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## 'Relay for Life' exceeds goal

By Terry Brewster

The 2011 Bailey County Relay for Life was held at the Bailey County Coliseum on Friday, June 3. According to local relay officials the crowd at the event seemed to be down. "I am very, very pleased with how well Relay went this year," said Relay Chairwomen Rhonda Myers, also noting that there was a lot of other things going that night.

While the number of Relay teams were short from last year the amount of members participating were greater.

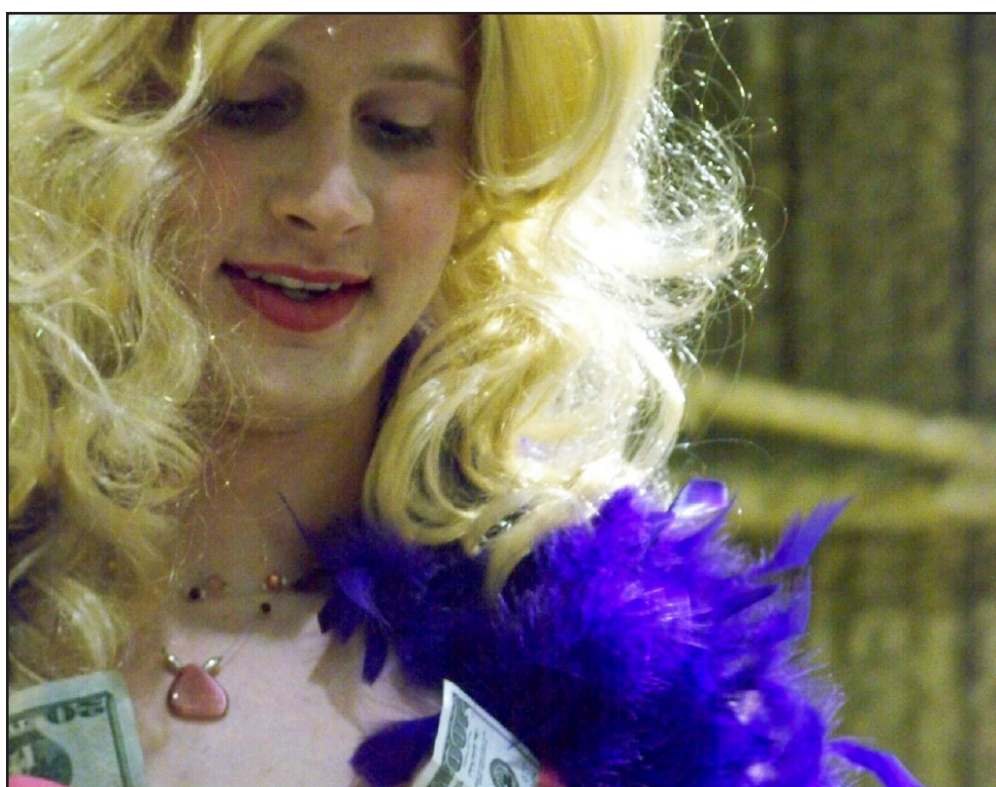
The Relay for Life 2011 goal was \$43,900. That goal was surpassed by large margin. With the hard work of everyone involved and the generosity of the community the amount raised was over \$55,000 with a net of over \$50,00.00 that will go to the American Cancer Society.

Several teams from area businesses, organizations and families joined to raise money for the American Cancer Society at the Relay for Life.

The teams were: AuctionJacks and Jennys-Muleshoe Livestock Auction, BCEC'S-Bailey County Electric Cooperative, Baptist Babes and Beaus-First Baptist Church, Down with Cancer-Family and Friends, Faith Hope and Jayci Joy- Family and Friends, Gloria's Team Rocks-MHS Lunch Room Co-workers, Mules for a Cure- FCCLA students and sponsors, 1st Bank Hot Checks-First Bank of Muleshoe, Laz for Life-Lazbuddie Friends and Family, YaYa's-Friends, Warriors-Assembly of God Church, Rope for Hope- Cowboy Church and UCrew- United.

Each team held several fund raisers during the past months including a talent show, hamburger cookouts, quilt sales, traveling bake sales, a Fancy Nancy party, Breast Cancer Awareness bracelet sales along with many other creative projects to garner donations.

Each team also had a campsite at the Relay with opportunities to add to the donations already received. These



Ms. Relay contest donations exceed expectations

campsites included food, candy and drink sales, funky foto booth, candle sales and lighted jewelry.

The teams were judged in several categories at the Relay. Awards were given to the following teams : Best Campsite -BCEC'S, Best Spirit Stick - BCEC'S, Most Spirited Team - Ya Ya's, Most Spirited Relayer - Buddy Embry, Most Money Raised - Auction Jacks and Jennys, Lip Sync Winner - Warriors, Ms. Relay Winner -Auction Jacks and Jennys.

In order to raise more awareness for the The Relay for Life, the committee members added "Paint the Town Purple" to activities surrounding the event. Businesses and organizations were asked to decorate a door or window with the theme "Celebrate more Birthday."

The decorations were judged and the winner was given a traveling plaque at Friday night's event. The response to this first-time contest was huge. Eighteen businesses decorated in support of Relay. 1st Bank of Muleshoe was the winner of the "Paint the Town Purple" contest.

The lip synch contest is a favorite event for many who attend Relay. This year's event included the skits of the Mule Train, Green Acres and the Brady Bunch and more.

The Ms. Relay contest



First Assembly of God "Warriors" win Lip sync contest

also provides great entertainment and the donations received for this portion the event always exceeds expectations.

Music was provided all evening with several opportunities for those brave enough to get in front of the crowd and dance. The best dancers were also given door prizes at the end of the night.

2010 Hero of Hope, Debbie Brame, of Skellytown, Texas was the special speaker for the event.

Brame told of her battle with colon cancer. "When I was diagnosed with cancer, I knew I had two choices: have a pity party and remain the guest of honor, or put on my big girl panties and fight back," says Brame. "So, after a small pity party, and much prayer, I decided to fight."

Today, Debbie is a two-year survivor and helps patients in her community get well by directing them to the Society's free programs and services. She has also fought back through Relay as a chair, team captain, and all around volunteer.

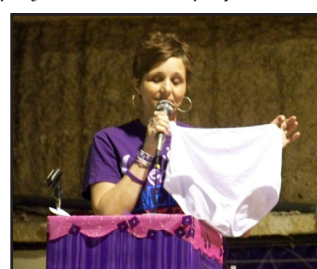
Along with an evening of fun, food, and entertainment the Relay offers a special time to remember the loved ones that have lost their battle to cancer. Luminaries were placed around the lighted track that began in the coliseum and went around building in honor of those loved ones.

Before the night ended everyone was asked to make a pledge to fight back against cancer. Many pledged to get check-ups because early detection is helpful in the battle against cancer while others pledged to live healthier.



First Bank "Hot Check" Lip sync contestant perform

Relay for Life has been said by many to be a life-changing event. If you did not attend the 2011 Bailey County Relay for Life make plans now for next year. June 8 is the date set for next year's Relay for Life



Debbie Brame, Hero of Hope special speaker

## Date set for Tour de Muleshoe



Riders in the 2010 16th annual Tour de Muleshoe enjoyed the perfect weather for a bike ride

It is time once again for the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation's biggest event.

This is the Heritage Foundation's 17th annual Tour de Muleshoe Bike Ride. Many months of preparation have gone into this event.

Last year's perfect weather for a bike ride drew a record number of riders. According to Lonnie Adrian, Tour De Muleshoe chairman, there were 317 registered riders last year.

The 16th annual event drew cyclists from more than 30 Texas cities, eight New Mexico cities and as far way as Denver, Colo., and Detroit, Mich.

The tour is not a race, so participants can ride leisurely and enjoy the scenery along the route. It offers a 10 mile, 40 mile and 100k ride for each type of rider.

