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Nora Dominguez Victoria Romero Joyce Shedrick

## LOCAL GREEN THUMB PARTICIPANTS RECOGNIZED

submitted

For the past thirty years, Green Thumb, Inc. has operated the Senior Community Service Employment Program which provides our nation's seniors with part-time employment and training opportunities.

Operating primarily in the rural areas of 132 Texas counties, Green Thumb has given older, economically disadvantaged job seekers the opportunity of sharing their years of experience, hard work, and dedication through local community service employment and training projects. As viable manpower resources for their community-based organizations, participants maintain their independence as productive members of society. Funded through the U.S. Department of Labor, the program's emphasis upon training allows program participants to transition back into private sector employment.

Each year *Hire the Older Worker Week* spotlights the contributions our seniors bring to the labor force and encourages employers to profit from their skills, abilities, and experience. According to Diane Cowan, program director, "During this important week, March 12th through 18th, let us recognize and highlight the work force contributions of our seniors while we strengthen our commitment to assuring that we invest in their talents and resourcefulness as productive partners in tomorrow's future."

The three Green Thumb participants for Sonora and Sutton County are Nora Dominguez, Victoria Romero and Joyce Shedrick.

Nora Dominguez has been a Green Thumb participant at the Senior Center since November 1982. Nora helps prepare meals and delivers nutrition meals to homebound people. She works 20 to 25 hours per week. Nora also helps answer the phone, cleans the kitchen and dining room area.

Victoria Romero has been with the Green Thumb program since August 1981. Vicky also helps prepare meals, cleans the kitchen, and helps the cook serve at lunch time. She also works 20 to 25 hours per week.

"The Senior Center is very grateful to have Vicky and Nora," stated Juanita Mesa. "They are two great Green Thumb participants. We appreciate the great job they do. The Senior Center definitely needs them and appreciates their good work," said Mrs. Mesa.

Joyce Shedrick has been employed at the library since 1991. She has 18 years experience in the field of education. Some of the duties as library aide are to check books, assist patrons, answer reference questions, process books, shelf books, and a variety of other duties.

Joyce comments on her job, "I greatly appreciate the opportunities that this position provides. It keeps my mind active to continue learning and have the privilege to meet a variety of people. Last but not least, the salary I receive from Green Thumb (Title V) helps me cover the medical expenses not provided by other sources. I love my job."

Green Thumb, Inc. encourages employers to utilize the skills and abilities of seniors for their job openings not only during Hire The Older Worker Week, March 12th through 18th, but every other week. Hiring experience, dependability, reliability, and dedication is good business!

## SMITH WINS TIMED EVENT CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE WORLD

Olie Smith won the Timed Event Championship of the World last weekend, March 11th and 12th in the Lazy E Arena in Guthrie, Oklahoma. A total of twenty competitors participated in this event.

Olie Smith's other achievements are National Finals Rodeo Steer Wrestling Finalist, 1985 and Calgary \$50,000 steer wrestling bonus winner, 1983. In 1994 he placed sixth in the Timed Event Championship. Olie's average time for this year was 347.4. Olie also recently played in the TNT movie "Good Ole Boys."

Ben Ingham, of Sonora, also participated. He placed 5th in the fastest round with a time of 57.3. Ben's achievements include PRCA Steer Roping Rookie of the Year in 1988.

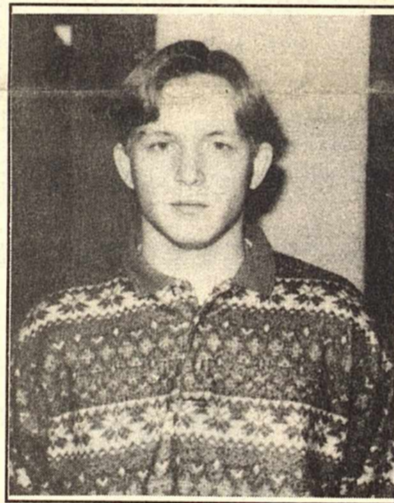
Steve Duhon was scheduled to participate, but was injured prior to the event while practicing steer wrestling at Jimmy Powers arena. His substitute was Brad Gleason.

The Timed Event Championship of the World in rodeo circles has many synonyms. Some people call it the "Iron-Mann Contest" or the "Pro-Bowl of Rodeo." Whatever name you choose, the fact still remains that it is the only competition like it in the world.

Through the years, the Timed Event Championship has earned the reputation as the "most talked about" event in pro rodeo. The concept of the event is what makes it so popular with the fans and cowboys. The formula is simple: take Pro Rodeo's greatest timed event cowboys, then have those contestants compete in all five timed events through five grueling performances. Offer a purse of \$140,000, where a contestant could compete and walk away with the \$40,000 average pay-off, and the title of the "World's Greatest Timed Event Cowboy"; all of this makes for a winning combination.

## FITZGERALD EARNS YOUNG AMERICAN AWARD

submitted



Casey Fitzgerald

First presented in 1968, the Young Americans Award is given to young adults between the ages of 15 and 25 who have achieved excellence in the fields of art, athletics, business, community service, education, government, humanities, literature, music, religion, or science and have been involved in service to their communities, state or country that adds to the quality of life. The Exploring Division of the Boy Scouts of America is the program function that is most responsible for the presentation of the Young American Award. Exploring is a program of Scouting whose members are between the ages of 15 and 21. They are gathered in Posts whose interests are career based or hobby based.

The Concho Valley selected six Young American Award winners from the 23 and a half county council. Casey Fitzgerald, son of Wade and Sheree Fitzgerald of Sonora, was one of the six selected, representing more than 4000 Scouts of the council.

A Life Scout, Casey is the student body president of Sonora High School where he plays varsity football, is co-captain of the football team, and won honorable mention all district tight end. Casey is a member of the National Honor Society, active in the Spanish Club, and UIL competition for calculator applications, number sense, general math, science, and accounting. He is also active with the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and is a math tutor. Casey is a Sunday School teacher at Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church of Sonora where he is active with A.C.T.S., assists in the pulpit, and is Big Brother to Girl Scout Troop 100. Casey is a Life Scout with his God and Country Award and has worked on the summer camp staff for the last three years. He intends to attend Texas Tech or Texas A&M to study architecture or Civil Engineering.

## DILLARD FEATURED IN STATE FARM PUBLICATION



Sam Dillard

Sam Dillard, Sonora's State Farm Insurance Agent, will be featured in the June issue of State Farm's publication, *The Reflector*. Dillard was chosen out of 750 agents to share business ideas with agents, nationally and in Canada.

The publication features an agent once every month. Last week, Dillard was interviewed by Becky Healy, Managing Editor of the publication. Healy stated, "We are looking for the cream of the crop, quiet honestly." She stated that

Dillard's strong point is being a multi-line agent with the ability to serve all policy holders.

During Healy's stay in Sonora, she and Dillard toured Sherrill Dannheim's ranch. Healy is from the corporate office in Bloomington, Illinois.

## GAME NIGHT SCHEDULED

submitted by Brigitte Rogers

Hudspeth Hospital and Nursing Home Auxiliary are sponsoring Game Night to benefit a medical scholarship. The games are scheduled for Friday, March 24, 1995 at the First National Bank Annex Building. A buffet will be served at 6:30 p.m. and games begin at 7:30 p.m. Bridge, 42, and Bunko will be played.

For ticket information contact Mandy Turk at 387-3431, Brigitte Rogers at 387-5596, Lura Sawyer at 387-2417, or Ruth Shurley at 387-3282. A donation of \$5.00 will be accepted.

## TSGRA TO MEET AT SHS

Please note that the TSGRA District 5 meeting will be held at the Sonora High School in Sonora on Saturday, March 18, at 10:30 a.m. NOT at the 4-H Center.

## 1995 MAILING ADDRESS BOOK

submitted

The 1995 Sonora and Sutton County Mailing Address Book is almost ready to go the printer but changes are still being processed. There is no charge for personal mailing addresses. Mail them to Mailing Address Book, PO Box 452, Sonora, Texas 76950 or take them to the library or the Devil's River News office.

This year business mailing addresses are being featured. An effort has been made to contact every business in Sutton County but some have inadvertently been overlooked. For a donation of \$10, the business mailing address with space for a phone number will be made available for five years. If you have not been called upon and wish to be in the book, please send your donation and your mailing address to the address above.

## PROCLAMATION

To meet the economic and social challenges of the future, Texas must conserve and nurture our natural resources. Among the most valued of resources in our state are the skills, talents, and abilities of our age-worthy men and women. Older Texans want to stay in the mainstream of our state's economic and social development, they want to be active partners in the labors of tomorrow.

The older workers and older job seekers of our great state must be given the opportunity to share their years of experience, hard work, and dedication. Texas must invest in their talents and resourcefulness and recognize their contributions as productive members in our society.

For thirty years, the Senior Community Service Employment Program, through organizations such as Green Thumb, Inc., has provided senior Texans with training and employment opportunities to maintain their dignity and remain as vital contributors to the welfare of their communities, their state, and their nation.

WHEREFORE, Carla Garner

County Judge of Sutton County

DOES HEREBY PROCLAIM THE WEEK OF MARCH 12-18, 1995

AS HIRE THE OLDER WORKER WEEK IN

Sutton County

# ETC.

### Sr. Center Birthday Party

Friday, March 17, the Senior Center will celebrate March birthdays. The program will be presented by the Busy Bee Day Care children and will begin after lunch.

### Christmas in April

April 3, 6 p.m., Fire Hall - House captain consultation; April 7 - Last day to order materials; April 29 - Christmas in April work day.

