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Sneak Preview of Area's Six-Man Football

*Local 2015 Season Will Kick Off
With Two State-Ranked Grid Squads*

Courtesy of Lamesa Press Reporter

By Dwight Hines

All five of the neighboring six-man high school football teams are anxiously awaiting the 2015 high school football season with great anticipation.

Two of this area's six-man football will enter this upcoming season ranked among the best in the Lone Star State.

At Gail the Borden County Coyotes not only are primed to make a run at an eighth straight league crown, but the Gail Gang is also ranked as the best Division I six-man team in the state, according to Dave Campbell's Texas Football magazine.

Coming off one of their best seasons on the gridiron in many years, the Sands Mustangs are ranked as the seventh best six-man football team in the state in D II.

The Klondike Cougars, Dawson Dragons and O'Donnell Eagles have playoff aspirations of their own heading into this season. Starting this Monday morning, the first day for high school football workouts across the state, these hungry gridgers began working

toward feeding some of those appetites.

Here is a sneak preview of each of the area's six-man high school football teams.

Borden County Coyotes

Borden County Coach Trey Richey is well aware of the pros and cons of having one of the top-ranked six-man teams in the state.

"We feel good about the kids we've got back and we also feel good about the type of hard work which our kids have put into this deal," Richey said.

"But, it really doesn't matter what people think, you've still got to be able to go out and perform. As long as we go out and do what we're capable of doing, we feel like we could end up making a pretty good run."

Experience is one of BC's biggest pluses this season.

"We graduated some good kids from a year ago, but we've still got good experience coming back," Richey said.

"We graduated most of last year's line, which right now is

one glaring issue that we've got to address."

Richey welcomes back seven key players from last year's 11-1 club, including two seniors in Korbin Martinez, a two-time all-state cornerback and center, as well as lineman Colby Pennell. Also back are three juniors in quarterback/safety Hunter Jones, tailback/cornerback Corbin Sumners and cornerback Jayton Lewis. Also back are sophomores Trace Richey at fullback and linebacker and Ryan Willborn at running back and defensive end.

The Coyotes have two scrimmage tests—Aug. 14 at Garden City and Aug. 20 against Robert Lee at Gail—before kicking off their 2015 season on Aug. 28 when they will take on two-time defending state champion Crowell as part of Jayton's Kickoff Classic.

"We'll find out just where we're at pretty quick," Richey



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Borden Co. ISD Registration Set for August 11th-12th

With August underway, it is just a few weeks before the start of the 2015-2016 school year at Borden County School. Classes resume on Monday, August 24th, 2015.

Borden County I.S.D. Junior High and High School students should plan to register for the upcoming school year. Registration has been set for Tuesday and Wednesday, August 11th -12th, 2015 in the BCISD Library. Students new to the district, including new elementary students, as well as current BJH & BHS students, should register on these days. Registration will be open from 9:00-3:00 both days. Students will be seen on a first come, first-serve basis.

All students NEW to Borden County ISD will need the following items for registration: Social Security card, birth certificate, and shot

record.

BJH students (grades 6-8) will receive their class schedules and will select their lockers. The process should be completed in about 5-10 minutes.

BHS students (grades 9-12) will pick up their class schedule and select their lockers. Mrs. Spencer will meet with all high school students to update or create their four-year graduation plan during tutorials once school is in session.

On a special note, football players need to register before/after practice depending on the football workout schedule. Registration is not an excuse to miss practice!

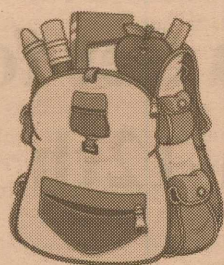
If you have questions concerning registration, please do not hesitate to call Mr. McMeans or Mrs. Stansell at the school during regular office hours at 806-756-4313

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Borden County Elementary School Supply List 2015-2016

Kindergarten: Elmer's school glue (not paste), 2-glue sticks, 2-boxes of 16 Crayons, Scissors (Fiskars for kids), 4-#2 pencils 2-folders w/pockets, Big eraser, Supply box (cigar box size), Towel for nap time, Baby wipes/wet wipes (2 box), 1 box-Kleenex, Gym Shoes.

