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ASSOCIATION Ozona, Crockett County, Texas 76943

Trustees approve new band uniforms

By Ted Cotton Asst. Superintendent

Following a lengthy 7:30 until 11:15 p.m. executive session regarding personnel, Ozona School Board President Wade Richardson announced that Frank and Kathy had withdrawn their letters of resignation, which would have become effective on Dec. 31. Mr. and Mrs. Reavis' resignation letters were presented by their daughter, Cindy Komechak, during the open forum agenda of the Dec. 15, 1998, regular meeting of the local school board.

appointment of a committee to begin the screening of prospective applicants for the position of head football coach and athletic director at composed of Dickie Faught, Charles Floyd, Donny Wiley, Ted Cotton and Larry Taylor, will select the top ap- both marching and concert contests, plicants to be interviewed once the Jan. 15 application deadline has closed, and when the interview process has been completed, they will recommend the leading candidates to be interviewed by the school board. These candidates will be interviewed by the board in February, with the selection of a new head football coach/athletic director to be decided upon by the end of February.

In another personnel item, the trustees voted to not accept the resignation, effective at the end of December, of Renee Casey, English and drama teacher at Ozona High School. Ms. Casey had requested release from her teaching contract in order to accept a drama teaching position in a larger school district. Trustee David Bean made the motion to accept Ms. Casey's resignation, and the motion was seconded by George Ybarra; however, as the result of a 3-3 tie vote, her resignation was not accepted by the board.

Larry Harvey, district architect, met with the board to present plans

of Ozona Middle School, Ozona Middle School Gymnasium and Davidson Gymnasium. Harvey will again meet with the trustees at their regular meeting in January for final approval prior to advertising for bids.

The members approved the tak-Reavis, teachers in the school district, ing of bids for new high school band uniforms that will be used beginning with the 1999-2000 school year. Supt. Larry Taylor explained that he, Donny Wiley, Kelly Glaze, and Norman Carroll were requesting the purchase of 120 new band uniforms due to the fact that the current uniforms are 10 years old and have Richardson also announced the reached their expected useful life span. Over the past two years it has become increasingly difficult to properly outfit band members, and it has also been necessary to scavenge nu-Ozona High School. The committee, merous uniforms in order to keep others in acceptable repair.

The uniforms will be used for and for the delivery of new uniforms to be guaranteed before the start of the next school year, they have to be ordered before the end of February, 1999, Taylor said. Uniform bids will be considered by the board in its February regular meeting.

Due to the lateness of the evening, the trustees voted to postpone their Tuesday, Dec. 15, meeting and reconvene on Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 8:30 p.m. to consider other agenda items.

After the meeting had been reconvened on Wednesday and with all members being present with the exception of Dr. Marcus Sims, the members approved the taking of bids for metal gabled roofs on school-owned housing. In board discussion regarding this agenda item, Supt. Larry Taylor said, "Mr. Myers (school maintenance director) and I have been planning for a long time to begin installing gabled metal roofs on schoolowned housing that currently has flat tar and gravel built-up roofs. We would like to take bids so that we can

and specifications for the renovation begin this process with the 18 houses located by the Ozona Intermediate School. We would like to take bids on five houses beginning with the houses north of where the intermediate school principal lives.

> "We will bring the bids for board approval at the January regular board meeting. We need to install gabled metal roofs on all of our schoolowned housing that has flat roofs to protect the district's investment. Ray Don and I believe that we need to also replace the siding on most of the 18 along with some windows in the near future," Taylor explained.

During the meeting the members reviewed and approved the district's audit report for the 1997-98 fiscal year as prepared by the accounting firm of Eckert, Ingrum, Tinkler, Oliphant and Featherston, as well as an update to the district's school board policy manual. Also approved was the district's participation in the Region XVV Education Service Center TIE Grant Videoconferencing Project.

The trustees went into executive session to discuss the purchase of property; however, no action was taken on this agenda item. The meeting was adjourned following an affirmative vote to set the date and time for the January regular meeting of the board on Jan. 20, 1998, at 7:00 p.m.

Ozona Stockman closed for holidays.

The Ozona Stockman will be closed Dec. 24 and 25 for the Christmas holidays. The office will open on its regular schedule at 8:00 a.m.





ISABEL YBARRA cuddled with Santa when he visited Ozona last Thursday at the Ozona Fire Station. Santa flew in on an airplane from the North Pole and was chauffeured from the airport on a fire truck.

Teachers decide to stay

ears of supporters of Kathy and Frank Reavis at a Dec. 15 school board

Mrs. Reavis made the announcement at 10:20 p.m.to students and others waiting in the high school library.

Trustees met in executive session with the couple after their daughter, Cindy Komechak, presented their letters of resignation during the open forum portion of the meeting.

"I don't know if I can do this or not," said Cindy as she choked back tears. "This is the hardest thing I've ever had to do."

The letters of resignation came after a level three complaint meeting with the board and two petitions seeking replacement of the superintendent.

The couple cited health, lack of

New firetruck arrives

Ozona Fire Department's new pumper arrived Sunday, the first new truck for the department since 1982. Correctly called a Spartan Advantage 6-man cab custom rescue pumper, the truck carries 1,000 gallons of water and will pump 1,250 teachers and their profession, harassment and threatening letters and mail fraud as reasons for resigning.

The Reavises, who have taught a total of 56 years in the Ozona school system, and the school board will try

"We're staying," was music to the respect from the administration for to work things out, Cindy said, after her parents' executive session meeting with the board.

> "It's a Christmas miracle," she said as students gathered around the Reavises to share happy hugs.

Midland College classes begin here Jan. 19

Midland College will again be offering college courses through the interactive video lab and computer based instruction. Students taking courses by computer based instruction will need access to a computer with a modem. The interactive courses will be given in the technology lab at Ozona High School. Regclass day will be Jan. 19. For more information, please contact David McWilliams at Ozona High School,

based instruction courses that are of- 1301.

fered include: Composition and Rhetoric, Composition and Literature, Federal and State Government, Calc in Merchandising, Appreciation of Music, Business Communications and Introduction to Philosophy.

Interactive classes include: Hisistration will be from Jan. 4-14. First tory 1302, Govt. 2301, Eco. 2301, Engl. 1302, Math 1314 College Algebra, Psych 2311, Engl 1301, Hist. 1301, Engl. 2323, Crim Just 1301, Communication 1307, Mngt 2304, Computer communications Span. 1412, Eco 2302 and Legal



GERRY MIZELL, Baton Rouge fireman/service technician, has been driving around town displaying the Ozona Fire Department's new fire truck over the weekend. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

gallons per minute. The truck will carry a full regiment of rescue tools and hose and will have foam capability as soon as it can be rigged out. Firemen underwent a three-day training period with a representative of the manufacturer, Ferrara Fire

starting the process of loading equipment and getting ready to put the

truck in service. Painted in gold across the front of the truck are the words "Lowell and Minnie McCaleb", names of Ozona's faithful station attendants for many

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State & Capital

HIGHLIGHTS

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AUSTIN — Child support col-

lections should, for the next two

years, remain the responsibility of

the attorney general's office, the

state Sunset Advisory Commis-

Cornyn, who described the

agency's collections record as

"dismal," will succeed Attorney

"We want to give the new at-

General Dan Morales in January.

torney general time to come in and

decide what needs to be done,'

said Sen. J.E. "Buster" Brown, R-

Lake Jackson, chairman of the

commission that reviews the op-

child support division has been

criticized for alleged failure to

collect and distribute court-or-

the Sunset Advisory Commission

to study and make a recommen-

dation whether child support en-

forcement should be stripped from

the attorney general's office's ar-

ray of duties and placed under the

purview of a separate agency.

The Legislature last year asked

Morales' management of the

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Attorney General-elect John

sion recommended last week.

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> Attorney General-elect Cornyn wants some answers about the deal private lawyers struck to represent the state in its tobacco lawsuit.

Cornyn said he thinks more than \$3 billion is an unreasonable amount of money to be paid. Cigarette makers have agreed to a settlement with the state for an estimated \$17 billion dollars.

Cornyn also said he'll take a close look at an agreement Attorney General Morales made with Houston lawyer Marc Murr, whose role in the settlement, Morales said, is worth more than \$1 million.

Recycling Info Site Opens

The Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission recently launched an online interactive system for mapping data on recycling in Texas.

The agency's Recycling Markets Information System (RMIS)

allows buyers, sellers and researchers to display recycling data they select on a map and/or in tabular form on this web site:

http://arroyo.geo.swt.edu Comment from the public is encouraged by the agency, with the goal of finding more uses for recyclable material while reducing waste that would otherwise be tossed into landfills

Other Highlights

■ State Farm Insurance, the biggest auto insurance company in Texas, has filed lawsuits seeking \$14 million in damages from nine people accused of staging accidents across the state between 1992 and 1997.

To compete in the technological marketplace, Texas needs more "flagship" universities to augment the University of Texas at Austin and Texas A&M University. Last week, six Texas university chancellors said the Legislature should do what it takes to make more schools emerge as toptier research institutions.

■ The Federal Emergency gency housing aid in the past two after the fall of the Alamo.

months and approved \$21 million in grants to flood victims.

An internal investigation by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice has concluded that Martin Gurule had no help from the inside during his breakout from death row last month. Gurule was found dead of drowning near the TDCJ's Ellis Unit in Huntsville.

■ University of Texas regent Management Agency has closed Tom Hicks and his business partor is closing disaster relief centers ner Charles Tate last week rein cities including San Antonio, vealed themselves as the donors New Braunfels, Wharton, Gonza- of a manuscript to UT. The memles and Seguin. FEMA accepted oir by Jose Enrique de la Peña alalmost 23,000 requests for emer- leges Davy Crockett was executed

Christmas Traditions Around The World

ENGLAND Date: December 25 Greeting: "A Merry Yule" Food: Headcheese, mutton pies, plum pudding, mince pies, wassail Traditions: Children

receive gifts from Father Christmas. He fills their stockings, which hang by the fireplace. Boxing Day is celebrated the day after Christmas, when gifts or money are given to those who have helped one during the year. The singing of Christmas carols also began in England.

FINLAND Date: December 25 Greeting: Iloista Joulua Food: St. Stephen's Day porridge, special cookies Traditions: During winter in Finland, everyone feeds the birds since heavy winter snows cover their food. On Christmas Eve, people leave extra food as a special gift for the birds.

GERMANY Date: December 25 Greeting: Froeliche Weinachten Food: Roast goose and Lubecker marzipan Traditions: Lubecker marzipan, made of almonds, is a favorite candy because it is molded and colored to resemble fruit or toys and hung on the Christmas tree for decoration. Candles are also traditionally placed on the tree instead of lights. The tradition of the Christmas tree was started in Germany many years

HOLLAND Date: December 6-25 Greeting: Prettige Kerstdagen

Food: Klaajes, a hard, flat cake originally made in the form of a bishop and his horse; klaasmann, a figure of Santa Claus in a flat cake; letterbanket, little cakes made in the form of letters so one can spell their own name. Traditions: On December

6, boys and girls leave candy and cookies in their wooden shoes which have been placed by the doorstep for St. Nicholas. He removes the treats and leaves gifts for the children.

ITALY

Date: December 25-January 6 Greeting: Buon Natale Food: Small cookies called "Magi Cakes," pork, chicken and fried eels **Traditions:** Christmas Day is a day of religious observance, with ceremonies praising the newborn Jesus. Children believe on January 6 they will be visited by La Befana. This very old lady drops down each chimney and leaves gifts for the young children. Gifts are also given to each family member on Christmas Eve. These gifts are placed in the "Urn of Fate," which is a large pot, and then they are often exchanged just are distributed to everyone in the family.

MEXICO Date: December 16-January 6 Greeting: Feliz Navidad

mo-lay), a kind of sauce for meat; sweet tamales; and bunuelos, a pastry Traditions: Nine nights before Christmas, families participate in the Posada. This is a dramatization of the story of Mary and Joseph as they looked for a room in an inn. The figures of Mary and Joseph are carried from room to room where they ask for admittance but are refused. At the final room they are welcomed, and the figures of Mary and Joseph are

Food: Mole (pronounced

placed in the tiny stable. On Christmas Eve, the figure of the baby Jesus is placed in the manger. After the Posada celebration, everyone joins in trying to break the piñata. The piñata is a papier-mâché figure. It is hollow, filled with gifts and candy, and is typically hung by a rope from a tree. Children are blindfolded and take turns trying to break the pinata with a stick. When someone succeeds, the gifts and candies scatter and the children scramble after them

POLAND Date: December 25 Greeting: Weselych Swiat Food: Oplakti is a favorite Christmas cookie. These cookies are stamped with figures of the Nativity and as Christmas cards are exchanged in the United States.

Traditions: A feast is served on Christmas Eve after a day of fasting. Straw is scattered lightly

over the dining table to help everyone remember that Jesus was born in a manger. A vacant chair is left at the table for baby

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SWEDEN Date: December 13-December 25 Greeting: God Jul Food: Julgrot (a special pudding made of rice and milk) and lutfisk (a kind of fish prepared in sauce) Traditions: December 13 marks a very important day for Swedish children because that is when Jul Nisse (elves) arrive to help with many duties. To thank the elves, the children leave food for them each evening.

UNITED STATES Date: December 25 Greeting: "Merry Christmas" Food: Roast turkey and dressing, cranberry sauce, mincemeat pie Traditions: Children hang stockings on the fireplace in readiness for Santa Claus to come down the chimney on Christmas Eve and leave toys for them. The holiday reminds us of the birth of Jesus Christ more than 2,000 years ago. The birth of Christ is celebrated in many churches on Christmas Eve with candlelight services and special music. The Christmas story is also often read from the Bible.

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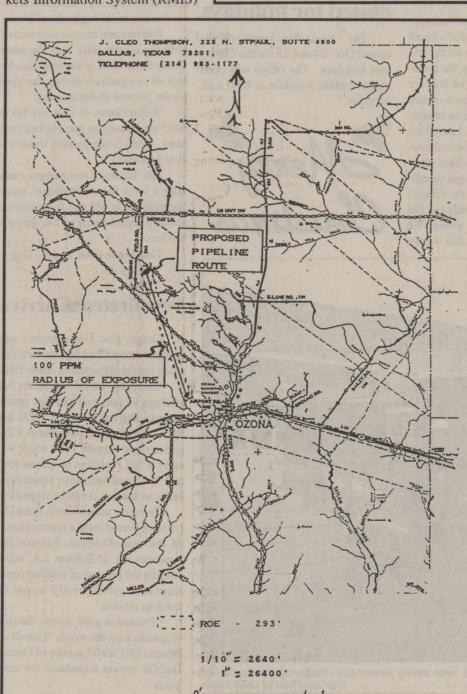
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PIPELINE PERMIT

J. Cleo Thompson and James Cleo Thompson, Jr., a partnership. 325 N. St. Paul, Suite 4500, Dallas, Texas 75201, has applied to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a Permit to construct a 8.0 miles buried pipeline in Crockett County, Texas to gather natural gas containing Hydrogen Sulfide (sour gas). In the event of a leak the radius of exposure of Hydrogen Sulfide for 100 parts per million (ppm) could extend 292.8 feet on either side of the pipeline based on methods outlined in the 16 Texas Administration Code 3.36(2). The radius of exposure includes parts of U.S. Hwy. 137. The applicant proposes to construct pipeline beginning at a point 643 feet from the North Line and 2403 feet from the East Line of G.C.&S.F. RR. Co. Svy. 83, Block OP, Crockett County, Texas and extending 42,240 feet in a South-Southeasterly direction ending at a point that is 11,088 feet Northwest at a bearing of 294 degrees from the North end of Avenue H ir the town of Ozona, Crockett County Texas. The pipeline will cross Texas Hwy. 137 at a point that is 5.7 miles Northwest from the intersection of Texas Hwy. 163 and Texas Hwy. 137. The Southeast end of the pipeline will connect with Crockett Gas Processing Plant, a facility owned and operated by the applicant. The pipeline will be constructed and operated in accordance with rules and regulations adopted by the Railroad Commission of Texas specifiying construction material and methods for the safe operation of sour gas pipe-The proposed pipeline facility will transport sour gas that contains

more than 100 ppm of Hydrogen Sulfide. A copy of this application is available for public inspection at the offices of the Crockett County Clerk, located at 907 Ave. D, Ozona, Texas.

Any owner or occupant of land located within 100 ppm radius of exposure of the proposed sour gas pipeline facility desiring to protest this application can do so by mailing or otherwise delivering a letter referring to gas utilities docket (gud) No. 8899 and stating their desire to protest to

DOCKET SERVICES Office of General Counsel **Railroad Commission of Texas** P.O. Box 12967 Austin, Texas 78711-2967

Protests must be received no later than January 17, 1999. It is recommended that a copy of this notice be inclouded with the letter. Additional information concerning the protest procedure can be obtained by calling (512) 461-7017 or by visiting \\www.rrc.state.tx.us\ on the internet. For more information regarding this permit application you may contact James Dalby, J. Cleo Thompson, 117 Ave. H., Ozona, Texas, telephone (915) 392-3721.

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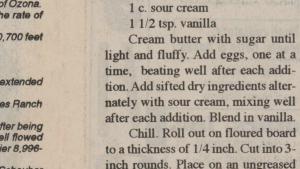
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Melissa Morris - Cook of the Week

Dad's Pork Chops

Melissa said.

1/2 c. oil

3/4 c. soy sauce

2 T dry mustard

2 1/4 tsp. salt

Melissa's Mother got this recipe

25 years ago while in Hawaii. She had

to do all the work marinating and pre-

paring, but the kids always gave Dad

credit because he grilled the chops,

1/4 c. Worschestershire Sauce

1 T coarse black pepper

1/2 c. wine vinegar

1/3 c. lemon juice

8-12 pork chops

6 - 8 potatoes

18 oz. sour cream

2 1/2 c. grated cheese

1/2 tsp. parsley flakes

4 garlic cloves, minced

Mix all seasonings and marinate

This recipe has been in the fam-

ily since Melissa was in the fifth

18 oz. pkg. cream cheese

Salt, pepper, garlic salt to taste

Boil potatoes until done. Drain.

Add cream cheese and sour cream,

then mix until mashed. Add salt, pep-

per and garlic salt into mashed pota-

toes. Place in a 9x13 casserole dish.

Sprinkle cheese on top and bake at

350 degrees until cheese is bubbly all

pork chops for several hours. Turn

chops occasionally. Cook on grill.

Make Ahead Potatoes

Melissa Morris says she would like to cook a lot more if she didn't have to clean up. "I had to learn a lot about cooking since Cody and I mar-

Her cooking style is derived from a combination of things she learned from her mother, Nancy Moore, and mother-in-law, Karen Morris.

"My biggest thing is decorating cakes," said Melissa. She also prepares a lot of casseroles and fast easy

Helping in the kitchen is little daughter Aryn, age 2 1/2. "Aryn wants to help and I want her to learn to like to cook," said Melissa. Melissa and Cody are expecting a son in March.

She is a member of Alpha Alpha Mu and Ozona Women's League. Melissa works at The Teacher Store, and Cody is employed by Burleson and Clayburn.

One of the recipes Melissa shares, Red Velvet Peppermint Cake, is perfect for the holiday season.

