

# FRIONA STAR

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Only 19  
days 'till  
Christmas



## Christmas In The Park Set Here December 16

Everyone is invited to join a Santa Claus and the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce for Christmas in the Park on Monday, December 16.

Santa will be at the Depot in the Park to take orders from children young and old from 6:30-7:30 that evening.

All Children are especially invited to come, talk to Santa, have a picture made with Santa, and enjoy a short Christmas program.; Santa's sleigh is scheduled to arrive at 6:30 and with his busy schedule he will be leaving at 7:30 to get the Christmas lists back to the elves in his workshop so everything will be ready for Christmas.

So, get your list ready and come to the park on Monday, December 16.

## Monitoring Equipment Is "Project Xmas" Goal

Parmer Co. Community Hospital plans to use funds from Project Christmas Card to purchase new cardiac monitoring equipment, says Bill Neely, administrator.

The new equipment will cost about \$52,000. It will replace equipment which is at least 20 years old. Due to its age, it is almost impossible to repair.

Please join Project Christmas Card by December 13 and help our hospital!!!

As of December 4, 2002

76,933

Bales of cotton had been ginned  
in Parmer County.

Friona Star Survey

THE LETTERS ARE WORN off the "MUTE" button on both of our TV remotes. Since we are an Equal Opportunity household, the Good Old Boy and I both have dueling remotes. We usually agree on programming, so there's not much conflict there. The trouble brews over how loud (or how soft) the sound should be. Bill likes the sound turned down; I like it turned up. . . a sure sign that I have some hearing loss.

But when those loud commercials come on, we both grab the remote to see who'll be the quickest to hit that mute button.

Here's a word of advice to those of you who are trying to get us to buy your pickups, SUVs, furniture, appliances, etc. We invited you into our homes to share some moments of our leisure time. . . so QUIT SHOUTING AT US! And while you're at it, turn down the grating background noise that pretends to be music.

The one we hate most is the carload of teenagers driving at high speed along a freeway in an expensive vehicle, probably belonging to someone's parents. Irritating "music" is blaring and the young folks are squirming and jiggling around in the car like a bunch of worms in hot ashes. That sort of thing causes death by car wreck!

Networks and advertisers continue to spend all their airtime and ad money on the 18 to 49 age bracket despite the fact that the "Baby Boomers," the largest demographic group ever in history, are now age 55. TV targets the younger folks, even though they lead busy lives that leave little time to veg-out in front of the TV. There are many other, less sedentary forms of entertainment that the younger set enjoys more.

Unfortunately, movies follow suit, aiming their mindless action-packed thrillers at the young. Only 20% of the 12 to 20 crowd ever go to the movies, while 34% of the 40 and older crowd do go to the movies. Year after year, the most popular movies (i.e. largest attendance) are the ones with less blood and gore, and more romance and quiet family values.

There are 112 million people over age 55 in this country, who have more money to spend and more time for watching television and movies. But, with television geared primarily for youthful viewers, it is no surprise that TV viewing has dropped 40% in recent years.

A few of the more popular comedies are beginning to take notice of their senior viewers by including elder family members in the story line of their shows. Otherwise, seniors are relegated to watching channels that feature old TV shows from back in the days when programs had some value, or watching video tapes of old movies.

On the subject of video tapes, they've done it to us again! They (whoever they are) who decreed that we should pitch out our old records, lps, 45s, etc., and turn to tapes, first 8-track, then smaller cassettes. . . these are the same folks who then said we should throw out all of those and buy CDs and CD players. Now they insist that all video tapes will be obscure in a few years' time because they have decided that we should all have DVDs. Some folks haven't yet figured out how to set that blinking clock on their VCR.

An article in the *Amarillo Globe-News* early in July noted that VHS is on the way out and Circuit City has booted all VHS titles from its shelves in favor of DVDs. I don't shop there anymore.

I'm buying up a lot of blank video tapes so as to continue recording my soap opera every day and watching it on the weekends when I have more free time. We will continue to treasure all our old family videos of kids' birthday parties, music recitals, school plays and sporting events, interviews with older family members at anniversaries and family reunions, and we'll hope that our video tape players will hold out for a few more years, since there won't be any new ones.

As for those old records and cassettes that we were supposed to throw out. . . every catalog which has come to my mail box this season, offers a replica of an old-time radio with record turntable, cassette and CD combo for between \$150-\$200. If there weren't still a market for this item, it wouldn't be in all the catalogs.

Everything old is new again!

"MY  
TURN"  
by  
Carol  
Ellis



## Deadlines Told For ☆'s Xmas Issue

It is time for Friona youngsters to begin thinking about their Santa Letters which are to be published in the *Friona Star's Christmas Edition* on December 24th.

As in the past, boxes will be placed at elementary and grade schools for posting your letters. Deadlines for getting in your Santa letters is set for Thursday, December 12th.

The mailbox which has been out in front of the *Star* building for over 30 years met with a sad fate last week. So a large envelope will be taped to the front door as a receptacle for the children who wish to send their Santa letters directly to the source.

Some unknown person cart-ed off the old wheel base filled with concrete which held the mail box in front of the *Star* for many years. We cannot imagine what anyone would want with it. If you should happen to run across this rather odd item, please return it to the front of the building.

With Christmas Day, December 25, falling on a Wednesday this year, it has caused our deadline for the Christmas issue to be earlier than usual. All articles and ads for that issue will be December 13th.

December 13 is also the deadline to contribute and join "Project Christmas Card" for 2002. Donations benefit Parmer County Community Hospital.

## Hub Cowboy Fellowship Meets Tues.

The Hub Cowboy Fellowship will hold its monthly worship service Tuesday, December 10 at 7 p.m. at the Hub Community Center, located 1.5 miles south of the Hub intersection.

The speaker will be Don Cates, and R.W. Hampton will be in charge of the music.

This is a non-denominational gathering for the entire family, and everyone is welcome.

## Don't Forget The Friona Empty Stocking Fund

The Friona Empty Stocking Fund is busy gathering names of children who have special needs at this time of the year. Most need warm coats, clothes and shoes.

A \$25.00 donation will provide a warm coat for a small child and a gift of \$50.00 will provide a coat for a larger child or one in junior high school.

Please remember our own at this time of the year. There are many children who are in need and the warmth and love of our giving gives them a special Christmas.

Remember Christmas is the season for giving to others. For additional information, you can contact Jo Blackwell at 250-3922 or the Friona State Bank will be glad to take your donation to this special fund.



NEW BANK OPEN HOUSE---Haleigh Herbert, Miss Friona 2002, donned the Miss Merry Christmas suit this week and toured business firms around town (see inside this issue). She was warmly greeted at the beautiful new Friona Banking Center by: (l-r) Lisa Guevara, Britny Pope and Sharon Newton who invited one and all to attend the Banks' big open house and ribbon cutting event next Thursday, December 12.

## PUBLIC IS INVITED

# New Bank Schedules Open House Thurs.

Friona's newest business, the First National Bank, Friona Banking Center, will hold a Grand Opening and Open House next Thursday, December 12, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

A ribbon cutting will be held at 11:30 a.m., sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, and the public is invited to be present for this ceremony if they wish.

The new facility is located at 710 West 11th Street, just west of the Soapy Springs Car Wash.

First National Bank is anxious to show off their sparkling new facility, which has been decorated for the Christmas season.

"We are extremely proud of our bank, and if you have not visited us yet, we invite

you to come by and get acquainted with our staff. We are basically local folks, and know many of you, but would like to greet you and show off our new facility," said Ab Hendley, bank manager.

Hendley invites those attending to take a tour of the bank, and enjoy refreshments.

Folks are also urged to register for special door prizes, in addition to four \$50.00 U.S. Savings Bonds, which will be given away.

You do not have to be

present to win. The drawing will be held after the bank closes on Thursday.

The newest Parmer County financial institution was established in early 2001, and operated in a temporary facility while their permanent home was under construction on the site.

They have been in the new facility for about two months.

For more details and photos, see the bank's advertisement on Page 5 of this issue.

## FORMER LOCAL ATTORNEY

# Richard Collard Rites Conducted

Funeral services for longtime Friona attorney and civic leader Richard Collard, were conducted on Saturday, November 3 at Chandler Memorial Funeral Home Chapel in Chandler, Texas.

Rev. Ray Schueler and Rev. Dan Bolin officiated. Burial was in the Chandler Memorial Cemetery.

Collard passed away on November 1, 2002, after a lengthy illness.

He was born May 22, 1919, in Fort Worth, to Shad and Verna Price Collard, and married Janette Terrell on January 27, 1956, in Chandler. She survives him.

Collard received his BBA

and Doctorate of Jurisprudence degrees at St. Mary's University in San Antonio. He also served two years in the Korean War, attaining the rank of sergeant.

Collard first came to Friona in 1959, becoming associated with attorney Bill Sheehan, who was serving as District Attorney.

When Sheehan lost his reelection bid in 1960, the Collards returned to San Antonio. They returned to Friona in 1965. He was associated with Doyle Elliott in the local law practice but later purchased Elliott's interests.

While in Friona, Collard served as a board member and president of the Friona Chamber of Commerce (1967). He was also a member of the Friona Evening Lions Club, the Friona Masonic Lodge, was a lifetime member of the Scottish Rite, and with Janette was a member of First Baptist Church.

Collard sold his law practice in 1991 to Byron Boyd. The Collards moved to Waco, where he worked four or five years as a legal consultant to the Veterans Administration, retiring in 1995.

They moved back to Chandler in 1995 to be near Janette's mother, Laverne. Her father, Steve Terrell, had died about this time.

Collard was preceded in death by his parents, as well as a brother, Paul Collard, and a sister, Betty Ann Kramer.

Pallbearers were Dennis Cyr, Vincent Marks, Benny Pryor, John Teague, Jim Grabowski, Jack Pasaqual, Jerry Watson and Bill Sheehan.



FIRST SNOWFALL of the season measured about two inches. Moisture from the system measured .57 inches, starting December off on a wet note. It will help the winter wheat, but the cotton harvest is stopped once again.

# Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star



**YAHOO!....**It's nice and warm in the gym as Friona basketball is underway. The cheerleaders perform at the Tuesday games against Farwell. The Chiefs and Squaws are playing in the Vega tournament this weekend. ron carr photo

**60 Yrs Ago-Dec. 4, 1942**

C.L. Vestal, Jr. and Truett Johnson, while here last week on furlough, each favored the Star office with short visits and expressed their appreciation of receiving the Star each week at their training stations. We always enjoy and appreciate these visits from our soldier and sailor boys.

