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FLOYDADA POLICE DEPARTMENT honored Officer Marco Martinez for receiving his Sergeant's Badge. Martinez has been a Police Officer for 6 years. Prior to becoming a peace officer, Martinez served 16 years in the military.

West College and Third Church of Christ celebrates centennial



West College and Third Church of Christ's current building faces south, just west of where the original building stood, facing east at West College and Second.

By Charles Keaton
 The Hesperian Beacon

LOCKNEY - West College and Third Church of Christ celebrated their centennial July 26-28. Steve McLean of Canyon and a former minister at West College, conducted the meeting. Song services were conducted by Criss Carthel, Seth McLean and Caleb McLean.

Following services on Friday, members and visitors enjoyed and ice cream and cookies. On Saturday, a pizza supper preceded a time of history and memories then singing prior to the services. Following the Sunday morning services, everyone enjoyed a fellowship meal and more visiting prior to the final service.

In 1919, the Church began meeting after the closing of the Lockney Christian College in 1918. The Church was originally Westside Church of Christ with the original building facing east at Second Street and West College. Early leaders included J. D. Griffith, J. H. Nall and C. W. Smith. Another early leader was J. Frank Copeland. His son, J. D. 'Dee' Copeland, was a long-serving elder at the Church as well as a long-serving City Council member for Lockney.

Many prominent gospel preachers visited the Westside congregation during the early years including Joe Kelley, N. L. Clark, G. A. Trott, J. N. Cowan, J. T. Corder, R. F. Duckworth, John R. Freeman, Percy Key Van Bon-

nea, L. W. Hayhurst, Leland Knight, Kline Nall, Alva Johnson and Earl Cantwell. In 1966, Frank and Erma Lee Duckworth move to Lockney to work with the Westside congregation as well as the Prairie Chapel congregation that met six miles north of town. Frank Duckworth served the congregation until his retirement in 2000.

In July 1967, the Prairie Chapel and Westside congregations merged into one congregation in Lockney. Elders ordained in October 1967 were Sam R. Jones, John T. Carthel, Harold Griffith, Mason O. Davis, Hershel Carthel, J. D. 'Dee' Copeland and Boyce Mosley. Deacons were Kenneth Wofford, Durward Jack, Walter Reves, John Lee Carthel, Arlon Miller, Jack Gibson and Louis Ray Stapp. On December 17, 1967, the congregation moved into the new building that still serves the congregation today at West College and Third.

Over the years, the congregation has been blessed to support many missionary works around the country and the world including Mexico, Russia, India, Kenya, Uganda and Sudan. Today, the congregation continues to support many of the same works.

Elders serving the congregation today are Todd Hallmark and Charles Keaton and deacons are Lonny Hooten and Lindan Morris. The congregation meets Sundays at 10:30 A.M. and 1:30 P.M. except first Sunday when afternoon services are at 1:00 P.M. and Wednesday evenings at 7:30 P.M.

Upcoming

Events are listed free of charge for nonprofit civic organizations, schools and community events. Please submit listings at least two weeks ahead of the date. Listings will run through the date of the event. Emailed submissions are preferred to fchb.editor@yahoo.com.

FLOYDADA SENIOR CITIZENS SUNDAY LUNCH

The Floydada Senior Citizens Center will be serving lunch on Sunday, August 4. Doors will open at 11:15. Dine in or Carry out. Call 983-2032 for delivery. Meal consists of our delicious chicken fried steak, country gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, dessert, and drink for a minimum donation of \$8.00. Please join us.

FLOYDADA NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

The Floyd County Sheriff's Office and Floydada Police Department will hold the "National Night Out" on Sunday, August 4 from 4 - 7 p.m. at the swimming pool (601 W. Georgia Street)). Free meal and swimming.

GRIGGS FAMILY CHUCKWAGON BENEFIT

Kenny Griggs, formerly of Floydada, was killed in a vehicle accident on July 20th. There will be a benefit chuckwagon meal for his wife, Christy, Sunday, August 4th, 12:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, Petersburg.

DUNCAN ELEMENTARY SUMMER READING CLUB

Duncan Elementary Summer Reading Club will be held for completed grades PK-2nd grades. Monday and Tuesdays from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Date is August 5-6.

BOY SCOUTS SWIMMING PARTY

All persons interested in joining scouting are invited to a Swimming Party August 11th, 8-10 pm at the Floydada Swimming Pool. Scouting provided programs for ages 6-17. Scouts are needed! Leaders are needed! Snacks will be served at the party.

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Corrections

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Lockney Clean-Up ongoing this Week

By Deon Fincher
 The Hesperian-Beacon

LOCKNEY - In a community wide effort, the city of Lockney is looking to transform its image. The first step in that transformation is to clean up the town.

Residents have been notified that enforcement of property ordinances and citation issuance will be forthcoming; however, city officials wanted to give the community assistance in getting properties overrun with junk cleaned up.

To facilitate the efforts, the city declared this week, July 29th - August 3rd a 'Community Cleanup' week and has designated drop-off locations for junk and trash. For those having cluttered items in and around their homes and on property, that drop-off point is at the 600 block of South Main St.-what used to be the old Webster's gas station.

Understanding that there are individuals that, physically, are unable to participate in the clean-up, the city has offered to help. For any disabled or elderly individuals that need junk gathered up and hauled away, call City Hall at (806)652-2355 and arrangements will be made for assistance.

The drop-off area will only be available this week, between the hours of 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.

Junk cars can be hauled off by Dulaney's of Plainview. Those needing this service must call (806)652-2355 to schedule an appointment for the pick-up.

Car tires will be accepted but will cost \$5.00 each in order to dispose of these items.

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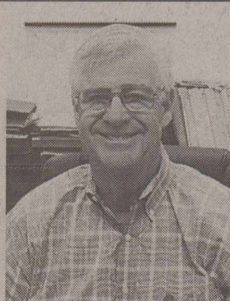
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COMMUNITY FRIENDS AND FAMILY gathered together this past Friday to wish Dr. William Dean and his wife, Jo Lynn, a happy retirement. It was also a time to welcome Dr. Kevin Shively and his wife, Camilla, along with their children to the community. Dr. Shively has stepped into Dean's dental practice located at the West TX Family Clinic facilities and is taking on the care of established and new patients. Jim and Clara Davidson of Quitaque attended the retirement party. They were the first two patients of Dr. Dean when he came to Floydada; and fittingly, they were the last two patients he saw before turning over the reins to Dr. Shively. The couple remained dear friends and patients for 27 years, along with four generations of their family.

Farmer Veteran Coalition helps Veterans break into Farming Sets 5th National Meeting in Austin

Special to the Hesperian-Beacon

AUSTIN - A national organization focused on helping veterans pursue careers in agriculture has scheduled a stakeholders meeting on November 17-20 at the DoubleTree by Hilton in Austin, Texas. It will be the fifth national meeting of Farmer Veteran Coalition (FVC).

FVC, headquartered in Davis, California, recently celebrated its 10th anniversary. The nonprofit organization works with the agricultural community, partners and sponsors to help returning veterans who are seeking new ways to stay in communities they left in order to serve.

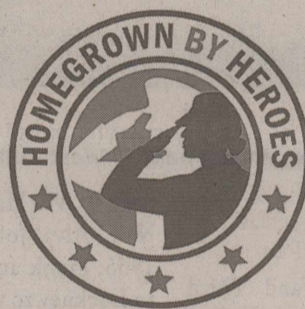
The conference kicks off with a Texas-style dinner of beef raised by Army Ranger Josh Eilers. "Josh is one of nearly 2,000 veteran farmers and ranchers who use the Homegrown By Heroes label to promote their product," said O'Gorman.

"I tell other veterans that people will thank them, but most won't go out of their way to help in your next phase of life," said the Purple Heart recipient, whose cattle ranching operation is located in Austin, Texas. "Farmer Veteran Coalition was different. They helped so much, and they never thought of what they could get out of it."

