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## Lockney women help "Rita" victims

By Judy Macha

Lockney residents, Rise' Ford and Renee' Hrbacek, spent September 15 - 23, doing disaster relief work in Orange, Texas, following Hurricane Rita.

The ladies reluctantly agreed to have their story publicized, in the hope that others who want to help, but do not know how to go about it, will be encouraged to do so.

The ladies worked through First Baptist Church in Plains, which has its own disaster relief feeding team. The Church's efficient set up includes kitchen components which can be trucked to the disaster location and set up on site under a tent. Such things as tables, a number of 80 quart size cook pots, gas burners, restaurant style dish washing multi-tub unit, refrigerator/freezer, among other needed items are included.

A revival visit led to Ford's and Hrbacek's eventual involvement in the disaster ministry. "Three or four years ago, Rev. Bill Wright, Pastor of First Baptist Church in Plains, preached a revival meeting at First Baptist Church in Lockney where I and my family, as well as the Hrbacek's attend. He mentioned the church's disaster relief team," said Ford.

The "seed" was planted then in Ford's and Hrbacek's hearts to be of help when they could, following a disaster.

September, 2005, they both felt led to complete a Yellow Cap training course being offered. It is required of anyone before they can serve as a disaster relief volunteer. "Renee' and I were unaware of just how quickly we would be needed," said Ford.

"When the call came, the Lord laid it on our hearts to go."

The group of 17 volunteers coming from such places as Brownfield, Farwell, Lockney, Mission, Plains, Seminole and New York worked in conjunction with the Red Cross to prepare over 7,000 meals a day at the beginning of the week, tapering down to over 4,000 meals a day by the end of the week. The group prepared lunch and dinner each day for the hurricane victims of Orange and the surrounding area. The volunteers stayed in the local Baptist Church's Family Life Center, sleeping in the gymnasium.

"The kitchen was set up on the back parking lot of the Church. We had semi-trucks parked around us, some with refrigerated units, others loaded with gallon size cans of food for our use," said Ford. "We had an air compressor powered can opener which could open a one gallon can in two seconds flat!"

"Our group had one head cook and the rest of us were flunkies who stirred, poured, washed dishes and followed orders," Ford laughed. "We started cooking at 7:00 a.m. each morning for the noon meal, which we had to have cooked, and placed in large containers called cambros by 10:30 a.m. The evening meal had to be cooked and in the cambros by 3:30 p.m. in order for the Red Cross to load them in their box truck and make the deliveries by meal time."

"Everything about the disaster relief kitchen had to comply with Health Department rules. The food we prepared had to be kept at or above 160 degrees and we all wore gloves. The dishes, pots, utensils, etc. all went

through a cycle of wash-rinse-sanitize in bleach water-then sanitize again," Ford said.

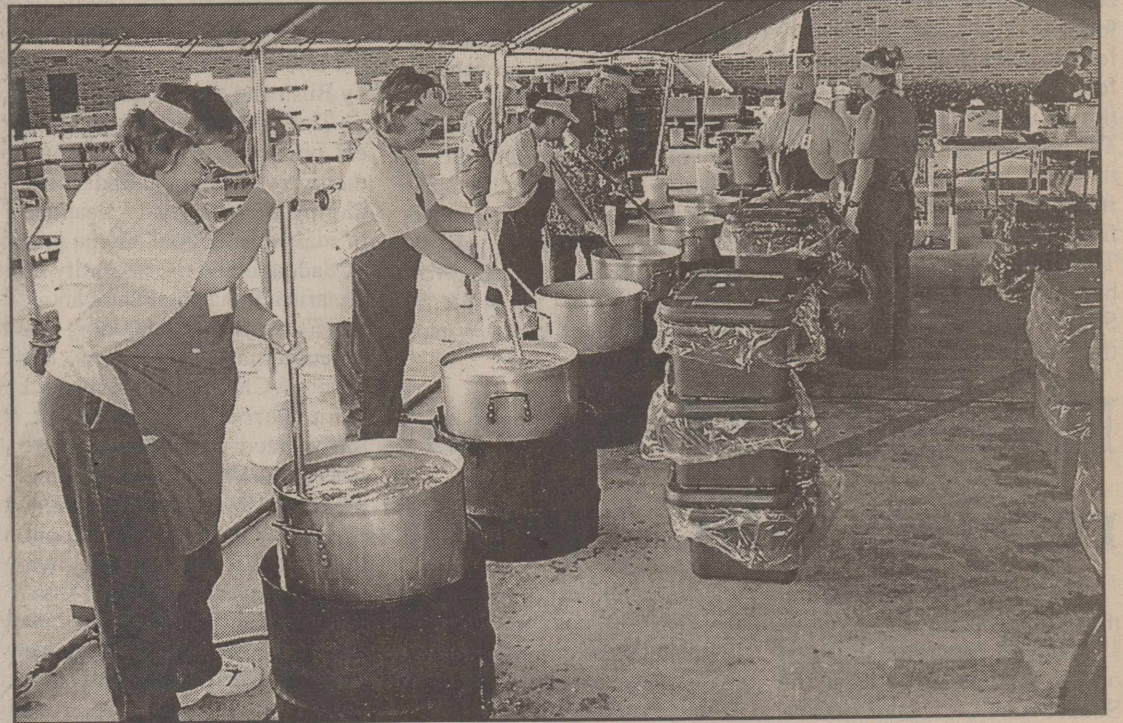
"Of course it was hard work, but we laughed and had fun, too. We came to jokingly refer to the giant utensils we stirred food with as our oars, because they reminded us of metal oars for rowing," Ford laughed. "Our head cook would send an order to Red Cross for the food. However, we didn't always get what we ordered. We prepared 'one pot' meals which always included fruit as dessert. Some of the meals we prepared included such things as soup, spaghetti, ravioli with green beans, chicken breast with mushroom gravy, rice casserole and Mexican casserole."

Ford added, "One afternoon, Renee' and I went out in a Red Cross truck to help deliver the meals. With one exception, we stayed in the back of the truck to dish up the meals into styrofoam to-go containers, which were then handed out to the people. There were groups in the area who worked with food lines, but ours delivered the food."

"The most difficult thing for for both of us, I think, was seeing the devastation and the conditions in which the people were living. It really humbled us," Ford continued. "It is impossible for me to adequately describe that week. You just had to have been there. Though we were very tired and ready to come home, it was a great experience and we would do it again in a heartbeat."

Rise' is married to Mike Ford and they have two daughters, Leah and Trinity.

Renee' is married to Ricky Hrbacek and they have three children, Janee', Karah and J. Paul.



RISE' FORD (front) and RENEE' HRBACEK (standing next to Rise') cook huge pots of food over burners as part of a disaster relief feeding team helping victims of Hurricane Rita. The food was then placed into containers (in front of the cooking pots) where they were kept hot for serving. The food was then loaded onto Red Cross trucks (shown below) and taken to it's destination.

Courtesy Photo



DICKENS OF A CHRISTMAS--This horse drawn carriage will be part of the Floydada Chamber's "Dickens of a Christmas", December 5th. The evening downtown will also include children's choirs, a live nativity scene, visits with Santa Claus, and a 5:30 p.m. parade. Businesses will be open late and there will be some shopping under the pavilion. The Chamber is encouraging citizens to dress in a character from the Christmas Carol story.

Courtesy Photo

## Turkeys going home for holidays

Twenty four individuals won turkeys from local businesses during the annual Turkey drawing.

The businesses giving away the turkey and the winners are as follows:

Davis Farm Supply-Floydada, Mrytle Minner; Floyd County Hesperian-Beacon-Floydada, Thelma Parr; Hesperian-Beacon-Lockney, Donnie Bybee; City Bank, Lockney, W.L. Carthel;

City Auto, Franklin Harris; 1st National Bank of Floydada, Brenda Atteberry; Cornelius Conoco, Elizabeth Martinez;

Clark Pharmacy, Dale Ross; Davis Lumber-Lockney, Marjorie Holcomb; Darty Gin, Tomi Covington;

Cogdell Clinic, Floydada; Jake Colston; Kirk & Sons, Jana

Muniz; Raceway Fuel, Charlie Henderson;

Lockney Insurance, M.A. Ulmer; Producer's Coop Elevator, Oscar Garza Jr.; Oden Chevrolet, Charlene Alldredge;

Payne Family Pharmacy, Margie Young; City Bank, Floydada, Pam Bennett; Lowe's Pay-

N-Save, Lockney, Boyd Lee; Lowe's Pay-N-Save, Floydada, J.R. Turner;

KFLP, Phylis Smith; Main Street Pizza, Geneva Barclay; Stapp Body Shop, Dennis Carter; and Nielson's Restaurant, Ricky Gonzales.

### Holiday Schedules

**Thanksgiving Closings**--The newspaper offices, county offices, and both the city offices in Floydada and Lockney 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.

## Construction planned for new entrance into Floydada

With the help and collaboration of a newly organized group of people, and the Floydada Development Center, a brand new entrance will be welcoming people to the City of Floydada.

The FDC, on Monday, purchased the former Tino's Restaurant, located at the Y intersection in Floydada.

The Restaurant has been vacant for many years and has fallen into disrepair.

The group of citizens has formulated a plan to turn the eyesore into a tourist stop for visitors. "We want to make Floydada a planned 'Road Trip'," said Dora Ross, one of the groups members.

The plans involve using a Pumpkin theme and the FDC will be sponsoring a contest to get citizens to submit their ideas for the entrance.

The Floydada Chamber of Commerce has already pledged \$500 to kick off the project and the FDC is seeking contributions

to make the entrance a reality.

"Phase One of our fundraising goal is \$45,000," said Ross. "We want to eventually do all the entrances to the City, but the entrance at the Y is the top priority."

"We know we want a pumpkin theme and we envision one idea of a real Cinderella Coach being pulled by a white horse."

"We have already found a place that will build the carriage. It will be usable and we can take it to various parades to promote Floydada. Our Floydada "queens and princesses" can ride in the carriage."

"The Coach will stay at entrance (until it is used) and will be a great spot for people to stop and get their picture taken."

"We hope to get enough ideas to spread the theme to all the entrances."