**50 Yrs Ago-Dec. 3, 1952**

Parmer County farmers interested in natural gas for irrigation use are invited to a meeting at the Bovina School Auditorium Monday night, December 8, at 7:45. This session is announced by officials of the County Farm Bureau, who have been negotiating for several months with officials of the West Texas Gas Company serving this area. Spokesman for the evening will be C.I. Wall, president of the gas firm.

**45 Yrs Ago-Dec. 5, 1957**

Friona Wheat Growers elevator now claims two world's records. Long undisputed in its claim of being the longest county elevator in the world, it now claims to have set the world record for receiving the largest amount of grain in one day. Manager Arthur Drake gives the following figures as the amount of grain received Wednesday of last week: a total of 789 truck loads-including 11,335,100 pounds of milo and 95,460, pounds of kafir; total pounds received: 11,430,560 or over 200,000 bushels.

**40 Yrs Ago-Dec. 6, 1962**

A good turnout was registered at three Parmer County clinics last Sunday in the first stage of the mass immunization program against polio through the use of Sabin oral vaccine. A total of 4,270 persons filed through the lines at Friona, Bovina and Lazbuddie. "We were real happy with the turnout," stated Dr. Paul Spring, county health officer. A makeup clinic will be held this Sunday at Parmer County Community Hospital for those who missed last Sunday.

**35 Yrs Ago-Dec. 7, 1967**

Contractor R.L. Fleming announced plans this week for a new 50 x 60-foot restaurant, to be built in West Friona. Foundation for the new eating establishment was run the first of this week. Seating capacity will be in the neighborhood of 160 people. The new establishment, which will be known as the "Parmer House," will have a coffee shop and two dining rooms.

time since the tie-breaker had been instigated to separate ties for the championship, the tie still could not be resolved, and R.L. Blakely and Jerry Hinkle were declared co-champions.

**20 Yrs Ago-Dec. 5, 1982**  
Jack Clark was the champion of the annual Friona Star Football Contest. He finished this year's contest with 203 points to an even 200 for three contestants who tied for runnerup honors: Clint Mears, Tom Johnson and Martha Clements.

Funeral services for Sara (Pat) Fallwell, 76, were held Monday, November 29 in the First United Methodist Church of Friona. She had been a long time resident of Friona, moving here in 1930.

**15 Yrs Ago-Dec. 5, 1987**  
Mark Neill became a two time champion in the Friona Star Football Contest by the margin of the tie-breaker system after he and Eddie Mann of San Angelo ended up in a deadlock on points at 163.

Hal Ratcliff, who is currently in his eighth year as principal of Friona High School, was named this week by the Friona Board of Trustees to be the Superintendent of Schools upon the retirement of Tom Jarboe.

For the first time since February of 1946, Friona doesn't have a Foster's. In a recent transaction, ownership of this combination ready-to-wear and drygoods store was transferred to Mike and Betty Chaney.

**10 Yrs Ago-Dec. 5, 1992**

The pheasant season kicks off in Parmer County on Saturday, December 12, amid reports that the game bird's population in the local area, which has definitely been on the decline since 1983, may

have begun to bounce back. Friona High School's Squaws won one hard-fought game, 73-70 over Hart here last Saturday, then dropped a 76-66 decision to the River Road Wildcats on Tuesday in North Amarillo. Senior post-girl Tena Willard sparked the team, hitting 14 of 20 shots from the field, a sizzling 70 per cent, and added 2 of 4 from the line for a 30-point performance.

**5 Yrs Ago-Dec 5, 1997**  
Mark Zachary, the 1997 Friona Football Contest grand prize winner donated his \$150 grand prize winnings to the Friona Heritage Society for use in maintaining the Old Depot in City Park.



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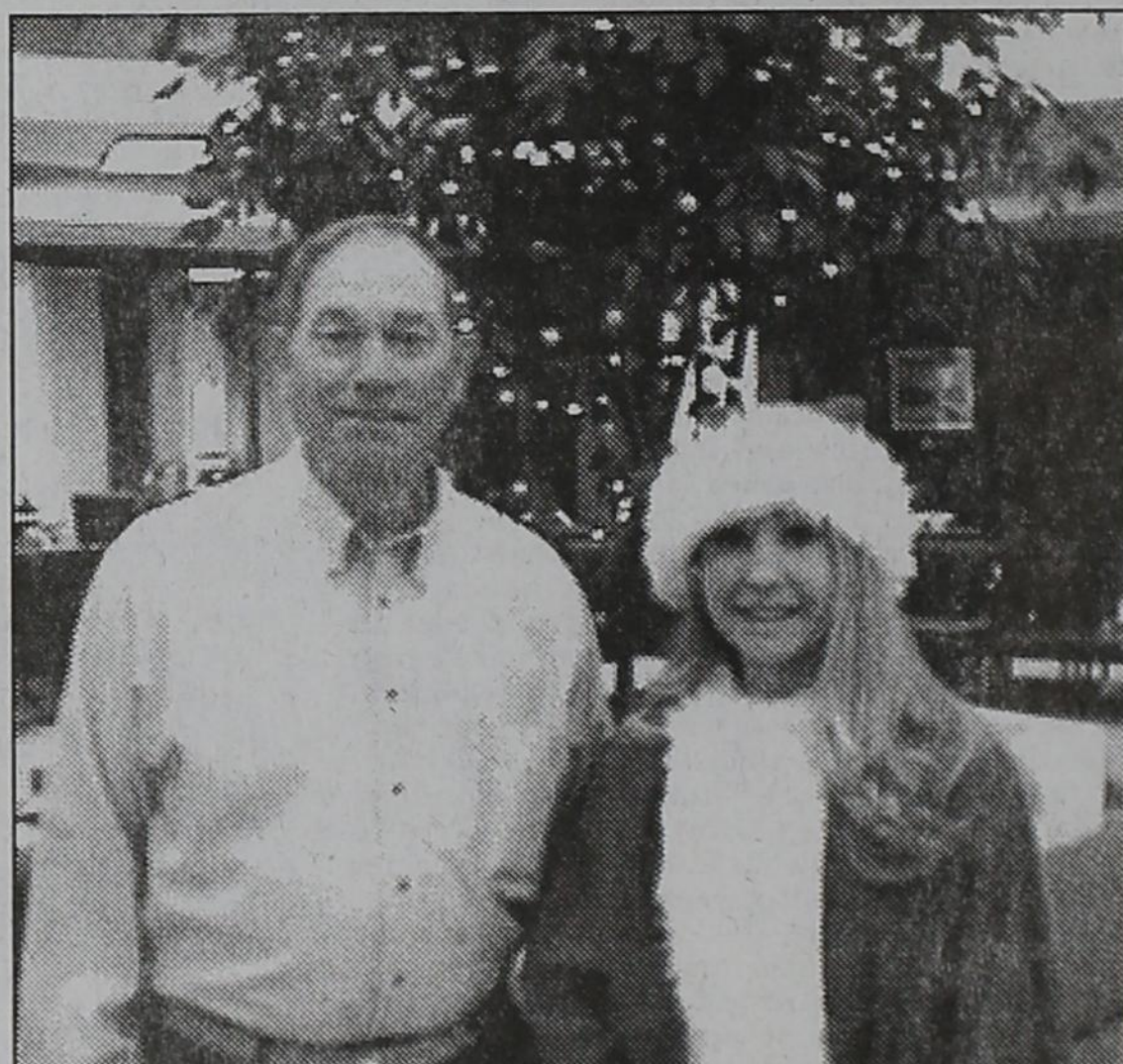
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**HONORED** at Prairie Acres for December are employee-of-the-month Joe Olvera and resident-of-the-month Hazel Kliever. The Prairie Acres Christmas Party is at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 19.

## We're in the Holiday Spirit!



Friona State Bank President Gary Brown and Miss Merry Christmas Haleigh Herbert are all smiles about inviting everyone to the Banks' annual Christmas Tea on Thursday, December 19 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

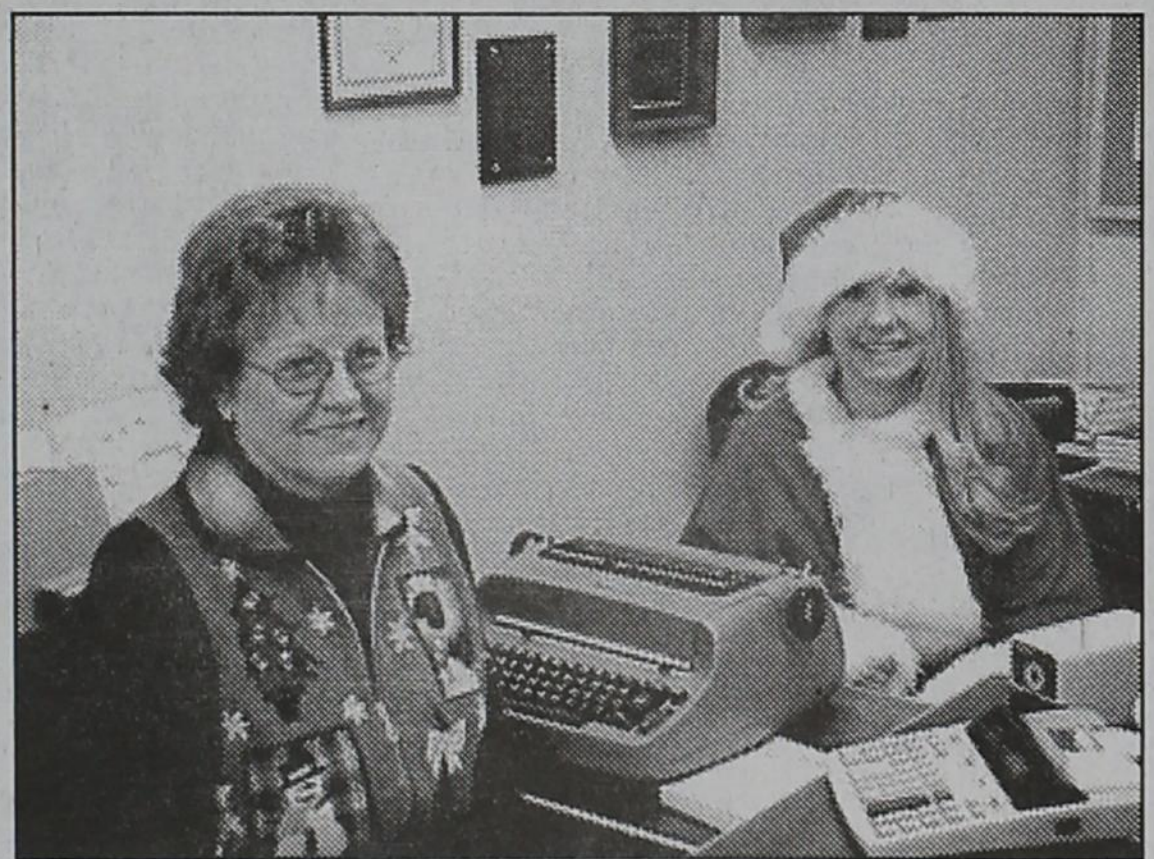


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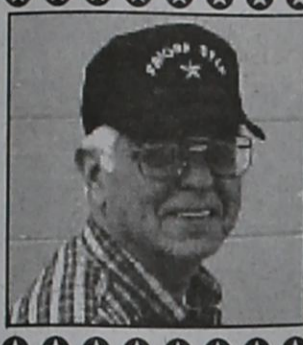
## May All Your Christmas Dreams Come True...



