

# DEVIL'S RIVER NEWS

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## News Briefs



### Town meeting

The Board of Trustees and the Superintendent of the Sonora Independent School District have called a town meeting for Thursday, August 26 at 7:30 p. m. in the High School Library Lecture Room. The meeting is for the purpose of discussing the upcoming school finance election which is set for Saturday, September 11.

All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

### Child protective board

The Sutton County Child Protective Board is providing assistance to students needing help in purchasing school supplies. If you are interested in contributing to this fund or need assistance, please call Susan Crowder, Beth Wallace, Janet Patton, Donna Hill or any board member.

### Social Security

Garland Gregg, representative for the San Angelo Social Security Office, has scheduled his September visit to Sonora.

He will be at the County Courthouse on Thursday, September 16th, between 9:30 and 10:30 a. m.

Anyone who wants to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

### Ice Cream Social

Sonora Band Boosters will be holding their annual Ice Cream Social on Tuesday, September 21st at Bronco Stadium at 6 p. m.

Serving will begin at 6 p. m. and the 7th, 8th and High School Bands will be performing.

Tickets are \$1 and will be available from band students beginning September 13.

Come join the fun and listen to the music, while enjoying some cake and ice cream.

### Rose Day

Westside Lions Club have set September 9, instead of September 7th, as Rose Day.

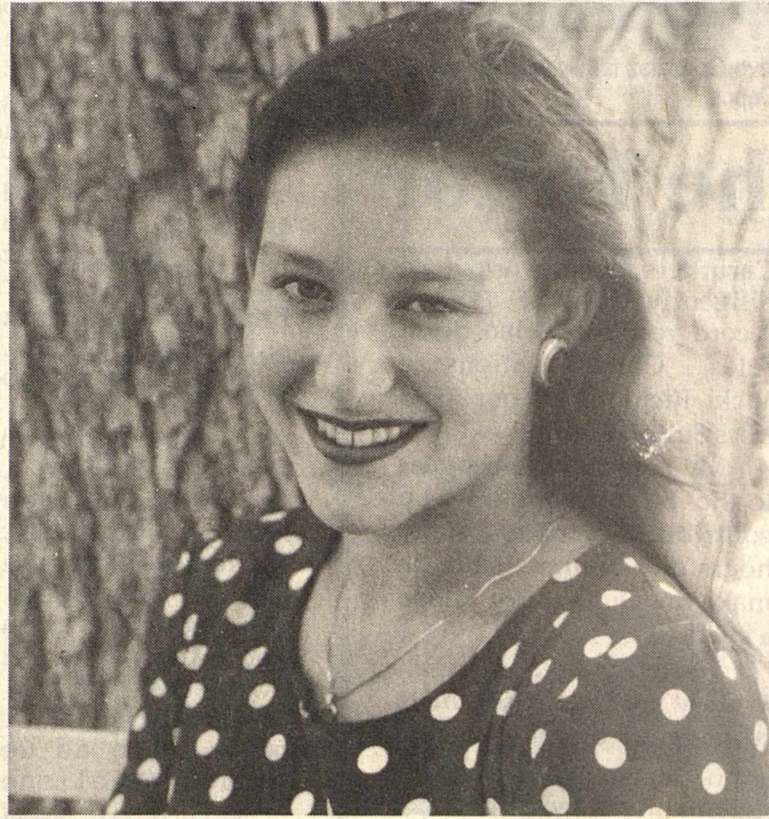
Anyone who ordered roses for that Special Someone should expect their roses to be delivered September 9.

### Football

The Sonora Varsity Football team will be playing Wall on Friday, September 3 at 8 p. m. in Wall.

The Junior Varsity and Freshman teams will play Wall on Thursday, September 2 at 6:30 and 5 p. m. respectively.

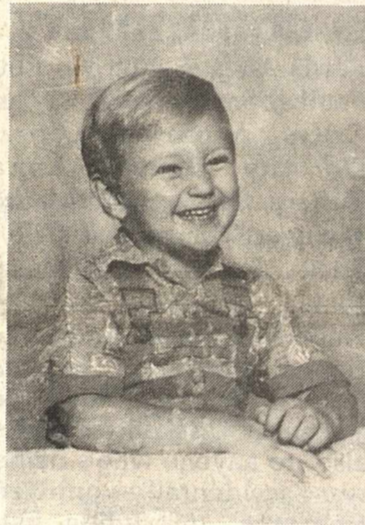
The Junior High teams will play their first game on September 9 at 5 and 6:30 p. m.



Miss Sutton County 1993 - Vicky Richardson, daughter of O.L. & Victoria Richardson won the honor of Miss Sutton County 1993. Amy Love, daughter of Preston & Linda Love, was named 1st runner up and Candra Sessom, daughter of Don and Carol Sessom, was named 2nd runner up. Congratulations girls!



Little Miss & Little Mr. - Lindsey Nicole Palmer, daughter of Danny and Marie Palmer, was named Little Miss Sutton County 1993 and John Travis Downing (J.T.), son of John and Robin Downing, was named Little Mr. Sutton County 1993 at the Sutton County Days festivities Saturday on the Courthouse lawn.



## Trust fund set for newborn

Jacob Lee Heryford, son of Steve and Mary Heryford, was born on August 23, 1993. Jacob was born with medical complications and is currently at Cook Children's Medical Center in Fort Worth awaiting surgery. A trust fund has been set up at First National Bank in Sonora. Your donations will be greatly appreciated. Checks can be made payable to Sutton County Community Trust Fund with Steve and Mary Heryford's names written in the memo on the check.

## Proposal writing seminar set

John Pape of Sonora, Sutton County's board member for the Concho Valley Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) Area, Inc., has announced that the RC&D Area is sponsoring a Grant Writing for Professionals -- Proposal Writing I Seminar in San Angelo.