First Grade: 2-Boxes of 16 Crayons, 12-#2 Pencils, Scissors, 2 bottles Elmer's Glue, 2-Glue sticks, 4-Boxes Kleenex, 2-Pink eraser, Gym shoes, 1 bottle of sanitizer. **NO FOLDERS AND NO SPIRAL NOTEBOOKS PLEASE!**

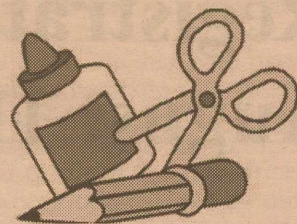


Second Grade: 24-#2 Pencils, 2 boxes of 16 ct. crayons or more, 2 Bottles Elmer's Glue, 2 Glue sticks, Flexible ruler, Scissors (Fiskars for Kids), Erasers, Colored pencils, 2 Boxes Kleenex, 1-Composition notebook, 1-Box Wipes, Gym shoes. **No folders or pencil sharpeners, please.**

Third Grade: 1-3-ring binder, 1-Ruler (metric & standard), 4-Red pens, 1 Bottle school glue, 2-Glue sticks, 2-Pocket folders (no brads), 10-

#2 Pencils, Crayons, Scissors, 1 Box Kleenex, 1 Box wet wipes, 8 dividers, 1 Pkg. notebook paper (wide ruled), 1 Pkg. 3X5 index cards, Composition book, Gym shoes.

Fourth Grade: 1-1" 3 ring binder, 1-Pkg. notebook paper, 1-Set of subject dividers, 1-pocket folder of choice, 1-Spiral notebook, Markers, 1 box 24 Crayons, 1 box #2 Pencils, 2-red grading pens, Colored pencils, 3-Composition book, 1-Ruler (metric & standard), 2-large Glue sticks, Scissors, 1-Bottle Elmer's school glue, Scotch tape, 1-Box Kleenex, Gym shoes.



Fifth Grade: 1-1 inch 3 ring binder, 1-set of dividers w/tabs (5), 1-Pocket folder of choice, 3-Composition notebooks (not spiral notebooks), 1-Box #2 pencils (may be mechanical), 1-Pkg. wide ruled notebook paper, 1 package colored copy paper, 4-Red grading pens, 1-Black sharpie, 2-Large glue sticks, Tape dispenser and Scotch tape, Colored pencils, Crayola Washable Markers, Ruler w/ both inches and centimeters, Scissors, Highlighters, 1-Boxes of Kleenex, Gym shoes.

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said of that tough opening test.

"That first game's all about getting some identity—getting those feet wet—seeing what you're good at and also what you've got to work on.

Our first seven games are all about getting ready for those last three (district). Hopefully, we'll be a pretty good football team by the time we get there."

From the looks of things, it should be at Gail.

"We've been ranked here in the past, but it's been a while since we've had that big of a target on us. One of our mottos is winning today. As long as you can win each day, then good things are bound to happen," Richey said.

Dawson Dragons

After staying home from the Division II state six-man football playoffs for the first time since Ed Robison took over this program eight years ago, it would be an understatement to say the Dawson Dragons are hungry.

"We've gotten a little spoiled out here, which could end up being a good thing. A lot of it's about playing well at the right time. As long as you do that, then you should give yourself a shot at getting there," said Robison, who coached his first seven Dragon ball clubs at Welch to the playoffs.

"We always expect a lot from our kids. We also know that we might have to push a little harder to get things going our way again out here."

Being in the same district with two pre-season D II Top 10 clubs (Sands and Buena Vista), these Dragons know they have a tough road ahead of them. With only three returning starters this fall at Welch only adds to the Dragon's challenge.

A key player this year's Dragons could be junior Matheu Dela Rosa, making the move from receiver last year to running back this fall.

"He's one our best athletes, so we're hoping to put him in spots where he can do some things," Robison said of Dela

Rosa.

"We've just got to see how that puzzle fits together."

A couple other proven hands for the Dragons are junior quarterback Trey Sessums and Justin Contreras, the lone senior on this year's Dawson ball club.

Matheu's cousin, another Dragon junior, Austin Dela Rosa, could be another player to watch as well as junior lineman Zach Slocum.

"Austin's a great athlete. He's got just as much skills anybody when it comes to running, throwing and tackling, Robison said.

Following last year's narrow playoff miss, Robison is anxious to see just how hungry these Dragons are at Welch.

"Last year was a little tough on us, especially the way we missed it...those six turnovers that night against Sands, espe-

cially one down around the goal line. It always makes for a bad taste anytime you feel like you should have did something that you didn't," Robison said.

The Dragons kick off their 2015 season on Aug. 28 by hosting the Klondike Cougars at Welch. They will scrimmage Amherst and Wellman-Union on Aug. 15 at Welch and then against New Home on Aug. 21 at Whitharral.

Klondike Cougars

Klondike has had a shot at the playoffs going into the last week of the regular season each of the regular season each of the past three years. But, unfortunately for Cougar faithful, Grady has denied those Cougars of the post-season each of the past three seasons.

Here is hoping an experienced cast will help the Cougars get over that hump.

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Senior cornerback/center and two-time all-state player, Korbin Martinez (#27) will help lead the Coyote pack into the 2015 football season. The Coyotes are ranked No. 1 in Division I Six-Man football by Dave Campbell's Texas Football magazine. The Coyotes season begins with a scrimmage against Garden City on Aug. 14.

Borden Coyotes Ranked No. 1...

