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Borden County Coyotes Win Bi-District Game 10-0

By Coach Edwards

The Borden County Coyotes found themselves in another first time scenario. This time the Coyotes played their first ever baseball game in New Mexico. Earlier in the year, the Coyotes played their regional quarterfinal basketball game in Hobbs, New Mexico. But this time, Borden County quarreled

with the Fort Hancock Mustangs in Bi-district action in the beautiful confines of the Land of Enchantment in Eunice.

Fort Hancock started the game off with a lead of single, but that was the only bright spot for the Mustangs. Hunter Jones struck eight of the next nine batters he faced. Jones

finished with 11 strikeouts in four inning pitched. Trace Richey pitched one inning striking out two of the three batters that he faced. The Coyotes offense was plenty good as they ended the game by mercy rule winning the contest, 10-0.

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Bi-District Champions!



The Borden County Coyotes traveled to Eunice, NM and defeated the Ft. Hancock Mustangs 10-1 capturing the Bi-District Championship title. Pictured are (left to right) Asst. Coach Trey Richey, Braxton Barnes, Steven Carrillo, Jayton Lewis, Trace Richey, Braxton Coor, Korbin Martinez, Hunter Jones, Ryan Willborn, Morgan Wilson, Kale Yarbrough, Ben Justice and Head Coach Bubba Edwards.

Texas Stories

A Showcase of the Texas Spirit
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Del Rio's Biker Priest

Clay Hunt grew up tending flocks of sheep on the family ranch near Brackettville. Now he's tending another type of flock. He is a Catholic priest at St. Joseph Church in Del Rio.

"Looking back I can see that the Lord was preparing me as I was doing my daily chores on the ranch," says Father Clay. "I didn't recognize it at the time, but as they say, hindsight is 20-20. If you could talk to some of my friends, they would tell you they were surprised to find out I was a priest."

He stays busy.

"On Sunday we have six masses because this parish is fairly large. We have about 3,500 families," he says. "We're one mile from the border of Old Mexico. This barrio, called Chihuahua, is predominantly Hispanic, so we have 75 percent of our liturgy in Spanish. We have 16 scheduled masses a week."

He is a popular figure around Del Rio. You can definitely call him a character. He rides a motorcycle and carries a gun. People call him different things.

"Pistol Packing Padre is my favorite," he says. "I grew up hunting. I grew up with guns. I'm a patriot and love our country. I love the principles under which our country was

founded and that was part of the wisdom of our forefathers, who said we have the right to bear arms."

He says he rides a steel horse.

"I've been riding motorcycles about 25 years. I went to school at Sul Ross State University in Alpine and used to ride up in the Davis Mountains and Big Bend National Park. So I've always had a great love for motorcycles. Here in the fall we do what's called The Blessing of the Bikes. We typically ride out west of here to the Pecos High Bridge and have a mass out there. We do the Blessing of the Bikes and enjoy our time there with some food, then we ride back together."

It's difficult to say just what type of outfit he's wearing. Once on St. Peter's Square in Rome a British reporter stopped him.

"He recognized that I was a priest by my collar, but what threw him off was the rest of the way I looked. I was wearing a biker jacket. I had a big handlebar mustache and I had a beanie cap from Jerusalem. He got a kick out of that. Sometimes I have a full beard that is strikingly red. My grandmother was a red head. Sometimes I shave my head. It is unique to

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Borden County's Softball Season Ends in Playoffs

Courtesy of Lamesa Press Reporter
By Dwight Hines

It has been a year of firsts at Gail in Borden County's high school softball program that made its first return to the diamond in some 10 years.

Coach Peter Benavidez's Coyote softballers were hoping to add to that list of firsts this past Thursday evening in their first softball playoff game in school history.

Unfortunately, the Borden County diamond girls did not have quite enough as Van Horn advances into the next round with Thursday's 21-16 bi-district victory over the Coyotes at Odessa High.

"They might have ended up being even a little better than what we were hearing in our scouting report," said Benavidez a 1997 graduate of Borden County High School, who had been coaching at his high school alma mater the past 11 years.

