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## “Journey” Oct. 6 at Unity Center

Join us for our fourth “Join in the Journey” Women’s Christian Conference scheduled for Saturday, October 6, 2012 at the Floyd County Unity Center in Muncy, Texas.

The “Journey” had its beginnings in October of 2004 as a group of ladies were returning from a Women of Faith conference in Dallas, Texas. They had just been a part of 20,000 women that were encouraged and empowered by the messages, testimonies, and music they had heard at the conference.

As they drove home, God impressed them with the desire to share this with the women in this area. They felt like they could present the same thing in Floyd County, just on a smaller scale. And that is what they did. They gathered inspirational speak-

ers, gifted worship music leaders, and women with ideas of how to create a day full of what women like to do best....worship, sing, laugh, cry, eat and shop. All of these are wrapped up in speakers, music, door prizes, food, gift bags and merchant booths.

This year we will be presenting Mindy Ferguson from Cypress, Texas. She is a wife and mother along with being the founder of Fruitful Word Ministries. Mindy stumbled her way into the arms of Christ at the age of twenty-six. She is now a renowned author, Bible teacher and speaker. She is excited to share with us how we can unpack the baggage in our lives that keep us from living the life that God has in mind for us. She is passionate about encouraging women of all denominations to apply and

abide in God’s transforming Word.

Sherman and Tammy Aten of Aten Ministries, along with their daughter, Brooke, will energize us with their worship music. Tammy grew up in Floydada and is the daughter of Jo Payne and the late Hollis Payne. She met Sherman while attending Wayland Baptist University and they have a son, Josh, and a daughter, Brooke. They minister through music as sought after worship leaders in many venues including revival efforts, concerts and youth events, and conferences. They have taken their ministry worldwide.

We will be hearing testimonies from the Christian Women’s Job Corps New Options for Women participants, along with JenniSu Smith and Janee’ Harrison.

Judy Schacht will be catering the lunch and there will be coffee, juice and muffins that morning as the women

arrive. Renee’ Hrbacek has gathered several informational and merchant booths. There

will be a gift bag for each lady and door prizes.

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Courtesy photo

## Local Pumpkin growers, distributors experience boom

By Jennifer Harbin

Floyd County has a long history of pumpkin growing that dates back to the county’s first grower, B.A. “Slim” Robertson, and even the first Indian inhabitants.

Following a rough year of drought, local growers of the orange crop are seeing a boom in crops and business after a season of more moisture.

“Anything is better than last year,” said Lindsey Pyle of Pumpkin Pyle in Floydada. “We had some rain but it still wasn’t the average rainfall so I don’t think the yield is at its potential.”

Despite rainfall not being at its average, growers’ attitudes are positive and thankful.

“We have a really good crop,” said Tim Assiter, owner of Assiter Punkin’ Ranch. “It may not be a nor-



Photo by Jennifer Harbin

A healthy pumpkin patch, nourished by the recent rains, off of Hwy 37 belonging to Danny Nutt.

mal crop...what normal is is the average of the extremes that we seem to be experiencing.”

Pyle explained that last year they had green plants

but they didn’t produce pumpkins because they pitched their blooms in order to survive the drought.

Assiter explained that there are other pumpkin grow-

ers that grow to the West. Almost everything grown in this region is shipped to

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## Voter Registration Deadline is October 9

The last day to register to vote is Tuesday, October 9, 2012. If you are not already a current registered voter you will need to go to the vehicle registration office at the Courthouse.

The first day of early voting is Monday, October 22, 2012 in the County Clerk’s office. Last day of early voting is Friday, November 2, 2012.

The last day to apply for

ballot by mail (received, not postmarked) is Friday, October 30, 2012 in the County Clerk’s office.

Election day is Tuesday, November 6, 2012 and your voter registration card will indicate which precinct you will vote in.

If you have any questions on your voter status or if you’ve had an address change, please notify the Voter Registrar at 806-983-4908.

## Floydada Chamber issues challenge Punkin’ Days October 13

A challenge has been issued by the Floydada Chamber of Commerce to Fire Departments, Police Departments, sports teams, clubs, church groups, businesses and families, and anyone else who is interested, to sign up for the

exciting events that will take place at Punkin’ Day on Saturday, October 13.

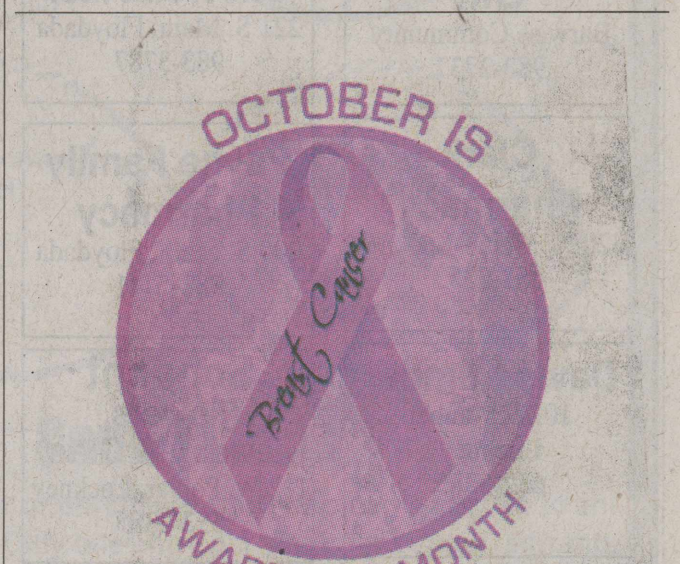
The 25th Anniversary of Punkin’ Day is a special time and a lot of hard work has gone into making the celebration a day full of fun and excitement.

The Chili Cook-Off is a great opportunity to spend time together cooking, as well as winning some extra prize money on the side. Teams are needed and must pre-register to participate.

Get off your couches and

come out with friends to participate in the Washer Pitching Contest and the Motorcycle Poker Run.

There will be many other events to enjoy, food to taste and music to listen to—mark your calendar!



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# Floyd County Church Directory

**AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Dennis Butler, Pastor  
Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m..  
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**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
810 S. 3rd, Floydada  
Darwin Robinson, Pastor  
983-5278

Sunday School .....10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday.....7:00 p.m.  
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**CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP**  
Floydada  
Armando Morales, Pastor  
Sunday School .....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m.  
Bible Study .....6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening7:00 p.m.  
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**CARR'S CHAPEL**  
Service Every Sunday:  
Morning Worship ...9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School .....10:30 a.m.  
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**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
West College & Third,  
Lockney  
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.  
Afternoon Worship ..1:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.  
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**CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Levi Sisemore, Minister  
Ivan Gomez, Minister  
Floydada  
Sunday Bible Study..9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ....6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study .....7:00 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Tim Franks, Pastor  
Terry Simmons,  
Minister of Ed./Music  
Josh Burgett - Min. Students  
Sunday School .....9:15 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship .....6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study....6:30 p.m.  
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**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Lockney**  
Jonathan Sullivan, Pastor  
Chad Cook, Youth Min.  
Phil Cotham, Music Min.  
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship .... 10:45 a.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday..... 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday (Youth) ..7:15 p.m.  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Les Hall, Pastor  
Morning Worship .....9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School..... 10:50 a.m.  
Youth (Sunday).....5:00 p.m.  
Youth (Wednesday)..6:30 p.m.  
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**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Rev. Ricky Carstensen  
Pastor  
Sunday School .....9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service .....10:30 a.m.  
Evening Service..... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Jr. High .....5:30 p.m.  
Wed. High School... 6:30 p.m.  
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**GRANT CHAPEL CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST**  
Joe Bennett, Pastor  
Sunday School .....10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ...11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service.....7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday .....8:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service .....7:30 p.m.  
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**MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Lockney  
Beau A. Hart, Minister  
Bible Study .....9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday.....7:30 p.m.  
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**MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Timothy Askew  
401 N 12th St (983-5805)  
Sunday School .....10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .....6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Study ...7:00 p.m.  
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**NEW SALEM PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Pastor Elder Ronnie Hedges  
(806) 637-0430  
Sunday Singing .....10:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m.  
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**OUT REACH HARVEST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. David Ramos, Pastor  
Ester Ramos, Praise Leader  
Sunday Bible...10:00 a.m.  
Morning Praise..11:00 a.m.  
Evening Praise ...5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Worship.... 7:00 p.m.  
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**POWER OF PRAISE FULL GOSPEL CHURCH**  
Rev. Manuel Rendon, Pastor  
704 N. Main, Lockney  
Sunday Services.....10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening ..... 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday.....7:30 p.m.  
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**PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Lockney  
Jesus Caballero, Pastor  
Sunday School .....9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ....11:00 a.m.  
Discipleship .....5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service .....7:00 p.m.  
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**PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
Floydada  
Rev. Toby Gonzales  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..10:40 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Evening .....7:00 p.m.  
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**SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Lockney  
Jim McCartney, Pastor  
Wed. Communion...8:00 p.m.  
Sunday Mass.....11:30 a.m.  
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**SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Joe Weldon, Pastor  
Sunday School .....10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship ...11:00 a.m.  
Prayer Meeting..... 7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
701 W. Missouri  
Joe M. Hernandez  
983-5286 (church)  
..... Sunday School .....  
English..... 9:45 a.m.  
Spanish..... 11:00 a.m.  
Spanish Worship .....9:30 a.m.  
English Worship.....11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service.....5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday.....7:00 p.m.  
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**ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Floydada  
Rev. Angelo Consemio  
Phone: 983-5878  
Sunday Mass.....11:30 a.m.  
Mon.Wed. Mass .....6:30 p.m.  
Confession Sat.....10-11 a.m.  
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**TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM**  
Lockney  
Rev. Joe Hernandez  
Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School .....9:45 p.m.  
Worship Service .....11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Meeting .....7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
Washington and 1st St.  
Sunday School .....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .... 5:00 p.m.  
Wed. Service .....7:00 p.m.  
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**TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA**  
Rev. Herman Martinez  
308 W. Tennessee, Floydada  
Sunday School .....10:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship .....5:00 p.m.  
Tuesday.....7:30 p.m.  
Thursday Service.....7:30 p.m.  
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**TRINITY ASSEMBLY**  
500 W. Houston  
Henry Russell, Co-Pastor  
Vance Mitchell, Co-Pastor  
983-5499 or 983-2887  
Sunday School .....9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship ...10:40 a.m.  
Sunday Evening .....6:00 p.m.  
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**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Providence Community  
on FM 2301 293-3009  
Rev. Peter W. Harrington Minister  
Sunday School .....9:45 a.m.  
Worship Service ....11:00 a.m.  
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**WEST SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Floydada 983-3548  
Sunday Worship ...10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening .....5:00 p.m.  
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# OBITUARIES

**EVELYN WORRALL**  
Evelyn Lee Stalcup Worrall, born in Lockney on August 22, 1922, passed away on September 29, 2012 at the age of 90.

Graveside services were held on Monday, October 1, 2012 at 4 p.m. at the Lockney Cemetery.

Funeral arrangements were under the care of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Lockney.

Evelyn was preceded in death by her husband of nearly sixty years, John D. Worrall and her parents, John R. Stalcup and Maude Byington Stalcup.

Mrs. Worrall is survived

by two daughters, Sandra O'Neal of Albuquerque, New Mexico and Sheryl Weaver and her husband, Max Weaver of Silverton, Texas, as well as two granddaughters, Shannon Weaver of Lewisville, Texas and Julie Reynolds and her husband, Trey Reynolds of Cato Ridge, South Africa.

