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Briefly

The Lions Club of Sonora Recycle for Sight at City Hall. Donate your used eye glasses. Questions? call Ben Solis 387-3191.

Bronco Booster Club meets every Monday night at the Field House at 6:30. Game film will be viewed at 7:00.

Early Voting for the November 4th General Election will begin October 20 through Oct. 31st. You may vote Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Annex. All precincts will vote at the Courthouse for the General Election on Tuesday, Nov. 4.

The Girl Scouts of Sonora are the sponsors for a "Make a Difference Day" project. They are collecting coats with drop-off locations at the Post Office, elementary school, Food Center and WTU. If you need a coat, call Regina Burris 387-2222, Darla McKissack 387-3253, Monica McGee 387-3969, Tammy Tidwell 387-2114, Mickey Schafer 387-2549.

Roses are Red, Violets are Blue, The Westside Lions Club has roses for you. Order now until October 31st. The prices are \$15 a dozen, \$10 for a half dozen. Delivery will be November 6th. If you have any questions, please contact Katherleen Freeman at 387-3736.

Blood Drive sponsored by Dee Ora Masonic Lodge will be held Wed. Oct. 29 by the United Blood Service of San Angelo from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Lodge Hall. Door prizes will be awarded. Contact Bruce Kerbow for more information 387-2240 or 387-2266.

Bronco Band Boosters meet every 3rd Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the High School Band Hall. All parents of Middle School and High School band students are encouraged to attend. New and fresh ideas are always welcomed. Due to the Fall Festival, the next meeting will be Tuesday, Oct. 28.

Social Security Representative Garland Gregg, has scheduled his October visit to Sonora. He will be at the County Courthouse in Sonora on Tuesday, October 28 from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Anyone who needs to file a claim for benefits, get information, or transact other business with the Social Security Administration may contact him at this time.

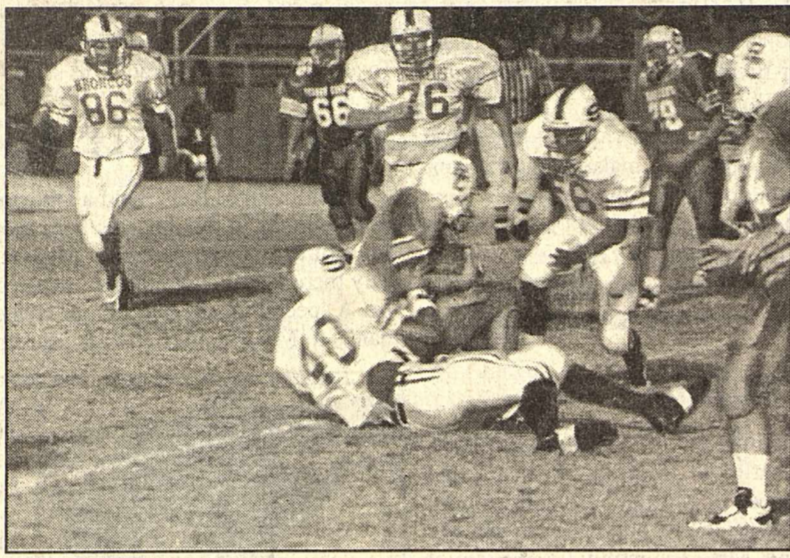
A Book Fair in the Middle School will be the week of Nov. 3-7. There will be books on display for you to purchase on primary, intermediate, and middle school levels. Prices will vary from 50 cents to \$14.95. The purpose of this project is to encourage your child to read and to have books available at home for them to read. The public is invited to come to the Middle School Library and look at the books from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Mon-Thurs.

St. Ann's to host Youth October Fest

St. Ann's Youth October Fest will be Sunday, October 26 from 12:00 noon to 4:30 p.m. at St. Ann's parking lot.

Food booths, game booths, Bingo, prize drawing and fall costume contest (no horror or scary costumes, positive roles only.) Help the children raise money for New CCE classrooms and Parish Hall. Come out and join the fun. Help support the children in reaching their goal. For more information call Tammy Favila at 387-3661 or Fr. Bill at 387-2278.

Broncos shut-out Reagan County Owls



Brad Legan (40) makes a tackle, assisted by Beau Hughes (86), Riffin Glasscock (76), and Michael Castilleja (56).

Submitted

The defense scored one touchdown and held the Reagan County Owls to 90 yards total offense, only three in the first half, as the Sonora Broncos got back on the winning track last Friday in Big Lake shutting out the Reagan County Owls 28 to 0. The Broncos 1-1 in district 4-3A, upped their season record to 3-4 against the winless Owls.

The Broncos took their first possession to their first touchdown of the night. Reagan County won the toss and chose to receive the opening kick-off. But the Broncos

defense did not allow the Owls one single yard. After the punt, the Broncos began a ten play drive from their own 45 to take a lead they would never relinquish. The Broncos went three for three on third down conversions, and scored on a seven yard pass from Justin Mathews to Michael McLaurin. Anthony Renfro's point after touchdown put the Broncos up 7-0 with 6:25 to go in the first quarter.

Three possessions later, the Broncos scored again on a seven yard run by Jason Jacoby, on the fifth play of a drive that began at the

Reagan County 48. On the Owl's first play after the kickoff, Broncos defensive back Tanner Fields intercepted Joe David West's pass and ran it 21 yards for a touchdown. Renfro's Point After Attempt gave the Broncos a 21-0 lead with 7:40 to go in the first half.

The Owl's next possession also ended with an interception. This one by Kasey Wood who returned it to the Owl 15 and the Broncos seemed to be set up for another score. Jacoby then ran to the Reagan County nine, but a holding penalty and the Owl's only two sacks of the night pushed the Broncos back to the 37 where the Broncos punted on fourth and 32.

In the second half, the Reagan County Owls mounted their only drive of the game, going from their own 31 to the Bronco 8 in 18 plays. The drive came up short on fourth and 8, from just outside the eight, when West's pass was too high for A.J. Goodloe.

From their own eight, the Broncos marched the 92 yards in thirteen plays for the games final score. Terry Stone ran for 53 of the yards, Mathews passed for 28, the final 15 yards to Brad Legan for the score on a third and four, the only third down play of the drive.

The Owl's next two possessions ended in interceptions by Breg Hughes and Graham Bloodworth, respectively.

Friday, October 24, Sonora hosts Kermit, 2-0 in district 4-3A.



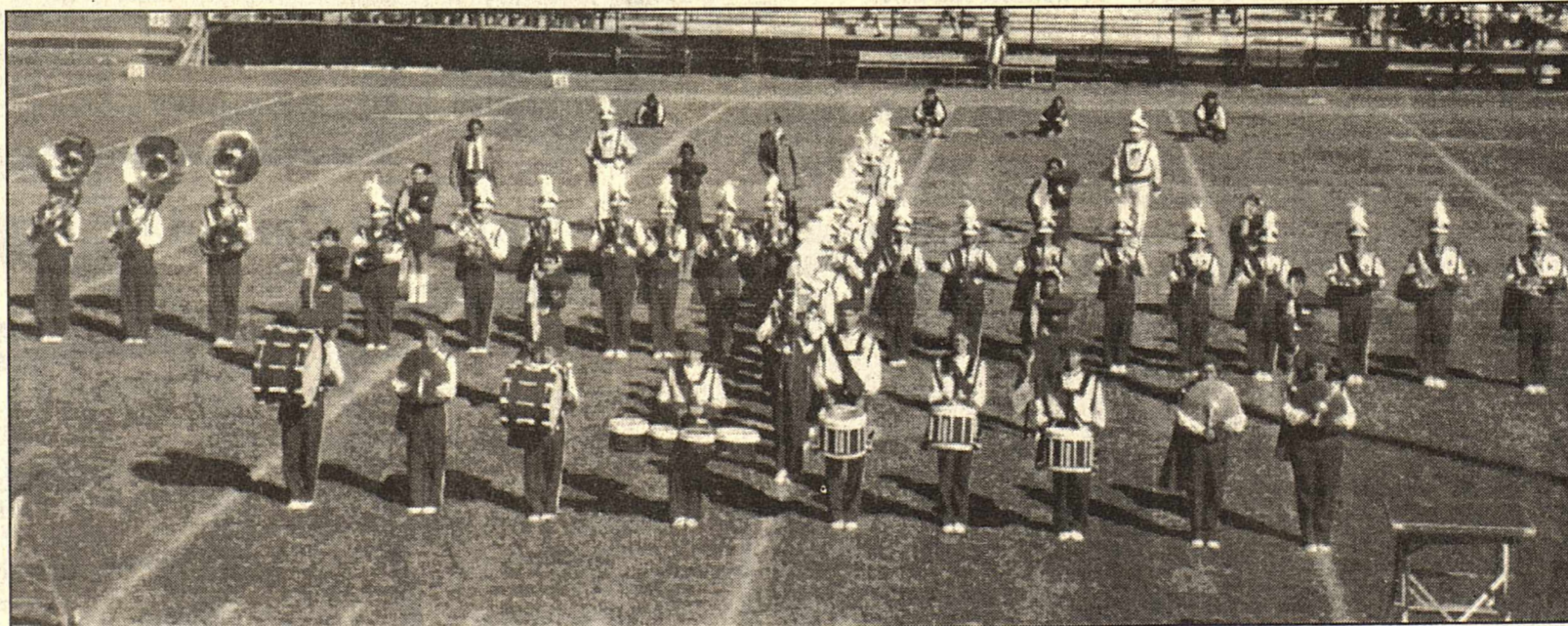
Business Basics at 112 North Concho, celebrated their grand opening Wed. Oct. 15. They specialize in office supplies, copies, fax transmissions, promotional flyers, special events programs, full service bookkeeping and tax preparation. Hours are Mon. - Fri. 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.



The McGee Family welcomes you to Los Jarritos Restaurant at the old Beto's Restaurant location. We are here to serve you and your family and friends. The hours are from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. every day. We offer daily specials.