Miss Merry Christmas stopped by the Friona Star office on Main Street and chatted with Marlene Mueller about several of the nice books available for Christmas Gifting. Marlene told her that a gift subscription to the paper also makes a gift that is appreciated all year long.

## FRIONA STAR

We're Americans. be that way. We've never ending laws, and just to keep cheatin', ste And even bunch of spend the indulg few legitima left. Left to our self will don't have pour pee out less remember life. (By anybody tell got in that bo We have need other pe straight. It do going to b people stra trying so ha rest of us stra Guess th don't need su why they ge and write m and pass la commoners l way we by G We are a the politica Law's R Good they get a li our own coatt Lying ur bad thing. E masses kno when it's ju the meanin maybe we' Letting thi always a goo The ho season is he folks are ou know, the u leave wrap back seat People will steal them.



# Out Here

by Ron Carr

"Please Don't Drink & Shop"

We're a sorry lot, us Americans. Least it seems to be that way sometimes.

We've got to have a never ending stream of new laws, and moral reminders, just to keep us from lyin', cheatin', stealin' and sinnin'. And even then, a whole bunch of people will still spend the holidays in jail or out indulging in some of the few legitimate sins that are left.

Left to our own decisions, our self will runs amuck. We don't have sense enough to pour pee out of a boot, much less remember all the rules of life. (By the way, can anybody tell me how the pee got in that boot.)

We have no discipline. We need other people to keep us straight. It doesn't say who is going to be keeping the people straight that are trying so hard to keep the rest of us straight.

Guess those goodie ones don't need supervision. That's why they get the big bucks, and write motivational books and pass laws to make us commoners live our lives the way we by God ought too.

We are a nation of laws, the politicians like to say. Laws 'R Good, of course, until they get a little too close to our own coattails.

Lying under oath is a bad thing. Even us unwashed masses know that. Except when it's just about sex and the meaning of "is" then maybe we'll let it slide. Letting things slide is not always a good thing.

The holiday shopping season is here and the advice folks are out in force. You know, the usual stuff. Don't leave wrapped gifts in the back seat of your vehicle. People will see them and steal them.

Seems like we ought to be putting reminders in the media to tell those hoodlums that steal presents to knock it off. But most beware messages are aimed at law abiding, ordinary shoppers.

Here are some more: be sure you cook the Christmas turkey well done. Don't leave food unrefrigerated for very long.

Dress your kids warm if they go out to play in the snow. Going on a road trip? Got to have survival supplies like blankets and peanut butter, plenty of gas, and have your car serviced before you leave.

Most of all they warn you not to spend too much on gifts, especially running up your credit card balance which you will not get paid off before next Christmas rolls around.

Buy gifts people will use. Practical stuff like PJs or the newest battery powered tool from Bob Vila. Don't spoil your kids with every gift in the store.

Make them suffer with only 7 or 8 out of the 5,000 kid gifts they see on TV everyday. They don't have to have all 5,000. And if they don't like it, tell them they aren't getting anything. We've got to start making the kids appreciate life's values.

My favorite bit of holiday advice arrived in the mail this week. It is from the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, quoting an assistant professor of psychiatry named Dr. Kristin Kassaw.

I thought it was appropriate to be getting advice from a shrink before the real holiday pressure kicks in. Probably gonna need to keep her number handy for after the holidays

too. My mental instability is pretty much year-round.

Dr. Kassaw's advice is straightforward: Don't Drink and Shop During The Holidays. Hallelujah.

Someone has finally brought this dangerous holiday condition out in the open. Shop owners and merchants are not too thrilled with the advice.

Many a dress shop and jewelry store in America looks forward to those last few days before Christmas when husbands drop by with a snort full of holiday cheer, waving a credit card and proclaiming "fill 'er up. Wanna' get the little woman sumpin' real nice."

Dr. Kassaw says alcohol impairs judgment and decreases inhibitions (duh!). "You may find shopping bags full of impulse buys that you might ordinarily think twice about," she said.

Impulse buying is bad enough during the holidays much less exacerbated by bottles of fine whiskey. Whiskey makes you rich and handsome, if only for day.

She says using alcohol to "loosen up" before an event like the holiday office party can lead to embarrassing situations (amen, sister) when you say or do things you later regret (amen and amen).

Those who don't drink much to start with get drunk quicker, she says. You may not be able to carry out normal activities. So if you are going to get drunk and go shopping, you need to start now drinking a little each day to build up your stamina and tolerance.

Remember, the best advice is Don't Drink and Shop. But if you do, be sure to buy me something too, okay?

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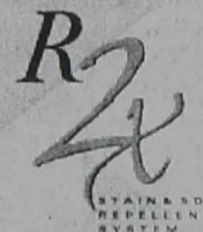
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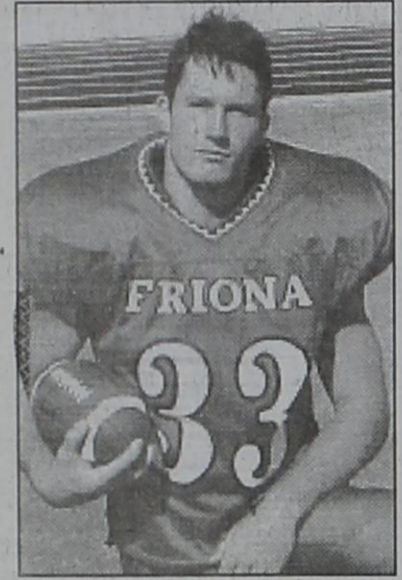
**MOST CHOICES**

# Chieftains Land 13 Spots On All-District

The Chieftains landed nine spots on the first team offensive and defensive all-district teams announced this week by District 5-2A coaches. Friona led with the most first-team choices. Friona's Nathan Haile was FHS' only player to be chosen for both the offensive and defensive first teams.

Also chosen on the first team offense was Joey Dominguez, center, 207 pounder; T.J. Randolph, tackle, 178-pounder; Andy Carthel, receiver, 6-3, 172-pounder; and Brock Field, quarterback, 132-pounder, who was a unanimous choice. Chosen on the first team defense in addition to Haile,

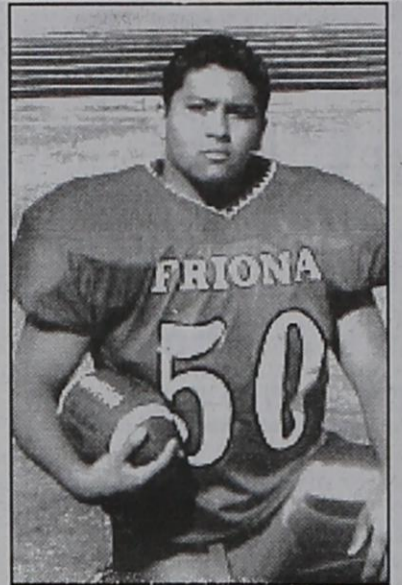
were Gabe Rivas, defensive lineman 197-pounder; Cody Grimsley, defensive end, 186-pounder, and Corbin Neill, outside linebacker, 176-pounder. All of the Friona players on the first teams were seniors with the exception of Field, a junior.



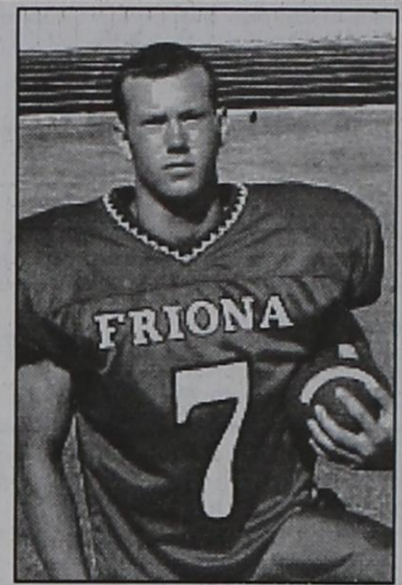
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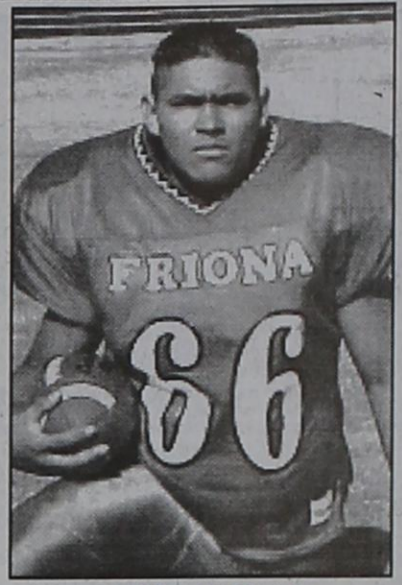
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...Unanimous QB



