

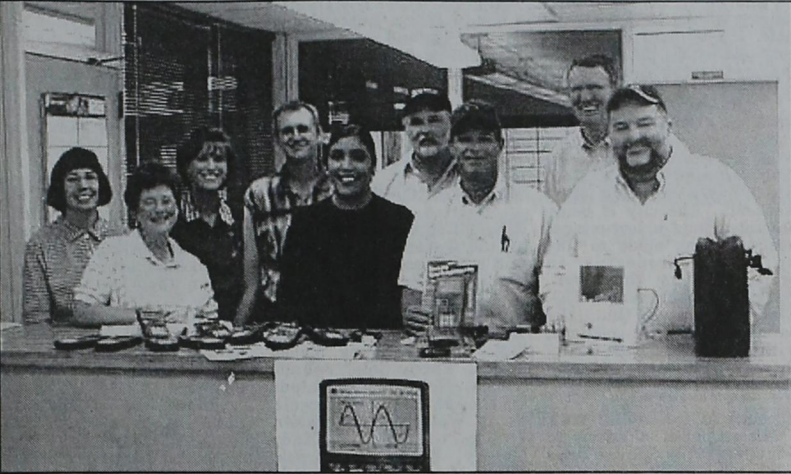
# FRIONA STAR

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TWELVE PAGES

**Get Ready for Maize Days  
In Friona...Sept. 8 to 15!!  
Plan to participate in all the  
events. Fun for everyone!**



## EMS Benefit Golf Tournney September 8

Friona's EMS volunteers have organized a fundraiser golf tournament.

The four man scramble format will be held at Friona Country Club on Saturday, September 8, with first tee-time at 8:30 a.m.

Entry fee is \$50 per person. Forms are available at city hall or at the country club. Deadline for pre-registration is Tuesday, September 4.

An EMS spokesman said the volunteers have gathered prizes that include meals and hotel stays in Amarillo. Other prizes will be offered for closest to the pin and longest drive. Many other prizes will be given during what should be a fun day of golf competition.

EMS volunteers will also provide a hamburger feed after the round which is included in the entry fee.

It is a great way to help out our Emergency Medical Service volunteers.

**EXCEL DONATION...Shown at FHS are, l-r, Tammy Gammon, Stephanie Barrett, Sandra Berend, Daren Box, Sandip Lalli, Tony Noble, Ricky White, Dave McNeill and Excel general manager Steve Thompson. See story below.**

## Excel Grant Provides Math Help At FISD

Excel Corporation's interest in education and a new Texas Education Agency math testing policy has resulted in Excel's funding of ten graphing calculators for the FISD.

Excel expressed an interest to school officials about funding a science/math related project.

The Texas Education Agency's new testing policies will require that all students in grades 8-9-10-11 will need graphing calculators for the TAAS tests by the 2002-03 school year.

With the new rules, many school districts, including Friona ISD, will face serious shortages of graphing calculators.

The \$1,600 Excel grant has provided the district with 13 graphing calculators plus related equipment to allow visual display on a computer monitor.

The generous donation by Excel has made graphing calculators available for classroom use. TEA rules say that students can share a calculator this year.

However, Superintendent Jim Parker says that additional calculators will be needed for the 2002-03 school year to comply with the TEA rules which will require that each student taking the TAAS math test have a calculator.

He estimated that the costs to provide sufficient calculators next year will exceed \$20,000. Over the past four years, Parker said, through numerous grants Friona ISD has invested over one million dollars in technology infrastructure, equipment and staff training, at no cost to taxpayers.

Parker said, "We appreciate Excel's efforts to support this project that will truly impact all students at Friona High School. Graphing calculators are no longer exclusively for college bound students. They are a necessity."

## MY FRIEND CLARENCE

Martin brought home from our recent trip to Canada a sheet which included the following statements: The piece is entitled "REASONS WHY THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE IS HARD TO LEARN." (So it happens in other English-speaking countries as well as our own! This must be why the participants in Spelling Bee contests may ask the person pronouncing the words to use a particular word in a sentence.

1. The bandage was wound around the wound.
2. The farm was used to produce produce.
3. The dump was so full that it had to refuse more refuse.
4. We must polish the Polish furniture.
5. He could lead if he would just get the lead out.
6. The soldier decided to desert his dessert in the desert.
7. Since there is no time like the present, he thought it was time to present the present.
8. A bass was painted on the head of the bass drum.
9. When shot at, the dove dove into the bushes.
10. I did not object to the object.
11. The insurance was invalid for the invalid.
12. There was a row among the oarsmen about how to row.
13. They were too close to the door to close it.
14. The buck does funny things when the does are present.
15. A seamstress and a sewer fell down into a sewer line.
16. To help with planting, the farmer taught his sow to sow.
17. The wind was too strong to wind the sail.
18. After a number of injections, my jaw got number.
19. Upon seeing the tear in the painting, I shed a tear.
20. I had to subject the subject to a series of tests.
21. How can I intimate this to my most intimate friend?
22. A minute is a minute amount of time.

**LET'S FACE IT: ENGLISH IS A CRAZY LANGUAGE!**  
For instance, there is no egg in eggplant, nor ham in hamburger. Neither apple nor pine in pineapple. English muffins weren't invented in England, nor French fries in France.

Sweetmeats are candies, while sweetbreads, which aren't sweet, are meat, not bread. We take English for granted. But if we explore its paradoxes, we find that quicksand can walk slowly; boxing rings are square, and a guinea pig is neither from Guinea, nor is it a pig!

And, why is it that writers write, but fingers don't "fing," grocers don't groce, and hammers don't ham? If the plural of tooth is teeth, why isn't the plural of booth beeth? One goose, two geese. So one moose, two meesse? One index, two indices?

Doesn't it seem crazy that you can make amends, but not one amend? If teachers taught, why didn't preachers praught? How can a slim chance and a fat chance be the same, while a wise man and a wise guy are opposite? How can overlook and oversee be opposites, while quite a lot and quite a few are alike?

Have you ever run into someone who was combobulate, grunted, ruly or peccable? And where are all those people who ARE spring chickens, or who would ACTUALLY hurt a fly? You have to marvel at the unique lunacy of a language in which your house can burn up as it burns down, in which you fill in a form by filling it out, and in which an alarm goes off by going on.

English was invented by people, not computers, and it reflects the creativity of the human race (which, of course, isn't a race at all). That is why, when the stars are out, they are visible. However, when the lights are out, they are invisible. Why, when I wind up my watch, I start it, but when I wind up this essay, I end it?

## Star Lites

By Bill Ellis



CASEY SHARROCK

## Bank Employee Lauded For Five Year Service

Friona State Bank is happy to announce the fifth anniversary of Casey Sharrock to be employed at the bank. Casey started working at the bank on August 26, 1996, in the bookkeeping department and is currently proof operator in the data processing department.

"She has attended various seminars and school and has been very beneficial to Friona State Bank," said one bank official.

Casey Klingensmith was born in Clovis, New Mexico. The family moved to Pennsylvania for ten years before moving back to Clovis. Casey graduated from high school there. She married

## SATURDAY IN AMARILLO

# Chieftains To Meet Guymon In Opener

by BILL ELLIS

The Chieftain football team will kick off its 2001 season Saturday at 2 p.m. at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo.

For the second year in a row, Friona will meet the Guymon, Oklahoma, Tigers on the neutral site. The Chiefs are coming off their second straight 10-2 season which ended in the area round. Guymon finished 2-8 last year.

However, Friona is facing a little more of a building year than last year, with just ten lettermen returning. There are six returning starters back, four on offense and six on defense.

Two of the returning starters in the backfield, juniors Nathan Haile and Adam Bandy, have started since they were freshmen. Between them, Haile and Bandy gained right at 1900 yards rushing and scored 27 touchdowns a year ago.

Haile became the first sophomore to win the team rushing and scoring titles, at least since 1960. The 6-0, 180-pounder gained 1,091 yards, and scored 21 touchdowns. Haile finished strong, gaining 149 yards and scoring four touchdowns in the team's 55-14 bi-district win over West Texas High School. He also scored Friona's only TD in their loss to Olney in the area round.

On defense, Haile had 84 tackles, second to Josh Burleson, three fumble recoveries, also second on the team, and an interception.

