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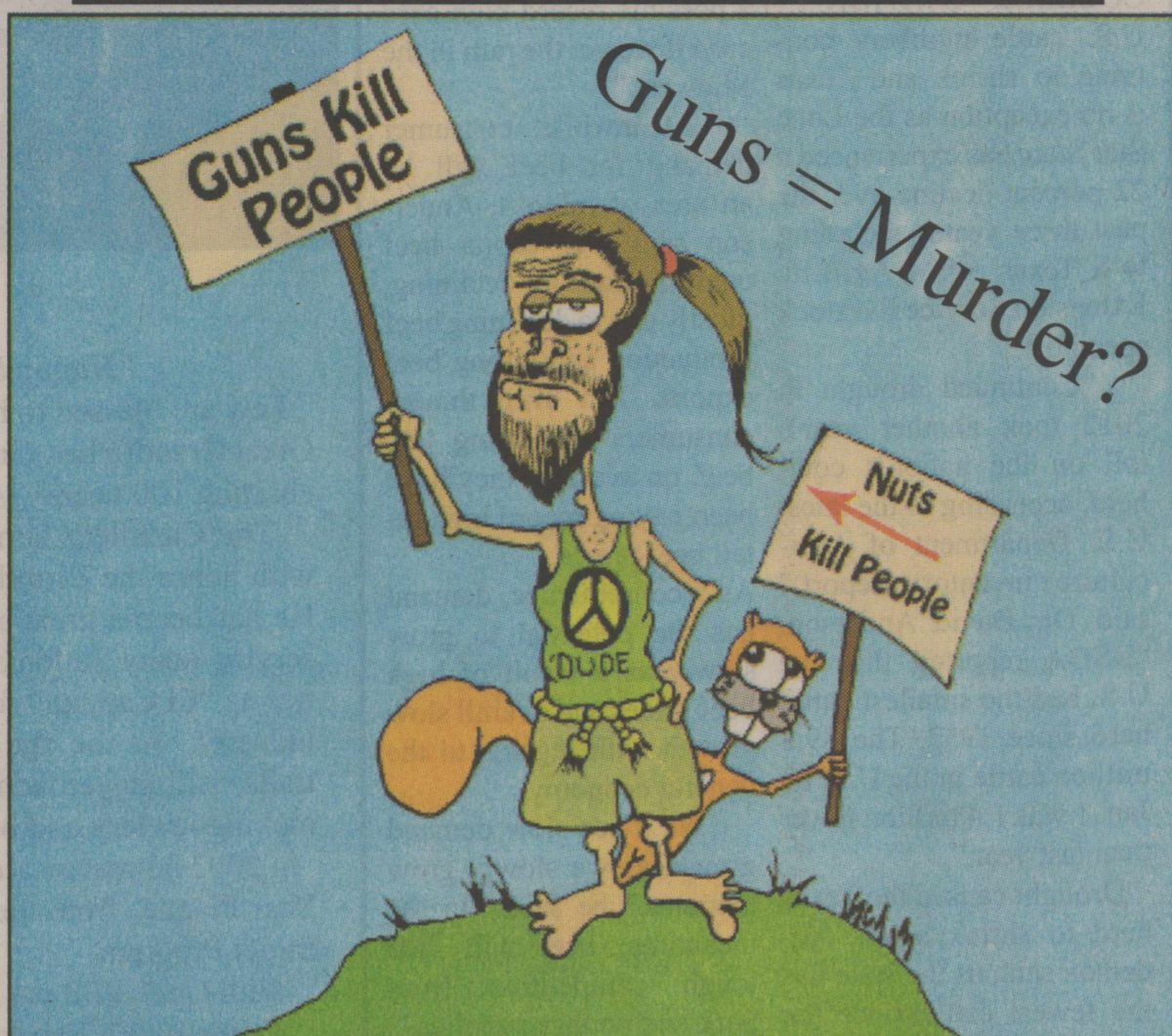
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## The Second Amendment Part 2



By Ben D. Taylor

The human species is a diverse and wide spread creature. With the exception of our basic physical form, there is little else that is common among all of us, with the exception of our shared need to have an answer to everything. If something comes up that we can't explain or simply don't know the answer to, we make something up. Ancient Greeks explained hurricanes as the wrath of the Gods while the Mayans saw famine as something similar. Even today when people look up at the night sky and see something they don't understand, it becomes a UFO. The problem with those kinds of answers is that they aren't always true; they are only the answers we want to be true.

