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'Stars Earning Stripes' Theme Of Texas Public Schools Week

When the state observes Texas Public School Week March 2-6, it will be no small celebration. Over three million students are planning activities to show off what they are learning. Schools will issue special invitations to parents and the community to visit classrooms and watch education in action.

"Taxpayers and parents are always welcome in our schools," Superintendent Pete Simmons said. "This week we are going all out to show them the exciting things happening in the district."

This year's theme, "Stars Earning Stripes", will be used in each of the

1069 school districts in the state of Texas. This theme epitomizes the achievements of Texas school children. Visit your local public school and celebrate Texas Public Schools Week.

The fourth grade students will be presenting a program entitled "Only Love Is Spoken Here" from 6 to 6:30 p.m. Thursday evening in the school cafeteria. The annual staff will be selling pictures from previous years in the Resource Center. All buildings will remain open from 6:30 to 8 p.m. For more information about Texas Public Schools Week, call the principal's office at your local school.



PICTURES GALORE FOR A DIME AND NO MORE!! Daphne Lowe and Rena McElroy, members of the Plains Annual Staff will have pictures of yesteryears on sale in the Plains Elementary Resource Center for a dime each, during Open House, Thursday, March 5. "We have box after box, so come by and take a look!"

Services For Amos Smith Held In First Baptist Church

Services were conducted Saturday afternoon in First Baptist Church for Amos Smith, 83, longtime resident and civic leader.

Officiating were Rev. Alton West, pastor of Tokio Baptist Church, and Rev. J.L. Bass, interim pastor of First Baptist Church. Interment was in Plains Cemetery under direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

Special music for the services were songs presented by Melba Crutcher and Punk Culwell, accompanied by First Baptist Church Choir, directed by Patrick Hamilton, church music director. Pianist was Margaret Liles and organist, Peggy Welch.

Mr. Smith died at 10:01 a.m. Thursday in Brownfield Regional Medical Center after a lengthy illness.

He was born July 25, 1908 in Gorman to William Benjamin and Mahalia Ann Smith. He married Doris Snodgrass Oct. 3, 1931 in Lovington, NM. He was a member of Tokio Baptist Church, accepting Christ when he was eight years old in an arbor meeting in Padgett.

Mr. Smith farmed in the Tokio area and was owner and operator of the Conoco Station in Plains from 1950 to 1958. He retired as manager of Tokio Coop Gin in 1977.

He had served with Plains Volunteer Fire Department and Ambulance Service. He was a member of Plains City Council five years and served with Plains Chamber of Commerce. He was instrumental in obtaining the charter for Plains State Bank.



AMOS SMITH

He was preceded in death by a son, Amos Lavon, December 1961.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Olan of Kermit and Gary of Brownfield; two daughters, Latrell McDonnell and Kay Ellison of Lovington, NM; nine grandchildren, Pamela, Lori, Jim Bob, Alton, Will, Steve, Mike, Shawn and Dustin; and ten great-grandchildren, Monique, Billy, Candi, Trina, Coty, R.J., Zach, Heidi, Jamie Ray and Kade.

Pallbearers were Mike Ellison, Gregg Jones, Carter Snodgrass, Jim Bob McDonnell, Robert Alton Smith and William Box. Honorary pallbearers were Shawn Smith, Dustin Smith and Billy Braswell.



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Kenneth Wyatt To Speak At Plains Chamber Banquet

Kenneth Wyatt of Tulia, noted artist and former Methodist minister, will be guest speaker for the seventh annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet Thursday, April 9.

Cost of admission is the same as in past years, a large salad or casserole. Ham, bread and beverages will be furnished.

Nominations are sought for Outstanding Citizen for 1991. The annual award is based on total community contributions including church, civic, leadership, character and personality.

Mrs. R.B. (Sit) Jones was the 1990 recipient.

Deadline for submitting nominations is March 31. Nominations may be made by filling out the form found elsewhere in this paper and mailing the form to the Chamber of Commerce or by depositing the form in a box located in Plains Library.

Plains Chamber of Commerce directors will meet in regular session Tuesday, March 3 at 7 a.m. in Johnnie's Restaurant. Interested persons are invited.

Linda Lowrey Receives Honor From City Of Denver City

Linda Shoemaker Lowrey, Yoakum County Criminal Attorney, was honored at a recent meeting of Denver City's city council with an Outstanding Citizen Award. The presentation was by Mayor Royce Hemmeline.