Bandy finished with 800 yards rushing, and six touchdowns, making him third behind senior Matthew Mata in both categories.

Other players back from the 2000 team include Frank Dominguez, 5-11, 180-pound offensive lineman/linebacker who was an all-district lineman last year; Eric Rubio, 5-7, 155-pound lineman; Fabian Flores, 5-11, 220-pound lineman; Dario Hernandez, 5-9, 150-pound quarterback/defensive back

and Osvaldo Almaguer, 5-9, 165-pound fullback/defensive back. (Rubio, Dominguez, Hernandez and Flores are four of the team's seven seniors).

Also back are junior Andy Carthel, 6-1, 165-pound wide receiver/defensive back who was an all-district wide receiver for the Chieftains in 2000; Alex Wilkerson, 5-11, 185-pound junior lineman; and Jesus Trejo, 5-10, 170-pound offensive lineman/linebacker, who is also a junior.

Sophomore Brock Field is being groomed as the team's quarterback after Ty White decided not to play. Bandy has taken some snaps during the pre-season, but Coach Mike Scott had rather have him as a running back to utilize his running ability, where he is more apt to break a long run.

The 2001 Chieftains may be inclined to throw the ball more than in recent years, since three of their returners were among the leading

pass receivers last year.

Bandy caught the most passes for the 2000 team, 13, gaining 189 yards. Haile

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## Love Fund Established For D. Reed

A Love Fund has been set up at Friona State Bank to assist Duane Reed's family with expenses associated with his cancer treatment.

Mr. Reed, a 1966 Friona graduate and longtime employee at the former Reeve Chevrolet and City Body Shop, underwent a second operation in Houston this week for throat cancer. His parents are Leo and Neola Reed of Friona.

Friends of the family have established the Love Fund and donations can be made to the Duane Reed Love Fund at Friona State Bank.

## Little Miss Pageant Has Only 8 Entries

As of Thursday morning, the Little Miss Friona pageant had only eight entries, according to Kathryn Goddard of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

If anyone has a five-year-old they would like to have entered in the pageant, please call the Chamber office at 250-3491.

Also, if a club or business would like to sponsor a youngster, they are likewise asked to call. The entry fee is \$15.00.

Those entered so far are:

Bailey Lynn Brailiff, sponsored by Headquarters Restaurant, Mr. and Mrs. Carl McInroe; Isabel Davia, West Friona Grain; Cheyenne Haven Harris, Bi-Wize Drug; Holly Claire Johnston, Modern Study Club.

Also, Kendall Kimbrough, sponsored by Kody and Kim Kimbrough; Macy Don McLennan, Caprock Industries; Amy Savannah Osborn, sponsored by Credit Bureau of Friona, and Destiny Sandoval, Gary Snead Realtor.

## Bank Group Noted By Amarillo 'Paper

The Friona State Bank "Gang," a club for the bank's older customers, received a nice write-up in the Amarillo Globe News last Sunday, August 26.

The story was printed in the newspaper's "Active Life" section, and dealt with the local group's recent trip to the Canadian Rockies.

Jennifer Schraag, a writer for the Globe-News, called some of the local seniors, as well as Marca Herring, who has been the guiding force for the club for Friona State Bank, and got some quotes,

as well as a couple of pictures, which were printed.

One of the photos showed Ruth Miller and Nola Faye Vestal on a bridge with a snow-capped peak behind them. Another was a picture of Reba and W.D. Buske during the group's raft ride down the Athabasca River in Jasper National Park.

Bill Ellis was quoted as saying "I didn't realize how much our Texas Panhandle has in common with where we were in Calgary. It reminds me of the Texas Panhandle 50 years ago. The agriculture, the cattle--and the city of Calgary is about the same age as our city of Friona."

Billy Joe Mercer also was quoted, saying "What amazed me is when we were flying into Calgary, it looked like we were flying over Parmer County. It amazed me that another country looked similar to a place I have lived all my life."

"This was the first trip to Canada for most of us. The sights were absolutely fantastic, and the weather couldn't have been better."

Ellis told the reporter, and Mercer added "The trip we took to the New England states last fall was the first extended trip away from Friona (for many of us)."

Mrs. Vestal was quoted, saying "It was fantastic. I learned they eat steak up there just like they do in

Texas. It was an educational trip besides just all of us being together."

Speaking of the "togetherness," Ellis was quoted about the comments from several Canadian folks regarding the Friona group. "From talking to different people it seems a little unusual for towns the size of Friona to have such a large group that is so active."

Referring to a statement about their Canadian guide, Daniel Boghen, a French Canadian about how well the group got along on the trip, Mercer said "Well, we've known each other for 50 years."

Marca Herring said "This club has been such a wonderful thing for our seniors in Friona." She told the writer that the "Bank Gang," as they call themselves, has grown to more than 300 members since January of 1998, and includes people from across the Panhandle and New Mexico.

Ms. Vestal pointed out that the group has a song that goes "Make new friends and keep the old; one is silver and the other gold."

Making new friends and sharing the old is what the FSB Gang is all about. "It is a real asset to the older citizens in Friona, most of whom have been customers of the bank for many years," Ellis concluded.





**A BIG BOOSTER** crowd packed the cafeteria on Monday for the introduction of the 2001 Chieftains during Meet the Chief night. Thanks to all the boosters that brought ice cream and cookies. Homer A. Haile was elected as president of the Booster Club for 2001-02.



**JUDITH L. READY Services Held For J. Ready**  
Thurs. Aug 30

Funeral services for Judith Louise Ready, 61, were held Thursday, August 30, at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona, with Rev. Alvin Petty officiating.

Burial will be Saturday, September 1, 2001, in the Marengo Cemetery, Marengo, Ohio. Arrangements were by Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ready died Sunday, August 26, at her residence south of Summerfield. She was born November 11, 1939, in Marengo, Ohio.

She was formerly of Amarillo where she worked for Baptist St. Anthony's Hospital. She married Don Ready June 1, 1995 and was presently employed at the Hereford Care Center as a registered nurse. She had been a Parmer County resident for five years.

Survivors include: her husband, of the home; mother, Harriet A. Kirby of Marengo, Ohio; three daughters, Gina Brown of Marengo, Lisa McCabe of Columbus, Ohio and Lena L. Parker of Marysville, Ohio.

Also, a son, Robert G. Parker of Amarillo; two sisters, Joyce Hux of Terre Haute, Indiana and Mary Ellen Wolfe of Mt. Vernon, Ohio; and a brother, Ron Kirby of Marble Head, Ohio.

## Services Set For G. Looper

A casual memorial service for Gary G. Looper, 40, will be Monday, September 3, 2001 at 5 p.m. (M.S.T.) at Ned Houk Park, north of Clovis, New Mexico at the barn arena.

He passed away Sunday, August 26, 2001 at Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis.

Gary was born August 26, 1961. He attended Friona schools and enjoyed fishing, camping and animals.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Durward Looper October 2, 1972; a nephew, Bev Lindeman on June 5, 1998; and his father, Jackie Looper in October of 2000.

Survivors include his wife Patty of Clovis; a son, Shaun Chandler of Clovis; a grandson, Eric Chandler of Austin; his mother, Clara Gast of Farwell; a brother and sister, C.B. Looper and Lea Lindeman, both of Hondo; three nieces and a nephew.

## Error Correction With Apologies

It has been brought to our attention that a mention in Carol's "My Turn" column of last week was in error regarding the demise of the elder Royal Brantley.

We had been misinformed and Dr. Brantley is not deceased. For this we apologize and regret any distress this may have caused him or his family.