More riders chose the 100k and 40 mile rides than the 10 mile ride last year with more males riding than females.

The Heritage Foundation members

encourage everyone to bring your family and friends to the Bailey County Coliseum, on June 18, between 7-9 a.m., at 2206 West American Blvd., in Muleshoe, and enjoy a fun-filled day.

Anyone who pre-registers by June 10 and pays the \$25 entry fee for this event whether you are a rider or a spectator will be eligible to win the \$500 cash given by the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation.

Those who wait until the day of the tour to register won't be eligible for the big prize, but will still take home a packet which includes a water bottle, ride number, route map, collector t-shirt, meal ticket and merchant small gifts.

If you choose not to ride you can enjoy visiting, listening to the music or take a short walk over to the unique Muleshoe Heritage Center.

The spaghetti dinner is free to anyone registering. Extra tickets will be available for the spaghetti dinner, \$5.00

for adults and \$2.50 for children under 12 years. The dinner starts about 11:30 a.m. as the riders begin to return.

The big drawing for the \$500 and door prizes begin when the bikers have returned.

Gina and Delores have been collecting door prizes from local and area merchants who generously support the Tour De Muleshoe event.

The Muleshoe Heritage Foundation's most current project includes the Yellow Jacket restoration. A building has also been purchased and moved to the location for a Visitor's Center.

All proceeds from this event go to the Muleshoe Heritage Foundation Center.

Entry forms can be picked up and be returned to: Adrian Photography, 218 W. Second, or weekdays at the Heritage Center, Santa Fe Depot, W. American Blvd.



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## Around Muleshoe...



Announcements from non-profit organizations in the Muleshoe area.

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### Trinity Baptist Church Speaker

Trinity Baptist Church will be having Dr. Les Griffin, our guest preacher June 12, 2011, Morning Services only. Dr. Griffin is the new Director of Mission for Caprock-Plains Baptist Area. He and his wife Betty have just recently moved from Lorenzo to Plainview. He was pastor of First Baptist Church, Lorenzo for twenty six years. Mrs. Griffin an accomplished singer will lead the music portion of the Worship Service.

You are invited to come and worship with Trinity Baptist Church as we welcome the Griffins to our area of Baptist Association of Churches.

### Littlefield Duggan House Museum

The Littlefield's Lands Duggan House Museum invites you to come and enjoy the music entertainment of Daron Norwood on Friday, June 10 - from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., at the Zeek's Event Center, 1403 East Waylon Jennings Blvd. The price is \$6.00 per person, \$10.00 per couple or \$15 per family. The money from this event will benefit the upcoming plans of the Museum as they expand and update the facilities.

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## When We Give Up Freedom, We Pay a Heavy Price

G. K. Chesterton once wrote, "The Christian ideal has not been tried and found wanting; it has been found difficult and left untried." It's no surprise that it's easier to spend time talking about Christianity than it is to spend time practicing it.

The same thing is true regarding freedom: freedom is easier to talk about than to cherish, even though it was to purchase our freedom that our Lord was willing to lay down his own life. Real freedom is ours when we willingly choose to lay down our lives and follow him. And freedom is precious.

History bears powerful witness to the fact that freedom is never more in danger than when people with fine intentions become complicit in trying to take it away—always "for the good" of the folks whose freedom they are busy filching.

I felt a little funny recently as I sat down to write an e-mail note to my state legislators (who evidently have too much time on their hands) urging them not to enact a proposed law designed to make it illegal to allow smoking in Texas-licensed bars and restaurants. (They'll not listen.) You're welcome to disagree with me—that's called freedom—but though I've never spent much time smoking on a bar stool, it seems to me that freedom is the issue at stake.

No one should be forced to breathe other folks' smoke, but most places already have a good many "anti-smoking" ordinances of one sort or another (we're in no danger of running out of laws), and it seems to me that the government already has much more to say than it should about how a shopkeeper runs his own business.

We consumers are not



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Curtis Shelburne

quite as stupid as those who want to "protect" us by taking away our freedom think we are. Let consumers cast their votes with their feet and let the free market do what it does very well—at least in the now-rare occasions when it's left free. Smart barkeeps will take note and respond. No new law by the Nanny State required.

I've been reading a fascinating book about the history of another governmental stab at freedom: it was called Prohibition, and whether you're dry as a bone or wet as a fish, all you have to do is read a little history to see that it was an utter disaster that led to staggering amounts of corruption, crime (both serious and silly varieties), greed, waste, hypocrisy, and, ironically, more-than-before dangerous drinking of an often much more dangerous product.

The law's loopholes were interesting. Sellers of sacramental wine did very well indeed and offered an impressive number of flavors and varieties for, I suppose, the most discerning religious palate. Alcohol for medicinal purposes could easily be had—one pint every ten days with a prescription. Even dentists and, yes, veterinarians were allowed to prescribe a certain amount of hooch

for the health of their parched patients.

The most pious puritans usually end up looking the silliest. But when we lightly give up freedom, we end up paying a heavy price. Ah, but you're welcome to disagree. Why? Because, thank God indeed, you're free.

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## Lazbuddie Honor Roll Released

Lazbuddie ISD recently released its honor rolls for the sixth -six week period of the 2010-11 school year.

Among the students honored are:

Elementary "A"-- Jacy Carpenter, TJ Chavez, Wyatt Rainey, Trail Townsend, Maggie Vasquez, Presley Agee, Austin Hester, John Henry Schacher, Francisco Zubia, Kyler Admire, Joshua Cox,

Sidney Urbantke, Devon Pacheco, Andres Solano, Bernardo Lopez

Elementary "AB"-- Kaitlyn Cooper, Ethan Martinez, Aidan McDonald, Carlos Perea, Audel Porras, Isabella Salazar, Garison Bohler, Renske Crujisen, Maribel Gomez, Natalee Nelson, Justin Villasenor, Adrian Fernandez, Fernanda Franco, Jake Harder, Gunner Russell, Miranda Salazar, Avery Timms,

Guus Crujisen, Marisol Gomez, TJ Ballard, Jelle Crujisen, Ginsyn McGehee, Priscilla Salazar

Junior High "A"-- Mattisun Hester, Ashley Scott

Junior High "AB"-- Destry Ivy, Kenton Parish, Karsyn Youngblood, Iridian Fernandez, Juan Samarron, Austyn Steinbock, Micah Vera, Anais Andrade, Maysun Hester, Haley Ivy, Lacey Jesko, Isaac Montes, Josephine Samarron, Albert Solano, Sabra Torres

High School "A"-- Ashton Mason, Shyann Rainey, Autumn Townsend, Karina Galaviz, Jarrod Jesko, Kylie McGehee, Carrie Beth Gilly, Jordan Hernandez

High School "AB"-- Haley Beasley, Keena Diaz, Allison Weaver, Jessica Estrada, Denise Sanchez, Shea Scott, Ross Steinbock, Paola Estrada, Dusty Gibbins, Jordan Mason, Todd Nichols, Kenton Randolph, Justin Schacher, Cassidy Lowe, Summer Townsend, Colton Weaver

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## Bailey County Electric Co-op 2011 Scholarship Recipients

The Board of Directors of the Cooperative has announced winners of fourteen \$1,000.00 scholarships through Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association and the Muleshoe State Bank as follows:

**Keaton Silhan** is the son of Kevin & Natalie Silhan of Morton. Keaton plans to attend South Plains College and major in Agri Business.

**Summer Townsend** is the daughter of Tripp & Hope Townsend of Earth. Summer plans to attend West Texas A&M and major in Agri Communications and Journalism.

**Colton Weaver** is the son of Shannon Weaver & Rebecca Crockett of Muleshoe. Colton plans to attend West Texas A&M and major in Agricultural Engineering.

**Matthew Martin** is the son of William & Sheranette Martin of Farwell. Matthew plans to attend West Texas A&M and either major in Agri Business or Mechanical Engineering.