The question of gun control is no different. In the face of recent tragedies, it's easy to blame guns. If guns are the problem then we can fix it by simply removing all the guns. This is the easy answer that many people choose to believe. They believe it because it makes them feel safe by having a plan, but what if guns aren't the problem?

In theory it makes perfect sense—"more guns equal more death", but according to a study published in the Harvard Journal of Law and Public Policy, "the more guns equal more death mantra seems plausible IF murders mostly involve ordinary people who kill because they have access to a firearm when they get angry". When evaluating the mass murders

that have occurred in our recent past, the men committing those killings were anything but ordinary.

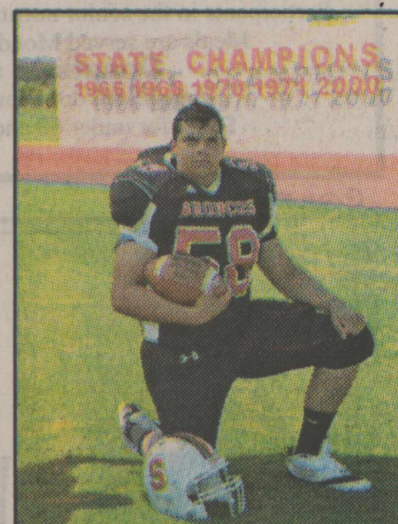
Through decades of hardened communist rule the Russian government has in fact all but removed guns from the hands of ordinary citizens. According to the Harvard study, "in the 1960's and early 1970's, the gun-less Soviet Union's murder rates paralleled or generally exceeded those of gun-ridden America...by the early 1990's the Russian rate was three times higher than United States. Between 1998-2004 Russian murder rates were nearly four times higher than American rates... homicide results suggest that

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## 2012 Sonora Broncos' Football Accolades



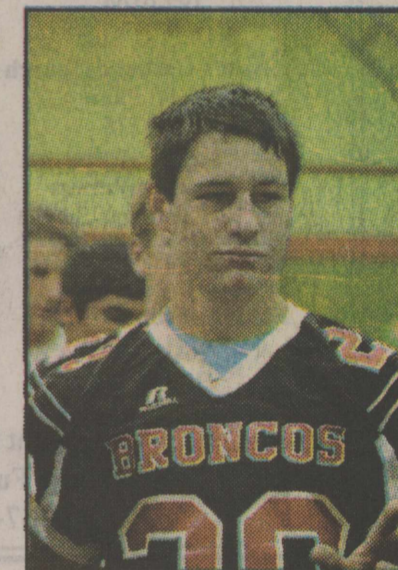
**Jason Alaman**  
Academic All-State Honorable Mention; Academic All-District; All District First Team Defensive End



**Blake Esparza**  
Academic All-District



**Damon Evans**  
Academic All-State Honorable Mention; Academic All-District; All District First Team Defensive Tackle; All District Second Team Offense (Running Back); All West Texas Defensive Lineman, Co-MVP; All West-Texas Super Team Defensive Lineman, 2A All-State Defensive Team (selected by TAPSE); FCA All-Star Festival Selection



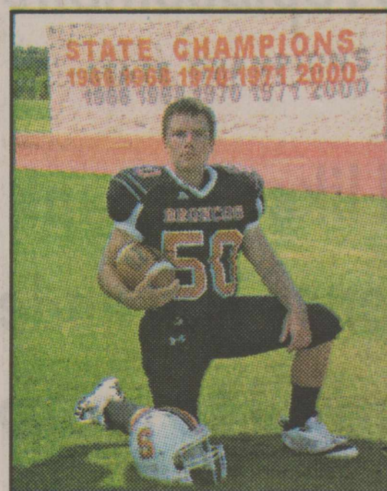
**Owen Friess**  
Academic All-District



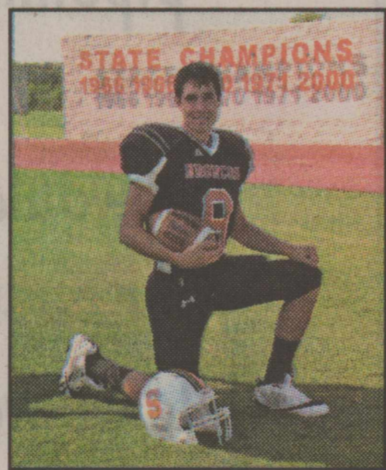
**Hagen Kennedy**  
Academic All-District; All District First Team Offense (Receiver); All District First Team Defense (Outside Linebacker); All West-Texas Wide Receiver, Will play for Hardin Simmons University



