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Graduation

The Lynn County News annual GRADUATION EDITION is next week!

featuring
high school graduates from
Tahoka, New Home,
O'Donnell and Wilson

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has."

—Margaret Mead

Did you know?

- Beer is one of the oldest recorded recipes in the world, with documentations of the beverage dating back to around 5,000 BC and the ancient Egyptians.
- Lasting only 38 minutes, the Anglo-Zanzibar War of 1896 is generally considered to be the shortest war in history.
- Bubble Wrap was originally intended to be used as 3D wallpaper.
- The heart of a shrimp is located in its head.
- A group of flamingos is called a "flamboyance".

Now that's funny!

If a woman has to choose between catching a fly ball and saving an infant's life, she will choose to save the infant's life without even considering if there are men on base.

— DAVE BARRY

WHAT'S OUTSIDE

NWS official readings for Tahoka

Date	High	Low	Precip.
May 4	68	49	
May 5	80	48	
May 6	81	52	
May 7	89	57	
May 8	44	57	
May 9	81	50	
May 10	70	48	0.04" (6am)

(Precipitation/temps measured as of 6 a.m. on date reported, for the previous 24-hr period)

Total Precip for Jan:	1.23"
Total Precip for Feb:	0.15"
Total Precip for Mar:	0.10"
Total Precip for Apr:	0.51"
Total Precip for May:	0.75"
Total Precip. for 2021:	2.74"

LET'S BID!

Annual hospital benefit starts at 5:30 here Saturday

The annual auction benefitting Lynn County Healthcare System returns to the community this week, after the Covid-19 Pandemic cancelled the 2020 event. The auction and meal will be held this Saturday, May 15, starting at 5:30 p.m. at the Lynn County Show Barn, and this year's event promises to bring lots of interesting auction items for bidders to consider. It's a fun evening where good-natured, good-hearted citizens gather to bid against each other in support of the local hospital, while enjoying the firemen's fish fry and friendly conversation with one another.

The LCHD Foundation's Billy Tomlinson Memorial Hospital Benefit Auction is uniquely small-town, raising funds for the LCHD Foundation, which in turn directly helps make improvements at Lynn County Healthcare System. Every dollar raised benefits the local hospital and its programs.

The Hospital District serves several rural communities including Tahoka, Wilson, New Home, O'Donnell, Lamesa and Post.

This year's event will be the 40th annual benefit auction. The fun starts at 5:30 p.m. in the county show barn, located on South 9th Street near the ballpark. The event features a live auction, silent auction, door prizes, raffle prizes, and the popular all-you-can-eat fish fry prepared by members of the Tahoka Volunteer Fire Department.

"This is always a fun event, with so many good-hearted citizens attending and enjoying

the camaraderie and having such a great time bidding against each other, all in support of our local hospital and its facilities. We consider ourselves lucky to have the services of an outstanding hospital and the dedicated healthcare providers we have here, and this is our community's opportunity to show them how much they are appreciated," said Juanell Jones, publisher of *The Lynn County News*.

The funds raised at each event are used specifically to enhance the hospital and its services. This year, the Lynn County Hospital District's Board of Directors has selected new hospital beds for the funds to benefit. These new beds will be used in patient care. According to LCHD sources, the new hospital beds run \$11,000 each.

"Our goal this year is to raise \$55,000," said W. Calloway Huffaker, President of the LCHD

(See HOSPITAL AUCTION, page 3)



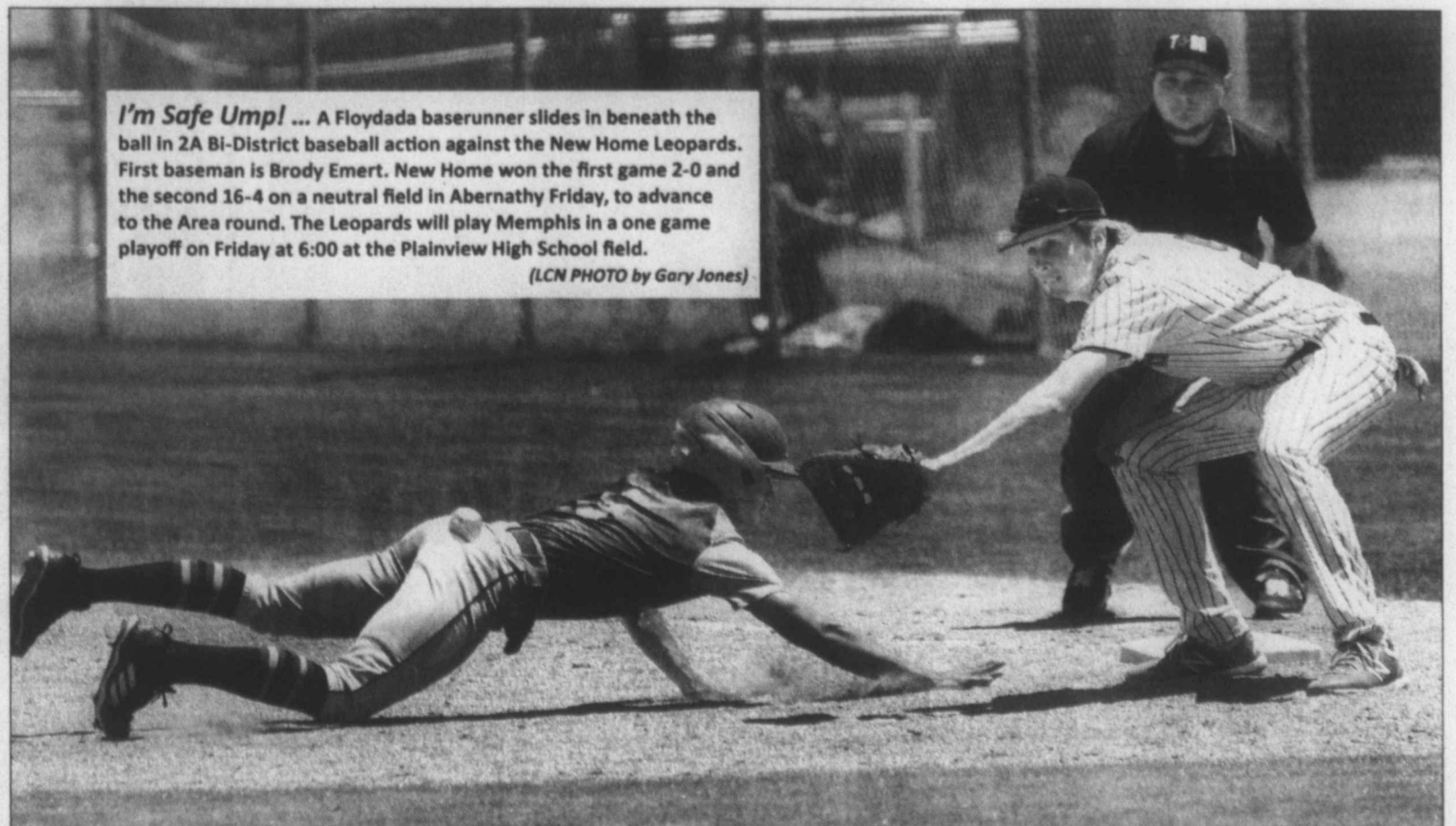
Let's grill ... Lynn County Healthcare Systems CEO Dr. Melanie Richburg (left) accepts a donation of a Green Mountain pellet grill from Bryan Reynolds, donated by Farmers Coop Association #1 in Tahoka, for the May 15 hospital auction. Below, the staff of First National Bank of Tahoka show several items that the bank is donating for the auction. Pictured from left are Brandy Yeats, Abel Castro, Dawn Little, Brek Young, and Janis Thomas.



