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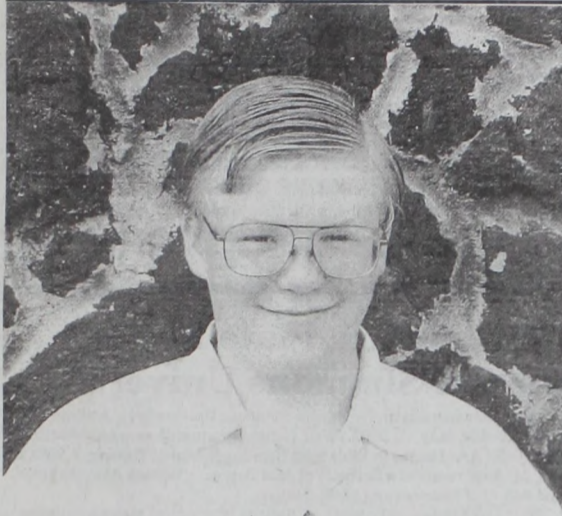
# THE VALLEY TRIBUNE

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THURSDAY, MAY 16, 2002



## Randy Duane Farley Valedictorian

Randy Farley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Farley, is the Valedictorian of the Eighth Grade Class of 2002. His grade-point average is 96.286.

Randy has participated in football and track. He is very active in academic UIL, participating in number sense, calculators, mathematics, science, listening, and dictionary skills.

His goals for High School include getting better in sports and spending more time with his friends.

When asked what impact September 11<sup>th</sup> had on him, Randy answered that this event taught him the importance of strength and unity.

His parents are the most influential people in his life. Randy states, "I value their never-ending love and always being there for me."

His advice to the Junior High lower classmen is to pay attention because grades do matter.

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**Honoring Those Who Served**  
 A Salute To Local WWII Veterans  
 On Page 4 Of This Edition Of The Valley Tribune

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## Lap Of Hope Begins American Cancer Society Relay For Life

In a nation where more than one million people will be diagnosed with cancer this year, Briscoe County is invited to celebrate life.

The American Cancer Society Relay for Life is a unique fundraising event in which teams of participants take turns walking or running in an effort to fight cancer. Teams will enjoy food, games and entertainment. This year's Relay for Life will take place at Valley School Friday, June 7, 2002.

The message of the event is cancer can be conquered. This theme of hope is ignited as the ceremony begins with a cancer survivor lap. This emotional lap honors the courage of all who have defeated cancer. Each survivor is introduced, and then will walk the opening lap - unified in victory and in hope.

The atmosphere of Relay for Life is one of camaraderie and celebration, providing an opportunity for cancer survivors to pass the torch of hope on to those still battling cancer or those that might be touched by cancer in the future.

If you or anyone you know is a cancer survivor and would like to take part in the Relay For Life, please contact Jacquelyn Ham at 806-455-1315.

For more information on cancer, call the American Cancer Society's 24-hour hotline at 1-800-ACS-2345 or visit the web site [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org).

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## Eighth Grade Class Of 2002 Graduates Into VHS

On Thursday, May 23, the Eighth Grade Class of 2002 will graduate into Valley High School. Commencement ceremonies for the eighth grade class will begin at 8:00 p.m. and will be held in the school gymnasium. Serving as ushers are Macy Davidson, Maddie Ramsey, Seth Fuston, and Fannin Gwinn.

Eighth grade honor students are Randy Farley with a grade-point average of 96.286 and Anna Rosa Pozos with a grade-point average of 90.5.

Serving as class officers are President - Juan Regalado, Vice President - Randy Farley, Secretary/Treasurer - Kevin Ortiz, and Reporter - Jennifer Carnes. Class sponsor is JoAnn Reagan.

The parents of the eighth grade class will be hosting a formal reception for the graduates, family, and friends in the school cafeteria following the commencement program.



2002 Graduating 8th Grade Class: (Front L-R) Anna Rosa Pozos, Erika Cruz, Rhiane Gaddis, Chance Maynard, Zenaida Mora. (Second L-R) Ms. Reagan, Larissa Payne, Erica Gujosa, Alicia Roys, Cassandra Ortiz, Maria Mora. (Third L-R) Kevin Ortiz, Elisa Cagle, Fernando Regalado, Cody Barrett, Rosalie Villarreal, Ascencion Pozos. (Fourth L-R) Jennifer Carnes, Charlie Walden, Randy Farley, Ruben Ramos, Jonathan Farley.



## Anna Rosa Pozos Salutatorian

Serving as Salutatorian for the Eighth Grade Class of 2002 is Anna Rosa Pozos. Her grade-point average is 90.5. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Pozos.

Anna Rosa has participated in pep squad and UIL. Her favorite Junior High memory is traveling to football games. She is looking forward to High School and plans to work hard in order to raise her grade-point average even higher in high school.

She is quick to say that September 11<sup>th</sup> taught her the value of safety and to appreciate the safety we enjoy living in our small community.

Other than her parents, the person she admires is her Uncle Miquel. Anna Rosa stated, "He taught me how important being a good person really is."

Her advice to the lower classmen in Junior High is to value the education we have here at Valley. She goes on to say "that not everyone in the world is able to enjoy going to school."

## Wheat Field Day

The Briscoe County Extension office will be sponsoring a Wheat Field Day on Thursday, May 23, 2002, starting at 1:30 p.m. in Walter Bean's field (same place as last year). We will be looking at a number of different varieties along with some new varieties. Dr. Brent Bean will be here to discuss the wheat plot, different varieties, disease problems, and grazing. We will also be handing out bane weed mites to anyone who is interested. Please bring a cooler to put these in. The supply of bane weed mites is limited. There will be 2 CEUs provided at this meeting.



