

Goat/lamb tags deadline

Goat and lamb tag orders for 2016-2017 show year are ready to be ordered. Price is \$11.00 per tag and the deadline to order is Wednesday, August 24. If you will be showing FFA, please place your order through your local teacher. If you are planning on showing 4-H, please email or call the extension office to place your order. All children must be in third grade to show. If they are homeschooled they can show under 4-H.

7th Annual Employment Law seminar

The Underwood Law Firm will be hosting its 7th Annual Employment Law Seminar, "Hot Topics," on Tuesday, September 13 in Amarillo and Thursday, September 15 in Lubbock. Each session will begin at 8:30 a.m. and conclude at 4:00 p.m.

The Amarillo session will be held at the Downtown Campus of Amarillo College, 1314 S. Polk and the Lubbock session will be held at the Region 17 Education Service Center, 1111 West Loop 289.

Cost of the seminar is \$99 for the first person from an organization and \$75 for each additional participant from the same organization. The fee includes a light breakfast, lunch, and all seminar materials.

Topics to be covered include immigration and customs enforcement, insurance issues, Federal Labor Standards Act, off the clock and overtime, court and National Relations Board update, Family Medical Leave Act, worker's compensation issues, American's with Disabilities Act, harassment and bullying in the workplace, and safety and the impaired employee.

More information and registration can be found at www.uwlaw.com/category/events.

Friona UMC to honor educators

All educators and school personnel are invited to Friona United Methodist Church at 11 a.m., Sunday, August 21. All educators and school personnel will be honored and prayed for.

Following the service, a luncheon will be held in Fellowship Hall to honor all educators and school personnel.

For more information, please call 250-3045.

Prayers for educators and families

The sanctuary of Friona United Methodist Church will open at 7 a.m., Monday, August 22, for any parents, school personnel, and students wishing to be prayed over. Pastor Skip Hodges and others will be available for anyone wanting to be prayed over.

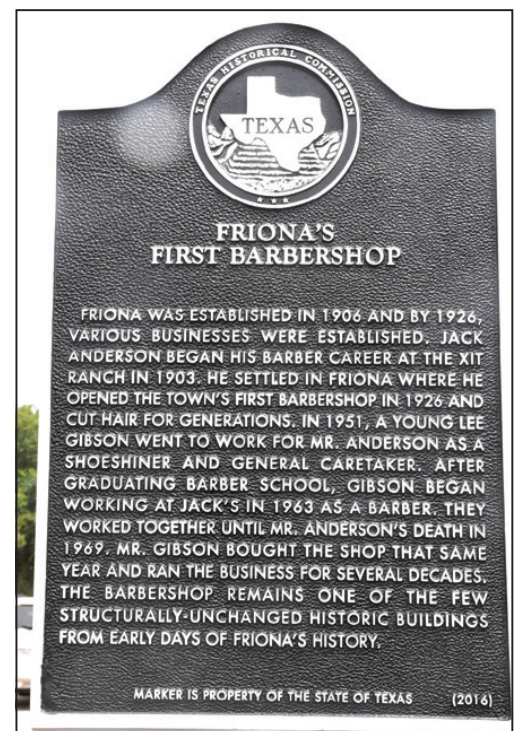
WNL kicks off

The Wednesday Night Live program at Friona United Methodist Church kicks off Wednesday, August 31 at 5 p.m. All Pre-K through 5th grade students are welcome to attend.

Parents will need to accompany children and register them for the year.

This will be a time of fun, games, and singing. Hot dogs will be served to everyone.

For more information, please contact the church at 250-3045 or Darla Hutchins at 575-263-9380.



ron carr photos

The Chuck Mills family at Sunday's historical marker dedication. The building has been at the location on Main Street since 1926. Chuck is the current barbershop owner. Shown, l-r, are Esmeralda, Angel, Jade, Blayke, and Chuck. In front is Eden. A nice crowd attended the ceremony. Relatives of Jack Anderson and Lee Gibson were also present.

Star Football Contest Begins September 1st

After a one-year layoff the Friona Star Football Contest returns. We have revised the old format, increased the weekly prize money, and reduced the number of games to make the new contest more exciting and competitive.

The first contest entry will be in the Thursday September 1 issue of the Star. A contest entry blank will also be posted on our website, frionaonline.com, every

Wednesday evening.

Here are the basics: Contest will run 10 weeks with 12 games each week including high school, college, and pro. Two tie-breakers each week. First place prize \$35.00. Second place \$25.00. A \$100.00 grand prize at the end of the contest with the most points. In case of a tie at the end the prize money will be split.

Entries are due by 4:00 p.m. each Friday. Entries sent U.S. mail should be postmarked by 4:00 p.m. Friday. Drop off entries in the red mailbox at the Star office or Dorothy's Beauty Shop in Bovina before 4:00 p.m. Friday. Entries can be faxed to 806-250-5127. No emails accepted. All entries must be on the official entry blank form. Copies of the form are acceptable.

We will compute the winners each week and keep up with individual scores during the contest to determine the grand prize winner. Winners will be listed in the newspaper each week and posted on our Friona Star Facebook page.

For any questions call us at 806-250-2211 Monday to Wednesday or email us at frionastar@wrt.net. We look forward to some great competition.



dana jameson photo

Friona firemen, EMS, and police worked an accident at 5th and Grand Tuesday afternoon about 4:30 p.m. This vehicle hit a pickup at the intersection. Two semis in the area snagged an Excel Energy power line about the same time and stretched it down over the street causing the closure of the intersection for a couple of hours until it was repaired.

DPS reminds drivers to watch for children as new school year begins

As the start of the new school year approaches, the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) cautions Texans to watch for children who are walking to and from school or waiting for buses. Drivers should be especially alert and careful around school buses – which make frequent stops – and always follow traffic laws regarding school buses and school zones.

"DPS is calling on drivers to do their part in keeping our children safe this school year by always obeying school zone speed limits and stopping for school buses," said DPS Director Steven McCraw. "Individuals who disregard the law and illegally pass stopped school buses not only face significant traf-

fic fines, but they needlessly put children in harm's way – and we take these violations very seriously."

The moments when students are entering or exiting a bus can be one of the most dangerous times during a child's trip on a school bus. Accordingly, DPS urges drivers to slow down and pay attention in school zones, since children may unexpectedly step into a roadway without checking for oncoming traffic.

State law requires that approaching drivers stop when a bus is stopped and operating a visual signal – either red flashing lights or a stop sign. Drivers should not proceed until the school bus resumes motion; the driver is signaled by the bus driver

to proceed; or the visual signal is no longer activated. A driver does not have to stop for a school bus that is operating a visual signal if it is on a highway with roadways separated by an intervening space or physical barrier. (If a highway is divided only by a left-turning lane, the roadways are not considered separated, and drivers must stop for school buses.)