Leopard Nation doing well in post-season sports ...



State track stars ... New Home High School's Leopard track stars competed in the 2A State Track Meet. Kash Starkey (left) won 3rd place in the 300 Hurdles, with a time of 39.42; Jackson Martinez (center) placed 8th in the 1600 meter run with a time of 4:55.55; and Ethan Hollinshead placed 6th in the Shot Put with a throw of 49' 5". Overall, New Home finished tied for 29th in the boys competition with 7 points.



I'm Safe Ump! ... A Floydada baserunner slides in beneath the ball in 2A Bi-District baseball action against the New Home Leopards. First baseman is Brody Emert. New Home won the first game 2-0 and the second 16-4 on a neutral field in Abernathy Friday, to advance to the Area round. The Leopards will play Memphis in a one game playoff on Friday at 6:00 at the Plainview High School field.

(LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)



NOW THAT'S FUNNY!

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My therapist told me the way to achieve true inner peace is to finish what I start. So far today, I have finished 2 bags of M&M's and a chocolate cake. I feel better already.

— DAVE BARRY

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Several calls report man camping under overpass here

by JUANELL JONES

A suspicious person was reported to be camping out under the FM 400 overpass, and a report of a vehicle driving on the wrong side of US 87 were in law enforcement call sheets during the past week.

Tahoka Police and Lynn County Sheriff's Office received several reports of a man camping out by the FM 400 overpass, on May 6-7. The man reportedly had several blankets and supplies spread out under the overpass on the grassy area, but was far from the roadway and was not causing a traffic hazard. Police identified the man as Shannon Collins from Indiana, but said he was not violating any laws and found no warrants issued on him. The man told officers that he had plenty of water and supplies, and said that he was traveling through the area.

A white utility van was reportedly driving northbound in the southbound lanes of US 87 in Dawson County and heading into Lynn County, at 9:30 p.m. May 9. Attempts to locate the vehicle were unsuccessful, and law officers believe the vehicle may have moved into the correct lane of traffic.

Tahoka Police responded to the 2500 block of N. 4th Street at 10:17 a.m. May 7,

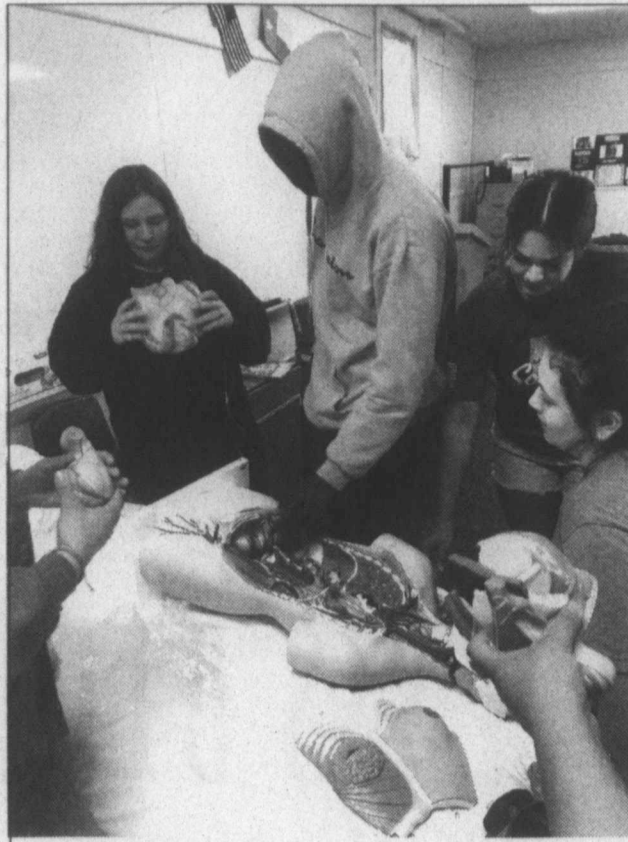
when the resident reported that someone had stolen his Springfield 9mm pistol from his vehicle, but did not know whether the theft occurred in Lubbock or Tahoka. The firearm was entered into the system as stolen.

A barn was reported broken into at a rural location on CR 8, at 9:53 a.m. May 4. No missing items were listed in the report.

A Dodge pickup hauling a horse trailer that was on fire was reported 12 miles west of Tahoka on US 380 at 3:19 p.m. May 7. Tahoka Volunteer Fire Dept. responded to the scene, as well as LCSD and TxDOT for traffic control. The trailer was reportedly unhooked from the pickup prior to the fire department's arrival, and was towed from the scene.

