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Phil Barefield, welcomed over 100 guests to the Rural Economic Development Workshop held recently at Valley School.

Large Crowd Attend Rural Economic Development Workshop Held Recently

By Phil Barefield

Area residents turned out in large numbers to attend the "Rural Economic Development and Nature Tourism Workshop" sponsored locally by the Texas Department of Agriculture and the Quitaque Chamber of Commerce. The Valley School cafeteria was the site of the event with 100 folks from around the region attending. Starting with a hamburger supper provided by the First National Bank of Quitaque, the workshop focused on using the natural resources of the area to enhance rural economic development. Phil Barefield, President of the Quitaque Chamber of Commerce, introduced special guests including Ray Johnson, assistant to State Senator Robert Duncan, and Ricky Martinez, Public Affairs Coordinator for Cap Rock Telephone Cooperative. Also recognized were the communities in attendance at the workshop: Talia, Floydada, Lockney, Clarendon, South Plains, Flomot, Roaring Springs, Spur Matador, Miami, Canadian, Silverton, Turkey, and Quitaque.

Sheila Martin, Rural and Agribusiness Development Specialist for the Texas Department of Agriculture, informed the audience of the many resources available to assist in rural economic development. Martin encouraged those in attendance to consider the consequences of doing what has always been done. Thinking "Outside the Box" will provide ideas for using our existing natural resources to sustain our communities. Significant opportunities are available for those willing to accept the challenge of developing these resources.

Ramelle Farrar, Director of the Texas Prairie Rivers Country group from the Canadian area, reviewed the progress the Texas Prairie Rivers members have made in economic development using their existing resources. This group started about five years ago and has received several state and federal grants in the field of rural economic development. Farrar introduced Seth Davidson, an economic development consultant and owner of Wildsteps.com. Davidson assisted Texas Prairie Rivers Country in the development of a marketing plan for nature tourism. Davidson presented examples of how the resources can be marketed and used to enhance the income of a family and a community.

Debbie Arrington, daughter of Ronald and Wadie Clay and member of the Texas Prairie Rivers group, explained how she and her husband, Mark, have converted the Arrington family home into a Bed and Breakfast house. She shared their experiences of getting started and factors involved in the operation of the enterprise.

Clyde Gibson, Technology/Telecommunications Program Specialist of the Office of Rural Community Affairs, emphasized the importance and value of a high speed telecommunications capability in the community. Quitaque and Turkey have benefited from this capability through the telemedicine clinics in both towns.

Participants left the meeting with a wealth of information and plenty to think about. The civic leaders of Quitaque, Turkey and Flomot are moving to incorporate much of this information into a coordinated marketing concept. Steps may be small at first, but a journey starts with a single step.

Turkey's Cable System Receives Donation Of New Satellite Recently

Turkey's cable system recently was the recipient of a generous donation. Bill and Dale Burns recently made a generous donation of funds in memory of Bill's uncles, Jim Majors and Doc Williams, to have a satellite dish installed at the Turkey cable system.

Thanks to their generosity Turkey cable system will soon be carrying Prime Time Christian Broadcasting (God's Learning Channel) to the cable subscribers in Turkey.

PAC Meeting Will Be Held Oct. 17 At Valley School

PAC meeting for Title I and Migrant Chapters will be held Thursday, October 17, 2002 at 2 p.m. in the Valley School Cafeterium.

All Valley parents are welcome to attend. Julie Clay, Migrant Counselor for Region 16 will be the guest speaker.

Refreshments will be served and door prizes will be given away.

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Local Officials Seeking Information In Current Investigation in Quitaque

According to a news release from the Texas Department of Public Safety, Company "C" Texas Rangers located in Lubbock, TX, on October 4, 2002, as a result of a joint investigation of the Texas Rangers, the Briscoe County Sheriff's department and the 110th Judicial District Probation Department, Edward R. Graff, 73, a recently retired priest, was arrested on an arrest & search warrant on a sexual assault of a child charge. Graff was arrested at his residence in Quitaque, and taken to the Swisher County Jail. Graff has served in the Amarillo Diocese since 1992, having been a priest at the Catholic churches in Silverton, Quitaque, Turkey and Memphis.

Texas Ranger, Jay Foster and Briscoe County Sheriff, Jeff Fuston, are requesting that any other victims of Graff's should come forward and report their crime. If parents or guardians have had teenage boys that visited, worked for, or spent the night at Father Graff's residence or rectory; they should question their children about any inappropriate sexual activity with Graff. "The big thing we're wanting to stress is we believe that other victims are out there," Foster told the Amarillo Globe News. "It seems to be boys in the young teenage range we're going to be looking for. Teenage boys who have either visited his house, done chores for him or stayed overnight with him; those parents should talk to their children to see if anything happened."

Foster also said experts in molestation cases recommend that parents be direct and ask up front questions of their children while maintaining an understanding demeanor.

Anyone with information should report it to the following: Texas Ranger Jay Foster, Childress, (940) 937-3122 or Sheriff Jeff Fuston, Briscoe County (806) 823-2135.

Graff is currently being held at the Swisher County Jail, his bond has been set at \$75,000. The case will be turned over to District Attorney Becky McPherson for prosecution.



Quitaque Lions work on new street signs to go up soon all around town.

Valley JV Moves To 5 - 0

The JV Patriots used a smothering defense and a solid passing attack to defeat the Cotton Center Elks 40-6 last Friday night. The win gave the team a 5-0 record and three wins over Varsity teams.

After giving up 64 points in a win over Vernon Northside, the Valley defense came up big time and time again against the Elks. Zack Ramsey stifled the Elk offense when he made a fingertip interception on the one yard line to stop a productive Cotton Center drive.

The Elks again moved inside the ten yard line but were once again stuffed when Matt Whittington jumped on a loose ball to give the Patriots possession, and Cody Varnell sliced through the Cotton Center offensive line to tackle the quarterback in the endzone for a safety.

Cody Barrett completed three passes for 88 yards and two touchdowns to lead the offense. Juan Regalado caught two touchdown passes for the Patriots and Daniel Alanis kicked both extra point conversions to give the Pats the early 16-0 lead.

Fidel Valdes and Chase Maynard each rushed for a touchdown as the Patriots lead 32-0 at halftime.

Cody Barrett moved to the tailback position in the second half and ran for an early third quarter touchdown to give the Patriots their 40 points. Alanis was four out of five on two point kicks.

"The JV has stepped up big time this year," Coach Tyler said. "We gave them a very tough schedule and they came out swinging. It wouldn't be fair to point someone out as the star everyone did there job."

In the JH game, Hector Cruz and Bryant Ortiz each rushed for a touchdown, and Armondo Mendoza caught a touchdown pass from Cole Brown to give the Patriots an 18-12 victory.

The win moves the JH team to 2-2 on the season with the Silverton game slated for today. The JV game has been cancelled but the Valley Elementary kids will play flag football immediately following the Junior High game.

VALLEY PATRIOTS GO, FIGHT, WIN !!!

Calendar Of Events

October 10

- * Turkey City Council meeting @ 7 p.m.
- * Valley Jr High vs Silverton Here @ 5 p.m.

October 11

- * Valley Varsity vs Silverton There @ 7:30 p.m.-

October 12

- * Dustin Garrett & The Texas Cruisers at The Gem Theatre @ 8 p.m.

October 14

* COLUMBUS DAY

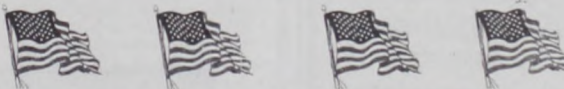
- * Turkey Lions Club meeting @ 7 p.m.
- * Valley Board of Trustees meeting
- * Quitaque City Council meeting @ 5 p.m.
- Quitaque Fire Department meeting

October 15

- * Turkey Fire Department meeting @ 7:30 p.m.