Red Velvet Peppermint Cake

- 1 (18.25 oz.) pkg. white cake mix
- 3 egg whites 1.1/3 c. buttermilk
- 2 T vegetable oil
- 1 (9 oz.) pkg. yellow cake mix 1/2 c. buttermilk
- 1 lg. egg
- 1 1/2 tsp. cocoa
- 1/2 tsp baking soda 2 tsp. red food coloring
- 1 tsp. cider vinegar

Beat first four ingredients according to cake mix directions. Beat yellow cake mix and next six ingredients according to cake mix direc-

Spoon red batter alternately with white batter into 3 greased and floured 9-inch cake pans. Swirl batter gently with a knife. Bake at 350

degrees for 22 to 25 minutes. Spread with Peppermint Cream Cheese Frosting. Garnish with crushed peppermint.

Peppermint Cream Cheese

Frosting 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese, soft-

- 1 c. butter or margarine, softened
 - 1 2 lb. pkg. powdered sugar
 - 2 tsp peppermint extract

Beat cream cheese and butter at med. speed with electric mixer until creamy. Gradually add sugar, beating at low speed until smooth. Add extract until blended.

Mom's Christmas Cookies

"Each year Mom says 'let's see who makes the best cookies' and she always wins. One year she gave me her recipe but left things out so she would win. I found the recipe, and that year I won," said Melissa.

- 1 c, butter or margarine
- 1 1/2 c. sugar
- 2 eggs
- 4 1/2 c. sifted flour
- 1 tsp. soda
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- 1 tsp. salt

Cream butter with sugar until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each addition. Add sifted dry ingredients alter-

Chill. Roll out on floured board to a thickness of 1/4 inch. Cut into 3inch rounds. Place on an ungreased cookie sheet and sprinkle with sugar. Bake at 375 degrees for 12 minutes. Makes 5 dozen. Great topped with favorite icing

Dec. 24 - Catholic Church Caroling and Posadas 9:30 p.m., Christmas Eve Mass 10 p.m. Dec. 24 - First Baptist Church Candlelight Service 11 p.m. Dec. 25 - Catholic Church Christmas Mass 10 a.m.

Dec. 25 - Methodist Christmas Night Service 6 p.m.

Dec. 24 - Faith Lutheran Church 7:30 p.m. Service

Jan. 5-9 - Crockett County Jr. Livestock Show Jan. 15-17 - Texas Sheep Dog Association Winter Olympics Dog

To add your event to The Ozona Stockman Community Calendar, call 392-2551 or contact Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737.

Chamber announces contest winners

The Ozona Chamber of Comwho participated in the "Ozona Vitela Bucks" Gift Certificates Christmas Promotion, and those who shopped at home. Many reasons to shop at home come to mind, but the most important is to support our local economy by keeping our dollars circulating in our town. The winners for "Ozona Bucks" will be spending their hard earned bucks with chamber members who participated with the promotion.

"Ozona Bucks", where they were spent and the winners are: \$25.00 The Cactus Patch, Mary Leigh Dunagan of Eldorado; \$50,00 Crockett National Bank, Michelle Holtz; \$100.00 Honey's Impressions, Frances Davis; \$200.00 Ozona's Dry Clean and Laundry, Charlotte Harrell; \$300.00 The Teacher Store, Rick Rylander of Iraan.

They are: Petals & Pearls, Komechak Kritter Sitter Service, Bryan's Poco Taco, NatGas, The Teacher Store, Small Fashions, Honey's Impressions, El Chato's, Accent Chiropractic, Cameras Two & Frame Shop, Crockett National Bank, Ozona National Bank, The Cafe Next Door, Maness I-10 Texaco and the Little Store, Hero's Pizza, Ozona's Dry Clean & Laundry and The Cactus Patch.

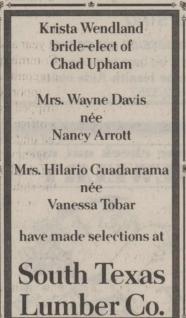
Winners for the Christmas art contest are: Rebecca Ramos, age 5, in the children ages nine and under category, and Holly Trevino, age 10, in the children ages 10 to 14 category. Each winner received a bicycle donated by El Chato's Restaurant.

Children who participated in the Christmas Art Contest and won a gift certificate worth one child's meal from El Chato's restaurant and the Ozona Chamber of Commerce are:

9 and under: Marty Moran Jr., merce would like to thank everyone Kasey Gray, Lane White and Tyler

10 to 14: Jasmin Moran, Kyann Kothmann, Breanne Gesch, Brittney Ramos, Alexandra Bean, Tyler Cunningham, Ross Kelley, Ashley Webb, Jared Espino, Kris Gray, Kayla Parks, Lori Lozano and Kaysi Adams.

Please come by the chamber office to pick up your gift certificate if you haven't already, and to get your participant ribbon. All contest forms are on display at the participating member merchants' stores.



amount of money to be paid. Ci



Miss Durham, Mr. Longoria announce January wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Ulmer of Center and Mr. Richard Durham of New Mexico announce the engagement of their daughter, Katharine Durham, to David Longoria, son of Ms. Rosalinda Perez Longoria and Paul Longoria of Ozona.

A January 16, 1999, wedding is

planned at Saint Joseph Catholic Church in San Angelo.

The bride-elect is a May candidate for graduation at Angelo State University with a degree in psychology. The prospective bridegroom is employed by Cleere Drilling Company of San Angelo.



Garden Club sponsors poster contest

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Bridal Gift Registry

Katherine Durham, bride-elect of David Longoria

Krista Wendland, bride-elect of Chad Upham

Mrs. Wayne Davis, née Nancy Arrott

Mrs. David Deal, née Elizabeth Harrell

Mrs. Jonathan Warden, née JoLynn Vannoy

OZONA WOMEN'S LEAGUE PRESENTS

"Lights of Love"

Ozona Women's League - Attn: Jodie Griffith or Nikki Harrison

P.O. Box 4118 • Ozona, TX 76943

Monday-Friday 8:45 - 5:15 In the Village

Ozona Garden Club sponsored a poster contest stressing environmental awareness or caring for the earth with Woodsy Owl and Smoky Bear themes. Two hundred and twenty children in Ozona Intermediate School participated

have been submitted to the district level for State Garden Club partici-

Winners will be photographed for a January paper, and a monetary

In Memory of

In Honor of

One Light - \$3.00

award will be given to each. The principal, Manly Holmes,

Sara Hignight and the entire intermediate staff all were involved.

Fifth grade winners all had a Woodsy Owl theme. They are: 1 Daniella Houston, 2 Derek Wiley, 3 Mandy Fierro.

Fourth grade results are: 1 The students' winning posters Sydney Jackson, Woodsy Owl; 2 Catlin Sessom, Smoky Bear; 3 Patty Ortiz, Woodsy Owl.

In the third grade, winners were: 1 Vanessa De la Garza, Smoky Bear; 2 Kyan Kothmann, Woodsy Owl; 3 Brooke Kelly, Smoky Bear.

Two Lights - \$5.00

Dorothy Montgomery reporting

our resilience and our compassion to reach out to

others in need. Whether it was flood or drought, neighbor stood by neighbor

in ways that should make us all proud to be Texans.

This holiday season, may we all pause and reflect on the many good things in our

lives: family, friends and the promise of a new, exciting year.

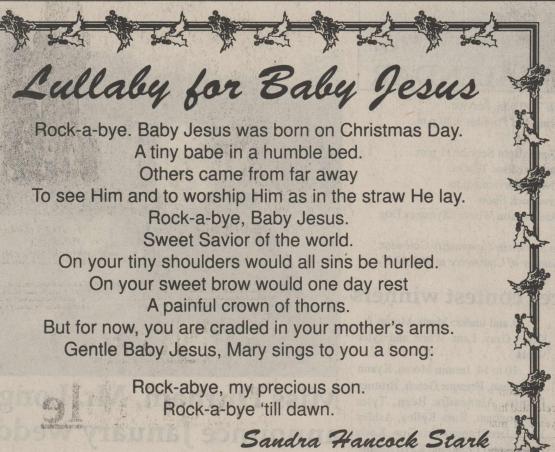


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OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CATHOLIC CHURCH presented a traditional Posada coordinated by Margarita Longoria and Maria Perez this past Monday evening. The Posada is a pageant of the birth of our lord and the tribulations suffered by His Father, Joseph (played by Tres Perez) and His mother Mary (played by Adrianna Tijerina) as Joseph begged for a lodging place for his wife who was with child. The Posadas are presented in verse form and sung by two groups, those outside, begging for a place to spend the night and those inside, refusing to open the door to one more guest. Portraying the shepherds were Robert DeHoyos, Lalo Longoria Jr. and Manny Tijerina.

Candlelight service at **Baptist Church Dec. 24**

Rev. Bill Fuller, pastor of First Baptist Church, invites the community to a Christmas Eve candlelight service at 11 p.m.

And she brought forth her first born Son, and wrapped Him in swaddling cloths, and laid Him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the Dec. 10 sec 10 set m Luke 2: 7

This message made possible

are Center Chat

til Christmas, and our residents have no complaints about the holidays, only that they are ready for Christmas to be over. There has been so much going on all through the month of December, and we have really enjoyed every bit of it.

Thanks to Mrs. Henderson's 8th grade class for coming to carol for us. Also to Simply Cervantez for her gifts for the residents and again to all the people of Ozona for all their donations to make our residents happy. Special thanks to Westerman Drug for their fruit platters for our residents and to the Methodist Ghurch Youth group for going room by room Christmas caroling. Residents really enjoyed it since it was Sunday afternoon. Thank you, Nancy.

It is nice to know everybody cares for our residents.

Our Country Store remains open every day until Christmas so our residents can enjoy the shopping. Don't forget we are always in need of any kind of donation for our Country Store so we can have a better selec-

I need to make a correction about last week's Bingo winner. It was Ha-

Compote

There is only one more day unazed McDaniel, and she had a total of seven bingos.

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We have been having real good games of dominoes. Ladies playing were: Ruby Butler, Laura McMullan, Rosa Diaz and Hazel McDaniel Juana Hernandez and Neva Palmer enjoy watching the rest of the ladies.

High score winner was Laura

We also were in the mood for baking. A group of residents got together, and with some help from activity director Lupe Martinez made some Cowboy Cookies. We baked them and ate hot cookies for snacks. Everybody enjoyed the cookies: We had enough to give all the residents

Ladies making the cookies were: Laura McMullan, Juana Hernandez, Hazel McDaniel, Ruby Butler, Lilly Bell Halydier and Neva Palmer. They had a good conversation going about when they used to bake at their homes. They really enjoyed the after-

The Community Bell Ringers came to the care center to entertain our residents Monday night. Activities Directors

Lupe and Chris

The Gift of Christmas

Submitted by Rev. Mike Davis **Harvest Time Christian Center**

Our tradition of gift-giving at Christmas is taken from the "giving" theme which permeates the Incarnation. God gave His only Begotten Son to the world, the angels gave praises to God, and the three kings gave gifts to the Christchild. It was indeed a giving occasion.

The Gift of Christmas was Jesus. No other gift compares. No matter

how meaningful it is, regardless of how much emotion it is given with, no matter how much it cost or how rare it is. All other gifts pale into meaninglessness at some point. Some would give all the gifts they have ever received in exchange for their health, or to have a broken relationship healed, or to extend their life a little while longer or to be at peace with God and themselves. There is really only one gift which we would not exchange for all the world...that is indwelling presence of Jesus in our

He is the gift of life. Eternal life. He is the only gift we can give to others which has ultimate value. One of the great frustrations of Christmas is providing for our gift list. We become harried, weary and frazzled seeing that everyone has a gift. How wonderful it would be if our "gift list" was our "prayer list" to whom we could give the gift of the gospel of Christ. When we introduce others to Jesus and persuade them to accept Him as Savior and Lord, they will have received The Gift of Christmas.

May you and yours have a wonderful Christmas!

First Baptist Church

901 Ave. D Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.

Mt. Zion

Baptist Church

Cenisa St.

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m.

Templo Bautista

Jerusalem

138 Blas St.

Rev. Esequiel Cervantez

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

601 Ave. I

Rev. Daniel C. Fleming

Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m.

Wed. & Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.

Harvest Time Christian Center

604 11th St. Rev. Mike Davis

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Evening Worship 6 p.m.

Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.

802 1st St. Rev. Charles Huffman

Faith Lutheran Church

Ozona Church of Christ

1002 11th St.

Mr Johnnie Perkins

Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 am.

Church of God of Prophecy 102 Man O' War St. Pastor Lupe Domoniquez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 4:30 p.m. Tues. & Thurs: 6 p.m.

Worship: 11 a.m, 6 p.m. Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida Calvary Baptist Church

601 Ave. I Pastor Francisco Rojas Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 7 p.m.

Iglesia de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run Sunday Bible Study: 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Worship: 10:45 a.m. Wed. Bible Study: 7:00 a.m.

Ozona United **Methodist Church**

12 - 11th St. Rev. Nancy Mossman Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m.

Templo Siloe

Assembly of God Church 526 Santa Rosa St. - Rev. Sergio Arrelland Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Tues. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.

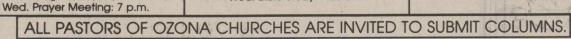
Our Lady of Perpetual Help

219 Martinez St. Rev. Henry Laenen Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Sat.: 7 p.m. M. W. F. - 8:30 a.m.

Apostolic Church

307 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Hector De La Cruz Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 5 p.m. Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.

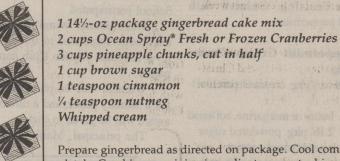
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Prepare gingerbread as directed on package. Cool completely. Combine remaining ingredients, except whipped cream, in a medium saucepan. Bring mixture to a boil and cook just until the cranberries begin to pop, stirring frequently. Cool sauce slightly. Spoon warm compote over each serving of gingerbread. Top with whipped cream.

Gingerbread With Warm Cranberry

Card of Thanks

We would like to say a big thank you to Jeff Sievering, P.A. Gerald Creel, Peggy McWilliams and their staff and the E.M.S. members Steve Pagan, Vonda Flanagan, Cindy Smith and Doug Meador. It is a real comfort to know we have such a great staff from doctors all the way to E.M.S. personnel. We thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Jo Ann, Shane, Karla & Kelly





DEL'S LITTLE SCHOOLHOUSE students performed Christmas carols for the patrons of Burger King last Wednesday. DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway



News items taken from the files of The Ozona Stockman published 29 and 58 years ago

NEWS REEL DEC. 25, 1969

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day by the Ozona Rifle Club.

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the weekend for a deer hunt.

News Reel

Marlin Farris of Ozona received a Freshman Award in football this year at Sul Ross State University. Farris is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Farris.

Johnny Griffin and children

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Ketchum of Madras, Oregon are here for the Christmas holidays, visiting friends and relatives.

News Reel

eles, California and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff tally discharged Kearney of Fort Worth will spend Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beecher Montgomery.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and children are visiting Mrs. Williams parents in Munday during the Christmas holidays.

News Reel

Troy Williams, a senior student in the University of Texas law school in Austin, passed his bar examination and received his law license last week.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Upton and son of San Angelo will spend Christmas Eve with Mrs. Upton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Perner.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Bryant are here from Ft. Worth to spend the holiday weekend with their daughter, Mrs. Beecher Montgomery and her family.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Collett and children, Will and Dana, left Friday afternoon for Coldwater, Kansas, where they will spend the holidays and ner of the 30-30 Buffalo Bill Com- return to their home here the first part an associate of applied science in

Mrs. George Montgomery is Hundreds of Ozona children vis-spending the Christmas holidays in ited Santa Claus Friday afternoon, San Angelo with her daughter, Mrs. under the auspices of the Ozona Vol- Carolyn Shepperson and her family.

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Whitley and Ray Piner of Meridian and Tom daughter, Elizabeth, of Beaumont are Piner of Houston were in Ozona over spending the holidays here with Mrs. Whitley's aunts, Mrs. Gertrude Perry and Miss Mildred North.

> **NEWS REEL** DEC. 26, 1940

Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Carson announce the engagement and approach-Mr. and Mrs. Al Fields are spending marriage of their daughter ing Christmas in Andrews with their Crystelle, to James Robert Childress, daughter and her family, Mr. and Mrs. son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Childress of Ozona. The wedding will take place Jan. 18 at the First Baptist Church in

News Reel

du Joe Couch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Couch, suffered a superficial flesh wound in his leg late last week when a small caliber pistol which he Bryan Montgomery of Los An- was carrying in his car was acciden-

News Reel

Miss Billy Jo West and Miss Eloise Carson, students in Baylor University at Waco, are home for the holi-

News Reel

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grimmer and children, Betty, Billy, Mary Jeanete, and Eddie are here from Winfield, Iowa to spend the holidays with Mrs. Grimmer's parents, Judge and Mrs. Charles E. Davidson.

News Reel

Miss Elizabeth Couch is home from Our Lady of the Lake College in San Antonio to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert

LUIS RUIZ presents a gift to Jose Arredondo at the care center as Monie Boyd waits her turn. The Ozona Community Center's afterschool children have adopted grandparents at the care center and enjoyed spending time with them and giving DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore them Christmas gifts.

Montgomery graduates from ITT

Jason and his wife, Michelle,

celerated his graduation as well as six

years of marriage with a weeklong

trip to Cancun, Mexico. They cur-

and Mozelle Houston of Ozona at-

Sandy and James Mongomery

rently reside in Leander.

tended the ceremony

Jason Montgomery, son of James and Sandy Montgomery and grandson of Mozelle Houston, graduated with honors from ITT in Austin with electronics engineering Mr. Montgomery was also inducted into the National Vocational Honor Society in recognition of his 3.7 grade point av-

He is a 1989 graduate of Ozona High School. He is employed as an engineer by IXC Communications Inc. in Austin. IXC's network-based delivery solutions are designed to address the speed and capacity requirements of the global communications market. Having completed the first new coast-to-coast fiber optic network in the United States in more than a decade, IXC Communications Inc. is at the forefront of the industry's new class of emerging domestic and international carriers. IXC offerings include private line, broadband, Internet and long distance switched and dedicated services.

Border Patrol siezes over \$2 million in narcotics

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In just five days, the U.S. Border Patrol has seized over \$2,000,000.00 worth of narcotics in

three different seizures On Dec. 5, agents of the Alpine station seized 268 pounds of marijuana from the rear of a Chevy suburban while conducting traffic check duties on Highway 118, just south of

The following day, agents of the Sierra Blanca station arrested two individuals after 1,364 pounds of marijuana was found in false compartments of their motor home. The value of the marijuana was over \$1,000,000.00. The marijuana was found after a canine alerted to the

On Dec. 2, agents from Sierra Blanca assisted Department of Public Safety Troopers and discovered 27 pounds of cocaine concealed in the quarter panels of the vehicle. The cocaine has a street value of

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ERIK'S HOUSE PRESCHOOL students gather around Santa after performing for the residents of the Senior Apartments last Wednesday. DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

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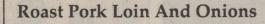
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11/2 lb. (750 g) small boiling onions, about 1 inch (2.5 cm) in diameter (about 30)

1 center-cut boneless pork loin, 21/2-3 lb. (1.25-1.5 kg), trimmed of most fat and tied in several places

2 teaspoons chopped fresh thyme, plus 6 thyme sprigs Salt and freshly ground pepper

1/2 cup (4 fl. oz./125 ml) dry white wine, plus extra wine for basting

1 teaspoon cornstarch mixed with 1 tablespoon water

Position a rack in the lower third of an oven and preheat to 425°F. (220°C). Lightly coat a heavy roasting pan with olive oil.

