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83rd Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show

See Results in Special Section



Grand Champion Steer Rowdy Ramage



Grand Champion Heifer Baylee Lavender

Stock Show is a winner!!!

Congratulations to all the 4-H and FFA students who participated in the 83rd edition of the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show. Approximately 388 animals were exhibited during the annual event held at the Friona Community Center. The show consisted of 23 rabbits, 3 heifers, 178 barrows, 68 goats, 80 lambs, and 36 steers.

A few scheduling changes were made for this year's show and everything seemed to run smoothly. In fact, show officials said there is no reason why the show cannot continue to grow in the future. Thanks to all of the Ag teachers, 4-H leaders, and parents for providing an opportunity for kids to get involved with agriculture at the ground level. For complete results, please the special section.

Primary School Book Fair

The annual Primary School Book Fair will be January 27-31 and will be open from 7:45-4:00 pm. There will be a wide variety of books for all age groups.

Bring the entire family, grandparents, and friends on the family nights, Tuesday, January 28 from 5:00-7:00 pm and Wednesday, January 29 4:00-6:00 pm. Tuesday, January 28 will be Bingo night, so come and enjoy the fun!

The proceeds from the book fair in the past have benefited the students and the campus. Some of the items purchased with the proceeds include books for students, playground equipment,

benches in the hallway, lending library, and shade trees. All major credit cards, cash, and personal checks accepted. You can also order online at www.scholastic.com/fair.

Primary Principal, Deirdre Osborn says, "This is a major Literacy Event/Fund Raiser, so please come out and support our school as well as children's literacy". Come by and see us!

Depot Meeting is January 28th

The Community Heritage Society of Friona will hold its Annual Depot Meeting on Tuesday, January 28th at Noon at the Depot in the city park. Lunch will be provided and the activities of the Community Heritage Society for the year will be discussed. If you are interested in learning more about the Depot and the work the Heritage Society does, please feel free to join them at the meeting. Heritage Society members are invited to bring their spouse and/or a guest. There will be plenty of stew for everyone.

Thursday, January 23, 2020

Friona Blood Drive

Calvary Baptist Church Fellowship Hall Noon - 7:00 p.m.

Please donate - blood supplies low!



Grand Champion Barrow Spencer Schilling



Grand Champion Lamb Braddock Foster



Grand Champion Rabbit Alexis Pharis



Grand Champion Goat Rylee Austin

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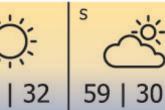
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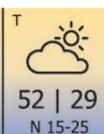








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Community Calendar

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January 23

- Friona Community Blood Drive from Noon to
- 7 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Fellowship Hall
- Snack Pak 4 Kids at 4:40 p.m. at Friona
- United Methodist Church
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.

January 25

• Friona Bobsled Speech Tourney hosted by Friona High School

January 30

- Snack Pak 4 Kids at 4:40 p.m. at Friona United Methodist Church
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.

• Pancake Supper hosted by Freshman Class from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at High School Cafeteria

February 6

- Friona Noon Lions Club meeting at noon at Los Arcos
- Snack Pak 4 Kids at 4:40 p.m. at Friona United Methodist Church
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.

February 13

- Snack Pak 4 Kids at 4:40 p.m. at Friona
- United Methodist Church
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.

February 14

· Valentine's Day

February 17

· Presidents' Day

February 20

- Friona Noon Lions Club meeting at noon at Los Arcos
- Snack Pak 4 Kids at 4:40 p.m. at Friona
- United Methodist Church
- Parmer County Area AA meeting at the Friona Methodist Church (north entrance) at 7 p.m.

JUST A REMINDER!

FRIONA CAREGIVER MEETING

Friday, February 7th **NEW TIME 10AM!!!**

WHERE: Friona Senior Center

Topic: Differentiation between palliative care and hospice care/ things to consider!

This is a free community education event sponsored by Bluebonnet Home Health and Hospice

Refreshments provided

For more information call Rhonda, LMSW at 247-0057

Hough places 4th in Ag Tech Invitational

Western Equipment Inc. held an Ag Tech Invitational in Amarillo in January 18th. Students submitted an online application and then had to participate in the onsite competition. The event consisted of testing of skills and knowledge in various areas of farm equipment. Prizes included \$60,000 in scholarship money along with tools and other items.

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Truman Hough placed 4th out of approximately 120 are Junior and Senior high school students. He was awarded a \$7,500 scholarship, tool box, and miscellaneous tools. He placed in the Top 5 in three of the four events of the

Truman is the son of David & Rene Hough. They would like to thank Western Equipment Inc. for sponsoring such a great event. Truman attends Farwell High School and is pictured below with Ag Teacher Jarad Flores.







Police Officer **Appreciation Day**

Third grade students made cards for the police officers and delivered them to them in person. Thank you third graders!!!

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CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison

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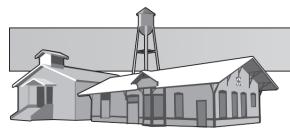
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TOWN TALK

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Joyce Wells called last week and relayed this story. A couple of weeks ago she returned home around 4 p.m and discovered that someone had left a gift basket on her front porch. The surprise offering contained inspirational books, soup mixes, and assorted candies. There was also a note attached that read To Joyce - Happy New Year! Joyce said that she was thrilled to receive the gift basket and wanted to thank everyone who was involved and wish them a Happy New Year!

The Community Blood Drive is Thursday, January 23rd from Noon until 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall of Calvary

Baptist Church located at the north end of Cleveland Street. Blood supplies are low this time of year because the flu prevents a lot of donors from giving. Supplies of A-negative and O-negative blood are especially low. All donors will receive a long-sleeved t-shirt and a free pass to the "Escape House" in Amarillo. Also, the Friona Noon Lions will provide a meal for all participants.

The Freshman class is hosting a Pancake Supper on Friday, January 31st at the High School Cafeteria. Tickets are \$8 (\$10 at the door) and can be purchased from any FHS basic meal. Funds raised from this event will be used in the future for the Junior/Senior prom.

Valentine's Day is just around the corner. So start collecting photos of those you wish to feature in the Friona Star Valentine edition.

*** **National Days**

January 23 — Handwriting Day January 24 — Compliment Day January 25 — Opposite Day January 26 — Peanut Brittle Day January 27 — Bubble Wrap Appreciation January 28 — Blueberry Pancake Day January 29 — Puzzle Day

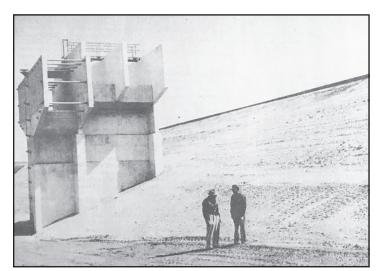


St. Ann's Catholic Church of Bovina is having their annual German Sausage Dinner on Sunday, January 26, 2020 from 11:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. (Texas time) at the St. Ann's Parish Hall on 3rd Street in Bovina, Texas.

They will be serving homemade German sausage, creamed potatoes & gravy, green beans, homemade sauerkraut, cranberry sauce, a relish plate, homemade bread, homemade desserts, and tea or coffee.

Donations will be \$12 for adults and \$6 for children under six years of age. Takeout plates will be available at no additional charge. Sausage will be available to purchase the day of the dinner or by contacting any St. Ann's member prior to the dinner. They make regular, jalapeño, and green chili sausage. To order, Call (806) 946-8243.





