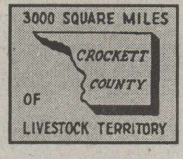


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Week of activities planned for Homecoming

By Gerri Azam
 STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

This week the Ozona Lions take on the Coahoma Bulldogs in the Homecoming game. The game will kick off at 8:00 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 20. Prior to kickoff, the students and community will be involved in numerous Homecoming activities. On Thursday night, Sept. 19, the Homecoming bonfire will be lit between 8:00 and 8:30 p.m.

On Friday, Sept. 20, the Homecoming parade will start at 4:00 p.m. with the pep rally immediately following on the lawn between the high school buildings. The Homecoming Court will be presented during pre-game activities at 7:30 p.m., and the Homecoming Queen will be crowned.

The students at OHS enjoy dress up days the week of Homecoming. Monday the kids dress up for Crazy Day. Tuesday they celebrate Nerd Day. Wednesday is Hero Day. Thursday is Decade Day. On Friday, the students show their true colors, purple and gold, for Spirit Day.

Garvin power plant may close

American Electric Power's Rio Pecos plant at Girvin may close at the end of the year. The plant is one of 16 AEP is considering for shut down.

AEP has asked the Electricity Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) to determine which of AEP's 16-gas-fired power plants in ERCOT may be required for "reliability must run" or "RMR" status. Plants not required for reliability purposes will be mothballed by the end of the year, a move that will improve AEP's financial performance.

An RMR plant is one required to run to ensure reliability of the electricity grid, even if electricity from that plant is not required to meet market needs. Mothballed plants can be returned to service if market conditions change.

ERCOT has committed to provide AEP with guidance on which units will be required for RMR and to negotiate interim contracts by the end of September to ensure cost recovery for the units. The interim contracts will provide time for ERCOT to continue its analysis of its longer term needs.

"Many new plants have been built in Texas as a response to deregulation," said Eric van der Walde, executive vice president- wholesale for AEP. These new plants are more efficient and have pushed wholesale power prices lower, which is good for the Texas market. It's reached a point where we are buying power for a price below the production costs of 16 of our gas-fired plants. The plants

have been idle for much of the year, except when called on by ERCOT for reliability purposes.

"This decision will improve AEP's financial performance," van der Walde said.

Crockett County Tax Assessor/Collector Tommy Stokes said the Girvin plant has a tax valuation of eight million. The county currently receives \$17,000.00 in taxes from the plant.

Once one of the county's leading taxpayers, this is "an old, old plant that has depreciated down pretty good," Stokes said. It dropped in taxable value quite a bit this year, Stokes said.

A decision to mothball the plants will have no effect on Texas electricity prices or availability. The 16 plants have a total generating capacity of 3,866 megawatts.

Employees of plants moved to inactive status will receive a severance package and outplacement services.

AEP's West Texas Utilities and Central Power and Light subsidiaries operate the 16 gas-fired plants in ERCOT. AEP plants in the Southwest Power Pool region of Texas, which are operated by AEP's Southwestern Electric Power Co subsidiary, are not affected by the decision. Electricity competition has not been introduced in SPP.

AEP's gas-fired plants in ERCOT are: Abilene (2), Corpus Christi (3), Point Comfort, Fort Stockton, Mission, San Benito, Quanah, Laredo, Bronte, Stamford, San Angelo, Victoria and Girvin.

The Lions topped their second big 3-A school in a row Lions pounce on the Panthers 15-6

By Gerri Azam
 STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Friday, Sept. 13, proved to be a long, tough night for the Lions in Fort Stockton. The game, set to begin at 8:00 p.m., was delayed for one and a half hours by lightning, wind and rain.

The storm that delayed the game was nothing compared to the defensive squall that played out on the field after kickoff. The Lions and the 3-A Panthers battled all night, and just shy of midnight, the tired, battle-worn Lions emerged victors once again.

The action got underway with the Panthers receiving the kickoff. After allowing one first down, the Lions' defense cracked down on the Panthers, forcing them to punt. The Lion offense was also met by a strong defensive stand, and the ball changed hands with a punt.

This pattern of strong defense and changing possession continued through much of the first quarter. The only change of pace occurred on the Lions' last series in the quarter. With less than two minutes left, the Lions approached the goal line. On fourth and eleven, the Lions went for broke with a run by Lalo Garza. The result was an Ozona touchdown. After a successful extra point kick by Bryan Skehan, the score was 7-0 for the Lions.

Heading into the second quarter, the situation remained much the same; each team's offense butting heads with the opponents' determined defenders. Several minutes into the quarter, Fort Stockton was able to get in field goal range at one point although their efforts were squandered by a missed attempt.

Ozona fumbled in the next series, and the Panthers recovered the ball. This time, the Panthers advanced into Lion territory and gathered enough momentum to score. The Lions blocked their extra point kick, and the score became 7-6. The remainder of the half finished in much the same manner it had begun, with both defenses dominating the field. The teams left the field for halftime with the scoreboard still reading 7-6 for the Lions.

Throughout the third quarter, both teams were plagued by fumbles and penalties, and neither offense was able to make any real



ROBERT OGLE MAKES A FLYING LEAP to catch this pass for the Ozona Lions on Sept. 13 in Fort Stockton. Ogle had 12 tackles during the game. The Lions defeated the Panthers 15-6.
 Photo by Stephen Zuberbuler

advances. Defense continued to prevail, and at the close of the quarter, the score remained 7-6 for Ozona.

The fourth quarter opened with Fort Stockton's offense advancing down the field. That advance was stopped when the Lions swatted down a Panther pass, causing the Panthers to punt. The Panthers weren't long in recovering possession as they intercepted a pass during the next series.