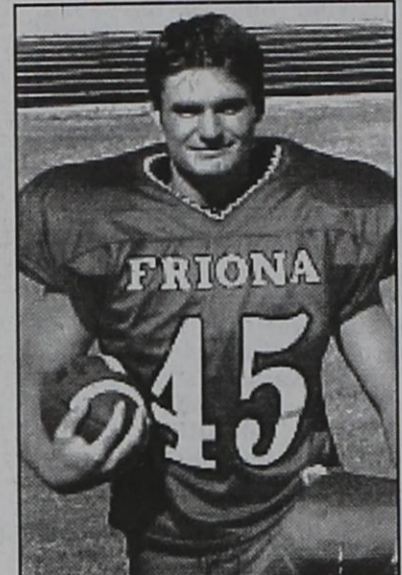
**JOEY DOMINGUEZ**  
1st Team Center



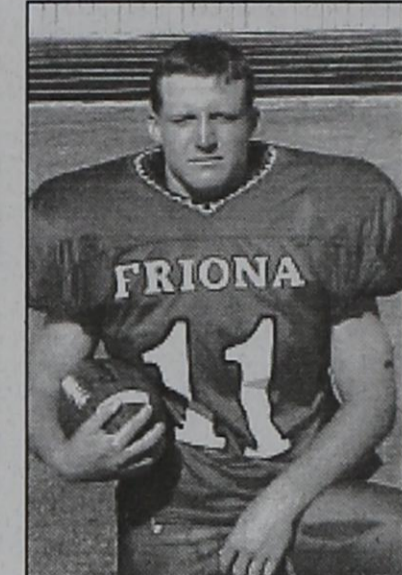
**ANDY CARTHEL**  
...1st Team Receiver



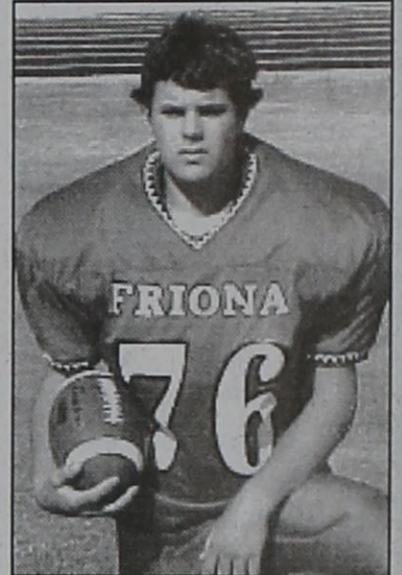
**GABE RIVAS**  
...1st Team Tackle



**CODY GRIMSLEY**  
1st Team D. End



**CORBIN NEILL**  
Outside L.B.



**T. J. RANDOLPH**  
1st Team Tackle

Haile, a 195-pound senior, was a unanimous choice on the first team defense as an inside linebacker. Haile backed up the choice by leading his team with 81 tackles for the season--38 unassisted and 43 assisted. Haile also was chosen on the first team offense as its fullback. Haile re-wrote the record book for offensive statistics in his three-year career, becoming the school record-holder in yards rushing with 3,379 yards rushing as well as times carrying the ball, 544.

He also is now the all-time scoring leader with 933 points, coming on 54 touchdowns and nine points-after-touchdown.

Friona players named to the second team all-district included: Offense: Brian Wiseman, guard, 180-pound senior; Cody Grimsley, tight end, and Adam Bandy, runningback, 167-pound senior.

Carthel was named to the second team defense as a defensive back.

Isaac Arzola, senior guard, 165-pounder, was chosen honorable mention on the offensive team; Marc Haile, 165-pound tight end, was an honorable mention choice on offense and Jason Gutierrez, 143-pound junior, was chosen as honorable mention as a defensive back.

Floydada's quarterback Tyler Helms, a senior, and Lockney's Mark Ford, a running back, tied for the district's offensive "most valuable players."

Jacob Morales of Floydada was the defensive MVP.

Compared to Friona's nine spots on the top two teams, Floydada landed eight and Lockney only four.

## Six Seniors Captains

Six senior members of the 2002 Chieftain football team were nominated as captains, it was announced this week by Coach Bob Ferguson.

Chosen were Adam Bandy, Andy Carthel, Joey Dominguez, Corbin Neill, Nathan Haile and Gabe Rivas.



**AWARDS.....**In the 3rd and 4th grade football league in Clovis, Junior Chief Zack Fair, left, was awarded for being the junior tackle leader and scoring 7 rushing TD's. Clayton Smiley, right, won a medal for sacks.

## Chieftain J.V Loses To Visiting Farwell

The Chieftain JV fell to visiting Farwell, 52-29 here Tuesday.

Rudy Gonzalez led Friona's scoring with eight, and Eduardo Godoy added five.

**Far. 52, Chiefs JV 29**

Jason Gutierrez 1-0-2; Rudy Gonzalez 2-1\*-1-8; Willy Castillo 1-0-2; Jacob Miller 1\*-0-3; A. Rivas 1-0-2; Keith Hunt 2-0-4; Matt Gammon 1-0-2; Eduardo Godoy 0-5-5; David Mendez 0-1-1.

**7th Braves 41, H.C. 39**

Eric North 1-2-4; Sawyer Reed 7-2\*-0-20; Ryan Geeries 3-2-8; Gerald Padilla 1-0-2; Jared Boyd 1-0-2; Alex Gurley 0-2-2; Trent Hutson 1-1-3.

**H.C. 34, 8th Braves 26**

## Basketball Results

**Chieftain JV 53**  
**Olton JV 23**

K. Hunt 5-2-12; R. Alaniz 1\*-4-7; J. Miller 1-0-2; Chad Hutson 5-2\*-2-18; A. Rivas 7-0-14.

**Muleshoe JV 43**  
**Chieftain JV 35**

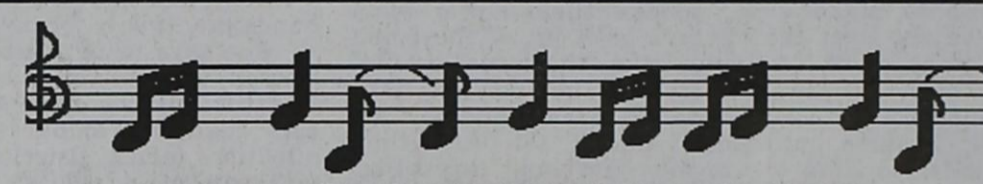
Jason Gutierrez 1-0-2; Rudy Gonzalez 2-2-6; R. Alaniz 1\*-2-5; J. Miller 2-0-4; C. Hutson 0-3-3; A. Rivas 0-1-1; D. Mendez 1-2-4; M. Gammon 1-1-3; E. Godoy 1-0-2; J. Nava 1-1-3; W. Castillo 1-0-2.

**Frosh Chieftains 35**  
**Floydada 9th 54**

A. Monreal 1-0-2; A. Chico 0-2-2; H. Patton 0-6-6; J. Mercado 1-0-2; A.J. Cordova 4-0-8; P. Ramos 7-1-15.

**Olton 9th 51**  
**Frosh Chieftains 28**

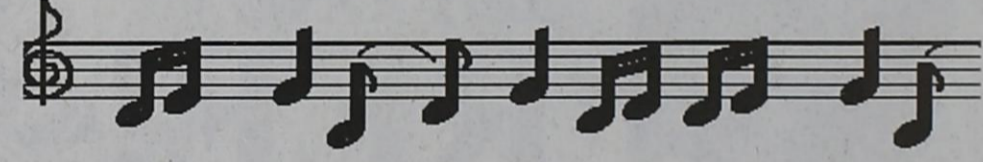
A. Aguirre 1-0-2; A. Monreal 1\*-0-3; A. Chico 1-1-3; A.J. Cordova 6-0-12; P. Ramos 3-2-8.



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## Friona ISD Monthly School Calendar December, 2002

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Holiday JH BB vs. Hale Center B-H G-T 5:00 9 <sup>th</sup> vs. Hale Center B-H G-T	3 JH All Regional Band Tryouts @ Panhandle JV & Var. B & G BB vs. Farwell H 4:00	4	5 JV B & G @ Muleshoe Tournament Var. B & G @ Vega Tournament.	6 JV B & G @ Muleshoe Tournament Var. B & G @ Vega Tournament Speech @ Amarillo High	7 JV B & G @ Muleshoe Tournament Var. B & G @ Vega Tournament Speech @ Amarillo High
8	9 JH BB vs. Lockney B-T G-H 5:00 9 <sup>th</sup> vs. Lockney G-H B-T 7:15 All Region Band @ Panhandle 1:30 Representative at FHS for Sr. Announcements	10 JV & Var. BB B & G, @Highland Park 6:00	11 Order Sr. Announcements	12 JH Band Christmas Concert 7:00 JV B & G @ Tulia Tournament Var. B & G @ Farwell Tournament	13 JV B & G @ Tulia Tournament Var. B & G @ Farwell Tournament Life Skills Extravaganza	14 JV B & G @ Tulia Tournament Var. B & G @ Farwell Tournament FFA State Leadership Contest ACT Test
15	16 JH BB vs. Tulia B-H G-T 5:00 9 <sup>th</sup> vs. Tulia G-H B-T 7:15	17 JV & Var. B & G BB @ Morton 4:00	18 Sem. Exams FHS Christmas Dinner	19 Sem. Exams Pioneer Heritage presents The Sweet Adelines @ FHS Aud. 7:30	20 <b>Early Dismissal</b> EE-1 <sup>st</sup> 2:30 2 <sup>nd</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> 2:45 Primary Music Program 9:00 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Music Program 10:00 Sem. Exams End of 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester JV & Var. B & G BB vs. Dimmitt-H 4:00	21
22	23 Holiday	24 Christmas Eve	25 Christmas Day Merry Christmas	26 Holiday Var. G BB @ Caprock Tournament Var. B BB @ Littlefield Tournament	27 Holiday Var. G BB @ Caprock Tournament Var. B BB @ Littlefield Tournament	28 Var. G BB @ Caprock Tournament Var. B BB @ Littlefield Tournament
29	30 Holiday JV & Var. B & G vs. Hart - H 4:00	31 Holiday	Jan. 3 <sup>rd</sup> - Staff Work Day	Jan. 6 <sup>th</sup> Second Sem. Begins		



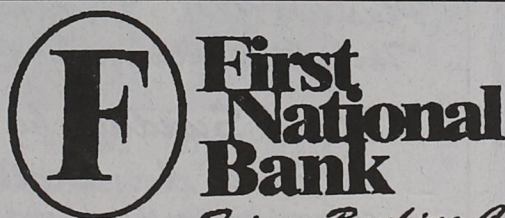
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**BATTLING** for a rebound in Tuesday's game against the Farwell Steers are seniors Adam Bandy (23) and Andy Carthel (30). ron carr photos

## VEGA TOURNEY NEXT Chief Cagers Lose 1st Game

The Chieftain varsity basketballers lost their first game of the season here Tuesday night, to the Farwell Steers, by a score of 52-46.

The loss left the varsity Chieftains with a 2-1 record.

The Chieftains are entered in the Vega Invitational Tournament this weekend. They were to play Boys Ranch on Thursday, then the winner/loser of Highland Park/Hartley on Friday.