DAM COMPLETED...The huge floodwater control dam on Running Water Draw, located east of Lazbuddie, was officially completed this week, with final inspection made by the Soil Conservation Service. In the above photo, W.L. Edelmon, who was the first chairman of the board of directors of the Parmer County SCD, and Mac Mauldin, district supervisor, are shown in front of the structure. Friona Star, March 18, 1979



Monday 27

Breakfast: Fr.Toast & Sausage, Cereal, Toast, Fruit, Juice, Milk Lunch: Roast BF Sandwich, Mashed Potato, Veg Cup, Fruit, Juice & Milk

Tuesday 28

Breakfast: Omelet & Toast, Cereal, Toast, Fruit, Juice, Milk Lunch: Spaghetti, Breadsticks, Gr Beans, Salad, Fruit, Juice & Milk

Wednesday 29

Breakfast: Pancake Wrap, Yogurt, Cereal, Toast, Fruit, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chicken Nuggets, Rolls, Mixed Veg, Veggie Cup, Fruit, Pudding, Juice & Milk

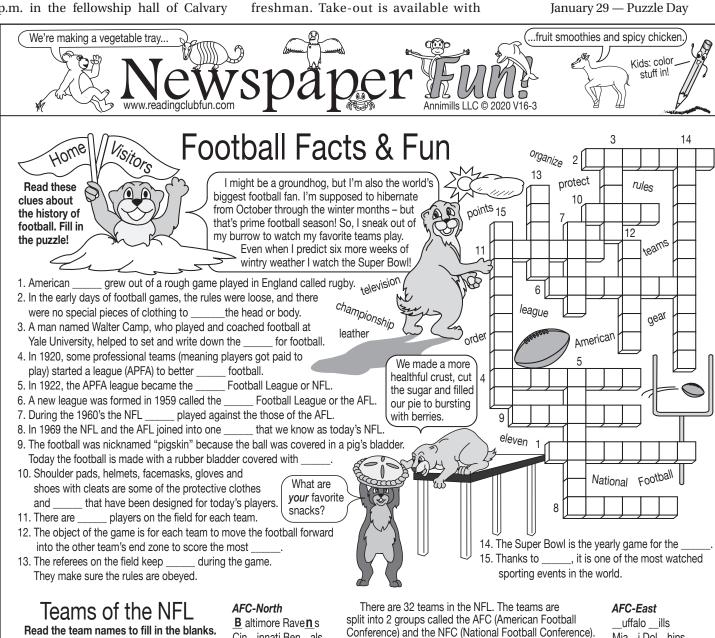
Thursday 30

Breakfast: Dutch Waffles & Sausage, Cereal, Toast, Fruit, Juice, Milk Lunch: Quesadilla w/garnish, Corn, Beans, Salsa, Fruit, Juice & Milk

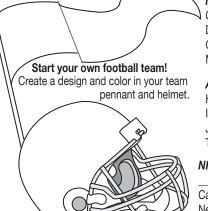
Friday 31

Breakfast: Breakfast Taquito, Cereal, Toast, Fruit, Juice, Milk Lunch: BBQ Sandwich w/chips, Ranch Beans, Cucumber Dippers, Brownie, Fruit, Juice & Milk





Read the team names to fill in the blanks. Once you have spelled them, search for the second half of the team name in the puzzle and circle it. The first one is done for you.



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AFC-South Hous_on Te_ans In_ianapolis _olts Jac_sonville _aguars T_nnessee Tita_s

NFC-South

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These 2 are then split into 4 divisions: North, South, East

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and West. Each division is made up of 4 teams.

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Foot Fun!

Have you noticed that some words are made up of 2 words put together? The meanings of the 2 words are often "added together" to mean a new thing. For example: foot + ball = football. The new words are called compound words.

Match the two bold words to the meaning of the new word they make when "added" together!

- 1. foot + ball (sphere used in games) 2. foot + man (male human)
- 3. foot + note (short message)
- 4. **foot + wear** (clothing) 5. foot + stool (seat with no back)
- 6. foot + hold (to have in hand)
- 7. foot + board (flat piece of wood)
- 8. foot + hill (sloped area)
- 9. foot + bridge (built structure) 10. **foot + path** (walkway)

APPLIANCES

A. structure only wide enough for a person to cross B. opposite of the headboard, found at the bottom of bed C. place to rest or start on a rock climb D. narrow trail for hikers E. sneakers, boots, sandals and high-heeled shoes

- F. popular sport that is played on the gridiron or field G. small hill at the base of a larger mountain H. servant who waits on tables or opens doors
- I. note at the bottom of page that helps explain the text J. place to rest your feet at the end of a long day

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Friday, January 31, 2020, is the deadline to pay all personal and property taxes in Parmer County.

Checks must be postmarked by Friday, Jan. 31, 2020, or penalty and interest will occur.

If you turned 65 years old as of January 1, 2020, then you need to sign up for the "65 and older" Homestead Exemption. This is a permanent exemption so if you already have signed up for it, you don't have to re-apply.

If you have purchased a home since you signed up for the Homestead Exemption, you need to re-apply for this exemption.

Agricultural use exemptions are available for all who have purchased agricultural property. If you purchased ag property during the past year, you need to apply for this exemption.

Vehicle exemption forms for those who qualify are available online at www. parmercad.org or come by our office to apply.

Call, or drop by our office, for your application(s). They will be mailed to you upon request.

> Jill Timms Chief Appraiser Parmer County Appraisal District PO Box 56, Bovina TX 79009 (806) 251-1405

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Susie Spring, County Clerk Warranty Deeds as reported by the County Clerk's Office

from January 9, 2020 through January 16, 2020: XIT Options Inc. — Maria Efigenia Rodriguez — A tract of

land described as the N 58' of L Num 1 and 2 B of Bovina and runs East and West intended that such 58 ft. Dale Hart — Edward Trevino, Yvette Williams, Isaias Ol-

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certain L tract or parcel of land lying NW 1/4 of Sec 1 B H of Thomas Kelly Subdiv. Vol 5 Pg 169

Edward Jones Trust Company — Lynn Tate, Sondra Tate — NW 1/4 of Sec 1 B H of Thomas Kelly Subdiv. in Vol 5 Pg 169 in Parmer County

Brandon Scott Embry, Amanda H Embry — Stephen J Reed, Carolyn Reed — All of NE/4 of Sec 8 Charles E Harding Subdiv. Vol 144 Pg 353 Vol 144 Pg 355 2.39 Ac

Charles Coleman Wilkins, Rhonda Jean Wilkins — Zachary David Schilling, Wendy Necole Schilling — A 132.685 Ac tract of land in Sec. 8 B E Capitol Syndicate Subdiv. Sec 8 B E Capitol Syndicate Subdiv. including all of b 13 of Gardner Addition

Charles Coleman Wilkins, Rhonda Jean Wilkins — James Leon Wedel, Susan Gail Wedel — Vol 153 Pg 201 NE 166 72 ac of Sec 17 Township 15 S R 2 E Capitol Syndicate Subdiv.

Texas Weekly Fuel Update and Outlook

Texas gas prices have fallen 3.0 cents in the past week, averaging \$2.23 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's daily survey of 13,114 stations. Gas prices in Texas are 2.6 cents per gallon higher than a month ago and stand 29.0 cents per gallon higher than a year ago.

According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Texas is priced at \$1.99 while the most expensive is \$3.59 per gallon. The cheapest price in the entire country stands at \$1.89 while the most expensive is \$5.74 per gallon. The national average price of gasoline has fallen 2.0 cents per gallon in the last week, averaging \$2.55 per gallon. The national average is down 0.8 cents per gallon from a month ago and stands 30.4 cents per gallon higher than a year ago.

"With oil prices sagging lately, the door has been opened for a notable decline in U.S. gasoline prices, and that's exactly what has happened, with more declines likely coming ahead of us before the fun is over," said Patrick DeHaan, head of petroleum analysis for GasBuddy. "The Midwest has been the largest beneficiary of seasonal effects thus far with prices in several areas there declining upwards of 10-15 cents per gallon. The rest of the country will follow lower for the time being as demand for gasoline remains abysmal and the fuel being produced today will have to eventually be purged from the system over the next few months as refiners begin the transition to summer gasoline."

GasBuddy is the authoritative voice for gas prices and the only source for stationlevel data spanning nearly two decades. Unlike AAA's once daily survey covering credit card transactions at 100,000 stations and the Lundberg Survey, updated once every two weeks based on 7,000 gas stations, GasBuddy's survey updates 288 times every day from the most diverse list of sources covering nearly 150,000 stations nationwide, the most comprehensive and up-to-date in the country. GasBuddy data is accessible at http://FuelInsights.GasBuddy.com.

SHERIFF'S REPORT

Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office: Randy Geries, Sheriff

1-14-20 — Mike Ramos, Jr., 22, of Friona was arrested by the Parmer County SO on a charge of Theft of Property > \$100 < \$750, pending County Court.