"This was just a wonderful surprise," said Mrs. Lowrey. "I wouldn't trade this for a million dollars."

She is the third recipient of the award. Dr. Bodindr Thepchatrri received the award in 1989; Shell Western E&P in 1990. There was no award made in 1991. To receive the award, a recipient's name must be submitted by the mayor to the city council.

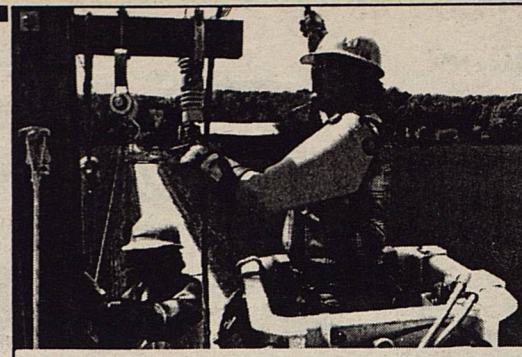
Elected Criminal District Attorney in 1986, Mrs. Lowrey ran again in 1990 without opposition. She began her legal career as a briefing clerk for John Montford when he was Lubbock County Criminal District Attorney. She also served as misdemeanor attorney in the Lubbock's prosecutor's office and as assistant Attorney General in the Child Support Division in Lubbock. She had a private law practice in Plains prior to her election.

Born in San Angelo, she graduated from San Angelo Lake View High School in 1961. She received her bachelor of arts degree in social studies from Angelo State University in 1969. In 1974, she obtained her master of science degree in economic education from North Texas State University and in 1982, she received her J.D. Degree from Texas Tech University School of Law. She is a member of the American Bar Association, State Bar of Texas, the College of the State Bar and the National District Attorneys Association.

During the council meeting, Hemmeline read the proclamation

aloud to the audience. "Whereas, we salute a courageous lady that fights for justice and rights of others; she will forever personify courage and the fighting spirit against all crime, but especially the drug dealers; Whereas, Linda Lowrey engaged the enemy of the darkness with a valiant struggle for all law abiding Yoakum County citizens; and Whereas, she has dedicated herself to the defense and preservation of our sacred children by her love and guidance to them, and helping start the Teen Court for their benefit; and Whereas, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor, I do proudly bestow "Outstanding Citizen" on Linda Lowrey, District Attorney, for her perseverance and tenacity to extricate crime and for her inspirational love for our children; we will always remember what she has done for us. In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Denver City, Texas, to be affixed this third day of February, 1992."

Before going on with council business, the meeting broke up to allow visitors and city officials the opportunity to enjoy cake and punch with Mrs. Lowrey.



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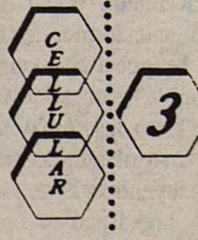
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McGinty Couple Renew Vows

Kenneth and Ann McGinty celebrated their silver wedding anniversary in a ceremony recently renewing their wedding vows. Father Jermoe Chalchgo officiated the ceremony in Sacred Heart Catholic Church.

The McGintys were married Jan. 21, 1967 in St. Elizabeth Catholic Church in Lubbock.

Rick and Rita Rousser of Sunray attended the couple. Standing with their parents at the altar were Nikki, Brandon, Kelly and Ragan and Mrs. McGinty's mother, Edna Lupton of Shallowater.

Altar boys were Abraham Garcia, Adrian Rios, Orlando Ortiz and Gilbert Ortiz.

Marsha Tye of Lubbock played the guitar and sang. She accompanied the couple as they presented a reading during the offertory.

A reception honored the couple in their home. Punch and cookies were served.

The couple's family presented them with a silver serving service. Family members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Brad Simmons, Courtney and Shelby, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Lupton and Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Lupton, Lindsay and Patrick, all of Shallowater; Christy Christian, Leslie and Jennifer of Jacksboro; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Greener of Morton; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gerik of Levelland and Alma Lynn McGinty.

Other out of town guests were Terry and Nancy Isaacs, Tera, Gina and Ryan of Levelland and Richard and Kathy Clark and Justin and Jesse and Phyllis Esquivel, all of Denver City.

Agricultural Extension Service Sponsors 'Spring Fling 92'

The "Center" of attention! That's what mature adults 55 and over will be at the Texas 4-H Center on Lake Brownwood when hundreds will enthusiastically participate in the 11th Annual Spring Fling during April says Joan Chandler, Yoakum County Extension Agent-HE.