## 4-H Car Wash

Briscoe County 4-H County Camp participants will hold a car wash on Friday, May 17, 2002 beginning at 2:00 p.m. on the north side of the Courthouse in Silvertown. These 4-Hers are raising money to pay registration balances for County Camp at the Texas 4-H Center in Brownwood. The Texas 4-H Center offers a variety of activities for participants to take part in including canoeing, riflery, archery, dancing, games, crafts, swimming, and the infamous shaving cream fights. It's going to be a positive experience for these 4-Hers, and they would appreciate your donations to have your vehicle washed. Baked goods will also be available for purchase. Please come and support our local youth.

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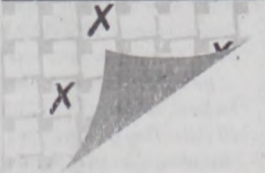
at  
 The Gem Theatre  
 in  
 Turkey, Texas

on  
**Sunday, May 19, 2002**

at  
**2:00 p.m.**

Reception immediately following

## Calendar of events



**May 17**  
 -Quitaque Senior Citizens Meeting @ 5 p.m.

**May 18**  
 -Armed Forces Day

**May 19**  
 -"Honoring Those Who Served" at The Gem Theatre @ 2 p.m.

**May 20**  
 -Quitaque Lions Club  
 -TEC Meeting

**May 21**  
 -Turkey Fire Department Meeting @ 7:30 p.m.  
 -Turkey Senior Citizens @ 6 p.m.

**May 23**  
 -Economic Board Meeting @ 7 p.m.

-Drivers License Office open at Briscoe County Courthouse 9:30 a.m. - 12N & 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

**Valley Football Camp**  
 has been  
**Cancelled**  
 due to  
 Lack of Interest

## Valley Girls Basketball Team Car Wash

**Saturday, May 18**  
**11:00a.m. to 3:00p.m.**

at  
**Allsup's Parking Lot**  
 in  
 Quitaque

Proceeds will help defray cost for basketball camp this summer.

"If it's dirty we'll wash it!"

## Turkey Residents Are Advised To Be Aware and Report Suspicious Activity!

In a recent telephone interview with Hall County Sheriff's Deputy, Steve Farley, Turkey residents were advised to be on the lookout for thieves or vandals and to be more aware of what is going on in their community.

Due to the rash of thefts, break-ins and vandalism, Deputy Farley said, "Anyone who see's something that they consider suspicious, or out of the ordinary should call and report it to the sheriff's office immediately."

He also advised residents to lock their homes when they leave, even if they only intend to be gone for a short time, and remove your keys and lock the doors of vehicles while they are unattended.

Home owners also need to know what they have, so if something is stolen a detailed description of the item can be given to the officer. This will help them in the prompt recovery of the item.

Steve said "Just because we live in a small community it doesn't make us immune to the types of crime that have taken place recently", and he wants residents to know that they are encouraged to call him anytime Day or Night at the Hall County Sheriff's Office (806) 259-2151 or at his home in Turkey (806) 423-1356 to report theft or suspicious activity.

There are several investigations into theft and vandalism proceeding at this time, anyone with information concerning any of these cases is ask to contact Deputy Farley with their information. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

# LETTERS to the Editor

Dear Editor,  
Find enclosed check for Valley Tribune. Can't do without the paper.

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Burl Pierce

Valley Tribune,  
Enjoyed the paper!  
Leo & Helena Reed  
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## Turkey Senior Citizens News

**By Oleta Randell**  
Turkey Senior Citizens had 21 members present at the last meeting and one guest, Wanda Jordan of Kerrville. G.P. Driskill led the prayer for the food. Margie Pinkerton administered blood pressure checks. A delicious pot luck meal was enjoyed by all, and after the meal table games were played. The next meeting will be May 21st so come on out and enjoy the fun, food and fellowship!

## Tiffany Jouett To Graduate In Amarillo

Tiffany Jouett will graduate from Amarillo High School on May 31, 2002. The ceremony will take place at the Amarillo Civic Center. Tiffany is the granddaughter of Odis and Jessie Reagan of Quitaque.



### Nellie Bly Shannon

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Shannon are proud to announce the birth of a daughter, Nellie Bly Shannon. She arrived at 1:47 p.m., Tuesday, May 7, 2002 at the Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock. She weighed six pounds, fifteen ounces and was 20 inches long. Grandparents welcoming the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Shannon of Roaring Springs and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Eubank of Farwell. Great grandparents are Mrs. Annie Shannon of Turkey and Mrs. Noni Eubank of Farwell.



### Patsy Herrington Serves As Area Guild Judge

Patsy Herrington of Quitaque recently judged 141 piano students at the Quana and Levelland Centers for the American College of Musicians. From May 2-4 & May 6-8 she judged students from Quana, Childress, Hollis, OK, Levelland, Littlefield, and Morton. Patsy has been a piano and organ teacher for 35 years. She began music at an early age traveling long distances to study piano, organ and accordion. A mother of four children including twins, she taught music classes at valley school and always entered large groups of students in Piano guild auditions, driving large distances to the nearest guild center. She attended Wayland Baptist University, as well as being an alumna of North Texas University, majoring in music education with a concentration in piano and organ. She was certified by the American college of Musicians in 1983 and is honored with the high distinction of being in The Hall of Fame of Piano Teachers and who's Who in American Musicians.

Herrington's students have made 11 trips to state in University Interscholastic League state wide competition in Austin and had the distinction of winning the coveted first place sweepstakes trophy once. She has eight Paderesi gold Medal winners and has been an adjudicator for 11 years. She was also honored for 25 years of outstanding service as organist for the first baptist church in Quitaque. "The teachers and students of Quana and the surrounding areas feel honored to have Patsy Herrington as the judge for the National Piano Playing Guild held here," said Ada Preston, Quana area piano teacher.

## OBITUARIES

### Milton (Snooks) Frizzell

Funeral services for Milton (Snooks) Frizzell, 85, of Silverton were held Sunday, May 12, 2002 at the Rock Creek Church of Christ. Mr. J.D. Nance and Mr. Gary Weeks officiated. Burial was in Silverton Cemetery by Myers-Long Funeral Directors of Silverton.

