



4 killed, 2 injured in Saturday night crash

Four people are dead and two injured following a two-vehicle wreck Saturday night 10 miles east of Friona.

According to preliminary information from the Texas Department of Public Safety, a DPS trooper attempted to initiate a traffic stop for a speeding violation on a 2016 Chevrolet Malibu traveling eastbound on U.S. 60 on Saturday, March 19th around 9:00 p.m.

The driver of the Chevrolet Malibu, Damian Javier Garcia of Hereford, attempted to evade arrest or detention by continuing eastbound on U.S. 60 for approximately 18-20 miles. At approximately 9:38 p.m., Garcia crossed over the center median and continued to evade the trooper by driving eastbound in the westbound lanes of U.S. 60 when he struck a 2017 Jeep Wrangler.

The two passengers in the Chevrolet Malibu, a 16 year old male and 17 year old male, died due to injuries sustained during the crash. They were pronounced deceased on scene by Justice of the Peace Pam Haseloff. Damian Javier Garcia, 21, was transported to Northwest Texas Healthcare Systems in Amarillo, where he was later pronounced deceased.

Jeep Wrangler occupant Robert Jon Baker, 58, was transported to Amarillo with serious injuries where he was later pronounced deceased. Jeep Wrangler occupant Lynette Dorothy Baker, 55, of Portage, Michigan was also transported to Amarillo with serious injuries. Jeep Wrangler occupant Paul Robert Baker, 27, of Kalamazoo, Michigan suffered minor injuries and was treated and released from Hereford Regional Medical Center.

First responders from Friona and Hereford responded to the wreck. Friona EMS had 2 ambulances and 8 personnel on scene and Hereford also had 2 ambulances and personnel. The Friona Volunteer Fire Department had 11 firefighters and 5 trucks on scene and were joined by 2 trucks from the Hereford Fire Department. Also, 2 helicopters were called to the scene and another helicopter was diverted to Hereford Regional Medical Center to assist with transport. Friona EMS Director Nik Baucom said he was very impressed with the professionalism that all the first responders exhibited while working the very difficult incident.

The weather and road conditions at the time of the incident were clear and dry. The posted speed limit was 75 mph. The incident is under investigation by the Texas Department of Public Safety.



84th Annual Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative Membership Meeting — Left Photo: DSEC Board Secretary Danny Hand (right) of Friona welcomes Rep. John T. Smithee (District 86) to the electric cooperative's annual meeting. Right Photo: Tim Burkhalter (center), DSEC President & General Manger visits with Wade Schueler (left) and Monte Schueler (right) after the meeting. See story on page 10.

City election canceled

February City Council Meeting

The Friona City Council met in regular session on Friday, February 18, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at 617 Main in Friona, Texas. The meeting began with roll call, an invocation, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

There were no public comments. Mayor Ricky White read a proclamation declaring February as Animal Awareness Month. The Minutes of the January 10, 2022 regular meeting were approved. The accounts payable for January 2022 and the financial statement for January 2022 were also approved.

A public hearing was scheduled for Monday, March 14th concerning the proposed annexation of a 4.836 acre tract of land recently purchased by the City.

A motion was approved to call for a City special officers election to be held on May 7th. A joint election agreement with the Fisd and Parmer County Hospital District was also approved.

The special election to be held on May 7th for the legal sale of all alcoholic beverages including mixed beverages was canceled due to the lack of required signatures.

The Council approved the purchase of a 5-tower Zimmatic irrigation sprinkler from Wade Schueler to be used on City farm lease land.

Independent contractor agreements between the City and Lar-

ry Martin as well as the City and Jeannie Martin were approved. The Council also approved the Friona Police Department's 2021 Racial Profiling Report.

March City Council Meeting

The Friona City Council met in regular session on Monday, Monday 14, 2022 at 6:30 p.m. in the City Council Chambers at 617 Main in Friona, Texas. The meeting began with roll call, an invocation, and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Ricky White read a proclamation declaring March as "Friona Business Month" and recognized local businesses including Dairy Queen, Friona Wheat Growers, Thai Sky, La Casita, Milk House Market, and Kendrick Oil Company. Mayor White also read a proclamation designating April 2022 as Fair Housing Month.

Jeannie Martin received a "Key to the City" in honor of her

eight years (2014-2022) of service to the City of Friona as the EMS Director and Assistant Director.

A public hearing was held concerning the proposed annexation of a 4.836 acre tract of land recently purchased by the City. There were no public comments. The Council then returned to the regular hearing agenda.

The Minutes of the February 18, 2022 regular meeting were approved. The accounts payable for February 2022 and the financial statement for February 2022 were also approved.

A motion was made and approved for the annexation of a 4.836 acre tract of land (4-Way Pump property) recently purchased by the City. A public hearing will be held on Wednesday, April 6th in the City Council Chambers at 617 Main to consider a request to rezone the property from "A" District - Single Family

Dwelling to "D" District - Local Retail District. The City Council will consider this proposed change in a public hearing at their next meeting on Monday, April 11th.

There were three positions up for election on the city council. The four candidates for the three positions were Greg Lewellen, Brent Loflin, Esmeralda Mills, and Cindy Moreno. Mayor White is retiring this year and Jeff Stowers decided to resign his seat in order to spend more time with his family. That left four seats open with only four candidates. As a result, the election for mayor and council members has been canceled. Greg Lewellen will be Friona's next mayor. Brent Loflin will serve another term as alderman. Cindy Moreno will replace Greg Lewellen on the council for a full term, and Esmeralda Mills will complete the term (one year) of Jeff Stowers.

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Congratulations to FHS Senior Magdalena Licerio. She finished 7th in the THSWPA State Championships in Corpus Christi. This was her second year in a row to compete at the State Championship. See results on page 6.



Mr. and Mrs. Phelps (Donald and Nancy) celebrated their 66th Wedding Anniversary at the St. Patrick's Day party held at Prairie Acres last week.

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Emergency Siren System: Alternating tone • Firefighters only | Weather Warning: 1 long tone • take cover — 3 short blasts • all clear | Tested 1st & 3rd Thurs. at 7 p.m.

Friona Weather March 24-30	T 70 25 NW 10-20	F 76 41 SSW 10-15	S 80 43 NW 10-15	S 86 47 WSW 10-20	M 88 52 W 10-20	T 77 40 W 20-30	W 60 34 N 20-30	Precipitation March 0.21 Year 0.37	Burn Ban Yes
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Community Calendar

Send Calendar information to: frionastar@wtrt.net
call (806) 250-2211 or fax (806) 250-5127

March 24

• Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

March 28

• Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

March 31

• Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

April 3

• FHS Senior Steak Dinner from 11 a.m. till 2 p.m. at Jr. High Cafeteria and curbside pickup in west parking lot

April 4

• Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

April 5

• Snack Pak packing at 3 p.m. at Friona United Methodist Church (north entrance on 9th street)

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Farmhouse to Your House

State Capital Highlights

By Gary Borders



Sheriff's deputy dies in wildfires

An Eastland County sheriff's deputy died Thursday as wildfires swept through several small Texas communities west of Dallas, destroying at least 50 homes and charring more than 54,000 acres as of Sunday.

Deputy Sgt. Barbara Fenley died while going door to door warning people to flee, according to the Austin American-Statesman.

