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## Property needed for pheasant hunters

Friona Chamber of Commerce executive vice-president Chris Alexander advises that the Chamber is getting phone calls from around the state asking for information about land for pheasant hunting in this area.

If you have property and would be interested in leasing it for pheasant hunting please contact the Chamber office at 806-250-3491. Pheasant season is December 6 to January 4. Hunting licenses in Parmer County are available at Charles Oil & Gas in Bovina.

## Sen. Seliger town hall meeting Wed

State Senator Kel Seliger of Amarillo, will host a town hall meeting Wednesday, October 15, from 11 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the Depot in City Park. The public is invited to attend as Senator Seliger speaks to the issues concerning residents of the Texas Panhandle.

## Buy some meat! Help a thespian

The Friona High School speech and drama students are conducting their annual meat sale through October 15. That is next Wednesday. Time is short. So contact your favorite speech and drama thespian right away.

Or you can call the boss, Erika Montana, at 247-0264 or 806-382-8596 (cell). The kids and the boss say thanks for your support.

## Local resident to match Prairie Acres donations

A local individual has advised the Prairie Acres volunteer fundraising committee that he will match all funds raised by the committee between now and the February 15, 2009, bond payment date.

The February bond pay-

ment amount is \$149,500. The committee of concerned citizens has undertaken to raise money toward the bond payment. A November 2 brisket dinner at the junior high is the first fundraising effort. Tickets to the dinner are \$8

and \$5 and can be purchased at the Chamber of Commerce or the Friona Star office.

The committee chair is J. B. Douglas, chief financial officer at TexZona Cattle Feeders and current president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Committee member Jyl Grimsley has spoken to the individual and advised the Friona Star that he will match all funds raised by the committee up to the February 15 payment date. The donor has asked to remain anonymous.

In addition to the brisket fundraiser the committee is planning other fundraising efforts and will also accept direct donations in any amount. For additional information contact a committee member or call Ron Carr at 250-2211.



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Coach Greg Hazelwood leads the runners around the 2- and 3- mile course at Saturday's Tribal Trials cross country meet at the Reeve Lake and community center grounds. Over 200 athletes from 13 schools gathered to participate in the competition.

## County history workshop planned

Members of the Parmer County Historical Commission are working diligently toward a third Parmer County history book. They want to collect as many family histories and photos to include as possible.

A workshop on how to get started writing a family history will be held Monday, October 13, at 7 p.m. at the EMS Building on 3rd Street in Bovina. The workshop is a free service to help and encourage folks to contribute their histories.

Even if your history is recent, if you have lived here only 10-20 years, your life, family history, or business history will be a part of the county history 50-years from now. Start now preserving your family history for future generations.

For information about the Parmer County Historical Commission contact Gladys Spring at 251-1552.

## School seeks Distinguished Graduate nominations

Friona High School principal Chris Morrow has begun the search for the 2009 Hall of Distinguished Graduates honorees. The program is Friona ISD's version of a Hall of Fame.

The stated purpose is to honor and recognize former graduates who have exhibited strong

personal character and integrity while attaining prominence in their elected fields of endeavor and through their accomplishments have had a positive impact on society.

Nominees must meet

the following criteria:

1. Gained recognition and prominence in his/her field of endeavor.
2. Person of good character and integrity.
3. Positive impact on society.

Eligibility require-

ments: Friona High school graduate (eligible 10 years after graduation); or an individual who has made exceptional contributions to Friona High School.

If you would like to nominate a candidate

who meets the above referenced criteria and eligibility please contact Chris Morrow at 806-250-3951 and request a Friona High School "Hall of Distinguished Graduates" nominee application form.

## Neill wins Week 6 contest

When he played football for the Chieftains and through his FHS career he was known as Tyson. Now he is married, living in Canyon, and is known as Dr. Tyson Neill after completing his chiropractic education and beginning a new practice in Canyon this year.

In the meantime, Dr. Neill has time to enter our Friona football contest and this

week it paid off. The \$25 probably won't go far in repaying student loans but it is always fun to win.

Three contestants managed 17 correct picks in Week 6. They were Dr. Neill of Canyon, Sally Gonzalez of Bovina, and Frank Dominguez, Jr. of Friona. The 1st tie-breaker game, Texas Tech 58, Kansas St. 28, was used. The total points were 86. Gonzalez

guessed 55, Dominguez guessed 60, and Neill came closest with 85, only one point off.

Week 6 must have been too easy or else you contestants are getting better. Seven contestants came in with 16 correct guesses. They were Brandon Berend, Mona Contreras, Eddie Gauna, Raymond Diaz, Pat Schwab, Erma Serna, and Bill Bailey. Another 17 contestants had

15 correct guesses.

We'll try to toughen it up a bit. High school action resumes this week after an open week and the college games get tougher as conference action is underway. Can't resist including Texas vs. Oklahoma in the Week 7 competition. Good luck to everybody with four more weeks remaining. Point standings are elsewhere in the paper.



## National 4-H Week October 5 - 11



ron carr photo

Friona 4-H students, l-r, Sawyer Osborn, Brianna Miller, Kallie Preston, Aspen Fleming, and Mason Fleming won certificates for their 4-H projects. The youngsters are students at Friona junior high. They are shown at the annual 4-H Awards Banquet held Tuesday evening at the Farwell Community Center. The banquet had a Hollywood Stars theme. October 5-11 is being observed as National 4-H week.



# Out Here

By Ron Carr



## Jim Dandy to the rescue

Lot of folks gripe when I write about politics. They say it is boring. So I'll keep this week's column short and to the point.

You had better care about politics between now and November 4 because your life could turn upside down if Obama and Obiden are elected.

But here's another thought. For all the hoopla and bravado, Sarah Palin is not it.

I'll say it for you. I can't stand her voice. It is shrill and high-pitched. She screeches sometimes like fingernails on a chalkboard.

I've seen a lot of people who try to compensate for a lack of knowledge and experience, fake it with smiles and winks.

Enough with the "doggone it", "golly", "aw shucks" routine. Enough with the "I'm a maverick" schtick. Enough already. Lots of us are mavericks.

She is a nice lady but she

was the wrong choice for a vice-presidential candidate. Regardless of her so-called magnetic personality, her experience is isolated to the frozen north of Alaska. I'm not sure she is tuned in to the lower 48. She is a political lightweight and the thought of her being a heart-beat away from the presidency is surely scary.

I'm going to vote for McCain and hope for the best so all you folks that have been forwarding me anti-Obama emails about his religion and childhood can stop it. You don't have to convince me. I don't care about Obama. He is way scarier than Mrs. Palin.

On the other hand, McCain and Palin can't possibly mess up the country anymore than it seems to be messed up at the moment. A bunch of people got really rich manipulating the financial markets while the little

guys have taken a nosedive in their investments and 401k's.

And as usual our politicians loaded the "rescue" bill with pork, about another billion dollars worth. They said they had to "bribe" some of their fellow politicians to vote yes. To implement the bailout another new department is being formed within the Treasury Department. So much for shrinking the size of government.

Do you know who Barney Frank is? It is common knowledge among those who follow politics that Congressman Frank is gay. As Jerry Seinfeld would say, "Not that there is anything wrong with that."

Mr. Frank is on the Financial Services committee in the House. His committee oversees the Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac real estate behemoth that bought stinky real estate loans so middle

class people could live in houses they couldn't afford.

On Fox News Monday night it was reported that Mr. Frank had an "affair" with a male Fannie Mae official for several years. Frank's committee reported back in 2004 that Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac were in solid shape.

Mr. Frank is now the chairman of the House Financial Services committee and is using your money to "rescue" Mae and Mac. In a shouting match with Fox's Bill O'Reilly Mr. Frank denied doing anything wrong. He is a real dandy.

The government is nationalizing and socializing America. No matter who wins on November 4, your life will change. That's what they've all been promising. There is a lot more to the story.

I just hope you are paying attention.

## Mark Your Calendar

October 15

State Senator Kel Seliger will hold a Town Hall meeting at 11 a.m. at the Depot

October 17

Chiefs vs. Dimmitt  
Lions Club hamburger feed at 6 p.m.  
Kickoff at 7:30 p.m.

October 18

Squaw volleyball vs. Childress at 11 a.m.

October 20

City Council meeting at 6:30 p.m.  
in Council Chambers

October 20-31

Early voting period for Nov. 4 election.

October 21, 23, 28 & 30

Early voting in Friona at Friona State Bank.

October 22, 24, & 29

Early voting in Bovina at First Bank.

October 25

Squaw volleyball vs. Tulia at 11 a.m.

October 31

Halloween Trunk or Treat at Calvary Baptist Church from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.

October 31

Chiefs vs. Childress  
High school choir spaghetti supper at 6 p.m.  
Kickoff at 7:30 p.m.