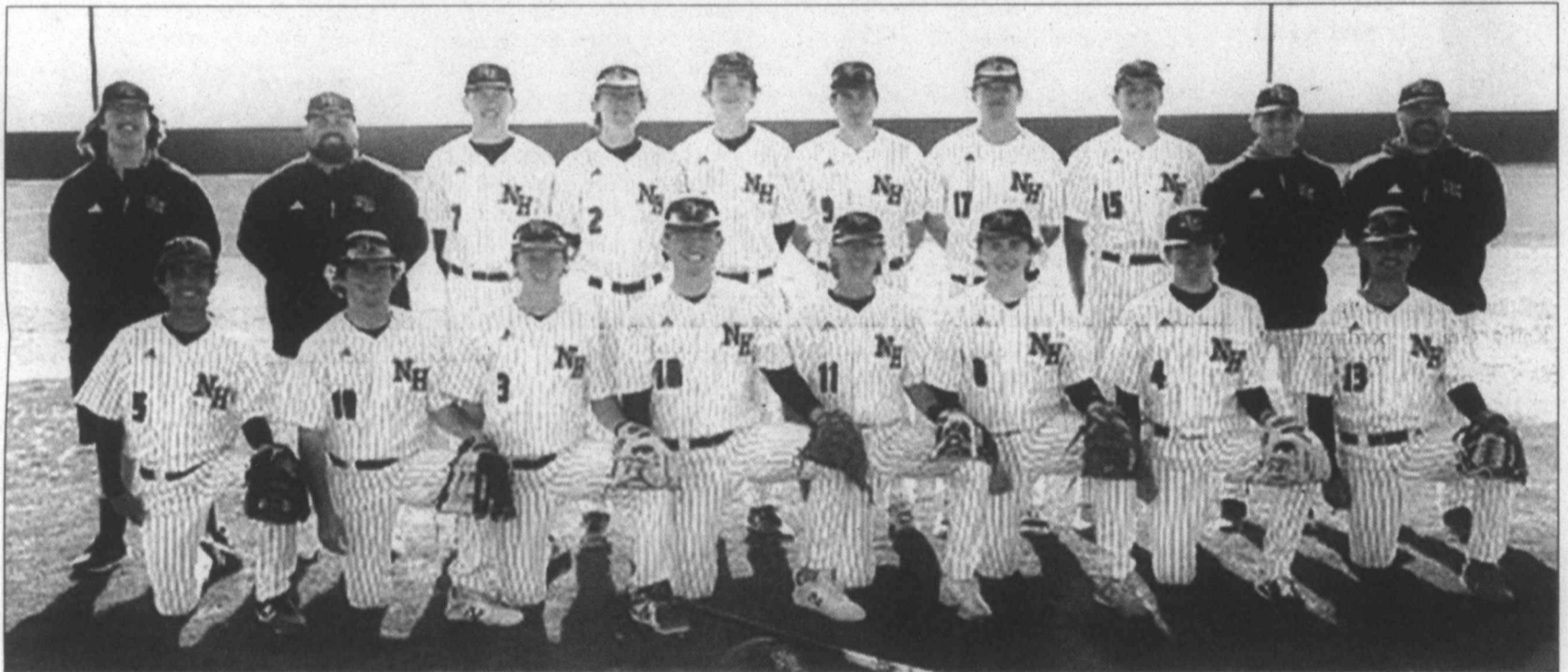
LCSD units, Tahoka and O'Donnell Police, and Lubbock County SO were all notified by Lamesa Police of a pursuit of a vehicle traveling northbound on US 87 at speeds between 110-114 mph at 4:36 a.m. May 10. The vehicle reportedly turned off into O'Donnell, where officers lost sight of the vehicle.

Other calls during the week included suspicious persons/vehicles, domestic disturbances, a child custody dispute, assisting motorists, reports of loud music, and harassment.



Donations buy "torso"

... The Tahoka High School Certified Nurses Aide (CNA) class received a new device this year to assist students in learning about the body, internal organs, and their functions. Claudia Flippin, Director, said that donations made by Tahoka citizens and organizations earlier in the year provided funds for the new "body torso" that is pictured with class members, which interests students because the torso (affectionately known as Mr. Jones) comes apart and shows the internal organs, including both female and male organs. Students in the class photo include, from left, Branyn Fluellen, Maci Harmon, Karlie Swinford, Yesenia Granados, Noelani Rodriguez, and Jaden Rodriguez. "I truly thank the town of Tahoka for making this possible," stated Flippin.



Playoff-bound ... The New Home High School baseball squad defeated Floydada 2-0 and 16-4 Friday to win the bi-district series, and advance to the Area round of 2A baseball playoffs. The Leopards will play Memphis in a one game playoff on Friday at 6:00 p.m. at Plainview High School field.

Senior Citizens LUNCH MENU

May 17-21

- Monday:** Creamy mushroom steak, mashed potatoes, peas & carrots, pears
- Tuesday:** Beef fajitas, refried beans, Spanish rice, salad, peach cobbler
- Wednesday:** Chicken tenders, baked potato, peas & carrots, strawberries w/ whipped topping
- Thursday:** Baked fish scandia, red potatoes, coleslaw w/ apple, peach shortcake
- Friday:** Chicken spaghetti, carrots, zucchini, bananas w/ vanilla pudding

- May 3, 1936 - Joe DiMaggio makes his major-league debut with three hits for the NY Yankees.
- May 2, 1939 - Lou Gehrig plays in his 2,130th game, a baseball record that will last for 57 years, until Cal Ripken came along.
- May 13, 1983 - "Mr. October", Reggie Jackson becomes the first major league ballplayer to strike out 2,000 times.
- May 6, 1893 - The New York Stock Exchange crashes, causing the "Great Panic" of 1893.
- May 7, 1789 - The first inaugural ball is held in honor of George Washington and his wife.
- May 6, 1851 - The Yale lock is patented.
- May 6, 1889 - The Paris Exposition opens with the just completed Eiffel Tower as its centerpiece.
- May 5, 1862 - Mexican forces under Benito Juarez defeated French Troops in the Battle of Puebla. Today this battle is celebrated as Cinco de Mayo.

This Month in History...

We support our local hospital!

First National Bank encourages the community to attend Saturday's Billy Tomlinson Memorial Hospital Benefit auction to support our Lynn County Healthcare System.



