



City will receive a \$68,403.80 sales tax allocation for February

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar announced last week that he will send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts \$1.22 billion in local sales tax allocations for February, 16.4 percent more than in February 2021. These allocations are based on sales made in December by businesses that report tax monthly; October, November and December sales by quarterly filers; and 2021 sales by businesses that report tax annually.

The City of Friona will receive \$68,403.80 in Texas sales tax allocation for the month of February. This amount is a 24.25% increase over the \$55,050.28 allocation received in February 2021. For the first two months of 2022, the City has received \$136,554.67 in sales tax disbursements. This YTD amount is a 42.05% increase over the \$96,125.10 received in the first two months of 2021.

The Friona Economic Development Corporation (FEDC) will receive \$17,100.95 of the allocation for its operations.

Unfunded mandates cost real money

Parmer County Commissioners Court met in regular session on Monday February 14, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. in the County Courtroom of the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell, Texas. The meeting began with prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag and Texas Flag.

Minutes from the January 24th meeting were read and approved. Commissioners approved the payment of the accounts payables as presented by County Treasurer Sharon May. The Treasurer's Payroll Report was also approved.

County Clerk Susie Spring gave the Commissioners a preliminary report regarding the un-budgeted expenses related to unfunded mandates and the 2022 elections. This is when the State of Texas tells you what you must do but does not provide the funds to pay for it. A couple of these include security measures that must be implemented regarding the voting machines. Another is financing the May 7, 2022 Election to vote on the two proposed amendments to the Texas Constitution. The proposed amendments were approved by two-thirds of the members of both the Texas Senate and the Texas House of Representatives. Both amendments involve property taxes, public school financing, and homestead exemptions.

In other business, commissioners voted to hire the Amarillo accounting firm Doshier, Pickens & Francis, LLC to conduct the outside audit for Parmer County this year. Also, the \$700 per month contract with Eric Chadwick for lawn service covering the Parmer County Courthouse and Law Enforcement Center was extended for another year.

Parmer County Sheriff Eric Geske informed the Court that the Parmer County Law Enforcement Center was currently housing 22 inmates. Of these, 9 are paying customers from Deaf Smith County. The Racial Profiling Report was tables until the next meeting.

All meetings are open to the public. The Commissioner's Court reserves the right to go into Executive Session at any time. The agenda may be found on the Parmer County website. Information in this article is only a summary. Any questions concerning specific actions should be directed to the Commissioners Court.

FCCLA wins big, Chavez chosen president



Back row: (l-r) Jennyfer Munoz, Elaney Arzate, Marie Phillips, Jacee Burney, Alberth Arguelles, Fabian Salinas; **Middle row: (l-r)** Nadia Snyder, Aracely Hernandez, Gael Garcia, Saraya Luna, Annacaren Salas, Janessa Garcia, Anahi Villa, Erin Barnett (advisor); **Front row: (l-r)** Alexis Soto, Hiromy Quiroz, Sophia Leon, Neveah Galan, Yuliana Gallegos, Mariana Gallegos

Friona FCCLA had an exciting time at the Regional Conference held in Lubbock on February 8th through 10th. FCCLA advisor Erin Barnett announced that Blanca Chavez was chosen for a regional office. "I am proud to introduce to you Friona FCCLA's very first Texas FCCLA Region 1 President, Blanca Chavez. She will be an amazing representative of Friona and will make you all so proud", Barnett stated.

Awards won include: (1) Proficiency events: Cupcake Presentation, Level 2 by Jennyfer Munoz won 2nd Place & State qualifier; (2) Toys That Teach, Level 3 by Neveah Galan and Fabian Salinas won 2nd Place & State qualifier; (3) Spotlight on Projects: Student Body, "Positivity Makes Me Bloom" by Elaney Arzate, Xavier Guerra, and Sophia Leon won People's Choice, Evaluator's Choice, Overall Best & State qualifier; (4) Other, Financial Fitness, "Are You Feeding Your Piggy?" by Annacaren Salas, Janessa Garcia, and Alberth Arguelles won People's Choice; (5) Career Connections, "Teaching in a Winter Wonderland" by Hiromy Quiroz and Aracely Hernandez won People's Choice; (6) Star Events: Teach and Train, Level 2 by Nadia Snyder won 1st place & State qualifier; (7) Focus on Children, Level 2 by

Jacee Burney and Saraya Luna won 2nd place & State qualifier; (8) FCSA: Creed, Motto, Purposes by Alexis Soto won Gold & State qualifier.



Blanca Chavez

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All in the family but not all of the family — (l-r) Donna, Wade, Emma, Ivy, Candice, Dale Schueler, and Aubrey holding the sheep. The Parmer County Junior Livestock Show has always been a family affair. Every community in Parmer County has been home to a "family dynasty" during the past 85 years. It is not just about winning a prize. It is about the love of animals and the work it takes to raise, care, and prepare them for show. Congratulations to all the students and families who participated in this year's show. Please see the insert for full coverage and photos.

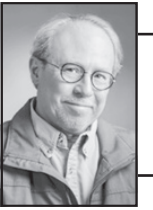
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State Capital Highlights

By Gary Borders



Community Calendar

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call (806) 250-2211 or fax (806) 250-5127

February 17

- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

February 21

- Presidents' Day
- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

February 22

- Washington's Birthday

February 24

- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

February 28

- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

March 1

- Primary Election
7 a.m. till 7 p.m. at all polling locations
- Snack Pak packing at 3 p.m. at Friona United Methodist Church (north entrance on 9th street)

March 3

- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

Mail-in ballot applications rejected at high rate

Mail-in ballot applications for the March 1 primary are being rejected by almost 40% — largely because of a missing ID number, which is now required after a new voting bill passed the Legislature last year.

The Houston Chronicle reported that nearly four in 10 Harris County mail ballot applications had been rejected as of last week. Early voting began Feb. 14, and the deadline for mail ballot requests is Feb. 18.

Other counties across Texas also reported high rejection rates, including Travis, Williamson, Hays and Bastrop counties, the Austin American-Statesman reported. Those seeking to vote by mail must include a driver's license number, a state ID number, or in some cases the last four digits of their Social Security number. If what the applicant provides doesn't match the applicant's individual voter registration information, the application must be rejected.

Texas has one of the strictest vote-by-mail requirements in the country. Registered voters are eligible to vote by mail if they are 65 years or older; sick or disabled; out of the county on election day and during the early voting period; expected to give birth within three weeks before or after election day; or confined in jail but otherwise eligible.

Early voting continues through Feb. 25.

Drought conditions improve slightly

The latest drought map for the state shows a slight improvement as of Feb. 1, with 84% of the state experiencing some level of drought, down three percentage points from the previous month. Dr. Mark Wentzel, hydrologist with the Texas Water Development Board, said there were some improvements in the last month, mainly in East Texas. Additional rainfall in early February, mainly in East Texas and Central Texas, should improve conditions by the next report in March.

Wide swaths of the Panhandle

and the Great Plains are experiencing the worst drought conditions.

Texas top exporting state for 20th year

Data released last week by the U.S. Census Bureau showed Texas as the top exporting state in the nation for the 20th consecutive year. The state exported \$375.3 billion in goods last year, more than California and New York combined. The state also led the nation in tech exports for the ninth year in a row.

"Made in Texas is a powerful global brand, and the Lone Star State continues to dominate the nation in exports, thanks to our unrivaled and productive workforce, robust infrastructure and welcoming business environment," Gov. Greg Abbott said.

Funding available for clean school bus program

An estimated \$13 million in grant funding is available under the Texas Clean School Bus Program to replace or retrofit school buses to reduce exposure to their diesel exhaust. The Texas Commission on Environmental Quality is accepting applications from school districts statewide.

Grants are given on a first-come, first-served basis. Districts can be reimbursed for all of the costs to retrofit buses, or 80% of the costs to replace older buses with newer, cleaner models, according to TCEQ.

Only buses used daily are eligible. While the deadline is in October, funding typically runs out when enough applications are received. More information can be found at www.terpgrants.org.

Power generators under increased scrutiny

During early February's winter storm, the state's electrical grid withstood increased demand, with few outages reported. Regulators are crediting increased inspections by the Electric Reliability Council of Texas during December.

The Dallas Morning News reports ERCOT inspected 324 generators and transmission systems in December; the Public Utility

Commission handed down \$7.5 million in fines for companies not filing weatherization plans by the deadline.

"We've been working for the last year to make sure that this grid is more reliable than it ever has been in the past — and it is," interim ERCOT CEO Brad Jones said a few days before snow and sleet hit.

In addition to increased inspections, legislation passed last regular session required power generators to winterize their plants. Additionally, alternate fuel sources are required if natural gas isn't available. While this year's storm wasn't nearly as severe as Winter Storm Uri in 2021, thus far the grid has stood up to increased demand.

The state's largest power generator, Vistra, is spending up to \$80 million to ensure its plants keep generating electricity despite whatever Mother Nature throws at them, The Morning News reported.

COVID-19 cases continue to drop sharply

It is beginning to look as if the omicron variant of COVID-19 really has peaked, with new cases in the state during the past week dropping to 109,990, according to the Coronavirus Resource Center at Johns Hopkins University. That's a decrease of 75% in the past month, while new deaths at 1,398 were essentially unchanged.

The Texas Department of State Health Services reported a total of 8,140 COVID-19 hospitalizations, down 23.6% from the previous week. The number of Texans who are fully vaccinated topped 17 million, or 58.6% of the state's population. Just more than 6 million Texans have also received a booster dose, which has proven effective in preventing more serious symptoms from the omicron variant, researchers say.

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ACROSS

1 TXism: "want it so ___ could spit"

5 "The eyes of Texas are ___ you . . ."

6 roller ___

7 captures ___

8 Texas' big oil ___ was 1894 to 1935

9 "drum" swimmer in the Gulf of Mexico

16 a small child

18 what Apollo 13 communicated to Houston on 4/13/1970

21 ___ Campo, TX

22 sharp & salty cheese

23 TX Strait hit: "___ Let Himself Go"

24 tote with scales of justice imprint (2 wds.)

30 a Texas Tech athlete (2 wds.)

34 Texas Mexican restaurant: ___ Fenix Lee Greenwood hit: "God Bless ___"

36 Abel's brother

37 part of a flower

39 UT's Lydia Jacoby won this 100 meter swim event in Tokyo

43 TXism: "wipe the ___ clean" (erase)

44 TX B.J. Thomas' "___ Somebody Done Somebody Wrong Song" (1975)

45 TX Strait's "All My ___'s Live in Texas"

46 TXism: "best I ___ laid eyes on"

47 red blood cell deficiency

49 gave the meaning of a word

52 many parents learn the ___ of their child early

53 TX Blue Bell ___ cream

54 all-time record low for Texas oil was three ___ a barrel in 1902

55 investment profits

58 she was married to the 27th Texas governor: ___ Culp Hobby

14 dir. to Port Lavaca from New Braunfels

15 Gen. Schwarzkopf of "Operation Desert Storm" in 1991 (init.)

17 type of many ovens

19 TXism: "was hornswoogled"

20 book by 12-down: "Old ___"

24 ___ Gov. Dan Patrick this Belo founded the Dallas Morning News (init.)

