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**PANHANDLE SPORTS HALL OF FAME
SPECIAL ACHIEVEMENT**

Fast Facts

- **WHAT:** Panhandle Sports Hall of Fame induction ceremony.
- **WHEN:** 2 p.m. Feb. 13.
- **WHERE:** Ordway Auditorium, Amarillo College.



TRAVIS HARSCH / FOR THE AMARILLO GLOBE-NEWS

Spearman's Sarah Snider, front left, Gately Garnett (315) and Tylo Farrar break from the pack at the start of the Class 2A girls race at the UIL state cross country meet Nov. 13 in Round Rock. The Lynxettes captured their third straight team championship.

C.L. DUNIVEN SUPER TEAM AWARD

Spearman Lynxettes cross country, third consecutive state championship

■ **WHY HONORED:** The Spearman Lynxettes, coached by Starla Whiteley, won a third consecutive University Interscholastic League state cross country championship. Tylo Farrar, Gately Garnett, Itzel Meza, Sarah Snider and Malory Martin teamed to score 92 points and claim the 2A state title ahead of Cameron Yoe with 103. The Lynxettes, whose first of three state championships was guided by retired coach Nan Cook with Whiteley as an assistant,

return all of the runners from this season's team to try for a fourth consecutive state championship in the fall.

■ **QUOTABLE:** "I'm thankful to the committee and happy the sport of cross country is being honored," Whiteley said. "This year, more than any other year, it was our pack that made the difference. We had runners with experience and runners able to overcome illness to keep the tradition alive."

— BARB AMRHEIN



A brutal winter storm charged into the region Tuesday, bringing fierce winds, plunging temperatures and blowing snow that triggered early school dismissals, basketball game postponements and early business closings. Wind gusts and blowing snow created to whiteouts, reduced visibility, and treacherous road travel across the Panhandle.

Gusts in Spearman reached 45 mph by afternoon as temperatures slid from a high of 29 just before 9 a.m. to 2 by early evening. Temperatures slipped below zero with wind chills falling to minus 25 on Tuesday night, and four inches of snow.

Temperatures on Wednesday reached a high of 16, followed by a low of -2 on Wednesday night with a wind chill factor of -15.

Weather Was Factor in Fatal Auto Accident North of Gruver

By Joe Gamm, Amarillo Globe-News

Weather was a factor in an accident that killed a 79-year-old Gruver woman late Tuesday morning, according to the Department of Public Safety.

Charlene Boyd Spivey about 11:10 a.m. was a passenger in a southbound Buick Enclave that crossed the center line of state Highway 136 in Hansford County because of poor visibility, the DPS said. The Buick collided head on with a northbound tractor-trailer. A southbound Ford F-250 pickup then struck the Buick from behind, the DPS said.

An ambulance transported Spivey and Shirley Lowe, the driver of the Buick from Gruver, to Hansford County Hospital in Spearman, where Spivey died, according to the DPS. No information was available on the Lowe's condition.

Spivey was wearing a seat belt, the DPS said.



Charlene Spivey

COME TO THE GAME

Spearman Lynx/Lynxettes
2/11 JVB (6), VB (7:30) at Bushland*
2/15 JVB (6), VB (7:30) vs. Highland Park*
Gruver Greyhounds/Lady Hounds
2/11 JVB (5), VB (8) at West Texas*
* District Games

Weather Forecast

THURSDAY NIGHT - Mostly clear. Lows around 12. West winds 5 to 10 mph.
FRIDAY - Mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 40s. West winds 5 to 10 mph.
FRIDAY NIGHT - Mostly clear. Lows in the lower 20s. Southwest winds 5 to 10 mph.
SATURDAY - Mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 50s.
SATURDAY NIGHT - Mostly clear. Lows in the upper 20s.
SUNDAY - Mostly sunny. Highs in the mid 60s.
SUNDAY NIGHT - Mostly clear. Lows in the upper 20s.
MONDAY - Mostly sunny. Highs in the upper 50s.
MONDAY NIGHT - Mostly clear. Lows in the upper 20s.
TUESDAY - Mostly sunny. Highs in the lower 60s.
TUESDAY NIGHT - Partly cloudy. Lows in the lower 30s.
WEDNESDAY - Partly cloudy. Highs in the upper 60s.
Read more: <http://www.city-data.com/forecast/w-spearman-texas.html#ixzz0xgJSWQKT>

Texas Crop & Weather

The following specific livestock, crop and weather conditions were reported by Panhandle Extension directors: The region had extremely cold temperatures, with a few days of wind chills as cold as minus 35 degrees. Some snow fell early in the reporting period but was blown around by 30 mph winds. Producers were busy tending to livestock, putting out feed ahead of the storm, placing livestock behind windbreaks, thawing water and breaking ice. The cold, windy weather was very hard on the cattle that did not have shelter. Effects of this weather on crops cannot be fully determined at the time of this report, but record lows dating back to early 1900's were broken. The ground was frozen so hard that no land preparation for field crops could be done. Supplemental feeding of cattle on rangeland continued.

Spearman Changes Landfill Usage Regulations

by Catherine Smith

The City of Spearman has not charged City or County residents for the use of the landfill. The City has repeatedly requested funds from the County to help with operations of the landfill for the past several years. The City has absorbed the costs and allowed all County residents and most businesses to dispose of trash for free, with the exception of tires. There was a limit, but it was more than most residents or businesses would use within a year.

Due to the increase in requirements and regulations for landfills, the operation costs have risen over the past few years. Because of the cost increase, the City of Spearman has adopted Ordinance 825, which amends Chapter 13, Utilities, Solid Waste Disposal; Division 1, Penalties; Division 2, Collection and Disposal; Division 4, Fees; of the Spearman City Code. The effective date of this code was January 1, 2011.

The City Administration determined that the previous charges for the services were insufficient to meet the financial needs of the City to provide the services. Therefore, The City Council of the City of Spearman amended the ordinance.

The receptacles located in and around the City of Spearman are for the use of residents and paying customers INSIDE the city limits only. Persons found using these receptacles without having trash service shall be subject to be cited and fined.

Unacceptable Refuse for trash receptacles includes: Bricks, rocks, dirt, concrete, furniture, appliances, metal (other than usual household waste), chemicals, asbestos, wood (other than usual household waste), oil, lead filters, tires, vehicle batteries, offal, dead animals and any other material deemed inappropriate by city administration.

