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Youth Fishing Day is Sunday

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The Friona Economic Development Corporation has announced that Sunday, September 8th is Youth Fishing Day. The event will be conducted by the Texas Junior Anglers, Inc. and will take place from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Reeve Lake just south of the Friona Community Center.

No pre-registration is required and the event is free to participants 16 year of age and under. A registration form must be completed and turned in at the event site. A waiver of responsibility must also be signed by a parent or legal guardian. Catch and release of fish is encouraged and all state, federal, and local game and fish laws apply and must be observed by all participants. You may bring your own equipment or TJA will provide all the necessary equipment for you.

The pond will be stocked with adult sized channel catfish giving participants an excellent opportunity to land the BIG one. 6 years and under, 7-11, and 12-16 age groups will be awarded trophies and prizes for 1st and 2nd longest fish. Randomly drawn prizes will also be awarded at the conclusion of the event. Prizes will consist of sporting goods and fishing equipment. Souvenir trophies will also be available and proceeds will benefit TJA and help support this FREE event.

The City of Friona is the title sponsor for the Youth Fishing Day and other event sponsors include The Sportsmen's Club of Fort Worth, Texas Parks & Wildlife, Plfueger, Academy Sports & Outdoors, Shakespeare USA, and Moritz Chevrolet.

Manchee wins Week 1 with tie breaker

Mal Manchee, Ronald Diaz, and Brett Field were the last three standing in Week 1 of the 2019 football contest. They were the only contestants to correctly pick 9 games for the week. Mal won the weekly 1st place prize of \$30 by missing the Lazbuddie/Hart tiebreaker by 21 points. Ronald missed the tiebreaker by 32 points and won the \$20 2nd place prize. Brett missed the tiebreaker by 34 points and won the \$10 3rd place prize. Congratulations to all three! See complete standings on page 7.

Keep Friona Clean Roll-off box to open up for waste items

The City will open up the roll-off box this Saturday, September 7, from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Please come by to dump those items that don't belong in your dumpster and do your part to help Keep Friona Clean!

The roll-off box is located at East 8th and South Jackson Ave. It is a free service provided to Friona residents. Examples of items not allowed in dumpsters includes: steel and metal, mattresses and furniture, refrigerators/AC units, paint



cans (with or without liquids), electronics and appliances, drums/barrels, brick, wood and concrete, railroad ties. Items not accepted in the roll-off box are tires, oil and tree limbs. To dispose of these items, please contact the City office at 806-250-2761.

Chieftains start strong



Two Sections, Sixteen Pages

FHS mascot Magdalena Licerio led the Fighting Cheiftains onto the field to start the 2019 football season last Friday night. The Chieftains struck early and often with a withering offense in route to a decisive 61-6 victory over their Highway 60 rivals, the Farwell Steers. Friona had 562 total yards of offense with only three penalties. The Chiefs travel to Bovina this week to play another Highway 60 team. The game starts at 7:30 and Cargill is cooking hamburgers for all the fans.

2019 Maize Days Celebration begins with Miss Friona/Little Miss Friona Pageant

The 63rd Annual Maize Days Celebration starts this week. Festivities will be held from September

7th through September 14th. "Fiesta Friona" is the theme this year and the Friona Chamber of Commerce encourages everyone to develop their own "fiesta attitude" during the

Saturday, September 7th

The Miss Friona Scholarship Pageant & Little Miss Contest will start at 6:00 p.m. in the Friona High School Auditorium. There will be twelve Miss Friona contestants and seventeen Little Miss contestants. The event will be emceed by Ed & Tyleen Caffery.

Sunday, September 8th

A Youth Fishing Day will be held from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. at Reeve Lake. The event is conducted by the Texas Junior Anglers and sponsored by the Friona Economic Development Corporation.

Friday, September 13th

The Homecoming Football Game will feature the Friona Chieftains playing host to the Muleshoe Mules. The Homecoming Queen for 2019 will be announced during the pre-

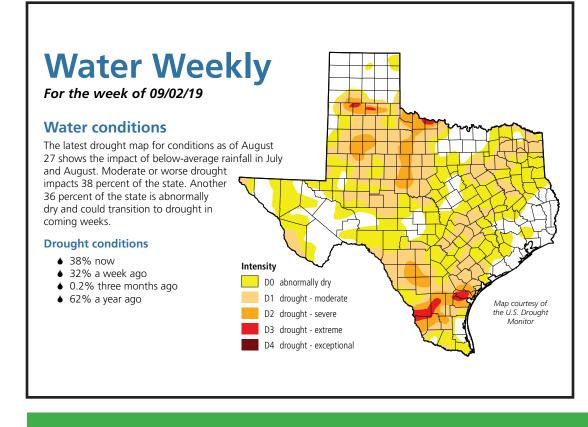
game festivities which will begin around 6:30 p.m. at Chieftain Field.

Saturday, September 14th Line-up for the parade

Line-up for the parade will begin at 9:00 a.m. at 10th & Euclid and the Maize

Days Parade will start at 10:00 a.m. and will travel south down Main Street. There will be vendors in the park and three drawings will be held at 1:00 p.m. in the park near the depot building.







Introducing the new staff at the Friona Public Library. (l-r) Valerie Martinez is the Circulation Clerk, Anahi Gomez is the Library Director, and Becky Upton is the Assistant Director. Be sure to go by and meet them. Friona has a great library and deserves our support.

September 11Patriot Day

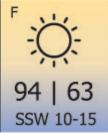
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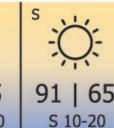
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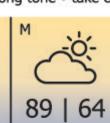
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Community Calendar

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

September 5

- Friona Noon Lions Club meeting at noon at Los Arcos
- Snack Pak 4 Kids Friona United Methodist Church 4:30 p.m.
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.

September 6

- Be Well, Live Well, Educational Series at Heritage Estates, 10:00-11:15 a.m.
- Friona Chieftains @ Bovina at 7:30 p.m.

September 7

• Little Miss & Miss Friona Pageant at FHS Auditorium at 6:00 p.m.

September 9

• Parkinson Support Group Meeting at 5:30 p.m. (MST) at Clovis Community College Rm. 101 Main Bldg. in Clovis, NM

September 12

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- Snack Pak 4 Kids Friona United Methodist Church 4:30 p.m.

September 13

- Be Well, Live Well, Educational Series at Heritage Estates, 10:00-11:15 a.m.
- FHS Homecoming Football Game vs. Muleshoe, pre-game activities start at 6:30 p.m.

September 14

- Maize Days Parade and Celebration! Line up at 9:00 a.m. and Parade at 10:00 a.m.
- Vendors in park and drawings at 1:00 p.m.

