Association, the National Cotton Council and the Washington, DC-based Agriculture Transportation Coalition. TCA President Ted Morley, Cargill Cotton Co., in Cordova, Tennessee, will preside over the meeting and Lubbock Cotton Exchange President Mike Canale will provide the welcome and invocation.

Kicking off the meeting will be a report on the sta-

tus of the 2009 High Plains crop from Texas AgriLife Extension Cotton Specialist Dr. Randy Boman. Following the crop report meeting, participants will hear an update on Texas Department of Transportation activities from Texas Transportation Commission member Fred Underwood of Lubbock. ACSA Second Vice President Phil Bogel, of Toyo Cotton in Dallas, will present a report on Current ACSA activities.

Rounding out the program will be an overview of U.S. transportation policy relative to ag exporters from Mr. Peter Friedman, Washington lobbyist for the Agriculture Transportation Coalition, and a panel discussion on the status of transportation alternatives for the 2009 crop.

Confirmed participants in this year's West Texas Cotton Flow panel are: Warehouse—Mike Riley, Central Compress and Warehouse Company, of Sudan; Steamship—David Kalata, V.P. Westbound pricing, Hyundai Merchant Marine, of Dallas; Truck—Mike McBain, owner, R&T Truck of Lubbock and Laredo; and Shipper—Rick Shepard, Traffic Manager, Plains Cotton Cooperative Association of Lubbock.

In addition to the above named individuals Lee Origer, BNSF Railroad of Fort Worth has been invited to address the outlook for railroads 2009.

Anyone interested in obtaining more information or attending this year's West Texas Flow/Marketing Meeting can find what they need at the Texas Cotton Association's website, located at <http://www.tca-cotton.org>, or by calling Kandice Poteet in TCA's Dallas office at 972-283-2822.



Sasha Estrada (3) slams for a kill as teammates, l-r, Regan Anthony, Liz Trevino, and Paige Herbert look on. The Squaws defeated Dimmitt 3-2 to win the match and their first district game.

holly campbell photo

## AgriLife schedules diabetes classes

According to the Centers for Disease Control (CDC), the number of people with diabetes has increased by 3 million in 3 years to a new high of 24 million. This means that almost 8 percent of people in the U.S. have diabetes. Almost a quarter of people over 65 years old have diabetes. In addition, 57 million people have pre-diabetes, which means they are at very high risk for developing diabetes.

Are you or someone in your family at risk for type 2 diabetes? Your risk is higher

if you are over 45 years of age, especially if you are over your recommended weight. You may also be at risk if you are less than 45 years of age and have any one of these risk factors: physically inactive; have close relatives with diabetes; are a member of high-risk ethnic populations such as African American, Latino, Native American, Asian American, or Pacific Islander; have delivered a baby weighing over 9 pounds; have high blood pressure, high cholesterol and/or triglycerides, or a his-

tory of vascular disease.

If you know you have diabetes and you want to learn more about how to keep your diabetes in control, you can attend a free diabetes education program hosted by Texas AgriLife Extension agent Shana Fleming. The program is a 5-week series that teaches a variety of subjects to help you

better understand and manage your diabetes. The classes will be held Monday nights from 6-8 p.m. at the Senior Citizen's Friendship House, 1410 Washington, in Friona. Classes start October 12, 2009. For more information or to pre-register for the program please contact the Extension Office at 806-481-3619.

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### NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the registered voters of the County of Parmer, Texas:

(a los votantes registrados del Condado de Parmer, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., November 3, 2009, for voting in a general election to elect members of the County Board of Commissioners, members of the County Health Board, and members of the County Board of Health.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales situadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 3 de noviembre de 2009 para votar en la Elección General para elegir miembros del Consejo de Comisarios del Condado, miembros del Consejo de Salud del Condado, y miembros del Consejo de Salud del Condado.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES Calvary Baptist Church, Friona; EMS Building, Bovin  
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES) Rhea Community Center; Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church;

Farwell Community Center; Lazbuddie School

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en:)

Parmer County Clerk's Office  
(location) (sitio)

Recommended but not required

between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00p.m. beginning on (entre las 8:30 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el October 19, 2009)  
(date) (fecha)

and ending on (y terminando el) October 30, 2009  
(date) (fecha)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán enviarse a:)

Colleen Stover  
(Name of Early Voting Clerk)  
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación Adelantada)

P.O. Box 356  
(Address) (Dirección)