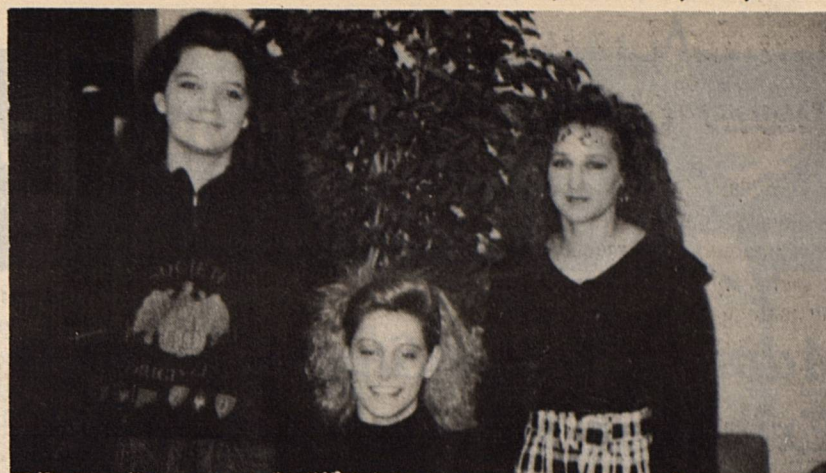
Sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, five weeks are offered from which men and women alike may choose:

- Spring Fling I - March 31-April 3
- Spring Fling II - April 7-10
- Spring Fling III - April 14-17
- Spring Fling IV - April 21-24
- Spring Fling V - April 28-May 1

Featured educational programs and "hands on" learning centers offer a wide variety of topics to fulfill the highest expectations of all who attend.



COWBOYS NAMED TO ALL DISTRICT - Senior, Jason Smith and sophomore Brian Wilson.



ALL DISTRICT GIRLS BASKETBALL - Rena McElroy, senior. Honorable Mention - Seniors, Daphne Lowe and Ashlee Winn.

Ranching In Yoakum County Topic Of Study Club Meeting

Wilma Luna Powell directed a program on "Ranching in Yoakum County, Texas" for members and guests of Tsa Mo Ga Study Club Monday. The program followed a supper of cornbread and beans, trimmings and cobbler.

Daughter of a rancher, Murphy Luna, Mrs. Powell related events as she grew up helping her father. She learned to ride and break horses, round up and brand cattle.

After her marriage to Bill Harris Powell, cowboy and rancher, she continued life as a cowgirl, she said. She explained calving methods as they evolved over the years and said that she had helped build and repair windmills and had cooked for cowhands as she reared two sons, Dallas and Ty Earl.

Mattie Field gave a history of brands and laws regulating and governing brands. She explained that brands in Texas are applied for at the County Clerk's Office and are re-registered every 10 years. She gave the

criteria for properly constructed branding irons and proper application of brands to the cattle's hide.

Brands, she said, are of more significance than just to label cattle ownership. They are a symbol of partnership between a man and his wife who both love their cows and their country and are usually passed from one generation to the next.

Local family brands were displayed and branding parties described.

In the business session, members discussed their responsibility of decorating for the TFWC District Convention March 20 in Lubbock. Members were urged to make plans to send crafts, photography and such for the judged contests and to sell at the County Store.

Members also voted to send a contribution for use by State President Dorothy Boutwell at the State Convention April 28-30 in Dallas.

Hostesses were Martha Palmer and Carolyn Culwell.

Next meeting will be March 9 for a program on hobbies. Ruth Taylor will demonstrate the art of spinning wool.

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Plains Independent School District

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Administrative Staff Contracts Extended Through June 1994

School board members in regular meeting Feb. 17, called for an election to be held May 2 to fill two places on the board. Terms of Jerry Parrish, place four, and Eddie Earnest, place five, are expiring.

Helen Worsham was appointed election judge with Betty Rushing as absentee judge.

Superintendent Pete Simmons was appointed to represent Plains ISD for the Federal Projects Administered by the Division of Special Populations Funding and Compliance and as authorized school lunch representative. Local

policy was changed to call for board meetings on the third Monday at 7 p.m. Standard Time and 8 p.m. Daylight Savings Time.

The auction company of Wes Underwood was employed by the district to advertise and conduct an auction of school surplus property to be held March 7 beginning at 10 a.m.