1-14-20 — Ernesto Ortiz, Jr., 30, of Hereford was arrested by the Parmer County SO on a charge of Man/Del CS Pg 1 > 4g < 200g, pending Grand Jury.

ed by the Farwell PD on a charge of Criminal Trespass, pending County Court. 1-18-20 — Chase Autry, 32, of Tahoka was arrested by DPS on

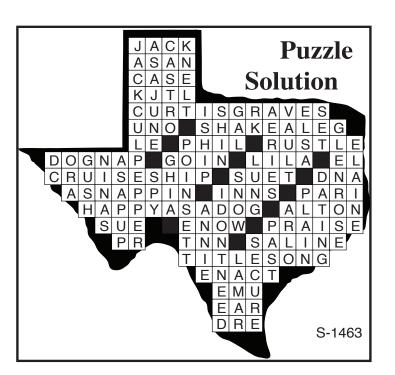
1-14-20 — Fidel Retana, 33, of Texico, New Mexico was arrest-

a charge of Possession CS Pg 2 > 400g, Pending Grand Jury and Possession Marijuana < 4 oz. > 2 oz., pending County Court. 1-18-20 — Kary Wyatt, 43, of Colorado was arrested by the

Parmer County SO on a charge of Possession Dangerous Drug, pending County Court.

1-20-20 — Maria Castillo, Jr., 35, of Friona was arrested by the Parmer County SO on a charge of Possession CS Pg 1 < 1 g, pending and Tamper/Fabricate Evidence.





Happy Birthday Friona Folks!

Jan. 23 Emma Downs Lori Keyes

Irma Espinoza

Jan. 24 Karen Wright Damon Parker **Holly Johnston** Mark Edelmon Darci White **Tolby Wilcox**

Jan. 25 Nancy Edelmon **Britny Pope** Brayden Pope Jinnee Parr Regan Anthony Dana Campbell A.J. London

Tricia Rocha

Glena Collier

Jan. 26 Michele Gee Layton Haffner Joy Chavez Logan Spencer Pat Blackburn, Caleb Miller

Jan. 27 O.P. Vazquez Jo Beth Gipson Floyd Schlenker Lindsay Lookingbill Angel Samarron

> Jan. 28 Margie Rivera

Jan. 29 David Barnett Weldon Williams Copper Brewster Charlie Milner

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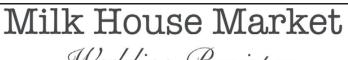




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Farmhouse to Your House

Is God Your Priority?

By Teena Hughs

I am trying, once again, to read through the Bible in a year. One of my favorites is the i Worship Daily Devotional Bible. You read several chapters of Scripture; then you read a devotional.

One day the Scriptures were Genesis 21:1 - 23:20. These verses relate God telling Abraham to sacrifice his beloved son Isaac. This is difficult for us to envision. Abraham had waited until

he was 100 years old for the birth of his son that God had been promising, and now God wanted Abraham to sacrifice him. It is not something we would ever picture God doing. Can you put yourself in Abraham's place and try to imagine what he must have been going through?

"This scene shocks us with its blunt and sobering truth: God will have no rivals. He must possess our souls, and He will ruthlessly take us to places where He can unveil what we value most. If the great treasure of our hearts is not Himself, then God will demonstrate that He is all we need by making sure that He is all we have.

"Ironically, it is in these darkest moments--if we are at all perceptive--that we discover that He is what we hunger for most and that nothing else can ever truly satisfy. Then we can sing without hesitation: 'Take my heart, it is Thine own; it shall be Thy royal throne.'

"What will it mean for you to make your heart God's royal throne? Take time to assess any activities or even relationships that may threaten to replace God as the top priority in your life. Offer these to God as an act of obedient sacrifice."

In Abraham's situation, God was ALL he had, ALL he could depend on, and sure enough, God used a ram whose horns were caught in a bush as the substitute sacrifice for Isaac.

In our lives, during the good seasons, during the difficult seasons, God is ALL we have, He is ALL we can depend on. However, we won't know that unless He is our number one priority.

As we pray, I hope we will pray the prayer at the conclusion of the devotional: "Make me willing, O great King of my soul, to turn my back on anything and everything that threatens to displace you from the throne of my life."



Kevin N. Patton

Long time Friona resident Kevin N. Patton passed away Thursday January 16, 2020 in Amarillo. He was born November 4, 1952 in Hereford Texas to William B Patton and Helen Danforth Patton, Kevin was a graduate of Hereford High School in 1971. After graduation he enlisted in the United States Army where he served in Germany until 1978. Kevin married Verna Warren in Amarillo on October 9, 1987. Together they started Friona Heating and Air Conditioning in February 1996 and enjoyed their life in





Kevin is survived by his wife Verna Patton of Friona, son Hayden Patton of Lubbock, son Aaron Sorensen of Kansas City KS, and daughter Jessica Kapka and her spouse James Kapka of Weatherford TX and six grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his parents. A memorial service will be planned at a later



Psalm 149-Surprising Praise

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

"Praise the Lord!" is the opening and closing phrase in Psalm 149, which is how most English Bible versions translate the Hebrew phrase "Hallelujah." There truly is so much to praise the Lord for, and there are many ways that we are able to give God praise. This Psalm affirms the scriptural validity of praising God through songs, new songs, dancing, music, in the midst of a congregation, and through personal praise. These ideas are not new to Psalm 149, nor are they surprising to one familiar with the Psalms, but what does come across as surprising is the final three verses.

The first of these final three verses says "Let the high praises of God be in their throats and two-edged swords in their hands" and from there the focus is on God's vengeance and judgments on His enemies. Modern sensitivities lead us to step back as such abrasive sounding verses, but when you consider what is says about God's character leads to further praise. Namely, God is just and is the final judge. One can praise God that the wicked will be held accountable by God for their sin, and that in the end, God will reign. In fact, meditating on God's judgment leads one to see his love, grace and mercy even more because each person deserves God's judgment, yet God gives forgiveness to all who come to Christ in repentance and faith. Praise God for His justice, and praise God for Jesus, who bore the judgment of our sin on the cross!

Panhandle Parables Plowing in the Dark

By Jeff Procter, Minister, 6th Street Church of Christ

In the summers during high school, I plowed a lot of layout ground to keep the weeds at bay. We had enough rain to keep me busy. On one particularly large field, I needed to extend my driving time. Plowing in the dark has its challenges, mainly my imagination. The lights on the old tractor could only show you what was just in front of you and the plow just behind you and depending on the breeze add a little dirt in the mix and you couldn't see very well. You had to stay focused. So I plowed and plowed and when the diesel got low I stopped it was well after midnight and very dark. A little frustrated because I knew I hadn't done very much I headed to the pickup really fast, did I mention it was dark. The next day I headed back to continue my pursuit of weed control and I learned I had done quite a bit more than previously thought. In fact, I had nearly finished.

I think we have some plowing in the dark in our lives, as well. Jobs that seem

too big, journeys that seem a bit pointless at the time. Yet we keep going faith demands such and when the dawn finally comes we see God has walked us a lot further than we had imagined. Darkness has a way of making us focus or get distracted. I was pretty sure, two mountain lions, a bear and 300 coyotes followed me around that night and I could only see just around the tractor. The hardest part after turning off the tractor was getting the courage to step into the darkness and go to the pickup. Yet the feeling of accomplishment come day break made me thankful for continuing on when I didn't want to go another round.

As we near the second month of this new year. I challenge you to face your fears. I don't know what they are, but I am sure darkness is part of the equation. Know that God has brought you to this point and He will see you through this too. So when darkness surrounds. focus, pray and keep plowing. Have a blessed day.

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State Capital Highlights

By Ed Sterling



Governor requests presidential disaster declaration

AUSTIN — Gov. Greg Abbott on Jan. 13 asked for a presidential disaster declaration for three counties that sustained widespread damage attributed to severe thunderstorms, straight-line winds, hail and tornadoes.

The stormy weather on Oct. 20-21 hit Cameron, Dallas and Erath counties. Abbott's request includes public assistance and hazard mitigation.

"The State of Texas is committed to ensuring the people of Cameron, Dallas and Erath counties have the resources they need to continue rebuilding the public infrastructure," Abbott said. "With the help of our federal partners, these communities can rebuild quickly and gain access to important recovery resources. I ask that the president swiftly grant this request in order to expedite valuable support to these counties."

If Abbott's request is granted, local jurisdictions will be eligible for federal reimbursement for the cost of disaster-related debris removal, emergency measures to protect life and property and permanent repair work to damaged or destroyed infrastructure such as roads, bridges, water treatment facilities, parks and publicly owned property.

Proclamation extended

Gov. Abbott on Jan. 14 extended the disaster proclamation he originally signed on Aug. 23, 2017, and amended several times thereafter, pertaining to 60 counties affected by Hurricane Harvey.