The seminar will be held September 16-18 at the La Quinta Motel at a cost of \$150.00.

The Concho Valley RC&D Area was organized in November 1992 for the purpose of empowering local groups, within the thirteen county area served by the RC&D area, to improve conditions in their respective communities and counties.

The acquisition of grant funds from private foundations and corporate giving programs to aid in making needed improvements is only one of the reasons the area was organized.

Mr. Pape encourages all

persons in Sutton County to consider the possibilities that could result from attending the school. Dr. Don Udell, Resource Development Specialists of Norman, Oklahoma; will be conducting the Proposal Writing I Seminar.

Charles Anderson, RC&D Coordinator for the Area, said the seminar will teach you how to research foundations for a particular project and how to develop a quality proposal.

Persons interested can contact John Pape; Virgil Polocek, District Conservationist with the Soil Conservation Service at Sonora; or Charles Anderson if you want additional information about the seminar. The Concho Valley RC&D Area's phone number is (915)396-4708.

Pape encourages anyone in attending the seminar to register as soon as possible since it is limited to 30 participants.

## 369 compete in Outlaw Pro Rodeo

by Joani Lee

The Bad Company Rodeo held here in Sonora August 19-21, was an exciting event for most. For the participants, as well as most of the audience, the night was most rewarding.

Out of the 369 contestants, 68 profited quite well from this past weekend's events.

The All-Around Cowboy Title was won by J.D. Yates.

In Calf Roping, Dennis Townsend won first place with a time of 9.0. Raymond Hollabaugh took second with a 9.2. Carter Edmondson won third with a 9.8. Keith Hudson, fourth, with a 9.9. Roy Cooper, with a 10.0, took fifth place, and last, was Shay Good with a 10.2.

The steer wrestling contest was quite a fight with three contestants "landing" in a tie. Brad Stewart, Butch Bode, and Joe Morris all ended with a 4.0. Houston Powers took second with a 4.2. Frank Davis tied with Brent Arnold with a 4.3.

In team roping, the team who won first place, and quite a purse, were Denton Payne & J.D. Yates with a 5.6. Charles Pogue & Bobby Harris were second with a 5.8. K.C. Jones & Tommy Guy won third with a 5.9. Buzzy & Scott Bierschwale won fourth with a 6.5. Fifth place was taken by Rich Skelton & Tee Woolman. The sixth place was a tie between Ken Johnson & Will Petrus and Jimmy and Joe Martinez, both teams received a 7.3.

The steer roping contest, with two go rounds, put Guy Allen at the top with a time of 10.8. De Lynn Jones, with a time of 11.1, was second. Hadley Reed was third with an 11.3. Vance Vest was next in line with a time of 12.3. J.D. Yates had a time of 13.0. J.B. Wheatley and Roy Cooper were in close running with times of 13.1 and 13.2 respectively. Mack Altizer and Johnny Miller tied with a time of 13.7.

In one of the more dangerous areas of the rodeo, bareback bronc riding, the four cowboys who took home part of the profit were: Marvin Garrett, who rode Tutti Fruity, in first place with an 80. Larry Sandvick, on Little Sister, with a 76, second. Beau Mayo, also on Tutti Fruity, with a 75 in third, and Mark Garrett, on Madonna, with a 74.

The saddle bronc riding put Tom Reeves, on Emotional Rescue, in first place with a score of 78. Cole Hardin, on Copenhagen Sensation, was second with a 77. The tie for third was between three people: Jim Bob Custer, on Copenhagen Sensation; Joe Belkam, riding Sugar Pie; and Roy Sutherland, riding Guitars and Cadillacs; who all ended up with a score of 76.

In what could be considered to be the most dangerous activity in rodeo, bull riding, five men shared in the purse. D.J. Vaughn,

riding The Jam, was in first with an 88. J.W. Oelschleger, on Skoal Cadillac, was second with an 86. Brian Herman rode Superstitious and ended up with a score of 82. (Guess he didn't walk across the path of a black cat or under a ladder that day!) Royd Doyal did some fancy footwork on Elvis and got a score of 75. Jim Bob Stoebner rode Powerful Stuff and shared Royd Doyal's score. (and the prize money)

The women showed the crowd what tough competition really means in the barrel racing event. The women all scored in the range of 17.41 to 17.84. Kay

Blandford was in first with the 17.41 score. Judy Engle got second with a 17.50. Mandy Terry, with a time of 17.56, was third. With a 17.60, Kathy Altizer came in fourth. Tammy Mulanax was fifth with a time of 17.61. Donna Kennedy came in close running with a 17.62 and sixth place. Kriss Stubbs was seventh with a 17.74. Beth Braudrick and Dawn Curry tied for eighth with a 17.77. Jo Ann Middleton was in ninth with a 17.84.

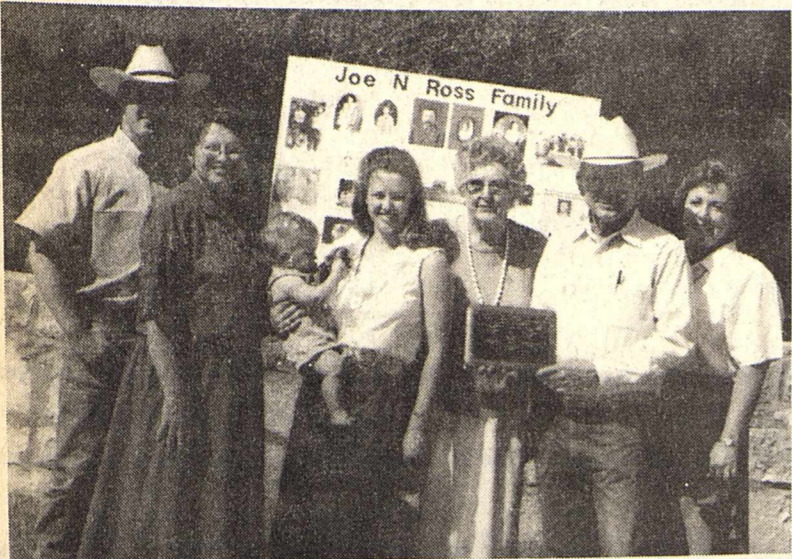
In the breakaway roping category, Jeanie Treadwell had a 3.0, which put her well into first place. Sherry Ingham was second with a 3.6. Jamie Reeves was third with a 4.0. And J.J. Hampton and Pam Powers tied for fourth with a time of 4.1.