The 1992-93 school calendar was approved and a Teen Court resolution adopted with the board agreeing to donate \$200 to the court.

Approval was given a motion to enter into an interlocal agreement with Yoakum County Tax Collector for the collection of taxes beginning July 1. Cost will be the actual amount of additional cost to the County as agreed by the Collector and District.

Proposed repairs to the electrical supply to the campus was tabled for further study. Contracts for administrative staff, J.B. Wilson, Jim Conner, Brenda Smith, Arlon Alexander and Brenda Canada were extended through June 30, 1994.

Financial reports for general operating, cafeteria and tax areas were given. Simmons announced the March meeting would be March 23.

SCHOOL EVENTS

MONDAY - Jr. High Tennis - Denver City - There - 3:30 p.m.; Plains Fire Department Dinner - Cafeteria at 7 p.m.

THURSDAY - SCHOOL OPEN HOUSE - 6:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. - All parents, grandparents, friends, and citizens of the community are invited to visit the school on this special evening.

FRIDAY - High School Tennis - TTCA Regional Tournament at Levelland; Jr. High Track - Wellman - There

SATURDAY - High School Track - Denver City Meet - B/G; TTCA Regional Tournament continues

22 Band Members Qualify For State

Twenty-two members of the Cowboy Band qualified for state competition in UIL Solo and Ensemble Contests Saturday in Lubbock. State qualifiers are Michael Bernal, snare drum solo; Jimmy Robertson, French horn solo and the 21 member brass ensemble composed of Wade Redman, Jason Smith, Lacy McAdams, Edward Cerna, Jimmy McGinty, Jimmy Robertson, Jr. Lira, Oglá Ramirez, Chase Clanahan, Johnny Davis, Jerry Dominguez, Michael Salas, Mario Mares, Ken McAdams, Sylvia Tarango, Valarie Blair, Steve Vasquez and Jason Robertson.

Ken McAdams received a division one on a Class III trumpet solo with Lacy McAdams getting a two on a Class I tuba solo. A clarinet quartet of Leticia Vasquez, Criselda Villareal, Andrea Salas and Yolanda Velasquez received a two rating.

Earlier this month, Matt Morgan received a division one on a Class III trumpet solo at the Tau Beta Sigma Contest on the Tech campus.

What's Cooking At School



BREAKFAST

MONDAY - Toast, oatmeal, grape juice and milk.

TUESDAY - Toast, donuts, apple juice and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Toast, strawberry preserves, orange juice and milk.

THURSDAY - Waffles, syrup, butter, tomato juice and milk.

FRIDAY - Toast, cereal, pineapple juice and milk.

LUNCH

MONDAY - Submarine sandwich, French fries w/catsup, lettuce, pickles, fresh apple and milk.

TUESDAY - Burritos w/taco sauce, corn, tossed salad, crackers, banana pudding and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, pickles, onion rings, potato chips, fruit, date cookies and milk.

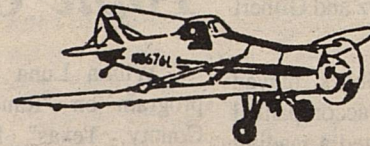
THURSDAY - Beef and vegetable stew, pinto beans, Kosher spears, onion rings, cornbread, plum cobbler and milk.

FRIDAY - Pork chops w/gravy, broccoli w/cheese, lettuce wedge, hot rolls, peaches and milk.

Look for honor rolls in next week's paper!

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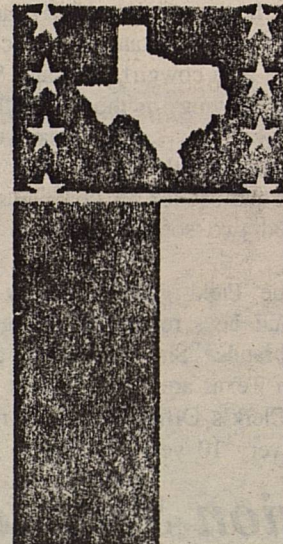


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Stock Show Results

Fortieth Annual Yoakum County Junior Livestock Show was held earlier in February in Plains. Kaymie Jones of Denver City was recognized as the 1992 Stock Show Queen.

Floor price for steers was 69 cents. Swine brought \$37.25 with lambs selling for \$56.50. Shown were 35 rabbits, 67 lambs, 168 swine and 13 steers.