Trim the onions, then peel and cut a shallow cross in the root end. Fill a saucepan three-fourths full with water and bring to a boil over medium-high heat. Add the onions, return the water to a boil and boil for 2 minutes. Drain the onions and set aside

Wipe any moisture from the pork loin with paper towels. Rub the loin all over with olive oil. Sprinkle with chopped thyme and season lightly with salt and pepper. Place the pork loin, fat side up, in the roasting pan (without a rack) and add ½ cup wine. Surround the meat with the onions.

Roast, stirring the onions occasionally and basting the meat and onions a few times with the extra wine or the pan juices, until the loin and onions are lightly golden and the juices run clear when the loin is pierced with a knife, 50-70 minutes. To test for doneness, insert an instant-read thermometer into the center of the meat. It should read 160°-165°F (71°-74°C).

Remove from the oven and transfer the roast to a warmed platter; cover loosely with aluminum foil and set aside in a warm place Using a slotted spoon, transfer the onions to a bowl and cover to keep warm. Pour the juices from the pan into a medium saucepan. Let stand for a few minutes to allow the fat to rise to the surface, then skim off the fat with a large spoon and discard. Stir the cornstarch mixture into the juices, place over medium-low heat and bring to a boil, stirring constantly. When the mixture thickens, season to taste with salt and pepper. If it thickens too much, add a little water or wine to thin to the proper consistency. Return the onions to the sauce and coat well.

To serve, cut the meat into 1/2" slices (12 mm) and layer them on the platter. Surround the meat with the onions and their sauce. Garnish with the thyme sprigs. Serves 6.

Crockett County Sheriff's Report

12/15/98 thru 12/21/98

*A report of a disturbance at a residence on Heraclio Street, Deputy spoke to subjects involved. No further problems occurred.

*Deputy met with a complainant on

*Complaint of loud music on Heraclio Street, Deputy checked area and was unable to

*Deputy transported a motorist from a local store to his vehicle at mile marker 363. *A report of an alarm at the local high school, Deputy reported, it was a janitor work-

*A report of a large branch on the street on Ave E. Deputy removed the branch from

*A report of an odor of gas on first street. The local gas company was notified and they reported that they had a small leak in the area and would repair it.

*Deputy took an offence report at the local high school in reference to telephone ha-

*A report of a reckless driver in a red and white pickup in the area of 11th street. Deputy

responded to the area and was unable to locate *A report of a reckless driver on the corner of Ave G and Third Street, Deputy located

the vehicle and spoke with the driver. *Deputy gave some gas to a welfare subject from Florida.

*A report of an alarm at the high school auto shop, Deputy reported that it was a teacher still in the building. All okay.

*A report of two subjects in an older model pickup waving a rifle out of the pickup window in the area of Ave O. Deputies responded and were unable to locate the vehicle

*A report of a child being bitten by a dog on War Admiral Street. Deputy took information and the animal control was notified to pick

In a food processor, purée rasp-

and boil purée, stirring occasionally,

completely. Chop walnuts. Have

ready a large bowl of ice and cold

water. In a metal bowl with a hand-

held electric mixer, beat together

eggs, sugar and honey until com-

bined well. Set bowl over a pan of

thermometer registers 160 F. Set

bowl over bowl of ice water and

beat until cold. In another bowl with

cleaned beaters, beat cream until it

just holds stiff peaks and fold with

walnuts into egg mixture gently but

thoroughly. Alternately spoon rasp-

six 6-ounce glasses, and swirl with a

wooden skewer. Freeze parfaits,

covered, at least eight hours and up

to two days. Let parfaits stand at

room temperature 15 minutes before

Garnish parfaits with raspber-

Lightly toast walnuts and cool

*A report of loud music on Perez Street. Deputy responded but was called to a vehicle

cident while in route to the loud music call. *A report of a two vehicle accident on Highway 163 South. Deputy responded and an EMS unit was also dispatched to the scene.

*A report of a 911 call hang up. Deputy responded to the residence involved and reported that it was kids playing with the tele-

*Deputy gave a subject a ride to his vehicle from a local store to four miles west on I-

*Reagan County Sheriffis Office advised to be on the look out for a blue chevy pickup essibly driven by a high school kid headed to Mexico. Deputy located the subject at a local store and he was arrested for public intoxica-

block of 11th st reet in reference to a stolen tire from an RV

*Report of a welfare subject that needed gas,. Deputy gave the subject gas at a local gas

*Report of a traffic hazzard in reference to smoke coming from a vehicle traveling west

on I-10. Deputy responded to the area and was unable to locate the vehicle involved. *Report of a gas drive off from the Pecos County Store. Deputy was unable to locate the

*Deputy took a report in reference to a

standing ashtray missing from the post office. *Deputy gave gas to a welfare subject

traveling east *Report of an abandoned vehicle at the 351 mile marker on I-10. Deputy responded and the vehicle was picked up by a local wrecker

*Report of a reckless driver on Ave I. Deputy responded to the area and was unable to locate the vehicle involved.

*Report of loud music at a residence on Encino Street, Deputy responded and advised the subjects involved to turn the music down. *Report of an alarm at the primary school,. Deputy reported all was okay.

*Deputy assisted a local subject on Ave E in locating the electrical breaker box in the residence so electricity could be turned off due to a water leak in the residence

*Deputy assisted a motorist who was broke down on I-10 mile marker 346. *Report of a party on Yucca Lane, Deputies responded and issued some minor in pos-

arrested for making alcohol available to minors. 12/19/98 *Deputy assisted with traffic control on a vehicle accident on I-10 mile marker 83. *Report of a possible fight in progress at a residence on Willow Drive,. Deputy re-

sponded and found no sign of a fight and no physical marks on subjects involved. The subjects were just arguing over a tape. store, Deputy responded but was unable to lo-

cate the vehicle involved. *A report of a male subject walking north on Pandale Road, Deputy responded and located a vehicle but no one was around.

*Deputy assisted a DPS Tro traffic stop on a wanted person.

*A report of a vehicle accident six miles south of Reagan County, Sheriffis Office noti-

*A report of a vehicle on fire on I-10 mile marker 377, Deputy responded and a wrecker and the fire department were dispatched to the berry purée and cream mixture into scene.

> 12/20/98 *A report of a female who wanted a male subject removed from her property, Deputies

responded to the area and the subject was gone on their arrival *A report of a male subject who needed a place to sleep. Subject was advised of our

Street, Deputy responded and was unable to and the dog owner was notified.

miles north on Highway 163 on a report of ju-'veniles partying in the area.

*A report of an alarm at the high school. Deputy responded and advised that it was ser-

vice personnel working in the building. *A report of a gas drive off from a local

gas station. Deputy responded and made contact with the subject involved and the subject paid for the gas. *A report of sparks coming from an electrical wire. Deputy stood by while WTU re-

paired the problem. *A report of a welfare concern at a local

bank. Deputy responded and advised that there was no problem

ARREST REPORT 12/15/98 to 12/21/98

12/15/98 Villarreal, Jesse Castillo, age 27, of Ozona was afrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of Felony Driving While Intoxicated and Failure to Appear. Subjects bond was reinstated and the subject was released.

12/15/98 De Luna, Juan Alejos, age 23, of Sonora was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a warrant out of Sutton County for Failure To Register As A Sex Offender. Subject was released to Sutton County Officers.

12/17/98 Baker, Ryan Mason, age *Deputy met with a complainant at 900 21, of Austin was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of Possession of Marijuana Under Two Ounces. Subject posted a bond and was released.

12/18/98 Reynolds, Jerry Lance, age 18, of Big Lake was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of Public Intoxication. Subject paid a fine and was released.

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12/18/98 Adams, Jeffrey Kurt, age 33, of San Angelo was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of Motion To Revoke Driving While Intoxicated. Subject posted a PR bond and was released.

12/19/98 Byley, Brandi Michelle, age 20 of Ozona was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charges of Making Alcohol Available To Minors and Escape From Custody. Subject paid a fine and posted a bond and was released.

12/19/98 Crockett County Jail held nine prisoners over night for Transcor. Prisoners were released to Transcor the next day.

12/20/98 Sanchez, Jose Armand, age 39, of Del Rio was arrested by a Department Of Public Safety Trooper session of alcohol citations and one adult was on a charge of Driving While Intoxicated. Subject posted a PR bond and was released.

12/20/98 James, Amanda Josephine, age 22, of Woodlands was arrested by a Department Of Public Safety Trooper on a warrant for Theft By Check out of Montgomery County. *Report of a gas drive off from a local Subject remains in Crockett County Jail awaiting transfer to Montgomery

12/20/98 Gonzales, Richard Ramirez, age 19, of Ozona was arrested by Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy on a charge of Driving While Intoxicated. Subject remains in Crockett County Jail awaiting trial.

12/21/98 Farah, Edward, age 20, of El Paso was arrested by a Department Of Public Safety Trooper on a charge of Driving While License Suspended. Subject posted a bond and was released.

REPORTS

12/17/98 A report of a dog bite, in refersleeper program but subject never showed up, ence to an 8-year-old boy who was bitten by a *A report of loud music on Secretariat dog. The dog was picked up by animal control

12/18/98 A report of Theft in reference to *Deputy responded to the rest area eight a large ashtray being taken from the local post office. There are no suspects at this time.

12/18/99 A report of an abandoned vehicle, in reference to a vehicle that was abandoned at the rest area on I-10 mile marker 351. Deputy inventoried the vehicle and then the vehicle was towed by a local wrecker service.

12/20/98 A report of Theft of A Vehicle in reference to an igloo ice chest being taken from a vehicle at a local motel. Investigation continues at this time with no suspects.

12/21/98 A report of Unauthorized Use Of A Motor Vehicle, in reference to a vehicle that was parked outside a residence and was missing the next day. Vehicle information was given to the Department Of Public Safety and the investigation continues at this time



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The holidays are a time to until reduced to about one cup. Cool indulge in all things lavish — after pure and chill. all, that's how New Year's resolutions are born. Whether entertaining guests or looking to satisfy your almost criminal sweet tooth, nothing is more tantalizing to the taste buds than a rich and silky dessert.

Make the holidays a hit this year with this dreamy recipe for simmering water and beat mixture raspberry swirl parfaits - indulge until pale, thick and an instant-read

2 10-ounce packages frozen raspberries in light syrup, thawed 1/2 cup walnuts

3 large eggs

All Governmental Fund Types

YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1998

21/2 tablespoons sugar

21/2 tablespoons honey

3/4 cup well-chilled heavy cream CROCKETT COUNTY CONSOLIDATED COMMON SCHOOL DISTRICT Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances

REVENUES	General	Revenue	TOTAL	
Local and Intermediate Sources	10,177,452	79,216	10,256,668	
State Program Revenues	535,596	35,452	571,048	
Federal Program Revenues	0	433,635	433,635	
TOTAL REVENUES	10,713,048	548,303	11,261,351	
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Support Services - Student (Pupil)	549,968	330,320	880,288	
Administrative Support Services	513,809	330,320	513,809	
Support Services - Nonstudent Based	1,105,738	13,395	1,119,133	
Ancillary Services	0	3,659	3,659	
Capital Outlay	221,374	0	221,374	· 南 ·
Intergovernmental Charges	2,264,148	0	2,264,148	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	9,492,537	620,048	10,112,585	
EXCESS REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES	1,220,511	(71,745)	1,148,766	
OTHER RESOURCES	0	80,000	80,000	
OTHER USES	(80,000)	0	(80,000)	
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OVER EXPENDITURES & OTHER USES	1,140,511	8,255	1,148,766	
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FUND BALANCE - BEGINNING	3,012,836	7,824	3,020,660	
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN FUND BALANCE	(9,486)	<u>0</u>	(9,486)	
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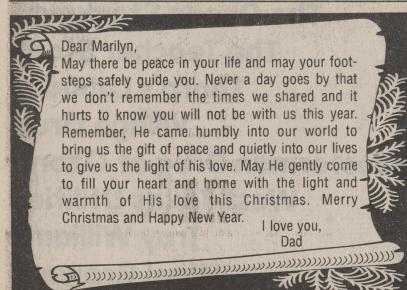
GAY AND SIERRA STOKES are having a time last Wednesday at the DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway



STORMY EDMINSON displays an enormous smile as she sits in Santa's lap and accepts a present from him at the Ozona Community Center Christmas Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler



TOM MORROW AND FERNANDO GALVAN (r.) are hard at work last week boxing up over 200 cans of food that were gathered by Ozona Intermedi-DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway ate School students.



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Common hangover cure could cause liver damage tinuously through Dec. 31. If you

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Whether it's spiked eggnog at family gatherings, mulled wine at office parties or champagne on new Year's Eve - the holidays offer plenty of opportunities to drink too much

Drinking in moderation is the only foolproof way to prevent a hang! over, but Dr. William Lee can offer advice for all who consume alcohol.

"It is commonplace to reach for a bottle of pain relievers to alleviate symptoms associated with a hangover, but doing so can cause liver damage," says Lee, professor of internal medicine at UT Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas.

In a study last year, Lee found that people who took small overdoses of medication containing acetaminophen - the key ingredient in Tylenol - when drinking alcohol suffered serious liver damage. The risk was especially apparent for heavy drinkers and those who had been fasting.

Lee recommends taking aspirin or other non-steroidal agents to relieve discomfort.

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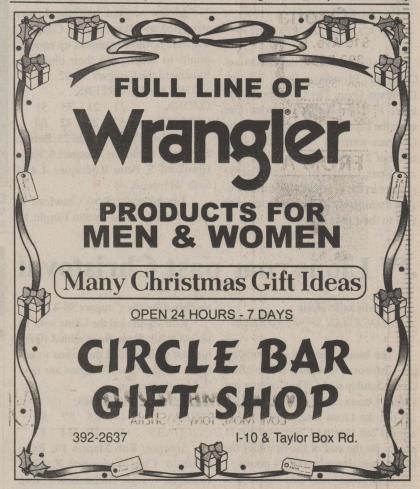
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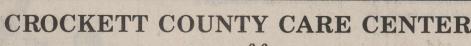
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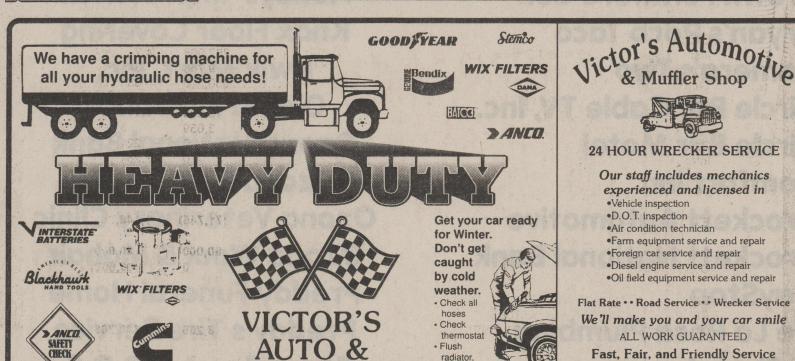
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Lions take the sting out of the Kermit Yellowjackets

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Lions took on the Kermit the end of the first quarter 17-10. You could hear the Lions roar as they con-33-20 at the end of the first half. The Lions hit a wild streak as they out Brad Sullivan and Seth Webster. scored Kermit in the first, second and third quarters of the ball game.

In the fourth quarter the Yellow KERMIT 10 20 31 53 Jackets began to swarm the Lions to ets to handle as the Lions won the Sullivan 2 and Seth Webster 1 game 69-53 leaving them with a 9-5

win-loss record for the season.

Dustin Faught led the Lions with 22 points, 10 rebounds, 6 steals, 3 assists and 3 blocks. Peter Rodriquez Yellow Jackets last Friday at Davidson had 13 points, four steals, two assists, Gym. The Lions were in the lead at one block and one rebound to lead the Lions to their ninth victory.

Other Lions scoring were Jomie tinued to out score the Yellow Jackets Tebbetts, Bobby Cervantez; Glenn Sutton, Ross Crawford, Chad Myers, SCORE BY QUARTERS: LIONS 17 33 50 69

Scoring: Dustin Faught 22, Peter out score the Lions for the first time Rodriquez 13, Jomie Tebbetts 11, in the game. However, the Lions were Bobby Cervantez 10, Glenn Sutton 5, too much for the Kermit Yellow Jack- Ross Crawford 4, Chad Myers 4, Brad

Cougars outlast the Lions

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Lions took on the Christoval Cougars Monday, Dec. 14, at Davidson Gym. The Cougars led the score 17-11 in the first quarter. Despite the Lions efforts to catch up, the Cougars were up 7 at the half by a score of 21-28.

Ross Crawford scored one 3pointer in the first half while the Cougars dominated the 3-point zone with five to their total.

In the second half the Lions struggled to overcome the Cougars, but were not able to muster up enough points to accomplish their objective loosing to the Cougars 51-62. SCORE BY QUARTERS:

11 21 33 51 COUGARS 17 28 42 62

Scoring: Derek Faught 23, Bobby Cervantez 8, Steven Martinez 6, Ross Crawford 5, Peter Rodriquez 4 and Seth Webster 3.

3-point goals: Ross Crawford 1, Seth Webster 1 and Dustin Faught 1.



DONIKA MARTINEZ puts the ball up for two of the 10 points she scored last Monday during the Lady Lions 83-30 thrashing of the Christoval Lady Cougars. Millie Wadsworth (r.) is ready for a rebound. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler

JV Lions roar past Christoval

By Michelle Holtz

STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Junior Varsity Lions took on the Christoval Cougars at Davidson Gym Monday night. The Cougars out scored Ozona in the first quarter 18-14, but the Lions fought back in the OZONA second out scoring Christoval by 11 COUGARS points. At the end of the first half the Lions were down by only 4 points.

at the end of the third quarter, and con- Cruz 2 and Josh Tambunga 2. finuing their assault in the fourth quar-

ter defeating the Cougars 58-47.

Rob Madris led the Lions with 14 points, while Ryan Bean added 10 for himself to help lead the Lions to another victory. The JV Lions are now 7-4 for the season SCORE BY OUARTERS:

14 25 37 58 18 29 34 47

Scoring: Rob Madris 14, Ryan Bean 10, Cole Wadsworth 8, Chad The Lions went into the second Flanagan 7, Kyle Richardson 7, Ken half over powering the Cougars 12-5 Sessom 6, Hayse Worthington 2, Luis

JV Lions take down Kermit

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The JV Lions played the Kermit Yellow Jackets Friday, Dec 18 at Davidson Gym. Starters for the Lions were Randall Borrego, Rob Madris, JV LIONS 14 19 33 44 Chad Flanagan, Ken Sessom and Cole Wadsworth.

the first quarter to out score the Yellow Jackets in the first quarter 14-4. In the second quarter the Jackets came back to be down by only 1 point at halftime 19-18.

After the half the Lions out scored

Kermit in the third quarter 14-8. The final quarter the Yellow Jackets faught hard to even the score, but the JV Lions were too tough to handle and the Lions moved to 8-4 for the season. SCORE BY QUARTERS:

KERMIT 4 18 26 37 Scoring: Rob Madris 10, Ken The Lions had a 10 point run in Sessom 10, Cole Wadsworth 10, Chad Flanagan 7, Martin Sanchez 3, Randall Borrego 2 and Josh Tambunga 2.

3-point goals: Ken Sessom and Chad Flanagan both one each.



BOBBY CERVANTEZ may not have been the MVP of the Ozona Tournament but he's a VIP (very important part) of the Lion basketball team. He goes up for a shot under heavy defensive pressure from the Christoval Cougars. Poised for a rebound are Steven Martinez (r.) and Peter Rodriquez (l., Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler

Lady Lions defeat Christoval

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

and Angela Branch.