Evelyn graduated from Lockney High School in 1939, earned a B.S. degree in May 1943 from Texas Tech University and married on June 6, 1943 in Ocala, Florida. She taught school for a short time in Lockney during WWII. Due to her husband's career path, she lived with

her family in many locales including the Chicago area, Long Island, New York, Waco, San Antonio, Ft. Worth and Lubbock, Texas. More recently she lived in Albuquerque, New Mexico for almost 20 years before moving in 2007 to Shepherd's Meadow in Floydada, Texas. She was a wise, wonderful mother, grandmother, and friend who will be sorely missed.

Memorials in her name may be made to Interim Hospice of Plainview, Silverton United Methodist Church or a charity of your choice.

Online condolences may be made at www.moore-rose.com



TERESA STENNETT

Theresa Stennett, 88, of Lockney, passed away on Sunday, September 30, 2012.

Funeral Mass was celebrated at 2 p.m. Wednesday, October 3, 2012 at St. Alice Catholic Church with Monsignor Curtis Halfmann and Rev. Jim McCartney officiating. Interment followed in the Lockney Cemetery under the person-

al care of Kornerstone Funeral Directors of Plainview.

Visitation was held Tuesday, October 2, 2012 at 6 p.m. Rosary was held at 7 p.m. at the funeral home.

Mrs. Stennett was born on June 19, 1924 in Rhineland, Texas to Albert and Mary Andrae. She married Jimmy D. "Slick" Stennett on May 20, 1946 in Rhineland, Texas. He preceded her in death on September 26, 2007.

Mrs. Stennett attended business school in Abilene and worked for the Abilene Reporter News. She worked in the superintendent's office for the Lockney schools and Lockney General Hospital for over 30 years. She enjoyed golf, bowling, bridge and gardening. Mrs. Stennett was a faithful member of San Jose Catho-

lic Church in Lockney.

She is survived by four sons, Gary Stennett and wife, Debbie of Plainview, Doug Stennett and wife, Ellen of Richardson, Kevin Stennett and wife, Michealle of Lockney and Mike Stennett of Lubbock; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to St. Alice Catholic Church, 1113 Galveston Street, Plainview, TX 79072, San Jose Catholic Church, 303 SE 4th Street, Lockney, TX 79421, Mangold Memorial Hospital, 214 N. Main Street, Lockney, TX 79421 or Area Community Hospice Foundation, 3109 Olton Road, Ste. C, Plainview, TX 79072. Online condolences may be made at www.kornerstonefunerals.com.

## SPC Foundation announces new scholarship in physical education

**LEVELLAND** - South Plains College Foundation announces the creation of the Larry Roberts Honorary Physical Education Scholarship by Helen Roberts to assist SPC students.

The scholarship honors Roberts, former SPC golf and tennis coach. He was presented the Excellence in Teaching Award in 1993. He served as the chairman of the Physical Education Department from 1980 to 1984 and was inducted into the Texan Hall of Fame in 1994.

Helen Roberts taught Speech and Drama at SPC for 26 years. She also garnered the Excellence in

Teaching Award in 1977. She retired in 1994.

According to Julie Gerstenberger, Director of Development at South Plains College, "Coach Roberts had a positive impact on his many students over the years. His excellent teaching is one legacy established at SPC."

"The SPC Foundation is proud that his family and friends have created this new legacy by which to honor him," she said. "We look forward to working to help this fund grow for the benefit of future students."

To be eligible for the scholarship, an applicant must be a U.S. citizen and

permanent resident, a full-time student majoring in Physical Education and possess a 2.0 cumulative grade point average. The scholarship will be awarded in 2015.

The South Plains College Scholarship Committee, working with the Scholarship Coordinator and the department scholarship committee, will make the selection of the scholarship recipient.

To make a donation to this scholarship or for more information about establishing a scholarship at SPC, contact the Office of Development at (806) 716-2020.

## Tai Chi Chih classes begins Oct. 8 at South Plains College

**LEVELLAND** - Nothing relaxes the body than meditation and calm movements you can learn at South Plains College's Tai Chi Chih class that starts Oct. 8 (Monday).

The class will meet at 6:30 p.m. in Room 113 of the SPC Physical Education building. The first class will be a free introduction class to provide you with a glimpse of the activities that will be taught during the 60 to 90 minute classes each Monday through Nov. 8.

The cost of the classes is \$50 for SPC affiliates, \$90 per couples; \$60 community or \$110 per community couples.

Tai Chi Chih is an easy to learn moving meditation with 19 movements and one pose. It has no martial applications. The movements are similar to swimming through heavy air with softness and continuity.

It can be done by anyone regardless of age or condition and it can be performed seated, standing or lying down, and it

is an excellent form of exercise for seniors.

Tai Chi Chih is designed to circulate and balance the body's energy. Practicing 10 to 15 minutes daily can reduce tension and stress, enhance relaxation and inner peace, control weight and blood pressure, increase physical energy, improve balance, flexibility and stamina.

For more information, call Dee Dee Odorizzi, instructor in Physical Education, at (806) 716-2236.

## SPC to offer NRA Basic Rifle course

**LEVELLAND** - South Plains College will offer an NRA Basic Rifle class on Oct. 6-7 (Saturday and Sunday) in the Law Enforcement Technology Building. The cost of the course is \$70, and students need to register and pay in advance. Space is limited.

The class will begin at 9 a.m. on Oct. 6 (Saturday) with breaks every hour, as well as a lunch break, and continue on Oct. 7 (Sunday) at 2 p.m. Students must be at least 12 years of age or older and must attend both parts.

The course runs at least fourteen hours, depending on the number of students, and includes classroom and range time. Students learn NRA's rules for safe gun handling; rifle parts and operation; ammunition; shooting fundamentals; range rules; shooting from the bench rest, prone, sitting, standing and kneeling positions; cleaning; and continued opportunities for skill development.

The cost includes the NRA Guide to the Basics of Rifle Shooting handbook, NRA Gun Safety Rules bro-

chure, and Winchester/NRA Marksmanship Qualification booklet. Ear and eye protection, .22 rifles and ammunition will be provided.

This is an excellent course for new rifle shooters, and is a prerequisite for students wanting to take the non-NRA Home Defensive Carbine or Home Defensive Shotgun course later.

To sign up, call Kasey Reyes, administrative assistant for the Division of Continuing and Distance Education, at (806) 716-2341 or email kreyes@southplainscollege.edu.

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# LIFESTYLES

## Floyd County Fair Winners 2012

**Top of the Crop:** Fruit Class - Frankie Graves, 1<sup>st</sup>; Cotton - Clay Bigham, 1<sup>st</sup>; Zucchini - Sammy Silva, 1<sup>st</sup>; Justin Payne, 2<sup>nd</sup> and Pumpkin - Austen Rexrode, 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Agriculture Department:** Fruit (date) - Frankie Graves, 1<sup>st</sup>; Cotton - Clay Bigham, 1<sup>st</sup>; Zucchini - Sammy Silva, 1<sup>st</sup>; Justin Payne, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and Pumpkin - Austen Rexrode, 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Photography (Adult):** Animal - Mary M. Carter, 1<sup>st</sup>; Motor Vehicle - Mary M. Carter, 1<sup>st</sup>; Candid - Mary M. Carter, 1<sup>st</sup>; Landscape - Mary M. Carter, 1<sup>st</sup>; Cathy Rosales, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Birds - Mary M. Carter, 1<sup>st</sup>; Other - Mary M. Carter, 1<sup>st</sup>; Cathy Rosales, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Floral - Neta Marble, 1<sup>st</sup>; Mary M. Carter, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Seascape - Cathy Rosales, 1<sup>st</sup> and Cathy Rosales, 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Photography (High School):** Portraits - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Animals - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Landscape - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Structure - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Floral - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Still Life - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; People - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup> and Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Photography (Jr. High):**

Floral - Mariza Alonzo - 1<sup>st</sup>.  
**Art Department (Adult):** Painting - Jordan Green, 1<sup>st</sup> and Drawing - Andres Solis, Jr., 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Art Department (High School):** Drawing - Lindsay Stewart, 1<sup>st</sup>; Taylor Rose, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Mixed Media, Still Life - Clarisa Camacho, 1<sup>st</sup>; Mixed Media, Landscape - Belia Astorga, 1<sup>st</sup>; Painting, tempera - Taylor Rose, 1<sup>st</sup>; Clarisa Camacho, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Scratch Art - David Camacho, 1<sup>st</sup>; Painting, Acrylic, Landscape - Taylor Rose, 1<sup>st</sup>; Lindsay Stewart, 2<sup>nd</sup> and Candace Vernon, 3<sup>rd</sup>; Painting, Acrylic, Motor Vehicle - Lindsay Stewart, 1<sup>st</sup> and Painting, Acrylic, Floral - Chance Aultry, 1<sup>st</sup>.

Thanks to all the Elementary Students who contributed their artwork to the Fair and to the teachers for letting them do it. It was a great addition to the art department. They all received participation ribbons.

### YOUTH DEPARTMENT

**Culinary (Senior):** Cinnamon Rolls - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Yeast Bread (loaf) - Letti

Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Yeast Rolls - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Brownies - Jace Klein, 1<sup>st</sup>; Refrigerator Cookies - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Decorated Cookies - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup> and Cinnamon Breakfast Cake - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Culinary (Junior):** Banana Nut Bread - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Canned Goods (Senior):** Grape Jelly - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Peach Preserves - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Cinnamon Pickles - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Peach Preserves - Darby Long, 1<sup>st</sup>; Apple Butter - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Watermelon Rind Pickles - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Corn - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Irish Potatoes - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Dill Pickles - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Black-eyed Peas - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Pickled Peppers - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Pickled Okra - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Canned Goods (Junior):** Grape Jelly - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>; Strawberry Jam - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>; Apricot Jam - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>; Canned Apricots - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>; Peach Jam - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>; Apple Butter - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>; Corn Relish - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup>; Cherry

Jam - Blayne Hurst, 1<sup>st</sup> and Hot Sauce - Blayne Hurst, 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Textiles (Senior):** Throw Pillow - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Curling Iron Cover - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Toothbrush Holder - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Quilt - Darby Long, 1<sup>st</sup>; Fleece Blanket - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup> and Apron - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Textiles (Junior):** Scarf - Ashlyn Green, 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Crafts (Senior):** Decoupage - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Stuffed Toy - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Ceramics - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Wood Craft - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Tile - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Snow Globe - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Jewelry - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Hair Bow, Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Metal Craft - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Picture Frame - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup>; Laundry Bag - Letti Cheyne, 1<sup>st</sup> and Lamp - Letti Cheyne, 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### ADULT DEPARTMENT

**Textiles:** Embroidery - Carolyn Green, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Knitting - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Crochet, purse - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Crochet, scarf - Neta Marble, 1<sup>st</sup>; Quilting, pillow - Ethelyn

Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Quilting, pieced - Debbie Belk, 1<sup>st</sup>; Barbara Deberry, 1<sup>st</sup>; Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup> and Janis Davis, 2<sup>nd</sup>. Quilting, embroidered - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Quilting, top only - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Wall Hanging - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Quilt Block - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Purse - Ethelyn Garnett, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Sewing, Apron - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Sewing, Vest - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Sewing, Credit Card Purse - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Holiday Table Runner - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Counted Cross Stitch, Baby - Carol Huggins, 1<sup>st</sup>; Counted Cross Stitch, Christmas - Carol Huggins, 1<sup>st</sup> and Counted Cross Stitch, Other - Carol Huggins, 1<sup>st</sup>.