Marcey House exhibited the Grand Champion Steer with the Reserve Grand Champion shown by Ashlei Mason. Grand Champion Swine

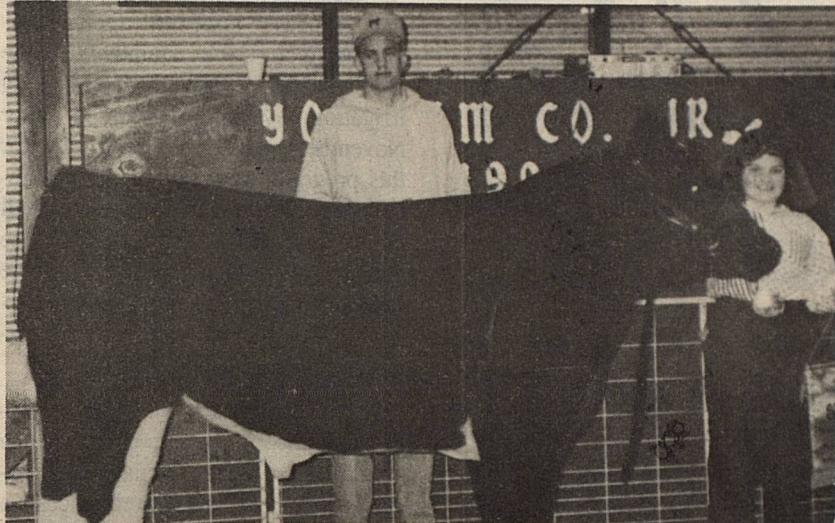
was shown by Tanner Blount. Kelton Mason had the Reserve Grand Champion.

Lamb honors went to Asa Coston of Denver City, Grand Champion, and Marcey House, Reserve Grand Champion. Wendy Beckham exhibited the Best of Show doe with Amber Massey exhibiting the Best of Show buck in rabbit competition.

Awards went to Christy Bethany of Denver City, steer; Marcey House, junior steer showmanship; Yancey House, senior sheep showmanship;

Tanner Blount, junior sheep showmanship; Blu Bennett of Denver City, senior swine award; Kelton Mason, swine award; Brian Marion of Denver City, heifer showmanship; Brian Fletcher, rabbit award; Tommie McNabb, junior showmanship for rabbits and Dustin Beckham, senior award.

Donors of awards were Wilma Powell, Mike Blount Family; Gary Jones Family; Dick McGinty Family; Plains Farm Bureau; Jerry Faught Family; and Eddins-Walcher.



GRAND CHAMPION STEER - Marcey House, 11 year old daughter of Wayne and Phyllis House, exhibited "Socks", a 1268 pound steer. Marcey was also recipient of the Jr. Showmanship belt buckle. Plains State Bank and New Tex Gin paid \$1400 premium for the steer.



GRAND CHAMPION SWINE - Tanner Blount, 12 year old son of Mike and Stephnia Blount. Tokio Co-op Gin and Farmer's Co-op Compress purchased the pig for \$550. With Tanner, is Joe Pierce, Plains FFA teacher.



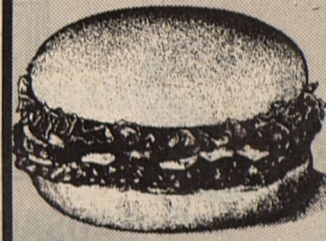
GRAND CHAMPION LAMB was shown by Asa Coston of Denver City. Yoakum County Commissioner Jim Barron purchased the lamb for \$350.



BEST OF SHOW - Wendy Beckham, 12 year old daughter of Keith and Jennifer Beckham and her rabbit, "Tammy". Criminal District Attorney Linda Lowrey paid a premium price of \$200 for the rabbit.

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The Sandy Land Underground Water Conservation District is accepting applications from producers wishing to obtain low interest agricultural water conservation loans to purchase new center pivot irrigation systems.

The Texas Water Development Board has approved the Water Districts application for a half-million dollar loan to fund this program. These funds are from repayments to the state on previous loans made during a pilot loan program.

Loans are limited to 80 percent of the purchase price of the above-ground, recoverable equipment of the new center pivot system. Center pivot irrigation systems purchased after November 1, 1991 are also eligible for this program. The cost of the non-recoverable portions of the system shall not be included in the loan. The due date for all annual payments will be February 15 with a seven (7) year payout. The interest rate to a borrower/applicant will be 6.93%.

