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BALE COUNTS reported by area gins total 575,403 - the most ever reported in the LCN bale count!

COMPARE TO PREVIOUS RECORDS:
511,194 Bales - 2005 Crop
435,276 Bales - 2004 Crop

(These gin bale count totals are not all from Lynn County producers, but a significant portion comes from Lynn County cotton fields)



Bale Count 4/01/2008

Texas Star Gin, Wilson/Union ...	*145,156
New Home Coop, Lakeview	*108,905
Woolam Gin, O'Donnell	*73,689
Farmers Coop #1 Tahoka	*73,455
Farmers Coop, O'Donnell	*67,539
Wells Coop Gin	*62,498
Grassland Coop Gin	*26,285
Close City Gin, Post	*17,876

TOTAL 575,403

* Final Bale Count - All Gins Finished

Weather

Date	High	Low	Precip.
Mar. 26	85	41	
Mar. 27	86	42	
Mar. 28	56	42	
Mar. 29	66	34	
Mar. 30	88	39	
Mar. 31	82	59	
Apr. 1	61	39	
Total Precipitation Mar:			0.07"
Total Precipitation Feb:			0.26"
Total Precipitation Jan:			0"
Total Precip. Year to Date:			0.33"

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BEST IN THE STATE!

Ty Cloe Breaks 3 State Records, Wins State Powerlifting Title

Tahoka High School senior Ty Cloe was the man to watch at the UIL State Powerlifting Championships, with lots of expectations on the shoulders of the Bulldog athlete who had become known throughout the state as a powerhouse in the weightlifting competitions. As it turns out, Cloe easily carried the expectations of winning a state powerlifting championship title, and along the way he broke three state records (one of which he had set) and claimed a couple of "Outstanding" state awards.

The State Championships were held at the Taylor County Expo Center in Abilene on March 29, with more than 400 lifters competing in the meet in weight classes ranging from 114 lbs. to Super Heavy Weight (275+ lbs.). Cloe competes in the 275 lb. weight class. He won the State Championship (1st place) as well as the Outstanding Squat on the heavy platform and the Outstanding Total on the heavy platform. He broke the previous State Squat Record of 700 lbs. with an 810 lb. lift. He broke the previous State Bench Record of 440 lbs. with a 480 lb.

lift, and he broke the previous State Total (which was his own record from 2006) of 1725 lbs. with a total of 1900 lbs. He lifted 610 lbs. in the deadlift event to contribute to that total.

The son of Rick and Lena Cloe of Tahoka, Ty has won the State Powerlifting Championship for two consecutive years, and he placed second in his sophomore year. He has significantly improved his own capabilities since last year's state meet, in which he set a new personal best and state record of 1725 total pounds. This year he broke his - and the state - record, lifting 1900 total pounds.

Another Tahoka High School student, senior Marissa Gomez, made a return trip to the Girls State Powerlifting Meet. She placed 2nd in State in the 97-lb. weight class, and reportedly missed claiming first place by a mere 5 pounds. She lifted 250 lbs. in squat, 120 lbs. in bench, and 235 lbs. in dead lift for a total of 605 lbs.

Gomez, daughter of Edward and Belen Gomez, placed 6th at State last year.



Second at State ... THS senior Marissa Gomez made a return trip to the Girls State Powerlifting Meet for the second consecutive year, placing 2nd in the 97-lb. weight class. She lifted 250 lbs. in squat, 120 lbs. in bench, and 235 lbs. in dead lift for a total of 605 lbs. She was awarded a \$500 scholarship.

Five Indicted Suspects Arrested On Charges

Five persons recently indicted by a 106th District grand jury were processed by the Lynn County Sheriff's Dept. during the last week. They included:

Francisca Gonzales, 52 of O'Donnell, charged with bringing a prohibited item to a correctional facility;

Tony Joseph Ybarra, 31 of Hale Center, driving while intoxicated with two or more previous convictions;

Bobby Perez, 27 of O'Donnell, aggravated sexual assault, sexual assault and indecency with a child;

Julian Gutierrez, 29 of O'Donnell, sexual assault and indecency with a child;

Carlos Gonzales, 46 of O'Donnell, prohibited substance in a correctional facility.

The sheriff's department this week also investigated a theft in Wilson, where eight street signs were stolen, and two sign posts damaged, with the total loss set at \$212, according to a report received Monday, and a burglary reported Saturday.

The burglary on County Rd. 2 northwest of Wilson was at the residence of Robert Tudor. Stolen after a

door was forced open while no one was at home were a 32-inch TV, Sony Play Station and a Boxer puppy. The TV was valued at \$631 and the puppy at \$300.

Reyes Morales of Tahoka told Tahoka Police Sunday that someone had stolen a red hand truck from a carport at his home on S. 8th St. The loss was estimated at \$50.

Police also arrested a 19-year-old Tahoka man for exhibition of acceleration and assault, and arrested a 27-year-old Lubbock man for public intoxication.

During the month of March, dispatchers answered 277 calls, including 137 for the county, 97 for Tahoka police, 21 ambulance calls, 14 fire alarms and eight calls for O'Donnell police.

Jail population totaled 39 in Lynn County after five persons were jailed during the last week and some others released. Those jailed were held on these charges: application to revoke probation on conviction of possession of a controlled substance, application to revoke probation on conviction for sexual assault, hold for immigration authorities plus no drivers license, public intoxication, and six warrants out of Lubbock.



State Champion - Again! ... Barry Newton, Director of Region I Division II and III, presents Tahoka High School senior Ty Cloe (right) with his State Championship Powerlifting awards. This was Cloe's third state powerlifting competition in consecutive years, and he has won the championship title the last two years. He won second place in his first trip to the state weightlifting competition.

woodwork by dalton



MY MEMORY is so bad, it can't tell Fort Worth from Dallas. For some reason I started thinking about the mid-1940s when I was in high school at Jacksboro. I thought I might write something about how people at Jacksboro used to go to Fort Worth regularly, like people go into Lubbock from towns around here. This led me to thinking about some of the attractions of Fort Worth and wondering if any of those things are still there.

One of the things I remembered was the Magnolia Petroleum Building with a large flying red horse mounted on top, which revolved, and was a landmark that could be seen from miles away, and again, I wondered if it was still there.

The answer is yes, and no. It never was there, at least not in Fort Worth. It always was in Dallas, and it is still there, although Magnolia became Mobil Oil and then Exxon Mobil, and for 25 years the Flying Red Horse quit flying and became a horse of a different color (rust-colored, because the red all but disappeared).

I found out about the Flying Red Horse by reading an interesting story written by Jennifer LeClaire for an online publication of the sign industry. I doubt that anyone else in Lynn County has read the sign industry's online magazine, so I can pass along some of the story's points as new information.

In 1934 the Magnolia Petroleum Co. erected a large oil derrick on the roof of the 29-story Magnolia Hotel building in Dallas, billed as the tallest building south of Washington D.C. and west of the Mississippi. The derrick supported two 35x50-ft. red neon signs that formed the image of a Pegasus, a mythological Flying Red Horse that once was the company's corporate logo and has since become a treasured landmark of Dallas.

By 1999 the Pegasus was dilapidated, pitted with rust and unable to fly. The horses actually stopped revolving in 1974. Mobil moved their headquarters out of downtown and gave both the sign and the building to the City of Dallas in 1977. By 1997 the battered sign was shut off.

A Denver company purchased the old office building and created a luxury hotel, and arranged for the flying horses to be brought back to their former neon glory in time for Dallas' Millennium Celebration in December 1999. The Dallas architectural signage firm Casteel & Associates managed the major restoration project, taking the sign down from the top of the building in August 1999 and completely rebuilding it to look just like the old horse that was put up in 1934.

Some taller buildings in Dallas now make the sign less visible, but the Flying Red Horse is again up there.

The horse's longest flight was about 35 miles, from Fort Worth to Dallas, all in my memory. Pretty soon I plan to get back to writing about hitch-hiking to Fort Worth, going to Leonard Bros. Dept. Store, the old Worth Theater, Primo Carnera's size 19 tennis shoe, and so forth.

OBITUARIES



JOHNNIE MAE ANDERSON

Johnnie Anderson

Graveside services for Johnnie Mae Anderson, 80, of Georgetown, were held at 1:00 p.m. Monday, March 31, at the Tahoka Cemetery with Father Joseph B. Webb officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

Ms. Anderson died Thursday, March 27, 2008. She was born in Anson, TX, March 29, 1927 to James T. and Ponella Anderson. Johnnie graduated from Tahoka High School. Before moving to Georgetown in 1997 she was a long time resident of Houston, moving there in 1951 with Shell Oil Company. She had been with the company for 40 years before retiring in 1986.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and two sisters, Tommye A. Ward and Billie Faye Brice.

Survivors include one sister, Jo A. Kennedy of Georgetown; one brother, Tom Anderson of Nashville, Tenn.; five nieces, two nephews and a host of relatives and friends.

Auda Mae Norman

Graveside services for Auda Mae Aycox Norman of Kerrville, TX were held at the Tahoka City Cemetery at 11 a.m. Tuesday April 1.

She died Wednesday, March 26, 2008 at a Kerrville care facility. She was born in Purcell, Oklahoma on September 22, 1914 to Andrew Craig and Anna Mae Cobb Aycox.

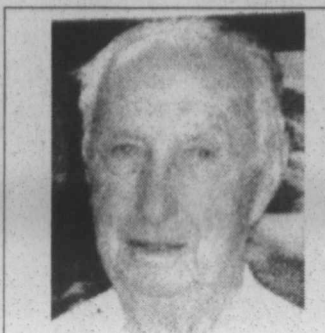
Mrs. Norman was raised on the West Texas plains, growing up in Tahoka. She was selected as "Miss Tahoka" while in high school. She married A.N. Norman, Jr. in 1938. Having lived most of her life in Texas, she also made Oklahoma, and Kansas her home at different times, then after some years away, she moved back to Tahoka in 1945.