**Kade Wimberley**  
Academic All-State Honorable Mention; Academic All-District; All District First Team Offense (Tight End); All District Second Team Kicker, All-West Texas Tight End; All West Texas Super Team Tight End; FCA All Star Festival Selection; Angelo State University Football Scholarship Recipient



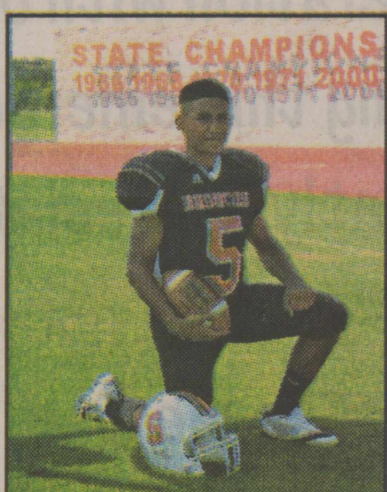
**Nathan Jarratt**  
Academic All-District



**Scott Martinez**  
Academic All District



**Michael Sanchez**  
Academic All-State Honorable Mention; Academic All District; All District Second Team Offensive Lineman



**Darien Lopez**  
District Offensive MVP; All West Texas Running Back, All West Texas Super Team Running Back



**Lino Villanueva**  
Academic All-State Honorable Mention, Academic All-District; All-District First Team Defensive Lineman



**Alonzo Hernandez**  
Academic All-State Honorable Mention; Academic All-District



**Sam Powers**  
Academic All-State Honorable Mentino; Academic All-District; All-District Second Team Defensive Tackle, All-West Texas Defensive Lineman, Co-MVP; All-West Texas Super Team Running Back

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and  
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### Senior Center Activities

Thurs. November 29 - Happy Birthday Richard Palmer  
 Fri. November 30 - Run errands  
 Mon. December 3 -  
 Tues. December 4 -  
 Wed. December 5 -

### Senior Center Menu

Thurs. November 29 - Smothered steak, Mashed potato, Mix greens, Roll, Peach shortcake, milk  
 Fri. November 30 - Chicken Fajitas, Spanish rice, Pinto beans, Flour tortilla, Fruit cocktail, milk  
 Mon. December 3 -  
 Tues. December 4 -  
 Wed. December 5 -

Participants in the senior nutrition program must be 60 or older. Meals are served Monday - Friday at 12:00 p.m. **Donations are accepted** (suggested donation for Seniors is \$2.00; \$5.00 for under 60 and all other meals-to-go).

### Thank You

The Family of Lalo Gonzales would like to extend a heartfelt "thank you" to this community during this difficult time. The outpouring of support as demonstrated through prayers, hugs, food, pastries and recalled memories has been a great comfort to our family. Your thoughtfulness will not be forgotten and is greatly appreciated. Thank you for keeping us in your thoughts and prayers.

### Nations' Cattle Numbers are Dropping

COLLEGE STATION - a possible record high corn crop if we get the rain in the Midwest." Meanwhile, consumer demand for beef will be an area of interest, Anderson said. Per capita beef consumption is declining, mostly due to declining beef production and strong beef exports. But even though consumers are eating less beef, on average, they have been paying record high retail beef prices. As a consequence, demand has the potential to grow slowly as a result of high beef prices and overall slow growth with regards to the general economy. "We'll see slow demand growth as we slowly grow incomes," he said. "In the meantime, beef will face tough competition from pork and poultry supplies."

"Continued drought in 2012 took another year's toll on the nation's cowherd, according to the latest U.S. Department of Agriculture inventory report," said Dr. David Anderson. "USDA reported that the U.S. had the smallest cattle herd since 1952. The 89.3 million cattle in the U.S. on Jan. 1 was 1.4 million fewer than last year."

Drought caused the Texas herd to shrink again, Anderson said, as the state has the fewest cattle since the 1950s.

"Just over 4 million beef cows were reported in Texas on Jan. 1," he said. "Texas has lost over 1 million beef cows in the last three years, representing a 22 percent decline in cow numbers. Ranchers across the U.S. and Texas reported that they held more young females, or heifers, to begin to replace the cows lost. Nationwide, 2 percent more heifers were kept compared to the year before."

In Texas, heifer retention was up approximately 9 percent, he said. Calf prices have been at levels to encourage keeping more heifers, yet those expansion efforts have been difficult due to dry or drought conditions both nationally and in Texas, Anderson said.

"But, even though more heifers were kept, they were not enough to offset the number of cows lost," Anderson said. "Most of Texas continues to be in drought and the current drought stretches from South Texas to North Dakota. When we start thinking about rebuilding we have to have our pastures and range in recovery."