October 16

- * Caprock Partners meeting @ 5:30 p.m.



HONORING THOSE WHO SERVED A Salute To Local Veterans



Perry Lacy

Perry Lacy entered the Armed Forces in 1943 in California. He served in the U.S. Army Air Force.

Perry spent his service as an Air Craft Mechanic. He was discharged in 1946.

Perry was the son of Porter & Lillie Lacy. He graduated from Turkey High School in 1940.



Robert Lee Young

Robert Lee Young entered the Armed Forces on May 23, 1944. He served in the U.S. Marine Corps.

Robert saw action at Okinawa, Ryukyu Islands, and the Occupation of China.

He was wounded in action on May 12, 1945. He was discharged in March 1946, with rank of Private First Class.

Robert was the son of Mr. & Mrs. "Doc" Young and attended school in Turkey.

Fall Focus On Fire Safety

This year's observance of National Fire Prevention Week, October 6-12, comes after a record year for destruction of homes and natural resources by wildfires across the nation. Nationally, 67,424 wildfires have burned 6.6 million acres of forest, brush and grass, and consumed a staggering number of homes and other structures as well, according to the National Interagency Coordination Center in Boise, Idaho.

The creation of a National Fire Prevention Day (later extended to a full week) was prompted by the great Chicago fire of 1871, a fire that killed 250 people and destroyed over 17,000 buildings at a cost of \$168 million. The national observance is always observed during the week that includes October 9, the anniversary date of the Chicago fire.

Given the magnitude of this year's wildfire losses, it's obvious that people need to both prevent wildfires and to implement precautions to make homes less vulnerable to wildfires.

A major concern of fire fighters is that burning of fallen leaves, clearing of garden spots and increased use of the outdoors by hunters and campers could translate into additional escaped fires later this year, said Mary Kay Hicks, Fire Prevention Coordinator with the Texas Forest Service in Waco. Every wildfire carries a potential threat to lives and property, she stated.

Hicks offered several suggestions for preventing escaped fires this fall and winter.

* Establish wide control lines around burn receptacles and brush piles to be burned to help keep possible flying embers from reaching flammable vegetation.

* Burn household trash in burn barrels and burn pits covered with a metal screen or grid to help keep burning debris from flying into surrounding vegetation.

* Build campfires in open, level spots away from trees and overhanging branches. Keep fires small, and extinguish them cold to the touch before leaving them.

* Dispose of smoking materials properly, either in vehicle ashtrays or by crushing smokes and matches dead in bare dirt.

* Avoid driving or parking vehicles where hot pollution control equipment could come into contact with vegetation beneath vehicles.

"Most fires and the damage they cause can be prevented," Hicks said, "but it will take a concerted effort by everyone to avoid senseless destruction of lives, homes and the natural resources upon which many people and animals depend."

Help your local fire fighters. Practice good fire prevention both indoors and out. It's for less expensive to prevent fires than it is to replace property damaged or destroyed by fire...and some things just can't be replaced.

THINGS THAT MAKE YOU GO HMMM...

By Laura Taylor

With Summer fading and Fall already upon us, we rush from activity to activity with little or no time to relax. Well here is a little chuckle to relieve a little bit of that stress as you hurry on to your next project. My sister sent this to me and I thought I would pass it on.

For Those In The Ya-Ya or Na-Na Sisterhood:

- * If you love something, set it free. If it comes back, it will always be yours. If it doesn't come back, it was never yours to begin with. But, if it just sits in your living room, messes up your stuff, eats your food, uses your telephone, takes your money and doesn't appear to realize that you had set it free... You either married it or gave birth to it.
- * Reason to smile: Every 7 minutes of every day someone in an aerobics class pulls a hamstring.
- * My mind not only wanders, it sometimes leaves completely
- * The best way to forget all your troubles is to wear tight shoes.
- * The nice part about living in a small town: When you don't know what you're doing, someone else always does.
- * Just when I was getting used to yesterday along came today.
- * Sometimes I think I understand everything, then I regain consciousness.
- * Amazing! You hang something in your closet for a while and it shrinks two sizes.
- * They keep telling us to get in touch with our bodies. Mine isn't all that communicative but I heard from it the other day after I said, "Body, how'd you like to go to the six o'clock class in vigorous toning?" Clear as a bell my body said, "Listen fatty..do it and die."
- * I read this article that said the typical symptoms of stress are eating too much, impulse buying, and driving too fast. Are they kidding? That's my idea of a perfect day!

HMMM...

Quitaque Weather Forecast for Next 9 Days

Day	High / Low (°F)	Precip. (%)
Thu Oct 10	77°/57°	0%
Fri Oct 11	82°/55°	0%
Sat Oct 12	80°/45°	10%
Sun Oct 13	62°/39°	70%
Mon Oct 14	71°/47°	0%
Tue Oct 15	75°/50°	0%
Wed Oct 16	78°/49°	0%
Thu Oct 17	77°/49°	0%
Fri Oct 18	76°/49°	0%

Happy Birthday

- October 10**
Don Taylor, Oleta Randall
- October 12**
Brenda Smith
- October 13**
Kevin Clinton, Estelle Lane, Cade Lange, Jason Powell, Rose Castillo
- October 14**
Fredia Fuston, Ginger Morgan, Galen Saul, Belinda Barrett
- October 15**
Joann Reagan, Janice McBee, Rachel Kay Hancock, Chastity Lane Haley Wheeler
- October 16**
Briana Sperry, Buster Chadwick, J.B. Tiffin, Elena Fierro
- October 17**
Dusty Burson, Annie Shannon, Danny Mayfield

OBITUARIES



Edna Belle Chambliss

Graveside services for Edna Belle Chambliss, 93, of Plains, TX were held Wednesday, October 9, 2002 at Plains Cemetery with Tracy Bearden of Mineral Wells officiating. Interment was in Plains Cemetery, Plains, TX under the direction of Brownfield Funeral Home.

Edna Belle Chambliss died on October 7, 2002 at Lubbock, TX. She was born on April 7, 1909 at Anderson County, TX. She married Robert H. Chambliss on January 6, 1934 in Brownfield, TX. He preceded her in death, on January 18, 1982. She moved to Plains, TX in 1938. She was a member of the Eastern Star and Plains First Baptist Church. She had been living in Lubbock, TX since 1996. She is preceded in death by a daughter, Gracie Hale on April 23, 1967 and a great-grandson, Justen Keith Green on October 8, 1998.

Survivors include: 1 son, Bob Chambliss of Hobbs, N.M.; 1 daughter, Bettie Green of Turkey, TX; 9 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Richard E. Nall

Richard E. Nall, 72, died Tuesday, October 8, 2002 in Memphis, TX. Funeral services will be held Friday, October 11, 2002 at 10 a.m. in the First United Methodist Church, Wellington, TX. Danny Jones of Calgary, Alberta and Danny Davidson of Memphis will officiate. Burial will be in North Fairview Cemetery under the direction of Adams Funeral Home of Wellington, TX.

Richard was born on September 30, 1930 in Folley, TX to James R. Nall and Ottie Mae Folley Nall. He was a Moorman Feed Representative since 1964. He attended school in Turkey and graduated from Flomot High School in 1948. He married Jane Jones on September 17, 1950 in Clovis, NM. She died in 1994. He attended Tarleton State University. He came to Wellington in 1960 from Flomot. He was a cowboy for the Mill Iron Ranch from 1960 to 1964. He had been an active horse trader since he was 6 years old.

Survivors include 2 sons: Dr. Ricky Nall and wife Linda of Childress and Jim Bob Nall and wife Diana of Shamrock; 1 daughter: Leigh Blakemore of Scottsdale, AZ; 2 sisters: Jimmie Dean Ballinger of Frotuna, CA and Erma Lorene "Ernie" and husband Bill Dean Washington of Flomot; 6 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. He was also preceded in death by a sister Melba Juandell Nall in 1927.