Working as a legal secretary for a portion of her life, she was elected District Clerk of Lynn County in 1974. She was an avid golfer and an accomplished bridge player. She had been a Life Master of the American Contract Bridge Association since 1964 and did considerable playing in the Llano Estacado unit and the South Plains area. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

She is survived by one son, Jim Norman and wife Jane of Hamilton, TX; one nephew, and two great-nephews.

In lieu of floral tributes memorials may be made in her name to the charity of one's choice.

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RICHARD "DICK" KENNETT

Richard Kennett

Richard Trell Kennett, 88, of Rupert, Idaho died Sunday, March 16, 2008, at the Countryside Care & Rehab in Rupert.

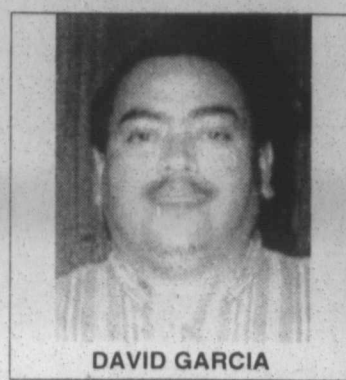
Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday, March 22, at the Emerson LDS Ward Church, of Paul, Idaho with Bishop Steve Bradshaw officiating. Burial was in the Paul Cemetery with military rites provided by the Mini-Cassia Veterans and Auxiliary.

He was born Jan. 4, 1920, in Sidney, Ohio, the son of Clifford and Nellie Emma (Robbins) Kennett. He completed high school in Sidney, and continued his education in the military as a flight officer and glider pilot. He served in the Army Air Force during World War II in the European Theater of Operations. He married Donna Beth Eschler on July 31, 1949, in Montpelier, Idaho. Their marriage was later solemnized in the Idaho Falls LDS Temple.

"Dick" Kennett worked as a flight instructor, crop duster, and prior to retirement owned and operated the Echo 87 Motel in Tahoka. He was a member of the LDS Church and at the time of his death was a high priest.

He is survived by his wife, Donna Kennett; his children, Kathleen (Bill) Humphreys of Rupert, Scott (Peggy Jo) Kennett of West Jordan, Utah, Kristen Taylor of Yuma, Ariz., Joni (Van) Haddox of Jerome, Lisa (Jeffrey) Buerkle of Rupert, and Trell (Deanne) Kennett of Paul; 16 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents and two brothers.



DAVID GARCIA

David Garcia

Rosary for David Silvas Garcia, 47, of Tahoka was held Thursday and Friday at 7 p.m. at Calvillo Funeral Home Chapel in Tahoka. Funeral mass was celebrated on Saturday at 3 p.m. at St. Jude Catholic Church with Father Edward Teo officiating. Burial was at Nevels Cemetery under the direction of Calvillo Funeral Home.

Garcia died Tuesday March 18, 2008 in Lubbock. He was born on July 28, 1960 in Brownfield to the late Victor Sr. (1996) and Julia Garcia.

He graduated in 1979 from Tahoka High School. He moved to Oklahoma in 2000 and moved back to Tahoka in 2005. He was working for Regis as an inventory specialist. He was a Catholic.

Survivors include his mother, Julia Garcia of Tahoka; two brothers, Victor Garcia Jr. of Lubbock, and Daniel Garcia of Tahoka; four sisters, Isabel Gonzales of Lubbock, Rachel Corona of Austin, Dolores Resendez and Patricia Garcia, both of Tahoka; and a host of nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Chris Resendez, Julian Resendez, Michael Resendez, Steven Garcia, Richard Garcia, and Alex Ruiz.



Lots of paperwork ... Lynn County Tax Assessor/Collector Sherry Pearce attends to paperwork and budget issues at her office. She has been the county Tax Assessor for 16 years, and worked an additional 13 years as a clerk in that office. (LCN PHOTO)

What Happens In The Tax Assessor's Office?

Editor's Note: Lynn County residents will have an opportunity to vote May 10 on whether to maintain separate offices for County Clerk and District Clerk, and for Tax Assessor/Collector and Sheriff. This is the third in a series of four articles provided by each elected official regarding the duties of their office, so that voters will have an idea of what each office provides for Lynn County.

Anyone with questions regarding the duties of each office is encouraged to contact the respective elected official.

Lynn County Tax Assessor/Collector Sherry Pearce

Number of Years in this office: 16 years as Tax Assessor, and an additional 13 years as clerk

Current Annual Salary: \$25,222

Describe the Duties of this office:

The Lynn County Tax Assessor/Collector collects license fees and distributes funds to the State and County. We make applications for Texas titles, collect fees and distribute to State and County, and collect sales tax. We collect Farm Fees on Farm Truck Plates. This office also issues Voter Registration Cards, makes lists for elections, and enters certificate numbers of people who voted. We also pull Jury lists.

We issue hunting and fishing licenses. We are the only place in

Lynn County to get your license. Most tax offices do not do this but we took this on when Mr. McCracken was still in office because all the small business places stopped offering this service.

I work closely with the Texas Department of Transportation District Office.

I have one full time employee and one part time employee, who issue Licenses and Titles and help with voter registration and all lists.

We attend at least one conference yearly to get continuing education and upcoming changes to the duties of the office. When possible we also go to Secretary of State Conferences.

In your opinion, would combining this office with another office save taxpayers money?

No - Because it would take as many or more people to perform these duties.

Editor's Note: In earlier years the Lynn County Tax Assessor did at one time actually assess county property taxes and handle the collection of such taxes, but in the 1980s county officials decided to contract with the Lynn County Appraisal District for assessing and collecting county taxes. The Appraisal District, which is not operated under the jurisdiction of the county, assesses/collects taxes for the county, school districts, two cities, hospital district and water district entities in the county.

Come support your local hospital by attending the **28th Annual Lynn County Hospital District Fun & Food FESTIVAL** sponsored by the Tahoka Rotary Club

Raffles and Door Prizes
Silent Auction 5:00-7:30
Homemade Ice Cream
Food & Drinks
Live Auction! begins at 5:30

Bid on Trip packages!
◆ Ruidoso
◆ Fredericksburg
◆ Dallas Metroplex

All-You-Can-Eat FISH FRY! prepared by the Tahoka Volunteer Fire Dept.

Saturday, April 12th
5:00-8:00 p.m.
Lynn County Show Barn
ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE LYNN COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT

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Senior Citizens MENU

April 7-11

Monday: Hamburger on a Bun, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato & Onion, German Potato Salad, Chips, Tapioca Pudding
Tuesday: Cheese Quesadillas, Spanish Rice, Pinto Beans, Lettuce & Tomato Salad, Jell-o and Fruit

Wednesday: **THANKSGIVING IN APRIL!** Turkey and Dressing, Sweet Potatoes, Giblet Gravy, Green Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Homemade Rolls, Rainbow Cake

Thursday: Chili and Cornbread, Fresh Fruit Tray, Cracker Assortment, Peaches

Friday: Fried Tilapia Fish, French Fries, Coleslaw, Hushpuppies, Ambrosia

How Does Lynn County Compare to other Texas Counties?
This sample list of Texas counties shows 2007 comparisons of salaries, offices, budgets, and population. This sample includes Lynn County (pop. 6,550) and a sample of other counties with comparable populations and/or nearby counties of interest. Several counties shown here combine their County/District Clerk offices, and Sheriff/Tax Assessor offices. Some, like Lynn, maintain separate offices. Lynn County voters will have an opportunity on May 10 to vote on whether to keep these offices separate or to combine them, due to population figures.

County	Judge	Commis.	Treasurer	Attorney	Co Clerk	Dist. Clerk	Auditor	Sheriff	Tax AC	2007 Budget	2007 Pop.
LYNN	25,332	16,314	24,487	24,487	24,487	24,487	None	27,453	24,487	2,168,575	6,550
Bailey	30,141	18,088	26,389	26,389	26,389	26,389	None	33,589	26,389	4,113,877	6,589
Baylor	22,000	20,000	22,000	26,200	22,000	Combined	None	23,000	22,000	1,918,038	4,023
Borden	28,076	21,085	29,132	None	29,132	Combined	None	31,653	Combined	1,572,000	729
Carson	35,451	28,869	34,945	34,945	34,945	Combined	34,945	34,945	34,945	4,542,700	6,516
Childress	29,261	15,000	25,867	32,197	27,645	Combined	None	34,310	27,645	3,057,095	7,688
Crosby	32,242	22,824	32,242	None	32,242	32,242	29,928	32,242	32,242	2,941,876	7,072
Floyd	23,380	16,709	25,058	24,094	25,058	25,058	None	25,777	25,058	265,565	7,721
Gaines	\$1,690	48,175	48,175	48,175	48,175	48,175	48,175	48,175	48,175	14,000,000	14,467
Garza	28,660	26,390	35,417	31,408	32,105	Combined	None	38,113	32,511	5,068,690	4,872
Goliad	45,963	34,999	34,012	35,261	41,613	Combined	41,487	44,263	41,613	8,250,000	6,928
Haskell	27,272	22,501	25,291	32,400	23,401	23,401	None	30,624	23,401	3,859,173	6,098
Jack	32,617	32,617	31,021	31,021	31,021	31,021	32,617	31,021	31,021	3,462,467	8,763
LaSalle	25,000	19,000	30,000	36,500	25,960	Combined	None	40,000	26,808	3,121,479	5,868
McCulloch	31,574	27,012	No Rprt	26,619	29,826	29,826	None	34,451	29,826	3,109,746	8,205
Mitchell	35,612	35,048	35,048	35,048	35,048	35,048	35,612	35,048	35,612	5,845,148	9,698
Presidio	35,327	16,392	38,753	35,190	35,327	Combined	None	44,298	39,602	3,933,016	7,304
San Saba	29,239	27,717	25,520	27,717	25,520	Combined	None	27,717	Combined	2,661,770	6,186
Sutton	50,527	11,556	50,527	45,319	50,527	Combined	50,527	50,527	50,527	3,900,000	4,077
Swisher	26,927	16,158	25,038	26,159	25,038	Combined	None	25,038	25,038	3,076,807	8,378
Wheeler	42,441	32,309	31,349	40,068	33,629	32,549	None	32,789	31,589	3,201,131	5,284
Winkler	47,688	46,746	12,720	46,746	46,746	46,746	57,760	47,688	46,746	15,303,719	7,173
Yoakum	40,806	40,116	40,806	None	40,806	40,806	53,766	40,806	40,806	13,388,391	7,322

There are 254 counties in Texas. This list is a sampling of 231 counties listed in the 2007 salary comparisons, provided to The Lynn County News by Lynn County Judge H.G. Franklin.