Overall, it's the smallest cattle herd in the U.S. in 60 years, Anderson said.

"Where are we headed in 2013? I think again we will contend with tighter supplies of cattle, high feed costs, but hopefully, drought recovery to go with it."

Anderson said to expect tight supplies of calves and for prices to remain high for 2013.

"I think that will be due to tighter supplies of cattle and the potential is there for



### "Happy Birthday" Apa


Few are blessed to have a Father, Grandfather, Great Grandfather, Great Great Grandfather Celebrating 100 years- "A Century Old".

The Castilleja family are proud to celebrate with honor the Birthday of Benjamin Castilleja. He has been a great asset to the Community by serving many Sutton and surrounding communities as "El Capitan" for goat and sheep sheering industry. At the age of 83 he retired from his trade, still stayed active enjoying his hobby of making jewelry and belt buckles.

In 2002 he was awarded with the Pioneer of the Year Plaque from the Friends of Historic Main Street Program.

With Gods Will we invite the public: February 12-Thanksgiving Mass at 5:00 p.m. at the residence at 108 South 2nd Street.


February 13- "His Birthday" all day-come and go. Refreshments will be served.



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where guns are scarce other weapons are substituted in killings".

In the late 1990's, England went so far as to ban all kinds of handguns and many kinds of rifles. "Hundreds of thousands of guns were confiscated from those owners law-abiding enough to turn them in," according to the Harvard study, "The ban's ineffectiveness was such that by the year 2000 violent crime had so increased that England and Wales had Europe's highest violent crime rate, far surpassing even the United States". The crime rate grew much faster than the English justice system could process the criminals, resulting in an English policy of not investigating burglary and minor assaults. "As of 2006, if the police catch a mugger, robber or burglar, the policy is to release them with a warning rather than to arrest and prosecute them". A senior English police official conducted a study on English gun control for his thesis at the Cambridge University Institute of Criminology, it found that "half a century of strict controls... has ended perversely, with a far greater use of [handguns] in crime than ever before".

All across Europe where gun ownership is common there is a different trend evident. Countries like Norway, Finland, Germany, France and Denmark have high rates of gun ownership but have murder rates lower than in countries where gun ownership is not common. "For example, Luxembourg, where handguns are totally banned and ownership of any kind of a gun is minimal, had a murder rate nine times higher than Germany in 2002" (Harvard Journal of Law and Public Policy). Europe's murder rate is higher than that of the United States', but has only 14% the civilian gun ownership of the U.S. Conversely, the U.S. has 7.33 times the civilian gun ownership of Europe, but a lower murder rate.

The facts about U.S. gun ownership and violent crime tend to reflect what was seen in Europe, with the exception that the U.S. has a lot more guns available to its citizens. Production data from firearm manufacturers indicates that there are around 300 million firearms owned by civilians in the United States as of 2010. In 2005 a nationwide Gallop poll found that 67% of gun owners bought their weapon to protect against crime, 66% were for target shooting, and 41% were for hunting. How does this relate to a higher murder rate in the US? The answer is very poorly.

The United States is currently experiencing its lowest murder rate at 4.7 murders per 100,000 people since before 1911 (The Federal Bureau of Investigation). According to the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, of the 206 nations listed, the U.S. ranks 103. The same department in the UN looked at the relationship between murders and gun ownership in those same countries. They found that there was a negative correlation between the two (more guns = less murders).

Guns do play a role in violent crime in the U.S. but according to a study conducted by the Department of Justice that rate may not be as high as most people might think. "Roughly 5,340,000 violent crimes were committed in the United States in 2008. These include simple/aggravated assaults, robberies, sexual assaults, rapes, and murders. Of these, about 436,000 or 8% were committed by offenders visibly armed with a gun". Yes 8% is a high number but if you consider the results of a 1994 study by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention there is another side of the argument of gun control, and that's as a deterrent. "Americans used guns to frighten away intruders who are breaking into their homes about 498,000 times per year".

A Washington D.C. law in 1976 prevented residents from possessing handguns and that all fire arms in private homes to be unloaded or disassembled. In 2008, the Supreme Court struck down that law as unconstitutional but in the years it was in effect the murder rate in Washington D.C. averaged 73% higher than it was before the law was in effect. A similar law was enacted in Chicago in 1982 to ban all handguns (except for those registered with the city government). Since that ban the percentage of Chicago murders from handguns averaged 40% higher than before the law. In a 2005 Chicago Murder Analysis Report by the Chicago Police Department it was found that, "96% of the firearm murder victims in Chicago were killed with handguns". It's important to note that all these murder rates increased while a ban or severe control on fire arms was in effect.