The family suggest memorials be made to Cemetery Associations of Wellington, Turkey, or Flomot.

Happy Anniversary

- October 11**
Mr & Mrs Walt Rice
- October 12**
Mr & Mrs Joe Taylor
- October 14**
Mr & Mrs Felix Ortiz

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—Eleanor Roosevelt

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I, **Charles Lance Stidham**, would like to take this opportunity to thank all the residents of Briscoe County for their support in the Primary election, and I hope to receive the same support in the General Election.

I, Lance 31 years of age, and my wife, Letisia 28 years of age, have been life long residents of Briscoe County. We have two children Cord 12, and Chase 10. Having lived and worked in Briscoe County makes it important to have the best elected officials possible. I promise to take every advantage to uphold law enforcement to the best of my ability.

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FLOMOT NEWS

BY EARLYNE JAMESON

OVERHEARD

Many years ago, someone asked my grandfather what church he attended.

"I go to the Round Church," he said.

Looking a bit puzzled, the other person asked, "And just exactly what kind of church is that?"

"Well," said granddad, with just a trace of a twinkle in his Irish eyes, "that's the kind of church where the devil can't get me in a corner."

Halloween Costume Party At Do Gooders' Club Meeting

A Halloween costume party at the Do Gooders' Club meeting Tuesday afternoon, October 1st at the Community Center in Flomot was a festive time. Among those circulating around the center were good and wicked witches, a sheriff, scarecrow, "Bag Lady" hobo and a farmers' hillbilly.

Hostesses, Mrs. Alma Shorter and Mrs. Kathy Shorter presided at a table laid with a golden autumn cloth and an autumn decor service. The centerpiece was a beautiful fall floral arrangement in a pumpkin pot, flanked by orange candles and miniature pumpkins. They served "Trick or Treat" refreshments of popcorn, assorted crackers and candy with orange punch.

Mrs. Waydette Clay conducted the business session. Mrs. Alma Shorter read the minutes and financial report that were approved. Final plans were made for the Country Store Bazaar to be held Saturday, November 9th at the Community Center. It was announced the November club meeting will be Monday, November 5th because the General Election will be held at the Flomot Community Center, Tuesday, November 6 on their regular monthly club day.

Mrs. Christeen Gilbert won the raffle ticket drawing for the large can of popcorn. Hostesses of each meeting furnish the raffle ticket prize and the money made from this is used to help defray expenses of the club.

Members attending were Mesdames Anna Beth Clay, Leona Degan, Mary Jo Calvert, Geneva Martin, Kathy Shorter, Waydette Clay, Judy Stark, Barbara Payne, Alma Shorter, B. Rogers, Nada Starkey and Tommie Jo Cruse. Guests were Mrs. Ruby King and Mrs. Christeen Gilbert of Quitaque and Donnie Turner of Flomot.

Cooler Temperatures In September Welcomed Relief In Motley County

After soaring temperatures in August, the cooler weather in September was a welcomed relief in Motley County. Motley County needs dry, sunny weather to mature cotton to full potential and to harvest. Some farmers are defoliating their cotton fields. The Extension Service in College Station reported in mid-August Texas cotton prices received by producers averaged 31 cents per pound, an increase from last year's 28 cents per pound. Would you believe a 37 cent postage stamp costs more today than a pound of cotton?

Motley County National Weather Service Volunteers officially report the total rainfall for September: Buzz Thacker, Roaring Springs - 0.92; Kelly Meyer, Matador - 0.95; Betty Simpson, Northfield - 1.42; Jim Stockton, Whiteflat - 1.15; Tommie Jo Cruse, Flomot - 1.12 inches.

Birthday Surprise

Mrs. Leota Johnson of Turkey had a pleasant surprise Friday afternoon when her sister, Mrs. Mary Jo Calvert and friend, Mrs. Leona Degan of Flomot arrived at her home to celebrate her birthday. Others attending the happy occasion was her husband, Clyde, daughter, Celia Johnson and sister, Mrs. Iona Lane of Turkey. She received gifts and cards and refreshments of cookies, candy and coffee were served.

Attend NHRA Finals

Coy and Connie Franks visited in Dallas from Thursday until Tuesday of last week with Barry Pickett. They attended the Division IV Bracket Finals of the National Hot Rod Association in which Coy and Barry competed. It was held at the Texas Motorplex in Ennis and over 700 cars entered. Also attending from Flomot were Billy and Pam Morris and Shannon Jackson.

Recent Trip

Mrs. Judy Stark returned home recently from visiting in Seneca, South Carolina with her brother and wife, the Rev. and Mrs. Don Kidd. Rev. Kidd was pastor of the Baptist Church in Flomot in 1973. Tourist attractions were enjoyed in Nashville, Memphis, Chattanooga, Gatlinburg and Smokey Mountains in Tennessee. They also visited in Augusta, Georgia. En route and on return trip from South Carolina, Mrs. Stark visited her husband, Lynn who is working in Blytheville, Arkansas. He is employed by Roegan and Talon Cruse driving module cotton trucks. It is reported a bumper cotton crop is being harvested in this area.

Members of the Do Gooders' Club at the Work Day at the Flomot Community Center Friday morning with hoes, weed eaters and mowers were Mary Jo Calvert, Leona Degan, Kathy Shorter, Judy Stark, Waydette Clay and B. Rogers. Jack Starkey was a big help with his riding mower.

Linda and Travis Kendall and sons, Cory Kendall of Midland and Tim Kendall of Flomot attended the funeral services of Linda's brother, Danny March, 63, held Wednesday, September 25th in Westminster, California.

Johnnie Starkey accompanied his mother, Mrs. Jometta McClain of Hart and brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Malone of Denver, Colorado.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill D. Washington, Sunday were Mrs. Lacy Clary, Caleb and Mickey of Matador and Mrs. Connie Franks of Flomot.

Luncheon guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin were Ms. Sunni Parsons of Lubbock and Mary Ellen Barton of Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Kendall visited from Thursday until Saturday in Midland with son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cory Kendall, Connor and Chancey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Starkey were in Amarillo, Thursday for him a medical appointment at the Veteran's Hospital. They visited in Canyon with Mr. and Mrs. Michael Starkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Clois Shorter, Mrs. Geneva Martin and Mrs. Judy Stark enjoyed the Gaither Gospel Concert Friday night at the United Spirit Arena in Lubbock. Emily and Haley Milam of Petersburg visited overnight Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Shorter.

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Cooks Corner
 By Virginia Saffsbury

It's pumpkin time! You may have seen fields full of these orange beauties and maybe you have bought some for fall decorating. Don't forget about cooking some pumpkin dishes for Halloween and Thanksgiving. Here are some tried and true pumpkin cookies and a special bread with the cream cheese baked inside. Either canned or cooked fresh pumpkin can be used for these goodies, so maybe those decorative pumpkins can be recycled into dessert!

AMISH PUMPKIN COOKIES

- 1 cup brown sugar
- 1 cup Crisco
- 1 egg
- 1 cup pumpkin
- 2 cups flour
- 1 teaspoon soda
- 1/2 teaspoon soda
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- Cream sugar, Crisco, and add eggs.
- Add pumpkin and dry ingredients and mix well.
- Drop by tablespoon-fuls onto greased cookie sheet.
- Bake at 350 for 10-12 minutes.
- When cool, frost with the following:
- 1 Tablespoon butter
- 1 Tablespoon milk
- 1/4 cup pumpkin
- Powdered sugar
- Beat together butter, milk and pumpkin.
- Add powdered sugar to make spreading consistency.
- Sprinkle with chopped nuts if desired.