In the entire list of 231 counties, there were 68 counties with populations under 8,000, of which 9 counties (including Lynn) had separate County/District Clerk offices, and 59 had combined Clerk offices. Of those 59 counties, 38 had populations under 4,000 people.

In the entire list of 231 counties, there were 82 counties with populations under 10,000, of which 14 had combined Sheriff/Tax Assessor offices. Of those 14 counties, 13 counties had both the Sheriff/Tax Assessor and County/District Clerk offices combined.

FRIDAY, APRIL 11

Legacy

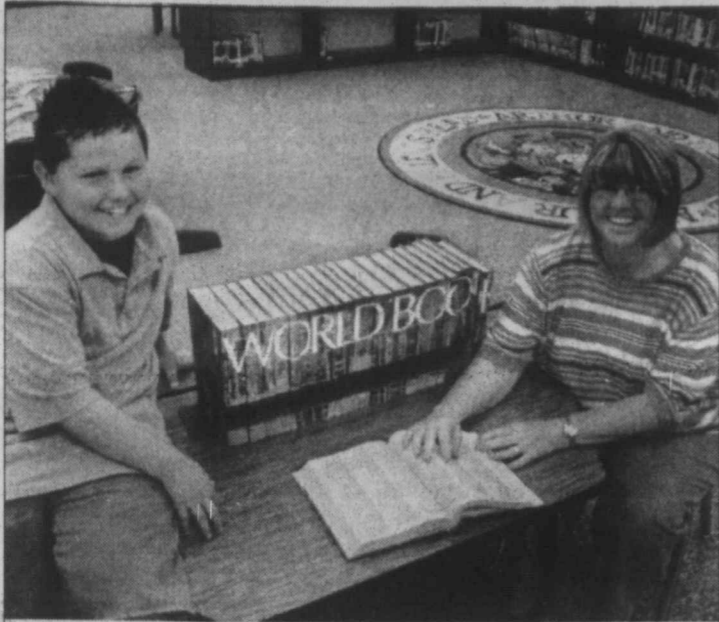
LEGACY CONCERT!
TAHOKA H.S. AUDITORIUM, 7:00 P.M.
All proceeds benefit the American Cancer Society and the Lynn County Relay For Life.
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In Honor of Margaret Wiseman ... A set of encyclopedias was recently purchased with money donated by the staff of Tahoka ISD for the elementary library in memory and to honor fellow faculty member, Margaret Wiseman. Mrs. Wiseman, a longtime educator at Tahoka Elementary passed away in December of this school year. Pictured are Slade Brown, her grandson who is a student at the school, and Margaret's sister, Debbie Engle, who is a teacher at Tahoka Elementary.

Deloris Short Named Outstanding Clubwoman

At the recent convention of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs Caprock district, Deloris Short of Tahoka was named the Outstanding Clubwoman in the 20-county area of the district.

Mrs. Short has been a member of Phebe K. Warner Club in Tahoka for three years and has missed only one meeting. She currently serves as Second Vice-President, Chairman of the GFWC Arts Department, Chairman of the Social Committee and as a member of the Program and Yearbook Committee.

As GFWC Arts Department Chairman, Mrs. Short was responsible for the GFWC Youth Writing Contest in the Tahoka schools. She met with the school personnel, distributed the rules and regulations, kept in contact with the teachers to remind them of deadlines, and collected all entries for judging. She secured an impartial judging committee and arranged for a place and time for judging the entries. After winners were selected, she purchased and completed a certificate of appreciation for entering for each of the 149 entries. The winners in each category were mailed to the district chairman for judging on the district level.

Mrs. Short has participated in all club activities and projects since becoming a member. She worked with other club members in the "Clean Up Our City" day, removing trash from vacant lots, eliminating weeds from the downtown area or wherever she was needed. She prepared and served beans and cornbread each year at the annual Harvest Festival. She is eager to make and serve homemade ice cream at the annual Food and Fun Festival every spring. An ongoing project of the club is to place American flags on Veteran's graves at the local cemetery for July 4th, Memorial Day, and Veteran's Day, and Mrs. Short always helps to distribute the flags and then collect them several days later. She has participated in club projects where various items are

donated to several nonprofit organizations. These have been items to M.D. Anderson Cancer Center, toiletries to the mothers at My Father's House, toys for the children with the Children's Advocacy Program, and books to the City-County Library, which was started by the Phebe K. Warner Club and continues to be sponsored by the club.

Deloris is married to Harry Lee Short, a farmer. She is the mother of three boys; Lynn of Sugarland, an Electrical Engineer, married with two daughters; Michael of Shallowater, a Certified Public Accountant, married with a daughter and a son; Todd of Tahoka, married with two daughters and a son. She is the stepmother of Stacy of Austin, a judge; Sherry of Corsicana, a teacher at Corsicana College, married with one son; Bert of Fort Worth, a business owner, married with two sons; Salena of Tyler, owner of a nursery and landscape business, and married; Sharla of San Diego, a teacher, with a son and a daughter.

Mrs. Short is an active member of the First Baptist Church, where she has been a Sunday School teacher for eight years, is a member of the church food committee, and has participated in a lay witness mission.



Outstanding Clubwoman... Deloris Short (left) is presented flowers from Barbara White, President of Phebe K. Warner Club, when she was honored as Caprock District Outstanding Clubwoman.

Concert April 11 To Benefit Local ACS Relay For Life

The contemporary Christian vocal group Legacy is coming to Tahoka on Friday, April 11 to perform a live concert at the Tahoka High School Auditorium. All proceeds will benefit the Lynn County Relay for Life and the American Cancer Society.

The Relay for Life Legacy concert begins at 7:00 p.m. on Friday. Tickets can be purchased for \$5.00 in advance by calling Kristin Box at 790-3107 or 561-5021 or can be purchased for \$7.00 at the door.

"This concert will delight people of all ages, so get your tickets soon!" said a Relay For Life sponsor.

The group recently returned from Denver, Colorado where they swept the 24th Annual Rocky Mountain Regional Harmony Sweepstakes A Cappella festival.

"The annual national competition draws from hundreds of vocal groups from around the country with regional competitions in eight cities. The winning group from each festival is flown to perform in front of celebrity judges and a sold out house of enthusiastic a cappella fans at the National Finals" according to the Harmony Sweepstakes. In the competition, Legacy won 1st Place Overall and took home three of the four special awards for best arrangement, best soloist and best vocal percussion. They will compete at the National Finals in San Francisco, California on May 3, 2008. Their sound has been compared to many world renowned groups such as Take 6, Acappella, Gaither Vocal Band and Rockapella. For more information on Legacy visit www.legacymusiconline.com.

Memorials and donations made to the

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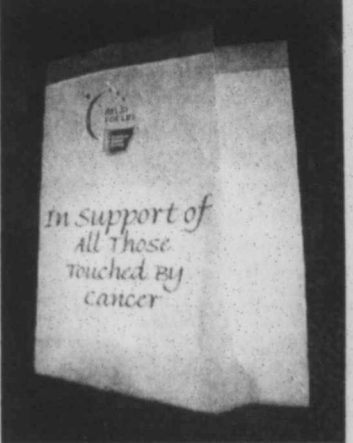
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Pre-Registration Set April 22 At TISD For 3-4-5 Year Olds

The Tahoka Independent School District officials will be hosting a pre-registration for a full-day Headstart and Pre-Kindergarten program. This program will be open to all three-year-olds and four-year-olds in the district with consideration for those who meet income qualifications.

"If you have a child that will be at least three years of age by September 1, 2008, and would be interested in a full-day Headstart program, please come to the pre-registration. The registration will be held on Tuesday, April 22, at 1:30 p.m. at the school cafeteria," said Elementary Principal James Baker.

Pre-Kindergarten pre-registration for four-year-olds will also be conducted at the same time. This program is for children who will be at least four years of age by September 1, 2008, and would be interested in a full day Pre-K program. This program will be open to all four-year-olds in the district with consideration for those who meet income qualifications being enrolled first.

If there is a child who is eligible for Kindergarten (who is not currently enrolled in the Pre-Kindergarten program), the parent/guardian may come to the registration on April 22.

Games and fun activities will be provided for the children while the parents register. Parents must bring the child's certified birth certificate, updated immunization records, social security card, and parents' verification of income (for the past 12 months). Verification of income is for Headstart and Pre-Kindergarten only.