## Around Town

- Maize Days & homecoming**  
Friona will celebrate its annual Maize Days Festival the week of Sep 10-15. The Miss Friona pageant will be Saturday, Sep 8 and the Little Miss pageant is Tuesday, Sep 11. The Chieftains meet Dimmitt in a homecoming game Sep 14. The parade and city park activities are Saturday, Sep 15.
- Friona seniors board meeting Sep 4**  
Friona Senior Citizens' board of directors meeting will be held Tuesday, Sep 4, at 4 p.m. at the Friendship House. All seniors are welcome. Also the senior meal will not be served on Monday, Sep 3, due to the Labor Day holiday.
- Retired teachers meet Sep 4**  
The Parmer County Retired Teachers and School Personnel will have a meeting Tuesday, Sep 4, at 2 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Friendship House. The program will be presented by John Krodol, District XVI president of the Texas Retired Teachers. Refreshments will be served. All retired teachers and school personnel are encouraged to attend.
- 3 & 4-year-old story time at the library**  
Book a Ride on the Readerosaurus is the theme of story time at the Friona Public Library. The story time for 3 & 4 year-olds starts Thursday, Sep 6, and is every Thursday from 10:30-11:15 a.m. Call 250-3200 or go by the library at 109 W. 7th to register ahead of time.
- Arts & crafts in Amarillo Sep 8-9**  
The tenth annual Amarillo Fall Arts and Crafts Festival will be held Sep 8-9 in the Amarillo Civic Center. Hours for the festival are Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sunday, from noon to 5 p.m. There is no admission charge. Artists and crafters from around the Southwest will be on hand in the main exhibit hall with original art and handcrafted items.
- St. Teresa's german sausage dinner**  
The St. Teresa's Ladies Society is now planning their annual German sausage dinner. It is scheduled for Sunday, October 7 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Catholic Church Hall. Mark your calendars. More details later.
- PCCH auxiliary rummage sale Sep 7**  
Mark your calendar now for the Parmer County Hospital auxiliary ladies' monthly rummage sale on Friday, Sep 7. Doors open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. The sale will be in its usual place on Main St. next door to the Chamber of Commerce office.
- Prairie Acres open house Sep 9**  
In conjunction with the annual Maize Days celebration, Prairie Acres Nursing Home and Friona Heritage Estates will host an open house on Sunday, Sep 9, from 2:30-4 p.m. Entertainment will begin at 2:45 p.m. Refreshments will be served by the Chamber of Commerce. A church service will be held at 4 p.m., also with entertainment. Visitors will be treated to various quilt and collectible displays.

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# Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star

**70 YRS AGO-SEP 11, 1931**  
The 1931-32 term of school opened in Friona Monday morning, under the direction of a most competent corps of teachers, numbering 19 in all. Supt. George A Heath reports an enrollment for the first day of 517.

O.E. Massie, one of Friona's progressive and thrifty farmers, living some eight miles southeast of town, had eight sows, who during their last farrow, brought forth 120 fine pigs, an average of 15 to the sow.

**65 YRS AGO-SEP 11, 1936**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. Abdullah, at their home in Friona Sunday morning, twin daughters weighing five pounds and one-half and six and one-half pounds.

Twin daughters were also reported born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Naples of the Lakeview Community on the same day.

Word was also received at the Star office that twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Buck Chiles.

**60 YRS AGO-SEP 12, 1941**  
The Friona Cardinals divided a double-header with the Amarillo Pinkney Packers, played on the local diamond Sunday, winning the first game by a score of 6-2, and losing the second, 1-0. Wright Williams pitched a two-hit game in the nightcap, only to lose, with the only run scoring on an error.

Miss Staley of Springfield, Mo., and a joint owner of what is known as the "Staley Sisters" farm, adjoining the city on the west, visited the city last week.

**55 YRS AGO-SEP 13, 1946**  
J.A. Blackwell of Corpus Christi, a former owner of Blackwell Hardware and Furniture in Friona, was a business guest here with his son, Robert, the past week. Blackwell Hardware and Furniture is now Plains Hardware.

**50 YRS AGO-SEP 13, 1951**  
The Parmer County fair will be held in Friona this weekend, featuring a free barbecue, exhibits and livestock judging. Judging of dairy products will be held Thursday. On Friday, the rabbits, beef cattle, dairy

cattle, community products and agricultural products will be judged. On Saturday, judging of the swine will be held. The festivities will conclude with a parade and a matched roping contest at 3 p.m.

**45 YRS AGO-SEP 13, 1956**  
Plans are shaping up this week for the city's big 50th Anniversary Celebration, which will be held next weekend. The city is being decorated, and a last-minute push is being made to tidy up city property in preparation for the event.

Parade chairman, J.C. Claborn, states that the parade bids to be a good one, with 23 commercial floats, three club floats and five bands entered.

**40 YRS AGO-SEP 14, 1961**  
Selection of a queen to reign over the Maize Days celebration will begin the weekend of activities for the fifth annual event this week in Friona. Twenty-eight girls will vie for the title, according to Mrs. Eva Miller, contest chairman.

**35 YRS AGO-SEP 15, 1966**  
Mary Rando, sophomore student at Friona High School, was the grand prize winner Tuesday night at the Friona Junior Chamber of Commerce's talent contest. Mary was presented a check for \$125. Miss Rando did a reading with musical accompaniment, entitled "I Am The Nation."

**30 YRS AGO-SEP 16, 1971**  
Four members of the Jim Dixon family were injured when they were involved in a two-car crash near Vega last Friday. Hospitalized in Hereford since the wreck have been Mrs. Dixon and the couple's three-year-old son, Mendan. The four-year-old

daughter, Millie, has been in Amarillo's St. Anthony's Hospital, with a fractured spine. Dixon sustained a broken arm and was released. Mrs. Dixon, who was driving, had broken ribs, lacerations to her forehead and a punctured esophagus. Mendan sustained a broken leg and underwent surgery to remove a ruptured spleen.

**25 YRS AGO-SEP 12, 1976**  
Entries in the Maize Queen Contest are up to 24 in the Queen Contest, while Little Miss entry list is up to eight.

Girls entered in the Maize Queen Contest include Sheri Rector, Mindy Moseley, Linda Nelson, Karen Young, Melodi Dixon, Patty Cole, Johnna Thorn, Holly White, Linda Anthony, Becky Powell, Jatun Widner, Jerri Walter, Cindy Cleveland, Cindy Smiley, Diane Westbrook, Faith Mays, Karen Stevick, Diane Bennett, Barbara Rhodes, Sherri Noah, Rhonda Parsons, Sharla Bengte, Kathy Martin and Paige Osborn.

In the Little Miss Contest, the contestants are Karla Skipworth, Sindy Preston, April Bush, Lea Ann Edwards, Lori Tannahill, Kristy Stephens, Sherrie Dickson and Deena Jo Willard.

C.H. Veazey won the first week's competition in the Friona Star's football contest with 19 correct games out of a possible 22 and edged James Clark on the tie-breaker score.

**20 YRS AGO-SEP 13, 1981**  
Mrs. Wana Brewer recently received a copy of a resolution from the Senate of the State of Texas-67th Legislature, first called session, recognizing her outstanding contribution to the field of education by her 35-year teaching career.

Seva and Steve Struve, owners of the Sideswipe Company, are making a duel announcement this week. One is the securing of a patent on their product, which is now being sold across the country and even in foreign markets. The other news is an open house at the company's new location 119 West Sixth Street.

**10 YRS AGO-SEP 13, 1986**  
The Friona Chieftains survived a second-half rally by a hard hitting River Road at Amarillo last Friday night, to win their season opener, 21-13.

The "Old Professor", Jack Clark picked up right where he left off the preceding year in the Friona Star Football Contest.

Clark, who was the grand champion winner of 1985 contest, started the new season off on the right foot, winning first place in the first week's contest.

**10 YRS AGO-SEP 14, 1991**  
Valerie Michelle Burnam, five was named Little Miss Friona Tuesday at the Friona High School Auditorium. She was sponsored by Country Charm. Her parents are Lonnie and Marva Burnam.

Sarita Gay Ellis Reeve received a Master of Education degree in secondary education with a minor in English in August from Texas Tech University. She is the daughter of Mike and Nelda Ellis of Friona.

**5 YRS AGO-SEP 14, 1996**  
Sheila Wiseman was chosen 1996 Miss Friona in last Saturday's pageant. Sheila's mother, Carolyn Wiseman, was the pageant winner back in 1973. This is the first time for Friona to have a second generation winner in the pageant.

