



Danny Kendrick was awarded the EK Bennett Lifetime Achievement Award last week at the Texas Food & Fuel Association Summit in Boerne, Texas. **In the photo** — (l-r) Davy Daniel, Greg Lewellen, Matthew Kendrick, Chace Vacek, Danny Kendrick, Neal McCarty, Pam Kendrick, and Andy Kendrick.

## Kendrick recognized with industry award

Danny Kendrick was awarded the EK Bennett Lifetime Achievement Award last week at the Texas Food & Fuel Association Summit in Boerne, Texas. The event was hosted by the Texas Food & Fuel Association and is designed for businesses who operate in the downstream fuel supply

chain. Kendrick Oil, Fast Stop and Chisum convenience stores, Fast-Stop Truck Wash, and Houlette Petroleum are local businesses that have been owned and operated by the Kendrick family.

The Summit is also part of a strategic initiative to connect thought leaders, vendors, and others in

Texas who have a stake in the fuel marketing and convenience retailing industries. Participants gain a new perspective on how their business is performing against competitors in Texas and across the country. They also learn how the industry's superstars continue to grow their businesses.

## Be Awesome, Give Blood

The next Friona Community Blood Drive will be held from Noon until 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, November 9th at the Friona InterBank Community Room located at US Highway 60 and Cleveland Avenue.

The goal for this drive is 50 procedures (donations). There will be 7 staff members and 8 beds at this drive with the capability to see 10 donors per hour.

At the blood drive in August, there were 43 procedures, which included 33 Whole Blood and 6 Power Reds for a total of 45 products. All donors were able to arrive, give blood, and leave within the hour.

As an incentive, Coffee Memorial Blood Center is offering a charitable donation to Created With Purpose of West Texas Pregnancy Center if one of two goals is met. If the

drive reaches 47 procedures, a check for \$470 will be given and if the drive reaches 49 procedures a \$735 check will be given to CWPWT.

To schedule an appointment, go to [obi.org](http://obi.org) or call toll free 1-877-340-8777. Photo ID is required and you must be at least 17 years old to donate. Donors that are 16 may donate with a signed parental consent form. Donors will receive a Blaze Coffee Accident Awareness T-shirt plus one free movie pass for Cinergy.

Scan the QR Code below to schedule your appointment



## Constitutional Amendment Election

Tuesday, November 7th | 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

### Polling Locations

- Friona Senior Citizens Center | 1410 Washington, Friona, TX
- Farwell Community Center | 207 9th, Farwell, TX
- XIT Recreation Center | 215 North St., Bovina, TX
- Methodist Church Fellowship Hall | 665 PM 1172, Lazbuddie, TX



**Takin' Care of Business** — Mariza Licerio held the scissors at last week's Ribbon Cutting Ceremony and Open House at Happy Tribe Academy, Friona's new daycare facility located at 704 Ashland. Mariza is the owner/operator and was joined by family, friends, staff members, city officials, and chamber of commerce officials for the special event. Approximately 35 children, ranging in age from 6 weeks to 3 years old, are enrolled with another 20+ on the waiting list. All inspections have been passed and the doors will open as soon as the state gives the final word. Visit [www.frionaonline.com](http://www.frionaonline.com) to see photos of the daycare facility.

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**Community Calendar**

Send Calendar information to:  
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**November 2**

- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

**November 5**

- St. Ann's Thanksgiving Dinner in Bovina from 11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

**November 6**

- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

**November 7**

- Election Day

**November 8**

- Library Book Shop at 618 Euclid is open from 3:30 - 5:30 p.m.

**November 9**

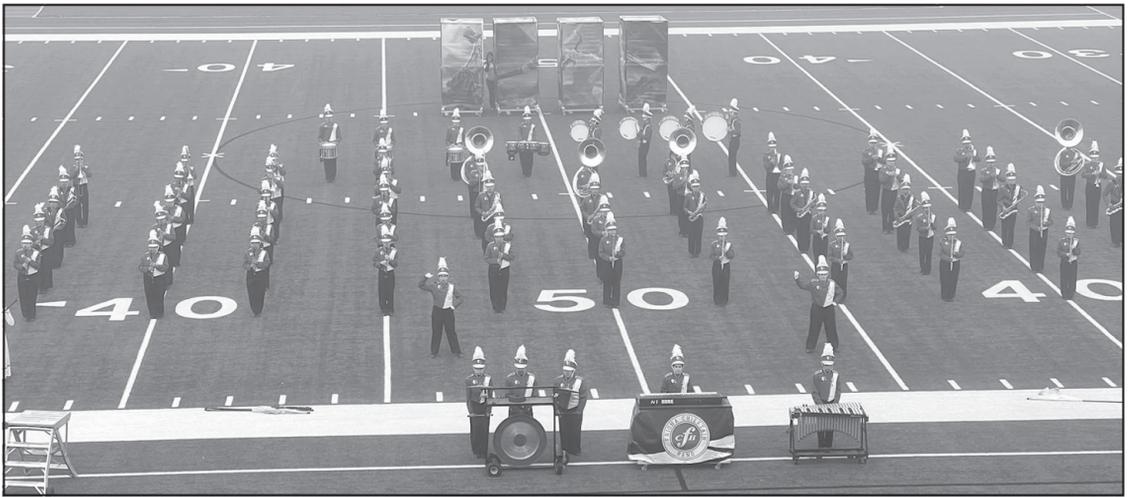
- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center