Groups that want to work this year should contact Michelle Anderson at 387-2950 or 387-3881. Contact Paul Chevalier at 387-5402 for questions. Donations may be mailed to Christmas in April of Sonora, Inc., PO Box 63, Sonora, TX 76950.

### Water District Election

The Sutton County Underground Water Conservation District will have an election on May 6, 1995 to elect one director for Precinct 2, one director for Precinct 3, and one director at Large.

Those wishing to file for a position on the ballot may do so at the Water District Office located in the Mercantile Building, 222 NE Main, Suit 101. The filing deadline for a place on the May 6 ballot will expire at 5 p.m., Wednesday, March 22, 1995. However, under the election laws, a write-in candidate has until 5 p.m. Thursday, April 6, 1995 to file an intention to run as a write-in candidate.

### Lions Club Broom & Mop Sale

The Downtown Lions Club will hold their Broom and Mop Sale Tuesday, March 21, 1995 beginning at 7:30 a.m. Locations are City Hall and the Post Office. For more information contact Brigitte Rogers at 387-5596.

### City League Baseball Registration

Sonora City League Baseball registration begins Monday, March 20 and continues Tuesday, March 21 and Thursday, March 23. Registration will be at the Jr. High Gym from 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

### TSGRA Meeting at High School

The Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association will hold the District 5 meeting Saturday, March 18 at 10:30 a.m. at the Sonora High School, not the 4-H Center as previously published.

### TxDOT Public Meeting

The Texas Department of Transportation has scheduled a public meeting to discuss the possible extension of I-27 from Lubbock to I-10. The meeting will be Wednesday, March 22 and will begin at 7:00 p.m. at the Holiday Inn Convention Center, 441 Rio Concho Drive, San Angelo. For special arrangements call 915-947-9205 or 944-1501, no later than two days prior to the meeting.

### Lenten Luncheons

The Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring a series of Lenten Luncheons to be held at St. John's Episcopal Parish Hall every Wednesday at noon during the season of Lent.

March 22 - First Baptist, March 29 - Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian, April 5 - St. Ann's Catholic, April 12 - Hope Lutheran

### Sonora High School Rodeo

Rodeo performances will begin at 5:00 p.m. Saturday, March 18. Sunday, March 19 a church service will begin at 9:00 a.m. followed by cutting at 10:00 a.m. and performances at 11:00 a.m.

### Game Night

Game Night will be Friday, March 24, 1995 at the First National Bank Annex. The buffet begins at 6:30 p.m. and the games begin at 7:30 p.m. A \$5 donation will be accepted.

### Attention Bassers

Like to have fun? Come see us! WEST TEXAS ANGLERS\* Next meeting is March 21, 1995 at 7:00 p.m., Sutton County Steak House, Sonora, Texas. Monthly meetings and tournaments. Adult and youth (under 17) divisions. Couples and children welcome (youth division U.I.L. approved). \*a nonprofit organization.

### Hope Lutheran Lenten Services

Hope Lutheran Church will have Lenten services at 7 p.m. every Wednesday night until the week before Easter.

### FUMC Lenten Services

The First United Methodist Church is offering an informal, come as you are, Lenten service on Sunday mornings. The services will be held at 8:30 a.m., and will last for 45 minutes, starting Sunday, March 5th. Childcare will be provided.



**Our Sympathy**

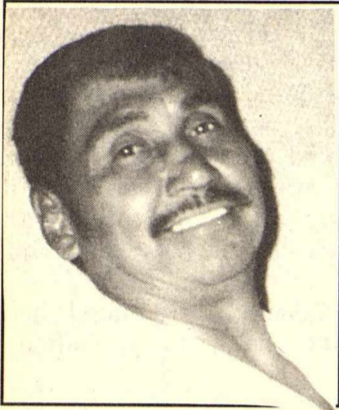
**Harry Frye**

Harry Frye, 86, of Anson died Monday, February 27, 1995 at a local health care center. Graveside services with military rites were held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday in Mount Hope Cemetery with the Rev. Lee Welch officiating, directed by Lawrence Funeral Home.

Mr. Frye was born in Iowa and had lived in Anson since 1943. He was an army veteran of World War II. He was a farmer and a member of the Christian Church. He married Isabel Propst in 1943 in Anson.

Survivors include his wife, of Anson; two sons, Charles Leslie Frye of Eldorado and John Darrell Frye of Hamlin; five daughters, Harriette Sargent of Tuscola, Judy Morrow and Isabel Rebecca Frye both of Abilene, Suzanne Ballard of Altus, Oklahoma, and Joy Bradshaw of Eula; one sister, Juanita Frye of Abbia, Iowa; 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

**Jesus R. Herrera Sr.**



Jesus R. "Charol" Herrera Sr., 55, died Wednesday, March 8, 1995 in Sonora.

He was born February 15, 1940 in Del Rio and was a lifetime resident of Sonora. He was employed by Location Builders and a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church. He was preceded in death by his son, Patricio M. Herrera.

He is survived by his wife, Cruz G. Herrera of Sonora; one son, Jesus M. Herrera Jr. of Eldorado; four daughters, Alicia Herrera of

Sonora, Consuelo H. Gully of Killeen, Nancy Sue Herrera and Ann Marie Herrera, both of San Antonio; an adopted son, Freddy F. Herrera of Bracketville; one brother, Roberto R. Herrera; one sister, Maria Quiroz; and seven grandchildren, Christina, Erica, Jamie, Juliemarie, Joshua, Jama, and Adrian Scott.

Pallbearers were Oscar Galindo, Alfredo Galindo, Joe Longoria, Arturo Gandar, Jesus Guerra, and Alvin Hernandez.

**Safely Home**

*I am home in Heaven, dear ones; Oh so happy and so bright!  
There is perfect joy and beauty in this everlasting light.  
All the pain and grief is over, every restless tossing passed;  
I am now at peace forever, safely home in Heaven at last.  
Did you wonder I so calmly trod the valley of the shade?  
Oh! bug Jesus' love illumined every dark and fearful glade.  
And He came Himself to meet me in that way so hard to tread;  
And with Jesus' arm to lean on, could I have one doubt or dread?  
Then you must not grieve so sorely, for I love you dearly still:  
Try to look beyond earth's shadows, pray to trust our Father's Will.  
There is work still waiting for you, so you must not idly stand;  
Do it now, while life remaineth - you shall rest in Jesus' land.  
When that work is all completed, He will gently call you Home;  
Oh, the rapture of that meeting, oh, the joy to see you come!*

7 x 3 = 21

**School Menu**

All Meals are served with milk.

**BREAKFAST**  
Mon., March 20  
NO SCHOOL  
Tues., March 21  
Breakfast Pizza, Juice  
Wed., March 22  
Sausage, Muffin, Fruit  
Thurs., March 23  
French Toast, Ham, Juice  
Fri., March 24  
Egg & Potato Burrito, Fruit

**LUNCH**  
Mon., March 20  
NO SCHOOL  
Tues., March 21  
Burritos, Cheese Nachos, Veggie Sticks, Fresh Fruit  
Wed., March 22  
Tacos - Beef & Cheese, Lettuce & Tomatoes, Pinto Beans, Spice Cake  
Thurs., March 23  
Beef Roast, Seasoned Rice, Waldorf Salad, Cobbler  
Fri., March 24  
Grilled Cheese Sandwich, French Fries, Cookie, Jell-O w/Topping

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**Card of Thanks**

We the tenants and manager of Sonora Senior Apartments wish to thank all the following for their donations of gifts to be used as prizes in our weekly bingo games. They were greatly appreciated.

Sutton County Steak House • Ida's Big Tree • Pizza Hut La Mexicana • Sonic • Sally's Bar-B-Q  
Hair Studio • Bright Spot • Edna's House of Beauty  
Shot's #5 and #6 • I-10 Exxon  
Bronco Sports • PM Office Supply • Nettie Shaffer • Dairy Queen  
Thanks,  
Tenants and Manager, Josie Emiliano

**Card of Thanks**

We, the Barron Family, would like to take a moment out of our busy schedules to say thank you. We appreciate the help and assistance our family has received from our friends in Sonora. We are sincerely grateful for all the prayers and calls. A special thank you to Eddie and Triva McReynolds, Barbara Stroud, Tim Jarrett, Diann Green, and Dr. Kretsinger.

Thank you,  
Beatrice, Robert, & Juan, Jr. Barron  
Ben Perez, Mary Trevino, & Belia Castaneda

**Card of Thanks**

The family of Jesus R. Herrera Sr. acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expressions of sympathy. Our most sincere thanks to everyone who sent food, flowers, calls, and prayers. Thank you ladies who prepared the meal at the church, and the church choir for the music.