**Russell Schilling** is the son of Stephen & Karen Schilling of Farwell. Russell plans to attend South Plains College and start his degree in Agri Business.

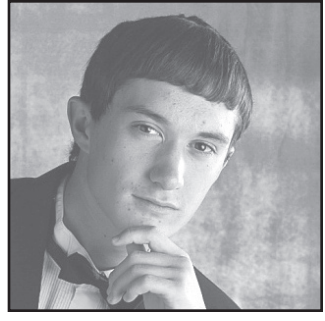
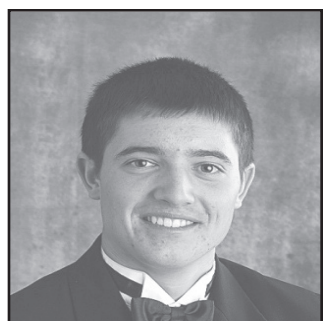
**Caleb Christian** is the son of Charles & Sheryl Christian of Farwell. Caleb plans to attend Texas Tech University.

**Brooke Lennon** is the daughter of Jack & Jayna Lennon of Sudan. Brooke plans to attend Wayland Baptist University and major in nursing.

**Bradley Lennon** is the son of Jack & Jayna Lennon of Sudan. Bradley plans to attend Wayland Baptist University and major in sports medicine.

**Shade DeSautell** is the son of Cliff & Teresa DeSautell of Sudan. Shade plans to attend West Texas A&M University and receive a degree in

## Local and area students receive scholarships



Agri Business and then further his education to enter the Texas DPS program.

**Ivone Mendoza** is the daughter of Jaime & Leticia Mendoza of Muleshoe. Ivone plans to attend South Plains College to major in Speech Language Pathology.

**Kassidy Riley** is the daughter of Kevin & Melinda Riley of Springlake. Kassidy plans to attend Abilene Christian University and major in biology.

**Michelle Jones** is the daughter of Bobby & Kelly Jones both of Springlake. Michelle plans to attend West Texas A&M and major in Agri Business as an accountant and Spanish.

**Rebekah Estrada** is the daughter of Noah & Michelle Estrada of Earth. Rebekah plans to attend Hardin Simmons University and major in Biblical Studies & Leadership.

**Melissa Green** is the daughter of Brad & Dara Bridges of Earth. Melissa plans to attend Oklahoma State University and major in Human Environmental Sciences/Pre-Med.

Bailey County Electric and Muleshoe State Bank wish to congratulate these students on their accomplishments and in receiving these scholarships, and congratulations and best wishes for the future endeavors of each and every Senior of 2011.

## USDA's FSA authorize emergency grazing use

In response to drought conditions, USDA's Farm Service Agency (FSA) authorized emergency grazing use of Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) acres for an additional 11 Texas counties effective immediately. This authorization brings the total to 62 counties approved to graze CRP acres.

Emergency grazing of land enrolled in CRP has been authorized by the Texas FSA State Committee for Bailey, Coleman, Concho, Dallam, Gaines, Gray, Hidalgo, Randall, Runnels, Starr

and Terry Counties. Emergency grazing for the above counties has been authorized through August 31, 2011.

The following 51 counties were previously approved for emergency grazing of CRP acres by the national office: Armstrong, Borden, Briscoe, Brown, Carson, Castro, Cochran, Coke, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Garza, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman, Hartley, Haskell, Hemphill, Hockley, Howard,

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## NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The MULESHOE ISD will hold a public meeting at 12:00 PM 06/29/2011 in MISD ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 514 W AVE G MULESHOE, TEXAS. **The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.**

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

<b>Maintenance Tax</b>	\$1.040000/\$100 (Proposed rate for maintenance and operations)
<b>School Debt Service Tax Approved by Local Voters</b>	\$0.320000/\$100 (Proposed rate to pay bonded indebtedness)

### Comparison of Proposed Budget with Last Year's Budget

The applicable percentage increase or decrease (or difference) in the amount budgeted in the preceding fiscal year and the amount budgeted for the fiscal year that begins during the current tax year is indicated for each of the following expenditure categories:

Maintenance and operations	% (increase) or	-28.880000% (decrease)
Debt service	% (increase) or	-9.600000% (decrease)
Total expenditures	% (increase) or	-25.870000% (decrease)

### Total Appraised Value and Total Taxable Value (as calculated under section 26.04, Tax Code)

	Preceding Tax Year	Current Tax Year
Total appraised value* of all property	\$359,107,484	\$359,615,008
Total appraised value* of new property**	\$2,373,927	\$1,698,869
Total taxable value*** of all property	\$270,763,610	\$270,292,738
Total taxable value*** of new property**	\$1,571,551	\$1,600,117

- \* "Appraised value" is the amount shown on the appraisal roll and defined by Section 1.04(8), Tax Code.
- \*\* "New property" is defined by Section 26.012(17), Tax Code.
- \*\* "Taxable value" is defined by Section 1.04(10), Tax Code.

### Bonded Indebtedness

Total amount of outstanding and unpaid bonded indebtedness: \$22,170,000  
\*Outstanding principal

### Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.040000	\$0.350000*	\$1.390000	\$2,660	\$6,650
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$1.051860	\$0.320270*	\$1.372130	\$2,758	\$6,698
Proposed Rate	\$1.040000	\$0.320000*	\$1.360000	\$2,690	\$6,685

\* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

### Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$61,143	\$61,251
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$45,590	\$46,700
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.390000	\$1.360000
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$633.70	\$635.12
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes	\$0.00	\$1.42

**Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.**

**Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.360200. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.360200.**

### Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance( s)	\$3,800,000
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$200,000

# Senior Citizen News

By: Laverne Winn

Our pancake breakfast was a great success. To all of you that supported the Center by coming and enjoying the food, we salute you. To all of our volunteer workers pat yourself on the back, you did a super job.

We still have our super deal going on with the 42" TV. Tickets are \$10.00 for one or 3 for \$25.00. The T. V. will be given away on July 4<sup>th</sup> after our brisket lunch that we will be serving to the public. Make plans to get a ticket and win the TV.

Monday, June 13, the Board of Directors will be meeting for the regular monthly meeting. The meeting will begin at 12:30 here in the Center. The meetings are open to be public and the board welcomes anyone that has some good ideas to help the Center.

Tuesday, June 14, will be dance night. Steve Phillips will be our disc jockey for the dance.

Steve will have a variety of good music. Call a friend and come listen to the music, dance and get some good exercise, and enjoy visiting with the area friends. Bring your favorite food for the break at 8:30. The dance begins at 7:00 and ends at 10:00.

Wednesday, June 15, the senior companion group will be having lunch with us. We are always happy to have them come visit the Center.

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Thursday - June 16 - Salsbury steak, au gratin potatoes, carrots, salad, wheat rolls, banana pudding.

Friday - June 17 - Fish or chicken strips, gravy, pinto beans, coleslaw, cornbread, fruit salad.



## J'Kobie Lee

A 2011 graduate of Floyd High School (New Mexico) will be playing in the North-South All Star games at Socorro High School in Socorro

New Mexico on June 10th and 11th. J'Kobie played baseball, basketball, and football during his high school years at Floyd. J'Kobie is the son of Lisa and Jorby Lee of Portales and the grandson of Charles & Margaret Hamilton of Muleshoe and LaVerne Scheller of Causey New Mexico.

