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## St. Ann's Jamaica Drawing Winners

Drawing winners at the St. Ann's Jamaica in Bovina were Jessica Bachicha, of Bovina, \$1,000 1st Prize; Daniela Rodriguez, of Bovina, JVC 36" television; Jose Muniz, of Muleshoe, \$500 Lowe's Hardware Gift Card; Audelia Sema, of Bovina, DVD player and \$50 gift card; Jose Antonio Gonzalez, of Friona, \$100 cash; Carmen Lopez, of Hub, \$50 Wal-Mart Gift Card; and Gloria Salinas, of Dalhart, \$50 Wal-Mart Gift Card.

## New Coach At Friona Jr. High

Welcome to Konrad Carroll, the newest coach of Friona junior high athletics. Coach Carroll, formerly of Perryton, married Friona junior high girls coach Karen Nelson a few months back and the couple will make their home in Friona.

Coach Nelson, beginning her second year at FJHS, has taken some kidding because their married names are something of a tongue twister. Try it: Konrad & Karen Carroll. We wish both Konrad & Karen well in their marriage and their coaching careers. We are glad to have them with us in Friona.



KONRAD CARROLL

## Prairie Acres Has Zero Deficiencies

The Texas Department of Human Services gave Prairie Acres Nursing Home good news last week. During a 3-day visit, the TDHS inspected all kitchen, food, and room facilities, interviewed residents and talked with their families.

The result: a rating of zero deficiencies. They found no health deficiencies at the nursing home which is a more complex operation in terms of health care than a hospital. Management and staff at Prairie Acres were found to be meeting patient objectives. The last TDHS inspection at Prairie Acres was in June 2003.

Congratulations to Jo Blackwell and her staff for the excellent quality of nursing home care they provide for the elderly in Parmer County.

# Annexation Request On Council Agenda Monday

The Friona city council will start a long evening at 5 p.m. Monday, August 9, 2004, with a workshop to discuss the proposed budget for fiscal year 2004-05.

The 5 p.m. workshop session will be followed by the regular monthly council meeting at 7:30 p.m. The workshop and meeting will be held in the council room at the rear of city hall.

The tentative council agenda includes the following items:

- Item 1 Roll Call
- Item 2 Invocation
- Regular Hearings:
  - Item 3 Consider approval of July 12 meeting minutes.
  - Item 4 Hear departmental reports.
  - Item 5 Hear public comments.
  - Item 6 Hear report from Parmer County Appraisal District.
  - Item 7 Consider approval of accounts payable.
  - Item 8 Consider approval of promotional and administrative expenditures by Friona Economic Development Council.
  - Item 9 Consider variance for mobile home at 1107 Washington (requested by Maria Chavez).
- Public Hearing:
  - Item 10 Consider approval of petition for annexation of property located between 15<sup>th</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup> Streets & Main & Euclid Street. (Requested by Tommy & Wanda Jones).
- Regular Hearings:

Item 11 Consider approval of interlocal agreement with TML intergovernmental employee benefits pool for the purpose of providing certain

benefits and related services for employees of the City of Friona.

Item 12 Receive & discuss report from city manager.

Item 13 Adjournment

The city hall is wheelchair accessible and accessible parking spaces are available. Requests for accommodations or interpretive services must be

made 48 hours prior to this meeting. Please contact Terri Johnson, City Secretary, at 806-250-2761 or fax 806-250-2893 for further information.



AT THE ST. TERESA'S JAMAICA Sunday in Friona's city park there was no mistaking the smell of food. Among the many food booths was this one where Francisca Jurado cooks the tortillas for some more tasty gorditas. At least she enjoyed a little shade during the sunny and hot afternoon. More St. Teresa's jamaica pictures on page 14. photos by dana jameson

ATTENTION  
YOUNG  
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Deadline for  
entering the  
Miss Friona  
Pageant and  
Little Miss  
Contest  
is August 27.  
Call the  
Friona  
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Commerce for  
more details.

# Cheney Supports Neugebauer In Lubbock Rally

LUBBOCK- "This looks to me like it's Bush-Cheney-Neugebauer country," Vice President Cheney said to a packed house in Lubbock.

Television reporters and photographers gathered at the Lubbock International Airport Monday afternoon to document the arrival of Vice President Cheney to the 19<sup>th</sup> Congressional District of Texas. Cheney and Congressman Randy Neugebauer descended the steps of Air Force II and made their way to the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center where a record crowd of an estimated 1,500 people filled the exhibit hall to rally support for Neugebauer. The Neugebauer-Cheney rally set a national record for the highest attendance at a Vice Presidential congressional campaign event this election cycle.

When Cheney and Neugebauer took the stage the crowd erupted into a standing ovation. Neugebauer gave a speech welcoming Cheney, which he ended by saying, "Last week we heard from a man at the Democratic National convention in Boston who wants to be Vice President of the United States. Ladies and gentlemen I present to you the man who is the Vice President of the United States."

In a speech that lasted twenty three minutes, Vice President Cheney made the case for sending Neugebauer back to Washington, removing Saddam Hussein from power, making President Bush's tax cuts permanent, and preserving Christian values. "Randy is a steady advocate for agricultural interests, for low taxes, a sound energy policy, and a strong national defense. He stands up for his views, he's not afraid to reach across the aisle to get things done. That's exactly the kind of Congressman you deserve here in the 19th district — and that's why you're going to send him back for another term in the U.S. House," Cheney said.

Cheney outlined the threat that the United States faces from terrorism and the importance of eliminating that threat. "And as we saw on the morning of 9/11, this enemy is perfectly prepared to slaughter anyone — man, woman, or child — to advance its cause. Randy understands that this is not an enemy we can reason with, or negotiate with, or appease. This is, to put it simply, an enemy that we must vanquish. With Randy Neugebauer in Congress and President George W. Bush as Commander-in-Chief, that is exactly what we will do," Cheney said.

Tax relief in response to a recession beginning in 2000 and the economic difficulty after September 11<sup>th</sup> was a major point in Cheney's remarks.

"We faced a basic decision — to leave more money with families and businesses, or to take more of the American people's tax dollars for the federal government. President Bush made his choice," Cheney said. The Vice President stressed the importance of Rep. Neugebauer voting to keep President Bush's tax relief package in place. Cheney remarked, "We need Randy in Congress to keep moving forward with our pro-growth, pro-jobs agenda. We need Randy in Congress to make the Bush tax cuts permanent."

Traditional conservative values were the foundation of the Vice President's speech. "With Randy in Congress, President Bush and I will also continue to defend our society's fundamental rights and values. We stand for the fair treatment of faith-based charities, so they can receive support for their good works. We stand for a culture of life, and we reject the brutal practice of partial birth abortion. We stand strongly for the Second Amendment, and we will defend the individual right of every American to bear arms. We believe that our nation is "one nation under God." And we believe that Americans ought to be able to say "under God" when they pledge allegiance to the flag," Cheney said, after which the crowd responded with a long standing ovation.

The rally was covered by representatives from Fox News, CNN, and many other media outlets in the 19<sup>th</sup> Congressional

District. Television stations from Lubbock and Abilene aired live coverage of the event. The program began with remarks from Lubbock Mayor Marc McDougal, Lubbock Independent School District Superintendent Wayne Havens, State Senator Robert Duncan, and Chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, Victor Carrillo, an Abilene native. The event raised a record-setting \$415,000 for Neugebauer's re-election campaign.



RECENT RAINS have produced some beautiful yards in Friona such as this one. It belongs to Juan Degallado at 1208 Maple. (He is son of Rachel who has the dress shop next door to the Star.) The dahlias are plate size. It is just beautiful. Drive by and have a look.

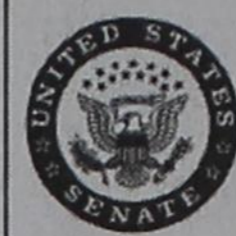




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by Ron Carr

## It's Lying Time Again



CAPITOL COMMENT

U.S. SENATOR

KAY BAILEY HUTCHISON



### 9-11 Commission Report

Nearly three years later, the images, sounds and emotions are still as clear as the cloudless sky that September morning. It was the wake up call that came too late. September 11<sup>th</sup> opened the world's eyes and last week the 9-11 Commission opened our minds.

After 2.5 million pages of documents and over 1,200 individual interviews, the 9-11 Commission issued a final report on our security shortcomings before September 11, 2001. No one will dispute that we were unprepared for the terrorist attacks, but the Commission's findings help pinpoint our weaknesses, and assert that September 11<sup>th</sup> was a "failure of policy, management, capability and, above all, a failure of imagination."

No single step would have prevented this horrible day, but there were some missed opportunities to intervene. For example, the government did not discover false statements on visa applications, recognize fake or manipulated passports, nor did they require a thorough screening of airline passengers. The arrest of Zacarias Moussaoui, who was "interested in flight training for the purpose of using airplanes as a terrorist act," was not linked to heightened indications of an attack.

The bi-partisan Commission found that our failures took place over many years and administrations, and that no one individual was responsible for these attacks. As your U.S. Senator I have worked judiciously since 9/11 to make sure we are never caught off guard again.

As the Commission reminds us, we are safer today than we were on September 11<sup>th</sup>, but we are not safe. Their recommendations provide us the opportunity to re-evaluate our homeland defense three years after the horrific attacks. Above all the vice chairman called for a need of unity within the government and within the world. The report recommends that we integrate all the elements of national power: diplomacy, intelligence, covert action, law enforcement, economic policy, foreign aid, homeland defense and military strength. Another overriding theme was that the U.S. must continue the dialogue between the West and the Islamic worlds along with sustaining a coalition of nations that cooperate bilaterally and multilaterally. To successfully implement these proposals, the Commission recommended a national counterterrorism center, and, at the top, one national director to unify the entire intelligence community. This would require major changes to the federal government and is an idea that deserves serious consideration by both the Administration and Congress.

It is important to remember however, that over the course of the last three years we've made great strides to secure our people and our nation. We have implemented a new policy on terrorism by holding to account terrorist groups and the states that sponsor them. No longer will we allow dangerous threats to gather overseas unchecked.

We have transformed the FBI into an agency focused on preventing terrorist attacks through intelligence collection and other efforts. The PATRIOT ACT was adopted to give law enforcement the capability to pursue terrorists, considering the technology now used for communication.

We conducted the largest reorganization of the federal government since 1947 by creating the Department of Homeland Security, bringing unparalleled focus and resources to defending our homeland.

One area in which I have been particularly active is increasing aviation security. From my role as Chair of the Senate Aviation Subcommittee, I worked to pass air security legislation that ensured security screeners have uniform qualifications and standards, placed air marshals on flights and provided bomb detection machines in airports, among other safeguards. To better protect other transportation systems on our borders and in our ports we are providing much greater support for America's first responders - nearly tripling spending on homeland security since 2001.

And we have killed or captured a majority of al Qaeda's leadership, toppled the Taliban, which gave al Qaeda sanctuary, and liberated the people of both Afghanistan and Iraq from two ruthless regimes with well-established records of supporting terrorists.

Yet, we know our job is not over. As the 9-11 Commission declared; this is the end of the beginning, the threat is still real and we do not have the "luxury of time." If there is one thing to learn from both that clear September morning and this comprehensive report, it is that we must be eternally vigilant in defending our freedoms. Our efforts in the war on terror have been successful. Our nation and world are safer today than they were three years ago, but our job is far from over. We will stay the course, we will win the war on terror and freedom will prevail.

### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

To: Friona Businesses and Organizations  
 Re: Miss Friona Pageant  
 Plans are underway for the 2004 Miss Friona Pageant. The pageant will be held Saturday, September 18, 2004.  
 We are looking forward to good participation this year. We hope that you will help by asking someone to represent your business or organization.  
 Enclosed is a list of Friona High School girls eligible to participate. We encourage you to call a particular girl and ask her to be your representative in the pageant. If you want to sponsor, but do not know any of the girls listed, please contact the Chamber office and we can help arrange a participant for you.  
 As a sponsor for the pageant you will receive recognition during the pageant, as well as advertising in the pageant program.  
 The fee to sponsor a contestant is \$65 for Chamber members and \$80 for non-members. Entries must be complete and in the Chamber office by Friday, August 27, 2004.  
 If you have any questions, please call the Chamber office at 250-3491 or me at 250-3690.  
 Thank you in advance for your support of the youth in our community and the Miss Friona Pageant.  
 Sincerely,  
 Becky Dickson, Chair  
 Miss Friona Steering Committee



Politicians lie. If they say they don't they're lying

We have entered the "great lying season" in politics during which Democrats and Republicans call each other liars until the November 2 elections. Both sides have already started.

They won't use the word lie. It is not politically correct. Mised will be a common substitute for outright lying, i.e. President Bush "mised" us about Iraq and WMDs. Other common substitutes will be "less than honest, deception, covered up, and didn't tell us the truth." As all parents and lawyers know, when you don't tell the truth you are lying.

I should hedge a little by admitting that I do not know if all politicians lie. I have just personally never seen one who tells the truth all the time.

The only person in the current presidential race that would no doubt call you a liar to your face is probably Teresa Heinz Kerry. She made a statement in which she used the word un-American, then denied to a reporter that she said it (lied) and told him to shove it. Republicans should hope that Teresa makes a lot of speeches between now and November 2. I have yet to really understand anything she has said except the shove it remark.

I've also tried to visualize the billionaire ketchup queen as the First Lady of the land. It's a scary picture. Her Heinz husband died in a plane crash. He was a Republican politician. She inherited the Heinz ketchup empire and married John Kerry, the most liberal Democrat in the Senate so now she is a Democrat. Doesn't really matter. When you have a billion dollars you can be a Democrat and a Republican at the same time if you want to and tell everybody else to shove it.

John Kerry says he has a plan to put America back on

the road to greatness. He says Dubya and his sidekicks have made everybody in the world mad at America. Kerry says he and smiley John Edwards can hug them all into submission and we'll once again be heroes of the world.

There is a total absolute mess in Iraq. Bush caused it and there is no way in Hades Kerry can fix it short of pulling out. Experts say that would be a disaster. Kerry says he has a plan for getting the U.S. out of Iraq but as far as I know he hasn't told us what it is. He says he has a plan to bring the other countries in the world to the table to help us in Iraq. When asked what that plan was he said he had promised the other countries not to tell.

By the way I don't care what Dubya says, the world is not a safer place today because Saddam is no longer in power. If we are safer how come all the financial centers in New York and Washington are on high alert as we speak. How come terrorists keep blowing up Iraq and beheading people and threatening all the countries that are trying to help while Saddam is tending a garden? The premise that we are safer without Saddam has not been proven.