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"It's been a while since they've gotten there (the play-offs) from out here. We just want to do whatever we can to break through that wall," Klondike Coach Andrew Tijerina said.

The return of eight key players from last year's Cougars should help Tijerina do just that.

Returning starters at Klondike are seniors running back/safety Chris Arismendaz, running back/linebacker Aaron Skiles, running back/linebacker Michael Key, defensive end/wide receiver Marcos Molina and lineman Brock Barkowsky. A couple of other key players for the Cougars should be junior Zane Smith at running back and defensive end and sophomore Jayden Colman at running back and defensive end.

While pre-season No. 1 Borden County will be a big favorite to return to the playoffs, it should be an interesting battle for that second playoff spot in that league between Klondike, Grady and O'Donnell.

"Of course, Borden County's got to be the top dog going in. They'll be loaded again," Tijerina said. "Right now, O'Donnell, Grady and us look about even. It should be a battle here every Friday night."

Klondike's two scrimmages will be on Aug. 14 against Grandfalls-Royalty at Cougar Stadium and on Aug. 21 at Abilene Christian. The Cougars kick off their 2015 season on Aug. 28 at longtime rival Dawson.

"We've just got to come ready to work hard every day. We've got to be focused on getting better every practice, every day," Tijerina said.

O'Donnell Eagles

It has all the makings of an interesting training camp for

Coach Brad Bell's O'Donnell Eagles starting this Monday, the first day of practice.

"Everything's wide open out here," Bell said.

"Just because somebody started out here for us last year doesn't automatically mean that they're going to be out there again."

One of this year's key returnees at O'Donnell, however, will be senior middle linebacker Brandon Rosales, the Eagles' leading tackler a year ago.

"We felt like our guys got pushed around a lot last year. We felt like we've made some strides in the weight room but until we get our pads on out here, we'll have to see just how much that translates out there on the football field," Bell said. "Until we get those pads on that'll be hard to gauge."

This is Bell's third year to be the Eagles' head football coach, his 25th overall in this business.

The Eagles will scrimmage at Meadow on Aug. 15 and then against Wellman-Union on Aug. 20 before kicking off their 2015 season on Aug. 28 at Southland.

"Borden County has got to be the favorite, but out of us other three it could come down to whoever lays the best that particular night," Bell said.

With all those strides that Bell has been seeing in the offseason, it is no wonder that he is so anxious to get back out on that field again.

"Right now, we're just so much stronger than what we were two years ago. Physically, we're just way bigger and way stronger," Bell said.

"There aren't any shortcuts to getting there. It all comes back down to hard work and our guys have been putting that

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Please realize that teachers may add to their list on the first day of school...
College classes will receive instructions that day as well.

Mr. Benavidez - Spanish I, Spanish II, & Spanish III

- 1 1/2" Notebook
- Dividers
- Notebook Paper
- Red pens
- Plenty of 3"x 5" note cards

Elementary P.E.

- Gym Shoes (if your child cannot tie his/her shoes, please provide Velcro snaps)

Mr. Hill-Science (7th & 8th) Science, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, A & P

- Binder-To keep papers
- Composition notebook
- Set of 5-tab dividers for binder

Mr. Edwards - Social Studies (7th)

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- Notebook
- Pens
- Red pens

Mrs. Herridge - English I, English II, English III, English IV, Science (6th), Speech

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 - RED pens
 - Loose-leaf notebook paper
 - 3X5 Index Cards
- Science Class (6th)
 - Red Pens (10)
 - Pens-Black/Blue
 - Pencils
 - Homework Folder
 - 1 1/2 inch 3 ring notebook
 - Dividers (At least 5)
 - 3 X 5 index cards
 - Map colors or colored pencils (at least 24)

Mrs. Key - Math (6th, 7th, & 8th), Algebra I, Technology Applications (7th)

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 - Red pens
 - Highlighters
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- Algebra I
 - 1 or 3 subject spiral
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 - Plenty of pencils
 - Red pens

Ms. Mayes - Reading (6th), Social Studies (6th) English (6th) English (7th)

- Two inch 3-Ring Notebook (No zippers or flaps)
- One Spiral Notebook
- Dividers
- Map colors
- Blue or black ink pens
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- Scissors
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- 1- Box Kleenex (sixth grade only)
- 2-Magazines that be cut (to be used during year for projects)

Ms. Ferquhar - Agriculture Science (8th-12th)

- 3-Ring Notebook
- 9 Dividers with labels
- Pens
- Pencils
- Notebook Paper

Ms. Phillips - Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, Math Models

- Notebook paper
- 3 Ring Binder
- Dividers
- Plenty of pencils
- Colored pens for grading

Mr. Richey - Math (7th & 8th), Geometry

- Notebook paper
- Spiral notebook
- Dividers (5 or 6)
- Pencils
- Red pens (No other colors needed)
- Highlighter
- Dry erase marker (2 or 3)
- Compass-optional
- Protractor-optional
- 7th & 8th Grades: Inexpensive calculator