Milton (Snooks) Frizzell was born on September 27, 1916 in Floyd County, Texas. He passed away on May 9, 2002 at Lockney, Texas at the age of 85 years, 7 months and 27 days. He married Margaret Francis on August 11, 1939 at the Francis home in the Lakeview Community. He was a farmer and a member of the Rock Creek Church of Christ.

Survivors include his wife: Margaret Frizzell and the home; 2 sons: Jerry Frizzell and Lynn Frizzell both of Silverton; by a daughter: Carolyn Shelton of Silverton; by a sister: Laverne Long of Silverton; a brother: Pat Frizzell of Lockney; and by 10 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by a great-grandson Ronald Colton Frizzell.

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Sat May 18	Partly Cloudy UV Index: 10 Very High	90°	49°
Sun May 19	Partly Cloudy UV Index: 10 Very High	84°	55°
Mon May 20	Isolated T-Storms UV Index: 10 Very High	87°	56°
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Wed May 22	Partly Cloudy UV Index: 10 Very High	89°	60°
Thu May 23	Partly Cloudy UV Index: 9 High	89°	60°
Fri May 24	Partly Cloudy UV Index: 10 Very High	90°	60°

## Hensons Graduate From Hardin-Simmons University

Spring commencement for Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene was held Saturday, May 11, 2002. Walt Henson graduated *cum laude* with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Bible from Logsdon School of Theology. Walt's wife, Lindsey, received a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Biology from the Holland School of Sciences and Mathematics. Walt and Lindsey will reside in Abilene where they plan to continue their education at Hardin-Simmons. Walt will be studying toward a Masters Degree in Divinity from Logsdon School of Theology where he is a graduate assistant. Lindsey had been accepted into the School of Physical Therapy Doctoral program. Walt is a 1998 graduate of Valley High School and the son of Rusty and Janice Henson of Quitaque. Lindsey graduated in 1998 from Monterey High School in Lubbock. She is the daughter of Bill and Elaine Gillum of Lubbock.

## Wendell Farley Awarded WTAMU Scholarship

Wendell Farley, a freshman computer information system major, recently was awarded the C.C. Callerman Scholarship. This scholarship was awarded by the WTAMU T. Boone Picketts College of Business at its annual convocation on April 25, 2002.

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**Conner Washington**

My name is Conner Washington. I am in the first grade at Childress Elementary School. I have leukemia. That is a type of cancer. I got it when I was kindergarten. It was two days before Play Day and I didn't get to go to Play Day at the park. My teacher in kindergarten was Mrs. Bruce. She made a "Flat Conner" and took him to the park. He looked just like me. He had band-aids all over him, on his knees, his legs and his arm. Flat Conner came to the hospital in Lubbock with me. My doctors and nurses thought Flat Conner was good. They didn't know which one to give the shots to. They didn't know if it was me or Flat Conner. Shots are no fun. I was in the hospital for a bunch of weeks. When I came home my mother drove through a ribbon at our house. It was fun. The ribbon was tied across our driveway. I was in the backseat, but I could see it. When I grow up, I want to be something that is really dangerous. That is a bull rider. They get checks for \$10,000. I already rode a sheep and a calf. I like the Relay for Life. What I like about it is eating, running around, playing musical chairs, bouncing machine and I like two girls. One of them is a cancer survivor. Come have fun and support the Relay for Life.

This article appeared in the Childress Index. Conner is now on maintenance. He is the son of Todd and Stachia Washington and the grandson of Seab and Dianne Washington of Flomot and Buck and Ann Chadwick of Quitaque.

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## Do Gooders' Club

The Do Gooders' Club May 7th at the Community Center. Mrs. Waydette Clay read the minutes that were screens have been installed blinds were put up. Leona Degan and Suzie In other business, M vacuum cleaner for the Ragtime quilt for display. bers are selling tickets for winner will be drawn June 1st. They sang Happy Birth. Winning the club's raffle. Nada Starkey. Hostesses, Mrs. Anna a pink and purple service centered with purple tulle wings. On each side was served refreshments of and fruit punch. Those attending were Martin, Mary Jo Calvert, Anna Beth Clay, Kathy were Emily and Haley M.

## Attend

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn their daughter, Mrs. Mar at West Texas A&M Univer her Masters of Education Phillips College in Borger. State Representative of D. Mr. and Mrs. Martin vi before returning home.

Donna and Stanley Deg The Sportsman Cafe in Q parents and brother, Mr. Visiting Mother's Day w key of Ralls, Mrs. Ersie Cyper of Lockney and Mr. Weekend guests of Con Texas Tech in Lubbock, Ba Franks of Canyon and Car enjoyed the Drag Races in Donnie Rogers attended at the West Texas A&M Un His daughters, Natalie and ation and returned home wi he accompanied them to Am Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse v mother, Mrs. Dona Browning, Mrs. Beatrice Skaggs, Ca Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Sunday. Ronnie Rogers of Lubbo Mothers' Day with parents, Visitors during the week- ter, Nellie Bly were Mr. and Randy Kelley of Farwell, of Lubbock, Mrs. Ronda Cow Doyle Shannon of Roaring Sp Walker of Matador and Mr. Cobey and Janell Turner Johnny Turner, Sunday. Recent visitors of Wilson ver, Arkansas. They were en attended a Barton family reu in Matador. Visiting Mrs. Edith Wash and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Max Other visitors during the wee and their visitors, Tim Washi of Roaring Springs and the Henderson of Birmingham, Al of Lubbock and Mrs. Connie F Guests in the Doyle Calve husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dan F of Dumas. Mr. and Mrs. Coy Franks a the graduation of Sorrel Schr land, Friday morning. She w Technician. Visiting from Friday until S the children of Mr. and Mrs. Mesquite, Mrs. Chirsti Milam, Keri Sehon and Brian of Ropes parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl C

## SWIMMING LESSON

THE TURKEY SWIMMING CLASSES WILL BE CONTINUING JUNE AND OLDER MAY TAKE BE \$35.00 PER CHILD. WOODS AT 455-126

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# FLOMOT NEWS

BY EARLYNE JAMESON

## OVERHEARD

**BUMPER STICKER:** "When did all my wild oats turn into prunes and bran flakes?"

### Do Gooders' Club Has Ragtime Quilt On Display

The Do Gooders' Club held their monthly meeting Tuesday afternoon, May 7th at the Community Center in Flomot.