Texas law authorizes the use of all available resources of state government and of political subdivisions that are reasonably necessary to cope with the disaster.

Miller hails trade deal

When President Donald Trump signed the "Phase One" trade agreement with China on Jan. 15, Texas Agriculture Commissioner Sid Miller called it "huge, Texas-sized news."

The agreement calls for China to increase its purchase of U.S.-produced goods by \$200 billion, including the import of agricultural products by \$40 billion to \$50 billion over the next

U.S. negotiators agreed to cut tariffs in half on goods from China, from 15% down to 7.5%.

Goal: donor protection

Texas Attorney General Paxton on Jan. 14 joined the attorneys general of 23 states in an agreement with PayPal Charitable Fund Inc., the charitable arm of PayPal.

In the agreement, the states seek to ensure donors are given clear information and disclosures on where their money goes when making charitable contributions through the company's online payment platform.

Previously, the platform aggregated and distributed funds to the donors' chosen charities without collecting fees; however, charities that maintained a PayPal account received contributions more quickly than others. That fact was not disclosed to donors, nor was the fact that sometimes contributions were redirected away from the donor's selected charity and given to a different organization with similar

"Texans are generous people who selflessly give to countless charities and causes. They deserve to know exactly where their contributions go and how they are handled," Paxton said. "The agreement reached today marks a recognition of the responsibilities charitable funds have to donors, and we are grateful for the new PayPal Charitable Fund provisions that will better inform all who choose to give to charity through the online platform."

Agency set record again

During calendar year 2019 the Texas Railroad Commission processed a record 11,654 new drilling permits.

The Lone Star State's oil and gas industry regulating agency announced its staff also set a record in taking just two days on average to process standard drilling permits, one day below the Legislative requirement.

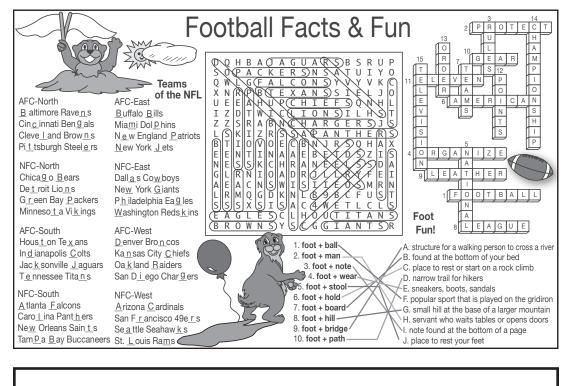
Also, according to a Jan. 13 news release, the agency processed permits at this faster-thanrequired rate for two years in a row, beginning in calendar year 2018.

"The Railroad Commission's technological solutions enable operators to quickly apply for and receive drilling permits," said Wei Wang, executive director of the agency. "Nearly 99 percent of operators apply for drilling permits online. This allows our staff to thoroughly and quickly review each application to ensure operators meet all drilling permit requirements."

Texas leads the nation in oil and gas production, with the Permian Basin in West Texas ranking as the nation's top energy production region. In the last 12 months Texas operators reported 1.438 billion barrels of oil produced and almost 10 trillion cubic feet of gas.

The U.S. Geological Survey estimates the Permian Basin contains 66 billion barrels of oil, nearly 300 trillion cubic feet of natural gas and 21 billion barrels of natural gas liquids in the Midland and Delaware Basins.

"Texas will continue to be the nation's leader in energy production," Wang said. "The Railroad Commission's efficient, timely permit review processes are essential to the continued development of the state's energy resources and ultimately support Texas' economic prosperity."



Friona ISD Nominations for Gifted and Talented Program

Friona ISD students in Kindergarten – 12th grade are eligible for parent or teacher nominations to the Gifted and Talented Program offered by Friona ISD for the 2020-2021 school year.

Parents who desire to nominate their child for this program may contact the principal or counselor in their child's building for the appropriate form.

Forms need to be completed and returned to the principal by January 31, 2020. A certified Gifted and Talented teacher will administer the necessary tests for admission to the program.

Los estudiantes de Friona ISD en los grados de K-12 tienen el derecho de ser nominados por padre o maestro para el programa que se ofrece en nuestro distrito de niños Talentosos por el año escolar 2020-2021.

Los padres que desean de nombrar a su niño para este programa pueden hablar con consejera o el principal de la propia escuela para pedir las formas necesarias.

Las formas necesitaran ser completadas y entregadas a la oficina del principal para el 31 de enero del 2020. Los estudiantes nominados serán considerados y tomaran evaluaciones las cual determinaran admisión al programa.





Biscuits and Gravy and Bacon

Following along the lines of breakfast foods, Clint chose to share his family's biscuits and gravy recipe. As a bonus he has included a couple of ways to cook bacon. Of course, you don't have to serve this only in the morning; it makes a hearty and delicious supper as well.

Biscuits and gravy are traditionally known as Southern cuisine and often are associated with Appalachia cooking from the late 1800s. The term "sawmill" gravy derives from the lumber mining towns that so often served biscuits and sausage gravy as a hearty yet inexpensive staple. However, it is possible that biscuits and gravy were served as far back

as the Revolutionary War.

Biscuits were not always the light and flaky version that we are accustomed to today. They tended to be hard and dry. Not until 1877 when baking powder and soda became commercially available, did biscuits become the soft version we enjoy. Biscuits were considered a delicacy up until the Civil War and were often served only on Sundays. In 1883 White Lily flour became available and homemade biscuits began to be served all days of the week.

Biscuits and gravy were known as a meal of the poor because it was a quick and affordable way to scratch together a meal. Biscuits were usually made from flour, baking powder, salt, and either milk or water. In 1952 Colonel Sanders introduced the Southern Biscuit to the nation through his new venture, Kentucky Fried Chicken. In recent years, biscuits and gravy have become even more popular and can be found even in high end restaurants.

One last interesting fact is that a "biscuit" in England refers to a crunchy cookie, while in the U.S, a biscuit is a quick rising soft bread.

For more facts about biscuits and gravy, you can visit www.washingtonpost.com www.southernliving. and com.

Biscuits and Gravy and Bacon

Biscuits

Ingredients:

2 cups flour, lightly packed

2 teaspoons baking powder

1/2 to1 teaspoon baking soda 1 teaspoon salt

1/4 cup shortening

1 cup buttermilk

Mix dry ingredients, then blend in shortening until shortening is in tiny pieces. Stir in buttermilk until just blended, don't overmix.

Turn out on floured waxed paper. Pat lightly into oval shape about 1 inch high. Cut with biscuit cutter and place in 12" x 15" pan that has 2 tablespoons oil in it.

Bake for 14 to 16 minutes at 450°.

Gravy

Ingredients:

1/4 cup butter (1/2 stick) 1/4 cup flour

1 teaspoon salt 2 to 3 cups milk

Mix flour and butter in skillet and brown to a golden brown color over medium heat. Add 2 cups of milk and stir until it thickens, then add extra milk if gravy is too thick.

Bacon can be prepared in a variety of ways. You can buy it pre-cooked and just warm it in the microwave. You can also cook it in a pan and use the grease left in place of the butter for making the gravy. I like to cook the bacon in a microwave using a tray that catches the grease. I usually cook six slices at a time. I will cook them on high for two minutes, turn them over, and cook them for two more minutes. Then I cook them in 30 second increments until I get the desired crispness. I like to crunch the bacon in pieces and layer it on top of the gravy and add pepper.



Chieftain Choices is February 7th

Chieftain Choices 2020 will be held on Friday, February 7 from 8:00 am - 12:00 pm at Friona High School. This event includes a college fair, a career fair, a health fair, a speaker, as well as an opportunity for our 8th graders to come over and see what Friona High school has to offer. Each 8th grader has to choose a po-

tential career pathway before they enter high school. This event helps those students know what Friona High School can do to help them plan for their future. 8th grade students will be exposed to all of our elective choices and given an overview of our programs of study.

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nesses to come and participate in the Career Fair portion of our event. We sent out letters last semester asking for businesses to join us. If you would like to be a part of Chieftain Choices and have not returned your interest form, it is not too late. Please contact Allison Johnston, Counselor, at 250-3951 for more information.

Ballot Deadline Approaching

Parmer County Hospital District has announced that the deadline to file a place on the ballot for the May 2, 2020 election is Friday, February 14, 2020. Applications may be filed in person beginning January 1, 2020 between the hours of 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday or mailed to Parmer Medical Center, 1307 Cleveland, Friona, TX 79035. Contact Heidi Eichenauer at 806 250-2754 for more details.