Sgt. Fenley ran off a smoke-covered road and was engulfed in the fire, the sheriff said.

Several wildfires merged to form what is now known as the Eastland Complex fire. The blaze started last Thursday afternoon and in less than three hours destroyed 86 houses in Carbon, a town of just 272 residents in Eastland County, about 120 miles west of Dallas.

Gov. Greg Abbott issued a disaster declaration for 11 counties in response to the wildfires.

"I commend the hard work and selfless acts of thousands of first responders and firefighters who are risking their own lives to protect our communities," Abbott said. "I also ask Texans to join me in praying for those who have been affected by these wildfires, including Eastland County Deputy Barbara Fenley, who was tragically killed while trying to save lives."

Two dozen teachers added to task force

The Texas Education Agency has added two dozen teachers to its recently formed Teacher Vacancy Task Force. TEA faced criticism when the original 28-member panel only contained two teachers, with high-level administrators making up the rest.

The task force was formed at the behest of Abbott in response to a growing shortage of teachers across the state. Its goal is to "better understand the significant staffing challenges facing Texas public schools and to make comprehensive recom-

mendations to address these issues," according to TEA.

Josue Torres of Forney, an elementary school math teacher from Dallas ISD, will serve as chair of the task force.

"The reason I got into education is because I believe that a student's zip code shouldn't determine his or her fate," Torres said. "This task force has the ability to recommend the needed changes and innovative solutions necessary to ensure all Texas students have access to the high-quality educators they deserve."

2021 second-deadliest year on Texas roads

Traffic fatalities in the state were up 15% last year, making 2021 the second-deadliest year on Texas roads with 4,480 people killed — the highest total since 1981, according to the Texas Department of Transportation.

Commissioner Laura Ryan pointed out that roadway safety is a shared responsibility between the public, engineers and law enforcement.

In 2021, 1,522 people died because of speed-related causes, and 1,219 were killed because they were not wearing seat belts, Ryan said.

"Driver behavior is one of the causes but also one of the most important solutions," she said.

With increased focus on engineering, enforcement and on the critical role drivers play in road safety, Ryan and TxDOT leaders believe the state can end the streak of daily deaths on Texas roadways. #EndTheStreakTX is a broad social media and word-of-mouth effort that encourages drivers to make safer choices while behind the wheel, such as wearing a seat belt, driving the speed limit, never texting and driving, and never driving under the influence of alcohol or other drugs.

The last deathless day on Texas roadways was more than 21 years ago — Nov. 7, 2000.

Nominations sought for Heroes for Children award

Thousands of Texas volunteer at the state's public schools, and the State Board of Education would like to recognize some of them with a Heroes for Children Award. Any Texas resident who contributes time, service or support to public schools and student can be nominated. School employees or elected officials are not eligible.

One recipient will be chosen for each of the 15 SBOE districts in the state. Award recipients will be recognized at the board's September meeting. The deadline for nominations is July 15. Additional information and access to the nomination form can be found at https://tea.texas.gov/Heroes_for_Children.aspx.

COVID-19 cases still dropping

The number of new COVID-19 cases dropped once again to 18,744 in the past week, according to the Coronavirus Resource Center at Johns Hopkins University, with 418 deaths recorded. Two months ago, largely as a result of the omicron variant, 440,341 cases were reported along with 2,311 deaths.

The number of lab-confirmed COVID-19 hospitalizations also dropped to 1,605, according to the Texas Department of State Health Services, down 20% from the previous week.

DSHS reports 17.373 million Texans are fully vaccinated, which is 59.6% of the total population. In addition, 6.429 million of the state's residents have received a booster dose.

Gary Borders is a veteran award-winning Texas journalist. He published a number of community newspapers in Texas during a 30-year span, including in Longview, Fort Stockton, Nacogdoches and Cedar Park. Email: gborders@texaspress.com.

Free Vaccination Clinics

Parmer Medical Center now has Pfizer Pediatric doses available for kids 5-11 years of age. Also, Pfizer for ages 12 & up and Moderna for ages 18 & up. Please call 806-250-2754 (ext. 120 or 163), 806-240-1562, or 806-240-1761 to schedule an appointment.

PMC will conduct shot clinics on Thursdays from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Friona at the 6th Street Church of Christ and on Fridays from 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. in Bovina at the XIT Recreation Center.

TEXAS CROSSWORD

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- ACROSS**
- 1 football exercise: _____ups
 - 5 GOP is _____ big government
 - 6 Iowa _____, TX
 - 7 former Cowboy TE Billy Joe Du _____
 - 8 Tex Ritter title: "_____ Beloved Cowboy"
 - 17 TXism: "it ain't _____ in cement"
 - 18 TX politician Samuel _____ Rayburn
 - 21 Darin of TX-filmed "State Fair" (init.)
 - 22 Gomer _____
 - 23 TXism: "run it by a _____" (finalize)
 - 24 TXism for "hog" tragic fate
 - 30 TXism: "rough as a _____ cob"
 - 31 "yes," south of the border
 - 32 TXism: "if it was a snake it would _____"
 - 34 gasp for breath
 - 35 OJ's judge
 - 36 1st plane passenger service: _____ Transport
 - 37 _____back riding
 - 38 unadvised absence from Fort Hood
 - 39 Upton County seat
 - 40 cowboy hat material
 - 41 trap or drum
 - 42 this George was in 1979 "Kramer" film with TX JoBeth Williams

- 43 TXism: "loose as a _____"
 - 45 TXism: "worth his weight in oil _____"
 - 46 ending for "great" in reference to Texas
 - 47 TXism: "smart as a bunkhouse _____"
 - 48 Cowboys NY foe
 - 49 TXism: "has to sneak up on _____ fix her hair" (homely)
- DOWN**
- 1 former Houston restaurant: "_____ House"
 - 2 TXism: "he'd be _____ in a battle of wits" (dumb)
 - 3 Elm in Dallas
 - 4 football center
 - 9 TX Willie sang "What Was _____ Wanted"
 - 10 serene
 - 11 heavy beer
 - 12 sports mag.

- 13 this Dorothy was in film "Two Guys From Texas" San Antonio Museum _____
- 14 TX Nokona baseball gloves are hand-_____ your hand at it"
- 15 makes new again in 1993, TX Ranger Palmeiro joined the Baltimore _____
- 22 TXism: "_____ as a church mouse"
- 24 "Giant" Rock (init.)
- 25 horse morsel
- 26 TXism: "don't cry _____ spilt milk"
- 27 TX golf hat and visor corp.
- 28 Los _____, TX
- 29 expiring
- 30 TXism: "got the _____ before the horse"
- 33 an Asian language
- 34 Eastwood western: "_____ Rider" (1985)
- 35 TXism: "couldn't be happier unless _____ strike oil in my backyard"
- 37 TXism: "_____ laid eyes on"
- 38 picnic pest (2 wds.) beer heads
- 40 to brand the hide
- 41 TXism: "don't give a hoot _____ holler"
- 45 mascot for Ozona, Dublin, or Livingston
- 48 TXism for "tough" former Lubbock Air Force Base

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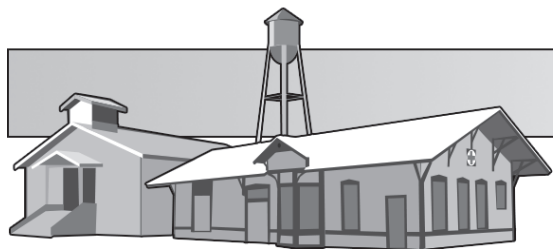
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Doctor's Day — Everyone is invited to come celebrate National Doctor's Day on Wednesday at the new PMC Specialty Clinic Building (formerly Ag Texas) on Highway 60 just south of Hunan's restaurant. Please see ad on back page.