25 this Belo founded the Dallas Morning News (init.)

26 fictitious sisters of Ima Hogg: Ura & ___

27 "___ dias" (good morning)

38 covers with asphalt

40 ___ Colony, TX

41 TX Dan Jenkins book: "___-Tough"

42 death penalty

48 national airline: "___mexico"

50 along with the CCC, first relief org. of the New Deal

51 "Fanthorp ___ State Historic Site"

56 town on the border of Coryell and Hamilton counties former TX company: Ling-___-Vought

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COURTHOUSE NOTES

Susie Spring, County Clerk

Warranty Deeds recorded at the Parmer County Clerk's Office from February 3, 2022 to February 10, 2022

(2/3/22) Dutch Road Land LLC, Matthew R. Beck-erink, Nancy J. Beckerink — Andrew Scott Johnson, Cebia Elaine Johnson — All of the Southwest One-Forth and All of the South 40 of the Northwest One-Forth of Section 36 in the Doud & Keefer Subdivision in Parmer County Texas; A 114.54 Acres Tract of Land out of the Northwest Quarter of Section 36, Doud & Keefer Subdivision in Parmer County; 320 Acres being the East 1/2 of Survey 26, Doud & Keefer Subdivision as per Plat recorded in Vol. 6 Pg. 287-288 of the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas

(2/4/22) Friona Land Holding LLC — Jonathan Marcelo Hernandez Cabrales, Marcelo Hernandez Serrano — All of Lot 15 of Block Number 4 of the Lakeside Addition to the City of Friona, Parmer County, Texas as shown by Plat of said Addition of Recorded in Vol. 96, Page 109 of the Deed Records Parmer County

(2/7/22) Timothy Wayne Black, Tammy Denise Black — Presidio Farms LLC — A Tract of Land in East 1/2 of Section 102, Kelly Subdivision, Parmer County, Texas

(2/7/22) James Peace, Roger Peace, Ray Peace — Anyuli Ramos Lopez — North 30' of Lot 10 and South 35' of Lot 11, Block 2, Drake Revised Subdivision, City of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

(2/9/22) 4-Way Pump Service — City of Friona — A 4.836 Acre Tract of Land Being All of a 2,548 Acre Tract of Land out of the East part of an 8.13 Acre Tract of Land as described in Vol. 250, Pg. 535 and a 12.3056 Acre Tract of Land as described in Vol. 266, Pg.107, all in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas.

(2/9/22) Sea Scrolls LLC — Timothy Busch, Sandra Busch — Lot 10 and the East 25' Lot 11, Block 3, Western Addition, City of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

(2/9/22) Francisco J. Ortiz, Rocio Ortiz — Jorge Javier Gallegos, Savanna Dawn Gallegos — A Tract or Parcel of Land Being All of Lot No. 3 and the North One Half of Lot No. 4, of Block 13 of the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

SHERIFF'S REPORT

Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office:
Eric Geske, Sheriff

(2/7/22) Thomas A. Garcia, 32, of Clovis, New Mexico was arrested by the Department of Public Safety on a charge of Possession Marijuana < 2 oz., pending County Court.

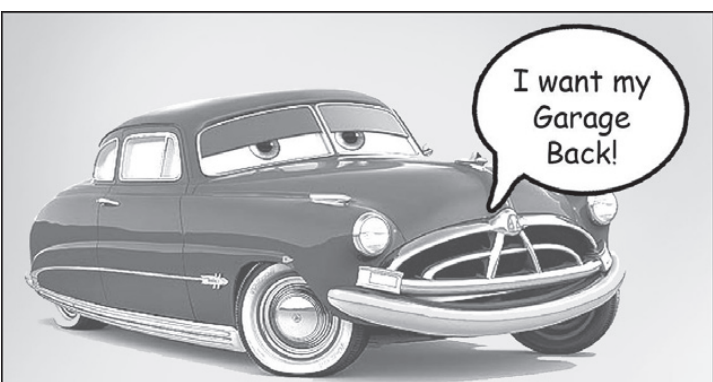
(2/8/22) Jeremy J. Duarte, 31, of Clovis, New Mexico was arrested by the Department of Public Safety on charges of Possession Marijuana ≤ 2 oz., pending County Court; Possession CS PG2 > 4g < 400g, pending Grand Jury; and Unlawful Carrying Weapon, pending County Court.

(2/10/22) Shannan R. Vick, 22, of Clovis, New Mexico was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's office on a charge of Possession Marijuana 2 oz., pending County Court.

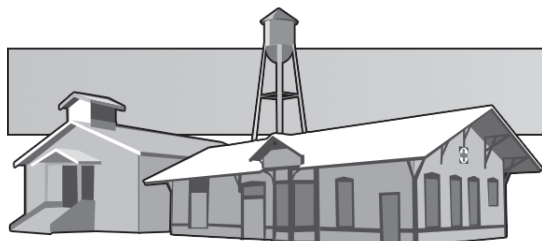
(2/12/22) Alberto Montero, 26, of San Tan Valley, Arizona was arrested by the Friona Police Department on a charge of Assault of Public Servant, pending Grand Jury.

(2/13/22) Jesus Gonzalez II, 29, of Friona was arrested by the Friona Police Department on a charge of Possession Marijuana < 2 oz. in Drug Free Zone, pending County Court.

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Voters Guide — Grace Cooper has produced a voters' guide for the upcoming Primary Election involving contested races. Those races include County Judge, J.P. Precinct 1, County Commissioner Precinct 2, and County Commissioner Precinct 4. Printed version of the guide will be available at the Friona Public Library. You can find the online version by going to www.frionaonline.com and clicking on "Parmer County Nonpartisan Voter's Guide".

Free Vaccination Clinics — Parmer Medical Center now has Pfizer Pediatric doses available for kids 5-11 years of age. Also, Pfizer for ages 12 & up and Moderna for ages 18 & up. Please call 806-250-2754 (ext. 120 or 163), 806-240-1562, or 806-240-1761 to schedule an appointment.

PMC will conduct shot clinics on Thursday, February 24th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Friona at the 6th Street Church of Christ and on Friday, February 25th from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Bovina at the XIT Recreation Center.

The stock show special edition is here — The special edition of the 85th Annual Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show has arrived. We hope you enjoy it and thank

you for your patience. Everyone is very happy with the renovations to the Community Center and are ready for the next phase. Special thanks to City Manager Lee Davila, Mayor Ricky White, and the City Council for making the upgrades a reality. Keep up the good work!

More power to ya — Friona will host the Chieftain Powerlifting Championships this Saturday in the FHS Activities Center. The regional championships are scheduled for the first two weekends in March. Go Big Red!!!

Early voting is underway — Early voting is being held at the County Clerk's office from February 14-18 and February 22-25 from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. The office will be closed on Monday, February 21st for the President's Day holiday.

The nominees are — Now is the time to nominate a candidate for Man, Woman, Citizen, Employee, Teacher, Student, and Business of the Year! You can stop by the Chamber of Commerce office to pick up a nomination form or complete one online. Contact the office at 806-250-3491 for more information. The last day for nominations is Tuesday, February 22nd. The 66th Annual Cham-

ber Awards Banquet "Frionaopoly" is scheduled for Tuesday, March 8th.

Save the Date — Bluebonnet Home Health and Hospice will be hosting a caregiver meeting on Friday, March 4th at 9:30 a.m. in the First National Bank/Friona Banking Center. If you find yourself in this role and beginning to fatigue yourself, doubt your capabilities, or having frustration that is leading to your own decline in health and wellbeing it might be time to reach out for support. Most often, caregivers learn from one another more than anything and enjoy the fellowship as well as being reminded they are 'not the only one' in this very important; but, demanding role.

- National Days**
February 17:
Random Acts of Kindness Day
February 18:
No One Eats Alone Day
February 19:
Chocolate Mint Day
February 20:
Love Your Pet Day
February 21:
Presidents' Day
February 22:
Margarita Day
February 23:
Banana Bread Day

Check out your library for cool... ...books about the Presidents' lives. Kids: color stuff in!

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POP Quiz!

Do you know which two U.S. presidents were born in February and have holidays on the calendar? Can you recognize them by their profiles, which you've probably seen many times on coins?

Read the clues below and fill in the puzzle with the last name of the correct President:

1. First African-American President; encourages students to get a good education; likes basketball: Barack _____.
2. One story tells that our first president never "told a lie" and confessed to cutting down a cherry tree: George _____.
3. Family was poor, but he learned to read and write; loved books; tallest president; fought to keep the nation united: Abraham _____.
4. First president to travel outside the U.S.; first American to win the Nobel Peace Prize; Teddy Bear named for him: Theodore _____.
5. Became president 12 years after his father: George W. _____.
6. Wrote most of the Declaration of Independence; designed his own home: Thomas _____.
7. President who served 2 terms not back-to-back; married in the White House: Grover _____.
8. First president to have his photo taken; had an alligator; kept a diary: John Quincy _____.
9. On the \$50 bill; fought in Civil War where he was the first 4-star general: Ulysses S. _____.
10. Was governor of Arkansas; can play the saxophone: "Bill" _____.
11. Never married; his niece went to the White House to be his hostess: James _____.
12. Five-star Army General; first president to ride in a nuclear-powered submarine: Dwight D. _____.
13. Youngest elected president; set up the Peace Corps to help poor countries: John F. _____.
14. At 13, took part in a Revolutionary War battle; was taken prisoner and slashed with a sword for refusing to clean a British officer's boots: Andrew _____.
15. His wife, Dolly, saved a favorite portrait of George Washington before the British attacked the city of Washington and burned down the White House: James _____.
16. He was inaugurated as President when he was 78 years old: Joe _____.

Presidents Day

Fill in the blanks with the letters that spell the last names of these two presidents:

1. President O _ _ a _ _
2. President T _ _ u _ p

Challenge Puzzle!

How many Presidents can you name? Get a pencil and paper, and gather your family or friends. Write down all the names you can think of, and then check your list to see if you named all of the U.S. presidents! (Note: Don't forget that Grover Cleveland served as both the 22nd and 24th President.)

The Lincoln kids kept my great, great, great, great grandfather as a pet in the _____ White House.