Let's go back. Dubya said he is a "uniter not a divider." After Billy Jeff Clinton's escapades in the oval office, Dubya promised to bring trust and dignity back to the presidency. Evidently Kerry thinks Dubya has not lived up to his pledges since he promises to "restore trust and credibility to the White House." His campaign mantra is: "Safer at home and more respected abroad."

Kerry, who voted against funding the war on terror, now promises to fight a smarter, more effective war on terror. He even told the terrorists "You will lose and we will win." He said, "I know what to do in Iraq" but

offered no further details.

This week, Dubya announced a new government position, National Intelligence Director. One person will be responsible for overseeing all the existing intelligence agencies to outsmart the terrorists before they can attack. We need better and faster intelligence gathering. This person is to be hired and fired by the president. This person will also be blamed for not preventing terrorists attacks here in America if they happen.

After a terrorist attack in America, as soon as the smoke clears, the bodies are counted, and damage is estimated, the first order of business will be to blame somebody for not stopping it. Since the Democrats think they can do a better job than Dubya and the Republicans it makes sense to me to appoint a Democrat to the National Intelligence Director's position.

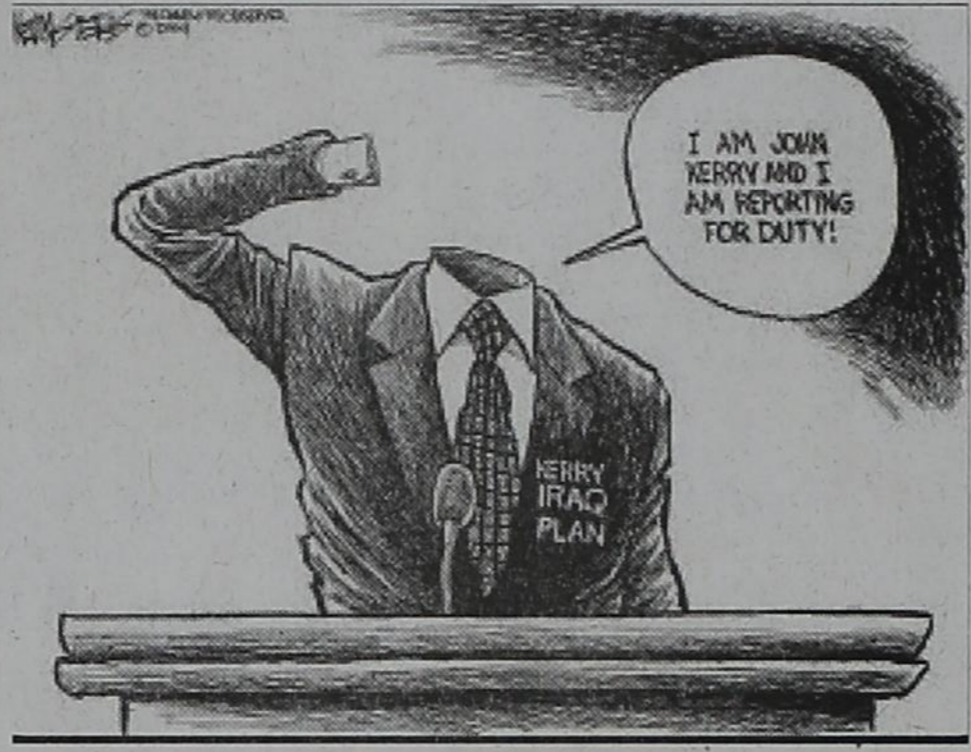
If I were President Bush I would appoint Billy Jeff Clinton

as National Intelligence Director. He is not doing much except signing books and collecting girlfriends. Who would be better suited for an intelligence position? Just think of the political advantage. Experts say it is only a matter of time before another terrorist attack hits America. If so when the finger pointing starts it will be directed at the highest profile Democrat in America.

On second thought he might be able to wiggle out of it. He would probably blame the attack on a right wing conspiracy. Maybe it is not such a good idea after all.

It is going to be a long 90 days until the November 2 election. Lies and mud and personal attacks will be all over the news channels. It is possible that George Bush could lose this election. His daddy did. To none other than Billy Jeff Clinton.

And that's no lie.



Letters to the editor can be sent to PO Box 789, Friona 79035 or e-mail frionastar@wrtt.net. Anonymous letters are not printed. We reserve the right to edit for length or space consideration. We welcome your views!

## Strayhorn Asks Feds To Investigate CHIP Scandal

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Strayhorn today, in separate letters to United States Attorney Johnny Sutton and United States Health and Human Services Acting Principal Deputy Inspector General Dara Corrigan, asked for a federal investigation into mishandled contracts in the Texas Children's Health Insurance Program.

Comptroller Strayhorn took the unusual step after the Texas State Auditor issued a report highlighting \$20 million in over-payments to a contractor.

"Because federal dollars, as well as state dollars, are involved in this scandal, an inde-

pendent, federal inquiry is warranted," she wrote.

On Thursday, the State Auditor's Office released the scathing 72-page report citing "serious deficiencies" in the management of the CHIP program.

The report said the Health and Human Services Commission's lack of oversight and lax standards for the CHIP contractor for rural Texas led to "excessive or unnecessary" payments of \$20 million.

More than one-fourth of the money went to a company that "had no employees and did not provide a service" that "directly benefited CHIP", according to the auditor.

"By my estimates, 17,000 children who were dropped from the children's health program could have retained their benefits were it not for the lax, possibly criminal, mismanagement on the part of the agency," Strayhorn wrote.

She noted that an internal investigation would not be independent because the Governor appoints the Health and Human Services System Inspector General.

Strayhorn also said it is disturbing that "so many of the players involved have connections with the Texas administration."

The Governor sits at the top

of the Texas Health and Human Services System.

"I am disturbed by the connections between Gov. Perry's top men and the companies that are supposed to be taking care of our children. Light needs to be shed upon the connections between the Governor's current Chief of Staff and the current rural CHIP provider and between the Governor's former Chief of Staff and the future rural CHIP provider," Strayhorn said.

"Since last September 149,000 children have been dropped off the children's health insurance rolls because of budget cuts," Strayhorn said. "That's unconscionable."

## Cornyn Marks Anniversary Of Fire Training School

U.S. Senator John Cornyn marked the 75th anniversary of the Texas Municipal Fire Training School in College Station on Sunday, highlighting the important role firefighters play as first responders on the front lines of homeland security.

"I'm committed to ensuring that Texas firefighters remain well trained and equipped as they stand ready to protect our homes and families," Cornyn said. "The safety of our cities and towns is among my highest priorities, and the men and women who protect our hometowns need more support than ever."

The Municipal Fire Training School, one of the largest firefighter training programs in the United States, is conducted by the Texas Engineering Extension Service (TEEX). A member of the Texas A&M University System, TEEX has established itself as a worldwide leader in the delivery of training, technical assistance and technology transfer services.

The Texas Municipal Fire Training School was established in 1930 and hosts nearly 3,000 firefighters and instructors from across Texas and throughout the country, providing integral training for emergency responders to ensure the safety and protection of citizens and critical infrastructure.

The Department of Homeland Security administers the Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program to help local fire departments purchase and maintain modern fire fighting equipment, develop fire prevention and safety programs, and to provide them the proper training for the new and evolving facets of their job as first responders. Sen. Cornyn has helped more than 40 fire departments across Texas take advantage of the federal funding and receive millions of dollars in assistance.

Below are examples of federal funding through the Firefighters Grant Program:

**Operations and Firefighter Safety Program.** Includes training, equipment, personal protective equipment, wellness and fitness, and modifications to fire stations and facilities.

**Fire Prevention Program.** Includes public education and awareness activities, fire code enforcement activities, fire inspector certifications and other activities, purchase and installation of smoke alarms and fire suppression systems, wildland mitigation, and arson prevention and detection activities.

**Firefighting Vehicles Acquisition Program.** Includes pumpers, brush trucks, tankers/tenders, rescue vehicles, ambulances, quints, aerials, foam units, and fireboats.

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## Around Town

### Christian Women to meet Aug. 10

A fellowship of Christian women will meet Tuesday, August 10 at 7 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church at 1500 North Cleveland. There will be a program, refreshments and Bunko. Invite your friends and come and enjoy the fellowship.

### Senior Citizen Board to meet

The Friona Senior Citizen board of directors will meet Tuesday, August 10 at 4 p.m. at the Friendship House. The Senior Citizen meal board of directors will meet immediately following.

### Special Olympics fundraisers planned

Friona Chieftains Special Olympics still have Avon Skin So Soft Bug Guard in aerosol or pump available for \$6.50 each with 50% going toward paying for bowling practice and competitions that will begin in late August. They need to sell 50 bottles. They will be selling Fall flower bulbs in August and will have a booth at Maize Days. If anyone is interested in helping coach basketball it starts in January and track is March. They are also looking for someone to coach a summer event like golf. To order Bug Guard or for information please call Donna Mullins at 250-3285 or 250-2788 or Fabiola Dominguez 250-2464.

### Men's Prayer breakfast set

A men's prayer breakfast will be held Wednesday, August 18 at 6:30 a.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church at 1500 North Cleveland. The breakfast will be over by 7:30 a.m. Come and enjoy the fellowship with the men of Friona.

### Mexican Pile on Meal August 22

A Mexican pile on meal with strawberry short cake for dessert is planned for August 22 at 12 noon till 1:30 p.m. at the Calvary Baptist Church at 1500 North Cleveland. Donations will be taken. For more information call 250-3000 any morning till noon. All money will go to the J.P. Sims Scholarship Fund.

## Foster/Adoptive Parent Meeting August 10

When abuse and neglect occurs, and children are no longer able to safely remain in their own homes, we are fortunate enough to have individuals willing to provide care and support to them in licensed foster homes. Foster care provides a temporary safe haven for children as Child Protective Services (CPS) case-workers and foster parents work toward uniting children with their families. These children, through no fault of their own, were placed in abusive or neglectful situations by their biological parents. In some situations, they are not able to return home and deserve a chance for a new life with adoptive parents who can teach them that family can be a safe place.

There is an urgent need for more families to open their hearts and homes by becoming foster and adoptive parents. To learn more about fostering and adoption, attend an informational meeting the second Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. Meetings are held at the CPS office located at 6200 I-40 West, in Amarillo.

*A heartfelt thank you to the Friona community for their support of the Saige Martin Benefit Breakfast and Raffle. It was a huge success. The money will help pay medical expenses. The generosity of others has touched our lives and hearts. We will forever be grateful.*  
**Brian, Sherri, Stock and Saige Martin**



BOVINA head coach Kent Torbert talks to the squad after a Tuesday workout. The coaches said about 30 boys have suited up so far. ron carr photos



**Little Learners Pre-School**  
**Open House**  
 August 12  
 10 a.m - 12 noon  
 1006 Maple  
 School starts August 16  
 We only have a few openings.  
 Call now to enroll your child.  
 250-5462 Keeley Sasser



Floyd Scott Reeve, Fay Reeve, Carol Perry, and Sharon White at the Reeve Family Reunion.

## Reeve Family Reunion

Reeve family descendants met for a reunion on July 18-19 at the Union Congregational Church in Friona.

Several descendants of the Floyd W. and Ethel Reeve family attended. (F.W. was the first son of Hadley Reeve and his first wife Amanda.) Attending from Lubbock were Don and Brittany Reeve, Jeric Hopkins, and Bob and Carol Perry. Attending from Friona were Floyd, Betty, and Becky Reeve; Fay Reeve, Allo Reeve; Glenn and Carolyn Reeve; Bill, Jeri Lynn, Hadley, and Adaline White; and Teddy and Sharon White.

Also attending were descendants of Floyd and Malinda Schlenker. (Malinda was the second daughter of Hadley and Adaline Reeve.) Attending from West Valley City, Utah were Don, OraMae, Nicole, Sarah and Cheryl Spring. Attending from Bella Vista, Arkansas were Billy and Florence Sifford. Those from Palm Bay, Florida were Jim, Alicia, Renae and Evan Rapp. Those from Bovina were Don and Gladys Spring. Attending from Friona were Velma Schlenker; Floyd Schlenker; Karen, John, Ashley, Austin, and Rebecca Schlenker; Joe Bob, Connie and Joni Johnson; Sarah Dean; and Pam, Danny, and Jennifer Kendrick.

Attending from Germantown, North Carolina were Jeff and Bennie Weavil. Jeff is the son of Rachel Reeve Weavil, youngest daughter of Hadley and Adaline Reeve.

Attending from Litchfield Park, Arizona were Barbara and Iwo Kimes. Barbara is the youngest child of Oscar and Alice Reeve Schlenker who was the fifth child of Hadley and Adaline Reeve.

Family members had a meal catered by K-Bobs of Hereford on Sunday, July 18, followed by visiting, picture taking, and a silent auction. Of particular interest was a table displaying the memorabilia of Adaline Coppock Reeve. She kept detailed dairies beginning in the 1880's. Also of interest was a trip to Lone Star Dairy led by Floyd Reeve, one of the owners. Some were also able to visit the Pioneer Heritage Museum. They also enjoyed meals prepared by family members Sunday evening and Monday morning.

## Breast Cancer Screening Aug 16

The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center Comprehensive Breast Center will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at Parmer County Hospital, 1307 Cleveland Avenue, in Friona on August 16, 2004.

Breast cancer affects one in eight women. The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an

annual breast exam, mammogram and performing a breast self-exam each month.

Call (806) 356-1905 or 1-800-377-4673 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

## Spencer Celebrates 25 Years At FSB

The employees of Friona State Bank are celebrating the 25th anniversary of employee, Cathy Spencer. She was hired on August 6, 1979 to be a relief teller and bookkeeper. After two weeks she was offered the job of drive thru window teller and worked there for ten years before being moved to an inside teller.