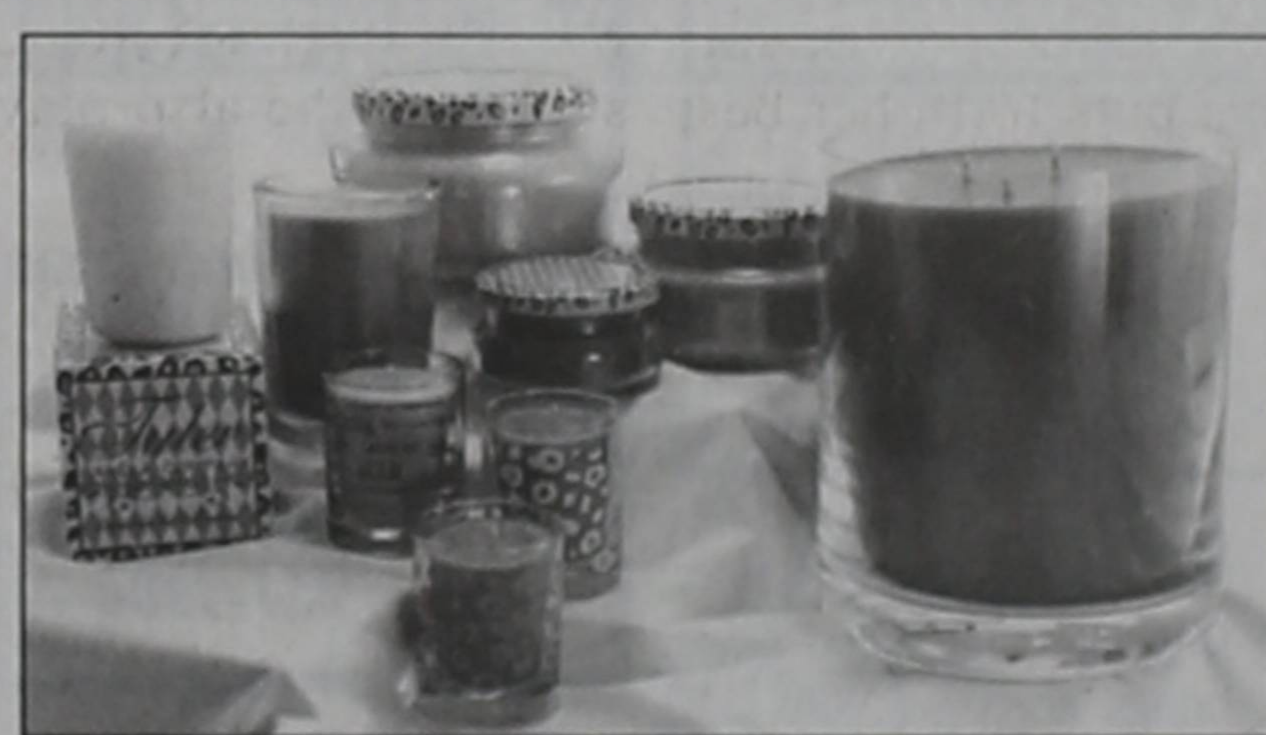
Farwell, Texas 79325  
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on:  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el:)

October 27, 2009  
(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 5th day of October, 2009  
(Emitiada este día 5 de Octubre, 2009)

Bonnie J. Heald  
Signature of County Judge (Firma del Juez del Condado)



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806-681-6292 cell  
or  
Jennifer Bramley  
806-578-3080 cell

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently accepting bids for the Restoration and Repair of the Parmer County Courthouse masonry. Bids must be mailed or brought to Bonnie J. Heald, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, P.O. Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10 a.m. Monday, October 26, 2009, at which time bids will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

Job specifications may be obtained from the County Judge's office.

Bids must reflect the total cost of the work proposed.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court, Bonnie J. Heald, County Judge.



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Deadline: Tuesday @ 5 p.m.

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 Dr. Mindy Neal  
 509 Ave. I  
 Bovina, Texas 79009  
 PHONE 806-251-1300

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
 Sixth St. Church of Christ is collecting clothes for Medina Children's Home. If you have clothes that you would like to discard, regardless of size or condition, please bring them to Sixth St. Church of Christ.

**Notice of Public Meeting**  
 to Discuss Friona School District's "Superior" State Financial Accountability Rating  
 October 12, 2009, 7:00 p.m.  
 Friona ISD Board Meeting Room  
 909 E. 11<sup>th</sup>  
 Friona, Texas 79035  
 The purpose of this meeting is to discuss Friona School District's rating on the Texas financial accountability system.  
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**Nurse Aide Classes**  
 Beginning Late October  
 Please apply in person or contact:  
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 (806) 250-3922  
 201 E. 15<sup>th</sup> St.  
 Friona, TX 79035  
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**PANHANDLE EXPRESS TRUCKING**  
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 900 Millard Ave.  
 Friona, Texas.  
 No phone calls please. Apply in person. 4tc-10.8-10.29

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 Certification required. Experience preferred.  
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 • New facility opening Fall 2009  
 Apply at  
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 1307 Cleveland  
 Friona, TX 79035 1tc-10.8

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 4/3/2 Brick Country Home on 1.13 acres with 15 additional acres w/arena, Central heat & air, fireplace, storm cellar, new roof, septic system, large open floor plan, Call for more information.....\$205,000  
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 3/2/2 Brick w/fp, central h&a, finished basement, new roof, sprinkler front & back, driveway w/RV hookup, fenced yard, Western Addition.....\$140,000  
 4/2 Brick w/central heat & air, deck and storage building in fenced backyard, newly painted exterior and interior \$5000 allowance.....\$110,000  
 REDUCED 3/2/2 Brick, corner lot, all electric, cen heat & air, fruit trees, plants & roses, storage bldg w/cellar in fenced backyard.....\$99,900  
 3/1 Stucco w/carport, central h&a, new metal roof, newly remodeled w/hardwood flooring, ceramic tile, & new carpet in living room, detached gameroom w/cellar, fenced backyard on two acres.....\$87,000  
 REDUCED: 2/1 Stucco w/carport, nice kitchen, 40x60 shop w/ guest room + bathroom and bedroom, storage bldg in fenced yard.....SOLD  
 3/1 Brick.....SOLD  
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 2/1 Stucco, carport in back, new circle driveway, corner lot on 2-1/2 lots, large backyard.....\$39,900


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 PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_  
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# Friona Star

## 2009 Football Contest

Weekly 1st Place Prize \$25  
Overall Grand Prize \$150

### Week 7

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY, STATE & ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE 4:00 P.M. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9**  
PLACE CHECK MARK NEXT TO YOUR SELECTION

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**TIE BREAKERS- PREDICT THE TOTAL SCORE**

1. K. State - Texas Tech \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Cowboys-Chiefs \_\_\_\_\_

#### CONTEST RULES

Tie Breaker: Pick the total score of both tie breaker games. The second tie-breaker game will be used in case two or more players are tied after the first tie-breaker game. Entries are due by 4 p.m. each Friday.