**November 10**

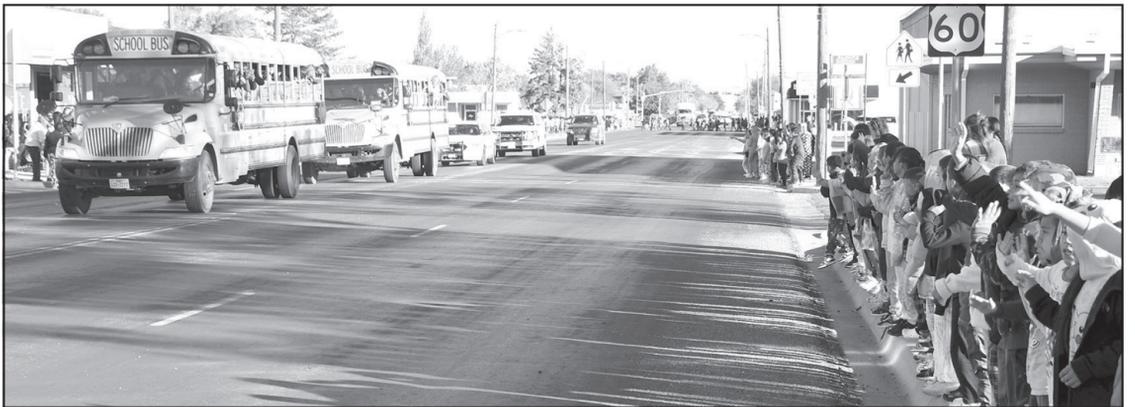
- Veterans Day Program at Friona High School Activities Center

**November 11**

- Senior Citizens meal at noon at Senior Citizens Center
- Veterans Day



The Mighty Chieftain Band finished 15th out of 21 schools at the Area Marching Band Contest last Saturday in Odessa. Congratulations!!!



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**Vote YES for Proposition 1**

The challenges of farming and ranching in Texas within and near city limits are many.

For one, it's not easy moving farm equipment in city traffic. There also is a continual loss of farmland to development.

But several cities have added more obstacles. They are restricting or prohibiting generally accepted agricultural practices or prohibiting any agricultural use of land through their zoning and other regulations.

That makes it difficult, and sometimes impossible, for farmers and ranchers who are growing our food and fiber. And that's definitely not good

news for food security in our state.

Proposition 1, however, gives Texans the opportunity to change that - to protect family farms and ranches and to ensure the future of our food in Texas.

A YES vote for Proposition 1 on the November ballot is a vote of support for farmers and ranchers. it's a commitment to safeguarding Texas' agricultural heritage for generations to come. It's also a pledge to support local economies and strengthen our food security.

This is a monumental opportunity to make history in

our state, an opportunity to put your confidence in the people who grow our food, fiber, and fuel.

Proposition 1 is all about our food, our farm families and all Texans. It's important because agriculture touches everything we do every day.

We need agriculture. We need farmers and ranchers. We need our food, fiber, and fuel.

That's why you should vote YES for Proposition 1.

*Alan Monroe  
President  
Parmer County Farm Bureau  
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1 "the \_\_\_ of my existence"  
5 Texas has \_\_\_ on smoking in public buildings  
6 Pampa hosts the "\_\_\_ ' Texas Rodeo" each July  
7 actor Martin of "Relative Strangers" with SMU-grad Kathy Bates  
8 TXism: "mad as \_\_\_"  
17 San Antonio hand-crafted shoe maker  
18 Texas infielder, "Mr. Cub" (2 wds.)  
21 Tom of "Concrete Cowboys" with TX Fairchild (init.)  
22 fancy party  
23 TX Janis Joplin album: "I \_\_\_ Ol' Kozmic Blues Again, Mama!"  
24 watch out  
29 Trump carried the 2020 \_\_\_ in Texas  
30 former Cowboy quarterback, Aikman  
31 TX Nolan Ryan threw 7 \_\_\_-hitters  
32 TXism: "risky \_\_\_ nest"  
34 \_\_\_ moss  
35 slang for "tattoo"  
36 informal for "news conferences"  
37 start of a football game: coin \_\_\_  
38 pecan is the Texas state \_\_\_  
39 home of Stephen F. Austin State University  
41 TX Charles golfer who won 1971 Masters  
42 this Howard directed 1995 film "Apollo 13" with TX Bill Paxton  
43 TXism: "smoke ' \_\_\_" (find someone)  
44 TX Willie sang "On the \_\_\_ Side of the Street"  
45 Jake Ferguson pos.  
46 make a mistake  
47 Canton's "First Monday" is on 400 \_\_\_  
48 TXism: "green \_\_\_"  
50 UT residence hall  
51 TX Willie was a soloist on "We \_\_\_ the World" (1985)  
52 "si" in Mexico  
53 " \_\_\_ up shop"  
10 honorary Texas Ranger: \_\_\_ Stanley Gardner  
11 ID evidence in court  
12 "yes" in Mexico  
13 across the Rio Grande from Eagle Pass: Piedras \_\_\_  
14 worn on a cowboy's foot (2 wds.)  
15 city on the western edge of Houston  
16 TXism: "the tail \_\_\_" (last)  
19 "K" of JFK  
20 TX "Mean Joe Greene" was in " \_\_\_ and the Bandit II" (1980)  
22 a response to "want some?" (2 wds.)  
24 undergrad deg.  
25 paranormal ability  
26 alert someone  
27 TXism: "got \_\_\_"  
28 in Nolan County on I-20  
29 Val \_\_\_ County  
30 actress Harper of Texas-based "Tender Mercies"  
33 "no" (abbr.)  
34 " \_\_\_ Laureate of Texas"  
35 brandin' \_\_\_  
37 before Fridays  
38 sound qualities  
40 "Old \_\_\_": first courthouse of Comanche County  
41 mongrels  
44 dishonest scheme  
47 take into custody  
49 in Knox County on U.S. 277