"I had a lot to learn, but I wasn't afraid to ask questions,"

said the man who served three tours of duty in Iraq and one in Afghanistan.

One of the first to help was Michael O'Gorman, founder of Farmer Veteran Coalition, a nonprofit organization that mentors veterans who want



a career in agriculture. FVC explained to Eilers that he would be eligible to receive assistance.

Today Eilers has one thousand head of cattle and owns a beef company that sells all that he harvests. High-end chefs and mom and pop restaurants proudly display his company name on their menus.

"A study showed that ever increasing numbers of our military veterans came from rural areas," said O'Gorman. "We wanted to find ways they could partner with farmers in their hometowns who could offer opportunities. We have assisted hundreds of veterans with everything from equipment, business plans, financial advice and training."

Along with the help of local, state and national agricultural leadership, FVC has strong partnerships with Farm Credit, American Farm Bureau, National Farmers Union and National AgrAbility Project. Farm Credit and Kubota Tractor Company are Diamond sponsors of the conference.

"It's important that we have a gathering place for our veteran members," explained Michael O'Gorman, founder and executive director of FVC. "Most live in rural areas and don't get the chance to meet each other in person. This is a great way for them to come together, share ideas and dream of their next steps."

FVC has helped thousands of veterans with everything from grants to equipment to one-on-one mentoring. "Some of our veterans come back from places like Afghanistan missing limbs or having other disabilities," said O'Gorman. "They need everything from business plans to specialized equipment. Our

job is to fill those needs and help them realize their dreams in places where they want to live and work. We're happy to say that, right now, we have more than 15,000 members."

Farmer Veteran Coalition, made up with paid staff and volunteers, has chapters in Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, New York, Tennessee, Texas, Vermont, Virginia, Washington and West Virginia. For more information, visit farmvetco.org.

Eilers started his company, Ranger Cattle, almost overnight. While in a bar, he overheard a flirtatious man trying to impress his date.

"He told her he had eaten a \$100 steak. She wasn't interested, but I was. I asked him why it was so expensive, and he told me about Wagyu beef. I put the information on my phone. That was on a Saturday. By Tuesday, I went out and bought a small herd. I didn't have a trailer to haul them or a place to put them, but I decided if I could make so much money, I would figure it out."

Eilers learned that Wagyu breed was prized initially in Japan where connoisseurs enjoy its unique flavor and marbled, melt-in-your-mouth texture. With its popularity on the rise throughout the world, the then 21-year old purple heart recipient was confident that, in the future, customers would go wild for his Wagyu.

But he had to assure the novice cattleman that it wasn't a handout.

"I explained to him that our services are all about honoring the men and women who served our country and who want to spend the rest of their lives in agriculture," O'Gorman said. "From there, we helped him build a squeeze shoot that will be easier on his cattle and safer for his crew. He was a natural, and is one of our biggest success stories."

Pretty good for a man who knew nothing about the cattle business before he heard the story of a steak.

"It was important to me not just to have cattle ranching mentors. You need other kinds of teachers who are good business people—and good people. When you find people like Michael O'Gorman, you hold them close and treat them well. He thanked me for my service in a way I will never forget."

About Town

My spaghetti squash has been hit with a host of squash bugs that seem to replicate exponentially every night!

The watermelons that were doing so well (we had two melons the size of cantaloupes) have shriveled up and died. I pulled their roots up this past weekend.

Some sort of blight or wilt or...who knows, really...is hitting the tomatoes, and although they are still putting on new shoots and blooms, random leaves are shriveling up as if it has never been watered.



DEON FINCHER

Is it time to throw in the towel? Just sit back and watch as invisible forces attack, disarm and bring down all the hard work we have put into this live, growing...part of the family?

It is disheartening, but I'm not to that point. I have obtained the fungicide sprays and the nitrogen grains, and I have pinched off susceptible leaves and even removed entire plants.

What was I doing today? Planting watermelon sprouts. This weekend, I repositioned cucumber plants to allow for more air circulation. I guess what I am trying to say is this...I'm not ready to surrender just yet!

Tonight, as I meandered through the garden I thought about our small towns. There are some that believe that we should just sit back and let these rural communities dry up and blow away—"It's just what happens!" is a comment I heard recently. "There is no way any company is ever going to move its production to Floyd County." I heard that statement as well. Honestly, with these types of attitudes, those words are the truth.

We need to have a change of heart, friends. If we believe that our county is "the bee's knees" and we truly believe that there is no place better, we will be convincing. Instead of sitting back and watching rural America die on the vine, we could be witnessing a rebirth that could spur on more growth than we ever expected.

Just before I left my garden tonight, I reached out to pinch a yellowed leaf off a melon vine that has been struggling for a week. Lo and behold! Way down close to the soil's level, a new, green leaf was fanning out. I thought to myself, "Not just yet!"

Hope is not lost when it comes to revitalization and repopulation of the communities in our county. Join with me in shouting, "Not just yet!"

The 501: Facebook Genealogy

Friends you choose. Family you're stuck with, unless you get creative with your family tree.

Genealogy should be an exact science. Instead it's an art, particularly when it comes to creating pedigrees. Shades of my late Uncle Joe, who connected us to the Plantagenets.



HANABA MUNN WELCH

Who could blame our ancestors for shortening the name to Plant? Yes, his mother (my paternal grandmother) was a Plant. No jokes, please.

I remember one time I was headed to summer camp when Uncle Joe met me at the Fort Worth train station to help me make the change from the Fort Worth & Denver to the Missouri Pacific. Or was it the Texas & Pacific? Maybe it was good he was there.

While we waited for the train to Arkansas, he bought me a magazine about our supposed relatives, British royalty. Me, I was more interested in getting to camp and renewing friendships than establishing a vague relationship with the Queen. I actually thought Prince Charles was cute, but the Camp Wyldewood boys were for real. Besides, what if Charles and I were cousins? I kept the magazine anyway.

Now that I'm dabbling in genealogy instead of cleaning the House of Welch, I really should try to establish my lineage, Plants included. To build an impressive tree, I can cherry pick, not bothering to check choices against official records, rejecting horse thieves, leaving off the small-time rustler and maybe the aunt who shot her husband (he had it coming) and including heads of state and such.

My husband, the real genealogist in our household, mistrusts all perfect trees. He's seen some. Focusing on accuracy, he's built his tree carefully, documenting every connection he can. Uncertain roots and branches are labeled with qualifying notes.

Me, I'm taking the Facebook approach. Here's how it works:

You submit DNA to Ancestry. They reward you with a passel of kinfolks. Starting with the most unusual names, look for matching Facebookers. Then check their portraits for family traits.

For example, there's my DNA cousin Mott Tonlin. (That's not his real name. He might not want you to know he's my cousin.)

Initially I found two possible matches: a dapper university professor and a burly guy with a bad tattoo on the wrong side of one bicep. I wanted to claim the smarty, but the brute resembles my above-mentioned grandmother.

Ultimately I found the right choice - a retired schoolteacher who resembles my grandmother somewhat less but is apparently her great-nephew. He's from a place my parents went in 1952 for a relative's funeral. They left me with my other grandmother. All I got was a T-shirt and an Indian headdress.

Meanwhile, I've just discovered the Plantagenets lost the throne in 1485! Who knew? Apparently not Uncle Joe. Forget them.

What's more, I'm already missing the tough guy. It's hard to drop a cousin once you've decided you can overlook the bad tattoo.

Maybe I'll send him a Facebook friend request.

PAUSE TO REFLECT.

Better just to keep him in the tree.

SOCIETY

Gruffees celebrated 70th wedding anniversary



MR. AND MRS. CORKEY GUFFEE

Corkey and Janiece Guffee were married in Plainview on August 5, 1949 in a garden ceremony. They have lived in Floydada all their married life. The family surprised them with a family dinner and celebration in their honor last weekend.