"From what we've been hearing, their first four batters were supposed to be pretty good before dropping off in their batting order. In the first inning, those first four batters came out putting the bat on the ball before we ended up striking out their next three batters. We were up like 7-2 after that first inning. But, there in those last four innings, that bottom part of their order finally woke up and when they did they also started driving the ball against us."

The Coyote softballers scored seven runs in that first inning, one each in the third and fourth innings before scoring four each in the sixth and seventh on Thursday evening at Odessa.

After scoring that bi-district match-up's first two runs in the top half of the first inning, Van Horn's bats were fairly quiet until the third inning when they scored seven and then eight more runs in the fifth.

"Like we told our girls after our game was over, all of this tonight was pretty much gravy," Benavidez said. "Whenever we first started out our season not many people

probably looked for us to be here at the end.

"With everything we've got coming back, this can't help but be a great learning experience."

Borden County sophomore Harley Merrill pitched most of Thursday's bi-district game. The Coyotes' Katie Gray also pitched to a couple of Van Horn batters there in the sixth.

Borden County's sophomore catcher Brooklyn Cheatham had a big two RBI hit in that sixth inning, while the Coyotes' senior Cheyenne Tucker, junior Mattie Cole and sophomores Ashlynn Tucker, Harley Merrill and Preslea Hall also had a hit for the Gail girls in their first-ever playoff game in school history.

With all but two senior outfielders returning back from this team come next season, these Coyotes should continue being a fun team to watch in the future.

"As excited as we all were about being here in our first season, it still hurts that it's over now. After seeing some tears in our girls' eyes after this game were over you can see that hurt's there, which is always a good sign. That proves once again that all of this

means something," Benavidez said.

"If we proved anything, hopefully, we proved that we do belong in this game-that we can play. It really doesn't matter how many of those (Class) 2A schools they put us in there with and next year they're also putting Post in there with us, too."

"Really our girls played a good game again, which hopefully only gives them that much more experience and confidence going into next season."

With nearly every player coming back from this season's playoff ball club, including its entire starting infield, these Coyotes should only be even that much tougher next season.

"Starting at eight each morning until eight that night, it seems like there's always a Borden County team playing somewhere either baseball or softball," Benavidez said. "Our junior high girls are beating everybody like 15-0 or 16-0 in every one their games. They've only given up 10 runs all season and they're already four of five games into their season. That also says something about the kind of kids we've got coming up."



Lady Coyote pitcher, Harley Merrill throws a strike from the mound in the season ending 21-16 loss to Van Horn. The Ladies made history being the first Borden County softball team to ever make it to the state playoffs. Congratulations Lady Coyotes!

Junior High Tennis Teams Compete at District Meet

By Coach Skelton

The Junior High Squads traveled to Colorado City last week to compete in their district tennis event. The boy's team was comprised of all single players with Camden Edwards, Junior Gray, Ryan Ramos, and Gunner Shofner. The girl's team was singles Tatum Treadwell, Maggie Miller, Leandre Van der Bank, and Hayley Lowery. The doubles team was Makenzie Milhauser and Kaitlyn Cribbs, Brittney Walker and Mattie Brumbelow, Kennedy Tucker and Callie Hargrove, and Erin Nix with Lindsay Brantley.

On the singles side Camden Edwards won the boys title only dropping 3 or 4 games in his 3 matches, Junior Gray played for third place, but fell short 8-5. Ryan and Gunner each fell in the first round, but played both of their opponents close.

On the girls side Tatum Treadwell won making it back to back district singles championships for her junior high career. Maggie Miller won her

first round match, but lost in the second round to the eventual second place finisher in district. Hayley Lowery and Leandre Van der Bank lost in the first round, but both were extremely close games.

On the double side of things Makenzie Milhauser and Kaitlyn Cribbs defeated Brittney Walker and Mattie Brumbelow to give Borden County both district champs and runner up which clinched the Girl's sixth Overall District Championship. Unfortunately for the teams of Tucker/Hargrove and Nix/Brantley they had to play our first and second place teams in the first round. They did great and played hard, but fell victim to the champs and runner ups.