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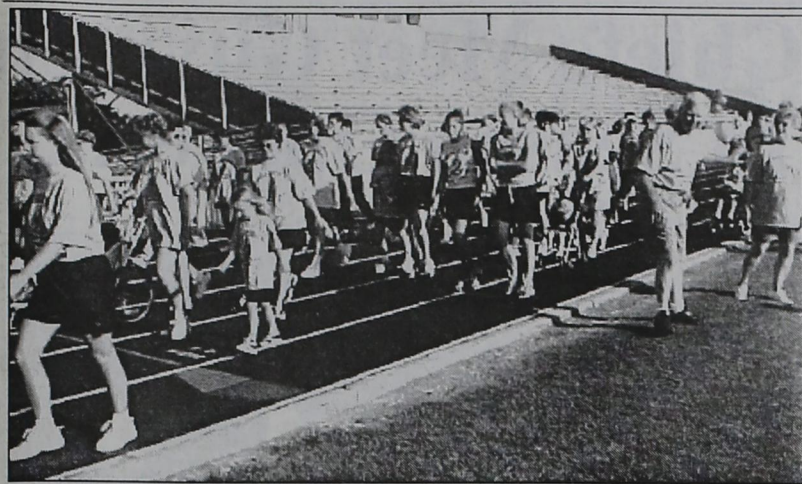


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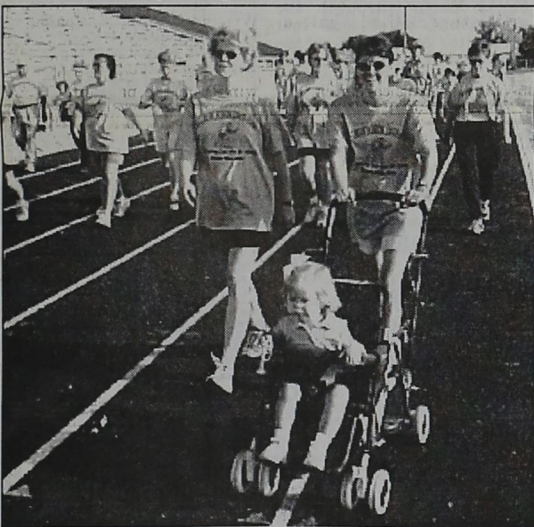
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**THE LOCAL CANCER WALK BOARD** responsible for organizing last Saturday's Cancer Walk are, standing, l-r, Betty Reeve, Becky Jones, Erma Brownd, Doris Barnett. Front, l-r, Connie Willard, Rose Boren, Joyce Lofflin and Aundrea Frye. The Cancer Walk raised about \$6,400 which is donated to the American Cancer Society Chapter in Amarillo.



### Scenes From The Second Annual Cancer Walk

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## Friona's 2nd Annual Cancer Walk

We want to thank the contributors to our 2001 Cancer Walk:

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THE ICE CREAM is lined up and so are the Chieftain juniors, being introduced by head coach Mike Scott. These 15 juniors should anchor a strong Chieftain team when they return as seniors next year. Good luck Chiefs!  
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## Farwell Man Goes On Wild Ride In Effort To Halt Pickup Thieves

The lesson could be don't leave your keys in your vehicle, even if you are at home. Or it could be just good advice from law enforcement not to jump in the back of a pickup being stolen, even if it is yours.

In either case, 23-year-old Farwell resident Jarrod Franse is safe and sound after two men tried to steal his truck and made him mad.

Franse's 2000 Dodge Dakota pickup was parked in front of his Farwell residence around 6 p.m. Sunday, August 26, when he noticed two men on the street looking it over.

When they opened the door of the pickup, which had the keys in the ignition, he came out of the house to confront them. They jumped in, started the pickup, and drove off with Franse in the back of the truck.

He would later explain that it made him mad when they drove off with him beating on the window, so he just dove in the back and started screaming at passers-by "they stole my truck!"

The two Clovis men, 18 and 16 years of age, were looking for a vehicle to steal

when they spied Franse's Dodge Dakota. They sped away east on Highway 84, with Franse frantically trying to get help.

An unidentified motorist wrote down the license number and pulled off the highway in Lariat to call the Sheriff's office. Sheriff Randy Gerles, assisted by Parmer County deputies and others, began to look for the trio and the white pickup. Details and location of the truck were sketchy.

Meanwhile, the two hoodlums were trying to dislodge Franse from the back of the pickup, driving at speeds estimated at over 100 mph. Franse broke out the passenger side window of his truck and proceeded to pummel the thief in the passenger seat.

In apparent frustration, the two stopped the pickup in Castro County, three miles south of Highway 86 at the Greg Sides residence. The boys ran into a nearby haygrazer field.

Parmer County Chief Deputy Michael Howard used his drug dog, Arno, who is also a trained "apprehension and attack" dog. Arno

captured Joe Angel Roldan, 18, about 9 p.m.

Officers searched for the 16-year-old suspect until 2 a.m. and decided to resume after daylight. A Castro County resident called authorities at 6:30 a.m. Monday to report the suspect was spotted about 3 1/2 miles south of the haygrazer field.

Franse suffered some minor bruises during the melee. Sheriff Gerles said Franse was very fortunate that the outcome was not more serious.

Roldan was charged with aggravated kidnapping and unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. He is in Parmer County jail under a \$100,000 bond for the kidnapping and a \$10,000 bond the vehicle theft.

The juvenile was charged with the same two offenses and is being held in the juvenile detention facility in Lubbock.

Sheriff Gerles said that in addition to all of his Parmer County deputies being called out, the DPS, Castro County Sheriff Department, Muleshoe Police Department and Dimmitt Police Department assisted in the arrests.

# Chiefs Meet Guymon In Season Opener....

(Continued from Page 1) caught nine passes for 182 yards and scored a touchdown. That TD was a 70-yard gain against Muleshoe. Andy Carthel caught five passes for 73 net yards.

Bandy also led two other categories on last year's team: kickoff returns, where he had nine for 235 yards and a TD, and interception returns, picking off four passes.

Nathan Haile also had nine kickoff returns a year ago, running them back 160 yards. He and Carthel also had an interception on the season.

Although the Guymon Tigers only had a 2-8 season last year, they were encouraged that they doubled their win output for both 1998 and '99. Also, of the team's eight losses, four were by a touchdown or less. The Tigers went into their last couple of games with a chance to make the playoffs in Oklahoma.

Senior quarterback David Dale, a 6-2, 195-pound senior, leads the Tiger offense, and also plays defensive end when opponents have the ball. Junior running back Adam Lowman, 5-10, 178-pounds, is Guymon's top threat to score, and likewise is a starter on defense.

Guymon has some players up from their junior varsity who they are counting on this season, including 6-3, 270-pound senior Miguel Vargas, who is a defensive tackle. Also, 6-1, 190-pound junior Dale Fallon plays wide receiver and defensive back.

After having five or six years with several players in the 200+ pound category, Friona will have only two players over 200 pounds, Flores, 210, and junior lineman Joey Dominguez, 200.

Besides the 270-pound Vargas, Guymon has six



IN THE TOWEL TUB...Fans brought towels to the scrimmage last Friday for the FHS athletic department. Krista Graham, daughter of Ky and Lanis Graham, is shown in the towel tub.  
ron carr photo

other players of 200 pounds or over. Three of these are sophomores.

It's only the second time for Friona to square off against an Oklahoma team, and an indication of the unusual nature comes in looking at Guymon's schedule. Dalhart is their only other Texas opponent. The Wolves have been on Friona's schedule a number of times down through the years, but opted out last year after coming up on the short end of the score against Friona seven straight years. The Tigers also play at Lajunta, Colorado on

September 14. The other seven games on Guymon's schedule are district games: vs Anadarko, Bishop McGuinness, Star Spencer (wherever that is), Elk City, Clinton, "South-east," and Weatherford.



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# Out Here

by Ron Carr

"So You Want To Be A Travel Agent!"

Airlines delivered yet another whammy to travel agents last week.

The travel agents are screaming all sorts of obscenities but as usual it will not do them any good. As a group they have no real clout. Never have.

But that does not keep them from threatening all sorts of mean retaliatory actions against the bad old airlines who have had the attitude that travel agents stink for at least the last 20 years.

Now the airlines have reduced pay to travel agents down to a miniscule "why bother" level. Agencies across America banded together this week to show them airline guys a thing or two.

In a show of sheer power and clout, many agencies closed their offices for two hours on Thursday. (At least a few said they were going to, but I bet not many actually did.)

There. That ought to show those several hundred million airline passengers a thing or two. Not to mention scaring the flaps off of American, United and Delta.

For decades the foundation of a travel agent's business, i.e., their income, was commission earned on airline tickets. The commission income on an airline ticket was quick and easy.