Residents within the city limits of the City of Spearman may dump up to two (2) cubic yards/tons of household waste per month at the landfill for no charge. The waste must be generated at the address listed as having trash service. Once the maximum amount has been reached (by yearly average) then the regular fee schedule shall apply.

Businesses within the city limits of the

City of Spearman may dump up to four (4) cubic yards/tons of waste per month at no charge. The waste must be generated at the address listed as having trash service. Once the maximum amount has been reached (by yearly average) then the regular fee schedule shall apply. The waste must comply with all previous conditions as to type and condition.

Businesses and persons outside the city limits of the City of Spearman but near the city limits that pay for trash service may dump up to one (1) cubic yard/ton of waste per month at no charge. The waste must be generated at the address listed as having trash service. Once the maximum amount has been reached (by yearly average) then the regular fee schedule shall apply. The waste must comply with all previous conditions as to type and condition.

All other persons or businesses wishing to use the City of Spearman Municipal Landfill will be subject to the fee schedule.

Illegal dumping of waste and materials shall be monitored by city staff and electronic devices including cameras. These devices shall be used to provide proof of the City's claim as violator.

Weighed, compacted household waste generated inside Hansford County will be charged at a rate of \$30.00 per cubic yard/ton. Outside Hansford County \$42.00 per cubic yard/ton. (This is usually trash brought to the landfill from other communities.)

Uncompacted household waste generated inside Hansford County will be charged at a rate of \$15.00 per cubic yard/ton. Outside Hansford County \$30.00 per cubic yard/ton.

Roofing materials generated inside Hansford County will be charged at a rate of \$15.00 per cubic yard/ton. Outside Hansford County \$30.00 per cubic yard/ton.

Elevator belts will be charged at a rate of \$100.00 each.

The City of Spearman requests residents haul large items for disposal to the landfill. All loads must be strapped or tied down. Use of the landfill is free to City residents, with the exception of tires, which has a minimal fee. This allows

room in the dumpster for more household garbage and grass clippings.

If items must be placed in the alley, place them on your part of the alley, not beside the dumpster or on your neighbor's property! The City does not pick up items placed in the alley very often. Ensure that household garbage gets placed in the dumpster and the lid closed.

Since County residents must now pay for use of the landfill, the City of Spearman asks to be notified if any nonresident is seen using a dumpster. You may call City Hall to make a report, or for more information.

The City of Spearman recycles corrugated cardboard, which helps cut expenses for local citizens. Please flatten all cardboard boxes and take them to the City Recycling Center located next to the water tower on Kenneth Street. Used oil and filters may be placed in the used oil collection igloo located at the City Recycling Center or at the landfill. There are also recycling receptacles for other items such as paper, magazines, newspapers, plastic, etc.

If you have any questions about any of the items mentioned in this article, please contact Spearman City Hall at 659-3434.

City of Spearman Requires Address Numbers

by Catherine Smith

The City of Spearman requires all houses, buildings and businesses to have address numbers. Letters must be 3" high or larger and be a contrast color with the house/building or of a reflective nature.

This requirement is for the safety of the residents of the City of Spearman. It helps any fire, EMS or police respond to the proper address.

This requirement is being enforced, and all violations are subject to a fine.

For more information, please contact Spearman City Hall, 659-2524.

Wolf Creek Heritage Museum Notes

by Virginia Scott
MUSEUM HAPPENINGS
BRRR!!!!!! We are trying to stay warm. The museum was open on Monday, but I did not open on Tuesday due to the weather. On Wednesday, I opened, but the core team wisely stayed home in the warm comfort of their homes. Luckily all our projects are not urgent. This week is starting off nice and sunny, but the forecast is not good. As much as we need moisture, I hope and pray it will come gently.

I hope the word is getting out that the new History book is in and we have plenty for sale. There are still a number of people who need to pick up their books that were preordered. We have posters in all the towns, so help us spread the word.

You may recall me reporting that the museum was working with a group of people in Perryton on tourism. The Perryton Chamber of Commerce graciously sponsored the project for a day trip map for our area. The maps are in, so come by and get one and start planning your spring and summer outings.

There are four day trips mapped out with identified points of interest. Ours is called the Firewheel trail. These trips promise to be fun and will show you some of our history that you may not know. Supplemental brochures with detailed information on each trail will be forthcoming.

HISTORICAL MUSINGS

This year marks the 150th Anniversary of the American Civil War. Fort Hood's Texas Brigade Association is hosting a website that features the role of Texas in this war (www.texascivilwar150.org).

On February 1, 1861 delegates from all over Texas met at a citizen's convention to debate the issue of secession from the Union. The convention met and voted for secession with the vote of 166 to 8. Texas officially left the Union on March 2nd, Texas Independence Day, a date deliberately set.

Our county was not organized and this region was mainly still Indian Territory

Wolf Creek Heritage Museum

Museum Hours: Monday thru Friday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Special hours upon request.

Museum Information:
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Lipscomb TX 79056; telephone: 806-852-2123;
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website: www.wolfcreekheritagemuseum.org

with the Red River War still 10 plus years in the future. It will be interesting during the next four years 2011

thru 2015, to read about Texas events during the Civil War and try to evaluate their impact on this area. If any one has information, please let us know. Have a good week.

Words from Faith & Grace

by Cecil R. Biggers, Lutheran Lay Minister



God calls us to walk in ways that lead to life and abundance of spirit. In this season of Epiphany we discover this in Deuteronomy 30: 15-20, Psalm 119: 1-8, 1 Corinthians 3: 1-9, and Matthew 5: 21-37.