First National Bank of Tahoka donated these items for the LCHD 40th Annual Billy Tomlinson Memorial Hospital Benefit Auction to be held this Saturday, May 15, starting at 5:30 p.m. at the Lynn County Showbarn on South 9th Street in Tahoka. Pictured are employees, Brandy Yeats, Abel Castro, Dawn Little, Brek Young and Janis Thomas.



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State-qualifiers! ... The New Home High School boys golf team placed 2nd at 2A Regionals and is advancing to the state tournament. Team members include, from left, Tristan Truhlicka, Ryan Weeks, Ryan Bundy, Owen Morris and Brady Brown. Morris was also the 3rd place medalist at Regionals. The State Tournament will be held May 17-18.

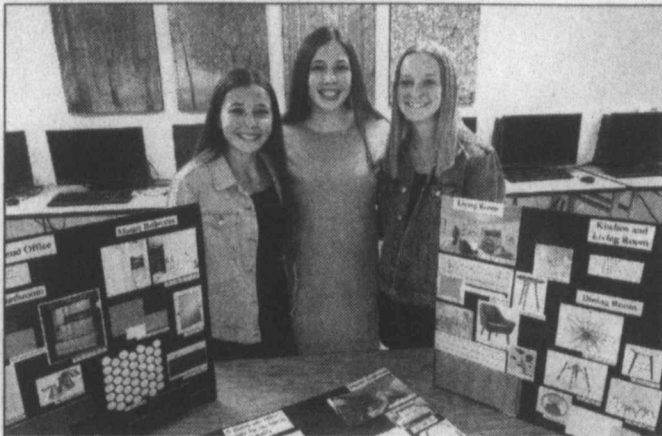
Hospital auction ...

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Foundation. "In 2019 your participation in this auction helped us raise over \$55,000 for LCHD, which was used to help purchase a wheelchair-accessible transport van that is now being used by Lynnwood as well as the Swing Bed program at Lynn County Hospital. Your participation and support is vital to this facility."

Supporters of past auctions, including area businesses and individuals, are being asked to once again share their generosity by contributing items for the auction - and it's not too late to donate this week. Anyone contributing will be recognized at the live auction, as well in the newspaper. All contributions are 100 percent tax deductible, as the LCHD Foundation is a 501(C)3 non-profit.

For more information about the auction, or to have an auction item picked up, contact Kathy Grant, coordinator of the auction, at 806-998-4533 ext. 333, or Carmen Chapa at 806-998-4533 ext. 414.



First Place ... FCCLA members from Sulphur Springs competed in the State Leadership competition in the interior design category winning first place. Pictured from left are Mykylie Meador, granddaughter of Bob and Nancy Guilliams of Tahoka, Jillian Jumper, and Kaylee Schumacher.

Mayor, council members administered oath of office

Tahoka Mayor John Baker, and council members Courtney Stennett (District 1) and Shiloh Braddock (District 3) were administered the Oath of Office at the Tahoka City Council meeting on Monday night, reinstating them for another two-year term of office. All three were declared re-elected, after all were unopposed in the May 1 election, allowing the city to cancel the election procedures.

In other business at Monday's meeting, the council conducted a public hearing on a request for variance to the city ordinance for the front and side yard setback of residential property as requested by the property owner at 2148 South 2nd Street. The council will make a decision on the variance at a special meeting on May 12, at 6 p.m.

No other action was taken at the meeting.

Where in the world is

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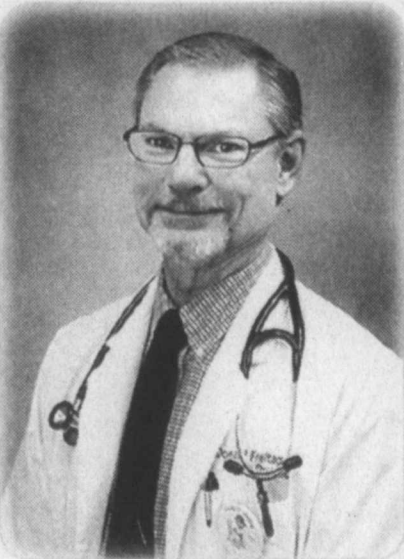
at the Tahoka Pioneer Museum!



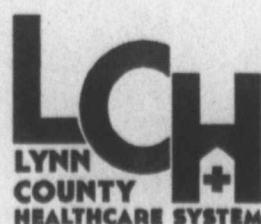
At the Pioneer Museum ... The ladies who gather for card-playing fun on Fridays at the Tahoka Pioneer Museum paused briefly for a photo op with the Lynn County News. They are, seated from left, Sammie Richburg, Lenda Wood, Janey McMillan, Virginia House and Johnette Havens; and standing from left are Jackie Stephens, Jolene Tomlinson, and Deloris Akin.

Thank you Dr. Freitag

Join us as we honor
Dr. Donald Freitag, M.D.
for his many years
of service to
Lynn County Hospital.
A reception in his
honor will be held on
Tuesday, May 25,
at 2:00 p.m.
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DONALD FREITAG, M.D.



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Lynn County Healthcare System

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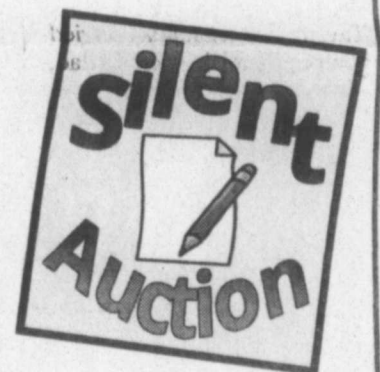
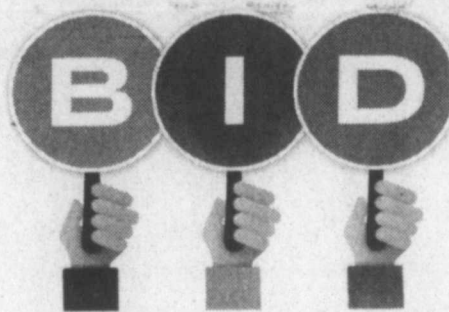
with famous Tahoka VFD fried potatoes/onions

\$10 per plate

Saturday, May 15th

5:30-8:00 p.m.

LIVE AUCTION
6:00 p.m.