For more information, call Tahoka Elementary at 561-4350 or 561-4233 or contact Mrs. Bennie Nance at 998-4123.

Gandy Gets President's Honor Scholarship

Cassidy Gandy, a senior Agriculture Education Major at West Texas A&M University in Canyon, is the recipient of the President's Honor Scholarship. To receive this honor, students must rank in the top ten percent of their high school graduating class, score at least a 25 on the ACT or a 1200 on the SAT and prove themselves to be community leaders. To maintain the eligibility, students must keep a cumulative grade point average of 3.4 or higher and carry at least a 15-hour class load each semester.

She is a 2004 graduate of Tahoka High School, and the daughter of Roddy and Marci Gandy of Tahoka.



Setting the state record ... Ty Cloe lifts an amazing 810 pounds in the squat-lift competition at the State Powerlifting Meet, breaking the previous state record by more than 100 pounds. He also set a new State Total record of 1900 pounds - breaking the previous record of 1725 lbs., which he set in 2006.

Forget Myths, Folklore and Magic Bullets:

'Total Diet' is Best Approach To a Healthful Lifestyle

Article submitted by Amy Baugh, Texas AgriLife Extension Agent, Crosby and Lynn Counties

Don't eat after 8 p.m. Avoid carbohydrates. A piece of cake on your birthday will ruin your diet. Right?

Not exactly. "There are no bad foods, no good or bad times to eat and no magic bullet for maintaining a healthy weight," says registered dietitian and American Dietetic Association spokesperson Ruth Frechman. "The fact is, it's the total diet approach that matters in living a healthful lifestyle."

March is National Nutrition Month®, the perfect time to take a fresh look at the big picture. "No single food or meal makes or breaks a healthful diet," Frechman says. "Your overall pattern of eating is the most important focus. A wide variety of foods can fit within this pattern, if consumed in moderation, in appropriate portions and combined with regular physical activity."

The theme for National Nutrition Month 2008 is *Nutrition: It's a Matter of Fact*. The American Dietetic Association reminds consumers to focus on the total balance of foods you consume, rather than any one food or meal.

"No one food or type of food guarantees good health, just as no single food or type of food is necessarily detrimental to health," Frechman says.

A registered dietitian can

help you look at your total diet and learn the balance and moderation needed for success, and can dispel the myths and legends that get in the way of healthful eating.

"It doesn't matter if you eat after 8 p.m. What's more important is how many calories you ate the entire day, not when you ate them," Frechman says. "Splurging on cake and ice cream during a party isn't going to ruin a healthful eating plan. Pay attention to the portion of your treat and enjoy it in moderation, exercise a little longer the next day or plan ahead to save calories, like skipping your morning latte."

Through National Nutrition Month, created in 1973, the American Dietetic Association promotes healthful eating by providing practical nutrition guidance and focusing attention on making informed food choices and developing sound physical activity habits. National Nutrition Month also reminds consumers that registered dietitians are their most valuable and credible source of timely, science-based information.

With more than 67,000 members the American Dietetic Association is the nation's largest organization of food and nutrition professionals. ADA serves the public by promoting optimal nutrition, health and well-being. To locate a registered dietitian in your area, visit the American Dietetic Association at www.eatright.org.

Phebe K. Warner CLUB NEWS

Phebe K Warner Club was honored to recognize the winners in the club's annual youth writing contest by hosting them at the meeting in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. Delores Short introduced the winners and each one read his or her first place entry. There were eight winners and each of these won first place in Caprock District and were sent on to TFWC for judging on the state level.

Bettye Green reported on the Caprock District Convention which was held in Tahoka on the past Saturday. Phebe K. Warner Club had 10 members present at the meeting. Members provided desserts, drinks and enough door prizes for each attendee to receive a gift. Club members also decorated the Life Enrichment Center and received many compliments on the decorations and hospitality. Many were impressed with the lovely facility available in Tahoka. The club received eight First Place certificates and four second place certificates for the reports that were sent in to district chairmen concerning club programs, projects, and activities. Delores Short was honored as Outstanding Club Woman Volunteer for Caprock District and Jo Ann Dickson was named Caprock District Life Member.

The annual book review scheduled for May 13 will be held this year in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church instead of the United Methodist Church.

Final plans were made for the next meeting which will be held at Lynnwood and will honor all the medical staff at the hospital.

Anyone interested in becoming a Phebe K. Warner Club member should contact Mary Belew, membership chairman.

Hospital To Implement Computerized Records

A new computerized system of keeping patient records will be installed at Lynn County Hospital, making patient information more easily accessible to doctors and other qualified clinicians and eliminating much paperwork and filing of paper documents.

The system will be installed and maintained by Opus Healthcare Solutions of Austin, hospital administrator Jim Morris told the hospital directors at their regular board meeting last Thursday.

"We had been seeking to upgrade our clinical information system for a long time," Morris said, "but we were concerned about the purchase and maintenance of a lot of expensive new hardware. Obtaining the Opus Clinical Suite on an Application Service Provider basis will give us access to one of the most advanced clinical information systems available on a subscription basis, which will save the hospital a lot of money."

According to Morris, a portion of the cost of the system is expected to be reimbursed on the hospital's annual Medicare cost

report, which should help make the project even more affordable.

The system will allow qualified persons to obtain patient clinical information such as lab results, medications and imaging results from the bedside or from their offices or clinics.

The board also heard a report that Lynnwood Assisted and Independent Living center had one vacancy, expected to be filled immediately, and that 10 large red oak trees have been planted around Lynnwood.

Morris also reminded directors that the annual Fun and Food Festival and auction benefiting the hospital is scheduled April 12 and noted that donations of items to be auctioned have been somewhat slower than usual.

The board voted to cancel a scheduled election of two directors, since only two persons had filed for the positions.

Vice President Billy Tomlinson presided at the meeting. Board members attending were Dalton Wood, Cal Huffaker and Jannis Horwood. Absent were Jerry Ford, Virginia Griffing and Regina Crutcher.

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Do you need to reapply annually?

If your land already receives agricultural or timber productivity appraisal, you normally don't need to reapply unless the chief appraiser requires you to do so. If a new application is required, the appraisal district will notify you by mail.

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Award of Excellence ... State Representative Joe Heflin (HD85), right, was presented the Sam D. Seale Award of Excellence by the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association at its 79th Annual Conference. Roberts County Judge, Vernon Cook, president of the association, conferred the award and noted that Heflin's achievements during his freshman term in the Texas House of Representatives were very impressive.
(Photo courtesy of Julie Anderson, Editor, County Progress Magazine)

Joe Heflin Honored by West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association

FORT WORTH— On March 26, State Representative Joe Heflin (HD85) was presented the Sam D. Seale Award of Excellence by the West Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association at its 79th Annual Conference. Roberts County Judge, Vernon Cook, president of the association, conferred the award during the General Session on Wednesday morning and noted that Heflin's achievements during his freshman term in the Texas House of Representatives were very impressive.

Rep. Heflin, a former Crosby County Judge and past member of the association, told the group assembled that much of his success in the Legislature was due to their continued help during the session. He urged all those present to stay in contact with their representatives and to be involved in the legislative process.

Further, Heflin thanked the association for bestowing upon him such a meaningful recognition stating that he was humbled and pleased by the honor because of his tremendous respect

and admiration for the late Sam Seale. Association officials commented that Heflin is only the second person to receive the award, which recognizes outstanding service to the West Texas Association as exemplified by the late executive director of the Texas Association of Counties, Sam D. Seale.

Other awards Rep. Heflin has garnered for his work in the 80th Legislature include: 2007 Legislator of the Year by the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas, Distinguished Legislative Service Award for 2007 from the Texas Municipal League, Freshman of the Year by the House Democratic Caucus, and Honorary Legislative Star by the Texas Classroom Teachers Association.

Heflin, who serves on the House Committee on County Affairs and the House Committee on Ag & Livestock, represents 16 rural counties: Hale, Floyd, Crosby, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Stonewall, Kent, Jones, Fisher, Borden, Howard, Glasscock, Sterling, Irion, and Reagan.

Local Law Officers Assist In Drug Raid

Lynn County law enforcement officers assisted the Drug Enforcement Administration and other agencies in a drug raid involving Lubbock and Lynn County residences last week as part of an investigation that had been ongoing for the past four years.

Lynn County Sheriff's Deputies, Tahoka Police Dept., Tahoka ISD Police Dept. and O'Donnell Police Dept. officers conducted a raid on a Lynn County residence in the northwest part of the county last Thursday, March 27 while other raids were being conducted in Lubbock County by other law officials.

Local Sheriff's Dept. officials said no drugs were recovered at the Lynn County residence, but that the Lubbock/Lynn County raid resulted in 12 men and one woman being arrested on charges of operating a major cocaine-trafficking organization in the Lubbock area since 2002.

According to information in the Lubbock newspaper, law enforcement authorities seized about two kilograms of cocaine, drug-trafficking paraphernalia, firearms, cash, financial records and vehicles during the drug bust, according to the U.S. Attorney's Office.

The following were charged with conspiracy to distribute and possess with intent to distribute five kilograms or more of cocaine: Christopher Paul Rangel, 29; Gary Maldonado Briones, 30; Paul Anthony Rios, 31; Jimmy Cavarrubio, 24; David Pena Jr., 24; Joe Robert Estrada, 26; Nathan Joe Lemon,

26; Leonard Garcia, 28.