Presidents had other careers before leading the nation. Fill in this crossword with their jobs:

1. Ronald Reagan
2. Ulysses S. Grant
3. Abraham Lincoln
4. James E. Carter

Where Did They Live?

Read the four names of Presidential homes on the right, then:

1. Circle the name of Thomas Jefferson's home.
2. Put an "X" on the presidential home used for relaxing.
3. Draw a square around the house where the President lives.
4. Underline George Washington's home.

1. Did you know that George Washington was the

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U.S. President?

Presidential Number Challenges!

2. Who is on every penny and five-dollar bill? Unscramble the letters to find out:
_ _ _ A M A R B H A _ _ _
3. Draw a line from the name to the number that tells each president's order in history.

1. George Washington	16
2. John F. Kennedy	35
3. Abraham Lincoln	46
4. Barack Obama	1
5. Joe Biden	44

Grover Cleveland was our 22nd and 24th President.

Follow the color key to find out:
R = Red B = Blue

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Chocolate Mint

This week, on February 19, is National Chocolate Mint Day. Chocolate mint is really my favorite flavor combination. I especially like chocolate mint ice cream, but I would enjoy either of these recipes as well.

Home Made Thin Mint Cookies
www.sallysbakingaddiction.com

Ingredients

- 3/4 cup (172g) unsalted butter, softened to room temperature
- 1 cup (200g) granulated sugar
- 1 large egg, at room temperature
- 1 teaspoon pure vanilla extract
- 1/4 teaspoon peppermint extract*
- 1 and 1/2 cups (188g) all-purpose flour (spoon & leveled)
- 3/4 cup (62g) unsweetened natural cocoa powder (or dutch process)
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- Topping
- 14 ounces (395g) quality semi-sweet chocolate, coarsely chopped
- 1/2 teaspoon canola or vegetable oil
- 1/4 teaspoon peppermint extract*

Instructions

Make the cookies: In a large bowl using a hand-held mixer or stand mixer fitted with a paddle attachment, beat the butter for 1 minute on medium speed until completely smooth and creamy. Add the granulated sugar and beat on medium high speed until fluffy and light in color. Beat in the egg, vanilla extract, and peppermint extract on high speed. Scrape down the sides and bottom of the bowl as needed. Sift the flour and cocoa powder together in a medium bowl. Whisk in the baking powder and salt until combined. On low speed, slowly mix into the wet ingredients until combined. Divide the dough into 2 equal parts. Roll each portion out onto a piece of parchment to about 1/4 thickness.

Stack the pieces (with parchment paper between) onto a baking sheet and refrigerate for at least 1 hour. Chilling is mandatory. If chilling for more than a couple hours, cover the top dough piece with a single piece of parchment paper. You can chill up to 2 days. Once chilled, preheat oven to 350°F (177°C). Line 2-3 large baking sheets with parchment paper or silicone baking mats. Remove one of the dough pieces from the refrigerator and using a 2-inch round cookie cutter, cut in circles. Transfer the cut cookie dough to the prepared baking sheet. Re-roll the remaining dough and continue cutting until all is used. Bake for 8-10 minutes or until the edges appear set. The cookies will seem very soft in the centers. Make sure you rotate the baking sheet halfway through bake time. Cool on baking sheet for 5 minutes, then transfer to a wire rack to cool completely before dipping in chocolate. Once the cookies are cool, begin the topping: Melt the chopped chocolate and oil together in a double boiler or (carefully!) use the microwave. For the microwave, place the chocolate and oil in a medium heat-proof bowl. Melt in 15 second increments, stirring after each increment until completely melted and smooth. Once melted, stir in the peppermint extract. Dip each cooled cookie completely into the chocolate and use a fork to lift out. Tap the fork gently on the side of the bowl to allow excess chocolate to drip off. Place cookie onto

a parchment or silicone baking mat-lined baking sheet. Place the baking sheet into the refrigerator to help the chocolate set. Once set, enjoy! Cover and store leftover cookies at room temperature for up to 2-3 days or in the refrigerator for up to 1 week. The cookies taste delicious cold. I love eaten straight from the freezer!

Notes

Make Ahead & Freezing Instructions: Cookies freeze well up to 3 months. Thaw overnight in the refrigerator if desired. You can chill the cookie dough for up to 2 days (step 3). You can also freeze the cookie dough before rolling for up to 3 months. Then allow to thaw overnight in the refrigerator. Then allow to come to room temperature for about 1 hour. Then roll and continue with the recipe as directed.

Peppermint Extract: Avoid using mint extract; I find it more resembles the taste of spearmint toothpaste than anything else. Peppermint extract has that wonderful cool mint flavor which pairs wonderfully with chocolate.

Slice 'n' Bake Option: I've been getting questions about using this recipe as a slice 'n' bake cookie to avoid rolling out the dough. This is doable, just keep in mind the dough is a little sticky. Roll the cookie dough into two 2-3 inch diameter logs, then chill for at least 1 hour as directed above. Slice each into 16-18 cookies, then continue with step 5.

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Gas prices continue climb

By GasBuddy

Average gasoline prices in Texas rose 4.3 cents per gallon last week, averaging \$3.13 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's survey of 13,114 stations in Texas. Prices in Texas are 22.3 cents per gallon higher than a month ago and stand 93.9 cents per gallon higher than a year ago.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Texas was priced at \$2.59 while the most expensive was \$3.94 per gallon.

The national average price of gasoline has risen 4.6 cents in the last week, averaging \$3.47 per gallon. The national average is up 16.5 cents per gallon from a month ago and stands 97.2 cents per gallon higher than a year ago, according to GasBuddy data compiled from more than 11 million weekly price reports covering over 150,000 gas stations across the country.

"The jump in gasoline prices has continued unabated as oil prices continue to push higher,

reaching \$94 per barrel last week on continued concern over the possible imminent threat that Russia may invade Ukraine," said Patrick De Haan, head of petroleum analysis at GasBuddy.

De Haan added, "Not only are oil prices up, but the bulk of the nation is starting the multi-month transition to summer gasoline, further adding to the rise at the pump. In addition, cold weather in Texas last week caused some power outages at major refineries, further weighing on markets. I see no other potential in the short term for additional price increases unless Russia does an about-face on Ukraine. Even then, we'll still see seasonality push prices up, so motorists should be ready to dig deeper."

GasBuddy is the authoritative voice for gas prices and the only source for station-level data spanning nearly two decades. GasBuddy data is accessible at <http://FuelInsights.GasBuddy.com>.

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The family of Thelma J. Jackson appreciates each and every prayer, kind word, phone call, dish, or just your presence during our time of bereavement.

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Panhandle Parables

They Knew His Voice

By Jeff Procter, Minister, 6th Street Church of Christ

Back in the mid-90s, I lived in Nebraska and worked for an animal health company for a while. One of the families that I met at church had a cow/calf operation of about 200 pairs. About mid-summer we rounded up the cattle to give them wormer.

The pasture was roughly 1200 acres and Drew sent me in one direction on horseback. After going up and down the rolling hills a couple of times, I found about 30 head just where he said I would. I eased in on them and we were off. The only problem was I had circled several times and couldn't have told you which hill I had gone up or which I had come down.

Drew thought it was taking me a long time, so he came looking for me and found me on the fifth hill herdin' them doggies in the opposite direction of the pens. I heard, "Bosssssssooooo" don't have any idea how it is spelled but it ended up sounding like "Boss

So." The cattle stopped in their tracks looked at me and turned and in an organized stampede headed to the voice. Sheepishly, I followed all the way back to Drew's pickup where he was standing in the back surrounded by thirty head of cattle that knew his voice. We laughed about me pushing them in the wrong direction and how at the sound of his voice they dropped me like a hot potato and headed home.

They knew his voice, and followed immediately. Who are you following? I want to encourage you for a moment to take out your Bible, read John 10:1-10. If Jesus has come to "give life to the full" is this true of you? Regardless of circumstance, life is full when life is following Christ. So back to the original question, who are you following? When the owner of your soul calls, will you immediately turn and follow? Remember, even a cow can do that because, they knew his voice!

Freedom in Christ

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Galatians 5:1 proclaims, "For freedom Christ has set us free; stand firm therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery." Christ frees believers from the penalty of sin that we deserve, the power of sin in our lives and one day will free us from the very presence of sin as we spend eternity in His presence. In Jesus Christ, there is vast freedom and liberty as you follow Him. The peace, joy and hope that Jesus' generously gives to true believers is to be experienced daily and shared with others through our witness of

Christ. In fact, in John 8:31-32, Jesus also spoke of the freedom he gives when he said, "...If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." Knowing Christ as your Lord and Savior and walking in his truth brings freedom from the power of sin in your life and deep satisfaction in Christ.

The difficulty in daily following Christ, though, is not falling prey to the allurements of sin in one's life where a plethora of temptations are constant. Walking in the

Spirit allows you to experience the freedom Christ gives, but choosing sin, invites waves of guilt, shame and consequences to drown out the freedom one has in Christ. This is not to say that a true believer loses their salvation, but it is possible to be truly saved, and have lost the fullness of joy, peace and hope that comes when you are following Jesus. The freedom one has in Christ is to be eternally appreciated, lived out daily, protected by not having an unrepentant heart, and shared with those who are lost.

My Hero

By Teena Hughs

Life is funny in so many different ways. Take this column for example. Sometimes I sit down to write, and I do not have a clue what I am going to say. Then, there are times, like now, when I have at least five things I want to write about. In fact, we went to Alpine to see our grandson, Olen Mack, on Friday, and I had my column finished. But, life happens, and I just had to tell you about a 10 year-old young man named Gabriel Bostwick.

I don't personally know Gabriel, but he is my hero! It has been a very long time since I thought of anyone, except Jesus, as my hero, but Gabriel is!!!

Gabriel's mom, Jaci, and I were in Clovis Community Bible Study together. Gabriel's dad, Andrew, is in the Air Force, and they were transferred to Florida.

Last year, Andrew discovered he had testicular cancer. Not too long after Andrew was declared to be in remission, it was discovered that Gabriel has a cancer named osteosarcoma, the most common bone cancer found in children and teen-agers. Most often it is found in the long bones, especially the

legs and sometimes the arms, but it can be found in any bone. On January 2nd, Gabriel's left leg was amputated above the knee to try to stop the cancer from spreading.

I have kept up with Gabriel through his mom's posts on facebook. I have learned so much from Gabriel. From the beginning of his diagnosis, he has put his faith and trust in Jesus. He told his parents, "Cancer isn't bigger than God, and I believe He's going to heal me!"

For me, Gabriel is the perfect example of salt and light that Jesus talks about in Matthew 5:13-16. He is salt, because whether he knows it or not, he is affecting the world around him. He is light, showing all of us who Jesus is by being Him to the world. Jaci told me he has had some rough days, but every time I see a picture of him, he has a huge smile on his face.