Winning this title gave the girls a sweep of all the district titles they competed in this year. Those would be in CC, Basketball, UIL, Track, and Tennis. Congratulations!!!



Lady Coyote, Cheyenne Tucker reaches 2nd base during their Bi-District game against Van Horn.

Lady Coyotes Take Down Tahoka

By Coach Benavidez

The Lady Coyotes secured a playoff berth with a win over district opponent Seagraves. This was huge in and of itself simply due to the fact that this was the second time that Borden County Softball had defeated the 2A school. It was a season sweep against the Lady Eagles. The next district opponent was the Tahoka Lady Bulldogs and their rich tradition of softball success. The Lady Bulldogs came to Gail for this game. This could have been a trap game for the Lady Coyotes since the only undecided factor in the season was whether we would be the 3 or 4 seed. If we won, we would be eligible for the 3 seed depending on Ira's last two games which had yet to be played. A loss, however, would all but guarantee the 4 seed.

So the stage was set. The Lady Coyotes came out with a clear purpose. These young ladies wanted to win. It was the last home game and it was our senior night. The top of the first saw the Lady Bulldogs struggle as Harley Merrill struck out the first batter. The next out came on a ground out to 2nd. The last out of the inning was an infield fly to Merrill. We jumped out to a quick 2-0 lead in the first on hits by Cheyenne Tucker, Ashlyn Tucker, Harley Merrill, Brooklyn Cheatham and Rayme Jones. The 2nd inning started with Harley striking out the 1st batter up and forcing the next batter to ground out right back to her and making a throw to 1st baseman, Maddie Benavidez. The last out came 2 batters later in the inning with a strikeout. The Lady Coyotes were able to add two more runs in the 2nd on hits by Ashlyn Tucker, Preslea Hall, and Brooklyn Cheatham. The score was now 4-0.

The 3rd inning would be the best of the day for the Lady Bulldogs as they were able to tie up the game at 4 all. The first batter up was the top of the order and she was able to get on base. The next two batters would be struck out by Merrill. The last out of an inning is often the hardest to achieve and this was the case on the last out

of this inning. The next three batters were able to score before the last out was achieved on a strikeout by Merrill. The bottom of the third was not in vain as we were able to score 1 run on great base running by Rayme Jones and a hit by Hayley Gray. The BC defense stepped up in the 4th to not allow a single run. These outs were by the way of; groundout to pitcher Merrill and throw to Benavidez at 1st, a tag out at home plate by Brooklyn Cheatham, and the last was a ground out to 2nd baseman Hayley Gray. The Coyote bats came to life in this inning as Merrill, Brooklyn, Maddie B., Rayme, Lexi Cheatham, and Katie Gray were all able to either get on base or drive in runs. The score at the end of this inning was 10-4.

The next inning, which was the 5th, was decent for Tahoka with them being able to score 2 runs before the Lady Coyotes were able to get the three outs on; a ground ball to Preslea Hall who then turned and fired to Maddie at 1st, a strike out by Merrill, and lastly a pop fly to Merrill. Merrill also turned around and scored the next run for the Lady Coyotes on a fly out to the left center wall. This would be the only score for BC in this inning making the score 11-6. The 6th inning was quick

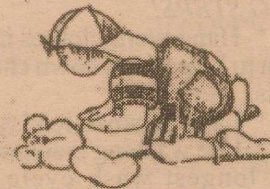
Home Run Celebration



Fellow teammates celebrate with Hunter Jones (far right) as he comes in to homeplate after hitting a home run in their bi-district win against Ft. Hancock.