A wild ride - Mark Cain gave it his best Saturday when he rode ZZ Bud Light, the Bud Light bull, at the Sonora Outlaw Rodeo.



A grand farewell - Will Crittendon, Little Mr. Sutton County 1992 and Haven Hokekamp, Little Miss Sutton County 1992 wave to the crowd Saturday during the Sutton County Days Parade from their float.



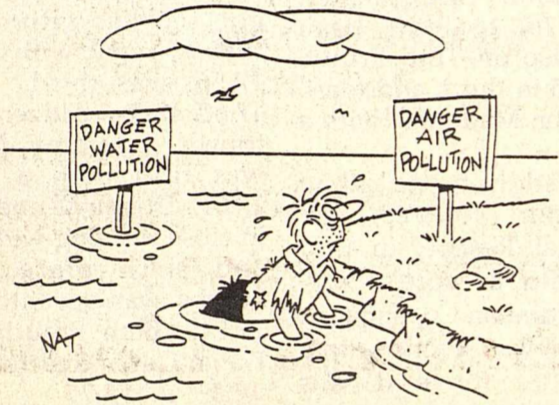
Joe N. Ross family - The Joe N. Ross family was honored last Friday in a reception at the Sonora Depot.



Primitivo Gonzalez family - The Primitivo Gonzalez family was honored last Friday in a reception at the Sonora Depot.



Enrique Sanchez family - The Enrique Sanchez family was honored last Friday in a reception at the Sonora Depot.



## Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor,  
On behalf of Sutton County Days Association, I would like to thank the people of Sonora and Sutton County for their continued support of our Outlaw Pro Rodeo, Western Heritage Week, and Sutton County Days activities. With the Chamber of Commerce, Firemen, City, County, business and organizations working together, Sonora is able to have a top notch celebration!

A very special appreciation goes to the eight Miss Sutton County contestants and their coordinator, Janice

Caruthers, who worked so diligently to make 1993 a record year for rodeo ticket sales. Congratulations to Vicki Richardson, our 1993 Miss Sutton County!

My personal thanks goes to the SCDA members who contributed many, many hours of volunteer labor to make the Outlaw Pro Rodeo a success.

Sonora and Sutton County are indeed fortunate to have all of these people who care about their community; they should take pride in a job well done!

Claire Powers  
President, SCDA

## Sutton County Committee on Aging thanks community

The Sutton County Committee on Aging and the participants of the Sutton County Senior Center would like to extend a **GREAT BIG THANK YOU** to everyone who supported us by purchasing bar-b-que plates last Friday. The fundraiser netted over \$1,500.00 to be used on equipment, excursions, and other non-budgeted items needed at the senior center.

Sponsoring this year's event either through monetary donations or by furnishing supplies were: **THORP'S LAUN-DRY, LOCATION BUILDERS, FINKLEA BROTHERS, RUTH SHURLEY, CADES & CAROL POPE; & FOOD CENTER - IGA OF SONORA.**

Cooking the most succulent brisket, goat, & sausage were: **T H E KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** - Harold Martinez, Yogi Solis, Robert Noriega, & Mike Villanueva; Kirk Jay, Robert Mata, & Henry Mata; The Reverend Jim Stephen; & Rudolfo (Fito) & Amelia Ramos.

Committee members and volunteers who helped serve, prepare, and clean up for the bar-b-que were: Boy Scout Troop 19 & Scoutmaster

Lewis Allen, Pat Street, Lou Faulks, Smith Neal, Vivian Crites, Vicenta Lopez, Dorothy Baker, Anna Eustace, Carole Scott, Maura Weingart, Mary Lou Gilly, Sheila Castro, Rick Mesa, Johnny Ringgold, Michelle Anderson, Mayer Anderson, Larry Finklea, Brigitte Rogers, Mandy Turk, & Virginia Driskell. Thanks also to anyone whose name was accidentally omitted from the preceding list. Anyone who helped deserves a pat on the back!

Last, but certainly not least, the Senior Center staff deserves recognition for all their hard work. Fundraisers always double the already heavy workload of these dedicated folks: Amelia Ramos, Nora Dominguez, Juanita Mesa, Vickey Romero, Lesa Galindo, and Carole Thorp.

Successful events such as this one exemplify the community spirit that abounds in Sonora and Sutton County. Now everyone can rest up and all the area golfers can start preparing to Raise a little Cane with the Senior Center at the 1993 Raising Cane Benefit Golf Scramble set for September 25th at the Sonora Golf Club!

## Our Town

On the banks of the Dry Devil's River just off I10, there is a town called Sonora. This is a small town with a few stores and restaurants. What most people do not know is that this small town has a heart as big as Dallas!

In times of trouble, that heart reaches out and touches everyone. It takes a small boy and his grandmother in its arms and says, "Everything will be okay! You are ours, we love you and we are here."