#### Three ways to enter:

Fax to: 806-250-5127 Mail to: Football Contest  
P.O. Box 789  
Friona, TX 79035  
Bring entry to: Friona Star Office  
916 Main St.

-or-  
Dorothy's Beauty Shop  
3rd St. in Bovina.

Mailed entries should be postmarked by 4 p.m. Friday.

Each correct game picked counts as one point. Player with most total points at the end of the contest will win a Grand Prize of \$150.

Only one entry form per individual. Must be 10-years or over to enter. Newspaper employees and their immediate families are not eligible to enter.

For questions or more information call: 806-250-2211.

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## Renner reunion held in Friona

Four generations of descendants of the late Rudolph and Clara Renner met in Friona September 24-26. The four sons and two daughters of the Renner's have taken turns hosting a reunion every year since 1993, the year after Rudolph died.

This reunion has traditionally been limited to the brothers and sisters, but this year they extended an invitation to children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. John, the first son of the couple, and Lavon were hosts this year for the gathering.

The following family members were present: John and Lavon Renner of Friona; Lee and Zena Renner of Winnsboro, Louisiana; RJ and Betty Renner of Friona; Lillie and Billy Baxter of Friona; Mary and Doyce Barnett of Friona; and Cotton and Kay Renner of Winnsboro, Louisiana.

Other family members in attendance included: Gary and Karen Renner of Friona; Aimee, Rhett and Noah Houston of Edmond, Oklahoma; Casey and Cameron Renner of Canyon; Ted and Missy

Renner, Elizabeth, Monty, and Caleb Bohanna of Luther, Oklahoma; Missey Barker, Michelle, Baylen, Sayer, and Drayven Crites of Midland; Caleb, Kristi, Baize, and Lainie Barker of Lubbock; Conrad and Susan Renner of Amarillo; John and Cathy Baxter of Sawatch, Colorado; Debbie Baxter of Amarillo; David, Jana, and Brenner Barnett of Friona; Breann Barnett of Canyon; Briar, Juan, and Rylin Reyes of Friona; Robin and Sandy Renner of Winnsboro; and Darcy and Sue Renner of Tucson, Arizona.



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Descendants of the late Rudolph and Clara Renner. The Renner children are: back row, John Renner, Lee Renner, and RJ Renner; front row, Mary Joyce Barnett, Cotton Renner, and Lillie Mae Baxter.

## McCain Brothers Killer Tumbleweeds movie on DVD

Home grown Texas Panhandle actors and producers, The McCain Brothers, announce the DVD release of their feature length thriller, "Killer Tumbleweeds". Just in time for Halloween.

Now based in Hollywood, the Bovina-raised brothers filmed their movie all over the world (Japan, Italy, Alaska, California, Colorado, New Mexico and Texas), but based the heart of the story and shot many scenes in Parmer County. "It's a silly little no budget movie featuring actors from Bovina, Farwell and Friona," says

producer and director Ben McCain. His brother and fellow producer, Butch, explains further, "But it doesn't take away quality, because we were able to procure the tumbleweeds for free by checking our fences back home. This Texas know-how helped slice some computerized special effects off the budget."

But most of the slicing was saved for the storyline: After the military secretly tweaks ordinary tumbleweeds to attack terrorists in far away deserts, something goes seriously wrong. The killer

tumbleweeds escape and multiply, creating scenes of horror across Middle America. In a matter of days, 150 people are dead, 10,000 head of livestock are destroyed-not counting chickens and sheep-and 300,000 children wind up suffering from Killer Tumbleweed trauma.

"Killer Tumbleweeds is an 87-minute edge-of-your-seat rolling ball of twisted entertainment with no profanity or nudity," says Butch. "However, there are scenes of humans being attacked by the angry weeds. The weeds have needs!"

Ben adds, "If you don't have a sense of humor, have been called an intellectual or attended college back east, we would like to discourage you from buying this movie."

Movie buffs who want first dibs on this future cult classic can order the Killer Tumbleweeds DVD on November 1 for \$14.99, including shipping and handling. Visit [www.killertumbleweeds.com](http://www.killertumbleweeds.com).