Mr. Skelton - Social Studies (8th), World Geography (9th), World History (10th), U.S. History (11th)

- Notebook paper or spirals
- Pens-Blue or Black
- 4 pkgs. 3 X 5 index cards
- Red Pens

Mrs. Skelton - Reading (7th & 8th) English (8th)

- 1.5 - 2 inch hard cover 3 ring notebook
- Blue or black pens
- 2 Pkgs. notebook paper (wide ruled, NO COLLEGE RULED)
- Red pens for grading
- 2 Pkgs. 3 X 5 notecards
- Composition book (like the black and white ones)
- **8th graders will need two separate notebooks, one for Reading and one for ELA

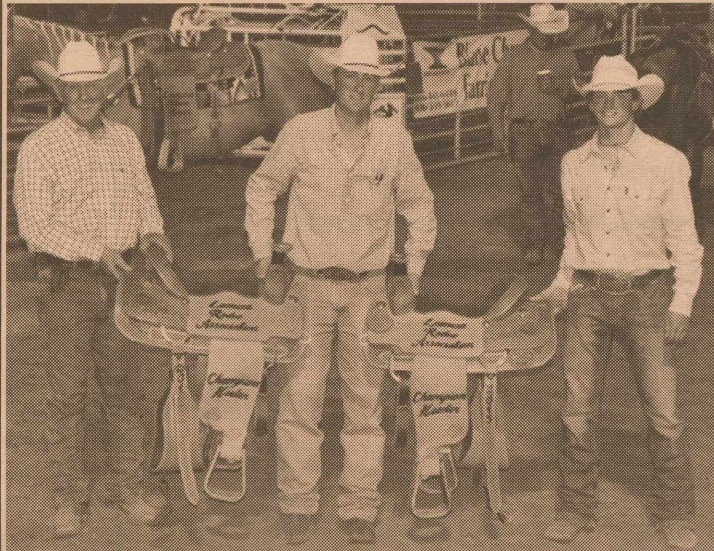
Ms. Wagner - Band (6th-12th)

- Good attitude and a willingness to work

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Champion Calf Roper and Team Ropers

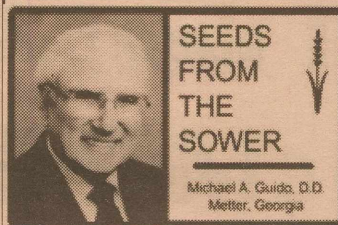
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Troy Howard (above left) and Hunter Jones (right) are presented the Champion Healer and Champion Header saddles, respectively, as the winning Team Ropers in the Dawson/Borden County Roping Finals held last Thursday night during the 66th annual Lamesa Rodeo. Jones and Howard came into the finals with the top average time on two head of cattle after last Saturday evening's preliminaries that were held at the Lamesa Rodeo Arena. Cody King (center), president of the Lamesa Rodeo Association, made the saddle presentations. Kirk Jones (below right) was presented with the Champion Calf Roper saddle by King, following the county finals. Jones also had the fastest time in last Saturday's preliminaries.



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Thought for the Day

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-Mark Twain

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Storing Fruits and Vegetables

Summer is here and that means many fruits and vegetables are now in season. Many people have started growing their own fruits and vegetables to help in cutting back on grocery costs, as well as have quality produce. However, oftentimes we wind up having more than we know what to do with!

There are many ways fruits and vegetables can be stored: on the counter, in the refrigerator, or in the freezer. Storing fruits and vegetables properly keeps them tasting better for longer. Adopt the "first in, first out" method -use the oldest fruits and vegetables first to prevent them from spoiling before they are used. When stored properly, most fruits and vegetables will keep for 3-5 days or longer after being purchased from the grocery store or picked from the garden. There are 3 different ways to store fresh fruits and vegetables:

Refrigerate: store grapes, apples, berries, cherries, broccoli, carrots, celery, leafy greens, green beans, cauliflower, and asparagus in the refrigerator at 40°F or lower to keep them fresh. Anything that has been cut up also needs to be kept in the refrigerator to prevent foodborne illness.

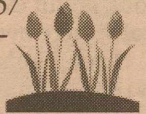
On the counter: melons, tomatoes, and squash should be kept on the counter away from direct light to keep fresh. Potatoes, onions, and sweet potatoes should also be kept out of the refrigerator but in a dark place such as a pantry or cupboard.

Ripen on counter and then store in refrigerator: avocados, nectarines, peaches, pears, and plums should be kept on the counter until they are ripe and then moved to the refrigerator to prevent further ripening.

Many fresh fruits and vegetables can be stored in the freezer for up to 6 months if the freezer is kept at 0°F or colder. Freezing excess fruit in individual containers to add to smoothies or as a quick topper to desserts is a great way to store them.