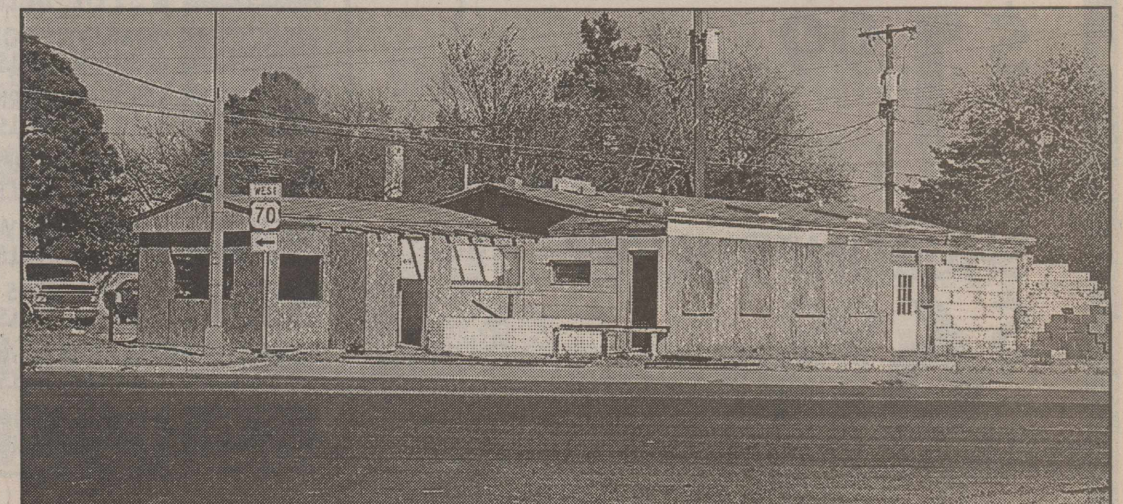
The FDC is a separate entity from the Floydada Economic Development Corporation and was formed for educational purposes and community and economic development.

"The legislature has tied the hands of the Economic Development Corporation in cities who voted to have the Corporations," said Ross. "When the Corporations were first formed we had more freedom with what we could spend your tax dollars on. Now there are very strict guidelines. There will be no tax dollars spent on this project. It will have to be privately funded."

"The newly formed Floydada Development Center does not have the strict guidelines of the EDC--but it is still an IRS recognized tax-exempt (not-for-profit) organization."

The citizens already actively involved in this project include: Bettye King, Kay Brotherton, De Chance, Barbara Hendricks, Kay Hicks, Sue Ward, Janice Lloyd, Melvin and Janet Lloyd, Jerry & Julie Finley, Kyle Smith, Doug Galloway, Karen Houchin, Bill & Linda Harbin, Bob Alldredge.

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FUTURE HOME OF PUMPKIN CAPITAL USA ENTRANCE--The former Tino's Restaurant at the "Y" intersection in Floydada will soon be torn down and replaced with a Pumpkin themed welcome to Floydada entrance. The community is invited to submit ideas for the site. Staff Photo



### Palo Duro Basin Oil and Gas Update

Courtesy of Tom Musser

**Floyd County:** Apollo Energy Operating Company LP is awaiting the availability of Equipment to Frac the W.D. Miller Lease Well #1. As of Monday November 21, a date has not yet been scheduled for this work.

**Floyd County:** Apollo Energy Operating Company LP, Ceretha Watson Lease Well #1 as of Monday November 21 were at a depth of 9,000 feet and were fishing for lost drill collars.

**Floyd County:** Apollo Energy Operating Company LP has received a drilling permit for the W.D. Miller Lease Well #2, horizontal completion. The surface location of this well will be 660 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West line of Section 24, Block 1, AB&M Survey. The penetration point location of this well bore will be 973 feet from the South line and 983 feet from the West line of Section 24. The terminus location of this well bore will be 2,750 feet from the South Line and 2820 feet from the West line of Section 24.

**Floyd County:** Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. has staked their first location to be drilled in the Palo Duro Basin, the Glen Misener Lease Well #1. This well will be located in the Southeast Corner of Section 18, Block 1, AB&M Survey, 6 miles Northeast of Floydada.

**Floyd County:** Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. has staked their second location to be drilled in the Palo Duro Basin, the Larry Jones Lease Well #1. This well will be located in the South half of Section 134, Block 1, AB&M Survey, 3 miles Southwest of Dougherty.

**Grey Wolf Drilling Rig #861:** As of current available information, negotiations were ongoing between Apollo Energy Operating Company LP and Bankers Petroleum (US) Inc. as to which well, the Apollo Operating Miller #2, or the Bankers Petroleum Misener #1 will be drilled first by the Grey Wolf Drilling Rig #861 when the rig is finished on the Ceretha Watson Lease Well #1.

## Mangold Memorial receives ORCA grant

The Office of Rural Community Affairs (ORCA) honored W. J. Mangold Memorial Hospital on November 8, 2005 at the South Plains Association of Governments in Lubbock for having secured a Capital Improvement Loan Fund Grant of \$48,198 and a Rural Hospital Improvement Program Grant for \$8,669. These funds are administered by ORCA using federal funds that are received by this agency and then distributed to rural hospitals through various grant applications and scoring processes.

ORCA Executive Director, Charles (Charlie) S. Stone noted, "We commend the efforts of every recipient for their dedication to supporting their rural Texas community. ORCA was created

to assist rural Texans with building their own communities, and I applaud everyone who applied for funding to address the needs of their community."

### Courtroom Activities

In District Court, November 17, Juan Melchor, 49, of Floydada, pled guilty to Evading Arrest (a State Jail felony), and the 3rd degree felony of DWI. He was sentenced to 10 years probation, 60 days in jail, a \$500 fine, and Melchor was ordered not to drive for the 10 years he is on probation.

A view from



## The Lamplighter

By: Ken Towery  
email: chowdipper@austin.rr.com

A political flap has emerged over just exactly how America entered the war against Saddam Hussein. Democrats are banking on short memories among the electorate, and Republicans are banking on the leadership of George W. Bush. Right now, it appears that Democrats hold the winning hand. The electorate does, indeed, have short memories. And George W. Bush has not, for some time, exhibited the kind of leadership necessary to counter the demagoguery of his opponents.

The big issue, seized upon by his opponents now that the President is suffering in the polls, is whether or not the country was led into war on the basis of lies by Bush and those around him.

The President and his supporters point to a myriad of statements by Democratic leaders deploring the imagined "weapons of mass destruction" on the part of Saddam, and the necessity of America doing something about it. His detractors, including the sanctimonious Ted Kennedy, the hero of Chappaquiddick, and John Kerry, the fraudulent, thrice-decorated Purple Heart veteran of Vietnam, are leading the charge for Bush's opposition.

We will make no bones about the fact that we had our own thoughts, entirely different from the President's, about going into Iraq in the first place. We have long believed that the only successful ruler of that country, or, rather, the only successful ruler of that country, is going to depend on a strong central government and a strong ruler. A "democracy", to our way of thinking (and we know the region about as well as a non-Arab, or non-Muslim can) will do nothing but open up the Mid-East to long-time tur-

moil. Since the days of Hammurabi, nearly two thousand years before the birth of Jesus Christ, it has been thus. Even before Hammurabi any progress that was made, was made by someone strong enough to impose his will upon a reluctant people. Whether that is good or bad depends, to an extent, on the values one places on various things.

But this country entered that war with its eyes wide open. I don't think there is much doubt that Bush wanted to go into Iraq and finish the job started by his father. Nor do I have any doubt that Bush was surrounded by others, in the Pentagon, in the Vice President's office, in certain "religious" circles, and by advisers in Tel Aviv, who thought the world would be better off without Saddam and were prepared to use American troops to accomplish the task. But the effort aimed at ousting Saddam had the support, indeed, the vocal support, of many of those hypocrites, people like Harry Reed, or Ted Kennedy, or John Kerry, or John Rockefeller, who now see an opportunity to score political points at the expense of principle. Their argument, as well as it can be deciphered, is "yes, but." They were "lied to" on the critically important votes of peace or war. True enough. But it was not Bush who did the lying. They all had access to the same sleazy intelligence, intelligence furnished them by a CIA that had gleaned that intelligence from sources around the world, including Israeli intelligence. It would not do the Democrats any good to get too terribly technical about the intelligence mess in Washington, because to do so would expose where that intelligence came

from, and how America goes about, or went about, acquiring it.

(As a complete sidebar on the intelligence situation: I have never understood why the President handed out the nation's highest awards to people in leadership roles at the CIA who should have been cashiered from that service, if it were not for the fact that it was "hush money." But of this, the Democrats say nothing.)

At any rate, it probably does us no good to point out the inconsistencies and hypocrisies of those now raising such loud alarms over this war. We would hasten to point out that we had one grandson, Roland Kenneth Towery 111, a Marine, in the first wave that secured (more or less) Iraq from Saddam. We have another grandson, Brandon Gilroy of Lockney, now at New Mexico Military Institute preparing for his own place in whatever war is facing America when he is ready. So, we are not "anti-military", by any means. But we have never believed, and do not now believe,

that American youngsters ought to be sacrificed on some foreign battlefields for the sake of anything except our own national interest.

And by the same token, we believe that when the Congress of the United States decides that our national interests is at stake, and votes in solemn session to send our youngsters hither or yon to defend this country, it ill behooves a bunch of sorry politicians to act as Monday morning quarterbacks.

On a final note, we were happy to see the Iraq resolution pass so overwhelmingly in the House of Representatives last week. We were happy to see House Republicans finally find the backbone necessary to challenge the Democrats' latest foray into areas where they had previously proven so feckless. In the final analysis, it appeared to us, the loud mouths in Congress failed to either put up or shut up. But at least Americans will now be able to see who they are, and what they think.

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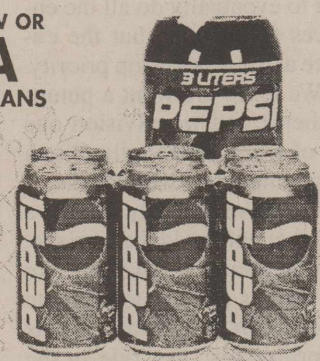
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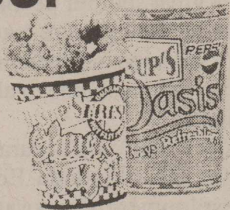
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# City of Floydada considers ways to crack down on vicious dogs

By Darwin Robinson

The Floydada City Council met Tuesday, November 15, and discussed the need for a more strict City ordinance concerning dangerous dogs in the City limits, especially Pit Bulls.

Both City Police Chief Darrell Gooch and City Animal Control Officer Roy Moreno addressed the council. Police Chief Gooch said, "Pit Bulls have become a hazard in the City. They are running loose and not restrained. They (their owners) have no kennels, nor fenced areas to keep the dogs. The dogs have attacked children and elderly people."

"A police officer had to shoot one (a Pit Bull) a couple of weeks ago when the dog attacked the officer. A Pit Bull blocked the door at Friends Convenience store last week and would not let the customers leave the store," said Gooch. The owner interfered with the removal of the dog. She was arrested and taken to Plainview for the night, according to a report by City Manager Gary Brown.