Drivers who illegally pass school buses face fines up to \$1,250 for a first offense. For individuals convicted of this offense more than once, the law allows the individual's driver license to be suspended for up to six months. (A ticket for illegally passing a school bus cannot be dismissed through defensive driving.)



dana jameson photo

Coffee Memorial Blood Center technicians Cristina Rivas and Desiree Crain tend to blood donors Joseph Ryan and Bonnie Pope during last Thursday's blood drive. A total of 64 units of blood was given. Thank you Friona donors. Friona continues to lead in total donations for cities of our size in the Panhandle.



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Noon Lions Garth McDonald and Ricky Barnett volunteered their time to cook sausage on a stick and French fries for the Friona blood drive donors last Thursday. Coffee Memorial Blood Center collected 64 units of blood. Good job Friona, giving the gift of life.

Out Here

By Ron Carr



Send Calendar information to: frionastar@wtrt.net or call (806) 250-2211 or fax (806) 250-5127

Aug. 18-20-JV/Varsity Volleyball at Levelland Tournament
 Aug. 19-Varsity, JV & Freshman Chieftains at Sundown 5 p.m. & 6:30 p.m.

Aug. 22-First day of school
 Aug. 22-Meet the Chiefs at Chieftain Stadium 7 p.m.

Aug. 23-C-Team/JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Brownfield/River Road at Home 4:30p.m./6 p.m./7:30 p.m.
 Aug. 24-Deadline for 2016-17 Goat and lamb tag orders

Aug. 25-JV Chieftains at Farwell 5 p.m.

Aug. 25-Freshman Chieftains at Hereford 5 p.m.

Aug. 26-27-JV/Varsity Volleyball at Denver City Tournament

Aug. 26-Varsity Chieftains vs. Farwell at home 7:30 p.m.

Aug. 30-C-Team/JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Denver City at Home 5 p.m./5 p.m./6 p.m.

Aug. 31-Little Miss Friona sign up deadline

Aug. 31-Miss Friona sign up deadline 5 p.m.

Sept. 1-JV Chieftains at Sundown 6 p.m.

Sept. 1-Freshman Chieftains vs Bovina JV at home 5 p.m.

Sept. 3-Varsity Chieftains vs. Booker at Pampa 1:30 p.m.

Sept. 3-Prairie Acres Meet & Greet 6-8 p.m. in the dining area

Sept. 5-LABOR DAY

Sept. 5-No School

Sept. 7-Senator Kel Seliger Town Hall Meeting at the Old Depot in Friona from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Sept. 8-7th & 8th Braves at Bovina 5 & 6:30 p.m.

Sept. 8-JV Chieftains vs. Bovina at home 6:30 p.m.

School Menu Aug. 22-26

Monday
 Breakfast-Cereal, waffles, orange pineapple juice, diced peaches, milk.

Lunch-Pepperoni pizza, carrot sticks, French oven potato, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday
 Breakfast-Cereal, apple juice, banana, milk.

Lunch-Chicken nuggets, roll, mashed potato, cheese tomatoes, tropical fruit, milk.

Wednesday
 Breakfast-Cereal, Holland burrito, grape juice, apples, milk.

Lunch-Corn dog, mixed vegetables, pork and beans, Mandarin oranges, milk.

Thursday
 Breakfast-Cereal, sausage pizza, orange juice, pears, milk.

Lunch-Ham & cheese sandwich, green beans, lettuce & tomato salad, peaches, milk.

Friday
 Breakfast-Cereal, apple Frudel, fruit punch juice, oranges, milk.

Lunch-Tacos, Mexican rice, pin-to beans, corn, fruit salad, milk.

what is the answer

"It's sad because you know this is what happen because they not helping the black community. Like, you know, the rich people they got all this money and they not, like, you know, trying to give us none."

These words were spoken by a protestor in Milwaukee during the riots, burning, and looting Saturday night. I've been stewing about writing this column for a few days, not knowing exactly what to say about the state of the union.

Every time there is another riot, with people yelling and throwing rocks and bottles and looting and setting fire to businesses in their own neighborhood I get upset. It seems there is no reasoning and tolerance among the mostly black citizens who are affected.

It also seems no one can do a damn thing about it. We watch the insane ac-

tions of protestors jumping up and down on police cars and even the police seem to let it happen.

In Milwaukee they set fire to a convenience store where most of them probably buy their gasoline and cigarettes and bags of ice and soft drinks, etc. Now the c-store is in rubble. I ask myself why but can't seem to find an answer.

Looters seem to have free run to duck into stores and carry out whatever they can gather. Liquor stores seem to be a favorite looter target. One photo showed a man leaving a beauty salon with an armload of hair extensions.

I can tell you if back in my youth my mother had seen me jumping up and down on a police car she would have dragged me home and be jumping up and down on me.

Milwaukee, Detroit, Baltimore, and

Ferguson. All towns in disrepair with little affordable housing, bad schools, disrupted families, and Democratic leaders who have done next to nothing to assist the poor families that live there.

Most of the protestors that are shown on television seem to be under educated. They obviously lack discipline and respect and easily fall into a mob mentality. As far as I know none of the protesting, looting, and burning has improved their situation.

The most recent young black man shot and killed in Milwaukee ran from the police, turned around with a gun in his hand, and was shot by a black police officer. The gun turned out to have a clip with more than 20 rounds of ammunition.

After the rioting has ended nothing ever seems to get done to solve

the problem. Hillary and Trump both say they have the answer but I doubt it. Both say they will find better jobs for these underprivileged people but I doubt it.

Lord knows I don't have an answer. Last week at the hospital in Denton a nice young black man in hospital scrubs rolled my daughter down to the operating room. Somehow through family, school, or good old ambition this young man has succeeded and is on the right path. He did not seem like the rioter type.

The inner city youth, beset by lack of education, broken families, the lure of gangs, and lack of jobs need a boost. I think it all starts with family, not government. Not Hillary or Trump. What is the answer? I don't know.

I hope somebody finds one soon.



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TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison

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- ACROSS**
- TXism: "don't throw the baby out with the ___ water"
 - gov't safety org.
 - Chinese ___-Pei dogs
 - interview by TX Rather: "___ A"
 - TX h.s. sports org.
 - TX sisters who were captured by chief Grey Beard in 1873
 - great TX running back Dickerson
 - TXism: "popular as ___ daughter"
 - Santa __, TX song: "Ding ___ Daddy from Dumas"
 - Brynner of 1960 film "Magnificent Seven" with UT grad Eli
 - TXism: "___ in the grass" (bad)
 - the "bidness" of UT, et al.
 - Gov. "___" Ferguson
 - historic Dallas area: ___ Plaza
 - TXism: "flat as ___ handle prairie"
 - "___ tooty"
 - in Trinity Co. on 94
 - this TX Banks was "Mr. Chicago Cub"
 - Hereford is the "Town without ___ ache"
 - TXism: "round '___ up" (gather)
 - TXism: "does a cat have a climbing ___?" (yes)