When I got home from Alpine, I saw that after his last chemo treatment, his counts were low, and they had to put him in the hospital. He told Jaci and Andrew he was feeling fine, and he had that beautiful smile that just encourages me

every time I see it! As I write, he is out of the hospital, and Jaci posted a picture of him eating ice cream, and he was smiling!

So, why is Gabriel my hero? Because he is an example of what I should be. He lives his faith and trust in Jesus; he touches people as salt and light; his concern is for others (He doesn't like to see his parents worried or sad.); he draws closer to God as he listens to his audio Bible and books about Jesus and his praise music. He is wise above and beyond his 10 years; he was in on the decision of whether his leg should be amputated or not, and he agreed it should be!

Friends, we are never too old to learn from the youngest of us all. We are never too old to have a hero from the youngest of us all. I am asking for prayers for my hero and his family. There are two brothers at home, and his parents could use an extra helping of prayers; especially his mama; she's been through a lot! Jaci told me they appreciate the prayers, so thank you!!! And, through all circumstances, may we all wear a smile as big as Gabriel's. Take care and have a blessed week!!!

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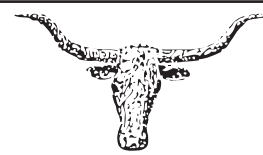
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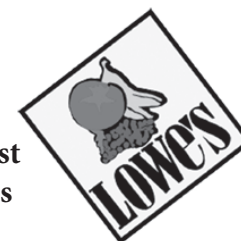


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Obituaries



Larry Wallace Grissom

Larry Wallace Grissom, 71, of Friendswood, Texas, died February 2nd, 2022, nine months after receiving a diagnosis for terminal brain cancer and stalwartly enduring the full treatment of chemotherapy and radiation. Larry was born to Herman Wallace Grissom and Ina Mardee Grissom in Artesia, New Mexico on September 21st, 1950. He was raised predominantly in the farming community of Rhea, near Bovina, Texas with his brothers, Royce, Don, and Chip.



Larry attended West Texas State University from 1968 to 1972, graduating with a Bachelors in Math and Education. He attended Texas Tech University from 1975 to 1977 while simultaneously teaching public school, driving a school bus, and selling shoes at Sears. After graduating with a Masters in Math, he took a job at NASA, driving from Lubbock to Houston with his wife, two dogs, and all their possessions packed into a tiny pickup truck.

Larry's first position at NASA was in the Flight Simulation Division of the JSC Data Systems and Analysis Directorate, developing mathematical models for the Shuttle's onboard systems. In 1988 he accepted a position in Mission Operations Directorate, then became Office Chief for Facilities Reconfiguration Office the following year. He subsequently worked on the ISS in various capacities for the next twenty years: a transfer to the Space Station Avionics Verification Office in 1991; another transfer to the Engineering Simulators Branch of the Automation, Robotics, and Simulation Division in 1995; a reassignment to Flight Robotic Systems Branch in 2003; and a final appointment to ISS Robotics in 2014. After forty-three years as a civil servant, he retired in December of 2020.

More than his work history or his education, Larry was a son, a husband,

a father, and a friend. He drove home from college as often as he could to help his parents around the farm. He helped support his mother from across the state after his father died. He worked hard at his job to provide for his family, made time for homework and family trips, sang his children to sleep when they were infants, and contracted himself as handyman for nearly every project around the house. He was a craftsman, a woodworker, electrician, plumber, and architect. Larry had a kind word and a smile for everyone he met, a bit of West Texas wit for anyone fortunate enough to hear it.

Though he moved away when he was young, the farm life was never left behind. Larry spent his free time cultivating what he called "a little slice of heaven", a microcosm of the community where he'd grown up working with his father and brothers. He designed and built a barn with his sons' help, and rode horses with his daughter and granddaughters. Places were found for rabbits, chickens, pigs, dogs, and cats because Larry loved animals, especially his horses.

Larry is survived by his three children, Justin, Brandon, and Reagan; five grandchildren, Sadie, Jocelyn, Emery, Alexis, and Zikora; son-in-law, KC; and granddaughter by marriage, Cassidy. This doesn't include his extended family, his

NASA family, his trivia family, his horse-riding family, his church family, and his neighborhood family. Through Christmas letters, flower deliveries, social events, birthday cakes at work, and a helping hand or open ear whenever it was needed, he made every acquaintance a friend and every friend a family member.

From working the fields on a small farm in the Texas Panhandle to coordinating with international teams in support of projects at NASA, Larry lived more than 71 years should be able to hold. He was a proud American, happily declaring his birthday as the day he received his US citizenship. He believed in the American dream because he lived it. He believed in the power of honesty, hard work, faith, and family. And he lived what he believed. At his core he was the simple man no one suspected could be hidden behind the vast vocabulary and bottomless depth of knowledge floating behind his eyes. His impeccable and meticulously maintained appearance, the flowing art of his handwriting, the air of professional decorum that followed him in formal gatherings, it was all belied by the boisterous and unmistakable laugh that never failed to fill a room.

A memorial service will be held in Wesley Hall at the Friendswood United Methodist Church in Friendswood, Texas on March 12, 2022.

Donald Curtis Powell

Donald Curtis Powell, 85, of Rockdale passed away on Sunday, February 6, 2022 at Rockdale Estates in Rockdale. He was born on November 22, 1936 to Andy and Leola (Poteet) Powell in Hale Center, Texas.



In 1958, he married Anita Sorley in a little country church in Valleyview, Texas. He retired as a custodial supervisor for Dumas ISD in Dumas Texas. He and Anita worked at Fun Valley Resort in Colorado for 13 seasons after retirement. He enjoyed RVing with Anita, and fishing. He loved spending time with his family and cherished

all the time he spent with his kids, grandkids, great grandkids, and great great grandkids.

He is preceded in death by his parents, Andy and Leola Powell; daughter, Becky Menefee; brother, Jack Powell; and sister, Marlene Hall.

Donald is survived by his loving wife of 63

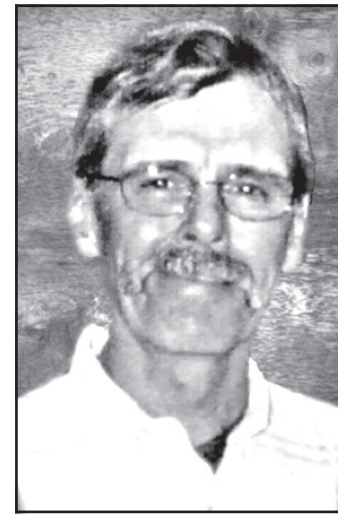
years, Anita Powell of Rockdale; sons, Brad Powell and wife Barbara of Rockdale, and Stan Powell and wife Linda of Somerville; grandchildren, Tiffany, Megan, Dusty, Shae, Brittany, Cody, and Christy; 16 great grandchildren; and several great great grandchildren.

A memorial service was held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, February 11, 2022 at Phillips & Luckey Funeral Home in Rockdale. To send flowers or a memorial gift to the family of Donald Curtis Powell please visit our Sympathy Store at www.phillipsandluckey.com

Terry Lee Stull

Terry Lee Stull, 78 of Bovina passed away February 10, 2022 in Muleshoe. Memorial Services will be scheduled at a later date. Cremation arrangements by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

Terry was born June 21, 1943 in Dayton, Ohio. He married Deborah Kay Truelsen in 2005. He was a retired industrial electrician, a very social cowboy that worked at many cattle feed yards, loved horses and horse training, and traveling.



He is preceded in death by his parents John Thomas Shearer, and LaVonne Stull.

Those to mourn his

passing include is wife Debbie Stull of Bovina, 3 sons-Todd, Guy Dean and Dusty Fennell, all of Phoenix, AZ., 1 daughter- Jodi Lynn Walton-Bell of Hamilton, Canada, 9 grandchildren, 6 great-grandchildren, and a host of friends.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online guest book at: hansardfamily.com

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Gladys Marie Day

Gladys Marie Day left this Earth for her heavenly home on Friday, February 11, 2022, at the age of 92 in Amarillo, Texas. Celebration of Life Memorial Services will be held 2:00 PM Monday, February 21, 2022 in the Ron Smiley Memorial Chapel. Arrangements by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

She was born to Dan and Camille Lacewell on November 25, 1929, in Ector, Texas. The Lacewells moved to Friona when Gladys was 3 years old. She was a lifelong resident of Friona until moving to Midland and Canyon to be closer to her children after her husband Herbert's passing.

Gladys graduated from Friona High School in 1949. During her high school years Gladys enjoyed playing basketball and cheerleading. She married her high school sweetheart, Herbert Day, on June 21, 1949. They had three daughters commonly known as the "Day Girls".

Gladys was a devoted wife and mother. She supported Herbert in farming and trucking for many years. She made sure her girls went to Sunday School and church and Gladys and the girls were involved in Brownies and Girl Scouts, as well as piano lessons and sewing. She also loved supporting her three girls in basketball. She was an avid gardener and bird watcher and loved to make all types of crafts with Herbert, her girls, and granddaughters. She was an excellent cook and loved host-



ing large family holiday meals. She was also a devoted Dallas Cowboys, Kansas City Chiefs, and Texas Rangers fan. She also loved board games, especially playing "Wahoo" with her family.

Gladys wore many hats while living in Friona from working at the Parmer County Community Hospital, in Dr. Shackelford's dentist office, as well as The City of Friona and Hi-Pro. Gladys also delivered meals on wheels and served on the Friona Cemetery Board for many years. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Gladys was preceded in death by her husband, Herbert Day, her parents Dan and Camille Lacewell, brothers Robert Lacewell and wife Martha, brother Tommy Lacewell and wife Mary, a grandson Kyle Oden

and a granddaughter Kayla Everett.

Gladys is survived by her daughters Myra Oden and husband Tim of Moriarty, New Mexico, Dian Gerber and husband Gary of Canyon, Tena Waggoner and husband Danny of Midland, grand children including Kendra Oden Koder and husband Alan of Concord, Massachusetts, Toni Gerber Shanks and husband Greg of Canyon, Danielle Gerber of Canyon, and Jeff Gerber of Canyon. Also, Meagan Pasco and husband Josh of Midland and Shawn Everett husband of the late Kayla Waggoner Everett, nine great-grandchildren including Aiden, Owen, and Evan Koder of Massachusetts, Adlee and Aven Shanks of Canyon, Jett and Tripp Pasco of Midland and Ella and Quinn Everett of Bluffton, South Carolina, one nephew Blake Lacewell and wife Regina of Dumas.