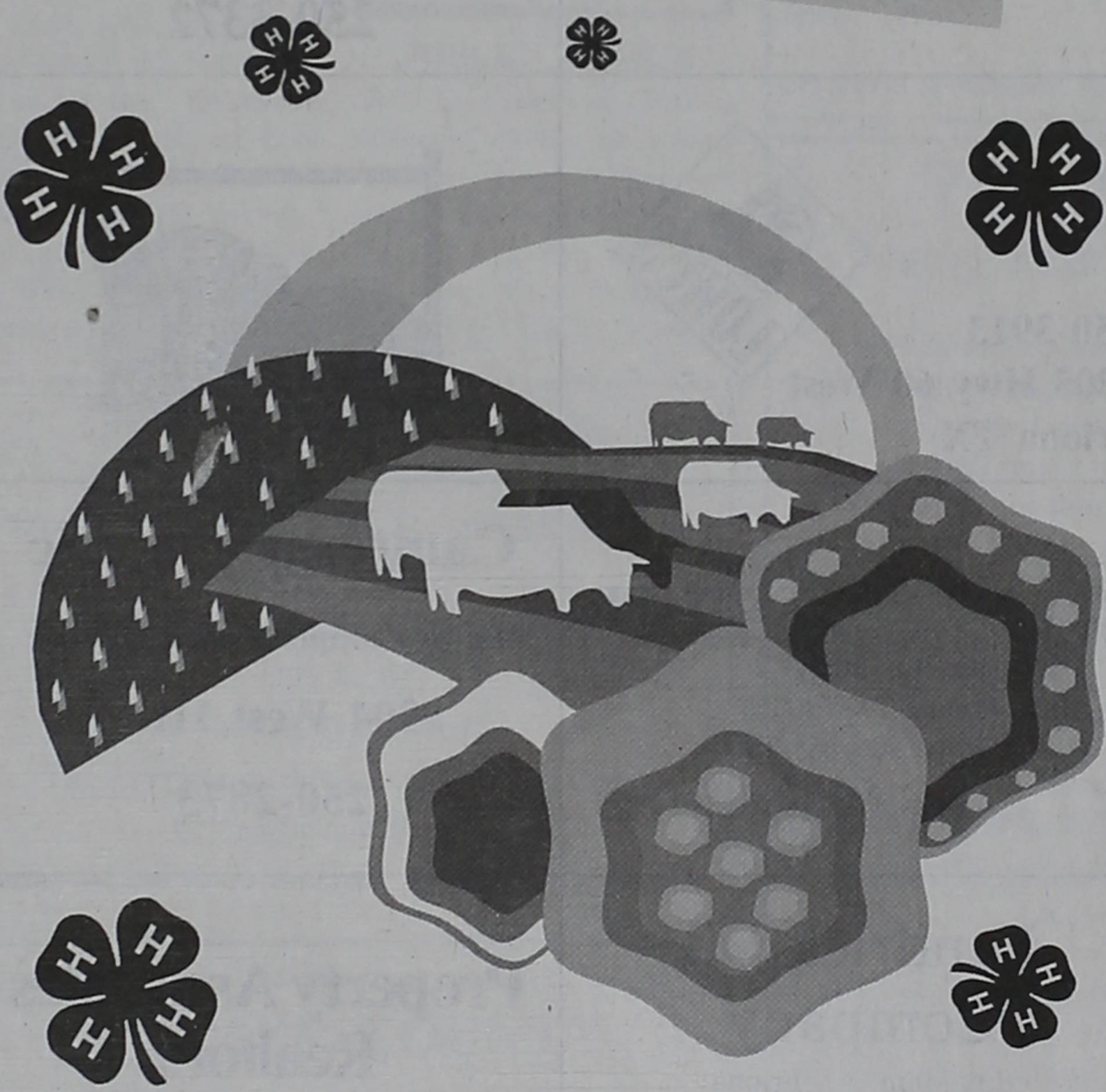
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A fourth generation of Renners attending the reunion were, back row, Noah Houston, Cameron Renner, and Rhett Houston; front row, Lainie Barker held by Kristi Barker, Sayer, Drayven and Baylen Crites, and Baize Barker.

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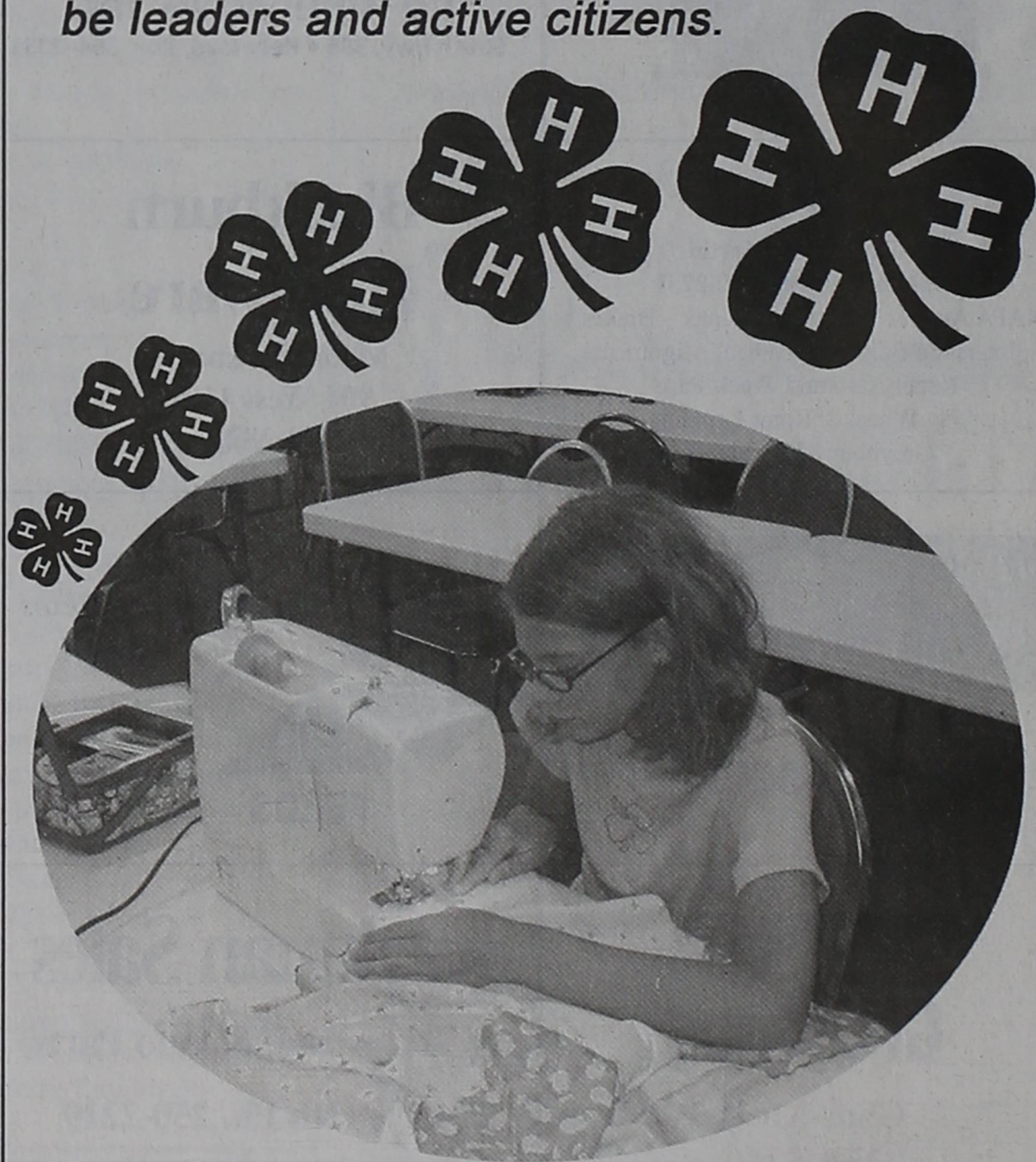
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## 4-H Week

4-H gives youth a chance to pursue their own interests - from photography to shooting sports, from promoting healthy life skills to raising sheep. They go places - to camp, to state and national conferences. They learn to be leaders and active citizens.