Lots of items to bid on!
Win a Trip to Biloxi Mississippi at
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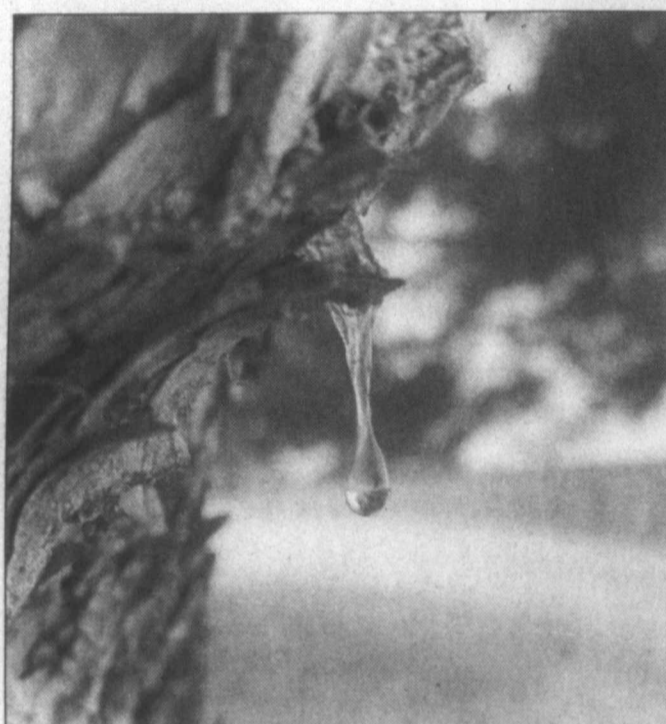
Lynn County Farm Bureau



Ribbon cutting ... The Tahoka Economic Development Corporation (EDC) hosted a ribbon-cutting ceremony last week at Planted Roots, a new garden store located at 1525 South 2nd in Tahoka. The store's owners, Shiloh and Vondi Braddock, are surrounded by family and friends as they prepare to cut the ribbon celebrating the store's opening. (LCN PHOTO by Pam Elrod)

On this day ...

• May 10, 1969 - The first color pictures of Earth from space are sent back from Apollo 10.



1st place ... Natalie Valdez won 1st Place with her photo entry in the Junior division in the Lynn County Photo Contest.

Lynn 4-H Photography Contest winners named

The Lynn County 4-H Photography Contest was held on May 4th at the Lynn County Extension Office in Tahoka. There were nine members that participated and 78 photos entered. Results are as follows:

Clover Kids:
1st place: Food, Plants and Flora and Long Exposure by Eleanor Moore.

Junior Division:
Animals Domestic- Jynli Woodley 1st Place, Waylon Epley 2nd Place
Animals Wildlife- Jynli Woodley 1st Place, Riley Koonce 2nd Place
Catch all- Riley Koonce 1st,

Jynli Woodley 2nd
Details/Macro-Jynli Woodley 1st Place, Riley Koonce 2nd Place
Elements of Design -Jynli Woodley, 1st Place, Riley Koonce 2nd Place
Enhance - Jynli Woodley 1st Food - Waylon Epley 1st
Leading Line -Riley Koonce 1st Place
Motion/ Action- Jynli Woodley 1st Place, Waylon Epley 2nd Place
People- Waylon Epley 1st, Jynli Woodley 2nd Place
Plant/ Flora - Jynli Woodley 1st Place, Waylon Epley 2nd Place, Riley Koonce 3rd Place
Shadow/Silhouette-Jynli Woodley 1st Place
Theme- Waylon Epley 1st Place, Riley Koonce 2nd

Intermediate Division
Animals Domestic- Rayna Epley- 1st Place, Reese Moore 2nd Place
Animals Wildlife- Natalie Valdez 1st Place, Emily Koonce 2nd Place
Catch all - Denton Moore 1st Place, Reese Moore 2nd.
Details/Macro-Natalie Valdez 1st Place, Rayna Epley 2nd Place
Elements of Design - Denton Moore, 1st Place, Natalie Valdez 2nd Place
Enhanced- Natalie Valdez 1st Place, Emily Koonce 2nd Place.
Food- Reese Moore 1st Place, Emily Koonce 2nd Place
Landscape - Natalie Valdez 1st Place, Emily Koonce 2nd Place
Leading Line Emily Koonce 1st Place
Long Exposure - Reese Moore 1st Place, Denton Moore 2nd Place
Motion/ Action- Natalie Valdez 1st Place, Rayna Epley 2nd Place
People-Rayna Epley 1st Place, Natalie Valdez 2nd place
Plant/ Flora- Rayna Epley 1st Place, Natalie Valdez 2nd.
Shadow/Silhouette-Emily Koonce 1st, Reese Moore 2nd
Theme - Rayna Epley 1st, Denton Moore 2nd Place.



Sweet swing ... Zach Blizel (#3) puts the ball in play for New Home in Bi District action from Abernathy. New Home won a double header from Floydada to advance to the Area round in the 2A UIL baseball playoffs. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

Commissioners have brief session

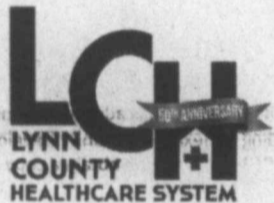
Lynn County Commissioners met in regular session on Monday, May 10, at 9:30 a.m. in the Commissioner's Courtroom, conducting mostly routine business in a brief meeting.

Commissioners took action to accept a Final Plat for Lots 224-245 for Phase 5 for The Palms at Kitty Hawk subdivision, with all voting in favor.

Monthly bills and bonds were approved, and department reports given.

Lynn County Judge Mike Braddock led the meeting, with commissioners Larry Durham, John Hawthorne and Don Blair present. Commissioner Matt Woodley was absent.

The meeting adjourned at 10:06 a.m.



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On this day ...

• May 7, 1970 - The Beatles last album is released - "Long and Winding Road".

Area News ...

News items from area newspapers

Seminole voters approve \$25 million bond

SEMINOLE - In the May 1 election, Seminole voters approved two bonds proposed by the Seminole Independent School District totaling \$25 million. The \$20 million bond for capital expenditures and a \$5 million technology bond proposal both passed by a large margin. The \$20 million bond passed 513 to 248. Voting results in the \$5 million technology bond election indicated 506 residents voted for it while 253 voted against it.

