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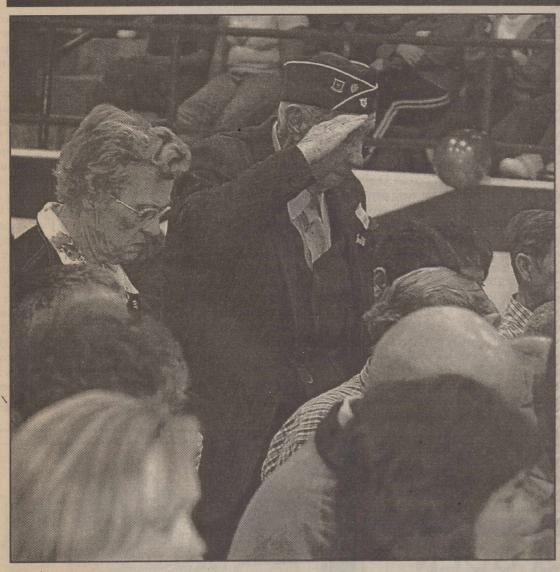
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SALUTING TAPS--Hubert Griffith, a Plainview Veteran, attended Floydada's Salute to Veterans in the Whirlwind Gym. When Taps was played by Jarrett Kirk, Mr. Griffith stood at attention and saluted while the song was played. He was joined by his wife. Mr. Griffith is a WWII Veteran and was captured in Java, by the Japanese. He was kept in French Indo-China, Burma, and Thailand and built railroads for the Japanese. His work, along with his fellow prisoners, was depicted in the movie, "The Bridge Over the River Kwai."

Floydada Chamber plans a "Dickens of a Christmas"

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the square to keep hands warm, car-City's first Dickens of a Christmas and needs the support of the community to make it a success.

Beginning at 5:30 p.m., December 5th, the Chamber will do it's best (with the help of participants) to transform downtown Floydada into Charles Dicken's "Christmas Carol".

There will be fire drums on the olers, parade, and food vendors.

A white carriage pulled by palomino horses will be on hand to give rides around the square.

Everyone is encouraged to dress as their favorite Christmas related character," said Chamber Manager Rachael Castillo.

"We hope we may catch a lights," said Castillo.

glimpse of the Little Drummer Boy, the Kings and Wise Men, Little Tim, and Scrooge.'

There will also be a live Nativity and a few arts and crafts booths under the pavilion.

"I want to encourage everyone to decorate their businesses with decorations and clear

"Old Fashioned" is the theme for Lockney's Christmas party

The Lockney Chamber and Lockney's Downtown Beautification Committee are joining forces to present an Old Fashioned Christmas in the City, De-

The festivities will begin in town at 6:00 p.m. and end at 9:00

FISD looks at cost of new wing at High School

By Darwin Robinson

The FISD Board met in regular session Monday, November 14, and heard a brief presentation from Burnett Hunt of Grimes & Associates of Wolfforth concerning FISD facility needs and a timeline for holding another bond election in November, 2006.

Hunt told the board, "We must regroup and redevelop the overall scope of the work needed because of the rising fuel and construction costs. It is very tough right now to give you some exact dollar figures, but we hope to be more accurate at your next

According to Hunt, instead of constructing a complete new building, as planned in the previously failed bond election, "Now we want to add a new facility (west wing) to the high school's west court yard, making room for the junior high (students). We hope to make your dollars go as far as they can with

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Stores will be open late for p.m. shopping and Santa will arrive in around 6:00 p.m. He will meet with kids at City Bank on Main

An Elementary program will start at 6:30 p.m. and the Christmas story will be read at 7:00

Lockney's High School Band will also be part of the Christmas celebration and hay rides will be offered for 25¢. Singers will also enjoy caroling rides through town.Coffee, hot chocolate, and



WREATH CEREMONY--Veterans gather for the Flag Raising, and Memorial Wreath Laying Ceremony at the Floyd County Veteran's Memorial, November 11, 2005.

FHS honors Veterans

The Whirlwind Gym was filled with students and guests who came to honor local veterans during the school's patriotic Veteran's Day Program, Novem-

As the guests of honor, veterans and their families sat on the gym floor and were treated to patriotic music from students and the Whirlwind Band, a "Tribute to the Armed Forces" presentation, and speeches from students who have recently enlisted in the

The emotional ceremony, which is sponsored by the FHS Student Council, has become a tradition with the school.

After the Boy Scouts posted the Colors, Lucy Ramirez led the program by singing the National Anthem.

Jason Nutt played the guitar and sang "Proud to be an American. He was followed by Jessica Runnels speaking on why she had joined the Air Force

Taryn Rainwater played the "Battle Hymn of the Republic" on a keyboard and then Nicholas Bunch followed with a speech on why he had joined the Marines.

A moving power point slide presentation, from the internet, entitled "Armed Forces Tribute" was shown and then Ruben Ortiz spoke on his decision to join the

Evan Johnson sang "God Bless America" and Reagan Heflin presented a colorful Memorial Wreath. The wreath was later placed at the Veteran's Memorial during a flag ceremony.

The Whirlwind Band played Armed Forces Medley in which the theme song from each branch of the military was played. The veterans stood and were recognized whenever their own theme song was played.

Jarrett Kirk's playing of "Taps" brought tears to the eyes of veterans and guests.

The speeches from the students who have joined the military were a favorite of the crowd and have been included below:

By Ruben Ortiz **Navy Recruit**

Coming from a big family hasn't always been easy, yet that is no excuse to

keep me from succeeding.

In life there will be many obstacles standing in my way. Whether I allow them to

hold me back or not is what makes the difference in my fu-

What makes a man?

My mother always told me that a true man is one that can show honesty, work hard without complaining, and one who is willing to take on challenges in order to be successful. Everyone has dreams, but many times those dreams seem impossible to accomplish.

One of my favorite quotes is this: "Dreams can often become challenging, but challenges are what we live for."

My dream is to be successful in life so that I can prove to my mother that she did a fine job of helping me become a man.

The navy is a step towards my dream. It is one challenge here I will continue to learn discipline and hard work while I develop and mature into the man I want to become. When I get older, I hope to show my future wife and kids that they don't have to worry about anything, for all their needs will be provided. Last of all, I hope to say that at one point in time I represented the most beautiful country in the whole wide world--the United States of America.

By Nicholas Bunch **Marine Recruit** (edited for space)

My name is Nicholas Bunch and I have en-

listed in the United States Marines. There are

many factors that have influenced my decision to join the

Marines. Some of them are: money for college, training in any field I choose for a small sacrifice of my time, family tradition, and many others.

One of the most powerful influences is all of the brave men and women who have served before me. Many of these men and women have given their lives to protect the freedoms we have today, the same freedoms many people taken for granted. There are many people who complain about the way out country is run, yet do nothing about it while they have the right to. Then there are the people who are sitting in front of me that gave their time and effort to protect our right to change the government.

As far back as one looks into American history, there have been men and women who gave their all to give us freedom. Think how different our lives would be if it weren't for the brave souls who fought for us in the past.

It is because of these people that I have chosen to join the United States Marines.

The men and women that are in the Armed Forces have filled me with a sense of duty and commitment. I wish to continue their legacy and make sure that the citizens of our nation have the rights that you have fought for, so as to not let your efforts go to waste.

Not only are there men and women fighting for our own nation's freedoms, but also for that of other nations. They are fighting to give the people of the world these rights.

This country has made me into what I am today and I feel it's time to give something back.

Not only am I giving back to my country, I am also honoring the legacy of all those who have served before me and those who are currently serving in the armed forces. For all of you men and women, I thank you all for the sacrifices that you've given

to make this country what it is. So today, I salute you all for what you have given me, and I only hope that I can continue on with what has been set before

Seimper Fi.

By Jussica Runnels Air Force Recruit

Good morning, I am Jussica Runnels and I am a senior at Floydada

High School. There are many decisions to be made before you graduate from High



School. I have made the decision to join the Air Force. I just want you to take a moment and think of a person that you know that has served in the military. What were some of the reasons that they joined?

I am joining the Air Force because of the many opportunities that if offers. It will give me a chance to see the world and to make money doing it. I am also joining for the experiences and the life long friends that I will

When I leave for basic training in June 2006, I will be leaving a family who cares about me very much, but will meet a family that I will learn to grow with, through good and bad times.

During the eight long weeks of basic training I am going to want to give up about a million times, but if I just make it through, it will all be worth it. In the end I will get to help out my family and earn money for col-

Serving my country is a great honor to me and my family. The ones who have served before me, have inspired me a great deal. The veterans that I have spoken to about the military say that joining was the best choice that they made as a young adult.

Another reason that I have decided to join the military is because of the great benefits that they have to offer. Joining the military will give me opportunities I might not have had, which includes going to college. So for all you young adults that will graduate in a couple of years, or so, look into what the Air Force might have to offer you.

In my heart and in my mind I know that I am ready to take the next step of my life. Becoming a member of the United States Air Force is that next step.

Businesses giving away turkeys

With the advertising help of local sponsors The Hesperian-Beacon will be buying 24 turkeys to give-away for Thanksgiving.

The "Turkey Page" on the back page of this week's paper has 24 boxes to be filled out and dropped into boxes of the participating businesses.

The names of the lucky winners will be drawn on Friday, November 18 at 3:00 p.m. Banking establishments will draw prior to closing at 2:30 p.m.

Winners can then pick up their turkey coupon from the business and then pick up their free turkey from Floydada or Lockney's Lowe's Pay-N-Save.

Businesses making this pro-

motion possible are:

Davis Farm Supply in Floydada, City Bank, Lockney and Floydada, City Auto, First National Bank of Floydada, Cornelius Conoco, Clark Pharmacy, Davis Lumber in Lockney, Darty Gin, Cogdell Clinic in Floydada, Kirk & Sons, Raceway Fuel, Lockney Insurance,

Producer's Co-op, Oden Chevrolet, Payne Pharmacy, Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Floydada and Lockney, KFLP Radio, Main Street Pizza, Stapp Paint and Body Shop, Nielson's Restaurant, and the Floyd County Hesperian Beacon office in Floydada and Lockney.