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# Obituaries

## Mildred Laverne Throckmorton

Former Muleshoe resident Mildred Laverne Throckmorton died in her home in Bayfield, Colorado on June 1, 2011. Mildred was born in Whitharral, Texas on May 26, 1933. She married Dan Throckmorton on December 11, 1952. Dan was in the air force so the couple made their home in Fairbanks, Alaska. Their first daughter, Wovery was born there. The next year the couple moved to Panama City, Florida where their second daughter, Danita, was born. In 1956, the couple and their daughters moved to Muleshoe, Texas, where they resided for the next 50 years. In 1957 their last daughter, Belinda, was born in Littlefield, Texas. The couple bought a farm and began farming for over 40 years. After retiring from farming, the couple opened a successful furniture refinishing business which was operated for

7 years. They sold their business and began traveling for the next 3 years. They retired in Bayfield, Colorado in 2006, residing with their daughter, Danita and her family. Mildred was a wonderful wife and mother. She was preceded in death by her mother, Lula Bryant, father, R.H. Bryant, and two brothers, Gilbert and Stump Bryant. She is survived by her stepmother, Eidith Bryant, 3 half-brothers Ronnie, Butch and Ralph Bryant a half-sister, Sissy Holt, husband, Dan Throckmorton, three daughters, Wovery Carlile, Danita Fischbach, Belinda Caswell, 8 grandchildren, and 3 great-grandchildren. A funeral service was held for Mildred at the 16th and Avenue D Church of Christ in Muleshoe on June 4, 2011. She was buried in Whitharral. A memorial service was held at the Vallecito Church in Colorado.

# Death Notices

## Nicholas Scott Wedman

Son of Ronald Wedman and Patti L. Boehning, passed away Monday, May 23, 2011. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Friday, May 27, 2011 in the Prairie Rose Funeral.

# Births

## Kimberly Rosales

Maria Rosales of Muleshoe announce the birth of her daughter, Kimberly Rosales, on May 24, 2011, at 9:37 a.m., at Lamb Healthcare Center of Littlefield.

Kimberly weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces, at birth and was 20 inches in length.

Kimberly has a sister, Jevely Elizalde. Her grandparents are Arnulfo Rosales and Maria del Carmen.

## Annalynn Yzabella Rodriguez

Veronica Lachell Soliz and Jesse Adrian Rodriguez of Muleshoe announce the birth of their daughter, Annalynn Yzabella Rodriguez, on June 5, 2011, at 10:56 a.m., at Lamb Healthcare Center of Littlefield.

Annalynn weighed seven pounds, 9 ounces, at birth and was 20 and one-fourth inches in length.

Annalynn has a brother, Ezekiel Adrian Rodriguez. Her grandparents are Annavelle Soliz, Juana and Victor Montenegro. Great grandparents are Maria M. Rodriguez, Jesse M. Rodriguez, Vangie and Ruben Leal.

## Hamiltons celebrate 50th wedding anniversary



Charles and Margaret Hamilton

Charles and Margaret Hamilton of Muleshoe celebrated their 50th Wedding Anniversary on June 3, 2011 with a trip to Ruidoso New Mexico, accompanied by their daughters and families; Lisa and Jorby Lee, & son,

J'Kobie Lee and daughter, Taryn Lee. Also, Dayna and Jeremy Archuleta and son, Charlie Greene and daughter, Jordyn Archuleta. They dined and were entertained at the Flying J Ranch by the Flying J Wranglers.

## Congratulations!

# Engagement



## Black, Ingersoll engaged

Cliff and Carren Black of Muleshoe announce the engagement of their daughter, Corie Ann Black, to Chris Ingersoll, son of William and Patricia Johnson of Amherst.

The couple is planning a small July 3rd wedding.

"Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast,

it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, and it keeps no record of wrongs.

Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, and always perseveres." 1st Corinthians 13:4-7

# Bridal Shower



Marlie Beth Black

## Black honored

A bridal shower honoring Marlie Beth Black, was given Sunday, May 22, in the home of Ruth Locker of Muleshoe.

The prospective bride is the daughter of Rex and Brenda Black of Muleshoe, TX.

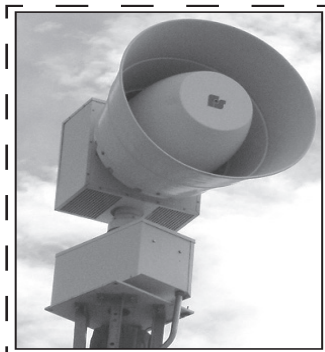
The grooms parents are Stuart and Sherrie Lujan of Elk Hart, Kansas.

Hostesses for the event included Sheryl Altman, Rayniel Bamert, Cindy Barrett, Tammy Black, Suzie Claunch, Debbie Conner, Gayla Gear, Terri Hahn, Fran Hamilton, Cindy Harrison, Dani Heathington, Debbi Hutto, Sherri Kennedy,

Jan King, Jan Lawrence, Donna Locker, Ruth Locker, Donna Mason, Brandi Miller, Janet Morgan, Karie Preston, Diane Saylor, Lindy Schuster, Susan Sudduth, Lisa Whalin, & Christie Whitt

A Gift Certificate to Ashley Furniture was presented.

Special Guests included Sherrie Lujan-Mother of the groom, Tori Lujan-Sister of the groom, Brenda Black-Mother of the bride, Katie Bynum and Lynsie Clevenger, Aunts of the bride-Janis Woodall and Karen Dowley.



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# Sports



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State Golf Champion 2011, Tyson Turnbow donated his autographed state golf hat to be auctioned off at Relay for Life 2011. The hat brought over \$600 dollars and was purchased by friends and family. Friends and family then gave the hat back to Tyson to give to his grandfather Jack Dunham.



Tyson giving his special hat to grandfather Jack Dunham

## Remember!

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## Yellow Jacket Update...



Past students share fond memories of the Yellow Jacket

Yellow Jacket Restoration Update  
Another \$2,000.00 has been donated and we have 25 written memories with 61 promises. Many, many, many people have voiced their enthusiasm to get the Yellow Jacket building completed and many have made their contributions. We need just a little help and donations to complete the project.

Ed Cox has donated a 1925 football program and his father's (Jim Cox) 1925 football jersey and basketball jersey. They will be displayed in the Yellow Jacket when it is completed.

If you, or your family, have similar items about the Yellow Jacket, please contact us at 1901 W. Avenue G, Muleshoe or phone 272-5651 or 946-7222.

An Open House and Celebration will be held at the Muleshoe Heritage Center, upon completion, and all who contributed will get a special invitation.

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The scholarship winners are:

Slade DeSautell from Amherst High School is the son of Cliff and Teresa DeSautell. Slade plans to attend West Texas A&M University to study agri-business.

Lazbuddie High School senior Summer Townsend, daughter of Tripp and Hope Townsend. She plans to pursue a career in agricultural journalism at West Texas A&M University.

Colton Quinn Weaver is a senior at Lazbuddie High School and the son of Shannon Weaver. Colton's field of study is agricultural engineering at West Texas A&M University.

Morton High School's Keaton Silhan plans to use his scholarship at South Plains College or Texas Tech University to study agri-business. He is the son of Kevin and Natalie Silhan.

Shayla Carpenter from Muleshoe High is the daughter of Jeff and Zanea Carpenter. Her future plans are to major in pre-med at Texas Tech University.

Muleshoe High School's Natalie Head plans to use her scholarship to study music education at Texas Tech University. She is the daughter of David and Belinda Head.

Erika J Rodriguez from

Muleshoe High School is the daughter of Martin and Julia Rodriguez. She plans to pursue a career as a math teacher/coach at Wayland Baptist University.

Madison Parkey is a senior at Olton High School and is the daughter of Rickey and Kayla Parkey. She plans to use her scholarship to attend West Texas A&M University to pursue a career in early childhood education.

Jace Furr is a senior at Springlake/Earth High School and is the daughter of Cindy Furr. Jace's future education plans include attending West Texas A&M University to study mechanical engineering.

Michelle Jones is the daughter of Bobby Jones, and will graduate from Springlake/Earth High School. She plans to attend West Texas A&M University to study business/spanish.

Sudan High School's Chelsea Locke plans to use her scholarship at Texas Tech University to pursue a career as a physical therapist. She is the daughter of Chris and Melinda Locke.

James Markham of Sudan High School is the son of Jimmy and Sheri Markham of Sudan. James' future education plans include attending the University of Texas at San Antonio to study marketing with tourism concentration.