Potluck of the Irish? — over 100 meals were served at the St. Patrick's Day Dinner sponsored by Legacy Pointe with over 50 dine-in meals and 50 take-out meals sold and served. Thanks to everyone who supported the cause.

To the Pointe — Legacy Pointe's first tenant is expected to take up residence in April. Other tenants are pending.

Everyone is invited to a Friends of Scouting Luncheon sponsored by the Boy Scouts of America Golden Spread Council on Thursday, March 31, 2022 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Farmwife Kitchen located at 423 South Main. There will be a meal and a time to highlight Scouting and what it means to the community.

Larry & Sharon Rector, as well as Parmer Paws, will be honored for their unwavering support of Scouting. City Manager Lee Davila will be the keynote speaker. There is no cost to attend. However, a 2022 financial support will be requested. Please RSVP by Tuesday, March 29th to Michael Lopez at michael.lopez@scouting.org or by calling 505-699-6552.

Be Specific and Intentional

By Teena Hughs

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When I pray for our country, I need to be specific about what I want God to do for our country; I need to pray for what I want Americans to do. When I pray for my family, I need to be specific about what I want for them, especially for our precious grandson. I just need to quit being lukewarm with my prayers and be specific.

Does that mean I always know what is best for my family and friends? NO. Does that

mean God will answer my prayer requests like He did about the checkbook? NO. If I am not in His will with my requests, He will tell me NO or maybe answer my prayers at another time.

Specific prayer is intentional prayer, and it takes time. You have to think about the person or situation; you have to ask God what is best for them and pray that. You have to pray for everyone affecting a person's life, situation, or concern. It takes time,

and all too often, I feel good if I just lift them to God in a popcorn type prayer.

Needless to say, God used a lost checkbook and medicare and insurance cards to show me I need to change the way I pray. I need to quit being generic, and I need to be specific and intentional. I have a lot of work to do, but I believe it will draw me closer to God, and I believe I will have a deeper understanding of, and relationship with, God.

National Days
 March 24 — Cocktail Day
 March 25 — Medal of Honor Day
 March 26 — Spinach Day
 March 27 — Scribble Day
 March 28 — Triglycerides Day
 March 29 — Vietnam War Veterans Day
 March 30 — Doctor's Day

COURTHOUSE NOTES

Susie Spring, County Clerk

Warranty Deeds recorded at the Parmer County Clerk's Office from March 10, 2022 to March 17, 2022

(3/11/22) Friesen Ag LLC — Kenneth White — A Tract of Land in the N/2 of NW/3 Sec 11 T15S, R2E Capitol Syndicate Subdivision in Parmer County

(3/11/22) Jennifer Garza — Elpidio Banelos — The N 1/2 of L 4 Blk 30 of the Original Town of Bovina in Parmer County

(3/14/22) Karen Renner — Joel Osborn — The South 80 Acres of the North 240 Acres of the West 320 Acres of Section 3, Township 4 South, Rand 4 East, Capitol Syndicate Subdivision, Parmer County, Texas; The South 80 Acres of the West 320 Acres of Section 3, Township 4 South, Range 4 East, of a Capitol Syndicate Subdivision of Parmer County, Texas; All of the South 1/2 of Section Number 8, of Township Number 4 South, of Range Number 4 East, League Number 485 Parmer County, Texas

(3/14/22) Estate of Robert William Anderson, Robert William Anderson II, Caroline Lewis — Robert W. Anderson II — The North 10.5 feet of Lot 19 and All of Lots 20, 21, 22, 23, and S 1/2 Lot 24, Block 46, of the Original Town of Farwell, Parmer County, Texas

(3/16/22) Clay Scott Mimms, The Virgil Mimms Trust, Gary Brown, Estate of Billie Jo Mimms — Daniel Schacher, Mary Jo Schacher — All of the North Half of Section 6, Doud and Keefer Subdivision, Parmer County, Texas

(3/16/22) Adair Robards — Criss L. Wyly, Karen Wyly — All of the East Half of Section 28, of the Charles Harding Subdivision of Parmer County, Texas

SHERIFF'S REPORT

Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office:
Eric Geske, Sheriff

(3/15/22) Christopher Muzik, 40, of Clovis, New Mexico was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office on a charge of Burglary of a Building, pending Grand Jury.

(3/16/22) Preston Wayne Dooley, 19, of Muleshoe was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office on a charge of DUI - Minor.

(3/16/22) Vincent Gonzales, 30, of Hereford was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office on a charge of Possession Marijuana, pending County Court.

(3/18/22) Christian Campos, 26, of Muleshoe was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office on a charge of Theft of Property > #2,500 < 30K, pending Grand Jury.

Puzzle Solution

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 PARK
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 BD PYLE LAWYER
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 TEXASAIR BARE AWOL
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 COE GOOSE LEASES
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City election canceled

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A motion was approved to provide \$160,000 for the purchase of a fire truck for the Friona Volunteer Fire Department. The possibility of building a new fire station was discussed. Fire Chief Danny Campbell told the Council that preliminary estimates place the cost around \$2.4 million to construct a new station that would include training facilities.

In other business, Tyler Hough was awarded the bid for the lease of farmland owned by the City. Approval was given for the Business Store Front Improvement applications presented by the Friona Economic Development Corporation. An interlocal contract between the City and the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (PRPC) was approved. Bryer's Asphalt Paving of Amarillo was

awarded the bid for the 2022 Sealcoat Project.

All meetings are open to the public. The City Council reserves the right to go into Executive session at any time. Visit cityoffriona.com to find agendas and minutes from previous meetings. Information in this article is only a summary. Any questions concerning specific actions should be directed to the City Council.

We are eating more of the... ...brightly colored foods at school, too! Kids: color stuff in!

Newspaper Fun!

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Good Nutrition - Healthy Living

Did you notice that the area for "vegetables" is the largest on this plate?

Have you seen and used the "food plate"? It is a simple way to tell with one look if you are eating about the right amount of food from each of the food groups at meals. The plate is divided into four parts to show serving sizes for fruits, vegetables, grains and foods that have proteins. The dairy (like me - milk!) is added on the side. Are you choosing healthy amounts of foods that will provide the nutrition you need to grow and be healthy?

* Source: USDA

Read the clues to fill in the puzzle:

- The four areas of the _____ show you how much of each food group you should eat.
- Choose foods from each food group every day: fruits, vegetables, _____ and beans, grains and dairy.
- The area for _____ is the largest: carrots, peas, spinach, green beans, potatoes, squash.
- _____ and vegetables are loaded with vitamins A and C for good skin, eyes and healing.
- _____ products made from low-fat milk have calcium for building strong bones and teeth.
- Foods in the grain group have carbohydrates that give you _____.
- Whole _____ have more fiber, so try whole-wheat noodles or pizza crust.
- _____ to build muscles comes from meat, fish, beans and nuts.
- Some fat is needed for your body and brain to run well. Choose an _____ rather than fats that are solid.
- We can buy fresh vegetables and fruits or ones that were _____ or canned right after picking - they are all nutritious.
- Choose snacks that have less fat or salt, and cereals with less _____.
- When you eat out, choose the _____ meals on the menu.