**Canned Fruits and Vegetables:** Corn Relish - Charlene Brown, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Strawberry Preserves - Charlene Brown, 1<sup>st</sup>; Grape Jelly - Charlene Brown, 3<sup>rd</sup>; Apple Butter - Charlene Brown, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Wild Plum Jam - Robbie Long, 2<sup>nd</sup>; Peach Jam - Charlene Brown, 1<sup>st</sup> and Apricots - Charlene Brown, 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Crafts:** Holiday Parade: Sweatshirt - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Shirt - Ethelyn Gar-

nett, 1<sup>st</sup>. Novelty - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Craft Painting: Painting, Textiles - Ester Muniz, 1<sup>st</sup>; Painting, Plastic - Frankie Graves, 1<sup>st</sup>; Painting, Other - Frankie Graves, 1<sup>st</sup>; Jewelry - Neta Marble, 1<sup>st</sup>; Tasha Jordan, 1<sup>st</sup>; Cheyann Powel, 1<sup>st</sup>; Miscellaneous, Shirt - Ethelyn Garnett, 1<sup>st</sup>; Miscellaneous, Other - Ester Muniz, 1<sup>st</sup> and Model Cars, plastic - Frankie Graves, 1<sup>st</sup>.

### BEST OF SHOW

Pieced Quilt - Debbie Belk  
Embroidered Quilt - Ethelyn Garnett  
Cinnamon Rolls - Letti Cheyne

The Fair Association would like to thank all who made the 2012 Fair a success - all who entered things, the vendors, the events' chairmen, the queen contestants, the advertising sign purchasers, and most of all the attendees. It was GREAT!!

Now that the Fair is over, the Entertainment Building is once again for rent for any and all activities. Please see Linda Garcia at J&K Insurance in Lockney for a contract. It is a great place for a big crowd!

## FLOYDADA SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS

By Margaret Jones

"Shine on, shine on, Harvest Moon, up in the sky..." My favorite time of year brings the Magic of the season to fruition. The quietness and peace in the coolness of the evening breeze calms the business of the days as night falls ever so softly. We fret and worry over cares unfounded to find comfort in the arms of sleep. Blessings abound in the promise of tomorrow secure in the knowledge of the One who holds our future.

Our community is abuzz with numerous activities on the OCTOBER CALENDAR. PUMPKIN DAYS is just around the corner with fun and games for all ages. FOOTBALL GAMES are on schedule each Friday night as young athletes meet on the field and the stands are full of supporters cheering for their favorite team. Different CHURCHES in our town have FALL FESTIVALS planned for families of young children to enjoy. I look forward to seeing you out-and-about enjoying this special time of togetherness.

One of the special joys of living in Floydada is receiving letters from Old Friends who used to live here. I received two this week. One was from Claire Edwards who lives in Llano, Texas. Earl and Claire

have been gone from here over 45 years. (where, oh, where has time gone?) She said that the best people in the world live on the South Plains (and I will agree). They still have dear friends here. Thank you for your sweet letter and thoughtfulness to the Center, Claire. When you are up this way, please come by for a good visit. We would love to see you.

The other letter was from Herschell and Patricia Hinson. I shared information with you from a letter I received from Herschell back in July. You may remember that Herschell grew up in Floydada and that his Father was an electrician and knew Guy Ginn. They dropped by the Center to say hello, and to leave a donation. So sorry I was unable to visit with you. Please come again soon. Thank you for your thoughtfulness in remembering the Center with your donation.

### NEWS FROM THE CENTER

If you missed getting your Flu Shot on September 28<sup>th</sup>, there is another date available which is October 12<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. Free with Medicare or Medicaid. \$25 without Medicare or Medicaid. Take care of your health as well as the health of others by being prepared for the Flu season.

### RECIPE OF THE WEEK

#### Jiffy Corn Casserole

1 can whole kernel corn, drained, 8 oz. sour cream, 1 box Jiffy Corn Muffin mix, 1 can cream style corn, 2 eggs, 1 stick butter, melted. Mix all ingredients together and pour into large 9x13 baking dish. Bake at 350 degrees for 55 minutes.

Recipe from Tammy Williams, a niece.

**Thought for the Week** - The bamboo which bends is stronger than the Oak which resists.

### Japanese Proverb

### MEMORIALS

By Margaret Word

We do appreciate you remembering the Center when you need to make a memorial donation or just want to donate money to our Center. Our mailing address is P.O. Box 573, Floydada, Texas 79235.

**In memory of William Bertrand** - Earl and Claire Edwards

**In memory of Laurita Bertrand** - Earl and Claire Edwards

**In memory of Gene Lawson** - Earl and Claire Edwards

**A very nice donation** was given to the Center by Herschell and Patricia Hinson. Thank you.

## Friends of the Library

By Carolyn Cheek

Once again the Friends of the Library want to remind you of our used book sale on Friday, October 12<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup>.

Our sale will be held in the conference room at the library. Friday's hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday's hours will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. or until we have no more customers. We will have a room full of books to choose from and

we are sure you will find many good books to purchase.

We are still accepting your book donations. We especially need children's books and Christian fiction. Both of these are very popular items at the sale. Current fiction and nonfiction are needed also. We hope you will share the books you have already read and then come to the sale to pick out some new ones.

Just take the books you are willing to donate to the library. If you are unable to bring them to the library, call the library and one of the Friends members will pick them up. The library number is 983-4922.

We are looking forward to a great Punkin' Day weekend. Hope you will come by the library and find some good books for your Fall and Winter reading.

## LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZEN MENU

October 8-12

We are updating the Senior Citizens member information. Please contact Renee Armstrong at 652-2745 to update your basic information, Monday through Friday, from 8-1 p.m.

**Monday:** BBQ on a bun

**Tuesday:** Enchilada casserole

**Wednesday:** Chicken fried steak

**Thursday:** Chicken and dumplings

**Friday:** Hamburger steak

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# AGRICULTURE

## USDA to Host Webinars on Hispanic and Women Farmer and Rancher Claims Process

(COLLEGE STATION, TX) – September 28, 2012 – USDA Texas Farm Service Agency (FSA) Acting State Executive Director James B. Douglass today announced that two (internet-based virtual meeting) webinars are scheduled in October to discuss FSA, Rural Development (RD) and Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) program updates as well as the USDA Hispanic and Women Farmer and Rancher Claims Process.

The claims process opened September 24, 2012 and closes on March 25, 2013. The webinars are scheduled for October 2<sup>nd</sup> and October 18<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 - 7:30 PM.

As announced in February 2011, the voluntary claims process will make available at least \$1.33 billion for cash awards and tax relief payments, plus

up to \$160 million in farm debt relief, to eligible Hispanic and women farmers and ranchers. There are no filing fees to participate in the program.

"I encourage producers who want more information about USDA programs or the claims process to register for one of these webinars," said Douglass. "The webinars are free and open to the first 1,000 participants who register," he said.

Douglass emphasizes that these webinars are intended as forums to discuss the general plan for the claims process and USDA webinar hosts will not be able to discuss the details of any individual claim during the course of the webinars.

To view the webinar schedule and register, please go to [http://www.fsa.usda.gov/Internet/FSA\\_File/tx\\_hwwebinar2012.pdf](http://www.fsa.usda.gov/Internet/FSA_File/tx_hwwebinar2012.pdf).

For more information regarding USDA programs and the Hispanic and Women Farmer and Rancher Claims Process, please contact Eddie Trevino in the Texas State FSA Office at (979) 680-5221 or via email at [eddie.trevino@tx.usda.gov](mailto:eddie.trevino@tx.usda.gov).

## A Weekly Newsletter from Congressman Randy Neugebauer The Middle East and Foreign Aid

Last week—more than two weeks after our Ambassador and three other Americans were murdered in Benghazi, Libya—Secretary of Defense Leon Panetta characterized the violence as a terrorist attack. I think it's deplorable that it took the Obama Administration so long to acknowledge the truth about the tragedy in Libya where four Americans lost their lives. In these last few weeks, violence and hatred directed at Americans has been rampant in parts of the Middle East, particularly in Egypt and Libya. The U.S. sends billions of dollars in foreign aid to these countries, and I believe we need to re-evaluate our relationships with them. Is our aid helping achieve strategic goals? Is it improving our security? As we consider these questions, I'll con-

tinue to press for answers to ensure all our money is being spent wisely as we try and stop the growth of our debt.

**Hispanic Heritage Month**  
From September 15th to October 15th, the United States celebrates Hispanic Heritage Month. This is a time for us to recognize the contributions that Hispanic and Latin Americans have made to the United States and to celebrate Hispanic heritage and culture. The United States has always been a "melting pot" of different cultures, languages and histories. One of the reasons our country is so great is because it provides an opportunity for immigrants to work hard and provide better lives for their families. Texans are especially aware of Hispanic and Latin American influence and culture. This month, I hope you'll join me in celebrating the diverse perspective Hispanic culture brings to our state and our country.

## Military Academy Nominations

As a Member of Congress, I am proud to nominate outstanding young candidates from the 19th District of Texas to four U.S. service academies. These institutions prepare college-age Americans to be officers of the United States uniformed services. An excellent education at one of our service academies will broaden the horizons of any young American, and open the doors to many rewarding opportunities. If you or someone you know would be interested in applying to attend a service academy, please contact Mary Whistler in my Lubbock office for more information at (806) 763-1611. [HYPERLINK "https://iqconnect.lmhostediq.com/iqextranet/iqClick-Trk.aspx?&cid=TX19RN&crop=14414.3580069.2534588.7212757&redirect=http%3a%2f%2frandy.house.gov%2fmilitary-service-academy-nominations%2f"](https://iqconnect.lmhostediq.com/iqextranet/iqClick-Trk.aspx?&cid=TX19RN&crop=14414.3580069.2534588.7212757&redirect=http%3a%2f%2frandy.house.gov%2fmilitary-service-academy-nominations%2f)

## Action Item of the Week - National Honor Flight to Honor WWII Veterans in DC

This week, I will give a tour of the House Floor to World War II veterans who will be in Washington, DC for the South Plains Honor Flight. Every year, the National Honor Flight organization sends World War II veterans from around the country to Washington, DC to experience the WWII Memorial, which was built to honor their service and sacrifice. Last year, I had the privilege of meeting veterans from the Abilene area. This year, we will pay tribute to men and women from the South Plains. As a nation, we will never forget all that these brave men and women did to preserve freedom and democracy. I am privileged to be able to visit with members of the "Greatest Generation," and look forward to our meeting on Thursday.

## RRC PRODUCTION STATISTICS AND ALLOWABLES FOR OCTOBER 2012

**AUSTIN** — The Texas average rig count as of Sept. 21, was 877, representing about 49 percent of all active land rigs in the United States. In the last 12 months, total Texas reported production was 474 million barrels of oil and 7.2 trillion cubic feet of natural gas. The Commission's es-

timated final production for July 2012 is 49,002,732 barrels of crude oil and 524,613,151 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas well gas.

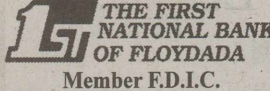
The Commission derives final production numbers by multiplying the preliminary July 2012 production totals of 40,321,511 barrels of crude oil and 441,853,913 Mcf of gas well gas by a production adjustment factor of 1.2153 for crude oil and 1.1873 for gas well gas. (These produc-


tion totals do not include casinghead gas or condensate.)