September 19

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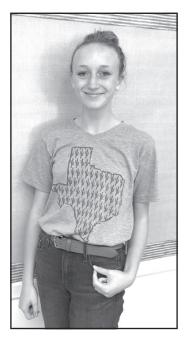
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Jr. High News



Friona Junior High 2019-2020 Student Council

8th Grade



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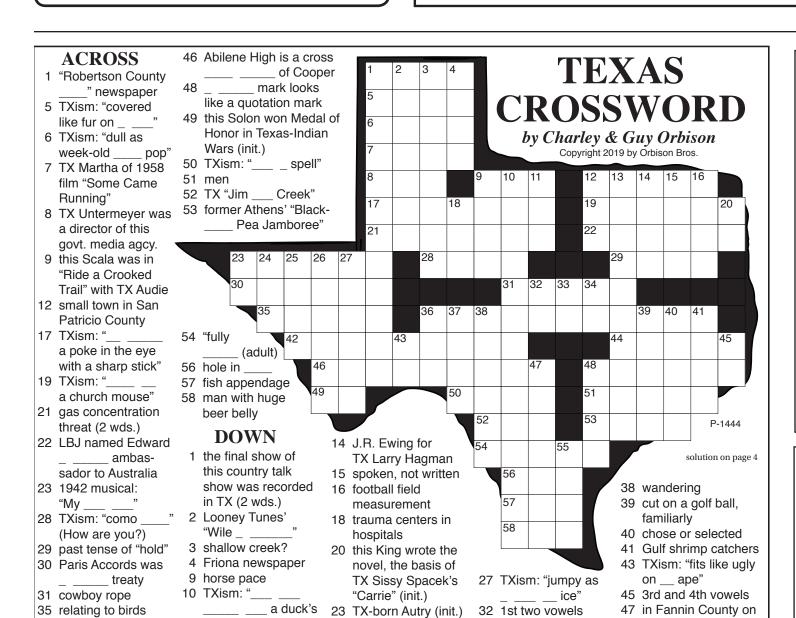
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Friona Vocational Agriculture Association

Win a Quarter of Beef

4 Drawings / 1/4 Beef Each Donated by Ritchie Herring Farms - Drawing held Maize Days - Saturday @ 1:00 P.M. SEPTEMBER 14, 2019, Need not be present to win

\$10 Donation - Tickets available at Friona Wheat Growers



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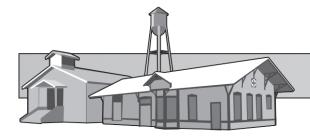
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Don't forget Youth Fishing Day on Sunday, September 8th from 1:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. at Reeve Lake.

Prairie Acres will host the Harvey McFadden's Classics Concert on Thursday, September 12th at 2 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

The Friona High School Class of 1999 is celebrating their 20 year class reunion September 13th and 14th. For more information please email Whitney (Ellis) Rodriguez at whitney_ellis@ymail.com.

*** Parmer County Retired

Teachers and School Personnel will meet at 12:00 noon on Tuesday, September 10th at the home of Sue Wells, two miles north of Friona on Highway 214. County school administrators will join retirees for a Fiesta Pile-On luncheon. All members and new retirees are encouraged to attend.

The Parmer County Steak Dinner is set for Saturday, September 7, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at the XIT community center in Bovina. The steak dinner is a fundraiser to support the students who show at the Parmer County Stock show. Tickets are \$100.00 each for two people. The meal includes steak, potatoes, corn, green beans, a roll, and banana pudding. To purchase tickets contact Chris Timms, 265-5039, Tracy Bunker, 683-1319, or Greg O'Brian, 265-5775.

The Friona Volunteer Fire Department is selling tickets for their annual Maize Days Drawing. The prize this year is a UTV and Trail-

er. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased from any member of the fire department. The drawing will be held at 1:00 p.m. on September 14 in the city park.

The Friona Vocational Agriculture Association is holding a fundraiser to benefit the FFA programs and for a \$10 donation you have four chances to win a 1/4 beef donated by Ritchie Herring Farms. The drawing will be held at 1:00 p.m. on September 14th in the city park. For information call the Friona

*** American Legion Post #206 members are selling tickets for a chance to win a quilt made by Kathy Rec-

Wheat Growers at 250-3211.

tor, a \$100 gift card, or a Hoverboard. Tickets are \$5 each or 5 tickets for \$20. The drawing will be held at 1:00 p.m. on September 14th in the city park. Proceeds will help send students to Boys State and Girls State.

National Days Calendar

September 5 - Cheese Pizza Day

September 6 - Read A **Book Day**

September 7 - Tailgating

September 8 - Grandparent's Day

September 9 - Teddy Bear

September 10 - TV Dinner

September 11 - Patriot

Chieftain football is on the air!!!



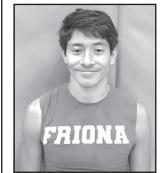
You can listen to Cheiftain football on KGRW 94.7 Kickin' Country and online at Network1sports. com/station/kgrw

The Friona vs Bovina broadcast will begin Friday night at 7:00 p.m. with pre-game coverage and analysis. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m. There is also a post-game show with comments from coaches and players and final thoughts from the broadcasters.



Players of the Week





Offense Jesus Flores, Alex Montez. Drew Montana, Marcos Cruz, Keegan Hurst

Defense Eduardo Chavez



From the Friona Star Archives

5 years ago • September 4, 2014

Workers began pouring cement on the south side of Highway 60 Tuesday. They said it should take a couple of days to finish. They will be moving to the north side of the highway about September 15. Construction began on June 25 and was hampered somewhat by the several rains the area received.

10 years ago • September 10, 2009

The Friona Chieftains entered the game with the Littlefield Wildcats Friday night as 18-point underdogs according to Harris ratings. Littlefield was undefeated in last year's regular season, losing in a playoff game to eventual state champion Muleshoe. In the opening game of the 2009 season the Wildcats crushed Tulia 56-0.

It didn't matter this night. A standing room only crowd of Chieftain fans saw an exciting home opener, as the Chieftain defense held the Wildcat attack to only 14 points and the Chieftain offense scored 20 unanswered points in the second half to stun Littlefield 20-14.

20 years ago • September 10, 1999

One of the most important railway developments since Parmer County first received railway service in the early days of this century has been going on for the past several months, and will be near completion before the 1900s are over.

Burlington-Northern-Santa Fe construction crews have been "burning the midnight oil" on the the project, which is adding a second track all the way through the county.

Actually, the Parmer County portion of the project is just a fraction of the overall job, which will give the railway company a doubleline track from Wellington, Kansas to Vaughn, New Mexico.

30 years ago • September 9, 1989

The United Pentecostal Church of Friona will celebrate its 50th anniversary in Friona with special services Friday, Saturday and Sunday, September 15-16-17. "We are looking forward to having many former members and pastors with us in these services. Also we would like to invite everyone who has ever visited the church to attend," said Rev. Lawrence Thompson, pastor.

Area ranchers to gather in Canyon Sept. 12

The Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association (TSCRA) will host a ranch gathering Thursday, Sept. 12, 2019, at the West Texas A&M Ag Research Complex in Canyon, Texas. The event will provide an opportunity for local cattle producers to learn about TSCRA's recent activities, discuss issues facing cattle raisers and connect with other cattle producers in the area. Registration will begin at 5:30 p.m. followed by a complimentary beef din-

TSCRA Special Ranger Harold Dempsey is slated to provide an update on recent law enforcement activities in the area and discuss strategies to keep livestock and equipment safe and secure. Attendees will also receive updates on other topics of interest to cattle raisers and the community, including a briefing on recent governmental activities that impact Texas ranchers and landowners.