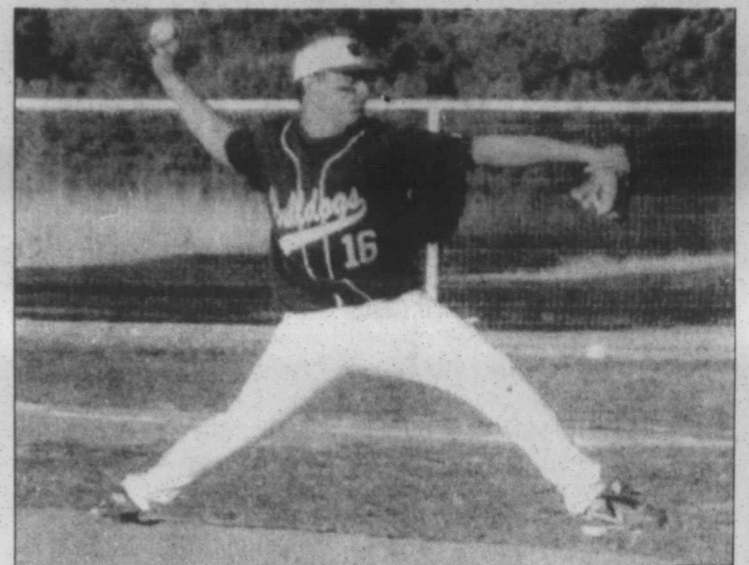
Also charged were the following, with conspiracy to distribute and possess with intent to distribute 500 grams or more of cocaine and other substantive counts: Jose Luis Flores-Villa, 42; Sarah Sosa, 30; Peter Anthony Martinez, 34; Anthony David DeLeon, 29; John Patrick Morales II, 25.

Jeremy Brandon Featured In Law Magazine

Jeremy Brandon, a Tahoka native, was featured recently in an article in the Texas Super Lawyers 2008 - Rising Stars Edition, which names the state's top up-and-coming attorneys.

The son of Johnny and Kathy Brandon of Lubbock, formerly of Tahoka, Jeremy grew up in Tahoka and graduated from high school here. He was valedictorian of his high school class, and went on to graduate first in his class at Texas A&M University with a 4.0 GPA, and graduated magna cum laude from Harvard Law School. He worked in Washington, D.C. for a period of time before moving back to Texas, where he currently is employed as an associate in the Dallas law office of Susman Godfrey.

The Lynn County News contacted the Texas Super Lawyers magazine to request permission to reprint the article, but magazine policy does not allow reprinting of any of their articles in other publications. The Rising Stars is published in their April edition.



It's A Winner... Tyson Porter, #16, pitcher for the Tahoka Bulldogs has his pitch all ready to go against Denver City to win 14-7 in District play.
(LCN PHOTO by Mark Wuensche)

Wilson ISD Prekindergarten Roundup Set

On Tuesday, April 15, the Wilson School will be holding their annual Pre-kindergarten Roundup. Children who live in the district that will be 4-years old on or before September 1, 2008 may attend Pre-kindergarten classes in Wilson next year.

The roundup will begin at 9:00 a.m. in the school library. Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate, current immunization card, and social security card with you. There will be fun activities for your future Pre-Kindergarten child while the teacher explains the Pre-Kindergarten curriculum and gives you an opportunity to ask questions. If you would like to eat in the cafeteria afterwards with your child the meal prices are \$1.60 for children and \$3.25 for adults.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Mike Jones at 806-628-6261 ext. 110.

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CAUSE NO. 06-05-02381

IN THE 106TH DISTRICT COURT OF LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS

LYNN COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT ET AL

VS.
LEONOR CHAVARRIA ET AL

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN DELINQUENT TAX SUIT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LYNN

In the name and by the authority of the State of Texas, notice is hereby given as follows: TO

Leonora Chavarria a/k/a Leonora Chavarria and Pedro Chavarria, Jr., if living, and if any or all of the above named defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of each or all of said above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said above named persons, and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land, and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of the above named persons, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, the unknown stockholders of any defunct corporations, their successors, heirs and assigns, owning or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property, delinquent to Plaintiff herein, for taxes, all of said property being located in said County and State, to-wit: North 1/2 of Lot 8, Block 43, Original Townsite to the Town of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 210, Page 274 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas. Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiff for taxes in the following amount: \$1,212.22, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes, all said interest, penalties and costs therein allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the Lynn County Appraisal District, Plaintiff, against the above named persons, as Defendants, by petition filed on May 19, 2006, in a certain suit styled the Lynn County Appraisal District et al vs. Leonora Chavarria et al, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, 106th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 06-05-02381, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit are NONE.

Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiff, Defendants, and Intervenor, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance of this citation as set out below, said appearance and answer date being the 2nd Day of June, A.D., 2008, (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Lynn County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

This citation is issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, this 26th Day of March, A.D., 2008.

/s/ Sandra Laws
Clerk of the District Court,
Lynn County, Texas, 106th Judicial District

Delivered This 25th day of March 2008
Jerry D. Franklin
Sheriff of Lynn County
/s/ Cheryl Estrada, Deputy

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CAUSE NO. 07-08-02417

IN THE 106TH DISTRICT COURT OF LYNN COUNTY, TEXAS

LYNN COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT ET AL

VS.
JAKE BALDERAMA ET AL

CITATION BY PUBLICATION IN DELINQUENT TAX SUIT

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LYNN

In the name and by the authority of the State of Texas, notice is hereby given as follows: TO

Jake Balderama, Robert Balderama (In Rem Only), Brandon Zavala, Alfredo Cantu and Carolina Cantu, if living, and if any or all of the above named defendants be dead, the unknown heirs of each or all of said above named persons who may be dead, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said above named persons, and the unknown owner or owners of the hereinafter described land, and the executors, administrators, guardians, legal representatives, legatees and devisees of the above named persons, and any and all other persons, including adverse claimants, the unknown stockholders of any defunct corporations, their successors, heirs and assigns, owning or having or claiming any legal or equitable interest in or lien upon the following described property, delinquent to Plaintiff herein, for taxes, all of said property being located in said County and State, to-wit: Lots 9 and 10, Block 30, Original Townsite of the Town of O'Donnell, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 218, Page 97 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; Lots 1 and 2, Block 131, Original Townsite of the Town of Wilson, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 351, Page 608 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas; and 19.00 acres, more or less, out of the HE & WT Co. Survey 421, Block 21, out of Abstract 412, Lynn County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 193, Page 385 of the Deed Records, Lynn County, Texas.

Which said property is delinquent to Plaintiff for taxes in the following amount: \$4,492.55, exclusive of interest, penalties and costs, and there is included in this suit in addition to the taxes, all said interest, penalties and costs therein allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein.

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by the Lynn County Appraisal District, Plaintiff, against the above named persons, as Defendants, by petition filed on August 24, 2007, in a certain suit styled the Lynn County Appraisal District et al vs. Jake Balderama et al, for collection of the taxes on said property and that said suit is now pending in the District Court of Lynn County, Texas, 106th Judicial District, and the file number of said suit is 07-08-02417, that the names of all taxing units which assess and collect taxes on the property hereinabove described, not made parties to this suit are NONE. Plaintiff and all other taxing units who may set up their tax claims herein seek recovery of delinquent ad valorem taxes on the property hereinabove described, and in addition to the taxes all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law thereon up to and including the day of judgment herein, and the establishment and foreclosure of liens, if any, securing the payment of same, as provided by law.

All parties to this suit, including Plaintiff, Defendants, and Intervenor, shall take notice that claims not only for any taxes which were delinquent on said property at the time this suit was filed but all taxes becoming delinquent thereon at any time thereafter up to the day of judgment, including all interest, penalties and costs allowed by law thereon, may, upon request therefor, be recovered herein without further citation or notice to any parties herein, and all said parties shall take notice of and plead and answer to all claims and pleadings now on file and which may hereafter be filed in said cause by all other parties herein, and all of those taxing units above named who may intervene herein and set up their respective tax claims against said property.

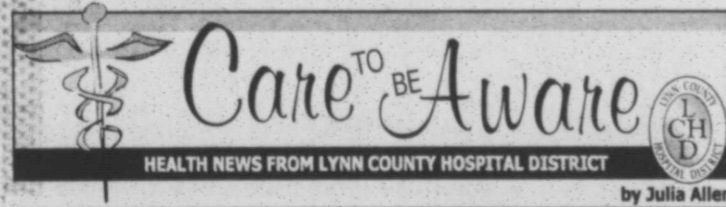
You are hereby commanded to appear and defend such suit on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two (42) days from and after the date of issuance of this citation as set out below, said appearance and answer date being the 2nd Day of June, A.D., 2008, (which is the return day of such citation), before the honorable District Court of Lynn County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse thereof, then to show cause why judgment shall not be rendered for such taxes, penalties, interest and costs, and condemning said property and ordering foreclosure of the constitutional and statutory tax liens thereon for taxes due the Plaintiff and the taxing units parties hereto, and those who may intervene herein, together with all interest, penalties, and costs allowed by law up to and including the day of judgment herein, and all costs of this suit.

This citation is issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court in the City of Tahoka, Lynn County, Texas, this 26th Day of March, A.D., 2008.

/s/ Sandra Laws
Clerk of the District Court,
Lynn County, Texas, 106th Judicial District

Delivered This 25th day of March 2008
Jerry D. Franklin
Sheriff of Lynn County
/s/ Cheryl Estrada, Deputy

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6 THINGS YOUR DERMATOLOGIST NEVER TOLD YOU

Think chocolate and pizza are causing your acne? Think again. Dr. Debra Wattenberg, Dermatologist reveals a few myths about acne and other skin problems.

1. Chocolate doesn't cause acne, but milk might

There are very few studies showing the association between food and acne. People think that the greasy foods — like chocolate, pizza and fried foods — somehow clog their pores and the oils get secreted onto their skin. In fact, acne is caused by the gland getting clogged by skin cells and bacteria. Recent studies have shown the possible link between milk and other dairy products with the development of acne. It is thought that hormones and other bioactive molecules may stimulate the glands causing acne. It is usually recommended to limit but not eliminate dairy.