To apply for a loan, borrower/applicant must complete a loan application, a financial statement, provide three (3) credit references, a waiver of ownership if the landowner is not the borrower/applicant, have an irrigation dealer contract, and pay a non-refundable application fee of \$50. Also, a notarized lease agreement will be required between tenant and landowner or a buyout agreement from the landowner to the District for the term of the loan. Loan packets are available from the District's office located at 1012 Avenue F, Plains, Texas.

Loans will be secured by a first lien on the equipment for the purchase money security interest. The borrower/applicant will be required to secure and keep in force natural disaster insurance on the system throughout the term of the loan and provide proof of insurance to the District annually. Land on which the new center pivot system is to be installed must be located within the Sandy Land Underground Water Conservation District (Yoakum County).

Card Of Thanks

A special thank you to all our friends, neighbors and families for the many acts of love shown during the memorial time given for our beloved Amos Smith. Words cannot express how beautiful the food, flowers, calls, words of comfort, prayers, cards, visits, music, songs, labors of love, so many things were done and said, we cannot start to remember each one. We have the greatest community of people in all the land.

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Pesticide Collection Program Offers Assistance To Farmers

Farmers and ranchers on the South Plains will have a solution March 5 to their quandary of how to dispose of unusable and unwanted agricultural pesticides, and do so safely, legally and without penalty.

March 5 is the date for this area's Waste Pesticide Collection Program, the last of four being conducted across the state in February and March, explained Yoakum County Extension Agent - AG, Terry J. Millican. The collection is being conducted by the Texas Water Commission, Texas Department of Agriculture and Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"There will be no charge and no questions asked for pesticides and certain other chemicals turned in at the Farmers Cooperative Gin at O'Donnell," Millican said. The gin is on South Loop 76 half a mile east of U.S. Hwy. 87. Chemicals will be accepted from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Clean, properly rinsed metal and plastic pesticide containers also will be accepted.

This collection is targeted for the counties of Crosby, Dawson, Gaines, Garza, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn, Scurry and Terry.

Pesticides that will be accepted are insecticides, fungicides, rodenticides, nematocides, bactericides, growth regulators, harvest-aid chemicals, livestock pesticides and other miscellaneous pesticides and herbicides.

Not acceptable are waste oils, solvents, paints, explosive materials, pesticides (herbicides) containing 2, 4, 5-T and Silvex, fertilizers or nutrient materials that are neither hazardous or contain pesticide mixtures.

"The goal of this program," the county extension agent said, "is to help private producers remove from the environment chemicals that they can't use and which may pose a threat to residents and their water supplies in farming and ranching communities.

"All private applicators in these counties should take advantage of this opportunity to dispose of these unwanted chemicals at absolutely no expense."

New laws and regulations sharply limit the options many producers have for disposing of unwanted chemicals and used containers, Dr. Zerle Carpenter, director of the Extension Service, said. "These collection days provide an opportunity for producers to catch up with these new requirements, plus get accurate information and advice on how to dispose of these materials in the future," he said.

Before taking chemicals to the collection site in O'Donnell, producers can obtain from the county extension office a list of safety measures for transporting and the type of information about the materials which the collection point will need, the county agent said.

Other collections are being held Feb. 24 at Edna; Feb. 27 at Elsa; and

March 2 at Munday.

-Rules for the Road-

1. Inspect containers. If you suspect that the container will tear or rupture when moved, do not attempt to move it. Notify collection site personnel for assistance.

2. When handling pesticides, wear the protective clothing and equipment - goggles, gloves, respirator - described on product labels.

3. Make sure all pesticides are securely packaged. Transport only containers that are securely closed. Pack containers that won't close securely inside others that will.

4. Line the storage area of the transport vehicle with plastic sheeting to contain any spillage, simplifying cleanup and decontamination.

5. If possible, arrange the pesticides by hazard class - flammable, corrosives, oxidizers, poisons - to prevent mixing of incompatible materials should spilling occur.

6. Make sure all labels are securely attached. Unlabeled containers must be tested before disposal. Your attention to this detail saves these expenses.