Texas natural gas storage reported to the Commission for August 2012 was 391,994,296 Mcf compared to 353,961,061 Mcf in August 2011. The September 2012 gas storage estimate is 404,036,307 Mcf.

The Texas Railroad Commission's Oil and Gas Division set initial October 2012 natural gas production allowables for prorated fields

in the state to meet market demand of 9,784,268 Mcf (thousand cubic feet). In setting the initial October 2012 allowables, the Commission used historical production figures from previous months, producers' demand forecasts for the coming month, and adjusted the figures based on well capability. These initial allowables will be adjusted after actual production for October 2012 is reported.

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**Help Wanted**

**NIELSON'S IS NOW HIRING** cooks and wait staff. If previously applied, please reapply. Apply in person only. **NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE.** Nielson's Restaurant and Catering, 304 E. Houston Street, Floydada. 10-11c

**FLOYD COUNTY FSA PROGRAM TECHNICIAN VACANCY** – The USDA/Floyd County Farm Service Agency is currently accepting applications for a full-time permanent program technician position. Applications must be submitted online through [www.usajobs.gov](http://www.usajobs.gov). Applicants can apply by searching job announcement number ADZ755169-TX at [www.usajobs.gov](http://www.usajobs.gov). No applications will be received or distributed by the County

Office. USDA/FSA is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 10-4c

**RECEPTIONIST NEEDED AT DON HARDY FUEL** Efficient Engines. Duties include answering phones, creating invoices on QuickBooks, accounts receivable, mail-out and other duties. See Fernando at 202 W. Missouri, Floydada, Texas. **NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE!** tfn

**Automobiles For Sale**

**FOR SALE.** 1996 Ford Ranger, 200K miles. \$1200 or best offer. Call 940-585-6459 for details. tfn

**Trailer Houses for Sale**

**FOR SALE** – Covered trailer house with large covered metal deck, 60 yards from water. On Cottonwood Lake near Quitaque, Texas. Call 940-937-7086 – ok to leave message. tfn

**FOR SALE** – Trailer house with large screened in porch. On the water – Cottonwood Lake near Quitaque, Texas. Contact Susie, 806-426-1112 – ok to leave message. tfn

**Garage Sales**

**RAINED OUT LAST WEEK – GARAGE SALE...** Saturday, October 6th – 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. McCormick's – 6 miles south on FM 1958. Clothes, household items and miscellaneous. 10-4c

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**Whirlwind Energy Center**

To whom it may concern:

This is public notification, from Whirlwind Energy Center, about the possibility of ice buildup on the Blades and Towers of the Wind Turbines in your area.

Please be advised, under certain conditions there may be a risk of ice falling from the towers and blades.

During freezing temperatures with high humidity, ice is likely to accumulate on Wind Turbine Blades and Towers. The potential for ice to fall off blades or from nacelles exists (whether the turbines are operating or not) during icing conditions, as well as while the ice is melting.

Although the public is restricted from area affected by ice fall, it does present a potential hazard to any personnel in the area affected.

Under freezing conditions, and following snow or rain events under freezing temperatures, it would be advised to stay away from the towers.

For a period of time after the freezing temperatures, thawing conditions may also cause ice and snow to fall or be flung from the towers or blades.


These conditions could be dangerous to humans and animals, and it would be recommended to stay at a safe distance.

Brett Marble  
Operations Manager  
Whirlwind Energy Center  
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# West Nile Report

## 1. West Nile:

Note: It looks like the 2012 West Nile season is beginning to wind down. Effective on Monday, Zoonosis Control will post the arbovirus updates only twice a week on Monday and Wednesday to coincide with the Commissioner's bi-weekly updates.

### Human:

Twelve cases of West Nile illness have been reported today (7 WNND and 5 WN Fever cases). No new counties were identified. The dates of onset ranged from 7/31 - 9/11/2012. Ages ranged from 24.4 - 87.5 years.

The WNND cases resided in Angelina, Carson, Collin (2), Ector, Montgomery, and Tarrant Counties.

The WN fever cases resided in Angelina, Dallas (2), Montgomery, and Tarrant Counties.

Four new fatalities were reported (Collin (2), El Paso, and Tarrant). The total number of fatalities is now 72. Mean age of fatalities is 76.4; the median is 79.9. T Age range = 40.1 - 100.1 years.

The number of WN illnesses reported for 2012 is now 1464 (690 WNND and 774 WN fever).

Mean age of WNND cases is 57.0 years. Age range = 11 days to 100.1 years. Mean age of WN Fever cases is 50.5 years. Age range is 3 months to 93.0 years.

The total number of asymptomatic blood donors reported is 99.

### Case Counts by County:

**Tonya Finch**  
Public Health and  
Prevention Specialist 1  
Texas Department of  
State Health Services  
(806)477-1104  
(806)655-7151  
(806)655-7159 fax

County	Deaths	WNND Count	Fever Count	Total Cases
Andrews	1	10	2	12
Angelina		8	8	16
Archer		0	1	1
Austin		0	1	1
Bailey		0	1	1
Bastrop		2	3	5
Bell	2	7	3	10
Bexar	1	14	4	18
Blanco		1	0	1
Bowie		7	5	12
Brazoria		4	2	6
Brazos		6	3	9
Brewster		0	1	1
Burleson		0	1	1
Burnet		1	1	2
Calhoun		1	0	1
Camp		1	0	1
Carson		2	0	2
Cass	1	1	1	2
Castro		1	0	1
Cherokee	1	2	3	5
Collin	4	21	36	57
Comal		0	1	1
Concho	1	2	0	2
Cooke	1	3	2	5
Coryell		1	0	1
Crosby		0	2	2
Dallas	17	156	175	331
Dawson		1	0	1
DeWitt		1	1	2
Deaf Smith		1	1	2
Denton	2	45	101	146
Dickens		0	1	1
Ector	1	5	3	8
El Paso	4	19	8	27
Ellis	2	8	15	

# Football Contest Standings Week 5

	THIS WEEK	OVERALL
Johnny Dorman	20/29	101/148
Chris Fulton	21/29	101/148
Lanny Barnett	20/29	100/148
Max Yeary	20/29	100/148
Bryan Bybee	21/29	100/148
Martin Ramirez	23/29	100/148
Roel Cisneros	21/29	99/148
Diane Ramon	21/29	98/148
Coy LaBaume	19/29	98/148
Boyd Lee	21/29	98/148
Ricky Ascencio	21/29	97/148
Pam Fulton	21/29	97/148
Rachel Ramirez	24/29	97/148
Franklin Harris	23/29	96/148
Brent Sanders	21/29	96/148
Stanley Collier	23/29	94/148
Keith Marricle	18/29	93/148
Paul Lopez	22/29	93/148
Moses Blanco	17/29	91/148
Lance McHam	16/29	90/148
Dale Minper	21/29	90/148
Steve Stringer	19/29	89/148
Donzell Minner	23/29	89/148
Jace Klein	16/29	84/148
W. L. Carthel	19/29	69/118
Jack Covington	-----	76/119

### NOTE

Only 29 games were counted as the game between Michigan vs Ohio State was listed incorrectly. It should have been Michigan State vs Ohio State. No photocopied, faxed or mailed entry forms are accepted.

# THIS WEEK'S

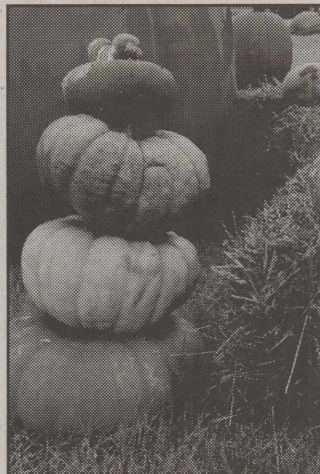
**PUNKIN' DAY CELEBRATION**  
Punkin' Day Celebration is Saturday, October 13th on Floydada's downtown square. Be sure to come and enjoy food and fun for the entire family.

**EXERCISE WITH DOROTHY**  
Exercise with Dorothy is Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9-9:30. Coffee time is Monday through Saturday from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. at the Lockney Senior Citizen Center. Pot luck is on Thursday at 6 p.m. Bring a dish, enjoy supper and play games afterwards.

## Creative creations: four easy ways to use pumpkins

- Add 2 tablespoons of Libby's solid pack pumpkin per serving to hot oatmeal. Heat with water before cooking oatmeal. Serve with brown sugar. Or, sprinkle with cinnamon-sugar.
- Thicken soups, sauces, beans and chili. Combine ¼ to ½ cup solid pack pumpkin to 15-16 ounces spaghetti sauce, baked beans, barbecue beans or chili. Heat as directed.
- For rich and nutritious breads and cereals: add ¼ cup solid pack pumpkin to liquid ingredients called for in biscuit recipe (10 to 12 biscuits) on box of a variety baking mix.
- Prepare your favorite pancake mix. Follow directions using 2 cup proportion dry mix, plus ½ cup

solid pack pumpkin, ½ teaspoon ground cinnamon, ¼ teaspoon ground allspice, egg and liquid ingredients called for on package directions. Cook as directed. Note: if batter is too thick, add 1 to 2 tablespoons of milk or water to achieve pouring consistency.



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- Dale Brown Tiger's Claw
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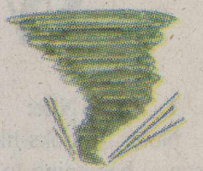
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# Whirlwind News



## Live from Floydada High School and Junior High



(1) KFW: The Whirlwind Beat logo. (2) Seniors anchors (L-R) Landry Morren and Amelia Gonzales get ready to report the weekly news. (3) KFW presents a weather forecast to prepare students and teachers for the week. (4) Seniors (L-R) Christina Muniz and Braedon Gibson direct and cue the news anchors. (5) (L-R) Senior, Braedon Gibson and Junior, Crista Irlas film the live coverage segment for this week's video announcements.

**By Hunter Schwertner - Staff Writer**

Floydada ISD is widely known for their use of technology in the classroom. Every year, students are creating new projects to enhance their technological abilities.

This year, part of the technology that is being incorporated into classes is the video announcements. The Advanced Video/Audio class uses its school issued Apple Macbooks to create these reports.

"My students use programs on their laptops such as Photoshop and iMovie and use video cameras to film and edit their projects," said Advanced Audio/Video teacher, Mrs. Hughes.

The students involved in the class enjoy creating these weekly, innovative assignments for the public to view.

"I like being able to inform Floydada ISD on what is going on during the week in an interesting and better way," said senior, Amelia Gonzales.

Taking certain classes in high school can benefit all students if they want to prepare themselves for a future after high school, especially since college is right around the corner for this year's seniors.

"It is definitely a possibility that I would want to major in Mass Communications," said senior, Landry Morren. The high school students

are now influencing their underclassmen by creating digital media news.

"My students saw what the high school students had done and suggested to me that we should also start creating a news related video project," said seventh grade English teacher, Mr. Campbell.

With the junior high students now inspired to create a news broadcast, they are being taught useful skills that can be used in the near future.

"My students are learning a lot about technology and the different types of tools on their computers that will be used frequently in high school," said Mr. Campbell.