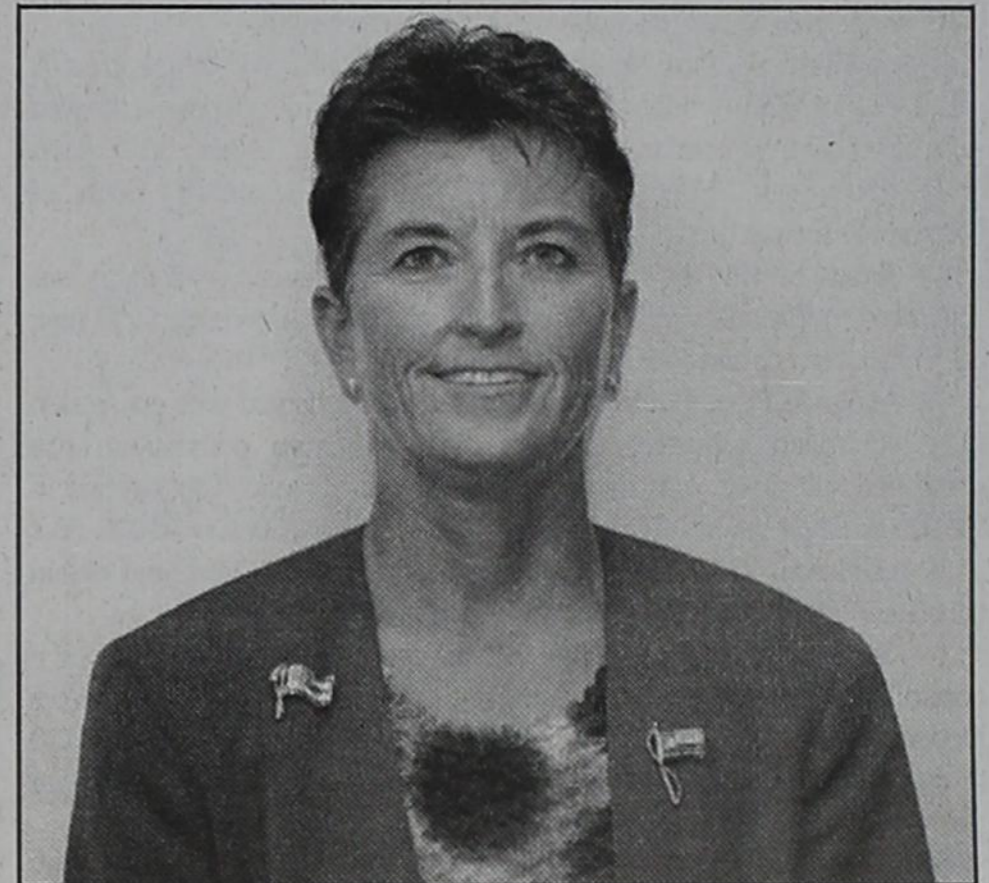
Cathy worked in the drive thru window with Margaret Wilshire, Lou (Fields) Keith, and Cheryl (Koelzer) Pruitt, before moving inside in 1989. Inside tellers were Vernell Cunningham, Doris Sears, Katherine Blackburn, Cynthia Bishop, Shirley Ferguson, and Delphine Wied. Cathy was promoted to head teller in October 2001.

Cathy was born in Muleshoe and graduated from Bula High School. After graduation she moved to Sudan where she held various jobs, including working at the Dairy Bee, where she says she learned to count money. She soon started to work at the bank in Sudan as a teller. She met and started dating Raymond Spencer who was working for Wesley Barnett in

Friona. They married and she was hired by Friona State Bank.

Cathy and Raymond have two children. Tammy is a graduate of Lubbock Christian University and is teaching at Monterrey High School in Lubbock. She teaches JV Volleyball, Soccer, and PE. Spencer's son, Logan, married Tirina Swartout from California and is also living in Lubbock. The Spencers enjoy being outside and are professional lawn mowers. They really enjoy being with their family, are members of Calvary Baptist Church, and have served in various community organizations, such as Boy and Girl Scouts, Kids Inc., and the Chieftain/Squaw Boosters.

Friona State Bank is proud of Cathy Spencer and what she has given to the bank and the community. She has proven to be a loyal and dedicated employee and can always be counted on to give a cheery greeting and a friendly smile. Everyone is invited to stop in and congratulate Cathy on her anniversary, and let her know how much she is appreciated.



CATHY SPENCER



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# Sheriff's Report

July 23, Noe Estraca, 26, of Bovina, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol and charged with unauthorized use of a vehicle, pending Grand Jury.

July 27, Taryn Chisom, 22, of Bovina, was arrested by the Farwell Police and charged with duty on striking unattended vehicle, pending County Court.

July 29, Gilberto Terrazas, 45, of Hereford, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with driving with a suspended license, pending County Court.

July 29, Randy Waldon, 46, of Roswell, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with possession of marijuana, less than 2 ounces, pending County Court.

July 31, Bobby Gonzalez, 17, of Friona, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol and charged with DWI, pending County Court.

July 31, Ismael Miranda, 28, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with tampering with a government record, pending Grand Jury.

July 31, Roman Carranza, 20, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with tampering with a government record, pending Grand Jury.

July 31, Federico Sabala, 49, of Friona, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office and charged with theft, pending County Court.

July 31, Miguel Thomas, 29, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with tampering with a government record, pending Grand Jury.

July 31, Emil Cortes, 22, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with tampering with a government record, pending Grand Jury.

August 1, Avelino Garcia, 53, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with DWI-2nd, pending County Court.

August 1, Gabriel Rivas, 19, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police and charged with driving with a suspended license, pending County Court.

July 19, in the 287th District Court, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

— Senque Eugene Polk, 23, of Friona, charged with burglary of a building, was sentenced to 6 months in a state jail facility; \$278 court costs; \$500 fine; \$1,167 restitution; and \$350 attorney fees.

— Anthony William Nunley, 18, of Friona, charged with a class A misdemeanor theft (reduced from burglary of a building), was sentenced to up to 1 year in Parmer County Jail, deferred for 1 year; \$278 court costs; \$500 fine; \$1,066 restitution (paid July 19); and 80 hours of community service.

— James Edward Jackson, Jr., 24, of Clovis, charged with theft, was sentenced to 9 months in a state jail facility; \$267 court costs; \$500 fine; \$2,590 restitution; and \$350 attorney fees.

— Abelardo Perez Barrera II, 25, of Amarillo, charged with possession of a controlled substance (cocaine), reduced from possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver, was sentenced to 4 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice; \$278 court costs; \$2,000 fine; \$150 restitution; \$350 attorney fees; loss of driver's license; and obtain substance abuse counseling at own expense.

— Stephen J. Padron, 29, of Friona, charged with possession of a controlled substance (cocaine), was sentenced to 3 years in the Texas Department of Criminal Justice; \$278 court costs; \$2,000 fine; \$150 restitution; \$350 attorney fees; loss of driver's license; obtain substance abuse counseling at own expense.



## THE CHIEF'S CORNER

by TINO SALINAS

Friona Police Department

En Espanol

### Minors and Alcohol Is It Really Worth It?

Whether it is peer pressure, or any other reason, at one time or another most juveniles are going to experiment with drinking an alcoholic beverage. But most of them don't think of the consequences involved with underage drinking.

Here are a few of the most common alcohol related offenses and the punishment regarding the offense. Minor in possession—this is simply a minor having any amount of alcohol in his possession. Consumption of alcohol by a minor—a minor commits an offense if he consumes any detectable amount of an alcoholic beverage, and public intoxication. The punishment for these 1st offenses is as follows: The fine, which includes court costs, is \$149 and for public intoxication the fine is \$349. At your own expense you must attend and complete an alcohol awareness class, most of the time within 30 days after you plea on the charge, you must complete 8-12 hours of community service, and the court will suspend your driver's license for 30 days. If you do not have a license then you will be denied a license when you apply for one.

Then if you didn't learn your lesson the first time and commit a second offense involving the above listed offenses, the fine doubles to \$249, the community service hours go up to 20-40 hours, and your driver's license is suspended for 60 days or denied if you do not have a driver's license. The public intoxication fine stays at \$349.

If a third offense is committed you have then gone from a Class C Misdemeanor to a Class B. At the County Court level your fine could be not less than \$250 or more than \$2,000, confinement in jail not to exceed 180 days, both fine and confinement in jail, and your license suspended for 180 days and denied if you do not have a license.

If you are going to drive under the influence of alcohol, for minors it is any detectable amount of alcohol on a person, a 1st offense is a Class C Misdemeanor, \$349 fine, alcohol awareness course, community service 20-40 hours, your driver's license suspended or denied for 60 days, and not eligible for an occupational license for 30 days. 2nd offense is a \$349 fine, community service 40-60 hours, driver's license suspended or denied for 120 days, and no occupational license for 90 days. 3rd offense, if you are 17-20 years of age, the fine could be from \$500 to \$2,000, up to 180 days in jail, or both, your driver's license suspended for 180 days and not eligible for an occupational license. For 16 years old and younger, driver's license suspended or denied for 180 days, not eligible for an occupational license, not eligible for deferred adjudication, and remanded to juvenile court as delinquent conduct, or remanded to criminal court to be adjudicated as an adult.

When you read the sign on the side of the road that states "DUI You Can't Afford It", please take it to heart, you really can't.

### Menores Y Alcol Vale La Pena?

Aunque sea bajo presion, oh cualquier otra razon, en un momento oh otro un joven, va a experimentar con un refresco de alcol. Pero lo que ellos no piensan son las consecuencias involucradas cuando un menor consume alcol.

Aquí estan unos cuantos ofensas y castigos comunes relacionados con el alcol. Menor en posesion, es simplemente un menor que traiga cualquier cantidad de alcol en su persona. Un menor consumiendo alcol comete la ofensa, si se le detecta cualquier cantida, es intoxicacion publica. El castigo de la primer ofensa es asi: lo siguiente, costo de corte \$149.00, intoxicado publicamente es \$349.00. Por tu propia cuanta tu gasto personal tendras que asistir alas clases de alerta de alcol dentro de 30 dias despues de aceptar tu culpabilidad al cargo, unas 8-12 horas de servicio de comunidad y el estado te suspendera tu licencia por 30 dias, si es que no tienes licencia en el momento que apliques, te sera negada.

Si es que no aprenden su leccion la primer vez y cometen una segunda ofensa involucrando las ofensas ya explicadas, la multa sera doble \$249.00, las horas de comunidad seran de 20-40 horas y tu licencia sera suspendida por 60 dias oh negada si aun no tienes licencia. La multa por intoxicacion se queda en \$349.00.

Si pasa esto por tercer vez que aigas cometido las ofensas ya dichas te as hido de ofensa Clase C, a Clase B, al nivel del costo de condado y tu multa no puede ser menos de \$250.00 oh mas de \$2,000.00, como 180 dias en la carcel. Los dos castigos y licencia suspendida por 180 dias y si no tienes licencia te sera negada.

Si vas a manejar bajo la influencia del alcol, y en menores es cualquier cantidad detectable en la persona, 1er ofensa Clase C, \$349.00 penalidad, clases de alrta de alcol, horas de comunidad 20-40 tu licencia suspendida oh negada por 60 dias y no eligible para una licencia ocupacional negada por 30 dias.

2da ofensa, \$349.00 multa, horas de comunidad 40-60 horas, licencia suspendida, oh negada por 120 dias y no licencia de ocupacional por 90 dias.

3er ofensa si tienes 17-20 anos de edad la multa es de \$500.00 hasta \$2,000.00, hasta 180 dias de carcel oh los dos. Tu licencia suspendida y no eligible para licencia ocupacional. Para los de 16-anos oh menores, licencia suspendida por 180 dias no elijible para licencia ocupacional no elijible para referirte, reprenicion y mandado a corte con conducta delincuente y quisas juzgado como adulto.

Cuando veas el anuncio en un lado de la carretera que dice "Bajo La Influencia No Puedes Pagar" tomalo a pecho, enverdad no puedes pagar.



## 2004-2005 SCHOOL SUPPLY LISTS

Courtesy of Bi-Wize Health Mart

### HEADSTART (PRE-K)

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|--|---|
| 1 School Box (Caja de la escuela)  | 1 Box Prang Watercolors (Caja de Colores de Agua-Prang) |
| 2 Elmer's School Glue (1/4 oz.) (Pegadura de Elmer's)(1/4 oz.)   | 1 Pair Fiskar Scissors (Tijeras de Fiskar)              |
| 2 Boxes of 8 Crayons only (Regular size not Big) (Cajas de colores con el cantidad de 8 (regulares no los grandes) nada mas) | 1 Large Box of Kleenex (Caja Grande de Kleenex)         |
|  | 1 Roll of Paper Towels (Rollos de toallas de papel)     |
|  | 1 Back Pack (Mochila)                                   |

### KINDERGARTEN

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|--|---|
| 1 School Box (cigar box size) (Caja de la escuela (el tamaño de las cajas de los cigarros))  | 1 Pair of Fiskar Metal Pointed Scissors (Tijeras de Fiskar con Punto)           |
| 2 Elmer's School Glue (4 oz.) (Pegadura de Elmer's (4 oz.))  | 2 Large Boxes of Kleenex (Cajas grandes de Kleenex)                             |
| 2 Boxes of 8 crayons only (Regular size not big and Crayola brand only) (Cajas de colores con el cantidad de 8 (regulares no los grandes y de Crayola nada mas)) | 6 Pencils - #2 lead (Lápices - #2)  |
|  | 3 Packages of 3x3 Yellow Post-It Notes (Paquetes de 3x3 Post-It Notes Amarillo) |
| 1 Box of Prang watercolors (Caja de Colores de Agua - Prang)   | 1 Backpack (Mochila)  |

### ECE

- Backpack (Mochila)
- Large Box of Kleenex (Caja grande de Kleenex)
- Box Prang Watercolors (Caja de Colores de Agua - Prang)
- Packages of Blank 3x5 Index File Cards (Paquetes de cartas Blancas 3x5 sin lineas)
- Spiral Notebook (Cuaderno de Spiral)
- Elmer's School Glue (Pegadura de Elmer's)

### KINDER BILINGUAL

- Pegadura de Elmer's (4 oz.)
- Cajas de colores con el cantidad de 8 (regulares no los grandes) nada mas
- Cajas grande de Kleenex
- Paquetes de cartas blancas 3x5 sin lineas
- Mochila
- Rollos de toallas de papel
- Paquetes de 3x3 Post-It Notes Amarillo

### FIRST GRADE

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|--|--|
| 1 School Box (Caja de la escuela)  | and 1 after Christmas)   |
| 2 Elmer's School Glue (8 oz.) (Pegadura de Elmer's (8 oz.))  | Caja grande de Kleenex (una ahorra y una despues de Navidad)   |
| 1 Pair of Fiskar Metal Pointed Scissors (Tijeras de Fiskar con Punto)  | 5 Plastic Pocket Folders- with brads (1 blue, 1 red, 1 yellow, 2 of any color)                         |
| 12 Pencils-#2 (Lápices-#2)   | Folletos de plastico con bolsa con clavos (uno azul, uno rojo, uno amarillo, y dos de cualquier color) |
| 1 Box Prang Watercolors (Caja de Colores de Agua - Prang)  | 1 Large Eraser (Grande Borrador)   |
| 2 Boxes of 16 crayons only (Regular size not big and Crayola brand Only) (Caja de Colores con el cantidad de 16 (Regulares no los grades y de Crayola nada mas)) | 1 Package of pencil erasers (Paquete de borradores de lapis)   |
| 1 Large Box of Kleenex (1 now  | 1 Fabric Zippered Pencil Bag (Bolsa de Tela con Zipper para lápices)                                   |