Conversely there were some states that passed right-to-carry laws. These laws allowed citizens to carry concealed weapons (after attaining the proper permits) on their person in public places. Florida's

right-to-carry law was enacted in 1987, and in that time the murder rate has averaged 36% lower than it was before the law took effect. Texas' right-to-carry laws became effective in 1996, and in that time the murder rate has decreased by 30%.

It does make sense that more guns mean murders, but sometimes the answer we find is not the answer we are looking for. There have

been some terrible things that our country has had to face in the past few years. These things were done by bad people. Some were sick, while others were just evil. We all need to come to realize that our world has evil in it. It doesn't matter if evil decides to use a rock, fork, words, or even a gun. Evil will have its way and punishing the tool of an evil person or act does not ensure evil will go away.

### Sonora Alumni Scholarship Sells Burgers for Graduates

The Sonora Alumni Scholarship Committee is proud to announce that our Hamburger Lunch and Alumni Meeting produced \$845.00 for the scholarship fund.

That same weekend we received \$1200.00 in pledges. Currently we have collected \$900.00 of the \$1200.00 pledged.

The scholarship fund received a \$100. Pledge in honor of one of our Alumni - Jack Johnson.

If anyone or any entity would like to contribute to a scholarship for the 2013 Class, contact John Wade, Rex Ann Friess or Anita Hudson.

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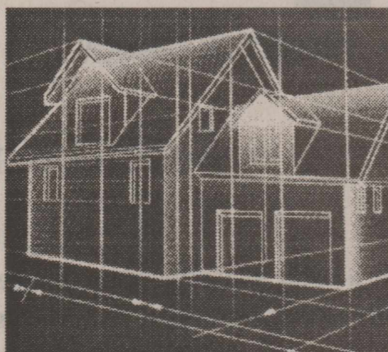
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# Month of February Tips



By Pascual Hernandez,  
Sutton County Agricultural  
Extension Agent

According to the ground hog, we may not have much winter left. Our average last frost date is typically the last of March. But, with February well underway, some folks may be taking a peek toward spring and the upcoming growing season. So, for you gardeners, here are a few thoughts.

**Planting:**

You can plant cool season vegetables, in relation to average last freeze date: onions(6-8weeks prior), broccoli, cabbage, cauliflower, brussels spouts (4 weeks prior) and spinach, lettuce, radishes, turnips, chard (2-4 weeks prior). That means you can start "warming up" to the idea of preparing a garden bed.

You still have time to finish planting pecan and fruit trees. Just don't fertilize newly transplanted trees or shrubs until after they have started to grow, and then

only very lightly the first year.

If you're thinking about transplanting established landscape shrubs and trees, that should be done while they are still dormant.

**Pruning:**

You can prune trees and evergreen shrubs before new growth begins. Remember: DO NOT TOP shade trees.

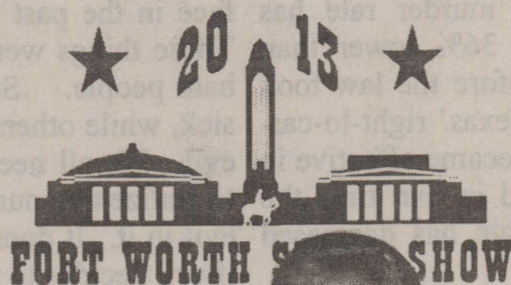
Fruit trees should be pruned. Peach, apricot, and plum trees should be pruned to a bowl shape. Pears and figs should be pruned little if at all.

**Miscellaneous Choirs:**

Apply pre-emergent weed-killer granules late in the month to prevent germination of crabgrass, and grass-burns. Read the label about repeat applications.

For additional information contact the Sutton County Extension Office.

## Sonora Exhibitor Wins Reserve Champion in Ft. Worth



FORT WORTH, TEXAS - LANE CAHILL, A 4-H MEMBER from SONORA, EXHIBITED the RESERVE CHAMPION EWE AT THE JUNIOR DORPER BREEDING SHEEP SHOW at the 2013 Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo on JANUARY 28. The 2013 Show is proud to be hosting nearly 10,000 junior exhibitors from across Texas, competing for prizes and \$107,445.00 in premiums.

Since 1896, the Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo has remained a prominent figure in the livestock industry. The nation's oldest livestock show will see a record of over 25,000 head of world-class livestock roll through "Cowtown" between January 18 - February 9. While the show is continually looking ahead, the focus on the livestock industry and our youth is unwavering.