Pop Quiz! Read the three statements and circle "a" or "b".

- Fish and turkey have lots of
 a. vitamins & fiber
 b. protein
- Broccoli and carrots have lots of
 a. vitamin A & C
 b. fat
- Beans are a super food! They have lots of protein and iron, like meat or fish, as well as fiber & nutrients found in many vegetables.
 a. True
 b. False

Healthy Living

Every day we have to make choices about the foods we eat and how we take care of ourselves. Here are 12 ways to help you be the best that you can be! Match up the first part of each idea with the second part that makes sense:

- exercise
- choose snacks
- wash
- sleep
- get your energy flowing each morning by
- brush and floss

- that are less sugary or less sticky
- your teeth each day
- eating breakfast
- 30 to 60 minutes a day
- your face, hands and hair as often as needed
- long enough each night

Yummy, Healthier Treats!

Small snacks are good for us. They keep our energy up! We all need calories to live, but if we eat many more calories than we need, we can gain more weight than we should. (Our family doctors can help us learn what weight range is healthiest for each of us.) Fill in the missing vowels to spell out some good treats:

- p _ _ n _ t butter on apple or pear slices
- lowfat yogurt with fr _ _ t
- v _ g _ t _ bl _ sticks with low-fat dips
- whole-grain, low-sugar c _ r _ _ l
- milk or w _ t _ r instead of soda
- a small square of dark ch _ c _ l _ t _
- sm _ _ th _ _ s made from fruits like strawberries, bananas, and blueberries
- make your own tr _ _ l _ mix
- _ _ tm _ _ l walnut bars

Good Nutrition?

Every food we eat has something that will help our body grow. Some foods are very **nutritious**. Others are tasty, but are **not** very helpful. Can you choose the 12 best foods from the five basic food groups? Draw a circle around the 12 best foods from the five basic food groups:

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Small Town Cookin' *By Jeri Lynn White*

Dips

Last week we celebrated National Potato Chip Day, and this week we celebrate National Chips and Dip Day on March 23rd. Of course, you can go with the usual chips and queso or chips and guacamole, but if you want another option, I found this recipe to enjoy.

Jalapeño Popper Dip
www.thepioneerwoman.com

Ingredients

- 8 strips of bacon, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic
- 2 fresh jalapeños, chopped, plus more for garnish
- 2 8 oz. blocks cream cheese, softened
- 1/3 c. mayonnaise
- 1/3 c. sour cream
- 2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
- 1/2 tsp. ground black pepper
- 8 oz. shredded sharp cheddar cheese
- 1 c. crushed, thick yellow corn tortilla chips, plus more chips for serving
- Sliced, toasted baguette, for serving

Directions

Preheat the oven to 375 degrees. Heat a 10" cast-iron skillet over medium heat. Add the bacon and cook for 8-10 minutes until crispy. Remove from the heat and transfer the bacon to a paper-towel lined plate to drain. Remove all but a thin layer of bacon grease from the skillet (about 2 tablespoons remaining). Return the skillet to medium heat. Add the garlic and jalapeño. Cook 2 minutes until slightly softened. Remove from the heat. Add the cream cheese, mayonnaise, sour cream, Worcestershire sauce, and black pepper. Stir or whisk until smooth. Stir in about two-thirds of the bacon. Sprinkle the cheddar cheese all over the top of the dip, followed by the crushed chips. Bake for 12-14 minutes, until the edges are bubbly, and the cheese is melted all over. Top with the remaining cooked bacon and extra slices of jalapeño. Serve with more tortilla chips and toasted baguette.

Happy Birthday

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| <p>March 24
Matt Osborn
Dennis Field
Sabrina Barraza
Jisela (Torres) Licerio
Emerson Maricle</p> <p>March 25
Sydney Frye
Owen Daniels
Val Casas</p> <p>March 26
Joan Grimsley
David Smith
Dylan Tyler
Joni Lyn Graham
Bryan Blake Stover
Brock St. Clair</p> <p>March 27
Keven Clark
Jon Goddard
V'Lesha (Wilcox) Pelton
Macy Diane Reeve</p> | <p>March 28
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Alan Clark
Kay O'Brian
Kaleb Steen
Gaylene Hyde
Joel Van Valkenburg
Rylan Reyes
Gaylene Young</p> <p>March 29
Lisa Neill
Ryan Potts
Loy McLellan
Briar (Barnett) Reyes
Stephanie Williams
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Jana Barnett
Annette Loflin
Feller Hughs
Margie Bridges</p> |
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To have your birthdays listed in the newspaper, email them to frionastar@wtrt.net or call: 806.250.2211

FHS Senior Banquet @ Sixth Street Church of Christ



The FHS Senior Banquet tour began this week with a stop at the Sixth Street Church of Christ. Thanks to all the church members who provided the great meal and fellowship!

Lazbuddie High School Seniors were also honored Monday evening at the Senior Banquet. They included (l-r) Halley Wales, Jacob Froese, T.J. Chavez, and Ashlyn Doshier. Congratulations Seniors!



Gas prices retreat

By GasBuddy

Average gasoline prices in Texas fell 9.0 cents in the last week, averaging \$3.90 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's survey of 13,114 stations in Texas. Prices in Texas are 71.0 cents per gallon higher than a month ago and stand \$1.26 per gallon higher than a year ago. According to GasBuddy price reports, the cheapest station in Texas was priced at \$3.16 while the most expensive was \$4.82 per gallon.

The national average price of gasoline has fallen 9.0 cents in the last week, averaging \$4.23 per gallon. The national average is up 71.5 cents per gallon from a month ago and stands \$1.37 per gallon higher than a year ago, according to GasBuddy data compiled from more than 11 million weekly price reports covering over 150,000 gas stations across the country.

"GasBuddy, last week, predicted that a top was in for the national average price of gasoline, and indeed, for the first time in 12 weeks, the national average price of gasoline has declined. While the decline is still subject to changes in global supply and demand, Covid and Russia's war on Ukraine, we are poised to see additional downdrafts at the pump this week in most areas," said Patrick De Haan, head of petroleum analysis at GasBuddy.

De Haan continued, "For now, gasoline demand has shown absolutely no signs of buckling under the pressure of higher prices, even as California nears an average of \$6 per gallon, with spring break travel well underway. If the situation does worsen, with more oil being kept away from global markets, it's not impossible that gas prices would still have to climb a considerable amount for Americans to start curbing their insatiable demand for gasoline."

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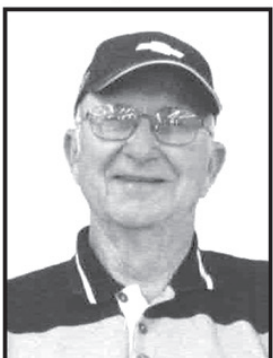
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Panhandle Parables

Don't Look Back!