SISD Supt. Kyle Lynch was both please and thankful. "We are grateful to our community for supporting the recently passed Seminole ISD Bond Election. I believe such decisions are a reflection of the values of our community," Lynch said in a statement to the Sentinel.

- from the Seminole Sentinel

Slaton mayor, commissioner elections go into runoffs

SLATON - The City of Slaton will have to wait a bit longer to see who will become the next Mayor and Ward IV Commissioner.

Both elections resulted in runoffs, as neither had a candidate receive 50 percent plus one vote to secure the win. Clif Shaw and John Gatica were the top two vote recipients in the mayoral race, while for Commissioner Ward IV Valarie Cubit and Frank Cisneros were the top two.

In the unofficial results of the mayoral race, Shaw received 35.36 percent of the votes with 244, while Gatica received 31.8 percent with 220 votes, over candidates Jacob Parker (192) and Jessie Perez (34).

In the Ward IV candidate race, Cubit received 49.59 percent of the votes with 61, and Cisneros received 39 votes for 31.71 percent, and candidate Brad Gaydos had 23 votes for 18.70 percent of the total vote.

The runoff elections are set for June 5.

- from The Slatonite

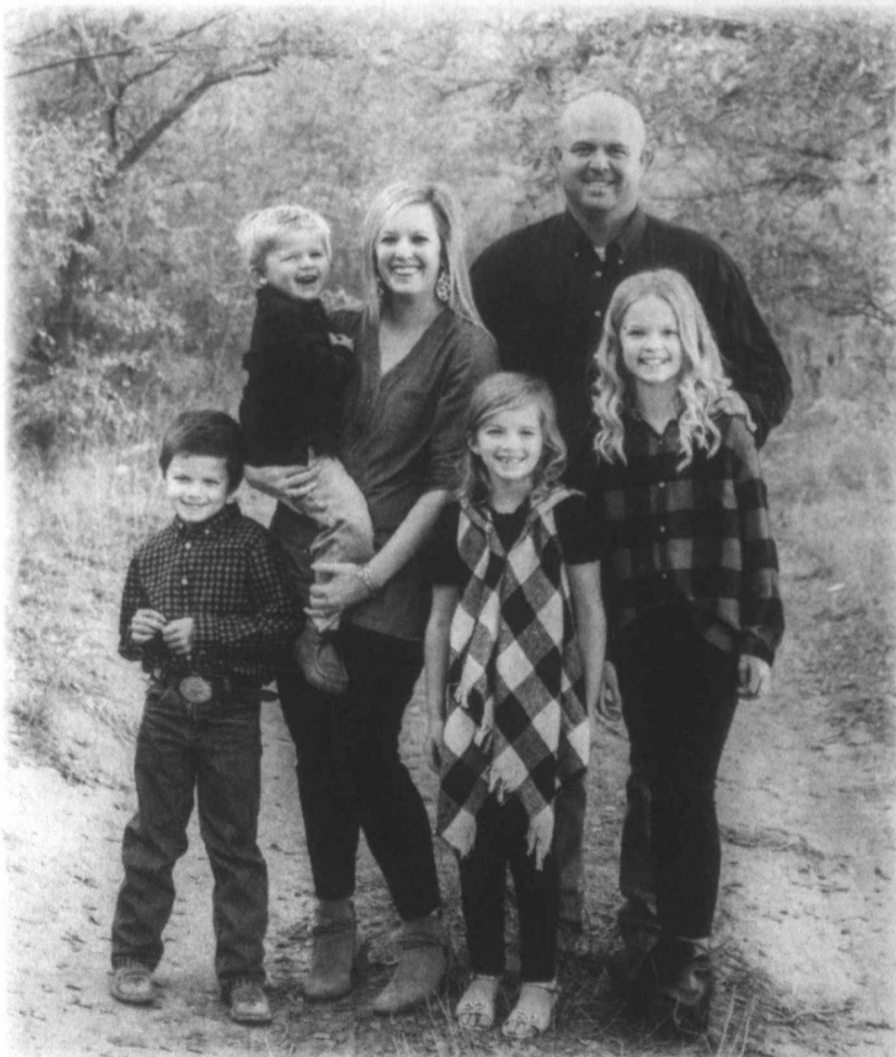


1st Place ... Jynli Woodley placed 1st in the Junior Division of the Lynn County Photo Contest held in Tahoka at the Agrilife Extension office May 4.

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To promote fair housing practices, the City of Tahoka encourages potential homeowners and renters to be aware of their rights under the National Fair Housing Law.

Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968, as amended, prohibits discrimination against any person on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, disability, familial status or national origin in the sale or rental of units in the housing market.

For more information on fair housing or to report possible fair housing discrimination, call the Texas Workforce Commission at (888) 452-4778 or (512) 463-2642 TTY: 512-371-7473.

Anuncio de servicio público de vivienda justa Anuncio de servicio público: Vivienda justa, es la ley

Para promover prácticas justas de vivienda, la ciudad de Tahoka alienta a los potenciales propietarios e inquilinos a estar al tanto de sus derechos bajo la Ley Nacional de Vivienda Justa.

El título VIII de la Ley de Derechos Civiles de 1968, en su forma enmendada, prohíbe la discriminación contra cualquier persona por motivos de raza, color, religión, sexo, discapacidad, condición familiar u origen nacional en la venta o alquiler de unidades en el mercado de la vivienda.

Para obtener más información sobre la vivienda justa o para reportar una posible discriminación justa de la vivienda, llame a la Comisión de la Fuerza Laboral de Texas al (888) 452-4778 o (512) 463-2642 TTY: 512-371-7473.

Civil Rights Notices

Policy of Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Disability

The City of Tahoka does not discriminate on the basis of disability in the admission or access to, or employment in, its federally assisted programs or activities. Julie Arrington, City Administrator has been designated to coordinate compliance with the nondiscrimination requirements contained in the Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) regulations implementing Section 504 (24 CFR Part 8).