This love pushes away the dark clouds of sorrow and lets the sun shine through. It is a hand that

reaches out and touches you. It is the shoulders there to cry on and share your burden. It is a police force that reaches out with tears in its eyes and holds you close while you cry.

Many cars pass on the interstate and never realize that they just drove past a beacon of love. They will not feel the warmth and caring of that love. I do! My grandson does. We are the fortunate ones—we know we are loved. Thank you Sonora for being "our town".

Nettie &  
Jeremy  
Shaffer

## Freelance Philosophy

by G. C. "Country" Smith

When I bought the Devil's River News earlier this year, I felt like the future looked bright for this newspaper. I had a few ideas on how to improve the publication and Linda Bowers, who had edited the DRN for a number of years had some good ideas, too. I knew that Linda had what it takes to run a newspaper. Together, I felt like we could produce a quality publication.

Things were really looking up for the business. Then, Linda told me that her husband, Carl had been transferred to Midland. Linda and Carl were going to move.

I'm going to miss Linda. She is a good editor and a good friend. Her input into this publication will be missed. Linda and Carl were good for Sonora.

There is another lady who works here who is also very good for this business. Her name is Karole Hunt. Karole and her husband, Danny are good people. Karole has been keeping books for the DRN for about a year. Recently, she has been involved in every aspect of the newspaper's production. Starting now, she will be serving as General Manager/Publisher of the DRN.

Karole would be the first to tell you that she has much to learn about the news business. That is what I like about her. Not only does she know that she has more to learn; she is eager to learn it.

I feel just as fortunate to have Karole here as I feel sadness at Linda's leaving.

Karole will be working with a new staff. Joani Lee and Ida Bruns have recently joined her team. They both seem to be eager as well as competent. They are welcome additions to the DRN staff.

Due to the new positions, new responsibilities and new staff, I feel sure that we will have a few glitches in the foreseeable future. I pray that you will be kind and gentle. I promise that we will do the very best that we can do.

Adios Linda.  
Welcome Karole, Joani and Ida.  
Hello Sonora.

Until the next time,  
May God Bless,

GCS

## Cards of thanks

The Tom Caldwell family of Rocksprings would like to express their sincere thanks to all those who designated their recent blood drive donation to go to Tom's wife, Mrs. Faye Caldwell.

Mrs. Caldwell is currently undergoing treatment at M.D. Anderson Hospital in Houston. Any further concerns may be addressed to Tom Caldwell, SCS Office, Rocksprings, Texas (210) 683-2125.

## Card of thanks

Sonora,  
Thank you for all the support. I had a lot of fun running for Miss Sutton County. It is an honor to receive 2nd runner-up!

Thanks,  
Candie Sessom.

## Card of thanks

We would like to thank everyone who helped and donated bake sale items or money to the Shaffer family once again. Thank you very much and may God bless each and every one of you!

Sally Thompson,  
Ida Loera &  
Pumpkin Danford.

## Card of thanks

The family of Antonio Hinojosa would like to thank all their friends for all their help, visits, food, and flowers. It was greatly appreciated during a time of sadness and sorrow.

Eduardo & Manuela  
Artiaga & family  
Fortunato & Santo  
Hinojosa & family.

## Card of thanks

Cole, Russell, Archie Crenweldge:  
Thanks so much for the use of your trailer and pick-up during the Sutton County Days Parade. And thank again, Cole, for being the driver.

Sonora High School Cheerleaders.  
Man is meant for happiness and this happiness is in him, in the satisfaction of the daily needs of his existence.

—Leo Tolstoy

## Community Calendar

### September

Thursday-2nd: School Holiday-Teacher In Service.  
Friday-3rd: School Holiday - Teacher In Service.  
Friday-3rd: Football Game, Wall, There, 8 p. m.  
Monday-6th: School Holiday, Labor Day.  
Friday-10th: Football Game, Ballinger, There, 8 p. m.  
Friday-17th: Football Game, Ozona, Here, 8 p. m.  
Tuesday-21st: Band Ice Cream Social.  
Friday-24th: Football Game, Breckenridge, Homecoming, 8 p. m.

### October

Friday-8th: Football Game, Colorado City, There, 7:30 p. m.  
Friday-15th: Football Game, Kermit, Here, 7:30 p. m.  
Friday -22nd: Football Game, Greenwood, There, 7:30 p. m.  
Friday-29th: Football Game, Reagan County, Here, 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday-31st: Halloween.

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## Biscuits O'Bryan to appear on Country Kitchen

### DUTCH OVEN BISCUITS

- 2 cups unbleached flour
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 2 teaspoons baking powder (try to find some with no aluminum)
- 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 cup shortening (solid, not oil)
- 2/3 cup (or so) buttermilk

Mix the dry ingredients. Cut in (with a fork or pastry blender) the shortening. Add enough milk to pick up all the flour and make a soft, but not wet, dough. Blend will, but don't overwork. Pat or roll out to 3/4 to 1 inch thick. Cut off biscuit-size pieces or use a biscuit cutter or tin can.

If using a dutch oven, have it warm but not hot, putting the lid on the fire to get it really hot, with about 1/8 inch of melted shortening in the bottom. Dip the biscuit in the shortening, then turn over to place in the oven, so the top has a coating of shortening. Put a few coals on the ground and set the oven on them. Put the lid on and fill it with coals. (It is really easy to get too many coals on the bottom, so be careful, because that's where most biscuits get burned.) Check in about 5 minutes to see how they're doing. It takes about 15 minutes, depending on the coals, the wind, the size of the biscuits, and what kind of mood the dutch oven is in that day.

These can be cooked in a cake pan. Grease the tops, crowd the biscuits in the pan, and cook 10 to 12 minutes in a 450 degree oven.