The cooks are Angel Deavila, Benny Garza, Lela Morales, Juana Loera, Robert Murillo. The dishwashers are Lupe and Veronica Ayuayo, Alberto Castillo. The waitresses are Claudia Perez, Socorro Avila, Brenda Oilden, Blanca Loera, Laura Tovar, Elbe Samaniego.

Mighty Sonora Bronco Band attends contest



Submitted

The Mighty Sonora Bronco Band had a wonderful performance on Friday at the Reagan County game. The energetic band members were up early Saturday reviewing the video of their performance from the night before. Watching these students critique their own performance and helping each other with helpful tips for their big perfor-

mance in Brady was quite heart warming. After unloading the bus and going through a couple of practice runs of their program the students once again loaded up the van with their equipment and uniforms. The Mighty Bronco Band were escorted out of town by our wonderful police department.

In contrast to previous years we had a bus of loyal supporters in

the convoy. After a very bumpy two hour bus ride, and one with no air conditioning the band arrived in Brady. Then the Sonora supporters squeezed into the bleachers to watch the other Class AAA bands perform while nervously awaiting to see their children come out to perform. Sonora completed against 5 bands twice their size. The other Class AAA bands participating were

Reagan County, Llano, Brady, and Coleman. Our children performed very well, but according to the judges, received a Division 3. Their performance was so improved over the previous contest in San Antonio. Wait till next year Brady, WE'LL BE BACK!!! The Sonora Spirit Team by the way got a Division 1. This was the best turn out yet for Sonora in terms of support. All the

Sonora Boosters peeled themselves off the bleachers (remember next year haul the chairs) hiked back to the bus and helped the students with water bottles, changing out of uniforms AGAIN, loading their band equipment AGAIN and loading up for a scrumptious meal in Menard. After what seemed like years to some of us on the Spirit Bus we arrived at the Navajo restaurant.

The band supporters filled the entire restaurant. We warned them we were coming but like everything else that day they weren't ready for the Mighty Bronco Band or their appetites. After two hours some of us got their food!!! We loaded up on the bus at 9:00p.m. and finally headed back to Sonora. The spirit bus riders seemed to have had a wonderful time on their trip. No one even bothered to catch up on their reading but had a great time visiting with others. At 10:30 the buses pulled up in front of the High School and out poured the tired but still The Mighty Bronco Band. It was great to see the teamwork of some helping the unloading crew as tired as everyone was. After all it was only the fourth time that day they had to do this.

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Fall Back
Daylight Savings Time ends this Sunday, October 26.
This friendly reminder brought to you by First NATIONAL BANK 387-3861 Member FDIC

Sonora Ministerial Alliance to conduct deer distribution program

By Lewis Allen

The Sonora Ministerial Alliance will once again be conducting a deer distribution program throughout this hunting season.

A field-dress deer will be delivered to families who request one on a first come, first serve basis. Deliveries will be made by pastors and members of local churches and by local volunteers including the Sonora Fire Department, generally on Tuesday afternoon.

If you would like to receive a deer this season, you may contact Adelita Smalling at the Sutton County Justice of the Peace office, 387-3322, or Noemi Samaniego at the Texas Department of Health office, 387-2234.

If you would like to donate deer to this program, you may drop them off, properly tagged, at the

locker of Branding Iron Smokehouse, 204 S. Water Avenue.

During the past 5 years, over 500 deer have been distributed to families in Sonora. Many landowners have taken advantage of this program as an assistance to their game management programs.

For further information about this program, you may contact local pastors who are members of the Sonora Ministerial Alliance.

Bonilla to "kick-off" fundraising for Community Center

Submitted

U.S. Congressman Henry Bonilla will be in Sonora on November 10 to help "kickoff" fundraising for the Sutton County 4-H Community Center. Everyone in Sutton County is invited to attend the event at the current 4-H Center. Free food will be available beginning at 5:30 p.m.

The Sutton County 4-H Building Committee will be working on exact plans for the program, and more information will be forthcoming. The committee is trying to raise the money through donations and grants in order to build the new 15,000 square foot structure. The committee hopes to attract a large crowd, not only in support of the Center, but also to show appreciation to Congressman Bonilla for this tireless, honest, and genuine representation of the citizens of Sutton County and West Texas.

Mark your calendars early for November 10. If you would like to help in any way, call the Sutton County Extension Office at 387-3101 or any of the committee members.

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Food Center Deli 600 S. Crockett Ave.
387-5616

La Mexicana 240 N. Hwy. 277
387-3401

Pizza Hut 401 Hwy. 277 N.
387-3540

Rosie's Cafe 207 E. Glasscock Ave.
387-5552

Sonic Drive-In 202 Hwy. 277 N.
387-5292

Sutton County Steakhouse 1306 N. Service Rd.
387-3833

Town & Country Subway 610 S. Crockett
387-6181

Town & Country-Country Kitchen
903 N. Crockett Ave.
387-2169

Sonora Church Directory

PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA
504 Santa Clara
387-2035

CHURCH OF CHRIST
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304 W. Water
387-3190

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Rev. Paul Cornelius, Assoc. 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. Suzanne Steves, Pastor
201 NW Water
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Our Sympathy

Emma Creagh Box

Graveside services for Emma Creagh Box, 94, were held at 3 p.m. Oct. 16, 1997 in Breckenridge Cemetery, Breckenridge, Texas. The Rev. Andrew Channer of Breckenridge's Presbyterian Church officiated.

Mrs. Box died Oct. 13, 1997 at an Ada hospital. She was born Sept. 3, 1903, at Breckenridge, Texas, to William Reardon Creagh and Cynthia Ann Crudgington Creagh. She attended school at Breckenridge and earned a bachelor's degree in art from North Texas State University at Denton.

She taught art at East Texas State College at Commerce, Texas, until she came to Ada in 1955. She also received a master's degree from Teacher's College, Columbia University, at New York, N.Y. She studied painting at the Art Students League in New York and later studied at the Hans Hoffman's School of Painting at Provincetown, Mass. She taught nine years at East Central State College in Ada, Oklahoma.

She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Ada. After her retirement, she was active in groups such as the Faculty Wives Club, the Valley View Hospital Auxiliary, Pontotoc County Retired Teachers and various political groups.

She married E.O. Box, Sr. in 1954. He preceeded her in death in 1981.

Survivors include two step sons, E.O. Box Jr. and Hal Box, both of Austin. Nieces are: Martha Klatt of Monahans, Jo Ann Stuard of Horseshoe Bay, Peggy Creagh of Breckenridge, Carolyn Sloan of Houston, and Cynthia Ward of Sonora. Nephews are John Creagh of Breckenridge, and Buster Creagh of Horseshoe Bay.

The family requests that those who wish may make memorial contributions to the Valley View Hospital Auxiliary, 430 N. Monta Vista, Ada Okla. 74820.

Criswell Funeral Home of Ada was in charge of arrangements.

Robert J. Moffatt

Robert J. Moffatt was born Sept. 9, 1918, in Kansas City, Mo., and grew up in Pecos County and San Antonio, Texas. He had resided in Shreveport since 1947. He died Sunday, Oct. 19, 1997, after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Moffatt is survived by his wife, Margaret Fay Smith Moffatt; daughters, Mary Moffatt Clark of Houston and Margaret Moffatt Halliburton of San Antonio; sons, Charles D. Moffatt of Austin and Robert J. Moffatt Jr. of Shreveport; a sister-in-law and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond G. Pipken of San Angelo; and a brother-in-law, Gene Shurley of Sonora.

A memorial service was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 22, at St. Catherine of Sienna Catholic Church.

Cards Of Thanks

To the 7th grade boys football team:
It was so much fun watching your football game in Llano. Of course your winning made it even more fun. I was really proud of you. the Llano team has some big boys, but you were able to stop them.
I guess what really made me the proudest was knowing you were making your grades. I hope you keep this winning attitude up-in class and on the football field all the way through high school!
Take care, hang in there, study hard and be a winner.
Jane Lynch

SCHOOL MENU

<p>Monday, October 27 Hot Biscuits w/Gravy, Assorted Cereal Juice/Fruit</p> <p>Macaroni Beef, English Peas, Applesauce, Orange Jello, Roll</p> <p>Wednesday, October 29 Grilled Cheese, Tater Tots Juice/Fruit</p> <p>Hot Dog On Bun, Tater Tots, Pork & Beans, Vegetable Sticks w/Dip</p> <p>Friday, October 31 Boo Berry Muffin Squares Juice/Fruit</p> <p>Beef & Cheese Chalupas, Refried Beans, Tossed Salad, Pears, Halloween Cup Cakes</p>	<p>Tuesday, October 28 Scrambled Eggs, Cinnamon Rolls, Juice/Fruit</p> <p>Spaghetti w/Meatsauce, Mixed Veggies, Pears, Roll</p> <p>Thursday, October 30 Breakfast Pizza Juice/Fruit</p> <p>Cheese Burger, Tater Tots, Green Beans, Peaches, Ice Cream</p>
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All meals served with milk

Open Letter

The Sonora Downtown Lions Club would like to take this opportunity to thank all the members of our community who so graciously assisted in our annual Lions Club Auction this September.

Local merchants, ranchers, business persons and private individuals once again responded generously by donating over 100 items to be auctioned, and they did so with willing eagerness. Local citizens once again were present at the auction or made arrangements to place their kids through representatives, enabling the Lions Club to have another successful fundraiser this year. We cannot thank these loyal supporters enough, either for their generosity this fall or for their diligent assistance through the years.

By such generosity, the Lions Club is enabled to continue its support of Sonora's Girl Scout, Boy Scout, and Little League programs. To assist with Sonora traditions such as the Speech Meet, the Game Dinner and the Wool Show to express the community's appreciation for our teachers, administrators and school personnel through the annual hamburger supper; and to meet a variety of needs as they arise in the community.

We are always humbled by the community's trust that is placed in us by such generous contributions to our club. And we are made glad simply to belong to such a good town, where citizens so willingly pull together to promote the well-being of all who reside here. We salute all who have supported our efforts to serve Sonora and Sutton County.