Holiday Deadlines

Thanksgiving--Articles and advertising must be submitted to the newspaper by Monday, November 21, at 3:00 p.m. The paper will be delivered one day early and the newspaper offices will be closed on November 24th and 25th.

Christmas--In order to make early deadlines for printing we must have Santa letters and Christmas greetings brought to the paper by December 2nd.

Palo Duro Basin Oil and Gas Update

Courtesy of Tom Musser

Floyd County: Apollo Energy Operating Company L.P. W.D. Miller Lease Well #1 has been perforated and the operator is evaluating further stimulation

Floyd County: Apollo Energy Operating Company L.P. Ceretha Watson Lease Well #1 last Friday lost circulation at 5252 feet. On Tuesday were drilling ahead at a depth of 7100 feet.

Floyd County: Apollo Energy Operating Company L.P. has staked a new location in the South part Section 24, Block 1, AB&M Survey. This well will be a South offset to the Miller #1. Apollo Energy Operating Company has announced that this well will be the Miller #2 and will be permitted as a horizontal completion. Building the location began on Tuesday morning and Apollo **Energy Operating Company** plans on moving the Grey Wolf Drilling Rig #861 to this location when the rig is finished on the Ceretha Watson #1

Floyd County: BASA Resources, Inc. Foster Lease Well #1 reached total depth of 9750 feet. Last Thursday the well was logged. On Monday, November 147 inch production casing was set to 9521 feet. Patterson-UTI Drilling Rig #494 was rigged down on Tuesday and was moving to a location in Kent County. Motley County: Tyner Texas Operating Company reported that the R.G. Stephens Lease Well #1 was perforated in the upper and lower sections of the lower Penn Shale. Reported upon perforated 156 feet of the upper section of the Lower Penn Shale that R.G. Stephens #1 flowed gas to the surface, the bottom hole pressure was 3027 pounds per square inch. A packer was set to isolate and test the upper section of the Lower Penn Shale. Reported test results were: Open Flow Test - 1500/mcf a day of gas and 37 1/2 barrels a day of condensate at 20 pounds flowing tubing pressure; 1 Inch Choke -1000/mcf a day and 25 barrels a day of condensate at 50 pounds flowing tubing pressure; 25/64 Inch Choke - 400/mcf a day of gas and 10 barrels a day of con-

densate at 100 pounds flowing tubing pressure (from Tyner Resources Ltd. November 7, 2005 news release). The upper section of the Lower Penn Shale was then fraced. As of Tuesday morning were swabbing back frac fluid.

Patterson-UTI Drilling Company: Rig #494 is moving from the Palo Duro Basin to Kent County to drill a horizontal recompletion. Rig #494 is tentatively scheduled to return to the Palo Duro Basin in about three weeks, after the Kent County job, and will continue drilling Floyd County.

A view from

The Los Angeles Times,

which normally keeps pretty

close tabs on Middle Eastern af-

fairs, had a report recently we

saw nowhere else, and quite

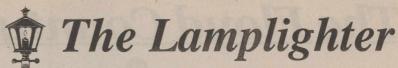
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network has supplanted Israel's

Mossad as our CIA's favorite

working partner.



raeli behavior to criticize U.S. policy on the same subject.) The

cal. But if true, it is most interesting, and perhaps even benefiing relationships. cial for the USA. It said, in ef-

We would hasten to say we read the Los Angeles Times report in the Israeli newspaper Harretz, which reported the matter and gave the LA paper credit, specifically one Michael Scheuer, a recently resigned CIA agent who has been interviewed,

along with many others on the

subject.

Mr. Scheuer said our CIA and the Jordanian General Intelligence Directorate, have become closer since the Twin Towers attack of 9/11 in New York City. They became even closer, said the former CIA agent, following reports of leaks from American intelligence circles indicated this country has practiced torture on certain captives. Israel has traditionally followed those practices, and even their courts have voiced approval. (It perhaps should be noted that certain U.S. Senators have used the spun version of Is-

story hinted, but did not vouchsafe, that the former closeness between CIA and Israel's Mossad had something to do with both the practice and the change in work-

At any rate, in our opinion, the change from Israel's Mossad to Jordan's GID in the buddy-ranking department, may have rather significant implications for the United States. For many years the CIA and Mossad have been like two peas in the same pod. It was not necessarily a matter of the CIA believing Mossad was so terribly much better in Middle Eastern intelligence matters, it was simply the realization by CIA that they had to pay attention to Mossad because of certain U.S. Senators. Besides, we were paying the Israelis big bucks to provide us with the intelligence, even if what they provided us was

If, now, following many fiascoes in the Middle East where Israeli intelligence figured so highly, the CIA has began to downgrade the Jewish intelligence network as it relates to the Muslim world, we will be a lot better off. They, (the Mossad) after all, have had an axe to grind, and American servicemen and taxpayers have paid the price.

Not that Jordanian intelligence will be a big improvement over Israeli intelligence. But at least Americans should now know how the people furnishing the intelligence feel about the bottom line. The Israelis have, for many years, done all they could to get the U.S. involved in Middle Eastern matters on their side. A sufficient number of religious leaders and lobbyists have supported that effort, and a sufficient number of Congressmen have been most supportive of those efforts. Fortunately, not

The vast majority of American citizens are reduced to getting information about Middle Eastern affairs from either the White House or Congress. In either case, a very, very, few are more concerned about the people back home than they are about campaign donations from certain interests, or, from what now passes as "the media," organizations increasingly concentrated in the hands of special interests.

The idea that members of the CIA are some sort of superior beings, endowed with higher intelligence and nobler spirit, is just so much hogwash. We lived in a nest of CIA agents in McLean, Virginia, not far from the Agency's headquarters at Langley. One of your Editor's closest friends as a little girl, was the daughter of the guy who finally pieced together the socalled Ho Chi Mihn trail, a network of various trails from North Vietnam, through Laos and Cambodia into South Vietnam. The CIA folks were regarded, rightly, as bureaucrats like most others who inhabited the warrens around town. In practically every case, we knew who worked for this agency, or that agency. There were talkative ones, and quiet ones. There were some who regarded their stint with CIA as the high point in their career. There were others who could hardly wait until their 20 years were up so they could depart. In short, most of those I knew in my 14 years at that location were just about like anybody else. Sometimes right, sometimes wrong.

By: Ken Towery

email: chowdipper@austin.rr.com

But they were not paid to be in doubt, even if that meant scrounging for information anywhere they could get it. And the Israelis, having been at that game much longer that we, knew how to fill any void, or, when necessary, make sure a void did not exist. Their goal is obviously the same as any people's goals ought to be...self- perpetuation. Now, if the third-hand, leaked, story is true, Israelis will have some competition from Jordan when it comes to filling that void.



The Lockney Police Department will be holding their annual Hunter Education Course on Saturday, Nov. 19th and Sunday, Nov. 20th. The course will be held at the Lockney Youth Activity Center. The course will be from 8 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Sunday. YOU MUST ATTEND BOTH DAYS TO RECEIVE YOUR CERTIFICATION. For more information or to pre-register please contact the Lockney Police Department at 652-3548

Courtroom Activities

Sleepless Nights?

Tossing and Turning?

Does your Back hurt?

In County Court, November 2, 2005, Oscar Sanchez, 43, of Floydada, was charged with False Report to a Peace Officer.

November 9, 2005, Ricky Ibarra, 18, of Floydada, was charged with Assault. There was no disposition on this case.

Also on November 9, Leonard Flores was charged with Possession of Marijuana.

November 14, 2005 Santos Benzor, of Mexico, pled guilty to DWI. He was fined \$200, 10 days guilty to a September 20, 2005 in jail, court costs, and his charge of Theft of Property. He driver's license was suspended

with Theft by Check of More Sanchez was dismissed.

Than \$20 and Less Than \$500

Noe Romero, of Floydada; two cases against Estaban Garcia, of Floydada; Shannon Jackson, of Amarillo; Elisa Reyes, of Lockney; Sabrina R. Hernandez, of Plainview; Nancy DeHoyos, of Floydada; Marco DelaFuente, of Floydada; Karen D. Tiffin, of Plainview, Christine Cuellar, and Israel Gonzales.

November 14, 2005, David Sanchez, 22, of Floydada, pled was fined \$500, court costs, and restitution of \$200, and sentenced Also on November 14, the to 30 days in jail. Another case following people were charged of Theft of Property against

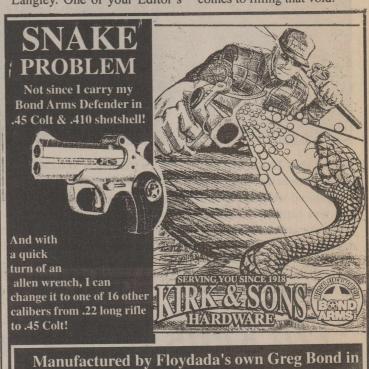
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Lockney Chamber of Commerce & Lockney **Downtown Beautification** Presents

Old Fashioned Christmas

The festivities will begin on December 5, 2005 at 6:00pm and continue until 9:00pm

Come Downtown and be a part of the festivities something for everyone:

Santa will arrive in town around 6:00pm at City Bank There will be an Elementary Group Program around 6:30

The Elementary Children will also decorate the tree starting at 6:00pm The Christmas Story will be read around 7:00pm

The High School Band will play at 7:30pm

There will be Hay rides for .25 cents. For all you singers we will also have a Caroling Ride through town

Come and be a part and support our efforts to clean up the downtown.





We will have coffee and hot chocolate for sale for .25 cents and home made cookies for sale also.

The members of the Chamber and the Beautification Committee will be present to answer any of your questions. See if you can locate the members.

The Chamber is striving to help our local community businesses and with the help of the Beautification Committee we are all trying to clean up our downtown area to attract people and businesses to locate in Lockney.