7. Brace containers in your vehicle to prevent shifting, which may cause leaks.

8. All containers should be kept dry during transport. If it rains, cover loads in such open vehicles as pickup trucks.

9. Be careful to keep fumes from pesticide wastes from entering vehicle.

10. Make two copies of a list of the pesticides that you are transporting. List the pesticide name, number of containers and hazard class (when known). Include the emergency phone numbers for fire and police assistance. In case of an accident, leave one copy of the list on the driver's seat and take the second with you to phone for help. The list on the seat will inform emergency units that may arrive while you are away.

11. Drive directly to the pesticide collection program site after you load your vehicle.

12. At the collection site, proceed where directed. If you observe spillage from your vehicle while waiting, get out of your vehicle and move upwind to the designated "safe zone".

13. DRIVE CAREFULLY. You are responsible for any spillage, damage, cleanup and restoration that might occur while you are transporting the wastes, whether the accident is your fault or others. The state and its contractor are not responsible for any spillage that occurs before the waste is accepted at the collection site.

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PLAINS ROYAL BOUNDERS - left to right, top photo, back row, Dustin Suttle, Daniel Clay, Erica Bell. Front row, Chelsea Suttle, Erin Adams, Daniel Estrada, Kaitlyn Moore, Priscilla Mares, Tobin Rasco and Coach Pat Green. In photo below, back row, Ann Palmer, Natalie Whisenhunt, Wendy Beckham, Eric Estrada, Coach Green. Middle row, Alisha Cummings, Jeffrey Lollar, Christopher Estrada. Front row, Kimberly Martines and Jenifer Minton.



Royal Bounders Team Competes In Lamesa

Eighteen members of Plains Royal Bounders Tumbling Team competed Saturday in the Lamesa Invitational Meet. The team received 12 first place medals, five second place medals and one third.

The team is coached by Pat Green with Corina Estrada assisting.

Level one winners were Kaitlyn Moore, first, two-three year old girls; Erin Adams, first, four year old girls; Daniel Estrada, first, four year old boys; and Priscilla Mares, second, four year old girls.

Winners in level three were Chelsea Suttle, first, four year old girls; Erica Bell, first, six-seven year old girls; Daniel Clay, second, six-

seven year old boys; and Tobin Rasco, third, six-seven year old boys.

Level four winners were Dustin Suttle, first, six-seven year old boys; Anne Palmer, first, 10 and over girls; and Wendy Beckham, second, 10 and older girls.

Other wins included level five, Jenifer Minton, first, eight-nine year old girls and Natalie Whisenhunt, second, eight-nine year old girls; level six, Kimberly Martinez, second, six-seven year old girls; Jeffrey Lollar, first, six-seven year old boys and Alisha Cummings, first, eight-nine year old girls; level eight, Christopher Estrada, first, eight-nine year old boys and Eric Estrada, first, 10 and over boys.

Plains Students Do Well At South Plains College Meet

Students from Plains won team and individual awards at the recent South Plains College High School Math/Science Invitational.

The Plains sophomore students captured first place team trophies in both science and math; while the seniors won a first place team trophy in science and a third place team trophy in math.

The ninth grade team won second place in math.

Trophies and individual awards were presented by grade during an awards ceremony in the SPC Theatre for the Performing Arts.

"The students from Plains should be proud of their achievements during the contest," said Pat Foard, SPC assistant professor of mathematics and contest coordinator. The contest is annually sponsored by SPC's math and engineering program to help students prepare for UIL competition. "We extend to them our best wishes in future competition," she said.

Individual awards in science went to ninth grader Ken McAdams, 10th;

sophomores Brian Wilson, first, Jay Rushing, second, Tracy Bearden, fourth, and Lenny Morrow, fifth; and seniors Jo Lena Powell, first, Lacy McAdams, third, Wade Redman, fourth and Jason Smith, sixth.

Individual awards in calculator went to freshman Brad McMinn, third; sophomores Lenny Morrow, first; Tracy Bearden, fourth; Brian Wilson and Jay Rushing, tied for fifth; and senior Lacy McAdams, fifth.

Mathematics awards went to freshmen - Brad McMinn, first; Ken McAdams, second and Victor Bernal, sixth; sophomores - Lenny Morrow, first; Jay Rushing, second; Brian Wilson, fifth and Tracy Bearden, ninth; and seniors - Jason Smith, seventh; Lacy McAdams, ninth; and Jo Lena Powell, 10th.

Number Sense awards went to freshman Brad McMinn, second; sophomores - Lenny Morrow, first; Jay Rushing, second; and Tracy Bearden, third; and senior Lacy McAdams, second.