The event is open to the public and free of charge. The West Texas A&M Ag Research Complex is located at 600 West Texas A&M Drive, Canyon, TX 79016.

If planning to attend, TSCRA asks that you register at www.tscra.org/ranch-gatherings or (800) 242-7820, ext. 192. A parking pass is required and can be requested from TSCRA when you register.

TSCRA would like to thank Elanco, Nutrition Plus, Capital Farm Credit, Express Scale Services and Bamert Seed Company for sponsoring the event.

TSCRA is a 142-year-old trade association and is the largest and oldest livestock organization based in Texas. TSCRA has more than 17,500 beef cattle operations, ranching families and businesses as members. These members represent approximately 55,000 individuals directly involved in ranching and beef production who manage 4 million head of cattle on 76 million acres of range and pasture land primarily in Texas, Oklahoma and throughout the Southwest.



Drawing is this UTV and Trailer. The drawing will be held at 1:00 p.m. on September 14 in the city park. Tickets are \$10 each and can be purchased from any member of the fire department.

Ioin the Arbor Day Foundation in September and Receive 10 Free Trees

Everyone who joins the Arbor Day Foundation in September will receive 10 free trees as part of the Foundation's Trees for America pro-

Through Trees for America, everyone is encouraged to plant trees, which benefit the environment and improve the quality of life. With nearly 1 million members and supporters, the Arbor Day Foundation is the nation's largest nonprofit organization dedicated to planting trees.

Everyone who joins this month will receive one of the following tree packages based on their location: 10 Arizona cypress, 10 live oak or 10 mix trees including eastern redbud, white pine, sugar maple, white flowering dogwood, pin oak, red maple, river birch, silver maple, northern red oak and Colorado blue spruce.

"These trees are carefully selected to yield year-round benefits, including beautiful spring flowers, cool summer shade, spectacular autumn colors, winter berries, and nesting sites for songbirds," said Matt Harris, chief executive of the Arbor Day Foundation.

"These trees will also add to the proud heritage of your state's Tree City USA communities." Harris continued. "For the past 43 years, Tree City USA has supported effective urban forestry management across the country and planting these trees will enhance this tree-planting tradition."

The trees will be shipped postpaid at the right time for planting between October 15 and December 10. The 6- to 12-inch trees are guaranteed to grow or they will be replaced free of charge. Easyto-follow planting instructions are enclosed with each shipment of trees.

New members of the Arbor Day Foundation will also receive The Tree Book, which includes information about tree planting and care.

To receive the 10 free trees, visit arborday.org/September or send a \$10 membership contribution by September 30 to: Arbor Day Foundation Ten Trees, 100 Arbor Ave., Nebraska City, NE 68410.





Good Luck to all the Miss Friona & Little Miss Contestants!

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In retirement, guarantees matter.

A recent study revealed that 79% of Americans plan to continue working once they're "retired." Why do so many expect to postpone a typical, leisure-filled retirement? One theory points to the decline of pensions and the need to replace the income stream that used to come—guaranteed—from a past employer. Today, only 48% of private sector employers offer defined contribution or traditional defined benefit pension plans. And traditional defined benefit plans are disappearing. In 2015, just 20% of Fortune 500 companies offered defined benefit pensions to new employ-

With private pensions becoming rarer, guarantees in retirement may be few and far between, but it doesn't make them any less important.

For starters, guarantees might make you happier. Research suggests that retirees get more satisfaction from each dollar of Social Security and pension income than they do from any other source of income.⁴ That's because you're more likely to be confident spending money when you know another check is right around the corner.

Guarantees can also help you be a more confident investor through market ups and downs. Guarantees can be the guardrails you need to stay the course when investing, knowing that you have some protection built into your portfolio. And, with Americans living longer than ever before, guarantees in your overall retirement plan, which can be provided by annuities, may help assure that your money lasts as long as you do. (Guarantees are based on the claims-paying ability of the issuer.)

Just as no two retirements are alike, not all guarantees are alike, so it's important to understand the options available to you and to identify what, in your own retirement, you want to guarantee.

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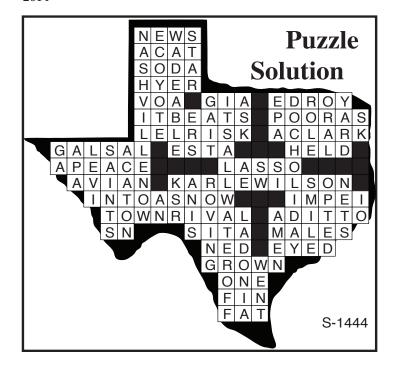
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¹Ben Steverman, "Working Past 70: Americans Can't Seem to Retire," Bloomberg, July 10, 2017.

²"Employee Benefits Survey," Retiree Benefits," Bureau of Labor Statistics, March 2017.

³Jerry Geisel, "Fortune 500 Continues to Shed Pension Plans," Business Insurance, February 22, 2016.

⁴"What Makes a Successful Retirement?" Research, February 2014



Texas Weekly Fuel Update and Outlook

Texas gas prices have fallen 3.2 cents in the past week to an average of \$2.29 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 13,114 stations. Gas prices in Texas are 15.7 cents per gallon lower than a month ago and 30.7 cents per gallon lower than a year ago.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Texas is priced at \$1.96, while the most expensive is \$3.19 per gallon. The cheapest price in the entire country today stands at \$1.61, while the most expensive is \$4.99 per gallon. The national average price of gasoline has fallen 1.9 cents in the last week to an average of \$2.56 per gallon. The national average is down 14.6 cents per gallon from a month ago, and stands 26.1 cents per gallon lower than a year ago.

"With last week's decline in the national average, the tally now stands at seven straight weeks of decline, and heading into the fall, its nearly guaranteed that gas prices will continue to fall as we switch back to cheaper winter gasoline and demand plummets, especially as Hurricane Dorian shuts down the Southeast," said Patrick DeHaan, head of petroleum analysis for GasBuddy. "While a China/U.S. trade deal could undermine the normal seasonal decline in prices that we anticipate, its still nearly guaranteed that average gas prices in nearly every state will stand lower on Thanksgiving and Christmas versus where we stand today. With the changeover to winter gasoline just two weeks away for a bulk of the country, we believe there will be additional drops in gas prices ahead. For those concerned about pricing impacts from Hurricane Dorian, we remind motorists that not all hurricanes impact prices. In fact, few truly leave a mark with the last being Hurricane Harvey in 2017 which knocked out a third of all U.S. refining capacity. The number of refineries seeing such impacts for Dorian will likely be zero, and that makes all the difference. GasBuddy's app also continues to track where motorists can find gas in Florida, Georgia, South and North Carolina with Dorian bearing down."

GasBuddy is the authoritative voice for gas prices and the only source for station-level data spanning nearly two decades. Gas-Buddy's survey updates 288 times every day from the most diverse list of sources covering nearly 150,000 stations nationwide, the most comprehensive and up-to-date in the country. GasBuddy data is accessible at http://FuelInsights.GasBuddy.com.