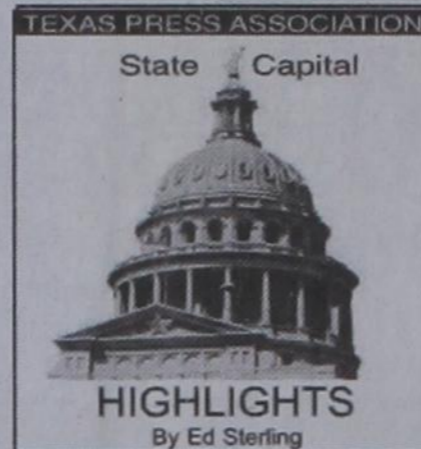
Moses makes his farewell speeches to the people. He clearly offers the people a choice between life and death as they prepare to enter the Promised Land. If they follow the commandments, decrees and ordinances of God, they will be blessed in the land; if they do not give their hearts to God, calamity and ruin shall overwhelm them. To some this indicates that every letter of the law must be carried out, yet the Torah, the word of God, is designed to be lived. You can tell a person's relationship with God by looking at their relationship with others.

The Psalmist sings a wisdom psalm, "Happy are those whose way is blameless, who walk in the law of the Lord." The Torah is to be lived. We must love the Lord, our God, with all our heart, all our mind and all our being; and, our neighbor as ourselves. It is not enough to know the rules, they must be lived. You can tell a person's relationship with God by looking at their relationship with others.

Paul tells the Church at Corinth, "Don't be a baby!" The Corinthians think of themselves as very spiritual, but they are characterized by jealousy, self-importance, mis-use of spiritual gifts and quarreling. Paul tells them it matters not what Christian leader they follow. Paul planted the congregation, Apollos watered it, but God gives growth. To be mature as a Christian is to live as Christ. You can tell a person's relationship with God by looking at their relationship with others.

Jesus continues to teach the disciples at the site of the Sermon on the Mount. His teaching bridges the requirements of the Law and the grace of the Gospel. He expands the Law by warning that the desire to commit sin is as devastating to the believer as the forbidden act itself. We cannot treat others with contempt, desire to use others for our own gratification, and bolster ourselves by swearing by God without missing Jesus' point. Jesus fulfills the law. Jesus is the Word of God. God's in-breaking presence in Jesus Christ, re-orders our relationships with others and our internal lives. You can tell a person's relationship with God by looking at their relationship with others.

May the Holy Spirit enable others to see Jesus Christ's presence in your life.



STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS



by Ed Sterling

Storm knocks Texas hard but state business continues

AUSTIN – Wind, snow, sleet, ice, record-low temperatures, road closures and power blackouts made the second half of last week unusual for most of Texas, even for winter.

Power grid manager ERCOT, the Electric Reliability Council of Texas, ordered providers serving the bulk of the state to implement rolling outages to compensate for electricity shortages. Gov. Rick Perry was out of state while the Arctic cold front raged, but he had this to say about the outages:

"Because of winter weather conditions that have created an unprecedented demand on the state's energy grid, many Texans across our state are experiencing power outages today," Perry said. "Texas power and emergency management experts are working very closely with ERCOT and various utility providers to ensure power is restored as quickly as possible. Until that happens, I urge businesses and residents to conserve electricity to minimize the impact of this event."

For millions of Texans, minimizing the impact of the event translated to work and school closures or late starts, and for those who did get out on the road, strandings and accidents were all too common.

Heavy demand for electricity even prompted the purchase of needed power from Mexico. The Public Utility Commission said it would investigate how ERCOT's power management decisions affected ratepayers. The PUC, which oversees ERCOT, may revise procedures on how to handle such events in the future.

3 Senate committees meet

With bad weather hitting or threatening to hit, the Senate managed to assemble Feb. 1-3. Three of the body's committees conducted hearings: Finance, chaired by Steve Ogden, R-Bryan; Education, chaired by Jane Nelson, R-Grapevine; and State Affairs, chaired by Sen. Robert Duncan, R-Lubbock.

The powerful Senate Finance Committee, which met Feb. 1, 2 and 3, heard budget presentations from agencies and non-profits that provide food, health care, shelter and other services.

Prompted by the projected \$27 billion state revenue shortage, the Senate Education Committee heard testimony focusing on the possible effects of altering the 22:1 students-to-teacher ratio mandated by state law.

Protecting private property rights and addressing eminent domain issues are on Gov. Perry's list of emergency issues. The Senate State Affairs committee laid out and considered SB 18, an eminent domain bill authored by Craig Estes, R-Wichita Falls. At the conclusion of testimony the committee voted favorably for the bill. Texas Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples said the bill would protect homeowners and landowners, but others said that as currently written, the way the bill is worded may still put landowners at risk in eminent domain takings.

House committees to be named

Meanwhile, the House met each day, Feb. 1-4, adjourning after a short 30 minutes in session on Thursday Feb. 4, with abnormally rough weather continuing to spread across the state.

Before adjourning, Speaker Joe Straus, R-San Antonio, had not yet named committee chairs and members. The lack of committee assignments to date, how-

ever, has had no sully effect on this aspect of every House member's job: bill filing. As of Feb. 3, House members had filed 1,132 bills, not including some 300 resolutions of various types.

AG seeks to send EPA packing

On Feb. 1, Attorney General Greg Abbott publicized a letter he wrote to President Obama, Senate Majority Leader Harry Reid and House Speaker John Boehner, urging them to reverse the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's recent stepping in to police greenhouse gas (carbon dioxide) emissions at smokestack industries and power plants in Texas.

"I can think of no better way for the White House to demonstrate its commitment to ending job-killing regulations than by rescinding the EPA rules Texas has challenged. Congress, too, has the opportunity to act now to save jobs and increase confidence in the future of our economy by ordering the EPA to cease its efforts to regulate carbon dioxide emissions through the ill-suited means of the Clean Air Act," Abbott wrote.

Abbott said he wants the Texas Commission on Environment Quality to resume its enforcement role.

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- Stiff hair, pl.
- Russian country house
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- The product of six and five
- *He romanticized Valentine's Day
- Pig pen
- Indian lentils
- Humpty Dumpty did this
- "The Blind ___"
- Method or maneuver
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- Like a fox
- Wholly engrossed

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- "The ___ Pack" of the 80s
- "To ___ his own"
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- *Popular candy shape, pl.
- *Term of endearment
- South American tuber
- A pirate's date?
- Bloody king of Israel, cause of Jezebel's death
- Relating to ear
- Roe's opponent
- Suggestive look
- Variable quantity that cannot be resolved into components
- Lacing a shoe, e.g.
- Typically removed indoors
- Many save room for this
- *Valentine, e.g.
- Plural of #35 Across
- Threesome
- Grim
- Type of room
- Commotions
- Something one hopes to attain
- *Often boxed in
- Reproductive structures
- Highest volcano in Europe
- A mirage?
- Opposite of knitted, as in stitch
- Legendary West
- *If music be the food of love, ___"
- Exclamation of contempt
- Plural of obelus
- Droops
- It sometimes comes to mind
- Coach of four winning Super Bowls
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Happy Birthday!