# COURTHOUSE NOTES

Susie Spring, County Clerk

**Warranty Deeds recorded at the Parmer County Clerk's Office from October 19, 2023 to October 26, 2023**

(10/19/23) Javier Rangel, Myra Rangel, Esequiel Garcia, Sylvia Garcia — Matthew Rangel, Desiree Rangel — Lots 11 and 12, Block 32, Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

(10/19/23) Farmers Pump LLC — JKS Storage Inc — Being All of Lots 1-20, Block 1 Less and Except a Tract of Land in Block 1 of Gardner Addition

(10/23/23) Pedro Hernandez — Adam Hernandez — All of Lot 8, of Block 17, of the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

(10/24/23) Sylvia Erica Morales — Martina Salazar — The South 40' of Lot 9, Block 47, Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas

(10/25/23) Jon Lin Riddle Jr — Victor Hernandez, Veronica Zamora — A Portion of Lot 5, Block 75, Original Townsite, City of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas

(10/25/23) Erica Gojara, Martha Alicia Castaneda Hurtado — Alfonso Gojara, Angelica Rodriguez De Gojara — 10 Acres of Land Out of the SE/4 of Section 15, CFL Block B, Parmer County, Texas



# TOWN TALK

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**Free Park Admission on November 5th** — Texas State Parks Day is November 5th and, as part of continued centennial celebrations, visitors will get free day-use entrance at all Texas state parks. Texas has more than 80 parks throughout the state to offer a wide variety of outdoor day-use activities. Also, Texas State Parks is promoting the new Parkland Passports for Veterans. These passports are available at no cost and grant the cardholder free entry to all Texas State Parks. Visit [tpwd.texas.gov](http://tpwd.texas.gov) for more information.

St. Ann's Parish Hall located at 409 3rd Street in Bovina, Texas. They will be serving a delicious buffet of Turkey & Dressing with all the trimmings. Donations are \$15 for adults and \$6 for children under six years of age. Take-out plates will be available at no additional charge. A quilt made by St. Ann's Society will be raffled off at the dinner.

**Save The Date** — The Fisd Veterans Day program is set for 10:00 a.m. on Friday, November 10th in the main gym at the FHS Activities Center.

E 9th Street. David Mc-Gaughy, Pastor of Friona Methodist Church, will bring the message.

**Nachos Day** — If you serve a meal on Tuesday consisting of tortilla chips covered in nacho cheese, queso, or other melted cheese along with salsa then you may enjoy Nachos Day. However, if everything goes wrong from sunrise to sunset, then it was definitely Nacho Day. Let the chips fall where they may.

**Good News at the Pump** — Average gasoline prices in Texas

fell 6.8 cents last week, averaging \$2.94 per gallon, according to GasBuddy's survey of 13,114 stations in Texas. The cheapest station in Texas was priced at \$2.47 per gallon. "Average gasoline prices have fallen for a sixth straight week in nearly every state, with the national average now at its lowest level since March," said Patrick De Haan, head of petroleum analysis at GasBuddy.

**Pun Fun** — I went to buy some camouflage trousers the other day, but I couldn't find any. Source: [www.pun.me](http://www.pun.me)

**Dinner Reminder** — St. Ann's Catholic Church of Bovina is having their annual Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, November 5, 2023 from 11:30 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. (Texas time) in the

**Community Thanksgiving Service** — This year's community service is scheduled for 6:00 p.m. on Sunday, November 19th at Victory Family Worship Center located at 110

- National Days**
- November 2 — Cash Back Day
  - November 3 — Sandwich Day
  - November 4 — First Responders Day
  - November 5 — Donut Day
  - November 6 — Nachos Day
  - November 7 — Election Day
  - November 8 — STEM Day

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**COMMUNITY WIDE PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY**

**SUNDAY NOV. 6 @ 5:00 PM**

**BOVINA COMMUNITY CHURCH 205 4TH STREET**

## Homefront Established as War Heats Up

As the War escalates in the Middle East and in Europe our brave men and women are being deployed to fight. Believers at the Bovina Community Church want to gather as many people as possible to pray on behalf of our soldiers and their families. We think it's important to establish a supportive Homefront expressing that no one is alone, we have each other and we have God. It doesn't matter what your background is or what church you attend, all are welcome to come, pause and pray on Sunday November 6th, at 5:00 p.m. at the Bovina Community Church, (the old Methodist church building behind Allsup's). Everyone is welcome.