LOCAL VETERANS WERE HONORED Thursday, November 10, 2005 in the Lockney Elementary cafeteria. The whole fifth grade class worked together under the direction of Mandy Hunter to provide a special luncheon and patriotic program for about 75 veterans and wives as well as the students, teachers and other guests. The lunch was prepared by Joyce Marks and her lunchroom staff. "The students wrote and mailed out all the invitations, greeted, helped register and escorted the Veterans to their tables," said Hunter. The special guests were treated to a program that included, among other things, Superintendent Phil Cotham singing "America the Beautiful" and the fifth graders performing a poem which spelled out the word Veteran. In appreciation for their thoughtfulness and hard work on behalf of Veterans, the South Plains Veteran's Association gave each fifth grader a T-shirt. After the program, the students had their Tshirts autographed by the Veterans present. Pictured are some of those in attendance, (left to right) Claude and Wilma Brown of

Staff Photo

Letters to the Editor

Lockney, Laura Teuton, Rayanne Race and Paul Teuton.

Dear Editor,

The Veteran's Day program Friday was such a great presentation. Everyone who had a part on the program did an outstanding job.

Thank-you so much to the young singers, the speakers who will be going into the service in the not-so-distant future, and especially the band for such a great day.

The band's performance of the anthems of the various divisions of the armed forces was quite moving as the members stood. Thank-you also for the refreshments

The flag ceremony and speech at the Veterans Memorial was a fine conclusion to a very special

Thank you again to each and every one who had a part in this day honoring the Veterans of this community.

L.B. Stewart, Jr. event.

Dear Editor,

To Floyd County--- I have been Cubmaster from December 1998 to December 2005. On January 1, 2006 I will no longer be Cubmaster. I have been Assistant Scoutmaster since 1988 and will continue with the Boy Scouts. I have taught fourth and fifth grade Webelos, but I can't do the type of job for both positions that I want to. I have not had a son in Scouts for ten years now and we need someone to take over the position of Cubmaster. I will give any help that I can to whoever takes over.

To anyone interested please call Curtis Emert at 983-2281 or Bob Gilliland at 983-5131.

I sincerely hope that someone will take this position to help keep Cub Scouts going in Floydada.

Thank you, Curtis Emert Dear Editor:

On behalf of the Veterans of VFW Post 5616 of Floydada/ Lockney we would like to thank the students and faculty of Floydada High School for the tremendous ceremony that was put on to commemorate Veterans Day November 11th. We know that all Veterans and their spouses greatly appreciated the effort that was put forth. Again....Thank

John Moss Commander
Philip Wilbanks
Quartermaster
VFW Post 5616

Dear Editor:

On behalf of the veterans, their spouses and families who attended the Tribute to Veterans assembly at Floydada High School on November 11, I want to take this opportunity to express my deepest appreciation to all who were responsible for the event.

It makes me proud as an American, a Texan and a resident of Floydada to witness such outward display of national pride as exemplified by those students who were involved in the program. The speakers, singers and musicians were an inspiration to all present. As the Spirit of the 'Winds Band played the songs of the various military services, I couldn't help but swell with pride while standing to the strains of "The Army Goes Rolling Along." I know the other veterans who arose when their particular song was played shared the same feelings.

During these turbulent times of concern and worldwide unrest, it is gratifying to see our young people expressing such awareness and patriotism. Thanks to all of you for a job well done!

Sincerely, Bill Gray Floydada, Tx



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Lockney's churches join together to celebrate a Community Thanksgiving

The annual Lockney community Thanksgiving service will be on Sunday, November 20 at 7:00 p.m. hosted by the First United Methodist Church, Rev. Neely Landrum, Pastor.

Dr. Carl Moman, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Lockney will be preaching on the topic "Safe Within Your Arms, Lord", based on Matthew 11:28. The service will include several congregational songs and special music provided by the First United Methodist Church Handbell Choir and by Alex Hall. Other members from the Methodist and Baptist churches will be reading scripture.

Everyone attending is encouraged to bring can goods to the

service for the Community Storehouse of Lockney. Mr. Barry Barker, director of the Salvation Army/Community Storehouse, will give a report of the benevo-

lent work done this past year. A love offering will also be taken during the service that will go to the Salvation Army/Community Storehouse.

Women's Protective Services needs Christmas donations

The Women's Protective Services is hosting the annual Stuff the Chimney Christmas Drive, November 25 through Dec. 19.

The community is asked to donated new, unwrapped gifts to WPS. Individuals, businesses, or organizations may Adopt-A-Family, woman, or child, or donate gifts to the general client

population.

Donations will be collected at Dona Petra's Mexican Restaurant and Bodyworks Fitness locations at 50th and Slide, 82nd and Frankford Ave., 34th and Loop 289 and 5217 82nd Street.

Items needed include: womens clothing, infant, children and teen clothing and necessities, games, appliances, and cosmetics.

Volunteers are also needed during the Christmas holidays to help with the drive or to host Christmas parties for the clients.

For more information on how you can help, contact Hattie, Michell, or Olga at 748-5292.

Tuesday Lunch & Night

Buffet Pizza & Salad

11:30 - 1:30 Lunch 6:00 - 7:30 Night

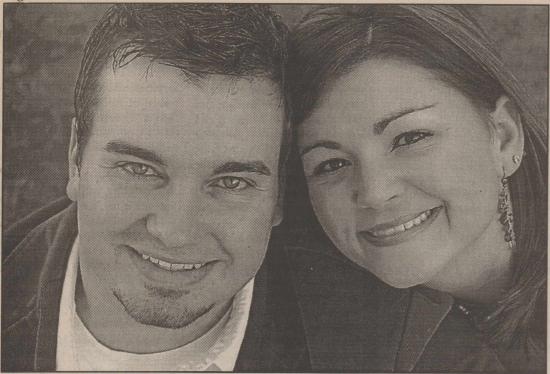


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McGuire and Stice

Jerry and Jody McGuire of Floydada are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Jamie to Justin Stice, the son of Lloyd and Shirley Stice of Post.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Floydada High School and WTAMU, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing. She is currently employed as a registered nurse in the Pediatric I.C.U., University Medical Center in Lubbock.

The prospective groom is a graduate of Fritch High School. He is currently employed as Youth Pastor at First United Methodist Church of Childress.

The couple plan a February 11, 2006 wedding at the First United Methodist Church in Floydada.

Museum News

By Carolyn Hardy

People have been taking advantage of the pretty fall weather to visit the Floyd County Historical Museum. It is surprising to discover there are so many people from all over the United States with connections to Floyd County pioneers. Out of state visitors in the last two weeks were from Colorado, California, Tennessee, New Mexico, Arkansas and Michigan.

E. L. "Junior" Brotherton from Lockney brought his uncle, Earnest Baxter, from California, to the Museum on Tuesday, November 08. With then were Earnest's two daughters, Leona Lovelace and Margie Knight from California and Junior's cousins, Floy Baxter Lancaster from Duncan, Oklahoma and Linda Baxter Kidd from Lockney. Junior's mother was Lena Baxter Brotherton. Linda's father, Clyde Baxter is celebrating his 100th birthday this month. They enjoyed looking at information on the family names of

Baxter, Wyly, Myers and Jarboe. Huford and Carolyn Sue, of Lubbock, former Floyd County - internet that the Museum had arresidents, came in one afternoon and spent time looking at the photograph collection on the computer. The people in some of

the photographs are unnamed and they helped identify some of them. Frank Potts continues to scan photographs as they are brought in. Most of the photographs are left at the Museum to be picked up after Frank has scanned them.

Vickie Havens, from Lubbock and her cousin, Gail Rutledge, from Poteet, Texas spent Friday afternoon, November 11, searching for information on the Dalton/Rutledge families. Jesse W. Dalton was in Floyd County around 1925. His wife is buried in the Floydada Cemetery. He was a brother to Vickie's and Gail's grandmother. We traced Jesse W. Dalton's father, Benjamin F. Dalton, back to 1850.

Carolyn Ellis Cate, of Lubbock and her sister, Claudine Ellis Cook, of Michigan brought their father, James V. Ellis, of Ralls, in to look around. They were former Lockney residents, moving to Floyd County around

A gentleman from Tyler, Texas was in Floyd County hunting cranes. He had seen on the tifacts from Coronado's Expedition. He was very impressed with the Spanish artifacts in the Museum's collection.

The Museum has 2004 and 2005 Keep Texas Beautiful Christmas Ornaments, designed by Nelda Laney, for sale. Other items for sale include the four books by Richard Flint and wife, Shirley Cushing Flint about the Coronado Expedition, the Coronado DVD or VHS Tape, the Floyd County History Book and the Capitol Christmas Ornaments designed by Nelda Laney (1196-2002). Any one or a combination of these items would make a very nice Christmas gift.

A couple was in Tuesday, November 15, from Humboldt, Tennessee. They said they travel the back roads so they can pass through the small towns. They stay off the interstate highways as much as possible. This type of travel allows them to visit with the people and find out more history about each area. We are finding this true of more and more

The Board of Directors, staff and volunteers of the Floyd County Historical Museum are thankful for the support we receive, in so many different forms, from so many people and would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Floyd County Lifestyles

Clyde Baxter celebrating 100th



CLYDE BAXTER (left) AND BROTHER, ERNEST BAXTER

By Judy Macha

Mr. Baxter will be honored with a 100th Birthday Party at Main Street Church of Christ, Lockney on Saturday, November 26, 2005, 2:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The families of Roy and Linda Kidd and Bob and LaVonne Baxter welcome their community family and friends to join them in this centennial celebration.

Clyde Baxter has begun celebrating his 100th birthday early with a visit from his 92 year old brother, Ernest Baxter of McKinleyville, California; Ernest's children, Leota Lovelace of McKinleyville, Margie Knight of Roseburg, Oregon and Bill Baxter and wife Opal of Branson, Missouri. Mr. Baxter also has a nephew, Junior "Bud" Brotherton and his daughter Renee Armstrong and family who live in Lockney.