- city government group
 - a boys hair cut once banned at school
 - TX pest: fire ___
 - like TX Sandy Duncan, Eva ___ Gallienne has played role of Peter Pan
 - TXism: "wise up on"
 - San Antonio AF base
 - TXism: "hard work ___ the fences up"
 - executive of a TX co.
 - Gruene Mansion ___
 - Davy ___ men to the Alamo
- DOWN**
- Meridian is seat of this county
 - TXism: "thick ___ on a dog's back"
 - "larger ___"
 - TXism: "___ as finding a horse thief in heaven"
 - TX "Singing Cowboy" (init.)
 - expose to harm
 - TXism: "it's ___ hog or die"
 - TX McMurtury's "Lonesome Dove" became a TV ___-series
 - TX George W. beat him in 2000
 - TX B.J. Thomas sang "___ So Lonesome I Could Cry"
 - "no" vote in TX legislature
 - Dallas southern suburb on hwy. 67
 - relating to "gettin' hitched"
 - murderer
 - anno Domini (abbr.)
 - TXism: "he was around when the Dead ___ was only sick" (old)
 - TXism: "siesta" novel by TX billionaire H.L. Hunt
 - ex-Oiler offensive lineman, Erik
 - "___ a million"
 - ___-of-a-gun
 - artist Penelope who painted Mrs. Sam Houston (init.)
 - TXism: "big fish in a ___"
 - plumbing problem
 - iced and pekoe
 - TXism: "___ his hide" (spank)
 - TX polo player Smith
 - in Johnson County off hwy. 67

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"I care about one thing and one thing only and that is how to use every minute of the remaining 1,276 days of my term to make the country work for working Americans again. That's all I care about."
 President Barack Obama
 July 24, 2013 Galesburg, Illinois

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Town Talk II

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Official weather guy John Gurley gave me a rain chart that dates back to 2010. So far in 2016 (through July) we have received 7.61" of rain. During the same period of January-July in 2015 we had received 20.00". Altogether in 2015 we received 35.76". Maybe some rain this weekend they say.

Another good blood drive last Thursday. Coffee Memorial said they collected 64 units of blood. Another 12 potential donors were deferred due to low iron or blood pressure issues. Melody Drake won the \$50 Parmer County Implement gift certificate. Bonnie Pope and Marca Herring each won a Yeti Colster. Thank you to all of the faithful Friona donors who support the blood drive.

Did I mention that the Noon Lions cooked French fries and sausage on a stick for all donors and the Coffee Memorial staff. Lions John Gurley and Clint Mears put out the blood drive signs around town. This was the annual Boots and Badges blood drive where donors vote for either the firemen or policemen as their favorite. There was a firetruck and police car parked at Hwy 60 and Cleveland on the Interbank parking lot. Danny and Holly Campbell brought their old vintage firetruck and

parked it at Calvary Baptist across from the blood drive location. Each donor received a Boots and Badges t-shirt.

My daughter Megan was released from the hospital Monday and will continue therapy and rehab at home. She is recovering very well and should be back to normal in a couple of months. Thanks to everyone who has asked about Megan and sent their well-wishes. I appreciate it.

Hey Carolyn and Kevin Wiseman. Happy 40th anniversary. Many more. Received a note from Larry and Carolyn Paiz who will celebrate their 28th anniversary August 27. They are former Friona residents now living in Springdale, Arkansas.

The Cato Institute sold copies of the Declaration of Independence & Constitution of the United States, at a nice rate of 10 for \$10.00. I ordered 10 and have copies here in the office. They are a small pocket size book. If you would like a free copy come by and we will give you one. Free. Otherwise I will donate them to the library or the school.

We are reinstating our annual Friona Star Football Contest this year. It will begin September 1

and run 10 weeks. First prize will be \$35 and 2nd place will be \$25. Top prize at the end of contest for the player with the highest score will be \$100. More details in the story on the front page and on our website, frionaonline.com. We hope you will play and join the competition.

Lupe Taylor at Headquarters Restaurant says that Headquarters will start opening again on Friday nights beginning this week. Serving hours will be 5:00 to 7:30 p.m.

The Chieftains open the football season Friday August 26 here vs. Farwell. It will be senior parent night plus free Cargill hamburgers and Noon Lions world famous French fries. Come out and support the Chiefs. Join the Booster Club. Good luck and Go Big Red.

Doris Barnett stopped by the office this week with a photo and info about her great grand twins. Look for their photo and info on another page. If you have family additions, engagements, weddings or other family events for the paper please send them in. Our readers enjoy knowing about your family events.

Greg O'Brian, Friona Wheat

Growers manager, said the elevators took in about 700,000 bushels of wheat this harvest season. He said barley is becoming a good crop too. Wheat is a food crop while barley is more of a feed crop. Not the best wheat year ever but not a bad one either.

Bill Loafman, Friona Class of 1960, passed away last week. Services were held in Decatur last Thursday.

Henry and Paula Clark, owners of Bob's Pump, purchased Stevick Sales and have combined the two entities into Legacy Pump and Irrigation. Lot of people probably already knew that but thought I would pass it along anyway.

At the former Hometown Hardware building, being remodeled for the Gingg family and Milk House Market, Crystal Moroney said workers are about to start cutting through the brick on

the south wall to install six 8'x6' windows. That should shine the light inside the building.

School starts Monday so it is time to watch carefully for stu-

dents crossing streets and walking home from school. Drive safely and watch for school zones. See you back here soon. Until then!

Meet the Chiefs & Squaws Monday, August 22 7 p.m. Chieftain Field

Chieftain/Squaw Boosters will be available for anyone interested in membership. Individual memberships are \$20 and Business memberships are \$75.

Blue Sky Farms will be providing free ice cream sandwiches.

Library Corner

By Darla Bracken



Off to College...

Since our Friends Scholarship winners are coming to pick up their funds for college, I realize it is that time of year once again for travel to begin to colleges and universities plus our local school will also be starting and autumn will soon be upon us. It is an exciting, busy and emotional time for all.

Imagine what it would have been like in the fall of 1914 if you were a young female about to embark on your college career at the new school in Canyon, Texas—West Texas State Normal College founded in 1910. The location, from a donation of \$100,100 and 40 acres, was also selected as there were 'no saloons present,' an important point if you were sending your sons and daughters far from home. If you were from anywhere in the Panhandle of Texas, it would probably mean packing your trunk and travelling by train. Once in Canyon proper, you'd have been met by a dray service (horse and buggy) and transported to one of the nearby boarding houses (no dorms yet). Average amount of students about 1,000.

Once you were settled in at your boarding house you, as well as your fellow female students, would have been under the watchful eye of a very strict and very proper 'matron'. You would have taken your meals at the boarding house as well where proper attire and proper manners were expected—no PJs allowed. Meals were served family style around the dining room table. (One of these boarding houses is now appropriately a bed and breakfast: Hudspeth House.)

Among the faculty and administration were R. B. Cousins, the first president and Georgia O'Keefe, who taught art at the new facility which consisted of only a few buildings one of which had burned in 1914. Miss O'Keefe would later become very famous. According to a 1916-1917 yearbook "Le Mirage" there were classes in library service, interesting...and football uniforms showed a distinct lack of padding. Everyone travelled a lot by train.