For more information on home food preservation, visit the National Center for Home Food Preservation web site at <http://nchfp.uga.edu/>.

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Doris Steadman
1932 - 2015

Doris Steadman, 82 of Ira, passed away at her residence on Saturday, July 25, 2015. Funeral services were held at 2 PM Friday, July 31, 2015 at Robert Massie Riverside Chapel in San Angelo with Pastor Leroy Ochoa officiating. Burial followed at Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens in San Angelo. Services were with Robert Massie Funeral Home.

Doris was the oldest of five children, born December 29, 1932 on the family farm near Eola to Gaston and Mamie (Edgington) Steadman. She attended San Angelo College and got her BS and Masters in education at the University of Arkansas. Doris dedicated her teaching career to Borden County ISD for more than four decades and always enjoyed keeping up with her former student's years after.

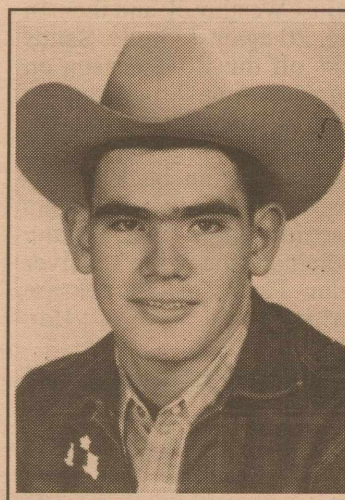
Doris was preceded in death by: her parents, brothers Gerald Steadman and Harold Steadman, and Sister Nelda Jenkins.

She is survived by: her sister Mary Jo Lewis of Lubbock and numerous nieces, nephews, and extended family.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made in her honor to the Borden County ISD, POB 95, Gail, Texas 79738.

"Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among nations; I will be exalted in Earth." Psalms 46:10

Online condolences can be given at www.RobertMassie.com.



Lonnie Allen Doyle
1937 - 2015

Lonnie Allen Doyle of O'Donnell departed this life on July 27, 2015, at the age of 77. He was born in Lamesa on November 9, 1937 to Garland and Eva (Light) Doyle. Lonnie married Marion Kay Baldwin on February 27, 1967. Lonnie worked as a farmer and for the Borden County Road Crew. He was a member of the Gail Church of Christ. Those left to cherish his memory are his mother, Eva Doyle; daughter, Kimberly French and husband Jonathan

of Odessa; sons, Maxie Doyle and wife Rebecca of Wyoming and Carley Doyle of Lubbock; brother, Larry Doyle of Greenville, TX; sister, Judy Kingston of Borden Co., TX; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Lonnie is preceded in death by his father, Garland; wife, Marion; brother-in-law, Glen and two nephews. Visitation was held at 11:00 a.m. Friday July 31, 2015 with family receiving friends from 6:00 -8:00 p.m. at Combest Family Funeral Homes, O'Donnell. Celebration of Life Services were held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday August 1, 2015, at North 14th Church of Christ, Lamesa, TX with interment followed at the Gail Cemetery.

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in to the point. Where we feel we're about to turn the corner."

Sands Mustangs

Back in 1976, Sands Coach Steve Keith played fullback and linebacker on Gorman's state championship football team.

Now, he is out to keep championship football going at Ackerly in his third season as the Mustangs' field boss. Last season, Keith's Mustangs went three rounds deep in the D II state playoffs.

"We've got some pretty good leaders in this group—the kind of kids who want to make a good showing in everything that we do, not just in football," Keith said. "We went ot state in cross country last year. We've get four starters back from a basketball

team which went three rounds deep in the playoffs last season. Our guys were also real close to getting our school record in the mile relay.

"Our guys are determined to prove to people that they can still do some things again."

Keith's Mustangs will have both of their scrimmage tests at home at Ackerly on Aug. 14 at home at Ackerly on Aug. 14 against Westbrook and then on Aug. 20 against Grady. Sands kicks off this 2015 season on Thursday, Aug. 7 by taking on Rotan at Westbrook.

The Mustangs have five starters coming back on offense, including two all-stars in senior's deep back Dayton Eddleman and wide receiver Dylan Tindol. Also back are senior wide out Dyllan

Segundo, senior center Austin Nichlols and junior running back Juan Diaz.

Returning starters in their defense are Diaz and Tindol at ends, Eddleman at linebacker and Segundo at safety.

It is no doubt; Keith's 30th year in the coaching profession could be very special.

Being No. 7 (Sands' state ranking) hasn't won any games for us, yet. Sure, it's exciting. It helps give us a standard to play for," Keith said. "It's going to be about working hard every day to where we can get better than No. 7."

After going three rounds deep in last year's state six-man playoffs, the fans at Ackerly are anxious to see what their Mustangs can do for an encore.