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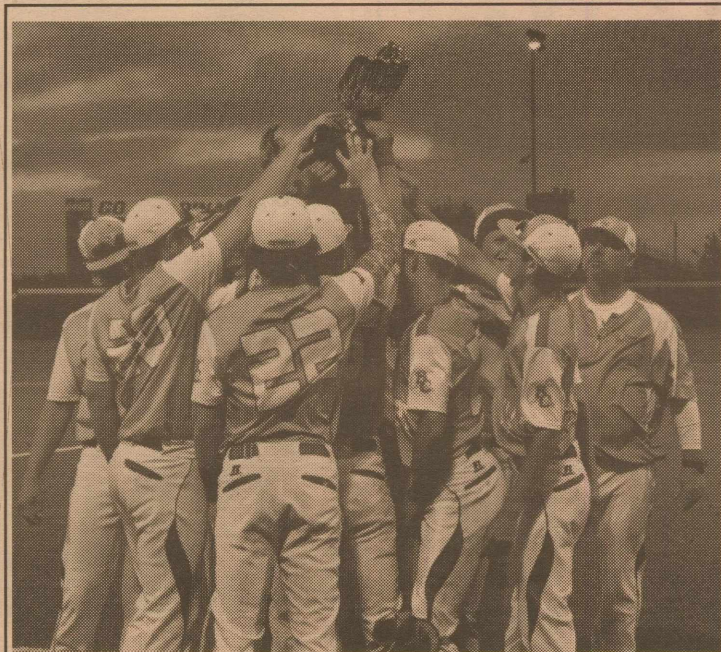
Coyotes Bi-District Champs...

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Jones not only had a hot hand on the bump, but was on fire at the plate. Jones was two for two at the plate with two homeruns, five RBI's, and two runs scored. Jones first homerun was a part of a four run first inning. His second homerun blew open a six run third inning.

Braxton Coor and Steven Carrillo both had triples in the contest, and both added a RBI. Kale Yarbrow finished the game with a double and a RBI. Trace Richey, Korbin Martinez, and Jayton Lewis all had singles.

Borden advances to the area round of the playoffs for the third time in four years. The Coyotes will battle the Miles Bulldogs in a one game playoff. Borden is 10-2-1 on the season



The Borden Coyotes celebrate a defeat against the Ft. Hancock Mustangs in Eunice, NM this past week.

School Lunch Menu

May 16 - 20, 2016

Menu subject to
change

Monday - Breakfast: Cinnamon Pull-a-Part, Fruit Juice, Fruit, and Milk. Lunch: Popcorn Chicken w/ Roll, Sweet Potato Waffle Fries, Cucumber Dippers, Fresh Fruit, Cookie and Milk.

Tuesday - Breakfast: Blueberry Muffin & Yogurt, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Teriyaki Beef Sandwich, Baked Potato Chips, Broccoli Bites, Garden Salad, Orange Smiles and Milk.

Wednesday - Breakfast: Pancake Wrap, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Pork Chop & Gravy, Roll, Baked Potato, Glazed Carrots, Strawberries & Bananas and Milk.


Thursday-Breakfast: Breakfast Pizza, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch: Chicken Quesadilla & Salsa, Mexicali Corn, Charro Benas, Cinnamon Applesauce and Milk.

Friday-Breakfast: PBJ, Fruit Juice, Fruit and Milk. Lunch: Pizza, Salad, Vegetables, Peaches, Pudding and Milk.

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When You Work With Pesticides

With Spring underway, that means that everyone is getting the ground ready to plant and working in their yards. That generally means the use of pesticides, herbicides, and other chemicals. It is vital that you follow the proper methods when using pesticides, and especially when laundering clothes worn when using the chemicals. Here are a few tips to remember when working with these chemicals:

WEAR PROTECTIVE CLOTHING!

- * Long sleeves and pants, or coveralls, made of:
 - * cotton plain weave
 - * poly-cotton blend, plain weave
 - * cotton or poly-cotton twill
 - * non-wrinkle cotton twill weave
- * Shoes or boots with socks; head covering.
- * Add extra protection as required by chemical label:
 - * goggles
 - * respirator

* chemical-resistant gloves
DON'T SPREAD PESTICIDE RESIDUES!

* Change clothes at work; place in a sealable disposable bag.

* Transport in trunk or truck bed, not inside vehicle.