Moreno told the council, "We had to euthanize the dog that bit the 8 year old boy a couple of weeks ago. The head was sent to Austin and fortunately it was not rabid."

City Manager Gary Brown added, "We were fighting a fire yesterday and two Pit Bulls kept us from going around to the other side of the house."

According to Gooch, "Pit Bulls, that can weigh 120 pounds or more, are much more aggressive than any other breed of dog and shooting dogs in the City makes for dangerous stray bullets. We try to catch the aggressive dogs and euthanize them after three days. We then cite the

owners with fines, but they pay the fines and purchase more dogs. We need a stronger ordinance than what we have now."

Gooch recommended an ordinance that would force owners to fence in their dogs and muzzle them when walking with them.

Council Member Jon Nielson said, "The ordinance must be aggressive and not one, two or three offenses then we take the dog, but take it on the first offense."

Council Member Monte Williams said, "I think we should ban the owner from owning a dog for a certain period of time after the first offense."

City Manager Gary Brown added, "These are big dogs that can break chains. I am in favor of a strict ordinance. We have found a good one from Colorado. We can pattern our's after it."

Council Member Clar Schacht said, "I recommend we table this for now until we get our own strict ordinance and then pass it at our next meeting."

In other matters, the council approved a grant of \$366,666 available to the City to make more improvements at the City's airport. According to Brown, the grant provides money for repairing concrete areas at the airport and a grass runway, along with many other projects. "This will cost the City nothing," said Brown.

Floydada Economic Development Corporation Executive Director addressed the council in Public Forum. Concerning the prospects of a dairy farm coming to Floyd County, Ross said, "This project will put dollars on the tax rolls. The school alone will receive \$75,000 in taxes. It will add 25 to 30 new jobs in our county. The family interested in

putting in the dairy farm will be back in January, 2006 to secure the land. We could have a dairy farm here within a year, if the people of Floyd County approves it."

Following some discussion, the council unanimously approved banning the chemical 2-4-D from being used in the City limits from March 1 through November 10. City Attorney Karen Houchin told the council, "2-4-D can drift up to 225 feet per application."

A Main Lift Station Force Main bid (material only) of \$76,360.30 by contractor K. W. Sharp of Lubbock was approved by the council. The bid is the material cost involved to repair the City's Main Lift Station using PVC pipe.

According to Brown, "We have decided we can put this line in and save the City a nice sum of money. The pipe market seems to be at a lull right now and hopefully the bid will be good."

The council appointed Mina Pesina to the Housing Authority Board for a two year term expiring December, 2007. Pesina is replacing Mary Poole who resigned.

The council voted to demolish an old house, remove the trash and clean the lots at Lot 11-12, Blk 24, Original Town, at 416 West Lee Street. Brown stated, "The house is not worth having on the property. It is in bad shape and is being used by rats, skunks and other undesirable critters."

The council approved an ordinance closing public streets and alleys in Blocks 6, 10, 11 and 12, Starks Addition, an addition to the Town of Floydada. This property is northeast of intersection of W. Price and Second Street.



TEXAS PLAINS VETERAN'S ASSOCIATION RECEIVES DONATION--Ed Marks, President of Texas Plains Veteran's Association, accepts a \$500.00 check from the Lockney Rotary Club. The donation will be used to help with the Veteran's Memorial in Lockney. Staff Photo

# Marks is new Lockney fire chief

By Judy Macha

City Councilman Michael DeLeon gave the Volunteer Fire Department report to City Council at their regular meeting November 17, 2005. According to DeLeon, the new Fire Chief is Joe Marks and the new Assistant Fire Chief is Preston Belt.

Police Chief Jerry Edwards reported an increase in forgeries.

# New entrance coming to City

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Rachael Castillo, Beth Eckert, Sara Segura, Thomas Trevino, and Dora Ross.

"We are currently working on a name for this new group of citizens. There are a few prerequisites for being a part of this group that we have identified--a positive attitude, a desire to make Floydada a better place to live, and a willingness to be involved in our community."

Businesses or individuals who would like to donate toward this project should mail the contributions to: Floydada Development Center, Box 15, Floydada; or drop by 105 S. 5th Street.

For more information call Dora Ross at 983-3318, or the Chamber office at 983-3434.

He also informed Council of the Hunter Safety Course to be taught the upcoming weekend.

In other business, City Administrator Ron Hall informed the Council the new voting machines Floyd County has agreed to purchase, as mandated by law, will also be available for the use of Floydada, Lockney and both school systems.

On a motion by Tina Graves and second by Michael DeLeon, the Council approved unanimously the appointment of Kay Martin to the LEDB board.

The resolution dismissal of Atmos' GRIP application passed

unanimously on a motion by Ham Gammage and second by Junior Brotherton.

On other business, the Council unanimously approved setting the Capital out-lay at \$5,000 on a motion by Michael DeLeon and second by Ham Gammage.

The City Council also considered and passed unanimously on a motion by Ham Gammage and second by Junior Brotherton, the sale of City property to adjoining property owner without public notice, for a set fee of \$225 minimum per lot, 30 x 150 = 4,500 ft. or \$0.05 per square foot, whichever is greater.

# CHD boosts salaries for EMS

By Darwin Robinson

The Caprock Hospital District Board met Tuesday, November 15, and approved Christmas bonuses for EMS employees and raises for part-time paramedics.

According to Board Member Tom Farris, "We voted to give Christmas bonuses to all EMS employees. We approved a motion to pay part-time paramedics \$12 per hour when on duty, plus \$30 for being 'on call'. We also gave our intermediate medics a raise from \$21 per hour to \$25 per hour."

In other matters, the board

approved a motion to compensate any designated grant writer 10 percent of any grant amount received for the Caprock Hospital District.

The board approved the demolition of a house at Lot 11-12, Blk 24, Original Town at 416 W. Lee Street.

Maybelle Monreal, Cogdell Clinic Office Manager, was appointed by the board to be the election administrator for the Caprock Hospital District in the future upcoming elections.

The PNS Cogdell Clinic made a profit of \$30,520.16 in the

month of October, according to Farris.

Those present for the meeting were Board President Rex Lawson, Board Members Tom Farris, Kyle Smith and Denise Payne, and Cogdell Clinic Office Manager Maybelle Monreal.

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# Daniels and Aquias recite vows



**MR. AND MRS. TRENT DANIELS**

Meregen A. Aquias and Trent Brandon Daniels were united in Holy Matrimony 3:00 p.m. Saturday, November 19, 2005 at the First Baptist Church in Floydada. Rev. Les Reed of South Georgia Baptist Church in Amarillo officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Primitiva Aborot and the late Loreto Aquias of Magsaysay, Palawan, Philippines. She is the granddaughter of Crisenciana Tabang of Magsaysay, Palawan, Philippines.

The bridegroom is the son of Sue Daniels and the late Zeddie Daniels of Floydada. He is the grandson of Estelle Lee of Hobbs New Mexico.

sleeves, rounded front neckline with pleats at the shoulders, forming a cowl V-neck in the back.

The flower girl was Sailor Summers of Bossier City, Louisiana and she was escorted by Deavon Berdoza of Hobbs, New Mexico, both cousins of the groom.

The groom was attired in a black tux and tie, purple brocade vest and wore a purple rose and baby's breath boutonniere.

Serving as best man was Eddie Summers of Bossier City, Louisiana, cousin of the groom. The groomsman was William Haygood of San Angelo, brother-in-law of the groom. They were attired to match the groom with the exception of wearing white boutonnieres.

Candelighters were Tami Vernon and Donna Vernon of Plainview, cousins of the groom.

Ushers were Chance Autry of Plainview and Deavon Berdoza of Hobbs, New Mexico, cousins of the groom.

Serving at the guest registry was Lean Jenkins of Las Cruces, New Mexico, cousin of the groom.

Music was supplied by pianist, Atha Sue and soloist, Sheldon Sue of Floydada. The traditional processional and recessional wedding songs were played and the solos sung were, "I Will Be Here" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The Church was decorated with two double heart candelabras, two 3 1/2 feet high floral arrangements of mixed flowers, a unity candle stand, and tulle draped across ends of rows of chairs and attached with purple and white pew bows on one side only.

There was a reception following the ceremony at First Baptist Church hosted by Sue Daniels. The bride's table hostesses were Tami Vernon of Plainview, the groom's cousin; Lora Lynn Christensen of Abilene, the groom's cousin; and Ethelyn Garnett of Lockney, the groom's aunt. The table was covered with white linen with pleated skirting. The centerpiece was a white rose bouquet, accompanied by a silver candelabra with purple candles. The wedding cake was a three tiered French vanilla cake with purple accents.

The groom's table hostesses were Donna Vernon of Plainview, the groom's cousin; Nora Beth Naidu of Abilene, the groom's cousin; and Billie Sue Burris of Whiteface, the groom's aunt. It was covered with a white tablecloth and featured an arrangement of mixed purple flowers and purple candles accented with purple tulle. The groom's cake was a red velvet cake with chocolate icing and chocolate dipped strawberries. The cakes were made by the groom's aunt, Ethelyn Garnett of Lockney.

Sue Daniels hosted the rehearsal dinner held at 6:00 p.m. on November 18, 2005.

The bride received her Associate degree in Computer Science at Systems Technology Institute.

The groom is employed by Magna Serve of Houston. He received his Associate degrees in Laser Electro-optics and Medical Imaging.

After a wedding trip to New Mexico, the couple will make their home in Conroe, Texas.

The bride was given a lingerie shower November 26 in Hobbs, New Mexico. It was hosted by Amanda Summers.

## American Cancer Society

By Linda Matsler

The American Cancer Society Board met on Monday, November 14, in the community room of First National Bank. Kathy Wilke, ACS representative from the Lubbock office reported that Jenae Hrbacek of Lockney, and Lori Battey of Floydada will be the Cochairmen of the Relay for Life, which is scheduled for June 16, in Floydada. Kickoff meeting and party for the Relay will be on February 16.

Kathy also reminded the Board that patient services available in Lubbock include support groups for Coping with Breast

Cancer, Look Good - Feel Better (information to women undergoing cancer treatment), Man to Man (education program for men and families dealing with prostate cancer, and in Plainview, Reach to Recovery (breast cancer education visits).

The first event of the Relay for Life will be the annual Christmas Brunch. This will be held in the home of Melvin and Janet Lloyd on Saturday, December 10. Over \$22,000 has been raised since 1986 at the annual Brunch and summer backyard brunches.