2. Antiperspirants can be made more effective by applying them at night

People often complain about their antiperspirant not working. One trick of the trade is to apply the antiperspirant to a dry underarm just before heading to bed. You can still apply it again in the morning. In addition, for those excessive sweaters, you might want to see your dermatologist to have Botox injections. These last for six to nine months and essentially eliminate sweating in the area they're injected.

3. Flat moles can be skin cancer

People often come in if a mole or spot is raised, but for some reason

the public tends to ignore flat lesions. Unfortunately, not all skin cancers are flat. Look for the ABCD's of skin cancer — lesions that are Asymmetrical (one half doesn't match the other), have an irregular Border or irregular Color, and Diameter greater than the size of a pencil eraser (5 mm).

4. Acne medications should be applied to the entire face, not just to pimples

Most people apply medication — both prescription and over-the-counter products — to the acne pimple but forget about the rest of the skin. Most medications, however, are designed to prevent tomorrow's breakout, not just dry up today's pimple. They are most effective at destroying the bacteria that cause acne.

5. Covered wounds (cuts, scrapes, etc.) heal faster than open ones

Most people cover a wound immediately with a Band-Aid, but after a day or two, most will uncover to "let it dry out." Actually, studies have shown that wound healing is more effective in a moist environment. Therefore, apply an antibiotic ointment like Bacitracin or Neosporin and keep it covered with a Band-Aid until it is completely healed.

6. Vitamin E prevents wounds from healing

This is completely opposite to what most people think. Vitamin E is an antioxidant that will help prevent oxidative damage to the skin, but it has never been shown to help with healing. In fact, studies have shown that it actually slows down healing. Silicone gel sheeting has been shown to be effective.

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Runners Cross County In Nationwide Journey

Three young men arrived in Tahoka Monday afternoon, completing one of many 25-mile daily runs in a four-month nationwide run that started in Savannah, Georgia on Feb. 1 and is expected to end on the west coast in San Diego, California by the end of May.

They are from the state of New York, according to their website at www.nationrun.com, which details the route and plans of the cross-country adventure. Andrew Wahila, Matthew Durkin and Ken Stannard are all long-time athletes with a passion for running, attending college together at SUNY Oneonta. The three New Yorkers, all 23 years of age, have been planning this nationwide run for several years. Ken and Matthew met each other "in 5th grade when we accidentally got on the wrong school bus together" and Andy met them in college though a shared interest in running.

"Over the last three years, our plans have altered, the route has evolved and personal reasons for doing such a run have changed," says Wahila, of Endicott, N.Y.

But for all the runners, "Nation Run 2008" is about the ultimate challenge, a life-changing adventure and experiencing life one step at a time.

"This has nothing to do with Forrest Gump, getting away from something or saving the world," says Durkin, of East Greenbush, N.Y. "This is about adventure, friendship and living the dream."

With no support car following them, the runners push all their gear in two baby joggers and carry tents and the food and water they need each day.

In this portion of their journey, the young men are running west down Hwy. 380, and they arrived in Tahoka about 1:45 p.m. after leaving Post at 9 a.m. on Monday. From here, the trio headed to Brownfield on Tuesday, April 1, on to Plains April 2, and on into New Mexico the next day. With their arrival in Tahoka, they had run 1,426 miles - just over half-way in their 2,788-mile journey.

City officials welcomed the young men and offered them the use of the Tahoka Life Enrichment Center for relaxing the remainder

of the day, as well as a place to pitch their sleeping bags for the night. Food at local restaurants was also provided.

The runners faced a pretty strong head wind as they arrived in Tahoka. "We figured the hardest part of the journey would be running up and down in the mountainous areas, but this flat West Texas land has been just as tough, if not more so, with the winds," said Wahila.

They say they have met many people in their travels, and in fact have only camped out six times during the first two months. "It is amazing - we meet people on the way, and after talking to us for maybe two minutes they are inviting us into their homes, and feeding us - then we get to know them and it makes it hard for us to leave the next morning," Durkin said with a smile.

The trio is fully prepared to sleep in their tent each night, and they even have a portable shower packed in their gear, but they also say that meeting new people is part of the adventure on their four-month journey.

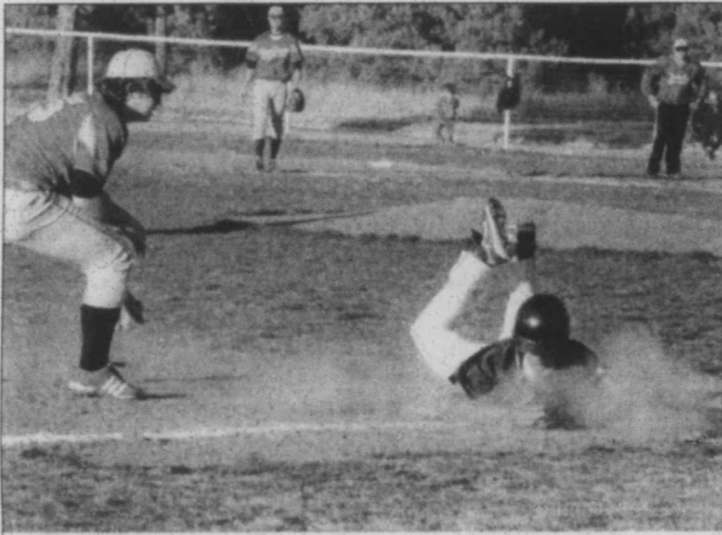
The runners also welcome supporters to make donations to the PFC Philip Diaferio Memorial Scholarship Fund. The fund has been set up in honor of Wahila's first cousin, who was killed Nov. 24, 2007, in a car accident while home on leave from the U.S. Army. Diaferio was an Iraq War veteran, and the scholarship in his name will be granted to a selected graduating senior from Union-Endicott High School in Endicott, N.Y.

Those interested in tracking the runners' progress can do so at the trip's official web site, www.nationrun.com. In addition to daily updates, the site offers a full trip itinerary, an equipment listing and runner biographies.

"If you happen to notice that our route will be coming through your town or a town close to someone you know and are looking to help or want to simply get away from your busy life to run with us for a few hours, please email us at webmaster@nationrun.com. We look forward to meeting you," the website said.



Have stroller, ready to run ... These three New Yorkers are a long way from home, in the midst of a journey of a lifetime. Andrew Wahila, Matthew Durkin and Ken Stannard, long-time athletes with a passion for running, are running across America in a four-month run averaging 25 miles each day, pushing their gear in two baby strollers like this one (there's no baby). They started on the east coast, arriving in Tahoka on Monday at about the mid-point of the nationwide journey. Pictured here in front of the City/County Library at the Life Enrichment Center in Tahoka, the trio "camped out" at the Life Enrichment Center for the remainder of the day and night, and headed off towards Brownfield the next morning. They plan to arrive on the west coast by the end of May. (LCN PHOTO)



Slides On In... Antonio Baker slides his way safely into third for Tahoka. Tahoka won their first District game of the season 14-7 against Denver City. (LCN PHOTO by Mark Wuensche)

USDA Seeks Comments on Changes To CRP Managed Haying and Grazing

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has announced that it will hold public meetings in Texas on April 8-9 on proposed changes to managed haying and grazing on Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) land.

USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) will hold a meeting on April 8 at 9:00 AM at the Regency Inn Suites Hotel in Abilene. The second meeting will be on April 9 at the Fifth Season Inn in Amarillo, beginning at 1:00 PM. FSA is proposing rule changes to the frequency that managed haying and grazing is allowed on land that is enrolled in CRP. Public comments will be accepted at the meeting and the public may also comment on changes to primary nesting season dates, during which managed haying and grazing are not permitted.

FSA will consider public comments when it prepares state-specific environmental assessments that will evaluate the effects of the proposed changes. The environ-

mental assessments will aid USDA decision-makers and the public with an analysis of the benefits and potential impacts of the proposed changes to managed haying and grazing on CRP land.

Public comments can be submitted both electronically and by regular mail. They must be received by the close of business on May 9, 2008. Direct comments to: MHG EAs, Geo-Marine Incorporated, 2713 Magruder Blvd., Suite D, Hampton, Va. 23666-1572 or send them to the Web site: <http://public.geo-marine.com>.

These meetings are two of 14 public meetings that will be held in 13 states where USDA is proposing rule changes to the managed haying and grazing program. More information on meeting dates and locations is available on the project Web site: <http://public.geo-marine.com>.

For more information about the public meetings for Texas, contact Micky Woodard at (979) 680-5208.

Lamesa Museum Displays Fine Table Settings

The Dal-Paso in Lamesa will be hosting an event from now through April 16, titled "Bringing Out The Sunday Best". Table settings of fine China, pottery,

ironstone, and crystal circa late 1800's through 1960's will be shown, and a special showing of teapots. Over 200 displays are set throughout the museum.

The Museum hours are Monday, Thursday and Saturday, 2:00-5:00 p.m. The Museum is located at 125 North Main,

Legal Notice

Notice of Drinking Water SELENIUM Violation

The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) has notified the CITY OF WILSON water system that the drinking water being supplied to customers had exceeded the Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) for SELENIUM. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (U. S. EPA) has established the MCL for SELENIUM at 0.05 mg/L, and has determined that it is a health concern at levels above the MCL. Analysis of drinking water in your community for SELENIUM indicates a level of 0.07 mg/L.

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You do not need to use an alternative water supply. However, if you have health concerns, you may want to talk to your doctor to get more information about how this may affect you.