In Tuesday's game, the Chiefs were about as cold as the weather outside in the first quarter, scoring only seven points. Adam Bandy, Andy Carthel and Marc Haile

### Far. 52, CHIEFS 46

Heath Gammon 0-0-0; Nathan Haile 5-2\* 1-17; Brock Field 0-1-1; Ricky Dickson 0-0-0; Adam Bandy 3-2\* 1-13; Andy Carthel 2-2-6; Gabe Rivas 0-1-1; Chance Hutson 0-0-0; Dustin Thompson 3-0-6; Micah White 0-0-0; Marc Haile 1-0-2. \*3-point baskets.

each scored baskets, with Bandy's being a three-pointer. Farwell led 12-7 when the buzzer sounded ending the first period.

Nathan Haile, Bandy and Dustin Thompson warmed up a bit in the second quarter, each scoring a pair of baskets. The Chieftains outscored the Steers, 13-9 in the period, to trail at halftime by just a point, 21-20.

During the intermission, the team must have "cooled off," as they were outscored by the Steers, 13-8 in the third quarter. Bandy's pair of baskets paced Friona. One of his was a three-pointer.

Nathan Haile finally broke out in the final quarter, scoring five baskets, including a pair from three-point range, but the Chiefs never could gain the upper hand, losing by six points.



**THERE SHE GOES...**The Farwell Lady Blue player at left is pointing out Squaw sophomore guard Andrea Gerles (10) as she brings the ball up court in Tuesday night's game. ron carr photo

Haile paced the Chieftains with 17 points and Bandy needed to do better than that. We need to score more consistently," said Coach Jeff Isom



**THE JUNIOR CHIEFS...**Front, l-r, Kyle Lookingbill, Aaron Osborn, Caleb Monroe, Dillon Kelley, Weston Wily, Jacob Pena, Zack Fair, Brenner Barnett, Duncan Welch, Chris Garcia. Second row, l-r, Mikey O'Brien, Cody Vaggesser, Dominique Kellum, Jason Berend, Sergio Mendez, Schuler Underwood, J Gurley, Clayton Smiley, Kirby Frye, Devin Brown. Back, coaches, l-r, Greg O'Brien, Roddy Berend, Alan Monroe, and Mitchell Smiley. The 3rd and 4th grade Jr. Chiefs' record was 5-1-1 and they went to the first round of the playoffs in the Clovis league.

### NOW STAND 3-3

## Squaws Outscore Farwell By 48-32

The Friona H. S. Squaws downed visiting Farwell on a wintry Tuesday evening by the score of 48-32. The win evened the team's season record at 3-3.

Next action for the team is this Thursday-Friday and Saturday in the Vega tournament.

Haleigh Herbert, Amy Murphree and Trisha Winebrinner each scored a pair of baskets in the opening quarter, and Mandy Gerles added a three-point goal, as Friona was off to a 17-4 first period lead.

Miss Murphree came back with three shots from the field, and converted one into a three point play in the second quarter. Teammate

VLesha Wilcox also had a three-point play (field goal plus free throw), and Friona went into the intermission with a comfortable 31-13 lead.

In the third quarter, Ashley Smiley sank a pair of shots from the field, and Miss Murphree added another three-point play as the Squaws hiked their lead to 40-16.

Andrea Gerles sank a pair

of baskets, one a three-pointer, and the bench saw a lot of action as the team coasted to the win.

### SQUAWS 48, Far. 32

Andrea Gerles 1-1\* 0-5; Mandy Gerles 1\* 0-3; Haleigh Herbert 2-0-4; Lindsay North 0-0-0; Ashley Smiley 3-0-6; Amy Murphree 7-2-16; Holley Hand 2-0-4; R.J. Barrett 0-0-0; Trisha Winebrinner 3-0-6; VLesha Wilcox 1-2-4.

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**ALMOST DUNKED IT..** Adam Bandy scores on a fast-break during the Farwell game.

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**SUCCESSFUL HUNTERS...**Terry Widner and Jack Patterson are shown with Kord and Zack Fisher of Memphis, after bagging a pair of mule deer near Memphis. The boys are sons of Kevin and Cara Fisher. "They were our guides," Jack stated.

## Encouraging Academic Achievement Is Subject Of Upcoming Presentation

Parents of middle school and high school students who would like a few helpful tips about how to encourage their children to make schoolwork a priority need to view an upcoming special presentation.

December 9 through December 13, twice through 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., a new Texas Education Agency

video, "How to Encourage Strong Academics at Home," will be shown as part of a series on Channel 76.

Parents who are involved in their children's education, and who stress academic achievement at home, can give their children a real advantage in the classroom. In this video, parents and counselors talk about some of the things that can be done to make the home more accommodating to study and learning.

"How to Encourage Strong Academics at Home" is one in a five-part series of videos called "Pathways to Success," which is available for viewing in every school district in

Texas to help parents help their children get the most out of their education.

Other videos in the series, which were specially created for parents of middle school and high school students include: "Financial Aid Opportunities," "The Importance of Standardized Tests," and "The Value of Taking Challenging Courses."

The series flagship video, "Education Opportunities in Texas," explains new statewide programs that are raising educational standards, preparing students for post-secondary education and expanding opportunities for financial aid. All the videos in the series were produced in both English and Spanish and are approximately 15 minutes long. They will run on the cable twice daily at 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

The viewing schedule for the videos is as follows:

- "How to Encourage Strong Academics at Home" on cable December 9-13.
- "The Value of Taking Challenging Courses" on cable December 16-20.
- "Educational Financial Aid Opportunities" on cable December 30-January 1.

Parents who do not have access to cable TV or who miss viewing one of the series may call Kitty Gallman at Friona High School, 250-3951, to make arrangements to see the videos.

## Pattersons Have A Girl

Kirklynn Rae Patterson was born December 2. She is the daughter of Heath and Rachael Patterson of Canyon, Texas.

The new arrival weighed eight pounds, one and half ounces and was twenty and three-fourths inches long.

Grandparents are George and Patricia Cook of Canyon and Kent and Brenda Patterson of Friona.

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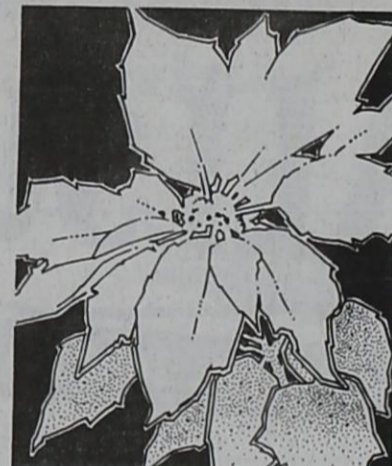
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# Friona News

By BECKY LONDON

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After being gone for a little over three months, I'm back. If you have company or go somewhere, call me at home at 238-1146 or call our office at 250-2211 and I'll call you back. Thanks to everyone who contributed to this week's news.

**Jerry and Lucy Beth Hinkle** had several family members in Friona for the holiday. Guests included Lucy Beth's sister and brother-in-law, Gail and Richard Turner and their son and daughter-in-law, Mike and Pauline Turner, all of New Braunfels. Also, the Hinkles' son Brent of Lubbock and son and daughter-in-law Wade and Rebekah of Burleson. The out-of-town family members also visited with Lucy Beth's mother and brother, Lois and Bill Miller and her aunt, Syble Hewitt, a resident at Prairie Acres Nursing Home.

Don and Eva Kimbrough enjoyed having their son **Cris**

## Girl Is Born To Corben Baxters

Emma Beth Baxter was born to Brandy and Corben Baxter on December 3 in Deby, Kansas.

She weighed seven pounds, five ounces and was eighteen and one-half inches long.

Her grandparents are Gary and Vicky Barrett of Derby, Kansas and John and Debra Baxter of Friona.

Great-grandparents are Opal Baxter and Bob and Lydla Wylie, all of Friona, Helen and Carl Crutcher and Dorothy and Grady Barrett, all of Houston.

She shares a birthday with her dad, Corben, and her late great-grandmother, Emma Wylie.

of Santa Fe home for Thanksgiving. Their grandson and his wife, Scott and Cristi Cline of Lubbock were also here for the holiday meal.

Lilah Gaye Gee went to Lubbock to see their daughter and son-in-law, Linda and Owen Houston. The Houston's daughter and son-in-law, Robin and Curt Smith and their children Treya and Travis of Austin joined them.

Lilah Gaye said Robin is a major in the Army at Ft. Hood where she is nurse practitioner.

Here's a small world, story. While in Lubbock Saturday, The family members ran into former Friona Methodist pastor and his wife, Albert and Peggy Lindley, now of Lubbock. Their daughter and son-in-law, Pamela and Bruce of Wichita, Kansas, were with them. Pamela is a former Friona ISD teacher. They has a short but nice visit.

Fay Reeve hosted a belated Thanksgiving celebration in her home Saturday. Those present include her son and his family, Floyd and Betty Reeve and their daughter Becky of Friona; their daughters and families; Dena and Johnny McLellan of Lubbock and their children, Landon, Macy and Averie and Debbie and Chris Lascelles of Tyler, and also Teddy and Sharon White of Friona, their son and his family, Bill and Jeri Lynn White and Hadley and Adaline, and son and daughter-in-law, Brent and Elaine Harmon of Arlington.

Fay's daughter and son-in-law, Carol and Bob Perry of Lubbock were also here for the family meal.

Pat and Lawrence Martin went to Wellington for Thanksgiving at their

daughter and son-in-law's home, Linda and Don Klinger and children, Jeremy and Kayla.

The Martins' two sons and daughter were also there with their families. They are Jerry and Mary Martin and daughter Macy of Pleasant Hill, New Mexico; Loren and Jackie Martin and children Jamie and Michelle of Friona; and Susan and Jeff Harkey and their daughter Jana of Burkburnett and son Jay, who is stationed at Cannon Air Force Base in Clovis, New Mexico.

Opal Baxter said her granddaughter, Lou Behrens had a full house for the holiday. In addition to her two daughters, Kristen, a student at FHS and Keaton, a student at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales, New Mexico, and her sister, Sue Piercy was also here.

Sue also had her three daughters, Shenna, Alesha and Dana here. They all live at Canute, Oklahoma. Lou's other sister and brother-in-law, Sharlene and Marty Swaim of Dodge City, Kansas and three sons, Jonathan, Kenny and David were also here.

Lou's mother and step-father, Carolyn and Terry Foster of Blanchard, Oklahoma also joined the family gathering.

Opal said they had a great time. Lou had undergone gall bladder surgery in Hereford the day before and was fine for having company on Thanksgiving.