Lockney Senior Citizen's News

By Renee Armstrong
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

LOCKNEY - There will not be any BINGO NIGHTS for the month of July and August. Will resume in September.

We hope you are all having a great week! Come and eat with us and enjoy the fellowship!

AUGUST CALENDAR:
2nd - Fish fry
18th - Sunday lunch
23rd - Fish fry
Be sure and mark your calendars with the impor-

tant events coming up at the Center.

Breakfast is served here at the Center from 5:30 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Monday thru Friday only. Lunch is served Monday thru Friday from 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Be sure and call the Center by 9:30 a.m. if you would like to eat lunch at the Center. Our phone number is 806-652-2745.

Remember Exercise with Dorothy - Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 8:45 - 9:30 a.m.
Coffee time - Monday-Saturday - 9:30-10:30 a.m.

Our Thursday night pot luck is from 5-9 p.m. Bring a dish and a friend and enjoy games afterwards.

MENU August 5 - August 9

Monday - Baked chicken
Tuesday - Tacos
Wednesday - Pulled pork
Thursday - Club sandwich
Friday - Roast beef
(Menu subject to change without notice)

Floydada Senior Citizen's News

By LuAnn Collins
Special to The Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA - On Sunday, August 4, we will be serving a meal. Doors will open at 11:15. Dine in or Carry out. Call 983-2032 for delivery. We will be serving our delicious chicken fried steak, country gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, dessert, and drink for a minimum donation of \$8.00. Please join us.

Our next 2nd Tuesday Bingo Night will be August 13. Doors open at 5:15 and we begin play at 5:30. The Progressive Bingo payout will start at \$50.00. Our Bingo special includes meal, dessert, drink and 2 cards for \$5.00. Additional cards cost \$1.00 for one or \$2.00 for 3 cards. Door prizes, cash prizes, fun and fellowship. Remember, Tuesday meals are \$4.00 meals. Check the menu to see what is offered each Tuesday.

Call us at 983-2032 for home delivery by 11:00 am. Our delivery drivers will begin delivering at 11:30. Our mailing address is P.O. Box 573, Floydada, Texas 79235. Our phone number is 983-2032. Thank you for remembering the Center with your donations or memorials.

**MENU
August 5 - August 9**

Monday - Chicken strips
Tuesday - Texas Nachos - \$4
Wednesday - Chicken fried steak

Thursday - Meatloaf
Friday - Sirloin patty w/au jus
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SAMUEL E. TAYLOR

Sammy Taylor was born in 1853, Dooly County, Georgia, grew up in Alabama, lost his father in the Civil War, married 3rd of April, 1875, Frances Rebecca Inglet when she was sixteen years old. By February 1876, they were in Grimes County, Texas. Twelve children were born and four buried there.

Because of Church connections, worn out crowded land, or health reasons, early in 1907 they loaded their possessions on an immigrant train, left her parents and three married children and moved to the Plains. Detraining at Hereford, they farmed that year in Castro County, buying the Floyd County farm in 1908.

A man small in size but giant in character, he stood five feet two inches, 130 pounds, clear blue eyes and as a youth had Irish-red hair that aged to a beautiful silver. Unwavering honesty and fairness, dedication to hard work, simplicity and quiet gentleness were his traits. Fannie was a quiet, tall, slender, black-haired woman.

In 1914 the eldest son, Joe, brought his family from Madisonville. His wife Sarah died in 1915 and son Rufus in 1920. Edward, Luther, Robert and Runnie Mae grew up in the homes of relatives in Floyd County.

About 1916 "Lum" came to the Plains. His wife Nannie did not stay. Both children, Ruby and Tildon, married in Motley County.

In 1921, Naomi and husband, James A. Palvadore, with Letha, Hillery, Linnie, Johnny, Lou, Elton, Doyle, and ray moved from Madisonville to Floyd County. Nila,

Oleta and Pearl were born here.

Tilford came with the family as a young man, in 1911 and 1912 he worked in Illinois for Mr. Echardt who had bought land near the Taylors. He married Delia Roberts in 1914, and Truman, Dennis, Ozena, and Nell were born on the farm they bought in 1915 on the Crosby-Floyd Counties line. They moved into Floydada in 1948.

Stella married Richard Mack Hand, Jr. in 1912. Their children: Juanita, Richard, Barbara, Leo and Lucille, were born and raised in the area, living many years in Floydada.

Martealey married Pitt Wagner in 1914, Flora and Vivian were born here. Moving to Callahan County in 1918, Marie and Ford were born there and Martealey still resides in Clyde.

Vercie married John Reagan in 1923 and had Irene and Pauline. After living in Amarillo awhile, they were divorced and she and the girls returned to Floyd County. She later married George Reynolds.

Vashti, aged eight on arriving in the county, grew up here. She married H. V. Watkins and after living in several other states now resides in Plainview.

This compiler knows of no member of S. E. Taylor's immediate family having affiliated with any Church other than the Primitive Baptist.

Samuel, Fannie, Joe's wife Sarah, their twins, Rufus and Robert, "Lum" one of Naomi's grandsons, Tilford, Delia and Truman, and Vercie are buried at Lakeview.

By: Ozena Taylor Norris

UPCOMING

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LOCKNEY SENIOR CITIZENS SUNDAY LUNCH

The Lockney Senior Citizens Center will have their Sunday lunch on August 18th. More info will be available in next week's issue.

lease day--be sure to pick up your kids at 1:30 p.m.

LOCKNEY ISD

1ST DAY OF SCHOOL
Lockney students will be heading off to school on Wednesday, August 21st.

The Floyd County 4-H Achievement Banquet will take place Sunday, August 25, at 1:00 p.m. at the Unity Center. Meal will be Mexican Stack. Please call the Extension Office to sign up to bring a food item. 806-983-4912. No cost to attend.

FLOYDADA ISD

1ST DAY OF SCHOOL
Floydada students will be headed off to school on Monday, August 19th. This will also be an early re-

FLOYD COUNTY 4-H ACHIEVEMENT BANQUET

LOCKNEY OLD FASHIONED SATURDAY

The Lockney Old Fashioned Saturday will be held Saturday, August 31. More info to follow.

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Make your engagement something to remember.

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OBITUARIES/CHURCH

Kenneth "Kenny" Ermon Griggs

Kenneth "Kenny" Ermon Griggs, 60, of Petersburg, Texas, died Saturday, July 20, 2019.

A memorial service was held at 4 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Petersburg on Tuesday, July 30, 2019.

Kenny was born on June 9, 1959 in Tyler, Texas, to Helen (Harden) and Wiley Griggs.

He graduated from Floydada High School in 1978.

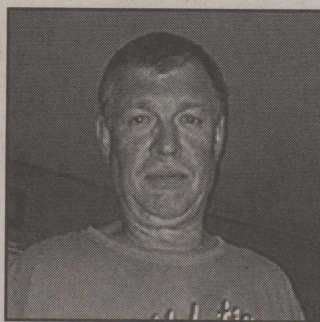
Over the years, he worked as a carpenter, farm hand, and paramedic. He was a well-known handyman and never met a

stranger.

Kenny married his loving wife, Christy, on December 31, 2006 and moved to Petersburg. They enjoyed hunting, fishing, and camping. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, friend, and mentor.

He was preceded in death by his father, Wiley Griggs in 2006.

Kenny leaves behind his wife, Christy; his mother, Helen Griggs; his children, Kenneth Derrick Griggs and wife, Reba, and Allison Rachele Griggs;



KENNETH "KENNY" ERMON GRIGGS

step-son, Zeke Vickers; grandson, Kenneth Royce Griggs; two brothers, Jay Griggs and wife, Sherrie, and Kelly Griggs. He also leaves behind numerous nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles and cousins.