We are working to correct the problem. Well flow rates are being adjusted to minimize the selenium concentration in the water and the city is considering other treatment options or possible other sources of water supply at this time.

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly (for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools, and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

For further information contact: The city of Wilson at (806) 628-6221 or you can also speak with the water superintendent at (806)759-1375. Public Water System ID# 1530003

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NOTICE ORDER OF CANCELLATION ORDEN DE CANCELACION

The Lynn County Hospital District hereby cancels the election scheduled to be held on May 10, 2008 in accordance with Section 2.053(a) of the Texas Election Code. No election is necessary, being that one candidate filed for one (1) open seat un-opposed as the sitting member did not desire to serve another term, and one (1) sitting member desiring to serve another term filed un-opposed. The following members will serve as directors for a three year term:

Candidate	Office
Calloway Huffaker	Director - 3 Year Term
Frances Truehart	Director - 3 Year Term

El distrito del hospital del condado de Lynn cancela por este medio la elección programada para ser sostenida el día 10 de mayo de 2008 de acuerdo con la sección 2.053(a) del código de la elección de Texas. No hay elección necesaria, siendo que un candidato archivé para un (1) asiento abierto sin oposición pues el miembro que se sentaba no deseó servir otro término, y un (1) miembro que se sentaba que deseaba servir otro término archivé sin oposición. Los miembros siguientes servirán como los directores para un término de tres años:

Candidato	Oficina
Calloway Huffaker	Director-término de 3 años
Frances Truehart	Director-término de 3 años

A copy of this order will be posted on Election Day at each polling place that would have been used in the election.

El Día de las Elecciones se exhibirá una copia de esta orden en todas las mesas electorales que se hubieran utilizado en la elección.

Billy D. Tomlinson
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Classic Car Show Slated Here Sept. 20

The 2nd Annual Classic Car Show will be held at the Lynn County Harvest Festival in Tahoka on Saturday, Sept. 20.

The cars will be displayed at the courthouse square from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. that day, with awards presented at 3 p.m. at the Harvest Festival. Trophies and cash prizes will be awarded in several categories.

For more information or registration forms on the car show, contact Marcy Whitley at 806-441-0061 or by email at functahoka@poka.com.

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Luminarias To Honor Cancer Victims At "Relay For Life"

The Relay For Life is a fundraiser to benefit the American Cancer Society. The Lynn County Relay For Life event will be held in Tahoka on April 18th and 19th, from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m. at the THS football field. A Luminaria Ceremony will be held as soon as night falls, at approximately 9 p.m.

"The Luminaria Ceremony is to celebrate the strong people that have fought the battle against cancer," said a local event sponsor. There will be luminarias lining the track to light the way for the walkers. Luminarias honor those who have fought cancer by displaying the name of the cancer victims. Luminaria bags are white bags that can be personally decorated, or can be bought already decorated by the elementary students.

"Luminarias can be purchased for any donation of which you feel comfortable. To purchase a luminaria, call 777-1160. There will also be blank luminarias available the night of the event. Please help us honor those who have battled cancer," said sponsors.

Wilson SCHOOL MENU

April 7-11
Breakfast

Monday: Pizza
Tuesday: Sausage on a stick
Wednesday: Sausage, eggs, and toast
Thursday: Donuts
Friday: Canadian Bacon, Toast, Yogurt and bananas
Lunch
Monday: Chili cheese dog, oven fries, fruit
Tuesday: Burrito, Spanish rice, salad, fruit, sugar cookies
Wednesday: Chicken Nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls
Thursday: Sausage wrap, pinto beans, baked chips, pineapple-orange salad
Friday: Pizza, salad, crackers, fruit Enchiladas

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The NEW HOME News

The student organization smaCd is still in need of empty "snuff" cans for a large project. They would also like to start collecting gently worn t-shirts of any size or color. They will also be needing a large number of clothespins. These items will be displayed when the projects are completed in May 2009.

Any of the items can be left in Mrs. Durham's office, and your help would be appreciated!

New Home SCHOOL MENU

April 7-11
Breakfast

Monday: Donuts
Tuesday: Pizza
Wednesday: Funnel Cake
Thursday: Biscuit, sausage
Friday: Cinnamon French Toast
Lunch
Monday: Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, corn, biscuit, fruit cup
Tuesday: Beefy nachos, lettuce/tomato, refried beans, orange half
Wednesday: Corn dog or sausage wrap, veggies, pork'n beans, strawberry pop
Thursday: Spaghetti, calif blend veg, lettuce/tom, peach cup
Friday: Hamburger/Cheese burger, French fries, cookie

REGISTER and Vote!

You must be registered to vote 30 days prior to any election.

Register at the Lynn County Courthouse Tax Office.

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For more details, please contact Yolanda Alvarado at 998-4533, ext. 310.

HELP WANTED

Nursery/Child Care Worker needed at First United Methodist Church in Tahoka for Sunday mornings and occasional evenings. Call the church office at 561-4503 or Pastor Vernon Baker at 438-3840.

HELP WANTED: Lubbock Avalanche-Journal paper carrier needed in O'Donnell. Good part-time job for someone willing to get up early. Looking for honest, dependable person. Call David 766-2187, ext. 2187.

WANTED: Part time help at Tahoka Drug. Apply in person at 1610 Main Street in Tahoka. References/background check required.

HELP WANTED: New Home ISD is accepting applications for the following: Food Service Manager Applications are available at New Home ISD Business Office, 225 North Main, New Home, Tx. Applications will be accepted until position is filled.

HELP WANTED: Full time position open at the Lynn County Hospital District Family Wellness Clinic for a medical assistant. Experience preferred. Applications available at Family Wellness Clinic, 1705 Lockwood, Tahoka, TX.

Notice

REWARD FOR LOST DOGS. Lost in the vicinity of 2119 Ave.P and Bulldog Blvd. in Tahoka. One is a Jack Russell Terrier - white with black spots, 9 months old. The other one is a Boxer - brown with stripes and 3 months old. If anyone has any information, please call 283-8984 or 781-5936. We miss them ... REWARD to finder!

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GIANT GARAGE SALE: 2525 N. 4th • Friday 9:00-6:00, Saturday 9:00-12:00. Three-piece living room set, medical lift recliner, love seat, antique buffet and other furniture. Lots of great decorative items and antiques.

INSIDE GARAGE SALE: Tahoka Church of Christ, 2320 Lockwood • Saturday 9:00-1:00. Lots of miscellaneous! All proceeds to benefit the American Cancer Society.

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Service Academy Forums Slated In Lubbock, Abilene

Congressman Randy Neugebauer (R-TX) is pleased to announce the dates for his upcoming service academy forums to inform students of the various opportunities they have to apply to a United States Service Academy. "For the young men and women who qualify, the United States Service Academies offer an outstanding education and opportunity to serve your country," Neugebauer stated. I am pleased to host a forum where students can speak with a representative from each service branch and learn about the opportunities for a first class education while also serving their country. Many of our nation's greatest leaders, such as, General MacArthur and President Dwight D. Eisenhower, as well as members of Congress, have attended service academies. I am pleased to host an Academy Forum on Saturday, April 5, in Abilene and Monday, April 7, in Lubbock."

The Abilene forum will take place at Cisco Junior College (Room 152), located at 717 East

Industrial Blvd. Registration begins at 1:30 p.m., and participants are urged to take advantage of the opportunity to visit with program participants before the formal presentations begin at 2 p.m.

The forum in Lubbock will be held in the Science Education Center at the Science Spectrum, located at 2579 South Loop 289. Registration will begin at 6 p.m. with the presentations beginning at 6:30 p.m.

"Liaison officers from the U.S. Air Force Academy, U.S. Military Academy at West Point, U.S. Naval Academy, U.S. Coast Guard Academy, and the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy will be present to speak and answer any questions regarding the academies or the application process. Information will also be available for university level ROTC.

"This presents a wonderful opportunity to pursue a higher education. I hope all students who are interested, along with their parents, will attend to learn more about this process," Neugebauer concluded.

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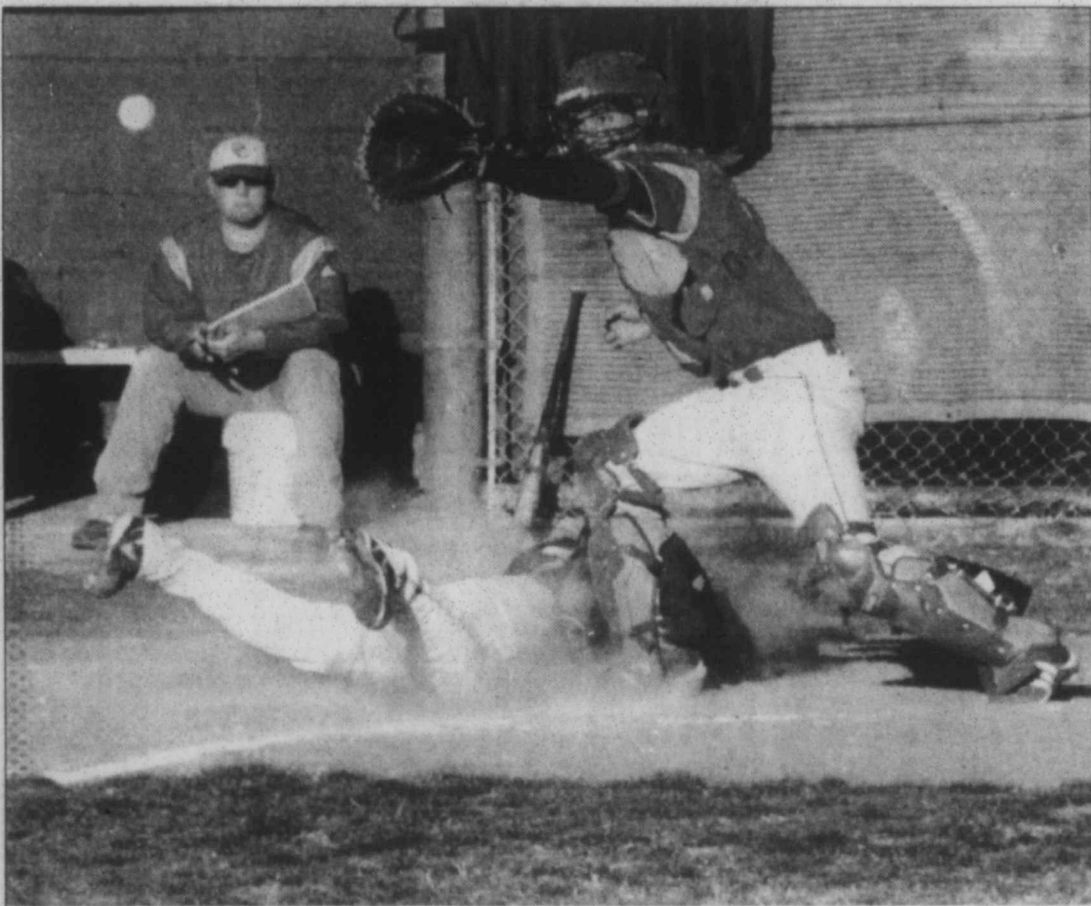
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THS Class Of 58 Reunion Planned