Another niece, Floy Baxter Lancaster of Duncan, Oklahoma

Enjoy the fun December 5 at Lockney's

Old Fashion Christmas

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

surviving siblings. Ernest is 92 years old.

ated from Silverton High School. ing with Ma Quinlan and work-

was also here visiting. She is the

daughter of the late Bascum

Henry and Sara Jane "Miss

Jenny" Baxter November 27,

1905 in the town of Gunter which

is in Grayson County, East Texas.

J.H. and "Miss Jenny" migrated

from Hopkins County in East

Texas to the South Plains area to

homestead near Muncy in the

1920's. They subsequently relo-

seven children born to the

Baxters; Clyde, Bascum

"Smiley", Ernest "Stompy",

Horace, Lena Baxter Brotherton,

He and Ernest are the only

Beula and Florence.

Mr. Baxter is the oldest of

cated to the Lone Star area.

Mr. Baxter was born to John

ing at her restaurant for room and board while going to school at Silverton. The restaurant was attached to her house, and I slept on a pallet on 'he dirt floor."

His first job was running a road grader pulled by a tractor.

He married Alma Jarboe in Lockney, July 24, 1930. They were married 67 years before her death. They had two children, Linda, married to Roy Kidd of Lockney and Robert (Bob), who is now deceased. (He was married to LaVonne Priddy.)

Mr. Baxter now resides in the Lockney Health and Rehab Cen-

Ernest remembers his older brother as, "Being as good of an older brother as I was a younger brother. I remember staying with Clyde and Alma at Aiken and baling hay for \$1.25 a day--- and they were twelve hour work days. I always knew I had a place to stay if I needed it. When dad was run over by a car, December 26, 1949, Clyde had to be in charge of the farm.'

Clyde and Ernest reminisced about the cart drawn by two mules, Judy and Dinah, that their dad customized for them to drive the five miles to school at Lone

Their dad built a covered top on the cart so the children would be protected from the weather. "Clyde, who was about 13 years old at the time, would drive the mules for us. We would stop and pick up other children on the way to school when the weather was bad," said Ernest. "We would remove the harness when we arrived, then stake out the mules to graze until time to go home."

The J.H. Baxter homeplace

Clyde and Alma farmed the Clyde attended schools in Jarboe homeplace as well as Muncy and Lone Star then gradu- other places in the area. They farmed at Aiken, then at their He reminisced, "I remember liv- homeplace at Lone Star, before moving into town.

Lockney Senior Citizen News and Menu

By Vera Jo Bybee

I promise you this is the last week I will write about my knee. I know you all are tired of hearing about it. Another couple of weeks and I plan on being all well. I walk with a cane now. No more walker. I went upstairs today with the therapist behind me. I made it up fine but coming down was a little scary. After I got over being so throwing up sick every thing has gone really well. But these weeks are really long being home bound.

My cousin W.L. Thomas called me from Canyon today after reading an article about the Angioplasty surgery. W.L. reminded me that in the 1980's when he had his heart attack the Lockney doctors called Lubbock to Dr. Henson that they were sending a patient that was having a heart attack to him. Dr. Henson said fine cause I have a new procedure to try called Angioplasty. It was before they used the Stint just the Balloon. Dr. Henson told W. L. that he didn't know how long the procedure would last maybe a few months. That was like twenty

something years ago and it is still working. Back in the 80's W.L. had to stay in the hospital 5 days and now they say it is a one day surgery. Things sure do change.

Some lucky Lockney ladies have just returned from going to Branson, Mo. on a tour. They left Monday and came back Saturday. They saw two shows a day while there. Coming home they visited where this man paints the "Precious Moments" figurines.

The ladies making the trip were Dorothy Stapp, Judy Griffith and Annabell Bramlet

Football season is all over. We had a real good time watching the Horns this year.

A couple of weeks ago after Lockney and Floydada played, I received a letter from Lavona Pitchford, of Denton. She is a former Lockney resident and the daughter of Cecil and Charlotte Carthel.

Thank you Lavona for sending me this clipping out of the 1959 Lockney Beacon, by Billy Dan Rolling and Warren Mitchell. The outstanding players were Billy Dan and Warren's

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0.Outstanding players:Gene Messer and Harold Jeffcoat.

1948: Lockney 15, Floydada 12. Outstanding players: Co Captains Red Daniels and Bobby Carthel, Delbert Shearer and Ewell Dee Kelly.

1949: Lockney 38, Floydada 13. Outstanding players: Joe Keeter, Donnie Bybee, Ewell Dee Kelly and Delbert Shearer.

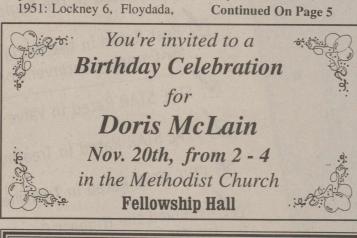
12. Outstanding players: Ray Ferguson, Pat Frizzell, Barry Thompson and Delbert Shearer.

1947: Lockney 6, Floydada 0. Outstanding players: Ray Ferhuson, Teddy Carthel and C.B. Smart.

> 1952: Lockney 0, Floydada 32. Outstanding players: Bill Sherman, Joe Taylor, Orland Gilbert and C.B. Smart.

1953: Lockney 6, Floydada, 32. Outstanding players: Jimmy Williams, Mickey Jones, Eddie Joe Foster, Dennie Quisenberry.

1954: Lockney 0, Floydada, 1950: Lockney 31, Foydada 33. Outstanding players: Marion Cross, Jimmy Rankin, Dan Griffith, J.W. Dipprey, Gene Handley, Fat Williams, Weldon





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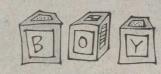




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HAYES

Our precious, angel from above, Rylee, wants to let you all. know that he is now a Big Brother! His little brother and our bundle of joy, Ryker Cade Hayes made his appearance on November 10, 2005.

Giving him love and cherishing him are his parents Cody and Amy Hayes of Lewisville, Texas. Ryker bounced in weighing 6 pounds 15 ounces and was 19 1/

His grandparents are Bil and Ann Anderson and Cleatis and Betty Hayes, all of Lockney.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Laura Anderson of Anton; Mrs. Mamie Hayes of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. Troy Phillips of Brownfield; and Guy Walser of Hereford.

Lockney Senior Citizen News

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Jones, Aand Bucky Duvall.

1955: Lockney 2, Floydada 38. (Homecoming) Outstanding players: Kenneth Calloway, Gene Handley, Bennie Ballard, and Weldon Jones.

1956: Lockney 33, Floydada 21. Longhorns were District Co Champions Outstanding players: John Hanst and Bill Musser.

1957: Lockney 20, Floydada 14; Horns were Bi-District Champions this year. Outstanding players: Dickie Barton, Byron Brock, Larry Hammit and John

1958: Lockney 6, Floydada 12. Outstanding players: Duane Griffith, Bill Race and David Roberson.

1959: Lockney 0, Floydada, 33. Outstanding players: Dan Smith, Lewis Eiland and James

Over the 13 years Lockney won 7 and Floydada won 6. Pretty close scores.

Menu for Nov. 21-23 Mon: Salmon Patties Tues: Chicken Strips

Wed: Chicken Fried Steak Thursday & Friday: Closed

Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word

The Center is open Monday through Friday. Lunch starts at 11:30 a.m. If you are 60 years or older come eat with us and enjoy meeting your friends.

John Cockrell is home after having knee surgery not John Campbell as was reported in my article last week. Sorry about that. John Cockrell is in recovery. He and Geneva are very faithful to the Center and we miss

Our sympathy to the family of Frankie White.

Thank you for remembering the Center when you need to make a memorial donation.

In memory of Frankie White - Jack and Billie Jordan.

Thought for the week - There is no better sermon than a good

Menu

November 21 - November 25 Monday-Baked ham sandwich on wheat toast, tator tots or fries, peas and carrots, sliced tomatoes, fruit salad

Tuesday - Beef enchiladas, beans, tossed salad/French, dry Jello salad

Wednesday - Chicken ala king, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, raisin bread, applesauce or baked apples

Thursday - Thanksgiving Day! Friday - Tacos, red beans, zucchini, tossed salad/Ranch, hot roll, peaches



90th Eunice

The family of Eunice Woody would like to invite you to help us celebrate her 90th Birthday. Her party will be Friday, November 25, 2005 in Walters, Oklahoma. For more information, please call Rilla Sue Woody at 580-875-2008.

If you are unable to attend, please call her at 580-875-2707 or send a card to 505 E. California, Walters, OK 73572. She would love to hear from you.

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Workman celebrates 90th Birthday

On Saturday, November 12, 2005 Edna Workman of Santa Fe House in Plainview celebrated her 90th birthday. The birthday was marked with a luncheon at Santa Fe House attended by 17 members of Mrs. Workman's family at noon on Sunday, November 13th. Party favors and decorations were made by Katie Beth Barton, one of Edna's greatgranddaughters, age 9 of Plainview who was assisted by her mother, Stephanie Barton (Mrs. Brent Barton) of Plainview. The party tables were also decorated with current and vintage photographs of the Workman/ Snodgrass family.

Edna Essle Snodgrass was born on November 12, 1915 in rural Fannin County, Texas to James Newton Snodgrass and Lily Nora Cambron Snodgrass. She was the sixth of their seven children. In 1928 the family left East Texas for the High Plains where they farmed first near Plainview and later at various communities such as Cedar Hill, Lone Star and Rock Creek. Edna worked on the farm in the custom of the time and graduated from Silverton High School in the Class of 1933. During her junior year she lived for several months in Oklahoma City with her brother and sister-in-law and attended Capital Hill High School. Always a good student and an avid reader she loved the

New Voter Registration

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Mrs. Todd Hinsley

honored with shower

ored with a baby shower Satur-

day, November 5, 2005 from

10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. in the

home of Mrs. Dianne Emert in

Floydada. Co-hostesses in-

cluded: Mandy Curry, Cheryl

Dawdy, Ann Jones, Terry Nelson,

Christina Chavarria, Diane

Reyes, Zahn Turner, Patty

Probasco, Shannon Cage,

Suzanne Wyrick, Lindsey Pyle,

Salina Marks, Mary Sanders and

The brunch table was covered

with an overlay of nursery print

which was repeated in a Snoopy

kite overhead. Peach tea punch

was served from a silver punch

bowl. An array of fresh fruits, nut

and fruit breads, cheese, cookies and coffee cake was served to

guests by Many Curry and

Lindsey Pyle. Many beautiful

and useful gifts were presented to the expectant mother.