November 2

Brisket dinner benefiting Prairie Acres  
\$8-Adult - \$5 Children under 10  
in the junior high cafeteria  
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FHS musical "Back to the 80s"  
at 2 p.m. in the high school auditorium

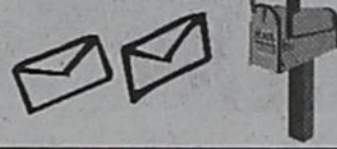
November 3

FHS musical "Back to the 80s"  
at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium

December 6

Pheasant season begins thru January 4

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR



To the Editor,

I have recently begun working at PCCH. I can honestly say I have never worked with more caring, compassionate, dedicated nurses. After having worked at BSA for 14 years in Cardiac Critical Care, being a supervisor for many of those years, I have never seen one nurse that I could compare with PCCH's nurses.

I am so honored to be a member of their team. All the nurses have welcomed me with open arms and hearts and are guiding me along so patiently.

We have an excellent new Director of Nurses, Carmen Putman. She is very knowledgeable and caring, and always willing to listen and lend a helping hand.

I am so happy to be working in my hometown with the people I know and love, and very excited not to be driving 150 miles to get to and from work.

Kudos to PCCH nurses.  
Pamela Rector

Ron:

Just a note of "Thanks and Appreciation" from the Friona High School Senior Class of 1958 for giving half of your front page for our 50th reunion story and color photo, in your October 2 edition.

We will be mailing copies of the Friona Star to all of our out of town classmates, both those that attended the reunion and also to those that were unable to be here.

An article about our planned reunion in an earlier edition of the Star helped us to locate two of our classmates that we had lost touch with.

Thanks again.  
FHS Class of 1958  
Jerry Hinkle

Ron:

My family's part of the Friona Schools has been rather short when compared to other families' stories that have been published in the Star.

I attended Friona Schools from January 1952 until graduation in 1958. The Friona Schools were the only school my three children attended. My son, Brent, graduated in 1985, my daughter, Wendy,

graduated in 1986, and my son, Wade, graduated in 1995. They were well prepared for their college careers.

I was fortunate to serve on the Friona School Board from 1974 thru 1989. During that time, I became more aware of the dedication of our teachers, administrators and support personnel, to see that each child received the opportunity to obtain a quality education to prepare them for their futures. They were always willing to go that extra mile to help and encourage all of our students.

I cannot think of an occupation, except that of an astronaut, that some Friona High School Graduate has not successfully filled.

Jerry Hinkle  
FHS Class of 1958

To my friends in Parmer County,

I would like to personally invite you to a town hall meeting I am holding on Wednesday, October 15, 2008 at 11:00am at the Friona City Park Depot. I look forward to hearing your input and thoughts on the upcoming regular session of the 81st Legislature. Feel free to extend this invitation to any of your family, friends and co-workers who may also be interested in attending. Do not hesitate to call Christy Bertolino in my Amarillo District Office at (806) 374-8994 for additional information. Thank you and I hope to see you soon.

Sincerely,  
Kel Seliger

To Ron Carr, Editor,

Ron, the people of Lakeview School want to thank you for taking time on a Sunday afternoon to be there. The article in the paper and the pictures were great.

This is part of history in Parmer County. Wish more of the people that went to school there could have been there.

We would like to thank Don Spring and his wife, Gladys, for the time and effort they went through to put this together. Also, the staff of the Parmer County History Association deserves thanks for all the work they have done.

Again, this is history and we were glad to be a part of it. Thanks again to you and your staff for a great job.  
John Allen & the crew at Lakeview

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- 5 Lake \_\_\_\_\_ Pines
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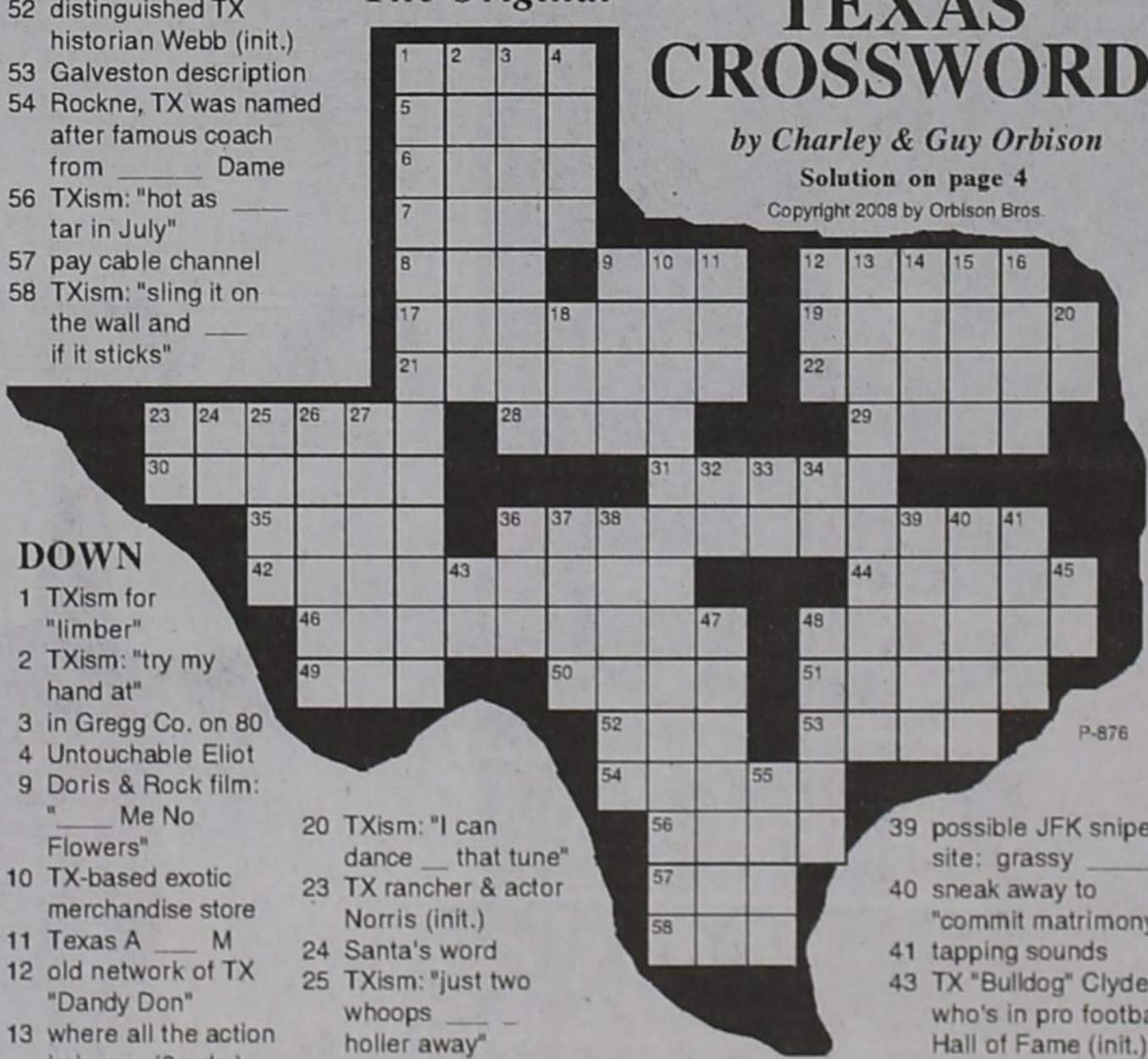
- 21 distinguished TX historian Webb (init.)
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- 20 TXism: "I can dance \_\_\_\_\_ that tune"
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- 26 El Paso mountain: Sierra de \_\_\_\_\_ Rey
- 27 this Tex created Disney's Chip & Dale
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## TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison

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# Town Talk II

By Ron Carr, Phone-250-2211, Fax-250-5127, Email-frionastar@wtrt.net

The city received a smattering of rain Sunday with cloudy, cool, windy conditions Monday. The Amarillo meteor guys predict cooler weather the next week or so with highs in the 60s and 70s. I haven't turned on the heat at home yet but I'm cold-natured so it won't be long. Can hardly wait for those winter gas bills.

They are having a booze battle over in Bailey County. A referendum on the November 4 ballot will ask Muleshoe voters to decide on liquor sales. So far the only group advertising in the Muleshoe newspaper are those against alcohol sales. \*What about you folks that are for it? Ya'll started the whole thing. Voters might want to hear from you too. Guess the pro-alcohol folks don't want anybody to know who they are.

Jerry Seinfeld performed in Amarillo a couple of weeks ago. Several Friona folks attended. Bill and Carol Ellis, the John Gurleys, Robert Joneses, and Fred Cooks were there. John Gurley said his group had supper at Napoli's Italian Restaurant in downtown Amarillo and the Italian food was great. So was Seinfeld they said.

We received word that Anita Guest, a former Bovina resident, passed away in Oklahoma City a few weeks ago.

Locked your keys in your car and don't know who to call? Check out Don Rieves' ad in our classifieds. Might want to write down his phone contacts. He can make keys, unlock cars and homes, or maybe even change your locks. Write him down in your phone book.

Went by the Friona Fitness Center open house Saturday afternoon. They had a nice turnout to tour the facilities. It is for ladies only (for now) but manager Beth Newton made some chocolate cake balls for the open house. Who needs to work out when you can pig out on chocolate cake balls. They were better than delicious.