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Lucy Hernandez, Circulation Clerk, has joined the staff at the Friona Public Library. Lucy and her husband, Henry, have two daughters: Allysa 22 and Angela 12. They also have one granddaughter, Victoria 3, who is also new to Story Time this year.



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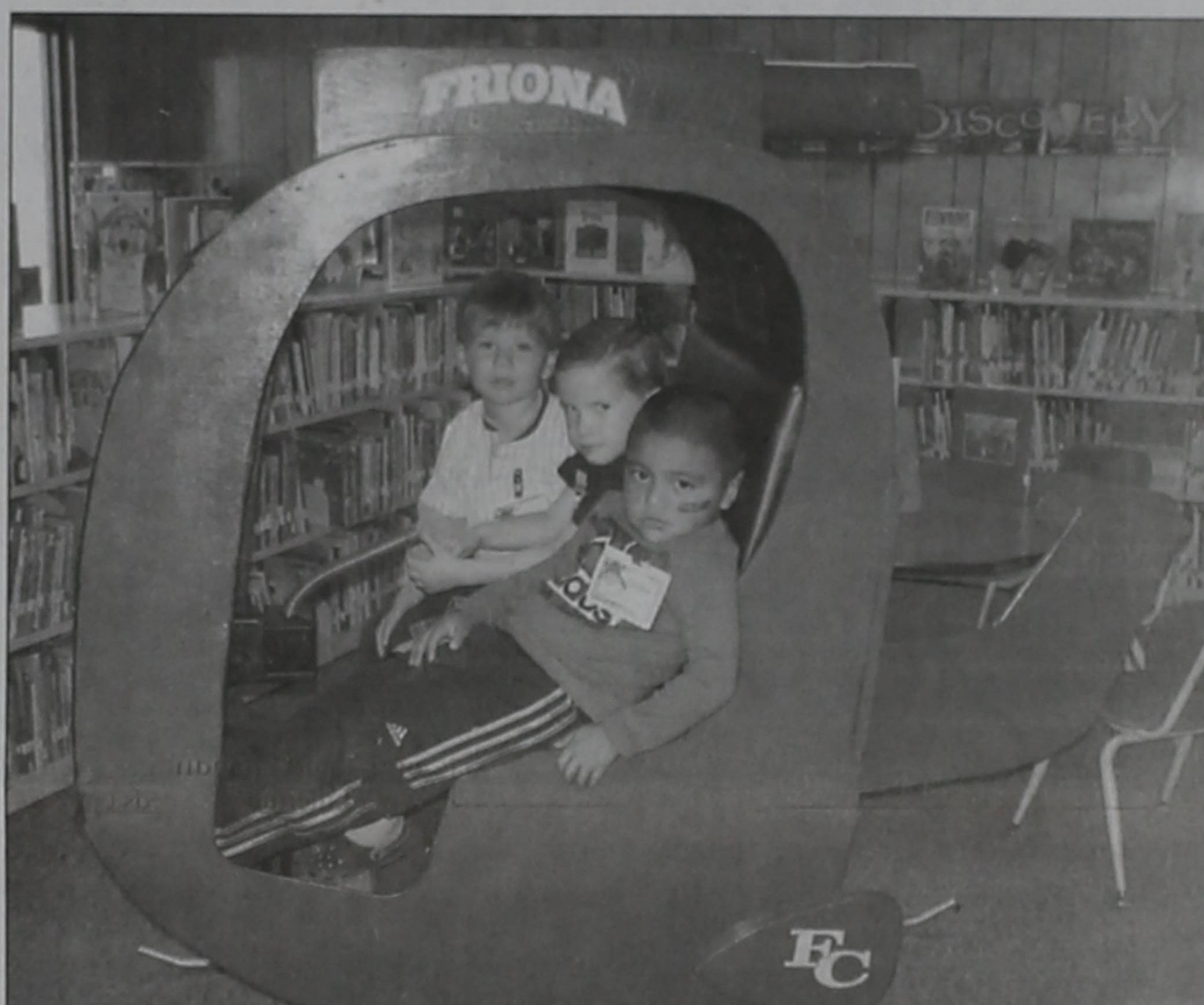
Melba Smiley and her granddaughter Lucretia Morgan help with the Story Time children as they 'drop a line' during the Library's Story Time.