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

By the spring of my 7th grade year I had survived two athletic endeavors: Football and Basketball as a Friona Brave. For those of you who remember me way back then you remember how small I was, for those who don't, well I looked closer to being in 4th grade than 7th. But the spring brought a new challenge known as Track. I knew the hurdles were out as well as the high jump, but the race I began to focus on was the mile, 1600 meters, 4 laps. A race of endurance. As it would be Coach Austin agreed and I was in the mile.

A bonus was at the Muleshoe track meet, my late uncle Larry who

went to TCU on a track scholarship was able to come see me run. I was excited. I ran my race and would often look back to see who was behind. I ended up about 4th or 5th. Nothing glamorous, but I wasn't last and I ran a respectable time for a 7th grader. My uncle Larry encouraged me and gave me a bit of advice of which I readily received him being a track star and all. He said, "You did a great job, you keep working at it and as long as there is someone in front of you, don't look back go after the guy in front."

There are a lot of layers to that statement that can help you beyond the

track. I never became a sought after track star, but more importantly, I quit focusing on what was behind and that has been a profoundly long lasting piece of advice.

Looking back in Biblical terms was a sign of mistrust in Who was in front of you. Lot's wife turned to salt. Jesus says at the end of Luke 9 that looking back makes you not fit for the plow. Yet Satan, constantly encourages us to take our focus off the guy in front of us. Namely, Jesus who is the author and perfecter of our faith. So keep your eyes on the One who is leading you Home and in the words of Paul, "run as if to win!"

Barriers to Prayer

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

If you went to South Korea today, you would be unable to cross the border into North Korea because along the 38th parallel, a 160 mile long, 2.5 mile wide, demilitarized zone was established at the end of the Korean War. This barrier is to be an impenetrable barrier keeping North Koreans from defecting to the South, and as a buffer against military activities. In a similar way, it is possible to construct barriers in your prayer life that keep your prayers from passing the ceiling.

The barriers of unbelief and wrong desires will short circuit your prayers and both are warned against in James. James 1:5-8 tackles the barrier of doubt, which leads to a person being like a wave of the sea, being driven and tossed by the wind. The result of one's doubt, is "that person must not suppose that he will receive anything from the Lord," v7. In fact, in Matthew 13:58, one of the saddest verses in Jesus' ministry says, "And he did not do many

mighty works there [Nazareth] because of their unbelief." They missed out on Jesus ministering mightily because of their unbelief. How sad that we are often tempted to doubt the power and might of Almighty God, thus relegating our prayers to a clanging gong instead of a powerful plea before the throne of grace.

Another barrier to prayer that James mentions in James 4:1-3 is that of wrong desires. Prayers fueled by selfish, sinful and worldly desires are chaff that is blown away before the presence of God. When self and sin are the chief ends of my prayers, I have built a barrier of wrong desire that will drain the holy fuel from my petitions. The cure for this is to repent and humble oneself before our holy God, submitting all of oneself to all of His will. Prayer that catches the ear of God, is prayer that seeks the Father's will, not mine, longing for Him to be glorified as the gospel advances.

Be Specific and Intentional

By Teena Hughs

Here lately, I have been frustrated with my prayer life. I have felt that I must not be in God's will since many of my prayers are answered with a resounding NO. This is a long-winded story, but please bear with me; I promise I do have a point to make at the end!

Last Wednesday, we were trying to get off to Lubbock. One of the many things I needed to do in Lubbock was run off the invitations to the SWTJC Reunion. I have a checking account for the reunion, and I wanted to pay for the copies with a check. I have a tub where I keep all of my SWTJC things, and I thought that was the logical place to look for the checkbook. I looked and looked through the tub; Feller looked and looked through the tub, but there was no checkbook. So, I told him we would go on to Lubbock, and I would find it when we got home.

On Thursday, I had doctors' appointments. At the last appointment, they asked for my medicare card and supplemental insurance cards.

You guessed it: I couldn't find them. I looked and looked; I explained that my information was the same as the last time I was there. They had changed computer programs two weeks ago, and they no longer had my information. When I got back to the pickup, I told Feller I now had to find two things when I got home.

After church Sunday, the searches began. I cleaned out one vehicle looking for the medicare and insurance cards; then, I went to the second, and I found them in the console; they had fallen out of my billfold. Problem solved; on to the next search.

I looked through the tub again; I looked through my desks and filing cabinets to no avail. I finally asked God to show me where the checkbook was. That night, after I went to bed, I was talking to God, and a picture of a money box, that I take to the reunion, came to my mind. I started to get up and go find the box, but I decided I needed sleep more.

The next morning, I

thought about the box as I was getting dressed. I forgot about it while I was telling Feller about how the UT and TCU basketball games ended. Then he asked, "You didn't find the checkbook?" I didn't even answer; I just went to find the box. Sure enough, there were the two checkbooks.

So, what did I learn from all of this? I could make a lot of jokes here about my memory and organizational skills, but what I seriously learned is that I need to be specific when I ask God for something. I didn't ask Him to help me find the checkbooks, even though He did; I asked Him to show me where they were, and that is when I got my answer.

When I pray for sick friends, I need to be specific about how I want them healed, and not just pray a "please heal them" prayer. God can heal them by Himself; He can heal them with doctors; or, He can heal them in Heaven. What was lost has been found, and that includes me and my prayer life!

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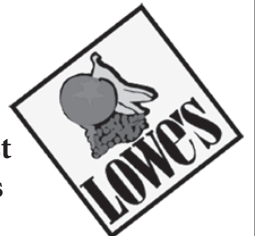