John and Debra Baxter went to Derby, Kansas for the holiday and took two of their grandchildren, Macy and Britt Townsend with them-their mother is the Baxter's daughter Misty.

In Derby the family members visited

Corbin and Brandy Baxter. John and Debra's other daughter and her girls, Janet, Megan, Ashton and Taryn LaBrue of New Castle, met them in Derby.

Bill and Carol Ellis had most of their chillin' for Thanksgiving. Laura and Noel Garcia of Lubbock, with daughters Madeline and Clair were present. (Noel supplied the pies from his store's bakery!)

The Ellis' son Stan from San Antonio, spent three days and nights. He had not been in Friona since last Christmas.

Son Rick of Burbank, California, could not attend, but talked to everyone present by 'phone, even (and especially) his nieces.



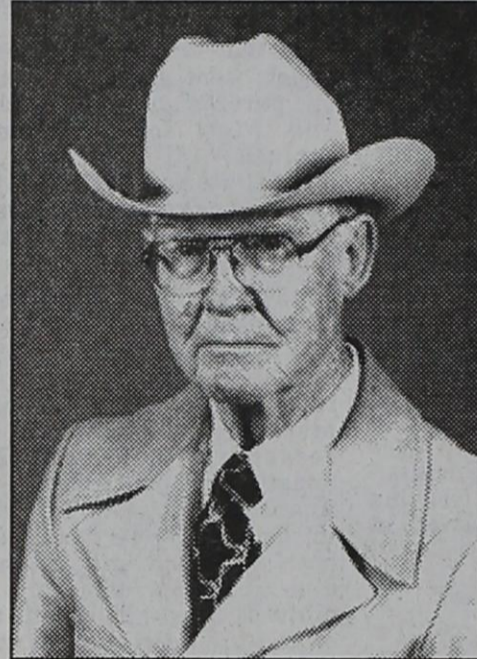
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# Around Town

## FFA show & care clinic Dec 8

The FFA youths will hold a Show & Care Clinic for pigs and lambs on Sunday, Dec 8, at 1 p.m. at the Friona Community Center. Kids are invited to bring their animals and just come and learn. For more information call Stephanie Barrett, 250-8137.

## Junior high band concert Dec 12

Friona's junior high bands will present their annual Christmas Concert on Thursday, Dec 12, at 7 p.m. in the junior high auditorium. The bands will present a variety of Christmas music along with standard compositions. A highlight will be the introduction of the young musicians recently selected for all-region band in the Panhandle.

## Muleshoe tour of homes Dec 15

The Muleshoe Christmas Tour of Homes is Sunday, Dec 15, from 1-5 p.m. The tour will benefit Park view Health Care Center. Tickets are \$5 and can be purchased at Carolyn's Christmas Creations. The tour includes six homes plus the new Park View Center and refreshments. Call 806-272-5911 for information.

## Meet Friona's Class of 2015



Rae Garcia is a kindergartner at Friona Schools.

His Parents are Salvador and Sally Garcia. He has a sister, Crystal.

He Likes Riding his bike, Going to the car races, fishing and playing baseball. His favorite foods are Chicken nuggets and Pizza, his favorite color is yellow

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## Muleshoe bazaar Dec 14

The Moonlight Extension Education Club and Texas Cooperative Extension will hold their annual arts and crafts bazaar on Saturday, Dec 14, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Bailey county Civic Center in Muleshoe. Admission is free. Come enjoy the Christmas parade at 10 a.m. and do your Christmas shopping.

## Sweet Adeline chorus performs Dec 19

Come hear the Palo Duro Metro Chorus (part of Sweet Adelines) on Thursday, Dec 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the Friona High School auditorium. Tickets are \$5 at the door. Proceeds will benefit the Chorus & the Pioneer Heritage Museum in Friona. Some local women are members of this chorus so be sure to come hear them.

## Immunization Clinics Set During December

Immunization clinics offering vaccines protecting against several childhood diseases are scheduled for December throughout several Panhandle communities.

Protection will be against polio, diphtheria, lock-jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, HIB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B) and varicella (chicken pox).

All flu clinics are for high-risk individuals only, including people who are 65 years old or older, people with chronic illnesses, or people living with someone with a chronic illness. Costs are \$10 for flu vaccine and \$15 for pneumonia vaccine, for those without Medicare.

The Texas Department of Health is charging fees to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability of the individual or family to pay.

The vaccinations will be administered at 616 Euclid in Friona, Friday, December 20,

## Cafeteria To Make Hot Rolls

The Friona ISD Cafeteria would like to help Friona residents with their holiday baking, by making hot rolls.

The rolls will be frozen, ready for baking and will cost \$3.00 per dozen. All you have to do is thaw the rolls out, let them rise, bake and serve.

You may place your order by calling Linda or Roxanne at 250-3353. Your order can also be faxed at 250-5070.

The rolls will be ready for pick-up at the Junior High Cafeteria between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. on Tuesday, December 17 or Wednesday, December 18. All orders must be placed by Friday, December 13.



SNOW visited Friona Tuesday and Wednesday this week, along with some icy rain, causing hazardous driving conditions around the county. By Thursday, most of the stuff was melted. This is the snowy bush at the Modern Study Club building.

ron carr photo

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TO DO TODAY	BY DECEMBER 31ST
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These games will be closing on December 31, 2002. You have until June 29, 2003, to redeem any winning tickets for these games.

You can claim prizes of up to \$599 at any Texas Lottery retailer. Prizes of \$600 or more are redeemable at any one of the 22 Texas Lottery Claim Centers or by mail. Questions? Call the Texas Lottery Customer Service Line at 1.800.377.LOTTO (1.800.375.6886).

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## AUCTION

### REAL ESTATE \* RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT

Tuesday, December 17, 2002 ----- Sale Time 10:00 a.m.

Located: 328 South Main Street, Muleshoe, Texas

#### T J's Donut Shop

The following will be sold at Public Auction. Call Fletcher & Company Auctioneers (806) 866-4201.

#### REAL ESTATE Sells at 10:00 a.m.

Located on the corner of Main and Avenue D, Muleshoe, Texas.  
20 ft x 137 ft. Red Brick Front, Cinder Block Building, Flat Roof, 1-Front Door, Glass Display Window, 3-Side Doors, 2-Glass Windows on Rear Offices, 2-Bathrooms, Fluorescent Lighting, 2-Ref-Air Units, Nearly New, Sidewalk on Two Sides.  
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#### RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT

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1-Lucks Gas Donut Fryer, (Model G-2424) SS with Belshaw Bros Cake Donut Machine and Hood, SN 100357  
1-Hobart Mixer, Model S-601, SN 1079203  
1-Spudnut Convection Oven, SN PP1178  
1-Frigidare Custom Imperial Elec Stove  
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1-Toastmaster Deep Fryer, Electric  
1-Frymaster Deep Fryer, Gas  
1-Cambridge Engineering Hood  
1-APW-Wyott 24" x 48" Grill, Gas  
1-Aero SS Table for Above Grill, 48" x 30"  
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1-Brewmatic Coffee Ground Machine  
1-Bunn Warmer, Model WX-2  
1-Cecil Ware Corp Mini Whipper Cappuccino Machine, Model 4914-0  
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1-Traulsen Double Door Com-Freezer, Model GHT 2-32, SN 100760  
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#### RESTAURANT EQUIPMENT

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1-Acme 12-1023 Crust Roller  
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1-Lot Frying Racks  
1-Lot Bun Pans  
1-Lot SS Pans, Square, Round  
1-Cutting Board  
1-Wash Tub Type Round Pan, SS  
1-Wash Tub Type Round Pan, Metal with Stands

#### TABLES & CHAIRS

8-Double Restaurant Booths  
2-Corner Round Restaurant Booths  
4-Single Restaurant Booths, Ends  
10-42" x 30" Tables, Metal Legs  
1-48" x 30" Table, Metal Legs  
1-36" x 36" Table, Metal Legs  
2-48" Round Tables, Metal Legs  
2-High Chairs on Casters  
2-Booster Chairs  
24-Chairs  
1-Metal Roll About Table, 2 Shelves, 24" x 36"  
1-Wood Table, Metal Top, 24" x 50"  
1-Wood Table, Metal Top, 22" x 27"  
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1-22" x 32" x 34" SS Top, 2 Shelf Table  
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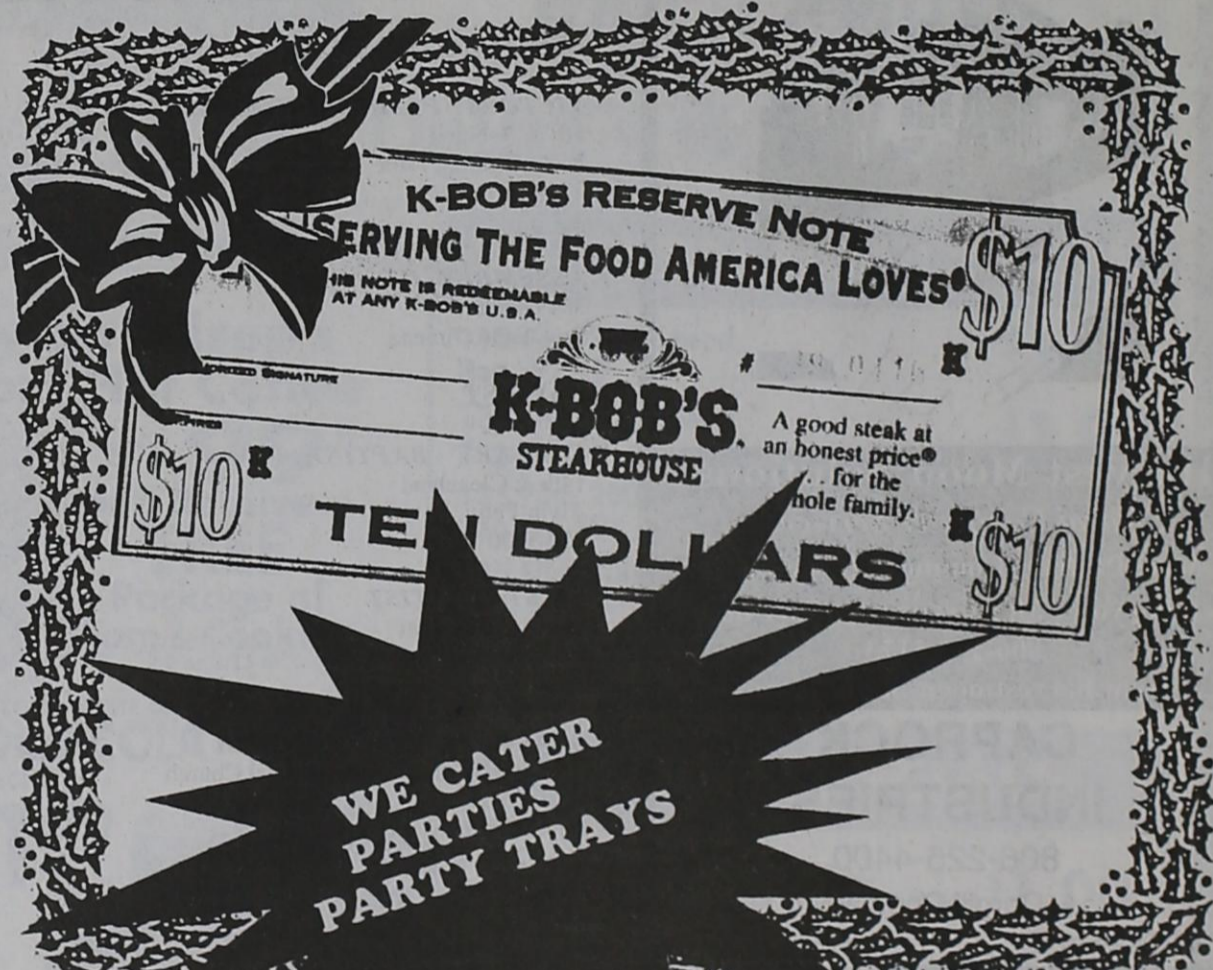
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2-Telephones