We would lastly like to give special thanks to Trey Rushing and Preston Faris, who served as auctioneers this year.

With sincere gratitude,
The Sonora Downtown Lions Club

Band Contest

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Sonora gives their Band a Division 1 for all their hard work and preparation. Being in this band is hard work but also is fun thanks to our new Band directors Mr. Armando Medina and Mr. Fred Bilderback. They are truly there to help our children succeed. We also give them a Division 1 rating. A special thanks goes to our chaperones and to our support team. A big thank to Mr. Abundez and Mr. Hardin for the use of the Spirit Bus!



MISSING
Jose Maria Guerra
Last seen: October 3, 1997

Age: 55, Height: 5'2", Weight: 160
Hair: Whitish/Gray, Has a beard, tattoos on both arms. If seen please notify the Sonora Police Department at 915/387-3888, the Del Rio Police Department at 830/774-2711, or his family at 915/387-3097.

PERDIDO -Jose Maria Guerra Ultima ves que lo vieron fue el dia 3 de octubre 1997.
edad: 55 anos, de alto: 5'2", peso: 160 pelo: canaso con barba canasa. Tambien tiene estatuas en los dos brazos. Un pie mocho. Se alquien lo a visto que departe ha la comandancia de acuna coahuila o los familiares-387-3097.

Ronnie Cox

would like to be your pharmacist.

SENIOR CENTER

Calendar of Events

October 23- Kooking w/Kelly! Nutrition Program-noon
October 26- Set Clocks back one hour, St. Ann's Youth October Fest
October 27- "Heart Health" video and program, noon
October 28-Bingo
October 30-Crafts

Lunch Menu

Thursday, October 23
Chicken Fried Steak w/Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Roll, Fresh Orange

Friday, October 24
Fried Catfish, Corn/Tomato Casserole, Spinach, Roll, Fruited Jello

Monday, October 27
Chicken Strips/Gravy, Pinto Beans, Mustard Greens, Cornbread, Grape Juice, Cherry Cobbler

Tuesday, October 28
Hamburger w/Mustard, Oven Fried Fries, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Onions, Carrot Salad, Fruit Cocktail

Wednesday, October 29
Turkey Giblet Gravy, Cranberries, Dressing, Broccoli, Roll, Cabbage Salad, Pumpkin Pie

Thursday, October 30
Meatloaf, Tomato Sauce, Blackeyed Peas, Okra, Cornbread, Banana Pudding

Friday, October 31
Steakfingers, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Roll, Fresh Orange

Guest Meals are \$4.00.
Suggested donation for Senior Citizens is \$1.75.

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Community Calendar

October 23

Thursday, October 23
5:6:30, 7th & 8th vs. Rankin., there
6:30, J.V./Freshman. vs. Kermit., in Rankin

Friday, October 24
7:30, Broncos vs. Kermit-here

Sunday, October 26
12:00-4:30 p.m. October Fest, St. Ann's Parking Lot

Sutton County National Bank
207 Hwy 277 N

October 29

Monday, October 27
6:30 Bronco Boosters Meeting, Field House

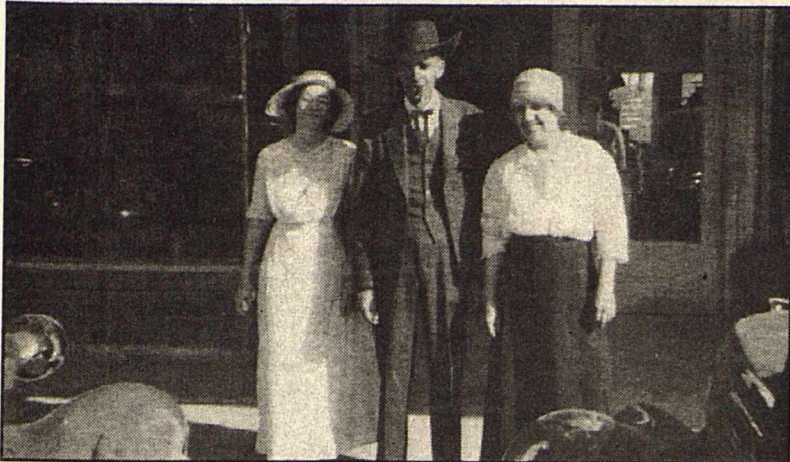
Tuesday, October 28
7:00 Band Boosters Meeting, High School Band Hall

Wednesday, October 29
11:00-6:00 p.m. Blood Drive at Dee Ora Lodge

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The Community Calendar is made possible by:

Ask The Historical Society



Taken in front of the Ford House in 1939 - Can you identify anyone in this photo?

By Jo-Ann E. Palmer

Q. Why doesn't Mother Teresa automatically become a saint? Why aren't there any American saints?

A. Sainthood is not automatically bestowed on people. It is a long process with many rules that are strictly adhered to. Normally it is the practice of the modern Roman Catholic Church to first recognize a person through a declaration by a pope that a person is in heaven and may be accorded limited veneration. This is called beatification. Usually not until 50 years after their death is a person recognized by the pope in a ceremony called canonization. There are many true saints that have never been recognized for their works, usually because of the humbleness of their lives or that they lived so long ago proper records of their deeds cannot be found.

American saints do exist. I will list a few of them with a brief history:

Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini was born in Lodi, near Milan, Italy in 1850. She was the daughter of a well-to-do farmer. Despite her delicate health she became a nun and dedicated herself to helping mainly the sick and poor. She founded the Missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart in 1880. It was her wish to go to China and serve the poor there but Pope Leo XIII convinced her to give this up and in 1889 sent her to the United States to work among Italian-Americans. She founded orphanages, missions and hospitals and lived for a long time in Chicago where she aided Italian immigrants. In 1909 she became a United States citizen. She died in 1917 and became the first United States citizen to be canonized in 1946. Her feast day is December 22.

Saint Elizabeth Bayley Seton. Elizabeth Bayley was born in New York City in 1774. She married William M. Seton, a wealthy merchant, in 1794. She was active in charitable work and in 1797 helped found the first organized charity in New York City. Her husband died in 1803, leaving her a widow with five children. In 1805 she converted to Catholicism and moved to Baltimore where she opened a school for Catholic girls. In 1809 she founded the Sisters of St. Joseph, later called the Sisters of Charity of St. Vincent de Paul, and was mother superior of the order the rest of her life. She is credited with establishing the first Catholic free school in the U.S. and beginning the American parochial school system. She died in 1821 and on September

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14, 1975 became the first native-born American to become a Saint of the Roman Catholic Church. She was a pioneer of Catholic education and social welfare.

Saint John Neumann, born in Bohemia, came to America and was the Bishop of Philadelphia.

There are several people on the blessed, or venerated list. One of these is Catherine Tekakwitha, a Mohawk Indian. She is called the Blessed Lily of the Mohawk and is the first Indian to be declared venerable by the Roman Catholic Church.

Junipero Serra, a Spanish missionary was born on the island of Mallorca in 1713. He became a Franciscan friar and was a philosophy teacher at the University at Palma. In 1749 he sailed to Mexico to serve among the Indians. He accompanied a Spanish expedition to California in 1769 and is accorded with founding the following missions: San Diego de Alcalá in 1769, San Carlos de Borromeo (Monterey) 1770, San Antonio de Padua 1771, San Gabriel Arcangel 1771, San Luis Obispo de Tolosa 1772, San Francisco de Asis 1776, San Juan Capistrano 1776, Santa Clara de Asis 1777 and San Beunaventura (Ventura) 1782. He was an important figure in the colonization of what is now California. His goal was to bring Christianity to the Indians in that area. He died in 1784.

We also found some Jesuit martyrs in New York: Father Isaac Jogues had been captured and adopted by Mohawk Indians in 1642. He escaped and returned to France soon after. He returned as the French envoy and was brutally slain for practicing sorcery, by the Indians in 1645 in New York state. Father John de Brebeuf and his companions were also killed by Indians in New York. In researching this, I had help from two of my Massachusetts readers. Thank you Kathleen and Anita Daniels for the

material on Mohawk Indians. It was fascinating reading. If you are interested in early American history, I would highly recommend that my readers check into the history of the Indians in the New England area.

Q. Is Coca-Cola really 100 years old?

A. According to my records, Coca-Cola was first concocted in 1886 by an Atlanta pharmacist as a headache tonic. The carbonated, sugared soda was then marketed as "the pause that refreshes" and won 20th century popularity.

Several other products made here in America are Jell-O, made by a New York cook around 1900 by mixing powdered gelatin, fruit flavors and sugar and dubbed the "dessert with a wiggle." Kool-aid was available only through mail order in 1914 and now can be found on in almost all grocery stores. Hershey Bars made their debut in 1894 and were followed by Cracker Jack in 1896, Whitman's Sampler and Life Savers in 1912 and M&M's in 1941. The ice cream cone was supposedly started by a vendor at the 1904 St. Louis Purchase Exhibition who ran out of serving dishes. A vendor near him gave him a paper-thin pastry rolled into a cone and he used this to serve the ice cream in.

Q. How long did the Pony Express last?

A. Started in 1860 the Pony Express lasted only 19 months. During that time approximately 650,000 miles had been ridden and 34,753 pieces of mail delivered. Only one sack of mail was lost during its operation. The fastest trip occurred when President Lincoln's inaugural address was delivered to Sacramento in 7 days and 17 hours. Usually when a rider was slain by Indians or bandits his horse galloped on to the next station with the mail. In October 1861 when the transcontinental telegraph was completed the debt ridden company was forced to quit.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton Co. history, send them to Ask the Historical Society, P.O. Box 885, Sonora, TX 76950-0885 or give us a call at 915-387-2855 afternoons or evenings. You may also e-mail us at schs@sonora.digicom.net.

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Steve Anderson
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Sonora Middle School location for upcoming book fair

Submitted

There will be a Book Fair in the Sonora Middle School the week of November 3-7, 1997. Books will be on display for you to purchase on Primary, Intermediate, and Middle School levels.

Prices will vary from .50 to \$14.95. The purpose of this project is to encourage your child to read and to have books available at home for them to read.