Thank you again,  
The Jesus R. Herrera Family  
The Roberto R. Herrera Family  
Maria Quiroz Family

**SENIOR CENTER MENU**

- Thursday, March 16**  
Country Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Cut Broccoli, Hot Rolls, Fruited Gelatin
- Friday, March 17**  
Baked Flounder, Cabbage-Carrot Slaw, Pinto Beans, Corn Muffins, Applesauce
- Monday, March 20**  
Liver, Hot Rice, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit Salad, Sugar Cookie
- Tuesday, March 21**  
Spaghetti & Meatballs w/Cheese, Carrot-Raisin Salad, Spinach, Garlic Bread, Banana Pudding
- Wednesday, March 22**  
Salisbury Steak w/Brown Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Hot Rolls, Orange
- Thursday, March 23**  
Chicken Salad Sandwiches, Peas & Carrots, French Fried Potatoes, Bread, Apple Crisp
- Friday, March 24**  
Oven Fried Chicken, Corn & Tomato Casserole, Collard Greens, Cornbread, Pears

**Sonora Church Directory**

**NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
C.G. Fuston, Pastor  
306 N. 4th Street  
387-2898

**PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
504 Santa Clara  
387-2035

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Randy Dunn, Minister  
304 W. Water  
387-3190

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Jim Stephen, Pastor  
404 NE Oak  
387-2951

**ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector  
404 NE Poplar  
387-2955

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Ron Myers, Pastor  
201 NW Water  
387-2466

**JERUSALEM ASAMBLEA DE DIOS**  
Daniel Diaz de Leon, Pastor  
St. Ann's Street  
387-3600

**THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN**  
Lewis Allen, Pastor  
319 NE Mulberry  
387-2616

**HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Fred Darkow, Pastor  
417 E 2nd St.  
387-5366

**SONORA TABERNACLE UNITED PENTECOSTAL**  
Brett Prince, Pastor  
501 Fay  
387-5627

**ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father William DuBuisson, O.M.I.  
229 SW Plum  
387-2278

**JEHOVA'S WITNESS**  
310 St. Ann's Street  
387-5658 or 387-5518

**NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Dana Floyd, Pastor  
511 Cornell  
387-5215

**Attend the church of your choice this Sunday.**

**Southwest Texas Electric Co-op**  
387-2544

**Kerbow Funeral Home**  
387-2266

**Card of Thanks**

Our thanks to all for the prayers, phone calls, and cards during Pete's recent hospital stay. Pete is doing well. God bless all of you.

Pete and Irene Gomez and family

**Community Calendar**

- March 16th-25th**
- Thursday, March 16th**  
1:00-5:00 p.m. - Devil's River News/West Texas Art Guild Open House - 216 E. Main Street (Old Kerbow Building)  
4:30 p.m. - J.V. Baseball Team vs. Brady - H  
5:30-7:00 p.m. - Chamber of Commerce Quarterly Mixer - Devil's River News  
5:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Suns vs. Spurs; Attack Pack vs. Wildcats  
6:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - DaBoys vs. Hornets; Hot Shots vs. Tigers  
7:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Bulldogs vs. Dream Team; Celtics vs. Dolphins  
8:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Hawks vs. Devils
- Friday, March 17th**  
**SCHOOL HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**  
Treasure Hunt Maps for sale at participating merchants  
1:00 p.m. - St. Patrick's Day & Birthday Party - Senior Center  
7:00 p.m. - Varsity Baseball Team vs. Wall - H
- Saturday, March 18th**  
Varsity Girls and Boys Track Meet - Mason  
10:30 a.m. - TS&GRA District 5 Meeting - Sonora High School  
5:00 p.m. - High School Rodeo - Sonora Rodeo Arena  
8:00 p.m. - International Foundation for Communities/Organ. Pastors for Peace Program - FUMC
- Sunday, March 19th**  
8:30 a.m. - FUMC Lenten Services - Methodist Church  
Revival - New Life Assembly of God Church  
9:00 a.m. - High School Rodeo Church Services - Rodeo Arena  
10:00 a.m. - High School Rodeo Cutting Competition - Rodeo Arena  
11:00 a.m. - High School Rodeo Performances - Rodeo Arena
- Sunday, March 19th- Saturday, March 25th**  
Hire the Older Worker Week
- Monday, March 20th**  
**SCHOOL HOLIDAY - NO SCHOOL**  
Sonora Boys and Girls Golf Tournament - Sonora (District)  
5:30-7:00 p.m. - City League Baseball Registration - Junior High Gym  
Little Dribbler's Basketball Practice: **Small Gym** - 4:30-Dolphins & Hawks; 6:00-Hot Shots & Spurs; 7:30-Tigers & Bulls; **Jr. Hi Gym** - 4:30-Wildcats & Spurs; 6:00-Bulldogs & Tigers; 7:30-Attack Pack & Hornets; **High School Gym** - 4:30-Celtics, Suns, Barracudas & Ladybugs; 6:00-Devils & DaBoys; 7:30-Hawks & Dream Team
- Tuesday, March 21st**  
7:30 a.m. - Lions Club Broom & Mop Sale - City Hall & Post Office  
Sonora Girls Golf Tournament - San Saba  
4:00 p.m. - Varsity Baseball Team vs. Ozona - T  
4:00-5:00 p.m. - Pre-Junior & Junior Age 4-H Wool & Mohair Judging - 4-H Center  
5:30-7:00 p.m. - City League Baseball Registration - Junior High Gym  
5:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Tigers vs. Barracudas; Dolphins vs. Killer Bees  
6:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Wildcats vs. Spurs; Jammers vs. Suns  
7:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Attack Pack vs. Hornets, Bulls vs. Spurs  
7:00 p.m. - West Texas Anglers Meeting - Sutton County Steakhouse
- Wednesday, March 22nd**  
Primary School Field Trip to San Angelo  
12:00 p.m. - Lenten Luncheon - St. John's Episcopal Church  
12:30 p.m. - Health Program with Maria Carrasco, RN - Senior Center  
7:00 p.m. - Hope Lutheran Church Lenten Services  
7:00 p.m. - TxDOT Public Meeting - Holiday Inn Convention Center - San Angelo
- Thursday, March 23rd**  
5:00 p.m. - J.V. Baseball Team vs. Reagan County - Big Lake  
5:30-7:00 p.m. - City League Baseball Registration - Junior High Gym  
6:00 p.m. - Meeting about Multi-Age Education for next year - Intermediate Auditorium  
5:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Wildcats vs. Devils; Hot Shots vs. Celtics  
6:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Spurs vs. Hornets; Hawks vs. Jammers  
7:00 p.m. - Little Dribbler's Basketball Games - Attack Pack vs. DaBoys; Dolphins vs. Tigers
- Friday, March 24th**  
Spring School Pictures - Sonora Primary Class Pictures  
4:00 p.m. - Varsity Baseball Team vs. Eldorado - T  
6:30 - Game Night Buffet - First National Bank Annex - sponsored by Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital/Nursing Home  
7:30 - Games Begin - First National Bank Annex - sponsored by Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital/Nursing Home  
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- Friday, March 24th-Saturday, March 25th**  
High School Tennis Tournament - Sonora  
Varsity Boys Track Meet - San Angelo
- Friday, March 24th-Sunday, March 26th**  
4-H Adult Spectra - Call Extension Office for details
- Saturday, March 25th**  
Junior High Track Meet - McCamey  
High School Boys and Girls Golf Tournament - Big Lake (District)  
Junior High Tennis Tournament - Eldorado  
District One-Act Play Contest - Sonora High School Auditorium

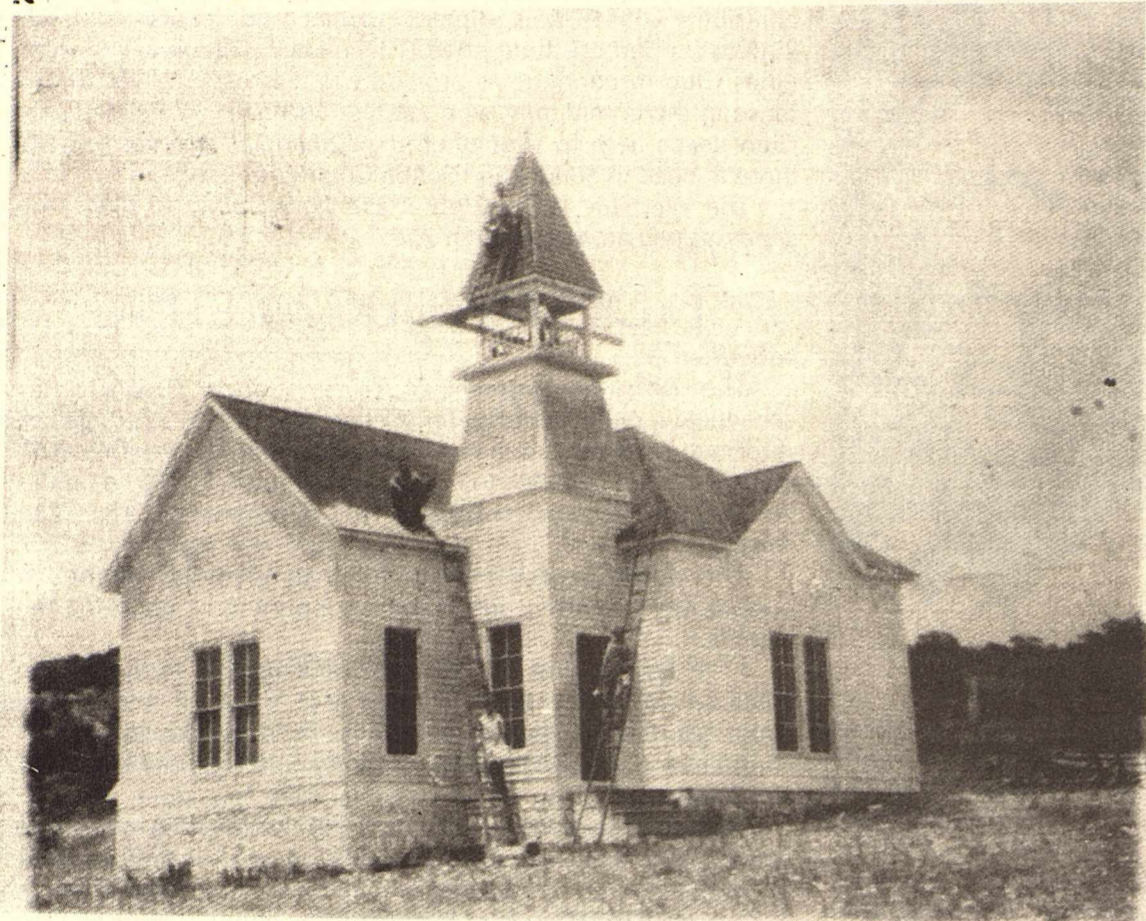
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# Ask The Historical Society



The Baptist Church purchased the original school house built in 1889 after the rock school was built. Workmen are shown here adding a steeple to the building.

by Jo-Ann Palmer, Secretary Sutton County Historical Society

Q. Do you have any information on file on the first marriage of Presley McKnight in approximately 1920 or 21?

A. Sutton County Marriage Records for this period do not show any marriages of Miss Presley McKnight.

*Devil's River News*, March 5, 1921 "McKnight-Cagle"

Miss Presley McKnight was married at Bartlett, on Thursday, February 24, to Frank Cagle, Rev. W.G.W. Robbins of the Baptist Church officiating.