Lots more folks bought airline tickets more often than cruises and tours so naturally an agent looked to air income first.

The numbers were very simple. An airfare consists of three parts: the fare plus the tax equals the total. The fare goes to the airline, the tax to the government and the total is what you, the customer, pay.

Travel agent commission

was deducted from the fare. The bigger the fare, the more commission the agent earned. Standard commission percentages were 5% in the 60s, increasing to 7%, then 10%, in the 70s. It stayed at 10% until 1995.

So if a customer bought an expensive ticket, say a \$2,000 roundtrip fare, a travel agent was paid \$200 for booking the flights and issuing the ticket.

A \$100 fare earned \$10 commission, \$500 fetched \$50, and so on. Agents worked hard to build up their monthly air volume. A half million a month in ticket sales brought in \$50,000 in gross monthly income or \$600K a year just for writing airline tickets.

You can see the lure here. Big money; an exciting, romantic, exotic industry; and free or reduced rate travel benefits. As travel agents used to say, "It sure beats working for a living."

But that fantasy has ended. In 1995, the airlines made a drastic change in the commission structure. Led by Delta, they "capped" travel agent commissions at 5%, or \$25 for a one-way ticket and \$50 for a roundtrip, whichever is less.

So the example of a \$2,000 fare that had earned \$200 commission, was now capped at \$50, a 75% reduction in income.

Since 1995, the airlines have gradually reduced commission levels and pay rates to 1960 levels. Then last week, American Airlines again reduced the cap rate to \$10 for a one-way or \$20 for a roundtrip ticket, regardless of the fare.

Our \$2,000 ticket example today earns \$20, a below-the-poverty-level one percent commission rate. It

took United, Delta and Northwest about 28 seconds to follow along with American's reduction.

Some industry veterans say that the next step will be to eliminate travel agent commissions on airline tickets, a situation the airlines have wanted for years.

Travel agents say that airlines can't get along without them. Closing for a measly two hours on a Thursday is not going to prove that point.

Agents need to stop issuing airline tickets altogether for a week, or a month, if they want to get anyone's attention. But they won't do that either. They will keep issuing tickets at the measly rates because they can't not write airline tickets.

Many agents charge service fees now to issue an airline ticket because they can't pay their overhead on the low commission income. Travel industry leaders advise agents to sell leisure travel, i.e., tours and cruises, where commissions are still in the 10-15% range for now.

Trouble is, people don't buy cruises or tours as often as they do air tickets. Leisure travel is seasonal, so agents do well during vacation season and die when fall comes and school starts.

The Web-surfers and Internet junkies have also hurt "brick and mortar" travel agency business. I know folks right here in Friona that have traveled recently with airline tickets purchased through their home computer.

So why am I writing about it? Nostalgia. For 20 years I owned a travel agency in downtown Dallas. The airlines for the most part were our friends. I traveled the world, mostly free,

because my agency sales volume earned respect from the carriers.

Airlines don't respect travel agents anymore. Some frequent fliers say the airlines don't even respect their customers anymore.

I'm glad I was a part of the travel industry during the glory years when Pan Am ruled the air and Braniff hyped their Flying Colors.

I'm sad too though. Long ago, everybody I knew wanted to be a travel agent. Not anymore.

The fare, tax and total game is gone for good.

## Immunization Clinics Set

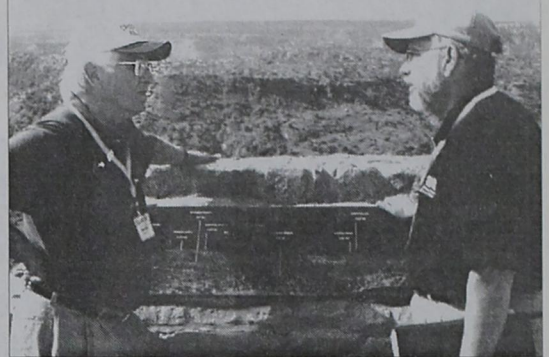
Immunization clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for September throughout the Panhandle.

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

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, but no one will be turned away if not able to pay.

The vaccinations will be administered at the Texas Department of Health WIC Office, 607 Main Street, Friona, Friday, September 21, from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-3:45 p.m.

Vaccinations will also be available at the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Office, 109 East Third Street in Bovina, Monday, September 10 from 10 a.m.-12 noon and 1-3 p.m.



**SHOOTING THE CANYON.....**The Texas Press Association of Austin recently sponsored a photography seminar in Amarillo for member newspapers. Participants met at the Holiday Inn and toured the Palo Duro Canyon to learn about different photo techniques. The photography session is one of many educational seminars the TPA sponsors around the state. Shown above at Palo Duro Canyon with Ron Carr, left, is TPA member services director Mike Cox, a frequent contributor to area newspapers.

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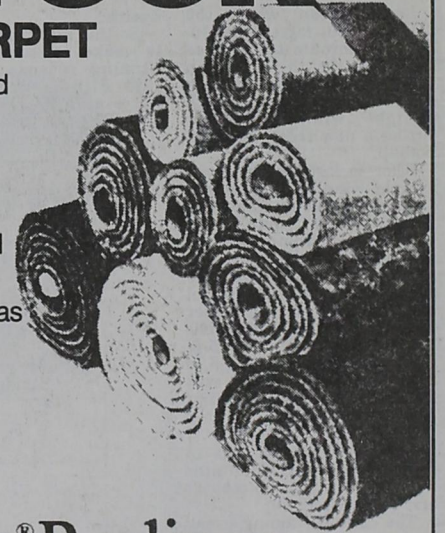
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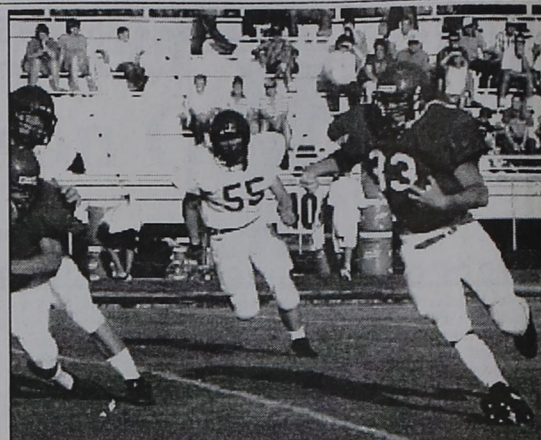
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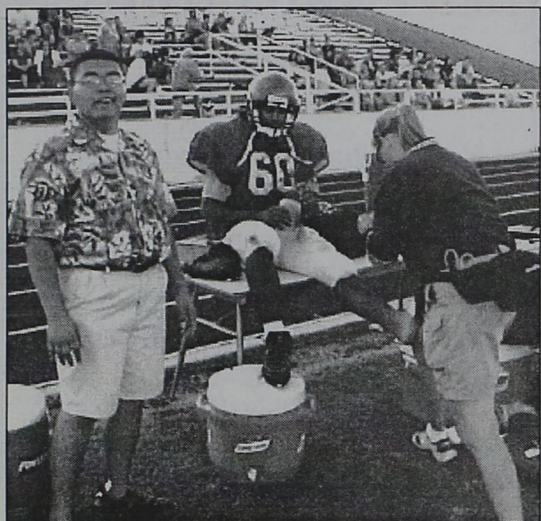
AN UNIDENTIFIED Chieftain is shown sacking the Fritch quarterback in last Friday's scrimmage. Cody Grimsley, 45, a junior defensive end, comes up, if help is needed.



EYE CONTACT...We're not sure whether Corbin Neill has an intense look toward a coach, or whether it might have been giving our photographer the evil eye. Neill is a 5-11, 160-pound junior on the Chieftain team this season. (ron carr photo)



URNS IT UP....Junior runningback Nathan Haile (33) gets a block from a teammate (mostly out of the photo) and prepares to make some yardage in last Friday's scrimmage. Haile is one of several talented juniors on the Friona team this fall.