### SECOND GRADE

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| Elmer's School Glue-4 oz.                        | 2-Red PENCILS (no pens!)          |
| Sharp Pointe Scissors                            | Map Colors-Crayola!!!!            |
| 10-#2 Pencils                                    | 1-Hi-Liter                        |
| 1 Box of 24 Crayons                              | 2-Mead HyTone Handwriting Tab let |
| Green Soap Eraser (not art gum)                  | 2-"Spelling & Reading w/Riggs"    |
| Zipper Bag                                       | Composition Notebooks (blue)      |
| 2 Folders with Pockets & Brads                   | NO TRAPPER-KEEPERS                |
| 2 Spiral Notebook-Wide Ruled                     | NO ROLLING BACKPACKS              |
| 1 Box of Snack, Quart or Gallon Size Ziploc Bags | (They do not fit in lockers.)     |
| 1 Box of Facial Tissue                           |                                   |

### THIRD GRADE

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| Zipper Bag   | Map Colors                                       |
| Elmer's School Glue-4 oz.                                    | 2-Dry Erase Markers                              |
| Crayons-24 Count Only  | Ruler with 3 Holes                               |
| Sharp Pointed Scissors-Fiskars                               | Crayola Thick Markers-Classic Set                |
| 24 pack of #2 Pencils-Yellow                                 | 2-Boxes of Facial Tissue                         |
| 2-Red Grading Pens or Pencils                                | 1-Box of Snack, Quart or Gallon Size Ziploc Bags |
| Eraser-Pink  | NO TRAPPER KEEPERS                               |
| 3-Folders with Fasteners & Pockets                           | NO ROLLING BACKPACKS                             |
| 2-Spiral Notebook-40 Page Size (WIDE RULED ONLY!)            | (They do not fit in lockers.)                    |
| 1-Pkg. Regular Line White Note book paper (WIDE RULED ONLY!) |  |

### FOURTH GRADE

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| 1-Box of Gallon Size Ziploc Bags                            | Regular Line White Notebook Paper (NO NARROW LINES) |
| Trapper Keeper  | 1-Notebook Zipper Pouch                             |
| 5-#2 Pencils-Yellow-no soft lead                            | Black Fine Point Sharpie                            |
| Ruler   | 1-Highlighter                                       |
| 2-Red Pens  | Crayola Thick Marker-Classic Set                    |
| Crayons   | Sharp Pointed Scissors                              |
| Map Colors  | Elmer's School Glue 4 oz.                           |
| Eraser  | 2 Stretch Book Covers                               |
| 2-Boxes of Facial Tissues                                   | NO PENCIL BOXES                                     |
| 1 Subject Spiral Notebooks-Wide Lines                       | NO ROLLING BACKPACKS                                |
| 8 Folders w/brads: Blue, (3) Yellow, Green, Purple, (2) red | (They do not fit in lockers.)                       |

### FIFTH GRADE

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| 10-#2 Pencils                                       | Regular Line White Notebook Paper (NO NARROW LINES) |
| 1-Pencil Sharpener with Container to Catch Shavings | 2-Boxes of Facial Tissue                            |
| Pencil Map Colors-More than 8                       | 1-Notebook Zipper Pouch (NO SCHOOL BOXES)           |
| Crayola Thick Markers-Classic Set                   | 4-Folders with Pockets and Brads                    |
| Eraser  | Sharp Pointed Scissors-6" Long Fiskars              |
| 12-inch Ruler with cm.                              | 1-Red Grading Pen                                   |
| 1-Highlighter                                       | 2-Stretch Book Covers                               |
| 3-Blue or Black Ink Pens (No Gel Pens)              | NO ROLLING BACKPACKS                                |
| Elmer's Glue-White, Medium Size                     | (They do not fit in lockers.)                       |
| Trapper Keeper                                      |   |

### SIXTH GRADE

- 5-folders with pockets & brads: red-Reading, yellow-ELA, green-Science, blue-History, purple-Math
- Pencil map colors
- 1-hand held pencil sharpener
- Black ink pens & #2 pencils (no mechanical pencils)
- 3-70 page spirals-wide rule-no clege rule
- Wide rule notebook paper-no clege rule
- Glue stick
- 1-pair of scissors
- 1-zipper bag for pens and pencils
- 2-highlighter
- 2-red pens
- 1-ruler
- Markers
- P.E. students: Girls-red shirt and shorts
- Boys-Gray shirt and shorts (available at Ingram's)

### SEVENTH GRADE

- 5-folders with pockets and brads: red-Reading, yellow-ELA, green-Science, blue-History, purple-Math
- 2-pencils
- 2-blue or black ink pens
- 1-pair of scissors
- 1-yellow or black and 1 green spiral
- Wide ruled notebook paper
- Eraser
- 1-12 inch ruler with metric markings
- 3-highlighters
- 2 glue sticks
- 1-set of map colors
- 1-zipper bag for pens and pencils
- Athletic clothes issued at school
- P.E. students: Girls: red shirt & shorts
- Boys: gray shirt and shorts (Available at Ingram's)

### EIGHTH GRADE

- 1-1/2 inch 3 ring binder
- 1-zipper bag for pens and pencils
- 8 folders with pockets & brads: red-reading, 3 orange or yellow-ELA, green-Science, white or light color-history, purple-math
- 1-Red pen
- Single subject, wired spiral for math
- Blue or Black pens
- Pencils (10 min), pencil top erasers & 1 larger eraser
- Ruler, scissors, 2 sets of map colors, 2 highlighters, 2 glue sticks, markers
- Athletic clothes issued at school
- P.E. students: Girls-red shirt and shorts
- Boys-gray shirt & shorts (available at Ingram's)

## Back To School

# With Bi-Wize

All 2004 School Supplies are available locally at Bi-Wize Health Mart. Come on in and let Morgan Leal or one of the other friendly Bi-Wize employees help you with all your school supply needs.



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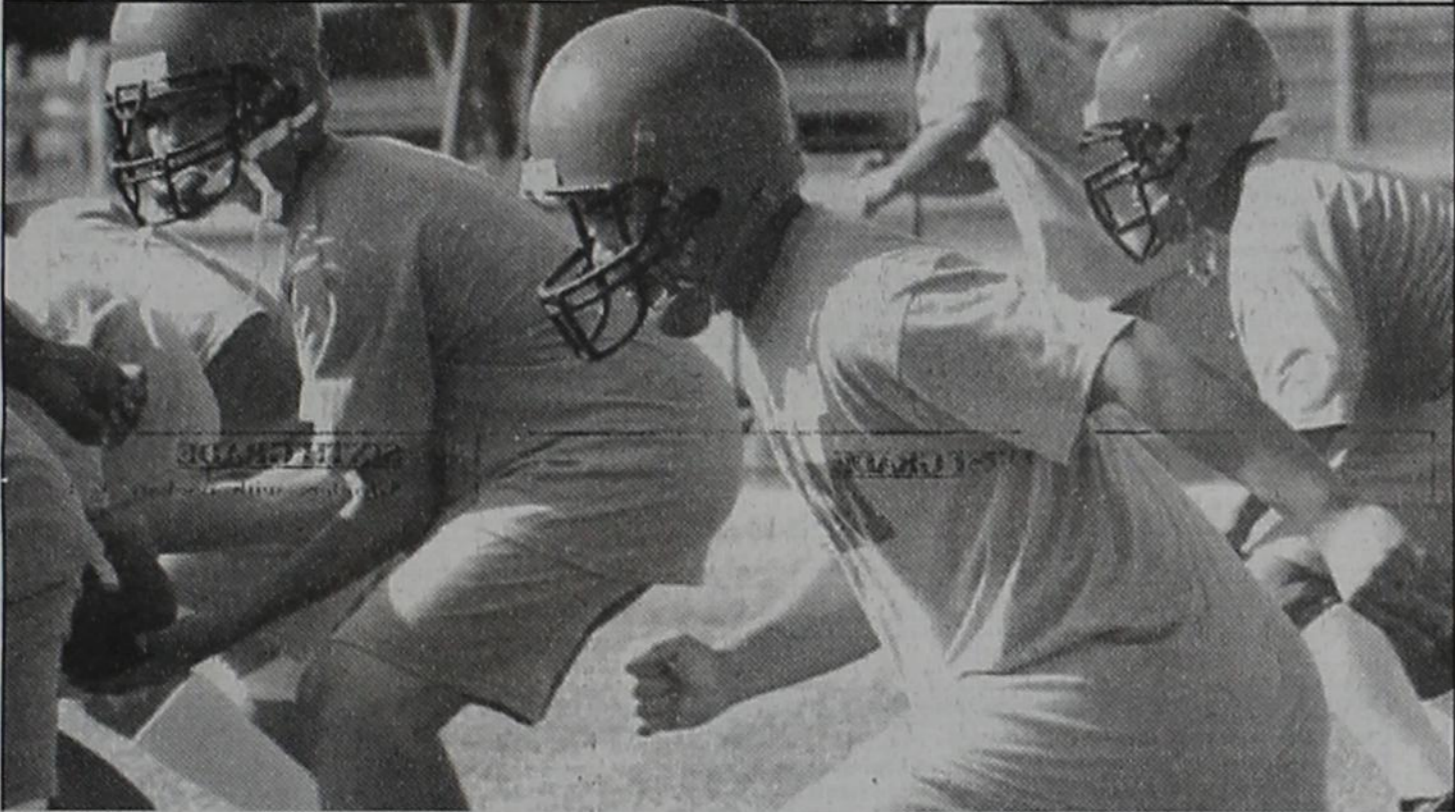
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# 2004 CHIEFTAIN FOOTBALL has begun!

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## CLEANING UP



**GIRL SCOUT TROOP 115** was hard at work last week cleaning up the roadside area located across from Houlette Petroleum.

tyler jameson photos



**FCCLA National Winners, Kristin Butman, Maegan Ingram and Misty Adams** explain the national exhibit to FCCLA State Director, Sharon Pierce, above, at "Focus on Projects" in Chicago. Right, Kristin, Misty, & Maegan won gold medals in the competition.

photos by patsy allen



## Friona Girls Win Gold In Chicago

Friona High School seniors Maegan Ingram, Kristin Butman, and Misty Adams won gold medals at the Family, Career, and Community Leaders of America (FCCLA) national competition in Chicago, Illinois July 10-16.

The event they participated in, Interpersonal Communications, required a presentation and a spontaneous response to a case study. One judge commented, "they should be commended for their contributions to their school and fellow students." Another judge said, "the most outstanding presentation I have ever seen in the competition."

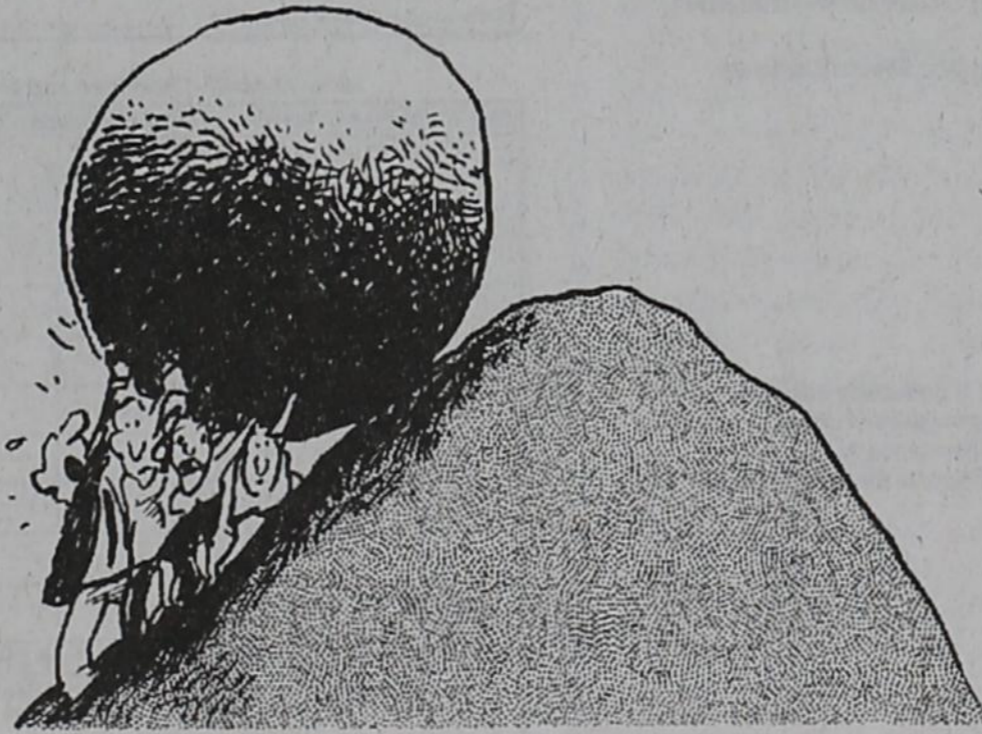
The three were also invited by state and national FCCLA directors to represent two of the three Texas programs at the "Focus on Projects" session. They displayed and explained Service Learning activities done by Friona students during the past year.

It was not all work in Chicago though. The students and their adviser, Patsy Allen, toured the famous architecture of Frank Lloyd Wright, visited Lake Michigan's Pier, and enjoyed the beach and zoo. They rode trains, subways, trolleys, and taxis as they went to Chinatown, a White Sox baseball game, and the Hancock Building. The ladies also attended a Broadway musical, "The Fantasticks," and Chicago's Magnificent Mile of Stores including Bloomingdale's, Tiffany's, and Marshall Field's.

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# Back to School Monday, August 16

School supply lists are available and our local merchants will be happy to assist you with back to school supplies. Consider volunteering for campus committee assignment or just as a parent helper. See your campus administrator for information.

Students new to the school district can enroll during the week of August 9-13. Parents will need to bring a birth certificate, social security card, immunization records, and any records from school attended last year.

### Primary School

On Tuesday, August 10, there will be a parent meeting at 7:00 p.m. in the Jr. High cafeteria for all Primary and Elementary School parents. Please make your best effort to come because there will be a lot of important information as well as door prizes.

On Friday, August 13, Primary School students in grades ECE, Pre-K, K, and 1st may meet with their classroom teacher anytime from 12:00 noon until 2:00 p.m.

Parents may also take this time to visit the nurse on immunization requirements and fill out lunch applications in the cafeteria.

On August 16, students in grade K-1 will report to their assigned classrooms at 8:00 a.m. Kindergarten students will be dismissed at 12:00 noon from August 16 to 27. After Friday, August 27, Kindergarten students will be dismissed at 2:50 p.m. for the remainder of the year. First grade students will be dismissed at 2:50 p.m. each day as well. Head Start applications for enrollment are being accepted. For information contact Tracy Ellis at the Primary School at 250-3935. Parents will be notified if their child qualifies for the Head Start Program. If you have not registered your child please come by the Primary Office from 8:30-4:00 p.m., Monday thru Friday from now until the first day of school.