"One of the Show's main priorities is our commitment to the livestock industry and the agriculture leaders of tomorrow," said Bradford S. Barnes, President and General Manager of the Fort Worth Stock Show. "Junior exhibitors learn many valuable life lessons during their years of showing livestock, which will serve them well throughout their lives. Our Show ensures a progressive future for agriculture by assisting in the development and education of 4-H and FFA students."

The 117th edition of the legendary Fort Worth Stock Show & Rodeo offers visitors a chance to experience the unique western lifestyle along with a one-of-a-kind combination of history, tradition and Western heritage. For more information, results and a detailed daily schedule, visit [www.fwssr.com](http://www.fwssr.com).

## The Sweetest Hearts



Jacob Gonzales and Holly Sparks were chosen as the Sweetest Hearts from the Sonora Middle School student body on Thursday, January 31, 2013. The dance was held in the middle school cafeteria with music provided by Jody Luttrell and Ben Taylor. The theme for the dance was Candyland chosen by the SMS Student Council members. Refreshments were served and the middle school students had a great time in their finest attire! Great memories by all who attended the dance.

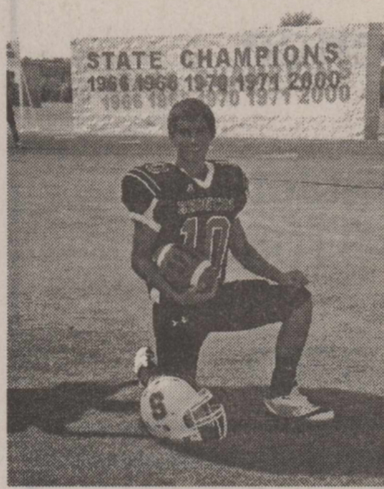
## Juniors and Sophmores



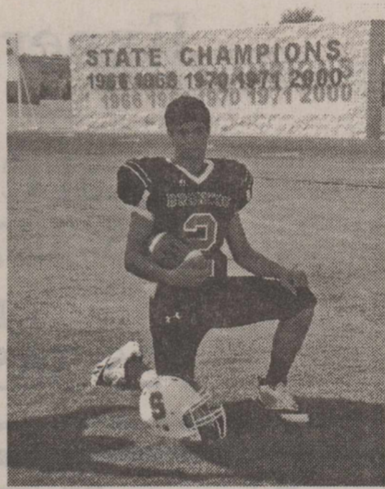
**Cody Barber**  
Academic All-District



**Chance Campbell**  
Academic All-District; All-District First Team Defensive Back; All-District Second Team Offense (Running Back); All-West Texas Free Safety; All-West Texas Super Team Utility Player; 2A All-State Defensive Team (Selected by The Old Coach)



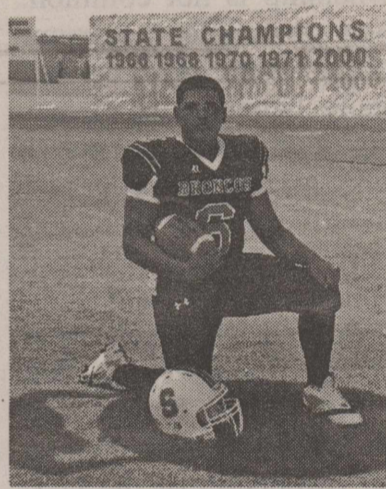
**Will Dutton**  
Academic All-District; All District Utility Team



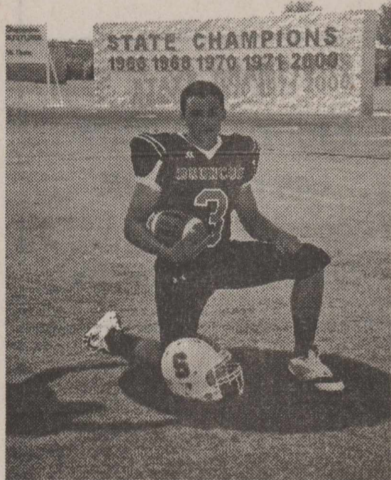
**Ricky Martinez**  
All-District Second Team Defensive (Outside Linebacker)



**Michael Rollert**  
Academic All-District, All District Second Team Offense (Quarterback)



**Andres Acevedo**  
Academic All-District, All District First Team Punter, All West Texas Punter



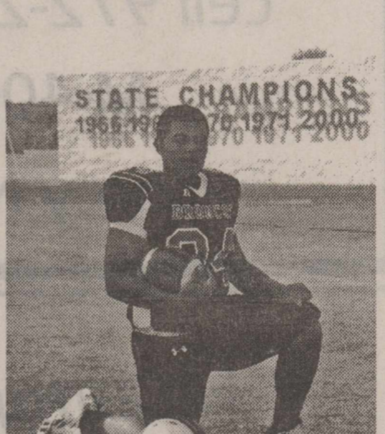
**Sid Anderson**  
All-District First Team Defense (Inside Linebacker)