Lady Cougars 24-7 in the first quar- Lady Cougars. ter and nearly doubled their score at SCORE BY QUARTERS: the half, and ultimately out smarted OZONA 24 41 65 83 and out scored Christoval throughout COUGARS 7 9 26 30 the game. The Lady Cougars were not for the season.

Kelli Anne Goble, Penny Weddle

and Diana Ellison each scored 14 points to help lead the Ladies to victory number 11. Donika Martinez The Lady Lions competed against added 10 points and Michelle Gann the Christoval Lady Cougars Monday put through the hoop 9 more. There night at Davidson Gym defeating were 43 total points made from off the them 65-26. Starters for the Ladies bench, and 10 second effort points. were Kelli Anne Goble, Kayla Penny Weddle shot 8 of 9 from the Turland, Kristi Avila, Diana Ellison free throw line and Kayla Turland had 5 shots, 4 assists and 2 points to aid The Lady Lions out muscled the the Lady Lions to victory over the

Scoring: Kelli Anne Goble 14, able to contend with the Lady Lions Penny Weddle 14, Diana Ellison 14, quickness and good shooting leaving Donika Martinez 10, Michelle Gann the Ladies with a 11-2 win-loss record 9, Kristi Avila 4, Codi Richardson 2 and Millie Wadsworth 2.

Ladies scalp the Lady Braves

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Last Friday the Lady Lions traveled to Iraan and returned with another victory under their belt when they showed the Iraan Lady Braves how to play basketball.

Starting for the Lady Lions were Kelli Anne Goble, Kayla Turland, Donika Martinez, Michelle Gann, Branch.

The Lady Lions got off to a slow start as the Lady Braves out scored the Ladies 9-3 in the first quarter. However, at the half it was obvious that the Lady Lions had taken control of the game and were up by 6 points, gela Branch 14, Kelli Anne Goble 11, score at the half 20-14.

control in the third quarter, but the Lady Lions wouldn't allow this to come about as they out scored the Kelli Anne Goble 1

Lady Braves 16-13 at the end. The Ladies continued their assault defeating the Lady Braves 53-35.

Diana Ellison and Angela Branch led the Ladies in scoring with 14 points each and Kelli Anne Goble posted 11 more points to help lead the Ladies to another victory. Other scorers were Kristi Avila,

Kristi Avila, Diana Ellison and Angela Millie Wadsworth and Codi Richardson. The Lady Lions move to 12-2 win-loss record for the season. SCORE BY QUARTERS:

27 Scoring: Diana Ellison 14, An-

Kristi Avila 5, Donika Martinez 5, The Lady Braves tried to regain Michelle Gann 2, Millie Wadsworth 1 and Codi Richardson 1.

3-point goals: Kristi Avila 1 and

JV Ladies slip by Iraan

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Junior Varsity Lady Lions played the Iraan Lady Braves Friday, Dec. 18 in Iraan. The Ladies out SCORE BY QUARTERS: scored the Lady Braves in the first half OZONA 10 18 24 18-8 points. In the second half the Lady Braves turned tide and out fourth. The come back assault by the Lana Stewart 2.

Lady Braves was not enough to top the scoreboard and the JV Ladies defeated the JV Lady Braves 32-26 leaving them with a 6-4 win-loss record for the season.

IRAAN

Scoring: Claressa Tambunga 12, scored the Lady Lions 9-6 in the third Erin Castro 6, Jennifer Esparza 6, Jesquarter, and out scored them in the sica Herring 4, Kristin Bullard 2 and

JV Ladies overpower Lady Cougars

By Michelle Holtz

STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Junior Varsity Lady Lions SCORE BY QUARTERS overpowered the Christoval Lady OZONA 14 24 40 47 Cougars Monday night at the middle school gym. The Lady Lions out shot upon the Lady Cougars through the end of the first half 24-6.

in the final two quarters defeating the Alverz 2.

Lady Cougars 47-17 leaving them with a 5-4 win-loss record for the sea-

COUGARS 4 6 13 17

Scoring: Erin Castro 6, Joyce the Lady Cougars 14-4 in the first Cadera 6, Kristin Bullard 6, Lana quarter, and continued their assault Stewart 6, Claressa Tambunga 5, Laramie McWilliams 4, Jennifer Esparza 4, Jessica Herring 4, Kimber The Ladies did more of the same Bean 2, Jordan Webster 2, Tammy

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JV Lady Lions take the buzz Correction please..... out the of Lady Yellowjackets

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Junior Varsity Lady Lions traveled Monday, Dec. 21, to Menard to take on the Menard Lady Yellowjackets. The Lady Lions took the "buzz" out of the Lady Yellowjackets as they over powered the Lady Yellow jackets in the first half of the game. The score at halftime was Lady Lions 37-Lady Yellowjackets 5.

In the third quarter, the Lady Lions continued to out score the Lady Yellowjackets 8-7. Throughout the

fourth quarter the Lady Yellowiackets made a come back to out score the Ladies 18-6, but could not muster up Cervantez was reported as the MVP enough points to catch the Lady Lions as Ozona added another victory, beating the Menard bunch 51-29. SCORE BY QUARTERS: OZONA 21 37 45 51 MENARD 2 5 12 29

Scoring: Jessica Herring 16, Kristin Bullard 9, Jordan Webster 8, Jennifer Esparza 8, Erin Castro 4, Claressa Tambunga 2, Lana Stewart 2, Laramie McWilliams 2.

JV Lions stop the Yellowjackets

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Junior Varsity Lions traveled to Menard Monday to take on the Menard Yellowjackets. The Lions out scored the Yellowjackets in the first half of the ball game.

In the third quarter the Lions continued to over power the Yellowjackets and remain in the lead at the end of the third quarter.

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As the Yellowjackets tried to come back to out score the Lions in the fourth quarter the Lions continued

to out smart and out play the Menard bunch. The final score was Lions 38-Yellowiackets 16.

Ryan Bean led the Lions in scoring with 9 points as Cole Wadsworth and Rob Madris also added 8 points each to seal another victory for the JV

SCORE BY OUARTERS: OZONA 12 23 30 38 MENARD 6 6 10 16

Scoring: Ryan Bean 9, Rob Madris 8, Cole Wadsworth 8, Chad Flanagan 6, Josh Tambunga 3, Luis Cruz 3, Ken Sessoms 2.



THE FIRST GRADE STUDENTS of Connie Fowler and Darglyn Webster sing Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer to the residents of the Senior Apartments last Wednesday. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

By Michelle Holtz. STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

In last week's paper Bobby

of the 68th Annual Ozona Tournament. Although Bobby was named All-Tournament, Jarek Brown of Ira was the Most Valuable Player for the tournament.

Lions pounce on Menard

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Monday, Dec. 21, the Lions traveled to Menard to play the Menard Yellowjackets. The Lions out scored the Jackets in the first half of the game. The score at half time was Lions 36-Yellowjackets 14. The Lions came back out of the locker room after half time and continued to pound the Jackets in the third and fourth quarters.

The Lions overpowered the Yellowjackets in the third quarter 22-8. The Jackets tried to make a come back in the fourth quarter, but didn't have what it takes to beat the Lions. The final score was Lions 77 Yellowjackets 35.

Bobby Cervantez led the Lions in scoring with a whopping 25 points. Chad Myers added 13 points to aid the Lions in their 10th victory of the sea-

Other Lions scoring were: Dustin Faught, Jomie Tebbetts, Peter Rodriquez, Glenn Sutton, Ross Crawford, Steven Martinez, Seth Webster and Brad Sullivan SCORE BY OUARTERS: OZONA 18 36 58 77

MENARD 5 14 22 35 Scoring: Bobby Cervantez 25, Chad Myers 13, Dustin Faught 8, Jomie Tebbetts 6, Peter Rodriquez 6, Ross Crawford 5, Glenn Sutton 5, Brad Sullivan 3, Seth Webster 3 and Steven Martinez 3.

Lady Lions exterminate the Lady Yellowjackets

By Michelle Holtz STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Yellowjackets Monday, Dec. 21.

The Lady Lions struggled in the to 13-2 for the season. first quarter with the Lady

Yellowjackets out scored the Lady Lions 9-6. However, the Lady Lions came back in the third and fourth quarters to overpower Menard.

The Lady Lions out scored the Lady Yellowjackets 10-4 in the third quarter and 13-7 in the fourth quarter. The Lady Yellowjackets proved to be a tough teaM; however, the Lady Lions WERE much more than the Lady with 1

Yellowjackets could handle as the Ladies took the stinger out of the Lady Yellowjackets to win the game and The Lady Lions traveled to seal their 13 victory. The final score Menard to play the Menard Lady was Lady Lions 39-Lady Yellowjackets 30. The Ladies moved

Diana Ellison led in scoring with Yellowjackets to end the first quarter 13 points closely followed by Kelli Anne Goble with 12 points to help the In the second quarter, the Lady Lions to victory. Other Lady Lions scoring were Codi Richardson and Angela Branch with 6 points each. SCORE BY QUARTERS: OZONA 10 16 26 39

MENARD 10 19 23 30

Scoring: Diana Ellison 13, Kelli Anne Goble 12, Codi Richardson 8, Angela Branch 6.

3-point goals: Kelli Anne Goble



RYAN BEAN scored 10 points in the JV Lions 58-47 victory over the Christoval Cougars last Monday in Davidson Gym. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler



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leum and Geosystems Engineering at The University of Texas at Austin has been awarded more than \$3 million by the National Petroleum Technology Office of the U.S. Department of Energy to conduct research on advanced oil recovery technologies.

"These four research grants will have a highly beneficial effect on our research program," said Dr. Gary Pope, director of the center. "It gives us the ability to plan for our research activities over a significant period of time, and it also allows us to put forth major efforts in some of these research areas on a scale that we previously could not. It will greatly benefit many current and future students who will have the opportunity to work on these projects as research assis-

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> Three of the four research projects will be supported for three years, and one is a continuation of present work, which will be funded for an additional year.

> The UT Austin Center for Petroleum and Geosystems Engineering is the largest and most diversified oil recovery research center of any university in the country. The four areas of research are as follows:

> *Dr. Mukul Sharma was awarded \$1,008,000 to characterize the "wettability" of oil reservoirs and

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its effect on oil recovery. Wettability is the property that makes oil or water spread on a solid surface: for instance that makes water bead up on a freshly waxed car. Wettability has a huge impact on oil recovery but is poorly understood, especially in cases where parts of the reservoir (or even neighboring sand grains) differ in wettability. This project will study what causes differences in wettability, and how these differences can be determined, and how they affect oil re-

*Drs. William Rosen, Russsell Johns and Pope were awarded \$888,000 to study the development of more efficient gas flooding applicable to shallow reservoirs. This program will bring together both laboratory experiments and advanced computer methods to improve the recovery of oil from oil reservoirs by gas injection. Gas is injected into oil reservoirs because it can partially dissolve in the oil, making the oil flow more easily to wells. Methods are needed to "enrich" the gas with oil to help the process work at lower pressures in shallow reservoirs. In addition, foam can help the gas flow more evenly across the oil reservoir and thereby recover more oil.

*Drs. Mojdeh Delshad, Kamy Sepeeehrnoori and Pope were awarded \$888,000 to improve the simulation of chemical and microbial methods for oil recovery. These researchers have developed a computer model of these processes called UTCHEM, which is widely used to study both oil recovery and ground water cleanup methods. This model will be further developed and applied to better understand and predict the complex phenomena associated with improving oil recovery.

*Drs. Mary Wheeler, Pope and Sepeehmoori were awarded \$252,000 in additional funds to continue the development of a new generation framework for parallel reservoirsimulation. This project will develop the next generation of computer simulators for oil reservoirs on massively parallel computers and clusters of

PCs. "Parallel" simulators achieve greater speed by doing the calculations simultaneously on a large number of processors. The ability to store and process huge amounts of information will allow this oil reservoir model to achieve an unprecedented level of geological and process detail and realism in its results, and thus better predictions.

Ignition hazard from drilling into sealed frames of ag equipment

Recently, the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), through its Community Partners for Health Farming program in New York, received two separate reports of farm workers who were injured while attempting to drill holes into sealed plow frames in order to mount a hitch or a "slow-moving vehicle" sign. Theses workers received serious skin burns and other injuries when the drill bits penetrated the frames, releasing and igniting flammable gases. Hydrogen and methane gas may be produced within sealed frames that are filled during manufacture with scrap metal ballast. The uncleaned, assorted machine shop metal scrap apparently reacts electrochemically with water and emulsiontype cutting oils to liberate flammable gases. Although the reported ignitions involved plows from the same manufacturer, the use of scrap metal fill may not be unique to plows or to that manufacturer. The potential for such ignitions exists in any equipment with similar ballast in sealed compartments during drilling, cutting, welding, or other operations that both release the gases and provide an ignition source.

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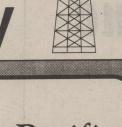
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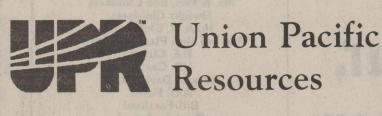
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Texas Monthly Oil & Gas Statistics

November Permits to Drill

The Railroad Commission of Texas issued a total of 561 original drilling permits in November compared to 1,010 in November 1997. Total drilling permits for 1998 year to date is 8,820 down from 12, 824 recorded during the same period in 1997. The November total included 393 permits to drill new oil and gas wells, 18 to re-enter existing well bores, and 150 for re-completions.

Permits issued in November included 146 oil, 138 gas, 254 oil and gas, 17 injection and six other per-

November Oil and Gas Completions

In November, operators reported 157 oil, 303 gas, 12 injection and two other completions, compared to 357 oil, 398 gas, 18 injection and no other completions during the same month

Total well completions for 1998 year to date is 9,307 up from 8,557 recorded during the same period in

Operators reported 619 holes plugged 75 dry holes in November compared to 805 plugged and 117 dry holes during the same period last year.

September Crude Oil Production

Texas preliminary September 1998 crude oil production averaged 1,192,416 barrels daily, down from

the 1,308,521 barrels daily average of September 1997.

The preliminary Texas crude oil production figure for September 1998 is 35,772,494 barrels, a decrease from 39,255,629 barrels reported during September 1997. Crockett County produced 228,638 barrels during September 1998.

September Natural Gas Production

Texas oil and gas wells produced 456,280,580 Mcf (thousand cubic feet) of gas based upon preliminary production figures for September 1998, up from the September 1997 preliminary gas production total of 446.334.654 Mcf.

Texas production in September came from 156.871 oil and 52.341 gas

Crockett County retained its sixth place spot in the state in gas production with 11,752,843 Mcf for Sep-

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Permian Basin Weekly Rig & Drilling Summary

(Districts 7C, 8, 8A & New Mexico)

Weekly Rig Count

Compiled by Hughes Christensen and Tracer Supply Inc.-San Angelo, Texas

DIST. #7C		DIST. #8	U	DIST. #8 A	* **
Coke	0	Andrews	3	Bailey	0
Concho	2	Brewster	0	Borden	0
Crockett	0	Crane	0	Cochran	0
Irion	0	Culberson	0	Cottle	0
Kimble	0	Ector	0	Crosby	0
McCullough	0	Glasscock	2	Dawson	2
Menard	0	Howard	1	Dickens	0
Reagan	3	Hudspeth	0	Floyd	0
Runels	0	Jeff Davis	0	Gaines	0
Schleicher	2	Loving	1	Garza	2
Sutton	0	Martin	2	Hale	0
Terrell	1	Midland	4	Hockley	1
Tom Green	1	Mitchell	0	Kent	0
Upton	0	Pecos	4	King	0
		Presidio	0	Lamb	0
NEW MEXIC	0	Reeves	1	Lubbock	0
Chaves	1	Sterling	2	Lynn	0
Eddy	11	Ward	550	Motley	0
Lea	14	Winkler	2	Scurry	0
Roosevelt	0			Terry	0
				Yoakum	0

Total rotary rig count (P.B.-Texas) this date: <u>58</u>

Weekly Drilling and Completion Report

Compiled by Charles Lewis Communications, Lindale, Texas

Dec. 23, 1998 Wildcat drilling action is planned in Crockett County five miles southwest of Ozona with J. Cleo Thompson of Dallas as the operator. The explorer well will be known as the No. 3 Meadows Ranch. Carrying permit for 9,000 feet of hole, it is in a 680-acre lease, DS&E Survey A-5068.

Cross Timbers Operating has completed two more gas wells in the Ozona Field about 14 miles southwest of Ozona. The wells are designated as the Nos. 5 and 7 Henderson "23".

They flowed 420,000 and 411,000 CFD respectively on 1-in. orifices. The open flow capacities were calculated at 480,000 and 460,000 CFD. Production intervals range from 6,447 to 6,982 feet into the Canyon Sand.

The Henderson Field will see more developmental action when drilling gets underway at the No. 28 Scheuber-Wilkins in Crockett County about ten miles southeast of Ozona. It will be an 8,200-ft. Canyon Sand test. Location is in a 2,621-acre lease in the TCRR Survey A-4685. Texaco Exploration of Midland will be the operator.

First production potentials have been posted for two new gassers in the Ozona Field with Pioneer Natural Resources as the operator.
Wells include the No. 12 Moody "37" and the No. 3709 Moody, both situated about

25 miles southwest of Ozona. The No. 12 flowed 378,000 CF gas daily on a 1-in. choke. The 3709 flowed 105,000 CFD on a 48/64 choke. The absolute open flow ratings came in a 738,000 and 158,000

Both wells bottomed at 7,450 feet. Production will range from 6,212 to 7,348 feet in

Good production prospects were indicated when the No. 36 Montgomery, a horizontal gasser, came on line in the West Hunt-Baggett Field 11 miles southwest of Ozona. The well was rated at 2,571,000 CF per day on open flow. It flowed at the rate of 1,463,000 CFD when tested on a 1.5-in. choke opening.

The well was drilled a total of 10,990 feet. it will produce from 10,120 to 10,700 feet

into the wellbore Union Pacific Resources is the operator.

'B" and the No. 13 Jean Scheuber "C"

Cross Timbers Operating has conducted two successful plugbacks for extended pay about 11 miles southeast of Ozona. Located in the Henderson Field, the wells are designated as the No. 8 Jones Ranch

The Jones Ranch well flowed 431,000 CF gas per day on a 1-in. choke after being plugged back to 8,480 feet from the prior 9,200-ft. bottom. The Scheuber well flowed 192,000 CFD on a 48/64 choke after being plugged back to 8,582 from the earlier 8,996-

The Jones well proudces from 7,732 to 7,752 feet into the wellbore. The Scheuber

New open flow ratings are 455,000 and 202,000 CFD, respectively.

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Only prequalified contractors are eligible to bid.

There will not be a prebid meeting for this project.