WRAP TIME...Chiefs manager and trainer Ross Paiz and WT trainer Jan Kiilgaard wrap an ankle for Jesus Trejo (60) one of ten starters back from last year's Chieftain team. ron carr photo

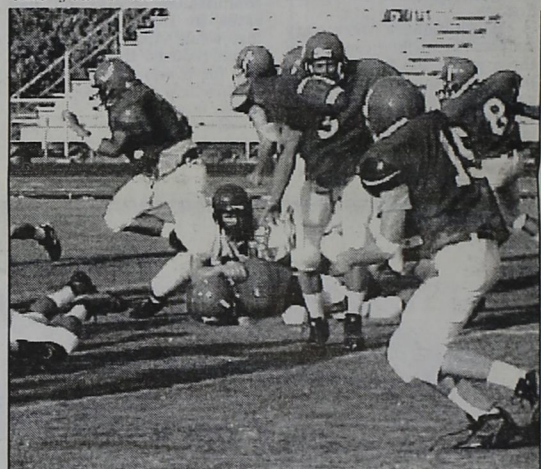
## Consecutive Winning FHS Football Seasons

Year	W-L	Coach	Pts-Opp.
1981	5-5	Tommy Moss	143-133
1982*	6-5	Tommy Moss	168-132
1983	6-4	Tommy Moss	128-81
1984	5-4-1	Tommy Moss	190-150
1985	6-4	Tommy Moss	214-92
1986*	9-3	Tommy Moss	280-125
1987	7-2-1	Tommy Moss	225-134
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1993	5-5	James Morton	140-171
1994*	7-3-1**	James Morton	208-214
1995	7-3	James Morton	253-128
1996*	13-2**	James Morton	454-217
1997*	10-1**	James Morton	422-167
1998*	9-2**	Mike Scott	331-128
1999*	10-2	Mike Scott	382-113
2000*	10-2**	Mike Scott	381-181

\*Playoff Teams \*\*District Champs



HEATH GAMMON (15) snags a pass in the scrimmage. Gammon is a junior running back on this year's team.



HEADS UP, HEATH...QB Adam Bandy (5) tosses a pihout to Heath Gammon (15), a combination that promises to be a popular one this year.

### CONSECUTIVE SEASONS

# Chiefs Hope To Add To Winning Streak



Last season when the Chieftains put together its 10-2 record enroute to the area round for the third time in five years, they gave Friona High School an eighth straight winning season, setting a new record for FHS football.

Prior to last season, seven straight winning seasons was the most at FHS. That was accomplished under the coaching of Tommy Moss, from 1981 through 1987.

Moss had taken over the reins at Friona High School after an 0-10 season under Pete Hubbard in 1980. His first team, 1981, was 5-5. The Chiefs improved to 6-5 in 1982, which included a spot in the playoffs for the first time in 20 years.

Moss' best record was in 1986, when the Chieftains went 9-3, posting the school's first-ever playoff win.

The current winning streak began under James Morton in 1993, when he turned an 0-10 previous year into a break-even 5-5 in 1993.

Morton guided Friona to a 7-3-1 mark in 1994, which marked the Chieftains' first district championship since 1965.

Two years later, Morton, the Chieftains and their fans enjoyed "The Ride," a 13-game winning streak which included four post-season wins and a hallmark 13-2 season that ended in the state semifinals at Texas Stadium.

In 1997, the Chieftains, with many holdover members of the semi-finalist team of the year before, went 10-0 before seeing their playoff plans end in bi-district on a snowy, freezing night at Levelland and an overtime loss to Seminole and runningback Toby Shain, who currently has a starting role with Texas Tech.

Current Coach Mike Scott has had the Chieftains in the playoffs three more years, with 9-2, 10-2 and 10-2

records. So this fall Friona will try to make it nine straight winning seasons. Prior to 1981, FHS had recorded only 13 winning seasons from 1944 through 1980. Coach Moss's seven straight

seasons produced 44 wins against 27 losses and two ties, a winning percentage of 62.0. The current eight year winning streak has produced an overall winning record of 77-20-1, or 77.7 per cent wins.

## Friona I.S.D. Calendar of Events SEPTEMBER, 2001



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 Chieftains vs. Guymon @ Dick Bivins Stadium 2:00
2	3	4	5	6 Project R.E.D. First Grade - 7:00-7:45 Kindergarten 8:00-8:45 Jr. High Football @ Tulia 5:00/6:30 JV vs. Tulia @ Friona 7:30	7 Chieftains @ Tulia 7:30	8 Ms. Friona @ FHS Auditorium 2:00 & 7:00 CX @ Plainview
9	10	11 Little Ms. FHS Auditorium 7:00	12	13 Jr. H. Pep Rally 3:15 Jr. H. Dimmitt Here 5:00 & 6:30 JV @ Dimmitt 7:00	14 Chieftains vs Dimmitt @ Friona 7:30 Annual EXCEL Free Hamburger Cookout	15 CX @ Friona
16	17	18 HS Open House 7:00	19	20 Jr. High @ Muleshoe 6:30 & 8:00 JV vs Muleshoe @ Friona 7:00	21 Chieftains @ Muleshoe 8:00	22 CX @ Olton
23	24	25 Picture Retakes Primary/Elementary	26	27 JH Pep Rally 3:15 Here - 5:00 & 6:30 JV @ Floydada 6:30	28 End of First 6 wks. Chieftains vs. Floydada @ Friona 7:30 Lions Club Burger Fest	29 CX @ Lubbock
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# Friona News

By BECKY LONDON

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Clyde Renner underwent hip replacement surgery at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo August 20.

He was transferred to Friona's Parmer County Community Hospital Saturday for further recovery.

His wife Ruth said Clyde is really happy to be back home in Friona.

Former Friona High School principal, Frank

Belcher, is now the school superintendent for Canadian schools. When he left Friona two years ago, he moved to Texline to be superintendent there. We sure enjoyed Mr. Belcher while he was in Friona, hope he and his family enjoys Canadian.

James (Jim) and Gail Blouch of Catoosa, Oklahoma were in Friona on Wednesday, August 15 for a

visit with Gail's parents, Rufus and Myrtle Melton and sisters Carolyn Dement and Judy Martin and their families.

Thursday night a hamburger cookout was held at the home of Carolyn and Tuffy Dement. Those attending were Larry and Judy Martin, Amber and Cason Drake and Rufus and Myrtle Melton, all of Friona; Jim and Gail of Catoosa; Landon Martin of Lubbock; Sheryl Bartles and Chance Layton of Hereford. The Blouches returned home on Sunday.

Zelma Crenshaw and Wanza Graham of Loraine and Debbie Carlock of Colorado City visited in Friona on Saturday August 4. Zelma and Wanza visited their sister, Myrtle Melton and family. Wanza also visited her granddaughter Elizabeth Carey and her husband Chris and their daughter, Caitlin. The Cary family just moved to Friona from San Angelo.

Saturday night Zelma, Wanza, Debbie and Elizabeth attended "Texas" at Palo Duro Canyon. Sunday morning Wanza attended services at First Baptist Church with Elizabeth, Zelma and Myrtle attended services at Calvary Baptist.

Claire Blanco attended the wedding of her grandson, Jacob Lee Duncan on Sunday, August 26 in Ontario, California. Jacob, the second oldest child of nine, married Sunshine Amora Perry. His mother and step father are Cathy and Norman Simpson.

Claire left Friona last Thursday and returned to Friona Tuesday evening. She said she was sure glad to get home to quiet Friona and besides, we need her at the Star while Marlene is out!

Judy Cummings has had lots of company in recent weeks. Her daughter and grandson, Terri and Jake Zerfas and Jake's friend Zach Taylor of Rockwall stayed in Friona for a week.

After Terri, Jake and Zach left, Judy's daughter Lisa and granddaughter Cassie Gonzales of Azel stayed two weeks with her.

Judy's son Scott of Lubbock had been to an airshow near Azel and while he was there, he picked up Lisa and Cassie. Scott and his wife Donna then brought Lisa and Cassie to Judy's home for a visit.

The Lubbock Cummings family brought their grandson Zach Cummings with them. Cassie and Zach are both three and a half years old and really enjoy each other's company.

Lisa's son, Eli and two of his friends came to Friona and stayed a couple of days and then took Lisa and Cassie back to Azel.

Hannah Lookingbill's brother and sister-in-law, Ernest and Bertha Brown of Belton were in town for five days.

They spent time with Harry at Prairie Acres and had lunch with Friona's senior citizens Monday at the Friendship House.

It had been about two years since they had been in Friona. Hannah said they had a nice visit.