GREAT PUMPKIN COOKIES

- 4 cups flour
- 2 cups quick or old-fashioned oats, uncooked
- 2 teaspoons baking soda
- 2 teaspoons cinnamon
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cups butter or margarine
- 2 cups packed brown sugar
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 16 oz. cooked pumpkin
- 1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips
- Assorted icings or peanut butter
- Assorted candies, raisins and nuts
- Cream butter gradually add sugars, beating until light and fluffy.
- Add egg and vanilla; mix well.
- Mix together dry ingredients.
- Alternate mix in dry ingredients and pumpkin, mixing well after each addition.
- Stir in chocolate chips.
- For each cookie, drop 1/4 cup dough onto lightly greased cookie sheet.
- Spread into pumpkin shape using a thin metal spatula.
- Add a bit more dough to form a stem.
- Bake at 350, 20-25 minutes until cookies are firm and lightly browned.
- Cool on wire racks.
- Decorate using icing or peanut butter to affix candies, raisins and nuts to make pumpkin faces.
- Makes about 36 large cookies.

THE SPORTSMAN BAR & GRILL

Pool Tournament Update: Tournament to be held October 19, 2002
 Double Elimination (lose twice your out) Entry Fee - \$5.00,
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ACROSS

- 1 Cowboy & Texan Sun. night netwk.
- 5 TXism: "I double dog ya"
- 6 small biting fly
- 7 fed. ag. agcy. with offices in TX (abbr.)
- 8 TXism: "smart as a bunkhouse"
- 9 TXism: "happy as a in mud"
- 12 TXism: "sharp as a Taylor Co. seat
- 19 TXism: "hair trigger (quick to anger)"
- 21 old road in Nacogdoches: "del Norte"
- 22 increase the size
- 23 TXism: "drillier" (dentist)
- 28 TV award given to TX Carol Burnett
- 29 Bruce Coslett to Dave Campo (abbr.)
- 30 TX Tech grad "Jimmy" Lakas was president of this So. American country
- 31 ____ of beef
- 35 unarmd (2 wds.)
- 36 city dump: "eyes?"
- 42 heart of Texas"
- 44 TX Phil Gramm's pal Lott from MO
- 46 TXism: "a legend in his own mind"
- 48 '80 song "Raisin Texas"

DOWN

- 1 UT has the desk of this 3-name poet
- 2 a TX city, county, and river (2 wds.)
- 3 Cowboy & Texan preparation
- 4 shrimp catchers
- 9 ship steering wheel
- 10 TX Pride's "My Eyes Can ____ You"
- 11 exclamation of surprise
- 12 TXism: "table grazed"
- 13 fall event: "Fair"
- 14 music boosters
- 15 TXism: "tax wranglers"
- 16 Jayton is seat of this county
- 18 "Gone to Texas" came to mean "on the ____"
- 20 car path (abbr.)
- 23 "The Pelvis" (init.)
- 24 noted female TX rancher Mary ____ West
- 25 cattle auction indication (2 wds.)
- 26 in 1812, this Augustus & Gutierrez tried to take TX from Mex.
- 27 shell of a flightless bird (2 wds.)
- 32 TXism: "the creek don't rise"
- 33 TXism: "it'll ____ nicely"
- 34 TXism: "let ____ rip"
- 36 TXism: "amaze me beans" (in the pod)
- 37 TXism: "pay ____ never mind"
- 38 '61 theme song of 13-down: "My City"
- 39 "Ripley's Believe It ____"
- 40 film spools
- 41 OK town
- 43 TX Tubbs' ____ Walking the Floor Over You"
- 45 TX Sam Rayburn's birth state (abbr.)
- 47 "you never ____"
- 48 crafty
- 56 language so. of the border (abbr.)

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			Yellow Onions \$3.51
			Cucumbers \$2.51
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When you talk, you repeat what you already know; when you listen, you often learn something.
 —Jared Sparks

Drinking & Driving Facts
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The Patriot

NEWS OF AND ABOUT VALLEY SCHOOL

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Event Schedule For The Valley Patriots vs. Silverton Owls Game

Thursday
 3 p.m. - Jr. High Pep Rally at Valley Gym
 4:15 p.m. - Little Mini Cheerleaders meet at Gym to practice until 5 p.m.
 5 p.m. - Jr. High Football Game vs. Silverton at Valley
 6:15 p.m. - Elementary Flag Football 2nd-6th Grade
 7:30 p.m. - High School Night Pep Rally at Football Field. 2nd - 5th Grade Little Cheerleaders will perform!

Friday
 3 p.m. - High School Pep Rally at Gym
 6:15 p.m. - Caravan...Meet at Valley School and receive a FREE Glow in the Dark Necklace! We will then all leave the school together!
 7:30 p.m. - Valley vs. Silverton at Silverton

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GO BIG BLUE! WE'RE FOR YOU!

Scholarship Program Offers \$1,000 Awards To Agricultural Students

Students pursuing careers in agriculture are encouraged to apply for scholarships sponsored by Agrilance, Land O'Lakes Feed and Croplan Genetics. High school seniors from throughout the country who will enroll in a two or four year agronomy or livestock curriculum in the fall of 2003 are eligible to apply. Fifty \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded.

"Students with leadership abilities and an interest in agriculture are needed to fill a variety of positions in our industry," said Annette Degnan, scholarship committee chairperson. "The careers in Agriculture Scholarship program helps promising students gain the education they need to secure these positions."

To qualify for the program, students must meet the following criteria: * Be a high school senior planning to enroll in a two or four year livestock or agronomy related curriculum in the fall of 2003. * Demonstrate both leadership abilities and academic performance; and * Write an essay describing why he or she is interested in an agricultural career.

Applications are available from participating local cooperatives or on the Agrilance web site www.agrilance.com in the careers section or the land O'Lakes feed web site www.lofeed.com all applications must be postmarked by March 3, 2003. Winners will be notified in May. For more information or to request an application, call 800-232-3639, ext. 4584.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Monday, October 14

Breakfast: Waffles, Sausage, OJ/Milk

Lunch: Hamburger Steak & Brown Gravy, Broccoli & Rice, Corn, Biscuits, Fruit, Milk

Tuesday, October 15

Breakfast: Cereal, Buttered Toast & Jelly, OJ/Milk

Lunch: Pork Chops & Gravy, Carrot Sticks, Hot Rolls, Honey, Pears, Milk

Wednesday, October 16

Breakfast: Cinnamon Toast, Pop Tarts, Apple Slices, OJ/Milk

Lunch: Pizza, Waffle Fries, Salad, Fudge Brownies, Milk

Thursday, October 17

Breakfast: Breakfast Pizza, Apple Slices OJ/Milk

Lunch: Chicken Strips & Gravy, French Fries, Biscuits, Orange Slices, Milk

Friday, October 18

Breakfast: Donuts, Sausage, OJ/Milk

Lunch: Corn Dogs, Chips, Pickles, Pork & Beans, Cookies, Milk

Education is helping the child realize his potentialities.
—Erich Fromm

1st Six Weeks Honor Roll

1st Grade - Mrs. Hill

All A's: Macy Maynard, Tamara Mae, Christian Chavira, Jessi Messer, Dalton Valdez, Jerrica Galvan, Cory Belmares
A's & B's: Laura Mora

1st Grade - Mrs. Brown

All A's: Tamran Castillo, Yasmin Chavez, Ryan Meeks, Ketch Smith, April Villarreal, Kelby Williams
A's & B's: Monica Alanis, Caleb Bernal, Mandy Purcell