Citizen Participation & Grievance Procedures Notice (required)

The City of Tahoka has adopted complaint and grievance procedures regarding its Texas Community Development Block Grant Programs (TxCDBG). Citizens may obtain a copy of these written procedures at Tahoka City Hall, 1802 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas 79373 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Citizens may also request the procedures be mailed to them by calling Julie Arrington, City Administrator at 806-561-4211. These procedures outline the steps for a citizen to follow if s/he wishes to file a complaint or grievance about TxCDBG activities.

A person who has a complaint or grievance about any services or activities with respect to the TxCDBG project, may during regular business hours submit such complaint or grievance, in writing to the City Administrator at Tahoka City Hall, 1802 Main Street, Tahoka, TX 79373 or may call 806-561-4211. The City of Tahoka will make every effort to respond fully to such complaints within fifteen (15) working days where practicable.

Equal Employment Opportunity Statement

The City of Tahoka does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin.

Avisos - Derechos Civiles

Política de no discriminación por motivo de la discapacidad

La Ciudad de Tahoka no discrimina por motivos de discapacidad en la admisión o acceso a, o empleo, en sus programas o actividades que reciben ayuda federal. Julie Arrington, City Administrator ha sido designado para coordinar el cumplimiento de los requisitos de no discriminación contenidos en el Departamento de Vivienda (HUD) y reglamentos de Desarrollo Urbano de aplicación de la Sección 504 (24 CFR Parte 8).

Participación Ciudadana y Procedimientos de Quejas Aviso (requerido)

La Ciudad de Tahoka ha adoptado procedimientos para quejas y denuncias con respecto al programa de Texas Community Development Block Grant Programs (TxCDBG). Los ciudadanos pueden obtener una copia de estos procedimientos escritos en Tahoka City Hall, 1802 Main Street, Tahoka, Texas 79373 entre las horas de 8:00 am y 5:00 pm de lunes a viernes. Los ciudadanos también pueden solicitar los procedimientos por correo al llamar a Julie Arrington, City Administrator, en 806-561-4211. Estos procedimientos describen los pasos que se deben seguir para que un ciudadano pueda, si desea, presentar una queja o reclamo acerca de las actividades del programa TxCDBG.

Una persona que tiene una queja o reclamación sobre cualquiera de los servicios o actividades en relación con el programa TxCDBG, lo pueden hacer durante las horas regulares por escrito a la City Administrator, a Tahoka City Hall, 1802 Main Street, Tahoka, TX 79373 o pueden llamar a 806-561-4211. La ciudad de Tahoka hará todo lo posible para responder con plenitud las quejas dentro de los quince (15) días hábiles cuando sea posible.

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF LYNN

Notice is hereby given of a Sheriff's auction by virtue of a Writ of Execution issued in the Honorable County Court at Law #2 of Ector County, Texas, issued following a default judgement on February 16, 2021. Cause# CC2-20-0268-CV

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WANDA MASON, SHERIFF OF LYNN COUNTY

By:
/s/ Brent Meyer/Lieutenant

NOTICE OF SALE

Pursuant to Chapter 59, Texas Property Code, Antler Storage, which is located at 1913 US Highway 87, Tahoka TX 79373 will hold a public auction of property being sold to satisfy a landlord's lien. The sale will be held at 9 o'clock a.m. on May 22nd, 2021 at 1913 US Highway 87, Tahoka, TX 79373.

Property will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. Deposit for removal and cleanup may be temporarily required. Seller reserves the right to not accept any bid and to withdraw property from the sale. Property in each space may be sold item-by-item, in batches, or by the space. Property being sold includes contents in space(s) of the tenant listed below, with a brief description of the contents in the space(s)
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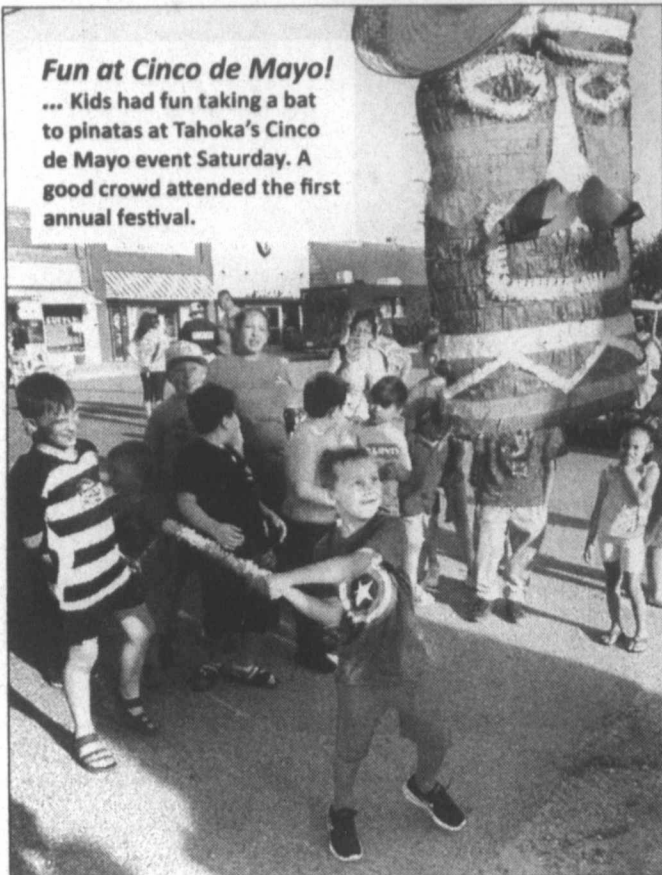
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Fun at Cinco de Mayo!
... Kids had fun taking a bat to pinatas at Tahoka's Cinco de Mayo event Saturday. A good crowd attended the first annual festival.

Tahoka's first Cinco de Mayo event is huge success

The community's first-ever Cinco de Mayo festival was held Saturday, and event organizers deemed it a huge success, with good attendance and fun entertainment for all ages during the 6-hour event. The fun started at 4 p.m. and continued until 10 p.m.

"This was a huge success and a lot of fun! We are already talking about next year's festival," said Julie Arrington, City Administrator for Tahoka. "I estimate 400-500 people attended throughout the evening," she added.

The City of Tahoka and the City/County Library organized the event, which included food vendors, live music and other entertainment, and kids' activities, as well as a fundraiser for local first-grader Carlos Lopez, who was diagnosed with Chiari Malformation and Craniosynostosis.