The American Cancer Society is grateful to the following women and their husbands who have opened their homes since 1986 for the brunch: Addie Assiter, Jackie Walls, Martha Farris, Judy Beedy, Cindy Ford,

Carol Brooks, Melva Dorman, Holly Lee, Janet Lloyd, Brenda Heflin, Melanie Beedy, Jane Bean, Julianne Cornelius, Margaret Jones, Debra Graham, Sally Bradley and Shelly Smith.

Board members were reminded that November is Lung Cancer Awareness Month. January 9 is the next scheduled meeting.

## Floydada Rehab Birthday Party

By Joyce Williams

Happy birthday greetings were extended to three residents of Floydada Nursing Home and Rehab Center: Jimmy Grubbs, November 1; Vera Mitchell, November 8; Jewel Burrow, November 29.

The party was celebrated a day earlier than the usual third Thursday, on Wednesday, November 16, at 3:30, due to the relatives coming Thursday for a family dinner for all.

Mrs. Barbara Nutt and daughters-in-law, Laura Nutt and Stacy Nutt, gave the honorees birthday gift bags from City Park Church of Christ.

A seasonal boutonniere and corsages were given honorees by Cathy's Floral. Group pictures were taken by the Hesperian Photographer.

Refreshments of coconut cream pie and fruit punch were served to all.

A congratulatory 102nd birthday letter from U.S. President George W. Bush was read aloud to Mrs. Vera Mitchell.

Come party with us next month on the third Thursday.

## Floydada Senior Citizens News

By Margarette Word

The Center will be closed on Thursday, Thanksgiving Day. We will be open on Friday.

James and Sue Lovell spent two weeks recently in Yuma, Arizona visiting Jame's sister Gladys Fitch. They had a wonderful time.

William and Faye Bertrand are home after a trip to Louisiana seeing lots of trees down and homes damaged by the recent hurricane. They drove back to Weatherford to visit Lorene Newberry and spent a couple of days there.

Dorothy Holland and her son David were in Floydada recently visiting friends.

Wayne and Naomi Battey were in Floydada this past weekend visiting relatives and friends.

Doris McLain was given a birthday party Sunday afternoon, November 19 at the First United Methodist Church. Lots of

friends visited her.

Our sympathy to the family of Pauline Amelia Faust.

Our sympathy to Buddy Lutrick on the loss of his mother Nita Lutrick Overton.

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

In memory of Frankie White - William and Faye Bertrand.

Thought for the week - "Happy Thanksgiving Day."

### Menu

**Monday**-Chili Con Carne, onions, peppers, carrot raisin salad, cornbread, banana lime gelatin

**Tuesday**-Pepper steak, baby limas, yellow squash, wheat roll, lemon pudding

**Wednesday**-Spaghetti and meatsauce, Italian vegetables, Waldorf salad, garlic bread, gelatin

**Thursday** - Holiday "Happy Thanksgiving"



FLOYDADA REHAB & CARE CENTER BIRTHDAYS- Jimmy Grubbs and Vera Mitchell are shown at their birthday party last Wednesday at the Rehab & Care center. (see related story) (not pictured, Jewel Burrow). Staff Photo



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## Poole named to new position

Penny Poole has seen a lot of changes lately. First, she moved offices from the Nunn Business Building to Gates Hall when her supervisor, Dr. Bobby Hall, was promoted to executive vice president.

Now, Poole is undergoing change again after being named Director of Institutional Effectiveness on Nov. 1. Poole had been working as institutional research analyst for the university under Dr. Hall, and when he was promoted to vice president for academic and graduate services, the directorship came open.

"Mrs. Poole's knowledge base and more than a decade of outstanding service to Wayland combine to make her a natural choice for this position," Hall said. "She has contributed tremendously to Wayland's decision-making process through her research and analysis and has gained a great deal of experience

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# FJHS 8th Breezers win District Title

Season record 8-0

By Coach Ayala  
8th Grade Breezers - 1  
8th Grade Dimmitt - 0

Due to some misfortunes with Dimmitt's 8th grade team, the Bobcats were forced to cancel their last football game. It was a tough situation for our Breezers because of timing of the cancellation. We did not find out until Wednesday morning and it was impossible to find a game to play in such short notice. So the 8th grade Breezers finished the season with a win by forfeit, 1-0.

The 8th grade Breezers finished the season 8-0 with the District Title. It was a great season for the Breezers. They improved the season record by one victory from last year 7-1. Our defense really set the tone all year long. It was a total team effort. The of-

fensive attack took advantage with the good field position.

I cannot say enough about this group of young men. They put in the time to get better and they put in the time as a team.

I really appreciate the kind of supporters we have for our Breezers. They showed up to every game and pep rallies and put on an end of the season, all out invitation, get together. It was a great gathering of over 150 attendees. It was a great gathering of supporters for our program. Everyone was invited and it seemed like everyone came. It was totally a great year.

I would like to thank all the fans for your support and the effort these young Breezers gave. Now it is on to the basketball hard floor. Come on out and be a part of the basketball breeze.

## Breezers 7th Grade Boys Report

By Coach Ayala  
7th Grade Breezers - 0  
7th Grade Bobcats - 28

The 7th grade Breezers finished the season with a tough loss 0-28 against the Dimmitt Bobcats. It was one of those games that every coach and player will experience in their life time. If something was going to happen, it happened to be something bad. Opening up wrong on a play, pitching the ball to a back that went the wrong way, tripping on a running play that had nothing in front but goal-line. It was like an old blues song I grew up with. "If it wasn't for bad luck wouldn't have any luck at all". This described the first half of the game.

In the second half, we did a better job on both sides of the ball. We controlled the ball much of the second half. With hard running from Eddy Rodriguez, Troy

Morales, Brandon Balsadua and Ryan Pecina. The Bobcat defense did a good job keeping up out of the end zone. Our defense did a good job containing some big Bobcat backs. Some good team defense changed that bad luck feeling.

It was a hard game to end on. This team had come a long way to finish with a loss. The effort the Breezers gave in the second half showed us these young men are true winners in the fact they never gave up. They stuck together as a team in bad times as well as the good times. We finished the season 4-4.

I would like to thank all the fans, teachers, cheerleaders, their sponsors and everyone else for all the support you gave us. It was a joy coaching these young men. Now on to the hard floor we go. Come on out and be a part of the basketball breeze.

## Breezers 8th Grade Boys Report

8th Grade Breezers - 34  
8th Grade Olton - 26

The 8th grade Breezers basketball team hosted the 8th grade Olton Mustang on November 14, 2005 and won by a score of 34-26.

The scoring went as follows: Joseph Segura - 9 points; Fred Williams - 8 points; Trey Casillas - 7 points; Mason Lipham - 4 points; David Diaz - 2 points; Florencio Cuba - 2 points; Teddy Summers - 2 points.

## Breezers 7th Grade Boys Report

7th grade Breezers - 54  
7th Grade Olton - 8

The 7th grade Breezers basketball team hosted the 7th grade Olton Mustangs on November 14, 2005 and rolled over them by a score of 54-8.

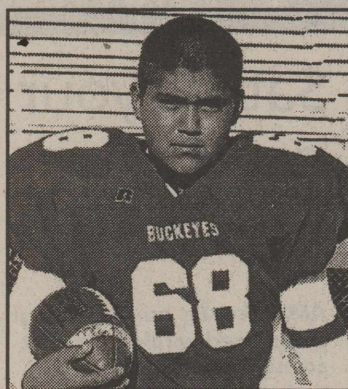
Scoring went as follows:

Eddy Rodriguez - 16 points; David Suarez - 14 points; Carson Battey - 7 points; Bryson Sessions - 5 points; Jerry Caldera - 2 points; Ryan Pecina - 2 points; Eric Perez - 2 points; Brandon Basaldua - 2 points; Dylan Thomas - 2 points.

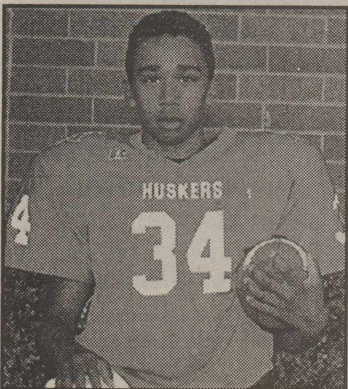
## Guerrero, Garcia and Mathis named All Conference Players in Tiger League Football



BREANNA GUERRERO



RODOLFO GARCIA



REX MATHIS, JR.

By Monica Mathis  
These three youngsters played in a Tiger League Tournament in Bushell. They did an outstanding job.

Breanna Guerrero, daughter of Robert and the late Michelle Guerrero of Lockney played for the Plainview Tigers. She did an awesome job. She was an All Conference Player. Great job,

Breanna, Rex Mathis, Jr., son of Rex, and Monica Mathis of Lockney and Rodolfo Garcia, son of Maria and Juan of Lockney played for the Plainview Cornhuskers. They also were named All Conference players. They did a wonderful job. They played against teams like Palo Duro Canyon, Dalhart, Tascosa

and many other teams were also present like Floydada. Thank you parents for allowing your children to participate in this wonderful event. It'll always be something to talk about. Remember there is no "I" in team. Do the best at everything you do, even when you don't want to. Do the very best, God always takes care of the rest.

**Heavenly Father,**  
Teach us, good Lord, to serve You as You deserve;  
To give and not to count the cost,  
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# SPORTS

## Lady Winds beat Roosevelt & Abernathy

LADY WINDS - 56  
ROOSEVELT - 48

The FHS Lady Winds hosted the Roosevelt Lady Eagles on November 8, 2005 and came away with a win by a score of 56-48.

Leading the scoring for the game was Lindsey Leatherman with 25 points.

Magan Flores sank 8 points for the night.

Marlen Carmona ended the game with 7 points.

Tori Terrell added 5 points to the scoreboard.

Jackee Wickware also added 5 points to the win.

Jana Everett had 3 points in the game.

Jennifer ended the night with 2 points and rounding out the scoring was Reagan Heflin with 1 point.

**SCORE BY QUARTERS**  
Floydada 15 29 46 56  
Roosevelt 9 21 37 48

LADY WINDS - 65  
ABERNATHY - 54

The Lady Winds traveled to play the Abernathy Lady Lopes on November 15, 2005 and came away winners by a score of 65-54.

Tori Terrell scored in double digits with 19 points. She was credited with 3 rebounds, 4 assists, 3 steals and 1 deflection.

Lindsey Leatherman also scored in double digits with 19 points along with 4 rebounds, 6 steals and 1 blocked shot.

Jackee Wickware scored in double digits with 11 points along with 7 rebounds, 1 assist, 2 steals and 1 deflection.