### Elementary School

On Monday, August 16, students will need to report to the following locations: Grade 5-South Entrance; Grade 4-South East Entrance; Grade 3-West Entrance-South Door; Grade 2-West Entrance-North Door. School personnel will be on duty to welcome students.

School begins at 8:00 a.m. and students are tardy at 8:10 a.m. Students dismiss at 3:00 p.m. unless they are to stay for tutorials.

Mandatory tutorials will be held from 3:10-3:40 each day for students needing extra instruction. Parents will be notified if their child will need to stay after school. There will be a parent meeting on Tuesday, August 10, at 7:00 p.m. in the Elementary School cafeteria to explain new procedures. There will be Door Prizes. Contact Becky Riethmayer at 250-2240 if you have any questions.

### Junior High

Friona Jr. High: Sixth grade students will have an orientation meeting on Thursday, August 12 from 3:00-4:00 p.m. to pick up schedules, receive locker assignments, and to meet the teachers. Please meet in the band hall at 3:00 p.m. sharp. Parents are welcome to come, but it is not necessary.

Students in grades 7-8 will receive schedules in the mail on August 11. Any new students are encouraged to register as soon as possible at the Jr. High office. Any student needing a schedule change is asked to come by the office on Friday, August 13 between 9:00 and 10:00 a.m. School will begin on Monday, August 16 at 8:10 a.m. and dismiss at 3:40 p.m.

### High School

All high school students need to pick up their schedules before school begins on August 16. Any schedule changes need to be made before this time. Students will be issued schedules with their locker numbers on them when they report on the first day of classes.

FHS Freshman Orientation will be on Thursday, August 12 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. All freshman and their parents are invited to attend. There will be games, prizes, hot dogs, and valuable information about high school. Students can meet their new teachers, find their lockers and classrooms, and hopefully have some of their first day jitters put to rest. This is also a chance for parents to have some of their questions answered.

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. FRIONA ISD offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast costs **NOTHING FOR ALL STUDENTS**; lunch costs **\$1.40, \$1.45 and \$1.55**. Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced-price meals. The reduced price is \$.40 for lunch.

To apply for free or reduced-price meals, use the Free and Reduced-Price School Meals Application, which is enclosed. We cannot approve an application that is not complete, so be sure to fill out all required information. Return the completed application to: **ROXANNE HURST, FRIONA GRADE SCHOOL CAFETERIA, OR CALL 250-3353.**

Here are answers to questions you may have about applying:

- Who can get free or reduced-price meals?** Children in households receiving Food Stamps, TANF and most foster children can get free meals regardless of household income. Also, if your household income is within the limits on the Federal Income Chart, your children can receive free or reduced-price meals.
- Will my information be checked?** Yes. We may ask you to send written proof of the information you give.
- What if I stop receiving Food Stamps or TANF?** If your children qualify because you listed a Food Stamp or TANF case number, you must tell the school when you no longer receive Food Stamps or TANF.
- What if my household size or income changes?** If your children qualify for free or reduced-price meals based on your income, you must tell us if your household size goes down or if your income goes up by more than \$50 per month (\$600 per year). Call us at 250-3353 to update your application.
- If I don't qualify now, may I apply again later?** Yes. You may apply at any time during the school year if your household size goes up, income goes down, or if you start receiving Food Stamps or TANF. If you lose your job, your children may be able to receive free or reduced-price meals during the time you are unemployed.
- What if I disagree with the school's decision about my application?** You should talk to school officials. You also may ask for a hearing by calling or writing to: **JIM PARKER, SUPERINTENDENT, FRIONA ISD, 250-2747.** If you have other questions or need help, call 250-3353. Si necesita ayuda, por favor llame al telefono: 250-3353.

Sincerely,

**ROXANNE HURST, CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM DIRECTOR**

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2004-05

## NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS 2004-2005 INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

FAMILY SIZE	ANNUALLY		MONTHLY		TWICE PER MONTH		EVERY TWO WEEKS		WEEKLY		
	FREE	REDUCED	FREE	REDUCED	FREE	REDUCED	FREE	REDUCED	FREE	REDUCED	
1	\$12,103	\$17,224	\$1,009	\$1,436	\$505	\$718	\$466	\$663	\$233	\$332	
2	\$16,237	\$23,107	\$1,334	\$1,926	\$677	\$963	\$625	\$889	\$313	\$443	
3	\$20,371	\$28,990	\$1,698	\$2,416	\$899	\$1,208	\$784	\$1,115	\$392	\$558	
4	\$24,505	\$34,873	\$2,043	\$2,907	\$1,022	\$1,454	\$943	\$1,342	\$472	\$671	
5	\$28,639	\$40,756	\$2,387	\$3,397	\$1,194	\$1,699	\$1,102	\$1,568	\$551	\$784	
6	\$32,773	\$46,639	\$2,732	\$3,887	\$1,366	\$1,944	\$1,261	\$1,794	\$631	\$897	
7	\$36,907	\$52,522	\$3,076	\$4,377	\$1,538	\$2,189	\$1,420	\$2,021	\$710	\$1,011	
8	\$41,041	\$58,405	\$3,421	\$4,868	\$1,711	\$2,434	\$1,570	\$2,247	\$790	\$1,124	
9	\$45,175	\$64,288	\$3,766	\$5,359	\$1,884	\$2,680	\$1,738	\$2,474	\$870	\$1,238	
10	\$49,309	\$70,171	\$4,111	\$5,850	\$2,057	\$2,926	\$1,897	\$2,701	\$950	\$1,352	
11	\$53,443	\$76,054	\$4,456	\$6,341	\$2,230	\$3,172	\$2,056	\$2,928	\$1,030	\$1,466	
12	\$57,577	\$81,937	\$4,801	\$6,832	\$2,403	\$3,418	\$2,215	\$3,155	\$1,110	\$1,580	
For each additional family member add:		\$4,134	\$5,883	\$345	\$491	\$173	\$246	\$159	\$227	\$80	\$114

## Instructions for Applying — 2004-05

Use a separate application for each foster child. List other children together.

**If you are applying for a FOSTER CHILD, follow these instructions:**

- Part 1:** List the child's name, school, and grade.
- Part 2:** List the child's personal use monthly income, if any.
- Part 3:** Skip this part.
- Part 4:** Sign the form. A Social Security Number is not necessary.

**If your household receives FOOD STAMPS OR TANF, follow these instructions:**

- Part 1:** List each child's name, school, grade, and Food Stamp or TANF case number.
- Part 2:** Skip this part.
- Part 3:** Skip this part.
- Part 4:** Sign the form. A Social Security Number is not necessary.

**ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDS, follow these instructions:**

- Part 1:** List each child's name, school, and grade. **Optional (Social Security Number, Student I.D., or Date of Birth)**
- Part 2:** Skip this part.
- Part 3:** Follow these instructions to report last month's household income.
  - Column 1—Name:** List the last, first, and middle name of each person living in your household, related or not (such as grandparents, other relatives, or friends). You must include yourself and all children. Attach another sheet of paper if needed.
  - Column 2—Last month's income and how often it is received:** For each person who receives income, write the amount received and how often it is received.
  - Employment Income:** List the gross income for each person. It is not the same as take-home pay. Gross income is the amount earned before taxes and deductions. It should be listed on your pay stub or your boss can tell you. Next to the amount, write how often you receive it — weekly (W), every 2 weeks (E), twice a month (T) or monthly (M).
  - Other Income:** List the amount each person receives from all other sources. Include welfare, child support, alimony, pensions, retirement, Social Security, Worker's Compensation, unemployment, strike benefits, Supplemental Security Income (SSI), Veteran's benefits (VA benefits), disability benefits, regular contributions from people who do not live in your household, and ANY OTHER INCOME. Report net income for self-owned business, farm, or rental income. Next to the amount, write how often the person receives it.
  - Column 3—Check if no income:** If the person does not have any income, check the box.
- Part 4:** An adult household member must sign the form and list his or her Social Security Number or mark the box if he or she doesn't have one.

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## Multi-Child Free and Reduced-Price School Meals Application for 2004-05

District/Charter School

**Part 1. Children in School (Use a separate application for each foster child.)**

Names of all children in school (Last, First, Middle Initial)	School Name	Social Security #, Student I.D., or Date of Birth (OPTIONAL)	Grade	Food Stamp or TANF case # (if any)
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

If you listed a Food Stamp/TANF case number for one child, skip to Part 4.

**Part 2. Foster Child**

If this application is for a child who is the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court, check box  and list the amount of the child's personal use monthly income: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Skip to Part 4.

**Part 3. Household Members and Income From Last Month (List each person in the household. For each person who receives income, write the amount received and how often it is received.)**

1. Name (List everyone in household. In the example, the household includes mother Jane, grandfather Ralph and child Susie.)	2. Income and how often it is received. Weekly (W), Monthly (M), Every 2 Weeks (E), Twice a Month (T). Jane earns \$200 every 2 weeks and receives \$50 a month in child support. Ralph receives \$300 a month from Social Security. Susie has no income.	3. Check if NO income.
Jane Smith	Earnings from work before deductions: \$ 200 / E Welfare, child support, alimony: \$ 50 / M Pensions, retirement, Social Security: \$ _____ Other: \$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ralph Smith	\$ _____ \$ _____ \$ 300 / M \$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
Susie Smith	\$ _____ \$ _____ \$ _____ \$ _____	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
1.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
2.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
3.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
4.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Part 4. Signature and Social Security Number (Adult must sign.)**

An adult household member must sign the application. If Part 3 is completed, the adult signing the form must also list his or her Social Security Number or mark the "I do not have a Social Security Number" box. (See Privacy Act Statement on the "Instructions for Applying" page.) I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that the school will get Federal funds based on the information I give. I understand that school officials may verify (check) the information. I understand that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted.

Sign here: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_  I do not have a Social Security Number.  
Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Do not fill out this part. For school use only.**

Monthly Income Conversion: Weekly x 4.33, Every 2 Weeks x 2.15, Twice A Month x 2

Monthly Income: \_\_\_\_\_ Household size: \_\_\_\_\_ FS/TANF: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Withdrawn: \_\_\_\_\_  
Eligibility: Free \_\_\_\_\_ Reduced \_\_\_\_\_ Denied \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
Temporary: Free \_\_\_\_\_ Time Period: \_\_\_\_\_ (expires after \_\_\_\_\_ days)  
Determining Official's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**2004-05 Multi-Child Free and Reduced-Price School Meals Application—continuation sheet**

**Part 1. Children in School—continuation sheet**

Names of all children in school (Last, First, Middle Initial)	School Name	Social Security #, Student I.D., or Date of Birth (OPTIONAL)	Grade	Food Stamp or TANF case # (if any)
6.				
7.				
8.				
9.				
10.				
11.				
12.				
13.				

**Part 3. Household Members and Income From Last Month—continuation sheet**

1. Name (List everyone in household.)	2. Income and how often it is received. Weekly (W), Monthly (M), Every 2 Weeks (E), Twice a Month (T).	3. Check if NO income.
	Earnings from work before deductions: \$ _____ Welfare, child support, alimony: \$ _____ Pensions, retirement, Social Security: \$ _____ Other: \$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
6.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
7.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
8.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
9.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
10.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
11.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
12.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
13.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
14.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
15.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
16.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
17.	\$ _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Instrucciones para la solicitud - 2004-05

Use una solicitud por separado para cada niño bajo cuidado temporal. Anote a los demás niños juntos.

Si hace la solicitud para un NIÑO BAJO CUIDADO TEMPORAL, siga estas instrucciones:
Parte 1: Anote el nombre del niño, la escuela y su grado escolar.
Parte 2: Anote la cantidad del ingreso mensual para el uso personal del niño, si la hay.
Parte 3: Omite esta parte.
Parte 4: Firme la forma. No es necesario un número de Seguro Social.

Si su unidad familiar recibe ESTAMPILLAS PARA COMIDA O TANF, siga estas instrucciones:
Parte 1: Anote el nombre de cada niño, la escuela, su grado escolar y el número del caso de Estampillas para Comida o TANF.
Parte 2: Omite esta parte.
Parte 3: Omite esta parte.
Parte 4: Firme la forma. No es necesario un número de Seguro Social.

TODAS LAS DEMÁS UNIDADES FAMILIARES, sigan estas instrucciones:
Parte 1: Anote el nombre de cada niño, la escuela y su grado escolar. Opcional (Número de Seguro Social, núm. de identificación escolar, o fecha de nacimiento)
Parte 2: Omite esta parte.
Parte 3: Siga estas instrucciones para informar sobre los ingresos de la unidad familiar del mes pasado.
Columna 1—Nombre: Anote el apellido, el nombre y el segundo nombre de cada persona de la unidad familiar, sean parientes o no (como abuelos, otros parientes o amigos). Tiene que anotar su nombre y el de todos los niños. Adjunte otra hoja si es necesario.
Columna 2—Ingresos del mes pasado y con qué frecuencia los reciben: Por cada persona que recibe ingresos, anote la cantidad recibida y la frecuencia con la que la recibe.
Ingresos del trabajo: Anote los ingresos brutos de cada persona. No es la misma cantidad que se lleva a casa.
El ingreso bruto es el ingreso antes de estar impuestos y otras deducciones. Debe estar anotado en el talón del cheque, o preguntéle a su jefe. Al lado de la cantidad, anote la frecuencia con la que la recibe: cada semana (W), cada dos semanas (E), cada quincena (T) o cada mes (M).
Otros ingresos: Anote la cantidad que cada persona recibe de otras fuentes. Incluye la asistencia pública, manutención de niños, compensación por separación o divorcio, pensiones, jubilación, Seguro Social, indemnización laboral, compensación por desempleo, beneficios de huelga, Seguridad de Ingreso Suplementario (SSI), beneficios de veteranos (beneficios de la VA), beneficios por discapacidad, contribuciones fijas de alguien que no pertenece a su unidad familiar y TODOS LOS DEMÁS INGRESOS. Informe sobre los ingresos netos de negocios propios, agrícolas o de arrendamiento. Al lado de la cantidad, anote la frecuencia con que la recibe.
Columna 3—marque aquí si no tiene ingresos: Si la persona no recibe ningún ingreso, marque el cuadro.
Parte 4: Un miembro adulto de la unidad familiar tiene que firmar la forma y anotar su número de Seguro Social o marcar el cuadro si no tiene uno.