* Store and wash work clothes separately from other laundry.

* Wear chemical-resistant gloves to handle work clothes.
FOLLOW THESE CLEANING STEPS!


* Hang work clothes in the sun to help break down chemicals.


* Launder small loads only.
* Use washing machine set on longest wash cycle and highest water level.

* Wash with hot water and extra, heavy-duty detergent.


* Line dry. In bad weather, use dryer on high heat.


* Clean washer by running an empty cycle with hot water and detergent.

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5:00 PM 



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Borden County Students Compete in Hale Center Gymnastics Competition





Several Borden County students competed at the Hale Center Spring Gymnastics Meet on Saturday, April 23rd. (Left to right) Brooke Swaffar, Bailey Pennell and Haven Hill all medaled in their divisions taking 1st, 2nd and 3rd.

**Borden County ISD
UIL Awards Banquet**



Thursday, May 19th
at 6 p.m. in the
Borden Co. School Cafeteria

Meal provided by Danny's Fins and Hens

Parents & Family-\$12

Please RSVP at 806/756-4313
by Tuesday, May 17th

Historical Commission Requests Help Sprucing Up Town

Gail will be abuzz with guests on Saturday, June 11th for the Heritage day celebration. The Borden County Historical Commission requests help creating an inviting appearance to the town. Members of the commission will be busy in the next few weeks picking up trash, mowing lots, trimming trees, etc. If you are willing to help spruce up our town, contact Lisa Mahler at bordencohistory@gmail.com to volunteer.

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Thought for the Day

When the dream of our heart is one that God has planted there, a strange happiness flows into us. At that moment, all of the spiritual resources of the universe are released to help us. Our praying is then at one with the will of God and becomes a channel for the Creator's purposes for us and our world.

-Catherine Marshall

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**Gail Chapter
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Tuesday, May 17th
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REPUBLICAN AND DEMOCRATIC
PRIMARY RUNOFF ELECTION

First Day of Early Voting	Monday May 16, 2016 (Located at the County Clerk's office in the courthouse)
Last Day to Apply for Ballot by Mail (Received, not Postmarked)	Friday, May 13, 2016 (NEW LAW: 11th day before election day; AB8M and FPCA)
Last Day of Early Voting	Friday, May 20, 2016
Last day to Receive Ballot by Mail	Tuesday, May 24, 2016 (election day) at 7:00 p.m. (unless overseas deadline applies)

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have like a cowboy priest or a biker priest. People like it, you know, they get a kick out of it. They like to see that their priests are just regular people." Father Clay says the journey to the priesthood is lengthy. He studied 10 years and served in Mexico and San Antonio before being assigned to Del Rio. He likes being close to home. Contact Tumbleweed at ts@tumbleweedsmith.com

Commissioners Court

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BORDEN

WHEREAS, on this the 26th day of April, 2016, the Commissioners' Court of Borden County, Texas, convened in Special Session in the Commissioners Courtroom at the Courthouse in Gail, Texas the following members of the Court being present to-wit: ROSS D. SHARP, COUNTY JUDGE, PRESIDING; MONTE SMITH, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 1; RANDY ADCOCK, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 2; ERNEST REYES, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 3; JOE BELEW, COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT NO. 4; BRANDE BUCHANAN, DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK AND EX-OFFICIO OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT, constituting a quorum, when the following business and other proceedings were had, in accordance with the posted agenda:

Other officers present: Marlo Holbrooks, County Attorney; Benny Allison, Sheriff and Tax Assessor/Collector. Jana Underwood County and District Clerk and Shawna Gass County Treasurer were absent due to District Court proceedings.

CALL TO ORDER

Judge Sharp called the April 26, 2016, special session of the Commissioners Court to order at 8:30 A.M.