February 10
Birthday - Karen Cotter, Mark Irwin, Tammy White, Robbie Cator, Mary Ann Lasater, J. Travis Garnett, Evelina Martinez, Gregory Brand, Jimmy McLeod, Charles West, Fanetta Pierce, Josie Holt, Debba Eslick, Karen Schnell, Karen Schnell
Anniversary - M/M Perry Dixon

February 11
Birthday - Angie Clawson, Craig Schuman, Kari Lou Russell, Joan McClellan, Denise Harbour, Lillian Cooksey, Roy Harbour, Leigh Anne Winger, Addie Williams, Sloan Dominguez, Leo Cummings

February 12
Birthday - Rod Been, Lynn Burk, Louise Evans, Brian McClenagan, Brandon Reagon, Kaci Renteria, Sister Criselda Vela, Mae Hargis, Kelly Goodman, Anselmo Vela, Mary Dixon, Glynn & Lynn Pattison, Jennie Lou Connelly, Jana Hawkins, Roy Sutton, Mary Virden, Derrick Burnett, Clayton Vanderberg, Walter Postoak, Eleanor Bently, Kellye Buchanan, Mary Dixon
Anniversary - M/M Buck Tidwell, M/M Gary Evans, M/M Roy Lee Uptergrove, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Ross

February 13
Birthday - Rick Barkley, Rosi Chisum, Kristi Williams, Sherry Lee, Richard Ooley, Bill Watson, Catalina Espinosa, Esther Vargas, Mari Ann Bartimos, Maura Gaspar, Lexi Farmer, Kelly Pecha
Anniversary - M/M Eddy Rojas

February 14
Birthday - Alice Goodman, Nick Nelson, Janice Holt, C.W. Kirk, Tommy Thomas, Bubba Smith, Donna Ball, Lena Kathryn Harbour, Betsy Sutterfield, Kenneth Baker, Josiah Lee Vasquez, Courtney Wood, Wes Daniel
Anniversary - M/M Kip Francis, M/M Roney Clark, Ricky & Cindy Dowdy, Hal & Jeanie Bennett, Terry & Tammy Burch, M/M Omar Sutton, M/M Salomon Tarango, M/M Tony Swink, M/M Rod Holland, M/M Delfino Parra, Rev. & Rev. Joseph Weeks, Garrett & Mika Gumfory, Buck & Cleo Hughes

February 15
Birthday - Lee Bradford, Heath Gammon, Donnie

Thoreson, Claude Sheets Jr., Lynn Sheets, Brenda White, Marlane Nollner, Laura Dahl, Toby White, J. P. Prouty, Juanna Rosales, Colby Bedell, Rick Finley, Colleen Burkhammer, Steve Hartgraves, Emily Bentley
Anniversary - M/M Hoyt Biles, M/M Jim Norton

February 16
Birthday - Johnny Pat O'Connell, David Parker, Mike Larson, Lynda Owens, Ismael Vela, Timothy Peck, Maylynn Ayers, Cliff Lang, Brittany Claxton, Diana Pepper, Rex Reid, J.D. Wilbanks
Anniversary - M/M Jesus Espinosa, M/M Charles Critten, M/M Augustine Mejia, M/M Bob Hohertz, M/M Gene Fletcher, Eschol & Eulalia Blankenship

February 17
Birthday - Katie Jones, Manuel Ruiz Jr., Mark Guthrie, Lee Ann Schrader, T.H. Rodriguez, Ernest Wayne Jr., Ric Smith, Isela Huerta
Anniversary - M/M Ed Castillo

February 18
Birthday - Vickie Bullard, Carla Jo Riggins, Luke Stroud, Beau Roberts, Buck Sell, Edith Breland, Blan Rutherford, J.D. Poer
Anniversary - M/M Richie Fletcher

February 19
Birthday - Melissa Quillin, Delphine Etling, Bob Womble, Stephanie Hays, Bennie Brogdon, David Kellum, Sylvia Rosales, Niki Taylor, Robert Dean Meire, Chuck Ball, Sylvia Taranto
Anniversary - M/M Dorsey Perez, M/M Lupe Moreno, M/M Larry Trosper

February 20
Birthday - Brant Armes, Ed Mayfield, Greg Stork, Tessa Yanke, Kathy Brown, John Antalek, Terry Morris, Melissa Holt, Brenda Moyer, Steve Shields, Clayton Hergert, Bill Volden, Cody Brandvick, Rosemary McKee, Jeannie Folwen, Pauline McGee, Richey Thompson
Anniversary - M/M Wilson Bruning, M/M Charles Evans, M/M Jon Hart

February 21
Birthday - Sandra Proffitt, Walter McDade, Lisa Meisner, Raul Ortega, Ann Thomas, Chandler Adkins, Tom Speck, C.J. Renteria
Anniversary - Ken & JoAnn Schneider

Our Sympathy

BILLY "BILL" MARVIN MOORE



Billy "Bill" Marvin Moore, 77, formerly of Gruver, TX; Guymon, OK; and Amarillo, TX; died Friday, January 21, 2011, in Columbia, MO.

Bill was born on March 21, 1933, in Hastings, OK, to E.S. and Sadie (McCurdy) Moore.
 He served in the US Army from 1953 to 1955 on active duty then continued his service in the Army Reserves until 1961.

Bill married the love of his life, Mary Ellen Huff, on September 26, 1955 in Lovington, NM. They had two sons, Gerald born in 1956 and Gordon born in 1957.

The family moved to Gruver in 1965 where he and Mary were self-employed. Gerald and Gordon were active in FFA and sports at GHS with Bill and Mary as strong supporters of the boys' activities, never missing a stock show.

He and Mary moved to Guymon in 1985 where Bill worked for Phillips as a truck driver. They moved to Amarillo in 1996 and enjoyed retirement and building new friendships. Bill moved to Sedalia, MO in 2002 to be near Gerald and his family.