Owner Holly Campbell reports they have over 80 members already. A serious group of members are there when the doors open at 5:30 a.m. The normal workout takes about 30 minutes. For more info drop by the gym or call 250-3663. Here's to fitness and chocolate cake balls.

It was great weather for Friona's cross country meet Saturday. Coaches had to carve out new 2-mile and 3-mile routes for the runners. Rains made certain areas around Reeve Lake unusable. They did a good job and hosted about 10 schools for the meet. Squaw basketball coach Michael Hurley is also Friona's cross country coach. Good job Coach Hurley and everybody that assisted.

Last week my mother took some trash out to her dumpster. When she opened the lid a black cat scrambled out and almost frightened her to death she said. Which segues into another reminder to close your dumpster lids. Varmints can get in them and scatter trash around the neighborhood, trash can blow out of them, little kids might climb in, or rain might fill them with water which further rots the trash and smells and well, you get the idea. Close the lids on your dumpsters. Thanks.

Mother and I had lunch at St. Teresa's Catholic Church brisket dinner Sunday. The brisket was delish. Had mashed potatoes with some of Stella Shirley's gravy, green beans from Ben Rejino's garden, plus some great homemade cake. The ladies of the church auxiliary had the room decorated in fall colors and the friendly service was appreciated. We were there early before the crowd but Stella said the parish hall was full a couple of times and they had a good attendance.

The placemats were fall colors and printed with the serenity prayer: "God grant me the serenity to accept the things I cannot change, the courage to change the things I can, and the wisdom to know the difference." A nice entreaty for all of us. Thanks ladies (and guys) for the great lunch.

Your state senator Kel Seliger will be holding a town hall meeting at the Depot in city park Wednesday October 15 at 11 a.m. The public is invited to attend. The next biennial session of the state legislature convenes in 2009 and Senator Seliger wants to hear from you. Mark your calendar.

Coach Hurley said the first official day that UIL allows basketball practice is October 22. The Chiefs will still have three football games left when basketball practice officially opens. The last regular season football game is Friday November 7 at Muleshoe. The first basketball game is scheduled for the JV and varsity Squaws vs. Bushland here November

10. Depending on the football playoff situation, the first Chiefs basketball game is November 18 at Sudan. The comings and goings of high school athletics. Schedules can change. We'll try to keep you up to date.

Monday's senior citizen lunch set an attendance record. Our gatekeeper Joann Mills said we had 102 for the monthly Mexican pile-on repeat. The big cooker of chili was scraped clean. It is the first time there have been more than 100 at a senior lunch. Way to go Nora and Rosemary in the kitchen. Good job as always.

The increase could be due to the free flu shots (thanks to Medicare) being offered before and after lunch. Yes I got mine. I hardly felt it. The nice nurse said I might get a couple of achy muscles but no other effects. The Elmo band-aid really brightened my day. Thanks to all the nurses present for managing the shots for us.

Lavon Renner was a visitor with Junior and Betty. We sang happy 88th birthday to Tom Parson. It was mentioned about getting a group together to go to Amarillo Saturday for a Palo Duro Chorus performance. Friona librarian Brenda Patterson is a member of the group. You

could call her at the library (250-3200) for more information.

There were several new faces at the Monday lunch. Didn't get around to all of them. If you had a good time then come on back. Lunches are served Monday and Thursday for \$3. All seniors are invited.

Some of the ladies at Monday's senior lunch asked me to say thank you to Coach Mike Herbert for having our Friona athletes spend time last Wednesday cleaning up along Highway 60 and at Reeve Lake. So thanks Coach Herbert from the senior citizen crowd.

Our sincere sympathy to the family of Jo Blackwell. She passed away late Saturday night at Parmer County Hospital after an 18-month battle with ovarian cancer. Our thoughts and prayers to John and the two daughters and the grandchildren. Jo was a caring person. She was administrator at Prairie Acres for almost 30 years and started the local Empty Stocking Fund to provide Christmas for needy children and was on the Parmer County Child Welfare board. She served us all well. I'm glad to have known her.

The 6th St. Church of

Christ hotline (250-3495) and Pastor Leon Talley keeps an updated recording on the welfare of our local citizens. For their church pantry they are asking for fruit juices and sweetened cereal. If you can help it will be appreciated. Call the number, keep track of local welfare concerns.

Visited with Pastor Steve Patterson a few minutes. Steve was former pastor at the Friona Methodist Church and he and wife Sabra now live in Dalhart. Steve was here to officiate at the funeral of Jo Blackwell Tuesday.

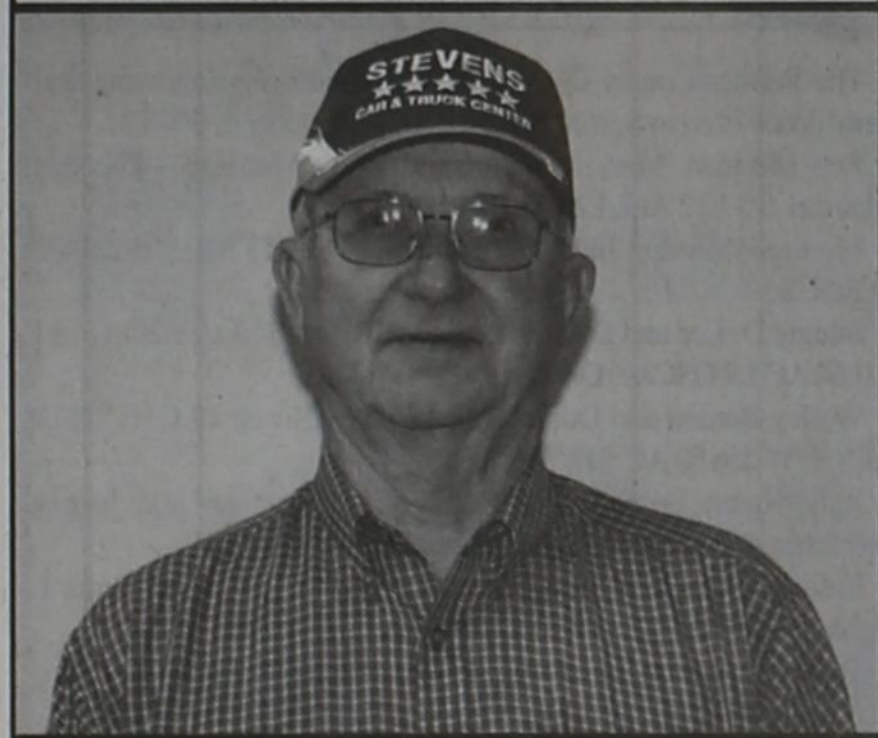
He told me that Dalhart is growing due to the cheese plant, dairies, a couple of pork plants, and the farming economy. He said there are houses being built in Dalhart that sell in the \$1 to \$3 million range. I found that amazing. Go Dalhart!

This is National 4-H Week, National Newspaper Week, and October is Co-Op Month. October 27-31 is Red Ribbon Week. We will be publishing more Red Ribbon drawings from Sherry Zehner's elementary school art students during Red Ribbon Week. Thanks to all for supporting the Friona Star. See you at the Tulia game. Until then!

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# Generator funding announced by USDA

USDA Rural Development Acting State Director, Scooter Brockette, announced that the Agency is offering direct and guaranteed loans to help finance back-up generators for eligible communities, municipalities and non-profit water and wastewater systems in rural Texas.

"Severe weather can strike Texas unexpectedly, and with serious personal consequences. As Texans know, violent storms, hurricanes, and the unfortunate loss of life underscore the need for basic necessities such as a continued supply of clean drinking water. The installation of back-up generators at a water system can provide rural Texans added safety and comfort," said Brockette.

Eligible entities for this program include public bodies, Indian tribes, and non-profit corporations that provide water and/or wastewater disposal services to customers in an eligible rural area or community. The generators can either be permanently affixed or mobile units which will be utilized by the entity in times of inclement weather and mass power outages.

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## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

October 12 - October 18, 2008

(To add, delete or change a name on our birthday list, please call us at 250-2211 or e-mail to [frionastar@wtrt.net](mailto:frionastar@wtrt.net).)