The public is invited to come to the Middle School Library and look at the books from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Monday - Thursday.

John Sharp announces unclaimed property for Sonora residents

Submitted by Charles Cusenbary
A Message from John Sharp

The state is holding \$700 million in abandoned cash, jewelry, stock, and other valuables belonging to individual Texans. Some of it may be yours and we'd like to help you get it back.

The Unclaimed Property program collects forgotten assets from businesses and financial institutions and tries to return them to their rightful owners. These assets might include a check that has gone uncashed for more than three years or a bank account that has shown no activity for five years.

Other personal property reported as abandoned could include stock and bonds, insurance policy proceeds, mineral royalties, utility deposits, or credit balances on charge accounts. Even the contents of long forgotten safe deposit boxes often end up in the hands of the state.

That's why we publish this list of newly reported unclaimed property valued at \$100 or more once a year. Even though there's no time limit for filing a claim on your lost property, we want you to retrieve what rightfully belongs to you as quickly as possible.

Here's how it works. The list is presented alphabetically by city. Just look for your name under the city where you now live or other cities where you may have lived in the past. Don't forget to look for the names of any businesses you may own while you're at it. Finally, there's a heading for names where no address has been reported, so be sure to check there, too.

If you find your name on any of these lists, please call us toll-free at 1-800-654-3463, or e-mail us directly at unclaimed.property@cpa.state.tx.us. If you prefer to write us a letter, please mail it to Unclaimed Property, P.O. Box 12019; Austin,

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Last year, we reunited Texans with nearly \$35 million of their missing money. If you'd like to search to see whether your name has been reported during the previous five years, visit our web site at <http://www.window.state.tx.us>.

In today's mobile society, it's easy to lose track of things. If we have something that belongs to you, we want to help you get it back.

These are the names of people in Sonora that have unclaimed property:

John Bell, Shannon Clarkson, Allen Wayne Cook, Dorothy Mims Cusenbary, J. Tanner Dunn, John Gibson, Gully Son Inc., Shelia R. Hemphill, Alice Jones, J.C. Mayfield Jr., aye McCoy, Richard J. McCurdy, Michelle D. McDonald, Scott A. Mershon, Harold Miller, Santa A. Ozuna, Ruth T. Shurley, Fred Sutton, and Mary Beth Turney.



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8th grade Colts silence the Owls with 22 - 8 victory

Submitted

This past Thursday, the 8th Grade Colts traveled to Big Lake to take on their counter parts from Reagan County. The Colts had their hands full from the very beginning of the game. Ultimately, the Colts would win the game, but it would take a great team effort as well as capitalizing on 2 of the 7 Owl turnovers to claim a 22 to 8 win.

The Colts, receiving the opening kick-off could not get anything going as they were forced to turn the ball over on downs. After a miscued quick kick, the Owls took possession of the football at their own 48 yard line. It only took the Owls 6 plays to gain a 6 point advantage. The try for two was good and the Owls led 8 to 0.

On the Colts' next possession, Hervey Villanueva carried the ball 5 times, gaining 34 of his 64 rushing yards as well as scoring the Colts' first touchdown of the day. Sean Fields scored the 2 point conversion on a fake field goal attempt. Colts 8-Owls 8.

The next two possessions by both teams ended in the exchange of punts, however; on the punt by the Colts, the Owl receiver bobbled the ball and Justin Routh of Sonora claimed the loose football. The Colts returned the favor 3 plays later.

The Owls took control of the

ball on their own 27 yard line. On the Owls' first play after the turnover, their tailback mishandled a pitch and Ricky Lumberras of the Colts recovered the ball on the Owl 21 yard line. The Owl defense stiffened as the Colts neared the goal line, and on a fourth and goal at the one, the Owls stopped the Colts short. The Owls were not able to move the ball and the half time buzzer found the game knotted at 8 points a piece.

The Owls received the second half kick-off only to fumble it into the waiting arms of Colt defender Ponciano Castillo at their 21 yard line. The Colts struck quickly, as Sean Fields outraced the Owls to score the Colts second touchdown of the evening. The try for two failed and the Colts led 14 to 8.

On Reagan County's next possession, some very hard hitting by the Colt defense jarred the ball loose for the fourth time of the day with Stetson Hall recovering this one. The Colts were unable to sustain the ensuing drive and were forced to punt the ball.

It only took one play, before the Colts were back in business as the Owls fumbled the ball and Chance Arnke found it and claimed the ball for the Colts for the fifth time of the game. This possession by the Colts proved to be devastating; as running back Hervey Villanueva was injured and had to be taken to the hospital

for a broken leg.

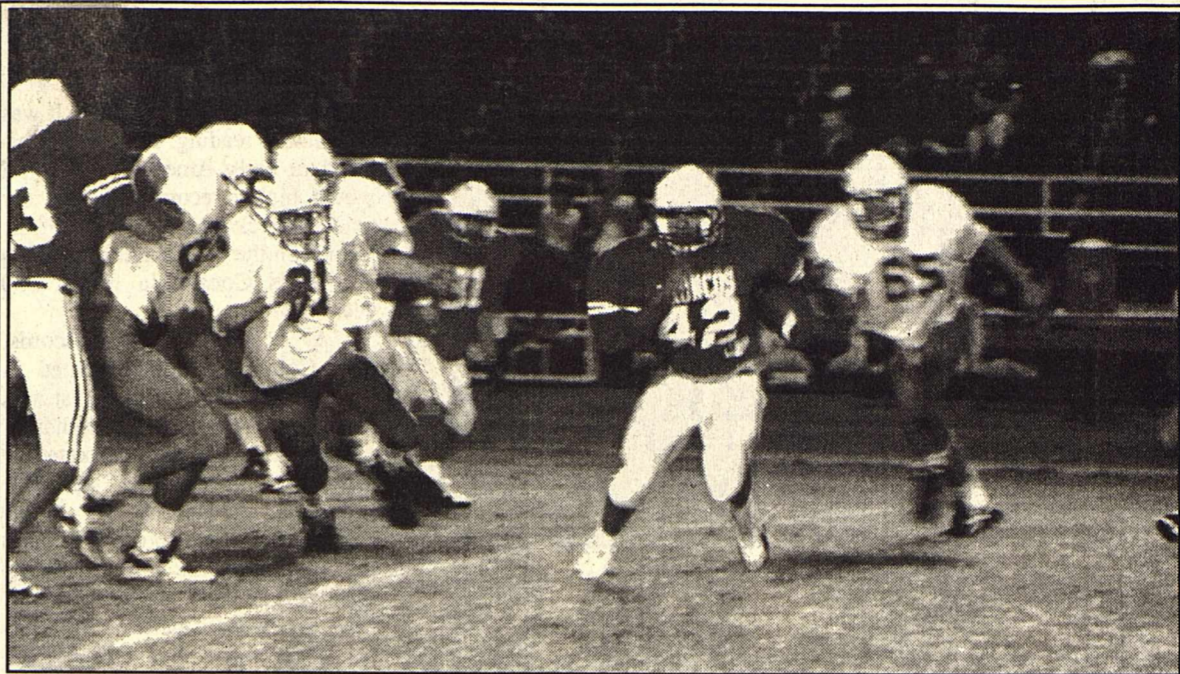
As the ambulance left the field a new chant could be heard coming from this young group of Broncos: THIS ONE IS FOR HERVEY!!!!

The Colts were unable to capitalize on this turnover and had to punt the ball away. The Owls took possession of the ball and began to drive the ball on the Colts. However, on the seventh play of the drive, Brandon Scott rolled out right and hit Stetson Hall with a perfect strike to add two more points to the total. Colts 22- Owls 8.

The Owls were not going to give up, as they took the ensuing kick-off and drove it down the field. The Owls began on their own 35 yard line and on three runs and one pass play found themselves at the Colts 22 yard line.

Here the Colt defense stiffened, the Owls sensing that with a weakened secondary, the Colts were vulnerable to the pass. This was far from the truth, as Sean Fields took an almost certain touchdown pass away from the Owl receiver at the 4 yard line and returned it to the Owl 28 yard line where he was finally overtaken by a faster Owl. The Colts ran out the clock to preserve their fifth win of the season. Colts 22-Owls 8.

The Colts will travel to Rankin this Thursday to take on the Run and Shoot Offense of the Rankin Red Devils. Hope to see you there.



Crispin Lira led yards rushing with 103.

JV Broncos blast Reagan County Owls

Submitted

Thursday night the Sonora J.V. Broncos met the Reagan County Owls in Bronco Stadium and defeated them 40 to 8. The Owls drew first blood by returning the opening kick-off for a 92 yard touchdown. After lining up in a really unusual split formation they ran across the 2 point conversion. The rest of the night, however, belonged to the Broncos.

Jason Surber took the kick-off and returned it to the 40. The first Red offensive drive covered 60 yards in five plays, ending with a touchdown by Simon Murillo. William's pass to Mayfield in the endzone was incomplete and the score was Sonora 6 and Reagan County 8 with 7:43 left in the first quarter.

Gaytan kicked to the Owls 30 and on the second play, a wall of Bronco defense led by Edgar Gonzales caused a fumble recover-

ed by Ernie Perez. Three plays later Lira scored on a left sweep from the 13. Jacoby added two more on a run up the middle to take the lead 14 to 8. After another unsuccessful Owl offensive drive the Broncos took over on their own 36. Runs by Jacoby and Murillo with a 30 yard pass to Riley Crain set up a four yard touchdown run by Jacoby. The extra point kick was blocked and the score was 20 to 8 late in the first quarter.

The Bronco's next scoring drive came halfway through the second quarter. Jared Perciful at quarterback directed his offense from the Owl 39 yard line to score on a 7 yard pass to Mikey Solis in the endzone. The kick was good to give the Broncos a 27 to 8 lead at the half.

Sonora took the kick to start the second half and quarterback Williams made short work of scoring five plays later on a 7 yard pass to Crain. The extra point attempt

failed for a score of 33 to 8. After holding the Owls to 7 downs and a punt, Broncos took over and scored on the second play with a 44 yard run by Lira. With the extra point the score climbed to 40 to 8. Late in the fourth quarter Thomas Schenkel recovered an Owl fumble to give the Broncos another offensive series, but time ran out and the game was over.