Fast forward a few years to the fall of 1945 when a second generation student is just beginning her college career at West Texas State Teacher's College. Now there are dorms, men's and women's, Cousin's Hall was built in 1920, the first of its kind in the state. The strict matron is now a Dorm Mother and comings and goings are strictly regulated and monitored. An excellent library and museum now exist. There is a cafeteria. Some students stay at the Ag farm as well. Enrollment has almost doubled to nearly 2,000. Old Main near the center of the campus had been built in 1923. Now President is Joseph A. Hill, the chapel is named after him.

Once again, fast forward to the fall of 1969 and a third generation is starting school at West Texas State University. Cousin's Hall is still there and has been expanded as has the campus. Still a live-in Dorm Mother at Cousin's Myrtle Prigmore...I kid you not. There is sign in and sign out for all comings and goings, a curfew and a nightly room check by a Room Advisor. The cafeteria is within easy

walking distance and they have an automatic doughnut making machine! Most female students do not have cars. The library is there, but it is a closed stacks system meaning that you do not go pick up your book, a librarian does it for you. Computer science is just beginning as a field of study. By the fall of 1969, the military draft is suspended and many male students quit school. Number of students enrolled is now approaching 5,000. Now President is James P. Cornette, the library is later named for him.

Another few years go by and it is the fall of 1993 and the fourth generation is registering at West Texas A & M University, but still known affectionately as WT. Lots of new building and high rise dorms. Last year to be able to earn a permanent teaching certificate. Computer technology and online classes are now well established. State of the art library has helped create the Harrington Library Consortium of all types and sizes of libraries in the Panhandle. Cafeteria is still there but students may also eat at the fast food court in the JBK with their Buff Bucks. 6,000 students are enrolled. Almost every student has a vehicle. Now President is Russell Long.

And so on, and so on...as history of the school continues. Best wishes for a great year to all students and teachers! *

*This article is not meant to be comprehensive just reflecting shared memories and conversations, and to point out some of the changes this local area school and its students have seen...over the years. Hope you enjoy.

Country Thoughts

dana jameson



Wake me up, QUICK!

HELP! I am drowning... in old newspapers! My dreams lately have felt like an Alfred Hitchcock suspense film.

Picture it...It is a dark, stormy night with lightning crashing and torrential rain slamming against the windows. I am sitting at my desk with a stack of newspapers trying to find out who was Miss Friona in what year and suddenly there is a swarm of women crashing through the door to tell me their name and the year they won the coveted title. I cannot find a pencil and once I find the pencil the paper has disappeared. While this is happening there is a deluge of old newspapers raining down from the ceiling burying me slowly.

Oh good! I am awake and I am not under a pile of old newspapers.

I have spent the better part of the last two weeks looking at old Friona Stars both in-house and online trying to find EVERY young lady that was ever named Miss Friona or Miss Maize Days.

I finally gave up last week and wrote the article with the information I had on hand.

I MESSED UP. I will be the first to admit that I WAS drowning in newspapers and on extreme information overload. However, that is no excuse.

I have since found out that the first Miss Friona was crowned in 1948 and she was Jean Schultz Terry. She was followed by Myrna Welch in 1949 and Vera Jones was Miss Friona 1950.

I also learned that before the "No married Miss Friona" rule was added, a young lady from Bovina was married, and possibly had children, was a candidate.

Nevertheless, there are still holes in my information. Could there have been a Miss Friona before 1948? Who were the Miss Frionas from 1951-1956? Were there Miss Frionas those years?

I have to admit looking at the old newspapers was a nostalgic look back at how my predecessors

created a newspaper. However, it was also the cause of a case of crossed eyes and headache pains.

I caught myself proofing some of the headlines and articles. I stopped when it came to the point I wanted a red pen to correct a spelling issue that repeated.

Newspapers of old used every inch...no centimeter of space on a page. If something didn't fit one way it was made to fit in and around pictures that had nothing to do with the story. One headline spanned two columns with the story of a wedding on the right side and a picture of a horse on the left. The horse was from Argentina and had nothing to do with the wedding.

If I did that now there would be an irate mother and/or bride sitting in my office demanding a reprint.

I found that in a four-page newspaper there were obituaries between births and engagement. I personally found that in bad taste. Maybe I am just overthinking this. Maybe since they were all human conditions there was no separation to be made. I don't know what they were thinking.

Anyway, I am still looking for those "lost" crowned individuals that have claim to the title but are lost somewhere in the sea of old newspapers.

I did find out that Betty Dewton and Deniese Magness were named queens during pageants for Farm Bureau and a county fair. I am not sure if they were Miss Frionas or Miss Maize Days.

I guess I am asking for help in a long, drawn out way. I would love to get the full list of Miss Friona winners once and for all. I think I will frame it and put it in a safe place for future reference.

If you have the answers, PLEASE call me at the office so I can end this Alfred Hitchcock series of dreams.

Friona Flashbacks



News from the week of August 22, 1976

*Prairie Acres, the newest and most modern nursing facility in the Panhandle, opened this week, admitting its first resident on Thursday, August 19.

Mrs. Della Osborn, 96, longtime Friona resident who previously has been a resident of King's Manor in Hereford, had the honor of being the home's first resident. Relatives said that Mrs. Osborn had long expressed the desire to return to Friona to live.

Escorted by Claude and Katie Osborn, the first resident was greeted by Friona mayor R.L.

Fleming, who presented her with a bouquet of flowers.

*Summer ends on Monday for around 1400 Friona youngsters, who will be getting back into the school routine.

Superintendent of Schools Tom Jarboe pointed out that the Friona enrollment has declined somewhat during the past three or four years, after peaking out during the early 1970's.

*WE GOT A LAKE!...for the first since completion in 1974, there is a full lake of water impounded behind the Catfish Draw Dam northwest of Bovina,

marking the culmination of a 17-year plan for flood control on the Running Water Draw watershed.

*Carolyn Kay Murphree of Friona and Kevin Lynn Wiseman, also of Friona, were married in a high noon ceremony in the First Baptist Church of Friona on Friday, August 13 with Rev. C.H. Murphy of Friona, officiating.

*Firemen Honored...Friona Volunteer Firemen were presented with certificates of service by Mayor Fleming, Thursday night, August 19. The firemen represented 265 years of service to the Friona Community.

Receiving certificates were Leo Reed, Pete Hollis, Robert Zetsche, Joe Keene, Howard Love, Clyde Fields, Glenn E. Reeve, Jr., Ralph Shirley, Ray Campbell, Lee Campbell, Ruben Taylor, Joe Mann, Porter Roberts, C.H. Veazey, John Allen, Walter Cunningham, J.C. Blankenship, and Ron Smiley.

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Panhandle Parables

Praying for Our Teachers & Students

By **JEFF PROCTER, Minister, 6th Street Church of Christ**

It is hard to believe another school year is here. Sometimes I feel like the blizzard last Christmas was just last week. Where has the time gone? When our world gets to spinning so fast one of the best things to do is pray. My challenge to you as we near the end of August is to pray for our teachers and our students. Let's pray.