"We'd like to go at least two more games this season," Keith said. "It's a long season, starting in August and then all the way up until December. You've got to do your best to stay healthy and keep everybody excited.

"It could be a fun year out here, if everything goes right."

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Education, Experience and Skill Requirements: High school diploma or GED, and valid Texas Driver's License. Requires knowledge of computers and proficiency in Windows environment, database management strategies, Excel, PC Hardware, printers, word processing, a working knowledge of scanning process and other customary office equipment. Must have effective communication skills. Must be dependable, responsible, personable and detailed oriented. Must be able to maintain strict confidentiality, be competent in handling money and must be bondable. Must have good problem solving skills and be able to meet attendance requirements. Physical conditions commensurate with the demands of the office; Mainstream Business attire required. Must pass background investigation and pass drug screening.

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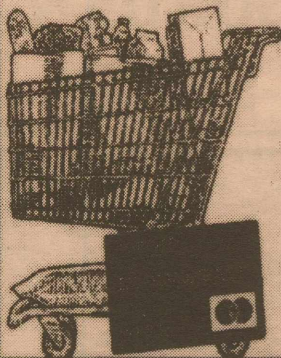
Interested applicants should submit a resume to the address or email below. Upon receipt of the applicants resume an application/background investigation packet will be provided and must be returned to the Sheriff.

Return application/background investigation packet and resume lo later than 4:00 p.m., Friday, August 14, 2015 to the Borden County Sheriff's Office

Contact: Sheriff Benn Allison, Borden County Sheriff's Office, PO Box 115, Gail, Texas, 79738 or email benny.allison@co.borden.tx.us

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BORDEN COUNTY ISD BID REQUEST

The Superintendent's Office, on behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District will receive bids and/or quotes for propane, diesel, and gasoline for the 2015-2016 school year.

Proposals shall be addressed to Billy Collins; Borden County Independent School District, Box 95, Gail, Texas 79738, and shall be delivered in a sealed envelope marked appropriately as "Propane Bid" and/or "Gasoline/Diesel Bid". Proposals may also be submitted by fax and/or by e-mail to the numbers or address listed below. Proposals will be received up to but no later than 1:00 P.M. on Friday, August 7, 2015. Bids will be opened and read as they are received. Proposals will be tabulated, researched, and selected by the Board of Trustees or its designee as appropriate. Bids received after the specified date will not be considered.

The Borden County ISD Board of Trustees or its designee reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposed bids, to waive any and all technicalities, and to accept the proposal that will best serve the needs of the District.

Questions regarding bid specifications and additional information shall be directed to Billy Collins by writing the above address; by e-mail to bcollins@bcisd.net; or by calling 806/756-4313. Transmissions by fax may be sent to 806/756-4310.

By Order of the Board of Trustees
Borden County Independent School District
Mike Valentine, Secretary

Borden County ISD Board Meeting

Regular Board Meeting - July 20th, 2015

The Board of Trustees of the Borden County Independent School District of Gail, Texas, met in regular session at 7:00 P.M. in the Board Room of the Borden County I.S.D. Board members present were John Anderson, Todd Holbrooks, Mike Valentine, Randy Hensley, Carol Lewis, Joel Dennis, and Dennis Poole. Billy Collins and Bart McMeans were also in attendance.

1. The meeting was called to order at 7:13 P.M. by John Anderson.

2. There was no community input.

3. A motion was made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Todd Holbrooks to approve the minutes of the May 18th, 2015 board meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

4. A motion was made by Mike Valentine and seconded by Randy Hensley to approve the June & July bills. The motion carried unanimously.

5. A motion was made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Todd Holbrooks to set a special board meeting for Monday, August 10th, at 7:00 P.M. and Set a Public Hearing and Regular Meeting to Adopt the 2015-2016 Budget and Set the Tax Rate on Monday, August 31st, at 7:00 p.m. The motion carried unanimously.

6. A motion was made by Mike Valentine and seconded by Carol Lewis to Approve Secretary, Local, Professional, Regular Employee, and Bi-County Salaries for the 2015-2016 school year. The motion carried unanimously.

7. No Action was taken regarding Professional Staffing and Fine Arts for the 2015-2016 School Year.

8. A motion was made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Randy Hensley to Approve TASB Localized Update 102. The motion carried unanimously.

9. A motion was made by Dennis Poole and seconded by Mike Valentine to approve Solicitation of Propane and Vehicle Fuel for the 2015-2016 School Year. The motion carried unanimously.

10. A motion was made by Dennis Poole and seconded by Todd Holbrooks to Approve an Option 3 Agreement (Purchase of Attendance Credits from the State) to Equalize Wealth for the 2015-2016 School Year. The motion carried unanimously.

11. No Action was taken after review of Borden County ISD Organizational Performance Rating Report.

12. No Action was taken after review of 2014-2015 Assessment Results for Borden County ISD.

13. A motion was made by Carol Lewis and seconded by Todd Holbrooks to Approve the School Health Advisory Committee Report. The motion carried unanimously.