At quarterback Williams was four for seven for 78 yards and a touchdown while Perciful was two for four for 10 yards and one touchdown. Broncos had twelve first downs and 270 yards rushing for the night. Lira led with 103 yards, Jacoby 61, West 34, Murillo 28, and Surber 27. One of the least acknowledged but key parts of any football team is the offensive line. Without their hard work protecting and blocking the quarterbacks and running backs couldn't have had all the success they have had this season.

Fallball results in winning team

Submitted

On Saturday, Sonora Little League Fallball traveled to San Angelo to play the Northern Little League in two games, and Sonora came away with two wins. In both games Sonora played against teams with either more raw talent, size, experience, or any combination of the three, but fundamental defense and consistent bats prevailed.

The first game Sonora jumped ahead by scoring four runs off of five hits in the first inning. Hits by Austin Wagner, Ty Cove, Cameron Cox, Will Ferguson, and Embre Smith, and good base running by Jake Adams and Garrett Watkins put the red team ahead. Other good hits came from Dustin Rawls and a good bunt laid down by Justyn Gray kept Sonora moving around the bases. Sonora held San Angelo to only four runs led by Brandon Munn catching and great pitching by Embre Smith, Anthony Longoria, Cullen Parker and Mason Martinez. The defense was strong during the entire game because of stops made by David Luna, Cameron Cox, Garrett Watkins, and Ty Love. The infield was backed up by an outfield that was on the move the entire game. Trent Rainer and Dustin Rawls made some great stops and throws from the field. Sonora was

victorious in four innings with a score of 7 to 4.

In the second game Sonora was up against a much older, larger, and very talented team; again, fundamental defense, strong hitting, and a "don't quit" attitude gave Sonora the win by a score of 14 to 13 in six innings.

Sonora jumped out ahead in the first by batting through the lineup all the way back to the second batter, scoring five runs out of five hits. Only one grounder made it through the determined infield during the entire game. Nearly all of San Angelo's runs came by hitting the gap in the outfield. Very strong pitching came from Dustin Creek, Stetson Perez, and Clayton Hicks. Great fielding came from Roland Solis, Cullen Parker, Mason Martinez, Anthony Longoria, Embre Smith, Nathanael Prather, and the pitchers. Everyone on the team hit the ball very good, with batting averages ranging from .333 to .677 for the game. Sonora scored fourteen runs off of twelve hits because of good speed and heads up base running. It was an exciting game that was tied at the bottom of the fourth, when Sonora answered back with four more runs in the fifth and held San Angelo to three and shut them out in the sixth.

Both teams were led by coach,

role model, and encourager, Fernie "Rocket Man" Emiliano, and Clay Hicks.

We would like to say a special thank you to Luther Creek and Creek Swabbing for donating all the shirts for the kids.

Dogfight in Big Lake ends with 7th grade Colts victory

Submitted

Last Thursday, the Seventh grade Colts ran into a good old fashioned dogfight in Big Lake. The Colts basically were outmanned and outgunned by the Reagan County Owls. However, as in the weeks before, the Colts found a way to overcome the size and speed difference and come out the victors in a very hard fought football game.

The Owls took the opening kick-off and marched it down the field on a 80 yard drive to get the first score of the game. This drive not only consumed the yardage, but more importantly the Owls were able to use all but 22 seconds of the allotted time for the first quarter. At the end of the first quarter the Owls led the Colts by a score of 8 to 0. The Colts returned the favor in the second quarter by controlling all but about 50 seconds of the time clock. The Colts took possession of the football on their own 35 yard line. Behind the running of Dustin Martin

and Imanuel Lopez, the Colts advanced the ball to the Owl 35 yard line where the Owl defense stiffened. The Colts had to give the ball up on downs. On the Owls first play of their second possession, the quarterback fumbled the snap and Israel Arevalo recovered it on the Owl 35 yard line. It only took the Colts 3 plays to put the ball in the endzone. On the first, Imanuel Lopez rolled right and lofted a pass to Reyes Garcia who rambled to the Owl 9 yard line. Thomas Bloodworth tried the meat of the Owl defense, but was only able to gain a couple of very hard earned yards. On the third play Imanuel Lopez sprinted left on a quarterback keeper and outraced the Owls to the endzone for Sonora's first score of the afternoon. The try for two came up short, and the Owls held an 8 to 6 advantage at the intermission.

The second half settled into a defensive battle, as neither team was able to mount a drive of any consequence. The Owls, late in the third

quarter began to move the ball but play by Thomas Bloodworth, Eloy and Ervay Torres, Israel Arevalo, Daniel Garcia, and Juan Rodriguez thwarted any chance that the Owls might have had. In the fourth quarter, the Colts began their touchdown winning drive on their own 35 yard line. On a fourth and eight at the midfield stripe, the Colts had one play left to preserve an undefeated season to this point. The play was called, the huddle was broken, and the young men from Sonora took the line. The cadence was given, the ball was snapped, Imanuel Lopez rolled right, and behind some very good blocking up front (Eloy Torres, Ervay Torres, Brandon West, Seth Prather, Israel Arevalo, and Thomas Bloodworth), was able to toss a perfect strike to a wide open Reyes Garcia who sprinted to complete the remaining 30 yards to complete the 50 yard touchdown play. The try for two proved to be no good and the Colts now led 12 to 8. The Owls now had about two and half minutes

to work with on the clock. On a third and long, a pass was lofted up, Reyes Garcia from his linebacker spot dashed all hopes that the Owls might have had as he intercepted the pass. The Colts were able to run out the clock to preserve the 12 to 8 victory.

All of the Colts are to be commended on their play; without the teamwork and unselfishness of each of these players, this victory would not have been achieved.

The next game for this group of Colts will be a combined effort with the 8th grade in Rankin this Thursday at 5:00 p.m. If you can attend, your support will be greatly appreciated.

GOOD LUCK COLTS!!!!!!

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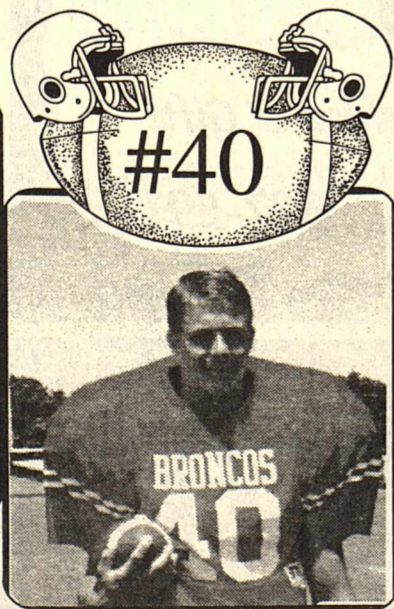


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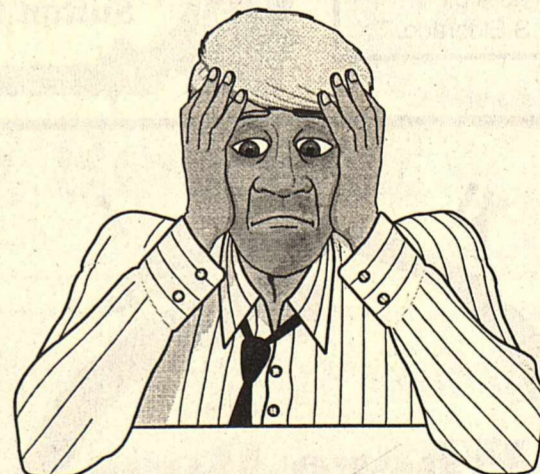