Specifications and proposals for the above mentioned contracts are available at the office of Mr. Dennis W. Wilde, P.E., Director of Operations, 915/944-1501, Loop 306 & Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas. Mailing address is 4502 Knickerbocker Rd., San Angelo, Texas 76904

Estimated cost for this Project is \$313,299.00. Minority owned businesses are

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The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District invites proposals for roof replacement of five school-owned housing units. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the School Administration Office, 797 Avenue D., Ozona, TX 76943. The sites may be viewed from 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. Monday through Friday. Quote on individual units: there are three 3-bedroom houses and two 2-bedroom houses. Sealed bid proposals will be opened at 1:00 P.M., Tuesday, January 19, 1999, at the School Administration Office. Please mark your bid envelope as follows: SEALED **BID - ROOF REPLACEMENT.** Bids received after that date will be returned unopened. Bids received without a signature will not be accepted. The school reserves the right to reject all bids. The bid award announcement will be made at the regular board meeting January 20, 1999, by the School Board of Trustees. Work can begin the day after the meeting and must be completed as agreed upon by the district and the contractor. For more information, contact Ray Don Myers, Ozona Public Schools, P.O. Box 400, Ozona, TX 76943, Phone (915) 392-

BID NOTICE

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District is soliciting bids for band uniforms. Specifications may be obtained from Band Director Kelly Glaze at Ozona High School or may be requested from the Office of the Superintendent, P.O. Box 400, (797 Avenue D.), Ozona, TX 76943, telephone 915/392-5501. Sealed bids will be opened at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, January 19, 1999, at the School Administration Office. Please mark your bid envelope as follows: SEALED BID - BAND UNI-FORMS. Faxed bids will not be accepted. Bids received after that date will be returned unopened. Bids received without a signature will not be accepted. A complete sample uniform, in separate packaging, shall be delivered to the same address on or before the time and date stated above. The School reserves the right to reject all bids. The bid award announcement will be made at the regular board meeting January 20, 1999, by the School Board of Trust-

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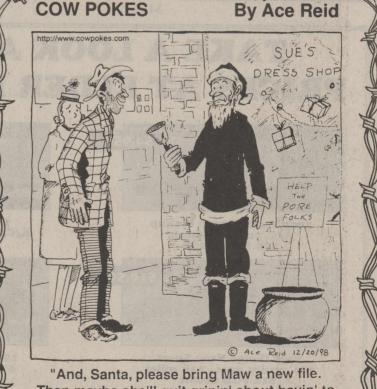
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girl.

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Your friend, Ryan Johnson

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy this year. I would like a big robot toy for Christmas, a hockey puck, a hockey stick to go along with the puck, a hockey players helmet. I like the Bulls, so I want a Bulls basketball jersey. I would also like a big Santa Claus book. I want a soccer ball too. I would like a Steelers jersey and helmet.

> Thank you, Santa. Anthony Delgado

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl this year. I would like a doll that tells you what she wants to eat. There's also another doll I would like to have. This doll is called a French Fry doll. She loves to eat hamburgers and fries. For Christmas I would also like to have a doll that holds a guitar. The guitar glows when it is very dark. I would be very excited if you brought these to me for Christmas.

Johnna Pullig

Dear Santa,

I have been a very very good boy this year. I have been very good to my mommy and daddy. Here are the things I would like to have: I want a motorcycle, and a Santa Claus toy and elf toy, some more teddy bears, and a Santa Clause suit like yours, and Nintendo 64 with a lot of games. Thank you, Santa. Hopefully you can get me these things.

Sincerely, Alexander Borrego

I have been a very good boy this year. This year, for Christmas I would like to have a motorcycle, a baseball jersey, a soccer ball, a football, a football helmet, this is all I thnk of right now but, if I want something else I will tell you. Bye Santa! Have a year Merry Christmas!

Cuatro Jones

Dear Santa, I'm 4 years old. My name is Sam. For Christmas I want cars and the Nintendo 64 lizard game and candy. I want toys! I want a trackor thing toy. I think Stephen want a BugLife movie. Mikey want a playstation and Stephan ta red elmo. I want snow too, alot! Come to eat milk and cookies before my brothers eat 'em all. O.K.

Bye, Sam Maskill

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

would like falling snow.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

of presents.

I have been a good girl this year.

Please bring me a helicopter for

I would like a Giants Football

I have been good this year. I

would like to get a radio player and

headphones for them. I would also

like to have 1 million arrows so I can

shoot at targets. I want the fastest run-

ning shoes that they have. I want them

to be NIKE. I also want a Dallas cow-

boy football jersey of Emmit Smith

and a football to play with. Well, that

is all that I would like this year. Let

me remind you I have been more than

a good boy this year. Thank You!

Lane Hale

helment, a train set, and a robot. I will

leave some cookies and milk out for

you. I have also been avery good this

Love, Sol Stokes

XMAS, that lands on the roof of my

house. I would like some X-mas

candy. For my Mom and Papocho I

Love You, R. J. Martinez.

I would really like a dolly that says

mm mm mmmm. I would like a lot

Love, Emalee Hamilton

My name is Blake Esparsa. I am 4 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas a

Dear Santa,

Lots of love to Rudolph and all

your reindeer.

5 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas a baby that Potty's Stroller, carseat. Look for it in the catalog.

your reindeer.

My name is Jay Lynn Vargas. I am 3 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas. A barbie Jeep and a chalk board. And please send me a doll that splashes in

your reindeer.

My name is Sasha Perez. I am 3 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas a big computer and a big girls tractor.

your reindeer.

My name is Jeffery Sanchez. I am 4 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas microphone

Dear Santa.

spoon and bottle. I also want a paint set, a red and blue backpack, and rocket ship. Santa I have been a really good girl. I would also like a green shirt.

Love always, Kylee Hargrove

Dear Santa,

I've been a good girl this year. So, I would like you to bring me a real puppy dog (bright red), a lot of Barbies, computer, playdough, bread maze, musical carousel, Barbie house, paint, little mermaid puzzle and a Barney hard puddle.

Love, Chelsea Gonzales

Dear Santa,

I have been a very good girl. I want a blue bicycle, a painting set, a blue basketball, some purple nail polish, new Nike shoes, a new Winnie the Pooh game, some new Doc Martin's, more books, a computer and a Winnie the Pooh shirt.

Love, Adrienne Sanchez

Dear Santa.

big bee bee gun.

Lots of love to Rudolph and all your reindeer.

Merry Christmas from Blake

My name is Sabrina De la Garza. I am 3 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas a tiger with a flash light, a baby that eats cereal and please bring me a baby that hickups. And that's all.

Merry Christmas from Sabrina

Dear Santa,

My name is Kelsie Ramirez. I am

Lots of love to Rudolph and all

Merry Christmas from Kellsie

Dear Santta.

the water.

Lots of love to Rudolph and all

Merry Christmas from JayLynn

Dear Santa.

Lots of love to Rudolph and all Mery Christmas from Sasha

a wrestling ring, wolf pack, Goldburt

Lots of love to Rudolph and all your reindeer.

Merry Christmas from Jeffery

Dear Santa,

My name is Courtney Streiggler. I want a baby that has a fork, I am 3 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christms 5 barbie dolls and a Teddy bear, barbie jeep.

> Lots of love to Rudolph and all your reindeer.

Merry Christmas from Courtney

Dear Santa,

My name is Nicolas Villarreal. I am 4 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas a Bee Bee gun and a race car.

Lots of love to Rudolph and all your reindeer.

Merry Christmas from Nicholas

Dear Santa,

My name is Victorria Carroll. I am 4 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas a newborn baby doll, and a barbie

Lots of love to Rudolph and all your reindeer.

Merry Christmas from Victorria

Dear Santa,

My name is Tres Perez. I am 3 years old. I have been very good all year aand would like for Christmas a race car and a big truck and please

send me a tracktor. Lots of love to Rudolph and all

Merry Christmas from Tres

Dear Santa,

My name is Lazaarae Rodriquez. I am 2 1/2 years old. I have been very good all year and would like for Christmas a barbie jeep, a bike and a Tommy Doll.

Lots of love to Rudolph and all your reindeer.

Merry Christmas from Lazarae

Dear Santa Claus,

Hi. I want a bike because my bike, the thing it has inside does not work no more. I want those cars that have a remote control. That's it. Thank

Sean Gutierrez

Dear Santa Claus, I want a Power Ranger. I want blue shoes. That's all.

Artemio Hernandez

Dear Santa Claus, I have been a good girl. Please

get me a pretty Barbie with a dress and heels. Also a doll that has a

> Love You Gabriella Guttierez

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a ball. A remote control white dog with a lease and a toy cat.

Santa please get something for my baby brother, a dress for my Mama, pants for Dad. My sister wants a ball too!

> Thank you Alexandra Rodriguez

Dear Santa Claus, Please bring me a computer. I want a racing car and a Christmas

> Thank You, Stacie Quiroz

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a play reindeer, a snowman that sings Christmas songs. Also a singing bear.

Santa, I want new clothes for school and church. We have an aquarium in school. I want one like

> Love you, Santa Marty Moran

Dear Santa,

I want Power Rangers, more soldiers, and a motor cycle. I want a dress for my mom.

And I want Superman and

Batman. I want pants for my dad. I also want a doggie.

I have cookies and milk.

Tnank You, Jorge Sarabia

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a Silver Power Ranger and presents from you house. I want a teddy bear, an apple and some flowers for my mom. Bring me a dog.

> Thank you, Aron Aguilera

Dear Santa,

Hello. How are you? I want a cat and a stove that makes M&M cakes, real ones, I want a watch, a new Tshirt, and a new book.

Love, Isabel Ybarra

Dear Santa,

I want a Barbie jeep car with alot of stuff that comes with the babies and dads. I also want colors and a coloring book with a new table with a real phone. And a teddy bear and Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer and an angel dollie. I have cookies for you, and milk too.

Thank You Santa, Maria Villareal

Dear Santa Claus,

I want another Barbie with lots of clothes and shoes. I want Barbie stickers and a Ken doll for Christmas.

> Thank you Santa, Neida Lozano









I wish Grammy and Papaw would stay here. Can I have a robot, dune buggy, and a pilot jacket.

> I love you Russel Komechak

Dear Santa,

I would like a Barbie house, Betty Spaghetti, Boots, Barbie RV, wallet, Santa doll, Barbies and clothes, Roller skates, Barbie car. Love, Raevon

Dear Santa,

I wood like this Chrismas a Barney, chair, a playhouse, also 3 child's cars with an air bags, a computer with games and a new bed. Love, Camille Cervantez

Dear Santa Claus

Please get met a power ranger and small soldiers. Those from the movie of the Small Soldiers. Also a batman and a dinosaur toy.

Santa I want jammies for my sisters and a dress for Mom. Love You William Echert

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I want a computer to play games. A Christmas book for me and toys for Judy. I have a brother his name is Eddie. I want a lion for him. Myra Rios

Dear Santa Claus, Hello, Santa. I want a dog. I want a gun. I want toys. I want trees. Y ya. Christian Perez

Dear Santa.

Please bring me a silver ranger, also an Ninja Turtle, and toy story walking man. I want the silver ranger

> Thank you, Santa Love, Erik Carrizales

been a good girl.

I also want a pretty dress that is

Love you. Amden Sanchez

I want a Megaweiner from Power Rangers with a Silver Ranger. I want the real Mega sword with the horse. I also want the little Megasword with the computer on the back. I saw one at Walmart.

Michael Medina

Dear Santa Claus,

I want Kimberly, or Tiffany Power Ranger dolls to play. I want a toy dog that barks. If he does not bark its okay. Also a Barbie Doll with long hair.

> I Love you Santa Stephanie Quiroz

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a Christmas and a fake deer. I want a cake and a penguin. I want like a car Barbie, Ken's in the car and a bunch of junk in the back. Thank You, Jacinda Villarreal

Dear Santa,

I want money for gifts. I want to give presents to the boys and girls in my class. Thank You.

Santa I also want a doll. Nancy Rodriguez

Dear Santa.

Please bring me a racing truck, a firemen truck and a car like my papi.

Dear Santa,

for me. I have been a good boy. I want a present for Mom, sister and dada.

I have been a good boy.

I want a power ranger for Christmas. One that is black and big with Dear Santa,

Please bring me a Timmy Tree that goes with my Anatasia doll. Also a doll that crawls and walks. I have

Dear Santa Claus,

Dear Santa Claus, I want a Barbie doll, a puppy dog

with a lease thats barks and jumps. Santa, please get me a teddy bear that is white. I have a sister that I want an angel for her.

Please bring four little presents

moving arms and legs. Also a mon-

Santa, I have been a good boy.

I want a big purple car. A set of

dishes for my sister. For my brother

Salvador I want a game boy and a TV.

For my Papi and Mama a TV and

VCR. Now for Brandi my puppy I

Love you, Dillen Ramirez

Love you,

Jason Lopez

Dear Santa,

has to have long nails.

Dear Santa Claus

want a house.

Thank you,

Juaquin Mata

Love you Natalie Hernandez

Dear Santa,

I want a fire truck with remote control a bike a bed and a watch. Love, Eduardo Garza

Dear Santa,

Hi! How have you and Mrs. Clause been? Very busy, I bet. I'm writing you a letter to let you know that I've been a good boy this year and to let you know what I want this Christmas. I want a play station with the WCW video or I want a V-Tch computer or whatever you want to bring me. Thank you for your time I know your real busy.

Love, Eric Talamantez

Dear Santa,

I like to sing you songs. You are very nice. I like all my friends and I like my teacher too. For Christmas I would like to have a pretty house, an Angelica, watch and a Barbie that you color and dip in water. I would also like some jewlry. That's all I want.

Love, Layla Perez Dear Santa Claus,

How are you? I have been very was. I would like a bike, a wrrestling would but hasn't! Buddy, a wrestling action figure, Tornado Car and Sok 'Em Bop 'Em Bow and Arrow Set.

Love, John Stephne Simmons

Dear Santa,

I want a big doll and a computer. ster that will fight the power ranger it I want a set of swings too. Thank you. Love, Angelica

Dear Santa,

How are you? I want a computer, new pajamas, CD's for my new computer, new cap and a Little Cooker. Your friend, Duncan Knox

> Dear Santa, Med 7t

Baby Talking Barbie CD Player VTechtalkin Whiz Game Boy Color. Crystal Vasquez

Dear Santa,

I love you! I have been a good girl I would like a lava lamp, a new school box, a new folder, a brakable doll, a big bicycle, a microphone, so I can sing Happpy Birthday to Jesus, and a nice, warm coat. I am glad I have you because I liike toys. I like Mrs. Claus, too. And the reindeer. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

I love you,

Jadyn Brooke Poindexter

Dear Santa, I would like a bike, toys and a

Love, Richard Chavarria

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Claus doing? All I want for Christmas is a maagawinger, Silver power ranger, remote control truck play station some games, clothes and a doll and some clothes for Abi and that is all. Love, Erik Estrada

Dear Saint Nick,

Merry Christmas! I would like to have some Titanic books. I also want Spice Girl toys and everything about them. I also want some Nintendo N.E.S. games. It would be nice if you gave me a little surprise and you can read my mind so you get me some-

Sincerely, Elizabeth Jane Farley PS I have been good

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Dear Santa,

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Love, Skymehoz

Dear Santa,

What I want for Christmas is a helicopter, a toy truck and car, and for my brother a toy truck and my sister a doll. Hope you have a nice Christmas Santa.

> Merry Christmas. Love, Antonio Gutierrez

Dear Santa,

I would like a ring around the

Love, Emily Merrel

Dear Santa, I would like a Barbe Angel. Love, Alma Elizondo

Dear Santa,

I would like a bike. And a bag with stickers and a necklace. Love, Evette Longoria

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a skate board with elbow and knee pads and a

Love, Abel Ibarra

Dear Santa, I would like a little puppy thats

Love, Christy Smith

Dear Santa,

operated airplane that flies. Love, Blake Vargas

Dear Santa,

want a play station. Love, Devon

Dear Santa, I want a computer for Christmas and a game boy pocket and I want

the super Mario game on N64.

Love, Freddy Veloz Dear Santa,

I want'a good night Bubba, a

wew now world wide tour and a Bugs Life Playstation. Love, Josh Tebbetts

Dear Santa, How are you and your reindeer? Is it cold out there where you live? Santa will you bring me a train and a big helicopter for Christmas? I want a Christmas tree.

Love, Felix Venegas

Dear Santa,

Merry Christms Santa! I want a Nintendo game like WWF Raw Is War. I would like a WWF guy like Stone Cold Steve Austin 316 and a spawn toy. Please bring me a small soldier game, a superman game and

Mission Impossible. Your pal, Joshua Avila

Dear Santa,

Merry Christmas Santa! I think that I've been very good this year. Could you bring me a good game and a teddy bear please? I would also like a CD and a laptop computer and a CD-ROM for my computer to play on, and would you give my mom and Mimi what they want?

How are you, Santa? How is your wife? Oh, and would you please give me a Titaniic squid set like they show on TV?

Your pal, Morgan Taylor Capps PS Could I have a N'Sync Christmas CD if Chris or my Mom doesn't get it for me?





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Merry Christmas! I want a wrestler, a Nitro Dozer, a go-cart, Puzz 3D Titanic, a computer with games, WCW NOWO Revenge and a Paniley Pen.

I think I've been good. Your friend, Jonathan Conrad Flores

Dear Santa,

Merry Christmas! I really want a baby rabbit, and my brother needs a new watch. Can you bring one for him please? I want a lap top computer, a Titanic poster, and Titanic books because I really like the Titanic. I want some new clothing and some jeancoes wiith some new shoes, and a CD of spice girls and a CD of

Yours truly, Kasey Ashton Gray

Dear Santa,

I want Barbie, some clothes, shoes, books, cassettes, socks, a jacket, and 49 Spice World Girls movie. I want 17 baby rabbits. I have been so good.

Love, Angelica Gutierrez

Dear St. Nick.

Merry Christmas I would like the 'N sync Christmas CD, the spice girl dolls, some Titanic books, a Gateway 2000, a gigapet, a CD player, and the 2 PAC CD book I and Book 2. Because I love 2pac, a group, I want their CD. I've been a good girlsthis year. Well sorta.

Tell Mrs. Claus Merry Christmas pool. and a happy New Year!

Love, Marianne Maskill P. S. Best of all Spice World

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I want a pair of roller blades, and a Nintendo, and a CD player, and a game called WCW NWO Revenge. I've been very good.

Sincerely, Carlos Ochoa

Dear Santa Claus,

Merry Christmas! I want a play station and games, and N'Sync CD, Christmas N'Sync CD, a Computer, a lap top computer, and games for the computer. Please, bring me a watch and Titanic comic books and Spice Girls dolls. I would also like to have a Titanic 3D set, Titanic Squand set, N'SY ync video, a Rugrat toy, a giga good this year. I want N'Sync tickets pet and for my niece a windbreaker. for the concert. I want a song of I've been good this year.

Sincerely, Celia Rivera P.S. Best of all Spice World

Dear Santa,

I want a football, a bb gun, and a rabbit. I have been good. Sincerely, Ely Silva

Dear Santa.

How are you? I am fine. I want a computer, trampoline, play station. But what I really want is to move to San Angelo.

Love, Kendra Pratt

Dear Santa,

I want roller blades. I want a trampoline. I want a golf cart and a swimming pool.

Love, Ruby Rodriquez

Dear Santa,

I want either a boy scout cap or a Dodge Concept car. How are you? I am fine. How are your reindeer? Love, Ethan English



Celebrate a safe and warm holiday season with family and friends. Many thanks for your valued patronage.

Baskets & More

Dear Santa,

I want a yoyo and a car game and a toy for my brother, two water guns and a little toy, and a hot wheels. Love, Nick Patel

Dear Santa.

Here's a list of things I want for Christmas. A boom box, Tiedye barbie, barbie house, desk, stereo, a big bear, a puffy bear, a Play Station

> Love. Jasmine Moran

Dear Santa,

I want a computer please and a few other things. I will tell you what they are. A typewriter, a nail designer, a jewelery designer and an Angel

Love, Chelsey West

Dear Santa,

I want an Furby if you have any of them and ballerina Barbie. Next year I want a parrot and a Toy dinosaur that is a longneck and a Toy daddy longneck that goes with it and mulan meets the match maker Barbie and a chuckie's watch.