Declaración sobre la Ley del Derecho a la Vida Privada: Esto explica cómo usamos la información que nos da. La Ley Nacional de Almuerzo en la Escuela exige la información de esta solicitud. No tiene que dar la información, pero si no la da no podemos aprobar a sus hijos para que reciban comida gratis o a precios reducidos. Es necesario el Número de Seguro Social del miembro adulto de la unidad familiar que firma la solicitud, a menos que anote los números de caso de estampillas para comida o TANF de todos los niños para los que hace la solicitud o si hace la solicitud para un niño bajo cuidado temporal. Tiene que marcar el cuadro de "No tengo un Número de Seguro Social" si el miembro adulto de la unidad familiar que firma la solicitud no tiene un Número de Seguro Social. USAREMOS la información para ver si sus hijos llenan los requisitos para recibir comidas gratis o a precios reducidos, para el funcionamiento del programa y para hacer cumplir las reglas del programa. PODEMOS dar su información de elegibilidad a programas de educación, salud y nutrición para ayudarles a evaluar, financiar o determinar beneficios para sus programas; a auditarlos para evaluaciones de los programas; y a autoridades judiciales o policiales para ayudarles a investigar si se violan las reglas del programa.

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Solicitud para comidas escolares gratis o a precios reducidos para varios niños para 2004-05

Districto/escuela autónoma

Table with 4 columns: Names of children, School name, Grade, and Case number for free or reduced lunch.

Si anotó un número de caso de estampillas para comida o TANF para un niño, continúe en la Parte 4.

Parte 2. Niño bajo cuidado temporal

Si esta solicitud es para un niño cuya responsabilidad legal pertenece a una agencia de asistencia pública o a una corte, marque el cuadro y anote la cantidad del ingreso mensual para el uso personal del niño.

Parte 3. Miembros de la unidad familiar e ingresos del mes pasado (anote a cada persona de la unidad familiar. Por cada persona que recibe ingresos, anote la cantidad y la frecuencia con la que se recibe).

Table for family members with columns for name, work status, social security, and other income.

Parte 4. Firma y Número de Seguro Social (debe firmar un adulto).

Un miembro adulto de la unidad familiar tiene que firmar la solicitud. Si firma la Parte 3, la persona que firma la forma también tiene que dar su número de Seguro Social o marcar el cuadro "No tengo un Número de Seguro Social".

Caricolas garantizamos que toda la información en esta solicitud es verdadera y que ha informado sobre todos los ingresos. Entiendo que la escuela utilizará la información de esta solicitud para determinar si los estudiantes de la escuela pueden recibir (o continuar) la información. Entiendo que si doy información falsa a propósito, mis hijos pueden perder los beneficios de las comidas, y yo puedo ser sancionado.

Firme aquí: Fecha: No tengo un Número de Seguro Social.

Nombre con letra de molde: Teléfono de la casa: Teléfono del trabajo:

Dirección postal: Ciudad: Estado: Código postal:

No llene esta parte. Solamente para el uso de la escuela.

Monthly Income: Household size: Eligibility: Temporary: Determining Official's Signature: Date:

Solicitud para comidas escolares gratis o a precios reducidos para varios niños para 2004-05 - continuación

Parte 1. Niños en la escuela-continuación

Continuation table for children's names, schools, and grades.

Parte 3. Miembros de la unidad familiar e ingresos del mes pasado - continuación

Continuation table for family members' income and details.

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Timely Rains Add To Optimism; High Plains Crop Stays On Course

LUBBOCK, July 30, 2004

By Shawn Wade

When you rely on Mother Nature, the best you can hope for is a timely rain to fall on a crop ready to take the nourishment it provides, and run with it.

Here on the High Plains of Texas the cotton is there and it appears Mother Nature has provided the timely moisture infusion the area needed to keep the 2004 crop moving ahead. All that remains to be seen is how far the crop will run and how big the prize will be at the finish line.

Despite the optimism that blankets the area, producers know that the months of August and September will be critical to achieving the potential their crop currently holds.

Rainfall totals for the last week of July have ranged from one-half inch to greater than six inches in some locations. Average rainfall across the area has been a welcome one-two inches in most areas.

With the rainfall has come several days of below normal heat unit accumulations and a likely slowing down of crop development. The cool temperatures and lack of solar radiation are the main culprits, but a return to the sunny,

warm conditions forecast for the weekend, should get things back on track.

Prior to the last week's cloudy weather the area had been maintaining a phenomenal pace in terms of fruit retention and boll set. In fact, now that timely moisture has been received, the major limiting factors may be whether or not producers have been able to provide adequate fertilization to sustain the boll load and how quickly plants get back to speed.

It is expected that the cool temperatures and lack of sunlight will initiate some shedding of fruiting forms and create somewhat of a "hole" in the middle of the plant. Generally speaking however, the moisture should prove a greater plus for yield potential, that the hiccup in the blooming period, its arrival created.

To date, the area is running about even to slightly ahead of its normal pace for heat unit accumulations. Long-term weather data indicate that from May 1 to July 31, Lubbock should expect an average accumulation of about 1367 heat units. Since May 1, Lubbock has received a total of 1443 heat units through July 28.



Northwest Plains Pest Management News

By Monti Vandiver, Extension Agent IPM, Texas Cooperative Extension

Cool temperatures slowed crop development this week. The average daily temperatures for the last five days at Farwell, Friona, and Muleshoe ranged from 67 to 69 degrees. Local weather stations recorded .62 inches additional precipitation at Farwell, .67 inches at Friona, and 1.01 inches at Muleshoe this week. More isolated hail storms damaged area crops. Total acres that received damaging hail were a small percentage of total planted acres, which is some consolation. Most damage to corn was cosmetic but cotton sustained damage that will reduce yields.

Cotton development slowed to a crawl this week. Low average daily temperatures have reduced daily heat unit (DD60) accumulation by 53%. This translates into a loss of approximately 3 days of maturity, which could delay harvest several weeks depending on future weather. Area cotton is in good shape moisture wise, but every effort should be made to promote earliness. Fruit load is very good for the most part; many fields went into bloom at 85 to 90% first position square set. Most irrigated cotton has 7 to 9 nodes above white flower.

Insect pests in cotton are sporadic, most fields have low levels of lygus (less than .25 per three row feet), the estab-

lished economic threshold is two per three row feet after bloom has started. An occasional bollworm can be found in some fields, but are not a pressing issue yet. As corn starts to mature moths will begin to lay eggs in cotton rather than corn. Typically this shift in host preference results in an acute egg lay that seems to happen overnight. Bollworm moths are attracted to and lay eggs readily in cotton that is producing an abundance of new growth. Moths usually lay single eggs on the tops of young, tender terminal leaves in the upper third of the plant. Eggs are pearly white to cream color and about half the size of a pinhead. These should not be confused with looper eggs which are flatter and usually laid singly on the undersides of leaves. Sometimes moths deposit eggs on squares, bolls, stem, and, in general, lower parts of the plant. This may occur when cotton plants are stressed and making little new growth, or during periods of high temperature and low humidity.

Corn continues to thrive in the cool wet conditions. Any delay in maturity associated with the cooler temperatures will be more than offset by the potential yield gains. Most corn is in the milk to soft dough stage which is on the down hill side

of the daily water use curve.

Insect pests remain light in most corn. Southwestern corn borer activity has been practically non-existent thus far. Spider mites are also present in low populations with only a few fields with mites above the bottom third of the plant. Most mite colonies are the size of a quarter, or smaller. Careful management of other pests (corn borer, true armyworms, etc.) could make future treatment of spider mites unnecessary. By careful management I mean treat only if sufficient numbers of other pests are observed to warrant an insecticide application and the use of insecticides which are softer on beneficial insects which are currently suppressing the mite population. Lacewing larvae and other predators are consistently being found in mite colonies.

True armyworms continue to be found in some cornfields. These are foliage feeders which can consume large amounts in a short time. Armyworms are very susceptible to parasitoids and pathogens; hopefully these natural enemies will eliminate the need to chemically treat. Chemical treatment is justified when an average of three leaves per plant are destroyed by larval feeding.

Crossword puzzle titled 'The Original TEXAS CROSSWORD' with clues and a grid. Includes 'ACROSS' and 'DOWN' sections with clues like 'takes a big need much to rope him' and 'you don't sleep fast'.



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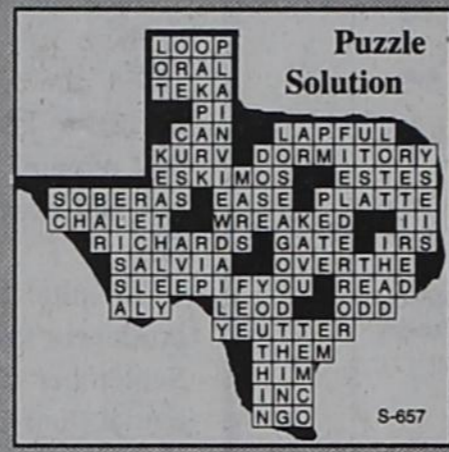
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**TO: Tami Adams, GREETING:**  
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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 7, 2004 in this case numbered 539 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Tami Adams**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
Outstanding hospital bills and is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.  
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**TO: Michael Garza, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Vivaliah Hutto, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Texas at Bovina, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 7, 2004 in this case numbered 545 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Michael Garza**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
Outstanding hospital bills and is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.  
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**TO: Alex V. Pacheco, GREETING:**  
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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 7, 2004 in this case numbered 549 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Alex V. Pacheco**  
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**TO: Larry Poole, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Vivaliah Hutto, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Texas at Bovina, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 7, 2004 in this case numbered 550 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Larry Poole**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
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**TO: Eloy D. Trevino, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Valton Howard, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 1, Parmer County, Texas at Friona, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 8, 2004, in this case numbered SC0562 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Eloy D. Trevino**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
Outstanding hospital bills and is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.  
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**TO: Jesus Ruiz, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Valton Howard, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 1, Parmer County, Texas at Friona, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 8, 2004, in this case numbered SC0559 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Jesus Ruiz**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
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**TO: Kathy Saenz, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Valton Howard, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 1, Parmer County, Texas at Friona, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 8, 2004, in this case numbered SC0560 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Kathy Saenz**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
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**TO: Lupe Casarez, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Valton Howard, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 1, Parmer County, Texas at Friona, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 8, 2004, in this case numbered 540 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Lupe Casarez**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
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**TO: Vidal Contreras, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Valton Howard, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 1, Parmer County, Texas at Friona, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 12, 2004, in this case numbered 542 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Vidal Contreras**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
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**TO: Luis Sanchez, GREETING:**  
You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2004 before the Honorable Judge Vivaliah Hutto, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Texas at Bovina, Texas.  
Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on July 7, 2004 in this case numbered 553 on the docket of said court, and styled,  
**Parmer County Community Hospital**  
**VS**  
**Luis Sanchez**  
The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
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# L. Dayhoff & L. Looper Exchange Vows In Clovis

Lindsey Erin Dayhoff and Lance Wade Looper, both of Lubbock, Texas exchanged wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. (MST), on Saturday, July 10, 2004. The outdoor ceremony was held in a beautiful garden setting at the residence of Don and Gayla Brumfield, longtime family friends, in Clovis, New Mexico, with Reverend Doug Brooks of Parkland Baptist Church of Clovis officiating.

Parents of the couple are Randy and Linda Dayhoff of Clovis, New Mexico, Jayn Looper of Friona, Texas, and CB Looper of Hondo, Texas.

Grandparents of the bride are Ramona Dayhoff and Dennis Dayhoff, both of Clovis, New Mexico, Harry and Wanda Harvey of Lubbock, Texas, the late Louise Harvey, and great-grandmother, Louise Springer of Carrollton, Missouri.

Grandparents of the groom are Meryle and Olive Massie of Friona, Texas, Clara Gast of Hondo, Texas, and the late Jackie Looper.

Pianist, Michael Teague of Clovis, New Mexico and violinist, Eileen MacNaughton of Portales, New Mexico provided the music.

Vocalists were Erik Erwin of Coolidge, Arizona, cousin of the bride, who sang "This is the Day", Randy Dayhoff, father of the bride, who sang "The Father Says I Do", and Marsha and Caleb Brandon who sang "The Prayer". Caleb Brandon also sang "What a Wonderful World". Other music selections included "You Raise Me Up", "The Swan", and the traditional "Wedding March".

As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she wore an all white A-line, floor length gown with spaghetti straps. The bodice was encrusted with crystal beads featuring an asymmetrical ruched waist. The attached skirt was silk organza layered over satin with an inverted pleat adorned

with crystal embellishments and a chapel train.

Her featured headband was encrusted with Austrian crystals and was followed by a flowing veil with a double layer of white illusion tulle scattered with crystals. She carried a European style hand tied bouquet of tropical flowers including birds of paradise, tangerine, fuchsia and pink, roses, anthurium, ginger, heliconia, gerbera daisies, liatris and monstera leaves.

Crystal and cultured pearl jewelry was worn to accessorize the bridal attire. Other jewelry worn by the bride included a diamond solitaire necklace, a gift from the groom, a diamond ring borrowed from Jaclyn Galipeaux, bridesmaid and long-time friend, and a traditional blue wedding garter.

Denay Hounshell, sister of the bride, and Heather Fullerton, both of Clovis, served as matrons of honor. Bridesmaids were Kendra McCloud of Clovis, Jodi Looper, sister of the groom, of Austin, Texas, Jaclyn Galipeaux of Las Cruces, New Mexico, Heather Ladd of Amarillo, and Danielle Tompkins of Sachse, Texas.

The feminine attendants wore tea length, A-line gowns with spaghetti straps, by Belsoie, in tangerine satin, covered by a layer of raspberry and tangerine chiffon with a shirred bodice and a cascading flounce down the hip. Bouquets were European hand tied tropical flowers of yellow, tangerine, coral, fuchsia, greenery and monstera leaves. The bridesmaids were barefooted.

The groom wore casual tan silk pants and a short sleeved cream shirt.

Cal Fullerton of Clovis, New Mexico served as best man. Groomsmen were Ryan Thompson of Decatur, Texas, Kyle Grimsley of Lubbock, Texas, Scott Rundell of Lubbock, Texas, Brad Bender of Clovis, New Mexico, Justin St. Clair of



MR. & MRS. LANCE LOOPER (nee' LINDSEY DAYHOFF)

Breckenridge, Texas, and Chase Hardage of Lubbock, Texas.

The male attendants wore short-sleeved cream Hawaiian shirts decorated with birds of paradise flowers.

Serving as ushers were Colby Carthel of Abilene, Texas, Jeremy McCloud of Clovis, New Mexico, Kit Preston of Laredo, Texas, Cory Hamilton of Dumas, Texas, Charlie Pope of Friona, Texas, and Nick Becker of Lubbock, Texas. Ushers wore short-sleeved olive Hawaiian shirts decorated with birds of paradise flowers.