The ceremony was performed at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Robbins, aunt of the bride, and was attended by the bride's mother and relatives of contracting parties.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.D. McKnight. One of Sonora's fair young daughters and her host of friends here will be pleased to know that she has married a most worthy young man who

has been known to the family since infancy.

Q. Who planted all the beautiful old trees in Sonora?

A. The Sonora Woman's Club spearheaded a drive to beautify the town in the early 1900's. Current residents and visitors have this group to thank for our beautiful old pecan trees. The pecan tree was picked by the group not only for its beauty and shade but the abundant crop the ladies could reap each year.

Q. Do you have any information on the early investors in the Sonora Park Association?

A. The Sonora Park Association was formed in the 1920's and held their first rodeo over Christmas and New Years. The association was formed by the following people who were limited to a \$100 investment in stock: W.A. Miers, Willie Miers, W.R. Barnes, J.C. Morrow, Dr. A.G. Blanton, A.T. Baker, John Fields, Ed Willoughby, Rev. Crothers, Bill White, Ed

Mayfield, T.A. Band, B.W. Hutcherson, E.C. Beam, Jack Wardlaw, Jap Holman, J.D. Wallace, J.W. Elliott, T.I. Miller, Auther Simmons, A.D. McKnight, Sonora Motor Company, Claud Keene, Sonora Mercantile Company, Cauthorn Brothers, Roy Aldwell, Marion Stokes, Charlie Evans, and Ralph Trainer.

At the first rodeo, Noah Schrier, the ranchman from the eastern part of Sutton County, not only won the Big Free-for-all but defeated Big Holman in a ten goat matched contest and Marion Stokes in a five goat match. Mr. Schrier lost one loop in the series and became

so popular all wanted to claim him for their own, Bee Hollow and the North Llano said he belonged to them, Aldwell Brothers, ranch said he learned how from them, Junction was his home, etc., but when his neighbor, Alvin Keene defeated Bob Steene of Alabama and the grand stand heard the rope sing they knew who the trainer was. First prize was \$250. Other contestants in the goat roping were Lewis Jones of Christoval, Bey Crothers and Bill White of Brady, Big Holman of Del Rio, Olin Altizer of Comstock, Russell Martin of Del Rio, as well as the Cauthorn brothers, Dan, John, and Mac, the Johnson brothers Lem and Cal, John Fields, Tommie Bond, Roy and Lee Aldwell, Willie Miers, and Bryan Hunt.

Calf roping showed Louis Jones first, Curry Brooks second and Jap Holman third. Bronco busting contestants were Will Etheridge, John Fields, James Garvin, Frank McKee, Louis Cravey and Dug Cravey. The first day the purse was divided between Fields and Garvin. The second day Fields won and the third day Etheridge and on the fourth day Garvin. The Association paid out over \$600 in prizes, mostly in small amounts to local people and all out of the gate receipts.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton County history send them to "Ask the Historical Society" P.O. Box 885, Sonora, Texas 76950-0885 or give us a call after noon at 387-5144 or 387-2855. Several people have asked why they shouldn't call until after noon. The answer is simple, my husband works 4:00 to 12:00 and gets in around 1:00 a.m. So I would prefer not to have calls when we are trying to sleep in the morning. Thank you.

## BEAR SCOUTS RECEIVE BADGES

submitted by Beth Wallace

The third grade Bear Scouts have been busy during the month of February. On the 8th, the boys met to work on their art projects and study map skills in order to complete some of their electives. February 22nd, the boys built replicas of Indian wigwams.

February 27th, all of the boys were in attendance at the Blue and Gold Banquet. They presented a skit called "A Mexican Bullfight" with David Cook as the bull and bull-fighters, Joseph Ainsworth, Lane Folds, Stevie Hernandez, Payton Holekamp, Scottie Moore, James Ross, Trapper Valliant, and Wilson Wallace.

The boys also received many awards at the banquet. Joseph Ainsworth received Bear badge, Summertime pack award, 1 gold arrow point, and 4 silver arrow points. David Cook received Bear badge, 1 gold arrow point and 1 silver arrow point. Lane Folds received Bear Badge, summertime pack award, 1 gold arrow point and 1 silver arrow point. Stevie Hernandez received bear badge, 1 gold arrow pint and 1 silver arrow point and 3 silver arrow points. Scottie Moore received bear badge, 1 gold arrow point and 2 silver arrow points. James Ross received Bear badge, 1 gold arrow pint and 4 silver points. Trapper Valliant received Bear badge, 1 gold arrow point and 1 silver point. Wilson Wallace received Bear badge, Summertime pack award, 1 gold arrow point and 4 silver arrow points.

The boys have worked very hard to obtain their Bear badges and the arrow points. They are all involved in other activities, such as basketball, 4-H, piano, and also have homework to keep up with. We are very proud of them!

## TIGER CUBS LEARN ABOUT SAFETY

submitted by Beth Wallace

The Tiger Cubs met February 13, 1995 for their regular meeting. The meeting was hosted by Embre Smith and was held at the EMS building where the boys learned about safety. They inspected the ambulances and all of the medical equipment inside.

The boys also were in attendance at the Blue and Gold Banquet on February 27 where they presented a skit on camping. The following boys were present: Cameron Cox, Cody Day, Younger Fawcett, Walsh Hearn, Embre Smith, Roland Solis, Tyler Talley, Aaron Warren, and Warren Wallace.

## It's A Boy!

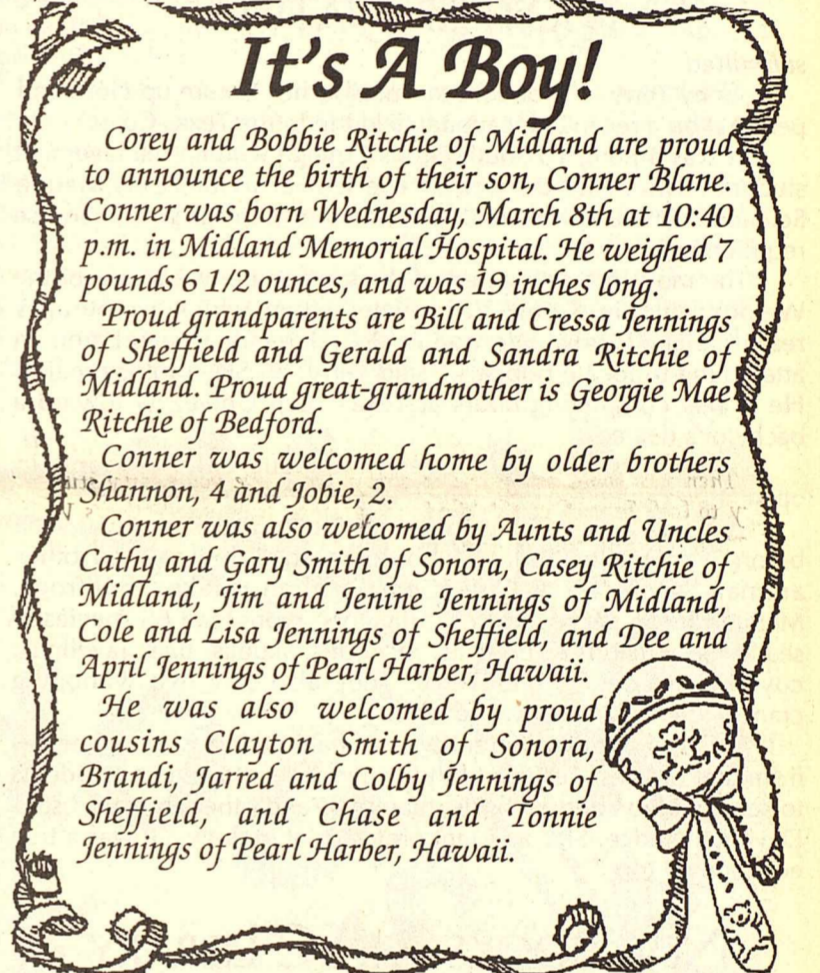
Corey and Bobbie Ritchie of Midland are proud to announce the birth of their son, Conner Blane. Conner was born Wednesday, March 8th at 10:40 p.m. in Midland Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 6 1/2 ounces, and was 19 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Bill and Cressa Jennings of Sheffield and Gerald and Sandra Ritchie of Midland. Proud great-grandmother is Georgie Mae Ritchie of Bedford.

Conner was welcomed home by older brothers Shannon, 4 and Jobie, 2.

Conner was also welcomed by Aunts and Uncles Cathy and Gary Smith of Sonora, Casey Ritchie of Midland, Jim and Jenine Jennings of Midland, Cole and Lisa Jennings of Sheffield, and Dee and April Jennings of Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

He was also welcomed by proud cousins Clayton Smith of Sonora, Brandi, Jarred and Colby Jennings of Sheffield, and Chase and Tonnie Jennings of Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.



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## It's A Boy!