Serve with butter, honey, home-made jelly, or with lots of good cream gravy.

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Objections, non-sequiturs, cheerful distrust, joyous mockery—all are signs of health. Everything absolute belongs in the realm of pathology. —Nietzsche



Biscuits O'Bryan & Bob Koob - Biscuits O'Bryan, pictured here with Bob Koob from KLST, will be featured on this Saturday morning's "Country Kitchen".

Country Kitchen, the show on KLST every Saturday morning, will feature Biscuits O'Bryan this Saturday. The objective of this show is to make people more aware of heart-healthy recipes. The show has featured nutritionists from hospitals, dieticians, and various cooks. Fans of this show can pick up the recipes for the week before at Albertson's Food Store on Sherwood Way, Lone Star Gas and KLST, all in San Angelo, or can send a self-addressed stamped envelope to: 2800 Armstrong, San Angelo, TX 76902. (915) 949-8800. FAX (915)658-4006.

## Jim Bowie Days in Menard set for September 25-26

The Menard County Chamber of Commerce has set Saturday and Sunday, September 25th and 26th for their annual Jim Bowie Days Celebration in the American Legion Park in downtown Menard.

The weekend will include arts and crafts booths, a fiddlers contest, and a county fair. There will be live entertainment all day. There will be a dance on Saturday night. Saturday and Sunday nights, the outdoor theater production of "Song of Silver" will retell Jim Bowie's story. A 1993 Chevrolet Extended Cab Pick-up will be given away during the festivities.

For more information contact the Menard County Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 64, Menard, Texas, 915-396-2365.



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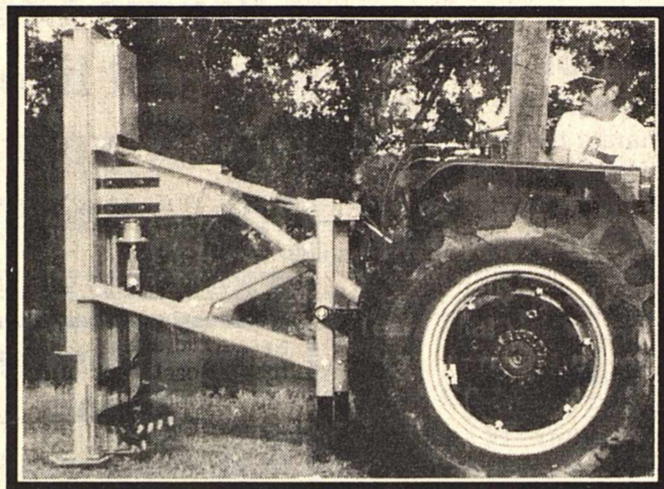
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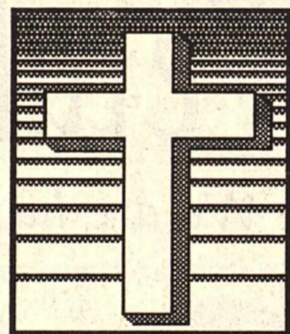
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## Extended Learning for Kids Program started in 1993-1994 school year

The Sonora Independent School District is making plans to begin an "Extended Learning" program during the 1993-94 school year for students in Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, First, Second, and Third grades. This program will be available for any child of a mother who works in the afternoon outside her home, during program hours. The "Extended Learning for Kids (E.L.K.)" program will provide teacher and adult supervision for these students from 2:30-5:30 at the Primary/Intermediate Campus.

High School students, under the supervision of the teacher, will also be working with the children; reading and telling their stories, doing arts and crafts activities with the children, and providing instruction on the use of computers. There will also be time for recreational activities. A nutritious snack will be provided for the children each afternoon. The E.L.K. program will also provide homework tutorial time for

any of the students needing help.

This program will begin on Wednesday, Sept. 15 and services will be provided every afternoon after school, except on early dismissal days or holidays.

The cost is \$2.00 a week per family for students on free and reduced lunches. The cost for families not on the free or reduced lunch program is \$10.00 a week per family. This helps pay for the snacks in the afternoon.

For more information, call Mary Beth Morgan or Primary office at 387-2414.

La escuela de Sonora esta iniciando un programa que se llama E.L.K. (Extended Learning for Kids). Sera para los estudiantes de los grados: Pre-Kindergarten, Kindergarten, Primero, Segundo, Tercero. Sera para cualquier nino/nina que su mama trabaja durante las horas de la tarde cuando se ofrece el programa. Este programa ofrecera servicios de supervision de adultos y maestras desde las 2:30 a 5:30 de la tarde. La locacion sera en la escuela primaria y intermedia.

Unos estudiantes de High School, bajo supervision de una maestra, estaran trabajando con los ninos: leyendo y contando historias, haciendo el arte, y otras actividades. Tambien se les daran instrucciones en el uso de las computadoras.

Habra tiempo para actividades de juego. Se les

dara una mereanda nutritiva por las tardes.

En este programa tambien les ayudaran hacer sus tareas aquellos ninos que necesitan ayuda.

El program E.L.K., comencera el miercoles, 15 de Septiembre, a dar servicios todas las tardes despues de la escuela. No habra servicios los dias de fiesta ni tampoco los dias cuando salgan temprano.

El costa para estos servicios sera \$2.00 per semana, pro familia de ninos quienes esten en el programa de ailmentas reducidos. El costo para familias quienes no esten en el programa de alimentos reducidos sera de \$10.00 por semana por familia. Estos fondos seran para pagar las mereandas que se les daran por las tardes.

Para mas informacion puedes hablar con Mary Beth Morgan o la oficina de primaria 387-2414.

### Card of thanks

We would like to extend our thanks to everyone for their calls, cards, flowers, food, and prayers during this difficult time. Thank you to: Senior Center, Choir and Funeral Meal Donors and Cooks.