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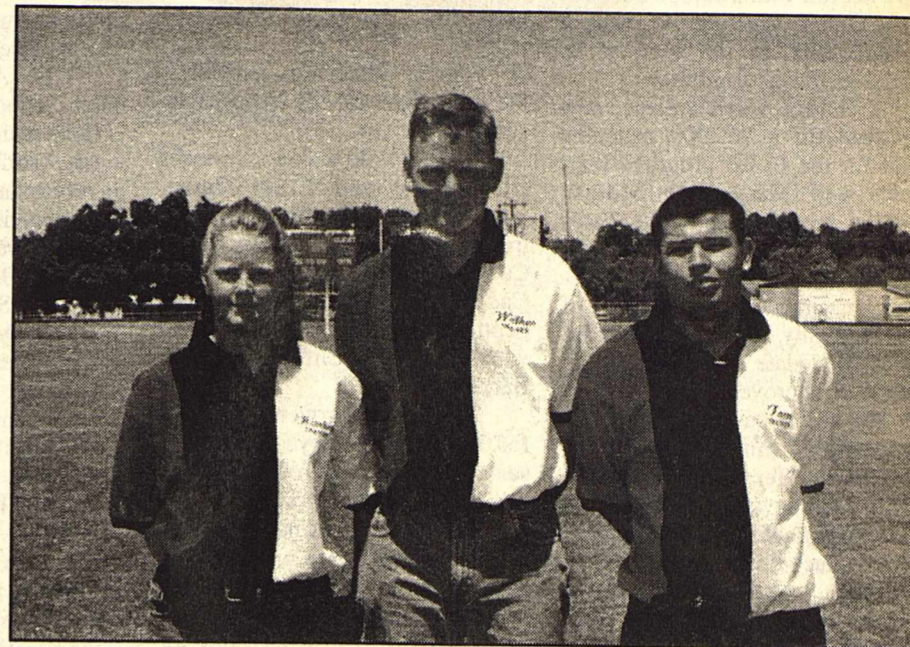
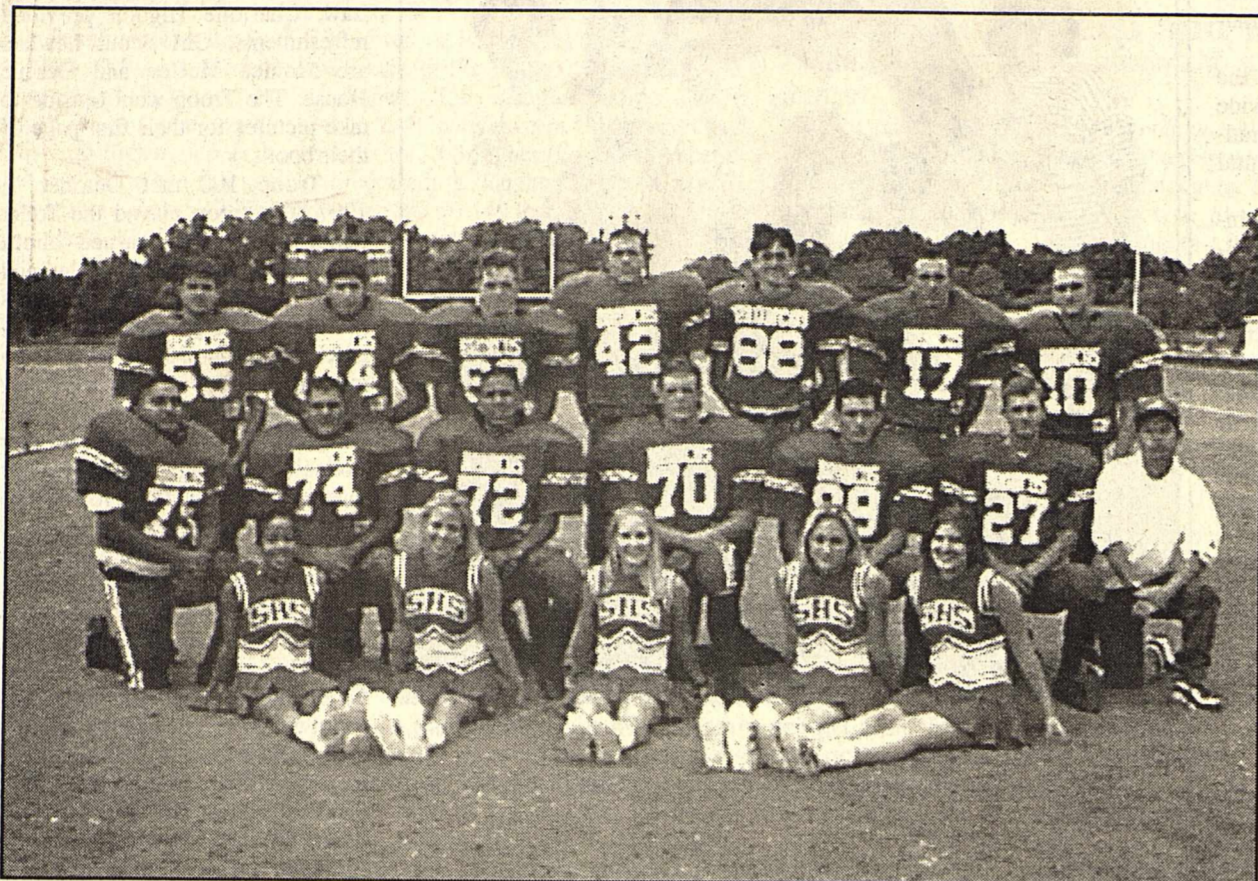
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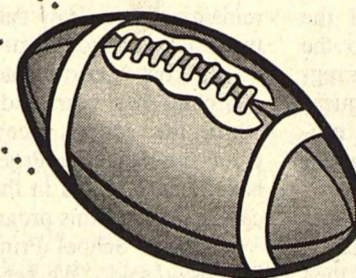
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1997-98 Coaches, Managers, & Seniors



Kimber Thompson, Walker Thompson, and Matt Routh (not pictured)-Student Trainers. Tom Ramon-Manager

The Seniors- Front row (l-r): Camille Marshall, Ashley Henson, Katy Cooke, Megan McMeans, and Stefany Davenport. Middle row (l-r): Carlos Gamez, David Arevalo, Jacob Mendez, Blaine Wilkinson, Johnny Rivas, Jason Jacoby, and Tom Ramon. Back row (l-r): Nathan Favela, Zac Ramos, Chris Braly, Kasey Wood, Michael McLaurin, Terry Stone, and Justin Mathews.



Back row (l-r): Larry Jennings, Drew Cox, Brian Lowe, Steven Ashley, Dan Dockery, and Johnny Creek. Front row (l-r): Tryon Fields, Lance Powell, Dale Heath-Head Coach, Mario DeSantiago, Eddie Favila, and Thomas Hanson.

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October School Board Meeting

The Sonora ISD certified the 1997 tax roll with a \$5,000,000 levy at the Oct. 13 meeting. Payment of current bills in the amount of \$462,216.18 was approved.

A budget amendment was approved for a \$25,000 matching grant for the ELKS program. Jeryl Fields and Mary Beth Morgan received the grant from the Texas Workforce Commission.

The board approved supplemental insurance in the amount of \$292 annually. Mr. Paul Abundez presented Update 56 and EIF Local. Both were approved.

The use of passenger vans was discussed following receipt of a letter from the Texas Association of School Boards stating the school can be held liable in the event of an accident since it is not a bus.

Coach Scott Harrelson presented three factors for using the vans. Cost effectiveness: 21cents/mile for the bus versus 10 cents/mile for a van. Safety: easier to maneuver a van in traffic and less tiring on the driver. Class time/travel time: vans

can travel at 70 mph, therefore, leave later resulting in missing less class time. Bus speed limit is 55 mph.

Sharon Welker was certified as the authorized school lunch representative.

Alvis Johnson, Susan Bloodworth, and Rusty Garner were nominated for the school district's representatives to the Sutton County Tax Appraisal District. Clay Cade, Jesse Bustamante, Helen Scott, and Sam David Hernandez voted yes. Tom Clifton and John Barker opposed.

Campus Improvement plans for the 97-98 school year were presented by principals from each campus.

Elementary principal, Bill Goff, stated their plan will align the curriculum throughout the elementary and is geared to student success on the TAAS. It also provides for parental involvement.

Bill Dempsey, Middle School Principal, said their plan provides for preparing the students for high

school. Their motto, "Reach for the stars" incorporates communication goals and working with the community service learning.

Paul Abundez' plan for the High School includes campus-wide writing technique, more honor graduates, and encouraging parental involvement.

Abundez stated in the superintendent's report the district enrollment is 1024: High School - 316, Middle School - 219, and Elementary - 489. The District Effectiveness Compliance visit is scheduled for Feb. 16-20. New board members will attend training workshops in November and December. Five superintendent finalists will be announced Monday, Oct. 20.

Action taken after executive session included the acceptance of Richard and Linda Lopez' resignations effective Dec. 19 and adjusting interim superintendent's salary retroactive to Sept. 1.

Girl Scouts learn promise and law



Back Row L to R: Kate Higdon, Amanda Ward, Desirae Boldt, Evelyn Castillo, Allison Higdon, Deidra Warden.
Front Row L to R: Meagan Maxwell, Dee McGee, Kash McGee, Tara Green.

Submitted
Girl Scout Troop 100's first meeting was September 23, 1997. The troop played "This Is Me

Bingo". They discussed dues, uniforms, badges, camping and common interest. We discussed doing a memory book for the year. We will be taking pictures all year long to

go in their memory books. We are learning the Girl Scout Promise and Law. Charlotte Higdon provided refreshments. Girl Scout Leaders are Monica McGee and Debbie House. The Troop went outside to take pictures for their first page of their books.

Troop 100 met October 7, 1997. The troop played the Toilet Paper game. We learned about using resources wisely. We learned about selling our Fall products (peanuts). The girls will receive a percentage off of these sales to go into our account to help with supplies, trips, camping, etc. They are currently in conjunction with other troops conducting a coat drive for make a Difference Day Project. The troop are making Family tree's to go in their memory albums also they are working toward a Dabble First Aid, Community Service Badges and Religious Emblems Pin. The troop voted on a Girl Scout membership pin. We talked about where they wanted to visit for their Field trips this year. The next meeting will be October 28, 1997. Sergeant House will give a safety lesson then the girls will go to the EMS for a first aid class given by Pat Campbell. Snacks were provided by Ericka Morriss, and Refreshments were provided by Charlotte Higdon.

October Commissioner's Court regular meeting

David Galvan presented the Vaquero Heritage program to the County Commissioners at their regular October meeting. The Vaquero parallels the Buffalo Soldier program that preserves the history of Post-Civil War Black soldiers.

At-risk youth between the ages of 7-13 experience a week at Camp Sol Mayer. Some of the things they learn are survival, respect, horsemanship, and history of the Vaquero. A classroom setting is provided by local high school or college teachers. The program stresses anti-drug, anti-gangs, and stay in school.

The program involves mentors that are paid for one week of summer camp and then volunteer the

remaining year. They call the child twice a week throughout the year.

It cost approximately \$3200 per child per year. Judge Garner stated the county receives funds from the Juvenile Probation that have been returned in the past that can be used for this program.

Middle School Principal, Bill Dempsey, said, "We see a definite benefit from this program. I believe there is a need."

Jailer's Report: Billed the City of Sonora \$156, \$80 for finger prints, Federal Bureau of Prisons \$5635. Cost per meal for the month - \$1.13.

J.P Report - 259 cases in Sept., gross revenue \$17,947.50,
EMS Report - Sept. runs 29,

year 466 runs, up 55 runs over the year.

Road & Bridge Report - built 2 cattle guards, working on Joy Rd.

Library hours were changed to 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. every day.

The court discussed passing a fireworks resolution. Bill Keel requested this item to be put on the next agenda for more discussion.

Commissioners certified the 97 tax roll. The levy totals \$1,672,460.06.

The American River Heritage Resolution was briefly discussed. Judge Garner stated the General Land Office of Texas supports the initiative and property rights activist oppose. It be on the next meeting's agenda.