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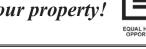


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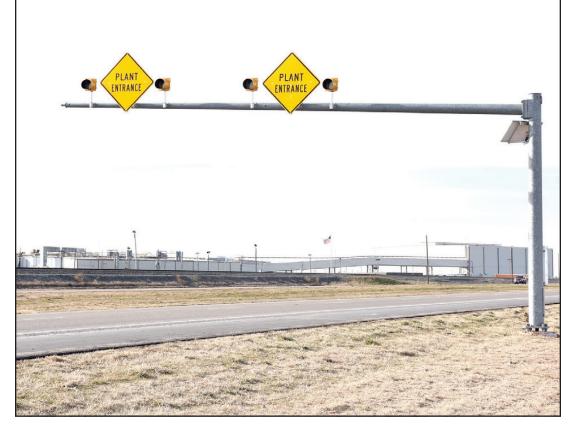
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Work is being done on the old movie theater on 6th Street. A new roof will be installed and plans are for the building to be used as a warehouse.

Thank Texas School Board Members during January's School Board Recognition Month

Governor Greg Abbott has declared January School Board Recognition Month to honor the more than 7,200 locally elected trustees in Texas. These unpaid volunteers work closely with the community to support the success of public education, oversee the district superintendent, and attend trainings to encourage constant growth, all to ensure students have the best schools possible. The Texas Association of School Boards

(TASB) is joining the celebration by encouraging the community to show appreciation to these men and women.

men and women. "In communities across the state, dedicated school board members willingly step forward to tackle serious issues and deal with financial uncertainties

while receiving no pay in order to provide excellent educational experiences for all children," said James B. Crow, TASB executive director. "We urge every community to thank and support local board members. Join us in applauding their service to our students, our communities, and this state," said Crow.

"Though many may not realize it, school boards play a crucial role in ensuring our precious children receive the best education possible by working with parents, education professionals, and community members to create successful learning environments," said Governor Abbott in his proclamation.



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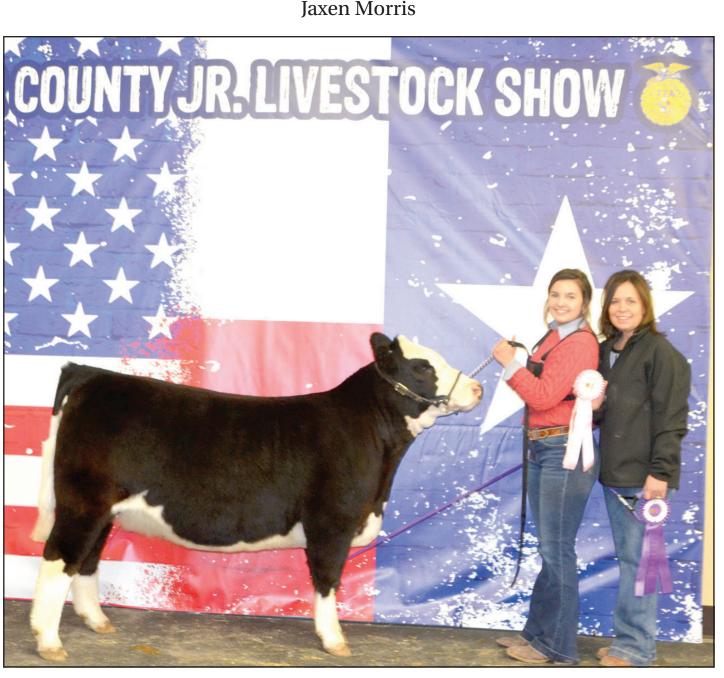


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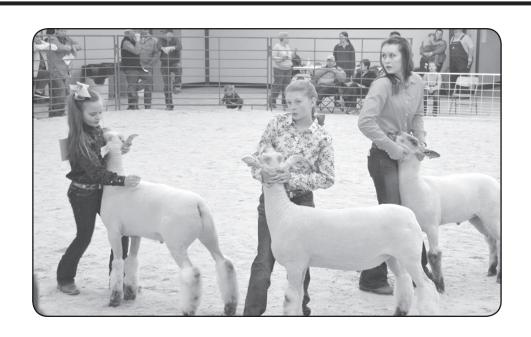


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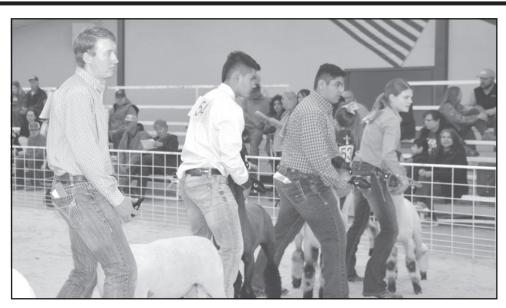


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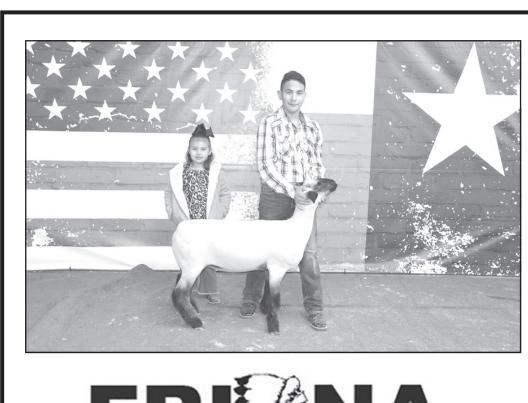
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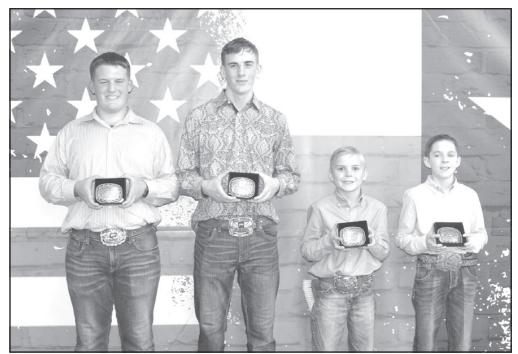
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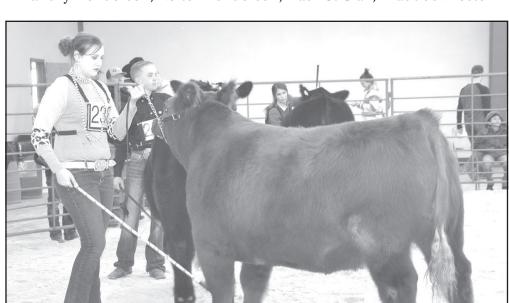








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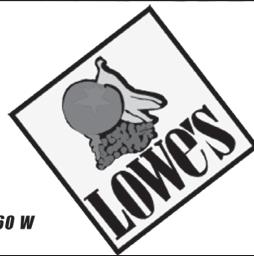
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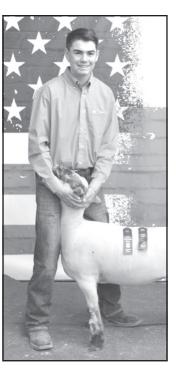