Mrs. Waydette Clay called the meeting to order and Mrs. Alma Shorter read the minutes that were approved. The new air conditioner and solar screens have been installed at the Center. Most of the new interior window blinds were put up with thanks given to Mesdames Mary Jo Calvert, Leona Degan and Suzie Shannon for this job and cleaning the Center.

In other business, Mrs. Kathy Shorter was appointed to buy a new vacuum cleaner for the Center. Mrs. Waydette Clay was to take the club's Ragtime quilt for display at the Motley County Library in Matador. Members are selling tickets for \$1.00 each or six for \$5.00 and the name of the winner will be drawn July 6th at the Flomot Homecoming.

They sang Happy Birthday to Mrs. B. Rogers and Mrs. Kathy Shorter. Winning the club's raffle ticket drawing for a cheerful peg board was Mrs. Nada Starkey.

Hostesses, Mrs. Anna Beth Clay and Mrs. Mary Jo Calvert presided at a pink and purple service. The table was laid with a white lace cloth and centered with purple tulle encircling a decorative wooden angel with metal wings. On each side was a beautiful variegated spray of orchids. They served refreshments of crackers, cheese, dips, an assortment of cookies and fruit punch.

Those attending were Mesdames Tommie Jo Cruse, Nada Starkey, Trula Martin, Mary Jo Calvert, Suzie Shannon, Waydette Clay, Alma Shorter, Anna Beth Clay, Kathy Shorter, B. Rogers and Geneva Martin. Guests were Emily and Haley Milam of Petersburg.

### Attend Daughter's Graduation

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin attended the graduation ceremony of their daughter, Mrs. Marilee Martin Cooper of Borger held Friday night at West Texas A&M University Event Center in Canyon. She was awarded her Masters of Education degree. Mrs. Cooper is a counselor at Frank Phillips College in Borger. The guest speaker was David Swinford, Texas State Representative of District 87.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin visited with Marilee and husband, Fred Cooper before returning home.

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Donna and Stanley Degan of Kalgary hosted a luncheon, Thursday at The Sportsman Cafe in Quitaque for his mother, Mrs. Leona Degan, her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers and Donnie Rogers.

Visiting Mother's Day with Mrs. C.W. Starkey were children, L.T. Starkey of Ralls, Mrs. Ersie VanCleve of Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cypert of Lockney and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey of Flomot.

Weekend guests of Connie and Coy Franks was his ex roommate at Texas Tech in Lubbock, Barry Pickett of Dallas, and their children, Cara Franks of Canyon and Cary Franks of Lubbock. Connie, Coy and Barry enjoyed the Drag Races in Idalou, Saturday.

Donnie Rogers attended the graduation of Jill Moring of Amarillo held at the West Texas A&M University Event Center in Canyon Friday night. His daughters, Natalie and Brooke Rogers of Tyler also attended the graduation and returned home with him and visited until Saturday night when he accompanied them to Amarillo for their return trip home.

Mrs. Tommie Jo Cruse visited Mother's day in Rising Star with her mother, Mrs. Dona Browning.

Mrs. Beatrice Skaggs, Caden and Caitlyn of Matador visited Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Barclay, Sunday.

Ronnie Rogers of Lubbock and Donnie Rogers of Flomot visited Mother's Day with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rogers.

Visitors during the week of Gina and Tim Shannon and baby daughter, Nellie Bly were Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Eubank, Mrs. Noni Eubank, Betty and Randy Kelley of Farwell, John and D'Lynn, Hale, Alyson and Walker of Lubbock, Mrs. Ronda Cowgill and Kacey of Carrollton, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Shannon of Roaring Springs, Mrs. Annie Shannon of Turkey, David Walker of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shannon of Flomot.

Cobey and Janell Turner of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Turner, Sunday.

Recent visitors of Wilson Barton were Loretta and Harry Race of Dover, Arkansas. They were en route home from Salado, Texas where they attended a Barton family reunion. They also visited Mrs. Kathryn King in Matador.

Visiting Mrs. Edith Washington from Friday until Sunday were son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Max Washington of Elizabeth Town, Kentucky. Other visitors during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Washington and their visitors, Tim Washington, Ashley, Matt and Brazos Washington of Roaring Springs and their houseguest, Ashley's mother, Mrs. Carol Henderson of Birmingham, Alabama, Cara Franks of Canyon, Cary Franks of Lubbock and Mrs. Connie Franks of Flomot.

Guests in the Doyle Calvert home Mother's Day were daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Foster of Lubbock and son, Alvia Joe Calvert of Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Franks and son, Cary Franks of Lubbock attended the graduation of Sorrel Schmidt held at South Plains College in Levelland, Friday morning. She was awarded her certification as an X-Ray Technician.

Visiting from Friday until Sunday and celebrating Mother's Day were the children of Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Chad and Cindy Calvert of Mesquite, Mrs. Chirsti Milam, Emily and Haley of Petersburg and Mrs. Keri Sehon and Brian of Ropesville. Chad also visited in Turkey with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Calvert.

# COOK'S CORNER

BY VIRGINIA SAILSBURY

This seems like this time of year when there are so many events going on - and many of them require you to bring something to eat. I tried two new cake recipes this week, and both are easy to make and delicious. Try one for your next event-but I hope you are in the mood for chocolate!

Chocolate Coke Cake was sent in by B.J. Griffin, who also included these words of wisdom: "Families are like fudge, sweet with a few nuts." Here is her recipe.

### CHOCOLATE COKE CAKE

Sift together: 2 cups sugar  
2 cups flour  
2 Tablespoons cocoa

Bring to a boil and pour over dry ingredients: 1 stick oleo  
1/2 cup Crisco  
1 cup Coca Cola

Add: 1/2 cup buttermilk with 1 teaspoon soda  
2 eggs  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 1/2 cups miniature marshmallows

Bake in an oblong pan at 350 for about 30 minutes, until toothpick comes out clean.