Love, Kelsey Jackson

Here are the things I want. I want wcw Revenge, warZone, a N64, a playstation, a computer, a trampoline. And I want a go car and a dog, a stereo, a pool table, and a swimming

Love, Matthew Garza

Dear Santa,

I want a Barbie Store and a Barbie house and a tiedye Barbie and a Spice girls and a gameboy.

Love, Stacy Silva

Dear Santa,

I want a puppy, Furby and a Barbie Barbie House Barbie Store Barbie Boy Barbie Car, Goldfish turtle, Barbie Computer, Angelica Barbe, Barbie Clothes Barbie Shoes, Barbie food, Christmas Barbie.

Love, Bianca Lopez

Dear Santa,

Merry Christmas I have been Christian's music. I want a live rabbit. I want a Christmas N'Sync CD. I want a Christmas CD.

Love, Amber Webb

Dear Santa,

I want new roller blades and I want to go down to my mom's parents. i would like the baby porcelain doll and the game Uno. I want some makeup and a jewelry box with jewelry in side it.

Your friend, Bettie Stice

Dear Santa,

This year I want a Nintendo 64 and the game WCW v.s NWO Revenge and Wolf Pack Pants, too. Merry Christmas!

Your Friend, Westly Smith

Dear Santa,

Please bring me three CD Rom games called Frogger, Centipede, and WWC. For the Nintendo 64 I want 007, Mission Impossible, and WWF War Zone. Another video game I want is Mortal Combat 4. A wrestler that I like is Stone Cold Steve Austin with a title belt. I want Goldberg, too. Merry Christmas.

Sincerely, Matt Turland

Dear Santa.

I want a Spice Girls cassette, and N'Sync cassette, a stereo, and a baby that is lifelike. I would also like to have a pet Bulldog. I've been a very good girl this year, and I hope you have a Merry Christmas.

Sincerely, Allisha Vargas

Dear Santa,

Hello! I want a Bashing Brawler for Christmas, a Nintendo 64 with the WCW/NOW Revenge, a Transmetal Octomos, and ten wrestlers from WCW and WWF War Zone. I would also like to have the game Bug Bumble and twenty Beast War Transmetals.

I've been a good boy this year. I hope you have a Merry Christmas. Thanks, Jorge Vasquez

Dear Santa

I want a football and a remote control car. A million dollars would be very nice, but if you do not have the cash, I'll take a dog instead. A soccer ball and a computer, a playstation, and a Ninendo 64 would be great to have, too. If you can afford it, I want a mini bike, a go cart, a bunch of gold, and a new bike. I believe I've been a fairly good boy this

Your pal, Abel Villarreal

WISH FOR YOU

Dear Santa.

I have been really good this year. I want C.D. Tape Player and a Lucy Collectible doll. Say hi to Mrs. Claus. Your friend, Brooke Tambunga

Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. Can you bring me a C.D. player. I would also like a puppy, and a cat? an N Sync C.D. Can you say hi to Mrs. Claus and your elves for me?

Your friend, Anna Hernandez

Dear Santa.

I have been very good this year. I want a watch and nail creating thats on TV. I want a Barbie tent and new roller blades. Thank you

Your friend, Lori Villarreal

Dear Santa,

I have been really good this year. For Christmas I want a new PlayStation game and a new Controler. I want a memery card. Your buddy, Michael Quiroz

Dear Santa,

I have been really good this year. I want a new bike, new roller blades and N'Sync Chrismas tape.

Your friend, Gilbert Gomez

Dear Santa,

I have been a really good boy this year. I want a new bike and a go cart.

Your friend, A. J. Montanez

Dear Santa,

I have been really good this year. I want a new computer pack and new N'Syce C.D. this year. Say hello to the elves for me.





Dear Santa, I want a barbie, a baby doll and a baby boy one.

Your friend, Aryn Morris

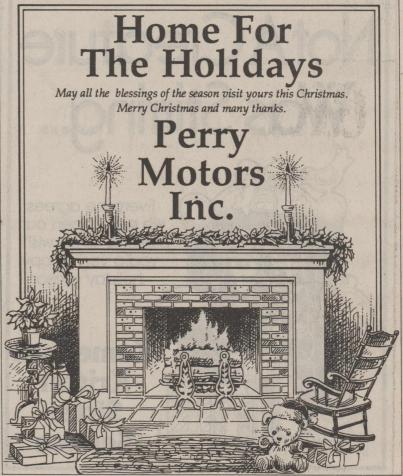
Dear Santa, I want a fire truck motorcycle and a gun. I'm gonna leave you milk. Your friend, Skylar Phillips

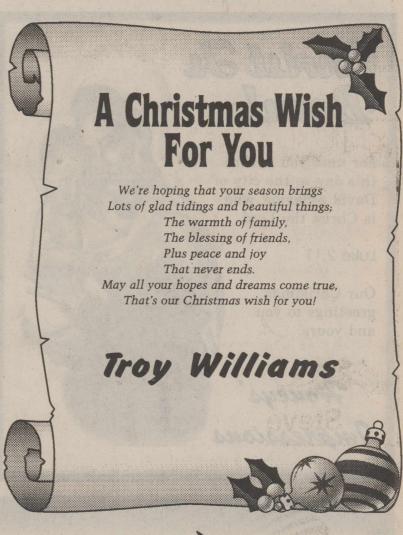


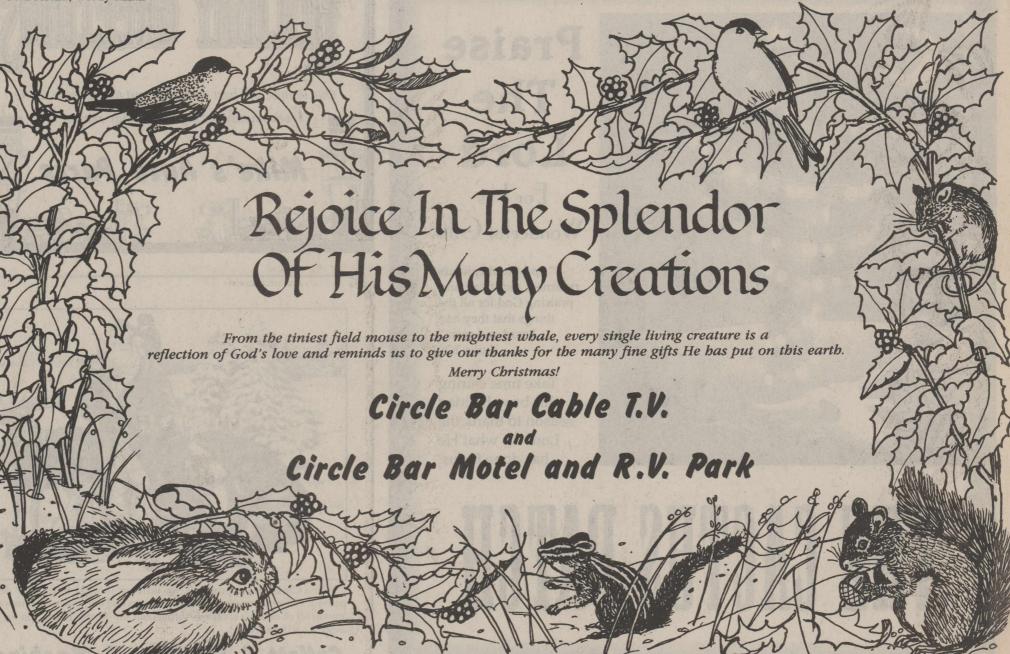
Hope everything goes your way this holiday season.

The Burger Shoppe









I want a new bike and a bikes for my big brother and my little you. brother.

Your friend, Mike Maskll

Dear Santa,

I want a Tommy watch and a cassette player with a NSync tape and and a new remote controle car. I also the tape When the Lights Go Out. I want new clothes like Tomy Jeans and a cool shirt and New Shoes. I would go cart, a ninja turtle movie, a like a tape of Brandy. I would like a goldberg mask and a W.W.F. belt. bike.

Your friend, Eva Vasquez

Dear Santa,

I want a 222 rifle for Christmas PlayStation. I would like two new and I want a new Nintendo 64. Thank

Your friend, Jared Spence

Dear Santa,

I want a playhouse, a new bike, want roller blades, and a godzilla movie. I would also like a T.V. and a Love, Josh Smith

Everyone agrees,

we can't open our

presents 'til we wish

you a very happy

holiday season!

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For unto you is born

David a Savior, who

is Christ the Lord.

Our Christmas

greetings to you

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and yours.

this day in the city of

Not A Creature

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Dear Santa,

I try to be good. I want to have a Megarigs Rocket, and I want to have a Megaarigs firetruck, I want to have a Megarigs Construction site, and a Megarigs saving and rescue. I want to have a Megarigs police. i want to have \$11,000, and I want to have psycho. I want all Legos.

Your friend, Bill Ten Eyck

Dear Santa,

I have been good this year. I want a dalmation puppy and a Christmas CD of N'Sync. I want a personal C.D. and Smooch n' pooch. That is a little dog that is fake. My little brother would like a Robin Hood forest, and a My Buddy. You know what he likes. Thank you.

Your friend, Keshia Dean

Dear Santa,

I want a brand new computer, a Nintendo 64 with a WCW/NWO Revenge game. I wouldn't mind having a brand new 10 speed bike and a brand new watch. My mother said that I've been good.

Thank You, Vanessa Tobar

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I want a bike and new rollr blades and a PlayStation with game.

Love, Ray Villarreal

Dear Santa.

I have been good this year. I want a new bike and a blck hat. Wold you please say hi to Mrs. Claus? Thank a

Your friend, Wendy Wilson

Dear Santa.

I want a N64 Game 007, Mario cart, and remote control car. Please give a go-cart, WWF Revenge, WWF war zone, computer Gateway 2000, and a huge puzzle. A live rabbit would teach me how to be responsible. To help me play sports, I want a football and a basketball. Please bring me some roller blades size 3. I have been very, very good this year.

Merry Christmas, Joshua Smith

Dear Santa.

I have been very good this year. I would like a bike and new roller blades please. Say hello to Mrs. Claus

> Thank you, Jessica Simmons

Dear Santa,

Thank you for all my presents last year and for all my presents this year. I want a watch and some candy canes. I also want a 4 wheeler and some cards and guns. I want a swimming pool too.

Love, Brandon McDaniel

Dear Santa,

I just want a little Christmas tree with little presents and little tiny pieces of gum and 118 little snowflakes and a new backpack.

Merry Christmas. I love you! Kelsey Childress

Dear Santa,

I would like you to bring me a barbie school, new markers, a doll baby sister, book from beauty and the beast. I also want ginger bread cookies and paper, a dog that walks, a computer, some candy, money.

Love, Angie Ruiz.

"Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men." -- Luke 2:14 Christmas blessings to all.



Dear Santa.

I want a Lego set and a V.C.R. I would also like a Bubble gum machine and a Nike cap. Thank you. Love, Tyler Sewell

Dear Santa Claus,

Barbara Villarreal

Lisa Dorrough

I, Kelsee, would want a baby doll, really bad for Christmas. Also could I have some clothes.

Thanks a lot, Santa. Kelsee Smith

Dear Santa Claus, I, Barbara, want dollies really and lots of toys. Thanks a lot, Santa.

Dear Santa Claus, I, Lisa, would very much like to have a baby for Christmas. Thanks a lot Santa.

Dear Santa Claus, I McKinsey, want a baby for Power Ranger gun. Christmas

Thanks a lot, Santa. McKinsey Mitchell

Dear Santa Claus, I, Bret, would see if you could get me a truck for Christtmas.

Thanks a lot, Santa. **Bret Castillo** Dear Santa Claus,

I, Brett, want a baby and toys for Thanks a lot, Santa.

Brett Webb Dear Santa Claus, I, Desiree, want a dolly and toys

for Christmas. Thanks a lot, Santa. Desiree Marshall

Dear Santa Claus, I, Beth, would like a doll for Christmas and also clothes. Thanks a

lot, Santa. **Beth Sterering**

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a Nintendo 64 or a Sony Playstation and a T.V. I also want some paper and art supplies and a radio.

love you, Santa! Mark Dominguez

Dear Santa,

I want a gun and cards and a sword. i also want a golf cart. I want my cousins and my friend Roswell and Brandon too. and my sister to all be with me at Christmas. I love you,

Zachary Bullard

Dear Santa.

I would like a dinosaur car that is made out of a tent, and a mega pack of hot wheels. I would also like a real shotgun and riffle and a remote controle boat and a fish tank.

I love you Santa! Stefan Wilson

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like 2 dolls with a lot of baby bottles. I also want a lot of animals and a Toy box. Dea

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Love. Kelsey Dean

Dear Santa,

I want a baby crawl and walk, skates, a new bike and a puppy. Are you on your way from the North Pole?

Your friend, Sierra Trevino

Dear Santa,

I want a power ranger and a jeep and a book

Your friend, Noah Tambunga

Dear Santa,

Bring me a Barbie jeep, Roller skates, a teddy bear and a rabbit. Your friend, Maria Vargas

Dear Santa, I want a gray furby. I want a

Your friend, Spencer Jackson

Dear Santa, I want a purple, pink and white Barbie jeep. I will leave you cookies

and milk and no cake. Your friend, Joni Casey

I would like a fire truck. I will leave you some cookies. Your friend, Erick Duanes

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

I want a paaint ball set (2 of them), Twisted Metal 3, a anolog dyal shock controller and a game Shark. P. S.: I will leave cookies and

P.P.S. Love, Luis Ruiz

Dear Santa,

I want a paint set, and a T.V. and a V.C.R. I also need a new backpack and a connect four game. I would also like a swimming

Merry Christmas, Kaylee Seahorn

Dear Santa,

I want a big Barbie house, and a cookbook. I also want a beenie baby Santa and a new bicycle. I would also liike a new baby sister.

Love, Jolissa Payne

Dear Santa Claus,

I, Jayton, want toys, trucks for Christmas

Thanks a lot, Santa. Jayton Rodriquez

Dear Santa,

I have been a good boy. Please send me a toy motorcycle for Christmas. Please send my sisters presents too. Thank you.

Michael Mitchell

Dear Santa,

I would like to get a spiderman web shooter, basket ball stand, walkie talkies and a scooter. Also i want to wish you and your elves a Merry Christmas.

Love, Tyler Vitela

Dear Santa,

Please I want a Power Rangers movie and watch, a little computer, games for nintendo and flash light. I love you.

Anthony Gonzales

Dear Santa,

I have been a good girl. I would like a desk, cooker, cash register, bicycle horn, Dalmation puppy and lipstick. Please remember the boys and girls who do not have toys.

Love, Rebecca Ramos



Praise The Lord For His

Wonderful Gift "And the shepherds returned, glorifying and

> Take time during this busy holiday season to thank the Lord for what He has done for us.

praising God for all the things that they had heard and seen." Luke 2:20





When Christmas approaches, we turn our thought to you, our dear friends and patrons. We send you our heartfelt blessings and our hopes for renewed togetherness among all of nature's creations throughout the world. Thank you for your ever-loval

Collett & Son Gun & Machine Shop



I just wrote this lines to tell you thank you for all the things that you and God gave me this year. For the next year, I just want to be happy because this year was so sad. Thank you for all the beautiful things that you created for me. Thank you again.

Bianca Garcia

Dear Santa,

My name is Phillip. For Christmas I want volcano-blowout and video games for my nintendo64. Phillip Munoz Jr.

Dear Santa,

My name is Haley Jo Hargrove. For Christmas I wish you would bring me a doctor's play chest. I want to be a doctor when I grow up. That is all I want. I love you, Santa.

> Your friend, Haley Jo Hargrove

Dear Santa.

I want an angel doll, roll blades. a barbie doll. I hope you remember where I live. Please bring my family presents too.

Thank You, Christinia

Dear Santa.

I would like a 2000 water game, a basketball and a remote control car. Thank you Santa.

Love, Frankie Vasquez

Dear Santa,

I want BuzzLight year, Batman and a guitar. If you could find these things I would really be thankful. Your're M&M's and milk will be out and ready for you.

Thank you, and Merry Christmas,

Cody Striegler

Dear Santa,

I would like a shot gun, a tyranasauras rex, a lot of dinosaurs in a box, a big pack of hot wheel cars. Thank you Santa!

Love, Stefan Wilson

Dear Santa,

I would like a new race track called Volcano blowout, a Nintendo 64 game. Thanks a lot Santa! Love, Phillip Munoz

Cols L Dear Santa,

I would like some soldiers, a car, a truck, a guitar and some drums, a boat and that's all. Thanks a lot Santa! Love, Caden Rutherford

Dear Santa

For Christmas this year I want Hot Wheels City, race car track and Hot wheels CD-Rom.

Love, Richard Borrego

Dear Santa, I want a VCR, doll, movies and lots of toys, bike brother.

Love, Kayla

A Picture

Perfect

Dear Santa,

I want a red and gray trailer to hook on my red jeep and tractor. I want a new bike.

Black

Dear Santa,

bring me a doggie, a big fat back pack, and rug rats, winnie the pooh Cd ROMS.

Love, Tamara

Dear Santa,

Hi, my name is Christina Fierro. I would like to have a pink bike and a big raido so I can dance tehre is an- ranger and a train track with a train other thing I would like is long nail. I to go on it. Thank you. hope Santa can hear and read my let-

Christina Fierro

Dear Santa,

What I would like for Christmas is peace, love and happiness for everyone. And maybe some animal books, shape toys and a silky blan-

Dalan Wilson

Dear Santa,

What I would like for Christmas is many happy memories of family and friends. Also maybe a new baby doll, some story books and my bottle. Megan Bullard

Dear Santa, I would like a computer. I would also like a magic baby and come to me baby crawl and walk.

> Love, your friend, Martha Gallardo

Dear Santa,

I want spider books for Christmas. I also want a Barbie Angel and a Santa Dolly. I love you Santa. Kassie Flores

Dear Santa,

I want a robot, a boat and a dolphin. Could I help you clean up? Are your reindeer doing fine? I can help your elves do stuff because they must be very hard workers.

Love, Chase Phillips

Dear Santa,

May I help you stuff stockings and make toys? I would like a barbie that plays music and a bunny toy. Love, Gabriela Rodriguez

Dear Santa, I want a little dog and a present with some Barbie in a

suitcase. I love you. Kaylee Perez

Dear Santa, I want a fish, a dog that walks, and a Barbie. I love you. Angie Ruiz

Dear sSnta,

I want a Barbie, an Angel doll, and a book. I love you Santa. I'm going to cook your supper.

Love, Johnna Lombrana

I want a club house and a dog for Christmas. Thank you for bringing me these things. I also want some Merry Christmas, Murphey learning games because I like to learn. Love, Andy Trevino

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a cowboy and Indian set. That's all I want for Christmas. Oh, yearh one more thing. I'd like to have a b.b. gun. Thank you. Love, Trey Fierro

Dear Santa,

I would like to have a power

Love, Dakota Cox

Dear Santa,

I want to say "Hi" to you. I want a super nintendo. I'm going to be special good for you.

Love, Mark Gallardo

Dear Santa.

Could you bring me a Spider man Web Blaster? I will buy you new boots. I want a Mr. Potato Head. You are nice.

Love, Jose Aguilar

Dear Santa,

I want a baby doll. Would you like a new hat and gloves? How are you doing?

Love, Rebecca

Dear Santa,

I want a My Size Angel Barbie and a little baby kitten. I hope C.J. is on the Good List. I hope you have a nice Christmas.