Special thanks to Pam with BSA Hospice and the staff at Hillside Heights for their care. And very special thank you to her new friends Vergie, Phyllis, Birdie, Vernell, Mary Jane and Mary Jo.

In lieu of flowers please consider a donation to Prairie Acres Nursing Home or the Friona Cemetery Association in honor of Gladys.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online guest book at: hansardfamily.com

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FRIONA FLASHBACKS

From the Friona Star Archives



CHAMBER BRASS Bob Hurst, the 1982 Friona Chamber of Commerce president, is shown as he presented 1981 president Danny Kendrick with his past president's plaque at the recent Chamber of Commerce Diamond Jubilee banquet. (Friona Star, Sunday, February 14, 1982)



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Who are these two presidents?

1. President Obama
2. President Trump

What Did They Do?
Did you fill in the puzzle with the jobs Presidents had before leading the nation?

1. ACTOR
2. SORLAWYER
3. LINCOLN
4. FARMER

3. Did you draw a line from the name to the number that tells each president's order in history?

1. George Washington 16
2. John F. Kennedy 35
3. Abraham Lincoln 46
4. Barack Obama 1
5. Joe Biden 44

Presidential Number Challenges!
2. Who is on pennies and five-dollar bills?
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Sports



Basketball Scoreboard

Friona Squaws
Friona 49, Lamesa 45
Dimmitt 49, Friona 41

Friona Chieftains
Littlefield 71, Friona 45

Kaden Jeter 12 points, Jared Rejino 11 points,
Jacob Bautista 10 points

Lamesa 46, Friona 36

Kaden Jeter 9 points, Johnny Gonzalez 8 points,
Jared Rejino 7 points

Dimmitt 50, Friona 43

Kaden Jeter 16 points, Jacob Bautista 12 points

Brownfield 50, Friona 36

Kaden Jeter 10 points, Jose Luis Saucedo 8 points

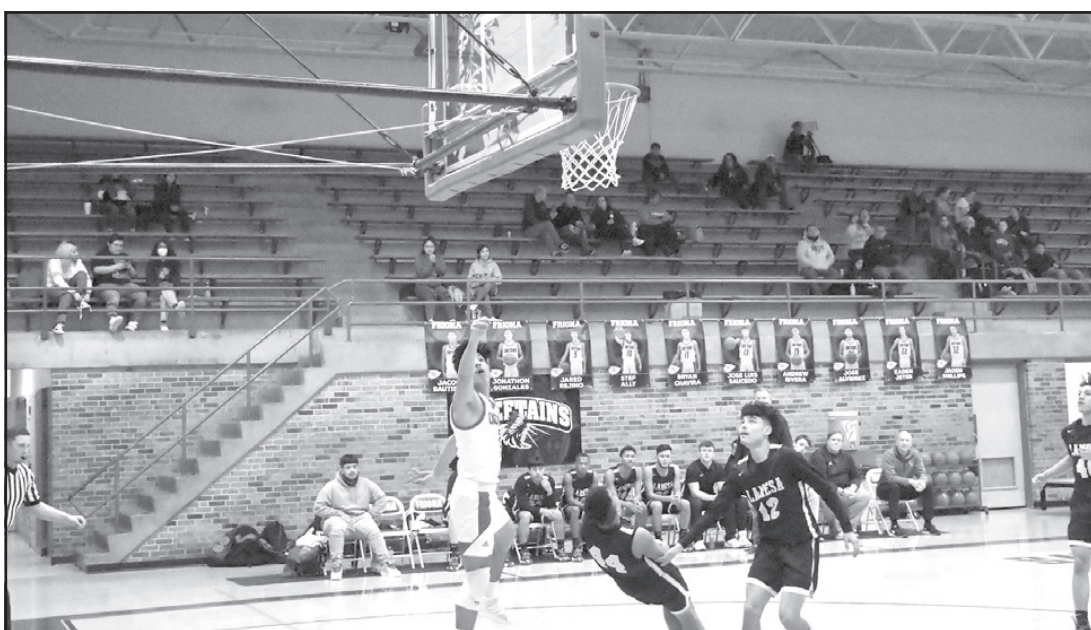
Final Standings

District 3-AAA Girls Basketball

Team	District	Overall
Brownfield	12-0	24-3
Muleshoe	10-3	21-13
Littlefield	10-3	22-11
Denver City	6-6	16-18
Dimmitt	3-9	5-14
Lamesa	2-10	8-25
Friona	1-11	5-19

District 3-AAA Boys Basketball

Team	District	Overall
Denver City	8-3	15-12
Dimmitt	8-3	17-9
Brownfield	8-3	11-16
Lamesa	7-4	22-8
Littlefield	5-6	11-17
Muleshoe	3-8	6-15
Friona	0-12	11-18



The Road to Freedom

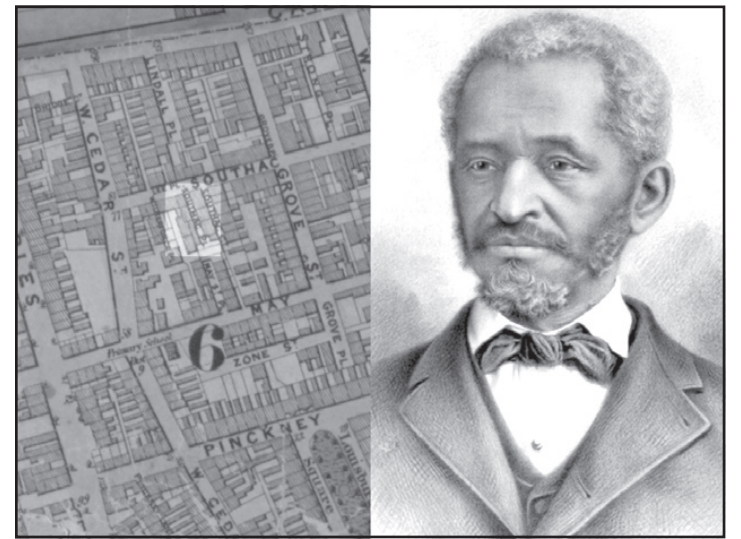
By John Grimaldi and David Bruce Smith

After thirty years of slavery, Shadrach Minkins fled the south for Boston, an abolitionist city known as a secure destination for runaway slaves. According to Ebony Magazine, "When Minkins arrived, there were approximately 2,500 African-Americans living in Boston. It was a haven where the escaped slaves could live in the open without fear of being recaptured.

He worked odd jobs before becoming a waiter at Taft's Cornhill Coffee House." Suddenly, everything changed in 1850 when Congress passed legislation - the Fugitive Slave Acts - which permitted the arrest and return of runaway slaves; Minkins was apprehended-then released -on February 15, 1851, by the Black abolitionists from the Boston Vigilance Com-

mittee, supervised by Lewis Hayden. Ebony reported that "Hayden housed Minkins and helped him find his way to the Underground Railroad, which he used to travel to Canada with a group of other African-Americans. They settled in Montreal and are credited with creating the first Black community in that city." For more information,

the Grateful American Book Prize recommends The Underground Railroad by Colson Whitehead. Source: History Matters: Showing our children that their past is prelude to their future at the gratefulamericanbook-prize.com website.



Keeley Dunnam premieres Thesis Concert

Keeley Dunnam will be premiering her Thesis Concert: TELEPHONE, for a live studio audience on February 19, 2022. This concert is a requirement as partial fulfillment of the Masters of Fine Arts Degree in dance for Sam Houston State University. This show is exemplary of the research conducted for the literature review that encompassed: active translation, collaboration, dialogue loops, inspiration versus motivation versus influence, kinesthetic empathy, and how dance is the perfect emulsifier of both the arts of sound and the arts of sight.



TELEPHONE is a collaborative project that brought eighteen different artists and eight dancers together to form gallery of work that uses dance as a catalyst for creation. The collaborative artists use the previous sections to

influence or inspire a work in their preferred medium, and Keeley choreographs in response to the artwork. The theme evolves and changes as the inspiration flow weaves in and out of each artists perspective. The work will consist of five sections and is shown in the order of creation, and threaded together in a theatrical manner. Performances are scheduled for 1:00, 3:00 and 5:00 p.m. on February 19th at the Union Ranch Event Venue in New Waverly, Texas. Keeley Dunnam is the granddaughter of Jim and Sherry Atwell, of Friona.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF PARMER

By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Judicial District Court of Parmer County in the following cases on the 24th day of January 2022, and the 24th day of January 2022, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 10:00 A.M. on the 1st day of March, 2022 which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the Parmer County Courthouse, located at 401 3rd Street of said Parmer County, in the City of Farwell, Texas, the following described property located in Parmer County, to-wit:

Cause No. 11537 PARMER COUNTY vs. GIST, BILL R & HONEY SUE GIST

Lots Sixteen (16) and Seventeen (17) of Block Fifty-five (55) of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas.

Cause No. 11573 PARMER COUNTY vs. ARGUELLES, PATRICIA

The North Half (N/2) of Lot 11 and all of Lot 12, of Block 31, of the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

Cause No. 11538 PARMER COUNTY vs. GOAD, CONNIE

A 49.65 acre tract located out of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 29, Block "A", of the Capitol Syndicate Subdivision, Parmer County, Texas, more particularly described as follows; BEGINNING at a 1/2' rod set in the North line of a 22.0 acre tract for the Southeast corner of this survey from whence the Southeast corner of Section 29 bears East 1237.03' and South 3,003.0' THENCE North a distance of 1036.8' to a point; THENCE West Parallel with the North boundary line of said section, a distance of 420.5' to an iron rod set for an Ell corner of this survey; THENCE North 531.2' to an iron rod; THENCE East parallel with the North boundary line of said section, 1645' to a point in the East boundary line of said section; THENCE South along the boundary line 1561.7' to a point; THENCE West along the North boundary line of said 22 acre tract, a distance of 1122.45' to the point of BEGINNING. Said tract containing 49.65 acres which along with a 43.35 acre tract and a 45 acre tract and the aforementioned 22 acre tract constitutes the entire Northeast 1/4 of said Section 29 as shown by survey of September 28, 1994 recorded in Volume 3, Page 247 of the field notes plat book of Parmer County, Texas

Cause No. 11354 PARMER COUNTY vs. COFFEY, RON & JOSEFINA ALONZO COFFEY

All of Lots 6 and 7, and the Northwest one-half (NW/2) of Lot 8, of Block 22, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, such NW/2 of Lot 8 described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at a point on Boyce Street, between Lots 7 and 8; THENCE Southeast parallel with Boyce Street, a distance of 15 feet; THENCE Southwest parallel to C. Street to a point on the common boundary line of said lots and the alley in Block 22; THENCE Northwest along the alleyway, 15 feet to the Northwest corner of Lot 8; THENCE Northeast along the North boundary line of Lot 8 to the point of beginning.