Thanks,  
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## "Helping At Risk Parents" program begins Sept. 13

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The purpose of this program is to assist children in the development of social/emotional, communication, cognition, gross/fine motor coordination, and self-help skills.

To be eligible for services a child must be at least three years of age by September 1, limited English proficient and/or economically disadvantaged. Those children who are presently receiving health services through the Texas Department of Health are automatically eligible for participation.

If you believe your child might be eligible for services and would like more information, please contact:

Lori Solis  
Special Programs  
Coordinator  
H.A.R.P. Program  
Sonora Independent  
School District  
807 South Concho  
Sonora, Texas  
76950

Or you may call 387-6136 between 2:30-5:30. (9/2)

Sonora ISD's Gifted and Talented program is available for those students who are in kindergarten through 12<sup>th</sup> grades who meet certain eligibility standards. The Screening committee will be reviewing eligible students the end of September.

As a means of insuring that no eligible student is overlooked, parents are

asked to nominate their student in writing to the building principal no later than Tuesday, September 7, by 3:30 P.M.

In order to be considered for the program, a student should meet at least one of the following criteria on the current achievement test:

- \*IQ of 120 or above
- \*Reading Composite of 95th National Percentile (NP)
- \*Total Battery score of 95th National Percentile (NP)

All test scores are reviewed by administrators and those students who meet the above criteria are automatically considered for the program. (9/2)

### School Menu

#### Breakfast

**Thursday**  
Grilled Cheese  
Fruit  
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**Friday**  
Pancake  
Sausage  
Juice  
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**Monday**  
Breakfast Burrito  
Juice  
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**Tuesday**  
Cheese & Egg Biscuit  
Fruit  
Milk

#### Lunch

**Thursday**  
Steak Fingers w/Gravy  
Seasoned Rice  
Corn on the cob  
Fruit Salad  
Roll  
Milk

**Friday**  
Meat & Cheese Slices  
W/Crackers  
Fried Okra  
Apple  
Cookie  
Milk

**Monday**  
Corn dog w/Mustard  
Green Beans  
Pineapple Chunks  
Cinnamon Roll  
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**Tuesday**  
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Losers of the golf tournament - David Egg, K.R. Janica, W.W. Carroll, and Houston Powers were the last place winners in the Sutton County Days Golf Tournament last Friday at the Sonora golf course.

## Mixed golf scramble held on August 19th

The Thursday Mixed Golf Scramble was held at the Sonora Golf Course on August 19, 1993. Two teams turned in a seven under par to tie for first place with the team of Bob Harris, Dingo Ortiz, John Casparis, Jr., over Timmy Doan, Steve Smart, Joe Weingart, John Cartwright, Whiskey Hill, Gloria Noriega, and Gerri Martin. There was also a three-way tie for third place between the team of Willie Gutierrez, Oliver Wuest,

George Noriega, Joe Bob Ragsdale, Kelly Martin, Clyde Dukes, Jack Atkins, Terrell Watts, and Becky York, and the team of Wes Evans, Ed Price, Quade Sutton, Doug York, Ebot Ortiz, and Michelle Krieg, with the team of Primo Gonzales winning third place in the putt-off. Skins was won by the team of Wes Evans on hole No. 7 and John Cartwright of Eldorado won closest to the pin on hole No. 9 sponsored by Rosie's Cafe.

## Barrera attends post-legislative conference

Some 900 county officials from across Texas gathered in Austin on August 18-20 to learn about the impacts of new state laws on local county government operations.

Sutton County Commissioner Ernest Barrera was among those in attendance at the 3-day Post Legislative Conference sponsored by the Texas Association of Counties (TAC).

Purpose of the educational sessions was to lay out the specific changes in Texas statutes enacted by the recently completed

regular session of the State Legislature.

County government operates as the functional arm of our state government, and county officials can only do their jobs well if they have a good understanding of what the state law requires, explained TAC President Jay Johnson, Swisher County Judge.

Highlights included addresses by Governor Ann Richards and House Speaker Pete Laney of Hale Center.

Johnson said the conference was attended by officials of 206 of Texas 254 counties, or about 20 percent of Texas county officials.



Barney - Barney visited the Sonora Primary School school during the lunch hour.

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# Ask the Historical Society

**Q.** In one of your columns you mentioned that some of the building projects around Sutton County were done through the WPA. What was the WPA?

**A.** Works Progress Administration, later called Works Projects Administration, was an agency of the United States Government from 1935 to mid 1943. The WPA was established in the midst of the Great Depression to provide useful work for needy persons. More than 8.5 million men and women were employed in building and improvements jobs, and in projects involving writers, artists, and theatrical workers. The agency spent nearly \$11 trillion.

**Q.** I was told that Frank Hamer lived in this area at one time. Do you have any information on him?

**A.** Frank Hamer was born in Wilson County, Texas, March 17, 1884, and was reared in San Saba county. He entered the ranger service on April 21, 1906, under Captain J.H. Rogers and was involved in a gun battle, that led to the death of Ed Putnam, in Del Rio on December 1, 1906. He served more than two years with the Rangers and resigned to become city marshal of Navasota, where he remained from November 1, 1908 until April 1, 1911. He next went to Houston as a special officer for two years. He re-entered Ranger service in 1915 spending a year on detached service.