The fundraiser raised \$1,051.57 total, including donations from patrons at the event, \$340 from two of the food vendors who donated 10% of their profits, and \$350 donated from the Mi Raza and DW Motorcycle Clubs.

Dancers from Fiesta del Sol in Lubbock entertained the crowd with festive performances. DJ Karma was emcee for the entertainment, and provided music between the live band performances, including Renegades of Folk, Juan Y Los Favoritos, Grupo Vesso, Bobby G and the Galaxy Band, and Conjunto Malo (Jason Martinez from Tahoka).

Winners names were not listed for the Grito contest, but it was a lively event, along with a best dressed contest for Cinco de Mayo. There were also door prize drawings; a \$20 gift certificate to Delia's Deli, \$20 gift certificate to Jolly Time, a free car wash/detail at VIP Car Wash, and a Thrive nutritional package.

One of the big hits of the event was the pinata bash for children.

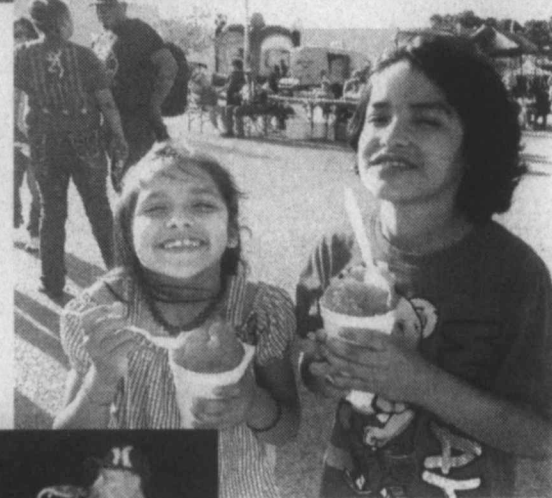
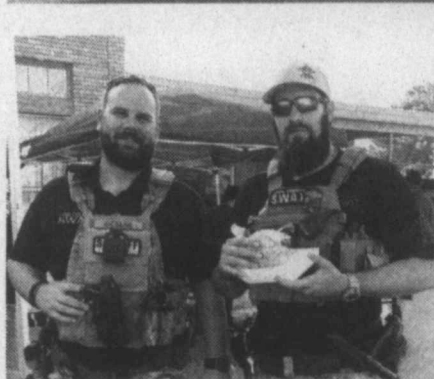
"The kids loved the Pinata; however it did not last long and a lot of kids did not get to hit the piñata. This was probably our biggest issue. We felt bad for some who wanted to hit and did not get to - it ripped early. This will be something we do better next year," promised event organizers.

Organizers thanked city staff, Lynn County EMS, Tahoka VFD, Tahoka Police and Lynn County Sheriff and deputies for their help, and expressed appreciation to Lynntegar for the stage and to Poka Lambro for generators that were donated for use at the festival.

Despite the hot, windy day, it was a good turnout as people enjoyed the city's first-ever Cinco de Mayo festival, and the event will return next year.



For Carlos ... At Saturday's Cinco de Mayo festivities many donated to a fundraiser for a local child, Carlos Lopez, with a grand total of \$1051.57 collected for the family.



Having fun at Tahoka's Cinco de Mayo!



Train wreck ... Derrick Scott of Tahoka attempts to steal home but a Sundown Roughneck will not back down. Sundown won 14-1 in the Bulldogs' final game of the season. (LCN PHOTO by Gary Jones)

Area News from area newspapers

Phillips taking aim at Olympics

LAMESA - When Borden County junior Ryann Phillips went to her first 4-H shooting contest some eight years ago she couldn't have had any idea where it might lead. Now Ryann is emerging as one of the top young shotgun shooters in the country.

One of more than 1,000 competitors who took part in the recent San Antonio Stock Show Junior Shootout, Ryann won the Women's Open Trap in Modified Shooting by hitting 97 out of 100 targets. That score also tied the men's open score.

The very next week, Ryann participated in the USA Shooting Junior World Cup Selection Match at Kerrville. Ryann won the Women's Sub-Division (under 18) and qualified for the top six and a chance to shoot in the finals. Ryann won the Women's Final and earned enough points in the process to move into the fourth spot on the Women's National Junior Team for shooters under 21 years old.

Ryann is the daughter of Jodi Phillips of Gail and Kelly Phillips of Colorado City. She's the granddaughter of Monty and Carolyn Barton of Klondike and Judy Phillips of Sweetwater.

Ryann has been a member of the Junior USA Shooting Team the past three years, but she's got her sights set even higher.

"I'd like to make the next Olympics' team. The next Olympics will be in 2024 at Paris, France," she said.

She will be shooting next week in the State Junior Olympics at Fort Worth.

-from the Lamesa Press-Reporter

Dawson hires interim superintendent

LAMESA - While Dawson ISD will be losing its superintendent at the end of April, there will be a familiar face in the superintendent's office at Welch in May.

The board recently accepted the resignation of Layne Sheets, who has served as the school's superintendent the past two years. He will be the new superintendent for the Jayton-Girard School district in Jayton, located about 55 miles east of Post.

After accepting Sheets' resignation, the board voted to hire Johnny Tubb to step into the role of interim superintendent. Tubb previously served as interim superintendent at Dawson ISD from Sept. 2014-Feb. 2017.

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The City of Pleasanton is issuing this Request for Proposal (RFP) in order to solicit and receive Proposals from qualified firms interested in leasing a maintenance hangar for the purposes of providing A&P mechanical services at the Pleasanton Municipal Airport (KPEZ).

Please submit one (1) marked original and three (3) exact duplicate copies of your complete proposal, labeled and clearly marked Request for Proposals (RFP) for an A&P Mechanical for the Pleasanton Municipal Airport. Bids sent via courier must be sealed in a separate envelope inside of the mailer.

POINT OF CONTACT: All inquiries regarding this RFP must be made, in writing, to Andres Aguirre, at aaguirre@pleasantontx.gov. The City shall not be responsible for any verbal communication between any employee of the City and any potential firm. Only written requirements and qualifications will be considered. The City of Pleasanton reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, to waive irregularities, and to accept the proposal deemed the most advantageous to the City.



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• It's been said that nearly 3% of the ice in Antarctic glaciers is penguin urine.

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