### ICING:

Bring to boil: 1 stick oleo  
3 Tbsp. Crisco  
6 Tbsp. cocoa

Add: 1 lb. powdered sugar  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 cup chopped pecans

Let cool and ice cake. I clipped this recipe from some magazine a long time ago, but never tried it until this week. It's moist and couldn't be easier to make.

### MARBLED CHOCOLATE BARS

1 package (18 1/4 oz.) German Chocolate cake mix  
1 package (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened  
1/2 cup sugar  
1 cup chocolate chips, divided

Prepare cake batter according to package directions. Pour into a greased 15x10x1 in. baking pan. In a small mixing bowl, beat cream cheese and sugar. Stir in 1/4 cup chocolate chips. Drop by tablespoonful over batter. Cut through batter with a knife to marble the cream cheese mixture. Bake at 350 for 25-30 minutes until toothpick inserted near the center comes out clean. Sprinkle remaining chips on top, and spread gently after they are melted. Cool on a wire rack. Cut into bars.

We've got more reader's requests than answers this week. Maybe YOU can reply to one of these: ROBERT HASKETT of Millington, TN wants to know how to fix hot, spicy fried chicken. LINDA S. wants some cold soup recipes for summer suppers. JUNE from Richland Hills wants the recipe for SPRY shortening Oatmeal Cookies.

AN ANONYMOUS reader would like to make some Carrot Jam. CHARLOTTE of Childress would like to have a recipe for Pickled Garlic like the Peanut Patch in Turkey used to sell.

If you would like to ask or answer a question in The Cook's Corner, there are three ways to do so: FAX: 806-455-1101

E-Mail: vtaylor@caprock-spur.com

U.S. Mail: The Valley Tribune, Box 478 Quitaque, TX 79255

Thanks for reading this column. I'll look forward to hearing from you, and, as always, we ask God to continue to BLESS AMERICA!

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## Happy Birthday

- May 16** Roberta Carson, Rex Morgan, Gerald Williams
- May 17** Lillie Leal, Todd Payne, Ian Farley, Erica Pigg
- May 18** Karen Allen, Betty Farley
- May 19** Author Beck
- May 20** Trey Gearm
- May 22** Bradley Price, Bobby Williams

## Happy Anniversary

- May 16** Mr & Mrs Pat Carson
- May 17** Mr & Mrs U.F. Coker
- May 21** Mr & Mrs Ciraldo Leal, Jr. Mr & Mrs Shane House
- May 2** Mr & Mrs Rex Morgan Mr & Mrs Kim Coker
- May 23** Mr & Mrs Glyn De Pigg Mr & Mrs Criss Morrison

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- Boerne or Azle h.s. class
- TXism: "sure"
- one who gets old
- Yo Digo Creek
- TXism: "smells like a wet"
- in NE Dallas Co.
- TXism: "Lonesome Dove" was TV series
- TXism: "as welcome as a skunk"
- across the Rio Grande from McAllen
- TXism: "hear it" (disappointing)
- tiled designs
- TXism: "take a stab" (attempt)
- TXism: "got it from the mouth"
- TXism: "stands on his feet"
- TXism: "a do you do"
- Hamlin created "Alley Oop" in Iraan, TX
- TX Nolan Ryan achievements
- milled wood
- TXNs like it iced
- TXism: "he'd have up to be a half-wit"
- TXism for "animals"
- TXism: "irritating enough to turn Casper the friendly grouch"
- Gulf pirate: Louis-Michel
- phrase heard on a golf green? (3 wds.)
- TX Perot was salesman for this corp.
- activity for males on Padre Island at spring break? (2 wds.)
- this Peter was in "Silk Stockings" with TX Cyd Charisse
- a George W. brother
- feminine suffix
- San Jacinto victor (init.)

## DOWN

- Santa Natl. Wildlife Refuge
- birth month for TX Steve Martin (abbr.)
- in TX, 3rd DWI is offense
- TXism: "nervous as a pan"
- expires
- "Mr. Sam" Rayburn served in the United
- Ozona h.s. class
- TX singer Pride (init.)
- TXism: "if he was a dog he wouldn't wag his tail" (lazy)
- TX Howard Hughes produced film "face" (31)
- TXism: "lie up the loose"
- Field Sovell was as "Bowling"
- "a apple"
- "I face day"
- Olympic host Bob this Redding and TX Janis were in film "Monterey Pop"
- birth state of TX Belle Starr (abbr.)
- TXism: "he'd be late to his funeral"
- TXism: "slinging drunk"
- TXism: "more disgusting than throwing slop"
- " was in Dixie"
- TX golfer Byron book: " Played the Game"
- Maureen O' was in "McLintock" with TX Chill Willis
- elephant tooth
- former Cowboy
- Tall" Jones
- college semester
- bath vats
- this Carter was in "The Grass Harp" with TX Sissy
- TXism: " on" (get drunk)
- Dublin wasn't named after city
- CSA Gen. Lee (init.)

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**National Honor Society Junior Members: (Front L-R) Lorena Mendoza, Amanda Roys, Sara Fierro & Cydni Walden. (Back L-R) Derrick Cruse, Natalie Wheeler & JC Pigg. (Not Pictured) Erika Chavez.**



**8th Grade Class Officers: Fernando Regalado - President, Kevin Ortiz - Secretary/Treasurer, Jennifer Carnes - Reporter, Randy Farley - Vice President.**

## Honoring Those Who Served

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**Henry Wade "Squint" House**

Henry "Squint" House entered the Armed Forces on February 6, 1942. He served in the U.S. Army Infantry and trained at Camp Walter in Mineral Wells, Texas, Fort Benning, Georgia, attended Officer Training School-2nd Lt., Officer Communication-1st Lt.