- Oct. 12-Kim Smiley, Martha Schueler, Thelma Coffey, Aaron Black, Linda Goen, Sondra Nichols, Kenneth Smith, Elizabeth Peak, Diane Heard, Myra Olmos
- Oct. 13-Russ Shelton, Rhonda Murphree, Joe Boeckman, Steven Smith, Junior Clark, Lucretia Field, James Clark, Jason Sheena, Shirley White, Tyson Kerby
- Oct. 14-Roger Coffey, Melissa Hardgrove, Lance Looper, Joe Reeve, Lon Outland, Donnie Lewellen, Greg Burleson, Sara Cooper, Zachary Schilling, Denver Riddle, Melissa Vanleave
- Oct. 15-Mende Petree Moore, Valerie Beth Hardgrove, Tessa Baker, Ron Brookfield, Ron Carr, Marcy Gomez, Holly Snead, Loretta Hand, Donna Mears, Carmen Porras, Lou Behrends, Sue Piercy, Midori Vaughn, Melanie Sarpalius, Nicolas Martinez, Jason Blouch, Carolyn Widner, Alfonso Espinoza, Melanie Scott, Valerie Lopez, Rebecca Ann Schlenker, Retta Hand
- Oct. 16-Stephen R. Jones, Jordan Cochran, Gary Renner, Neoma Oldham, Wade Wright, Aline Turner, Tracy Rowland, Gregg Wilson
- Oct. 17-Brittany Montoya, Teresa Nichols, Joe Malouf, Valoris Osborn, Mitzi Campbell, Sandra Berend, Kevin Coffey, John Randall, Ronda Drake, Dorothy Prudhomme, Dora Parson, Sarah Duke
- Oct. 18-Rondee Clark, Rachel Burkart, Ralee Stockstill, Aryah Steelman

## Lions Club News

By Ron Carr



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The Friona Lions Clubs and the Friona Star received Lions Pride Awards at the state Lions convention in May for local PR and media efforts on behalf of Lions. Only two Lions Clubs cities in Texas were honored with the award. From left, Hollis Horton, Evening Lions; Ron Carr, Friona Star; district Lion representative Carmon McCain; and Noon Lions president Andy Montana.

The Friona Noon Lions met Thursday October 2 with 13 members and 4 guests present. Guests were Evening Lion member Hollis Horton, district Lion representative Carmon McCain, Brent Bullard, guest of Lion Anthony Montelongo, and Noon Lions sweetheart Kathleen Wyly.

Boss Lion Andy Montana announced that the Lions Club will hold a burger and fries tailgate cookout at the October 17 Dimmitt football game. Sweetheart Kathleen Wyly told about the FHS musical, "Back to the 80s", in which she has a lead role.

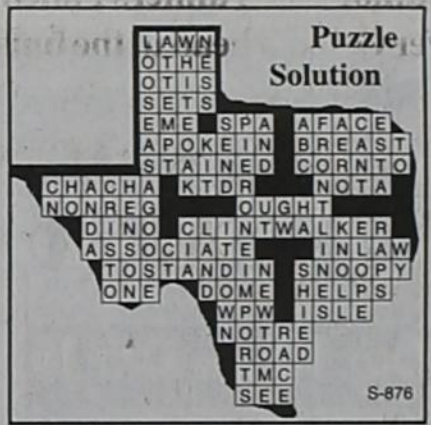
Carmon McCain, who is also the PR guy for the Water Conservation District in Lubbock as well as a Lion, presented awards to both the Evening and Noon Lions Clubs and the Friona Star for PR and media efforts on behalf of Lions Clubs. It is named the Lions Pride Award and was announced at the state convention in Amarillo in May.

Mr. McCain was in Friona for the Elementary School's Playa Lakes Festival. We thank him for visiting the Noon Lions meeting and for the awards.

## Graffe Quartet concert in Clovis

The Graffe Quartet brings tremendous energy, passion and superb technical skills to Clovis on Wednesday, October 22 at 7 p.m. in Marshall Auditorium as part of the 2008-2009 Cultural Arts Series presented by Clovis Community College and the Citizens Bank of Clovis. Named "The Most Promising Young Ensemble" by the Czech Chamber Music Society in Prague, the classical string quartet will be joined by internationally acclaimed pianist, Michiko Otaki.

Tickets are \$20 general admission and \$15 for seniors, military and students, and are available at the CCC Cashiers Windows, Information, Tickets and Tours office on CAFB, or at the door the evening of the performance. Call 575-769-4035 for tickets or 575-769-4956 for more information.



## Sheriff's Report

The following is reported weekly by Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geries office:

September 25, 2008, Jesus Saenz, 28, of Bovina, was arrested by the Bovina Police Department for theft by check, pending County Court.

September 25, 2008, David Aragon, 23, of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for failure to appear (forgery), pending District Court.

September 25, 2008, Douglas Walker, 52, of Clovis, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for motion to revoke (possession of a controlled substance), pending District Court.

September 27, 2008, Victor Puga, 32, of Midland, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for driving while intoxicated with a child under 15 years of age, pending Grand Jury.

September 27, 2008, Jacob Thurman, 21, of Farwell, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department for failure to identify, pending County Court.

September 29, 2008, Mario Castillo, 24, of Friona, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a Curry County warrant (possession of a controlled substance), released to Curry County.

September 29, 2008, Carlos Cano, 50, of Farwell, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department for a terroristic threat, pending County Court.

September 30, 2008, Regina Smith, 46, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for theft of property (more than \$20 less than \$500 by check), fine, court costs, restitution, and 6 months deferred adjudication.

October 1, 2008, Roberto Madrid, 23, of Portales, New Mexico, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for theft of property (more than \$20 less than \$500 by check), pending County Court.

October 1, 2008, Johnny Rowton, 42, of Clovis, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for motion to revoke (DWI), pending County Court.

October 1, 2008, Miguel Cumpian, 23, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department for theft of property by check, pending County Court.

October 3, 2008, Kerry Ford, 45, of Farwell, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department for theft of property (more than \$20, less than \$500 by check), pending County Court.

October 3, 2008, Carlos Perez, 18, of Farwell, was arrested by the Bovina Police Department for indecency with a child, pending Grand Jury and criminal trespass and failure to appear, both pending County Court.

October 5, 2008, Miguel Macias, 36, of Bovina, was arrested by the Bovina Police Department for theft or tampering with multi-channel video service or information, paid fine and released.

October 6, 2008, Adam Bentley, 19, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department for motion to revoke (burglary of a building), pending District Court.

In 287<sup>th</sup> District Court, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

On September 12, 2008, Daniel Isaac Saldana, 18, of Friona, charged with violation of community supervision (engaging in organized criminal activity), had his community supervision revoked; was sentenced to 30 days in Parmer County Jail; \$1,126 court costs; \$530 restitution; and \$200 fine.

On September 18, 2008, Francisco Perez, of Bovina, charged with DWI with a child under 15 years of age, was sentenced to 2 years in a state jail facility, probated for 2 years; loss of driver's license; \$470 court costs; and \$1,000 fine.

## Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County Clerk's Office recorded the following warranty deeds from to September 24, 2008 to October 1, 2008:

Ben Mesman, Mary Mesman, and Dairy Mesman - Theodore Mesman, S/3 L12 ALL L13-16 B48 FARWELL.

Monisa Bautista - Junior Hernandez. L1-3 B13 MCMILLEN & FERGUS.

Johnny D. Lee and Delinda Lee - JMK Ranch LLC, L2-4 L7-8 E 121.64 AC L9 OSCAR DAVIS.

Wesley Barnett and Doris Barnett - JMK Ranch LLC, E 242.26 AC OF W 256.80 AC S17 T1N R5E.

Judy Karen Brockman - Guy Lynn Brockman and Jonessa Brockman, 105.43 AC S5 NE/PT S5 DOUD & KEEFER.

Rafael Reyes and Mary E. Reyes - Rafael Sema and Erma L. Sema, L28-29 S12.5 L30 B20 FARWELL.

Tom M. Caldwell Estate - Circle C Farms, SW/4 S11 T10S R2E.

Jerry Loflin, Joyce Loflin and Doris Barnett - Wesley Barnett.

Wayne Grenko - Kristy Grenko - VOL 43 PG 48.

Roy Dominguez and Cecilia Dominguez - Raudel Martinez Silva and Elizabeth Cristina Jimenez, L11 B99 FRIONA.

W.D. Prince - Lincoln Inspection Service Inc., L17-18 B2 FARWELL.

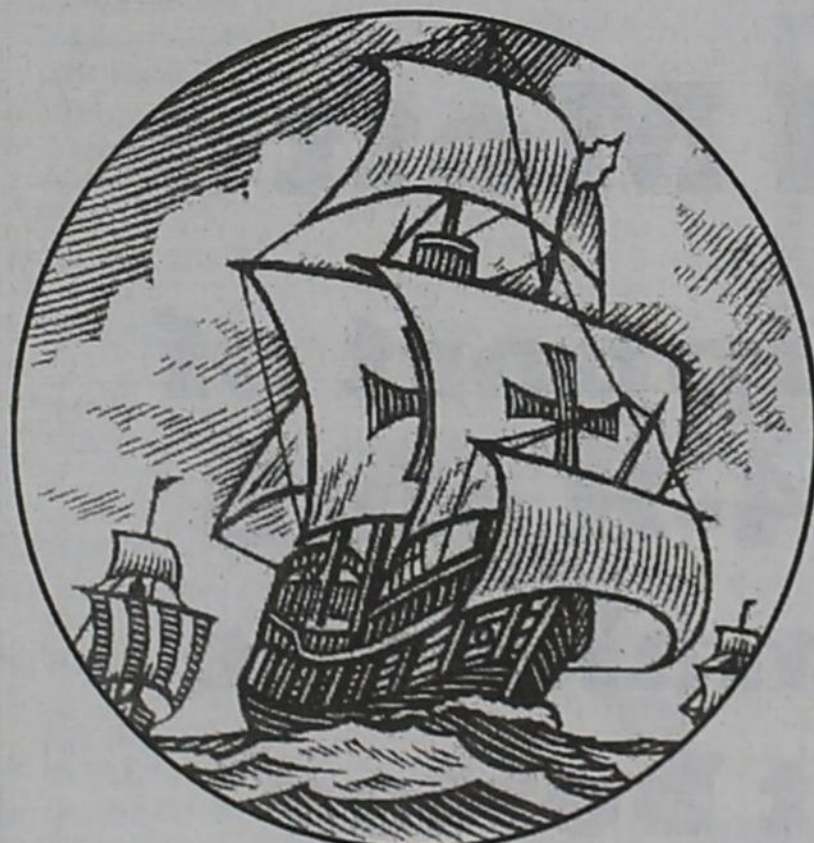
Warren D. Schmidt and Patricia S. Schmidt - Benjamin R. Henderson and Misty D. Henderson, 2.418 AC SE/4 S21 T10S R2E.