Brenna Erwin, cousin of the bride, of Los Colinas, Texas and Zarryn McCloud of Clovis, New Mexico served as flower girls. They wore tea length gowns with spaghetti straps, a cr me bodice attached to a three-tiered skirt of tulle in shades of raspberry, yellow, and tangerine over cr me satin. The white silk baskets were adorned with silk flowers and ribbon in hues of tangerine and raspberry.

The ring bearer was Trevor Haile, cousin of the groom, of Corinth, Texas, who also wore a

cream Hawaiian shirt with birds of paradise. Lance's ring once belonged to his grandfather, Meryle Massie, and the diamond in Lindsey's ring once belonged to her grandmother, Loise Harvey, both representing over 100 years of marriage.

The outdoor ceremony was decorated with white chairs covering the landscape while the end chairs, adorned with bright variegated colors of gerbera daisies in silver cone holders with satin ribbon, marked the center aisle. The altar was a white garden arch flanked with tropical flowers including birds of paradise, roses in hues of tangerine, coral, and fuchsia, gerbera daisies, and monstera leaves. The center aisle was sprinkled with yellow, pink, and orange rose petals.

Registry attendants were Kylie Winnings, Lindsey Phillips, and Tiffany Birrell. Program and palm fan attendants were Brandi North, Cambell Moore, Sunny Hamilton, Shacie Rogers, and Amanda Hensal.

The reception and dance was held at the Chapparral Country

Club in Clovis, New Mexico. The tables were covered in white linens with glass and iron candleholders encircled with greenery.

The five tiered, stack on stack, round Bavarian cr me cake, with cr me icing, was adorned in a delicate leaf appliqu , topped with fresh tropical flowers cascading down the side and base of the cake. The wedding cake was featured under a lighted arch of greenery and white wisteria.

The groom's cake was a square double layered German chocolate with German chocolate frosting, topped with chocolate sculptures of the couple's initial monogram, surrounded by chocolate dipped strawberries.

Following a honeymoon to Playa del Carmen, Mexico, the couple will reside in Lubbock, Texas.

The bride is a 1997 Clovis High School graduate and a 2002

Texas Tech cum laude graduate with a degree in Family Studies. She is currently employed by SYSCO in Sales in Lubbock.

The groom is a 1996 Friona High School graduate and a 2003 Eastern New Mexico University graduate with a degree in Education. He is employed by LISD as a coach and teacher.

Out of town guests included Anni Jensen of England, Aaron Towle of Chicago, Illinois, Merylene and David Towle of Bar Harbor, Maine, Scott and Jill Cotoia of Monaca, Pennsylvania, Erik and Nancy Erwin of Coolidge, Arizona, Mr. Geoff Erwin and Brenna of Los Colinas, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Page and Cassie of Las Cruces, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Warren of Deming, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Mosley of Albuquerque, New Mexico, Janae Oldham of Austin, Texas and many friends from Lubbock and Amarillo.

## What Did Jesus Really Say?

By Rev. Alvin Petty, Calvary Baptist Church

Suppose you live in Joe Noske's neighborhood. And you are so impressed by his daily charming cheerfulness and thoughtfulness that you brag to others, "Joe is the light of our neighborhood". Wouldn't that be a wonderful testimony to Joe?

But suppose that Joe took advantage of several public forums to stand up and say, "I am the light of my neighborhood!" This does not sound quite so good.

Which is better, having Jesus say, "I am the light of the world", (John 8:12), or understanding that this is not what he said, but rather, what the Johanne segment of the late first century church said of Jesus, 70 years after his death. The words are their testimony that they had discovered to be true, about Jesus, through trying to follow his way. It is a good, true testimony but it is the church's words and not Jesus' words.

Jesus never said anything like this in the three earlier gospels. He did strongly say the following, however, "You are the light of the world. Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven", (Matt. 5:14 & 16).

Instead of shouting, "Jesus, Jesus, Jesus is the light of the world" at others, the church should be the light of the world by doing, daily, all the good works that it can, to help its fellow human beings. Then others might come to see the great practical value of following Jesus' way of love and take his way to be the light of their world.

**Facts About The BIBLE** BY JOHN LEHTI

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# Obituaries

## Ambrosio G Rios, Sr.

Funeral services for Ambrosio G. Rios, Sr., 95, of Friona, were held at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, August 5, 2004 at St. Teresa's Catholic Church, with Father David Contreras of St. Ann's Catholic Church of Bovina, officiating. Burial followed in the Friona Cemetery with arrangements by Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

A rosary was held at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 4, at St. Teresa's Catholic Church.

Mr. Rios died Monday, August 2, 2004 at his residence in Friona.

He was born February 26, 1909 in Villadama, Mexico.

He married Leonore Silva Rios on April 16, 1932 in Goliad, Texas. He had been a Friona resident since 1970 (34 years), moving from Raymondville, Texas, and was a member of St. Teresa's Catholic Church of Friona.

His wife, Leonore, preceded him in death in 1993.

Survivors include seven sons, Pablo Rios and Guadalupe Rios, both of Raymondville,



AMBROSIO RIOS, SR.

Texas, Antonio Rios, Ambrosio Rios, Jr., Juan Jorge Rios, and Rodolfo Rios, all of Friona, and Jose Luis Rios of Canyon, Texas; six daughters, Marcella Rodriguez of LaSara, Texas, Ofelia Diaz of Levelland, Texas, Herminia Tamez of Harlingen, Texas, Oliva Sosa of Raymondville, Texas, San Juna Rios of Round Rock, Texas, and Maria Isabel Rios of Friona; 63 grandchildren; and 70 great-grandchildren.

# FRIONA FLASHBACKS

## 70 Yrs. Ago August 13, 1934

Information from the president of the local board of school trustees, states that the Friona Schools will open for the term on Monday August 3. A complete faculty of teachers has been secured, which includes practically all who were here last year, with at least one additional teacher, the instructor of vocational agriculture. The fleet of eight new school buses has already arrived and the long garage or shed for their protection has been erected on the newly acquired school property.

## 65 Yrs. Ago August 18, 1939

The territory and much of the surrounding counties were visited Sunday night by a good and much needed rain, which gave a fall of from three-fourths of an inch to an estimated inch and a half, as reported from various sections of the territory from a few miles north and west, to the southern limits of the county.

## 60 Yrs. Ago August 11, 1944

The Republican County Convention which met in Friona, July 29, was called to order by temporary chairman F.W. Reeve, and by unanimous vote, the temporary organization was made permanent. F.W. Reeve was unanimously elected as County Chairman for the coming two years, and he was also appointed as delegate to the State Convention with George Mclean as alternate.

## 50 Yrs. Ago August 12, 1954

Gubernatorial candidate Ralph Yarborough made a brief stop Tuesday evening at the Friona airport, being met by a local delegation and one from Hereford. Though scheduled to speak at Hereford, Yarborough was forced by delay in plane flight to omit the Hereford visit.

## 45 Yrs. Ago August 13, 1959

A.T. Eiland, 81, of Olton Route, Plainview, was reported to be improving at the Parmer County Community Hospital Tuesday, following a collision Thursday about noon at the Hub corner.

## 40 Yrs. Ago August 13, 1964

The Friona Star was a winner in the West Texas Press Association's annual contests. The Star was awarded the first place plaque in the "Best Editorials" division. It received the second place award in the "General Excellence" contest.

## 35 Yrs. Ago August 14, 1969

Mary Rando, Friona High School graduate, currently a freshman student at West Texas State University, placed in the top ten of the "Miss Grain Sorghum of the Nation" contest at Dimmitt last Saturday night. Sponsored by the Parmer County Farm Bureau, Miss Rando presented a reading of "Freedom- My Responsibility."

## 30 Yrs. Ago August 11, 1974

Fran Dodd Tucker, a native of Friona, was among the 316 students who received their degrees from Eastern New Mexico University in summer commencement exercises at the university on August 2.

## 25 Yrs. Ago August 12, 1979

Representative Bill Clayton of Springlake, Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, will be featured speaker at Prairie Acres, Friona's city-owned nursing facility.

## 20 Yrs. Ago August 19, 1984

Milton Dixon was recently elected state president of the Student Aggie Club at Texas A&M University. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon of Friona.

## 15 Yrs. Ago August 12, 1989

Three men were re-elected to

the board of directors by the Friona Farmers Co-Op Gin membership Thursday. They are Bill Carthel, Rickey Rector, and Teddy Fangman.

at Southern Methodist University in Dallas, is included on the recently released undergraduate honor roll for the spring semester.

New assignments have been made to some of the Friona High School faculty. Becky Reithmayer, former English teacher for 6 years, is the newly appointed assistant principal. Two new coaches, Mike Fair and Lanny Crow, have joined the coaching staff.

## 10 Yrs. Ago August 13, 1994

Mindy Beth Johnson, junior

## 5 Yrs. Ago August 13, 1999



FRIONA'S Reeve Lake has benefited from the record June-July Rainfall. The normally dry pond has been almost full all summer and lends some nice views to the landscape.

photos by carol ellis



## PUBLIC NOTICE August 5, 2004

Crosstex Energy Services operates approximately 3.5 miles of natural gas pipeline near Friona, Texas. The pipeline safety program includes:

1. Daily surveillance by experienced operator in the field;
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This notice was prepared so that you can identify our pipeline and know how to recognize and respond to a pipeline emergency.

### HOW DO YOU KNOW WHERE A PIPELINE IS LOCATED?

Since pipelines are buried underground, line markers are used to show their approximate location at numerous points along their routes. These markers list the commodity transported, the name of the operator, and a telephone number where the operator's representative can be reached.

Although helpful, markers are limited in the information which they provide. They are placed near the pipeline, but not necessarily on top of them, and a pipeline may not follow a straight route between two markers. Also, markers provide no information about the depth of the pipeline. Therefore, it is very important that you place a phone call to the number on the marker before digging in the area of the pipeline.

If you are planning to dig near our pipeline, please notify us in advance by calling toll free at (866) 394-9839 or by calling collect at (361) 299-4000. A company representative will meet with you and provide detailed marking to show the pipeline location, route and depth. You should also provide advance notice of any planned digging to the Texas Excavation Safety System at (800) 344-8377 which will notify all pipeline operators in the area who have registered their pipelines with the service.

### HOW CAN YOU RECOGNIZE A PIPELINE LEAK?

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1. A hissing or roaring sound;
  2. Any strange or unusual odor in the area of the pipeline;
  3. A dense white cloud or fog;
  4. Frost or ice on the ground;
  5. A spot of dead or discolored vegetation in an otherwise green area;
  6. Flames occurring if the leak has ignited.

### WHAT SHOULD YOU DO IF YOU SUSPECT A LEAK?

If you know or suspect that a pipeline is leaking or damaged, leave the area immediately. Your personal safety should be your first concern. Also:

1. Avoid driving into vapor clouds;
2. Avoid creating sparks or sources of heat which might ignite the escaping gas;
3. Immediately notify the pipeline operator giving your name and a description of the leak and its location. If the pipeline operator is not known, call your local fire or police department. Advise them of the location and nature of the emergency.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY FRIONA

August 8 thru August 14, 2004.

Aug. 8-Jason Vaughn, Oscar Eastep, Richard Ellis, Julie Warren, Jenny Hamilton, Judy Cummings, Kim Herring, Jeffrey Krauel

Aug. 9-Rickey Rector, Cheryl Weatherly, Ricky Roden, Cole Pena

Aug. 10-Kathryn Goddard, Randall Roberson

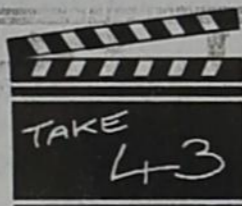
Aug. 11-Leland Hutson, Clifford McLellan, Bertha Shapley, Briana Wright, Karen Schlenker, Kendrick Burns

Aug. 12-Jimmy Putman, Becky Jones, Lisa Weatherly, JoAnn Ewing, Mindy Johnson, Floyd Rector, Mary Johnston, Ann Schueler

Aug. 13-Abel Mendoza, Amber Alexander, Nancy Norwood, Keith Hunt, Amber Huddleston

Aug. 14-Charlie Wise, John Goen, Charles Sanders, Deirdre Osborn, Sheri Ratcliff Gervais, Brian Lane, Jay Lee Widner, Storm London

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up or see a name that should be removed (name change, death, move, etc.), please call the Friona Star office at 250-2211. Thank you.



## Movie Review of The Village

By Nathan Parson

I am a fan of M. Night Shyamalan movies: The Sixth Sense, Unbreakable, and Signs. As bad as the basic idea is, as big as the plot holes are, his movies are made so well that they overcome these problems.

Most horror movies are focused on the blood and gore. You can always get a laugh when you see a person's body exploding like a jelly donut in some run-of-the-mill horror movie. For this reason, horror has just become a sub-genre of comedy. The hook in The Village isn't the mindless blood-splatter.

The reason to see The Village is the suspense and the frequent turn of events. Unlike the single payoff at the end of The Sixth Sense, M buries little surprises throughout this movie. You won't be able to walk away.

I love to see symbolism in movies and The Village has a lot of it. The color red for instance, unlike any other color evokes anger and passion, hatred and love. This is the color the inhabitants of the village are afraid of. They bury it in the earth as soon as it is spotted. It is the forbidden color.

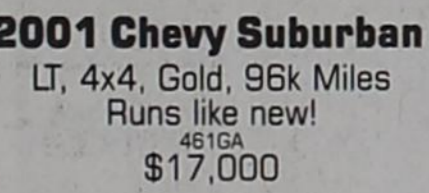
Any movie can be picked apart and shown in a bad light if you try hard enough. Suppression, Love, Fear, and Bravery are all themes of this movie. As you watch it, allow the movie to envelop you. On a scale of 1-10, The Village is an 8.5.

(Friona Star graphics guru Nathan Parson is also a movie geek. We have asked him to review movies he sees and write about them. Nathan can be reached at frionastar@wrt.net.)

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# The Great Flood of 1941 Changed Friona's Future

By RON CARR

*Frio Draw which has been on a rampage so many times lately that its capers scarcely attract attention now, was again out of its channel a part of the day Monday as a result of the heavy rains that fell to the west of Friona Sunday night.*

*The Friona Star  
June 13, 1941*

That is about all the Friona Star had to say about what old timers now refer to as The Great Flood of 1941. Rains in the area channeled into the Frio Draw and flooded south Friona resulting in damage claims by lot owners and negotiations for easement access by the Santa Fe Railroad to build dikes to prevent future flooding.

Last year when the railroad headquarters in Galveston was being moved or remodeled old records were made available to interested railroad buffs. William Osborn, whose parents Joe and Carolyn Osborn were former owners of the Friona Star, lives in Galveston and took advantage of the offer. He gathered correspondence among law firms and the railroad and gave them to Lois Norwood for historical safekeeping at the Depot in City Park.