2nd Grade - Mrs. Cruse

All A's: Brennan Allen, Andrew Gonce, Abby Hill, Sierra Burleson, Sarah Clay

A's & B's: Hayden Meyer, Dodie Payne, Daniel Valdez

2nd Grade - Mrs. Ramsey

All A's: Kameron Buchanan, Colleen Hancock, Sunny Helms, Jose Mendoza, Blake Pigg, Ben Seth Ramsey, Samantha Sanderson, Macy Valdez

A's & B's: John Pigg, Pecos Williams

3rd Grade - Mrs. Pigg

All A's: Alyssa Pointer, Caitlyn Brown, Kortne Carnes, Ezekiel Clay, Tanner Clay, Natalie Fierro, Courtney Galvan, Danielle Gwinn, Kristen Jenkins, Madison Meyer, Jacob Pigg, Jayson Pigg, Jessie Price

A's & B's: Adam Alanis, Yesenia Chavez, Jordon Espinoza, Enrique Mendoza, Jesus Mora, Chambray Smith, Jeffrey Thibodeaux, Jose Valdez, Pablo Martinez, Kammi Warr

4th Grade - Mrs. Proctor

All A's: Autumn Phillips, Khaki Scrivner, Landon Allen, Grant Wheeler

A's & B's: Desiree Casillas, Kati Fuston, Jarrette Valdez, Kimberly Leal, Kacey McGraw

5th Grade - Mrs. Davidson

All A's: Kelsey Clay, Jacob Hancock, Lacie Ponter, Payton Price, Jacy Proctor, Sadie Valdez, Lauren Young

A's & B's: Sandybel Alanis, Salvador Bernal, Mariela Mendoza, Rebecca Ramos, Isaac Smith, Courtney Thibodeaux, Isa Ortiz

6th Grade

All A's: Dalton Allen, Dulce Chavez, Mitchell Farley, Callie Helms, Jordan Jenkins, Leslie Payne, Brady Ramsey

A's & B's: Chancy Campbell, Angelica Cruz, Laura Martinez, Shawna Meeks, Francisco Pozos, John Luke Shannon, Alexandra Skinner, Maria Valdez

7th Grade

All A's: Cole Brown, Mary Kate Davidson

A's & B's: Danny Carnes, Amber Clay, Savannah Smith

8th Grade

All A's: Macy Davidson, Molly Davidson, Fannin Gwinn, Maddie Ramsey

A's & B's: Ana Karen Mendoza

Freshmen

All A's: Randy Farley

A's & B's: Jennifer Carnes, Fernando Regalado, Alicia Roys

Sophomores

All A's: None

A's & B's: Mona Hernandez, Maria Martinez, Guadalupe Mendoza, Juan Mendoza, Zack Ramsey, Matt Whittington

Juniors

All A's: Katherine Pigg

A's & B's: Rodney Fuston, Chase Maynard, Juan Regalado, Jessica Wellman, Cliff Yeary

Seniors

All A's: Natalie Wheeler

A's & B's: Derrick Cruse, Sara Fierro, Lorena Mendoza, Leigh Ann Nielsen, Amanda Roys, Scarlett Sperry, Cydni Walden, Justin Wilks



Valley FCCLA members recently attended a workshop at Memphis High School.

Valley FCCLA Attend Area Workshops

Valley's Family, Career and Community Leaders of America members have recently used their leadership skills at meetings at both Memphis and Amarillo High Schools. Monday, September 1, eleven members traveled to Memphis High School where they attended workshops on personality, teamwork, leadership and competed against other schools. Veronica Barrios, Lupe Mendoza, Maria Mora, Zena Mora, Melissa Leal, Monica Hernandez, Enedina Valdez, Erica Gujosa, Roxanne Trout, Amy Hughes were accompanied by their advisor, Kathy Taylor.

Tuesday, October 1, Valley members traveled to Amarillo High School to present workshops to over 175 members from around the Panhandle. Sammie-Dee Ross, Cydni Walden, and Amanda Roys presented a small group workshop over teamwork teaching the FCCLA members qualities of a good team member using a variety of games and notes. Enedina Valdez, Monica Hernandez, and Lupe Mendoza presented a small group workshop over STEP 1, the FCCLA national program that teaches members facts about the Family, Career and Community Leaders of America organization. It was a great experience for the Valley members to be leaders and to help the FCCLA state officers, Jacob Tucker and Kristi Farnum teach the other FCCLA members.



Valley FCCLA members attended a workshop recently in Amarillo where they competed against other teams from various area schools.

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Lee Smith

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RE-ELECT RANDY HOLLUMS

DISTRICT JUDGE 110TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

EXPERIENCE

- 13 Years As District Attorney
- 12 Years As District Judge
- Graduate of Texas Tech Univ. Law School
- Veteran U.S. Air Force
- Former President Texas District and County Attorneys Assn.
- Attended National Judicial College
- Presently enrolled in the Texas Judicial College

STABILITY

- Life Long Resident of 110th Judicial District
- Married 38 years
- 4th Generation of Residence in Floyd County

Pol. Adv. Paid by Randy Hollums, 711 W. Virginia, Floydada, Tx. 79235

Drinking & Driving Facts
 One in four high school seniors said they had driven a car after drinking at least once during the past school year.

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VALLEY PATRIOT FOOTBALL 2002

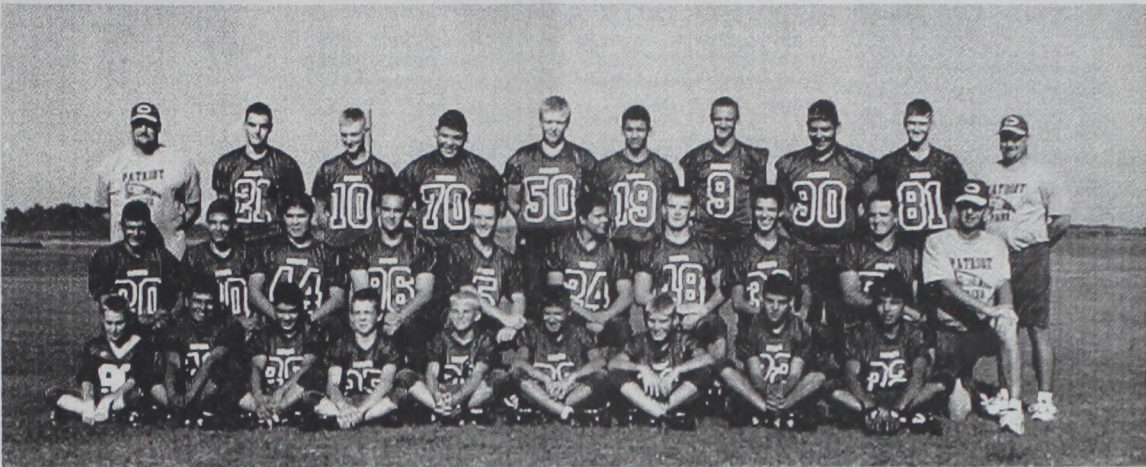
VARSETY & J.V. FOOTBALL COACHES
 Head Coach: Bret Tyler
 Asst. Coaches: Tomas Clay, & Greg Ramsey

VALLEY SCHOOL
 PHONE #
 806-455-1411

VALLEY VARSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place/Time
Aug 31	Bryson	A-7:30
Sep 6	Aspermont	A-7:30
Sep 14	# Meadow	H-6:00
Sep 20	Follett	H-7:30
Sep 27	Spur	A-7:30
Oct 4	OPEN	
Oct 11	*Silverton	A-7:30
Oct 18	*Patton Spgs.	A-7:30
Oct 26	*Happy	H-3:00
Nov 1	*Hedley	A-7:30
Nov 8	*Motley Co.	H-7:30

*District Games
 #Homecoming



THE 2002 VALLEY PATRIOT VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL ROSTER