Clay and Joetta Friess wish to announce the birth of their son, Owen Luke. He was born on Tuesday, February 21, 1995, at Angelo Community Hospital. He weighed 8 pounds 2 1/2 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Rex Ann Friess and Turney Friess of Sonora and Dr. and Mrs. Joe Speck of Brownwood. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Dorothy Baker of Sonora, Mrs. Pat Williamson and Mrs. Bela Speck of Menard.

Owen Luke is also welcomed by numerous aunts, uncles and cousins.

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## Senior Center March Birthdays

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Dona Eulogia Flores-11th	13th-Erma L. Turner
Kathleen Moore-21st	24th-Madge F. Davis
Vivian Crites-25th	25th-Francisca M. Lira
Vera Casparis-28th	28th-John R. Mesa
Lesa B. Galindo-30th	30th-Juan E. Guerra
Maida L. Sutton-31st	

**PARTY ON THE 17TH!**



## SMA ST. PATRICK'S DAY TREASURE HUNT

The Sonora Merchants Association is sponsoring a St. Patrick's Day Treasure Hunt. The contest is open to anyone. The only requirements are the purchase of an official treasure map.

The map consists of a crossword puzzle that is made up of questions of historical value about Sonora and Sutton County. After answering all the questions, take the letters from the squares with an asterisk (\*) and arrange them into two, three word clues. (Each letter is used only once.) These clues will lead to the location of the "treasure." The treasure being offered is a 14k gold nugget worth about \$200. It may be seen at Tedford's Jewelry.

An item has been placed in a location somewhere in the city limits on public property. (Please do not trespass on private property, and please do not dig or destroy public property in any manner.) The item will be recognized when found as something that does not belong there. After finding the item, take it and your official treasure map to the Chamber of Commerce or to the Main Street director to claim the treasure.

This event will kick-off with the Chamber of Commerce Quarterly Mixer on Thursday, March 16th at the Devil's River News office, located at 216 East Main (the old Kerbow building). The mixer will be held from 5:30-7:00 p.m. and is being sponsored by The Devil's River News, the West Texas Art Gallery and Vallree's Bright Spot Fashions. Everyone is invited to attend and purchase their official Treasure Hunt map. (Maps are \$2.00 each.)

Maps will officially go on sale Friday, March 17th. Watch for the green Treasure Hunt poster with the pot of gold in participating Sonora Merchant Association members windows. Maps will be available from these merchants.

All answers to the crossword puzzle can be found in the following publications in the Sutton County Library: *Bad Old Days* and the *Sutton County History Book 1887-1977*.

May the luck of the Irish be with you!

## SONORA STUDENT MEETS MOTHER NATURE

submitted

Johnny Terry, 21, of Sonora, met Mother Nature up close and personal on a recent educational field trip to the Texas Coast.

He was among 10 South Plains College wildlife management students who made the trek to The University of Texas Marine Science Institute at Port Aransas and other stops as part of course requirements.

"The most interesting part of the trip for me was a tour of the Welder Wildlife Refuge, a private refuge which encourages research and study. We got to do telemetry triangulation in attempting to locate bobcats," said Terry, an SPC biology major. He is also completing hours at Texas Tech University toward a bachelor's degree.

The bobcats were elusive, and the group only saw some in open fields during the day, which is a rare occurrence.

"We saw a lot of neat things on the coast I had never seen before, sea turtles, Atlantic bottle-nosed dolphins, and other animals such as a Gulf Coast ribbon snake, bullfrogs, Mediterranean gecko, lizards, alligators, more than 65 species of sea birds, armadillos, bobcats, raccoons, skunks, bats, javelinas, coyotes and deer," said Terry. They also saw two whooping cranes, among 140 left worldwide.

"This is a totally different type of habitat and wildlife species from that of West Texas and the experience allowed our students to see a wide variety of birds, mammals and other animals," said David Etheredge, SPC assistant professor of biology. "It was a true educational trip."

## NEW BOOKS AT SC LIBRARY

submitted by Florie Mesa

Listed below are the new books for the Sutton County Public Library.

**Adult Fiction and Nonfiction:** *Walking After Midnight* - Karen Robards, *White Star* - James Thayer, *Burglars Can't Be Choosers* - Lawrence Block, *The Cat Who Blew The Whistle* - Lilian Braun, *True Colors* - Doris Mortman, *I Promised My Dad* - Cheryl Wilson, *What Your 1st Grader Needs To Know* - E.D. Hirsch Jr., *Contemporary's GED*.

**Reference:** *Anuario Hispano 1994 Hispanic Yearbook*  
**Audios:** *Nebraska* - Dana Ross, *The Lawless* - John Jakes, *Outpost* - Dana Ross.

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Rev. and Mrs. Burl Rogers

## REVIVAL SCHEDULED

submitted

Reverend and Mrs. Burl Rogers, an evangelistic team will be appearing at New Life Assembly, 4th and Menard Street on March 19, 1995. Two services are scheduled, Sunday morning, 10:30 and that evening at 6:00.

The Rogers have traveled nearly twenty-five years as evangelists, as well as missionaries. The Rev. Rogers will be preaching on varied subjects, relating to the church's role in reaching the world for Christ. Prayer for the sick, salvation of lost souls, praise and worship will be offered in all services. They will be singing a variety of gospel songs, some old, some new, in solos, and duets. Rev. Rogers sings and plays the guitar, Mrs. Rogers sings and plays the piano and organ.

They have traveled extensively, in 30 states, Canada, and Mexico, in revival meetings, youth rallies, youth camps, camp meetings, concerts, in churches, auditoriums, parks, and wherever invited.

The Rogers have pastored in Southern California, Oklahoma, Kansas, and Texas.

The public is invited to all services. For more information please call 387-2898.

## SISD CHOIR CONCERT HELD

The Sonora Independent School District Choirs presented a concert on Thursday, March 9th at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Auditorium. The Choirs were under the direction of Frank W. Conlon, and were accompanied by Jan Folds, Gayla Frederickson and Stacey Becknell.

The Sixth Grade Choir performed: *Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring*, *The Aardvark*, and *Joshua!* (Fit the Battle of Jericho).

The Junior High Mixed Choir performed: *The Blessing of Aaron*, *Stars*, and *Little Innocent Lamb*.

The High School Mixed Choir performed: *Fly To The Sky Tonight!*, *Kyrie Eleison* from *Missa Secunda*; *Agnus Dei*, and *Ching A Ring Chaw/Great Gittin' Up Mornin'*.

These choirs will be attending Choir Contest the first week of April. We wish them all the best of luck!

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## WHITE CANE DAY

The Sonora Westside Lions Club has set Saturday, March 25th as White Cane Day. March is the month nationally acclaimed for White Cane Days for Lions.

The members of Westside Lions Club will be asking you to contribute your nickels, dimes, quarters, and dollars on March 25th to support this fund drive. This money will allow Westside Lions Club to continue to provide eye glasses and eye care to those in the community who are less fortunate. Westside Lions Club needs help to strengthen their financial reserves to help those in need in Sonora and Sutton County.

The Westside Lions Club is asking everyone to please be generous on Saturday, March 25th.

## TxDOT PUBLIC MEETING

submitted

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) has scheduled a public meeting for Wednesday, March 22, to gather information from citizens and groups on the possible I-27 extension from Lubbock to I-10. It will begin at 7:00 p.m. in the Holiday Inn Convention Center, 441 Rio Concho Drive, San Angelo.

The purpose of the meeting is to give the public an opportunity to present information supporting or opposing the extension.

HDR Engineering, the group conducting the study and the meeting, will collect information to help assess the need for an "Interstate-type" highway and its route. The corridors under consideration include the cities of Abilene, Odessa-Midland, and San Angelo.

All persons interested in attending the meeting who have special communication or accommodation needs are encouraged to contact the Public Information Officer at TxDOT at 915-947-9205 or 944-1501, no later than two days prior to the meeting.

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**8TH GRADE BRONCO TRACK**

*submitted*

The Sonora seventh grade boys scored 128 points and won the Eldorado Junior High Relays Friday, March 10, 1995.  
 Final results:  
 Shot put - Andy Sanchez, 1st; Brady Lock, 4th  
 Discus - Bobby Salinas, 1st; Carlos Sanchez, 3rd; Andy Sanchez, 4th  
 High jump - Baldo Vaquera, 4th  
 Triple jump - Alan Nicholas, 1st  
 Pole Vault - Brad Mogford, 2nd  
 2400 run - Fernie Ramos, 6th  
 400 relay - Anthony Luna, Alan Nicholas, Edgar Gonzales, Graham Bloodworth, 1st  
 1600 relay - Carlos Sanchez, Mikey Solis, Graham Bloodworth, Edgar Gonzales, 6th  
 110 hurdles - Curtis Sanders, 6th  
 300 hurdles - Edgar Gonzales, 2nd; Jared Perciful, 3rd; Ernie Perez, 5th  
 100 dash - Graham Bloodworth, 3rd  
 400 dash - Carlos Sanchez, 3rd  
 800 run - Baldo Vaquera, 4th; Juan Samaniego, 5th  
 200 dash - Alan Nicholas, 2nd  
 1600 run - Baldo Vaquera, 4th; Juan Samaniego 5th

**BRONCO TENNIS**

*submitted*

Last weekend was the 14th annual Reagan County tennis tournament. Two of Sonora's boys doubles teams made it into the quarter finals and returned Saturday to play. The team of Jason Morley and David Fisher, defeated Ybarra and Gonzalez from McCamey 6-4,6-3 in the second round. They were then defeated in the quarters by Flores and Flores of Irion County 6-0,6-1. Chris Neal and Raymond Hubble also advanced into the quarter finals by defeating Millnard and Hernandez of Menard 6-4,6-2 in the first round and Rivas and Garza of Grady 6-3,6-3 in the second. Neal and Hubble than met Vasquez and Nelson of Ozona, they were defeated 7-6,6-3.  
 The girls doubles team of Katie Burge and Candie Sessom advanced to the finals match. They won their semi-final match against Carrasco and Belcher from Kermit 6-3,6-4. They then played Harris and Silva from Colorado City for first, but were defeated 6-3,6-1.