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Varsity Boys		Team Scores		3200 Meters		
100 Meters		Varsity Boys		3. Yvonne Legarreta12:41.16		
8. Bryan Chavira.....11.41	1. Childress.....136	2. Panhandle.....56		4 x 100m Relay		
26. Isaac Olmos.....12.58	2. Bushland.....55	3. Shallowater.....53		6. Friona53.51		
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2. Alan Martinez.....52.84	6. Perryton.....45.33	6. Friona.....52		5. Friona1:57.79		
17. Isaias Olmos.....58.85	7. Olton.....35	7. Olton.....35		Anahi Gonzalez, Destini Nava,		
4 x 100m Relay		9. Canyon.....33		Liliana Martinez, Noelia Bautista		
3. Friona44.74	10. Wellington.....31	9. Canyon.....33		Shot Put		
Alexis Rivas, Bryan Chavira,	11. New Home.....22	10. Wellington.....31		7. Reyna Arias29-01.75		
Kade Crosby, Jacob Bautista	12. Canadian.....21.33	11. New Home.....22				
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1. Friona1:32.37	14. Amarillo.....10	14. Amarillo.....10				
Alan Martinez, Kade Crosby,	15. Silverton.....6	15. Silverton.....6				
Bryan Chavira, Jacob Bautista	16. Briscoe Fort Elliott.....2	16. Briscoe Fort Elliott.....2				
Shot Put						
5. Jake Padilla44-06.25						
12. Anthony Abarca39-04.00						
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8. Jake Padilla116-08						
16. Anthony Abarca100-07						
High Jump						
5. Kade Crosby.....5-04.00						
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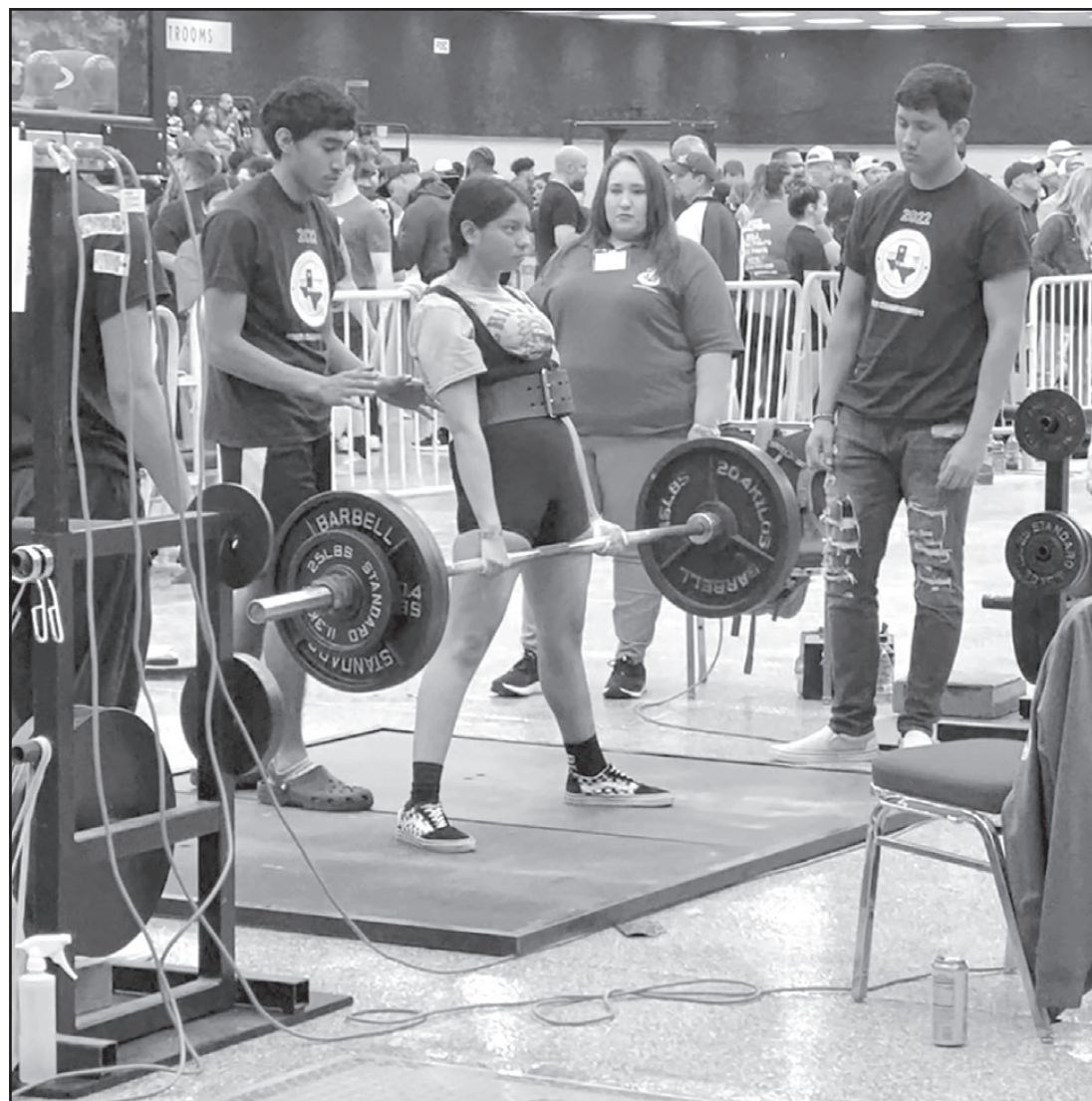


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Powerlifting Results

3A Small School State Championships Final - Corpus Christi - 3/17/2022 - THSWPA Girls

Wt.	Place	Athlete	School	BWT	Squat	Bench	Dead	Total
132	1	Arlene Ramirez	Hebbronville	131.2	385	180	330	895
132	2	Yasmine Morado	Brady	132.4	375	195	325	895
132	3	Angelica Padilla	Natalia	132.2	335	185	295	815
132	4	Jehan Johnson	El Maton Tidehaven	124.7	345	170	285	800
132	5	Brinklie Brown	Diana New Diana	127.6	320	160	295	775
132	6	Mariana Rosales	Tulia	125	355	140	275	770
132	7	Magdalena Licerio	Friona	128.6	265	170	275	710
132	8	Tien Hoang	Wichita Falls City View	130.9	300	135	270	705
132	9	Caylin Harrell	Danbury	131.6	275	160	250	685
132	10	Brea Holmes	Corsicana Mildred	127.5	270	120	285	675
132	11	Alectra Mask	Bells	128	250	185	230	665
132	12	Lindsay Campos	Bangs	129.8	260	135	270	665



Squaw Power!!! Magdalena Licerio is shown in action at the Girls Powerlifting State Championships held last week in Corpus Christi. Magdalena has also served as the FHS Mascot (Chieftain and Squaw) for the past three years.



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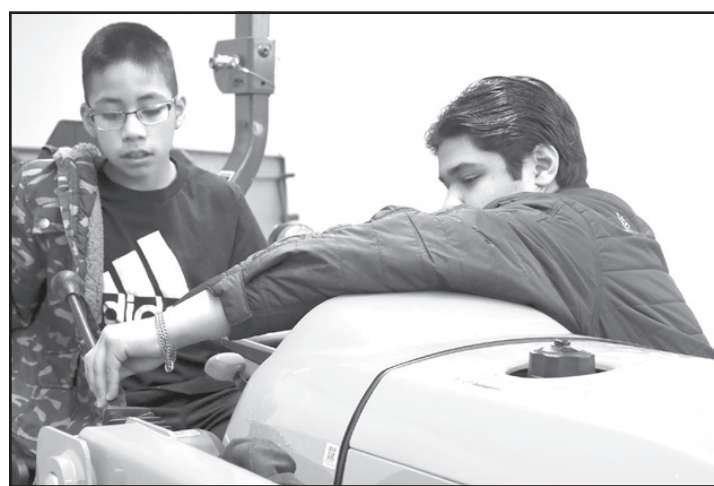
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The right to vote

By John Grimaldi and David Bruce Smith

The 15th Amendment, ratified on February 3, 1870, states: "the right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of race, color, or previous condition of servitude." The following day, Thomas Peterson-Mundy of Perth Amboy, NJ became the first African American to vote in an election to determine whether to revise-or abandon- its township.

That year was replete with triumphs for bygone slaves. "Hiram Rhodes Revels, a Republican from Natchez, MS, became the first African American ever to sit in Congress. Although African Ameri-



can Republicans never obtained political office in proportion to their overwhelming electoral majority, Revels and a dozen other African American men served in Congress during Reconstruction, more than six hundred served in state legislatures, and many more held local offices," according to History.com.

The Grateful American Book Prize recommends **Stolen Justice: The Struggle for African American Voting Rights** by Lawrence Goldstone.

Source: *History Matters: Showing our children that their past is prelude to their future at the gratefulamericanbookprize.com website.*

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS
FRIONA PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

Date: Wednesday, April 6, 2022 **Time:** 5:30 p.m.