Boy Scouts annual fundraiser begins

Submitted
The Concho Valley Council of the Boy Scouts of America is preparing for its annual fund raising campaign, the Trail's End Gourmet Popcorn Sale. It has already started and runs through November 17 in the Sonora area. During that time, Scouts will be selling nine varieties of popcorn, the profits from which will help to finance the activities of the council and all of its individual units.

Council President Bruce Willig emphasized that the primary income for Scouting comes from community support through United Way and the council's Friends of Scouting program. "However, escalating costs, the need for camping equipment and maintenance, and continued growth have prompted us to

seek additional sources of support," said Bruce Willig.

"Trail's End Popcorn is available only through the Scouting sale," said the Popcorn Kernel (chairman) Jim Hughes. "Popcorn is one of the fastest growing non-sweetened snacks in the country, high in fiber and low in calories!" Popcorn products include uncooked popcorn, butter flavored microwave, caramel covered with almonds and pecans, and a chocolate covered version of the caramel. "This year we are a test market for a new 97% Fat Free Chocolate, too! No one around us will have this and we know you will have serious difficulty in picking out which is Fat Free!"

Last year, the Concho Valley Council sold more than 22,200 con-

tainers of popcorn, raising more than \$143,232 for the Council and its Units. This year's goal of \$225,900 will provide Scouting, advancement badges, and equipment for Scouts of the Concho Valley Council.

Contact a Scout for your popcorn or you can call the office at 655-7107 or 800-321-7107 for information.

Up in smoke

Submitted
Law makers are responding to studies indicating that nearly 90 percent of adult smokers get hooked on nicotine before they reach 18 years of age. And, despite the prior law prohibiting sale of cigarettes or tobacco products to minors, an estimated 203,000 Texas teens are smoking.

New legislation introduced into law will make Texas the toughest state in the nation on under-age smoking. As of September, penalties for anyone less than 18 using or possessing tobacco products will

include both fines and tobacco education classes. Minors caught the first time will have to pay a fine ranging from \$125 to \$250 or attend a tobacco education class which has been approved as appropriate by the Texas Department of Health. A judge may require that parents attend class along with the teen. An offender failing to complete the course would lose his or her driver's license.

To the axiom of "dreams up in smoke" Texas teens who smoke or are thinking of starting to smoke might add "health, money, and time in class." To the youth and adults

alike in the state and the nation the message is clear. If you don't smoke don't start, if you do smoke then stop. If you or someone you know is having a problem with tobacco use or abuse or any chemical dependency issue the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council for the Concho Valley can be of assistance. A counselor is available in Sonora every Friday. Please call 1-800-880-9641 to make an appointment. All cards, consultation and screenings are confidential. All services are provided at no charge.

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REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER OF SUTTON COUNTY, TEXAS, OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM July 1, 97 to Sept. 30 1997

FUND	BEGINNING BALANCE	RECEIPTS	TRANSFER IN	DISBURSEMENTS	TRANSFERRED OUT	BALANCE
GENERAL	1,165,895.28	221,033.61		570,530.33		816,398.56
GENERAL-PAYROLL	8,761.19		273,103.72	269,223.70		12,641.21
FMFC	1,009,862.32	37,778.10		168,384.55		879,255.87
FMFC-PAYROLL	7,342.39		65,398.57	65,347.86		7,393.10
FLOOD CONTROL	26,356.40					26,356.40
LAW LIBRARY	6,191.22	420.00		5,161.65		6,411.22
LATERAL ROAD	12,845.99	-0-		27,832.21		7,684.34
STATE TRUST FUNDS	27,011.52	21,096.27				48,107.79
STATE ARREST FEES	1,539.07	2,499.96		2,530.97		1,508.06
PROBATION DEPT.	142,071.97	37,166.40		46,283.96		132,954.41
EMPLOYEE BENEFIT FUND	185,721.24	18,540.97		5,876.00		198,386.21
SUTTON COUNTY 911	6,343.63	40.85		-0-		6,384.48
					TOTAL	2,115,849.42
CHECKING ACCOUNTS						
State Arrest Fees	1508.06	FMFC-let Nat'l	27,842.28	GEN-let Nat'l	60,947.51	
General -SCLR	2,230.18			PROB-let Nat'l	72,954.41	
		Sutton Co 911	6,384.48			171,867.42
MONEY MARKET ACCTS. (General)	425,175.81			FMFC	408,806.19	83,369.62
CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT (General)	600,000.00			FMFC	450,000.00	150,000.00
				PROB 60,000.00		110,000.00
TOTAL						2,115,849.42

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National Sheep Summary

10/21/97

At midwest market centers slaughter lambs steady to 2.00 lower; slaughter ewes and feeder lambs steady. In Pennsylvania slaughter lambs steady; slaughter ewes steady to 5.00 lower. At Billings, MT slaughter ewes steady to 1.00 higher; feeder lambs under 90 lbs 3.00-5.00 higher, heavier weights 6.00-8.00 higher. At San Angelo, TX slaughter lambs steady; slaughter ewes uneven, mostly weak to 2.00 lower, except Utility and Good firm to 2.00 higher; feeder lambs firm to 2.00 higher. Estimated receipts 10,000 head for a one day sale. In direct trading slaughter lambs steady.

Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 2-3 90-140 lbs: San Angelo: shorn and woolled 80.00-85.00. Midwest: shorn and woolled 78.00-82.50. Virginia: no test. Lancaster, PA: 100-120 lbs 72.00-78.00, 120-140 lbs 65.00-70.00. New Holland, PA: 80-100 lbs 75.00-85.00, 100-160 lbs 65.00-75.00; new crop 80-115 lbs 80.00-95.00. Billings: 77.50-78.50.

Direct Trade: (Lambs fob with 3-4 percent shrink or equivalent) Midwest: 1400: Slaughter Lambs Choice 2-3 130-135 lbs shorn 80.00-83.50 del, woolled 81.00-82.00 del.

Slaughter Ewes: San Angelo: Good and Choice 2-4 45.00-52.00; Utility and Good 2-3 46.00-56.00; Utility 1-3 33.00-46.00; Cull and Utility 1-2 20.00-33.50. Midwest: Utility and Good 2-4 35.00-38.50; Utility 1-3 30.00-35.00; Cull 1-2 25.00-30.00. Lancaster: Utility and Good 1-3 25.00-40.00. New Holland: Good and Choice 1-3 45.00-70.00; Utility and Good 1-3 35.00-50.00. Billings: Utility and Good 2-4 32.00-37.00; Cull 1-2 26.00-31.00.

Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1-2: San Angelo: 40-60 lbs 96.00-103.00, 60-80 lbs 95.00-103.00, 80-90 lbs 90.00-95.50, 90-115 lbs 87.00-90.00. Midwest: 60-80 lbs 84.00-96.00, 80-100 lbs 80.00-85.00. Billings: 60-70 lbs 94.50-99.50, 70-80 lbs 96.25-104.00, 80-90 lbs 95.50-103.00, 90-100 lbs 89.50-99.50, 100-115 lbs 82.50-90.50. Virginia: no test.

Replacement Ewes: Medium and Large 1-2: San Angelo: Baby tooth ewes 75.00-83.00 per head. Billings: Yearling ewes 119.00-125.00 per head, young ewes 91.00-106.00 per head, solid mouth ewes 69.00-86.00 per head.

Sheep and lamb slaughter under federal inspection for the week to date totaled 27,000 compared with 27,000 for the same period last week and 31,000 for the same period last year.

Source: USDA-Texas Dept of Ag Market News

AGRIBUSINESS

Junction Sheep and Goat Auction

10/20/97

Compared to last week: Slaughter ewes and bucks 2.00 higher. Stocker Spanish nannies fully steady. Slaughter Spanish kids, yearlings and muttons 3.00-6.00 higher. All other classes slaughter Spanish steady. Stocker angora nannies and muttons 4.00-8.00 lower. Slaughter angora muttons and billies 3.00-5.00 lower. Slaughter angora kids 3.00-6.00 higher. All other classes slaughter angora mostly steady. Supply included around 10 percent sheep including near 175 lambs.

Stock and Feeder Sheep: Feeder Lambs: Medium and Large 1: 50-70 lbs 90.00-99.00; 80-90 lbs 86.50-88.00 CWT.

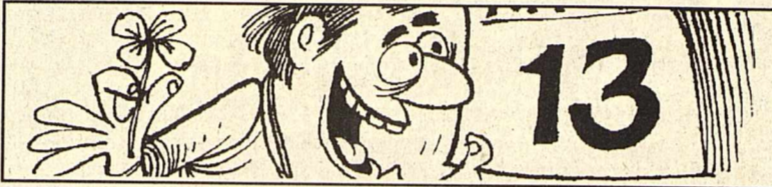
Slaughter Sheep: Slaughter Ewes: Utility 2-3 45.00-48.50; Good 2-3 51.00-57.00; Bucks 40.00-44.00 CWT.

Stock and Feeder Goats: Spanish Goats: nannies 40.00-52.00 per head. Half boer kids and yearlings 45-75 lbs 80.00-100.00 CWT. Angora Goats: Good and Choice baby tooth to solid mouth nannies 50-60 lbs 42.00-49.00; Good and Choice baby tooth to solid mouth muttons 55-75 lbs 42.00-48.00 CWT.

Slaughter Goats: Spanish Goats: 15-35 lb kids 72.00-79.50; 40-65 lb yearlings 72.00-84.00; 70-105 lb nannies 47.00-54.00; 75-110 lb muttons 70.00-86.00; 95-150 lb billies 60.00-65.00 CWT.

Angora Goats: 80-115 lb muttons and billies 40.00-44.00, extra fat muttons and billies 110-150 lbs 33.00-39.00; fat nannies 37.00-43.50; 30-60 lb kids 65.00-76.50; thin nannies and muttons 29.00-36.00 CWT.

Source: Texas Dept of Ag-USA Market News



It was once believed that if you were born between the 21st and 24th of any month, you'd have good luck on the 13th of any month.