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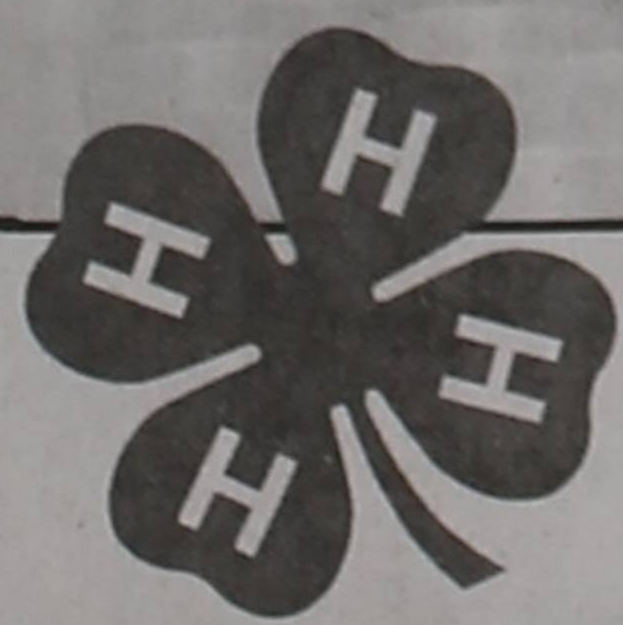
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Ready for Take-Off! Jarrett White, Gage Campbell and Josiah Hernandez are off to a great start as this year's Story Time participants. The red Friona Helicopter is another library reading vehicle made by Johnny Miller and loaned by Deidre Osborn.

4-H is a community of young people who are learning leadership, citizenship and life skills. 4-H is about having fun, learning, exploring and discovering. In 4-H, young people make new friends, develop new skills, become leaders and help shape their communities.



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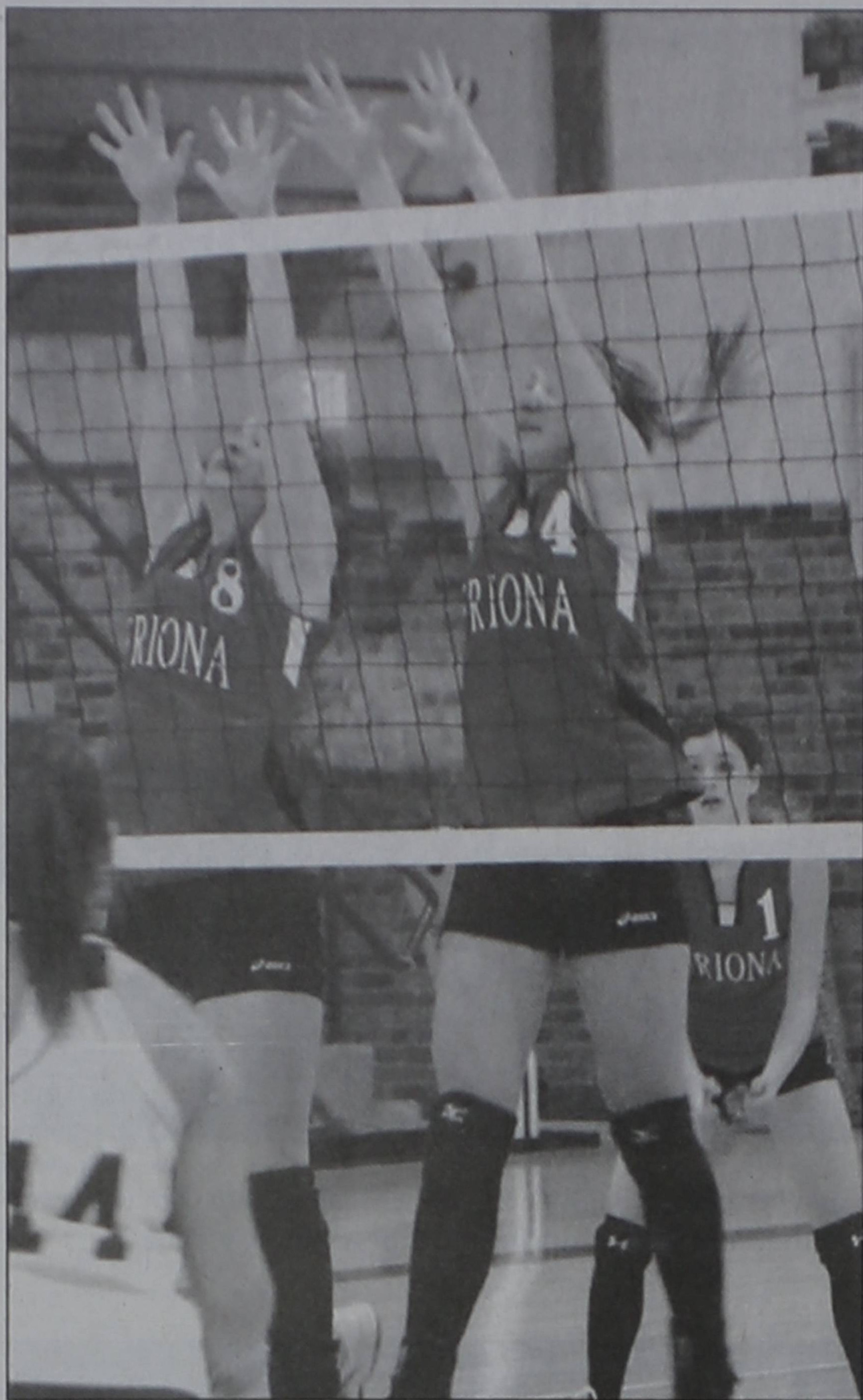
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Squaws Laci Austin, left, and Regan Anthony go for a block against the Dimmitt Bobbies. The Squaws lost the first two games but rallied late in the third game to overcome Dimmitt, then won the fourth and fifth games to win the match. It was the first district game for the Squaws who start 1-0. Next up are the Tulia Lady Hornets Friday October 9 prior to the football game. More Squaw photos at frionaonline.com.