Player	Ht	Wt	Cl	Pos
Daniel Alanis	5-8	155	So	E-CB
Cody Barrett	5-9	160	Fr	QB-S
Manuel Chavez	5-10	195	Sr	E-E
Derrick Cruse	6-2	190	Sr	RB-LB
Albert Espinoza	5-8	175	So	RB-LB
Alex Espinoza	6-1	165	Fr	RB-E
Rodney Fuston	5-7	220	Jr	C-E
Randy Farley	6-0	275	Fr	C
Rhiane Gaddis	5-6	140	Fr	RB-S
Jake Maupin	5-6	145	So	E-E
Chance Maynard	5-6	140	Fr	E-E
Chase Maynard	6-0	165	Jr	QB-S
Robert Mendoza	5-8	195	Jr	RB-E
Adam Ortiz	5-9	175	Jr	E-E
Anthony Ortiz	6-3	185	Jr	E-E
Douglas Payne	5-10	170	Jr	E-CB
J.C. Pigg	5-8	205	Sr	C-E
Ramiro Ramos	5-9	220	Jr	E-E
Ruben Ramos	5-9	200	Fr	E-E
Zack Ramsey	5-7	155	So	QB-S
Fernando Regalado	5-8	150	Fr	E-E
Juan Regalado	5-11	165	Jr	E-CB
Kellan Roberts	5-8	160	Jr	RB-LB
Frank Rodrigues	5-7	170	Jr	C-E
Fidel Valdez	5-9	170	So	RB-S
Cody Varnell	5-8	145	So	QB-S
Charlie Waldon	6-0	170	Fr	E-E
Matt Whittington	5-7	150	So	E-CB
Justin Wilks	6-1	180	Sr	QB-S
Cliff Yeary	5-9	180	Jr	FB-LB

VALLEY J.V. FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place/Time
Aug 30	Benjamin(V)	A-7:30
Sep 5	Aspermont	H-6:30
Sep 12	Meadow	A-6:30
Sep 19	OPEN	
Sep 26	Spur	H-6:30
Sep 26	VernonNS(V)	A-7:30
Oct 4	Cotton Cen.(V)	A-7:30
Oct 10	Silverton	H-6:30
Oct 17	Patton Spgs.	H-6:30
Oct 24	Happy	A-6:30
Oct 24	Lazbuddie	H-6:30
Oct 31	Silverton	A-6:30
Nov 7	Patton Spgs.	A-6:30

VALLY SCHOOL
 Superintendent:
 Jerry Smith
 Principal:
 Jon Davidson

**VALLEY vs SILVERTON *THERE*
 FRIDAY, OCT. 11th, 7:30 P.M.**



The 2002 - 2003 Valley High School Cheerleaders.

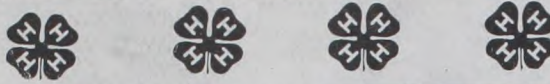
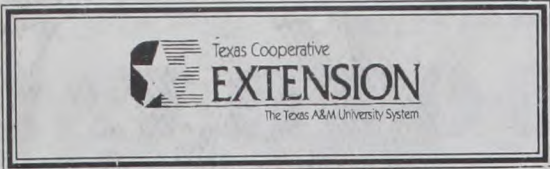


VALLEY JR. HIGH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Place/Time
Sep 5	Aspermont	H-5:00
Sep 12	Meadow	A-5:00
Sep 19	OPEN	
Sep 26	Spur	H-5:00
Oct 4	Cotton Cen.	A-5:00
Oct 10	Silverton	H-5:00
Oct 17	Patton Spgs.	H-5:00
Oct 24	Happy	A-5:00
Oct 31	Hedley	H-5:00
Nov 7	Motley Co.	A-5:00

Coaches: Greg Ramsey, Tomas Clay & Bret Tyler

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JUST BECAUSE 455-1410	Jon, Laura, Molly, Macy & Mary Kate Davidson	CARSON INSURANCE 423-1289
LAURA'S SHOP 423-1222	Bryan, Shadi, Kameron, & Kennadee Buchanan	GALVANS RESTURANT 423-1320
Jimmy & Clara Ruth Davidson	Darrell, Brenda, Leah, & Keane Cruse	Wilburn & Zelda Leeper



On Saturday, October 4 a 4-H officer training workshop was held at Valley school. Organizations from cCarendon, Silverton and Valley attended. Those officers attending from the Valley 4-H Club were: (front) Chancy Campbell, Scarlett Sperry, Khaki Scrivner & Brandon McGinty; (back) Luke Shannon, Cory Edwards, Payton Price & Jacob Hancock.

4-H A Century Of Service

By Khaki Scrivner
It's National 4-H Week. There are currently 83 youth enrolled in the Briscoe County 4-H program. They are celebrating by wearing their 4-H shirts. They are promoting 4-H awareness by doing radio promotions, newspaper articles and flyers.
In 2002 4-H celebrates its Centennial as America's premier youth development organization. Across the country 4-Hers are making a difference in their communities because that's what 4-H is all about.
The 4-leaf clover represents head, heart, hands and health. Today 6.8 million youth, ages 5 to 19, are involved in 4-H. There are an estimated 66 million 4-H alumni. Today's project areas range from aerospace to zoology.

Extension Agreements Available For Producers

To aid Northern Rolling Plains Zone cotton growers who have been affected by adverse weather conditions, the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation is offering payment extension agreements. "For those having difficulty paying their assessment, help is available by contacting the assessments department and arranging an extension agreement," said Chief Financial Officer, Tina Ballard.

She encourages those who have not made arrangements for an extension agreement to contact Foundation headquarters immediately. The extension agreement allows producers to pay out their assessments over a set period of time. The interest rate on extension agreements is 1 percent per month.

Those who are delinquent in payment and who do not have an extension agreement are subject to a late penalty of 1.5 percent per month. To avoid delinquency problems associated with late payment, contact the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation Assessments Department in Abilene at its toll free number, 866-672-2800.

The Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation is a nonprofit, grower initiated and funded organization dedicated to eliminating the cotton boll weevil from the state in the most cost effective and environmentally responsible manner possible.

FSA Offers Landowners & Operators A Web Based Tool For Making Base & Yield Decisions

Farm Service Agency (FSA) has launched the "Base and Yield Update Option Analyzer (BYA)", an interactive web-based tool for landowners and operators to use in evaluating and calculating base and yield options for direct and counter-cyclical payments. The web-based calculator can be found at <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/pas/farmbill/tools.asp>.

The 2002 Farm Bill affords producers the opportunity to update bases and yields allowing them to take advantage of yield improvements due to improved technology resulting in government payments that are more in line with actual production," said Billy Foster, County Executive Director in Hall County.

According to Foster, base and yield data currently on file at USDA Service Centers has been frozen since 1985. The new tool is based on software developed by Texas A&M University's Agriculture Food and Policy Center (AFPC) in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and FSA. The analysis program helps producers evaluate the economic consequences of selecting different base and yield options on a case by case basis for each of their respective operations. When using the analyzer program producers will need to provide information including planted acres, yields and types of crops grown. The software will prompt producers to enter projected crop process and various base and yield options that will be used to estimate six years of payments for each crop.

"Making changes to base and yield data is not a pencil and paper decision. Without the web-based tool, producers would be confronted with an impossible task," said Foster.

FSA recognized that there are numerous on-line base and yield calculators available to producers, but the Texas A&M model is the only program that has been certified and adopted by FSA and is therefore the only version that FSA supports with confidence.

Foster emphasized, "The agency fully supports educated consumers making informed decisions about their operations and encourages producers to use any and all calculation tools available to them, but return to the FSA version when making final decisions."

Landowners interested in receiving direct and counter-cyclical payments may begin to sign-up for the 2002 and 2003 crop years on October 1, 2002 and have until April 1, 2003 to make base and yield elections for the new farm program. If no election is made by the April 1, 2003 deadline, the farms bases will default to the 2002 base, plus oilseeds if applicable. This is especially important for those farms that did not participate in the 1996 farm program and whose records currently show no base acres.