Bill loved his family dearly, was a good friend to those who knew him and always "gave more than a fair day's labor" for those he worked for. He was a great Dad to his sons, a super PaPa to his grandsons and granddaughters and BillPa to his great-grandson. He will be truly missed by each of them.

He was preceded in death by his wife Mary on November 15, 1999; sisters, Rita Moore and Ruby Pruett; brothers, E.E. "Son" Moore, Dick Moore and Robert Moore; and mother-in-law, Audrey Huff.

Bill is survived by his sons, Gerald and wife Kay of Sedalia and Gordon and wife Misha of Goodwell, OK; grandchildren, David and wife Danae of Goodwell, OK, Courtney Jackson and husband Clayton of Wichita Falls, TX, Jace of Jefferson City, MO, Megan of Sedalia; great-grandson, Trighton of Goodwell, OK; sisters, Lois Roach of Santa Rosa, CA, Roxie Hood of Glen Carbon, IL, and Lacy Simpson of Las Cruces, NM. He is also survived by a host of in-laws, nieces, nephews, and friends.

Celebration of life services will be at 1:30 p.m. Saturday, February 12, at First Baptist Church in Gruver with Rev. Mark Patterson of Newalla, OK officiating. A time of visitation will follow the service. Family burial will be at 11:00 a.m. at Gruver Cemetery. Local arrangements by Henson-Novak Funeral Directors of Guymon, OK.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorials be to the hospice unit of Harry S. Truman Memorial Veterans' Hospital, ATTN: Voluntary Service, 800 Hospital Drive, Columbia, MO 65201 along with a note indicating that the memorial is honor of Bill.

BETTY CHARLENE SPIVEY



Betty Charlene Spivey passed away Tuesday, February 8, at the age of 79 years and 25 days.

Funeral services will be at the United Methodist Church on Friday February 11 at 2 PM. Arrangements by Boxwell Bros Funeral home in Spearman. Burial will be at the Gruver Cemetery.

Betty Charlene was born to E.B. and Francis Boyd on January 14, 1932 at Wheelers, Oklahoma, a nice community near Boise City, Ok. Charlene attended school there at Felt, graduating from Clayton High School.

John Hix Spivey had moved to that community where they became acquainted and later began dating. Hix and Charlene married October 29, 1950 and enjoyed a lovely party given by their children in Amarillo 60 years later.

Charlene was a wonderful wife, mother and grandma. She had many names such as Grandma, Sis, MaMa and Gmo. She would always put family ahead of herself; she always enjoyed sewing for children and grandchildren and could mend and alter any garment to a fit. Over many years she had made quilts for all her grandchildren. Later great-grandchildren appeared for a happy Gmo to love.

Charlene always loved to cook for large family gatherings and always had homemade cookies for her grandchildren. She also enjoyed flowers and gardening. Charlene was a member of the United Methodist Church where she always enjoyed being in attendance when possible. She was preceded in death by her parents EB and Frances Boyd and a brother George Clinton Bud Boyd.

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Gruver Band Concert

The Gruver Band will be holding their Mid-Winter program on Thursday, February 10, 2011 at 7 p.m. in the Gruver Auditorium. Please make plans to attend the concert and support the Gruver bands, as these students have put in an endless amount of hard work and dedication into preparing for this concert! The high school band will be performing their pieces for the UIL concert contest in March. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to hear the students perform very difficult music and really show off their abilities as a musician. We are very proud of each and every one of the children and are blessed by their talents every single day!

Elementary Parent Seminar Rescheduled

The Elementary Parent Seminar that was scheduled for February 10, 2011 will be rescheduled for a later date so that we can all enjoy the Band concert! Look forward to seeing you there!

Rushing Wind Emmaus Community

Rushing Wind Emmaus Community will meet at the United Methodist Church in Follett on February 12 at 6 p.m. starting with a potluck meal. A nursery will be provided.

Perryton Area Parkinson's Disease Support Group

The Perryton Area Parkinson's Disease Support Group will meet February 11, 2011 at the Perryton Mennonite Church, 2821 S. Ash. Lunch will be provided for the noon meeting. Scott Ramsbottom from the Alternative Program at OGH will give a program on their services that they provide. Anyone who has PD or has a family member with it is welcome to attend. Call Bev Burger for more information at 435-3437/435-0579.

Miss Irish Rose Pageant

Once again, Shamrock, Texas will be hosting their annual Saint Patrick's Celebration on March 18-20, 2011. One of the many highlights of this celebration is the crowning of Miss Irish Rose. This scholarship pageant is open to all young ladies that are between the ages of 14-19 and enrolled in high school. None of the contestants need to live in the Shamrock or Texas area, nor do they need to be currently holding a title to reign. The 2011 Miss Irish Rose, along with her three runner-ups and Miss Congeniality, will receive scholarships to the college of their choice. For further information, please send a SASE to Miss Irish Rose, Attention Terri Whiteley, 17 S Nebraska, Shamrock TX 79079, or call Terri at 806-216-0449, or the Chamber of Commerce Office at 806-256-2501. The deadline for entry forms to be received is March 3, 2011.

Project Graduation

The parents of the Spearman High School Senior Class of 2011 are hosting a "Project Graduation Party" following commencement exercises Friday, May 27th. This event is sponsored by the Texas Department of Transportation. This project offers the students the opportunity to have an alcohol and drug free celebration. To encourage the students to stay the entire night, door prizes are distributed throughout the evening. All students staying the entire night will be awarded a \$100 gift card. Prizes, gift certificates, and cash are needed for the evening's gifts. If you, the community, who have supported and encouraged these seniors for the past 13 years of school, would like to share in this final "Class of 2011" memory (making this project "special"), please contact either Sharon Kern at 659-2017; Sherry Boyd at 659-3844; or Tammy Benton at 659-3071. Contributions or donations can be mailed to: Project Graduation, Tammy Benton, P.O. Box 415, Spearman, TX 79081. On behalf of the parents and family of the Senior Class, we would like to thank you for all of your support.

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The District Clerk's Office for Hansford County is no longer issuing applications for passports. The public can have an application issued from the District Clerk's Office at the Courthouse in Stinnett or the Post Office in Perryton.