Courthouse Notes

Warranty deeds as reported by the County Clerk's Office from the week of August 22, 2019 through August 29, 2019:

Jeffrey V. Steelman — Kendall Jamerson, Tracy Jamerson, All of E 50 L 3 All of L 4 B 115

Jonathan Trent Quintana — Timothy Lucas Steelman, All of L 16 and 17 B 43

Omar Banegas — Jose Rodriguez, Maria Rodriguez, All of Lot 3 B 101 Original Town of Bovina



Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office: Randy Geries, Sheriff

8/26/19 - Daniel Ortiz, Jr., 27, of Odessa was arrested by the Farwell PD for possession CS Pg2 > 4g., 400g., pending grand jury

8/27/19 - Tommy James, 59, of Shallowater was arrested by

the Farwell PD for hindering secured creditors > 30K < 150K and false statement to receive property/credit, pending district court.

8/29/19 - Coniel McDaniel, 43, of Clovis was arrested by the

Parmer County SO for unlawful possession of firearm by felon, theft property > \$2,500 < \$30K, possession CS Pg1 < 1g., pending grand jury.

8/29/19 - Mindi Johnson, 21, of Clovis was arrested by the Parmer County SO for theft property > \$2,500 < \$30K, possession CS Pg1 < 1g., pending grand jury.

8/29/19 - Alfredo Alonzo, 58, of Bovina was arrested by the Bovina PD for criminal mischief, pending county court.

8/30/19- Deeanna Proffitt, 28, of Odessa, was arrested by the Friona PD for possession CS Pg2 >4g<400g, pending grand jury and possession marijuana <2 oz., pending county court.



AIM program: HPWD accepting applications for cost-share funding

LUBBOCK (September 4, 2019) – For the next three weeks, High Plains Underground Water Conservation District (HPWD) is accepting applications for cost-share funding for the third round of its Assistance in Irrigation Management (AIM) program. The enrollment period ends Sept. 25.

HPWD recently received \$230,000 for AIM funding through the Texas Water Development Board's Agricultural Water Conservation Grants program. This is the third year that HPWD has made these cost-share funds available to interested producers.

"AIM is a voluntary program to assist producers with the purchase price of telemetry-based irrigation monitoring systems used with either a center pivot system or subsurface drip irrigation system," said HPWD General Manager Jason Coleman.

An online application form and procedures are available at aimapp.hpwd.org. This website also includes a link to program terms & conditions – plus essential information to be included in the application.

"This year, the allocated cost-share funding is tied to the number of irrigated acres by county within the Water District. We will evaluate the number of applications received by county at the end of the three-week application period. Any remaining funds will be available on a first-come, first-served basis after that time," Coleman said.

More than 40 producers enrolled 18,400 acres of land during the first round of the AIM Program (2017). There were 154 telemetry-based systems deployed which resulted in 13,500 acre-inches of water saved.

Of this, Coleman said 6,372 acre-inches of water was saved when producers received notification of irrigation system malfunctions; 6,029 acre-inches was saved with use of irrigation scheduling software; and 1,093 acre-inches was saved by remotely turning off equipment in response to a rainfall alert.

"During the past two years, producers have shown a great amount of interest in using telemetry-based technology to improve their irrigation scheduling," Coleman said. "HPWD commends them for their efforts to conserve groundwater resources within the District."

Additional information about the AIM Program is available by contacting Victoria Whitehead at (806) 762-0181 or emailing aim@hpwd. org

Created in 1951 by local residents and the State Legislature, the High Plains Water District works to conserve, preserve, protect, and prevent the waste of underground water within its 16-county service area. HPWD is the first groundwater conservation district created in Texas.

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Psalm 137—Politically Incorrect

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

As you read through the scriptures, you come across lots of things that are politically incorrect, and may seem abrasive to our modern sensitivities. We rejoice that David slew Goliath with a stone, but gloss over David slicing Goliath's head off with the giant's own sword, or we shy away from obliteration of people, as the Israelites occupied the promised land. Psalm 137 carries another one of these politically incorrect passages, as the Psalmist requests from the Lord, regarding Babylon, "Blessed shall be he who takes your little ones and dashes them against the rock!" Wow!!! That is definitely is not turning the other cheek. How does one make sense of this verse?

Context, context and context is so key in interpreting Bible passages! Psalm 137 is a cry out of the context of the Babylonian captivity, where God used a wicked nation to punish His idolatrous people. The Babylonian's wrath was fierce, and now in captivity, Psalm 137 captures the cry for God to punish those who punished Israel. The Israelites' cry was that the Babylon's punishment would be the same measure as theirs was when the Babylonians ruthlessly crushed them. The Israelites cried out for vengeance and justice, which God did grant, but only in His timing and in His way. In fact, God had already foretold Babylon's destruction, which came about in 539 BC, when the Persians overtook the Babylonians.

Maybe you find yourself in a situation today that has caused you great oppression or injustice, and you have a hard time even praying honestly to God. May Psalm 137 be an encouragement to leave vengeance in God's hands, and continue praying and pursing the Lord in honesty and trust.

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Lunch: BBQ Sandwich, Chips, Ranch Beans, Coleslaw, Fruit Juice, Milk

Panhandle Parables

Sunday Shined Boots

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

There it was in the bottom of my closet, memories flooded in as I opened up the old box. It was my grandfather's shoe shine kit complete with a place to put your boot right on the top. I have had this old shoe shine kit for much of my adult life, and I have learned a few lessons some from the box but more by the man who owned the box.

Lawrence "Barney" Castleberry stepped through the corridor of death in 1998. He liked Red Man chewing tobacco, ice cream at 10pm and Johnny Carson, and on most Saturday nights you could find him buffing up his boots for Sunday. He did not shine his boots to impress anyone, it was a very small thing he did to give his best on Sunday. He was not a rich man, but measured wealth in his faith, his family, his work ethic and his love of my grandmother. I have written before about lessons I have learned from him. He challenged me to think, to study, to learn, and as I looked through that old box I saw several polishes some of them his, some of them mine, I am reminded of a few things I want to

#1 What you don't use will dry up and fade away. Like some of those old polish cans half used now dried and cracked. If you don't exercise some use in God's Word, it will be the same.

#2 Polish was never intended to stay in the can. It was meant to be put on a boot to make it shine. Jesus was never intended to stay in the pages of the gospels. His best work comes when we let Him live in us.

#3 To get a good shine takes a lot of elbow grease. Don't be afraid to work through a problem. You just might be surprised how good things will turn out if you keep going.

#4 Give your best right down to the shine on your boots. Give your best to God, give your best to your spouse, give your best to your children, simple give your best. Day in and day

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How Do We Affect Personalities?

By Teena Hughs

I am an animal lover; I especially love cats and dogs. I have learned many things about human beings from animals.

For a number of years, I had three cats living on our sun porch and three cats living in our house. I don't know what happened, but in February, I decided I had had enough, and it was time to move some cats outside.

We moved the three on the sun porch into some pens; they loved the move immediately. Although it has been a long, slow process, two cats from our house, a mother-daughter bully team, are also happy living outside.