Place: City Council Chambers, City Hall, 617 Main St., Friona, Texas

Applicant(s): City of Friona

The Friona Planning and Zoning Commission will consider in public hearing a request for the rezoning of 1400 US Highway 60, Friona, Texas 79035 (previously referred to at 4-Way Pump) as defined in Attachment A, plus one-half of all bounding streets, alleys, and public ways to change from "A" District – Single-Family Dwelling District to "D" District – Local Retail District.

A recommendation to approve, deny, or modify the requested rezoning will be sent to the City Council.

The Friona City Council will consider this proposed change in a public hearing **on Monday, April 11, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.** in the City Council Chambers of City Hall, 619 Main Street, Friona, Texas.

For further information, contact the Friona City Manager at (806) 250-2761

In the event of a lack of quorum to convene or continue either the Planning and Zoning or Council meeting described above, this matter will automatically be carried forward to the agenda of the next regularly scheduled meeting and succeeding meetings as necessary.

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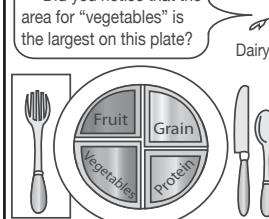
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Good Nutrition - Healthy Living

Did you notice that the area for "vegetables" is the largest on this plate?



Healthy Living

- exercise
- choose snacks
- wash
- sleep
- get your energy flowing each morning by
- brush and floss

Yummy, Healthier Treats!

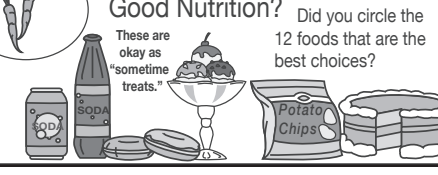
- peanut butter
- yogurt with fruit
- vegetable sticks
- whole grain cereal
- milk or water
- dark chocolate
- smoothies from fruits
- trail mix
- oatmeal
- walnut bars

Pop Quiz

a. a.

Good Nutrition?

These are okay as "sometimes" treats.



Attachment A

TRACT I

All of that approximate 2.548 acre tract of land out of the East part of an 8.13-acre tract of land situated in the Northeast Quarter (NE/4) of Section One, Township 3 South, Range 3 East, of a Capitol Syndicate Subdivision in Parmer County, Texas, said 2.548 acre tract being the remainder of a 3.32 acre tract described by metes and bounds as follows after a 0.772 acre tract was conveyed to DQ Properties, a Texas Partnership in deed recorded in Volume 217, Page 658, Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas:

BEGINNING at a pipe which is 40 feet South and 340 feet East of the North Quarter corner of Section 1, T3S, R3E, of a Capitol Syndicate Subdivision in Parmer County, Texas;

THENCE South 00 deg 58 min West, 685.8' to a pipe in the North R/W line of U.S. 60;

THENCE Northeasterly, 330.2' along a curve of U.S. 60 to the Right of radius 2915' whose chord bears N. 50 deg. 13' East 330.0' to a pipe in the R/W line U.S. 60;

THENCE North 00 deg 58' East, 474.7' to a pipe;

THENCE West, 250.0' to the point of beginning.

TRACT II

A 2.305 acre tract out of the Northwest part of the Northeast ¼ of Section 1, Township 3 South, Range 3 East of a Capitol Syndicate Subdivision in Parmer County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at the Northwest corner of the Northeast ¼ of Section 1, Township 3 South, Range 3 East;

THENCE South 00 deg. 01 min. 52 sec. West along the West line of the Northeast ¼ of said section, 40 feet to a point in the South line of Farm Road 1731 and also being the Northeast corner of Block 1, Western Addition to the City of Friona;

THENCE North 89 deg. 04 min. East along the South line of Farm Road 1731, a distance of 40 feet to a ¾ inch iron pipe for the Northwest corner of a tract known as 1.1 acres as conveyed to Glenn E. Reeve, Sr. by deed of record in Vol. 126, Page 312, Deed Records;

THENCE South 00 deg. 01 min. 52 sec. West parallel with the West line of the Northeast ¼ of said section, at 160.0 feet pass a ¾ inch iron pipe for the Southwest corner of the tract known as 1.1 acres, at 273.35 feet pass a ½ inch iron rod for the Northwest corner tract known as 1.606 acres and at a total distance of 506.55 feet a ½ inch iron rod for Southwest corner of the tract known as 1.606 acres and also being the NORTHWEST and actual BEGINNING corner of this tract;

THENCE North 89 deg. 14 min. 10 sec. East 299.85 feet to a ½ inch iron rod in the West line of a tract known as 3.32 acres for the Southeast corner of the tract known as 1.606 acres;

THENCE South 00 deg. 04 min. 09 sec. West along the West line of the tract known as 3.32 acres, 178.20 feet to a ¾ inch iron pipe in the Northerly ROW line of U.S. Highway 60;

THENCE Southwesterly along the Northerly ROW line of U.S. Highway 60 and along a curve to the left with a radius of 2915 feet and a central angle of 08 deg. 50 min. 38 sec., an arc distance of 449.94 feet to a point;

THENCE North 00 deg. 01 min. 52 sec. East parallel with the West line of the northeast ¼ of said section, 509.05 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING and containing a computed area of 2.305 acres.

Friona Youth Sports had a great winter season. There were over 260 participants from Friona, Farwell, Bovina, and Lazbuddie. We would like to thank all of our sponsors, coaches, athletes, parents, and supporters for helping to make Friona Youth Sports successful.



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3rd & 4th Grade Boys • RL Trucking (White)

Coach: Irving Flores; Team Members: Xavian Flores, Montemayor, Dillon San Miguel, Eann Montemayor, Kean Nieto, Malachi Casas, Kyan Nieto, Emiliano Guevara



3rd & 4th Grade Boys • RL Trucking (Maroon)

Coach: Eric Reza; Team Members: William Reza, Izik Delacruz, Aaron Lara, Braylon Quintana, Jay'ven Munoz, Noah Rocha, Julian Esparza, Gabriel Garza

03/05 10:20 AM-Friona High...	D&D Aviation	12	03/05 03:00 PM-Friona High...	RL Trucking Maro...	19
	Del Rio Dairy	10		D&D Aviation	12
			03/05 05:20 PM-Friona High...	RL Trucking Maro...	28 1st
				Lonestar Ag	10 2nd
			03/05 01:50 PM-Friona High...	RL Trucking White	14
03/05 09:10 AM-Friona High...	Lonestar Ag	24		Lonestar Ag	19
	Friona Interbank	8			



3rd & 4th Grade Boys • Lonestar Ag

Coach: Khalli Ruthardt, Coach: Tony Beachamp; Team Members: Easton Branscum, Josiah Chavez, Sawyer McFarland, Ethan Durr, Charley Morris, Grady Beachamp, Jeremy Sias, Mason Ruthardt, Brantley Duffield



3rd & 4th Grade Boys • Friona InterBank

Coach: Gabriel Vara; Team Members: Ayden Valdez, Tadeo Salas, Matthew Vidaurri, Willem Bonestroo, Kannon Blakey, Axel Honks, Rlyton Ledbetter



3rd & 4th Grade Boys • Del Rio Dairy

Coach: Justin Bridges, Coach: Shanna Daniels, Team Members: Kaiden Bridges, Owen Daniels, Caleb Ramirez, Isaiah Trevino, Logan Tyler, Joel Ramos, Yahdir Faudoa, Manasseh Licerio



3rd & 4th Grade Boys • D&D Aviation

Coach: Herman Marquez; Team Members: Anthony Marquez, Roman Salinas, Alfredo Chavez, Luis Lopez, Eliyahu Espinoza, Isziah Snyder, Julian Guerra, Eden Ezparaz

DSEC annual meeting returns after 2-year absence

Tuesday evening, Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative (DSEC) members received capital credit refunds totaling \$7,200,000 at DSEC's 84th annual meeting and member appreciation dinner. This year marked the return of the annual meeting after a 2-year absence due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

Danny's Hens & Fins catered the meal in the Hereford Bull Barn which was followed by a short business meeting and the election of two directors. DSEC President & General Manager Tim Burkhalter, presiding over his first annual meeting, told the attendees that the cooperative was in sound financial

condition despite the 2-year pandemic and a \$21M liability due to Winter Storm Uri in February 2021. A low-interest loan to pay the liability will cost each cooperative member approximately \$0.002 kWh, on average, during the ten-year recovery period.