He became a cattle inspector for more than a year. In 1918 he again became a Ranger serving under Capt. W.W. Taylor. In 1921 he became Captain of Company C, Texas Rangers, with headquarters in Del Rio. He held this position continuously until November 1, 1932. Clyde Barrow and Bonnie Parker cut a wide swath of crime in 1934 and Frank Hamer was put on their trail. At this time he was a State Highway Patrolman. Hamer, Deputy Sheriff Ted C. Hinton and four other deputies brought an abrupt end to Bonnie and Clyde's careers in Louisiana on May 23, 1934. You will find an excellent account of the activities of Frank Hamer in "The Texas Rangers" by Walter Prescott Webb,

published in 1935 by Houghton Mifflin Co., New York. Frank Hamer died on Sunday, 7-10-55 at age 71, in his sleep.

**Q.** Do you have any record of the place of burial of S.W. Watkins, who died in the early 1900's?

**A.** Our records indicate that S.W. Watkins, born 7-22-1836, died 12-25-1909, is buried in the Cedar Hill Cemetery. There is a marker stating Texas Co. I 2nd Regt., Texas Cavalry, Confederate States Army.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton County history send them to "Ask The Historical Society" P.O. Box 885, Sonora, TX 76950-0885 or give one of our researchers a call at 387-5144.



Sonora vs. Iraan - A Sonora player tries to break through two Iraan players at the Varsity Scrimmage last Friday evening.



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## Sheep and Goat Field Day set

The 20th Annual Sheep and Goat Field Day is set for Thursday, September 2 at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center here. The Center is north of San Angelo on U.S. Highway 87.

Sponsors of the field day are the Texas Agricultural Extension Service (TAEX) and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station (TAES).

The morning program opens with registration and commercial exhibit visitation from 9:00-9:45 a.m. The remainder of the morning is devoted to a walking tour under the direction of Dr. Tom Fuchs, San Angelo-based Extension Entomologist.

Tour stops and those manning them include: "Boer Goats", Dr. Frank Craddock, TAEX Sheep and Goat Specialist, San Angelo and Norman Kohls, Glasscock County Extension Agent; "Pasture to Packer Program", Dr. Rick Machen, TAEX Livestock Specialist, Uvalde; "Automatic Image Analysis Progress/Polypropylene Contamination of Wool", Dr. Chris Lupton, Professor, San Angelo Wool and Mohair

Lab leader and associates; and "Disease Losses in Sheep and Goats", Dr. Andres de la Concha, TAES Assistant Professor of Veterinary Pathobiology, San Angelo.

The tours will conclude with an optional stop on computer applications for agriculture presented by Stan Bevers, Extension Economist-Management, Vernon.

A lamb lunch prepared by District 7 Extension Director Ken Cook and associates will be served on the grounds at 11:45 a.m.

Also, "What Ranchers Should Know About Rabies", Dr. Deith Clark, Director, Zoonosis Control, Texas Department of Health, Austin; "Sheep and Goat Breeding Research Plans", Dr. Dan Waldron, Assistant TAES Professor, Animal Science, San Angelo; and "Supplemental Feeding for the Upcoming Fall and Winter", Dr. Ed Huston, TAES Professor, Animal Science/Rangeland Ecology and Management, San Angelo.

The day will conclude with an optional tour on the economics of hand treating

mesquite on Llano School Land adjacent to the Center. Dr. Darrell Ueckert, TAES Professor, Rangeland Ecology and Management, San Angelo and Dr. Jake Landers, Extension Range Specialist, San Angelo will conduct the tour.

For further information contact Dr. Carl Menzies, TAES Resident Director at San Angelo (915) 653-4576.

The afternoon program starts at 1:00 p.m. under the direction of Dr. Brian May, San Angelo-based Executive Director of the Mohair Council of America.

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The afternoon speakers and their topics include: "Special Updates on Critical Topics - Wool and Mohair Incentive Program", Pierce Miller, San Angelo, Vice President of American Sheep Industry Association (Englewood, Colorado) and "Predator Check-off Program", Perry Bushong, Mountain Home, President of Texas Sheep and Goat Commodity Board.

## New additions to County Library

Some new additions to the Sutton County Library are:

Snagged: by Carol Higgins Clark

Grievous Sin: by Faye Kellerman

Carriage Trade: by Stephen Birmingham

Without Remorse: by Tom Clancy

The Rest of Life: by Mary Gordon

The Train Home: by Susan Shreve

Harvest of Stars: by Paul Anderson

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Video and Book Reference

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Book Reviews

Streets of Laredo: by Larry McMurty

The long awaited sequel to Lonesome Dove. At the center of the novel is Captain Call, Augustus McCrae's old partner, now a bounty hunter hired to track down and kill the brilliant and elusive young Mexican bandit Joey Garza. In the chase that ensues, an old man's skills are matched against a young man's daring.

Prime Witness: by Steve Martini

Over just five days, the rural college town of Davenport, California, is rocked by two sets of brutal murders. When two more bodies are discovered, Paul

Madriani, is tagged as the special prosecutor who must find the murderer, dubbed "the Putah Creek Killer"-and quickly.

Vanished: by Danielle Steele

In the late 1930's, in the shadow of the Lindbergh kidnapping, and as war looms in Europe, Marille

Patterson shares her life with her husband, Malcolm, and their little boy, Teddy, in an elegant brownstone on New York's Upper East Side. But their lives are filled with secrets. Haunted by a past she has kept hidden even from her husband, Marille secretly lights a candle each year for a child who died in a tragic accident when he was scarcely more than a baby.

## Jordan's Market Report August 19 and 23, 1993

Receipts totaled 3788 head. Buyer attendance last Thursday was excellent with active bidding on the choice quality calves and yearlings. The better feeder steers remain very strong along with the turn out or wheat field kind. On Monday we saw the same market tone except there was a little weakness shown on some of the fleshier and plainer types. Slaughter cows sold steady to \$1 lower. Stocker cows and pairs sold \$25 to \$75 lower on Monday and bred cows and heifers sold mostly \$50 lower as compared to the replacement sale at Mason on August 7. The bulls sold mainly on a steady tone at both sides.