Sudan High School's Tanner Testerman plans to use his scholarship to pursue a career in graphic design at West Texas A&M University. Tanner is the son of Brenda Testerman.

Jerryd Lee Silhan is a senior at Whiteface High School and is the son of Jerry and Tammy Silhan. Jerryd's future education plans include attending Texas Tech University to major in pre-med.

Local beauty shops and hair salons have been collecting hair for the Locks of Love organization. Locks of Love is a public non-profit organization that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantaged children under age 21 suffering from long-term medical hair loss from any diagnosis. The children receive hair prostheses free of charge or on a sliding scale, based on financial need.

Terrie Smith, owner of The Honey Comb, went to a Relay training event and was inspired to make the Locks of Love part of the Bailey County Relay for Life.

According to the Locks of Love website the largest number of children live with alopecia. Alopecia is an auto-immune disorder that causes the hair follicles to shut down.

Cancer constitutes the second highest percentage of the recipients. Every year

## Donations for Locks of Love



These ladies take time to donate "Locks" at Relay

approximately 2,200 children under age 20 are diagnosed with brain tumors. Radiation treatment to the brain stem as a treatment for cancer can cause permanent hair loss. Chemotherapy may also cause hair loss to be long-term depending on the length of treatment needed.

The local shops donate to the Locks

of Love regularly. In a joint effort they will be able to donate 358 inches of hair all from the Muleshoe area. This amount of hair came from 28 donations. Six of the those donations were given at Friday's Relay. The other twenty-two donations were made at Tres Bellas.



Having some fun donating "Locks" at Relay

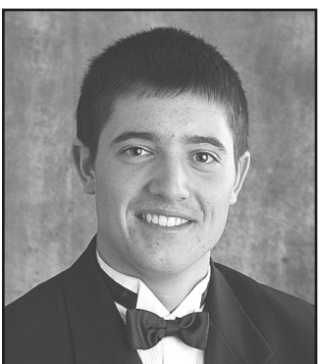
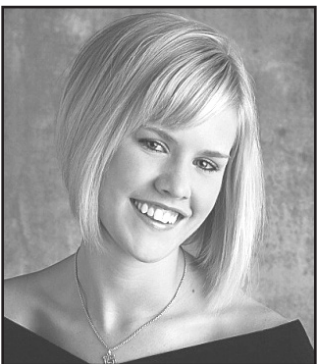
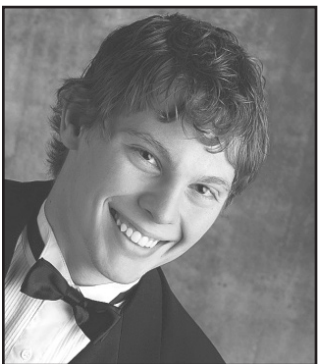
## Public Notice

### MAHD Solicits Local Financing for Rural Health Clinic Expansion

Three years ago, the Muleshoe Area Hospital District started working on an addition to the Muleshoe Family Medicine Clinic. Due to other commitments, opportunities and circumstances, the expansion never got past purchasing the property. The District was awarded two grants, one from the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) and one from the Muleshoe Economic Development Board. The federal grant of \$235,000 is about to expire; therefore, MAHD is asking local citizens to assist in financing the project in order to secure the grant. A condition of the grant is that the property cannot be used as collateral for a loan from a lending institution.

MAHD is looking for 25 local citizens to loan the district \$25,000 each to complete the funding for construction and furnishings. The loans will be for 15 years and will pay 6% interest. Even though the loans will not be collateralized, the notes will be guaranteed by the hospital district.

Any citizen who would like to support the Hospital District in this endeavor may contact the Muleshoe Area Hospital District Board of Directors, c/o Administration, 708 South 1st Street, Muleshoe, Texas, 79347 or at 806-272-4524 x104 for additional details and a copy of the proposed contract.



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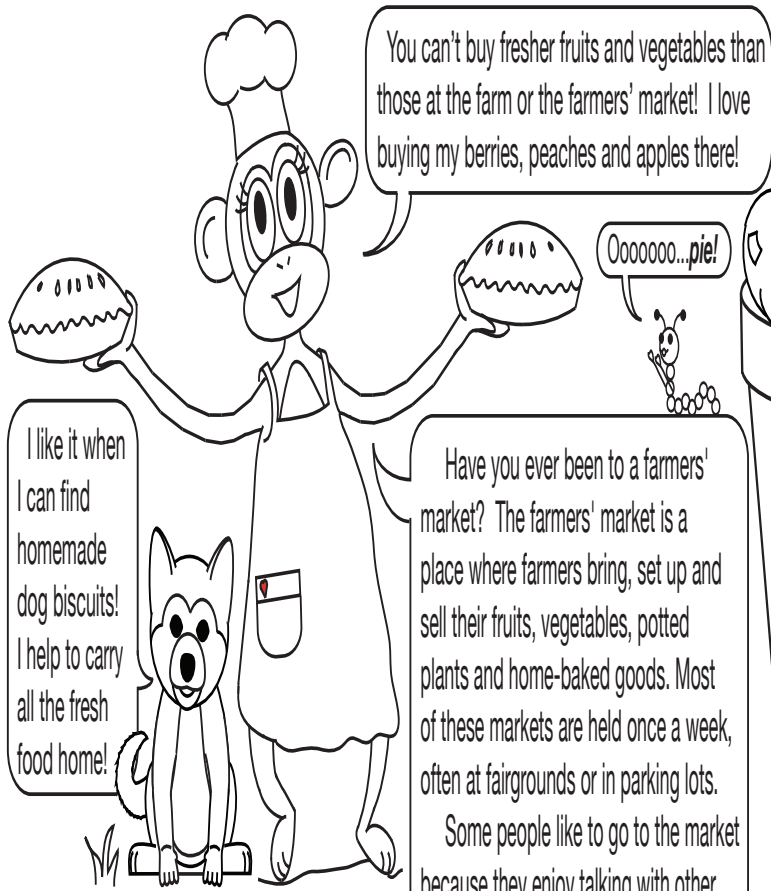
It looks hungry! Can you find it?

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## Fresh! At the Farmers' Market!



You can't buy fresher fruits and vegetables than those at the farm or the farmers' market! I love buying my berries, peaches and apples there!

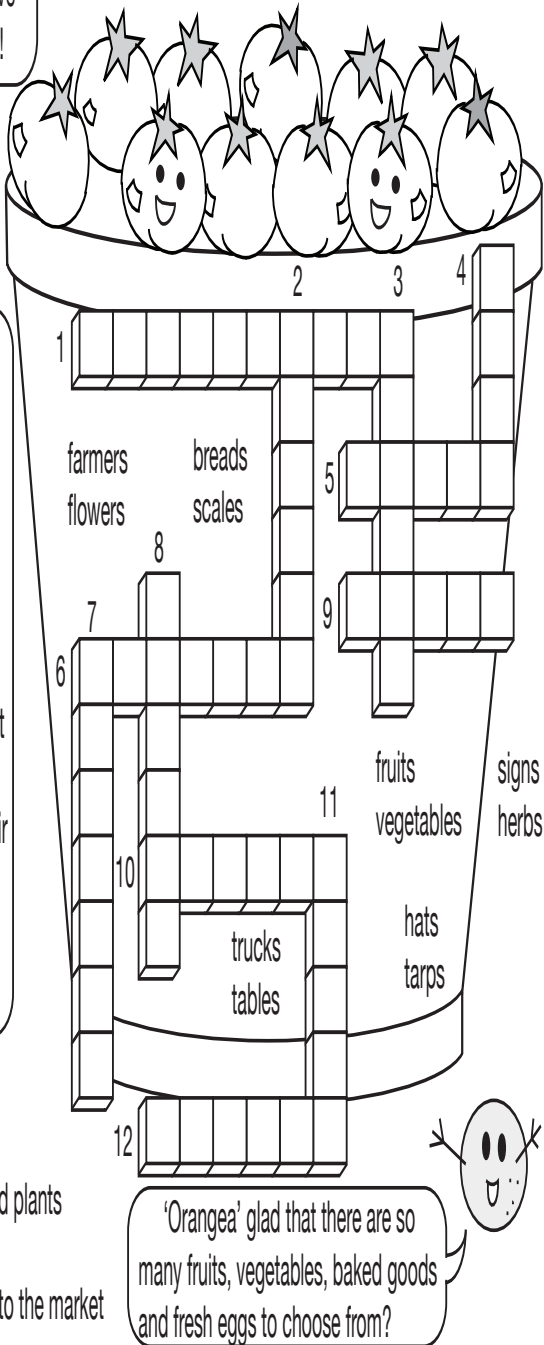
I like it when I can find homemade dog biscuits! I help to carry all the fresh food home!