**LADY BRONCO TRACK**

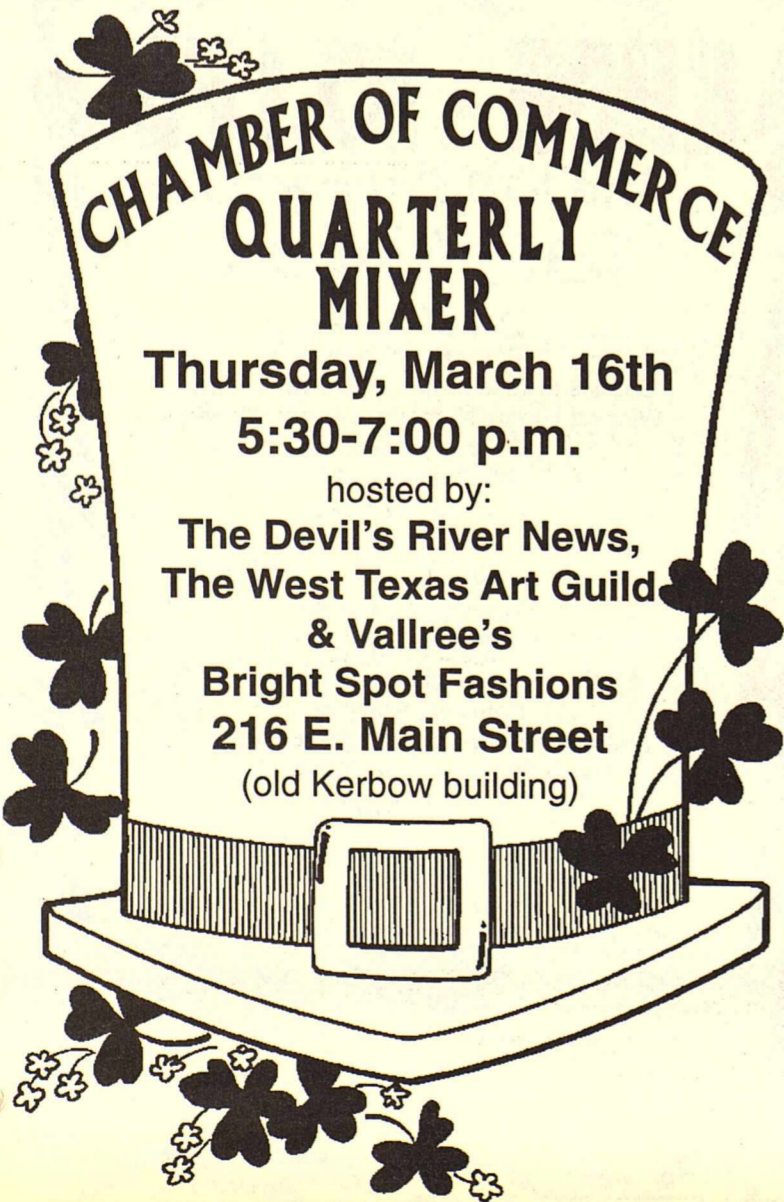
*submitted*

The Lady Bronco tracksters competed at the Plateau Relays in Eldorado Saturday, March 11.  
 Camille Marshall placed third in the 400 meter dash and fifth in the triple jump. Betty Samaniego placed fourth in the 800 meter run. Vicky Richardson placed fifth in the 100 meter dash. The 400 meter relay team of Kristie Wallace, Marshall, Pam Jones, and Richardson also placed fifth. Katie Cooke placed sixth in the 1600 meter run.  
 Also competing were Ashley Henson, Staci Espinosa, Tavia Valliant, Stephanie Daniels, and Jesse Crain. They will next compete in the Mason track meet this Saturday.

**BROOM & MOP SALE DAY**

*submitted by Brigitte Rogers*

The Sonora Downtown Lions Club will conduct an all-out drive on March 21, 1995 to sell quality Blind-Made Merchandise to residents and local businesses. All of these items are manufactured by blind and visually impaired workers in the Lighthouses for the Blind. The Lions Club's earnings from this sale will be used for all community projects.  
 The entire membership of the Lions Club has been organized to supply friends and neighbors with these quality items. The Broom and Mop sale will be conducted directly from the Caravan truck. You may also contact Brigitte Rogers at 387-5596 to have your order delivered, or you may place your order at The Devil's River News office.  
 Sales of Blind-Made Merchandise in previous years have been very successful and Lion Rogers expressed her confidence in reaching a new all-time goal this year. Every home and business can use some of these cleaning aids, and every item purchased helps to provide dignity and the security of regular employment for our blind citizens.  
 The Downtown Lions Club would like to thank you for your support.



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**SPORTS PAGE**

**BRONCO BOYS TRACK**

*submitted*

The Sonora boys track team competed in the Junction Relays March 6, 1995. The varsity boys scored 34 for 5th place. The junior varsity boys placed 35 points for 6th place.  
**Varsity Results**  
 400 Meter Run - Davis Hale, 3rd  
 300 Intermediate Hurdles - Louis Massey, 1st  
 Shot and Discus - Trini Banda, 3rd;  
 1600 Meter Relay - Josh Burnham, Ray Rainer, Davis Hale, and Louis Massey, 4th  
**J.V. Results**  
 High Jump - Kasey Wood, 2nd  
 Long Jump - Enrique Lopez, 5th  
 800 Meter Run - Thomas Hunt, 4th  
 400 Meter Relay - Chris Braly, Enrique Lopez, Kasey Wood, and Felix Galvan, 2nd  
 1000 Meter Relay - Chris Braly, Enrique Lopez, Thomas Hunt, Kasey Wood, 3rd

**7TH GRADE BRONCO TRACK**

*submitted*

The Sonora seventh grade boys outscored Iraan and Reagan County track teams and came home with the first place trophy Friday, March 3, 1995.  
 Final results were:  
 shot put - Andy Sanchez, 1st; Bobby Salinas, 6th  
 discus - Andy Sanchez, 1st, Brady Lock, 3rd  
 high jump - Baldo Vaquera 2nd, Juan Samaniego 3rd  
 long jump - Alan Nicholas, 1st, Graham Bloodworth, 5th  
 triple jump - Ricky Rupinski, 1st, Russell Dempsey, 3rd  
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 400 meter dash - Mikey Solis, 2nd, Ricky Rupinski, 3rd  
 300 meter hurdles - Edgar Gonzales, 1st, Jared Perciful, 3rd, Ernie Perez, 4th  
 200 meter dash - Alan Nicholas, 1st, Jason Surber, 5th  
 1600 meter run - Juan Samaniego, 1st, Baldo Vaquera 3rd, Fernie Ramos, 5th  
 1600 meter relay - Edgar Gonzales, brad Mogford, Alan Nicholas, Mikey Solis, 2nd

**7TH GRADE BRONCO TRACK**

*submitted*

The 7th grade girls made a good showing at the Eldorado track meet. The relay team of Bellard, Lopez, Jones and Eaton set a meet record in the 800 relay. Bellard, Ball, Jones, and Eaton took first place in the mile relay.  
 Final results:  
 Long jump - Kara Eaton, 3rd; Rita Lopez, 6th  
 Running high jump - Cindy Jones, 3rd  
 400 meter relay - Jacki Bellard, Rita Lopez, Cindy Jones, and Kara Eaton, 2nd  
 200 meter dash - Rita Lopez, 6th  
 1600 meter run - Lizzy Padillo, 5th  
 1600 meter relay - Jacki Bellard, Sarah Ball, Cindy Jones, and Kara Eaton, 1st  
 800 meter relay - Jacki Bellard, Rita Lopez, Cindy Jones, and Kara Eaton, 1st  
 Discus throw - Kim Marshall, 3rd  
 Triple jump - Kara Eaton, 3rd; Cindy Jones, 6th

**HIGH SCHOOL RODEO TO BE HELD IN SONORA**

*submitted*

Competition will soon be heating up as cowboys and cowgirls from across Region 2 of the Texas High School Rodeo Association vie for the opportunity to compete in the state finals in June. The region covers a large area of West Texas, stretching from Abilene to El Paso and Del Rio. Most of the competitors will have participated in many of the rodeos that were held this past fall.  
 High School Rodeo has more than just the standard rodeo events. Events offered include for the boys: bareback riding, saddle bronco riding, bull riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, and cutting. The girls' events are cutting, barrel racing, pole bending, breakaway roping, and goat tying. Both boys and girls compete in the team roping.  
 Sonora will soon be hosting their high school rodeo and are pleased that Sutton County Days Association will present the high-point boy and high-point girl with nice belt buckles. In addition, the First National Bank and Red Hoss Feeds will award an etched glass by Herb Jones to the high-point freshman boy and girl of the rodeo.  
 The rodeo in Sonora will be the first one for the spring and is on March 18th and 19th. Many local contestants will be featured and even one of the stars from "Mighty Ducks II." Come on out and bring the whole family for some good, clean entertainment. Admission to benefit the local High School Rodeo team will be \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. Performances will start at 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 18 and at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday, March 19. Cutting competition will be held on Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Everyone is also welcome and encouraged to attend a church service in the grandstands at 9:00 a.m.