**Come have Fun with us at Malouf's Fabric**  
These are the classes scheduled this fall

- November 4:** One Block 3 Yard Quilt
- November 10 & 11:** Handi Quilter Education Event
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Europeans who came to America... often wished for land, gold or freedom.

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**Living in the Colonies**

Have you studied Colonial times in school? It is the period of time (1607-1776) during which people from Europe sailed across the sea to America, which then was known to them as the "New World." Some people were looking for things that would make them powerful - land or gold. Others wanted freedom to live and worship as they chose. Of course, Native Americans were already living here. Can you imagine how they might have felt when ships came to their land and strange people built homes and forts on it?

**How did Colonial America start? Read these clues to find out:**

- Members of the Virginia Company sailed to the New World to claim \_\_\_\_\_ for England.
- They wanted to make lots of \_\_\_\_\_ by finding silver or gold, so they quickly landed to start a settlement before other people could.
- They founded the first settlement, called \_\_\_\_\_, in Virginia.
- Some others who traveled to the New World were called \_\_\_\_\_. They sailed on a ship called the Mayflower and landed in Plymouth, Massachusetts.
- They came to the New World because they wanted religious \_\_\_\_\_.
- Most settlers had to grow their own fruits and \_\_\_\_\_.
- Settlers built \_\_\_\_\_ to protect against attacks from some native tribes.
- Such attacks could last for weeks or months, trapping settlers inside. When food ran out, many people \_\_\_\_\_.
- There were few doctors, so many settlers died due to simple \_\_\_\_\_.
- Eventually the English government placed very heavy \_\_\_\_\_ on the colonists for tea, food and other goods.

11. This was one of the main causes of the \_\_\_\_\_ Revolutionary War.

12. In 1776, the 13 Colonies declared themselves "Free and Independent \_\_\_\_\_" that no longer were part of Great Britain.

At this time, most families had to provide their own food. They grew turnips, pumpkins, potatoes, wheat and corn. They kept pigs, chickens and cows. Men hunted for deer, turkeys or rabbits. Families fished or searched for clams. A pot of stew was kept hot on the fire all week. Some sugar and spices were brought from England, but were still scarce. To keep foods longer, they were dried, smoked, canned, salted and pickled.

**Colonial Work**

Boys learned the family trade or went to work for a craftsman to learn a skill that was useful. Some people could pay for services they needed. Others would **barter** for something they needed.

**Can you find and circle the names of these different tradesmen?**

candlemaker  
blacksmith  
gunsmith  
brickmaker  
shoemaker  
wigmaker  
silversmith  
shipbuilder  
basketweaver  
carpenter

Have you ever seen this kind of basket? This is a "peanut basket." Notice my shape and notice the shape of the basket to see why it is called that. Some people put peanuts in one side, then throw the shells into the other side as they eat the peanuts.

**School Time!**

Do you think learning was harder in Colonial times or harder now? Read each sentence below and circle "T" if you think it is true and "F" if you think it is false.

- Schools were huge, brick buildings with large numbers of teachers and students. T F
- Students had lots of textbooks. T F
- Girls learned math and the family trade. T F
- Boys learned spinning, cooking and nursing. T F
- Students who didn't behave well could be spanked or punished. T F
- Schoolhouses had bathrooms and running water. T F
- The teacher taught different grade levels at the same time. T F

Kids during the Colonial times were expected to work hard to learn the family trade and the many skills needed just to help the family survive. Still, the children found time to skip, jump, swim, race, and play marbles and other games.

What other kinds of fun did children have? To find out, fill in the vowels for each word. Use the vowel box and cross off each vowel as you use it in the blanks.

**Vowel Box**

A	O	I	U	E
O	I	U	A	E
A	O	E	I	U
I	U	O	O	O
E	A	O	O	O

**Colonial Kids' Fun and Games!**

- J \_ MP R \_ P \_
- L \_ \_ P FR \_ G
- SP \_ NN \_ NG T \_ PS
- P \_ CK - \_ P - ST \_ CKS
- C \_ P \_ ND B \_ LL
- Y \_ - Y \_
- K \_ T \_ S
- H \_ \_ PS
- M \_ RBL \_ S
- H \_ PSC \_ TCH

# Small Town Cookin' By Jeri Lynn White

## Comfort Foods for November

With the weather turning cooler, I am in the mood for warm and comforting food this month. This November I am looking for traditional comfort foods that are just a little bit healthier than before. This way we can be comforted without all the guilt. Hope you enjoy.

**American Goulash**  
www.eatingwell.com

**Ingredients**

- 1 tablespoon extra-virgin olive oil
- 1 ½ cups chopped onion
- 1 pound lean ground beef
- 2 large cloves garlic, minced
- 2 teaspoons paprika
- 1 teaspoon Italian seasoning
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon ground pepper
- 1 (14 ounce) can no-salt-added diced tomatoes, undrained
- 1 (8 ounce) can no-salt-added tomato sauce
- 1 cup low-sodium beef or chicken broth
- 1 1/4 cups whole-wheat elbow macaroni
- 2 tablespoons grated Parmesan cheese

**Directions**

Heat oil in a large pot over medium-high heat. Add onion and beef; cook, breaking up meat with a wooden spoon, until no longer pink, about 5 minutes. Add garlic, paprika, Italian seasoning, salt, and pepper; cook, stirring, for 1 minute. Stir in tomatoes and their juices, tomato sauce and broth. Bring to a boil. Reduce heat to medium-low, cover and cook for 5 minutes. Add macaroni and cook, uncovered, stirring occasionally, until tender, 6 to 9 minutes. Remove from heat and let stand for 5 minutes before serving. Sprinkle with Parmesan, if desired.