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**Junior high cross country runner Marcos Terrones finished 10th with a time of 13:07 in the Friona Tribal Trails meet.**

**Friona cross country results**

Friona's Tribal Trails cross country meet was held Saturday October 4 on the Reeve Lake/community center grounds. The first race saw 118 junior high girls start at 9 a.m. over a two-mile course. Because of recent rains and foliage growth around the lake the course was re-designed from previous years. The starting line was northwest of the community center and runners finished near the community center parking lot.

Arin Rice of Canyon won the junior high girls race in a time of 12:48. Placing for the Friona junior high girls were Linda Ramos 32nd 15:28; Shantelle Pruitt 41st 15:48; Ashli Smith 60th 16:30; Kendall Kimbrough 89th 17:49.

The junior high boys ran a 2-mile course. First place went to Greyson Thompson of Canyon in a time of 12:14. For Friona, Marcos Terrones was 10th at 13:07; Sawyer Osborn 51st 15:49; Panchito Sarabia 52nd 15:49. There were 72 junior high boys in the race.

Friona did not have any JV runners. In the junior varsity results the Hereford girls and the Canyon boys both finished 1-2-3-4-5 for perfect scores of 15. Kayla Mercado of Hereford ran 14:01 for first place in JV girls. Top boys JV runner was Jason Ray of Canyon in 17:07 over the 3-mile course.

The varsity girls race was won by Caitlin Waters of Clovis in a time of 12:33. Friona runners were Katie Osborn 28th 16:15 and Heather Sandoval 29th 16:15. The varsity girls had 34 entrants.

The Friona varsity boys placed a couple of runners in the top 10. The varsity boys winner was Izzy Miranda of Clovis in a 3-mile time of 16:22. For Friona Jose Mendoza was 4th in 19:17 and Jesus Sarabia was 9th at 19:48. There were 28 varsity boys runners.

Teams competing in the Tribal Trails were from Westover Park, Farwell, Canyon, Muleshoe, Vega, Hereford, River Road, Lazbuddie, Dimmitt, Adrian, Dalhart, Hartley, and Channing.

**Chiefs open district play at Tulia Oct 10**

BY RON CARR

For District 2-2A coaches, their team records this week are 0-0. Coach Mike Herbert and his staff and the varsity Chieftains begin the run to the playoffs as district competition starts this week. The Chieftains travel to Tulia to tangle with the Hornets. Last year's game is no doubt fresh on the coaches' minds as the Hornets upset the Chieftains 19-7 and effectively eliminated Friona from the playoffs.

The Chieftains hope to even the score Friday night. Tulia's non-district record is 1-4. They have scored 68 points and given up 168. Friona's record is 2-3. The Chiefs have scored 60 points and given up 84 but the game with Sudan was canceled after only 2+ quarters due to lightning.

Muleshoe sits atop 2-2A with an impressive 5-0 record and a #2 state 2A ranking. The Childress Bobcats have not lived up to their pre-season reputation. They open district at 3-2. The Chiefs are 2-3, and Dimmitt, Tulia, and Floydada are all 1-4.

This week's other district games are Childress at Dimmitt and Floydada at Muleshoe. Friona's remaining schedule is Dimmitt here October 17; Floydada there October 24; Childress here October 31; and Muleshoe there November 7.



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**Varsity Squaw cross country runners Heather Sandoval, left, and Katie Osborn complete the course at Saturday's Tribal Trails meet.**

**Squaw Volleyball**

The Friona Squaws opened district volleyball competition with losses to Childress and Dimmitt but had a non-district win over Sanford-Fritch.

The Sanford-Fritch scoring was 25-23, 20-25, 26-24, 25-21, a match win in four games.

Childress swept the Squaws there last Saturday 20-25, 21-25, 23-25. A return match with Childress is here Saturday October 18 at 11 a.m.

The Dimmitt Bobbies match went to four games but Friona lost 17-25, 25-17, 12-25, 5-25. The Bobbies visit Friona Tuesday October 14 for a return match at 5 p.m.



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**Friona coaches Victor Soliz, l-r, Greg Hazelwood, and Mike Herbert time the runners at the finish line of Friona's Tribal Trails cross country meet.**



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**Junior high runners Panchito Sarabia, left, and Sawyer Osborn head to the finish line at the Friona Tribal Trails cross country meet.**

**JV Chiefs 28, JV Bovina 6**

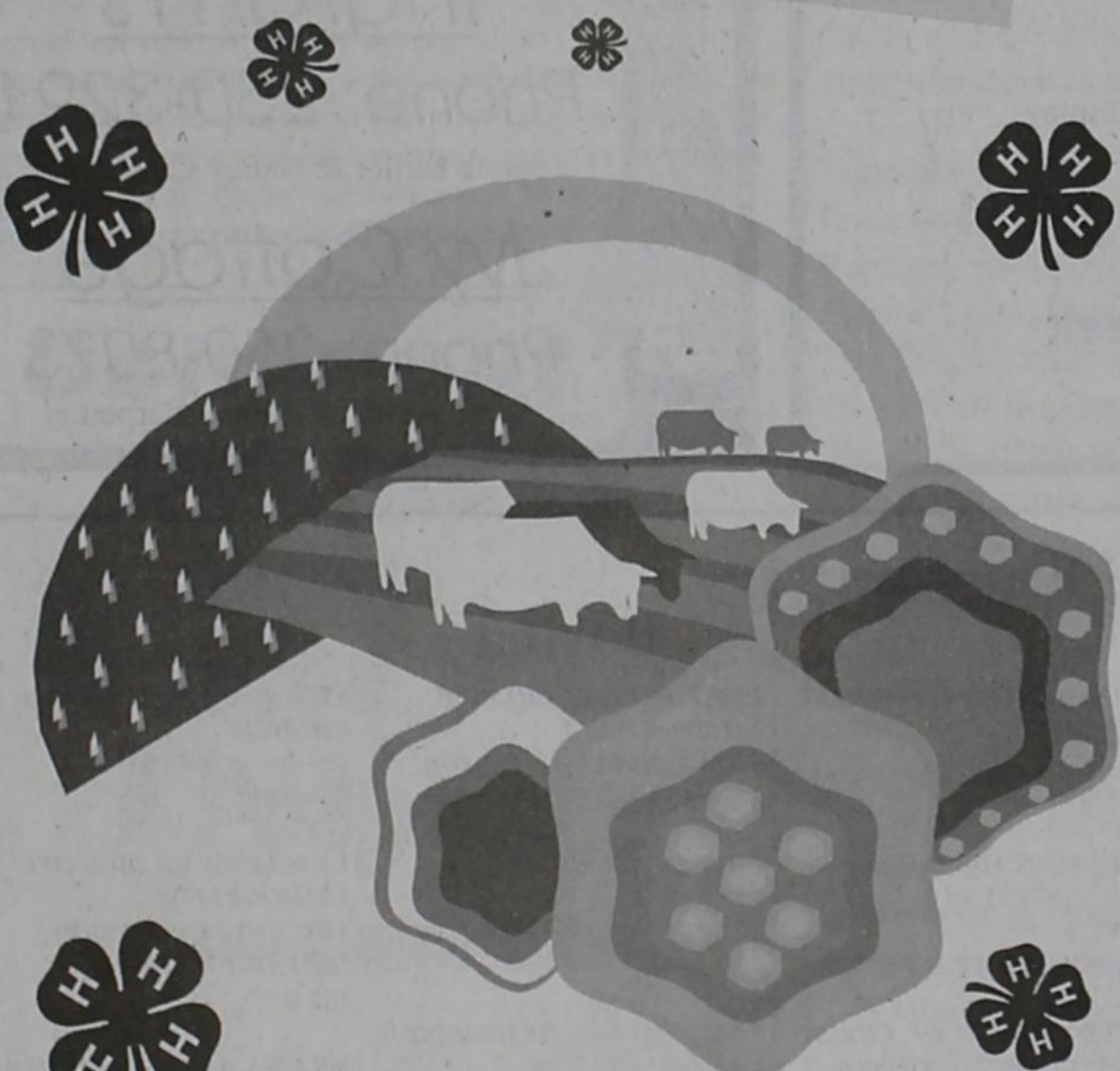
The Friona Chieftain junior varsity took care of their county rival Bovina JV Mustangs by a score of 28-6. Scoring for the Chiefs were Dominic Kellum on a 71-yard run; Chris Garcia on a 3-yard run; Adrian Merino on a 10-yard run; and Harley Rodriguez had a 6-yard TD run. Josh Duenes and Jonathian Molina each added 2-point conversions.