Joe Mueller had quadruple heart by-pass surgery last Friday in Amarillo. His family reports that he is doing good and is expected home soon.

The Friona Star sure has missed his wife Marlene during this time.



**TERI JO DAVIS and JOHN MICHAEL BROYLES...** Geraldine Davis and Jimmy Davis of Midland, Texas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Teri Jo, to John Michael Broyles. He is the son of Johnny and Robin Broyles of Amarillo. His grandparents are Mrs. L.D. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Broyles, all of Friona. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, September 8 at 7 p.m. in the Party Barn in Amarillo. They are both employed at Calico County Restaurant in Amarillo.



**VISITING THE GRANDPARENTS---**Madeline and Clairra Garcia of Lubbock enjoy stopping the ice cream truck when they come to Friona to visit Grannie Carol and Papaw Bill Ellis.



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## Meet Friona's Class of 2014



Niomi Kay Correa is a kindergartner at Friona Schools.

Her parents are Sarah and Guillermo Correa. Her sisters are Natalie and Noelia. Her grandparents are Selso and Prescilla Maldonado and Remijo Correa.

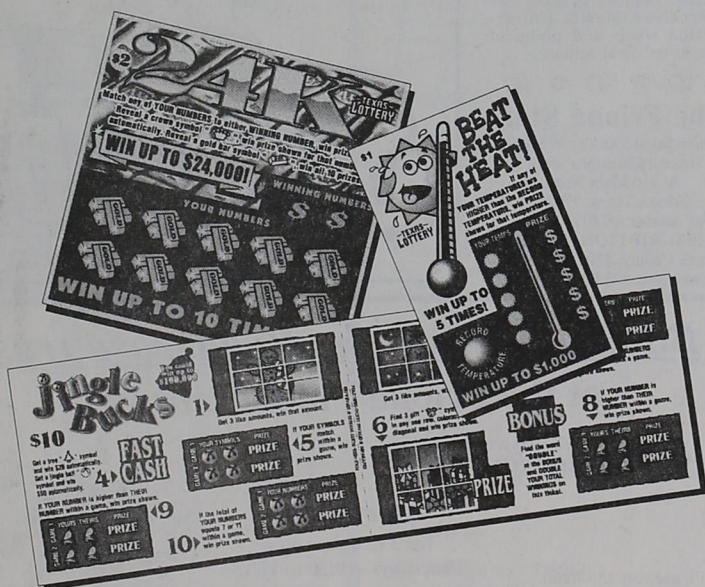
She likes to play with her sisters and friends and play tee-ball and skate.

Her favorite foods are chicken with rice and pepperoni pizza and her favorite colors are blue and pink.

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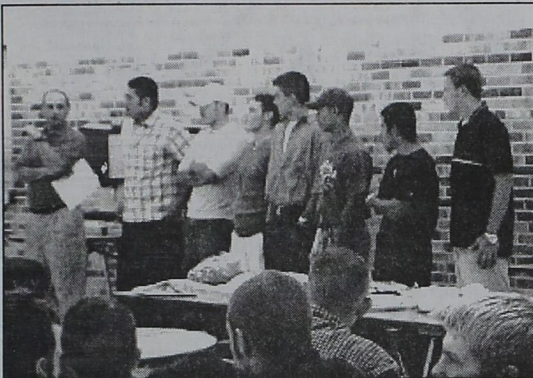
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### Friona ISD Lunch Menu September 3-7

**MONDAY- Labor Day!**  
**TUESDAY-** Beef enchiladas, pizza, chicken pattie sandwich, pinto beans, lettuce and tomato salad, peaches, red gelatin, cottage cheese, yogurt, ice cream and ice cold milk.  
**WEDNESDAY-** Chicken nuggets, pizza, hot dogs, mashed potatoes, corn on the cob, fruit cocktail, lettuce and tomato salad, rolls and ice cold milk.  
**THURSDAY-** Burrito, meat and cheese nachos, tacos, corn, refried beans, lettuce and tomato salad, red gelatin, pineapple, cottage cheese, chocolate chip cookie and ice cold milk.  
**FRIDAY-** Hot pocket, hot dogs, baked potato, fried okra, carrot sticks, fruit cocktail, cottage cheese, garden salad, red gelatin, yogurt and ice cold milk.



SHOULD I?....Chieftain Andy Carthel, top, looks over the cookie table at Monday's Meet the Chief Booster meeting. Below, Coach Mike Scott introduces the Chieftain seniors. ron carr photos

### Friona Scouts Attend Camp Don Harrington

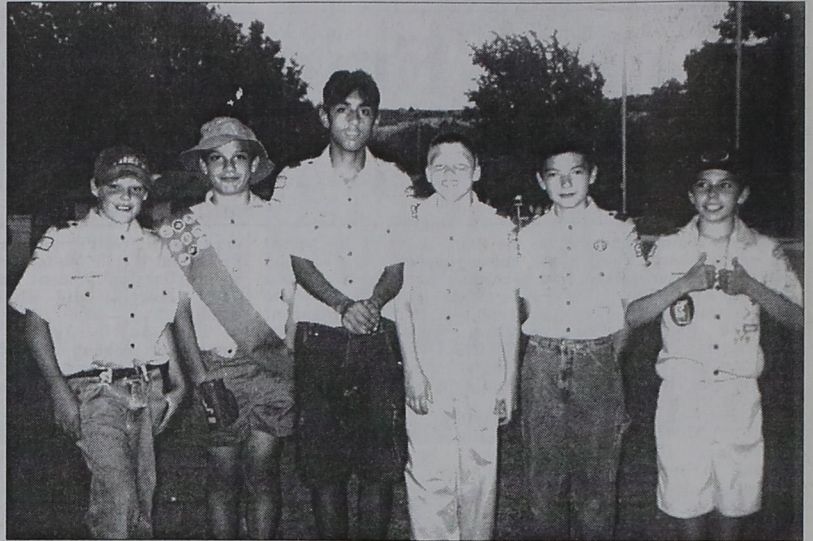
Summer scouting is an "outdoor laboratory" ready to give each Scout the opportunity to experience and experiment with all that scouting has to offer.

The Flaming Arrows of Friona's Troop 56 participated in summer camp the week of June 10-16 at Camp Don Harrington near Amarillo.

Six Scouts earned a total of 25 merit badges and each boy received at least one increase in rank. They all had great fun and worked hard for their accomplishments.

Boys attending were Jose Garcia, Ramey Alaniz, Alan Huckins, Phillip Saiz, Cody Lanier and Hunter Monk. Also, Scoutmaster Mercedes Williams and Assistant Scoutmaster Ramiro Alaniz were in attendance.

During this same week, on June 13, Michael Stanberry, Anthony Nunley, Dr. Delwin Allen and Mercedes Williams sealed their brotherhood in the



SCOUTS ATTEND CAMP....Six Scouts from the Flaming Arrows of Friona's Troop 56 attended Camp Don Harrington from June 10-16. As a group, they earned 25 merit badges. Friona Scouts at the camp included Cody Lanier, Phillip Saiz, Jose Garcia, Hunter Monk, Ramey Alaniz and Alan Huckins.

### Meet Friona's Class of 2014

Skyer Harris is a kindergartner at Friona Schools. His parents are Bryan and Cristy Harris. His sister is Cheyenne. His grandparents are Larry and Debbie Williams of Friona and Mike and Donna Harris of Clovis. He likes to ride his scooter and play outside. His favorite food is pizza and his favorite color is blue.

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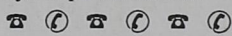
### APRIL GIVEN April Given Is Honored

A local girl has received honors from the Who's Who Among American High School Students for the second consecutive year.

April Given, daughter of Scott and Rita Given, was chosen for the second time, a consecutive year honor that only one-half of one percent of all students have received.

April also earned sufficient credits through the summer to graduate from FHS one year early. She received a Texas Lone Star scholarship, an academic scholarship and a Pell grant.

She began classes at Eastern New Mexico University this week and plans to major in political science.



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AS SAUL OF TARSUS, HE HEARTILY APPROVED OF THE STONING TO DEATH OF STEPHEN, THE FIRST CHRISTIAN MARTYR, AND IN FACT STOOD GUARD OVER THE GARMENTS OF THE MEN WHO KILLED STEPHEN. LATER, AS PAUL, NOW ENGAGED IN SPREADING THE WORD OF CHRISTIANITY, HE WAS STONED HIMSELF BY AN INFURIATED MOB AT LYSTRA AND LEFT FOR DEAD ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF THE CITY, BUT ....