Out of town relatives who at-

tended included Mrs. Kay Brian, Ethel Brown, Florene Jackson, Tara Williams, Ashleigh

Baumgarten, Kael Baumgarten,

Meredith Williams, all of Lub-

bock. Also present were Kristy

Carroll and Caitlyn of Littlefield

and Nancy Farrington of Borger.

Pray for

our soldiers

Ann Evans.

Mrs. Todd Hinsley was hon-

County residents soon.

The new Voter Registration

Please notify Penny Golightly

big city high school but missed her mother, father and younger sister Bettye.

In October of 1935 she married John Harley Workman at the home of Pastor Goree Applewhite in Lone Star. Shortly after their marriage they made the long trip to California with Edna's brother and his new wife. The young couples already had two siblings living in Northern California and farm work was more plentiful and better paid than in dust bowl Texas. They lived in the Sacramento area for two years where their first child Harleen was born. They returned to Texas to be closer to family living first in Lockney where their second child Jerry was born. They then moved to Amarillo and lived for ten years where their third child Donna and their fourth Wayne were born. Harley worked for a wholesale grocery company and during all the years of World War II worked on steam locomotives for the Santa Fe Railroad. Edna got a small business loan from the bank and opened a neighborhood grocery store which she operated for two years using her profits to help the couple and their growing family buy their first home.

In 1948 Edna and Harley heard that newly prosperous Floyd County was losing its only plumber to retirement and decided that they could use his pipe fitting experience and her busi-

ness skills to open their own business in Lockney where they had family and Harley had graduated from Lockney High School in 1932. Workman Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning was a successful business from 1948 until Harley retired in 1976. It was continued after his retirement by their son David. Most of the homes built both on the farms of Floyd County and in the town of several surrounding counties had their up-to-date amenities installed by Workman.

Edna did the bookkeeping and support staff work while raising five children (David, their fifth, had been born in Lockney) participating in school activities, sewing all her children's clothes, and helping family and neighbors when

The party was attended by: Harleen McAda of Tarzana. California, Donna and Dick Barton of Plainview, Wayne and Beverly Workman of Lubbock and Slaton, David and Janette Workman of San Angelo, Shayne and Michelle Workman, Barrett Workman of Lubbock, Brent and Stephanie Barton, Katie and Bryce Barton of Plainview, Eric and Julian Workman of Lubbock, Velda Workman of San Francisco, California and of course, the guest of honor, Edna Workman.



Association will have their last Tuesday of the month meeting at 7:00 p.m. at the old VFW building south of the swimming pool. The main purpose of this as-

Memorial in Lockney by veterans and interested people. Anyone who has served in the military can be a part of this as-

sociation is to build a Veterans

sociation. The Association meets every last Tuesday of the month. The location of the Memorial is located east of the fire hall.



EDNA WORKMAN

I would like to take this opportunity to announce my intention to seek re-election to the office of Pct. 4 County Commissioner, subject to the March 7, 2006 Republican Primary.

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2005-2006 FLOYDADA JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS-(back row, 1-r) Blanca Suarez, Hallie Bertrand, Breann Gooch, Brityn Helms; (middle, l-r) Lindsey Beedy, Whitley Beedy, Lexi **Courtesy Photo** Covington; (front, l-r) Kaylie Nutt, Kenya Pesina.

FISD discuss options for facilities' needs

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the bare minimum for construc-

Superintendent Jerry Vaughn added, "We have met twice with the school board recently paring down and cutting down (excesses) and setting goals for the school district. We plan on meeting with Vince (Viaille, of Grimes & Associates) after Thanksgiving to look at our options and the one that will fit our finances. We want to look at the overall scope before we go to the bond election."

Hunt concluded, "By conjoining your campuses, four into two, you will save \$400,000 per year. We will factor that into the plan, revisit and look at your elementary needs. This will help you make your final decision.'

No action was taken and the next FISD board meeting will be December 8, according to

In a related matter, the board was presented the monthly financial report by Business Manager Sharon Rainwater. The report showed General Operating funds at \$2,077,880.09, with a 365 Day CD at First National Bank of Floydada at \$3,387,000 (designated for facilities, according to Vaughn), and a 90 day CD at FNB at \$1,500,000.

A Cash Flow Statement showed a Current Cash Balance (overall) at \$7,032,169.56. with a Fund Balance at \$5,492,150.97 as of 9-1-05.

"We estimate our cash flow increase to be \$266,779.88 (this school year). However, with our student count dropping and our \$10,000. We need to know the cafeteria overtime, it is hard to

estimate," said Rainwater.

Rainwater also gave a Tax Statement showing \$1,205,949.25 collected from the Current Tax Roll of \$2,177,230.78. This is 55.42 percent collected, compared to 36.35 percent collected last year at this same time.

The board discussed a parking lot repair and re-graveling estimate, by Butch Finkner of Petersburg, to plow up and repack the Field House parking lot just north of the Whirlwind Gym.

The estimated repair cost of the north one-third of the parking lot was \$18,768 without a 4" caliche base, and \$24,768 with a 4" caliche base. The south twothirds estimated repair cost was \$30,600 without a 4" caliche base, and \$43,834 with a 4" caliche base

Vaughn said, "There are many ways we can do this. We have several options.'

Board President Bill Dean said, "I think we should put as little into this as we need to until the bond election."

Board Member Bart Greer said, "Maybe we could just fill the holes at the entrances with caliche for now.'

No action was taken and Vaughn concluded, "Okay, we will just patch it up.'

Also, no action was taken on 416 W. Lee Street, Floydada. the purchase of electronic voting machines for the school district. Superintendent Vaughn recommended no action to be taken now. "Maybe we can share some machines with the county. Our minimum cost in this will be over rules for upkeep, programing and

the cost for the years to come. How long is the life of these machines?, asked Vaughn.

The board unanimously approved May 13, 2006 as the date for the School Trustee Election. The board approved a 2005-

2006 budget amendment of \$70,000 to be added to the cafeteria budget. "Our revenues are dropping and our expenses are going up. We have lost students this year and we are running four cafeterias. In our last bond election, we had plans to eliminate two of our cafeterias by consolidating campuses," said Vaughn.

The board passed, in a split vote, a recommendation by Vaughn to seek a "waiver" to start classes on August 16th, or 17th, for the 2006-2007 school year, before Austin passes a mandatory start date, according to Superintendent Vaughn.

Board Members Amado Morales, Lyle Miller, Jill Warren and Bill Dean voted for the motion, while Board Member Bart Greer voted against the motion. Board Members Rachael Castillo and Kerry Pratt were absent from the

The board approved a request by the City to tear down a house and remove trash from Lots 11 & 12, Blk 24, Original Town, at

Also, approved by the board were: FISD Head Start policy committee bylaws, a new credit card limit of \$50,000 by employees and signed by Superintendent Vaughn or Business Manager Rainwater, and the resignation of teacher-assistant Randi-Jo Covington of FJHS





TONY PEREZ

Perez placed 15th at State

By Coach Prather

All-State Honors - what a way to finish up a Senior year for Tony Perez! The top 15 finishers at State received All-State, and Tony finished 15th out of 109 runners from all across Texas! He did not get a very start this year and had to fight his way through the crowd in order to achieve the 15th place. He was able to move to about 23rd midway through the race and was in 14th down the home stretch. He did just a great job!

Once again a team from our region (Region I) won the team competition. Boys Ranch easily took first, followed by Wall, another team from this region. Krum, Ponder, and then Holliday finished 3rd, 4th and 5th respectively. The boy from Wall won the race.

It has been another great Cross Country season for the whole team and of course for Tony! I am very proud of how well he has represented Floydada High School. I am sure he is looking forward to a great track season also!





Mastercraft Kids Wakeboard Tournament. See story. Photo by Richard L. Crow Photography

Cornelius placed 5th in Wakeboard tourney

the Texas Mastercraft Kids Wakeboard Tournament Series, October 16, 2005, at Texas Mastercraft and Chapparral Lake in Fort Worth.

There were two divisions, the beginner which was 13 and under, there were eleven in this division, competitors were from the Dallas-Ft. Worth area and Wichita Falls. Jordan traveled the fartherest from Floydada.

The intermediate division was 15 and under.

Jordan placed 1st with 1,520 points in Heat #1 of the boys beginner semi-finals, which allowed him to advance to finals.

Jordan Cornelius competed in Jordan received 5th place overall, and also received the grand prize give-a-way of the Wakeskate Board presented by Pro-Wakeboarder Wakeskater Richie McKee.

Novice division riders perform six specified novice tricks on the trick list. After the six are completed novice riders can perform a seventh or wildcard trick and awarded up to 200 extra

Jordan "wowed" the crowd with a flip at the end of the run. At the time of the event Jordan had a cast on his right arm because of a football injury.



LUCY RAMIREZ led the crowd in the National Anthem at the FHS Salute to Floyd County Veterans, Nov. 11. The ceremony was presented by FHS Student Council. Photo by Anne Carthel

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Floydada School Menu

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Lunch - Burrito, lettuce and to-

Wednesday

Holiday

Thursday

Holiday

Friday

Holiday

matoes, rice, fruit, cake, milk

r)Samantha Flores, Morgan Norrell, and Kelsey Williams.