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1-Lot Coffee Cups  
1-Lot Plates  
1-Lot Spoons, Knives, Forks  
1-Lot Salt Shakers  
1-Lot Napkin Holders and Dispensers  
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1-Lot Ash Trays  
1-Lot Traps  
1-Lot Plastic Bowls, Lids  
1-Lot Pots & Pans  
1-Lot Metal Scoops (Ice, Flour)  
1-4 Slice Toaster, 1-2 Slice  
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1-SS Rolling Pin  
1-Miller Bun Divider  
1-Hexagonal Donut Rolling Pin Cutter  
1-Katzinger Cake Filler  
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2-Mop Buckets, Roll A Round  
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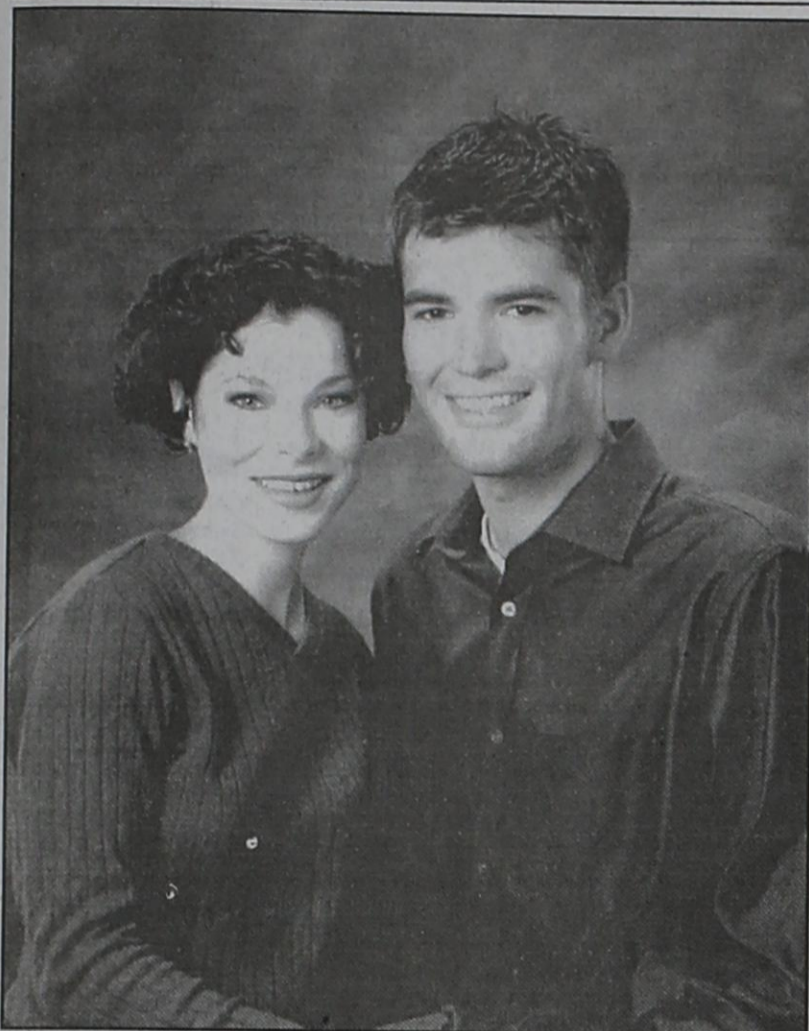


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### Christmas Open House Is Dec. 6-8

The Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum in Canyon will celebrate a Pioneer Christmas for their 26th Christmas Open House. The event is scheduled for December 6, 7 and 8. Hours are 7-9 PM on Friday and Saturday evening and 1-4 PM on Sunday.

Santa will be on the porch of the 1915 "kit" house, waiting to hear Christmas wishes. This delightful setting will provide a photo opportunity for parents to photograph their child with Santa. Visitors are encouraged to bring their camera, as additional photo opportunities will be available throughout the Museum to provide a lasting memory.

### Garza Infant Passed Away

Graveside services for Orion Lee Garza, infant son of Omar and Angela Garza, were conducted Saturday, November 30, 2002, at Fairview Cemetery in Midland.

The baby passed away Tuesday, November 26, 2002.

Survivors are his parents; his maternal grandparents, Gary and Cristie Barrow of Midland, paternal grandparents, Arminda Aguilar of Friona and Ernesto H. Garza of Dimmitt, and a maternal great-grandmother, Esther Long of Odessa.

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### Meet Friona's Class of 2015



Julissa is a kindergartner at Friona Schools. Her Parents are Arnuleo & Socorro Gallego. She has a sister, Melissa. Her favorite activity is watching TV. She likes all foods and all colors.

Julisaa Gallego

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### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE OF TERMINATION OF PARTNERSHIP AND CONTINUANCE OF BUSINESS**  
 Notice is hereby given that the Partnership composed of Belize Farms, Inc., Far West Farm Inc. and Trout Farms, Inc. and Jack Moseley, previously doing business under the firm name of B & M Farms, at P.O. Box 5589, Pagosa Springs, Colorado is terminated as of July 1, 2002, by the mutual consent of the Partners.  
 Jack Moseley, residing at 1208 Elm, Friona, Texas, has withdrawn from and has ceased to be associated in the carrying on of the business, Belize Farms, Inc., Far West Farms, Inc., and Trout Farms, Inc. d/b/a B & M Farms, a partnership organized under the laws of the State of Texas, will hereafter carry on the business, is entitled to all of the assets of the business, and has assumed all outstanding liabilities of the business incurred prior to July 1, 2002. The partnership will not be responsible for any debts or liabilities incurred by Jack Moseley on or after July 1, 2002.  
 Dated: December 4, 2002  
 F-1tc-12/6

Date and Time of Sale:  
 December 14, 2002, 9:00 A.M.

Place of Sale:  
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 COMMERCIAL-MOTEL-10 UNITS-REDUCED.....\$100,000  
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### COMMERCIAL

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### LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

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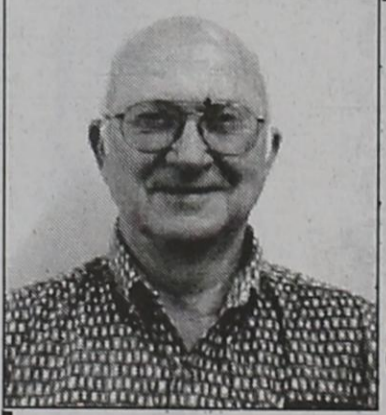
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 3 BR, 1 bath, utility room, basement.....\$25,500  
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 Small office/studio with 1/2 bath to be moved.....\$5,000  
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**THANK YOU**  
 We would like to thank the many friends and customers who have welcomed us home. The positive response to us having moved back to Friona has been truly overwhelming! Detours and dead ends are sometimes needed in life's journey so that we may gain a greater appreciation of the destination. Come by A-1 Service Center and visit with us anytime!  
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## Grace Whitefield Writes Life Story

Every month a resident of Prairie Acres Nursing Home submits a story about his/her life's history to be submitted in the home's newsletter, "The Prairie Times," and for printing in this issue. This month we feature Grace Whitefield.



GRACE WHITEFIELD

By Grace Whitefield

I, Audrey Grace Eastep Whitefield was born in Lancaster, Texas on April 2, 1908, the ninth child of Curtis and Minnie Eastep. I had four brothers and five sisters.

I went to the Houston Community School nine years. It was a three teacher school. I went to Lancaster High School and graduated on May 26, 1926 and then I attended Trinity University at Waxahachie, Texas from 1926-27.

I returned home to teach at the Houston School for \$65.00 a month. The school had two teachers at that time. I had 21-25 children in grades 1-4. After two years of teaching, I went back to Trinity University and received by B.A. Degree, cum laude, in June 1931.

In the fall of 1931, I started teaching in the Lancaster School System and taught third, fourth, seventh and high school history. On September 26, 1944, I came to San Jacinto Elementary School in Amarillo and taught fourth grade until May 1947. I received my M.A. Degree from West Texas State University on June 5, 1947.

While visiting my brother, Roy Eastep, I met his neighbor, Otho (Hobe) Whitefield. We were married on May 16, 1947 in Friona at the Congregational Church with the Reverend Walter North officiating. We went to Bozeman, Montana for our honeymoon.