Father God, Creator of the Universe and all that is in it. We thank You for Your providential care in our daily lives. We thank You, that You are the Almighty that sits firmly on Your throne.

Father, we ask a prayer for our teachers and administrators at the beginning of this school year. We ask that You fan into flame the passion for education and teaching into their hearts in ways that will ignite the flame to learn in their students. We pray that You will give them a keen awareness of each child, that they may reach each one and see the raw potential. We ask that You help them with strength to mold that potential so that each child will become what You need them to be. Lord, give each teacher knowledge and the wisdom to share it. We thank you for each educator that is part of our community. Give them the courage to face the challenges and the compassion to see a child who struggles.

Lord, we also pray for the students. From the youngest to the seniors preparing to launch. Each grade presents its own challenges for our kids. Help them to learn honor, friendship, kindness and character. Give them courage to do what is right at the right time. Open their minds to the possibilities that come from learning new things. Lord, as adults we know it is not easy being a kid, yet often we can't imagine the individual challenges each one faces. We pray for Your protection of them when they travel. We pray for our young athletes the strength to excel. We pray for the young scholars to be fed the knowledge they crave. We pray for musicians and the actors to grow in their abilities. Lord we pray for those who may feel alone in a sea of other kids that they may find a friend.

God we ask Your forgiveness in our failings. Help us as a community to stand by our teachers and with our kids that they may know that we love them and are proud of them. We pray all of this in the name of Your Son and our Savior, Jesus Christ. Amen.

"Whosoever trusteth in the Lord, happy is he."

- Proverbs 16:20

It's Time for a Change

By **TEENA HUGHES**

I saw Tony Evans' sermon the Sunday after the five policemen were shot and killed in Dallas. He blamed people in pulpits, because they have worried more about being politically correct than teaching the truth in God's Word.

Very few will argue that our country is not a mess, and I believe just about everyone is to blame. Some don't care; they say/do what they want. Others know God's Word and how they should act, but they do what is convenient in whatever situation they find themselves. There are those who hate division and strife, so they don't say anything, correct, or hold others accountable; thus, empowering those who don't live God's Word. The politically correct say/do whatever they feel they need to say/do to accomplish what they want. Where do you fit in among these scenarios? If you find yourself in one of these scenarios, realize it is all about you, not God and His will.

Fortunately, there is one more scenario that may describe you, and that is the person, like Tony Evans, who KNOWS God, who KNOWS His Word, who bases his thoughts, opinions, and actions on God's Word; the person who isn't afraid to be the person Jesus called them to be. We cannot be responsible for how people respond to God's truth, but we are responsible for knowing it, living it, and teaching others about it.

Lauren wrote on her blog, and it is true, change in this country won't start in Austin or Washington, D.C. It starts with you and me reading/studying/knowing God's Word, and seeking help when we don't understand it. It means living it, being it, teaching it. Until we know the Truth, until we become the Truth, how can we expect things to change for the better?

I, for one, have got to quit being afraid to speak up. It is easy to write when my computer allows me to change wording until I "get it right." I have opinions, just like those I am afraid to rebuke and correct. It is time to express them; it is time for a change!!!



Harvest Days booths available

The Castro County Fair and Harvest Days will be celebrated September 8-10, 2016 in Dimmitt, Texas. If you are interested in renting a booth for Saturday, September 10, please contact Donna Reinart at dsr60@windstream.net or (806) 647-2243 (Please leave a message).

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Psalm 10—Where's God?!?!

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Have you ever asked the question, "Where's God?" in the wake of tragedy or disaster? After you asked "Where's God?" did you feel guilty for even asking that question? It may surprise you, but asking the question "Where's God?" is actually biblical and flows from Psalm 10. This Psalm is written out of great frustration as the wicked seem to be flourishing and God sits idly by. Even in our day, it also seems like this at times as airports are bombed, clubs are shot up, natural disasters wreak havoc and lives are taken seemingly before their time.

In reality, it is okay to ask "Where's God?" and often times God gives us answers from His Word and through the Holy Spirit, but the answer isn't always very palatable. For example, as Jonah was in the belly of a fish he might have asked, "Where's God?" and God could reply that He was disciplining Jonah for running away in sin. In fact, I'm sure many who drowned in the flood asked the same thing, and God's answer would have been that He was right there punishing them for their wickedness. At other times, though, God is there through the trials and storms He allows, and is working for His greater glory in the end. This was the case with Job, Joseph, Moses and many others in scripture. Finally, though, in any case, no matter the circumstance, when one asks "Where's God?" Psalm 10:16 proclaims that God is still on His throne. Whatever may come, this truth of God's reign and power never changes and is the anchor for my soul when life leads to despair and confusion and I ask "Where's God?"

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The White Family proudly added a 5th generation to their family with newborn Bostyn Pope. Pictured are, l-r, front row, Lola and Carl White. Back row, l-r, Britny Pope, Brayden Pope holding Bostyn, and Ricky White.

FBC SONSHINE SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

First Baptist Church opens enrollment for SonShine School. SonShine School will start on September 6, 2016. The program combines Christian teachings and values with early childhood learning. Days for SonShine School are Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 8:30am to 12:00pm. There are classes offered for ages 2 - 4. Placement of the child will depend on the child's age as of September 1, 2016.

Registration begins June 1, 2016 and spaces are limited. A non-refundable \$40 enrollment fee will reserve your child's spot. Additionally, a \$50 supply fee is due at the beginning of each semester and tuition is \$75 a month. Registration forms may be picked up at the church office at 404 W 5th, Monday - Thursday, 9am - 12pm or 1pm - 5pm or they are available on our website - www.fbcfriona.com. For further information contact Candice Schueler at 250-3933.

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Bill Glyn Loafman

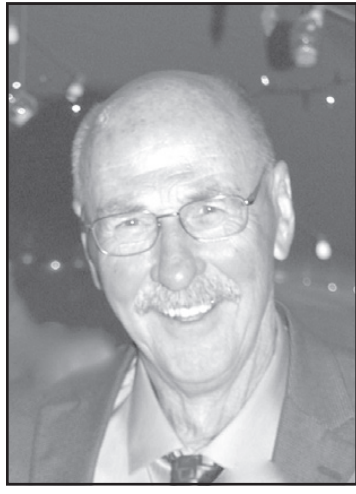
Bill Glyn Loafman, 74, a sales associate, went to be with our Lord Monday, August 8, 2016 in Dallas.

Funeral services were held Friday, August 12, 2016 at First Baptist Church of Decatur with burial in Solona Cemetery in Bowie. Rev. Mike Wheat officiated. Pallbearers include Wade Loafman, John Loafman, Kellen Miller, Lane Lowry, Scott Wells, and Rodney Davis.

Bill was born on April 22, 1942 to Loy and Vuthill (Logsdon) Loafman in Cumbie, Texas. He was united in marriage to Maxine Wells on February 16, 1972 in Amarillo. Bill was a sales associate for James Wood Motors for 31 years. He was a member of the Gateway Church in Southlake.