Position One Board Member Michael Carlson ran unopposed and was reelected. Incumbent Vick Christian defeated Lincoln Devault for Position Two on the Board of Directors. A drawing for door prizes totaling more than two thousand dollars, including round trip tickets on Southwest Airlines, was also conducted.

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3rd & 4th Grade Girls • Lonestar Ag

Coach: Taylor Stancell; Team Members: Trinity Lunsford, Khloe Chavez, Giselle Lara, Zoe Garcia, Sofia Perez, Karma Lucio, Daniela Arevalo, Jael Herring, Payzlee Ware



3rd & 4th Grade Girls • First National Bank

Coach: Andrew Aguirre, Coach: Desiree Rangel; Team Members: Jacque Lozoya, Genesis Aguirre, Aryelle Chico, Arianna Rocha, Amayah Rojas, Teresa Alvidrez, Yuvia Arias, Karleigh Rangel, Preslie Goyné,

03/05 08:00 AM-Friona High...	Jarecki Custom F...	14	Lonestar Ag	2
03/05 12:40 PM-Friona High...	TW&M LLC	12	Jarecki Custom F...	4
03/05 04:10 PM-Friona High...	TW&M LLC	18	1st	
	First National Bank	9	2nd	
03/05 11:30 AM-Friona High...	First National Bank	21	Friona Interbank	9



3rd & 4th Grade Girls • Friona InterBank

Coach: Hailey Richey, Coach: Alex Olmos; Team Members: Kaicynn Hanks, Aleta, Carrie Lara, Rubi Olmos, Jimena Abigail Olmos, Ally Brooks Carpenter, Bedsaida Montoya, Carlee Owen, Charli Sparks



3rd & 4th Grade Girls • TW&M LLC

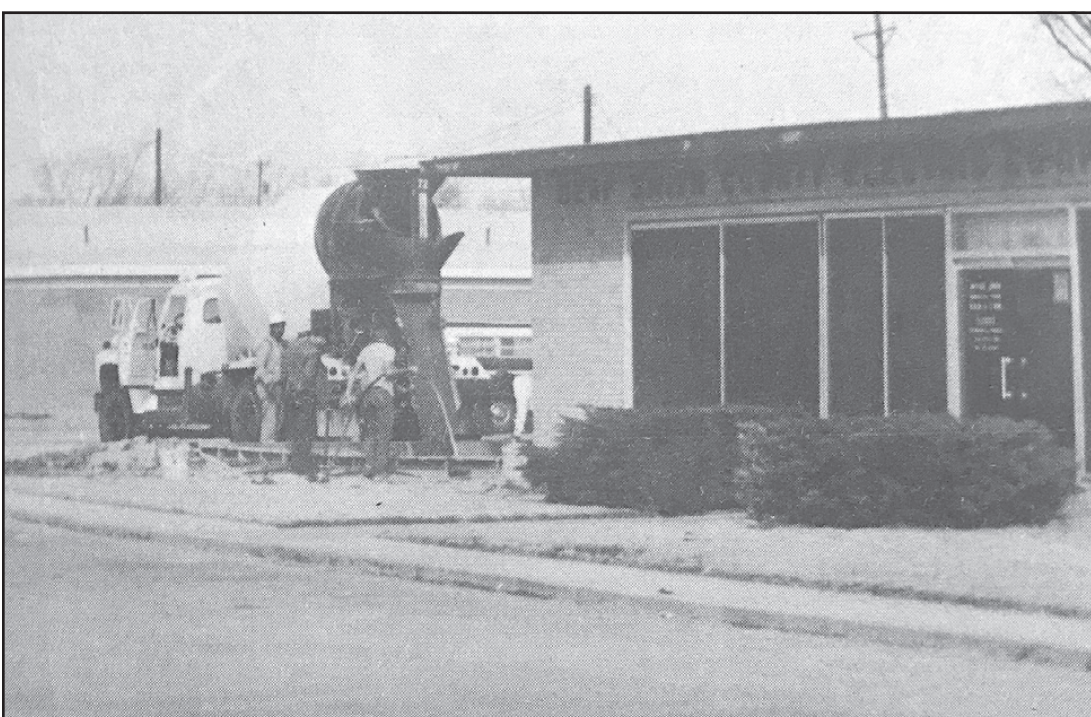
Coach: Ricky Antillon; Team Members: Reyli Antillon, Sophia Delacruz, Aria Garza, Andrea Barrera, Naia Gunter, Oceana Gunter, Camila Valenzuela, Daniella Lara



3rd & 4th Grade Girls • Jarecki Custom Farms

Coach: Jason Rector, Coach: Joyce Amaya; Team Members: Ella Rector, Ayleen Marquez, Arriah Nichole Gonzales, Sarina Amaya, Madelyn Wium, Kamila Moreno, Sophie Lewellen, Brynlee Smith

FRIONA FLASHBACKS
From the Friona Star Archives



CONSTRUCTION UNDERWAY.... Work is well underway on the addition to Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative's headquarters building in Hereford. The facility will receive an additional 2,284 square feet of floor space, plus a complete "face-lifting". (Friona Star, Thursday, March 23, 1972)

Parmer County Judge inducted as Fellow

Parmer County Judge Trey Ellis has been honored by the Texas Association of Counties' (TAC) Texas Judicial Academy for going the extra mile. The academy recognizes county judges who attain significant judicial education beyond state requirements as Fellows.

The academy inducted a number of county judges as Fellows during its 2022 Spring Judicial Education Session, March 9-11, in Lubbock.

The Texas Judicial Academy is a partnership between TAC and the Texas Tech University School of Law. The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals oversees the educational program,



Judge Trey Ellis (left) is shown receiving his Fellow of the Academy Certificate earlier this month at a ceremony in Lubbock. (courtesy photo)

which includes instruction by higher court judges, law school faculty and representatives of the Texas Probate College and the National Judicial College.

The Texas Association of Counties (TAC) unites, supports and provides services to Texas counties so they can more effectively serve their local communities.

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Invitation

Please join us...
Parmer Medical Center
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for our Providers**
on
Wednesday, March 30
12:30-2:00 pm
in the
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Open to the community

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Dr. Felipe Jubay

Advanced Practice Professionals:
Nathaniel Covarrubias, PA-C
Amber Bonds, FNP-C
Rene McCutchen, FNP-C



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