"Although the decision to change existing base and yield data is ultimately that of the landowner and FSA or its employees cannot make those decisions for a producer; we will be more than willing to assist producers. We also encourage producers to work with and seek assistance from their local County Extension Agent," said Foster.

For more information on the base and yield calculator or related information, please contact your local FSA county office at 806-259-3579 or visit the national FSA web site at <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>.

Texas Poultry & Game Bird Owners Urged To Check Flocks After California Detects Fatal Poultry Disease

Texas Animal Health officials are urging poultry, fowl and game bird owners to check their flocks and report signs of illness among birds after Exotic Newcastle Disease (END), a highly contagious virus among birds, was confirmed October 1 near Los Angeles, CA. While END poses no threat to human health, some strains of the virus can kill nearly 100 percent of affected birds.

Dr. Max Coats, Assistant Deputy Director for Animal Health Programs at the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC), the state's livestock health regulatory agency, pointed out that a wide variety of pet and wild birds can carry END. He urged flock owners to check birds and report signs of illness to the TAHC at 1-800-550-8242. TAHC or USDA veterinarians can work with private practitioners at no charge to collect samples for testing.

Signs to watch for include: *Birds that gasp and cough. *Birds that exhibit central nervous system disorders, such as circling, depression, paralysis, drooping wings, or dragging legs. *Birds that produce fewer eggs. *Birds that have greenish diarrhea. *Birds that develop swelling of tissues around the eyes and neck. *Unusually high death losses in the flock.



This Week In Texas History!

- Oct. 4, 1876
Texas A&M opened.
- Oct. 5, 1862
Union forces captured Galveston.
- Oct. 5, 1862
John B. Magruder arrived to command Confederate troops in Texas.
- Oct. 7, 1854
Fort Davis established near the sources of the Limpia River, abandoned April 13, 1861; reoccupied June 29, 1867. Served as a point of departure for expeditions against the Apache until finally abandoned on July 31, 1891.
- Oct. 9, 1835
George Collinsworth and his men captured Goliad.
- Oct. 9, 1862
Commodore William B. Renshaw occupied Galveston with the US fleet.
- Oct. 10, 1835
Stephen F. Austin appointed Commander-in-Chief of volunteer army.
- Oct. 10, 1835
Telegraph and Texas Register published in San Felipe.

Cotton News

By Shawn Wade
from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

Harvesting Activities Slowed By Rain & Hail

High Plains harvesting activities that had slowly been picking up steam have now been brought to a near standstill following back-to-back nights of thunderstorm activity across the western part of the growing region.

Rainfall totals in excess of three inches coupled with high winds and hail have completely destroyed cotton on the brink of harvest in several areas. How much cotton has been lost is still a point of speculation, but early estimates indicate as much as 15-20,000 acres could have been impacted to one degree or another.

Reports on the damage have been spotty, as was the coverage of the storms themselves. General movement of the storms was from Southwest to Northeast.

Perhaps even more damaging to the area's overall outlook, however, was the system's accompanying cool temperatures. Lows in the mid-40's to lower-50's and highs only reaching the mid-70's with plenty of clouds Tuesday and Wednesday did little to help northern irrigated producers mature the last of their crop.

Seasonal weather patterns do not suggest much potential heat unit accumulation from now on as the calendar creeps forward.

As is typically the case this time of year the prayers of cotton farmers have changed from requests for much needed rainfall to pleas for warm, dry weather over the next 60 or so days to allow a timely harvest.

These events, coupled with yield and quality losses associated with hurricane's Isidore and Lili seem to point to lower U.S. production. Only time will tell how much impact weather will make on the U.S. crop this harvest season.

Master Marketer Returns To Lubbock

Sign-up has begun for the next Master Marketer Program risk management education program at Lubbock. The program teaches producers how to identify, evaluate and design sound marketing plans that give them the best chance to capitalize on market opportunities. The program is comprised of 64 hours of study presented by University and industry risk management professionals during four two-day sessions held two weeks apart. The Master Marketer Program sessions begins January 22, 2003 in Lubbock.

Registration for program participants is \$250, plus a commitment to work with local county Extension personnel to start a marketing club in the participant's local community. Due to strong participation levels in the past early registration is recommended.

The 2003 Master Marketer session will mark the fourth time the program has been conducted in Lubbock. Over 120 Master Marketer graduates currently reside in the Lubbock area.

Registration forms and more information on the Master Marketer Program can be received by calling Hackie Smith at 806-746-6101 or on the Internet at: <http://mastermarketer.tamu.edu>.

Checks or money orders covering the registration fee can be made payable to the Texas Extension Education Foundation.

New Rules For Locking In LDP Payment Rates On Seed Cotton

USDA has announced new rules for locking in LDP payment rates on seedcotton stored in modules. The rule is detailed in notice CN-943 available on the USDA Farm Service Agency website: <http://www.fsa.usda.gov>.

CN-943 points out that rules governing application for LDP on seedcotton include the requirement that evidence of production must be tied to a specific module or trailer.

New additions to the rules on seedcotton LDP's include a limit on the amount of production on which LDP's will be made. This new limit is 20 bales per module or trailer unless growers can provide evidence of production. Without evidence of production bales over the 20 bales limit will receive the LDP's based on the payment rate effective on the date of submission and not on the rate in effect when the application was made.

Also new in CN-943 is the addition of liquidated damage assessments (essentially reduced payment rates) for modules that have no production tied to them. Liquidated damages will be calculated as follows: number of modules X 15 bales/module X 490 LBS/bale X rate of lock-in X (10-25%, depending on circumstances IE. first time or multiple offense, etc.)

Producers and gins may be asked to provide information on modules on a spot inspection basis by FSA. It will be important that both gins and producers keep accurate records of bale numbers produced from every module for which seedcotton LDP applications are made.

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WoodyStock 2002 beneficiary, Levi, with his new swingset.

WoodyStock Benefits Area Youth

WoodyStock, an annual event that takes place during the second weekend of June at Lake Mackenzie, benefits a different burn victim each year. The 2002 beneficiary was 3 year old Levi Cantrell and his mother Lori of Plainview. With the money raised, Levi and Lori have received some much deserved financial assistance.

There was also one thing that Levi wanted more than anything in the world, a swing set. Thanks to the generous donation of Klaus at the Rainbow Play System Dealership (Plant-A-Future) in Lubbock, along with Carl, his supplier in Dallas, Levi now has a new redwood and cedar Rainbow Play System valued at over \$2,000.

The following businesses helped make this years event a success. Albertson's, All About Time, American State Bank, Angelic Candle Co., Cactus Theatre, Davidson Taylor Day Spa, Design Unique by Joan, L&L Unique Gift Shop, Scents N' More, Texas Tech Athletics Department, all located in Lubbock; Graham Supply Co., MTC, Petticoat Junction, Thacker Jewelry all in Roaring Springs, the Valley Tribune in Quitaque and the Plainview Daily Herald in Plainview.

Lubbock Class To Help Preserve Family Memories

South Plains writer, editor and educator Carla McKeown will teach "How To Write Your Family History" at the Hodges Community Center in Lubbock October 12 and 19.

McKeown, who taught the same class in July, will teach participants how to collect and write the stories that make their families unique. Class members will learn how to record their memories, interview family members and friends, organize their notes, gather and select documents and photos, and finally, put all that they have into a book.

About 12 years ago, McKeown, a graduate of Plainview High School and Texas Tech University, took a similar course through Texas Tech University's Continuing Education Department. Since then, she has written family histories on two sides of her family tree and has compiled a family cookbook, complete with anecdotes about many of the recipes.