## Check Your Mirrors

By Sue Jane Sullivan



### Music's beautiful nudge

In the mid-1990s, I taught Cor-related Language Arts, which was basically for students who did not, at the time, think they wanted to go to college. These small classes (at the most I had eight or nine students) had a textbook curriculum which was modified. However, my work expectations for the students in Room 29 were not. Shakespeare wasn't going anywhere.

In 1992, my senior class of CLA was mostly boys. *Macbeth* was an easy sell: war, murder, treason, ghosts. After we finished working our way through the classroom reading followed by watching a dated stage production, these guys wanted more. They were in luck. British actor Kenneth Branagh's 1989 *Henry V* adaptation of Shakespeare's play was award-winning, so I rented the VHS movie for Allen, Billy, Jason, Juve, and Valerio.

I stayed close to the television to be able to pause the button

(no remote) every few minutes to get feedback on what was understood and what needed clarification. Unlike the *Macbeth* stage production, this movie had music. And the choral/symphonic score was never more powerful than it was in Act Four—the Battle of Agincourt.

The underrated and smaller army of Englishmen had defeated the superior French forces. The bodies were strewn over the field as King Henry V, who actually fought in the battle, spoke to his longbowmen and other soldiers after their underdog victory. He gave the order to gather their slain and join him in carrying them through the village as a tribute.

Wisely, I did not pause the movie for the next eight minutes. The boys watched an evolving panorama of the bloody battlefield's aftermath and heard the song "Non Nobis, Domine" as its backdrop. In this moment, mu-

sical instruments and a chorus were doing their part to educate far better than I could the historical significance of the scene.

Even without knowledge of bass or clef notes, major or minor keys, we know that symbols on lined paper are powerful when transposed to voices and instruments. So how did a hearing-impaired eighteenth-century composer accomplish this? Beethoven did not have to hear music because he had felt it in his soul long before the auditory decline began in his late twenties.

I like to think this soulfulness is part of what inspired his nine symphonies. I also like to imagine that there are five grown men who still remember the story of the Battle of Agincourt, all because of music's beautiful nudge.

Note: the musical score to the film *Henry V* was written by Scottish composer Patrick Doyle.

## Roll-off box to open up for waste items

The City will open up the roll-off box this Saturday, Nov. 4th, from 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Please come by to dump those items that don't belong in your dumpster and do your part to help Keep Friona Clean!

The roll-off box is located

at East 8th and South Jackson Ave. It is a free service provided to Friona residents. Examples of items not allowed in dumpsters includes: steel and metal, mattresses and furniture, refrigerators/AC units, paint cans (with or without liq-

uids), electronics and appliances, drums/barrels, brick, wood and concrete, railroad ties. Items not accepted in the roll-off box are tires, oil and tree limbs. To dispose of these items, please contact the City office at 806-250-2761.



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Lauren Ebeling



**Nov. 3**

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Betty Reeve Flory  
Beau Barnett  
Garland Buske  
Amanda Spring  
Rusty Lindeman  
Mike Scott  
Mindy Neal

**Nov. 6**

Sharlet Cooper  
Kelly Tongate  
Megan (Whitten) Taylor  
Autumn Turner  
Wesley Rudd  
Jordan Kelly

**Nov. 7**

David Smith  
Kay Van Valkenburg  
Evan (Reeve) Banner  
Lovell Watson  
Denise Menke  
Linda Blount  
Sarah Street

**Nov. 4**

Mickey Griffin  
Tommie Mercer  
Rusty Peace  
Ashlee (Hunt) Steele  
Gerall Wylie  
Jocelynn Polk

**Nov. 5**

J. Gurley  
Oscar Vasquez  
Ceceily Drake  
Jaylee (Floyd) Moore  
China Williams  
Leah Hernandez  
Mark Sirmic  
Hunter Wiseman  
Kiana Lozoya  
Susie Almonrode  
Kay Renner  
Jaxson Pack  
China Zackoski  
Brisby Procter

**Nov. 8**

Paula Clark  
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Brittany Barnett

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## Buena Tierra is city's newest subdivision

The Friona City Council met in regular session on Monday October 9, 2023 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. Minutes of the September 11, 2023 regular meeting and September 22, 2023 special called meeting were reviewed and approved.

A motion designating the Friona Star as the city's official newspaper was approved.

A motion to increase the water rate by 2% and increase the sewer charge from \$25 to \$25.50 was approved. The new rates will take effect on November 1st.

The bid from Koen Ally was approved for the purchase of city owned property consisting of Block 106 of the Original Town of Friona.

An ordinance naming Buena Tierra as Friona's

newest subdivision was approved. The subdivision is located at Euclid & 15th street just west of Legacy Pointe apartments.

Council members voted for Myra Olmos (city) and Bill White (school) to serve as directors for the Parmer County Appraisal District for the years 2024-25.

A resolution was approved authorizing the City Manager to submit a grant application for the purpose of installing a generator at the Friona Community Center.