The one cat I left in the house is Scrapper, a cat I have raised, thanks to help and advice from Randa Copley, since she was one or two days old. When the bullies were living in the house, there were days I seldom saw Scrapper. She was hiding somewhere until it was bedtime. She sleeps with us, and she would show up when we started to bed. We had to shut the doors to our bedroom to keep the bullies from bothering her, and us.

Several times, Feller and I have talked about the change in Scrapper since the bullies moved out. She is much friendlier, happier, more loving, and wherever we are, she is there with

One day, I got to thinking about how Scrapper's personality has changed with no bullies around. I also started thinking about people, and how our personalities are affected by other people: how they treat us, how they talk to us or about us, how some people can give us freedom to be who we want to be, and hopefully who God wants us to be, while others keep their thumb on us and stifle our personalities. I wondered if I have ever done anything to keep someone from being the person God created them to be; I sincerely hope I haven't.

Sometimes, we really do not know what effect we are having on others. So, ever so often, it might be good to do an assessment of how we deal with people we are often around. Are we influencing people in an uplifting, encouraging way, and trying to help them become the people God wants them to become, or are we doing the exact opposite?

I have not regretted for a second keeping Scrapper in the house and moving the other cats outside. In fact, it has been an extra good move for the bullies. They have had an attitude adjustment, and they and their personalities are much nicer than they used to be. Sometimes attitude and personality adjustments are just what God ordered to help us become the people He desires us to be!

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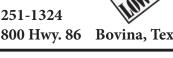
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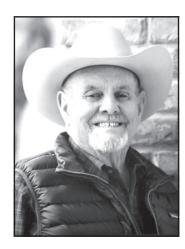
OBITUARY

James Wesley Barnett

James Wesley Barnett, 80 of Friona passed away on August 30th, 2019 peacefully in his home surrounded by his loving family. Celebration of Life Memorial Services will be held 2:00 P.M. Saturday. September 7, 2019 at the Friona United Methodist Church with Rev. Skip Hodges, officiating. Arrangements, by HANSARD FAMILY Funeral Home of Friona.

Wesley will forever be remembered for the amazing legacy he has left in the hearts of his family. Wesley was born in Hereford, Texas to Mildred and Fern Barnett on January 6, 1939. He grew up in Black, Texas and attended a one room schoolhouse with three other students in his class, transferring to Friona schools beginning in the sixth grade. He was an all-around athlete, excelling in track, football, baseball, and basketball. He met the love of his life, Doris Iane McFarland, during his iunior year in high school. They were married on December 26, 1959. He was offered a baseball scholarship with the University of Arizona, but decided to attend Texas Tech Institute where he was on the baseball roster. He studied mathematics and was a member of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity. Upon graduating from Texas Tech, they moved back to Friona where they raised their five children. Wesley went to work at Parmer County Implement until he began farming in 1964. He purchased his first piece of land in 1965 and became a successful farmer and businessman. Wesley began flying private airplanes in the 1970s, earning both an instrument and commercial rating.

You could always find Wesley at 9 o'clock and 3 o'clock



every day at a local establishment with his friends for coffee and conversation. He looked forward to Saturday morning breakfast with the men. He loved trips to Spencer Theater, Ruidoso and Cactus Theatre with lifelong friends. He loved fishing, driving around the farm, and watching the windmills go

Wesley was an intricate part of the Friona community. He was involved in the First United Methodist Church Administrative Board, Friona School Board, National Cattleman's Association Board of Directors, the Appraisal Review Board, Texas Cattle Feeder's Board, Parmer County Wind Board, and Broadview New Mexico Wind Board. He had ownership in West Plain's Feedyard, CattleTown Feedyard, and Paco Feedyard. He also had ownership in the Ford Dealership in Hereford and George and Barnett International Harvester in Tulia. He was on the Baseball Board as well as being a coach. He was the Friona Chamber of Commerce Man of the Year in 1990.

Wesley was a successful businessman, but the proudest accomplishment of his life was his family. He attend-

ed every sporting event, concert, and recital for his five children. He traveled around the country to see grandchildren play tennis, volleyball, basketball, baseball, soccer, and anything they were involved in. As his family grew, he loved planning holiday get togethers so that everyone stayed connected. Arranging entertainment, transportation, food, and fun put an enormous smile on his face.

He is preceded in death by his parents, and one sister Betty Jane Douglas.

Wesley is survived by his wife of 59 years, Doris; children Chris and his wife Renae from San Angelo, TX; Kyle and his wife Melissa from Salt Lake City, UT; Kim Barnett Martz and her husband Scott from Aubrey, TX: Ricky and his wife Erin from Friona, TX; and David and his wife Heather from Little Rock, AR.; and sister Judy Davis of Irving. Grandchildren are Morgan (Will) Lane, Macy (Harvey) Williams, John, Kyle, Delaney, Zach, Emily, Josh, Kendall, Wes, Grace, May and great-granddaughters Emma and Claire. There are also numerous nieces and nephews.

The family will accept visitors on Friday, September 6th at 1709 West 9th Street, Friona Texas from 6-8pm.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Friona United Methodist Scholarship Fund, 301 East 8th Street, Friona Texas 79035.

You may send condolences to the family and sign the online register book at www. hansardfamily.com





Coconut

Over history the coconut has been used for its flesh, its milk, its shell, to make rope, or even as a flotation device. It has always been versatile. Even in modern times, the coconut has found its place in the diets of the health conscience with the use of coconut oil, coconut flour, coconut sugar as well as its use in many beauty products.

The coconut has an interesting history. It originated in India and Southeast Asia. It seems to have moved across the world in two different ways. Because the coconut can float, it caught a ride on the ocean currents and traveled to tropical islands. However, it was also transported by man over land and water trade routes. Arab traders who went from India to East Africa carried coconuts as much as 2000 years ago. Coconuts were introduced to Europeans along the Asian Silk Road. Marco Polo came across the coconut in Egypt in the 13th century and called it "the Pharaoh's nut." In the 16th century Vasco da Gama brought the coconut along the "maritime silk road." It was here that the modern name for coconut was derived from the word cocuruto or skull because of the three dots that looked like two eyes and a mouth. Other reports claim the word came from the Spanish and Portuguese word coco which meant "monkey face." The coconuts then made their way to the Caribbean with colonialism and the slave trade. Coconuts are now found in most tropical regions across the world.

In honor of World Coconut Day on September 2, here are a few recipes that use coconut in one form or another. The first is a granola recipe from my cousin, Kelli Smith. She brought this to share at Camp New Dawn this summer, and it was a big hit with the volunteers. The chicken recipe I found online, and I thought looked worth a try. The pancakes are one I enjoy when I want to have a "healthy" pancake. Bill is not a fan of them, but I think they are pretty tasty.

The facts this week can be found at coconutoil-central.com and aramcoworld.com.