Marlen Carmona ended the night with 8 points. She was credited with 1 assist, 3 steals and 3 deflections.

Magan Flores sank 6 points along with 3 assists and 1 blocked shot.

Reagan Heflin rounded out the scoring with 2 points. She was credited with 1 deflection.

Tania Pesina was credited with 1 assist and 1 steal.

**SCORE BY QUARTERS**  
Floydada 14 35 55 65  
Abernathy 11 23 39 54



2005 8TH GRADE BREEZER FOOTBALL TEAM-(front row, l-r) Stephen Emert, Joel Torres, Damion Pleasant, J.C. Chappell, Sean Gutierrez, Jesse Ibarra, Anthony Segura, Cesar Mata, Geoffery Sanchez, Rance Seymour, John Robledo; (2nd row, l-r) Mason Lipham, Florencio Cuba, Bryan Ascencio, David Diaz, Michael Georage, Zachary Baldwin, Leo Torres, Timothy Campbell, Raul Salazar, Homero Garcia, Kenneth Martin; (back row, l-r) Coach Daniel Johnston, Coach Fred Tobias, Camron McHam, Miles Marble, Joey Martinez, Teddy Summers, Jordan Cornelius, Frederick Williams, Joseph Segura, Guadalupe Palacio, Trey Casillas, Robert Casillas, Coach Desmond Ayala. (not pictured, Daniel Longoria, Asst. Coach Jeremy Todd)

Photo by Michael Scott



2005 7TH GRADE BREEZER FOOTBALL TEAM-(front row, l-r) Jerry Caldera, Adrian Pleasant, Tyson Turner, Ryan Pacina, Jerry Delgado, A.J. Lopez, Jesus Suarez, Troy Morales, Adalberto Garcia; (middle row, l-r) Brandon Balsadua, Eric Perez, Kasey Segura, Phillip Navarro, Kyla Martinez, Bryon Session, Joseph Martinez, Juan Dechoa, Juan Davila, Malissa Pitts; (back row, l-r) Coach Daniel Johnston, Coach Fred Tobias, Phillip Navarro, Tyler Echanbacher, Josh Salinas, Dylan Thomas, Carson Battey, Jordan Pinon, Greg Aleman, Eddy Rodriguez, Garin Carthal, Coach Desmond Ayala.

Photo by Michael Scott



**TOURNAMENT WINNERS--Ladywinds won their tournament in Roosevelt, November 17-19. Shown with the trophy are: (back row, l-r) Jennifer Leatherman, Jackee Wickware, Magan Flores, Lindsey Leatherman, Jana Everett, Tania Pesina, Britnee Brotherton; (front, l-r) Reagan Heflin, Marlen Carmona, Brittny Rando, and Tori Terrell.**

Courtesy Photo

## Floydada Girls 8th & 7th Grade Basketball Report

8th Lady Breezers - 43  
8th Olton - 11

The 8th grade Lady Breezers traveled to Olton on November 14, 2005 and took on the 8th grade Fillies. They Lady Breezers rolled over them by a score of 43-11.

Scoring went as follows: Megan Aleman - 14 points; Lexie Terrell - 9 points; Kortney Williams - 8 points; Lindsey Beedy - 4 points; Makenzie Schwertner - 4 points; Claudia Lopez - 2 points; Blaca Suarez - 2 points.

7th Lady Breezers - 17  
7th Olton - 7

The 7th grade Lady Breezers traveled to Olton on November

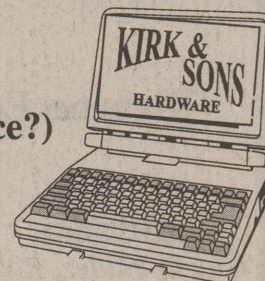
14, 2005 to take on the 7th grade Olton Fillies. The Lady Breezers won by a score of 17-7.

Scoring went as follows: Leslie Alvarado - 8 points; Skylar Mills - 3 points; Yvette Jimenez - 2 points; Crystal Martinez - 2 points; Whitley Beedy - 2 points.

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**Twelfth grade:** Nicholas Bunch, Tyler Chesshir, Reagan Heflin, Jarrett Kirk, Lindsey Leatherman, Cynthia Martinez, Hector Martinez, Tania Pesina, Jon Reddy, Marla Reeves, Lance Terrell, Tori Terrell, Jeffri Vaughn

**Eleventh grade:** Britnee Brotherton, Kalli Ferguson, Tate Jones, Morgan Marble, Keyla Pesina

**Tenth grade:** Abel Cortinas, Emily Griffin, Jennifer Leatherman, Morgan Norrell, Melinda Ramos, Jimmy Simpson

**Ninth grade:** Colton Covington, Johanna Dawdy, Dusty Hicks, Geraldo Mercadò, Sean Miller, Titus Miller, Jennifer Rainwater

### "AB" Honor Roll

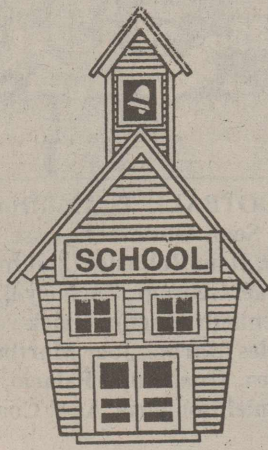
**Twelfth grade:** Jesalyn Bradley, Christopher Briones, Crystal Carrasco, Julie Ann Castillo, Maria Cervantes, Kendra Covington, Vanessa DelToro, Justin Duran, Roland Enriquez, Susie Flores, Estrelia Foster, Joanna Garcia, Mercedes Garcia, Lionel Garza, Oscar Garza, Stacey Griggs, Jordan Helms, Frank Ibarra, Samuel Juarez, Anabel Lopez, Mary Medrano, Israel Morales, Cody Muse, Jason Nutt, Dustin Ochoa, Ruben Ortis, Antonio Perez, Christopher Reyes, Crystal Tamayo, Kimberlie Van Cleve, Clay Ware, Jackie Wickware

**Eleventh grade:** Mickel Arevalo, Cameron Battey, Taylor Beedy, Marlen Carmona, Stephanie Carrasco, Abran Enriquez, Roberto Foster, Kimberly Garza, Anthony Hammonds, Kami Holbert, Tana Lloyd, Ryan Monreal

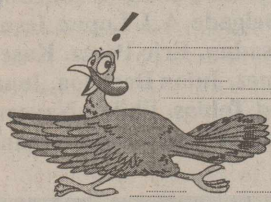
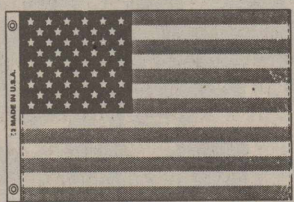
**Tenth grade:** Charles Beedy, William Beedy, Elizabeth Bertrand, Robert Beuning, Kimerly Bueno, Adriana Diaz, Camaray Gooch, Cassidy Gooch, Blake Greer, Anthony Herrera, Aleidy Martinez, Kristyn Muse, Victoria Perez, David Pyle, Martika Rando, Eladio Saldana, Randa Shurbet, Amber Smith, Kevin Smith, Kody Smith, Tanner Sue, Cinthia Torres, Mary Beth Warren, Kelsey Williams

**Ninth grade:** Ashley Aleman, Crystal Alvarez, Christopher Carrasco, Dillon Chesshir, Bailey Davenport, Chad Davis, Amber Ferrer, Robert Finley, Aarrhon Flores, Luis Foster, Oralie Garcia, Nikki Lavy, Elda Lopez, Laura Luna, Nikki Nino, Valerie Perez, Everardo Rodriguez-Lopez, Elizabeth Sansom, Joe Suarez, Lindsey Wells, Justin White

## Through the Halls



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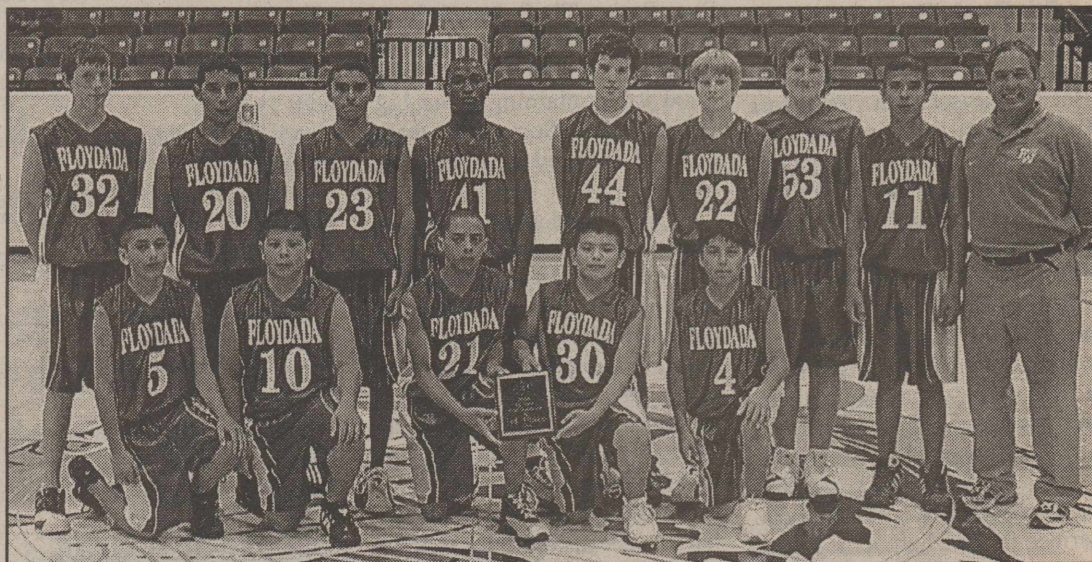