Have you ever been to a farmers' market? The farmers' market is a place where farmers bring, set up and sell their fruits, vegetables, potted plants and home-baked goods. Most of these markets are held once a week, often at fairgrounds or in parking lots. Some people like to go to the market because they enjoy talking with other shoppers and asking farmers about their products. Others enjoy being outside where their children can play a little and help to choose and buy items.

There are many sights at the farmers' market. Read the clues to fill in the crossword:

- green and yellow \_\_\_\_\_ piled high
- home-baked \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ for weighing food
- straw \_\_\_\_\_ for cooling heads
- \_\_\_\_\_ giving shade
- \_\_\_\_\_ talking and selling
- freshly cut \_\_\_\_\_
- samples of juicy \_\_\_\_\_ to try
- dried \_\_\_\_\_ hanging
- \_\_\_\_\_ laden with foods and potted plants
- \_\_\_\_\_ listing prices
- \_\_\_\_\_ to carry food and supplies to the market

What Do You See at the Market?



'Orangea' glad that there are so many fruits, vegetables, baked goods and fresh eggs to choose from?

## Bailey County Electric Teen places in Co-op Video Contest



Roper Kerby receives check for 2nd place in video contest

Roper Kerby, son of Bailey County EC members John Leslie and Susan Kerby of Muleshoe, is the second place winner in the 2011 Co-op Teens Power Texas video contest. His entry, "McLane-Energy Avenger," won \$500, and followed a detective dedicated to energy conservation.

The contest sponsored by Texas Co-op Power magazine, in conjunction with electric cooperatives across Texas, asked high school students to create 1- to 3- minute educational videos about electricity.

"I love making videos," Roper said. "It is an absolutely unique experience, both a good and frustrating one. Although I knew the time and stress it would take to create, I knew it was an opportunity that I would regret to have not taken."

To see all of the winning videos, go to Texas Co-op Power magazine's website, www.texascooppower.com, or visit the contest's YouTube page at <http://www.youtube.com/user/TXCOOPOWER>.

Thompson Wagner, son of Pedernales EC members Tom and

Cindy Wagner of Burnet, collaborated with two classmates to create the grand prizewinning entry. He will receive \$1,500 and his sponsoring high school (Burnet High School) will receive \$1,000.

Winners in other judging categories received \$250 for excellence in:

Youth Appeal: "The Efficiency Job" by Travis Cox of Sagerton, member of Big Country EC

Educational Value: "Electric Avenue to Energy" by Austin Morgan of Hallettsville, member of Fayette EC

Technical Quality: "Electricity: What Would You Do Without It?" by Ellyn Rivers of Elgin, member of Bluebonnet EC

Creativity: "Electricity" by Philip Lowrie of Henderson, member of Rusk County Electric.

Texas Co-op Power magazine, published by Texas Electric Cooperatives, is a monthly publication with a circulation of 1.2 million electric cooperative members.

For updates from Texas Co-op Power magazine—including the Co-op Teens Power Texas Contest—join the Texas Co-op Power community at [www.texascooppower.com](http://www.texascooppower.com) and become a "Fan" of Texas Co-op Power magazine on Facebook, by logging into Facebook and searching "Texas Co-op Power magazine."

## Yellow Jacket memories...Continued from pg. 6

Below are three more Memories as they will appear in the book.

Memories:

I remember the Yellow Jacket Inn; noise, yelling school kids, high school students (I was in 6th, 7th & 8th grades) hamburgers, overwhelming choice of candy and bubble gum, a place to save my limited financial resources for and the anticipation of all those choices, Joe Bob Horsley, Don Fudge and his funny hat.

I remember Phyllis Beavers; owner, cook, enforcer, shouting "you kids settle down and quit scuffling or get out", general manager, mother, heavy with child, working behind the counter, "hurry up and decide what you want, I haven't got all day", keeping her own kids and working at the same time. "I've warned you boys once, settle down NOW or get out".

I remember Spencer Beavers; nattily dressed, pin striped pants, always wore boots, white dress shirt, gold chain with a pocket watch on one end and keys on the other, pencil thin mustache, always moving fast and with a purpose, always knew who you were and called you by name whether he was waiting on you at the Yellow Jacket Inn or checking you out at his folks grocery store, or meeting you at church or where ever he ran into you, father, owner and friend.

Jimmy Clyde Holt-Class of 1954

My fondest memories of the Yellow Jacket was the loud chatter of the classmates, the chili pie served in the Frito bag and the rules-enter through right door, know what you want to eat when it's your turn to order and exit through the left door and we thought there were to many rules.

Rama Copley Smalling - Class of 1965

I visited the Yellow Jacket Inn all my years in Junior High. I ate the dame thing everyday, a chili dog. We would hurry over there as soon as we could, as there was always a line, the ladies that worked there would have a supply of chili dogs

made up and stacked on the serving window. the chili dog and a soft drink was my lunch, and if I remember correctly, it cost 30 cents.

Darlene Black Henry - Class of 1955

**Do you have story or photo ideas? Let us know! 272-4536**

## NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON BUDGET

The Bailey Central Appraisal District will hold a public hearing on a proposed budget for the 2012 fiscal year.

The public hearing will be held on JUNE 23, 2011 at 12:45 p.m. at 302 Main Street, Muleshoe, Texas.

A summary of the appraisal district budget follows:

- The total amount of the proposed budget is \$293,500
- The total amount of increase over the current year's budget is \$1,100.00
- The number of employees compensated under the proposed budget is 4 full time
- The number of employees compensated under the current budget is 4 full time

The appraisal district is supported solely by payments from the local taxing units served by the appraisal district.

If approved by the appraisal district board of directors at the public hearing, this proposed budget will take effect automatically unless disapproved by a majority of the governing bodies of the county, school districts, cities, and towns served by the appraisal district.

A copy of the proposed budget is available for public inspection in the office of each of those governing bodies. A copy is also available for public inspection at the appraisal district office.