APPROVE MINUTES

Commissioner Belew made a motion to approve the minutes of April 12, 2016 as presented. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

REVISIONS TO EQUIPMENT RATES

Commissioner Smith made a motion to approve proposed revisions to equipment rates and to set the rate for county water used for approved road construction or maintenance applications at \$5.50 per 1,000 gallons. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

PROHIBITING OUTDOOR BURNING

No Action

INDIGENT HEALTH CARE ASSISTANCE CASE 001-2015

Commissioner Adcock

made a motion to approve application for Indigent Health Care Assistance Case 001-2015. Commissioner Reyes seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

UTILITY CABLE/ PIPELINE CROSSINGS

No Applications

PRIVATE ROAD CONSTRUCTION/ MAINTENANCE

No Applications

SOIL CONSERVATION WORK

No Applications

COMMUNITY INPUT

None

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

1. Historical Committee
2. Retirement Systems

CURRENT ACCOUNTS

Commissioner Smith made a motion to approve and pay said accounts. Commissioner Belew seconded the motion.

Motion carried.

ADJOURN

Commissioner Reyes made a motion to adjourn. Commissioner Adcock seconded the motion and approved unanimously.

THE FOREGOING MINUTES READ AND APPROVED THIS THE 10th DAY OF MAY, 2016.

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Legal Notices

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the O'BENCO, INC., [RRC Operator No. 617512] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the DISTANCE BETWEEN WELLS requirement for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 518, Bk. 97, H&TC RR CO / JONES, D A Survey, A-1172, FLUVANNA Field, BORDEN County, being 3 miles NW direction from FLUVANNA, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A

Protestant should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at (512)463-6848.

If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 (512)463-6751.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST

BE RECEIVED IN THE R A I L R O A D COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET

OUT ABOVE BY May 19, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED

WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE

GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below:
FIELD: FLUVANNA

Lease/Unit Name :
FLUVANNA (MISSISSIPPIAN) UNIT

Lease/Unit Well No. : 108H
Lease/Unit Acres : 1320.0
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 660.0

Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 1107.0

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The Borden County Commissioners' Court will receive bids until 9:00 am, June 14, 2016 for the purchase of the following;

1. Fuels
 - a. Unleaded Gasoline
 - b. Diesel
 - c. Off-road Diesel
2. Propane

Specifications and information may be obtained at the Office of the County Judge, Borden County Courthouse, by calling 806-756-4391, by fax at 806-756-4405 or by email at bordencj@poka.com.

Bids should be submitted to the Office of the County Judge, PO Box 156, 117 East Wasson, Gail, Texas, 79738. Bids should be labeled as "Fuel Bid" on the outside of the submittal envelopes.

Bids will be opened and considered in the Borden County Commissioners' Courtroom in the County Courthouse.

The Borden County Commissioners' Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive all formalities.

BY ORDER OF THE BORDEN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

Ross D. Sharp
County Judge
Borden County

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Wellbore Profile(s) : Horizontal

Rule 37 Case No. 0299597 (Dist. 8A) Page 1

Lateral: TH1

Penetration Point Location

Lease Lines: 860.0 F W L

660.0 F S L

Terminus Location

BH County: BORDEN

Section: 535 Block: 97 Abstract: 945

Survey: H&TC RR CO / JONES, D A

Lease Lines: 860.0 F W L
660.0 F N L

Survey Lines: 860.0 F W L
660.0 F N L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

FLUVANNA : OIL Special Rules 660/1200, 40.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 8200 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please

NOTICE

The Republican Primary run-off and Democratic Primary run-off elections will be held on May 24, 2016. The testing of the electronic voting system for these elections will take place in the clerk's office on Friday May 13, 2016, at 2:00 p.m.
JANA
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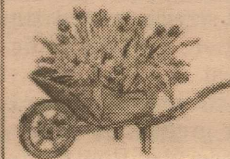
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THANK YOU FOR MAKING DREAMS COME TRUE!