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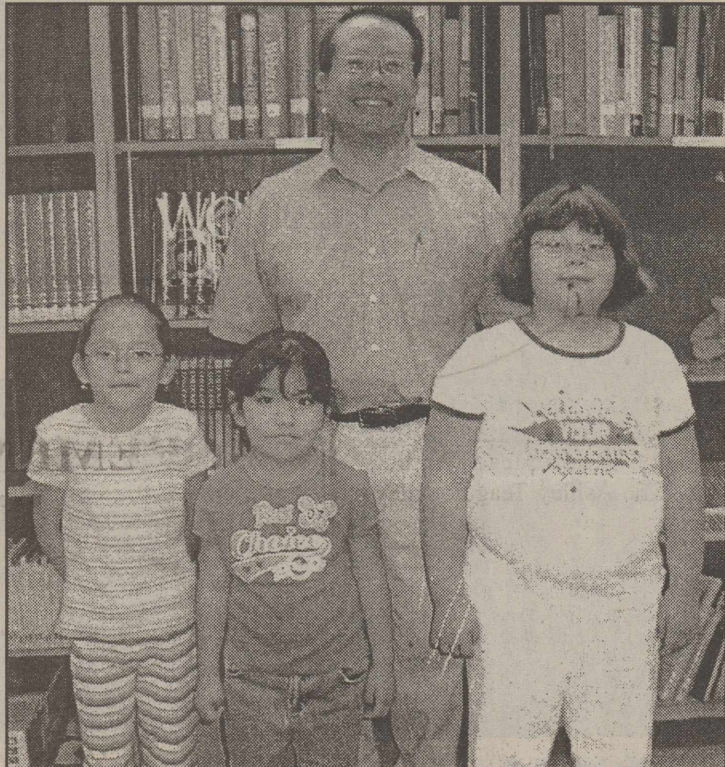
**LEATHERMAN SIGNS NATIONAL LETTER OF INTENT--**Lindsey Leatherman, senior forward at Floydada High School, signed a National Letter of Intent to play basketball for Angelo State University on Wednesday, November 16, 2005. Leatherman, a four-year starter for the Lady Winds has posted a career average of 16.9 points and 8.3 rebounds per game. She was named to the 2005 TABC All-Region Team, 2004 and 2005 Avalanche Journal All-South Plains Team, 2005 Co-MVP of District 6-2A. She also ended the 2004-05 season as the Lubbock A.J area leader in scoring for Class 2-A averaging 18.3 points per game. A member of the Lone Star Conference, the Angelo State Belles posted a 28-4 record for the 2004-05 season and a fourth-consecutive berth in the NCAA South Central Regional Tournament. The Belles also won the LSC South Division and LSC Tournament titles.

Courtesy Photo



**FJHS 8TH GRADE BOYS WIN SLATON TOURNAMENT--**(back, l-r) Mason Lipham, Joseph Segura, Flo Cuba, Fred Williams, Trey Casillas, Jordan Cornelius, Teddy Summers, David Diaz, Coach Desmond Ayala; (front, l-r) Lee Casillas, Anthony Segura, Damion Pleasant, Jesse Ibarra, and Geoffrey Sanchez.

Courtesy Photo



**A.B.DUNCAN STUDENTS/EDUCATOR OF WEEK(11/10)-(l-r)** Angela Suarez - 1st grade, Caitlynn Sanchez - kindergarten; Sammy Bradley - 1st grade teacher, Angela Longoria - 2nd grade, and (Madison Barrientos - not pictured, pre-k).

Courtesy Photo



## Through the Halls



**A.B.DUNCAN STUDENTS/EDUCATOR OF WEEK(11-17)-(l-r)** Alex Glass - Kindergarten, Jazmin Casarez - 1st grade, Rebecca Sistrunk - 2nd grade teacher, Gabriel Delafuente - pre-k, and Logan Everett - 2nd grade.

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## FLOYDADA SCHOOL MENU

### Monday Holiday

**Breakfast--**Sausage, toast/jelly or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk

**Lunch--**Chalupas with meat, lettuce/tomatoes/cheese, refried beans, Jello, milk

### Tuesday

**Breakfast--**Waffles with syrup or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk

**Lunch--**Chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, hot roll, pudding, milk

### Wednesday

**Breakfast--**Breakfast sausage, roll or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk

**Lunch--**Hamburger, fries, salad, fruit, milk

### Thursday

**Breakfast--**Scrambled eggs, toast or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk

**Lunch--**Pizza, carrot and celery sticks, fruit, cookie, milk

### Friday

**Breakfast--**Scrambled eggs, toast or cereal and graham crackers, juice, milk

**Lunch--**Pizza, carrot and celery sticks, fruit, cookie, milk

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## Lockney High School "A" & "A-B" Honor Rolls

**Twelfth grade:** Philip Cotham, Amber Dorman, Alexis Hall, Blaine Hall, Brandon Hall, Karen Hernandez, Dahlen McCarter, Emily Mercado, Tana Saul, Kory Smith, Brady Tannahill, Rebekah Thornton and Ty Young

**Eleventh grade:** Erin Mangold, Matthew Prather, Krista Rasco, Joanie Reecer and Kayla Thomas

**Tenth grade:** Bryan Cooper, Leah Ford, Elizabeth Foster, Ashley McCulloch, Zachary Montandon and Lauren Stewart

**Ninth grade:** Patrick Doucette, Hector Mercado and Aura Rodriguez

### AB Honor Roll

**Twelfth grade:** Trinity Ford, Nathan Hancock, Criselda Jimenez, Kami Keaton, April Lopez, Adam Martinez, David McDonald, James McPherson, Jason Mondragon, Trevor Morris, Linda Naranjo, Brance Wil-

### (Semester 1 Cycle 2) "A HONOR ROLL"

**12th Grade -** Alexis Hall, Blaine Hall, Emily Mercado, Jason Mondragon, Rebekah Thornton, Ty Young

**10th Grade -** Bryan Cooper, Leah Ford, Zachary Montandon

**9th Grade -** Patrick Doucette, Daryn McCarter, Hector Mercado

### "AB HONOR ROLL"

**12th Grade -** Landon Cotham, Amber Dorman, Trinity Ford, Brandon Hall, Nathan Hancock, Karen Hernandez, Criselda Jimenez, Kami Keaton, Graden Long, April Lopez, Dahlen McCarter, J.W. McPherson, Wendy Morales, Trevor Morris, Jonathan Silva, Kory Smith, Brady Tannahill, Brance Wilson

**11th Grade -** Tyson Carthel,

son and Jacob Zavala

**Eleventh grade:** Rion Auffil, Tyson Carthel, Weston Davis, Andrea Guerrero, Yadira Guerrero, Tyler Kidd, Jelesia McDonald, Amos Poole, Ryan Reagan, David Rosales, Jonathan Sherman, Coby Tannahill, Cassandra Torrez, Brandon Wilson and Gregorio Zavala

**Tenth grade:** Crystal Carrillo, Audrey Collins, Desiree DeLeon, Courtlyn Long, Paul Lopez, Jacob Martin, Tanner Morris and Trasa Poindexter

**Ninth grade:** Augustine Ascencio, Heather Brock, Jonathan Coleman, Adrian Cortez, Kyler Ellison, Saray Flores, Anabell Gonzalez, William Johnson, Janie Martinez, Brittany Mathis, Daryn McCarter, Brendi Morales, Timothy Padilla, Ruben Pesina, Emily Prayor, Estella Rodriguez, Hilda Salazar, Caleb Schumacher, Cynthia Zavala and Ashley Zuniga

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**10th Grade -** Desiree DeLeon, Senec Foster, Laura Fulton, Courtlyn Long, Jacob Martin, Ashley McCulloch, Tanner Morris, Lauren Stewart, Stephana Villarreal

**9th Grade -** Heather Brock, Jonathan Coleman, Adrian Cortez, Kyler Ellison, Saray Flores, Segayle Foster, Anabell Gonzalez, Brett Johnson, Brendi Morales, Timothy Padilla, Ruben Pesina, Emily Prayor, Aura Rodriguez, Estella Rodriguez, Caleb Schumacher, Cynthia Zavala

# Through the Halls

## Lockney Longhorns & Lady Horns 2005-2006 Basketball Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	JVG	JVB	VG	VB
Nov. 29	Lbck Roosevelt	H	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Dec. 1-3	Naz Var Trn	T			8:00	6:30
Dec. 8-10	New Deal Trn	T				TBA
Dec. 8-10	Loop Trn JV	T	TBA	TBA		
Dec. 9	Slaton	T			6:30	
Dec. 13	Crosbyton	T	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Dec. 16	Smyer	T	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Dec. 20	New Deal	H	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Dec. 28-30	Clarendon Trn	T			TBA	TBA
Jan. 1-3	Idalou	H	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Jan. 6	*Tulia	T	TBA		6:30	
Jan. 6	Seagraves	H		5:00		6:30
Jan. 10	*Floydada	H	4:00		6:30	
Jan. 10	River Road	H		5:15		8:00
Jan. 13	*Olton	T	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Jan. 17	*Dimmitt	T	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Jan. 20	*Friona	H	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Jan. 24	*Tulia	H	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Jan. 27	*Floydada	T	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Jan. 31	*Olton	H	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Feb. 3	*Dimmitt	H	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Feb. 7	*Friona	T	5:15	4:00	8:00	6:30
Feb. 10	*Tulia	T		5:00		6:30
Feb. 14	*Floydada	H		5:00		6:30

## Lockney Junior High School "A" Honor Roll

### (Semester 1, Cycle 2) "A HONOR ROLL"

**8th Grade -** Kalie Bice, Angel Bueno, Alisha Damron, Lezlie Jackson, Malory Johnson, Walker Kemp, Anna Sherman, Jathan Williams, Bethany Wilson

**7th Grade -** Lydia Annunziato, Kami Hunt, Judith

Mangum, Antonia Morales, Bridgit O'Connell

**6th Grade -** Courtney Edwards, SyAnn Foster, Christina Jackson, Landon Kidd, Stacey Rodriguez, Amber Segovia, Ashley Teague, Riley Teeter, Sunny Williams

## LISD buys tractor with mower/shredder

LISD trustees met November 17 and approved the purchase of a Kubota tractor/mower and shredder valued at \$7,000 with trade-in.

The trustees also listened to two fathers who spoke to the board during Open Forum. Both men were concerned with problems their children were having in Math class. They felt their kids were not getting the individual attention needed and they told the board that special tutoring had worked well for their kids.

The parents asked the board to please take their concerns under advisement in future decisions.

The board listened to the fathers and thanked them for coming.

Pat O'Connell, a member of the Lockney Economic Development Corporation spoke to the Board and told them the EDC was working up a vision statement for Lockney. "I just want you to know," said O'Connell, that LISD will be part of that vision. Quality Education for our children will be part of that vision because we know it is a strong part of our community."

Superintendent Phil Cotham told the board that a new program to fight early pregnancy among young teens was being considered for the school.

"We have a new curriculum

called, 'Worth the Wait', that Marva Rasco (the school's curriculum director) is looking at," said Cotham. "I will have more information on the program at the next meeting."

Cotham said the curriculum is being considered because of the high pregnancy rate in the school.

"We have 5 young girls that are pregnant and another girl has just recently had a baby."

Cotham told the board that after a birth the teenage girl becomes part of a "home-bound" program. In this program a tutor comes to the teen's house for one hour a day, four days a week.