A letter written to the law firm of Adkins, Pipkin, Madden & Keffer in Amarillo, dated Septem-

ber 2, 1941, referred to claims for damage by several citizens "for damage to their property on account of high waters from the Frio Draw at Friona, Texas, on May 23, May 25, May 29, and June 5, 1941." The law firm acted as Division Attorneys for the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company.

In 1941 most of the businesses on Main Street had been built south of the railroad tracks. No attempt had been made by the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Co. to plan for flooding by building a dike for flood control. That changed after the great flood.

We could not find an account of how much rain actually fell but this excerpt from a September 15, 1941 letter from the Adkins, et al, law firm to an attorney in Lincoln, Nebraska, concerning claims by flooded property owners says:

"These lots are located in the flood plain of Frio Draw on the south side of the Railway Company's embankment at Friona, Texas, where it crosses Frio Draw. This stream is ordinarily a dry stream but extends northwestwardly into New Mexico and drains a very large area.

In May and June of this year unprecedented rains fell in the



**THE GREAT FLOOD OF 1941** looking south on Main as shown in this photo provided by Martha Slagle Rutherford and included in the 2004 Friona Pioneer Heritage Society calendar. After the flood, Friona's growth moved north to higher ground and the railroad built dikes to prevent future flooding.

upper reaches of this stream resulting in flood conditions at Friona, Texas, never experienced before. The lots owned by Mr. Cades are on the south and downstream side of the railroad and the presence of the railroad embankment gave some protection to all of the lots and properties on the downstream side. On account of being subject to flood all of the structures in the valley south of the railroad track have to be moved to the higher ground north of the track.

In order to protect the railroad and to lessen chances of further damages the Railroad Company is building a heavy dike on the south side of its right of way and is endeavoring to confine the stream to a channel."

The letter continues: "Even though these lots were bought years ago and the owners have paid taxes on them for years you may rest assured that the lots on the floor of this valley and south of the railroad will never be uti-

lized for buildings or other structures. The ground on the north side of the railroad is much higher and since the spring floods there will be no improvements of any kind left on the south side of the railroad. The Commissioners Court of Parmer County attempted to vacate Wright's South Side Addition in 1922. The old county road partly covers the Cades lots. We mention all these matters to you for the purpose of disabusing your mind of any idea that these lots have any practical value. The State and County taxes are assessed against them on a valuation of \$20."

The railroad subsequently offered the Cades \$75 for the easement on their lots. There is no record whether they accepted.

In considering damage claims filed by landowners the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company employed the Adkins, Pipkin, Madden and Keffer law firm to research flooding history in the area. The railroad consid-

ered a defense that landowners knew the south part of Main would flood so the railroad was not liable.

However the law firm advised otherwise as noted in this excerpt from a five page letter dated September 3, 1941: "It is therefore important to determine whether these facts can be developed to the point of making a strong showing before an average jury. On account of the many fact issues involved and the paucity of proof, it is our opinion that you would be well advised to make an advantageous settlement of all of these claims."

The firm told the railroad that since they had already started building an embankment and dike and digging a downstream channel and enlarging bridge openings, "it could be argued that if these improvements are necessary now, why were such precautions not provided in the first instance."

Some of the claimants and their

claim amounts were named in railroad documents as: W. H. Hughes \$1,125; J. F. Stanford \$762; Angel Gonzales \$170; O. E. Stevick \$1,773; J. E. Shackelford \$300; Carl Maurer \$2,066; L. F. Lillard \$2,203.07; and W. A. Tinney \$838.25.

J. F. and Erma Stanford settled for \$500 for "alleged damages caused by water backing up and overflowing the land, house, chicken house and other outbuildings, yard, etc. and damaging household goods, automobile, fences, garden and various personal effects."

Water will always be a vital consideration in rural areas like Parmer County. The Great Flood of 1941 brought about change in the future of Friona, moving growth to the north of the railroad tracks and bringing about improvement by the railway company to prevent flooding while maintaining the commercial growth provided by rail transportation.

## January-July Rainfall Sets All-Time Record

By BILL ELLIS

The moisture this area received during the first seven months of 2004 is the most for the time period in the past 82 years, a check of the all-time records furnished by the U.S. Weather Service revealed this week.

In fact, the total moisture through July came to 19.24 inches, which is well above the average amount the area usually receives for the entire year, which is 16.70 inches.

The amount of moisture received through July is 2.54 inches above the average yearly since moisture records have been kept in Parmer County (Friona), which date back to 1931.

Only two years in the past decade, 1997 and 1999, recorded more rainfall for the entire year than has been recorded in the first seven months of 2004. The total rainfall for 1997 was 27.40, although over seven inches of that total came in August and September. The 1999 moisture amounted to 26.14 inches. The excellent 2004 total is following very dry years of 2002, when 14.76 inches were recorded, and 2003, when only 13.05 was received.

The June-July combined total measured by this writer at Friona's official gauge came to 8.99 inches, which is well above the average for that time period, and has the area crops looking much better than average, and farmers have been able to pocket what would have been very expensive energy bills for three of the last four months.

In fact, it would probably be fair to say that the energy savings for the area's farmers could be measured in the millions of dollars, and especially if you added in the amount of watering lawns and gardens which has been avoided by our cities.

The current year started off with a better than average January, with .65 inches of moisture, which included an inch of snow. February was much better than average at 2.34 inches, aided by 12.5 inches of snow. It was probably the second most moisture for February, only to 1956, although the Weather Service didn't have a recorder for 1956. It is recalled that the area received over two feet of snow that February. March contributed 2.04 inches of moisture, and April signaled the indication of better times, with 4.81 inches.

May has traditionally been the wettest month in Parmer County, but only .40 inches were received in 2004, making May the driest month of the year so far.

June bounced back with 4.81 inches, and July recorded 4.18. Notice that the April and June totals were identical, down to the "hundredth". How unusual it that?!

The writer located only one other year when this happened. In 1986, totals of 2.32 inches were recorded in February and July. The totals for June and April are 2.49 inches more than those '86 months, making the odds even higher.

The total rainfall of 4.81 in June was received on 11 different dates, with two other days registering a "trace". April's 4.81 total was received on nine different dates.

In the record year of 1941, an oddity was that three months, January, February, and November, registered only .16 inch or less. But Mother Nature made up for it later, with 9.54 inches in May, 9.66 in October, 5.84 in September and 4.74 in June.

The large amounts in September and October most probably were not particularly good on the crops, as cotton was the number one crop in those years, and was no doubt needing more hot, dry days than it appeared to have enjoyed.

The rainfall for the first seven months of 2004 has been registered as follows:

Month	# Dates	Total
January	4	.65
February	5	2.34
March	6	2.05
April	9	4.81
May	3	.40
June	11	4.81
July	9	4.18
<b>Totals</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>19.24</b>

## Well Drilling Rule Changes Approved

(Reprinted from "The Cross Section", a monthly publication of HPWD.)

Persons wishing to drill new or replacement water wells within the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 now need to comply with revised district rules that took effect June 9.

At their regular June 8 meeting, the five-member High Plains Water District Board of Directors unanimously approved amended revisions to the district rules, which include:

- \* Requiring permit application and board approval for all water wells drilled within the district expected to produce 25 gallons of water per minute (gpm) or more. This requirement was lowered from 69.4 gpm to 25 gpm.

- \* Adding 100 yards to the district's water well spacing requirements. Since 1953, the High Plains Water District has used water well spacing requirements to keep water wells from being drilled too close together.

- \* The current refundable water well permit deposit remains at \$250 per well. However, water well validation costs have increased to \$1,000 per well.

- \* Requiring that all new or replacement water wells be spaced from 25 to 135 yards away from existing property lines, based upon anticipated pump size and well production. The original proposed rules would have required wells to be spaced from 50 to 270 yards away from external property lines. However, the water district board of directors instituted a less restrictive minimum distance in response to public comment.

- \* Clarifying the responsibility of a permit applicant and district field personnel in obtaining mea-

surements between proposed well sites and existing wells.

- \* Removing gender references and making minor grammatical/organizational clarifications.

Water well permit applications accepted before the June 9 rule changes are subject to the previous district rules.

In this case, landowners have four months to drill their well. A four-month extension may be granted if the driller is delayed due to poor weather or other factors. If the well is not completed within eight months, the permit would no longer be valid and the landowner/operator would have to reapply for a permit under the newly revised rules," said Jim Conkwright, manager.

Conkwright said the district's board of directors believes that these rule changes are necessary at this time to further conserve and preserve the ground water

stored in the Ogallala aquifer within the district's 15-county service area. He added that board members expressed appreciation to local residents who offered comments on the proposed rule changes through testimony at two public hearings and/or by communications to the district.

"Each idea and concern expressed by district residents was given due consideration by the board of directors during the rule revision process. One of the benefits of local control of ground water is that we can blend water conservation goals with the concerns and needs of local residents," said Board President James P. Mitchell of Wolforth.

The rule revision receiving the most public comment was the proposed minimum water well spacing distance from property lines.

After considerable deliberation, the water district board chose to

put less restrictive spacing requirements in place.

"It is not the district's intent to create undue hardship for producers," said Conkwright.

"However, there have been an increasing number of water wells being drilled along property lines within the water district. The resulting cone of depression, when pumped, can cause interference with other wells. It is our hope that this new spacing requirement from property lines will help protect landowners by reducing this problem," he said.

Persons may obtain a copy of the revised rules from the High Plains Water District office, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, TX 79411-2499.

The revised rules may also be reviewed or downloaded from the district's web site at [www.hpwd.com](http://www.hpwd.com). The site's main page contains a link to the revised rules.

Well Production (Factor that determines spacing of proposed wells)	Minimum Distance From nearest well or proposed well site	Minimum Distance From Property Line	Expected or Usual Size of Pump (Inside diameter of column pipe)
25 to 70 gallons of water per minute (g.p.m.)	100 yards	25 yards	2-inch or smaller
> 70 to 165 g.p.m.	200 yards	50 yards	3-inch
> 165 to 265 g.p.m.	300 yards	75 yards	4-inch
> 265 to 390 g.p.m.	350 yards	87.5 yards	5-inch
> 390 to 560 g.p.m.	400 yards	100 yards	6-inch
> 560 to 1,000 g.p.m.	500 yards	125 yards	8-inch
> 1,000 g.p.m.	540 yards	135 yards	10-inch or larger

### Revised Rule Spacing Requirements

The above chart lists the amended revised water well rule spacing requirements approved by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District board of directors on June 8. These requirements add 100 yards to previous spacing distances and require spacing from external property lines for the first time in the district's 53-year history.



### Happy Birthday Bovina

**August 8 thru August 14, 2004.**  
**Aug. 8-**Celeste Olvera, Tamara Nicole Stormes  
**Aug. 9-**Kelly McClaran, Bryan Gist  
**Aug. 11-**Javier Robledo, Karen Schlenker  
**Aug. 12-**Darlene Miller, Arlene Brozek, Taffny Englant  
**Aug. 13-**Christopher Dopp  
**Aug. 14-**Ruby Robledo  
*If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up or see a name that should be removed (name change, death, move, etc.), please call the Friona Star office at 250-2211. Thank you.*

### Bovina Reflections

**45 Yrs. Ago**  
**August 12, 1959**  
 A leak or leaks, in plumbing under Bovina Public School buildings spilled 90,000 gallons of water into the nerve system basement of the building during the weekend.  
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**40 Yrs. Ago**  
**August 12, 1964**  
 O.C. Minyen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Minyen, entered St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo last Wednesday for surgery on his hand which was injured by a home-made bomb last December.  
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**25 Yrs. Ago**

**August 14, 1979**  
 Mrs. Larry Heard of Bovina was thrown from a horse near her home at 802 Ridgelea Drive Monday afternoon, suffering two broken arms in the accident.  
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**20 Yrs. Ago**  
**August 15, 1984**  
 Rain for five days and five nights in Bovina has caused headaches for residents living on dirt streets, otherwise, most people were happy about the downpour.  
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**15 Yrs. Ago**  
**August 15, 1989**  
 Twenty-three candidates for the Bovina Mustangs football team

greeted Coach Terry Bean when two-a-day workouts began for the recruits on Monday.  
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**10 Yrs. Ago**  
**August 13, 1994**  
 This is the 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the first Bull Town Days, which occurred in August of 1964. Of course, there hasn't been a Bull Town Days every year. It has been eleven years since the last one (1983).  
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**5 Yrs. Ago**  
**August 13, 1999**  
 In a strong thunderstorm, a plane owned by Jim Zehner could not land because of a power outage at Benger Airport which caused the doors on the hanger not to lower. The plane received extensive damage to the wing.

### 70th Wedding Anniversary



**THELMA & ROUEL BARRON** of Bovina will celebrate their 70th anniversary with a reception Sunday August 8.

### Bovina Firemen Fill-The-Boot

In observance of the 50th anniversary of the inauguration of the partnership between Fire Fighters and the Muscular Dystrophy Association, Bovina Fire Fighters will conduct a Fill-the-Boot drive on August 23 to benefit MDA. Proceeds raised during the streetside campaign will help support MDA services and research programs, including MDA's outpatient clinic(s) for people with more than 40 neuromuscular diseases at BSA St. Anthony's. Members of the Bovina Fire Department will be at various intersections August 23, asking motorists to drop donations into fire fighter boots. Fill-the-Boot campaigns are among the primary ways in which fire fighters across the country have raised nearly \$200 million nationwide for MDA's fight against neuromuscular diseases since 1954. Fire fighters also hold softball tournaments, bowl-a-thons, and other special events to benefit MDA. Bovina Fire Department has supported MDA for many years through local activities. In addition, many members spend a week each year assisting at MDA summer camp. For more information about Fill-a-Boot or about MDA's programs, contact the MDA office in Amarillo at 806-359-3141.

### 70th Wedding Anniversary

*Friends of Thelma and Rouel Barron are invited to an open house at their home at 600 Hwy. 86 in Bovina, Sunday afternoon, Aug. 8th from 2:00-4:00 pm.*  
*Rouel and Thelma were married August 11th, 1934 in Clovis, NM. The open house will be hosted by their children Jerry and Linda Barron of Euless, TX and Donald Ray and Wannette Barron of Tucson AZ.*



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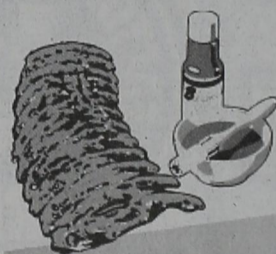
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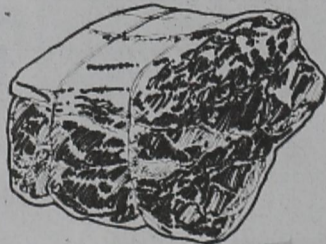


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