14. A motion was made by Joel Dennis and seconded by Randy Hensley to approve the superintendent's report: Enrollment Report, Financial Report, Student Failure and Honor Roll Report. The motion carried unanimously.

15. A motion was made by Dennis Poole and seconded by Todd Holbrooks to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried unanimously.



Got News?

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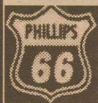
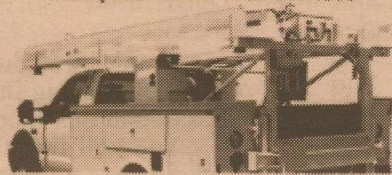
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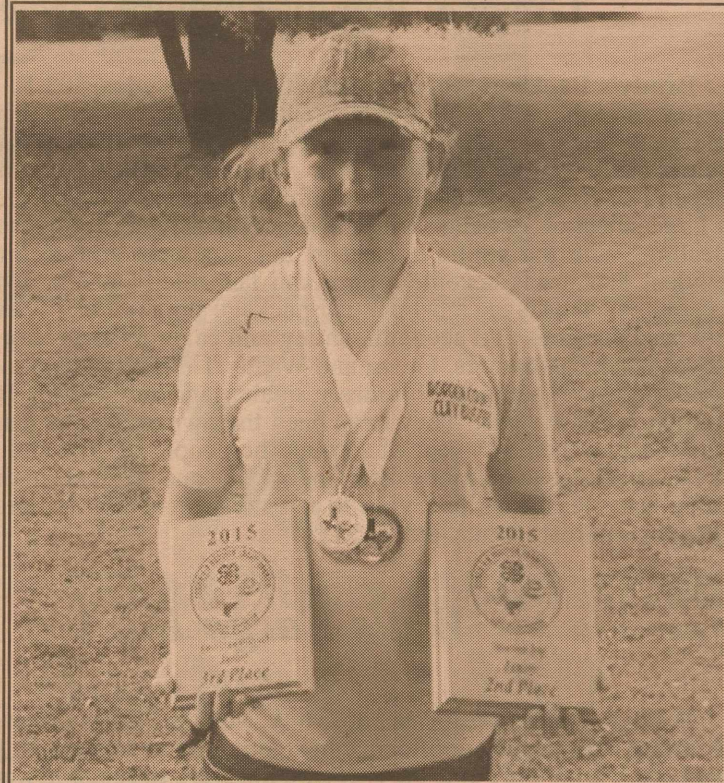
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State 4-H Shooting Sports Games...

Borden County was represented at the Texas 4-H Shooting Sports Games in San Antonio by Ryann Phillips and Kaylee Walker. Ryann (above) received the following awards: Junior Ladies Trap - 2nd; Junior Ladies American Overall - 3rd; Archery Junior Recurve: clout - 3rd; wand - 5th; 3D - 5th; modified 600 - 4th; she also competed in field. Kaylee (below right) received the following awards: 3rd Overall in Intermediate International Events and 6th Overall in the Intermediate American events. We are very proud of these young ladies for their hard work and dedication that they have given over the past several months! They have spent countless hours practicing and participating in invitational shoots as well as at our home range.



Business & Professional Good Neighbor Review of Post

Brady's Package Store

Gregg & Wendy Tidmore-Owners

Brady's Package Store is conveniently located at 503 E. Main in Post to better serve the people of this area. Nowhere will you find a firm that endeavors more to please its every customer regardless of the size of their order as conscientiously as they do. The people of this area have come to know they can depend on **Brady's Package Store** for all their party needs. Here can be found a large selection of beers, wines and liquors as well as mixes and ice. In their dealings with the public a spirit of fair treatment and accommodation is so evident that it has become a hard and fast rule "Once a customer, always a customer". This is the most popular package store in Post. Their employees are always courteous and accommodating and eager to serve you in anyway they know how. The owners, Gregg and Wendy Tidmore pledge to continue to uphold the fine reputation of honesty, quality and service that Brady's has been known for in the past. They have been the owners for the past 10 years. This year will be their 11th year of serving the people of Post and the surrounding area and pledge to continue their fine service and products in the future. We are more than pleased in this review to call attention to this very prominent place of business in Post, phone 495-3150.

Wells Fargo Bank

Wells Fargo Bank, located at 216 W. Main in Post is a member FDIC bank. A strong bank instills confidence in a community. Grow with your local bank. This bank is not only able but will care for every reasonable want of its customers. Our readers will find this bank a friendly bank, providing all of the facilities and services of a large city bank together with personal interest in every customer. So be prepared to take advantage of opportunity by depositing a reserve in this strong bank. When you are contemplating making an investment of any kind, it is a safe plan to consult the officers of this bank before you make that investment. A great deal of credit is due the officers and directors, who have done their best toward the developing of the farming, ranching and other interests of this area. The Community Board Members of this bank are fine, public spirited men who believe in this area and feel that there are better days ahead for the energetic person who works with a plan backed by sound judgment and reasoning. We are pleased to recommend to our readers this outstanding bank in Post, phone 806/495-2804.