Texas Water Development Board announces regional plans

Submitted by Sutton County Underground Water Conservation District

The Texas Water Development Board (TWDB) announced their intentions October 1st to divide the state into fourteen water planning regions (see map below). The initial delineation and proposed regional planning rules are up for public review and comment until October 31st. The regional delineations and rules were developed to fulfill the requirements of Senate Bill 1, 75th Texas Legislature, which established a new water planning process for the state.

In making their boundary decisions, the TWDB followed the ten parameters listed below: 1. City splits-A city should not be split between areas. A small number of towns straddling county lines were split, however. 2. Surface water connection splits-The link between a demand and its associated surface

water source from the 1997 State Water Plan data bases for 2000 and 2020 should not be split. 3. Groundwater connection splits-The link between a demand and its associated groundwater source from 1997 State Water Plan data base for 2000 and 2020 should not be split. 4. Large water provider service area splits-The service area of a river authority or other large water providing entity should not be split. 5. River basin splits-A river basin should not be split. However, a river basin map of Texas shows that many counties are split between river basins and an effort was made to assign counties to basins based on area. 6. Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) splits-AMSA, as defined by U.S. Department of Commerce, should not be split. 7. Past or Recent Regional Study Areas splits-Areas with recent or on-going regional planning should not be split. 8. Aquifer splits-The major and minor

aquifers of the state should not be split. splits-A groundwater district jurisdiction should not be split. 10. Reconciliation with written public comments received from entities recommending specific planning areas for TWDB consideration-To the largest possible without violating higher parameters, TWDB staff sought to accommodate all public comments received. After the TWDB receives comments on the rules and regional boundaries and the regions are officially adopted, the TWDB's next task will be to appoint individuals in each region to be on the initial coordinating committee for the regional planning process. According to Senate Bill 1, at least one person from each of the following interest groups must be assigned to the committee.

The public, counties, municipalities, industries, agricultural interest, environmental interest, small businesses, electrical generat-

ing utilities, river authorities, water districts, and water utilities.

The initial planning group may then assign additional members as they feel necessary.

Once the regional planning group has been developed, they must prepare a regional water management plan that will be submitted for approval to the TWDB by September 1, 2000. After September 1, 2001, entities that apply for financial assistance through the TWDB will have their application approved only if an approved Regional Water Management.

Plan exist for the area. Just to give a few examples, this could impact projects such as improvements to underground pipelines that transfer water throughout a city's water system, the further development of surface water projects like dams and reservoirs, and water treatment facility expansion.

Rig Locations as of October 17, 1997

Crockett County
 New Union Oil/Midland; 12,000', Wayne West Ranch B-#9, Patterson Drilling.
 New U.P.R.; 12,000', Pamela Acton #4RH, Patterson Drilling.
 U.P.R.; 10,000', Henderson #20-4H, Patterson Drilling.
 New Sonat Exp/Midland; 10,000', Baggett 1L-#3, Patterson Drilling.
 U.P.R.; 9,800', Couch D#7H, Patterson Drilling.
 U.P.R.; Henderson 23-#2H, Cougar Drilling.
 Cleo Thompson; 9,400', Meadows 14-#1, Patterson Drilling.
 New Devon Energy; 9,200', Ruby Helbing 27-#4, Patterson Drilling.
 New Louis Dreyfus; 8,650', Margaret Alford GU-#2, Patterson Drilling.
 New Cross Timbers/Midland; 8,100', HH West #12 Patterson Drilling.
 New U.P.R.; 7,800', Millsbaugh 38-#13, Patterson Drilling.
 New Primal Energy Corp; 7,700', Hoover 13A-#4, Patterson Drilling.
 U.P.R.; 7,600', Moody 3305, Patterson Drilling.
 New U.P.R.; 7,600', Hoover 44-#8, Patterson Drilling.
 New U.P.R.; 7,400', Pierce-Henderson State Z-#9, Patterson Drilling.
 Enron O&G Midland; 6,500', MK Daniel A-#17, Patterson Drilling.

Edwards County
 Tesoro Petroleum; 9,800', Newbry Gas Unit #1, Cleere Drilling.
 New Lomak Production; 6,000', WL. Miers C-#35, Cleere Drilling.
 New Lomak Production; 6,000', Jack Mann #12, Patterson Drilling.

Sutton County
 Louis Dreyfus Gas; 6,975', Shurley 99-#8, Patterson Drilling.
 New KCS Medallion Res.; 6,050', Genini ?, Patterson Drilling.
 Union Pacific Res.; 6,000', McDermott 23-#2H, Patterson Drilling.

Sutton County Permits (Week of Oct. 3)
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 Louis Dreyfus, 6050', Genini #3911
 Louis Dreyfus, 6975', Genini #3109
 Sonat Exploration/Mid, 10,200' Wildcat, Phillips 40-#1

Schleicher County
 Louis Dreyfus Gas; 7,800', Meador 178-#4, Patterson Drilling.
 New Pioneer Natural/Mid; 6,350', WW West #2, Lakota Drilling.

For complete report contact: Scott Huggins, Rig Location & Permit Report Service (800) 627-9785

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Trade show new to Sutton County Game Dinner

By Justin McGeath, Chamber Manager

It's time once again for the 29th Annual Sutton County Game Dinner. This year's event will be held on Saturday, Nov. 8 at the Sutton County 4-H Center.

Tickets for the dinner will be \$6 and children under 10 are admitted free. Door prize tickets are now on sale, and can be purchased at the following businesses: Foxworth Galbraith, Vivian's Modern Way,

Teaff Oil Company, Sonora Wool & Mohair, and the Sonora Chamber of Commerce.

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U8 Coed - Front row: Colton Moore, Harrison Chevalier, Chandler Caddell, Steely Ingham, Judson Chevalier. Back row: Reynaldo Gaytan, Aaron Gaytan, Alberto Tovar, Kooper Liverman, Stephani Morriss, John Duke Hudson. Coach Paul Chevalier. Not pictured: Amber Chambers



U6 Boys - Front row: Robert Buckholtz, Ethan Morriss, Colyer Dermody, Christian Kenney, Jorge Gaytan. Back row: Bailey Joe Pennington, Cody Snyder, Cash Jennings, Tyler Creek, Marcus Gamez, and Cadesman Pope.



U6 Girls - Front row: Morgan Vyvlecka, Hunter Jennings, Jennifer Sanders, Chelsey Lou Campbell. Second row: Callie McWilliams, Brooklyn Caddell, Shelby Burris, and Kara Voight. Coaches Bonnie Lou Campbell and Erin McWilliams

Sonora's first season in the San Angelo Soccer Association ends this weekend. Coach Bonnie Lou Campbell stated the teams competed real well. They give a special thanks to Jimmy Cahill for contributing to the purchase of trophies to be given at an end of season party.

New laws presented at Sonora High School

A program concerning recent laws for minor in possession, driving under the influence, and tobacco will be discussed Nov. 3rd at 7 p.m. at the High School Commons Area.

The program will be presented by Municipal Judge, Don Sessom and Chief of Police, Chris Croy.

Sonora High School receives check from Classic Cable

Submitted

According to Jennifer Hauschild, Marketing Manager for Classic Cable the company's "Back to School" Campaign generated nearly \$15,000 company wide for local high schools. The company agreed to donate five dollars to the local high school for each new install or upgrade completed during the month of August. The local high school in Sonora will receive a check for \$140.00. In addition, the campaign offered customers a 50% discount on installation and saved them over \$50,000.

Ms. Hauschild stated, "Classic has been focusing its efforts on com-

munity, commitment and customer service in 1997. We are working very hard on being good neighbors in the communities we provide with cable television service. We firmly believe the education of our children is vitally important. This campaign demonstrates our commitment."

Classic Cable currently provides most schools passed by their cable television system with free basic service and have established a college scholarship fund for graduating seniors. This "Back to School" Campaign is just another way Classic is displaying their commitment to being good neighbors.



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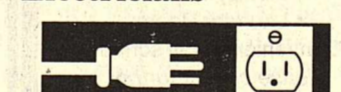
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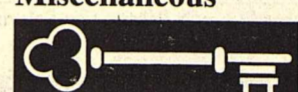
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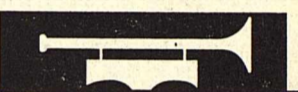


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Sutton County Road & Bridge Office
410 E. Pecan
Sonora, Texas
(915) 387-3010

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Sonora, Texas
(915) 387-2711

Sutton County Auditor Office
Old Courthouse
Sonora, Texas
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Applications must be returned to one of the above County Offices by 12:00 pm (noon) on November 7, 1997. 2(10-23-97)b

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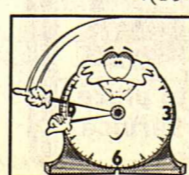
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Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Karl J. Bednarz, Area Engineer, Junction, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Usual Rights reserved. 07-D-2195 07-76-0034-03-013, Etc.

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Sutton County is requesting sealed bids for one used haul truck to be used by the Sutton County Road Department.

For information and/or specifications please contact:
Oscar Jimenez---387-3010
Carla Garner-----387-2711
Charles Graves---387-5380
Bids should be marked "Sealed Bid". Formal bid opening will be at the Sutton County Commissioners Regular Meeting on November 10, 1997, at 9:00 am, at the meeting room of the Sutton County Annex, in Sonora, Texas.

Public Notice

No. 1171
ESTATE OF MAXINE M. CARROLL, DECEASED
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF SUTTON COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Notice is hereby given that the original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of MAXINE M. CARROLL, Deceased, were issued on the 20th day of October, 1997, in Cause No. 1171, pending in the County Court of Sutton County, Texas, to:
BRENDA CARROLL NEEL

The residence of the Executor is in Sabinal, Texas, and the mailing address is:

P.O. Box 1060,
Sabinal, Texas 78881
All persons having claims against the Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 20th day of October, A.D. 1997.
BRENDA CARROLL NEEL, Independent Executor, of the Estate of **MAXINE M. CARROLL**, Deceased By: **ALBERT C. ELLIOTT** Attorney for the Estate
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For Sale: Mobile home and 50x40 lot on 404 N. Mississippi St. Appraisal at \$22,500 sale for \$19,800 FIRM as is. Call (915) 949-0671

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