He was preceded in death by his parents.

Those left behind to cherish his memory are his wife of 44 years, Maxine Loafman of Decatur; his son, Stephen Miller and wife



Susan of Red Oak; his daughters, Stephanie Lowry and husband Mark of Los Alamos, California, Terri Urban and husband Kip of Libertyville, Illinois; his brothers, Don Loafman and wife Janice of Plainview, Numan Loafman and wife Diana of Fort Worth; his grandchildren, Kellen, Lane, Madelyn, Laci, Payton, and Natalie; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends.

D.O. Robason

D.O. Robason left this world on August 13, 2016 to join the company of the Redeemed. He is out of pain and made whole at the feet of Jesus.

D.O. was born on April 24, 1935 in Friona, TX. He was saved at an early age and spent most of his life following Christ. He served in many Southern Baptist churches as a Deacon and in the church libraries. D.O. graduated from Friona High School in 1953 and was a member of the State Championship mile relay team.

D.O. married Carmel Fields, his Friona High School sweetheart, on May 16, 1954. She was always at home for him and his sons as he managed several different ranches in Texas. They have lived on the Island Grove Ranch west of Grandview for more than 40 years.

D.O. was first a farmer and rancher, and then started his own construction company. As a farmer, he ran a 200 head Holstein dairy farm in Siloam Springs, Arkansas, and received the "Outstanding Young Farmer Award" for having one of the most productive and modern dairies in a four state region. As a rancher, he

became widely sought after for his expertise in artificial breeding and pregnancy checking. As a construction worker, he loved to build things and was always there to help family and friends if they had a need that his hammer and power tools could fix.

D.O. is survived by his wife, Carmel, of 62 years; three sons, Ricky Dean Robason of Covington, TX, Michael Ross Robason (Laura) of Lamesa, TX, and Troy Don Robason (Christine) of Elizabeth, CO; six grandchildren, Zachary Dean Robason (Melissa), Rebecca Caitlin Robason, Andrea Nicole Orht (Jared), Bryan Ross Robason (Ericka), Trevor Don Robason, and Samantha Mei Robason; and one great grandson, Ethan James Robason.

D.O. was buried at Green Acres Memorial Park in Cleburne, TX in a private ceremony.

1 Thessalonians 4:13-14 - Brothers and sisters, we do not want you to be uninformed about those who sleep in death, so that you do not grieve like the rest of mankind, who have no hope. For we believe that Jesus died and rose again, and so we believe that God will bring with Jesus those who have fallen asleep in him.

Mildred Cooper

Mildred Cooper, 95, of Friona, formerly of Farwell, died August 11, 2016 in Friona. Graveside services were held at 11:00 a.m., Saturday, August 13, 2016 at the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery of the Oklahoma Lane Community with Rev. Brett Hoyle, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Friona and Rev. Vaughn Gosman, pastor of the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church, officiating. Arrangements by Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home of Friona.

Mildred was born November 17, 1920 in Haskell County, Texas to Joseph Lemuel and Carrie Belle Coleman Kirkpatrick. She married Lawrence Leslie Cooper January 28, 1939. They farmed and worked seasonally at cotton gins around Muleshoe and Lariat. They owned and operated Cooper Gin in Farwell from 1961 to 1992 where Mildred managed the gin office and was a superior cotton buyer and seller.

Mildred was a member of the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church where she participated in WSCS Sunday School and she along with Lawrence were Methodist Youth Fellowship sponsors for many years.

She was an excellent seamstress and sewed for herself, family, and the public. Entries in her diary quoted her as staying home to make her mother a coat and making another a dress. Once she even made her husband a pair of undershorts from flour sacks, but he declined to wear them.

She is preceded in death by her parents, husband and one grandson, Christopher C. Cooper.

Survivors include one daughter, Leslie Rushing and husband George of Friona; two sons, Larry Cooper and wife Mary Ann of Springtown, Texas and Rickey Cooper and wife Kate of Eureka Springs, Arkansas; brother-in-law, Don Andrews of Tulsa, Oklahoma; five grandchildren, Royce Cooper of Ft. Worth, Will Rushing and wife Amy of Friona, Sarah Mansour and husband Paul of Temple, Robin Stoltzfus and husband Matthew of Lake Toxaway, N.C. and Cody Cooper of Eureka Springs; and 16



great-grandchildren. Memorials may be made to Prairie Acres Nursing Home, Friona, Texas or the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church.

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Ludene Terry Davis

Ludene Terry Davis, 79, Bovina, Texas, died Friday August 12, 2016 in Amarillo. Celebration of Life Services were held Sunday, August 14, 2016, at the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church. Burial was held Saturday at the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery. Arrangements were by Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home of Friona.

Ludene was born to J.J. and Margaret Terry on July 11, 1937 in Clovis New Mexico.

She loved being "Granny" to all children.

She was preceded in death by both parents and her brother, Melvin Terry.

She is survived by her five children, Diane Clayton of Guymon, OK, Terry Collins of O'Donnell, TX., James Williams of Amarillo, TX., Barbara Baker of Roswell, NM., and Beverly Frank of Guymon, OK; 10 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.



The family suggests contributions to Oklahoma Lane Cemetery or Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church in lieu of flowers.

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school. It is an easy way for our school to earn money for supplies, resources, and prizes for our students without asking our students to go out and sell in the community.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me at jriethma@frionaisd.com.

Thanks for your help! Jenny Riethmayer/Kindergarten Teacher/Friona Primary School



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PHONE 250-2211 **Friona Star**



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A nice crowd attended the historical marker dedication Sunday at Friona's First Barbershop. The business and the building have been in existence since 1926. Chuck Mills is the present owner and worked with the Parmer County Historical Commission and the state to acquire the marker. Speaking at the event were Don Spring, Pastor Gary Johnson, Friona Mayor Rick White, Historical Commission Chairwoman Gladys Spring, and commission member Sharon White.

Swisher County Feed Grain Tour set for Aug. 25 in Happy

By Steve Byrns

The Swisher County Feed Grains Tour hosted by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service and the Swisher County Ag Committee is set for August 25 at Happy.

Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. at the Happy Community Center, a mile southeast of Happy on Farm-to-Market Road 1075.

"The tour stops were suggested by Swisher County producer groups," said John Villalba, AgriLife Extension agent in Swisher County. "Those issues include sorghum varieties and the role that sugarcane aphids play in decision-making processes, as well as the management of feed grains under different irrigation practices. The tour will also focus on educational efforts done through variety trials around Happy."

There will be a \$10 registration fee due upon arrival and breakfast will be provided. Two Texas Department of Agriculture continuing education units – one laws and regulations and one integrated pest management – will be available for private pesticide applicators.

RSVP by August 23 to the AgriLife Extension office in Swisher County at 806-995-3721.

The program topics and speakers will be:

- Management Practices in Corn and Sorghum, Dr. Calvin Trostle, AgriLife Extension agronomist, Lubbock.
- Sugarcane Aphid Update, Villalba.
- Sorghum Partners Variety Trial Information, Phillip Thornton, company representative, Lubbock

On your mark, Get Set...READ!!!