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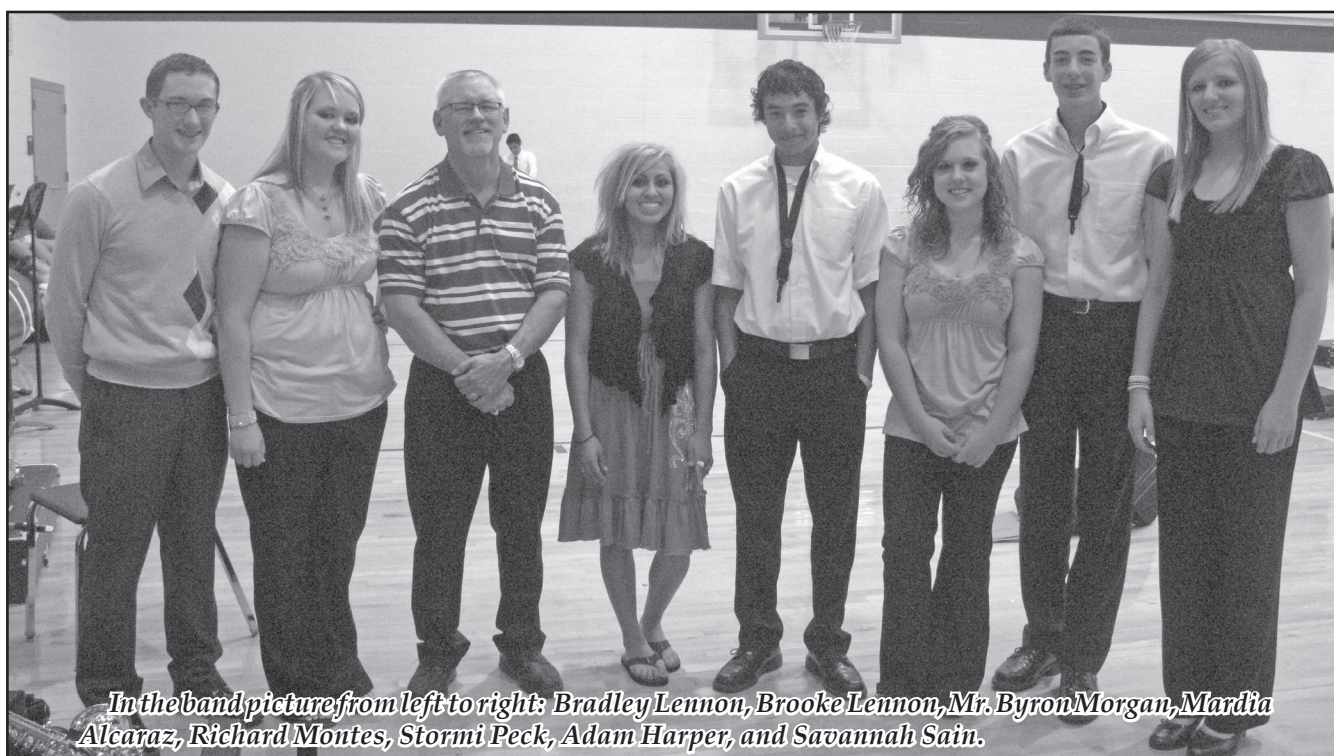
All your aunts & uncles!





# The Sudan Buzz

## Sudan Bold Gold band competes in Austin



In the band picture from left to right: Bradley Lennon, Brooke Lennon, Mr. Byron Morgan, Mardia Alcaraz, Richard Montes, Stormi Peck, Adam Harper, and Savannah Sain.

By Savannah Sain  
Sudan Correspondent

Sudan members of the Bold Gold Band competed at the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Contest in Austin during the Memorial Day weekend. The flute trio, consisting of Brooke Lennon, Stormi Peck, and Savannah Sain, received a II for their performance. The

saxophone quartet, consisting of Bradley Lennon, Richard Montes, Mardia Alcaraz, and Adam Harper, received a II as well.

Band director Byron Morgan was extremely pleased with their performances. "Very few students received a I at this year's contest, so I am proud of their ratings."

According to the UIL website, more than 20,000 high school music students participated in this year's event. UIL Music Director Richard Floyd was pleased with the increase in the participation this year.

"It was the largest event in our history," Floyd said. "I thought our number might be down because of budget constraints. This suggests that our superintendents and schools believe the contest is truly a beneficial, educational experience for their students."

The contests took place at three locations across the Austin area. In Austin, The University of Texas at Austin held part of the events, and Pflugerville's two high schools, Connally High School and Hendrickson High School, held the rest of the events.

To advance to the state competition, students must score a Division I on a Class I music selections.

Class I selections are the most difficult of the music selections at the regional levels.

More than 5,000 medals were awarded over the weekend. Students who receive a Division I rating on solos receive a gold medal. Students who earn a 2 receive a silver medal, and ensembles that earn a Division I rating receive bronze medals.

Judges were brought in from throughout the state and the nation to judge these events.



Photographed by Savannah Sain

## Finishing touches being put on Sudan schools

Finishing touches are being completed on the two new additions to Sudan Schools. Most of the outside construction is complete on both the field house and science labs. Painting, equipment, and cabinetry are being completed during the month of June.

The science lab, which is located in the elementary school, will service the needs of the expanding science curriculum. The elementary school has had limited use of lab facilities, and the expansion will create a learning environment for the exploration in science.

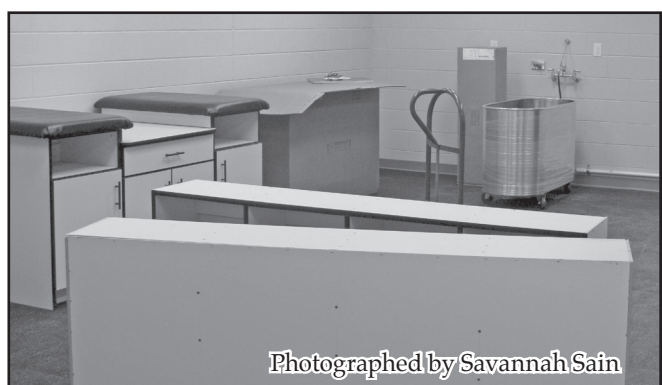
The field house will add to the excitement of football season this year. The facility contains a media room, two new locker rooms, storage facilities, training room, coaches' office space, and a huge weightlifting room. Painting continues, cabinetry is being added, and the lockers will be installed early this month.

The athletic program is anxious to move in to their new facilities and begin workouts in a more constructive environment. The location next to the practice field and playing field will be a benefit to the teams.



Photographed by Savannah Sain

## Sudan I.S.D. lab room



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## Sudan I.S.D. training room

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Veterans attending the Armed Forces Day Tribute on Saturday May 21st at the Jennys Upper Mule-Putt Golf Course included: Seated in the front row, (L-R) - Jasper C. Woodson, Korean conflict; and the next five individuals pictured (L-R) are WWII veterans, Marshall Cook, Melvin Griffin, Albert Field, Alene Bryant, and James Hale; Middle Row: (L-R) Eduardo Alvarado, Jose Ambriz, Warren Powell, C. E. Grant, Steve Clifton, Jerry Hicks, Ike Wilcox, and Lacie Kirk. Donna Kirk is seated in front of Ike Wilcox and Lacie Kirk; Back Row: Basil Nash, Fred Clements, John Ulrey, Norris Conklin, Kelly Helton, Alton Parker, Howard Watson and Donald Phelps.

## Armed Forces Day tribute honors area veterans

A very good crowd attended the Armed Forces Day Tribute On May 21, sponsored by the Jennyslippers, Women Associates of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

The program began with a warm welcome given by Irene Mason, Mayor pro-tem of Muleshoe.

Norris Conklin gave the invocation.

The color guard from Cannon Air Force Base, Clovis, New Mexico, posted the American flag with great professionalism. "The Star Spangled Banner," was sung by Natalie Head, Salutatorian of the 2011 Senior Class of Muleshoe High School. Her acapella rendition was flawlessly delivered, and some in the crowd sang with her, placing their hands

over their hearts in the traditional salute to the singing of the National Anthem. The color guard completed their salute, exhibiting their great love and respect, leaving the colors waving proudly in the brisk breeze.

Daisy Girl Scouts, McKenzie Stephenson and Haylee Harper led the group in singing "God Bless America." They were assisted by Irene Mason, Heather Harper, Daisy Leader and Nelda Merriott, Girl Scout Service Unit Manager.

Irene Mason presented a special tribute in word and song.

Special speakers for the event included Alene Bryant, Basil Nash, and Norris Conklin, sharing some of the experiences they had during their service careers.

Bobbie Harrison, president of the

Jennyslippers, read and presented the certificates to the military servicemen and women. Judy Watson and Nancy Kidd assisted. The veterans pictured here, and another forty-three who were unable to attend the ceremonies were presented individual "Certificates of Appreciation" outlining their particular branch of service, dates they served, their rank, and the specific duties they carried out in defense of this great country.