October 11 - October 15

Monday

Breakfast - French toast, cereal

and graham crackers, juice, milk

Lunch - Chili dog, fries, salad,

Tuesday

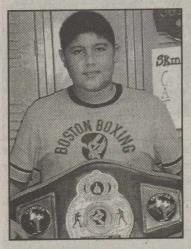
Breakfast - Sausage, toast/jelly,

graham crackers, juice, milk

cookie, fruit, milk



MICHELLE FIERROS won a World Champion title in the 2005 Kick International Open Tournament held in Chicago, Ill., recently. Michelle, who is 108 pounds, competed in the Open Class of 110 lbs., 17 year to 34 year olds. Only one other woman, 23, came up against Michelle and Michelle knocked her out in the 2nd round. The daughter of Manuel and Gloria Fierros, Michelle is trained by Tommy Alcozer, of Xtreme Karate in Plainview. "When they compete in these tournaments, and step into the ring, they never know if they are going to come up against someone who has fought hundreds of times or just once," said Alcozer. "Michelle has been Kick Box training for 6 months. This was only her 2nd kick boxing Staff Photo



AARON RENDON, 12 year old son of Carlos and Almadene Rendon, of Lockney, holds the 2005 Kick International World Championship belt he won in Chicago, Ill., recently. The 140 pound Rendon was entered in the 137 to 147 pound class of 11 and 12 year olds. The tournament was open to anyone who wanted to compete. Aaron was declared the winner by default more outstanding is the fact that, when his opponent failed to after several weeks of practice, fight. He is a seventh grade stu- the original play had to be dent at Lockney Junior High. dropped and a new play chosen He has been kickboxing at and practiced. The students had Xtreme Karate in Plainview only 12 days to put their new under Tommy Alcozer, Sr., since performance together. 2001. Aaron currently holds three titles; one he won in Dav- Hallie Bertrand as "Dr. Benson", ditorium. enport, Iowa, and one in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and now the one in Chicago, Ill. Staff Photo

Veteran's Day Letters

Andrews Elementary 4th graders were asked to write about the Veteran's Day program at Floydada High School, November 11. Their teacher thought a few of them deserved to be shared with the community.

Veteran's Day

By Jessica Cervera

Today is Veteran's Day, the day we honor the people who fought for our country. I love people that do that just for us. I hope God stops the war. Veterans are people that fight for us. I give thanks to them. At the ceremony, I saw people that were in the war. I hope someday I could stop all the wars even if I got killed. If my dad was in the war I would be sad and worried because I would be scared to lose my dad. Someday I would like to visit a country that would not

By Royce DeLos Santos

Today is November 11, Veteran's Day. When I saw all the men and women that fought for our country, I wanted to cry. I thank the people that fought for our country.

My uncle fought in the war but he never came back. One of my other uncles came back without one leg. Every year when it is Veteran's Day, I pray that my uncle is in heaven with his dad.

My other uncle, Daniel, fought in Vietnam and Desert Storm and he was a pilot for the US Air Force. He did come back and still lives

Happy Veteran's Day, thank-you for keeping us safe.

By Jonathan Morales

Today I saw a lot of Veteran's. God bless the people that gave us freedom. Thank-you to the people that fought in the military.

I saw some Veterans and I could not believe that some of the military people were still alive. Sometimes I think about the war in Iraq. They are over there supporting us. I think that God is watching over the people that are in Iraq. Thank-you to the Veterans. God Bless

By Tiara Villa

Some of the people I saw today were in the military and I thank them for fighting in the wars. If it weren't for them, we would not be here, so let's thank them. Today we went to the High School and saw. all those veterans. Some stood and some saluted. I think it is sad because some people died going to the war for us. So we all need to

FJHS cast wins 3rd at **UIL** contest in Tulia

On Saturday, Floydada Junior High performed "Goodbye to the Clown", for UIL contest in Tulia. Their performance won them 3rd place honors overall, three individual cast honors and one crew

Kaylie Nutt's performance as "Peggy" earned her a spot on the All Star Cast, while Jordan Cornelius and Hallie Bertrand were nominated to the Honorable Mention All Star cast for their portrayals of "the Clown" and the principal "Dr. Benson". Laci Nixon received the crew award for lighting.

Making the achievement even

Cast members included:

Lexie Terrell, as "Miss Erwin", Kaylie Nutt, as "Peggy", Jordan Cornelius, as "the clown", Evan Johnson, as "the Mother", and Cole Covington, as "Uncle

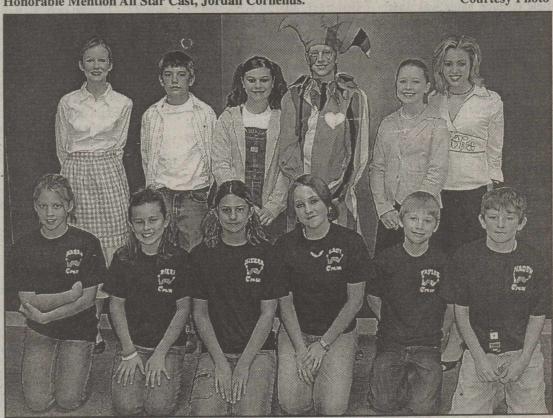
Crew members included: Laci Nixon, Haden Lipham, Nikki Seymour, and Taylor Ross. Alternates were: Sierra Vestal and Sarah Sanders.

"After we found out we could not perform the original play, all cast and crew members never hesitated to choose another play and start preparing," said Director Coach Williams. "They did an amazing job of pulling everything together in a very short period of time. It required a huge amount of work and courage to even attempt it. I am very proud of them."

There will be a performance for the parents and student body at 5 p.m. on Wednesday, November 16th, in the High School Au-



students who received One Act Play honors were: (l-r) All-Star cast Kaylie Nutt; Honorable Mention All-Star Cast, Hallie Bertrand; Outstanding Lighting Director, Laci Nixon; and **Courtesy Photo** Honorable Mention All Star Cast, Jordan Cornelius.



GOODBYE TO THE CLOWN CAST--Floydada Junior High won 3rd place in District UIL One Act Play, "Goodbye to the Clown". The cast was: (back, l-r) Evan Johnson, mother; Cole Covington, Uncle George; Kaylie Nutt, Peggy; Jordan Cornelius, clown; Hallie Bertrand, Dr. Benson; Lexie Terrell, Miss Erwin. The alternates and crew were: (front, l-r) Sarah Sanders, Nikki Seymour, Siera Vestal, Laci Nixon, Taylor Ross; and Haden Lipham. Directed by Janna **Courtesy Photo** Williams.



FISD STUDENTS, EDUCATOR AND STAFF SUPPORT OF THE MONTH-(back row, l-r) Alamar Ovalle - Secretary, A.B. Duncan Elementary; Lionel Garza - Grade 12, FHS; Desmond Ayala -Educator/Athletics, FJHS; (front row, 1-r) Lauren Hall - Kindergarten, A.B. Duncan Elementary; John Cortinas - Grade 3, R.C. Andrews Elementary. (not pictured, Elizabeth Ibarra - Grade 8,

Congratulations

Floydada Whirlwind & Lady 'Winds **2005-2006** Basketball Schedule

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DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	JVG	JVB	VG	VB	
Nov. 17-19	Roosevelt Tourn	(Girls)			TBA		
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Nov. 18	Idalou	T		5:00		6:30	
Nov. 21	Ralls	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Nov. 22	Slaton	H	5:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Nov. 29	Springlake	T	6:00		7:30		
Dec. 1-3	Floydada Classic			TBA	TBA	TBA	
Dec. 5	Merkel	Jayton	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Dec. 9	Spearman	River	TBA		TBA		
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Dec. 8-10	New Deal Tourn	(Boys)				TBA	
Dec. 12	New Deal	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Dec. 16	Petersburg	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Dec. 20	Lorenzo	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Dec. 28-30	Slaton Tourn				TBA	TBA	
Jan. 3	Smyer	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Jan. 6	Olton (Girls) *	H	4:00		6:30		
	O'Donnell (Boys)	H		5:00		8:00	
Jan. 10	Lockney (Girls) *	T	4:00		6:30		
	Littlefield (Boys)	T		5:00		8:00	
Jan. 13	Friona *	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Jan. 17	Tulia *	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Jan. 20	Dimmitt *	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Jan. 24	Olton *	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Jan. 27	Lockney *	H	4:00.	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Jan. 31	Friona *	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Feb. 3	Tulia *	H	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Feb. 7	Dimmitt *	T	4:00	5:00	6:30	8:00	
Feb. 10	Olton (Boys) *	H		TBA		TBA	
Feb. 14	Lockney (Boys) *	T		TBA		TBA	

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Longhorns come up short against Idalou Lockney 10 Idalou 27

By Coach Brannon Rodgers
The Lockney Longhorns met
the Idalou Wildcats in a Bi – District rematch in Plainview last
Friday night. The Wildcats came
in to the game ranked high in the
state. Idalou defeated Abernathy
20 – 3 for the District 5 – 2A
Championship the week before.
On paper, Idalou appeared to be
the heavy favorite.

The Longhorns took advantage of the underdog role in the first quarter. Lockney came out on fire to start the game, and Idalou came out flat. They also took advantage of a strong South wind. The wind was a major factor in all playoff games around the South Plains. Lockney won the coin toss and elected to defer. Idalou started their first possession on their 19 yard line. Rion Aufill took the air out of Idalou's drive when he tackled Weston Sales for an 8 yard loss. Idalou was forced to punt and the field position battle was under-

Lockney's opening possession started near midfield, but the Horns were forced to punt as well. Idalou then took to the air, but Jon Sherman broke on a pass across the middle giving the ball back to his team on Idalou's 31 yard line.

The Longhorns took the turnover and quickly turned it into points as John Vasquez capped the drive with a five yard touchdown run.

Idalou tried some trickery on their next possession. However, Jonathan Silva snuffed out a reverse and made a tackle for a loss forcing the Wildcats to punt back to the Horns. Wes Davis caught the short punt and made some fancy moves to return the ball 25 yards to Idalou's 15 yard line. The Longhorn offense found the going tough against a stout Idalou defense all night. Dahlen McCarter attempted a 25 yard

field goal that split the uprights giving the Horns a 10-0 lead to end the first quarter.

The first quarter was all Lockney's. The second quarter was all Idalou's and then some. The quarter started off with both teams trading punts. On Idalou's second possession, the Wildcats (with the wind to their back now) reached the endzone making the score 10 – 7 with 6:26 to go in the half.