"Squint" went overseas on February 2, 1945 and was assigned as an 86th Infantry Division Communication Officer. He served in the Theatre of Operations in European Theater - Battle of the Bulge, and in the Pacific Theater - Philippines. He saw engagements in Ruhr and Bavaria and was decorated with the Bronze Star, Purple Heart, Good Conduct Medal, Combat Infantryman's Badge, European Theatre, Asiatic-Pacific Theatre Ribbons, and the American Theatre Ribbon.

He returned to the U.S. on June 6, 1946. He was discharged on October 6, 1946 at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. He served a total of fifty-six months and achieved the rank of Captain.



**Warren Payne**

Warren Payne entered the Armed forces on September 10, 1942. He served in the U.S. Army Engineer Maintenance corp. He was sent to Central Europe and achieved the rank of Sergeant. He received the following decorations: American Theater Ribbon, European-African Ribbon, Good Conduct Medal and World War II Victory Medal. He returned to the U.S. and was discharged on February 1, 1946 at Fort Bliss, Texas, serving a total of forty-one months.

## APOLOGY

My sincere apology to G.P. Driskell, Jr. and James Irby for the mix-up on their pictures in last week's edition of the Valley Tribune. In the article "Honoring Those Who Serve" I mistakenly put the wrong picture above their stories.

Laura Taylor, Editor



## This Week In Texas History!

- May 11, 1953**  
Waco tornado killed 114, injured 597, and caused over \$41 million in damage.
- May 11, 1953**  
San Angelo tornado killed 11, injured 159, and caused over \$3 million in damage.
- May 11, 1970**  
Lubbock tornado killed 26, and caused \$250 million in damages.
- May 12, 1865**  
Battle of Palmetto Ranch, last battle of the Civil War, fought near Brownsville.
- May 12, 1926**  
Commercial aviation began in Texas with inauguration of air mail service between Dallas-Fort Worth and Chicago.
- May 14, 1836**  
Treaty of Velasco signed.
- May 14, 1856**  
First boatload of camels unloaded at Indianola, then moved to Camp Val Verde.
- May 15, 1755**  
Tomas Sanchez founded Villa de Laredo.
- May 16, 1888**  
Present Capitol opened.

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**Santos Cavazos, Jr.**

Santos Cavazos, Jr. entered the Armed Forces in January of 1944. He served in the U.S. Army. He trained at Fort Sill, Oklahoma and Camp Bowie, Texas. He served in the Theatre of Operations in England, France and Germany.

He was discharged on November 11, 1945 and achieved the rank of Private first Class 1266 Combat Engineer.



**Ernestine Wagnon Payne**

Ernestine Payne entered the Cadet nursing Corp in 1942 at Lubbock, Texas. The Cadets worked at the hospital in Lubbock so the registered nurses could serve in the armed forces. She took nursing classes in preparation of going into active service until 1945 when the war ended.

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

- Monday, May 20**  
**Breakfast:** Sausage Links, Toast, OJ/Milk  
**Lunch:** Pizza, Salad, Dessert, Milk
- Tuesday, May 21**  
**Breakfast:** Cinnamon Toast, Syrup, OJ/Milk  
**Lunch:** Hamburgers, Cheese, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Chips, Dessert, Milk
- Wednesday, May 22**  
**Breakfast:** Cereal, OJ/Milk  
**Lunch:** BBQ Weiners, Corn on the Cob, Texas Toast, Lime Jello, Milk
- Thursday, May 23**  
**Breakfast:** French Toast, Jelly OJ/Milk  
**Lunch:** Hoagies, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Chips, Dessert, Milk
- Friday, May 25**  
**Breakfast:** Cereal, OJ/Milk  
**Lunch:** Sack Lunch- Ham & Cheese Sandwiches, Oreos Cookies, Milk

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**National Honor Society Inductees: (Front L-R) Scarlett Sperry, Cathy Bernal, Jessica Wellman & Katherine Pigg. (Back L-R) Adam Ortiz, Rodney Fuston, Cliff Yeary, Justin Wilks, Juan Regalado & Chase Maynard.**

## Valley National Honor Society Inducts New Members

The Valley Chapter of the National Honor Society had its annual induction ceremony on May 13, 2002 at 7:00 p.m. At this ceremony, all members were recognized in front of family and friends. Mr. Davidson welcomed and introduced the offices. President, Skylar Clifton stated the first quality which was Scholarship. Next Vice President, Christopher Taylor announced the second quality of Service. Secretary/Treasurer, Emily Woods recited the third quality of Leadership. Last, Reporter, Jana Merrell reviewed the fourth quality of Character. All the offices in living memory of Mr. Davis, our sponsor, lit a candle of remembrance, while Wes Henson said a few words of reflection. Next, Skylar Clifton repeated the pledge to all inductees. After they received their awards, Mr. Davidson announced the Senior Members honors, which Mr. Smith handed out. The ceremony ended with punch and homemade cookies.



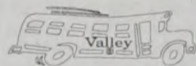
**National Honor Society Senior Members: (Front L-R) Magan Whittington, Lydia Valdez, Secretary/Treasurer Emily Woods, Reporter Jana Merrell, Hannah Boedeker & Amber Stark. (Back L-R) President Skylar Clifton, Wes Henson & Vice President Christopher Taylor.**

## VALLEY SCHOOL SUMMER SCHOOL SMART PROGRAM

Summer School will be at Valley School from June 3rd - June 21st, 2002. Project SMART is developed on the philosophy that learning activities should enhance students' experiences. Lessons are framed in meaningful contexts. Teaching for understanding is the main concern in this program. Cooperative learning and interactive group activities in reading, science, and math are incorporated into the lessons.

- The bus schedule will be:
- Turkey pick-up: Church of Christ - 8:30**
- Bob Will's Center - 8:40.**
- Quitaque pick-up: Baptist Church - 8:30**
- City Park - 8:40.**

The children will be returned to bus areas at 12:00 Noon. We look forward to your Pre-K ~ 5th grade child being in Summer School this year. It is a beneficial and fun time for both teachers and students.