In other business, the accounts payable for September 2023 were approved as well as the financial statement for September 2023. The quarterly financial statement ending September 2023 was also approved. The next scheduled meeting is Monday, November 13th.

All meetings are open to the public. Information in this article is only a summary.



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# Book Blessings

By Brett Hoyle, Pastor, First Baptist Church

As a kid, one of my favorite books was my copy of the *Nolan Ryan Pitcher's Bible: The Ultimate Guide to Power, Precision and Long-term Performance*. It was not simply because the book was filled with the mechanics, training and mindset needed to dominate in pitching, but the great thing about the book was that it was backed by decades of successful pitching by Nolan Ryan. His longevity, dominance and success brought greater credibility to the book because he obviously practiced what he preached.

In a similar manner, Tony Evans' book *The Power of Preaching: Crafting a Creative Expository Sermon* is a practical, helpful and God-glorifying book from a faithful minister who has dynamically, powerfully and faithfully preached the Word of God for over fifty years. This short book is packed with encourage-

ment and clear exhortation to preach the Word (2 Timothy 4:2) so that listeners will be transformed and God glorified. He says, "Preaching must promote the kingdom of God and the name of Jesus Christ through the proclamation and application of the Word of God. In this way, the Holy Spirit transforms lives as people learn to live life under God's rule," (p18). In a world where preaching is viewed as self-focused, instead of God-focused, His emphasis on faithfulness to the Word of God is so needed today, and is a great help to ministers to be faithful to the Lord in their preaching ministry. The goal of biblical preaching is not to please the listeners, but to please God, not merely to inform, but also to inspire the lost to turn to Christ and the saved to conform fully to Christ's will for their lives.

## Panhandle Parables

# Alma Joe Meets DPS

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

My first pickup in high school was a worn out 1973 Chevy. My dad paid \$400 for it. That paid for the pioneer stereo and amp that was already in it and I got the pickup for free. I ordered new front panels from Mike Lamb. When they came in he gave me a call and I could hardly wait. So I headed to town in Alma Joe to pick them up. By the way, my inspection sticker was out. I took the back road into town (FM 2013). I picked them up and made it about 4 miles when I met a DPS trooper. He put on his brake lights and fear struck at the heart of me. Yep he turned around and had to chase me down because I didn't know I was supposed to pull over, first mistake. He turned on his lights and my heart was pounding between my ears.

He got out and so did I, second mistake. He asked me for my license and I fumbled for my wallet, opened it and stared for an eternity before I pulled out a \$5 bill, third mistake. He said, "I don't want your money son, just your license." We went back to his car where I was sure I would be arrested and thrown in the slammer for bribery. I

did get a ticket for the inspection sticker, but then he turned the conversation to my old pickup and what all I was going to do to it. I drove home thankful for his kindness.

Authority can seem intimidating, but the DPS trooper showed me two things that day: respect and kindness. God has complete authority and yet His desire is not to throw the book at us (His book to be specific.) He desires a relationship. He wants us to be His, but that comes from being obedient to Him. Do understand, I can rebel yet in doing so I must also understand He will prevail. So my encouragement when the Lord pulls you over, be obedient and see what He wants.

To all the peace officers: state, county and local, please know we are thankful for you and praying fiercely for your safety. I would be remiss if I did not include in this prayer the firemen and EMS personnel who sacrifice so much to keep us and our property safe. I believe First Responder's Day was last week. Sorry I am late, but Happy First Responders Day. You are appreciated more than you know. God bless.

# Did You See What God Did?

By Teena Hughs

Last Wednesday was one of the most exciting days I have experienced in a LONG time!!!

To be perfectly honest, I NEVER dreamed the U.S. House of Representatives would ever get rid of Kevin McCarthy as its speaker. The morning after he was voted out, I was listening to Florida Representative Matt Gaetz talk to Steve Bannon about what happened.

Gaetz said he went home after the vote and asked his wife who she thought the next speaker would be. His wife, a former youth minister, said she didn't know; sometimes God has to sift through a lot of people to get the person He wants. She said it might be someone we wouldn't think of. Was she ever right!!!

This country ended up with a solid, humble Christian man to lead the House of Representatives, and I couldn't be happier!!!

When Mike Johnson was nominated, rather than come out of conference and speak to the press, he prayed. In his remarks following his nomination and election, he was not afraid to talk comfortably about Jesus. I LOVED it!!!! We finally have a man of God in leadership! A man of God who is third in line to be President of the United States no less!!!!

Will he be the most perfect House Speaker our country has ever had? Probably not. Will he make every decision as I would? Probably not. Will he stab his fellow Congressmen in the back like the one he replaced? If he is the Christian I believe he is, he won't. Will he be self-centered or God-centered? I pray God-centered. Will he pray and ask God for

guidance as he leads? I pray he will!

I found an article (I can't find who wrote it.) where part of it is titled, "God is Sovereign Over the Government". The author states: "Praise the Lord that God is sovereign over the government. In fact, having a governing authority was God's idea. He is who appoints the rulers. Even the ones who are not Christians or who are evil dictators. God has appointed their rule. He has done so for His divine purpose." Romans 13:1 says, "Everyone must submit to governing authorities. For there is no authority except from God, and those in positions of authority have been placed there by God."