Take Off Pounds Sensibly

Take Off Pounds Sensibly meets on Tuesday mornings at 8:30 a.m. at the First Christian Church in Gruver. For more information, contact Marilyn Been at 806-733-2087.

Hansford Gun Club Rifle Shoot

The Hansford Gun Club holds a .22 rifle shoot on the second Sunday of each month, starting at 1:30 p.m. at the gun range (located on Hwy. 15 between Spearman and Gruver).

Care Packages

If you would like to help with Care Package Drop Offs, please contact Less Sullivan at lessullivan@hotmail.com. Less is collecting items for care packages in conjunction with AmericaSupportsYouTexas.com. Journals are also located at the O'Loughlin Center, Spearman High School, and Gus Birdwell Elementary for anyone wishing to sign them. For more information, contact Less at 330-0973.

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Adult ESL Class

Improve your English skills and enroll in an adult ESL Class. Learn to speak the English Language and receive the educational skills necessary to help your children in school. Registration will be the first night of class. Classes begin Thursday, September 16, 2010, and will be held from 6:30-8 p.m. at Spearman High School. Mrs. Lopez will be the instructor. Classes will be held on Tuesday and Thursday nights. There is no charge for the class. For more information call Cindy Blackman at the Community Resource office, 659-3233.

Stedje Wins at Fort Worth Stock Show

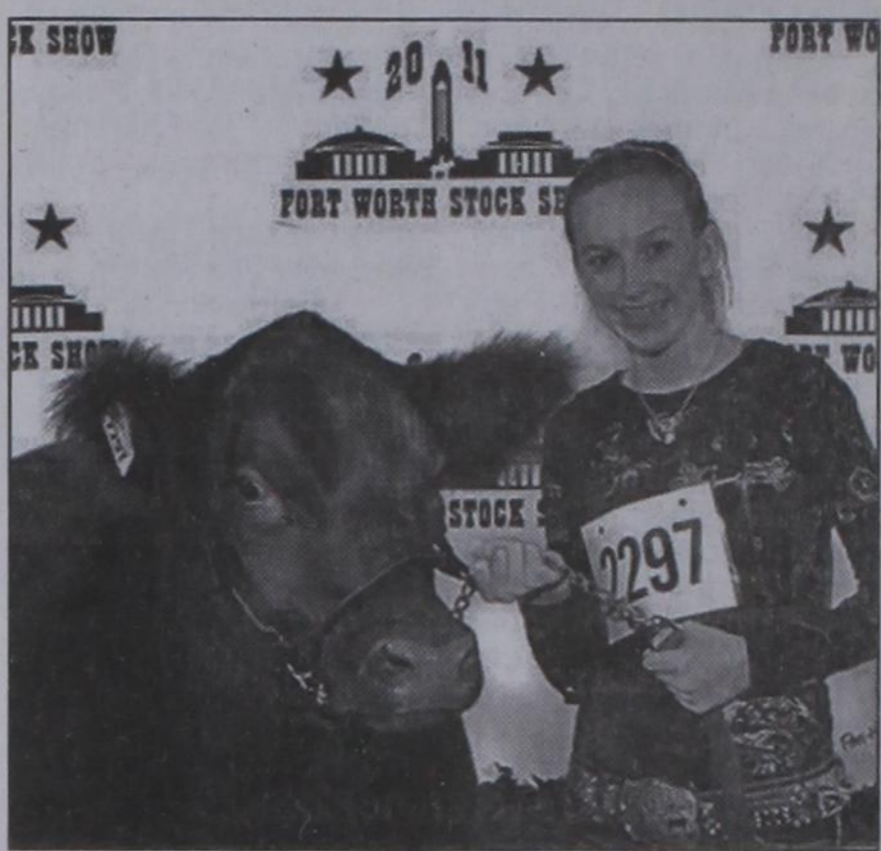
Bailey Stedje, FFA member from Gruver, exhibited the 1st Place Light Weight Shorthorn in the Junior Market Steer Show at the 2011 Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo on February 3, 2011. The 2011 Show is proud to be hosting nearly 10,000 junior exhibitors from across Texas, competing for prizes and \$91,585 in premiums.

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- Donia & Jason Varnon (Girl) - 2/19
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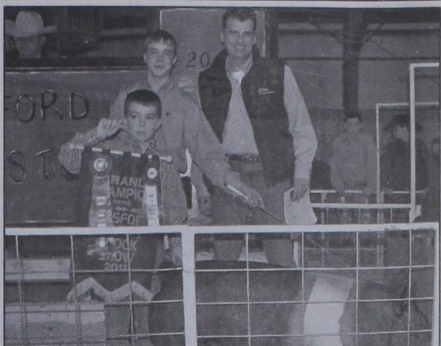
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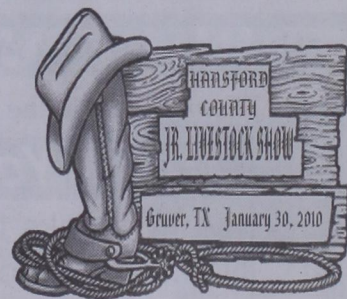


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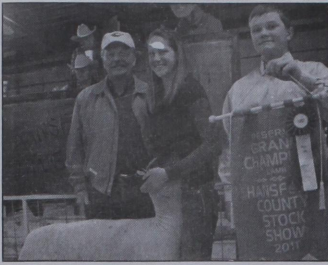
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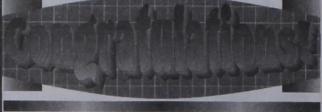
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The annual Hansford County Junior Livestock Show and Premium Sale were held on Friday and Saturday, January 28th and 29th, 2011 at the Hansford County Barn in Spearman.

A total of 177 animals were shown with the sale bringing in \$308,000, with money still coming in. The following clubs and organizations were represented: Gruver Jr. FFA, Morse 4-H, Spearman 4-H, and Spearman FFA. Due to weather conditions, the judging contests were not held, and the livestock show was held in one day instead of two.

Friday's show will begin at 7 a.m. with the weighing in of all steers and lambs. The grand opening of the show will be held at 9 a.m.

The lamb show will begin at 9:00AM, with the steer show following at 1 p.m. The weighing of pigs will be held after the steer show.