Wit and Wisdom

By Charles Keaton
The Hesperian-Beacon

August brings into sharp focus and a furious boil everything I've been listening to in the late spring and summer.

- Henry Rollins

That smell of freshly cut grass makes me think of Friday night football in high school. The smell of popcorn and cigar smoke reminds me of the stadium. The cutting of the grass reminds me of the August practice.

- Garth Brooks

Every year, August lashes out in volcanic

fury, rising with the din of morning traffic, its great metallic wings smashing against the ground, heating the air with ever-increasing intensity.

- Henry Rollins

August is the month of the high-sailing hawks. The hen hawk is the most noticeable. He likes the haze and calm of these long, warm days. He is a bird of leisure and seems always at his ease. How beautiful and majestic are his movements!

- John Burroughs

"August rain: the best of the summer gone, and the new fall not yet born. The

odd uneven time."

- Sylvia Plath

"This morning, the sun endures past dawn. I realize that it is August: the summer's last stand."

- Sara Baume, *A Line Made by Walking*

"August is that last flicker of fun and heat before everything fades and dies. The final moments of fun before the freeze. In the winter, everything changes."

- Rasmenia Massoud, *You Don't See Any of This*

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there and sizzled."

- Sue Monk Kidd, *The Secret Life of Bees*

"August is a gentle reminder for not doing a single thing from your new year resolution for seven months and not doing it for next five."

- Crestless Wave

"Caught in the doldrums of August we may have regretted the departing summer, having sighed over the vanished strawberries and all that they signified. Now, however, we look forward almost eagerly to winter's approach. We forget the

fogs, the slush, the sore throats and the price of coal, we think only of long evenings by lamplight, of the books which we are really going to read this time, of the bright shop windows and the keen edge of the early frosts."

- Denis Mackail, *Greenery Street*

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The Lord says, "When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and when you pass through the rivers, they will not sweep over you." - Isaiah 43:2 (NIV)

In August 2016, south Louisiana experienced major flooding, causing widespread devastation. Many homes and businesses suffered major damage and people lost virtually all their possessions. The situation was stressful and depressing.

Yet all around us we also saw reminders of God's Spirit. It was common for people to pray together in driveways as they prepared for the difficult work ahead. Friends — and even people we didn't know — brought meals. We received relief packages from all over the country. Churches and relief organizations provided clothing and other essentials. People

came from near and far to help. A group from Los Angeles worked all day on my friend's house and gave her a new Bible. They then invited us to dinner at the church where they were lodging. These acts of kindness lifted our spirits and strengthened us.

Recovery is a long, slow process. But God worked through the actions of friends and strangers to sustain us materially and spiritually. It is hard to imagine that any of us could fully recover without the active work of God's Spirit. God brought many from far and wide to rescue us from the flood.

TODAY'S PRAYER

Thank you, loving God, for lifting us up when life is difficult. Amen.

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Wed. Bible Study - 7 p.m.

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Nathan Adams, Minister of Students and Discipleship
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Ludustia Prisk, Director of Children's Ministry
Sunday School - 9:15 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.
Wed Bible Study - 6:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
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Joseph Tillery, Pastor

Chad Cook, Youth Min.
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship, 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship, 6:00 p.m.

First United Methodist Church
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Rev. Gary Boles, Pastor
Morning Worship - 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School - 10:50 a.m.
Youth (Sunday) - 6:30 p.m.

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Rev. Ricky Carsensen, Pastor
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service - 6 p.m.
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Wed High School - 6:30 p.m.

Grant Chapel Church of God in Christ
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Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday - 8 p.m.
Wednesday Service 7:30 p.m.

Main Street Church of Christ
Lockney
James Blair, Minister
Bible Study - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6:00 p.m.
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Wed Worship - 7 p.m.

Power of Praise Full Gospel Church
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Sunday Services - 10 a.m.
Sunday Evening - 5 p.m.
Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

Primera Iglesia Bautista
Lockney
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Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service - 11 a.m.
Discipleship - 5 p.m.
Wed. Service - 7 p.m.

Primera Iglesia Bautista
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Evening Worship - 6 p.m.
Wed Evening - 7 p.m.

San Jose Catholic Church
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10 a.m. - Mass
Wed. - 6 p.m. - Faith Formation -
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Thurs. - 6:30 pm- Evening Mass

South Plains Baptist Church
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Spanish - 9:30 a.m.

English - 11 a.m.
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Wednesday 7 p.m.

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Sunday Mass - 11:30 a.m.
Mon. & Wed. Mass - 6:30 p.m.
Confession Sat - 10-11 a.m.

Templo Bautista Salem
Lockney
Rev. Joe Hernandez
Bun Prayer Service - 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
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Evening Worship - 6 p.m.
Wed. Meeting - 7 p.m.

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Spanish Assembly of God
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 5 p.m.
Wed Service - 7 p.m.

Templo Nueva Vida
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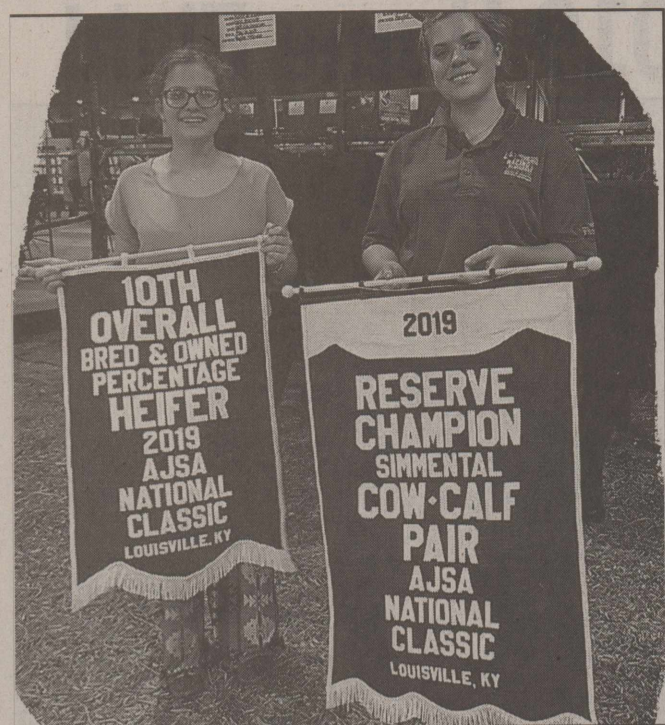
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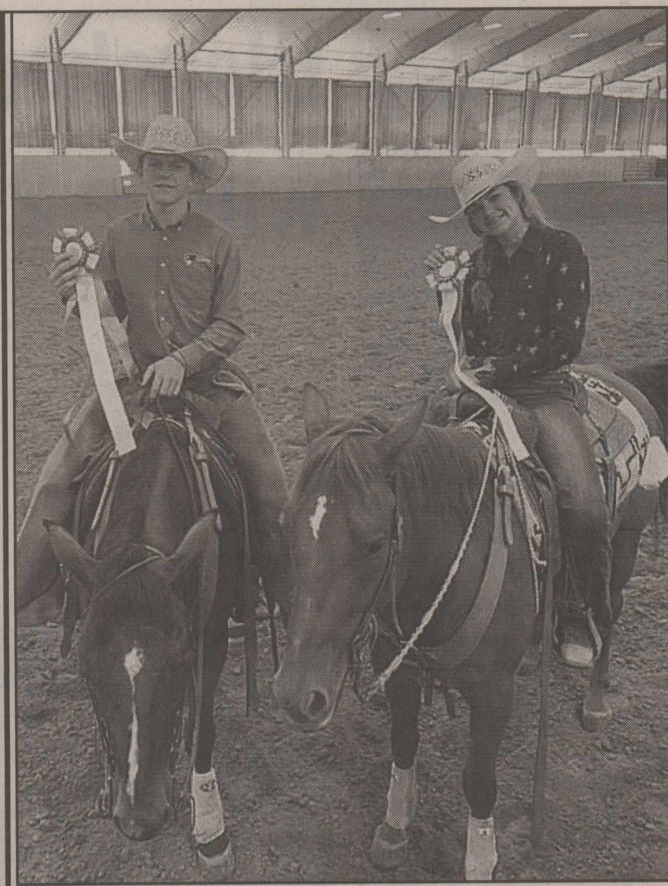
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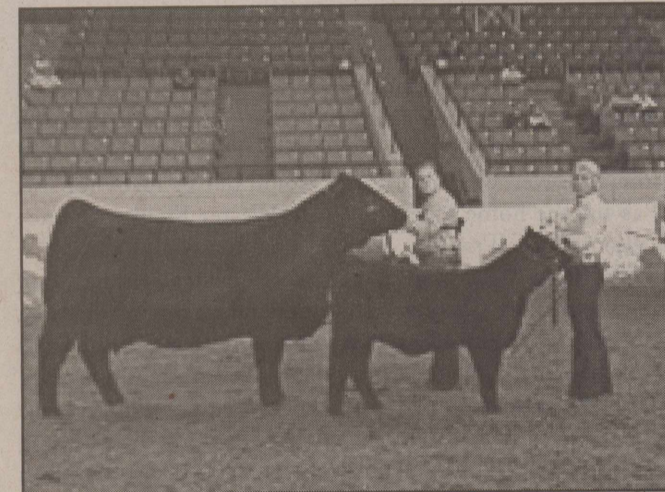
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FLOYD COUNTY was represented well at the American Junior Simmental Classic held in Louisville, Kentucky this past weekend. Averly McInvale (pictured Left) and Kaylee McInvale (pictured Right) both brought home show banners, excelling with their Foster Bros. cattle in the show ring.