> Love. Candice Ann McFarlane

Dear Santa,

I love you. I want a jeep and a

Water Slide. I have a great family. I Love, Brandyn McDaniel

Dear Santa, How are you doing? I want a small Soldier Toy and a movie of

Lion King? Love, Jo Patrick Borrego

Dear Santa, I want a little kitten named Patches and a ballerina. JessLynn Fierro

> Dear Santa. I want a Barbie car and dolly. Love, Sylvia Unate

May I have a toy soldier and a toy truck? How are you and how are your reindeer? I would like a good Christmas - having families together. Santa Claus I love you.

Kyle Dean

Dear Santa, I want to know who you are. I love you. Would you bring me an Angel Barbie. I want to see you. Love, Senny Morin

Dear Santa,

I want a dog, Power Ranger Wrestling and a toy angel. I would like to say "Hi!" to you.

David Lee Perez

Dear Santa,

I want an Angel Barbie and a dolly. I am going to give you some ocokies when you come. Could you bring me a puppy

Love, Jill Marquez

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer doing? How is your wife? For Christmas I would like a robot and a bike - maybe blue if you've got it.

Your friend, Abel Lara

Dear Santa,

Happy Holiday! Merry Christmas to you and your wife. I would like a real gumball machine. My brother, Weston, would like a truck because he lost his. I would also like for Mom to get a new Christmas sweater.

Your friend, Kaylee Seahorn

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer doing? What do you feed them? I want books that I don't have at my house. I also want play fingernails and a baby doll and clothes.

Love, Rae Lynn Arredondo

Dear Santa,

I want some new clothes, but I don't know what size I wear. You could ask my mom. I would also like a play butterfly, and new shoes. It doesn't matter what color. My Mom would like a new ring, and house shoes for my dad.

Love, Leandra Hernandez

Dear Santa.

I want a red remote-controlled car. I also want a football suit. I don't know what my brother wants. Love, Nathan Weant

May your

stockings be stuffed with everything you've wished

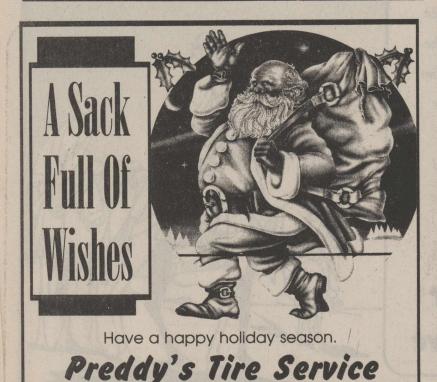


for and more. We thank you for the opportunity to serve you in 1998 and look forward

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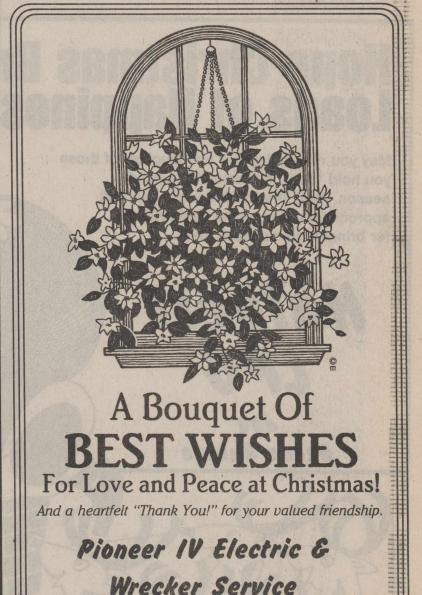
Here's hoping that your holiday brings loads of contentment and many good things. Thank you for your valued support.

Wool Growers Central Storage









Glenn & Sue Burns

Please bring me a Marble Works, very good this year.

Love, Jayce Logan

Dear Santa,

I like you! How are you? I would like a dollie with clothes. I also want a new pair of shoes - pink. I also want an angel to play with and a Barbie. Love you, Santa, Irene Vargas

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer? How is your wife? Do you have any children? Please bring me a bunny for Christmas. I want a toy dog and a doll, too. Ive been good!

Love, Kristen Mendoza

Dear Santa.

You're my friend. Please bring me a robot, Electronic Tic Tac Toe, and a guitar. I've been good all year! Love, Sean Davis

Thorp's Laun-dry

Dear Santa,

I like my christmas tree, and so a train set, and a new kite. I've been does my Mom, my dad, my sister and Maybe a truck for my baby. my baby. I want some toy trucks, cars, jeeps and blocks.

Love, Mario Sifuentes

Dear Santa

I want a Barbie for Christmas. I want a doll that eats, too. I've been good this year. I need new crayons,

Love, Clarissa Hernandez

Dear Santa.

I would like to have one of those big "Bug's Life Ant-Farms", and an bitty, kind of small playhose for me ant's game. I think I would like a to play in. Night-Version game, too.

Love, Austin Suddereth

Dear Santa,

Please bring me some roller blades this Christmas. I've been good

Love, MaKayla Badillo





Dear Santa,

I want a red battery-operated car. Love, Alejandro Mendez

Dear Santa,

I want a toy jeep for Christmas. Please come to my house.

Love, Jose Carlos Lozano .

Dear Santa,

I wish you a Happy New Year. How are your reindeers doing? How is your wife doing?

Santa Claus, I want my own Mickey Mouse puzzle and a little

> I love you, Santa, **Brittany Fortney**

Dear Santa,

I want a drum set, and a play deer. And I want a book, The Very Busy Spider. I also want a playschool with kids and I will be the play teacher.

Anthony Tambunga

Dear Santa,

Happy Christmas! For Christmas I want a Blues Clues notepad, and a Barbie cooking deal - the one with all the food in it. I also want a new purple and blue bike with training wheels.

I miss you and love you, Ashley Lewis

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer doing? I love you, Santa. How is your wife

I would like to have a new car for my family for Christmas. I also want a Barbie house and o for my little brother, Seth, a baby doll.

Love, Emmaly Simmons

Dear Santa.

I love you! Please bring me a Play Station and a T.V. for my room. I want some games for my Play Sta-

Love, Mark Dominguez

I love you! Please bring me a football and some candy. I've been very good this year.

*Love, Maria Torres

Dear Santa,

How are your reindeer? How are you doing Santa Claus? Please bring me a Jeep Barbie, a play rake, a Beach Barbie, and some new colors. I've been very good!

Love, C. J. Ramsey

Dear Santa,

I Ben good. I want a tent, a remote control boat, a hot wheel collection, a watch and clothes

Love, Andrew Galindo

Dear Santa,

hav you had gud yer pless 4wheeler, knife, B-B gun, go-cart, dirt bike, hot wheel collection, Nintendo, Soccerball, football, remote control

Love, Kurtlan Reyes

Dear Santa,

go cart, dirt bike, hot wheel collection, B-B Gun, Cepnodrsikl, 4wheeler and wheeler mokin shobot. Love, Charlie Gravell

Dear Santa,

bike i am beng good.

Love, Diana Rodriguez

Dear Santa,

I hope you are seeing all of us. And what I wont for Crismas is basketball and a wach.

Love, Angelica Gutierrez

Dear Santa,

I have ben good can you bring me a Nintend 64 and a Gameboy camera and a camera. And a go-cart.

Love, Lalo Longoria

Dear Santa,

I thenk that you are nis santa. I wont a ten Barbie and a Barbie Jeep and a big stuff puppe and a Barbie

Love, Alejandra Cruz

Dear Santa,

football hot wheel groj hot wheel Ta Claus. c graj tuy yede tent stereo hawsiag

Love, Corey Kelley

Dear Santa.

Mom tacarn i tera un pinta pare computer. Satocos imedege regatos Bodi muneca. Mami caro am papi.

Love, Liliana Camarillo

Dear Santa, os twtudirl ke ediwtaniff end a

gun end a play station.

Love, K. C. Carson

Dear Santa,

have I been good case I want toys plees Barbies bike play station, tent, stuffed bear.

Love, Suzy Davis

Dear Santa.

I hope you bring me a Barbie jeep, stuffed rabbit, soccer ball, bike, tent, camera, watch, clothes, Basket

Love, Sophie Trevino

Dear Santa,

I was a good boy. I want a 3 wheeler. I like you Santa. I like to do compwter. a gob four you Santa my merry

Love, Benny daurri

Dear Santa,

want a bike and a Barbie and a Barbie jeep and sum clothes and a gocart. Love,

Brite Ybarra

Dear Santa,

I love yu Santa, may uoo breng me a My Size Barbie may uoo breng Yuo breg me a watch. I will be on mi

Love, Katie Villarreal

Dear Santa,

go cart, 3-wheeler, dilrth hot wheels colle nIntendo, B-B gun re- a bookd and a horse and stable and I mote soccer con.

Love, Zachary Bullard

Dear Santa.

go cart, dirt bik, Nintendo tentea Kood yoo bre my a Barbie and a watch, 4-Wheeler, Soccer ball, ramu in the world. playStation.

Love, Robert Torres

Dear Santa,

I'm good. I wlu Barbie jeep Barbie. Love Flu urm b Santa. Love, Odelia Alba

Dear Santa,

How are you doing. My name is Sylan. How is mMs. Claus? Are you gitting ready for the big Night? I am ready for the 25. I want go cart, motor for me and my brother want a tri-

Love, Dylan Castillo

Dear Santa,

I want a Swimming pool. Thank you. I love you, Santa Claus.

Dear Santa.

I want a new bike. I want book. heto here you had a gud yir i wot How are you doing? I love you, Santa

Love, Stepho nieromb

Dear Santa.

Hello Santa. How are you doing this year I just want you to breang a

Love, Alex Macias

Dear Santa. I wa realtra in and a swimming

poll and a pony to ride. Love, Luis Angeles

Dear Santa,

I want a horse. I love you Santa Clas. I want a swimming pool. I still love you and mi brothr want a WCW. Love, Kayla Fuller

Dear Santa,

football, saddle, can you make a saddle and a football? and can you bring me a shoulder pads.

Love, Nathan DeHoyos

Dear Santa,

How es Mrs. Claus doing. I want for my mom a necklee and I want for lad us to have very nice Christmas. play game for rug rat Santa disk for my

Love, JoDon Martinez

Dear Santa, How are you doing. How is Mrs. Claus doing to. Pleys breeng My I hop thit u had a nis bae and i MoMa necklas and a reeng and my granny a noou dres and my grampy a wroom jackit and a reeng and a per u.v tinee shoos. I wont a computer.

Dear Santa, Can you breeng me a computer and mie littl sistr a Baby doll and mie big sister a Baby and that's it Santa

Love, Lauren Najar

Julie G.



Wishing You Growth and Prosperity during the holiday season and in the new year.

How are you Santa Claus? I want want you to giv mom a dress.

Love, Brandyn Tebbetts

Dear Santa.

Dear Santa,

I want to be a pareonr I neo my

Dear Santa,

by Zak Rivee

I want too nou hou are the randere are and woud you get me a remote control motorcycle.

Love, Josh Ramos

Dear Santa Claus, How are you? I love yor showe Merry Christmas. I wont a purse. I love you. Tel my Mom that I love you to Santa.

Love, Stephanie Galindo

Dear Santa Claus,

I want hot wheels with the track. I want a Playstation, please and some games please and a Nintendo 64 with some games please and a racing car every racing car please. I want a computer please with games and some carts and wrestlers and the wrestlers that talk. That is all.

Jonathan

Dear Santa Claus,

For Christmas I want a watch and a pretty ring that has a diamond, a computer with a desk with games, a Barbie that is pretty and has a fashion salon, a Nintendo 64 that has games and lots of paper and glitter.

Love, Karly

Dear Santa Claus, I would like a play Station and a Fashion Salon. I hope you can make it to the fire station. I would like a my size angel Barbie, too.

Love, Heather

Dear Santa Claus,

I want a new bike, so does my brother, I can't wait until Christmas. I want a my size Barbie. I want a cumputer and a cumputer desk. I want a lunch box. I also want a microwave for my family.

Your friend, Alysha

Dear Santa Claus, I want a computer set. I also want

a fashion salon, train set, paper glitter and a play station. Love, Cristina Rodriguez

Dear Santa.

I want a Nintendo 64 for Christmas and I want a game called Mutted NFL to go with my Nitendo 64. I want to order WF World War 4. I want a stereo for Chistmas. I also want a

weight bench. Love, Kullen

to be Like Seth.

Dear Santa, I want a Nintendo 64 for Christmas. I also want a real guitar please, and a computer. I Love you and I want

Your friend, Matias

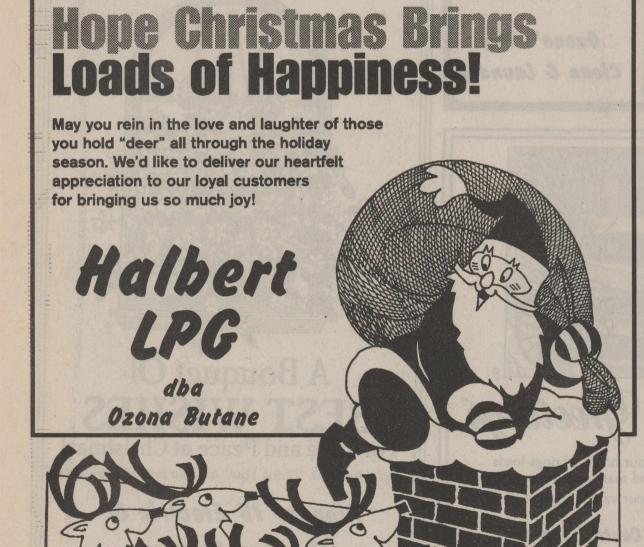
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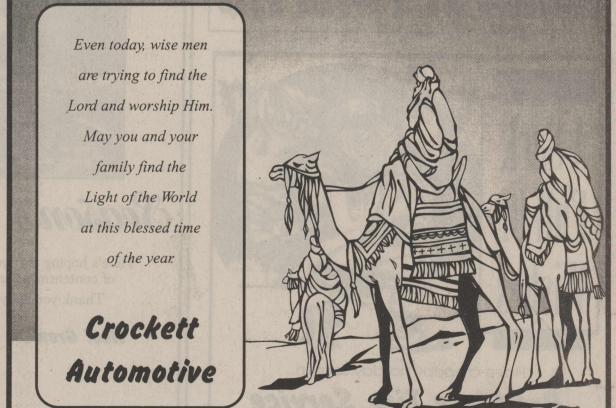
for my basketball goal.

For Christmas I would like a Nintendo 64, all the Rugrats watch's, a tent, and I also want a gocart, a bugs life game for my Nintendo and a net

Love, Seth

Dear Santa Claus, I want a new bike for Christmas. I also want a train with tracks, a new clock and a remote control Ford truck. Your friend, Kaleb





I love Santa Clas, Hou are you doing I want a swimming Barbie and North Pole? Its getting cold up here. a computer.

Love, Milsayla

Dear Santa,

I want a computer. How are the reindeer?

Love, Matthew Fay

Dear Santa.

I want a horse and stable and mi brother wants a trone. Love, Kayley and William

Dear Santa, I want a B-B gun. How is Ms is Claus. I love you.

Love, Anthony V.

Dear Santa,

computer tv I Msis clos s wtmn computer. You can give me a hat and a swimming disk? Love, Kelsey C.

Dear Santa, I want a nintendo 64, play station, trampoline, a toy of K-bull dog, Goldberg toy a B Bgun and a shirt of K-bull dog.

Love, Markaus

Dear Santa, Get me 64. I love you. Love, Bailey

Dear Santa, I want a baby doll, a Christmas tree and a dog. Love, Teressa

Dear Santa,

I want a pup, a rabbit, some toys and most babs. Love, Blair

Dear Santa, I want a baby pupy, and when my dog Rozey diz She is very ode. I love you. I want a perit a baby Crib and a

bug box so I can make a Club house and something for my teacher. Love, Brandi

Dear Santa. I want a camputer coloring book, stickers and a doll.

Love, Jazveth

Dear Santa, What I want Christmas is a baby sister, a new bickcyle, a couch, a new Barbie house and a club house.

Love, Jolissa

Dear Santa, I want a gun, a trampolne, a bike and a toy pony. Love, Alonso

Dear Santa,

I want a rugrat gown and house shoes. I also want for Christmas a bunch of toys and cloths. Santa I have been a good girl all year. Love, Vanessa

Dear Santa Claus,

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Can I have The Rug Rats Movie please? I want a beautiful dress with diamonds and a crown. Please bring me a diamond ring, a real dog please And a princess barbie, a radio please, a Rug Rats watch and a wagon.

Your friend, Mykka

Dear Santa, for Christmas I would like a puppy, a computer set and some presents for me. I've been good and I want a Rugrats movie please, and a watch from Rugrats, good-bye.

Dear Santa,

How are you? Is it cold at the I'm fine. Can you give me some rollerblades, please?

> Your friend, Jake Ten Eyck

Dear Santa Claus,

How are you? How are your reindeers? Is Rudolph's nose still shining bright red? Is Frosty still around the house? I have been kind of good. Please bring me: A real shaggy dog, Princess Diana Beany baby, Could I please have Cupid? I would let him visit you at summer. A stuffed grey cat, Oh! and just one more thing, to wish you a Merry

Your Friend, Whitney Wilson

Dear Santa Claus,

How are you? I want to wish you a Merry Christmas! Please bring me: the movie D-Day, air craft carrier, Train set, and a Army Computer game, thank you the End.

Love, Wilson White

Dear Santa.

How are you? How is Rudolph? How is Mrs. Claus? I have been good. Please bring me: the game ware race for nintindow 64, Barbie deluxe dream house, Mulan animated story book for the computer, the game chiken Linbow and a Barbie riding club for the computer.

Love, Kara Bird

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a Butter Fly Lashes doll, a hair wrapper, and a Fashion Salon. I also want a Furby doll, and a computer desk. Please bring me a thousand dollars, Rapunzel Barbie, a Hi Ho Cherryo game, and a Crocodile Dentist game, a cat, and a piano.

Love, Kelsie

Dear Santa Claus, Please give me a Nintendo. Your friend, Isaac Rodriguez

Dear Santa,

For Christmas I want a gocart and two hotwheels A Nintendo 64, with a Bugs Life game and a footmy mom a nockice and I wamping m Love, George

Dear Santa,

Put something ni my stokeen. How are you and your rainedirs doing? I'm have a good time.

Lane White

Dear Santa,

I want a truck and hors traler, and a batmobil and batman, a remot kuntrol, a saga, hocky and puck, and a baskit boll shoot.

Love, Damon

Dear Santa, Please bring me a bicycle (an you bring me a cars sette Player with earphons?) Thank you.

Love, Cristal Rocha

Dear Santa,

How are you? How is Rudolph? Say hello to Frosty from me. I have been good. Please bring me: A play station, a new go cart, a game boy, a sega genis, a skate board and a army set. Thats all!

Love, Preston Tebbetts

Dear Santa,

I want a puppy and place at Weatherly and basket ball. Love, Chelsea

Dear Santa.

I wont a cat, a dog, and per of mitins, a doll, a trasmpteting a kite, mak up and a teewy

Love, Adrianna

Dear Santa,

I want a play staazhon, a Beeneey Baby that is a rinoserrus, A rabbit WCW game for the play stashonz, a Wolf pack cownan Toy, and a BB gun.

Love, Jaron

Dear Santa,

I take a nentindo 64, a play sta-

tion a bebe gun and a trampoleeing. Love, Jay

Dear Santa,

Hi Santa. I wont to git a Barbey, a bike and a noou Bakpak. I hope Yoou git my ledr.