Preschool Story Time Begins September 1 Thursday mornings 9:30 AM to 10:15 AM

at the Friona Public Library

109 West 7th 250-3200 Call or come by to register

Children must be at least 3 years old by September 1st to participate



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Jul 31	Aug 1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8 9:00am New Staff/Teacher Academy @9am ((Friona Junior High))	9	10	11	12	13
14	15 8:00am Friona ISD Back To School General Session ((FJH Cafeteria))	16	17	18	19 JV/V Volleyball-Levelland Tournament ((Levelland) @T 2:00 pm Primary & Elementary - Meet 5:00 pm Freshman/JV/V Football vs Sundown	20
21	22 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL	23 4:00pm C/JV/V Volleyball vs Brownfield/Lubbock Christian ((Friona @4pm/5:15pm/6:30p	24	25 4:00pm New Teacher Academy Member 5:00pm Freshman Football vs Hereford 5:00pm JV Football vs	26 JV/V Volleyball-Denver City Tournament ((Denver City 7:30 pm Varsity vs Farwell ((Friona))	27 Cross Country (HS)-6 Mile Relay ((Canyon))
28 Miss Friona Photo Shoot (TBA)	29	30 5:00 pm C/JV/V Volleyball vs Denver City ((Friona @5pm/5pm/6 pm))	31 Entry Deadline for Miss Friona Pageant	Sep 1	2	3



Josh McCurry from the Amarillo chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes talks to the Chieftains after Monday's practice. In addition to words of encouragement he brought a cooler full of pop-sicles for the guys to cool off with.



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Chieftain line coach David Towner makes a point during Monday practice. The Chiefs first game is August 26 here vs. Farwell.



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Sophomore quarterback Marco Monreal hands off to junior running back Julius Orozco as the Chiefs prepare for their August 26 opener vs. Farwell here at Chieftain Field. It will be senior parent night plus free Cargill hamburgers and Noon Lions French fries. Go Big Red!



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Varsity on the left and JV on the right as the Chieftains get in some contact drills at Monday's practice. Chiefs travel to Sundown for a scrimmage Friday August 19. Coach Arias was pleased with the Abernathy scrimmage last week. Scoring was 1-1 he said.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The FRIONA ISD will hold a public meeting at 8:30 PM 08/30/2016 in Friona ISD Boardroom Friona, Texas. The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

Maintenance Tax	\$1.020000 /\$100 (Proposed rate for maintenance and operations)
School Debt Service Tax Approved by Local Voters	\$0.079300 /\$100 (Proposed rate to pay bonded indebtedness)

Comparison of Proposed Budget with Last Year's Budget

The applicable percentage increase or decrease (or difference) in the amount budgeted in the preceding fiscal year and the amount budgeted for the fiscal year that begins during the current tax year is indicated for each of the following expenditure categories:

Maintenance and operations	% (increase) or	-0.223000% (decrease)
Debt service	0.557000% (increase) or	% (decrease)
Total expenditures	% (increase) or	-0.203000% (decrease)

Total Appraised Value and Total Taxable Value (as calculated under section 26.04, Tax Code)

	Preceding Tax Year	Current Tax Year
Total appraised value* of all property	\$373,603,347	\$367,802,187
Total appraised value* of new property**	\$1,350,762	\$266,673
Total taxable value*** of all property	\$359,488,112	\$353,908,852
Total taxable value*** of new property**	\$1,092,300	\$266,673

* "Appraised value" is the amount shown on the appraisal roll and defined by Section 1.04(8), Tax Code.
 ** "New property" is defined by Section 26.012(17), Tax Code.
 *** "Taxable value" is defined by Section 1.04(10), Tax Code.

Bonded Indebtedness

Total amount of outstanding and unpaid bonded indebtedness:	\$3,438,238
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* Outstanding principal

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$0.980000	\$0.082700*	\$1.062700	\$3,633	\$6,249
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$0.980000	\$0.079300*	\$1.059300	\$3,590	\$6,275
Proposed Rate	\$1.020000	\$0.079300*	\$1.099300	\$3,573	\$6,263

* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$77,031	\$77,170
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$47,097	\$49,406
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.062700	\$1.099300
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$500.49	\$543.12
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes	\$0.00	\$42.63

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.099300. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.099300.

Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$3,438,238
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$0

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed Bids for RE-ROOFING AT FRIONA CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT for the City of Friona, Texas, will be received until 2:00 p.m. local time on September 8, 2016, then publicly opened and read aloud. Sealed bids shall be addressed to Patricia Phipps, City Manager, 623 Main Street, Friona, TX, 79035.

Requests for detailed Plans and Specifications shall be addressed to the office of Shiver-Megert & Associates, LLP, A.I.A. Architect and Engineers, at 102 East Ninth Avenue, Suite 200, Amarillo, Texas 79101. Phone - (806) 372-5662 Fax - (806) 372-5664

Three sets of plans and specifications will be issued to qualified CONTRACTORS on deposit of \$25.00 per set. All checks for plans and specifications shall be made payable to Shiver-Megert and Associates, LLP. All plans and specifications shall be returned to the Architect. All deposits shall be refunded in full if plans and specifications are returned in good condition to the Architect within ten (10) days after the bid opening.

Complete sets of Drawings and Specifications may be purchased (non-refundable) for \$25.00 plus shipping charges. Remit approved check to office of Architect/Engineer.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a Bid Bond, Certified and/or Cashier's Check (on a solvent bank in the State of Texas, drawn to the order of the Owner) in the sum of not less than five percent (5%) of the total amount of the proposal. No other form of security will be accepted.

The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids, and does not bind himself to accept the lowest bid or any proposal for this work or any part thereof, and shall have the right to ask for new bids for the whole or parts, should he desire to do so.

By submitting a proposal, the proposer agrees to waive any claim against the City of Friona, Texas, the Architect/Engineer and their respective employees, arising out of or made in connection with the administration, evaluation or recommendation of any proposal.

All proposals shall remain in effect for a period of thirty (30) days from the date of receipt unless sooner returned.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION - TRC 109 & 114

THE STATE OF TEXAS: Cause No. 10,870
 THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-4, Plaintiff,
 VS OF
 MICHAEL E. COLLEY, JESSIE COLLEY, JR., KATHIE COLLEY, MARY ALICE BURNS, MARGARET FLOOD, JOSHUA ARGUIJO, AND THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AT LAW OF DOLORES "DEE" COLLEY, DECEASED, Defendants.
 In Re: 1205 Virginia Avenue, Friona, Texas 79035 | Parmer COUNTY, TEXAS

TO: The unknown heirs-at-law of Dolores "Dee" Colley, deceased Defendant- GREETING

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 am on the Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after the date this citation was issued, a default judgment may be taken against you."