Sometimes when I see who gets elected, I have a difficult time with these statements and Scripture. I just can't understand what God's purpose is in putting some people in authority.

With that said, I am so glad God sifted through the many people who put their names in contention for the job of Speaker and got the man He did.

It is a sign of hope that God has not given up on our country. He is still revealing truth about corruption in our nation, and He expects us to do something about correcting the problems.

Mike Johnson is going to be criticized by Democrats and certain Republicans. It isn't going to be pretty, nor is it going to be easy. We need to pray for him; ask God to give him the strength and courage and wisdom to do the job, to follow God and not the world; to always seek God's guidance and counsel before he speaks or acts. God is working, and I hope and pray He never gives up on the USA!

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## November Bible Verse

<sup>16</sup> Rejoice always, <sup>17</sup> pray continually, <sup>18</sup> give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. *1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 NIV*

<sup>16</sup> Estén siempre alegres, <sup>17</sup> oren sin cesar, <sup>18</sup> den gracias a Dios en toda situación, porque esta es su voluntad para ustedes en Cristo Jesús. *1 Tesalonicenses 5:16-18 NVI*

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has an archive of past obituaries at [frionaonline.com](http://frionaonline.com)



**Teacher of the Year** - Taniece Thompson-Smith, a fifth-grade science teacher at Abilene ISD's Stafford Elementary, was named the 2024 Texas Elementary Teacher of the Year. Thompson-Smith was chosen to represent the state in the National Teacher of the Year competition, so she will have the title of 2024 Texas Teacher of the Year. Naveen Cunha, an eighth-grade robotics teacher at Ste-

phen F. Austin Middle School in Bryan ISD, was named the 2024 Texas Secondary Teacher of the Year. Also honored at the Texas Teacher of the Year awards luncheon: Region 16 Elementary Teacher of the Year Diana Ortega, Green Acres Elementary School, Dumas ISD and Region 16 Secondary Teacher of the Year Kelley Jo Ashlock, Friona High School, Friona ISD (back row, 2nd from left).



On Monday, Olga Legarreta was sworn in by City Secretary Rosa Mendez as a new member of the Friona Economic Development Corporation (FEDC) Board of Directors. She joins current members Justin Jeter, chair; Andy Alexander, vice-chair; Holly Campbell, secretary; Clint Mears; Greg Lewellen; and Henry Clark.

**Prairie Acres receives donation from Friona Banking Center**

On Tuesday, Friona Banking Center employees presented a check to employees of Prairie Acres Rehabilitation & Nursing. The donation of \$1,100 was raised at

a recent sausage wrap luncheon held in the bank's parking lot. "We greatly appreciate the donation," said Prairie Acres Administrator Jeff Procter. "The money will

be used for the upcoming Christmas Project and to bolster the Activity Fund." Friona Banking Center is part of First National Bank of Herford.



**In the photo** — (l-r) Prairie Acres Administrator Jeff Procter, FBC teller Sandra Zapata, Prairie Acres Activity Director Elizabeth Romero, FBC ag representative Curt Langford, and FBC administrative assistant Celeste Schilling.

**FRIONA FLASHBACKS**  
From the Friona Star Archives



**HERE'S THE PLAN . . .** Bobby Braddock (Carol Struve) goes over strategy with members of the "Dirty Dozen" football team in a scene from the Junior Play, "The Magic Touch." Left to right are Larry Buckley, Carol Struve, Joey Taylor, and Dennis Howell. They recommend that you see the play Saturday night at 7:30, high school auditorium. (Friona Star, Thursday, November 14, 1963)

**PCS receives donation**

Panhandle Community Services received a \$700,000 check from the Texas Veterans Commission. The money comes from the Fund For Veteran's

Assistance in the form of a General Assistance Grant and a Housing 4TXHeroes Grant. The grants are designated to help people in the panhandle.



**In the photo** — (l-r) Magi York, Executive Director of PCS, and Melissa Darsey, Outreach Services Director of PCS. The Friona office of PCS is located at 104 W. 9th in Friona. Liliana Palacios is the office manager.

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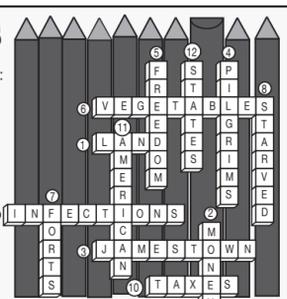
If a statement was "false," the "true" fact is given here:

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- T 1. Schools were small, one-room houses with only one teacher for all the students.
- T 2. Students had to share textbooks.
- T 3. Girls learned spinning, cooking and nursing.
- F 4. Boys learned math and the family trade.
- F 5. Students who didn't behave well could be spanked or punished.
- T 6. Schoolhouses had a water pump and an outhouse outside.
- F 7. The teacher taught different grade levels at the same time.