The Tahoka High School Class of 1958 is planning a 50th class reunion to be held September 19.

An attempt is being made to reach each class member. If you were in the Class of 58, and have NOT been contacted please contact Ed Redwine, 9 Yellowrose Lane, Augusta, KS 67010. Pho: 316-775-5700, or email him at: kSerj@yahoo.com.

A class book is being planned and we want to make sure everyone in the Class of 58 is included.



Safe at Home... Mitchell Chapa slides safely into home plate to score one of 14 points for Tahoka in their first District win of the season against Denver City recently. Tahoka won 14-7. (LCN PHOTO by Mark Wuensche)

TAHOKA SCHOOL NEWS

by THS Journalism Students

Varsity Baseball By Jynna Askew

On Monday, March 17th the Bulldog baseball team played the O'Donnell Eagles. The Dogs gained a victory, 10-0. The game played through five innings then Tahoka run ruled the Eagles.

Jacob Stephens, Josh Freitag, Britt Wuensche, Allen Henderson, Antonio Baker, and Ridge Hall all contributed to the winning score against O'Donnell.

*** The Dogs played the Denver City Mustangs on Monday, March 24th earning another win. The final score was 14-7.

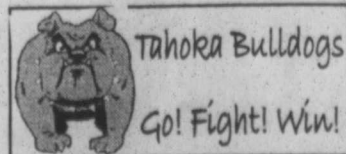
Tyson Porter hit a double and Jacob Lynch hit a triple. There was a total of 11 hits. The Dogs had 3 errors whereas the opposing team had 7.

Concession Stand Open At Varsity Baseball And Softball Games

The Tahoka High School National Honor Society will open the concession stand for baseball and softball games played at home for the remainder of the season. Home baseball games are on Tuesdays and home softball games are on Saturdays.

Bottled drinks, candy, and sunflower seeds will be available at the concession stand.

"All proceeds will go towards the NHS Relay for Life team," said NHS president Josh Freitag. "Please come out to support our teams and help us in the fight against cancer."



Tahoka SCHOOL MENU

April 7-11 Breakfast

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Tuesday: Cereal w/ graham cracker
Wednesday: Morning Sausage
Thursday: Yogurt Stick, graham cracker
Friday: NO SCHOOL

Lunch

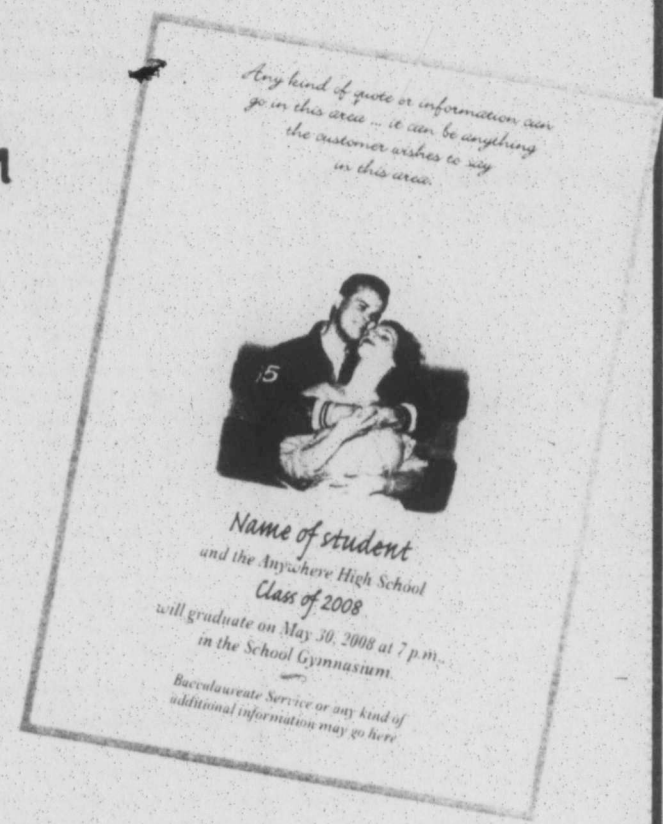
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Tuesday: BBQ Chicken, mac & cheese, salad, chilled pears, cornbread
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Thursday: Fajita chicken over rice, broccoli & cheese, corn, apricot fruit fluff
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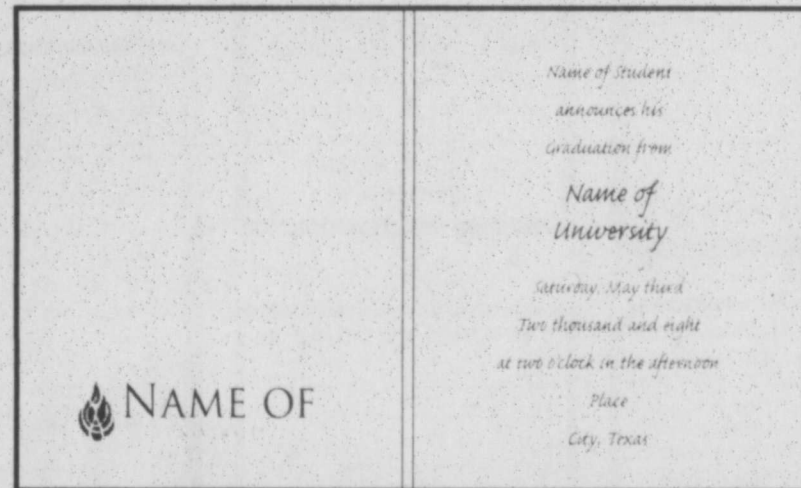
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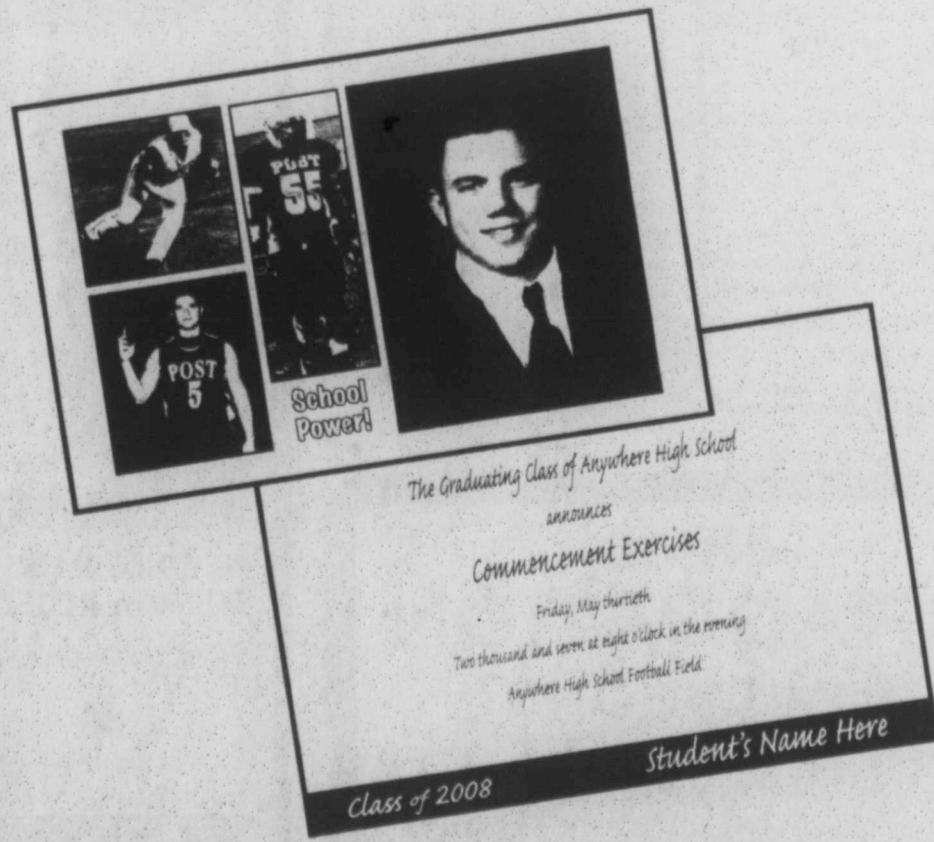
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