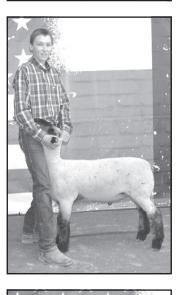




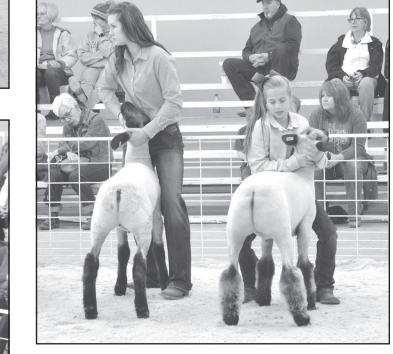


















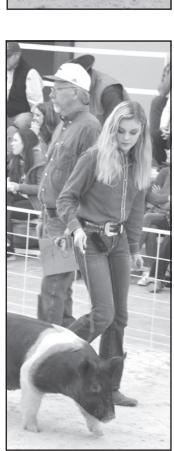




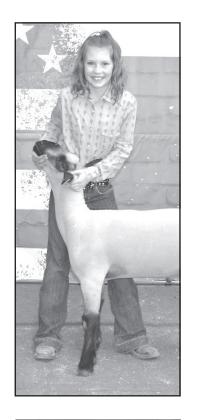






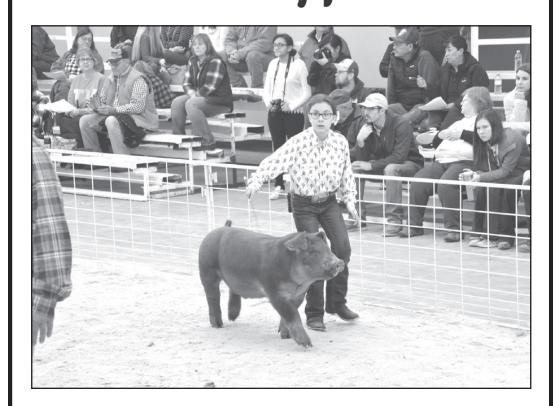








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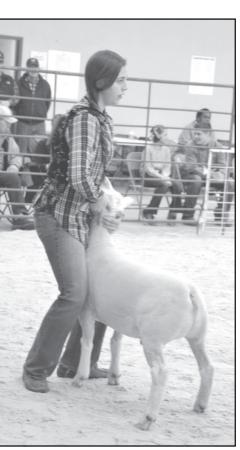






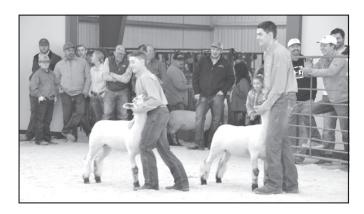




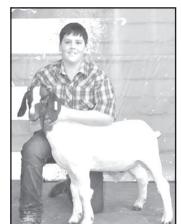




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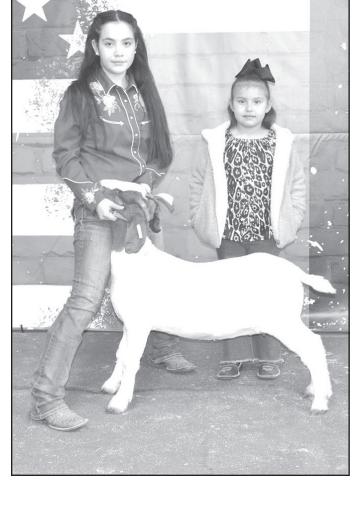
Grand Champion Steer Rowdy Ramage

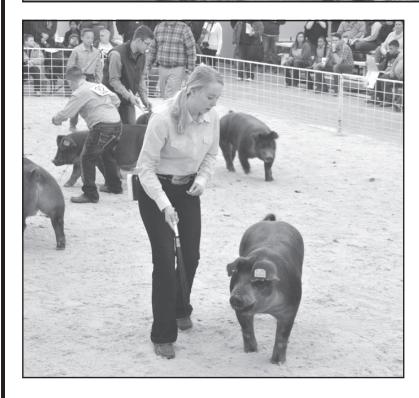


Reserve Grand Champion Steer
Jaxen Morris

We're proud of the FFA and 4-H kids and all of the participants in the livestock show











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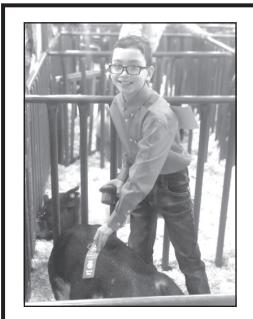
Our youth are the future!

Hats off to your efforts, and hard work during the livestock show and year 'round.

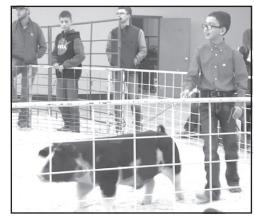


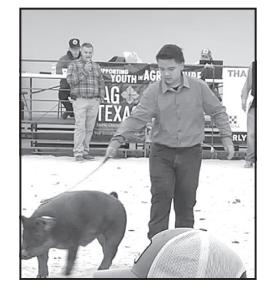


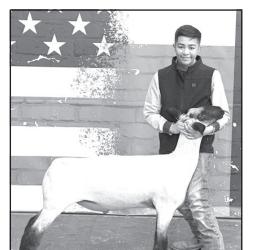
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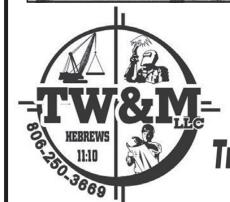












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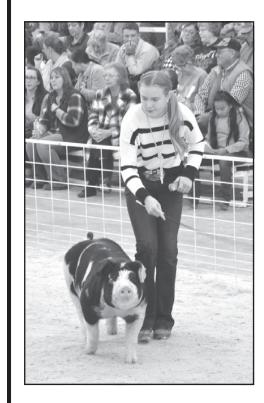
Goat Showmanship Rylee Austin, Avery Timms, Kayl Schueler, Peyton Schueler



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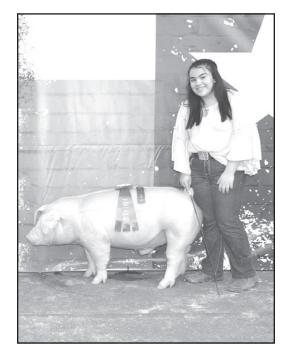


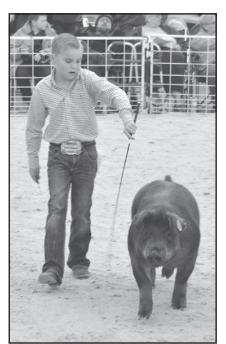


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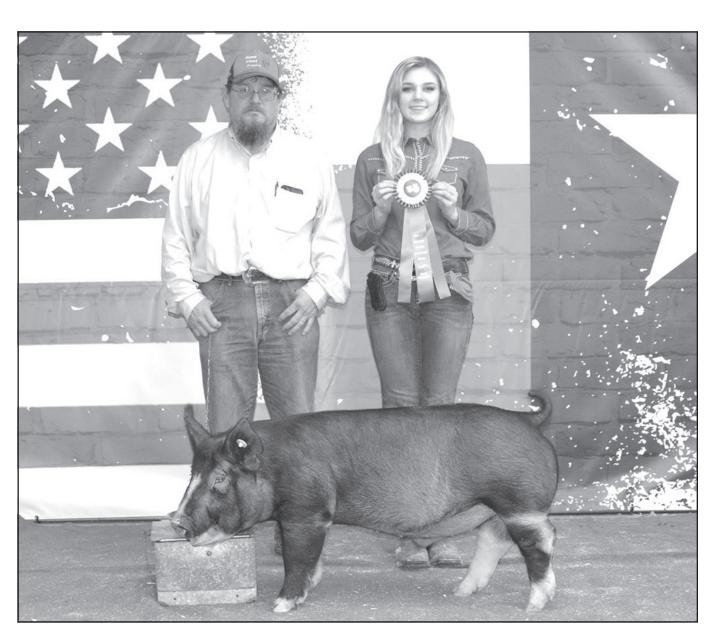
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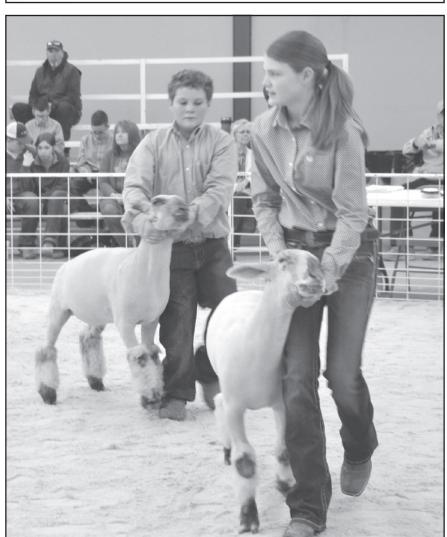