MAY 2016



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 JH District Tennis @ Snyder	3 EOC Test: Algebra I EOC Test: U.S. History	4 EOC Test: Biology	5 Parent Night Meetings 8 th grade-6:00 9 th , 10 th grade-7:15	6 Progress Reports FFA Speaking Contest @ Tarleton	7
8	9 STAAR Math Test: Grades 3,4,6,7 STAAR Math Retest: Grades 5,8	10 STAAR Reading Test: Grades 3,4,6,7 STAAR Reading Retest: Grades 5,8	11 STAAR Science Test: Grades 5,8 K-3 Music Program- 2:45	12 STAAR SS Test: Grade 8 Lone Wolf FFA District Meeting @ Ira	13 Holiday-Bad Weather Day State Track Meet	14 State Track Meet
15	16 FFA Bowling Party 5:00	17 TSI Testing: 10 th Grade FFA Banquet-6:00	18 TSI Testing: 11 th Grade 4-9 Music Program- 2:30	19 UIL Banquet-6:00	20 Family Fun Night, 4:00-8:00 Area II FFA Convention @ Sweetwater	21 Area II FFA Convention @ Sweetwater
22 Baccalaureate 11:00 a.m.	23 UIL State Academic Meet	24 UIL State Academic Meet	25 UIL State Academic Meet Awards Assembly-2:50	26 JH Graduation-7:00	27 End of Six Weeks Last Day of School HS Graduation-7:00 Project Graduation	28
29	30	31				

Borden County Memorial Scholarships

Brandon Adcock Memorial Scholarship

Applications are currently being accepted for the Brandon Adcock Memorial Scholarship.

Applicants wishing to be considered must submit a formal letter of application by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20th, 2016.

Letters of application must be sent to the following address:

Brandon Adcock Memorial Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 95
Gail, Texas 79738

The primary criteria used to determine the recipient of this scholarship is that the individual selected will be an outstanding individual that is a positive representative of the Borden County School Community as evidenced by their respective moral character, service-minded attitude, dedication, and scholastic achievement.

Recipients must be a candidate for graduation or be a former graduate of Borden County High School.

Candidates must attend a state-accredited/Southern Association accredited college, university, or post-secondary institution to be eligible for consideration. The Selection Committee will have sole authority to determine the candidate's eligibility status related to the post-secondary institution to be attended.

Financial need will not necessarily be a criterion for consideration; however, financial need may be considered by the Selection Committee.

Members of the Brandon Adcock Family will have no input into the selection process.

Complete selection authority has been delegated to the Selection Committee, and the Committee has the authority to waive all rules, regulations, and formalities in order to select the candidates that the committee feels is most deserving.

Caden Nowlain Memorial Scholarship

Applications are currently being accepted for the Caden Nowlain Memorial Scholarship.

Applicants wishing to be considered must submit a formal letter of application by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20th, 2016.

Letters of application must be sent to the following address:

Caden Nowlain Memorial Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 95
Gail, Texas 79738

The primary criteria used to determine the recipient of this scholarship is that the individual selected will be an outstanding individual that is a positive representative of the Borden County School Community as evidenced by their respective moral character, service-minded attitude, dedication, and scholastic achievement.

Recipients must be a candidate for graduation or be a former graduate of Borden County High School.

Candidates must attend a state-accredited/Southern Association accredited college, university, or post-secondary institution to be eligible for consideration. The Selection Committee will have sole authority to determine the candidate's eligibility status related to the post-secondary institution to be attended.

Financial need will not necessarily be a criterion for consideration; however, financial need may be considered by the Selection Committee.

Members of the Caden Nowlain Family will have no input into the selection process.

Complete selection authority has been delegated to the Selection Committee, and the Committee has the authority to waive all rules, regulations, and formalities in order to select the candidates that the committee feels is most deserving.

J. Pat Porter Memorial Scholarship

Applications are currently being accepted for the J. Pat Porter Memorial Scholarship.

Applicants wishing to be considered must submit a formal letter of application by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20th, 2016.

Letters of application must be sent to the following address:

J. Pat Porter Memorial Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 95
Gail, Texas 79738

The primary criteria used to determine the recipient of this scholarship is that the individual

selected will be an outstanding individual that is a positive representative of the Borden County School community as evidenced by his/her high moral character, service minded attitude, dedication and determination to succeed along with maintaining passing grades.