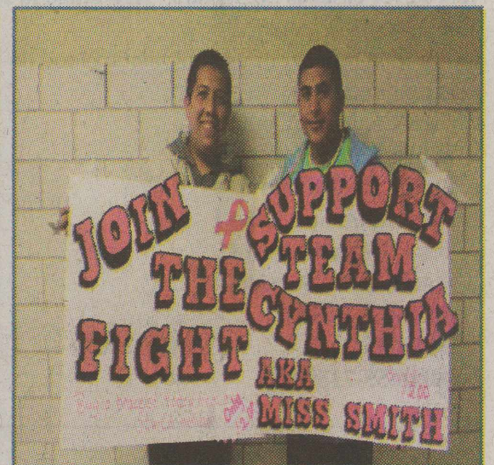
## Last Chance to Jump Start Into Learning

**By Homero Ramirez-Staff Writer**

The College Jump Start Fall Scholarship was created to reward hardworking and perseverant students who want to pursuit higher learning. If you are in high school and are a sophomore, junior, or senior who is looking for financial assistance, then this scholarship is certainly for you. To apply, it requires students to be U.S. citizens who plan to attend an accredited 2-year, 4-year or vocational/trade school in the U.S. Applicants must submit a personal response (250 words or less) to one of the following topic: "What are your educational goals?", "How will winning this scholarship help you attain your goals?", and "Write about a time when hard work paid off." The deadline for this scholarship will be October 17, 2012, and the winner will receive \$1,500. For more information regarding this scholarship and others please refer to the websites below. To access the links below you may need to create a profile; it should take no more than five minutes.

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## Staff's Corner



Left: Samantha Caballero proudly supports "Team Cynthia." Right, freshmen, Michael Mesa, and Aaron De La Fuente join the fight as they display STUCO signs in support of Miss Smith.

**By Cynthia Smith-Editor**

I can't believe that we are already in the month of October. This year, October has a special place in my heart as it is known as Breast Cancer Awareness Month. There are not many places that I can go where I'm not greeted with a pink ribbon. That makes my heart smile. It also compels me to want to do my part in making sure that the world is aware of the dangers of breast cancer. On Saturday,

October 6, 2012, I, along with many of my colleagues and a few of my students, will participate in this year's Susan G. Komen's Race for the Cure in Lubbock. I'm very excited because not only do I get to give back, I've been able to make others aware of how to get involved and raise money for a great cause. The student council members of FHS, sponsored by Rosemary Finely, are selling "Join the Fight" bracelets

in which all proceeds will go to "Team Cynthia" which will be donated to the annual Race for the Cure Series. I am consumed with joy knowing that so many people have joined me in this fight. Such kindness will never be obliterated. I can honestly say that the best part of this journey has been the abundance of love and support flowing from my Floydada community. Thank you all so much!



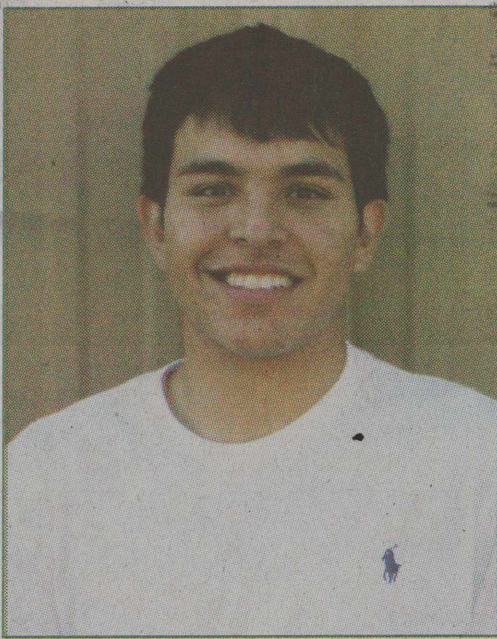
## Floydada ISD is Recognized for its Exemplary use of Technology

**By Merritt Johnson Staff Writer**

The Floydada Independent School District recently gained recognition from Bob Wise, president of the Alliance for Excellent Education and former governor of West Virginia. While speaking with the Texas Joint Interim Committee to Study the Public School Finance System, Wise expressed how technology should be utilized to aid all students in Texas, despite their geography or socio-economic status. To further stress how digital learning can be an advantage to pupils, he gave examples of Floydada and Klein Independent School District's application of electronic devices. Floydada ISD was highlighted for its Technology Immersion Pilot program. This is what has allowed Floydada to dispense the vast amount of technology to the middle and high schools, and created double-digit gains in every core subject.

To read more about this outstanding acknowledgment, visit the following website: [http://www.texasisd.com/article\\_130740.shtml](http://www.texasisd.com/article_130740.shtml).

### FHS Student of the Month



**By Emily Hall-Staff Writer**

FISD's high school student of the month is Michael Cisneros. Michael is eighteen years old and is a senior at FHS. He lives with his aunt, Norma, and three cousins who are like brothers and sisters to him. Michael enjoys taking it easy, hanging out with his friends, and washing his truck. In school his favorite subject is math. In the future he wants to be a nurse or a professional baseball player. When asked what was her favorite part about having Michael in class, Mrs. Finley replied, "He always comes in with a smile. He is also a hard worker and is also willing to help others in class."

### FHS Teacher of the Month



**By Carly Carthel-Staff Writer**

The FISD teacher of the month is Matt Nix. Mr. Nix has been a teacher for 5 years total, but this is his very first year at Floydada High School. Mr. Nix graduated from Texas Tech with a degree in History, which he now utilizes here at Floydada High School. Although it is his first year he has taken on many roles here at FISD. He teaches sophomore World History, senior Economics, and is also an offensive coordinator for the Floydada Whirlwind football team. In his free time, Nix enjoys coaching, hunting, and playing with his dog. He is very excited for his new year here at FHS.

### FJHS Student of the Month



**By Emily Hall-Staff Writer**

Angela Suarez is FISD's junior high student of the month. Angela is the daughter of Sandra Cervera and Joe Suarez. She has two older brothers, David and Adam, and also two younger brothers, Andrez and Derrik. She is thirteen years old and is an eighth grader at FJHS. In her spare time she likes to play basketball, baseball and softball with her friends. When Angela grows up she wants to be a San Angelo State cheerleader. "Angela is a wonderful student who has a great attitude," said Mrs. Bradley. "She always has a smile on her face and is a joy to have in class."

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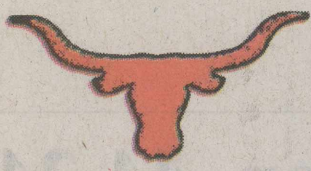
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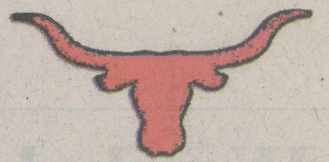
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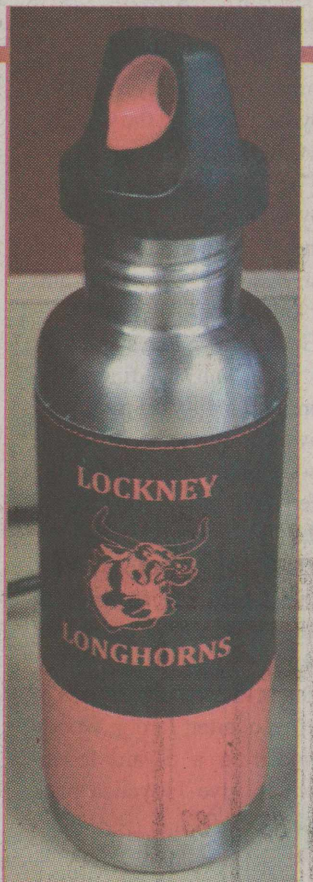


# Longhorn News

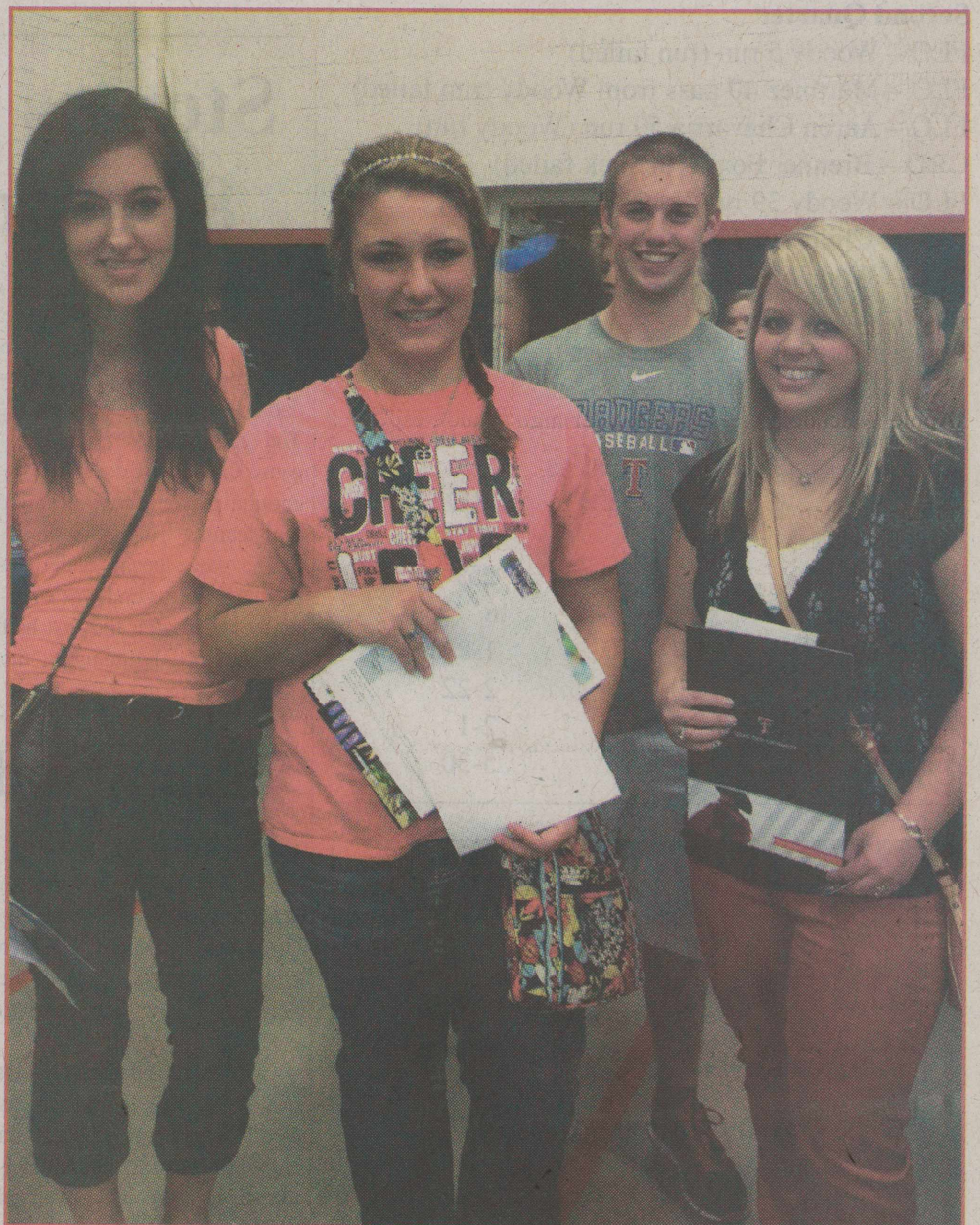


Here in Lockney we have this thing called the "After Game Supper." This event is sponsored by various churches here in Lockney to show their support of the Lockney Longhorns. The after game supper is something we have after every home game, win or lose, where students can go and fellowship with their peers. They serve food and drinks with a little something sweet on the side. This picture includes Colby Verdine, Mackenzie Kemp, and Nathan Caballero having a good time at the after game supper.