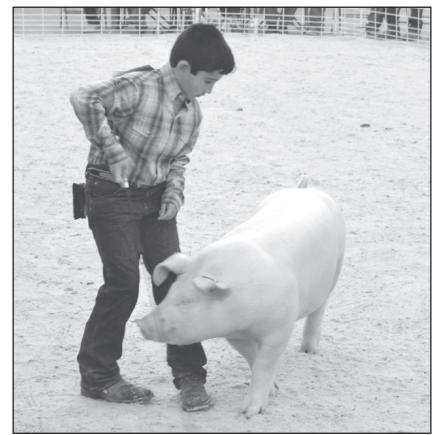


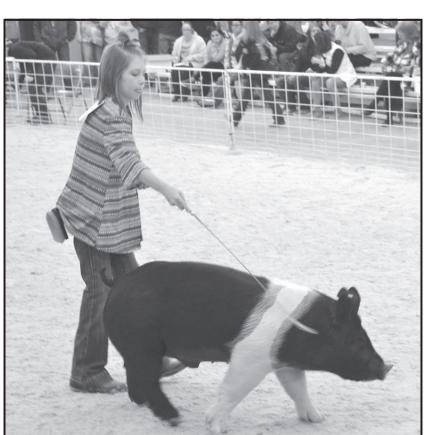












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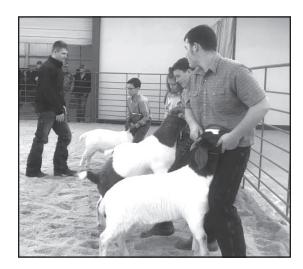
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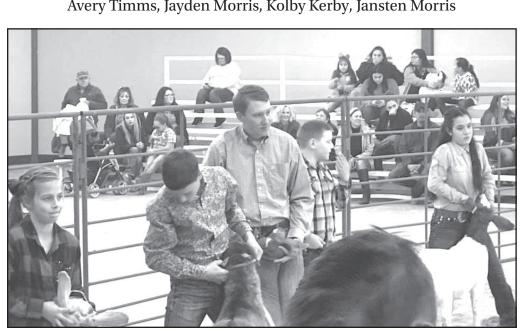


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Steer Showmanship Avery Timms, Jayden Morris, Kolby Kerby, Jansten Morris



PARMER COUNTY JUNIOR LIVESTOCK SHOW

Final Results

January 14-16, 2020 - Friona Community Center
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Heifers

(Grand Champion) Baylee Lavender, (Reserve Champion) Baylee Lavender, (3) McKyla Swierc

Steers

Class 01 British: (1 & Reserve Grand Champion) Jaxen Morris, (2) Jantsen Morris, (3) Berkley Cleavinger, (4) Ty Smith

Class 02 British: (1 & Reserve Breed Champion) Berkley Cleavinger, (2 & Champion Junior Showmanship) Kobi Kirby, (3) Landry Henderson

Class 03 American: (1 & Champion Senior Showmanship) Avery Timms, (2) Jayden Morris, (3) Brynlie Cleavinger

Class 04 American: (1 & Breed Champion) Kenadee Ramage, (2 & Reserve Breed Champion), (3) Jaxen Morris, (4) Garrison Hasel-off

Class 05 Cross: (1 & Champion Senior Showmanship) Avery Timms, (2) Paisley Branscum, (3) Berkley Cleavinger, (4) Reagan Kirby, (5) Breanna Haseloff

Class 06 Cross: (1 & Reserve Junior Showmanship) Jantsen Morris, (2) Garrison Haseloff, (3) Guerrero Olmos, (4) McKyla Swierc, (5) Stacey Haseloff

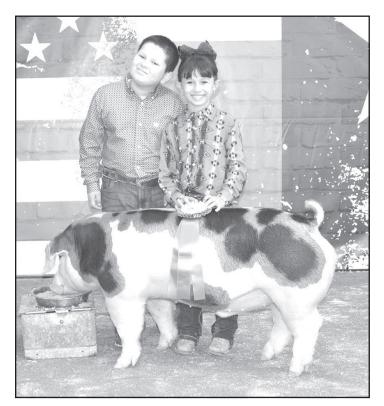
Class 07 Cross: (1) Brynlie Cleavinger, (2 & Reserve Senior Showmanship) Jayden Morris, (3) Reagan Kirby, (4) Naomi Cleavinger, (5) Kenadee Ramage, (6) Paisley Branscum

Class 08 Cross: (1 & Grand Champion) Rowdy Ramage, (2 & Reserve Breed Champion) Brynlie Cleavinger, (3) Blaykin Branscum, (4) Kobi Kirby, (5) Baylee Lavender

Goats

Class 09: (1 & Champion Junior Showmanship) Kayle Schueler, (2) Anthony Abarca, (3) Alberth Arguelles, (4) Luke Kerr, (5) Carlee Roush, (6) Tristan Oborny, (7) Jackson Gable, (8) Bo Kerr, (9) Grayson Husted, (10) Carlee Roush

Class 10: (1) Maryn Terry, (2) Isaac Olmos, (3) Kayl Schueler, (4) Mason Schueler, (5) Melline Hill, (6) Melline Hill, (7) Melline Hill, (8) Charlie Oborny, (9) Melline Hill, (10) Kody Oborny









Class 11: (1) Kane Terry, (2) Quay Schueler, (3) Jacob Vasquez, (4) Alberth Arguelles, (5) Anthony Abarca, (6) Aiden Laurendeau, (7) Lily Abarca, (8) Gabe Abarca, (9) William Husted, (10) Jackson Gable

Class 12: (1) Rylee Austin, (2) Maryn Terry, (3 & Reserve Junior Showmanship) Peyton Schueler, (4) Tim Ally, (5) Aiden Laurendeau, (6) Aubrey Schueler, (7) Maryn Terry, (8) Jacob Hoyle, (9) Karen Morales, (10) Andrew Husted

Class 13: (1) Kaysen Stanberry, (2) Maryn Terry, (3) Tristan Schueler, (4) Peyton Schueler, (5) Emma Schueler, (6) Aubrey Schueler, (7) Mason Schueler, (8) Kayl Schueler, (9) Lane Terry, (10) Isaac Olmos

Class 14: (1) Erin Martinez, (2) Bryer Stanberry, (3) Rylee Austin (4) Aubrey Bunker, (5) Kaysen Stanberry, (6) Karson Allen, (7) Ivy Schueler, (8) Quay Schueler, (9) Kenneth Morales, (10) Dieter Ally, (11) Mason Schueler, (12) Ivonne Gonzalez

Class 15: (1 & Grand Champion & Champion Senior Showman-ship) Rylee Austin, (2 & Reserve Champion & Reserve Senior Showmanship) Avery Timms, (3) Aubrey Bunker, (4) Tim Ally, (5) Antonio Vasquez, (6) Stef Ally

Lambs

Class 16 Dorper: (1 & Breed Champion) Harley London, (2 & Reserve Breed Champion) Peyton Schueler, (3) Sloan Osborn, (4) Quay Schueler

Class 17 Dorper: (1) Erick Carrasco, (2) AJ London, (3) John Osborn, (4) Erick Carrasco

Class 18 Fine Wool: (1 & Breed Champion & Reserver Senior Showmanship) Madison Osborn, (2 & Reserve Breed Champion)

Sawyer Schlabs Class 19 Southdown: (1 & Breed Champion) Braddock Foster, (2 & Reserve Breed Champion) Elijah Robledo, (3) Sawyer Schlabs

Class 20 Southdown: (1) Madison Osborn, (2) Sloan Osborn Class 21 Cross: (1 & Breed Champion) Braddock Foster, (2) Aubrey Schueler, (3) Sawyer Schlabs, (4) Chloee Whitten

Class 22 Cross: (1) Peyton Schueler, (2) Matt Hoyle, (3) Harley London, (4) Stevie Herring, (5) Emma Schueler

Class 23 Cross: (1 & Reserve Breed Champion) Seth Hoyle, (2) Matt Hoyle, (3) Kayl Schueler, (4) Avery Timms, (5) Ivonne Gonza-

Class 24 Med. Wool: (1 & Grand Champion & Champion Junior Showmanship) Braddock Foster, (2) Tristan Schueler, (3) Isaac Olmos, (4) Elijah Robledo, (5) Chloee Whitten, (6) Harley London

Class 25 Med. Wool: (1) Erin Martinez, (2) Erin Martinez, (3) Stef Ally, (4) Mason Schueler, (5) Ivy Schueler, (6) Nicole Guerra, (7) Isaias Olmos, (8) Karen Morales, (9) AJ London

Class 26 Med. Wool: (1) Braddock Foster, (2) Avery Timms, (3) Tristan Schueler, (4) Erin Martinez, (5) Quay Schueler, (6) Anthony Abarca, (7) Mason Schueler, (8) Dieter Ally, (9) Justen Trevino, (10) Stevie Herring

Class 27 Med. Wool: (1) Brody Baca, (2) Kayl Schueler, (3) Tristan Schueler, (4) McKyla Swierc, (5) Sloan Osborn, (6) Tim Ally, (7) AJ London, (8) Mason Schueler, (9) Kenneth Morales, (10) Emma Schueler