"We have to provide the tutor for 6 weeks," said Cotham. "Usually the student comes back to school before the 6 weeks is up."

Principals gave enrollment reports to the Board. Elementary school has 288 students, Junior High has 135 students, and High School enrollment is 196.

The trustees approved membership with Caprock Shared Services Arrangement and also approved local policies for the use of school facilities for non-school purposes, and the policy on what non-school literature can be distributed.

The November financial report showed a balance of \$3,830,840.03. Of this balance, \$3,158,493.80 is held in CD investments.

## Miller in NAIA National Meet

After missing out last year with a leg injury, Oklahoma Christian University senior Wade Miller competed in the 2005 NAIA National Cross Championships in Louisville, Kentucky, November 19.

Miller placed eighth in the Sooner Athletic Conference and NAIA Region VI cross country

meet when he covered the 8,000 meter course in 26:03. Finishing third in team competition, Oklahoma Christian University earned an at large berth in the national event.

An education major and a 2002 graduate of Lockney High School, Wade is the son of Jerry and Sherri Miller of Lockney.

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## Air Force Airman Molina graduates from basic training

Air Force Airman Crystal A. Molina has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and military customs and courtesies; performed drill and ceremony marches, and received physical training, rifle marksmanship,

field training exercises, and special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

She is the daughter of Rojelio Molina of E. Locust, Lockney, Texas.

Molina is a 2005 graduate of Lockney High School.

## Congratulations

Lockney Chamber of Commerce & Lockney Downtown Beautification Presents

# Old Fashioned Christmas

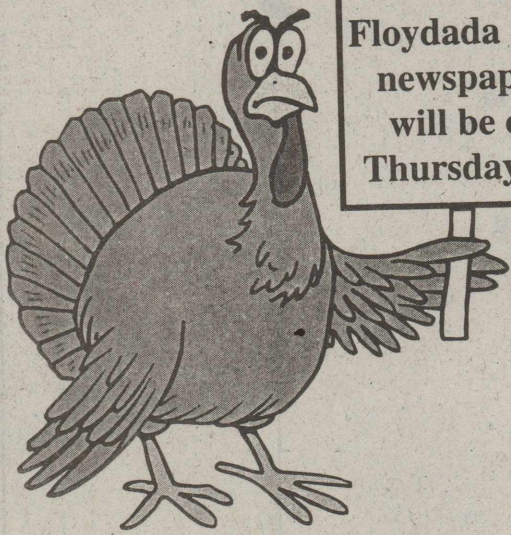
The festivities will begin on December 5, 2005 at 6:00pm and continue until 9:00pm.

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.

The Floydada & Lockney newspaper offices will be closed on Thursday & Friday



## Lockney School Menu

**Menu Monday**  
**Breakfast-**Muffin or cereal toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch-**Steak patty or PBJ sandwich, potatoes/gravy, fruit salad, wheat roll, milk  
**Tuesday**  
**Breakfast-**Pancakes or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch-**Baked potato or burrito, broccoli/Ranch, Texas toast, cobbler, milk  
**Wednesday**  
**Breakfast-**Scrambled eggs and

ham or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch-**Pizza or corn dog, tossed salad, peaches, milk  
**Thursday**  
**Breakfast-**Sausage biscuit or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch-**Fish sticks or ham, pinto beans, coleslaw, apple slices, milk  
**Friday**  
**Breakfast-**Cinnamon roll or cereal, toast, juice, milk  
**Lunch-**Hamburger or tuna sandwich, baked fries, lettuce and tomato, peaches, milk

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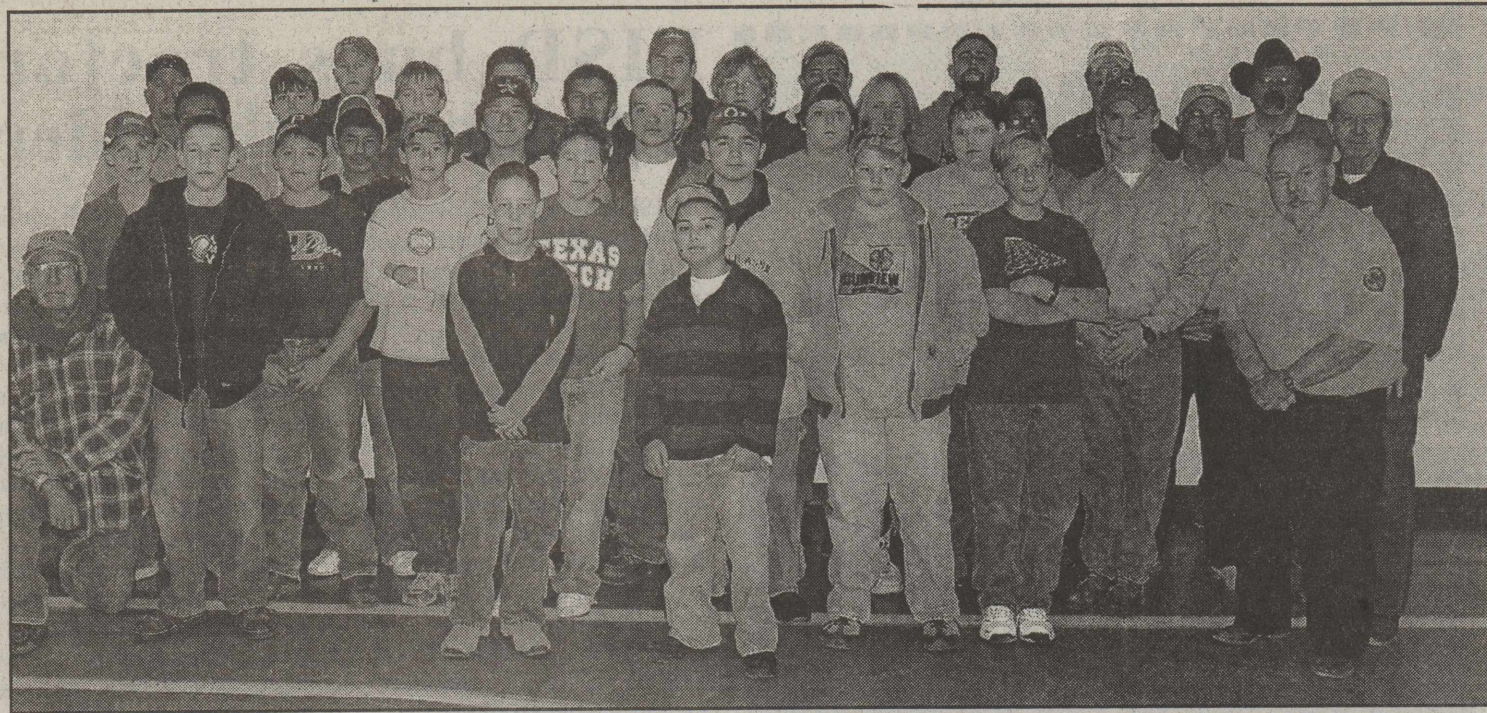


We will have coffee and hot chocolate for sale for .25 cents and home made cookies for sale also.

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.





**LOCKNEY POLICE DEPARTMENT HOLDS HUNTER EDUCATION PROGRAM--** The Lockney Police Department held its 18th annual Hunter Education Program this past weekend. Twenty nine students successfully completed this years course. As of this time 324 students have received their certification through the Lockney Police Department. **Staff Photo**

## Researchers test drip irrigation designs

**By: Tim W. McAlay**  
Crop producers on the Texas High Plains have long considered subsurface drip irrigation systems the "Cadillac" of irrigation technology. They maximize water use efficiency, boost crop yields in most cases and require less labor during operation due to automation.

But there is a drawback. Subsurface drip systems cost more to install.

Turnkey installation of such a system, including filters and automated controls, ranges from \$700 to \$1,000 per acre.

Texas Agricultural Experiment Station scientists are currently testing and comparing subsurface drip irrigation systems to see how lower-cost designs affect water distribution, crop performance and total yields.

"The question is, can we reduce design standards for these irrigation systems \* reducing their initial costs \* and still get good yields," said Jim Bordovsky, Experiment Station agricultural engineer based at Halfway.

"We are in our fourth year of comparing cotton yields among three subsurface drip designs."

Bordovsky is conducting this research with Dr. Dana Porter, Experiment Station and Texas Cooperative Extension irrigation specialist; Dr. Jeff Johnson, an Experiment Station and Texas Tech University economist, and Experiment Station research technician Joe Mustian.

The experimental drip system is made up of three groups of drip laterals, or tapes. Each group represents a different drip system design.

The designs provide three levels of water distribution uniformity ranging from very good (representing a more expensive system) to poor (representing a lower cost system).

To achieve the three levels of water uniformity in the experiment, each design has a unique tape diameter and operating pressure with irrigation flow controlled independently of the other designs.

All tapes are installed on 60-inch centers and water two 30-inch rows. Emitters on each tape lateral are the same size and spaced 20 inches apart. All laterals are 1,320 feet long, roughly one-quarter mile. "The main differences in these designs are tape diameter and operating pressure," Bordovsky said. "We grow one variety of cotton using planting and fertilizer rates that are common in the area."

"Within this experiment, we use two different irrigation re-

gimes, each based on local evapotranspiration rates. In one regime we give the crop 100 percent of an estimated base irrigation rate. In the other regime, the crop receives 60 percent of the base irrigation rate."

Irrigation in this study is applied as a supplement to rainfall from June through August. "2001, 2002 and 2003 were dry years, but we received record rainfall in 2004," Bordovsky said. "Our rainfall in 2005 has been more typical, although an isolated hail event did affect yield. In order to compare crop yields among these three subsurface drip designs we take yield samples at five locations along each lateral line within each design."

With four growing seasons behind them and another almost in the bag, the scientists have reached some preliminary conclusions.

"We have learned that environmental and physical factors can affect cotton yield uniformity as much as the irrigation system design."

Bordovsky said. "We're talking about things like hail, blowing sand, insect or disease pressure, soil type and topography."

"We've also learned there isn't much overall yield difference for an entire field among the three different subsurface drip designs at 60 percent of base irrigation. Our total average yields have

fluctuated in a very narrow range, from 1,299 pounds per acre to 1,304 pounds per acre.

But the scientists have noted a difference in water uniformity across the field among the three systems.

"Reducing the design standards will lead to less-than-perfect water distribution and greater yield variation along each row," Bordovsky said.

"The yield we get down the furrow is correlated to how the system distributes water. Poor distribution of pre-plant irrigation could really have an adverse effect on cotton germination in dry years."