Coach Rex Cumpton said, "This was another good effort by this team. These kids

continue to improve each week. They work hard and give the effort to get better. We played well on both sides of the ball."

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# Football Contest Standings

Here are the Frona Star football contest standings through Week 6.

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- 77 - Sally Gonzalez, Mal Manchee, Christopher Shufelberger
- 76 - Bill Bailey, Brenda Brito, Jeremy Dearing, Aprile Hudson, Jimmy Walker
- 75 - Frank Gonzalez, Brent Loflin, Christen Stowers
- 74 - Clint Mears
- 73 - Scott Brown, William Gromowsky, Kaegan Kerby, Tyson Neill
- 72 - Brandon Berend, Mona Contreras, Jess Dearing, Lester Fennell, Robert Kerby, Mark Walker
- 71 - Velta Anderson, Mason Loflin, Irma Lozoya, Pat Schwab, Mitchell Smiley
- 70 - Richard Carson, Raymond Diaz, Rusty McFarland, Enrique Rodriguez, Dorothy Stowers
- 69 - Claire Brown, Mike Greer, Clayton Smiley, Haden Smiley
- 68 - Martin Brito, Frank Dominguez, Tim Elmore, Darin Hofferichter, Andy

- Montana, Drew Montana, Max White
- 67 - Ashley Gutierrez, Linvell Rose, Michael Villa
- 66 - Raul Brailiff, Isabel Rios, Christi Villa
- 65 - Donnie McDonald, Joy Martin, Teena Nunley, Erma Serna
- 64 - Tamara Garcia, Blair Smiley, Regan Waters
- 63 - Marilyn Engleking, Myrtle Melton, Benito Ortiz, Jeremy White
- 62 - Eddie Gauna, Mack McFarland, Alesia Martin
- 61 - Kayla Smiley
- 60 - Jose Amaya, Jesse Morales
- 59 - Sylvia Ortiz
- 58 - Gale Deaton, Harley Merritt
- 57 - Ronald Diaz
- 55 - Tommy St. Clair, Rodney Shelby
- 53 - John David Haile, Tyrone Shelby
- 49 - Sharon May
- 48 - Carmella Hernandez
- 42 - Baile Brailiff

# New Arrival



**Brae Raychele Mills**

Kyle and Jenny Mills of Celina, Texas have a new baby daughter. Brae Raychele Mills was born on July 25, 2008, at 10:31 a.m., at Centennial Hospital in Frisco, Texas. Brae weighed 8 pounds 3 ounces and was 20 3/4 inches long. Her grandparents are Mike and Sharon Mills of Amarillo, Texas and Debbie Ray of Celina, Texas. Brae's great-grandparents are Joann Mills and the late Wayne Mills of Friona, Texas, F.G. and Bonnie Crofford of Amarillo, Texas, and Edgar and Margaret Ray of Big Spring, Texas.

# Think about this Life is not in things

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Another warning from scripture about "things" is that they are short-lived.

Solomon said, "Cast but a glance at riches, and they are gone, for they will surely sprout wings and fly off to the sky like an eagle", (Proverbs 23:5).

Jesus said that moth, rust and thieves take away their value, (Matthew 6:19-20).

Korah said that the rich man will take nothing with him when he dies, (Psalms 49:16-17).

Riches are somewhat like cotton candy. They are sweet and fluffy but it takes a bunch to make the mouth full, and if you don't eat it in a hurry it will dissolve down to a little ugly, sticky ball...messy and worthless!

There is also the futility of things. Solomon, after giving his life to building something big said, "All is vanity and striving after the wind", (Ecclesiastes 2:4-11). He said, "How much better to get wisdom than gold, to choose understanding rather than silver!", (Proverbs 16:16).

Never have people had more and more but enjoyed it less and less. The "standard of living" has gone higher and higher while the "standard of life" has gone lower and lower. We have the finest of homes but less home life. We have the conveniences to save us many hours but no time to study God's Word. We live in abundance but have never learned how to abound.

Remember, when all is said and done, the conclusion is this: "Fear God and keep His commandments because this applies to every person. For God will bring every act to judgment, everything which is hidden, whether good or evil", (Ecclesiastes 12:13-14).

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### Jo Gene Blackwell

Funeral services for Jo Gene Blackwell, 63, of Bovina, were held at 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, October 7, 2008, at the First Baptist Church in Friona with Reverend Steve Patterson, Methodist minister from Dalhart, and Leon Talley, minister of the 6<sup>th</sup> St. Church of Christ, officiating. Burial followed in the Friona Cemetery by Blackwell Funeral Home.

She went to be with her Lord early Sunday morning, October 5, 2008. She was born March 10, 1945 in Buna Vista, Texas to Joseph and Shirley Tate Matson.

She graduated from Amarillo High School in 1963. She married John R. Blackwell on March 2, 1963 in Amarillo. She moved to Muleshoe in 1963 from Amarillo. She was employed by West Plains Hospital and on June 1, 1971 she received her Nursing Home Administrators license and was named the assistant administrator of the Hospital and Muleshoe Nursing Home.

On April 1, 1980 she moved to Friona and on August 24, 1980 she was named Administrator of Prairie Acres Nursing Home, a position she held until July of this year when she accepted the position of Administrator of Park View Nursing home in Muleshoe, until her death.

She moved to Bovina in August of 1997. She and her husband owned Blackwell Funeral Home in Friona and she became a licensed Funeral Director on December 5, 2006.

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Friona and taught Sunday School in the 3, 4, and 5 year olds for over 20 years. She was a past member of the ESA sorority, Texas Association of Homes and Services for the Aging. She started the Empty Stocking Fund to aid children who could not afford Christmas and headed that for many years. She also headed the Parmer County Child Welfare board since the early 1980's.

Survivors include her husband, John; two daughters, Melanie Montoya and husband Mark of Glendale, Arizona and Marcia Brown of Bovina; her mother, Shirley Parrack of Grand Island, Nebraska; two sisters, Carol Rowell of Grand Island, Nebraska, and Darlene Barnes of La Marque, Texas; three half-sisters, Shirlene Christal of Conroe, Rossi Nelson of Palm Springs, California, and Jocelyn Rodriguez of Harlingen; one step-brother, Kelley Parrack of Amarillo; and five grandchildren, Brittany, Blake and Brennen Montoya, and Brea and Brooklynn Brown.

The family requests memorials to the Dallas/Fort Worth Chapter of the National Ovarian Cancer Coalition, P.O. Box 3092, Coppell, TX 75019 or a favorite charity.



Jo Gene Blackwell

### Ray Gene Braxton

Graveside services for Ray Gene Braxton, 60, an Austin, Texas resident, were held on Wednesday, October 8, 2008, at 2:00 p.m., in the Friona Cemetery in Friona, Texas under the direction of Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona, Texas.

Ray was born in Hereford, Texas on January 5, 1948 to Pete and Christine (Southall) Braxton and passed away on Sunday, September 18, 2008 at his home in Austin, Texas.

Ray grew up in Black, Texas helping his father in the grain business. He attended Friona High School where he was excellent in sports and received a football scholarship to Oklahoma State University. Ray was in business in Oklahoma until 1992 when he moved to Austin, Texas.

In June of 1969, he married Elly Reiss. The joy of his life was Genni Reiss Broadbury who came to live with them after the death of her father. While in Austin, Ray was the General Manager of Guadalupe Resort in Boerne, Texas. In January 2008, he went back to Business Consulting. Ray made lots of friends; everyone speaks highly of his love of the people. He was a Mason.

Ray is survived by his mother, Christine Braxton of Weatherford, Oklahoma; a daughter, Genni Broadbury of Escondido, California; two aunts, Doris Southall of Amarillo, Texas and Anna Jo Smith of Del City, Oklahoma; and several cousins and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his father, Pete Braxton, and one brother, Jim Braxton.

## Seliger announces Aerospace Scholarships

State Senator Kel Seliger is pleased to announce the launch of this year's High School Aerospace Scholars (HAS) program. This scholarship program will enable selected Texas students to explore and become a part of NASA's plan for space exploration, which will send humans back to the moon, then on to Mars and beyond.

After they utilize their math and science skills to complete 10 web-based assignments during school year, they will travel to Johnson Space Center (JSC) in Houston during the summer and use those same skills to help investigate options for sending humans to Mars along side their peers and real NASA scientists and engineers.