Cause No. 11429 PARMER COUNTY vs. TIENDA, CELIA

A tract out of the Northerly part of Lot 2, Block 36, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows: BEGINNING at the most Westerly corner of Lot 2, Block 36, being also the most Westerly corner of Block 36, of the Original Town of Bovina, a 3/4" iron pipe set for corner; THENCE S. 39° 17' E. along the boundary line between Lot 2 and Third Street, 34 feet 4 1/2 inches to a point 6 1/2 inches Southeasterly from a 1/2" iron pipe; THENCE N. 51° 16' E. 140.02 feet to a point in the Westerly line of an alley and the Easterly line of Lot 2 of said Block 36; THENCE N. 39° 17' W. 35 feet 8 1/2 inches along the boundary line between Lot 2 and the alleyway through said block to the most Northerly corner of Lot 2; THENCE S. 50° 43' W. along the boundary line between Lot 2 and Avenue C, 140 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING.

Cause No. 11421 PARMER COUNTY vs. HERNANDEZ, THOMAS

All of Lot One (1), of Block One (1) of the Turner Addition of Friona, Parmer County, Texas.

ALL BIDDERS MUST REGISTER WITH THE APPRAISAL DISTRICT PRIOR TO SHERIFF'S SALE

Levied on the 24th day of January, 2022 as the property of said Defendant to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, plus taxes, penalties, interest, and attorney fees accrued to the date of sale and all costs recoverable by law in favor of each jurisdiction.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND THIS 24th DAY OF January 2022.

Eric Deen

Sheriff, Parmer County, Texas

By: *[Signature]*

Deputy



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The Names of God- by Melissa Spoelstra is a ladies study that looks at the Names of God and how they teach us about who He is. Denise Menke will lead a Sunday Night class and Lindsey Hoyle will lead a class on Monday evenings @ 6pm. Workbooks for the class are \$15.

Youth- "Defined: Who God Says You Are", by Priscilla Shirer and Stephen & Alex Kendrick. These separate guys and girls studies focus on who teens are in Christ. Jason & Shanna Daniels will lead these studies.

Children's Choir- Kids Kinder- 5th Grade will have a great time praising the Lord in Kids Choir led by Carolyn Wiseman.

Nursery for Birth through Pre-K.

To sign up or for questions contact First Baptist Church Friona, 806-250-3933. 404 W. 5th Street, Friona; www.fbcfriona.com

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mayor and elected representatives of the City of Friona for the sealcoating of approximately 35,600 square yards of single course penetration of streets and driveways entitled:

SEALCOAT - 2022

will be received at the office of the City Manager of Friona at City Hall, 623 North Main Street, Friona, Texas, 79035 until:

10:00 AM
March 1, 2022

A cashier's check, certified check or acceptable bidder's bond, payable to the Owner in an amount equal to not less than five percent of the bid submitted, must accompany each bid as guarantee that, if awarded the contract, the Bidder will, within fifteen days after receipt of Contract Documents, enter into a contract with the Owner and will execute bonds on the forms provided in the Contract Documents. Any bid received after the time and date listed above will be returned unopened and will not be considered.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Contract Documents are on file and may be examined in the office of the City Manager, City of Friona, 623 North Main Street, Friona, Texas 79035, phone (806) 250-2761, and the offices of Brandt Engineers, Consulting Engineers, 4537 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79110, phone (806) 353-7233.

Plans and Specifications may be obtained from the Engineers, Brandt Engineers, 4537 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79110, phone (806) 353-7233 in the following manner:

Cost: Seventy-five dollars (\$75.00), non-refundable, for each set of paper plans and specifications or fifty dollars (\$50.00), non-refundable, for each set of digital plans and specifications.

Performance and Payment bonds shall be set forth in the Contract Documents.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities in the bidding. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness, the Owner reserves the right to adopt such interpretations as may be most advantageous or to reject the bid as informal. No bid may be withdrawn until the expiration of 60 days from the bid opening date.

CITY OF FRIONA

Vote March 1st - Republican Primary



VOTE
RHONDA WILKINS
for
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Experience includes:

- Board member for Friona Senior Citizens
- Board member for Parmer County Cancer Coalition
- Central Plains Public Advisory Council
- Parmer County Leadership Advisory Council
- Project Frontier Advisory Board
- Parmer/Bailey County Juvenile Probation Board
- Regional Medicaid/Chips Advisory Council
- Recently retired from Parmer Medical Center after 26 years

I would appreciate your vote!

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2022 Primary Election

Parmer County
Election Day Polling Locations
 Tuesday, March 1, 2022
 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Democrats & Republicans
 vote at the same locations

Vote March 1st - Republican Primary



Re-Elect
CHARLES WILKINS
County Commissioner Precinct 2

- Elected County Commissioner Precinct 2 in 2018
- Active member of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce
- Farming and cattle operations in the Friona & Bovina area
- Owned/Operated Charles Pump Co. in Bovina for 18 years
- Elected to two terms on the Bovina City Council
- Bovina Man of the Year in 2010
- Served as a Volunteer Fireman in Bovina & Friona
- Served as a Volunteer EMT on the Bovina Ambulance
- Active in the United Methodist Church

I would appreciate your vote!

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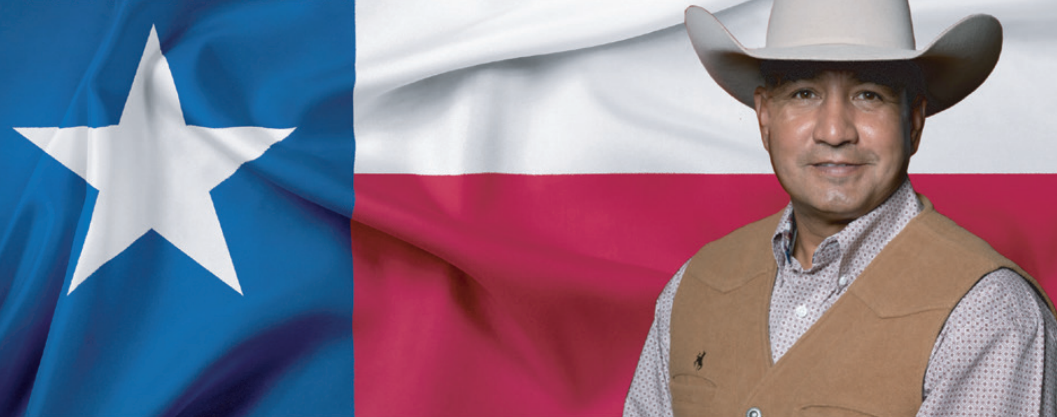


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For County Commissioner
Precinct 2

Republican Primary is March 1st
 – Early voting begins February 14th –

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TIME FOR A CHANGE



VOTE
ISABEL "IZZY" CARRASCO
VOTE

★
Republican Candidate for
Parmer County Judge

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~ Collector's Edition ~

Congratulations to all of the FFA & 4-H kids that participated in the 85th Annual Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show



**Grand Champion Lamb
Braddock Foster**



**Grand Champion Dairy Heifer
Jaxson Burrus**



**Grand Champion Goat
Meline Hill**



**Grand Champion Barrow
Garrison Haseloff**



**Grand Champion Steer
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Senior Champion: Garrett Henderson
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Barrow Showmanship

Junior Champion: Braddock Foster
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85th ANNUAL PARMER COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW

Final Results

January 18-20, 2022 - Friona Community Center
Stock show photos by Kathryn Salcido

Barrows (175)

Class 01 Prospect:
(1) William Husted
(2) Karen Morales
(3) Andrew Husted
(4) Spencer Stokes

Class 02 Prospect:
(1) Kolter Henderson
(2) Garrett Henderson
(3) Garrett Henderson
(4) Emma Shearer
(5) Jarrett White
(6) Ava Miller
(7) Justen Trevino
(8) Brody White
(9) Ty Smith
(10) Ramon Silva

Class 03 Prospect:
(1) Jacob Vasquez
(2) Landry Henderson
(3) Andrew Husted
(4) Nancy Silva
(5) Tim Ally
(6) AJ Ontiveros

Class 04 Prospect:
(1) Kennady Waldrop
(2) Emma Shearer
(3) Emma Shearer
(4) Daniel Silva
(5) Dieter Ally
(6) Brody White
(7) Cornelius Neufeld

Class 05 Berkshire:
Carly Gilbreath
Reserve Breed
(2) Caden Bunker
(3) Davyn Glover
(4) Braeden Railsback

Class 06 Berkshire:
(1) Aubrey Schueler
Champion Breed
(2) Jayci Nickels
(3) Tim Ally
(4) Dylan Carpenter
(5) Kylie McFarland

Class 07 Chester:
(1) Jarrett White
Reserve Breed
(2) Kolter Henderson
(3) Spencer Stokes

Class 08 Chester:
(1) Caden Bunker
Champion Breed
(2) Carly Gilbreath
(3) Jayci Nickels

Class 09 Duroc:
(1) Sophie Lewellen
(2) Walker Williams
(3) Garrett Henderson
(4) Dustin Potts
(5) Corbin Potts
(6) Aiden Pitsch
(7) Adian Ontiveros

Class 10 Duroc:
(1) Kadey Urbantke
Champion Breed
(2) Shelby Lewellen
(3) Elijah Thompson
(4) Jaelyn Smith

Class 11 Duroc:
(1) Skout Russell
Reserve Breed
(2) Gentry McDaniel
(3) Guyson Nickels
(4) Bryce Moulder

Class 12 Hampshire:
(1) Aubree Bunker
(2) Caden Bunker
(3) Abbey Urbantke
(4) Skout Russell
(5) Kennady Waldrop

Class 13 Hampshire:
(1) Casen Williams
Reserve Breed
(2) Brody White
(3) Erick Carrasco
(4) Tel Smith
(5) Aiden Pitsch
(6) Nicole Guerra

(7) Angel Ontiveros
(8) Bryce Moulder
(9) Brynlee Smith

Class 14 Hampshire:
(1) Aleta Kube
Champion Breed
(2) Garrison Haseloff
(3) Kaylee Lee
(4) Melline Hill
(5) Ty Smith

Class 15 Landrace:
(1) Nicole Guerra
Champion Breed
(2) Erick Carrasco
Reserve Breed
(3) Aleta Kube

Class 16 Poland:
(1) Ava Miller
Reserve Breed
(2) Tel Smith
(3) Dustin Potts

Class 17 Poland:
(1) Jarrett White
Champion Breed
(2) Francisco Perez
(3) Aubree Bunker

Class 18 Spot:
(1) Leah Hernandez
(2) Ty Smith
(3) Edward Trevino
(4) Nicole Guerra
(5) Riley Railsback