Lockney was again forced to punt into a strong headwind. The Longhorns had done a remarkable job of bottling up Idalou's heralded tailback to this point. However, Weston Sales broke through the left side of the line and sailed down the sidelines for a 54 yard touchdown. This gave Idalou the lead 14 – 10 with 4:38 left in the second quarter.

With the clock winding down, the Horns put together a drive that took them into Idalou territory. However, Idalou's AJ Bravo stepped in front of a Blaine Hall pass and returned it to midfield before he was forced out of bounds. On the very next play, Idalou's quarterback hit a wide open receiver in the flats. After a 51 yard run zig-zagging across the field, the Wildcat found the endzone. The score swelled to 20 – 10 with only 1:19 remaining before halftime.

The second half started with the Longhorns receiving the kickoff and heading South into the wind. The Horns were once again forced to punt.

Idalou took the ball at the 50 yard line. After driving deep into Lockney territory, the Wildcats were turned away on fourth down when John Vasquez came up with a tackle behind the line of scrimmage on the 7 yard line.

The Longhorns moved the ball away from the endzone trying to gain some field position. A Tyler Kidd punt gave the ball back to

Idalou on their 45 yard line. Shortly after, Rion Aufill recovered an Idalou fumble. The Longhorns came up with a critical stop on that possession because the Wildcat's time with the wind to their back was running out

On the following possession, Lockney could not manage to get anything going. They were forced to punt for the seventh time in the game.

It is generally known in high school football that when it is extremely windy, the team that can score going into the wind will usually win the game. Neither team had done so at this point in the game. All scoring had occurred in the North endzone.

Idalou had the ball at their 30 yard line to start the quarter. They kept the ball out of the Longhorn's hands with a 70 yard drive that ended with a 3 yard touchdown pass. The score was now 27 – 10 with only 4:19 remaining in the game. The time consuming drive gave Idalou a three score lead and more or less clinched the game.

Lockney moved the ball to Idalou's 30 yard line before being stopped on downs.

The Longhorns finished their season with a 5 – 6 record. Although they came up short in their final ballgame, the 2005 Lockney Longhorns had a season to be proud of. Thank you seniors for your wonderful leadership throughout your career. You exemplified B.O.B. with your closeness to each other. Your example of effort and determination is your legacy that you have left behind.

	Game Stat	S
Lockney		Idalou
9	First Downs	28
40-121	Rushing Yds	
5/11/1 67		4/11/1 86
188	Total Yds	340



LONGHORNS VS IDALOU--John Vasquez plows over an Idalou defender during playoff game November 11th.

Lockney 8th Grade Football report

The 8th Grade Football team turned their shorthorns into Longhorns last Thursday. The Horns pulverized Friona 30-12.

The running back tandem of Zambrano and Luna lead the Longhorns to their second victory of the year. The line was superior as they dominated the line of scrimmage all night, stated Coach Heard. The defense played extremely well, which gave Friona just their second loss of the season.

These young men have had to battle injuries and inconsistencies all year, but they never gave up. The Longhorns ended their season on a great note.

Congratulations Horns!





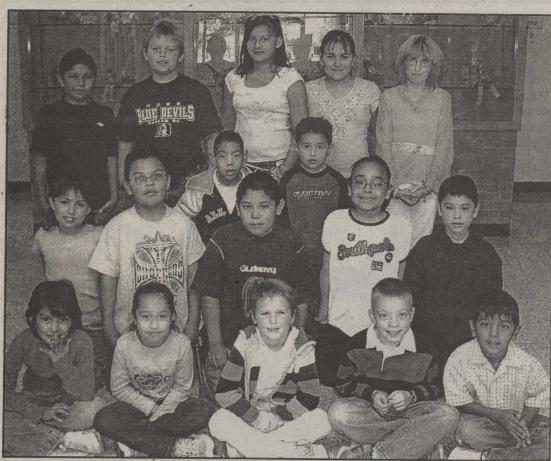
LOCKNEY 7TH GRADE FOOTBALL--(Back, l-r) Chase Thompson, Joshua Cuellar, Shaquille Thompson, Ruben Valdez, Joshua Mullins, Eric Martinez, Keenan Stennett, and Christopher Rodriguez; (middle, l-r) Aaron Rendon, Austin McAnally, Gerardo Solis, Louis Luna, Chris Torrez, Max Rodriguez, Emilio Guerra, and Amos Luna; (front, l-r) Rico Rodriguez, Joshua Armstrong, Jonathan Jimenez, Eric DeLuna, and Eduardo Ascencio. Photo by Hall Photography



LOCKNEY 2005 UNDEFEATED DISTRICT EAST CHAMPION BUCKEYES-(back row, l-r) Steven Fernandez, Jonathan Sustaita, Riley Teeter, Jonathan Luna, Rudolfo Garcia, Brenna Guerrero, Christopher Hinojosa, Jose Guerrero, Landry Kidd, Landon Kidd; (front row, l-r) Luke Sherman, Justin Roberts, Anthony Nunez, Demario Means, Ian Dunbar, Marcus Mercado, Erik Cortez, Bobby Joe Nunez, Karmichael Ramos, Ramon Cazares. (not pictured, Coaches Monty Teeter and Julio Cortez)



LOCKNEY 2005 BUCKEYE CHEERLEADERS- (back row, l-r) Stacey Rodriguez, RayAnn Race, Kelsie Stennett, Gabbie Peralez, Tanya Hernandez, Amber Segovia, Alex Salazar, Stacy Jimenez, Ashley Teague, McKenzie Kemp; (front row, l-r) Selena Gonzales, Kelli Guerra, Kimberly Castanada, Susie Salas, Rubina Luna, Courtney Edwards, Jennifer Ybarra, Dolores Luna, Lindsay Stewart. (not pictured, Sponsor Dana Teague)



LOCKNEY'S LITTLE LONGHORNS for the week of November 14, 2005---(back row, l to r) Delfino Rodriguez, Landry Kidd, Whitney Ascensio, Heather Fierros, Kelsie Stennett, (third row, l to r) Angel Felan and Devin DeLeon, (second row, l to r) Anissa Guerrero, Robert Guerrero, John Palomin, Alyssa Soliz, Jorge Luna, (front row, l to r) Lena Luna, Analia Hernandez, Elizabeth Belt, Scott Lass and Rolando Guerrero.

Lockney School Menu

November 21 - November 25

Monday

Breakfast-Breakfast pizza or

cereal, toast, juice, milk
Lunch-Chicken nuggets or tuna
sandwich, potatoes/gravy, mixed
veggies, peaches, wheat rolls,
milk
Tuesday

Tuesday
Breakfast-Scrambled eggs or

cereal, toast, juice, milk

Lunch-Chili dog or ham and
cheese, baked tots, applesauce,
cookie, milk

Wednesday Holiday Thursday Holiday Friday Holiday



The Lockney Youth Activity Center is in need of Garage Sale items for a future fund-raising effort.

If you have items you would be willing to donate please contact the Youth Center at 652-2550

To keep up with what is going on at the Lockney Youth Center you can now log on to our website at:

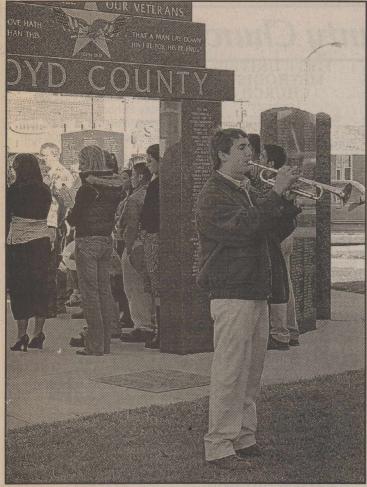
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT

I want to take this time to announce my intention to run for the office of FLOYD COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Precinct 2. All the support and encouragement I have received is deeply appreciated. Lindan Morris, Life long Floyd county resident.

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JARRETT KIRK PLAYS TAPS at the Veteran's Day Flag Ceremony, November 11, at the Floyd County Veteran's **Staff Photo** Memorial.



FOOD SHOW--Floyd County 4-H members tested their skills at the District 4-H Food Show held Saturday in Levelland. Those participating included back to front and left to right are: Katie Beth Crossland, Bailey Davenport, Taylor Orr, Jill Bramlet, Jake Bramlet, Jianna Davenport, J. C. Chappell and Ashley Lucke. **Courtesy Photo**

Floyd County 4-H'ers compete in Food Show

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Floyd County 4-H'ers participated in the District 4-H Food Show held Saturday, November 12 at Levelland High School. Senior 4-H'ers assisting with the event and taking part on program included Katie Beth Crossland and Bailey Davenport. Adult leaders assisting included Dana Crossland, Kay Martin, Angela Ragland and Charles and Donna Keaton.

4-H'ers, their respective categories and placings included: Junior Main Dish - Jake Bramlet; Junior Fruits & Vegetables -Jianna Davenport 3rd Place; Junior Breads & Cereals - Ashley Lucke 2nd Place; Junior Nutritious Snacks - Taylor Orr - 2nd Place; Intermediate Main Dish -Jill Bramlet; Intermediate Breads & Cereals - J. C. Chappell; Senior Fruits & Vegetables - Katie Beth Crossland - 3rd Place; Senior Breads & Cereals - Kami

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Keaton and Senior Nutritious Snacks - Bailey Davenport.

The educational objectives of the Food & Nutrition program

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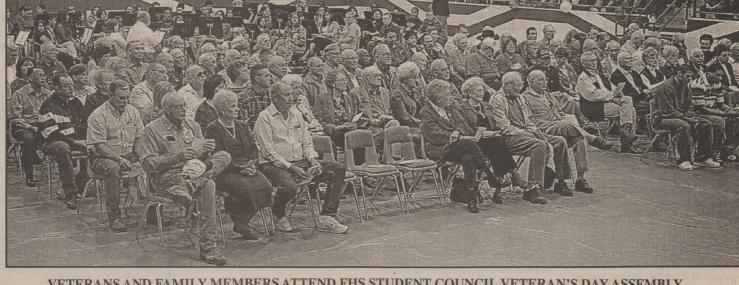
Acquire and demonstrate skills in planning, purchasing, storing, preparing and serving tasty, attractive, nutritious and safe meals and snacks.