Class 28 Med. Wool: (1 & Reserve Grand Champion & Reserve Junior Showmanship) McKyla Swierc, (2) McKyla Swierc, (3) Peyton Schueler, (4) Kayl Schueler, (5) Quay Schueler, (6) Anthony Abarca, (7) Madison Osborn, (8) John Osborn, (9) AJ London, (10) Harley London

Class 29 Med. Wool: (1 & Champion Senior Showmanship) Avery Timms, (2) Tristan Schueler, (3) Dieter Ally, (4) Ivonne Gonzalez, (5) Charlie Oborny, (6) Tristan Oborny

Rabbits

(Grand Champion & Reserve Champion & 3) Alexis Pharis, (4) Rowan Pomper, (5) Caasi Nicolas, (other participants) Alexis Antillon, Ariana Antillon, Yareli Antillon, Kambree Kimbrough, Harley London, Caasi Nicolas, Isaac Olmos, Rhiannon Pomper, Desiree Ramirez, Haija Rose, Maddie Sharrock

Barrows

Class 30 Prospect: (1) Garrett Henderson, (2) Grayson Waldrop, (3) Dylan Black, (4) Ruemer Smyer, (5) Cheyenne Black, (6) Daniel

Class 31 Prospect: (1) Erica Williams, (2) Nash St Clair, (3) Casen Williams, (4) Casen Williams, (5) Corey Stancell, (6) Brayden Stancell, (7) Dylan Black, (8) Nancy Silva, (9) William Husted

Class 32 Prospect: (1) Landry Henderson, (2) Fernando Moreno, (3) Ruemer Smyer, (4) Karson Allen, (5) Ruemer Smyer, (6) Adaline White, (7) Kolter Henderson, (8) William Husted, (9) Jarrett White, (10) Andres Olmos

Class 33 Berk: (1 & Breed Champion) Adaline White, (2) Charlie Herring, (3) Brody White, (4) Erica Williams, (5) Landry Henderson, (6) Stef Ally

Class 34 Berk: (1 & Reserve Breed Champion) Jayci Nickels, (2) Kolson Allen, (3) Carter Gilley, (4) AJ Ontiveros, (5) Dylan Carpenter

Class 35 Chester: (1 & Breed Champion) Aubrey Bunker, (2 & Reserve Breed Champion) Erica Williams, (3) Caden Bunker, (4) Charlie Herring

Class 36 Duroc: (1 & Breed Champion) Jaelyn Smith, (2) Casen Williams, (3) Abbey Urbantke, (4) Abbey Urbantke, (5) Stevie Herring, (6) Brody White

Class 37 Duroc: (1 & Champion Senior Showmanship) Landry Henderson, (2) Kennady Waldrop, (3) Nicole Guerra, (4) Kady Urbantke, (5) Edward Trevino, (6) Lily Abarca

Class 38 Duroc: (1 & Reserve Breed Champion) Gentrey McDaniel, (2) Shelby Lewellen, (3) Jarrett White, (4) Skout Russell, (5) Kaylee Lee, (6) Tim Ally, (7) Kassidy Nelson, (8) Antonio Vasquez Class 39 Duroc: (1) Guyson Nickels, (2) Brock St Clair, (3) Kam-

bree Kimbrough, (4) Hagen London, (5) Caden Bunker, (6) Ramon Silva Class 40 Landrace: (1 & Reserve Breed Champion & Champion

Junior Showmanship) Nash St Clair, (2) Erick Carrasco Class 41 Landrace: (1 & Breed Champion) Nicole Guerra, (2) Er-

ick Carrasco Class 42 Hamp: (1) Jaelyn Smith (2) Kolter Henderson, (3) Brock St Clair, (4) Carter Gilley, (5) Jarrett White, (6) Adaline White, (7) Ivy

Schueler, (8) Nash St Clair, (9) Edward Trevino Class 43 Hamp: (1) Brayden Potts, (2) Jaxen Morris, (3) Gabe Abarca, (4) Garrison Haseloff, (5) Aubrey Schueler, (6) Zeus Zamu-

dio, (7) Dylan Carpenter Class 44 Hamp: (1 & Breed Champion & Reserve Junior Showmanship) Braddock Foster, (2 & Reserve Breed Champion) Shelby Lewellen, (3) Skout Russell, (4) Garrison Haseloff, (5) Carlos Perea, (6) Nash St Clair

Class 45 Spot: (1 & Reserve Breed Champion) Corbin Potts, (2) Walker Williams, (3) Kadey Urbantke, (4) Aubrey Bunker, (5) Jantsen Morris, (6) Dieter Ally, (7) Grayson Waldrop, (8) Abbey Urbantke

Class 46 Spot: (1 & Breed Champion) Alexis Carpenter, (2) Melline Hill, (3) Jayci Nickels, (4) Jacob Vasquez, (5) Jaelyn Smith, (6) Hagen London, (7) Kambree Kimbrough, (8) Gentrey McDaniel, (9) Porter Gilley

Class 47 Poland: (1 & Breed Champion & Reserve Senior Showmanship) Kolter Henderson, (Reserve Breed Champion) Jayden Morris, (3) Luke Mitchell

Class 48 Poland: (1) Tel Smith, (2) Grayson Waldrop

Class 49 York: (1) Adaline White, (2) Walker Williams, (3) Zeus Zamudio, (4) Cheyenne Black

Class 50 York: (1 & Breed Champion) Skout Russell, (2 & Reserve

Breed Champion) Brayden Potts, (3) Caden Bunker Class 51 York: (1) Kambree Kimbrough, (2) Carson Davis, (3)

Leelynn Davis

Class 52 Cross: (1) Kadey Urbantke, (2) Emma Schueler, (3) Ty Smith, (4) Zeus Zamudio, (5) Garrett Henderson, (6) Adian Ontiveros, (7) Justen Trevino, (8) Erick Carrasco, (9) Melline Hill

Class 53 Cross: (1 & Grand Champion) Spencer Schilling, (2)

Kennady Waldrop, (3) Yulissa Olmos, (4) Walker Williams, (5) Charlie Herring, (6) Abbey Urbantke, (7) Aylen Moreno Class 54 Cross: (1) Yulissa Olmos, (2) Aubrey Bunker, (3) Brad-

dock Foster, (4) Garrison Haseloff, (5) Spencer Schilling, (6) Corey Stancell, (7) Brock St Clair, (8) Kaylee Lee, (9) Zeus Zamudio, (10) Ramon Silva, (11) Jarrett White

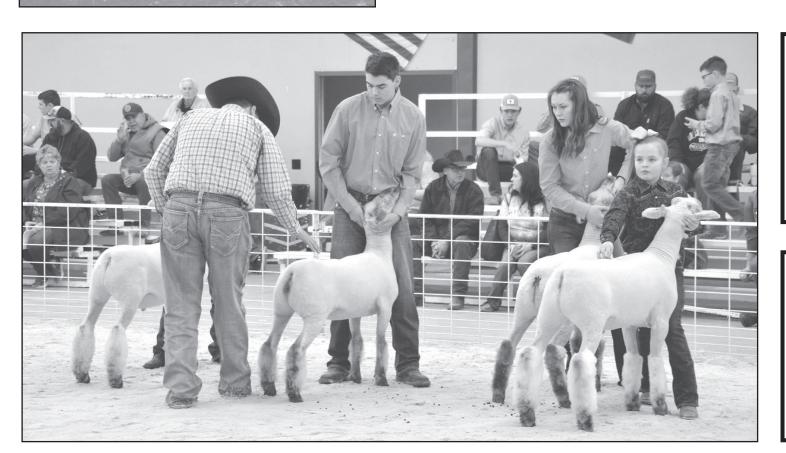
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Class 56 Cross: (1) Aubrey Bunker, (2) Macy Davis, (3) Tel Smith, (4) Brayden Potts, (5) Erick Carrasco, (6) Porter Gilley, (7) Karson Allen

Class 57 Cross: (1) Garrison Haseloff, (2) Kadey Urbantke, (3) Ramon Silva, (4) Eduardo Juarez, (5) Daniel Silva, (6) Hagen London

Class 58 Cross: (1) Leelynn Davis, (2) Braddock Foster, (3) Corbin

Potts, (4) Carlos Perea, (5) Carson Davis





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