Germania Insurance

Jerry Taylor-Agency

The reputation of **Jerry Taylor Insurance Agency** has been built upon has excellent insurance service, the satisfaction and good will of his many satisfied policy holders. One of the leaders of its kind in this section, this firm is under the management of a man who knows the insurance business and needs of his customers and furnishes a quality insurance service at fair prices. If you will come by his office, Jerry Taylor will be glad to go over your coverage with you and advise you on what additional insurance you might need. Or you may phone his office at 806/495-3330 and he will be glad to visit with you at your home or place of business and go over your insurance needs with you. After going over your insurance coverage and needs, he will advise you on how to meet any additional needs at the most economical price to you. At the present time he is serving a large number of people throughout this section in their insurance needs, whether for home or auto. In this review of the business and professional concerns of this section, we highly recommend **Jerry Taylor Insurance Agency**, your local **Germania Insurance** agent, located at 113 N. Ave. H in Post. Phone 495-3330 for any information or for an appointment.

George's Restaurant

Here is the popular meeting place for folks in this section. Stop here for a meal the next time you are in Post. They are located at 202 S. Broadway. The management invites you to drop in for some of the fine foods in which they specialize. There is something about **George's Restaurant** in Post that sets it apart from other eating places and makes it highly satisfactory. The extreme care and thought that goes into everything, the service, cooking and arrangement creates a dining atmosphere that should be visited regularly. The food is temptingly delicious and prepared in the most careful manner in a spotless, sanitary kitchen. You will find a delicious meal here with a variety of fresh vegetables and your favorite meats prepared to retain their natural flavors. Be sure to eat at **George's** when you are in Post and we are sure you will be most pleased with their food and service. **George** also has some of the finest BBQ to be found anywhere in this area. You can eat it there or carry it out. It is good for picnics, guests or just for a home meal. Phone 806/495-3777.

Farm Bureau Insurance

For all kinds of insurance call on **Farm Bureau** located at 117 E. Main Street in Post. This firm represents one of the largest companies and they are ready to serve you in your every insurance need. They are now serving a great number of people in this section with auto, home, business, farm and ranch insurance. They are so many things over which we have no control, both of a personal and property nature. You owe it to yourself and your family to insure against these things which do happen. When you think of insurance, think **Susan Boren Farm Bureau Agency**. Go over your needs with them and they will be able to assist you in selecting the kind of insurance suited to protect you adequately. Once they have made a study of your problems, you will be advised how best you can meet that manumit cost. You are invited to come in and discuss insurance with no obligation on your part and see for yourself if your protection is sufficient for all your needs. In this review we feel a sense of satisfaction in recommending this firm in Post for insurance of all kinds. Phone 806/495-0404 for any information.

Holly's Since 1971

This restaurant is located 615 Broadway in Post and is one of the finest and most popular in this section. They have gained a name that has spread over a large area as a place where both the local and traveling public can well satisfy their demands in good eating. The menu consists of many tempting dishes served with courtesy and a pleasant smile and is indeed the way of fast service and good food. Here you will find inside dinning in nice surroundings or if you wish they have curb service where by you may eat in the convenience of your own car. Or if its take-out you want, you may phone 806/495-2704 and they will bring it to you when you arrive. Everyone will find this a pleasant place to visit while in Post, whether working or shopping for the day.

KD's @ Twins

Ross & Kim Aten-Owners

People throughout this section shop at **KD's @ Twins** knowing that they can find everything in men's, women and children's clothing of a quality unsurpassed in this shopping area.

You will find them located in the center of Post at 210 E. Main for your shopping convenience. You will find that all their clothing is made of a quality of material and workmanship that is sure to please you. The owners and employees will do everything in their power to please you. They will show you whatever you wish and make sure you are fitted properly. They carry a complete and comprehensive stock and are well known for their selection and courteous service. They carry a stock of well known brands at all times. So no matter what your needs may be in clothing for the entire family. **KD's @ Twins** is the place for our area. Also you will find here a large selection of Red Wing Boots in a larger and varied stock at all times in all sizes. They also carry a large line of gifts for the entire home, wedding or any special occasions. Make this your shopping headquarters for all your clothing needs as well as gifts for all occasions and all your Red Wing Boots. We in this Good Neighbor Review take great pleasure in directing the attention of all our readers to such a friendly and reliable establishment. They invite all people to come in and visit them and see what they have to please you. Make this firm "Your Gift Headquarters" for friends and family. Phone 806/495-3387.