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A.M. on the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday, September 19, 2016 before the Honorable 287th District Court of Parmer County, at the Courthouse in said County in Farwell, Texas. Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court on the 18th day of May 2016 in the above entitled cause.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

SUMMARY OF SUIT FOR CITATION BY PUBLICATION

You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-4, its successors and assigns, as plaintiff against Michael E. Colley, Jessie Colley, Jr., Kathie Colley, Mary Alice Burns, Margaret Flood, Joshua Arguijo, and the Unknown Heirs at Law of Dolores "Dee" Colley, Deceased, and any other person claiming any right, title, interest or possession in and to the property commonly known as 1205 Virginia Avenue, Friona, Texas 79035, and legally described as:

ALL OF LOT 4 AND THE NORTH 18 FEET OF LOT 5, BLOCK 8, OF DRAKE REVISED SUBDIVISION AN ADDITION TO THE CITY OF FRIONA. PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS, AS SHOWN BY PLAT OF SAID SUBDIVISION AND ADDITION OF RECORD IN VOLUME 104, PAGE 20, ET SEQ., OF THE DEED RECORDS OF PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS.

Plaintiff's petition is styled THE BANK OF NEW YORK MELLON FKA THE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS TRUSTEE FOR THE CERTIFICATEHOLDERS OF THE CWABS, INC., ASSET-BACKED CERTIFICATES, SERIES 2005-4 v. Michael E. Colley, Jessie Colley, Jr., Kathie Colley, Mary Alice Burns, Margaret Flood, Joshua Arguijo, and the Unknown Heirs at Law of Dolores "Dee" Colley, Deceased. The Plaintiff seeks to enforce its home equity lien against and assert superior title to the above-described property.

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Farwell, Texas this 12th day of August 2016.

Attorney for Plaintiff or Plaintiff: Jennifer K. Chacko, 4004 Belt Line Road, Suite 100, Addison, Texas 75001-4320
 Clerk of the Court: Sandra Warren, P.O. Box 195, Farwell, Parmer County, Texas
 By *Christina Amore* Detuty



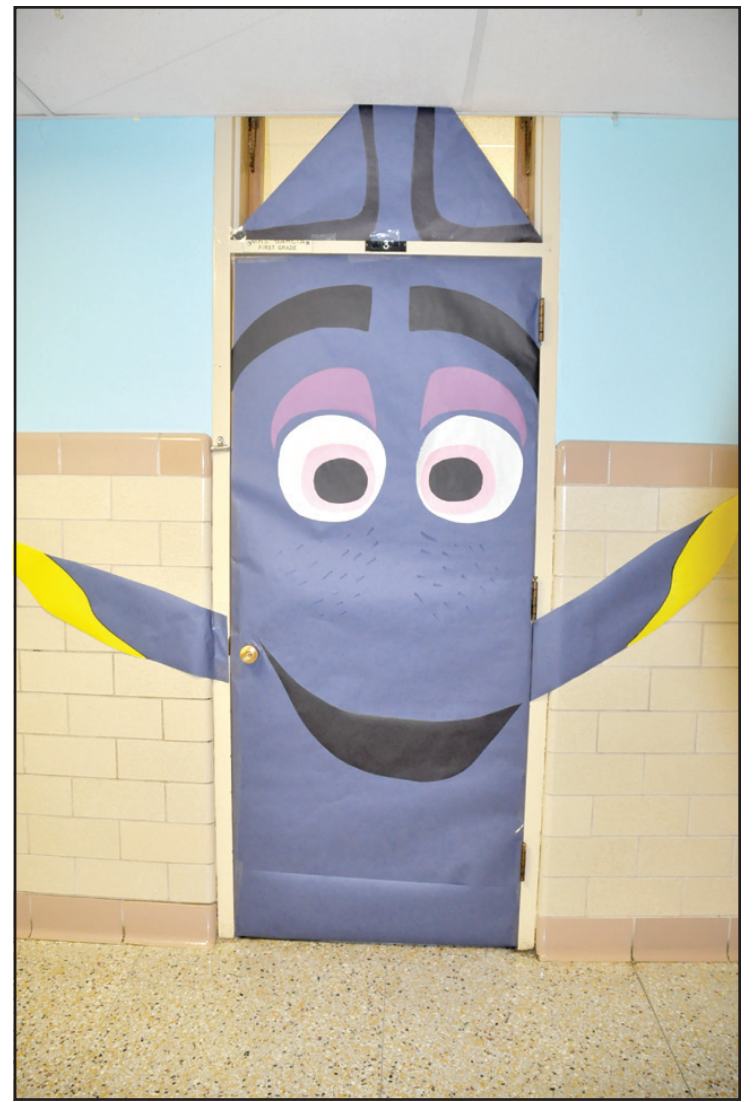
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Kindergarten teacher Ms. Godinez will be welcoming students on Monday morning with an out of this world room design.



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A safari will greet Mrs. Kay LaRue 1st grade students.



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Dory is no longer lost. She can be found in Mrs. Lupe Garcia's 1st grade classroom.



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Mrs. Deidre Osborn's room, left, and Mrs. M'Kell Jeter's room, right will be welcoming back 1st grade campers with a homey "trailer park" at the south end of the Friona Primary building.



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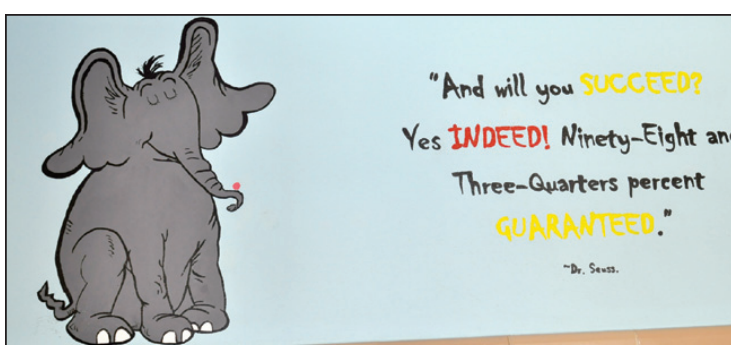
1st graders will start school on Monday, August 22 and be welcomed to the campfire in Mrs. Rosa Flores' room.

REMEMBER

The first day of school is Monday, August 22nd. School starts at 7:55am. All freshman, sophomores, juniors, and seniors will be reporting to their tribal council every morning for the first week of school.

RECUERDA

El primer dia de clases es el Lunes, Agosto 22, 2016. Las clases comenzaran a las 7:55am en punto. Favor de estar ha ese tiempo en su salon. Todos se reportaran ha su salon de tribal council cada manana por la primer semana de escuela.



courtesy photo

The Friona Squaws won 1st place in the Silver Bracket at the Shallowater tournament last weekend. Monday the Squaws swept Childress and Sanford-Fritch in matches played in Childress. In this photo from the Shallowater tournament are, l-r, back row, Carly Drake, Gabby Douglas, Kim DeWit, Taylor Stallings, Mariah Trevino, Sabrina Barraza; front, l-r, Bailey Pope, Kendall Barnett, Paige Upton. The girls will be playing in the Levelland tournament this weekend.