Saturday's schedule is as follows: 9 p.m. - Swine show; 6:30 p.m. - floor prices will be auctioned, with the presentation of Showmanship and Commercial Steer Awards. Immediately following the presentation of awards, the auction will begin. The sell order will be - lamb, swine and steer.

The Showmanship Awards are as follows: Market Lamb Senior Showmanship - Jace Lane; Market Lamb Junior Showmanship - Jonathan Crowl; Market Steer Senior Showmanship - Jennifer Crowl; Market Steer

Junior Showmanship - Bailey Stedje; Market Swine Senior Showmanship - Malory Martin; Market Swine Junior Showmanship - Wyatt Poer

The Livestock Show Results are as follows: Grand Champion Lamb - Tyann Hight; Reserve Grand Champion Lamb - Jennifer Crowl; Grand Champion Steer - Brenna Reid; Reserve Grand Champion Steer - Jacob Lieb; Grand Champion Swine - Richard Jarvis; Reserve Grand Champion Swine - Trent Goodheart;

OPB Breed Champion - Jose Martinez; OPB Reserve Breed Champion - Rayel Anderson; Duroc Breed Champion - Brantly Shields; Duroc Reserve Breed Champion - Scarlett Shields; Hampshire Breed Champion - Richard Jarvis; Hampshire Reserve Breed Champion - Jaci Burgin; Yorkshire Breed Champion - Trent Goodheart; Yorkshire Reserve Breed Champion - Carter Armes; Cross Breed Champion - Lauren Patterson; Cross Reserve Breed Champion - Alec Cenicerros

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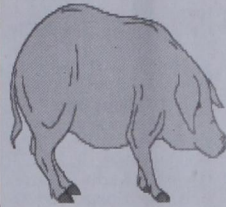
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Hansford County Stock Show Results

MARKET LAMB RESULTS

01 Fine Wool

1. Gina Gillispie, Morse 4-H; 2. Ry Clark, Morse 4-H; 3. Nikki Boyd, Spearman FFA; 4. Braxton Crane, Gruver 4-H; 5. Katy McLennan, Gruver 4-H; 6. Taos Anderson, Gruver 4-H

02 Medium Wool

1. Katie Miesner, Morse 4-H; 2. Cooper Lieb, Morse 4-H; 3. Jonathan Crowl, Morse 4-H; 4. Beau Brown, Spearman 4-H

03 Medium Wool

1. Tylo Farrar, Spearman 4-H; 2. Makayla Wheelock, Gruver 4-H; 3. Daniel Jarvis, Spearman 4-H; 4. Sierra Butman, Gruver 4-H; 5. Justin Bass, Gruver FFA; 6. Rayel Anderson, Gruver 4-H

04 Medium Wool

1. Jennifer Crowl, Morse 4-H; 2. Jace Lane, Morse 4-H; 3. Kaitlyn Stedje, Gruver 4-H; 4. Lane Farrar, Spearman 4-H; 5. Matthew Jarvis, Spearman 4-H; 6. Brittney Grimes, Gruver 4-H; 7. Macy McLennan, Gruver 4-H

05 Medium Wool

1. TeAnna Lively, Spearman 4-H; 2. Richard Jarvis, Spearman 4-H; 3. KD McCloy, 4. Spearman 4-H; Allison Brown, Spearman 4-H; 5. Lauren Ferguson, Spearman 4-H; 6. Luis Almanza, Spearman 4-H; 7. Makenzie Crane, Gruver 4-H

06 Medium Wool

1. Tyann Hight, Spearman 4-H; 2. Reese Clark, Morse 4-H; 3. Carson

Pearson, Spearman FFA; 4. Mattie McCloy, Spearman 4-H; 5. Reed Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 6. Kambree Desmond, Gruver 4-H; 7. Kaycee Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 8. Sarah Jackson, Gruver Jr. FFA

07 Medium Wool

1. Halston Kenney, Spearman 4-H; 2. Kevin Ruiz, Spearman 4-H; 3. Cooper DeArmond, Spearman Jr. FFA

MARKET STEER RESULTS

21 Steers

1. Bailey Stedje, Gruver Jr. FFA; 2. Lauren Patterson, Spearman FFA; 3. Tyler Stedje, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Kaitlyn Stedje, Gruver 4-H

22 Steers

1. Jennifer Crowl, Morse 4-H; 2. Reed Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 3. Travis Stedje, Gruver 4-H; 4. Jace Lane, Morse 4-H; 5. Conner McCloy, Morse 4-H

23 Steers

1. Brenna Reid, Morse 4-H; 2. Zane Patterson, Spearman 4-H; 3. Kaycee Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 4. Audrey Lieb, Morse 4-H; 5. Wil McCloy, Morse 4-H; 6. Callie Stedje, Gruver FFA

24 Steers

1. Jacob Lieb, Morse 4-H; 2. Trace Patterson, Spearman 4-H; 3. Sierra Butman, Gruver 4-H; 4. Rayel Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 5. Taos Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 6. Kyler Cator, Spearman FFA

MARKET SWINE RESULTS

OPB

01 OPB

1. Jorge Caro, Spearman FFA; 2. Kelsey DeLuna, Gruver 4-H; 3. Taos Anderson, Gruver 4-H

02 OPB

1. Jose Martinez, Spearman FFA; 2. Rayel Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 3. Reed Anderson, Gruver 4-H; 4. Kaycee Anderson, Gruver 4-H

Duroc

03 Duroc

1. Scarlett Shields, Morse 4-H; 2. Kyler Cator, Spearman FFA; 3. Quentin Goodson, Gruver 4-H; 4. Brittney Grimes, Gruver 4-H; 5. Colton Close, Spearman FFA; 6. Judd Sutterfield, Spearman 4-H

04 Duroc

1. Brantly Shields, Spearman 4-H; 2. Tate Tyler, Gruver Jr. FFA; 3. Madison Williams, Gruver 4-H; 4. Caylin Grayson, Spearman 4-H; 5. Kevin Ruiz, Spearman 4-H

05 Duroc

1. Hunter Kenney, Spearman FFA; 2. Sawyer Sutterfield, Spearman 4-H; 3. Klaire Irwin, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Marlie Kelp, Spearman 4-H; 5. Braxton Crane, Gruver 4-H; 6. Makenzie Crane, Gruver 4-H