## PRE-K REGISTRATION FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2002-2003

PRE-K REGISTRATION FOR THE 2002-2003 SCHOOL YEAR WILL BE TUESDAY MAY 14, 2002 FROM 1:00-3:00 P.M. PLEASE BRING BIRTH CERTIFICATE, SHOT RECORD AND SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER. NEEDS TO BE 4 YEARS OLD BY SEPTEMBER 1, 2002

## REGISTRACION PARA PRE-K ESCUELA EL AÑO 2002-2003

LA REGISTRACION DE LOS NIÑOS DE PRE-KINDER PARA EL AÑO 2002-2003 SERA EN LA ESCUELA DE VALLEY EL MARTES 14, DE MAYO 2002. SERA A LAS 1:00-3:00 P.M. POR FAVOR DE TRAER PAPEL DE NACIMIENTO, DE VACUNAS Y SEGURO SOCIAL. NECESITA TENER 4 AÑOS PARA EL PRIMER DIA DE SEPTIEMBRE 2002

By Shawn Wade

## Senate Give Farm Bill OK

One step at a time, that's the message of the Farm Security and Administration Act of 2002 (FSRA) as it moves to the desk and a final signature to the President. The process has at times been a bit of a roller coaster as the Senate has at times been back into focus as opponents of the legislation without solving agriculture's problems. Unfortunately, most of the arguments on a repetitive basis in either a deliberate effort to delay the legislation or an irresponsible lack of investigation. Despite these last ditch efforts, the Senate passed the bill by a 65-34 vote. Now the focus shifts to the President's signature on the bill. The President's signature will be in either a deliberate effort to delay the legislation or an irresponsible lack of investigation. Despite these last ditch efforts, the Senate passed the bill by a 65-34 vote. Now the focus shifts to the President's signature on the bill. The President's signature will be in either a deliberate effort to delay the legislation or an irresponsible lack of investigation.

State and Country Farm Service Agency will be needed to help producers manage their risk.

Other features of the Bill will include rules governing delivery of direct payments.

Work is also underway to update conservation programs like the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) and the Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP).

Two new provisions that will be included in the Conservation Security Program are: a new set of statistics that will be published monthly, the Average Price Received for Cotton and the Average Price Received for Cotton.

The resulting 12 month (market) then be used to determine the final CC payment rate.

For cotton the marketing year is harvested and end July 31 of the following year. For the 2002 crop the Counterparty will be the August 1, 2002 through the 2001 crop marketing year.

To see how the Average Price Received for Cotton is calculated, see the 2001 crop marketing year summary.

Source: NASS-USDA

Month	Weighted Average Price Received (thousand running average)
August-01	631
Sept-01	465
Oct-01	1,246
Nov-01	2,550
Dec-01	2,469
Jan-02	1,822
Feb-02	872
March-02	999
April-02	N/A

Source: NASS-USDA

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# Cotton News

By Shawn Wade  
from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

## Senate Give Farm Bill OK; Now It's The Administration's Turn

One step at a time, that's how the Farm Security and Rural Investment Act of 2002 (FSRI) has slowly gotten within sight of the President's desk and a final signature to make it law.

The process has at times been unbearably painful. The two day Senate debate on the FSRI Conference Report brought much of that pain back into focus as opponents of the Bill stood one after another to rail against the legislation without offering a truly substantive alternative to solving agriculture's problems.

Unfortunately, most of these opponents of the Bill decided to base their arguments on a repetitive set of "facts" that were presented out of context in either a deliberate effort to muddy the debate or through an equally irresponsible lack of investigation.

Despite these last ditch efforts by organizations like the Environmental Working Group and others, the measure passed the Senate on a strong 65-34 vote. Now the focus shifts to the White House and President George W. Bush's pledge to sign the law once it gets to his desk. Current information has the signing ceremony set for Monday, May 13.

The President's signature will fully set in motion the already shifting tide of implementation. United States Department of Agriculture officials have been working proactively to develop implementation procedures for these provisions that have long appeared to be destined for final inclusion and the Bill.

State and Country Farm Service Agency offices are already gathering the available files to determine what additional information, if any, will be needed to help producers make decisions on updating bases and payment yields.

Other features of the Bill will require the dusting off and updating of rules governing delivery of direct and counter-cyclical program payments.

Work is also underway to utilize the additional funding allotted for conservation programs like the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP) in the Bill.

Two new provisions that will not see implementation until 2003 are the Conservation Security Program and the Adjusted Gross Income Payment eligibility cap.

One new set of statistics that growers should get used to keeping up with is the Average Price Received by Growers for program crops. Published monthly, the Average Price Received by Growers will provide the monthly marketings and average price received for each program commodity.

The resulting 12 month (marketing year) weighted average price will then be used to determine the availability of counter-cyclical payments under the Bill. These numbers will also be used in the calculation of the final CC payment rate.

For cotton the marketing year will begin August 1 of the year the crop is harvested and end July 31 of the following year.

For the 2002 crop the Counter-cyclical payment rate will be determined using the August 1, 2002 through July 31, 2003 marketing year.

To see how the Average Price Received by Growers has tracked during the 2001 crop marketing year see the table below.

### Prices Received & Marketings August 2001 Through April 2002

	(Weighted by Marketings)		Price	
	Markatings		Price	
	(thousand running bales)	(Cents per pound)	Monthly	Cumulative
August-01	631	631	36.0	36.0
Sept-01	465	1,096	38.5	37.1
Oct-01	1,246	2,342	34.5	35.7
Nov-01	2,550	4,892	29.5	32.5
Dec-01	2,469	7,361	32.2	32.4
Jan-02	1,822	9,183	28.9	31.7
Feb-02	872	10,055	28.7	31.4
March-02	999	11,054	29.9	31.3
April-02	N/A	N/A	30.3	N/A

Source: NASS, USDA

# FARMING OUR GREAT STRENGTH

## May Is Water Month In Texas

Many Texans are realizing the importance of conserving water as our population grows and demand increases during the sweltering Texas summer.