Potential recipients must be a member in good standing of the current Borden County High School graduating class or must be a previous graduate of Borden County High School.

Candidates must attend a state-accredited/Southern Association accredited college, university, or post-secondary institution.

Financial need will not necessarily be a criterion of consideration; however, financial need may be considered by the Selection Committee.

Members of the Porter Family will have no input into the selection process. Complete selection authority has been delegated to the Selection Committee, and the Committee has the authority to waive all rules, regulations, or formalities in order to select the candidates that the committee feels is most appropriate.

The selection process is a subjective task that will be left to the discretion of the J. Pat Porter Scholarship Selection Committee. The award will be given to someone the committee feels is a significant of the positive attributes that were exhibited by the late J. Pat Porter.

John Harding Memorial Scholarship

Applications are currently being accepted for the John Harding Memorial Scholarship.

Applicants wishing to be considered must submit a formal letter of application by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20th, 2016.

Letters of application must be sent to the following address:

John Harding Memorial Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 95
Gail, Texas 79738

The primary criteria used to determine the recipient of this scholarship is that the individual selected will be an outstanding individual that is a positive representative of the Borden County School Community as evidenced by their respective moral character, service-minded attitude, dedi-

cation, and participation in school activities as a student of Borden County High School.

Recipients must be a candidate for graduation or be a former graduate of Borden County High School.

Candidates must attend a state-accredited/Southern Association accredited college, university, or post-secondary institution to be eligible for consideration. The Selection Committee will have sole authority to determine the candidate's eligibility status related to the post-secondary institution to be attended.

Financial need will not necessarily be a criterion for consideration; however, financial need may be considered by the Selection Committee.

Members of the John Harding family will have no input into the selection process.

Complete selection authority is given to the Scholarship Committee to waive all rules, regulations, and formalities in order to select the candidate(s) that the committee feels is most deserving.

Vernon Wolf Memorial Scholarship

Applications are currently being accepted for the Vernon Wolf Memorial Scholarship.

Applicants wishing to be considered must submit a formal letter of application by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20th, 2016.

Letters of application must be sent to the following address:

Vernon Wolf Memorial Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 95
Gail, Texas 79738

The primary criteria used to determine the recipient of this scholarship is that the individual selected will be a resident of Borden County that is a positive representative of the Borden County School Community as evidenced by their moral character, dedication to maintaining good grades, and participation in school activities as a student of Borden County High School. Financial need will also be considered in this selection process.

Recipients must be a candidate for graduation of Borden County High School.

Candidates must attend a state-accredited/Southern Association accredited college, university, or post-secondary institution to be

eligible for consideration. The Selection Committee will have sole authority to determine the candidate's eligibility status related to the post-secondary institution to be attended.

Members of the Vernon Wolf family will have no input in the selection process.

Complete selection authority is given to the Scholarship Committee to waive all rules, regulations, and formalities in order to select the candidate(s) that the committee feels is most deserving.

Doris Steadman Memorial Scholarship

Applications are currently being accepted for the Doris Steadman Memorial Scholarship.

Applicants wishing to be considered must submit a formal letter of application by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20th, 2015.

Letters of application must be sent to the following address:

Doris Steadman Memorial Scholarship Committee
P.O. Box 95
Gail, Texas 79738

The primary criteria used to determine the recipient of this scholarship is that the individual selected will be a resident of Borden County that is a positive representative of the Borden County School Community as evidenced by their moral character, dedication to maintaining good grades, and participation in school activities as a student of Borden County High School. Financial need will also be considered in this selection process.

Recipients must be a candidate for graduation of Borden County High School.

Candidates must attend a state-accredited/Southern Association accredited college, university, or post-secondary institution to be eligible for consideration. The Selection Committee will have sole authority to determine the candidate's eligibility status related to the post-secondary institution to be attended.

Members of the Doris Steadman family will have no input in the selection process.

Complete selection authority is given to the Scholarship Committee to waive all rules, regulations, and formalities in order to select the candidate(s) that the committee feels is most deserving.