In 1948, we bought some land from the Capitol Syndicate. It was west of

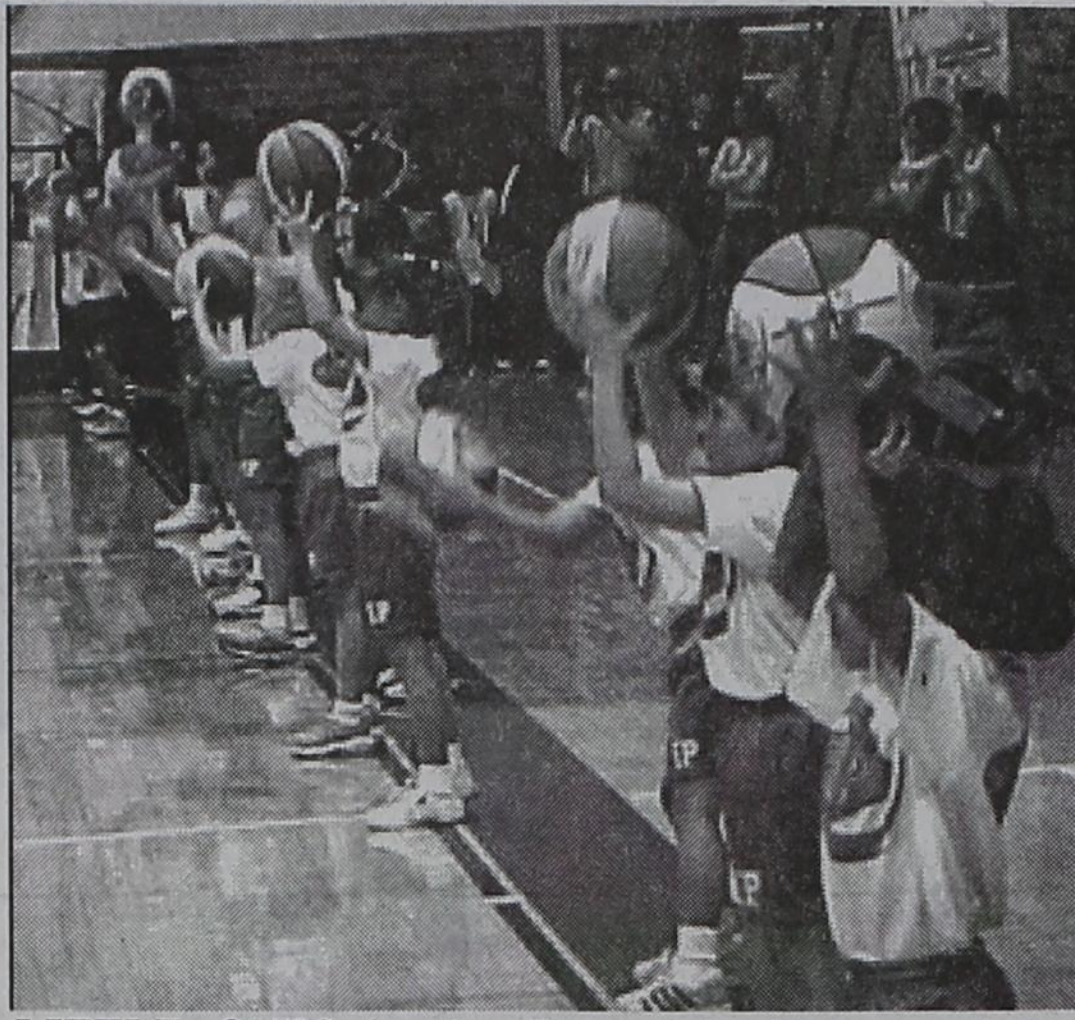
playa lake and west of the Whitefield homestead. In 1953, we built our home there.

Two days before school started in September 1953, I accepted a teaching job in the Friona School system, when a teacher suddenly resigned. I continued teaching the second grade until I retired in May 1971. This totaled my teaching career to thirty years in Texas.

Hobe was Sunday School superintendent of the Union Congregational Church for 35 years before retiring in 1975. I started teaching Sunday School classes soon after we married.

We both have worked in various positions of the church organization and attended most of the Annual Conferences, making many lasting friendships through these activities.

Hobe suffered a massive coronary occlusion November 7, 1981, dying immediately. When this happened, my brother, Roy came to live with me. Roy and I moved to Prairie Acres on February 21, 1995. Roy has since passed away. My brother, Oscar and I are the only two surviving.



LITTLE ONES in the Players in Progress (PIP) basketball program perform entertaining routines and learn how to handle basketballs in the private organization's local program. Here they are shown during one of the halftime performances at Tuesday night's FHS basketball games. ron carr photo

## YOUR EYES

### The Eyeglass Frames For You

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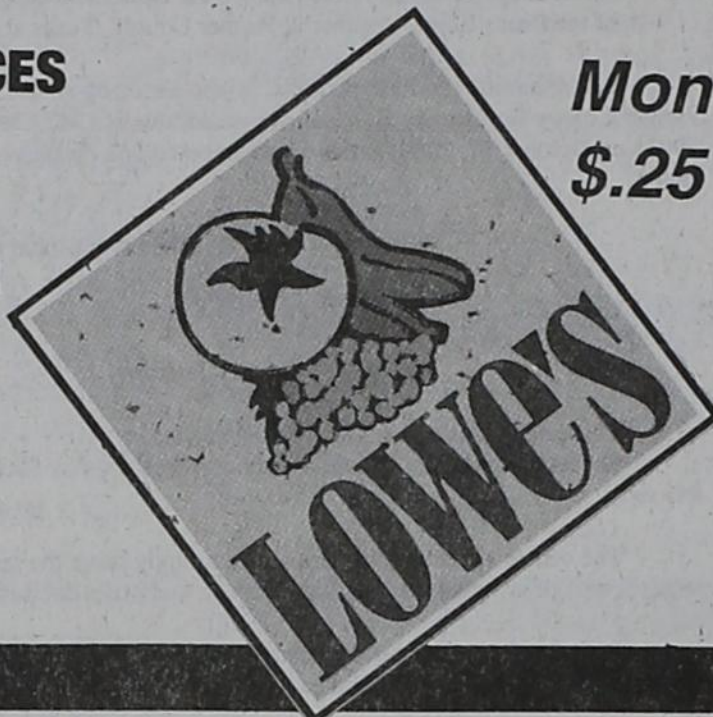
Frame color can also change your appearance. Everyone either has a cool complexion with blue or pink undertones or warm coloring with a yellow cast. Black, brown, dark blue and darker tortoise glasses highlight cooler complexions. Camel, khaki, metal, off-white, red and light tortoise frames look best on warm-colored faces.

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## Happy Birthday

WEEK OF DECEMBER 8-14

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December 9---Bill White, Robert Martinez.

December 10---Kelli Coffey, Jason Grant Berend, Ross Roden, Don Ready Connie King, Kenneth Wilkerson, Sharon Newton, Michael Johnston.

December 11---Chris Hamil, Leigh Neelley Boatman, Libby Procter, M'Lynda Jarecki, Jeff Chaney, Lindsey Neill, Louise Bynum, Whitney Jo Dean, Darby Drummond.

December 12---Nelda Ellis, Mark Ready, Sheila Gresham, Linda Knowles,

Barbara Williams, Chad Stevick, Paul J. Smith, Sheldon Burleson.

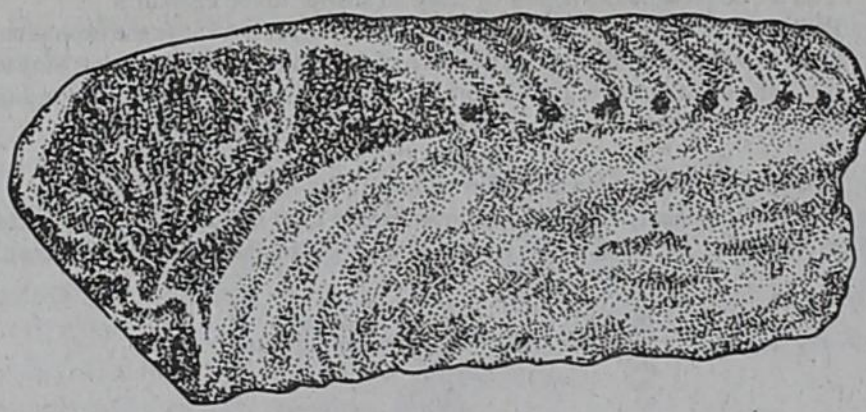
December 13---Leroy Cox, Laura Alice Irvin, Taylor Duran, Guadalupe Nieto.

December 14---B.K. Buske, Joe Tongate, James Procter, Shana Taylor, Trey Crozier.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, please call the Friona Star office at 250-2211 and report it.

When you see names which should have been removed from our birthday listings (moved away, names that have changed, deceased, etc.) call the newspaper and let someone know. Thank you.

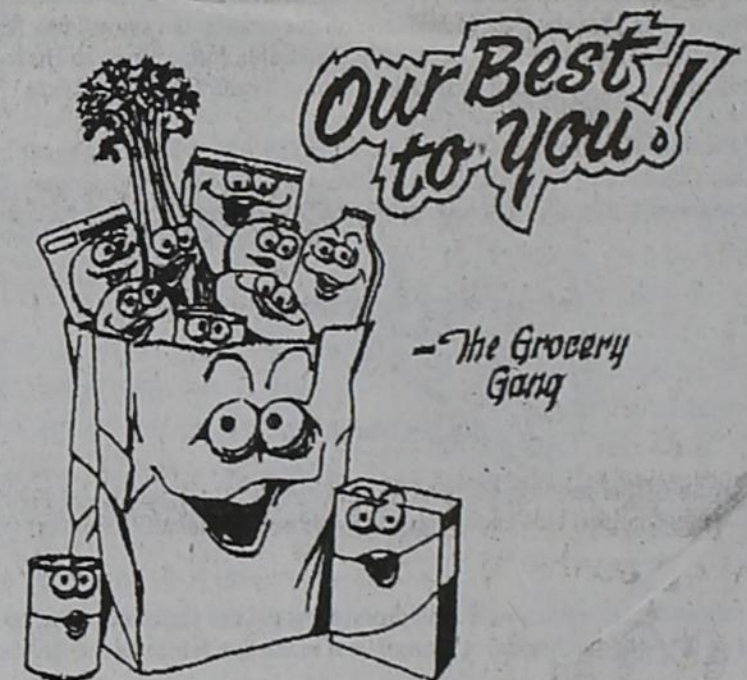
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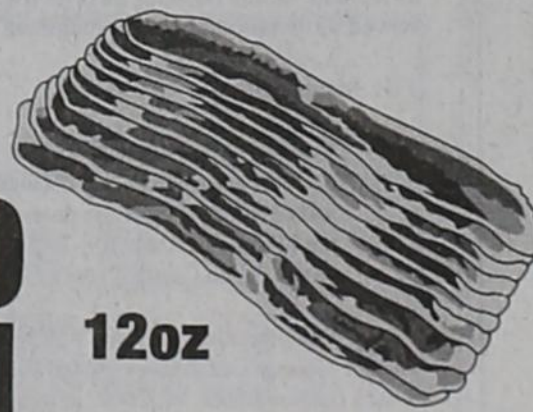


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