Eligible students are required to meet the following criteria:

- U.S. citizen
- Texas resident
- Currently a high school junior
- Interest in science, math, or engineering
- Able to commit to a relationship with JSC, including a one-week residential experience during the summer
- Access to the Internet and e-mail (home, school, or public library)

The state of Texas, in partnership with JSC and the Texas

educational community, developed High School Aerospace Scholars in 1999 to encourage more students to pursue studies and careers in science, technology, engineering and mathematics. Additional partners include the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo, University of Houston System, and Rotary NASA. More than 2,000 students from across Texas have participated in the program.

High school juniors interested in applying for the 2008-2009 program should visit the Web at: <http://aerospacescholars.jsc.nasa.gov>

### You are invited.....!

#### Brisket dinner to benefit Prairie Acres

Sunday November 2 at the junior high cafeteria

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Tickets are now available at the Chamber of Commerce or Friona Star. Advance purchase of tickets will assist the committee in planning for the meal.

Thank you for your support! Additional donations appreciated! Sponsored by the Prairie Acres volunteer committee, J.B. Douglas, chairman.

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### Clinic offering flu shots

Like it or not, flu season is fast approaching. With that comes the usual question; to vaccinate or not to vaccinate? Friona Rural Health Clinic wants you to be informed. According to the Center for Disease Control, there are a few things you should know.

First and foremost, who should be vaccinated? Children aged 6 months to 19 years, pregnant women, people 50 years or older, as well as those with chronic medical conditions and those who live in nursing homes and long term care facilities. People who care for those at high risk for flu such as health care workers, household workers, and caregivers of children less than 6 months of age should also be vaccinated.

This year's vaccine is reported to protect you all year. Flu season is reported in the United States to last from approximately September or October to April or May. This will protect you from the three new strains or make your illness milder.

Friona Rural Health Clinic is now offering the flu vaccine. No appointment is necessary. It is free to Medicare recipients. The children's vaccine is available for those who are insured or self-pay. The Medicaid vaccine for children will be arriving at a later date and will be announced on Channel 6 and in the Friona Star.

Lifeline Service that makes telephone service available at reduced rates to eligible residential customers and Link Up America, a program that provides a 50 percent discount up to a maximum of \$30 on local telephone service installation, are available to West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative and WT Services, Inc. customers who qualify.

#### Qualifying Low-Income (Eligible) Customer Criteria for the Lifeline Program

An eligible customer shall be defined as an individual whose annual household income is at or below 150% of the federal poverty guidelines or in whose household resides a person who receives or has a child who receives benefits from at least one of the following programs:

- Medicaid
  - Food Stamps
  - Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
  - Federal Public Housing Assistance (FPHA)
  - Low-Income Heat and Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)
  - Health Benefits Coverage under the state Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP)
- The Lifeline Program rate reductions will be provided to each eligible customer. The Low-Income Discount Administrator (will provide a list of eligible customers to the Cooperative each month.

#### Obligations of the Customer

Customers whose annual household income is at or below 150% of the federal poverty guidelines or who participate in FPHA or LIHEAP programs may self-enroll for Lifeline Program benefits by completing an application form and returning it to LIDA. LIDA will send a blank application upon customer request. LIDA can be reached at 1-866-4LITEUP (1-866-454-8387). Current customers receiving benefits under Medicaid, Food Stamps, SSI or CHIP will be subject to the Lifeline Program automatic enrollment procedures as provided by the LIDA unless they provide a written request to the LIDA to be excluded from the Lifeline Program.

A customer who is eligible for the Lifeline Program but does not have telephone service at the time the LIDA provides its eligibility list to the Cooperative, shall be responsible for initiating a request for the Lifeline Program from the Cooperative.

#### Link Up America

This program provides a 50% discount, up to a maximum of \$30 on local telephone service installation. Customers receiving federal aid benefits or who are at or below 150% of the federal poverty level are eligible for this discount.

#### Converter Box

After February 17, 2009, a television receiver with only an analog broadcast tuner will require a converter box to receive full power over-the-air broadcasts with an antenna because of the Nation's transition to digital broadcasting. Analog-only TV's should continue to work as before to receive low power, Class A or translator television stations and with cable and satellite TV services, gaming consoles, VCR's, DVD players, and similar products.

DTV Transition should not affect service to your cable service. Analog sets not connected to cable service may need additional equipment (i.e. converter box) or may need to be replaced.

Information about the DTV transition is available from [www.DTV.gov](http://www.DTV.gov), WT Services, Hereford at 360-9000, WT Services, Friona at 250-5555, [www.dtv2009.gov](http://www.dtv2009.gov) or 1-888-DTV-2009 for information about subsidized coupons for digital-to-analog converter boxes.

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### SCALE HELP NEEDED

The AGP Grain Marketing elevators are in need of scale help for the fall harvest. We will need scale help at various locations. Applicants must be at least 18 years of age and must pass a pre-employment physical and drug screen. If interested, please pick up applications at the main office in Bovina or call 806-251-1521 local, or toll free at 806-583-7362. tfnc-9.25

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Call Ron Trusler, CEO of Central Plains Center, 806-293-2636 for any questions and to request a short application. Application deadline is October 31, 2008. 2tc-10.2-10.9

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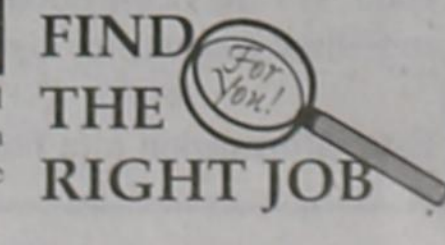
Requires Bachelor's degree in human service related field and experience working with at-risk youth. Salary range: \$11.471/hr-\$13.163/hr + benefits. Central Plains Center, 2700 Yonkers, Plainview, [www.clplains.org](http://www.clplains.org), 806-293-2636. 2tc-10.9-10.16

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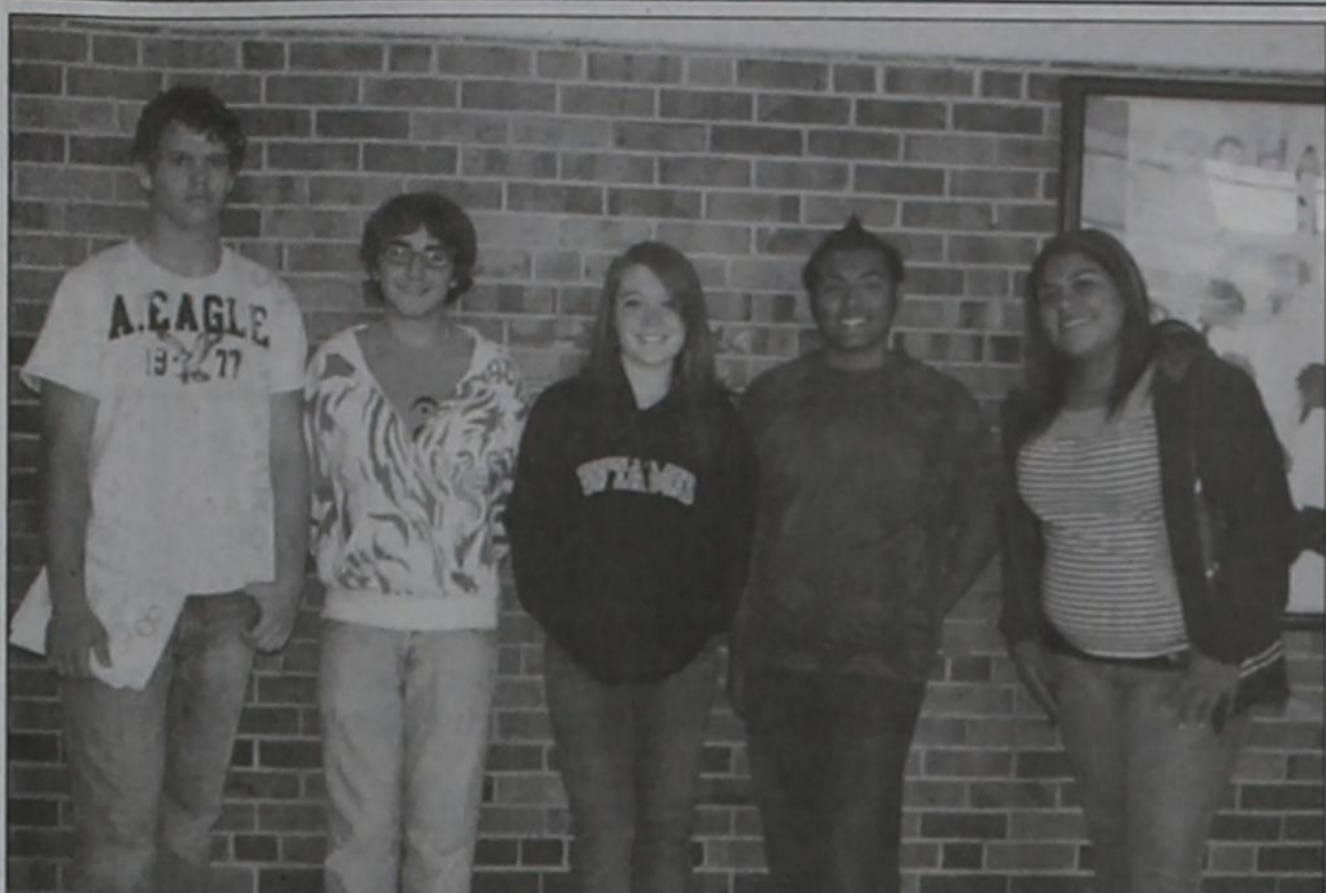
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These Friona high school choir students qualified for District Choir and will compete for Regional Choir November 1. They are, l-r, Jordan Kelley, Victor Parra, Skyla Stormes, Tommy Carranza, and Crystal Trevino. Choir director is Allison Johnston.