Love, Lillieshea

Dear Santa Claus,

Is Mrs. Claus Making cookies for you? How is Rudolph? I have been a little good. I wish you a Merry Chrismas. I have to close so bye and please bring me: a doll, a rugrat's movie and a Barbie-motor car, a Barbie doll play house and a com-

Love, Bethany Marmolejo

Dear Santa,

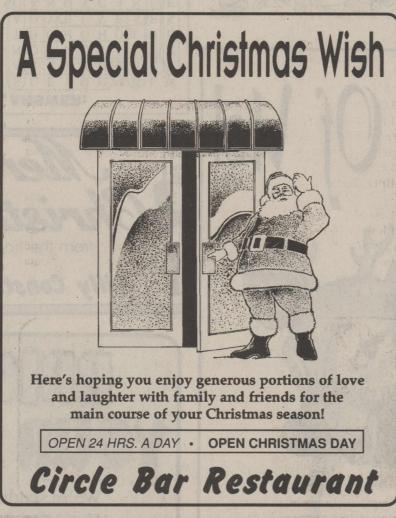
How are you? Please bring me: a doll. Is it cold at the North Pole. Is Rudolph's nose still red? I want to see my friend Tami. I want some makeup and a stuffed kitten, and some money. I wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I have been good.

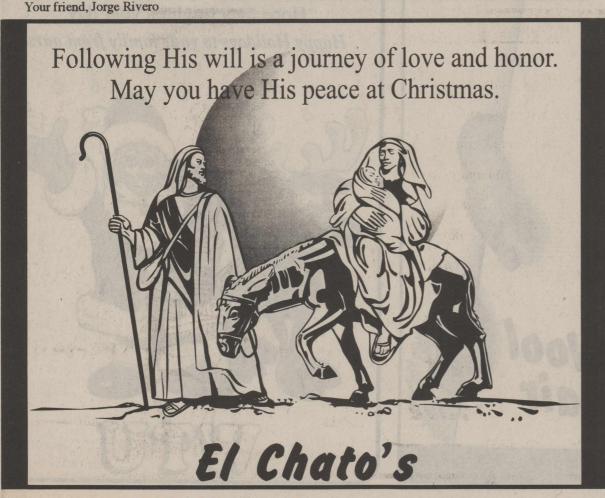
Your friend, Iris Vergava













How are you? I hope you are happy. I love Christmas! I wish you a Merry Christmas. I have been good. busy. I hav been a little good. Please! Please bring me: a computer, teddy bear, real horse, some cd's, Mulan computer game, make-up, Barbie doll house, tree house book, and a desk, sticker, Beany Babies and a RugRats movie and a SPice Girls Maviel and a trampoline and nintendo 64.

Love, April Trevino

Dear Santa,

Sega and a B-B gun and an intendo blades. Also I want Rug-rats the new 64, a play station and a go-cart.

Dear Santa,

How are you? Are your elves still please! bring go-car with hidrolix. I'm in the 2nd grade. I am 8 years old. Love, Jimmy Munoz

Dear Santa Claus,

How are you? Is Rudolph's nose still shinning red? Is Mrs. Claus making cookies? I have been good. Please bring me: tree-house books, Tree House, train set, skate board, and How are you? Please bring me a CD's. Please bring my cousin a roller





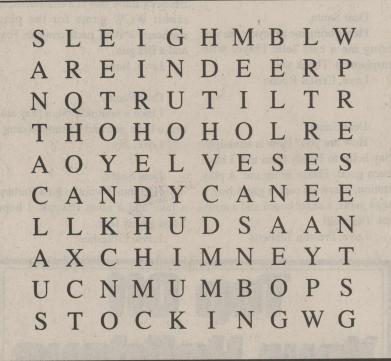
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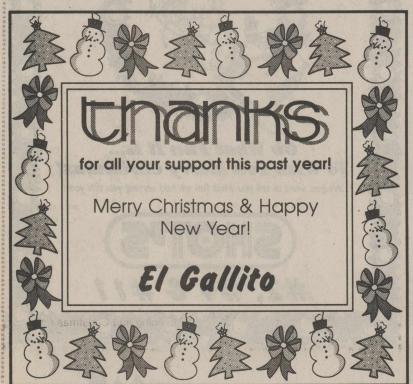
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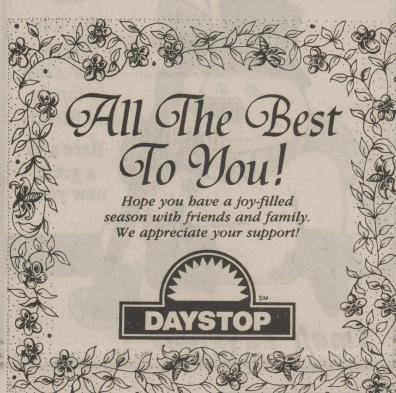
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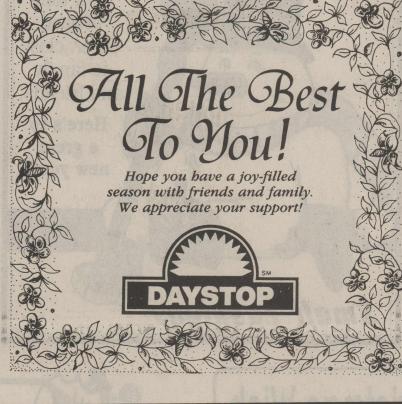
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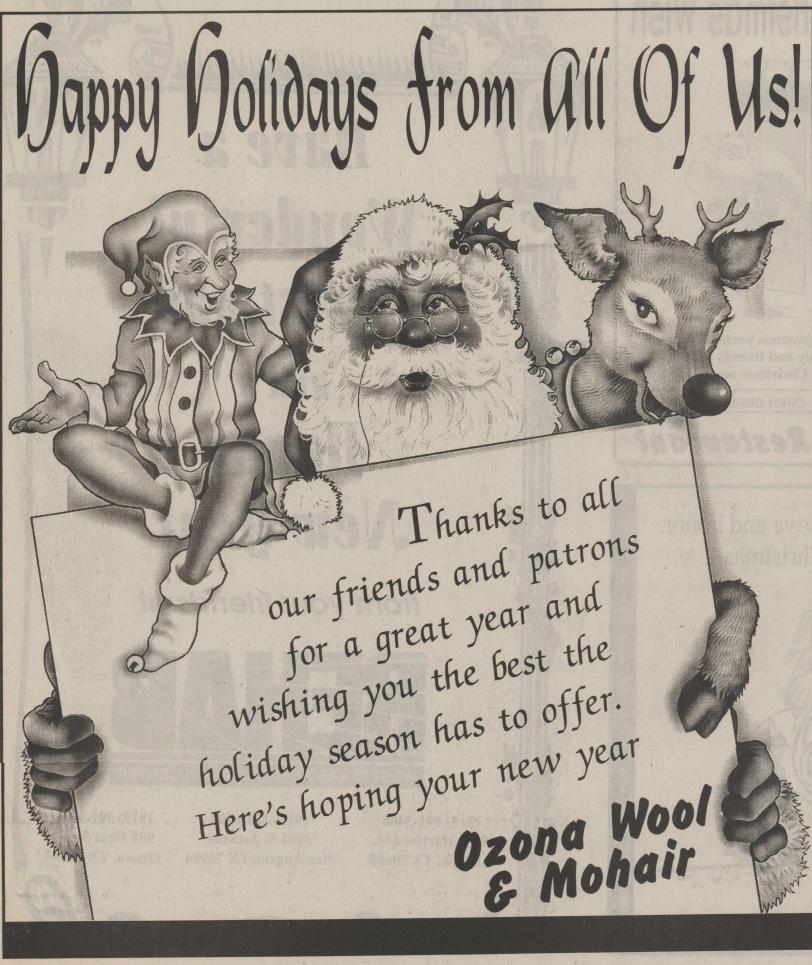
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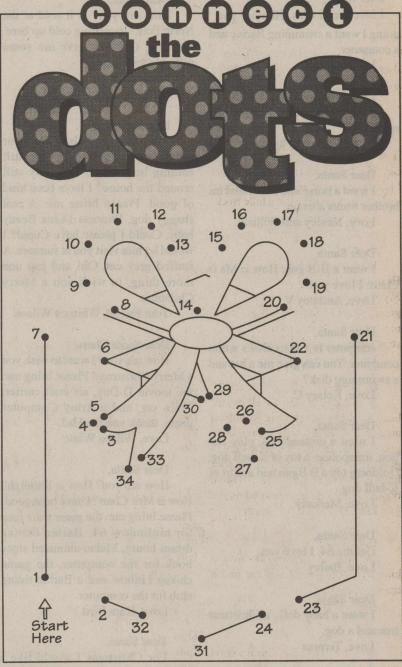












Dear Santa,

How are you? Is it cold at the North Pole? Please bring me: a doll hous, some Rug-rats dolls, a trampoline, a go-cart, and a spice-girl dolls. Love, Victoria Zapata

Dear Santa Claus,

How are you? I hope you are happy. Are your elves working? I've been good. Please bring me the game War Zone! And candy canes. Love, Tyler Sewell

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Dear Santa,

How are you? I bet you are tired! How are your reindeers? I have been good. Please bring me nintendo 64, game Boy, skatebord, rollarblades, trainset, a swing set and a tree house.

Love, Jesse Ramos

Dear Santa,

How are you? I bet you are tired! Is it cold at the North Pole? I have been good. Please bring me: air hockey game, Nintindo 64, a BB Gun, playstation, air craft carrier, army set, train set, and roller blades.

Love, Nathan Knoxom vm som

Dear Santa Claus,

How are you? Is Rudof good? Does Rudof Red nose still shine? Is it cold at the North Pole? I have been good. Please bring me: Train set, Game boy, go car, Skate board, army set, BB Gun, Firetruck and a air hockey game.

Love, Lucio Juarez





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Dear Santa,

For Christmas I would like a Butterfly Lashes Doll, a fashion salon and I want to be like my sister. I also want a hair wrapper, a computer and computer desk. Love, Leah

Dear Santa,

How are you How Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? Santa, I want a gocart for Christmas hooBagyua yo pres I have been good the week My mom a pres a cor My dad wunt a lidle truck. Love, Manuel Villarreal

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mes. Claus? How is Rudolph? I have ben good. My sister a Pooh teufone two I wus good I want starcasttle. Please bring my parents jeans two. I wont a starcasttle.

Love, Yetsenia Wilson

Dear Santa,

How are you? Are the elves still busy working on toys? Is Rudolphs nose still shinning red? I have been good. Please bring me a new bike, a go-cart, a godzilla movie, a tree house, some magic Tree House books, and a new nintendo 64 game. Love, Joshua Ryan Smith

Dear Santa,

I want an Airplane collection, a hungry hippo game, race car and a train. Thank you.

Blake Vargas

Dear Santa.

girl this year. Please bring me a bote. Can you bring my mom a re-Barbie. I want a Santa hat and a bunch mote control and a veeseer and a of Snow. Thank you. Love, EmiLee

Dear Santa,

How are you I am fine I hav ben good sum and bad sum can you no reeng me a cheetart rants mete land a spitereman copter and a rug rats reptar wagen with tommy in it and reatar says I am reptarwtere me your Santa. I not allredy sent you my leter but woont a cal boy hat and woont that can you bring me one more thing a Dol that is at Duckwalls. mega ueeyer that Chages into a man my dad wants a win the lotaree one time my mom wants a new couch. My litel sister wants a baby.

Love to you

Dear Santa.

How are you and Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? I have been good: bring my big sistr a three feet angl Barbiy and my little sistr a little bike wut I wont is a brown pupy. Please bring my parents. My mom wont a car my dad wont a rabbit.

Love, Vaness Arellano P.S. dont furget yor sack of toys?

Dear Santa, How are you and Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? I have been good. bring three go-cart and bring one little go-cart. I wish you a Merry Christmas please bring my mom bicycle and please bring my dad flashlight. Love, Jesse

How are you and Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? Sister El Modog Barbie oing dog angel go-cart mom and dad bikes.

Love, Shebie

Dear Santa,

How o rng tend Mrs. Claus brother bery godd tenniss shos tommy Barbie please bring my toys shoosmrkrs Brb Satu Christmas Around the World More please come. Love, love, Brelinda Garza

"For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Savior, who is Christ the Lord." Luke 2:11

May the peace and joy of the Christmas message always be yours.

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The Ten Eyck Family

Dear Santa.

How are you and Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? I have been good. I won't a Brr Six. I wont Sixboy cooke most two lea se bring Gavent, a remoto contr and teevee frur my dad fru mi Mom Hid e go see Vitotap frur mi sister Brbe frur mi broder gosort

Luve, Monica Fernandez

Dear Santa.

How are you and Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? I have been good I woot Barbie, a hgel crtsivencors trechr, ringhea rt, four This is toye Santa, my dad wus mr shewrens and sum scors nd metecortrole. I please wunt a sofu mom wrmu she and dad. Love, Ariana

Dear Santa,

How are you. I want a new bicycle and Mrs. Claus? I have been good this year. Can i have a go-cart 4-wheeler and my mom wants a necklace y dad wants a i don't know what my dad wants can you get him something thank you.

Love, Tara

Dire Santu

have i bin good Rudolph I wont a nintendo 64 and a go-cart and ples breg mi mom a or breg me a minibike and a dirt-bike.

Luve, Jimmy Longoria

Dear Santa.

How are you and Mrs. claus? How is Rudolph? I have been good. How are you? I have been a good Can you bring me a remote controle nintintoe.

Love, Matthew Longoria

Dear Santa,

How are you and Mrs. Claus. How is Rudolph. I have been good. Me and miye stister woont a go cart thats ol mi sitope me but I bet shel woont su mour mi mom and dad woont a noo 4 wheeler mi friend

Love, Jayci Miller

Dear Santa, How are you and Mrs. Claus. How is Rudolph. I have been good. I want a necklace hbrke with urnt cslr

Love, Karina

Random Reindeer Facts

· Reindeer live in the very cold arctic regions of North America, Europe and Asia.

· Wild reindeer eat moss, lichen and grass.

Domestic reindeer eat

hay and grain. • Reindeer are excellent swimmers. Their

> enable them to float high in the water.

special coats

• In Lapland, reindeer are used as pack animals. People drink reindeer milk and use the milk to make cheese.

· Reindeer live together in groups called herds. In a family, the male is called a buck, the female is a doe, and a baby reindeer is a fawn.

· Both male and female reindeer have antlers. In springtime, the antlers begin to grow and are covered with a velvety hair. The velvet begins to get dry and itchy in the fall, and the reindeer rub it off. Their antlers are shiny and smooth until midwinter, when they fall off.









Here's to a lovely Christmas and a new year full of peace.

Best Wishes for a happy holiday season.

South Texas Lumber Co.



Now that the lights have been turned off in the pressroom all of us at The Stockman want to take a quiet moment to wish you the happiest



How are you doing? It is getting cold down here. Now Let's get to presents. I want some winny the pooh overalls, and a winny the pooh necklace and some more.

Your friend, Keelin Wiley

Dear Santa,

How are you? I'm fine. I want a Nintendo 64, a wagon, a cross necklace, roller skates, and a Barbie Tshirt. Is it cold at the North Pole? It is

Your friend, Mary Munoz

Dear Santa,

How are you? I'm fine. I really want baby crawl and walk. But I really want snow! I want a keyboard

Love, Victoria Leach

Dear Santa.

How are you? Is it cold in the North Pole? I want a N64, goldeneye, a AtAt, ATSt, Darth Vader's tiefighter, Tie fighter, Boba fett slave 1, clowd car Imperor's guard, a real Dobermen. Your friend, Danny

Dear Santa,

How are you and your elfs? How cold is it down there? My Dad really needs a new windmill truck. And I would like it to snow Christmas is my favoret time of year.

> Your friend, Matthew Komechak

Dear Santa,

How are you doing? I am fine. I want a Skatebord ramp and a drum set please. thank you a lot.

Love, Mason Ellis

Dear Santa,

How are you? It is cold down here Is It cold Up in the North Pole? I want a go car and I want a ramote control car.

Your friend, Rolando Villa

Dear Santa and Mrs. Claus? How is Rudolph? I have bin good telephone and a Teve moc and shoes I love, please bring my parents Moma a neclis and bring my dad a wach dalmashn pupe four me.

Love, Kasey Rose

Dear Santa,

How is rudoph I been very good. I want my paease too have bisycles lime me now playstaion and werstling

Love, Kyle Sewell

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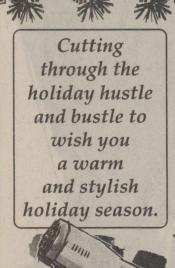
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Dear Santa

How are you and Mrs. Claus. How is Rudolph? I hav been good gocart Nintendo 64 Please bring my

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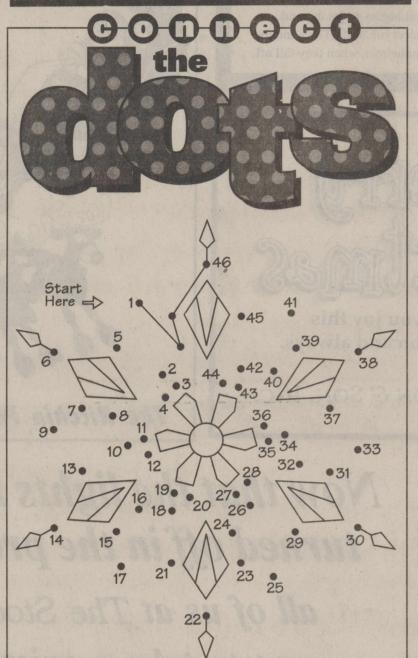
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Dear Santa,

How are you doing at the north Pole? Santa can you give me a nintindo sixty four and a play station and can you give games.

Your friend, Chris Lara

Dear Santa,

How are you? It is Cold down hear. Is It Cold at the North Pole? and Nsync the cd and Dr. Dilttle the

Your friend, Steven Silva

Dear Santa,

How are you? We made Santa's faces. I can't wate for Christmas. I want a bike and roller blades and jewelry pleas.

Your Friend, Abby Rodriguez

Dear Santa,

I am wondering how rander fly. Is Rudolf at the frunt of your slay? I wont a blak toetruk, and a bike that has brakes on the handl bar and a wagon.

> Your friend, Latham Dacote

Dear Santa

I want to see how are you? I Love you. I want a Dog and a Nintindo 64 with some games, and a Kitten to play with toys for my cats.

Your friend, James Caldera

Dear Santa,

Hi How are you doing I want a computer, a real puppy, some ice skates, a kuple of Arthur books, a new teddy bear and a Bicycle a little pig that moves it's noes.

Your Friend, Rebecca Byrne

Dear Santa,

How are You doing at the North Pole? I'm going to tell You what I want for Christmas. I want a watch for Christmas, a Barbie house and a Barbie car. I want a Nintendo 64. Your friend, Desiree Galan

Dear Santa.

How are you? Is it cold over there? It's cold over here. You are very good to me. And Santa you are vere nice to everybody. I want a Kittnen

Your friend, Cheyenne Coy Dear Santa,

I have been relly good this year. I want a New Nintendo 64 with the game WCW NWO Revenge and I want the CD N'Sync Christmas. Say hello to your elves.

Your friend, Logan Shaffer

Dear Santa Claus

I want a puppy for Christmas. Also a cat. Santa can you give me a doll? Ho! Ho! I am a good girl. I want a rabbit to play with Justin and Desiree

Rianne Martinez





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We are thankful for the many blessings that we have received. At CNB, we are especially grateful for our fine customers. We appreciate you allowing us to serve you.

The Crockett National Bank will close for the Christmas holiday on Thursday, Christmas Eve, at noon and reopen Monday, December 28th.

ALL OF US AT CNB WISH YOU A HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON!



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