Courtesy Photos

4-H'S STATE HORSE SHOW took place in Bryan, TX this past week. Ethan Smith, Jack Brooks and Preslie Brooks all competed in numerous Stock Horse Events including cutting, working cow horse, reining, ranch sorting, stock horse pleasure, stock horse trail and the yearling futurity class. They all made it to multiple finals rounds and came home with some top-10 ribbons. Over 350 4-H youth plus their families attend the show from all over the state of Texas. The Texas State 4-H Horse Show is the pinnacle of the 4-H horse project and offers many opportunities to 4-H youth including up to 40 classes of competition, educational programs, scholarships, and college preparation opportunities. Pictured Left Photo: Jack Brooks and Preslie Brooks. Pictured Right Photo: Cristen Brooks-A&M Extension Agent Floyd County and Ethan Smith.



Courtesy Photo

KAYLEE MCINVALLE 'sticks' her cow/calf duo resulting in their being selected as the 2019 Reserve Champion Simmental Cow/Calf Pair at the American Junior Simmental Association National Classic this past weekend. Kaylee also took 9th Overall Intermediate Exhibitor at this highly competitive national venue.

By Deon Fincher
The Hesperian-Beacon

LOUISVILLE, KY – Kaylee and Averly McInvale haven't had much of a break this summer. We've tried to stay up-to-date with all of their cross-country travels as they have spent the past two months in the national-level show rings with their Foster Bros. Cattle. This past week found them at the American Junior Simmental Association National Classic at the Kentucky Exposition Center in Louisville, Kentucky. Thursday, July 25, the girls weathered the heat, and the competition like pros. Averly's heifer

was the crowd favorite, as always! Averly was given 10th overall in a tough Bred & Owned Percentage show. Kaylee took her cow-calf pair into the ring, and with that duo, she ended up Reserve Grand Champion Purebred Cow-Calf Pair in the Jr. National Classic and the Jr. National Sweepstakes show. The sisters were at it again on Sunday. Averly claimed the top spot as Summer Yearling Division Champion Percentage Simmental. Kaylee took the Reserve Champion Purebred Cow/Calf Pair. Kaylee also landed in the 9th Overall Intermediate Exhibitor of the Jr. National Classic.



HAGEN HINSLEY took numerous awards this weekend at the 5th Annual Good Times Jackpot benefitting Kollin Long Initiative stock show. Hinsley ended up as Reserve Breed Champion Simmental, taking a second and two firsts in the show with the four steers taken to show. The Good Times Show took place at the Ollie Linder Center in Plainview, Texas. All proceeds from this jackpot benefit the Kollin Long Initiative.

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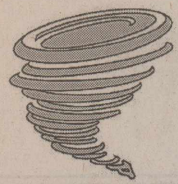
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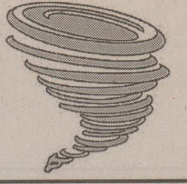
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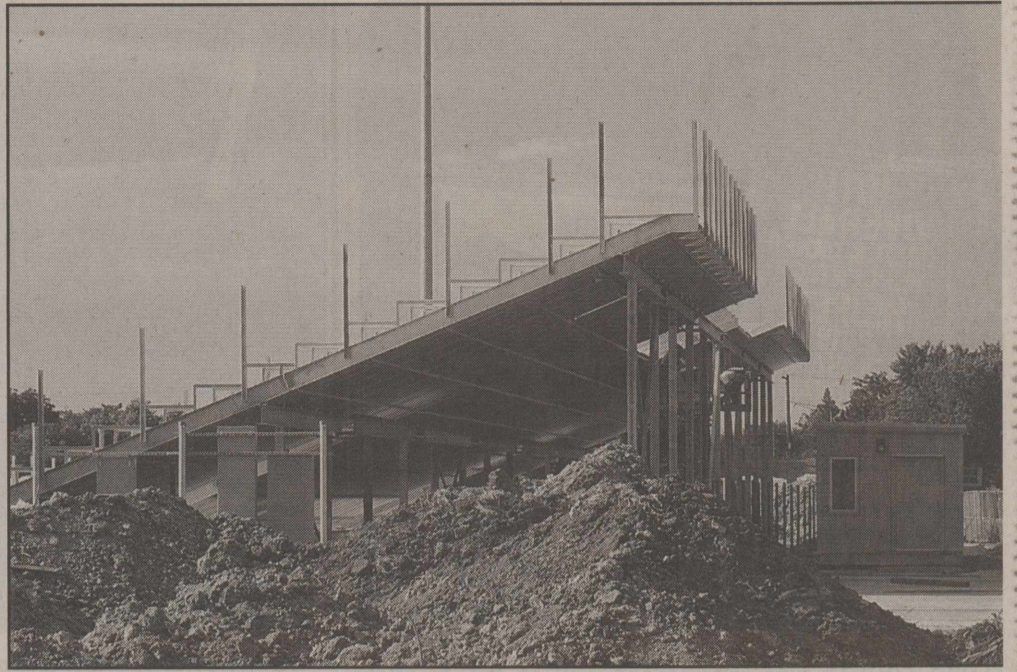
Floydada Whirlwinds



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

FLOYDADA WHIRLWIND FOOTBALL camp had athletes of all ages drilling on the practice field this week. The annual camp is designed to teach the fundamentals of football that are essential to all young players. The camp was split into two sessions: the morning session focused on 4th-6th grade athletes, while the afternoon session targeted the 7th-9th grade athletes. FHS Coaches, along with varsity players, provided an atmosphere of instructional learning coupled with fun during the three-day camp.

Bleachers set, but Wester will be 2019 Home Field



Deon Fincher/Hesperian-Beacon

Bleachers being installed at the new football field in Floydada. 2019 Football will be played at Wester Field.

By Deon Fincher
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FLOYDADA – The bleachers are rising at the new school’s construction site this week. Although crews are on-site most days of the week, numerous weather delays have slowed down progress. Project managers and school board officials had initially said that the 2019 Whirlwind Football season would be played on the new turf field. The field could have been completed by game-time; however, the parking lots would not be ready for use. Safety for visiting teams as well as for the home team prevailed. Wester Field will, once again, be the home field for this year’s football season.