## Students qualify for district choir

Friona High School choir director Allison Johnston is popping a few buttons this week as five of her choir students have qualified for the TMEA Region 1 District Choir. The audition was held Saturday October 4 at Tascosa High School in Amarillo. Students from across the Pan-

handle auditioned and the top 20 from each section were selected. Those students then are named to District Choir and qualify to audition for the Regional Choir on November 1. They will compete against students

from all classifications including Amarillo High and Tascosa.

Friona High School choir students qualifying for the district choir were Jordan Kelley, Skyla Stormes, Victor Parra, Tommy Carranza, and Crystal Trevino.

## Herbert earns WT honors scholarship

Brooke Herbert, daughter of Mike and Christi Herbert, has been awarded the Stanley Schaeffer President's Honors Scholarship at West Texas A&M University.

Students receiving the President's Scholarships must rank in the top 10 percent of their high school graduating class, score at least a 25 on the ACT or 1200 on the SAT, and be community leaders. To maintain eligibility, stu-

dents must keep a cumulative grade point average of 3.4 or higher and carry at least a 15-hour class load each semester.

Miss Herbert is a freshman accounting major.

## FHS students and staff of the month

Assistant FHS principal Ben Kirton is pleased to announce the students and staff member of the month for September. Mr. Kirton said, "Congratulations to our students and staff member of the month. We are proud of you and all the hard work you put in to represent yourself and our Friona High School so well."

Here are the students and staff and comments from the selection committee.

makes great grades while being involved in band, cheerleading, and cross country.



Ruben Rocha

Sophomore Ruben Rocha is helpful with other students. Ruben is respectful and makes excellent grades. He is a fine young man with a terrific work ethic. Mrs. Gammon says it is his nature to work quietly and do his best.



Desiree Trevino

Senior Desiree Trevino is a busy student. She has managed to complete 278 hours of service learning. Mrs. Allen says Desiree has been very involved in all aspects of the Playa Lake Festival for two years and works at the museum and the library. She has stepped up in leadership as a drum major for the band. Mrs. Johnston said Desiree has a willing attitude and a great work ethic.



Katie Osborn

Freshman student is Katie Osborn. She is a hard working student who does well in class. The committee agrees that she is pleasant to teachers and other students and cooperates well with others. Mrs. Gammon says that Katie Osborn is so involved yet stays caught up in her work. Katie



Paige Herbert

Junior Paige Herbert is a helpful person. Mr. McManigal praised her for being focused in class. Paige is involved in cheerleading, dual credit classes, FCCLA, and volleyball. Mrs. Berend says that she is very kind to other students. Mrs. Allen notes that Paige was a National Gold Medal Award winner in FCCLA with her project that involved other students in developing a dating violence policy for our school.



Erika Montana

Teacher Erika Montana is noted for helping so much in the Miss Friona and Little Miss contests. She has managed to get many students involved in the upcoming fall musical. She is also praised for being so helpful in getting UIL materials of all sorts to teachers in a timely fashion. She is described as upbeat and easy to work with.

Congratulations to these outstanding students and Mrs. Montana for their hard work and dedication to Friona High school.



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October 13, 2008, 7:00 p.m.  
Friona ISD Board Meeting Room  
909 E. 11<sup>th</sup>  
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**Statement of non-discrimination for Career Technology classes**

1. Friona I.S.D. ofrece programas vacacionales en Home Economics, Home Economics Coordinated, Vocational Education, Agricultural Science, Multi-Occupational Cooperative Training, y Small Engine Repair programs. La admisión a estos programas se basa en requisitos del curso, clasificación del curso, habilidad del trabajo y tamaño del clase. El programa del trabajo va requerir llenando un apliación.
2. Es norma de Friona I.S.D. de no discriminar por motivos de raza, color origen nacional, sexo o impedimento, en sus programas, servicios o activades vocacionales, tal como lo requieren el Título VI de la Ley Derechos Civiles de 1964, según enmienda; el Título IX de las Enmiendas en la Educación, de 1972, y la Sección 504 de la Ley de Rehabilitación de 1973, según enmienda.
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4. Friona I.S.D. tomará las medidas necesarias para asegurar que la falta de habilidad en el uso de la lengua inglés no sea un obstaculo para la admisión y participación en todos los programas educativos y vocacionales.
5. Para información sobre sus derechos o procedimientos para quejas, comuníquese con el Coordinator del Título IX, Kenny Austin, en 909 East 11th Street, Friona, Texas 79035, (806) 250-2747.

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4. Friona I.S.D. will take steps to ensure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs.
5. For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX, Section 504 Coordinator, Kenny Austin, at 909 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Friona, Texas 79035. The phone number is (806)-250-2747.

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# Friona Star 2008 Football Contest

**Weekly 1st Place Prize \$25**  
**Overall Grand Prize \$100**

## Week 7

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 CITY, STATE & ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE 5:00 P.M. FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10**  
**PLACE CHECK MARK NEXT TO YOUR SELECTION**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> BALTIMORE RAVENS AT     | <input type="checkbox"/> INDIANAPOLIS COLTS  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> CAROLINA PANTHERS       | <input type="checkbox"/> TAMPA BAY BUCANEERS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS AT | <input type="checkbox"/> DENVER BRONCOS      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NEW ENGLAND PATRIOTS AT | <input type="checkbox"/> SAN DIEGO CHARGERS  |

**TIE BREAKERS- PREDICT THE TOTAL SCORE**

1. Dolphins vs. Texans \_\_\_\_\_      2. Palo Duro vs. Caprock \_\_\_\_\_

### CONTEST RULES

**Tie Breaker:** Pick the total score of both tie breaker games. The second tie-breaker game will be used in case two or more players are tied after the first tie-breaker game. Entries are due by 5 p.m. each Friday.

#### Three ways to enter:

Fax to: 806-250-5127      Mail to: Football Contest  
 P.O. Box 789  
 Friona, TX 79035  
 Bring entry to: Friona Star Office  
 916 Main St.  
 -or-  
 Dorothy's Beauty Shop  
 3rd St. in Bovina.

Mailed entries should be postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.

Each correct game picked counts as one point. Player with most total points at the end of the contest will win a Grand Prize of \$100.

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

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

**All entries must be on  
the official entry form.**



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# What is... 4-H

4-H is ...

## Head, Heart, Hands, and Health



### Head

4-H challenges you to think and make decisions, both for yourself and as a member of a group. You will discover new ways to do things and different ways of dealing with everyday challenges. 4-H is big on selfdiscipline, responsibility, initiative, and leadership. You will become a positive force in today's world.

It can be tough growing up today. To sort out their ideas and emotions, 4-H members often talk to club leaders and to each other about what matters to them. 4-H gives you a chance to become friends with other young people and caring adults. It is about building character, accepting people who are different, and making your community a better place to live.



### Heart



### Hands

In 4-H, you learn skills that you can use for the rest of your life. You won't just talk about it, you will actually get your hands on it, learn by doing. Members choose from about 100 different skills - everything from bicycle safety to cooking to computer technology to veterinary science. 4-H often helps members discover interests that lead to rewarding careers.

Being healthy means feeling good; doing your best to balance school, friends, and family; and making the best choices. 4-H focuses on developing healthy lifestyles and understanding what happens when you make unhealthy choices.



### Health

## 4-H is you!

## BI-WIZE HEALTH MART

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courtesy photo

Jack Patterson is a heck of a trout fisherman. He'll be happy to talk fishing or go fishing anytime as evidenced by the photos he shares. Here, Kyle Potts, left, his mom Krita Potts, and Mr. Patterson show off a stringer of trout caught in Eagle Nest, New Mexico recently.

# We Salute everyone involved in 4-H this year

Deaf Smith Electric  
Cooperative  
A Touchstone Energy Cooperative



ron carr photo  
Parmer County AgriLife Extension Agent Benji Henderson had some serious hair issues at the annual 4-H Awards Banquet Tuesday night at the Farwell Community Center. The banquet theme was Hollywood All-Stars.

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# We support the 4-H youth of Parmer County



## The 4-H Pledge

I Pledge

My Head to clearer thinking,  
My Heart to greater loyalty,  
My Hands to Larger service, and  
My Health to better living,  
for my club, my community,  
my country and my world

  
**Cargill<sup>TM</sup> Friona**