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# Valiant Effort

by Martha Valliant McLain

Best news of this week is Albert Ward's return home. He looks good and is certainly taking care of himself. He is planning to do as he has been told. He will have lots of help. At the Steak House last Friday, the waitress accidentally put the wrong meal in front of him. He had no chance to touch it before everyone said, "No, No, Albert." Cynthia's voice was the loudest. He assured us that he had not ordered the "unhealthy" plate and would not.

The Tuesday night bridge club met at Nell Wallace's home in town last week. She had three tables with her sister Jerry Wallace and their sister-in-law Joyce as guests. Nell served beef tenderloin, a potato casserole, and tossed green salad. Dessert was a fresh fruit piazza. The piazza crust is a pie crust covered with a cream cheese filling and fresh fruit topping.

Lura Sawyer had the Wednesday club on Thursday last week, to avoid a conflict with the Lenten Luncheons. She had two tables with Lucille McMillan, Nell Wallace, and Nell's sister-in-law, Joyce as guests. Joyce is from El Paso and was visiting with Nell and Jerry for several days. Lura served a shrimp dish with tomato aspic, green beans, and Alice Jones' frozen strawberry dessert. The recipes for the aspic and the strawberry dessert are in the Sonora Woman's Club Cookbook. High was won by Virginia Epps, and Ruth Shurley won travel. Bingo was won by Nell Wallace and Doris Rousselot.

Lenten Luncheons have moved from church to church with each group hosting the event at noon on Wednesday. They have been well attended, with around 80 people participating. I have heard many people comment that they felt the luncheons are a wonderful way for the different churches to have an opportunity to meet together. The activities are planned for the lunch hour, so that working people can be present and back to work on time. The messages have been wonderful and the food terrific.

Last week Nolan and Helen Johnson were enjoying a very special event, the visit of their five week old great granddaughter, Morgan Taylor Hicks of Knoxville, Tennessee. Morgan's mother is Heather Hicks, daughter of Brent and Nanette Johnson of Ft. Stockton and Sandra Adamson. While Morgan was visiting, David and Binky Archer of Boerne brought the Johnson's other great grandchild for a visit. He is two year old David Craig Archer. How wonderful to have your great grandchildren with you for a visit!

Trey Rushing is home from the hospital following his shoulder surgery. He was hurt in a skiing accident several weeks ago, and he has some new hardware in his shoulder. Isn't skiing fun? I have been told that you should only ski if you have six months to recover from a broken leg. It seems that skiing is the sport that leads in accidents to its participants.

Norm Rousselot met his son Mark in Austin where they attended the State Basketball finals. High school finals can be among the best games in basketball. They saw an exciting game between teams from Dallas and Houston, and then the winning team from Dallas lost to a "dark horse", East Central High School from San Antonio. We are so close to Austin that perhaps we should all take advantage of the nearness to see kids at their best.

Did you see some men dressed like the 1800's last weekend? The West Texas Border Scouts were in town for their annual muster. The group held an auction to raise money for the activities of the year. Only seven of the men attended due to schedule conflicts, but those who were here had a wonderful time in Sonora. One item in the auction was a Bowie knife made by John Stephen. It was made from steel borrowed from a car, and was done entirely by hand. It is in a leather case also handmade. The Border Scouts are in charge of the defense of the Texas Borders from Sonora to El Paso. Does that make you sleep better at night?

Last week Jane Rushing was one year older, and friends celebrated with a luncheon at the Sutton County Steak House. Those helping to celebrate were Martha Wallace, Lenora Pool, Cindy Hayes, Janell Sparks, Ida Bruns, Dorothy Cramer, Rhonda Gullely, Becky Brents, Kim Whitehead, and Beth Wallace. Happy birthday, Jane!

Steve Ponsette has received an appointment as a page in the Texas House of Representatives. He has already started to work and loves working in the Capitol in Austin. He is learning so much from being around the powers that be. It doesn't surprise me that he thinks that he might like to change his major to political science. It is an exciting world.

Renee Rousselot is casting a new movie starring Danny DeVito. It is from a Raul Dahl book for children called *Matilda*. She reports that Danny DeVito is truly one of the nicest men you will ever meet. Renee's husband, Barry, is working in Van Cover for several months for Disney doing a picture that is a sequel to an earlier Disney dog movie. This one is about dogs lost in a city, trying to survive, and working to get home. Sounds good!

Did you read the ratings several weeks ago when Elmer Kelton's book, *The Good Old Boys* was on cable? Of the 15 top ranked shows, all had to do with O.J. Simpson. Only the Tommy Lee Jones movie made it in the top 15 without talking about O.J. It is great to see an author about our area succeed. I still want someone to make Kelton's book, *The Year It Never Rained*, into a movie. I think that is a wonderful book. I may just have to go read it again.

Be sure and go by the Devil's River News office and see their new space and the art display on one side. It's a great office for our newspaper and our talented artists. They are having an open house on Thursday, March 16th from 1:00-5:00. Stop by and visit!

The Devil's River News, the West Texas Art Guild and Vallree's Bright Spot will be hosting the Chamber of Commerce Quarterly Mixer on Thursday, March 16th from 5:30-7:00 p.m.

Have you noticed the remodeling at Ol' Sonora Trading Company? The store will increase its space by 50%. Everything is being revamped. Look for notice of official opening of the new areas.

My play opens Friday night at Actor's Theater of San Antonio. The play is *Vanities* and has three women in the cast. It is the first time that I have ever done a show and been totally ready a week early. I hope that isn't a bad sigh. No one is having trouble with lines. The set is finished, the paint is dry, and the costumes are ready; the show will be great. All three women have degrees in theater, and one actress also attended a high school for performing arts. They are very, very talented. We see the three women first as cheerleaders in 1964, and then four years later as sorority sisters in college. The final scene show the three women in 1974 when they have been out of school for 10 years. It is interesting to see how they have changed. It is a comedy, but as we laugh, we see a serious side to their changes. The author says that the dictionary defines "vanities" as 1) an exceptional pride in one's abilities or appearance 2) emptiness, sham, lack of values 3) a dressing table. This play means all three. They are all involved in the life of one man, but we never see him. It is a play for adults about adult problems. It will be performed on Friday and Saturday nights at 8:00 p.m. beginning March 17 and continuing for four weekends. We will not perform on Easter weekend, but we will do one weekend after Easter. Final performances will be on April 28 and 29. Sunday matinees will be at 2:30 p.m. on March 26 and April 9.

All of my research into family has been fruitful. I am now a new member of a DAR chapter in San Antonio and also a member of the Alamo Mission Chapter of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. I am pleased to add my research to the DAR Library of records of families. A serious effort is being made to get DAR records into the super highway of information, Online America. This would make them available to many people and preserve early records and contributions to our country. My interest in the DRT is in the Alamo itself. There is a bill that has been introduced into the Texas state Legislature to take control of the Alamo away from the DRT. The DRT under the leadership of Clara Driscoll saved the Alamo from destruction years ago and have operated it as an historical shrine without using any tax dollars. There are people in San Antonio and out of state investors who would like to turn it into a theme park, with Fess Parker as an attraction as Davy Crockett. We have theme parks that are fun, but the Alamo has a much deeper meaning than a theme park. It is a symbol to people everywhere who are willing to make sacrifices for freedom. It is presently one of the nation's most popular tourist attractions. I really hope this will continue to be controlled by people who understand that it means more than a coon skin hat and a musket. I am very pleased that my research was accepted on my first try. Both organizations have very strict instructions in form that must be followed. It's been a long time since I have had to follow directions exactly. (Not since Miss Anne Palmer) I am relieved that I did not have to do the papers over. If you are interested in either organization, let me know. I learned a lot doing the research and paper work. I have also met many distant cousins along the way.

Someone asked me how I am able to do this column while I have to be in San Antonio most of the week. I was in Sonora Friday and Saturday and heard lots of news. I write my column on Mondays after a few phone calls to check out information. I type it all into my little Power Book computer, plug the telephone cord into my computer, punch a button that says Devil's River News fax, and hit the spot that says send. My column appears as if by magic on the fax machine in the Devil's River News office. Modern technology is truly wonderful. In ten years or less, everyone will have at least a fax machine.

Happy birthday to Warren Wallace and Ken Kepler. Another special birthday this week is the 95th birthday of Ester Valliant, wife of the late Devers Valliant. Aunt Ester still lives at home and cares for herself. She can often be seen working in the yard or gathering pecans. I remember her beautiful needle work from years gone by, and the good times that we had when we were able to visit Uncle Devers and Aunt Ester. She is the last one left in my father's family. Happy Birthday Aunt Ester.

It's a boy! A.W. and Leona Bishop are grandparents. James McAllister, to be known as Mack, was born to Jim and Karen - congratulations!

Don't forget to purchase your map for the Sonora Merchant's Association Treasure Hunt. They go on sale Friday, March 17th for \$2.00 each. After working the crossword puzzle, take the letters that are marked with an asterisk and rearrange them into two, three word clues. These clues will help you find the hidden treasure. The treasure is a \$200.00 golden nugget. It can be seen at Tedford's Jewelry.

## SR. CENTER CELEBRATES BIRTHDAYS

The Senior Center will host the March birthday party Friday, the 17th, St. Patrick's Day. The Busy Bee Day Care children will perform a program. New City Manager, Kelly Carta, will also be present. The Center invites everyone to join the party. Green punch and cookies will be served.