All of these veterans have many years of service to their country, including service stateside and overseas, in various countries, such as Viet Nam, Germany, Iraq, and Afganistan. Some were pilots, some tankers, some infantrymen, some paratroopers, some pathfinders. All are very qualified and highly

trained for their missions. Their service has been the driving force in keeping America a free country.

Closing remarks by Basil Nash included expressing appreciation from the Veterans to the Jennyslippers for this very special tribute.

Basil Nash then gave the heart-felt Benediction.

Many of those present remained for a time of visiting and recalling memories. It was especially good to see Jerry and Mary Hicks of Lubbock and Lacie and Donna Kirk - now of Lubbock.

**Thank you for your brave service veterans!**

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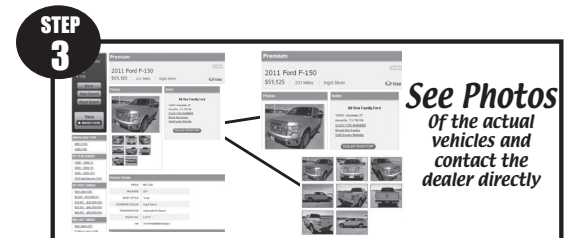
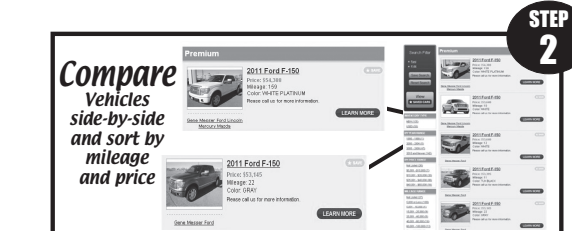
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Ride packets should be picked up at the Coliseum on June 18. Packets include: water bottle, ride number, route map, collector t-shirt and meal ticket good for the Spaghetti Dinner (served 11:30 AM to 2 PM).

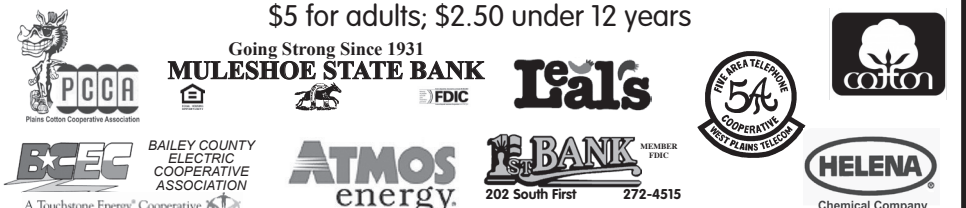
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- 3-2 Home, Cent. Heat, win. evap., DW, stove, 1500' lv. area + 1 Bdr. Rental!! \$45K!!
- 4 bdr., 3bth home, Cent. A&H, built-ins, tility, lg. pantry, hardwood floors, fenced yd., storage bldg.!! \$99,500 !!!
- Very Nice 3-2-2 Brick Home, built in 2006, built-ins, FP, approx. 1571' lv. area, Cent. A&H, fans, fenced yard., auto. spkrl., nicely landscaped, workshop/storage!! \$159K!!
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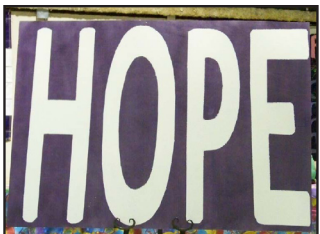
- 3 Bdrm, 2 bath, 2 carport, Cent A&H, Dishwasher, WB Stove, approx. 2156' lv. area, 217 E. Elm. \$55K!!
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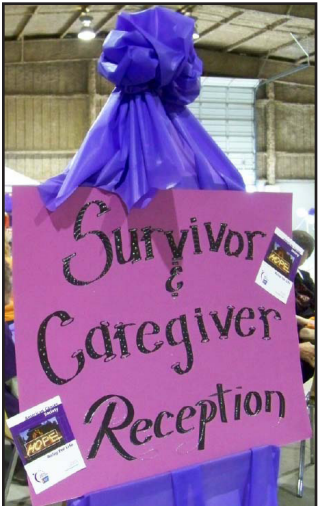


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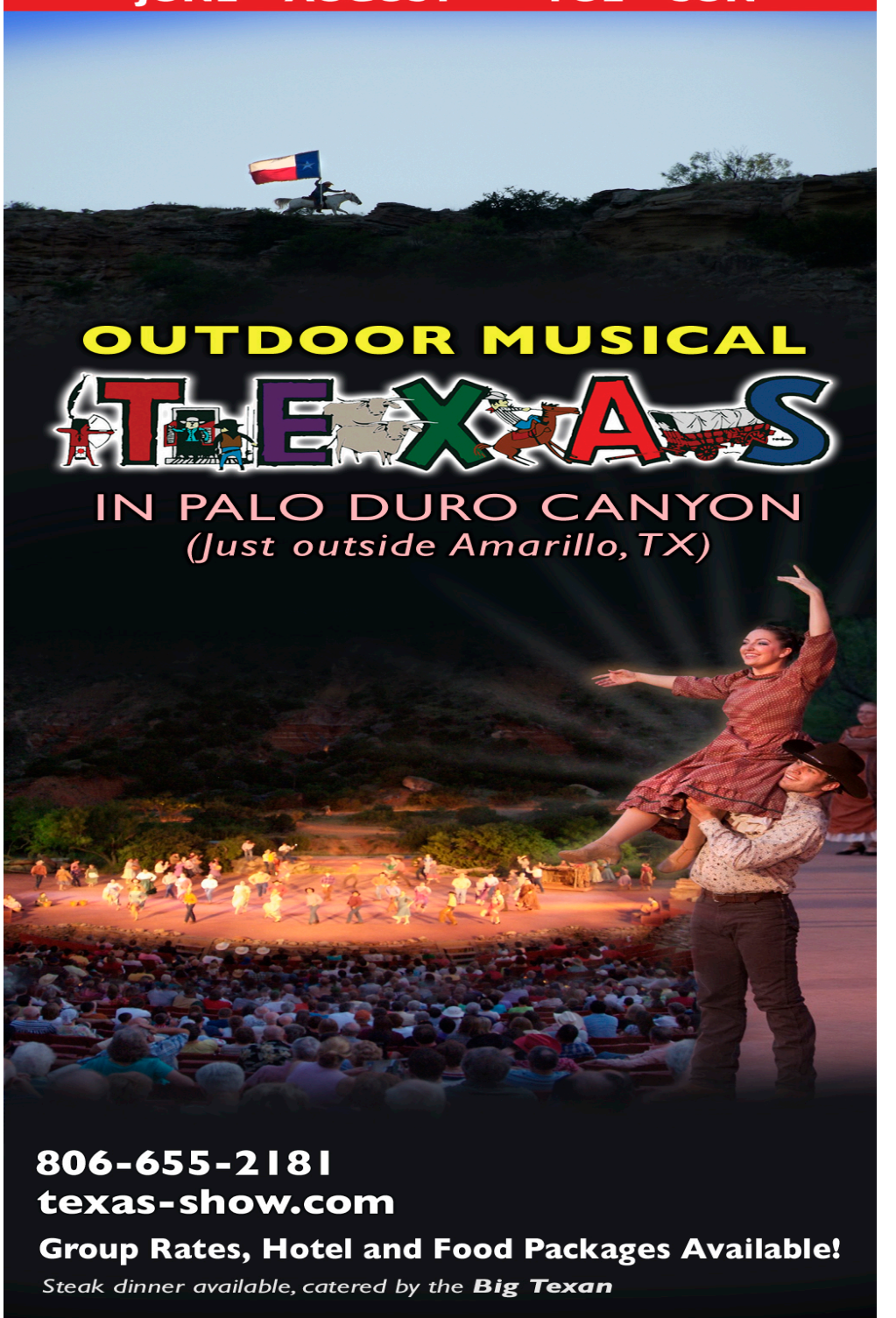


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