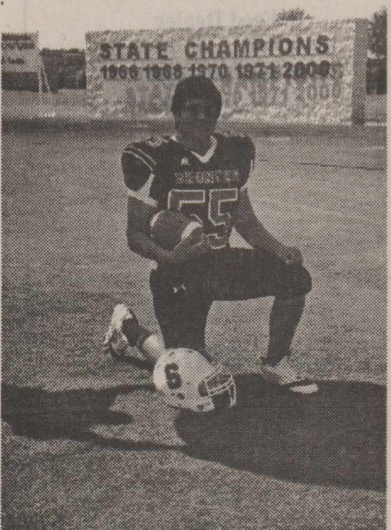
**Lionel DeLeon**  
Academic All-District; All District First Team Offensive Lineman



**Brett Castillo**  
All District First Team Defensive Back, All-West Texas Defensive Back, All West Texas Super Team Defensive Back



**Elijah Cross**  
Academic All-District, District Newcomer of the Year; All West Texas Defensive Lineman; Co-MVP, All-West Texas Super Team Defensive Lineman



**Ethan Patlan**  
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#### Updated Property Tax Information Now Available For Texas Taxpayers

Sonora-New and Updated property tax information has just been compiled by Sutton County Appraisal District and is available now to assist with taxpayers. This property tax information is current and covers a wide range of topics, such as taxpayer remedies, exemptions, appraisals and is of value to select groups, such as disabled veterans and persons who are 65 years of age or older.

"Whether you are a homeowner, business manager, disabled veteran or a taxpayer, it's important you know your rights concerning the property tax laws." Said Mary Bustamante, Chief Appraiser of the Sutton County Appraisal District. "You can contact us about property tax issues with full confidence that we will provide you the most complete, accurate and up-to-date available information to assist you."

This includes information about the following programs.

#### Property Tax Exemptions for Disabled Veterans

-The law provides partial exemptions for any property owned by veterans who are disabled, spouses and survivors of deceased disabled veterans and spouses and survivors of military personnel who died on active duty. The amount of exemption is determined according to percentage of service-connected disability. The law also provides a 100% exemption for 100% disabled veterans and their surviving spouses, beginning in 2009.

#### Property Tax Exemptions-Non-profit organizations that meet statutory requirements may seek property tax exemptions and must apply to their county appraisal district by a specific date.

Businesses that receive tax abatements granted by taxing units, firms that ship inventory out of Texas, and businesses that acquire pollution control property may also be eligible for statutory exemptions.

#### Rendering Taxable Property

-If a business owns tangible personal property that is used to produce income, the business must file a rendition with its local county appraisal district by a specific date. Personal property includes inventory and equipment used by a business. Owners do not have to render exempt property such as church property or an agriculture producers equipment used for farming.

#### Appraisal Notices

- If a taxpayer's property value increased in the last year, the Texas taxpayer will receive a notice of appraised value from the appropriate local board (ARB) can consider and what to expect during a protest hearing. The publication also discusses

the option of taking a taxpayer's case to district court or entering into binding arbitration if the taxpayer is dissatisfied with the outcome of the ARB hearing.

#### Homestead Exemptions

- A homestead is generally defined as the home and land used as the owner's principal residence on Jan. 1 of the tax year. A homestead exemption reduces the appraised value of the home and, as a result, lowers property taxes. Applications are submitted to the appropriate local county appraisal district.

#### Productivity Appraisal

- Property owners who use land for timberland production, agricultural purposes, and wildlife management can be granted property tax relief on their land. They may apply to their local county appraisal district for an agricultural appraisal which may result in a lower appraisal of the land based on how much the taxpayer produces, versus what the land would sell for in the open market.

#### Property Tax Deferral for Persons Age 65 or Older and Disabled Homeowners

- Texans who are 65 years of age or older, or who are disabled as defined by law, may postpone paying current and delinquent property taxes on their homes by signing a tax deferral affidavit. Once the affidavit is on file, taxes are deferred, but not cancelled, as long as the owner continues to own and live in the home. Interest continues to accrue on unpaid taxes. You may obtain a deferral affidavit at the appraisal district.

#### Notice of Availability of Electronic Communication

- Chief appraisers of county appraisal districts and appraisal review boards my communicate electronically through email or other media with property owners or their designated representatives. Written agreements are required for notices and other documents to be delivered electronically in place of mailing.