Apricot Ginger Coconut "Granola" By Kelli Smith

5 dried apricots

1/4 cup coconut oil (melted)

2 tsp. vanilla extract ½ tsp. almond extract

2 cups raw sunflower seeds

2 cups raw pumpkin seeds

1 cup chopped raw pecans 1 cup sliced raw almonds

3 cups unsweetened coconut flakes or shredded unsweetened coconut

1 tsp. ground ginger

1 tsp. ground allspice

Sweetener equivalent to ¼ cup sugar - optional (I used 2 TBS Pure Organic Stevia)

Preheat oven to 275oF. In a food processor or food chopper (I just diced with knife) pulse the apricots until they are reduced to very small fragments. In a small bowl, combine the apricots and coconut oil and mix thoroughly. Add the vanilla, almond extract, stir, and set

In a large bowl, combine the sunflower seeds, pumpkin seeds, pecans, almonds, coconut, ginger, allspice, and sweetener (if using). Stir in the reserved apricot mixture until

Spread the mixture in a large baking pan and bake for about 15 minutes, stirring halfway through, or until lightly browned. I used jelly roll pans and baked in two batches. (It makes about 10 cups) Remove and cool. Stored in an airtight container at room temperature, it will keep for about a week. May be used as cereal with milk, a snack by itself, topper on yogurt or other cereal. Could add raisins, dried cranberries, chocolate chips, or anything else you love.

State Capital Highlights

By Ed Sterling



Report details progress in school safety

AUSTIN — The Texas School Safety Update. a report highlighting progress made to keep students and teachers safe at school, was released by Gov. Greg Abbott on Aug. 27.

The report gives Texans an update on efforts by the governor's office, the Legislature and state agencies toward implementing recommendations made in the School Safety Action Plan released on May 30, 2018 and the subsequent update in August 2018.

The first indication of progress listed in the report is that the state's "Mental Health First Aid" program saw a 37-percent increase in the number of public school district employees and school resource officers trained in fiscal year 2018 compared to fiscal year 2017, and more than 10,000 school personnel were trained in fiscal year 2019, which ended Aug.

"Because the safety of our students in Texas classrooms today is a top priority, I made school safety an emergency item in the 86th Legislative Session — and state leaders took substantial steps to deliver on this priority," Abbott said.

"I am grateful for the bi-partisan efforts of legislators that led to significant improvements in enhancing the safety of Texas schools, expanding students' access to mental health resources, and increasing support for teachers facing classroom challenges. As we look to the possibilities that a new school year may bring, school administrators, parents, teachers and lawmakers must continue the conversation on school safety and continue to make the effort to keep our students safe in an affirming environment that strives for excellence and growth," the governor added.

Among other areas of progress listed in the report are:

1. Since August 2018, the Texas State School Safety Center (TxSSC) has held seven threat assessment workshops with 425 participants, and will host seven more workshops this Au-

2. The 2020-21 state budget provides \$5 million to Texas Tech Health Sciences Center for the Telemedicine Intervention Triage and Referral Project, a model for identifying students at risk for committing school violence and intervening with those students before acts of violence occur: and

3. Senate Bill 11, which took effect June 6. provides districts with \$100 million in funding for school-based mental health centers, the

hiring of counselors and other mental health needs, and provides \$99 million in funding for the Texas Mental Health Care Consortium.

Furthermore, the passage of SB 11, along with HB 1 and SB 500, makes available some \$339 million in school safety funding for various agencies and entities, including the Health and Human Services Commission, the Texas Education Agency, Texas State University and the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

AG joins in court brief

Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton on Aug. 23 co-signed a friend-of-the-court civil rightsrelated brief filed with the U.S. Supreme Court.

Paxton and the attorneys general of 13 other states, and one governor, urge the high court to overturn lower court cases that the coalition says would expand provisions of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 that prohibit discrimination based on a person's sex to include sexual orientation and gender identity.

DPS calls for extra caution

As schools reopened across Texas and classrooms filled, the Texas Department of Public Safety put out a reminder that drivers need to slow down in school zones.

DPS urged drivers to be extra careful around school buses, to follow all traffic laws, and to stay alert around schools and the surrounding areas where children may be walking and playing.

DPS troopers "won't tolerate reckless driving that puts children in harm's way," said the agency's director, Steve McCraw.

If a school bus has alternating flashing red signals visible from the front or rear, drivers must stop before reaching the bus. Drivers can only proceed if the flashing lights are no longer activated; the driver signals you to proceed; or the bus has resumed driving. Approaching drivers do not have to stop for a school bus that is operating a visual signal if the roadway is separated by a physical barrier or an intervening space.

Many new laws take effect

Some 820 bills that passed during the regular session of 86th Texas Legislature that ended May 27 took effect Sept. 1.

A complete listing of those bills, including links to their text, analyses, fiscal notes and witness lists, can be found under the "Reports" tab at capitol.texas.gov.

Instant Pot Coconut Curry Chicken

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Ingredients

1 Tbsp coconut oil

1 medium onion, chopped

3 Tbsp curry powder, or to taste, divided 2 cloves garlic, chopped

1 (14.5 ounce) can diced tomatoes, drained

1 (8 ounce) can tomato paste

½ cup chicken broth

2 Tbsp white sugar

2 pounds chicken breast

Salt to taste

Ground black pepper to taste

1 (14 ounce) can coconut milk, only use the solid portion in can to make a thicker sauce

Directions

Turn on a multi-functional pressure cooker (such as Instant Pot(R)) and select Sauté function. Add coconut oil; when hot, add onion and cook for 1 minute. Add 2 tablespoons curry powder and garlic. Mix well and cook for 2 minutes. Turn off Sauté function. Stir in diced tomatoes, tomato sauce, chicken broth, and sugar. Poke holes into each chicken breast using a fork. Sprinkle with salt, pepper, and remaining curry

powder. Add seasoned chicken to the pot. Close and lock the lid. Select high pressure according to manufacturer's instructions; set timer for 10 minutes. Allow 10 to 15 minutes for pressure to build. Release pressure using the natural-release method according to manufacturer's instructions for 10 minutes. Release remaining pressure carefully using the quickrelease method according to manufacturer's instructions, about 5 minutes. Unlock and remove the lid. Remove chicken; use 2 forks to shred the meat and return it to the pot. Turn on Sauté function; cook and stir until liquid is lightly boiling, 2 to 3 minutes. Turn pressure cooker to Keep Warm. Add coconut milk and stir well; cook for 10 minutes more to allow flavors to come together. You may want to add only the solid portion of the coconut milk or just add a partial amount depending on how thick you want the sauce.

Cinnamon Coconut Paleo Pancakes nomnompaleo.com

Ingredients 2 large eggs

3 tablespoons full fat coconut milk

½ mashed ripe banana about 2 tablespoons

½ teaspoon apple cider vinegar

½ teaspoon vanilla extract

11/2 tablespoons of Bob's Red Mill organic coconut flour

½ teaspoon cinnamon

¼ teaspoon baking soda

1 small pinch of salt

ghee or coconut oil for frying

Instructions Whisk the eggs, coconut

milk, mashed banana, apple cider vinegar, and vanilla extract in a large bowl until well combined. Then, in a separate bowl, mix together the coconut flour,

cinnamon, baking soda, and salt. Whisk together the dry and wet ingredients just before cooking. Heat a tablespoon of ghee over medium heat in a small cast iron skillet and add a tablespoon of batter to the pan.