The two part class will be taught from 1:30 to 5:30 p.m. October 12 and 19 at Hodges Community Center. The cost of the class will be \$25 per person, and an optional workbook will be available for an additional \$10 each. Participants wanting a critique of their work should bring a sample of their writing to the first class.

To register for the class, call Hodges Community Center at 806-767-3706. The center is located at 4011 University Ave. in Lubbock.

October is "Go Nuts Over Texas Peanuts Month"

October is not only "Go Nuts Over Texas Peanuts Month," it also kicks off harvest time for Texas peanut farmers. Texas is the second largest peanut producing state, after Georgia, and this year 330,000 acres of Runner, Virginia, Spanish and Valencia peanuts were planted in the Lone Star State. The Texas peanut industry added approximately one billion dollars to the state's economy last year, but these aren't the only reason to celebrate this larrupin' legume.

Not only are peanuts and peanut butter good for you, but they also add a tasty twist to every day dishes.

* Spread peanut butter on celery sticks or on apple wedges for snacks.

* Sprinkle peanuts on coleslaw, pear or citrus salads.

* Top steamed squash or baked sweet potatoes with a little brown sugar and chopped peanuts.

* Spread peanut butter on warm bagels.

* Saute' chicken breasts in a little peanut oil until brown and cooked through. Stir peanut butter into pan juices with chicken stock and soy sauce for a quick pan-style satay

For more information about Texas Peanuts, visit the Texas Peanut Producers Board web site at www.texaspeanutboard.com or send a SASE to Texas Peanut Producers Board, P.O. Box 398, Gorman, TX 76454.



Turkey First United Methodist Church held a party in the park Sunday to celebrate the collection of 1 mile of pennies by the youth group.

Pennies For Jesus

The children at the Turkey First United Methodist Church wanted to help the children at the Methodist Children's Home in Waco, who did not have parents that could buy them new school clothes and shoes, so on June 15, 1997, they started collecting a mile of pennies for Jesus. They asked the members of the church to save their pennies each week and bring them to church on Sunday. The children would go and collect the pennies before services and give a hug and a big smile to those that had brought them pennies to drop in the jar.

People in the community heard about the children collecting pennies and sent mason jars and plastic zip bags full of pennies with friends and neighbors that came to church on Sunday morning.

Each year during Vacation Bible Schools, they told all the community children that came about their mission and they would drop their pennies in the jar, hands full of pennies, jars full of pennies, even zip plastic bags full of pennies. Several of the ones that came to Vacation Bible School lived out of town and came to visit their grandparents during that week and would save their pennies all year and drop them in the Pennies For Jesus jar.

"During the past five years the church has had from two to ten children attending the church, but we know that it had to have been a mission that is God's. For only with God's help could we have collected the mile of pennies, \$844.80", stated a church member.

A community wide celebration took place on Sunday, October 6, 2002, with a party at the Turkey City Park. Hot dogs and cake were served along with lots of balloons and singing. The money raised was presented to Kelly Smith, the representative from the Methodist Children's Home in Waco.

Gem Theatre To Present "Salute To The 50's" To Round Out Turkey's Homecoming Celebration

By Lawana Cruse

October 12, 2002 is the day of the 2002 Turkey Homecoming. Activities will begin at the old Turkey High School at 9 a.m. with registration, visiting, and renewing old acquaintances, etc. Lunch will be at 12 noon, and business meeting at 2 p.m. After that there will be some class reunions and more visiting.

To round out this special day the Turkey Heritage Foundation will present a "Salute to The 50's" with Dustin Garrett and the Texas Cruisers from Anton featuring hits from Buddy Holly, Elvis, and many more. This event will take place at the Gem Theatre in downtown Turkey beginning at 8 p.m. The \$5 admission can be paid at the ticket window.

Several exes have expressed interest in seeing the newly renovated Gem Theatre and this will give them the opportunity to see what has been done and to enjoy some very good entertainment. Hope to see you there.



Joe Edd & Janelle Smith returned home recently after working in Branson, MO since June 15 at Cooper Creek Campground.

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NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the registered voters of the County of Briscoe, Texas:

(a los votantes registrados del Condado de Briscoe, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., November 5, 2002, for voting in a general election to elect Members of Congress, Members of the Legislature, and state, district, county, and precinct officers; and FOR the purpose of adopting or rejecting the proposed Constitutional Amendment as submitted by the 77th Legislature, Regular session, of the State of Texas.

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 5 de noviembre de 2002 para votar en la Elección General para elegir Miembros del Congreso, Miembros de la Legislatura, y oficiales del estado, distrito, condado y del precinco y PARA adoptar o rechazar la enmienda propuesta constitucional así como fueron sometida por la 77th Legislatura Regular Sesión, de la Estado de Texas.)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

#1-Silverton City Hall #4-O.C. Rampley Field House, Silverton
 #2-Quitaque Community Center #5-Mackenzie Lake-Fire House
 #3-Pioneer Room-City Bank, Silverton #6-Quitaque City Hall

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at: (La votación adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en:)

Briscoe County Clerk's Office-Briscoe County Courthouse-Silverton, Texas (location) (sitio)

Recommended but not required

between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on October 21, 2002 (date) (entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el Octubre 21, 2002 (fecha)

and ending on November 1, 2002 (date) (y terminando el Noviembre 1, 2002 (fecha)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán adelantada por correo deberán enviarse a:)

Bena Bestor (Name of Early Voting Clerk) (Nombre del Secretario de la Votación Adelantada)
P.O. Box 355 (Address) (Dirección)
Silverton, Texas 75257 (City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on: October 29, 2002 (date) (fecha)

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Issued this the 30th day of September, 2002. (Emitada este día 30th de Septiembre, 2002.)

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NOTICE OF City ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION DE LA Ciudad)

To the Registered Voters of Quitaque, Texas:

(A los votantes registrados de Quitaque, Texas):

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on November 5th

20 02, for voting in a City election, to adopt 1.5% sales tax for Economic Development

(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 5 de Noviembre de 20 02 para votar en la Elección para adoptar 1.5% tasa para el Econimo)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES): Quitaque Community Center 115 North 1st Street

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votación en adelantada en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

Quitaque City Hall (location) (sitio)

between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on October 21st, 2002 (date) (entre las 8 de la mañana y las 5 de la tarde empezando el 21 de Octubre 2002 (fecha)

and ending on November 1st, 2002 (date) (y terminando el 1 de Noviembre (fecha)

Additional early voting will be held at the same location as follows: (La votación en adelantada además se llevará a cabo en el mismo sitio de tal manera:)

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Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:)

MERIE CRUZ (Name of Early Voting Clerk) (Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Adelantada)
Box 427 (Address) (Dirección)
Quitaque, TX 79255 (City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

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Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on: October 29, 2002 (date) (fecha)

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[Signature] (Signature of Presiding Officer) (Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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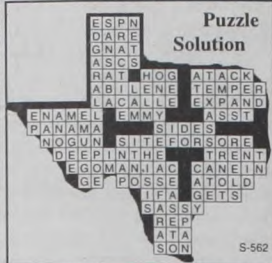
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- * People over 50
- * People with chronic medical conditions such as asthma, diabetes, kidney disease, or weakened immune systems.
- * Children aged 6 months - 2 years.
- * Residents of nursing homes and long term care facilities.
- * Women who will be more than 3 months pregnant during flu season.
- * Children of any age who are on long-term aspirin therapy.

It is recommended that children younger than age 9 who have never received a flu shot also receive their shots early since they will require a one-month booster. Everyone else should be sure to get a flu shot in November.

We would also like to remind anyone over age 65 to have a pneumonia shot. Most people only need this shot one time. Together, influenza and pneumonia are the 6th leading cause of death in the US, most often affecting people age 65 and older. **Flu shots are available at the clinic NOW.**

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