According to Superintendent Trevino, “The Career and Tech Education building has been constructed with minimal work left (i.e. garage doors, equipment installation, etc.). Work continues on the main part of the building with pouring of concrete slabs as well as metal studs forming the classrooms. The final pieces of steel are being erected to form the library and cafeteria spaces. The final phase of steel erection will take place in the gym area of the building in the very near future. A good portion of the building has brick on the exterior. Just this week, Hellas has begun the dirt work associated with construction of the football stadium.”

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Andrez Suarez

If you could only have one meal, what would that meal be? Hamburger Helper

If you had a baby alpaca what would you name it? Primito

Describe one moment in your high-school years that you will always remember: When we were waiting on the results for cross country and Coach Wheeler came up to us in joy that we made it to State as a team.

If you could travel anywhere and money was no option, where would you go? What is it about that place that appeals to you? Hawaii, cause it was just a place where I would like to go since I was little.

List extracurricular activities in which you participate: Baseball, UIL, FFA, Basketball, Yearbook, Track, Football and Cross Country.

Andrez's parents are Sandra Cervera and Jose Swarez. His Grandparents are Jose and Gabriela Cervera



Alexis Hernandez

If you could only have one meal, what would that meal be? Chinese food

If you had a baby alpaca what would you name it? Harry

Describe one moment in your high-school years that you will always remember: One moment in high school I'll always remember is when we made Ma'Kayla Garcia go up a waterslide. It was absolutely hilarious because she was so scared, and she didn't wanna go down, she was just sitting there. So the guys went up there to go push her down.

If you could travel anywhere and money was no option, where would you go? What is it about that place that appeals to you? Hawaii. It just looks so beautiful and peaceful.

List extracurricular activities in which you participate: Band, Softball, and probably will play more sports.

Alexis' parents are Amy Garcia and Alex Hernandez. Her Grandparents are Agnes Vasquez.



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Angela Vega

If you could only have one meal, what would that meal be? Spaghetti

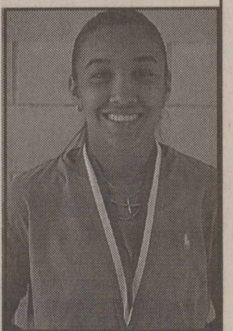
If you had a baby alpaca what would you name it? Al

Describe one moment in your high-school years that you will always remember: When Coach fell off of a bucket during practice.

If you could travel anywhere and money was no option, where would you go? What is it about that place that appeals to you? Brazil. It's beautiful and very colorful.

List extracurricular activities in which you participate: Softball, Basketball, Band, UIL.

Angie's parents are Rocket Vega and Amanda Peralez. Her Grandparents are Ophelia and Ismeal Vega and Agness Vasquez.



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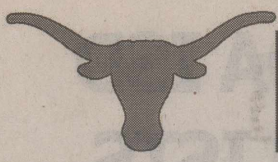
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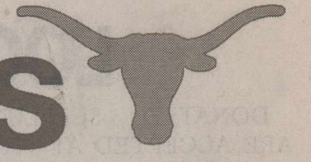
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Lockney Longhorns



AUSTEN REXRODE, LHS 2018 graduate, recently completed his welding studies at Lincoln Tech in Grand Prairie, TX. The school's 2019 Commencement was held July 27th. Congratulations Austen (pictured center).

Elementary Library Program features bees and chicks

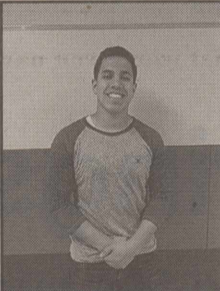

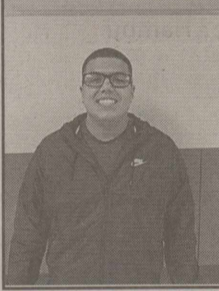


LOCKNEY ELEMENTARY LIBRARY summer program welcomed Mr. Lemmons this past week. Mr. Lemmons brought beekeeping supplies and a jar of buzzing bees. He also brought along some chicks which soon became the crowd favorites. Mr. Lemmons talked to the kids about agriculture activities in which they can become involved.

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<h3>Felipe Diego Azua</h3> <p>If you could only have one meal, what would that meal be? Meat Loaf</p> <p>If you had a baby alpaca what would you name it? Sir Archibald of Yortown III</p> <p>Describe one moment in your high-school years that you will always remember: I will always remember going to regional for UIL my Junior year because me and Hunter L laughed so hard that our abs were sore for days.</p> <p>If you could travel anywhere and money was no option, where would you go? What is it about that place that appeals to you? I would travel to Italy because I love the rich history surrounding the area.</p> <p>List extracurricular activities in which you participate: Powerlifting, UIL-Number Sense & Math, Band, and Boy Scouts.</p> <p>Diego's parents are Kathy and Felipe Azua. His Grandparents are Salvador & Yolanda Azua and Jose I. and Mildred Perez.</p> 	<h3>Edwin Martinez</h3> <p>If you could only have one meal, what would that meal be? BBQ Ribs</p> <p>If you had a baby alpaca what would you name it? Renny</p> <p>Describe one moment in your high-school years that you will always remember: When we were on the Ag trip to Dallas and we accidently left Hunter at the Sonic.</p> <p>If you could travel anywhere and money was no option, where would you go? What is it about that place that appeals to you? I would travel to Thailand because I like the jungle and rainy weather.</p> <p>List extracurricular activities in which you participate: Cross country, FFA, Band and UIL</p> <p>Edwin's parents are Maribel and Daniel Martinez. His Grandparents are Marin and Juan Garcia.</p> 	<h3>Andrew Sanchez</h3> <p>If you could only have one meal, what would that meal be? n/a</p> <p>If you had a baby alpaca what would you name it? Cusko</p> <p>Describe one moment in your high-school years that you will always remember: n/a</p> <p>If you could travel anywhere and money was no option, where would you go? What is it about that place that appeals to you? Mexico</p> <p>List extracurricular activities in which you participate: Football, Track, and Powerlifting</p> <p>Andrew's parents are Loba Torres.</p> 
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- 1 pkg 3X5 lined index cards
- 1 kinder nap mat
- 1 pillow & blanket (optional)
- Girls - gallon zip-lock baggies
- Boys - quart zip-lock baggies

NO BACKPACKS WITH WHEELS
PLEASE LABEL ALL SUPPLIES

KINDERGARTEN
15 glue sticks
2 boxes, 24-count crayons
1 4 oz. Elmer's washable school glue (black label, no gel)

- 1 pair metal Fiskars children's scissors (rounded ends, not sharp)
- 1 #2 pencils, no jumbo
- 1 school box (small)
- 1 folder with pockets
- 3 boxes Kleenex (175 count)
- 2 container Clorox disinfecting wipes
- 1 box Ziploc bags (girls-freezer gallon size, boys-freezer quart size)
- 1 single subject spiral notebook
- 1 bottle of germ-x (34 fl. Oz)

***GOOD RUNNING SHOES FOR PE**
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- FIRST GRADE**
6 glue sticks
3 large boxes Kleenex
1 box 24 ct. #2 yellow pencils
1 Crayola water-color paints
2 pocket folders with brads
1 pair children's scissors
3 24ct. boxes Crayola crayons
3 containers Clorox Disinfecting Wipe

- 1 school box
- 1 spiral notebook
- 4 pack dry erase markers
- Girls - 1 box gallon zip-lock baggies
- Boys - 1 box quart zip-lock baggies
- *GOOD RUNNING SHOES FOR PE**
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SECOND GRADE
8 glue sticks
3 large boxes Kleenex
3 pkgs. #2 pencils (plain yellow ones)