The LHS Freshman class is selling sports bottles to help raise money for this year's class activities. They are \$10 each and you can purchase one in the high school office. These durable 25oz. stainless steel sports bottles would make a great gift for anyone!



The Lockney High School 2012-2013 cheer camp took place last week and had about 50 young ladies here to support their Longhorns and spend the week with the LHS cheerleaders. They performed in front of an enthusiastic crowd during last Friday's pep rally showing off their new cheers and a new dance.



On Tuesday, September 25th, the LHS seniors attended College Day at Plainview High School where they visited with representatives from different colleges from around the state. Here in the photo are some of the students who went to this event. From left to right are Lindsay Stewart, McKenzie Kemp, Maison Ragland, and Ryann Race.



"See you at the Pole" is an annual gathering of people of faith. The American See You at the Pole event occurs on every fourth Wednesday of September. The event began in 1990 and still continues today. This is where all High School and Junior High students gather around a flagpole in front of their school for prayer, scripture reading and singing hymns, during the early morning before school starts.

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# Floydada School

## Woody leads way as Whirlwinds burn Crosbyton, 44-24

By Homer Marquez  
Herald Sports Editor

The Whirlwinds got win number two Friday night as Floydada defeated the Crosbyton Chiefs 44-25.

"We did very well," said Floydada head coach Todd Bandy. "We finally played four quarters of football and our kids deserve this win."

Getting the game started for the ' was Danny Martinez, who scored off a 45-yard pass from Floydada quarterback Jordan Woody in the first quarter; the failed PAT put the Winds up 6-0.

The Chiefs answered back with a 1-yard touchdown from Nathan Childers; a successful kick put Crosbyton up 7-6.

But in the closing seconds of the first quarter, Jordon Woody pounded in a 5-yard touchdown to give Floydada back the lead, 12-7.

In the second quarter, Woody once again found Martinez for a 4-yard touchdown

pass. Running back Aaron Chavarria followed with a 51-yard touchdown run to give Floydada a 24-7 lead.

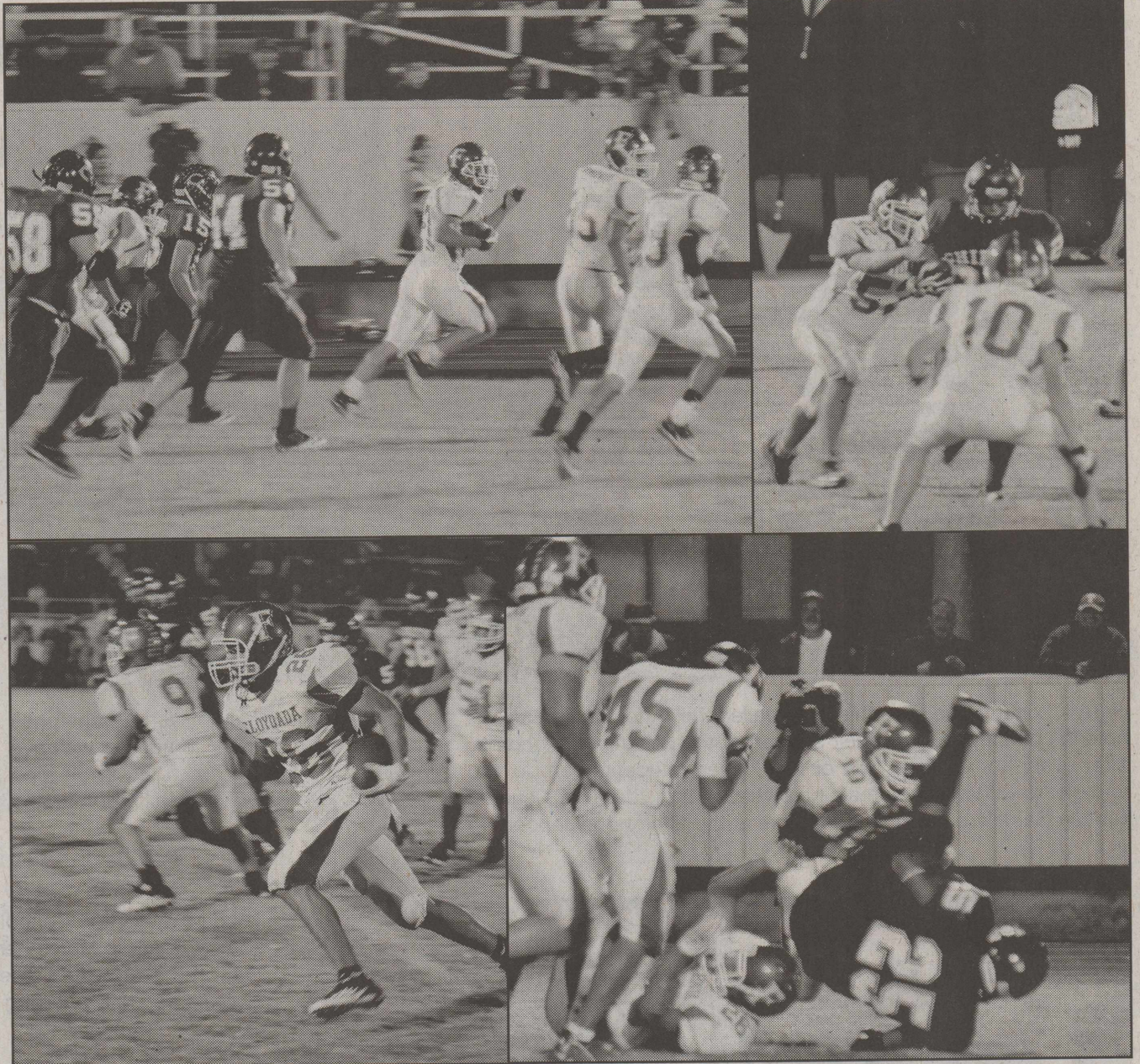
Crosbyton's Brenner Fox answered back with a 2-yard touchdown, but Floydada's Woody returned the favor with a 39-yard touchdown run.

The Chiefs' Nathan Childers found the end zone one more time before the end of the half with a 7-yard touchdown. But Woody once again returned the favor with a 61-yard touchdown run to close the half with Floydada leading 38-19.

With neither team scoring in the third, Crosbyton broke the drought in the fourth with a 1-yard touchdown from Fox.

Floydada capped off the game though with a final 6-yard touchdown from Aaron Chavarria to end the ballgame 44-25.

Floydada will have a bye next week before entering district against Olton.



Photos by Tonya Gooch

### Floydada 44, Crosbyton 25

#### First Quarter

FLO- Danny Martinez 45 pass from Jordon Woody (run failed)

CRO - Nathan Childress 1 run (Rudy Garza kick)

#### Second Quarter

FLO - Woody 5 run (run failed)

FLO - Martinez 40 pass from Woody (run failed)

FLO - Aaron Chavarria 50 run (Woody run)

CRO - Brenner Fox 2 run kick failed)

FLO - Woody 39 run (kick failed)

CRO - Childress 7 run (run failed)

FLO - Woody 61 run (pass failed)

#### Fourth Quarter

CRO - Brenner Fox 1 run (pass failed)

FLO - Chavarria 6 run (run failed)

#### Team Statistics

	FLOYD	CROSB
First Downs	11	10
Rushes yards	272	251
Passing yards	189	8
Comp-att-int	7-13-0	1-8-0
Punts-avg.	0-0	2-22
Fumbles-lost	0-0	2-1
Penalties-yards	8-60	5-30

## Storms stop the 7<sup>th</sup> grade 'Winds... 8<sup>th</sup> grade 'Winds come out on top

By Beth Logsdon

This week the 7th grade football team had a short game at home, which ended Floydada 6, Lubbock Christian 12. The game was arranged because Crosbyton doesn't have enough players for two junior high teams.

The game began under the threat of storms and was eventually called after the first half due to close lightning in the

area. Jordan Mendoza scored Floydada's only touchdown during the 1st quarter. Mendoza also had significant tackles on defense. Other notable defensemen for the Whirlwinds were Ruben Marmelejo and Jaiden Blakely.

The 8th grade football team faced the Crosbyton Jr. High Braves at home on Thursday, winning 42-14. The talent is spread throughout the team as

six different players scored for the Whirlwinds.

Corey Mathis scored three touchdowns during the first half of play and also assisted the defense. Abraham Perez squeezed into the end zone at the beginning of the 2nd quarter and helped earn yards in the 3rd. At the end of the first half, Albert Dehoyos ran for more than 50 yards to score for Floydada. In the 4th quarter,

Sammy Segura earned another 6 points for the 'Winds. Anthony Bolton added 4 points to the scoreboard with two successful 2-point conversions and Marcos Cervera also ran in 2 points.

Next Thursday the 7th grade team will travel to Amarillo to face the San Jacinto Christian Patriots at 5:30 p.m. and the 8th grade team will play Memphis at home at 5:00 p.m.

## Whirlwind 8th grade defeats Chieftains 42-14

By Coach Renfro

The Floydada Whirlwind 8th grade football team defeated the Crosbyton Chieftains 42-14 to grab their second victory of the season and bring their record to 2-1.

Corey Mathis had a huge first quarter, scoring 3 touchdowns as the Winds jumped out to an early 20-0 lead. Anthony Bolton added a 2-point conversion

on Mathis' second score. The other two PAT's failed.

After Crosbyton scored to make it 20-6 in the second quarter, Abraham Perez scored from 2 yards out to make the score 26-6. As time was running out in the first half, Albert Dehoyos caught a pass from C.J. Coronado and scampered 63 yards for a score. Dehoyos picked up key blocks downfield from Michael Crone

and Alfonso Mendoza. Marcos Cervera added the PAT to bring the halftime score to 34-6.

Crosbyton scored an early touchdown in the third quarter to make the score 34-14. Dehoyos recovered a fumble during the quarter to stop another Chieftain drive.

Sammy Segura scored the game's final touchdown on a 57-yard run. Boltón added

the PAT to make the final score 42-14.

Mark McGowen, Joe Johnston and Carson Turner played well on the offensive line, while James Ponce and Robert Mora had strong games defensively up front. Lewis Alaniz made several plays at linebacker for the Winds who will next be in action against Memphis at home on Oct. 4th at 5:00.

## It's 4-H Family Auction Time!

By Patty Davenport

Work is underway on the 11<sup>th</sup> bi-annual 4-H Family Auction. The auction is scheduled for Tuesday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Floyd County Friends Unity

Center. A meal will be served at 5:05 and the auction will begin at 6:06. The auction will include a live auction, silent auction and raffle.

4-Hers and families are busy

collecting donations from local businesses. Items donated have included baked goods and confections, home décor items, farm chemicals, collegiate collectibles and sporting event tickets. The money raised at the auction goes toward Floyd County 4-H scholarships, awards and projects. It also is used to assist Floyd County 4-Hers participating in 4-H events and camps.

4-H is a community of young people across America 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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# Lockney School

## Lockney Longhorns fall to Olton in overtime

By Homer Marquez  
Herald Sports Editor

The Olton boys got their first win of the season Friday night as the Mustangs defeated the now 3-2 Lockney Longhorns in overtime, 19-13.

"We were long overdue," said Olton head coach Ed Perez. "Everything finally started clicking, we finished our drives and we had a very aggressive defense. Lockney is definitely a power running team, and it was a physical game. I tip my hat to Lockney."