**FHS-TV video  
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### Chieftain Tribal Trails



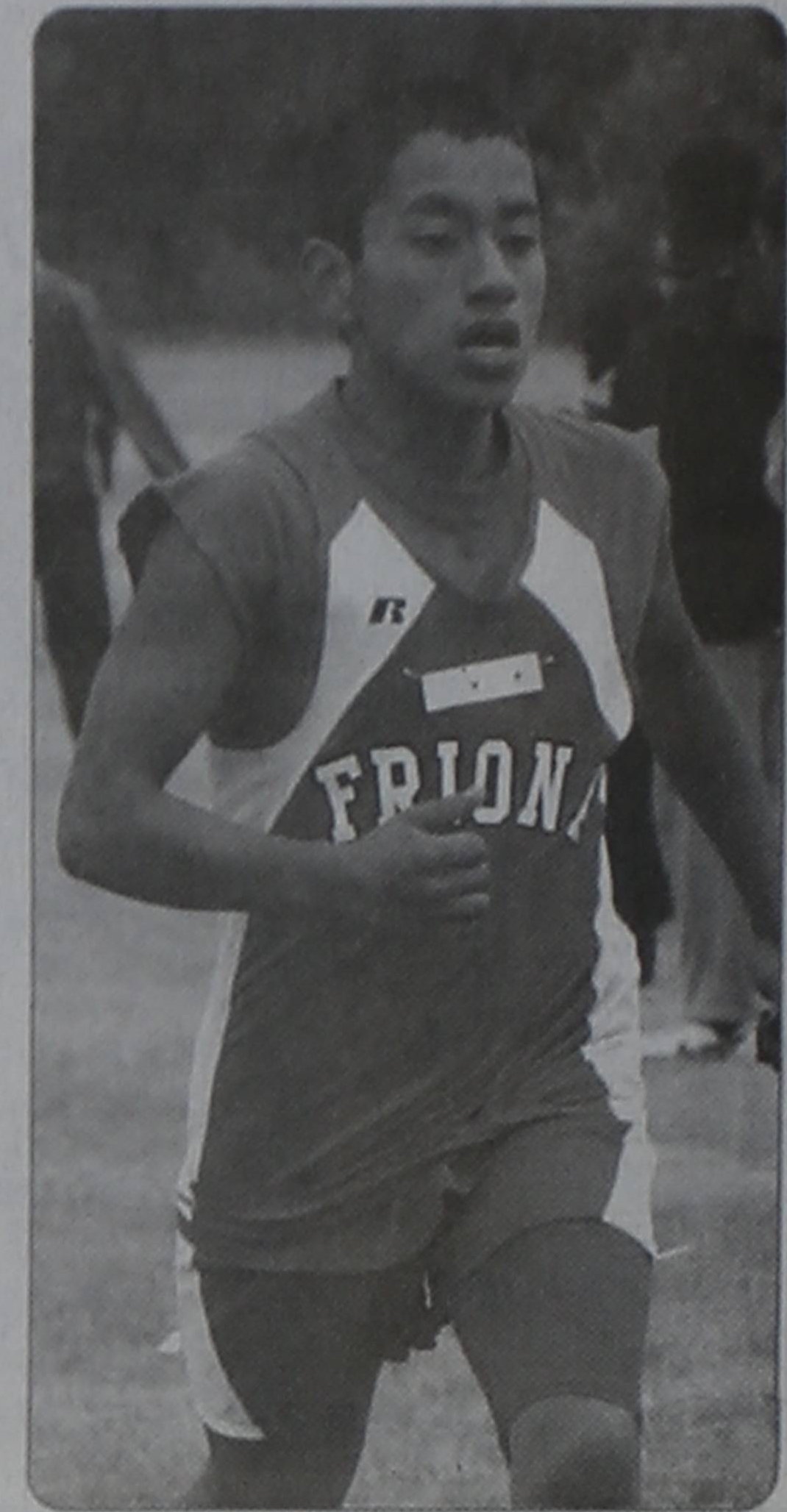
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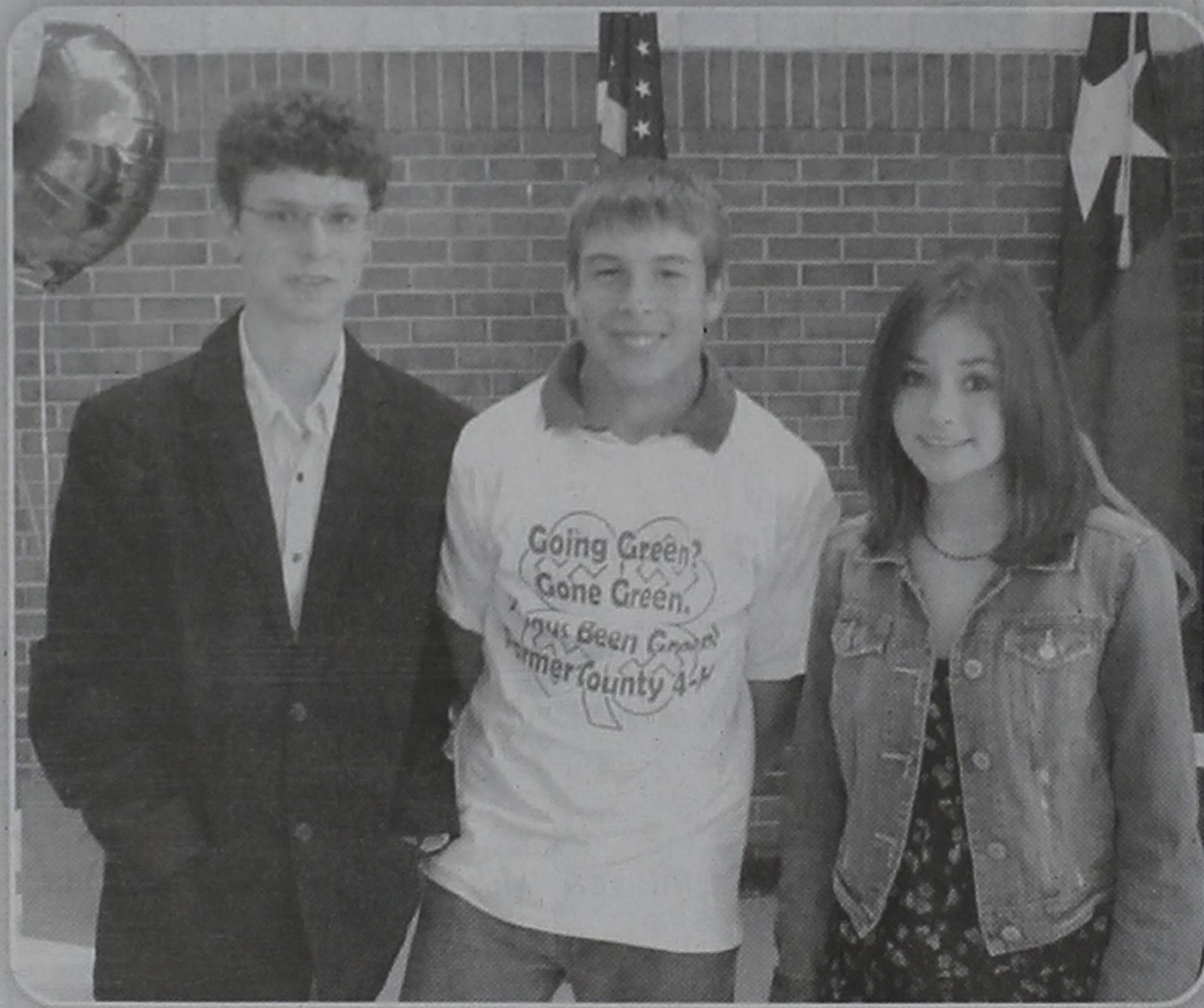
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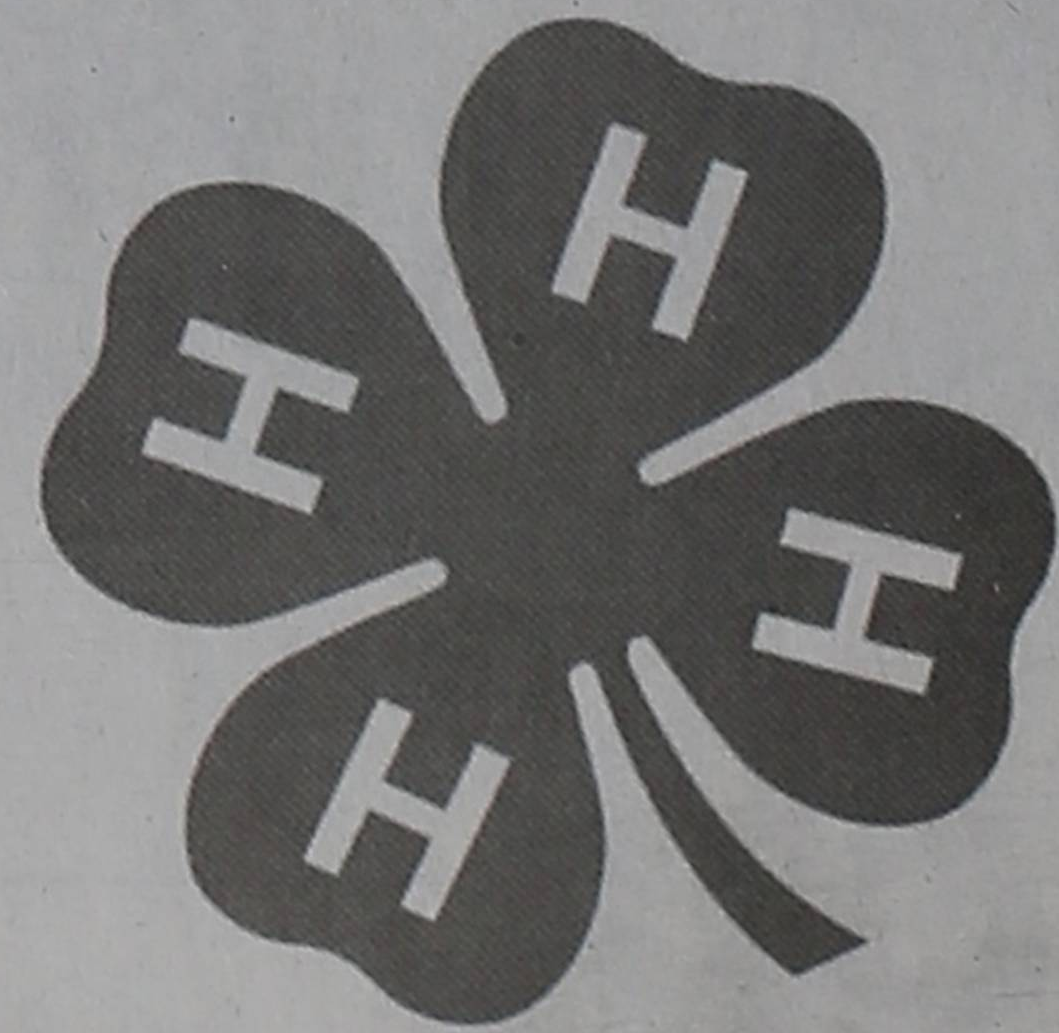


Alberto Nicolas



**4-H members get involved in volunteer projects such as Relay for Life, Angel Ministries, and the Food Bank. 4-H is open to all youth age 9 to 18. If you would like to join or receive more information please contact the Parmer County Extension Office at 481-3619.**

**In 4-H clubs, members serve as officers and learn to conduct meetings, handle club funds, and facilitate group decision-making. In Parmer County, 4-H youth serve on County Council. They also participate in community service to give back to the communities that support them.**



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