- 1 pair children's Fiskar scissors
- 1 folder with pockets
- 4 fine-tip dry-erase markers-low odor
- 1 Dozen Pencil-top erasers
- 2 container Clorox Disinfecting Wipes
- 1 16ct. box Crayola crayons
- 1 supply box
- Hand-held pencil sharpener
- 4 One-subject spirals
- 1 box map colors
- 1 10 ct. fine-tip markers
- Girls - 1 box gallon zip-lock baggies
- Boys - 1 box quart zip-lock baggies

***GOOD RUNNING SHOES FOR PE**
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- THIRD GRADE**
2 spiral notebooks
2 boxes of #2 pencil (no mechanical)
 - 2 pkg map colors
 - 1 4-pack Expo markers
 - 10 glue sticks
 - 1 pair children's scissors
 - 1 zipper pouch (large 3-ring)
 - 3 lrg boxes of Kleenex
 - 3 containers Clorox wipes
 - Girls - gallon size Ziploc bags
 - Boys - quart size Ziploc bags
 - 2 24 count crayons
 - 1 8 pack classic markers
 - 4 pocket folders w/brads
 - 4 highlighters
 - Pencil cap erasers
 - 2 composition notebooks (100 pages)

***GOOD RUNNING SHOES FOR PE**
PLEASE MARK ALL SUPPLIES WITH STUDENT'S FIRST AND LAST NAME

- FOURTH GRADE**
2 2-inch binders
2 folders w/brads and pockets
3 highlighter markers
2 spiral notebooks 70 pages - no perforated pgs
3 glue sticks
1 pkg wide-ruled notebook paper
#2 pencils - no mechanical pencils
 - 1 pair children's sharp point scissors
 - 1 container Clorox Disinfecting Wipes
 - 1 large zipper pouch
 - 3 boxes Kleenex
 - 1 box map colors
 - 1 2-subject spiral notebook
 - 1 bottle of glue

PLIES WITH STUDENT'S FIRST AND LAST NAME

- *GOOD RUNNING SHOES FOR PE**
PLEASE MARK ALL SUPPLIES WITH STUDENT'S FIRST AND LAST NAME
- FIFTH GRADE**
1 Large 3-hole zipper pouch
2 Pkgs wide-rule notebook paper - 200 count
Crayons
Map Colors
1 pair Fiskars sharp point scissors
6 white glue sticks/1 bottle large glue
3 large boxes Kleenex
1 container Clorox Disinfecting Wipes-large
1 box #2 pencils
2 folders with pockets and brads
1 small personal pencil sharpener
4 highlighter markers
3 composition notebooks (100 pages)
4 dry erase markers
Yoga mat/towel for reading

***GOOD RUNNING SHOES FOR PE**
PLEASE MARK ALL SUPPLIES WITH STUDENT'S FIRST AND LAST NAME

- JR. HIGH SUPPLY LISTS**
SIXTH GRADE
Pencils
Black Pens
Red Pens
Notebook Paper
Small Index Cards
Expose Markers
Glue Sticks
1 Spiral Notebook (1 Subject)

- 1 Set of Map Colors
- Kleenex
- Scissors
- SEVENTH GRADE**
Black Pens & Red Pens
Pencils
1 Pkg. Highlighters
1 Pkg. Expo Markers
Notebook paper
Map Colors
1 Spiral notebook (1 subject)

- Small Index Cards
- 2 boxes Kleenex
- 2 glue sticks
- 7th Grade Reading (Ms. Bryan)**
3 subject spirals
1 subject spirals
Kleenex

- EIGHTH GRADE**
Pencils
Black Pens
Red Pens
Notebook Paper
Map Colors
Highlighters
1 1-subject spiral notebook
Scissors
2 boxes of Kleenex
2 glue sticks

- SCIENCE 6TH, 7TH, & 8TH**
(Mr. Day-7th & 8th and Ms. Bryan 6th)
2-inch white binder
Kleenex
Notebook Paper
Map Colors
Glue Sticks
Black & Red Pens
Pencils
Highlighters

- ART (THOSE STUDENTS NOT TAKING BAND... TAKE ART!!)**
1 folder with pockets and brads
Spiral Sketch Book (80-100 pages)
Pencil Bag & Pencils
Scissors

- MATH 6TH & 7TH (MRS. BRADLEY)**
Pencils & Pens (any color)
2 Pkgs of Dividers (Pkg. of 8)
1 2-inch Binder

- MATH 8TH GRADE (MRS. KIDD)**
Pencils & Red Pens
1 Spiral
1 Pkg. Notebook paper

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Pre-K supply list
Kinder mat /Beach Towel/child's Blanket -
Your Choice For Naptime
Change of clothes (underwear, socks, shirt, shorts/pants)

- 1 - box of Kleenex
- 1 - 24 count box of crayons - (For 4 yr old PK students)
- 1 - 8 count box of large crayons - (For 3 yr old PK students)
- 2 - glue sticks/jumbo size
- 1 - Pair of rounded tip scissors
- 1-spiral notebook (70 count)
- 1 - Folder with pockets
- Backpack (no wheels)
- 1 -10 count box of washable markers
- 1 - Set of Watercolors
- 1 - package of #2 pencils (10 or 12 count)
- 1 - box of colored pencils
- 1 - package/box of wipes
- 1 - quart size Ziploc baggies - girls
- 1 - gallon size Ziploc baggies - boys

Please label all items (in permanent marker) with child's name

Kindergarten supply list
1 box of crayons
1 plastic folder with pockets

- 1st grade supply list**
1 School Box
1 box of pencils
1 pair of scissors
1 packs of Glue Sticks
1 boxes of crayons 24 count
1 large boxes of Kleenex
1 spiral
3 Plastic Folders
1 large pink erasers
1 composition notebook
1 pair of headphones - The overhead ones are best suited for our 1st graders

- 1 Large tubs of Clorox wipes
- BOYS- 1 box gallon size baggies
- GIRLS- 1 box quart size baggies

2nd grade Supply List- 1st 6 Weeks
1 box crayons
1 package of pencils (12 pencils)
1 pair Fiskars Scissors
1 box Kleenex

- 1 zipper pouch or box
- 4 glue sticks
- 1 pink eraser
- 2 composition notebooks
- 1 pair headphones or earbuds
- 3 plastic folders with 3 rings or brads and pockets(red, blue, green)

3rd Grade Supply List
4 composition notebooks (100 pages)
1 folder
4 Glue sticks
24 count crayons or colored pencils

- 2 boxes of Tissues
- Wipes
- Highlighters-Yellow
- PENCILS
- Pink Erasers/eraser caps

4th Grade Supply List
4 composition notebooks (100 pages)
1 folder
4 Glue sticks
24 count crayons or colored pencils

- 2 boxes of Tissues
- Wipes
- Highlighters-Yellow
- PENCILS
- Pink Erasers/eraser caps

5th Grade Supply List
3 Composition Notebooks (100 pages)
3 folders
1 package of Notebook paper
1 box of pencils
1 box of colored pencils
1 bottle of glue
1 pair of scissors
1 box of crayons
1 highlighter
1 box of Kleenex