Governor Rick Perry and the Texas Water Foundation have declared the month of May as "Water Month" in Texas. During the month of May, Texans are urged to learn more about making a difference through protecting and conserving water.

Governor Perry said that he had "designated the month of May for an awareness campaign to remind Texans that the responsibility lies within each of us to be wise stewards of our water resources."

One agency active in water conservation and preservation in Texas is the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board (TSSWCB) headquartered in Temple. The TSSWCB promotes wise and productive use of the state's soil and water resources through cooperation with Soil and Water Conservation Districts (SWCD's), landowners, and state legislature.

There are 216 SWCD's in Texas, and each is governed by a five member board of directors elected by landowners in the district. Each SWCD is designed to deliver local conservation programs that best conserve and promotes the wise use of renewable natural resources.

Not only does the TSSWCB coordinate programs with SWCD's by providing technical and financial assistance to improve soil and water quality, they are also responsible for implementing constitutional provisions and state water quality rules and regulations.

The State Brush Control Program develops and implements resource management plans to increase the available supply of water in areas impacted by brush.

The Statewide Management Program assists in the protection of water quality from nonpoint source pollution and administers funds from the Clean Water Act Section 319 Grant Program.

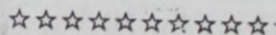
The Total Maximum Daily Load Program works closely with the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC), local SWCD's and other entities to identify water bodies that do not meet state water quality standards for their use and then decided the maximum amount of pollutants that the body of water can receive on a daily basis without seriously harming its beneficial uses.

Lastly, the Coastal Nonpoint Source Pollution Control Program works closely with the Coastal Coordination Council to develop a federally approvable program to provide for the implementation of best management practices to control coastal pollution from an unidentifiable source.

The TSSWCB is dedicated in its work to preserve renewable natural resources in Texas. During Water Month this May, The TSSWCB urges everyone to conserve today what we will need tomorrow.

For more information about programs or water conservation in your area, contact your local soil and water conservation district, or The Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board at 254-773-2250 or visit our website at [www.tsswcb.state.tx.us](http://www.tsswcb.state.tx.us).

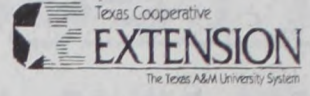
### Christopher Taylor Among FCCLA Members Receiving Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo Scholarship



Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo officials presented \$100,000 in scholarships to Family, Career and Community Leaders of America members during the Texas FCCLA State Leadership Conference on April 27 in Corpus Christi, Texas.

Among the 10 scholarship recipients was Christopher Glen Taylor of Quitaque, a student at Valley High School. With his \$10,000 scholarship, Christopher plans to study mechanical engineering at Texas Tech University. He is the son of Kathryn and Walter Taylor.

The show has presented more than 18,000 educational awards since its first scholarship in 1957. In addition to FCCLA scholarships, the show awards 4-H, FFA, Area Go Texan, Metropolitan, Opportunity and School Art scholarships as part of its current educational commitment of more than \$8.5 million. Since the show's educational program began in 1957, more than \$85 million has been committed to the youth of Texas through scholarships and educational programs.



By: Brandon McGinty, CEA-Ag, Briscoe County

### Licensed Private Applicator Training & Testing

Levon Harman, TDA (Texas Department of Agriculture), Amarillo, and Michael Clawson, Swisher County Ag Agent, will be conducting a Licensed Private Applicator Training and Testing on Wednesday, May 22, 2002 at the Swisher County Annex in Tulia at 310 West Broadway. The training will begin at 8:30 a.m. The testing will immediately follow the training. (No Lunch break). I realize that this is during the middle of planting season, but there are several producers who missed our training in April.

Please call (806) 995-3726 if you are planning on coming so we will have an idea of how many to prepare for. Also call if you need further information.

### By Cory Edwards, Briscoe County Extension Agent, FCS Free Blood Pressure/Blood Sugar Clinic

Texas Cooperative Extension, Briscoe County is collaborating with Kathy Fuston of Covenant Home Health Care to provide a free Blood Pressure / Blood Sugar Clinic. The clinic will be held in the basement of the Briscoe County Courthouse on Wednesday, May 22, 2002 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Everyone is invited to take advantage of this free service.

### Heart Attack Signs Different For Women Than Men

**Heart Disease Kills Ten Times As Many Women Every Year As Breast Cancer.** Despite this fact, many women continue to think of heart disease as a condition of men and know little about the warning signs of a heart attack.

Studies conclude that after the age of 55, women and men are at equal risk for a heart attack. But 38 percent of women who have heart attacks die within a year, compared with 25 percent of men. Part of the reason for this is that many women are not diagnosed or treated for a cardiovascular disease before their attack.

Women suffering heart attacks often do not experience the same symptoms as men, such as chest pressure, pain shooting down the left arm, sweating, fainting, and light-headedness. Instead, women's signs include: unusual fatigue; unusual shortness of breath; nausea; dizziness; lower chest discomfort; back pain; pain spreading to shoulders, arm, neck and jaw; and indigestion or gas-like pain.

The unrecorded past is nothing other than our old friend, the tree in the primeval forest which fell without being heard.

—Barbara Tuchman

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# "PATRIOT SPIRIT"

## EXTRA MILE RECOGNITION



**Wes Henson**

Wes Henson is an 18 year old Senior at Valley high School. Wes is the son of Rusty and Janice Henson of Quitaque. As a very active Patriot, Wes has excelled in many extracurricular events while keeping his academic efforts a priority. Wes has excelled in football, and was selected to play in the Golden Spread All-Star game in Basketball. Wes has qualified for the Regional in Tennis and participated in UIL.

Wes was a member of the One-Act Play cast and is a very active member of the Valley FFA. In FFA, he has qualified for the State Judging Contest four times. Wes was chosen for this recognition because of his outstanding work ethic, his cooperative and pleasant attitude and his high personal standards. He is truly an "All Around Great Guy" and we are extremely proud of him.

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