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**1 Quarter**  
 F — Cade Seaman 9 yard run (Isaac Olmos PAT no good)

**2 Quarter**  
 F — Cade Seaman 6 yard run (Isaac Olmos PAT good)  
 F — Aaron Rosales 19 yard run (Isaac Olmos PAT no good)

**3 Quarter**  
 S — JP Carbajal 16 yard run (2pt conversion no good)  
 S — JP Carbajal 9 yard run (Bryan Lopez PAT good)  
 F — Carson Seaman 3 yard run (Isaac Olmos PAT good)

**4 Quarter**  
 F — Cade Seaman 1 yard run (Jose Saucedo PAT good)  
 S — Hudson Swan 46 yard pass from Kervin Quesada (Bryan Lopez PAT good)  
 F — Aaron Rosales 46 yard run (Jose Luis Saucedo PAT good)  
 S — Cy Davis 1 yard run (Bryan Lopez PAT good)

Rushing Stats	Carries	Yards	TDs	Avg
0 Carson Seaman	22	134	1	6.1
4 Cade Seaman	23	138	3	6.0
7 Aaron Rosales	8	104	2	13.0
<b>Rushing Totals:</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7.1</b>

Receiving Stats	Receptions	Yards	TDs	Avg
1 Isaac Olmos	1	4	0	4.0
3 Damian Sanchez	1	2	0	2.0
4 Cade Seaman	1	11	0	11.0
7 Aaron Rosales	1	36	0	36.0
<b>Receiving Totals:</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13.3</b>

Passing Stats	Comp	Att	Yards	TDs	INTs
0 Carson Seaman	4	9	53	0	1

Kicking Stats	Extra Pt	Att	Field Goal
1 Isaac Olmos	2	4	0
13 Jose Saucedo	2	2	0

Defensive Stats	UN	AST.	TOT	TFL	FR	FC	INT	SACK
0 Seaman, Carson	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
1 Olmos, Isaac	1	6	7	-	-	1	-	-
3 Sanchez, Damian	1	10	11	-	1	-	-	-
4 Seaman, Cade	4	6	10	-	-	-	1	-
7 Rosales, Aaron	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-
10 Daniels, Jameson	1	2	3	-	-	-	-	-
11 Garcia, Jorge	1	2	3	-	1	-	-	-
13 Saucedo, Jose Luis	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-
14 Gonzalez, Johnny	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-
15 Ramos, Gabriel	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
17 Rocha, Abram	1	4	5	-	-	-	-	-
21 Alvidrez, Jose	3	7	10	1	-	-	-	1
24 Rocha, Rafael	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
28 Ally, Deiter	3	6	9	-	-	-	-	-
33 Munoz, Edwin	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
44 Flores, Andrew	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
53 Garcia, Mario	-	4	4	-	-	-	-	-
54 Perez, Hevilat	3	2	5	-	-	-	-	-
74 Rodriguez, Aaron	2	3	5	-	-	-	-	-

**Yards allowed; Rushing 273, Passing 80, Total 353**

### High School Football

The Chieftains moved to 3-1 District 3-AAA play with a 40-27 road victory over Spearman. It was a ground game as the Chieftains and Lynx combined for 648 rushing yards. For the Chiefs, Cade Seaman had 138 yards and 3 touchdowns followed by Carson Seaman with 134 yards and a touchdown. Aaron Rosales round out the triple threat with 104 yards and 2 touchdowns. On defense, the leading tackler was Damian Sanchez with 11. Cade Seaman and Jose Alvidrez added 10 each and Dieter Ally had 9. Sanchez and Jorge Garcia had fumble recoveries and Cade Seaman intercepted a Spearman pass.

The Chiefs are now 5-4 for the season and will host Childress Friday night. Both teams are 3-1 in district play and the winner will earn the #2 playoff seed. Kickoff is set for 7:00 p.m.

### Junior High Football

The 7th grade Braves moved to 3-5 for the season after a 32-6 loss at Spearman.

Friona's lone touchdown came on a 41 yard pass from Eli Rosales to Darien Padilla. The conversion attempt was unsuccessful. For the game, Rosales completed 7 of 18 passes for 71 yard and one touchdown. On defense, Hector Mendoza, Octavio Moreno, and Darius Gonzalez each had a fumble recovery.

The 8th grade Braves improved to 7-1 for the season after a 30-14 victory over Spearman. Jeremy Polk scored the Braves' first touchdown on a 20 yard run and Hector Aguirre ran for the 2 point conversion. The two players reversed roles as Aguirre ran 66 yards and 16 yards for touchdowns and Polk ran for both 2 point conversions. Later Polk rushed 46 yards for his second touchdown but

the conversion was unsuccessful. For the game, Aguirre rushed for 157 yards and Polk rushed for 134 yards. On defense, Jorge Castillo recorded a fumble recovery.

The 7th and 8th Braves will play their final games of the season on Thursday when they host Childress. Starting times are 5 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

### High School Volleyball

The Squaws (32-9) defeated Idalou 3-1 (25-27, 25-14, 25-13, 25-19) in a Bi-District Playoff match. They advance to the Area round and will face the Alpine Lady Bucks on Saturday in a rematch from last year.

### Cross Country

Yvonne Legarreta is making her fourth consecutive trip to the 3A Cross County State Championships. She is scheduled to run at 11:40 a.m. on Friday, November 3rd in Old Settler's Park in Round Rock. Good luck, Yvonne!!!



**Congratulations Squaws!**



**FFA News** — Three Texas FFA State Officers paid a visit to the Friona FFA chapter members last week and led a presentation about stepping out of comfort zones and making critical decisions about life. Friona FFA also collaborated with FCCLA officers who put a meal together for everyone to enjoy after the presentation.



**Carson Seaman**



**Aaron Rosales**



**Cade Seaman**



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