Learn about vocational choices and career opportunities and preparation related to food and nutrition.

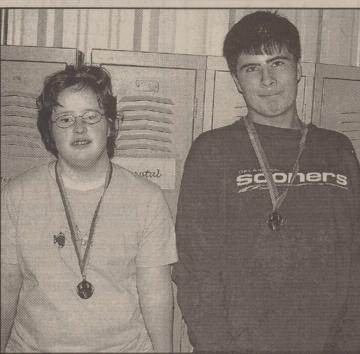
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VETERANS AND FAMILY MEMBERS ATTEND FHS STUDENT COUNCIL VETERAN'S DAY ASSEMBLY



SPECIAL GOLD WINNERS AT THE AREA BOWLNG TOURNAMENT-(1-r) Kami Holbert, daughter of Phillip and Stephanie Holbert of Floydada, and Paul Lopez, son of Pablo and Joyce Lopez of Lockney, both won Gold Medals on November 5th at the Area Bowling Tournament in Lubbock. **Staff Photo**



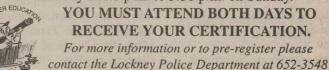
CHASSIDY SANCHEZ

Sanchez is top seller for Girl Scouts

Chassidy Sanchez was the top seller for the Girl Scouts' fund raiser. She sold \$500 worth of nuts. She is under troop leader Christina Meyers.

Chassidy is the daughter of Victor Alaniz and Tammy Sanchez. She is the granddaughter of Isidro and Susie Sanchez of Floydada and Juan and Melva Rodriguez of North Dakota.

The Lockney Police Department will be holding their annual Hunter Education Course on Saturday, Nov. 19th and Sunday, Nov. 20th. The course will be held at the Lockney Youth Activity Center. The course will be from 8 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. on Saturday and 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Sunday.



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Lockney 4-H News

Lockney 4-H News

At the October Lockney 4-H meeting everyone had a fun time making and eating coke floats and sampling cake and bread given to 4-H'ers during a tour through Market Street eariler in

During the meeting, Teresa Young from Wayland Baptist University, shared with 4-H'ers how to take good pictures just by using some simple tips.

During our next meeting we are having our annual food auction. This is where the 4-H'ers bring baked items and then they are auctioned off during the meeting. The money will then be used for a community service

If you are in 3rd -12th grade you can be in 4-H. Come to our next meeting which will be at 6:00 pm, Monday, November 21 at Lockney Elementary.

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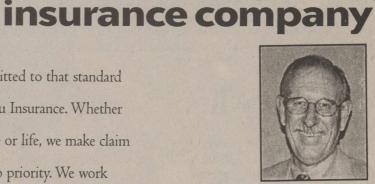
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ADEN PERALES

Funeral services for Aden Nathaniel Perales, infant son of Jim and Karen (Wyrick) Perales, were held Wednesday, November 16, 2005 at the Emma Church of Christ in Ralls. Tim Mills officiated. Burial was in the Ralls Cemetery under the direction of Adams Funeral Home of Ralls.

Perales died November 13, 2005 in Lubbock.

He was born November 2, 2005 in Lubbock.

Survivors include his parents; a brother, Christian and a sister, Rylea both of Lubbock; paternal grandparents, Paco and Mary Garcia of Clovis, New Mexico; maternal grandparents, Kirt and Suzanne Wyrick of Floydada; paternal great-grandparents, Ismael and Fidela Garcia of Lawton, Oklahoma; maternal Betty great-grandparents, Wyrick of Ralls and Harold and Margaret Prince of Ruidoso, New Mexico.

FRANKIE C. WHITE

Funeral services for Frankie Christine White, 73, of Floydada were held November 11, 2005 at First United Methodist Church in Floydada. Reverend Wendell Horn officiated and Reverend Les Hall, assisted. Burial was at the Floydada Cemetery under the direction of Moore-Rose-White Funeral Home of Floydada.

White passed away November 9, 2005 at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

She was born August 5, 1932 in Elmore City, Oklahoma to the late Clarence Franklin and Moatte Glenn (Pyle) Wilsher. She graduated from Plainview High School in 1948. Frankie was raised in Plainview and moved to Floydada in 1950. She was a licensed cosmetician and retired in 1990. She enjoyed her many years of participation as a member of the First United Methodist Church of Floydada. Frankie enjoyed all sporting

Two brothers, S.G. and John Wilsher, and a sister, Barbara Klattenhoff preceded her in

Survivors include a son, Steve Holmes and wife, Pam of Floydada; a daughter, Debbie Bertrand of Floydada; two sisters, Evelyn Jones of Plainview, Mary Hatch of Silverton; 4 grandchildren; and 1 great-grandchild.

The family suggests memorials be made to American Lung Association, P.O. Box 26460, Austin, Texas 78755.

Hello Floyd County Friends,

Thank you so very much for your calls and cards on my recent landmark birthday. It made for a real celebration. I miss all of you and think of you often.

> Love, Kay Zimmerman

THIS WEEK'S

FLOYDADA BAND BOOSTERS

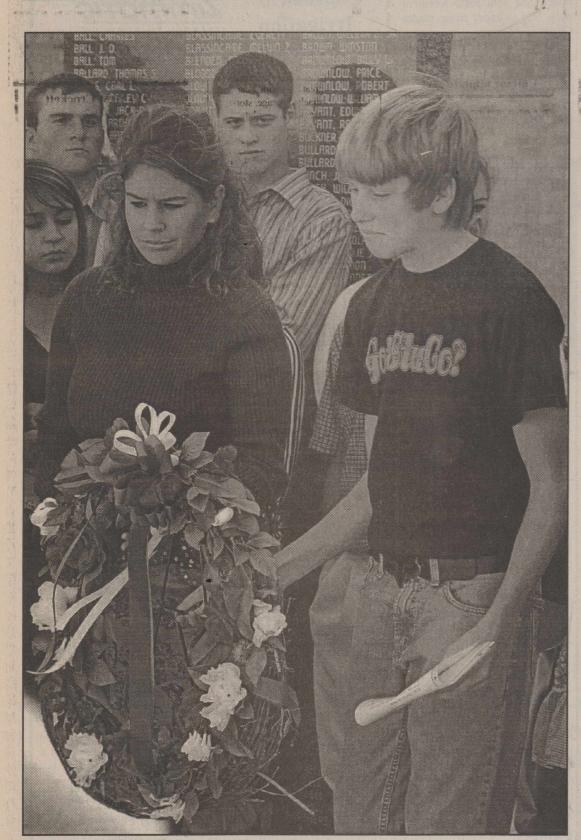
The Floydada Band Boosters will be moving their December meeting up to November 28th due to scheduling conflicts. The meeting will be held at 7:00 p.m in the Band Hall.

BLOOD PRESSURE CLINIC A free blood pressure clinic is held in the community room of the First National Bank in Floydada every Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. Everyone is wel-

Cub Scouts to sell popcorn in Lockney

On November 19, the Cub Scouts will sell popcorn in the city of Lockney, door to door. This is the pack's way of making money for the pack's operation for the year.

Each Cub Scout will have information of each product on the order sheet. If there are any questions or if you would like to order popcorn, call 652-2370 and someone will help you.



IN MEMORY--Katie Beth Crossland (left) and Jordan Cornelius (right) carry a wreath forward to be placed under the flag at the Floyd County Veteran's Memorial, on Veteran's Day, November 11. The wreath is laid in honor of Veterans who have died. The wreath was made by Rozanne Bishop's art class at Floydada High School. The ceremony was conducted by 4-H, Floydada High School Student Council, FJHS Student Council, RCA GT Kids, and Troop 357 Boy Scouts.

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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 7:30 p.m

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Anthony D. Sisemore,

Pastor

Bill Swinney, Minister of Ed./Music Eric Kaiser - Min. Students Sunday School 9:15 a.m. Morning Worship ... 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study... 7:00 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Lockney Carl Moman, 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 pm

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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.

MAIN STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST

Lockney Jay Don Poindexter, Minister

Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Floydada

Rev. Ralph Jackson 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.

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.

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

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA

Lockney Jesse Caballero, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m. .Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:30 p.m.

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA Floydada

Rev. Lupe Rando Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship . 10:55 a.m. Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Wed. Evening 7:00 p.m.

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Lockney Jim McCartney Pastor Wed. Communion .. 8:00 p.m.

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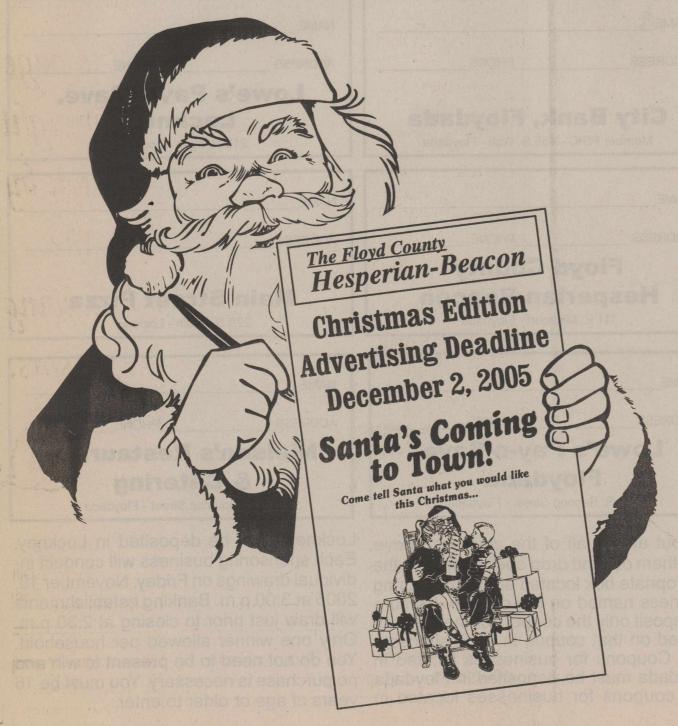


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