Class 19 Spot:
(1) Kadey Urbantke
(2) Abbey Urbantke
(3) Antonio Vasquez
(4) Brynlee Smith
(5) Jaelyn Smith

(6) Alexis Carpenter
(7) Abbigail Watt
(8) Gabe Abarca

Class 20 Spot:
(1) Kaylee Lee
Champion Breed
(2) Melline Hill
Reserve Breed
(3) Grayson Waldrop
(4) Dylan Carpenter
(5) Corbin Potts

Class 21 Yorkshire:
(1) Walker Williams
(2) Jarrett White
(3) Aubree Bunker
(4) Walker Williams

Class 22 Yorkshire:
(1) Kadey Urbantke
Reserve Champion
Champion Breed
(2) Abbigail Watt
(3) Leah Hernandez
(4) Edward Trevino
(5) Leelynn Davis
(6) Gabe Abarca

Class 23 Yorkshire:
(1) Skout Russell
Reserve Breed
(2) Gentry McDaniel
(3) Ivy Schueler
(4) AJ Ontiveros
(5) Ramon Silva
(6) Nancy Silva
(7) Carson Davis

Class 24 Cross:
(1) Caden Bunker
(2) Kolter Henderson
(3) Carly Gilbreath
(4) Casen Williams
(5) Casen Williams
(6) Abbey Urbantke
(7) Grayson Waldrop
(8) Shaylee Nash
(9) William Husted

Class 25 Cross:
(1) Kadey Urbantke
Reserve Breed
(2) Landry Henderson
(3) Jacob Vasquez
(4) Emma Schueler
(5) Walker Williams

(6) Casen Williams
(7) Jaelyn Smith

Class 26 Cross:
(1) Sophie Lewellen
(2) Shelby Lewellen
(3) Skout Russell
(4) Grayson Waldrop
(5) Aubrey Schueler
(6) Bryce Moulder
(7) Alayhlee Villarreal
(8) James Douglas
(9) Aiden Pitsch
(10) Aiden Pitsch

Class 27 Cross:
(1) Garrison Haseloff
Grand Champion
Champion Breed
(2) Aleta Kube B
(3) Shelby Lewellen
(4) Guyson Nickels
(5) Ivy Schueler
(6) Emma Schueler
(7) Kayl Schueler
(8) Elijah Thompson
(9) Karen Morales
(10) Davyn Glover

Class 28 Cross:
(1) Aubree Bunker
(2) Braddock Foster
(3) Abbey Urbantke
(4) Macie Davis
(5) Peyton Schueler
(6) Erick Carrasco
(7) Carson Davis
(8) Cornelius Neufeld
(9) Braeden Railsback
(10) Riley Railsback

Class 29 Cross:
(1) Garrison Haseloff
(2) Kennady Waldrop
(3) Garrison Haseloff
(4) Daniel Silva
(5) Emma Schueler
(6) Alexis Carpenter
(7) Brynlee Smith
(8) Brynlee Smith
(9) Dieter Ally

Dairy Heifers (8)

Class 01:
(1) Jaxson Burrus
Reserve Champion

Class 03:
(1) Jacy Carpenter
(2) Sam Lawrence
(3) Jaxson Burrus

Class 04:
(1) Libby Carpenter
(2) Landri Lawrence

Class 05:
(1) Jaxson Burrus
Grand Champion
(2) Ally Brook Carpenter

Goats (66)

Class 01:
(1) Kolter Henderson
(2) Alberth Arguelles
(3) Isaias Olmos
(4) Luke Kerr
(5) Carlee Roush
(6) Isaac Olmos

Class 02:
(1) Mason Schueler
(2) Brynlee Smith
(3) Isaias Olmos
(4) Jackson Gable
(5) Isaac Olmos
(6) Charlie Herring
(7) Grayson Husted
(8) Jonathan Vasquez
(9) Gabe Abarca
(10) Naia Gunter

Class 03:
(1) Mason Schueler
Reserve Champion
(2) Oceana Gunter
(3) Bryer Stanberry
(4) Garrett Henderson
(5) Anthony Abarca
(6) Lilly Abarca
(7) Charlie Herring

(8) Bo Kerr
(9) Grayson Husted
(10) Jackson Gable
(11) Luke Kerr
(12) Karen Morales

Class 04:
(1) Melline Hill
Grand Champion
(2) Alexis Carpenter
(3) Jonathan Vasquez
(4) Maryn Terry
(5) Tim Ally
(6) Peyton Schueler
(7) Bo Kerr
(8) Isaac Olmos
(9) Carlee Roush

Class 05:
(1) Lane Terry
(2) Anthony Abarca
(3) Karen Morales
(4) Karen Morales
(5) Alberth Arguelles
(6) Jake Hoyle
(7) Hannah Hoyle
(8) Stef Ally
(9) William Husted
(10) Karen Morales

Class 06:
(1) Landry Henderson
(2) Lane Terry
(3) Tim Ally
(4) Quay Schueler
(5) Kaysen Stanberry
(6) Riley Railsback
(7) Peyton Schueler
(8) Braeden Railsback
(9) Erin Martinez

Class 07:
(1) Bryer Stanberry
(2) Maryn Terry
(3) Kayl Schueler
(4) Brynlee Smith
(5) William Husted
(6) Kaysen Stanberry
(7) Braeden Railsback
(8) Davyn Glover
(9) Hannah Hoyle
(10) Loraine Bishop

Lambs (73)

Class 08 Fine Wool:
(1) Peyton Schueler
Champion Breed
(2) Sawyer Schlabs
Reserve Breed
(3) Sawyer Schlabs

Class 09 Fine Wool Cross:
(1) Kayl Schueler
Reserve Breed
(2) Sawyer Schlabs
(3) Antonio Vasquez
(4) Shayla Severance

Class 10 Fine Wool Cross:
(1) Braddock Foster
Champion Breed
(2) Carter Lewellen
(3) Kayl Schueler
(4) Emma Schueler
(5) Seth Hoyle
(6) Matt Hoyle
(7) Isaac Olmos

Class 11 Dorper:
(1) Sawyer Schlabs
Champion Breed
(2) Melline Hill
Reserve Breed
(3) Erick Carrasco
(4) Kaysen Stanberry

Class 12 Southdown
(1) Melline Hill
Reserve Breed
(2) Justen Trevino

Class 13 Southdown:
(1) Braddock Foster
Champion Breed
(2) Nicole Guerra
(3) Elijah Robledo

Class 14 Medium Wool:
(1) Brody Baca

By the Numbers

85th Annual PCJLS

148
Participants

368
Animals

\$362,600
Sale Total
(before bumps & add-ons)



(2) Erin Martinez
(3) Stevie Herring
(4) Tristan Schueler
(5) Elijah Robledo
(6) Michael Severance
(7) Shayla Severance

Class 15 Medium Wool:
(1) Braddock Foster
(2) Kayl Schueler
(3) Peyton Schueler
(4) Mason Schueler
(5) Matt Hoyle
(6) Melline Hill
(7) Quay Schueler
(8) Elijah Robledo

Class 16 Medium Wool:
(1) Carter Lewellen
(2) Landry Henderson
(3) Quay Schueler
(4) Tristan Schueler
(5) Ivy Schueler
(6) Aubrey Schueler
(7) Isaias Olmos
(8) Aaden Delgadillo
(9) Lilly Abarca

Class 17 Medium Wool:
(1) McKyla Swierc
Reserve Champion
Reserve Breed
(2) Carter Lewellen
(3) Peyton Schueler
(4) Matt Hoyle
(5) Seth Hoyle
(6) Tristan Schueler
(7) Erin Martinez
(8) Stevie Herring
(9) Anthony Abarca
(10) Erin Martinez

Class 18 Medium Wool:
(1) Carter Lewellen
(2) McKyla Swierc
(3) Emma Schueler
(4) Erick Carrasco
(5) Ivy Schueler
(6) Mason Schueler
(7) Nicole Guerra
(8) Andrew Husted
(9) Oceana Gunter

Class 19 Medium Wool:
(1) Braddock Foster
Grand Champion
Champion Breed
(2) Kayl Schueler
(3) Peyton Schueler
(4) Emma Schueler
(5) Aubrey Schueler
(6) Matt Hoyle
(7) Erin Martinez

Rabbits (15)

Unspecified Class:
(1) Alexis Pharis
Grand Champion

(2) Ayleen Moreno
Reserve Champion
(3) Alexis Pharis
(4) Rhiannon Pomper
(5) Rhiannon Pomper
(6) Owen Daniels
(7) Rowan Pomper
(8) Alexis Pharis
(9) Alexis Pharis
(10) Rhiannon Pomper
(11) Rowan Pomper
(12) Owen Daniels
(13) Fernando Moreno
(14) Caasi Nicolas
(15) Caasi Nicolas

Steers (31)

Class 01 British:
(1) Jayden Morris
(2) Blaykin Branscum
(3) Jaxen Morris
(4) Bodie Altman
(5) Garrison Haseloff

Class 02 British:
(1) Jantsen Morris
Champion Breed
(2) Reagan Kirby
Reserve Breed
(3) Berkley Cleavinger
(4) Jaxen Morris
(5) Landry Henderson

Class 03 American:
(1) Brooke Cleavinger
Grand Champion
Champion Breed
(2) Paisley Branscum
Reserve Breed
(3) Jantsen Morris
(4) Kobi Kirby
(5) Landry Henderson
(6) Reagan Kirby

Class 04 Cross:
(1) Kajun McCracken
(2) Kajun McCracken
(3) Rowdy Ramage
(4) Jayden Morris
(5) McKyla Swierc

Class 05 Cross:
(1) Kobi Kirby
Reserve Breed
(2) Paisley Branscum
(3) Brynlie Cleavinger
(4) Kenadee Ramage
(5) Garrison Haseloff

Class 06 Cross:
(1) Reagan Kirby
Reserve Champion
Champion Breed
(2) Blaykin Branscum
(3) Brynlie Cleavinger
(4) Berkley Cleavinger
(5) Kenadee Ramage

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In memory of Robert "Bob" Hurst

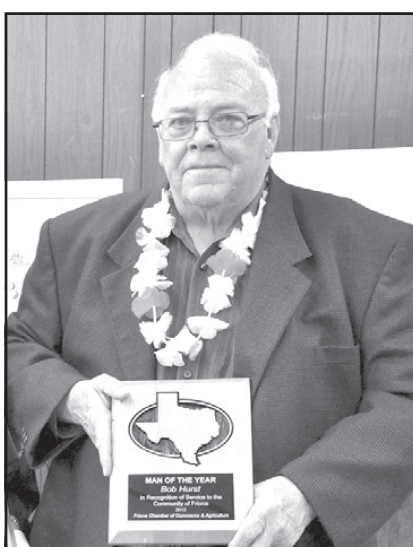
Bob Hurst was born on December 25, 1943 in Ft. Worth to L.J. and Grace Wooten Foster Hurst. The family later moved to Lorenzo and he graduated from Lorenzo High School in 1962. He went to Texas Tech to sign up for business classes. However, the line for business classes was longer than the agriculture line so he got in the shorter line and was glad he did.