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Heavyweights - PG  
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# Public Notice

## NOTICE OF SALE

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DATED March 3, 1995, and issued pursuant to a judgment decree of the District Court of Sutton County, Texas, by the Clerk of said Court on said date in a certain suit No. 4017, and styled Sutton County Appraisal District vs. Juan C. Gonzales, Lillia Gonzales, and The First National Bank of Sonora, Lien holder (In Rem Only), and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of Said Court, I have on March 3, 1995, seized, levied upon, and will on the first Tuesday in April, 1995, the same being the 4th day of said month at the Courthouse door of said County, in the City of Sonora, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 o'clock P.M. on said day, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all of the right, title, and interest of the defendants in such suit in and to the following described real estate levied upon as the property of said defendants, the same lying and being situated in the County of Sutton and the State of Texas, to-wit: Lot 3, Block B, Pedro Domingo Addition to the City of Sonora, Sutton County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 202, Page 299 of the Deed Records, Sutton County, Texas: Lot 7, Block B, Pedro Domingo Addition to the City of Sonora, Sutton County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 122, Page

145 of the Deed Records, Sutton County, Texas: Lot 8, Block B, Pedro Domingo Addition to the City of Sonora, Sutton County, Texas being that property more particularly described in Vol. 123, Page 744 of the Deed Records, Sutton County, Texas, or upon the written request of said defendants or their attorney, a sufficient portion thereof to satisfy said judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest and costs of suit and sale; subject, however, to the right of redemption, the defendants or any person having an interest therein, to redeem the said property, or their interest therein, within the period of time and in the manner provided by law, and subject to any other and further rights to which the defendants or anyone interested therein may be entitled, under the provisions of law. Said sale to be made by me to satisfy the judgment for delinquent property taxes and accrued penalties and interest rendered in the above styled and numbered cause, together with interest thereon and costs of suit and sale, and the proceeds of said sale to be applied to the satisfaction thereof, and the remainder, if any, to be applied as the law directs.

DATED March 3, 1995, at Sonora, Texas.

By W.W. Webster  
SHERIFF, Sutton County, Texas  
Joe M. Fincher  
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3-(3-9-95)-b

### submitted by Kay Hufstedler

**5th & 6th Grade Boys**  
**Spurs (16) vs. Hornets (17)**  
Spurs: Bryce Williams-10, Sean Fields-4, Byron Williams-2  
Hornets: Danny Solis-3, Chance Dillard-8, Joe Galindo-6  
**Spurs (15) vs. DaBoys (11)**  
Spurs: Bryce Williams-11, Byron Williams-2, Joey Quiroz-2  
DaBoys: Riley Crain-9, Chang Hernandez-2  
**Hornets (13) vs. Devils (10)**  
Hornets: Danny Solis-3, Bill Renfro-3, Joe Galindo-7  
Devils: Thomas Schenkel-4, Pete Samaniego-2, Adam Mendez-4  
**Hawks (10) vs. Hornets (19)**  
Hawks: Nicholas Lozano-4, Jeremiah McLaughlin-2, Javier Gayton-2, Stetson Hall-2  
Hornets: Larry Aguerro-2, Danny Solis-4, Chance Dillard-10, Bill Renfro-2  
**Attack Pack (22) vs. Spurs (38)**  
Attack Pack: Cole Cearley-4, Justin Routh-1, Baldemar Hernandez-4, Chris Green-2, Cody Ainsworth-3, James Elliott-8  
Spurs: Sean Fields-2, Joey Quiroz-4, Adrian Mendez-2, Bryce Williams-28, Byron Williams-2  
**DaBoys (16) vs. Hawks (15) Overtime**  
DaBoys: Riley Crain-13, Juan Reyes-2, Lionel Cervantez-1  
Hawks: Anthony Sanchez-3, Stetson Hall-2, Donald Hubble-4, Nicholas Lozano-2, Jeremiah McLaughlin-2, Javier Gayton-2  
**Devils (15) vs. Attack Pack (17)**  
Devils: Pete Samaniego-2, Matthew Torres-4, Adam Mendez-4, Jake Trainer-5  
Attack Pack: Cody Ainsworth-2, Cole Cearley-4, Chris Green-2, James Elliott-9

# CITY LEAGUE BASKETBALL RESULTS

**Hornets (8) vs. Wildcats (23)**  
Hornets: Danny Solis-2, Chance Dillard-2, Bill Renfro-4  
Wildcats: Crispin Lira-11, Ryan Hardgrave-2, Tom Jacoby-4, Kolby Whitehead-2, Harvey Villanueva-4  
**Hawks (22) vs. Attack Pack (18)**  
Hawks: Donald Hubble-2, Nicholas Lozano-4, Anthony Sanchez-6, Stetson Hall-3, Javier Gaytan-5, Jeremiah McLaughlin-2  
Attack Pack: Cody Ainsworth-2, Cole Cearley-8, Chris Green-4, James Elliott-4  
**Spurs (24) vs. Devils (20)**  
Spurs: Bryce Williams-14, Sean Fields-2, Byron Williams-2, Joey Quiroz-6  
Devils: Matthew Torres-8, Pete Samaniego-4, Thomas Schenkel-2, Adam Mendez-2, Jake Trainer-4  
**5th & 6th Grade Girls**  
**Dream Team (12) vs. Ladybugs (10)**  
Dream Team: Monica Lira-4, Whitney Martin-2, Lindsay Bowers-2, Selina Duran-4  
Ladybugs: Heather Felts-4, Lorena Lopez-4, Kasey Kearney-2  
**Bulldogs (10) vs. Tigers (7)**  
Bulldogs: Maribel Hernandez-6, Daisha Henson-4  
Tigers: Melissa Brants-7  
**Bulldogs (18) vs. Ladybugs (24)**  
Bulldogs: Maribel Hernandez-8, Serenna Duran-4, Daisha Henson-4, Cassie Perez-2  
Ladybugs: Heather Felts-18, Lorena Lopez-6  
**Dream Team (19) vs. Barracudas (4)**  
Dream Team: Monica Lira-8, Lindsay Bowers-9, Selina Duran-2  
Barracudas: Ashley Bible-2, Jennifer Gonzales-2  
**Ladybugs (13) vs. Tigers (8)**  
Ladybugs: Kasey Kearney-2, Heather Felts-11  
Tigers: Mary Jo Galvan-2, Pamela Shahan-2, Melissa Brants-5  
**3rd & 4th Grade Boys**  
**Blue Hawks (33) vs. Jammers (12)**  
Blue Hawks: Zed Snodgrass-2, Eloy Torres-1, Ervay Torres-8, Thomas Bloodworth-4, Scottie Moore-10, Amanuel Capuchina-8  
Jammers: Heath Prather-4, Seth Prather-4, Mario Magna-2, Adam Hadsall-2  
**Suns (10) vs. Bulls (8)**  
Suns: Josh Hopkins-5, John Trosper-2, Albert Borrego-2, Emmanuel Lopez-1  
Bulls: Chris Martin-4, Dustin Martin-4  
**Bulls (17) vs. Jammers (3)**  
Bulls: Chris Martin-1, Dustin Martin-6, R.C. Mata-10  
Jammers: Seth Prather-3  
**Suns (9) vs. Blue Hawks (21)**  
Suns: Josh Hopkins-4, John Trosper-4, Tom Valliant-1  
Blue Hawks: Eloy Torres-4, Thomas Bloodworth-4, Scottie Moore-9, Amanuel Capuchina-4  
**3rd & 4th Grade Girls**  
**Celtics (12) vs. Dolphins (16)**  
Celtics: Myra Martinez-2, Gabby Duran-6, Katie Roberts-4  
Dolphins: Jessi Bellard-2, Paola Garcia-2, Sarah Gutierrez-2, Cady Taylor-2, Keshia Frazier-2, Cortney Hill-6  
**Hot Shots (8) vs. Killer Bees (10)**  
Hot Shots: Koda Armke-4, Ashley Salinas-4  
Killer Bees: Jenny Hunt-4, Denevra Gloria-2, Kelly Kearney-4  
**Dolphins (6) vs. Killer Bees (3)**  
Dolphins: Jessi Bellard-2, Courtney Hill-2, Leandra Perez-2  
Killer Bees: Denevra Gloria-1, Jenny Hunt-2  
**Celtics (18) vs. Lady Tigers (23)**  
Celtics: Gabby Duran-94, Katie Roberts-6, Mariana Hinojosa-2, Evangelina Martinez-2  
Lady Tigers: Tameka Marshall-2, Ashley Parker-10, Maura Chavez-4  
**Dolphins (13) vs. Hot Shots (16)**  
Dolphins: Jessi Bellard-1, Keshia Frasier-4, Cortney Hill-8  
Hot Shots: Elizabeth Elliott-2, Koda Armke-8, Ashley Salinas-8  
Killer Bees (17) vs. Celtics (10)  
Killer Bees: Denevra Gloria-2, Dainah Hernandez-3, Jenny Hunt-8, Perla Perez-2, Kara Hard-2  
Celtics: Katrina Hernandez-1, Katie Roberts-9

## EMS HOLDS CPR CLASS

### submitted by Pat Campbell

Sutton County EMS sponsored an American Heart Association Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation class on Tuesday, February 21, 1995 from 7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m. Instructors for the class were George Keese, EMT; Jody Luttrell, EMT; and Patrick Braly, EMT.

Those attending the class were: Kaye Hufstedler, Chandra Hughes, Melissa Teaff, Cody Gann, Maibeth Woods, Makayla Galindo, Kristi Burge, Bree James, Vicky Richardson, and Dana Evans.

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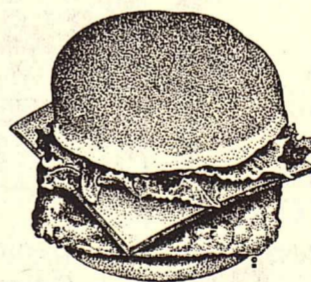
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