...UNLIKE STEPHEN, PAUL DID NOT DIE. HE AROSE FROM THE ROCKPILE, UNDAUNTED, TO CONTINUE HIS GREAT MISSIONARY WORK IN SPREADING THE GOOD NEWS OF JESUS TO THE GENTILES!

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1. An ordinance increasing the charges for water services
2. An ordinance adopting the city budget for FY 2000/2001
3. An ordinance setting the property tax rate.

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To decrease the amount of mercury in the environment, the American Academy of Pediatrics now recommends the use of digital thermometers, instead of mercury-filled glass thermometers. Don't throw your mercury thermometer in the trash, that makes the problem worse! Your local hospital may be willing to accept your old mercury thermometer, and provide environmentally proper disposal.

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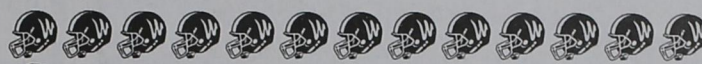
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 Pick the score of the tie-breaker game and place your guess in the appropriate blanks on the entry. The tie-breaker game will not count on your won-loss record. It will be used only in case of a tie.  
 Winners will be named by the Monday following the contest deadline each Friday, if possible. Cash prizes of \$20 for first, \$10 for second, and third prize of \$5 will be awarded.  
 Tabulation of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season, the Grand Prize Winner will be named and will receive \$150!  
 There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than bring the entry blank, filled out, and delivered to The Friona Star office by 5 p.m. or mailed to PO Box 789 Friona, TX 79035 (postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday) or faxed to 250-5127.  
 Only one entry form may be submitted per individual. If more than one form is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.  
 Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of the Star staff will serve as judges for the contest.  
 Contestants must be 10 years old or older. Everyone except employees of this newspaper and their families, is eligible to enter.

**FRIONA BUSINESS FOOTBALL CONTEST ENTRY FORM WEEK 2**

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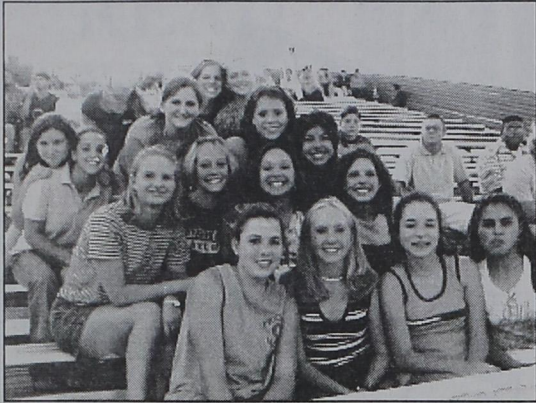
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IT IS INDEED football fan time in area high schools as Friday night football takes over for the next three months. These smiley faces were at the Sanford-Fritch scrimmage last Friday.  
ron carr photo



A LARGE CROWD packed the cafeteria Monday night for the annual Meet the Chiefs booster club meeting. Coach Mike Scott, standing, introduced the varsity and JV boys, before the crowd enjoyed ice cream and cookies.  
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## Happy Birthday Friona Folks....

Week of September 2-8  
Friona residents observing birthdays next week include:

September 2--Will Cooper, Clarence Monroe, Corey Hamilton, Betsy Clark, Kendall Barnett, Cierra Henry, Dollie Lookingbill, Raquel Mendez, Claudia Arpero.

September 3--Jacob Cruz, Lindsay Buske, Jane Osborn, Lisa Edelman Veggeberg, Kelsey White, Pat Pacella, Anna Belle Mohr, Carleen Sims, Cindy Persic.

September 4--Rose Mabry, Stephanie Ryan, Faye Reeve, Trent Johnson, Johnny (One-Time) Sanchez, Bryan Johnston.

September 5--Roxanne Hurst, Laura Coffey, Joy Morton, Gaye Taylor, Andre Duran, Brian Landrum, Jessica Alvarado, Vacresia White, Blaine Ellis, Don Herbert, Doug Jeffrey, Raul Brailiff, Denise Bynum Parker.

September 6--Brittian

TeBeest, Carol Poarch, Orma Flippin, Neva Knight, Darla Smith, Doug Moyer, Aaron Dave Rivera, Rusty Rainey, Kathy Horton Gurley, Jenie Irlbeck.

September 7--Marca Lynn Herring, Dale Schueler, Lee Witten, Jodi Looper, Chris Wiseman, Greg Lewellen, Christine Zorns, Clara Talley, Madeline Garcia, Davy Carthel.

September 8--Emma Katherine Bowden, Varla Wilcox, Othelia Bennett, Billy Joe Mercer, Leroy Berend, Camille Beville.

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

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.

## Friona 4-H Club Signup Is Set Here September 4

The Friona 4-H Club will have a sign-up night Tuesday, September 4 at 7 p.m. in the Friona Community Center.

If you have questions about 4-H, contact Cody G. Hill or Barbara Singleterry at the Parmer County Extension Office, (806)481-3619.

Texas is a state with a rich history, full of traditions that bring us together as a people proud of our past but our eyes focused on the future. The Alamo, Spindletop, Aggies, Longhorns, Red Raiders, Horned Toads and Bears...AND 4-H, YES 4-H.

4-H began in Texas in 1908, with a corn club in Jack County, and quickly expanded to include tomato clubs for girls, pig and calf clubs, as well.

What began as a single club for twenty-five boys now serves almost 578,000 young people from all across Texas. That's 13 per cent of all Texas youth between five and nineteen years old.

Today's 4-H'ers are involved in numerous livestock projects, food and fashion shows and county fairs. They are also learning about public speaking, photography, financial planning, citizenship and veterinary science.

Today, as always, 4-H'ers are learning practical skills and self-esteem, while they build lasting friendships and bright dreams of the future.

"Come join the 4-H youth movement as we build tomorrow's leaders," Cody Hill concluded.

## TAAS Exit Set For Oct. 23-25

Individuals who have met all requirements for high school graduation but have not passed one or more sections of the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) or the Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) may take the test this October.

Testing will be on the following dates:

October 23 - Writing;  
October 24 - Mathematics;  
October 25 - Reading.

A registration packet may be picked up at any high school campus, district central office, or education service center. TAAS on-line test registration is available by accessing the web site at <http://k12testing.tx.ncsperson.com/oos>.

Completed registration forms must be received in Austin no later than 5 p.m., September 21, 2001.

Contact a high school counselor or call toll-free, 1-800-252-9186 for more information.



IT'S A BRAND NEW FLAG...The FHS cheerleaders will have a new flag to parade around on the field this year. Shown from left, head cheerleader Candace Ingram, Amy Murphree, Coach Lanny Crow, and Holley Hand.  
ron carr photo

# YOUR EYES

## Safety Precautions For Daily Wear Contacts

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•When you wake up in the morning remove your lenses from the storage kit that holds a fresh multipurpose solution or hydrogen peroxide. •Throw away the solution and never reuse it. Dry out the kit with a clean paper tissue or shake it until all water has been removed. Leave the kit dry all day to kill any bacteria. •Get a new storage kit every month when you change your disposable lenses. If you have permanent lenses, you should still change the kit once a month. •Never wash your storage kit or lenses with tap water, and don't ever store your lenses in tap water. •Don't wear your contact lenses to sleep. Take your lenses out of your eyes after washing your hands. •Rinse and rub each lens in the palm of your hand with a sterile multipurpose solution or hydrogen peroxide.

Ask your health care professional about additional ways to take care of your contacts.

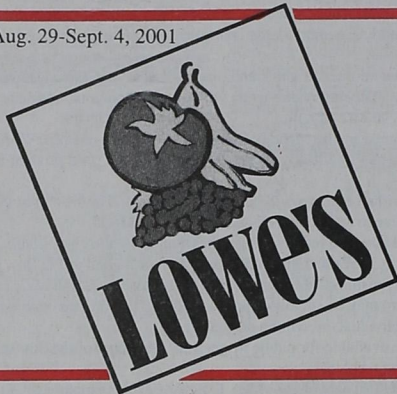
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