Bob graduated from Texas Tech with a Bachelor of Science in Agriculture in 1966 and later earned a Master's Degree. He taught vocational agriculture for seven years in Lorenzo before moving to Dalhart where he again dedicated himself to teaching and helping his students develop themselves into respectful adults. He taught at Dalhart for two years. During that time, Bob married Roxanne Hall. The ceremony was on March 29, 1974 in Dalhart.

In 1975, Bob and Roxanne moved to Friona where he began a new career as man-

ager of Parmer County Implementation Company in their new location two miles west of Friona on Highway 60. He became a partner in 1978, and purchased PCIC in the early 1980s. Bob was described as a "behind the scenes" person and that's the way he preferred it. His employees said that he made them feel more like family rather than employees.

Agriculture was Bob's passion and he was extremely active in local and area stock shows, 4-H and FFA. He donated his time, money, and support to any young person who was in need of extra help. He would often use his personal money to help students buy animals for a project and then also help buy the feed for them. Bob was a major supporter of Friona's FFA program and often bought so many boxes of oranges that he ended up sharing with all the customers that came into the store. For many years he was the major buyer at the Parmer County



2012 Man of the Year

Livestock Show and was noted to go and buy his animals at the Hereford Livestock Show also.

Bob was just as kind-hearted to the farmers in the area. When someone was in need of help, he was always there to lend a helping hand. The great commandment of love of God and neighbor was always strong in his heart.

He was a past president of the Friona Chamber of Commerce

and was named Friona's Man of the Year in 2012. He loved Friona and Parmer County. In 2018, Bob and Roxanne retired and moved to Raider Ranch in Lubbock.

Robert "Bob" Hurst, 78, passed away on January 13, 2022 in Lubbock. Viewing was held at 1:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 16, 2022 with family visitation from 4:00 to 6:00 p.m. in the Ron Smiley Memorial Chapel at Hansard Family Funeral Home. Celebration of Life Services were held at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, January 17, 2022 at the Friona United Methodist Church in Friona with Dr. Andrew Hurst, Rev. Kerry Hurst, and Rev. Skip Hodges, officiating. Burial followed in the Friona Cemetery by Hansard Family Funeral Home of Friona.

Bob was preceded in death by his parents, and older brother-Michael Hurst.

Those to carry on his legacy include his wife Roxanne of Lubbock, 2 sons, Clint Hurst

and wife Shannon of Friona, and Clay Hurst and wife Jennifer of Lubbock, 4 brothers-Terry Hurst and wife Sheri, and Joe Hurst and wife Christy, all of Idalou, Kerry Hurst and wife Kim, and Andy Hurst and wife Jane, all of Lubbock, 6 grandchildren-Trey Hurst, Cade Hurst, Kenzie Byrd, Keegan Hurst, Kyla Wood and Maddie Mitchell, and 1 grandson Hayes Hurst due in March, 5 great-grandchildren, Finley Munns, Gensyn Byrd, Karvis Hurst, Waylon Munns, and Skylar Munns.

The family would like to thank South Plains Rehab Hospital, Bridge Hospice and TaBree Welch.

In lieu of flowers, you may send memorials to Faith City Mission of Amarillo, St. Jude's Research Hospital in Memphis, Tennessee, or a favorite charity of your choice. You may send condolences to the family and sign the online guest book at hansardfamily.com.



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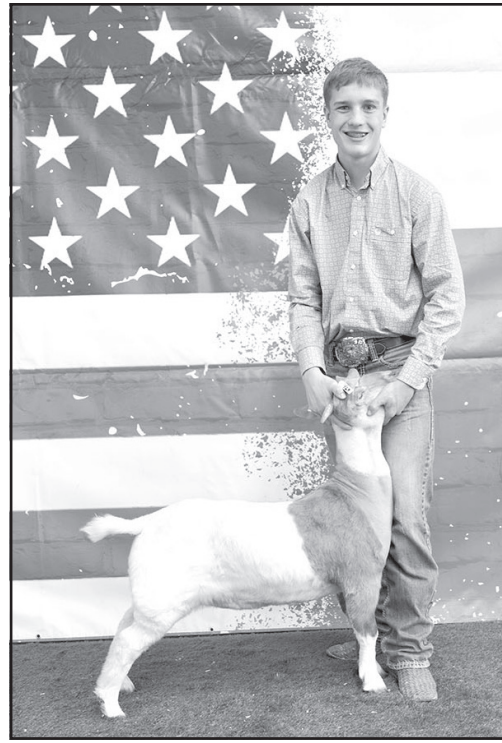
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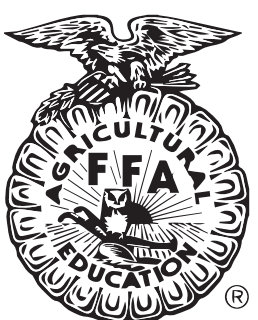
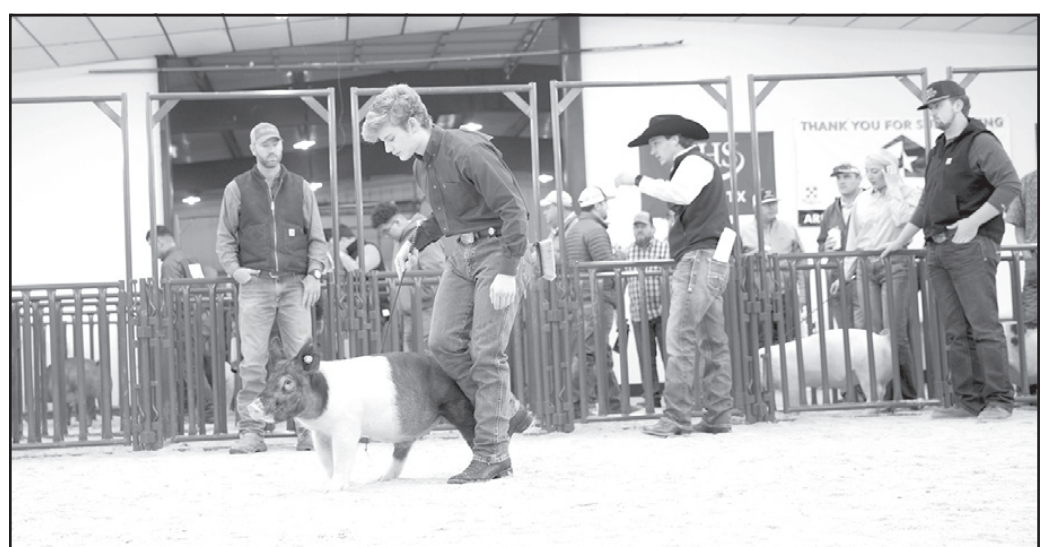
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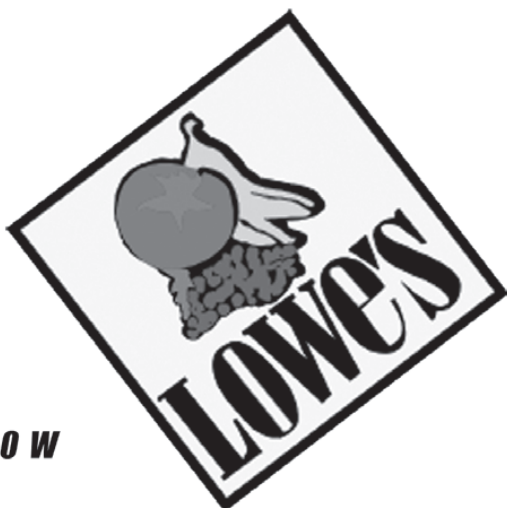
Senior Reserve: Brody Baca

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Lamb Showmanship

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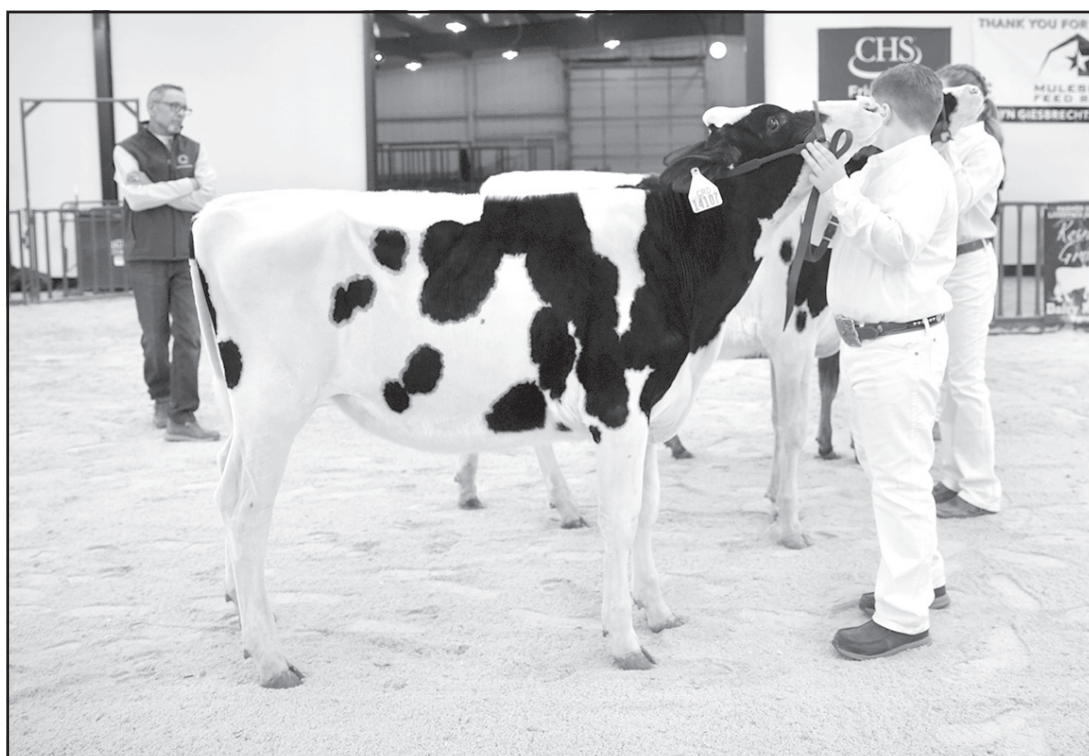
Junior Reserve: Ivy Schueler



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