"Even so, these experiments indicate that we could reduce the design standards and, therefore, the initial cost of subsurface drip systems without affecting overall cotton yield."

The scientists also plan to conduct an economic analysis to compare operating costs with total yields produced in each of the three designs.

"We hope to have the economic analysis done sometime in 2006," Bordovsky said.

The Texas State Support Committee of Cotton Incorporated and the United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Research Service Ogallala Research Initiative provided financial support for this research.

## Beef identification program topic at Amarillo Farm & Ranch Show

The 2005 Panhandle Beef Conference will provide an update on the National Animal Identification System.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture announced in 2004 the animal identification plan would be phased in, with the first deadline facing producers in January 2008, said Dr. Ted McCollum, Texas Cooperative Extension beef cattle specialist.

Producers must have a premise identification number at that time, McCollum said. That sign-up has already started.

The conference, which will be held in conjunction with the annual Amarillo Farm and Ranch Show, will explore uses of animal identification and opportunities for cattle producers, said Leon Church, Texas Cooperative Extension agent in Potter County. Registration will begin at 1:30 p.m. Dec. 1 in the Grand Plaza of the Amarillo Civic Center.

McCollum will open the program with a presentation on "Animal Identification \* The National Animal Identification System and Beyond."

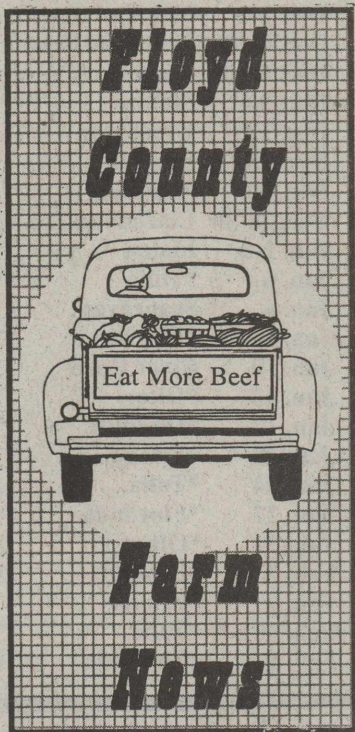
Other discussion will concern

the Texas Cattle Feeders Association's Quality Systems Assessment for Age and Source Verification program and the role and requirements of cow/calf and stocker producers. Animal identification has been at the forefront of industry issues since USDA announced a National Animal Identification System would be implemented, McCollum said.

The national system is intended to improve animal tracking and will be part of the national animal disease monitoring and control program in the U.S., he said.

Animal identification has implications in other areas of the livestock industry, McCollum said. Some of these areas, such as information management and sharing, marketing, age and source verification, are receiving more attention than the animal tracking/disease control objectives of the program, he said.

In addition to USDA, the Texas Animal Health Commission and other state agencies are providing input into the development and implementation of the system, McCollum said.



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## Obituary

**CHARLES ELVIN JONES**  
Charles Elvin (Jonsey) Jones, 53, of Floydada passed away on November 17, 2005 at Covenant Hospital in Lubbock.

Jones was born December 30, 1951 to the late Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jones.

He attended Floydada schools. Jones was baptized on March 14, 1965 at the Bible Baptist Church in Floydada.

He had been a resident of the Floydada Care and Rehab Center since May 2005. He enjoyed being a part of the Floyd County farming community.

Survivors include three brothers, Tommy Jones, Eugene Jones and Marvin Jones and one sister.

*We want to thank all our friends and community for their love and support when we lost Arvie. Thanks for the food, flowers, visits, cards, the Senior Citizen memorial and the help of the church ladies.*

*God bless,  
Gene Newton, Charlie & Missy Minick  
Joel & Tori Smith*

## THIS WEEK'S

### FLOYDADA BAND BOOSTERS

The Floydada Band Boosters will hold a meeting on Monday, November 28, 2005 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 welcome.



RELIEF WORKERS, (3rd from right)RENEE' HRBACEK, (2nd from right)DONNA BURNETT AND (right)RISE' FORD ON DUTY IN ORANGE, TEXAS

## Poole promoted to Director of Institutional Effectiveness

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in dealing with the requirements of Wayland's regional accreditor, the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools. I have no doubt that she will continue her record of success in this position. Wayland is indeed fortunate to have someone of her ability and commitment to advance into this important role."

Poole has worked as an analyst for the past ten years, primarily compiling survey research, course evaluations, and any other

data the university needed to make decisions. She also compiled data for all reports to agencies. In her current role, she'll be more involved in the effectiveness side of the work, especially in terms of preparing data and gathering reports from offices for the accreditation reaffirmation from Southern Association of Colleges and Schools planned for 2008.

"I'm excited about being more involved with the reaffirmation process and seeing people

more and getting to visit with the university offices," Poole said of her new role.

A native of South Plains, Poole attended Floydada High School and earned a Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Wayland in 1989. She is currently working toward her Master of Business Administration degree as well.

Poole and her husband, Ricky, have two children, Jessica, 15, and Zachary, 13. The family attends Parkview Baptist Church.

## Weir named to Corvette Board

The National Corvette Museum has announced changes to its Board of Directors effective January 1, 2006. NCM Lifetime Members, Tom Ferrara and Bill Weir have been elected to a one-year term to the board, and will be eligible to be re-elected for a two-year term.

Bill Weir resides in Floydada, and has been an active Lifetime member of the Museum since 2001. Bill is an NCM Ambassador and staunch supporter in recruiting new members and sharing the passion of the Museum. Bill has been a volunteer for the Museum for over three years, and handles on-site parking for many of our larger events.

Bill is travel coordinator for the Museum's "Heartbeat in the

Heartland Tour" which made its way through parts of Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas a few months ago. Bill, along with his wife Bobbie and several volunteers, showcased the Museum through a traveling exhibit and presentation event that introduced the Museum to thousands at various tour stops across the heartland. Bill has been active in many youth sports organizations as well as a NCAA basketball official in seven conferences for 35 years and is an Honorary Life Member of the Texas Association of Sports Officials. Bill served as a Captain in the U.S. Air Force as part of the Vietnam War.

Bill is currently the Junior Vice Commander of the Floyd County Veterans of Foreign Wars

as well as being a Life Member of the VFW. "This is a long time dream and goal come true for me and I am very proud and humbled to obtain a seat on the board", Bill shared.

"We are very pleased and confident in the election of Tom and Bill to the board," states NCM Executive Director, Wendell Strode. "Having the participation of board members that truly love the Museum and what it stands for is an important element as we move the Museum forward."

The National Corvette Museum is a member-driven, non profit foundation dedicated to the mission of "Celebration, Education and Preservation of Corvette's Heritage."

### Public Notice

#### NOTICE OF MEETING

The Floyd County Central Appraisal District will hold its regular board meeting at 9:00 a.m. Thursday, December 1, 2005 at 104 E. California, Floydada.

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#### TREASURER'S REPORT

We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Floyd County, Texas hereby certify that we have this date made an examination of and compared the County Treasurer's Quarterly report, filed with us on this 17th day of November, 2005, and that the total of funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands are the sum of \$ 309,755.16. First National Bank Certificate of Deposits \$ 354,000.00.

WITNESS OUR HANDS, officially, this 17th day of November 2005.

William D. Hardin, County Judge  
Raynell Bearden, Commissioner, Precinct #1  
Leonard Gilroy, Commissioner, Precinct #2  
Craig, Gilly, Commissioner, Precinct #3  
Jon Jones, Commissioner, Precinct #4

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## Floyd County Church Directory

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| <p><b>AIKEN BAPTIST CHURCH</b><br/>Jay Simpson, Pastor<br/>Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH</b><br/>810 S. 3rd, Floydada<br/>Darwin Robinson, Pastor<br/>983-5278<br/>Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 10:50 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>CALVARY'S CORNERSTONE FELLOWSHIP</b><br/>Floydada<br/>Armando Morales, Pastor<br/>Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.<br/>Bible Study ..... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wednesday Evening 7:00 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>CARR'S CHAPEL</b><br/>Service Every Sunday:<br/>Morning Worship .... 9:00 a.m.<br/>Sunday School ..... 10:30 a.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>CHURCH OF CHRIST</b><br/>West College &amp; Third, Lockney<br/>Steve McLean -Minister<br/>Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship .... 5:30 p.m.<br/>Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>CITY PARK CHURCH OF CHRIST</b><br/>Ken Free- Minister<br/>Floydada<br/>Sunday Bible Study 9:30 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 10:30 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship .... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wed. 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Lupe Rando<br/>Sunday School .... 9:45 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 10:55 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wed. Evening ..... 7:00 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>SAN JOSE CATHOLIC CHURCH</b><br/>Lockney<br/>Jim McCartney<br/>Pastor<br/>Wed. Communion .. 8:00 p.m.<br/>Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m.<br/>*****</p> | <p><b>SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST CHURCH</b><br/>Joe Weldon, Pastor<br/>Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.<br/>Prayer Meeting..... 7:00 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>TEMPLO GETSEMANI ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b><br/>701 W. Missouri<br/>Rev. Ray Gonzales<br/>983-5286 (church)<br/>983-3047 (parsonage)<br/>Sunday School ..... 9: 45 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship ... 11:00 a.m.<br/>Evening Service ..... 5:00 p.m.<br/>Wednesday ..... 7:00 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>ST. MARY MAGDALEN CATHOLIC CHURCH</b><br/>Floydada<br/>Father Jose Relente<br/>Deacon Ricky Vasquez<br/>Phone: 983-5878<br/>Sunday Mass ..... 11:30 a.m.<br/>Mon.Wed. Mass ..... 6:30 p.m.<br/>Confession Sat. 10:00-11:00 a.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>TEMPLO BAUTISTA SALEM</b><br/>Lockney<br/>Pedro Reyes, Pastor<br/>Sun. Prayer Service 9:30 a.m.<br/>Sunday School ..... 9:45 p.m.<br/>Worship Service ... 11:00 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship ... 6:00 p.m.<br/>Wed. Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>TEMPLO BETHEL SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD</b><br/>Washington and 1st St.<br/>Rev. Eliseo Ovalle 983-6202<br/>Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.<br/>Morning Worship .. 11:00 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship ... 5:00 p.m.<br/>Wed. Service ..... 7:00 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>TEMPLO NUEVA VIDA</b><br/>Rev. Herman Martinez<br/>308 W. Tennessee, Floydada<br/>Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.<br/>Evening Worship .... 5:00 p.m.<br/>Tuesday ..... 7:30 p.m.<br/>Thursday Service ... 7:30 p.m.<br/>Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.<br/>*****</p> <p><b>TRINITY ASSEMBLY</b><br/>500 W. 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