Lockney suffered their second straight loss against the Mustangs, and head coach Malcolm Morebe says there's still some work to be done if the Horns plan to get back to their winning ways in their next game against Tulia.

"We've got some things that we have to fix," Morebe said simply.

Olton linebacker Miguel Hernandez got the game started in the second quarter with a 27-yard interception return for a touchdown.

Hernandez's touchdown was the only one of the first half, but Lockney came back in the third quarter of a 29-yard touchdown from Longhorn quarterback Erik

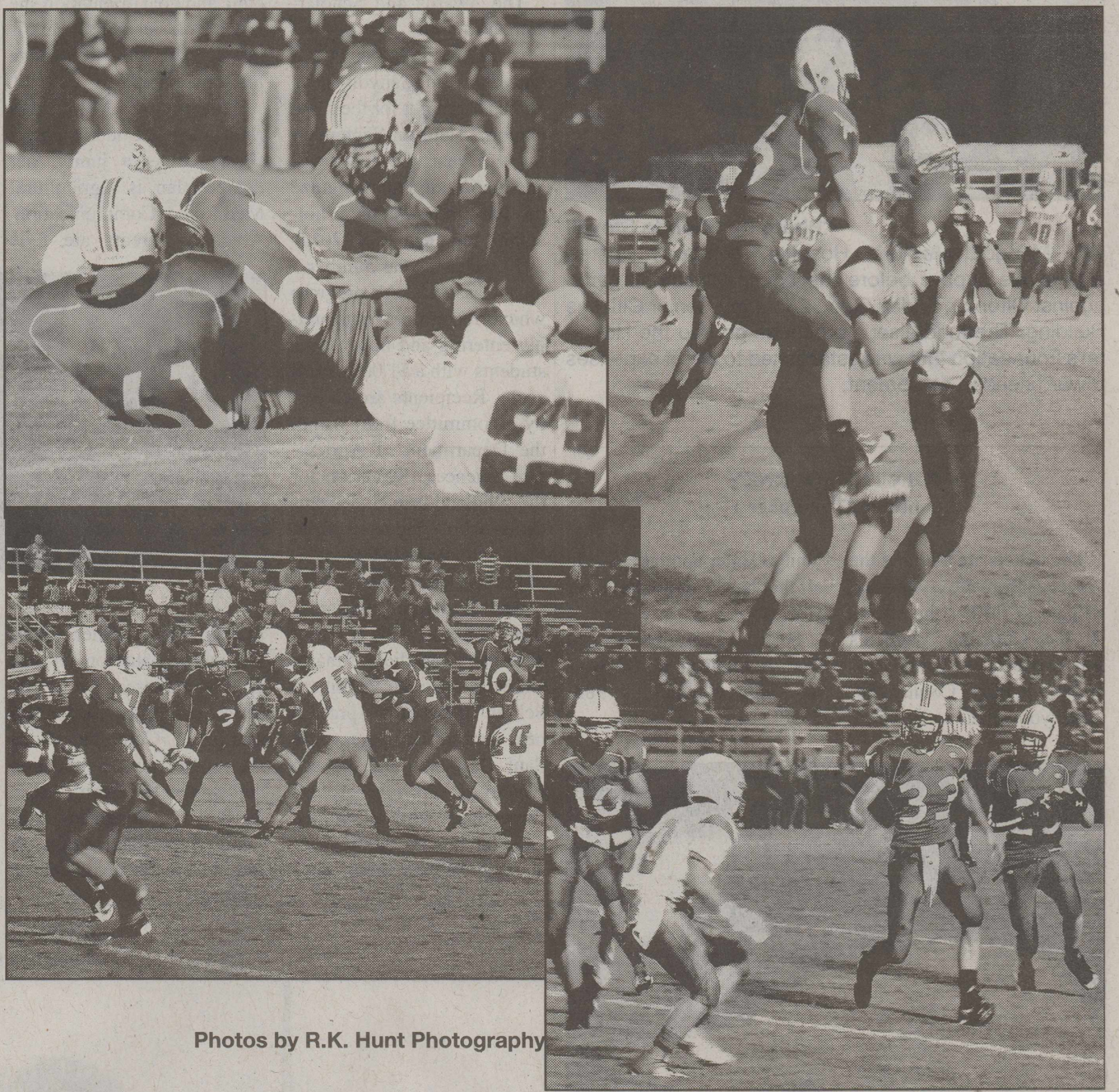
Cortez to Ian Dunbar. Later in the quarter, the pair connected again for a 10-yard touchdown reception to put Lockney up 13-0 going into the fourth.

As the closing minutes fell off the clock, key runs by Olton's J.R. Sullivan and Eric Hernandez marched the Mustangs down the field. Facing a possible fifth straight loss, Olton's Skeet Mandrel finished up a rushing drive with a 1-yard touchdown to send the game into overtime with the score tied at 13-13.

Lockney took the first possession of the overtime period, but Olton's defense would stuff the Horns at their own 44-yard line with the help of linebacker Jace Raney. Olton's running game went back to work driving the ball into the red zone. Eventually, Mustang Miguel Hernandez punched in a 1-yard winning touchdown to give Olton their first win of the season.

Olton will have a bye next week, before taking on the Floydada Whirlwinds in their first district match-up.

"We are going to be working very hard to prepare for Floydada," Perez said. "We know they are working hard to prepare for us



Photos by R.K. Hunt Photography

## Seventh grade Shorthorns demolish Olton with a 26-0 win

By Willie Luna

Lockney Shorthorns 7th grade team played in a blowout game against Olton ending in a score of 26-0. It started off with a devastating run by Austin Salazar from the opposing team's 43-yard line for the first touchdown of the game. A 12-yard touchdown was scored by Salazar later in the first quarter making the score 12-0.

The second quarter saw a well-earned three yard touchdown by Tristin Schlueter making the score

18-0. The Joe Ochoa went for and scored a two-point conversion, bringing it to 20-0 late in the third quarter. A fumble recovery was made by Shawn Marquez, allowing the Shorthorns to get the ball back for a 17-yard pass to Kevin Lopez for a first down. There was a 10-yard touchdown by Ochoa in the fourth quarter to bring the score to 26-0. A fumble recovery in the fourth quarter by Nicholas Rendon ended the game. The next game will be Thursday at 5 p.m. against Tulia.

## Lockney 8th grade football team defeat Olton Mustangs 8-0

By Kyle Browne

The Lockney Longhorns 8th grade football team won a tight battle with the Olton Mustangs 8-0. The Horns got off to a quick start, scoring in the 1st quarter. The touchdown was made by Trevor Ascensio on a 56-

yard run with a two-point conversion added by Jacob Ochoa. They played great defense. Luke Kasner finished the game off with an interception late in the 4th quarter. The Horns' next game will be against Tulia in Lockney.

## Longhorn JV defense strong in game against Olton

By Keegan Reynolds

The Lockney Longhorns took the field after a week off and started strong. The Longhorns came out in the first quarter netting two scores. Daylan Gatica connected with Justin Suarez for a 15-yard touchdown. The defense held strong, forcing Olton to punt. The Longhorns then ran the ball down the field and called on Levi Kasner to punch in the

4-yard touchdown. That was the end of the scoring for the Longhorns. Olton got on a role before the 2nd quarter was up and got a score of their own making it a 6 point ball game. The offense was held scoreless in the 2nd half, as Olton punched in one more touchdown tying the game up. The Longhorns record is now 2-0-2. They will play Tulia Thursday night in Lockney.

## Lockney FFA to hold annual meat, knife fundraiser

By Brady Rasco

The Lockney FFA Chapter will be having their annual meat and knife fundraiser over the next two weeks. We will be selling a variety of Golden Valley Farms meat products that are perfect for your Thanksgiving feast! We also will

be selling American made RADA Cutlery knives and kitchen utensils. To order product, please see a Lockney FFA member or contact our office at (806)652-4941 for more information. Thanks for your continued support for the future of agriculture!

## Lockney FFA Show Team brings home top honors at South Plains Fair

By Brady Rasco

Courtesy Photo

The Lockney FFA Chapter participated in the South Plains Fair heifer and steer show this past weekend. The show team started off the show with a Chianina heifer shown by Ky Teeter. The Chi heifer won her class, was able to win the division championship and then showed against all other division champions for the title of Supreme Champion Heifer. Ky and his heifer clenched the title of Supreme Champion Heifer of the show beating out some of the best heifers in the state. Our winning streak continued as the steer show followed the heifer show. The steer show was tough as well with an average of 18 steers per class. Ky Teeter had the champion middle weight non-black cross steer, Haley Dunbar exhibited the 3<sup>rd</sup> place middle weight black cross steer and Shelby Dunbar exhibited a 7<sup>th</sup> place heavyweight british steer. Congratulations to these individuals on a great show and a great representation of Lockney ISD!

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### PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

#### CITY OF LOCKNEY

#### TEXAS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM- COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FUND

The City of Lockney will hold a public hearing at 5:05 p.m. on October 9, 2012 at Lockney City Hall in regards to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Agriculture for a Texas Community Development Block Grant Program (TxCDBG) Community Development Fund grant. The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the citizen participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TxCDBG funding available, all eligible TxCDBG activities, and the use of past TxCDBG funds. The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TxCDBG application and to make their views known at this public hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and proposals to Charlotte Hooten at Lockney City Hall. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact Lockney to arrange for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact Lockney at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

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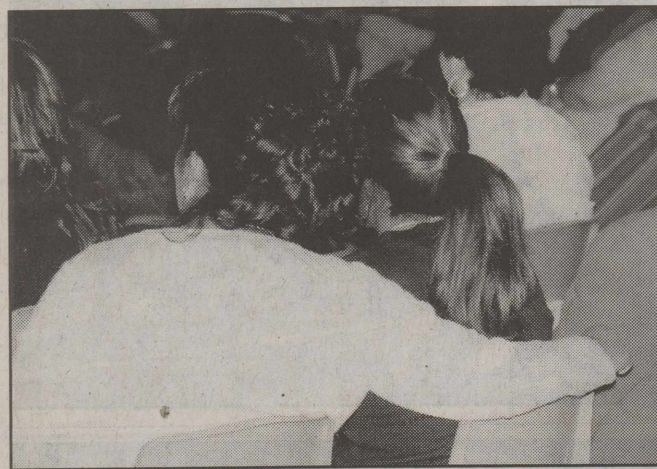
W.J. Mangold Memorial Hospital Foundation hosted a pancake supper before the Lockney football game against Olton on Friday, Sept. 28, at the Senior Citizens Building. The fundraiser's proceeds go into the Hospital's Foundation that was established to offset expenses toward needed equipment.

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The tickets are \$20 and the proceeds from the conference will go to further the efforts of the Christian Women's Job Corps New Options for Women in Floyd County. So, make your plans to be at the

Unity Center and take part in all that has been prepared for you.

For more information call Connie Johnson at 983-3441 or Karen Houchin at 983-5556.



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Kathi is an RN in the hospital. She has been employed here since September of 1980. She is a staff nurse covering the floor and the ER. Kathi is an excellent nurse. She shows great concern for her patients as well as her coworkers. She loves the versatility of her job, her coworkers and our hospital. Kathi is very skilled and knowledgeable and always gives her best at whatever she does.