#### Protesting Property Appraisal Values

- Property owners who disagree with the appraisal district's appraisal of their property for local taxes or for any other action that adversely affects them may protest their property value to the appraisal district's appraisal review board.

For more information about these programs, contact the Sutton County Appraisal District at (325) 387-2809. More information is also available from the state Comptroller's Property Tax Assistance Division website at [www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/proptax/](http://www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/proptax/) or contact the Texas Comptroller's Property Tax Assistance Division at (800) 252-9121 and press "2" to access the menu, and then press "1".

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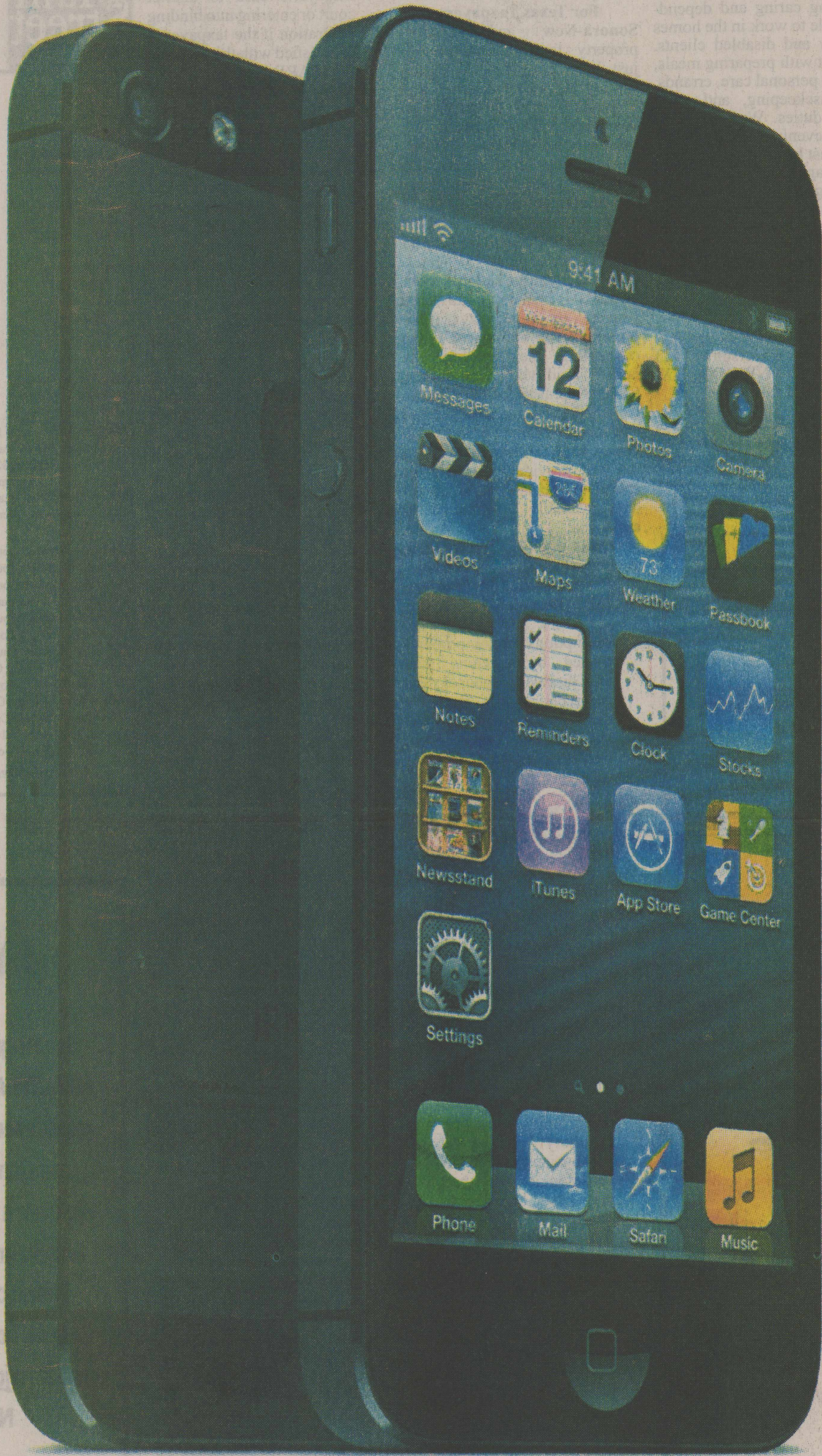
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