- 6th Grade Supply List**
3 - Composition Notebooks
1 - 2 inch 3-ring Binder
4 - Folders with Pockets and Brads
1 - Glue Stick
1 - box of #2 Pencils
1 - pair of scissors
Headphones/earbuds
1 - box of Kleenex
1 - bottle of Glue
1 - roll of scotch tape
1 - package wide-rule notebook paper
1 - box colored pencils
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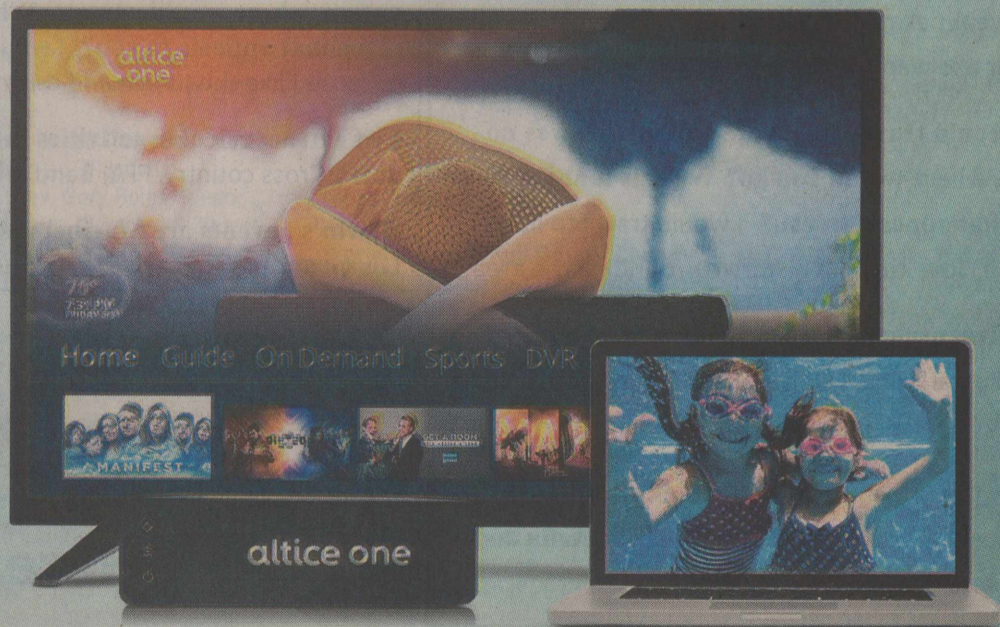
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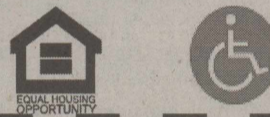
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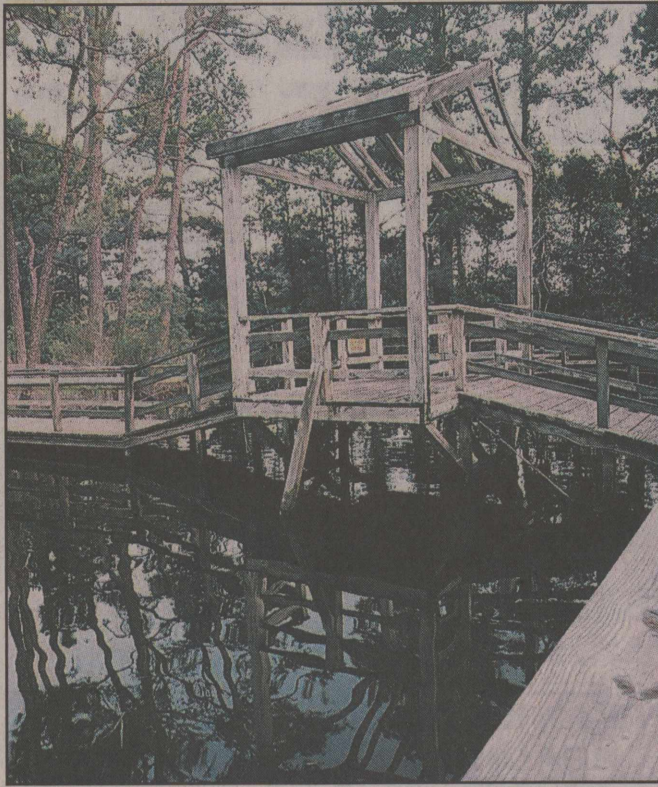
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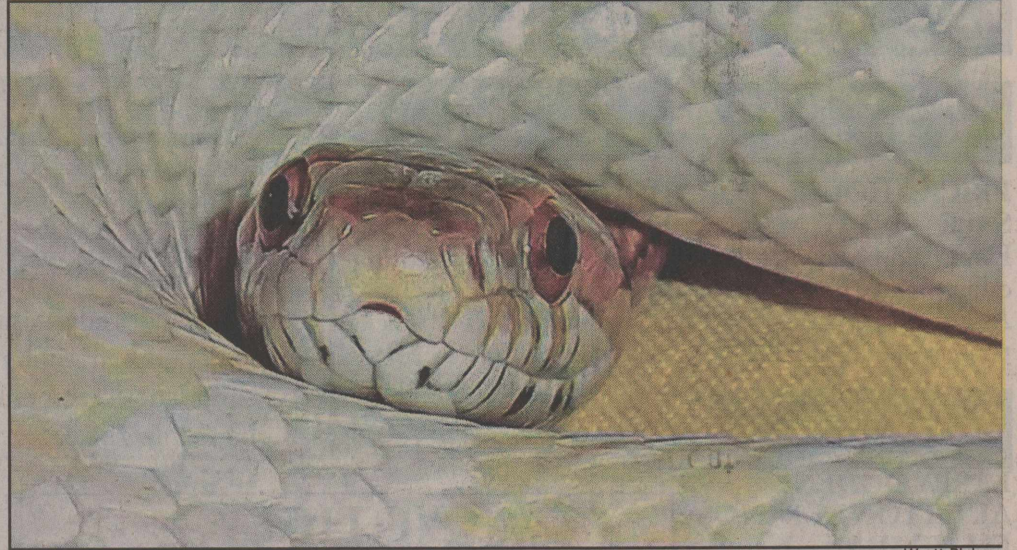
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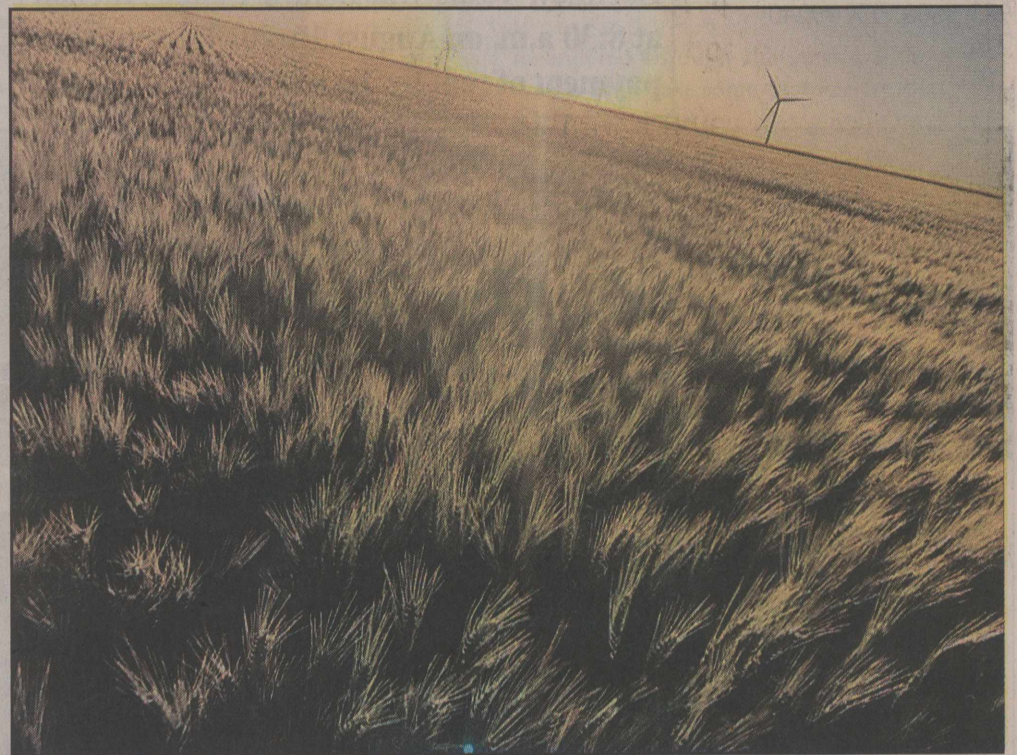
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