Hampshire

06 Hampshire

1. Kaysha Bass, Gruver 4-H; 2. Ry Clark, Morse 4-H; 3. Isaiiah Navarette, Spearman Jr. FFA; 4. Lauren Williams, Gruver 4-H; 5. Blaise Davis, Gruver Jr. FFA

07 Hampshire

1. Bailey Stedje, Gruver Jr. FFA; 2. Audrey Lieb, Morse 4-H; 3. Ruby Thornton, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Addie Williams, Gruver 4-H; 5. Juan Lopez, Spearman 4-H; 6. Trenton Baird, Spearman 4-H

08 Hampshire

1. Richard Jarvis, Spearman FFA; 2. Reid Harrell, Spearman 4-H; 3. Bailey Glass, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Dustyn Kelley, Spearman 4-H; 5. Karissa Martinez, Spearman Jr. FFA; 6. Nikki Boyd, Spearman FFA

09 Hampshire

1. Ryan Schnell, Spearman FFA; 2. Joshua Martinez, Spearman FFA; 3. Creed Spivey, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Barrett Kenney, Spearman 4-H; 5. Jace Lane, Morse 4-H

10 Hampshire

1. Jace Lang Swan, Spearman 4-H; 2. Dax Haight, Gruver Jr. FFA; 3. Greyson Karlin, Gruver FFA; 4. Cooper DeArmond, Spearman 4-H; 5. Mabry Sutterfield, Spearman 4-H

11 Hampshire

1. Jaci Burgin, Spearman 4-H; 2. Malory Martin, Spearman FFA; 3. Bailey Rae Poer, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Sierra Butman, Gruver 4-H

Yorkshire

12 Yorkshire

1. Rito Mendoza, Gruver FFA; 2. William Jackson, Spearman 4-H; 3. Shakota Field, Morse 4-H; 4. TeAnna Lively, Spearman 4-H; 5. Braedon Ralston, Gruver 4-H; 6. Tanner Baird, Spearman 4-H

H

13 Yorkshire

1. Trent Goodheart, Spearman FFA; 2. Allison Brown, Spearman FFA; 3. Jennifer Crowl, Spearman FFA; 4. Travis Stedje, Gruver 4-H

14 Yorkshire

1. Carter Armes, Gruver 4-H; 2. Justin Bass, Gruver FFA; 3. Serena Harbour, Morse 4-H; 4. Payton Harrell, Spearman 4-H

Cross

15 Light Cross

1. Alec Ceniceros, Spearman FFA; 2. Colton Cator, Spearman 4-H; 3. Creed Callaway, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Ansley Red, Gruver Jr. FFA; 5. Shelby Williams, Gruver FFA

16 Light Cross

1. Jonathan Crowl, Spearman Jr. FFA; 2. Kambree Desmond, Gruver 4-H; 3. Payton Thoreson, Gruver FFA; 4. Carson Williams, Gruver Jr. FFA; 5. Reese Clark, Morse 4-H

17 Light Cross

1. Lauren Patterson, Spearman FFA; 2. Trace Patterson, Spearman 4-H; 3. Bryce Jarvis, Spearman FFA; 4. Alexandria Jackson, Spearman FFA; 5. Beau Brown, Spearman Jr. FFA

18 Light Cross

1. Karsten Irwin, Gruver Jr. FFA; 2. Keegan Kelp, Spearman 4-H; 3. Carter Burgin, Spearman 4-H; 4. Carson Pearson, Spearman FFA; 5. John Bergin, Gruver FFA; 6. Michaela Davis, Gruver Jr. FFA; 7. Haley Byers, Morse 4-H

19 Light Cross

1. Daniel Jarvis, Spearman Jr. FFA; 2. Wyatt Womble, Spearman Jr. FFA; 3. Macy Haight, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Halli Mans, Gruver FFA; 5. Tyler Stedje, Gruver Jr. FFA; 6. Marshall Thornton, Gruver Jr. FFA; 7. Rhett Sparks, Gruver 4-H

20 Dark Cross

1. Reece Shields, Spearman 4-H; 2. Brenna Reid, Morse 4-H; 3. Zane Patterson, Spearman 4-H; 4. Sarah M. Jackson, Spearman 4-H

21 Dark Cross

1. Wyatt Poer, Gruver Jr. FFA; 2. Jacob Lieb, Morse 4-H; 3. Matthew Jarvis, Spearman FFA; 4. Kennedy Venneman, Gruver Jr. FFA

22 Dark Cross

1. Thaxton Boyd, Spearman 4-H; 2. Halston Kenney, Spearman 4-H; 3. Tyann Hight, Spearman 4-H; 4. Jade Red, Gruver Jr. FFA

23 Dark Cross

1. Callie Stedje, Gruver FFA; 2. Cooper Lieb, Morse 4-H; 2. Hadlee Spivey, Gruver Jr. FFA; 4. Jack Karlin, Gruver FFA; 5. Maggie Pipkin, Spearman 4-H

Thank You!
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REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ) FOR COMMUNITY SHELTER(S) DESIGN SERVICES

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A frozen Lake Palo Duro.

February 7, 2011 - Lake level - 45.69

The recent frigid temperatures froze Lake Palo Duro completely, except for a small area where ducks and geese kept it open. Today, it is forty five degrees, but more cold and snow is in the forecast. The picture shows the frozen lake, from the south side, looking toward the morning glory spillway.

The ducks and geese sometimes use the open water, but many just stand on the ice. It is comical to

watch them land on the ice. They slide just as we would. The geese leave the lake, to feed in the nearby fields, or just get up and fly around, only to return to the frozen landing place.

Ramon counted eight eagles on Saturday. I could only see four this morning, using the spotting scope at the office. Two eagles were on the ice, eating something. I presume their prey was a duck or goose. The past has shown that we get more eagles when it is really cold.

I have not seen many quail, in a while. You might have read the article in Amarillo's Sunday paper, stating that quail numbers are down.

I get a lot of questions about the driftwood here at the lake. Many would like to cut it and use it for firewood. It is mostly dry cottonwood, and would burn fast. It would not be the best, but the price is right. You are welcome to get all you want. It will eventually be piled up and burned, or just decay anyway.

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