As soon as bubbles formed on the surface (about 11/2 minutes), flip the flapjack over and let it cook for another 30 seconds or so on the other side. Repeat until done with the batter and enjoy!



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Three Ways to Enter:

Fax to: 806-250-5127 -or-Mail to: Football Contest P.O. Box 789 Friona, TX 79035 Bring Entry to: Friona Star Office 208 E. 11th Friona TX

Mailed entries should be postmarked by 4 p.m. Fri-

Each correct game picked counts as one point. Top 3 players with the most total points at the end of the contest will win a Grand Prize of \$150 for 1st, \$100 for 2nd, \$50 for 3rd.

Only one entry form per individual. Must be 10-years or over to enter. Newspaper employees and their immediate families are not eligible to enter.

For questions or more information call: 806-250-2211.

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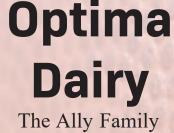
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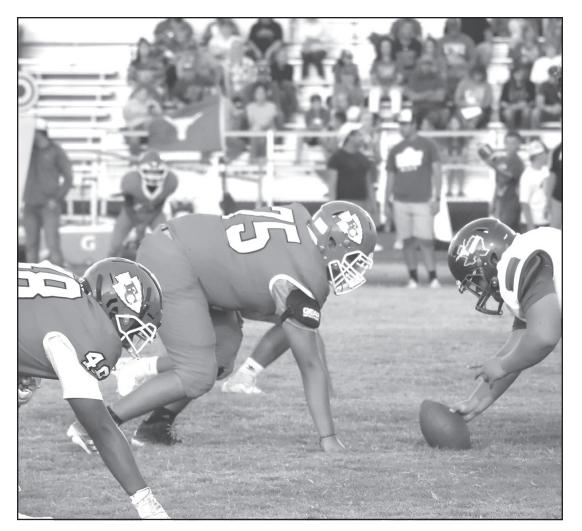
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NAME:_ ADDRESS: CITY, STATE & ZIP_____ PHONE: DEADLINE 4:00 P.M. FRIDAY, September 6, 2019 FILL IN CIRCLE NEXT YOUR SELECTION Canyon at \square Randall Sudan at \(\square\) New Home Dalhart at \(\square\) Bushland Tulia at 🔲 🔲 Floydada Texas A&M at
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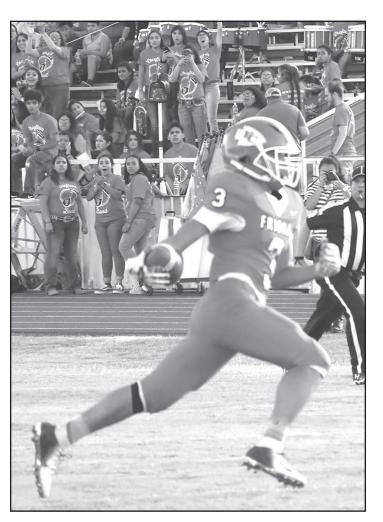






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1	Jacob Bautista	3		82	1	27.3		
3	Elian Mendoza	1		17	1	17.0		
10	Jose Rodriguez	1		5	0	5.0		
15	Josiah Rejino	1		15	1	15.0		
20	Jonathan Barrios	3		30	0	10.0		
22	Eduardo Chavez	3		74	1	24.6		
28	Javier Rodriguez	1		15	0	15.0		
	Receiving Totals:	13		238	4	18.3		
	Rushing Stats	Carri	es	Yards	TDs	Avg		
1	Jacob Bautista	7		145	1	20.7		
7	Jose Grado	2		9	1	4.5		
11	Rogelio Palacios	8		56	2	7.0		
12	Angel Carranza	8		36	1	4.5		
22	Eduardo Chavez	3		23	0	7.7		
34	Juan Trejo	8		55	0	6.9		
	Rushing Totals:	36		324	5	9.0		
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7	Jose Grado	13	18	238	4	0		
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2	Tim Ally	7	9		0			
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Varsity FootballFinal Score: Friona 61 Farwell 6

Junior Varsity Football

1st quarter:
Bryan Chavira 59 yard run. Mario Bautista 2 point conversion. Bryan Chavira to Moises Pina 30 yard pass. Mario Bautista 2 point conversion.

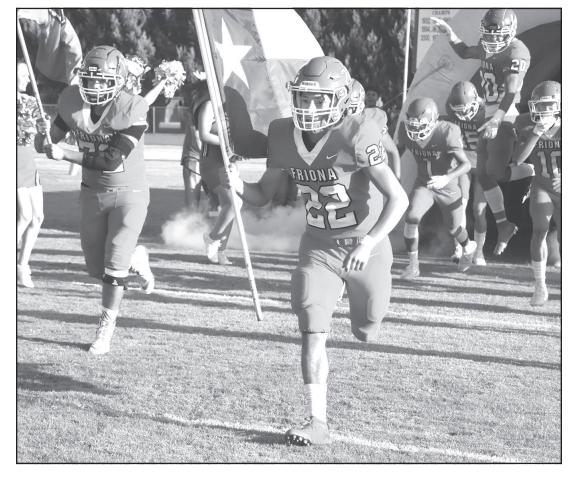
2nd quarter:
Mario Bautista 5 yard run. Mario Bautista 2 point conversion.
Mario Bautista 2 yard run. Alberth Arguelles 2 point conversion.

Mario Bautista 19 yard run. 2 point failed. Mario Bautista 15 yard run. 2 point failded.
Final Score: Friona 38 Farwell 6

Freshman Football

The Friona Freshman team played the Bushland Freshmen. They lost 48-14. Jorge Chavez had a 38 yard TD run. The Extra point was no good. Alexis Rivas returned a fumble recovery for a 70 yard TD. Jorge Chavez scored the 2-point conversion. Final Score: Friona 14 Bushland 48









The 8th Grade A Team won 2nd Place at last week's Border Bash Volleyball Tournament held in Friona. (courtesy photo) Members of the team are: Back row (l-r) Reese Stowers, Melody Upton, Amy Montana, AJ London, Middle row (l-r) Jaycee Burney, Ivory Shelby, Saraya Luna, Front row (l-r) Yeslie Faudoa, Ellie Galaviz

2019 Friona Pink Out Game- October 18, 2019

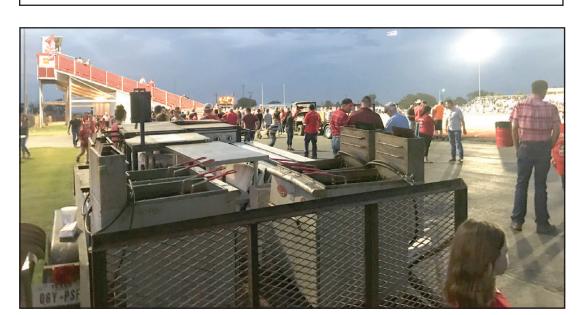
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After the fries are gone. The Friona Noon Lions Club cooked 550 pounds of french fries at the Friona Chieftain home opener last Friday night. They teamed up with Cargill, who cooked 1,400 hamburgers, to provide an opening game meal for all the fans.