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# Panhandle-Plains Scholarship Recipients for 2012-13 recognized

The Awards and Scholarship Program, part of Ag Day at West Texas A&M University in Canyon is an annual highlight for the association. Held on September 8th this year, the event was an opportunity to recognize the Panhandle-Plains Scholarship recipients for 2012-2013. This is year number 5 for the association's program which recognizes outstanding entering and upper class students with a \$1,000 award each. Recipients are chosen by a committee from within the Department of Agriculture Sciences. Criterion for the scholarship includes students who graduated from high school in the association's service territory.

Anna Castanon, is a senior from Perryton. She is a Pre-Veterinary Medicine major and will begin the Veterinary School application process next spring. Her parents are Saul Castanon and Rebeca Espino of Perryton. Anna's career path was determined early in life by her love of animals. With a strong work

ethic and goal orientation she is well on her way. This is her second year to receive the scholarship.

Abigail Grace Miller calls rural Floyd County home. Classified as a junior, her degree plan is Agricultural Media and Communication. Abigail's parents are Lyle

future plans.

Roger "Chip" L. Morris IV, is a Plant, Soil, and Environmental Science major. Classified as a junior; he plans to be the fifth generation to work the family farm in Vega. Chip's parents are Roger and Mary Ann Morris. His goal is to obtain as much

She plans to pursue a degree in Agriculture Education and would ultimately like to teach at West Texas A&M. Active in FFA and sports while in High School, she was the recipient of numerous recognitions and awards. She was a successful student as well, gaining membership in the National Honor Society. Her parents are Wendell and Charla Shults.

These recipients exhibit a love of agriculture as their chosen field of study and in extracurricular activities. The Department of Agriculture Sciences has done another fine job identifying worthy students for these scholarships. Panhandle-Plains Land Bank is proud to support these individuals and wishes them well as they continue their studies. Panhandle-Plains Land Bank provides long-term credit to farmers, ranchers, and agribusiness in 17 counties of the Panhandle and South Plains. Offices are located in Amarillo, Pampa, Perryton, and Plainview.



and La Tresa Miller. Getting an early start on her post graduation career plans; she served as Editor of the Agricultural Communications of Tomorrow publication and was on the Dean's list in 2010-2011. Her strong family ties to production agriculture will prove invaluable in

farm and ranch based education as he can and ultimately return to the family farm. While at school, he has been able to continue his passion on the farm, commuting to Vega as much as class time allows.

Madilyn Shults is an entering freshman from Pampa.

**PUMPKIN GROWERS**  
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Photo by Jennifer Harbin

Big Maxx pumpkins piled high on a trailer at Morales Pumpkins on Houston Street next door to the Spirit of Sharing.

the East. The biggest part of the pumpkins goes into large markets in Dallas-Fort Worth, Oklahoma City, San Antonio and Houston. However, there are a lot of small

towns that have pumpkin patches, as well as a lot of churches, Boy Scouts troops, FFA clubs and 4-H'ers, that sell pumpkins for fundraisers.

"We are a wholesale company; we really don't sell to the public. We ship to lots in the Dallas area, all over Oklahoma...Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, Ar-

kansas...Houston and some of San Antonio," said Pyle.

One of their biggest customers is the Dallas Arboretum. The Arboretum was published in Country Living Magazine this year for their beautiful and creative pumpkin displays using some of Floydada's pumpkins.

Pumpkin distributor Amado Morales gets his pumpkins from local farmers and ships many varieties to Dallas and Houston, as well as selling locally. Morales Pumpkins, which is run by Morales and his sons, Junior and Matthew, has been in operation for 15 years.

"Assister Punkin' Ranch is a "multi-generation family business" and "pumpkin grower that wholesales pumpkins, as well as has a retail barn with all of the extras of a pumpkin patch, except for a corn maze," according to Assiter. "We have a tour group, train the kids ride on, petting zoo and Border Collie demonstrations."

Come rain or shine, there is no doubt that Floydada will keep living up to its name of "Pumpkin Capital USA" for years to come as the county's farmers and distributors take part in the rich history of pumpkin growing and selling.

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# 2012 HESPERIAN-BEACON FOOTBALL CONTEST



Winners will be announced in next week's issue of the Hesperian-Beacon.

Contest entries are presented in football-shaped graphics, each containing a sponsor name and a list of teams to be selected.

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- Shepherd's Meadow Assisted Living**: 15. Spearman, 16. White Deer
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- Nick Long/State Farm**: 19. Abernathy, 20. Springlake-Earth
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- Payne Pharmacy**: 33. Northwestern, 34. Penn State
- Cogdell Clinics/W. J. Mangold Memorial Hospital**: 35. Texas, 36. West Virginia
- Lowe's Pay-n-Save Lockney**: 37. Vanderbilt, 38. Missouri
- Tastee Burger M**: 39. TCU, 40. Iowa State
- Hammond Sheet Metal**: 41. Patriots, 42. Broncos
- Gavilon Ag Services**: 43. Saints, 44. Chargers
- Floydada Power and Light**: 45. Eagles, 46. Steelers
- Hospice Hands of West Texas**: 47. Browns, 48. Giants
- Assiter Insurance Agency/ Assiter Punkin' Ranch**: 49. Colts, 50. Packers
- Crop Production Services**: 51. Dolphins, 52. Bengals
- Ray Lee Equipment**: 53. Seahawks, 54. Panthers
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- Raceway Fuel**: 57. Vikings, 58. Titans
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### Official Entry Form Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon Football Contest

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### Contest Rules

Any subscriber or purchaser age 7 or older is eligible to enter this contest. Only one entry per week per person, entrants must play every week to be eligible for overall prize.

To play, circle the number of the teams you believe will win on the official entry form.

Only entries on official entry forms brought to a Hesperian-Beacon office in Floydada or Lockney no later than 4:00 p.m. on Friday will be accepted. Photocopies and mail entries will not be accepted. Three cash prizes are awarded at the end of the contest. In the event of ties, prizes will be combined and shared equally by those tied.

Print your name and address plainly on the official entry form and double check your choices before clipping out the entry form and depositing it at a Hesperian-Beacon office before 4:00 p.m. on Friday. Entries are limited to one per person per week.

At the end of the 10-week contest period, the person with the best overall record will win a first prize of \$100. Second place will be awarded \$75 and third will be \$50.



# October goes Pink for National Breast Cancer Awareness Month

October has been designated National Breast Cancer Awareness Month to increase awareness of the disease. October also serves as an excellent time to show support to those affected by breast cancer.

Nationally, more than 232,000 will be diagnosed with breast cancer this year; about 15,000 of those patients will be Texans. Of the close to 40,000 women and men who will die from the disease in 2012, more than 2,600 will be friends, family, neighbors and co-workers from our state.

Breast cancer screening refers to testing an otherwise-healthy patient for breast cancer in an attempt to achieve an earlier diagnosis. Early detection is key to successful cancer treatment and positive patient outcomes. The American Cancer Society issues recommendations for breast cancer screening, including annual mammograms for women over the age of 40. Those recommendations, however, are not a "one size fits all" template.

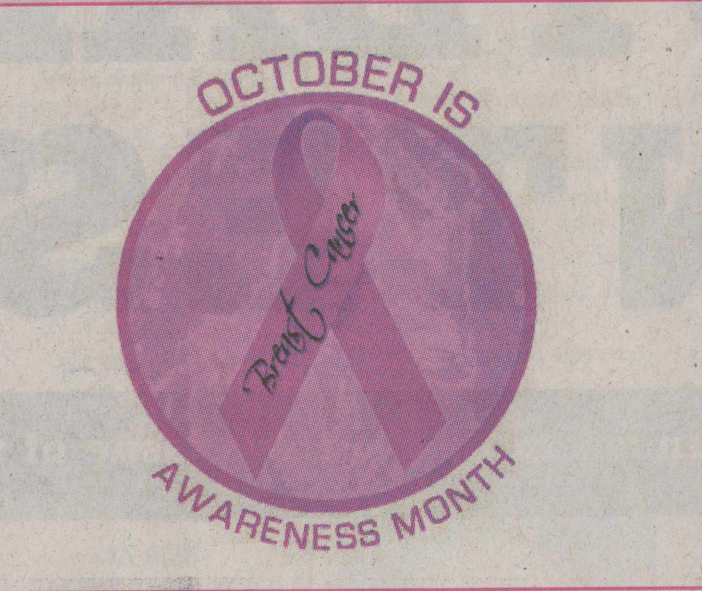
Earlier detection and improved treatment have resulted in decreasing death rates from breast cancer, and better methods of earlier detection – like breast MRI – may improve those rates even further. Progressive breast cancer centers will employ a combination of imaging modalities to meet the unique needs of each patient. While annual screening mammography alone is enough for some patients, many others need additional breast imaging modalities for effective breast cancer screening.

An organization that is familiar when it comes to breast cancer awareness is Susan G. Komen for the Cure. According to their website, "Susan G. Komen is the boldest community fueling the best science and making the biggest impact in the fight against breast cancer."

Thanks to events like the Komen Race for the Cure, the world's largest and most successful education and fundraising event

for breast cancer ever created, this foundation has invested almost \$2 billion working to end breast can-

cer in the U.S. and throughout the world through ground-breaking research, community health outreach, advocacy and programs in more than 50 countries.



There are many retailers and food chains around the country that are promoting special breast cancer awareness products,

are many websites students can go to, including the National Breast Cancer Foundation at nbcf.org and Susan G. Komen for the Cure at komen.org.

In recent years, there has been an explosion of life-saving treatment advances against breast cancer, bringing new hope and

excitement. Instead of only one or two options, today there's a wide variety of treatment choices that fight the complex mix of cells in each individual cancer, including surgery, then perhaps radiation, hormonal (anti-estrogen) therapy or chemotherapy.

There are too many treatment side effects to list them all, but the most common ones are fatigue, nausea, weight loss and hair loss. Some of the scarier side effects include stroke, neuropathy and heart issues. However, many of the side effects are manageable with help from doctors.

While the physical toll that breast cancer and breast cancer treatment takes on a person can be extreme, the emotional toll is often greater and sometimes hidden. Breast cancer patients can struggle with accepting their illness.

It can be a daily struggle between wanting to give up one day and being excited and confi-

dent to get better the next. Family members often don't know what to say or do for their loved one with breast cancer, so they sometimes shy away or avoid the subject.

However, being open to learning about their illness and treatments, allowing them to talk about their illness and feelings, and even going with them to treatments can be invaluable in the patient's progress and emotional well-being. It can also take away the feeling of helplessness family members often have.

Although there is still no cure or prevention for breast cancer, enormous strides are being made in the medical field, allowing for earlier detection and better treatments. And with continuing awareness and fundraising programs, more and more advancements will be made.

So, for the month of October, Go Pink! And show your support for breast cancer patients and survivors everywhere!

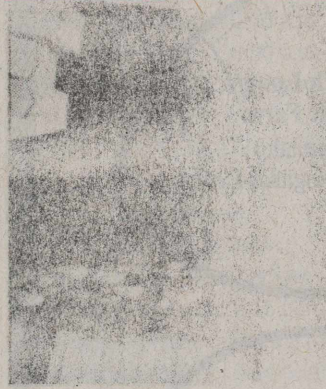


Photo by Jennifer Harbin  
Festive fall extravaganza is on display in Lockney at Garden Gate, a seasonal open-air shop, offering all kinds of autumn treats.



Photo by Jennifer Harbin  
Pumpkin Pyle has a big variety of pumpkins in their warehouse that they ship out to locations like Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston and San Antonio.

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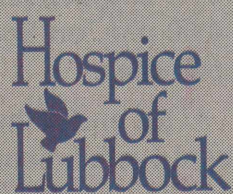
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