### Rep Sales

1. Steve Andrews	Mason	1 Blk Hf 545 @ 109.00 = \$594.05
2. Billy Joe Haney	Menard	1 Rwf St 515 @ 95.00 = \$489.25
3. Harold Hoerster	Midland	1 Blk Hf 485 @ 101.00 = \$489.85
4. Robert Kordzek	Doss	1 Yellow St 600@90.50 = \$543.00
5. Lehmborg Ranch	Mason	2 Ch X St 520@99.00 = \$514.80
6. Walter Noelke	San Angelo	21 Angus Cows MB = \$990.00
7. Polk Ranch	Mason	1 Bwf St 515 @ 100.00 = \$515.00
8. Royce Sawyer	Llano	1 Blk St 565 @ 95.50 = \$539.58
9. Bob Speck	Menard	5 Ch X St 521 @ 95.50 = \$497.56
10. Bob Speck	Menard	3 Blk Hf 523 @ 110.00 = \$575.30
11. Bart Wilkinson	Menard	4 Blk St 405 @ 104.50 = \$423.23
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13. WCL Ranch	Art	88 Char X St 641 @ 92.98 = \$596.00
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15. Leon Whitley	Richland Springs	1 Rwf St 520 @ 102.50 = \$533.00
16. Clint Smith	Junction	1 Rmf St 420 @ 106.00 = \$445.20
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20. Billy Hale	Mullin	3 R-B St 627 @ 91.50 = \$573.71
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22. George Burton	Comanche	1 Blk Hf 605 @ 85.00 = \$514.25
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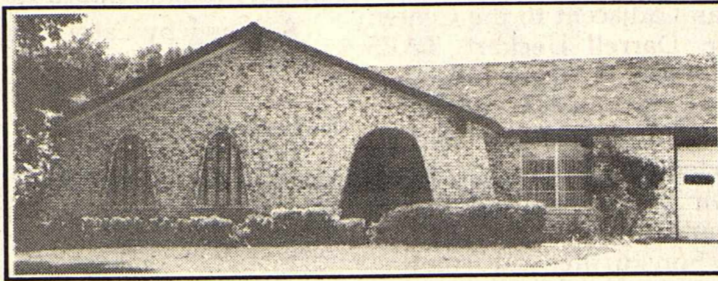
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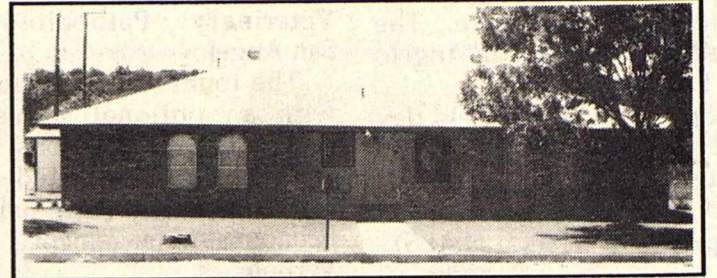
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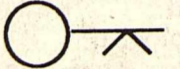


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**One Only 10x20 Portable Office w/ HVAC and Electrical**, was \$6100 now \$3540. Delivery and financing available, 3003 S. Bryant, 942-6147. (P)

**Demo Spa**, one only, 5 person complete with cover & start-up kit, was \$5524 Now \$3032. Delivery & financing available, 3003 S. Bryant, 942-6147. (P)

**House for Sale** - 3br/2bath Garage and car port - covered patio. 1006 Glasscock 387-3020. (9/16)

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**Shurley Enterprises Mini Storage** - 8x12-\$25 and 12x24-\$50 monthly. Please call 387-3619 from 9:30 a. m. to 12:30 p. m. Monday thru Friday. (P)

#### JOB NOTICE

The Sutton County Sheriffs' Office is now accepting applications for the position of deputy sheriff. Applicants must have a Permanent License as a Peace Officer and at least two years experience for the position applied for.

Applications may be obtained at the Sutton County Sheriffs' Office, 309

Truck Drivers wanted to operate transport and haul truck. Apply at Creek Swabbing and Roustabout Service, Inc. Hwy. 277 South, Sonora, TX. 387-5938. (9/2)

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**House for Sale** - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 112 Edgemont. 387-6562 or 387-3075 nights. (P)

**Help Wanted** - Satellite examiner needed, must be medically trained with ability to draw blood. Must have car and proof of liability insurance. Flexible part-time hours. Mail resume to: EMSI, 850 Tower Dr. #108, Odessa, TX. 79761 ATTN: Rita Abel (9/2)

**Two family garage sale.** Thursday and Friday August 26 & 27 from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at 605 Orient. Windows, sliding door, clothes, shoes, 1970 Honda motorcycle & much more! (8/26)

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#### PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Sonora will receive bids for 1991 TCDP - Water Line Improvements until 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, September 14, 1993, at the Sonora City Hall, Sonora, Texas. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 3:00 p.m., Tuesday, September 14, 1993.

Bids are invited upon the several items and quantities of work as follows:

Install approximately 1,980 LF of 6" water line, 1,980 LF of Class "C" bedding, 4 - 3/4" service reconections, 5 - 6" service reconections, 2 fire hydrants, relocate 2 existing fire hydrants and necessary appurtenances.

Bid/Contract documents including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at Todd Engineering, Inc., 2500 South Willis, Ste. 202, Abilene, Texas 79605.

Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing \$50 with Todd Engineering, Inc. for each set of documents obtained. The deposit is not refundable.

A bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of Sonora or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Commerce and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin.

The City of Sonora reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the City of Sonora for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders qualifications prior to the contract award. (8/26)

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