Xcel Energy customers will receive refunds this month

Xcel Energy's Texas customers will see a credit on their electric bills this month that reflect a one-time \$16 million fuel cost refund announced in June.

The refund, which has been approved the Public Utility Commission of Texas, is related to several months of lower costs for natural gas used to fuel area power plants – savings that are expected to continue with the addition of the new Hale Wind Project near Plainview, which started commercial operations at the end of June.

All of Xcel Energy's various customer classes will receive funds. Depending on billing cycles, the refunds could be prorated over a two-month period. Residential customers us-

ing 1,000 kilowatt-hours a month would receive a total credit of \$14.53, higher than the refund Texas customers received in January that amounted to \$11.76 on a typical residential bill.

In addition to the onetime refund, Xcel Energy reduced the fuel cost factor on customer bills on July 1, lowering a typical residential bill by about 5 percent. The change was made to better reflect current and anticipated costs for natural gas, which is the fuel source for about half of the region's electricity supply.

The fuel cost factor, which accounts for about 20 percent of a typical residential bill, collects revenue to pay the cost of coal and natural gas that fuel generators at area power plants, and also

recovers the cost of electricity imported from outside the region. Xcel Energy does not profit from fuel costs since they are passed through to customers dollar for dollar. If actual fuel costs exceed the pre-set factor, Xcel Energy can surcharge customer bills to make up the difference. Earlier in the year, the set factor was collecting too much revenue as natural gas prices dropped, resulting in the current refund.

A proposal to increase base rates, which account for the remainder of a customer's bill, is still being reviewed by the cities Xcel Energy serves in Texas, as well as by the Public Utility Commission of Texas. Any changes in base rates, if approved, would not occur until mid-2020.



In the photo above Luke Carthel, son of Andy and Tabitha Carthel, is shown participating in the drawing of door prizes at the 57th Annual Friona Farmers Co-Op stockholders meeting last Thursday night. Luke received a dollar bill for his troubles. Granddad Davy was right behind helping out. In the photo below, David Hough was the grand prize winner in the drawing. He took home a brand new wood pellet smoker.





Cargill Cooking Team (1-r) Wes Drake, Friona Plant Manager Scott Pohlman, Bryan Dunn, Abigail Harbert, Coleman Curry, Mark Neill and Mickey Pena (pictured in back)

2019 Miss Friona Scholarship Pageant & Little Miss















6:00 p.m. Saturday, September 7, 2019 Friona High School Auditorium

Emcees: Ed & Tyleen Caffery



2019 Miss Friona Contestants & Sponsors

1: Jodie Denton (Hi-Pro Feeds)

2: Mariah Rivera (LoneStar Ag)

3: Nancy Rocha (Los Arcos Restaurant)

4: Nayeli Soto (Becky's Burritos)

5: Mariana Pina (Friona Banking Center)

6: Esperanza Santiago (UFCW Local 540 & Cargill)

7: Kylee Sifuentes (Bunker Trucking)

8: Xitlaly Ortiz Carrillo (Parmer Paws)

9: Rebecca Schlenker (Kendrick Oil)

10: Katricia Nichole DeLaCruz (Parmer Medical Center)

11: Anay Chihuahua (Gato's Express)

12: Carly Drake (Friona Interbank)

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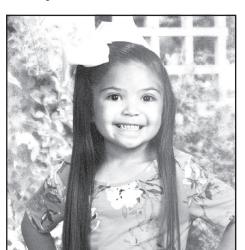




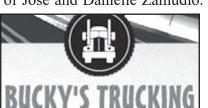
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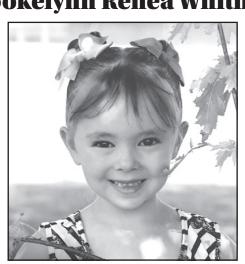
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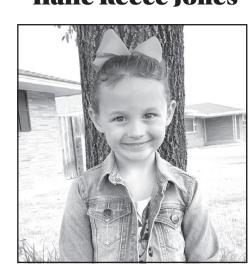
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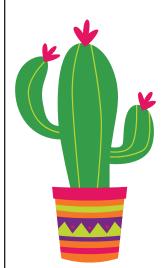












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- 11. Jesalyn Kate Jarecki
- 12. Itzel Azul Aguilar
- 13. Alayhlee Villarreal
- 14. Halle Reece Jones
- 15. Jennifer Lilly Maria Portillo
- 16. Amayah Aliyah Rojas
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1961: Kay Burleson 1962: Janet Buckley

1963: Sheryl Long 1964: Sandy Beene

1965: Susan Neill

1966: Crista Evans 1967: Paula Fortenberry

1968: Pat Roberts

1969: Pam Grissom

1970: Ann Hurst 1971: Kathy Horton

1972: Carolyn Murphree

1973: Teresa Ingram 1974: Amal Malouf

1975: Nell Fulks

1976: Sharla Benge 1977: Debbie Menefee

1978: Laura Ellis

1979: Sharla Duggins 1980: Sunny Horton

1981: Penni Weatherly 1982: Diane Johnston

1983: Kriste Herring

1984: Nikki Osborn 1985: Sonia Lafuente

1986: Christy Jordan 1987: Sindy Preston

1988: Deena Willard

1989: Kelley Cash 1990: Amy Israel

1991: no pageant

1992: Freda LaFuente 1993: Lana Fangman

1994: LaTawn White 1995: Mary Frances Cass

1996: Sheila Wiseman

1997: Kayla Wyly 1998: Tania Hand

1999: Crystal Morton

2000: Katherine Johnston

2001: Candace Ingram 2002: Haleigh Herbert

2003: V'Lesha Wilcox

2004: Kristin Butman

2005: Hollis Gurley 2006: Hannah Stovall

2007: Deirdre Johnston 2008: Keeley Dunnam

2009: Paige Herbert 2010: Brittny Herbert

2011: Kalley Preston

2012: Kendal Kimbrough 2013: Mykelti Rhodes

2014: Kendall Barnett

2016: Sydney Frye

2015: Taylor Stallings

2017: Brooklynne Johnston 2018: Victoria Williams

1973: Tammy Kelley 1974: Stacie Westmoreland

1975: Stephanie Reed

1976: Lori Tannahill

1977: Terresa Mann

1978: Misty Cole 1979: Brenna Evans

1980: Reena Martin

1981: Poppy Grimsley

1982: Susan Huckabee 1983: Tracey Gibson

1984: Canna Ray

1985: Heather Martin

1986: DaLinda Black

1987: V'Linda Wilcox

1988: Hailey Rector

1989: Audra King

1990: Candace Ingram

1991: no pageant

1992: Kristin Butman

1993: Breann Barnett

1994: Traci Blackburn 1995: Jordan Jamerson

1996: Briar Barnett

Little Miss Friona Hall of Fame

1997: McKayla Morton 1998: Shelby Hutson

1999: Amber Roberson

2000: Kylie Boyd 2001: Holly Johnston

2002: Cassandra Rocha

2003: Jaylee Floyd

2004: Katy McLennan

2005: Sydney Frye

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2007: Elizabeth Torres

2008: Carley Drake 2009: Kambree Kimbrough

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