The Lions' dogged defense thwarted Fort Stockton's next offensive endeavor with a quarterback sack on the third down play. Fort Stockton was forced to punt. Arron Garza was injured in the next play, taking him out of the game and serving another blow to the Lions. They were able to make two first downs before losing the ball to a fumble recovered by Fort Stockton.

The Lions applied tremendous pressure on the Fort Stockton quarterback, flushing him out of the pocket as well as getting a quarterback sack. The Panthers were left no choice but to punt once again. Ozona's G. L. Bunger was able to block the punt and scramble with the ball to the 1-yard line before he was brought down. After one step forward and two steps back, the Lions rumbled into the end zone. This final touchdown of the game was made by Brad Mayfield. Mayfield also made good on the 2-point conversion, and the Lions led 15-6.

On the ensuing kickoff, the Lions hammered the Panthers on the 18-yard line. Quay Oglesby pulled down the next Panther pass, giving the ball back to Ozona. The Lions held onto the ball for the remaining time on the clock. As the buzzer sounded, the Panthers conceded defeat, and the Lions became 3-0 for the season. The final score, 15-6, Ozona.

Offensively, the Lions had some good key plays. The wet field probably lessened the Lions' speed advantage. "Every time we got something going, we had a turnover or a big penalty," said Coach Steve Taylor. "We're pretty beaten up. We went into the game without Koby and Zach, and during the game lost Josh Long, Chris Martinez and Arron Garza, and Andrew Shaffer limped through the whole game nearly. We may have lost Arron for the year. Chris should be back in a couple of weeks, and Josh hopefully by district."

Coach Taylor also commended G. L. Bunger, saying, "G. L. had a great overall game with 79 yards on 13 carries, breaking several tackles along the way. He had seven tackles on defense and made the play of the game when he blocked a punt and returned it to the 1-yard line."

2002 Homecoming Court announced

By Gerri Azam
 STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Each year for Homecoming, the Lion football team selects young ladies to represent the

school in the Homecoming Court. This year the Homecoming Court is made up of Katy Churchill, Colbey Crawford and Jessica Galan.

Katy Clarice Churchill is the daughter of Tony and Judy Churchill. She is a senior at OHS and participates in basketball, track, cross country, FFA, UIL academics, Student Council, National Honor Society and high

school rodeo. She also is a part of 4-H and the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo Ambassador. Katy's escort will be Wilson Stokes.

Colbey Crawford is the daughter of Randy and Jill Crawford. She is a senior at OHS and participates in cheerleading, basketball, track, National Honor Society and UIL academics. Outside of school she enjoys helping with cheerleading camp, National Honor Society, community service and participating in teen leadership at the primary school. Colbey has lived in Ozona for 17 years. She has chosen G. L. Bunger to be her escort.

Jessica Galan is the daughter of Frank and Lynn Galan. She is also a senior at OHS. She is active at school in cheerleading, basketball, as Student Council secretary and one act play. In the community she is involved with C.C.D., cheer camp and is a member of the Catholic Church and the church choir. Jessica has lived in Ozona for 17 years. Zach Medley will be her escort.

One of these three young ladies will be named Homecoming Queen during the pre-game activities on Friday, Sept. 20, at 7:30 p.m.

The key to this game was the strong defense on both sides. The Lion defense was able to shut down Fort Stockton's offense time after time in their own territory with their backs against the wall. Leading tacklers for the game were Jarry Taylor with 16, Ramon Trujillo with 14, Quay Oglesby with 13, Rober Ogle with 12, Andrew Shaffer with 10 and Chase Clark with nine tackles.

This week's Most Valuable Players were: #63 Jacob Tambunga for Offensive MVP. He has blocked great all year and graded out highest of all the linemen. #72 Ramon Trujillo and #75 Chase Clark for Defensive Co-MVPs. Ramon had 14 tackles, two behind the line of scrimmage, one quarterback sack, and he broke up one pass. Chase had nine tackles, two behind the line of



2002 OHS HOMECOMING QUEEN CANDIDATES are: (l. to r.) Jessica Galan, Katy Churchill and Colbey Crawford.
 Digicam Photo by Susan Calloway



ON BEHALF OF CROCKETT COUNTY, Bob Falkner accepted a plaque from the Concho Valley Regional 9-1-1, CVCOG, in memory of R.B. Babbitt. The plaque is a small reminder of the dedication and hard work expended by R.B. in every phase of the 9-1-1 program from addressing and databases management to public education. Making the presentation to Crockett County Addressing Coordinator Bob Falkner (l.) is Chris Rives, Concho Valley COG. Submitted Photo

Business & Professional Guide

South Texas Lumber Company of Ozona, Knox Floor Covering, George Thorp Waterwell Drilling & Service, Hayes Lawnmower Repair, Anderson Energy Corp., First Baptist Church, Komechak Well Service, OZONA STORAGE, Mark White Insurance, M & B Spraying & Pruning Service, Shaw's General Repair, Helping Hands Senior Citizens Center, Komechak Kritter Sitter, Brewer Refrigeration, Chic's Family Beauty Salon.

Crockett County History: 'This is the way it was' By Oscar Kost. Includes photo of a man at a desk.

This week we will leave Crockett County for Texon in Reagan County. An interesting story about Santa Rita #1 that blew in May 28, 1923. This was on 400 acres of University of Texas. Later oil and gas wells made it the richest university in the nation.

News Reel: News items taken from the files of The Ozona Stockman published 29 and 58 years ago. Includes photo of a building.

SEPTEMBER 20, 1973: Pursuit of a young man wanted in connection with evading officers and hauling marijuana resulted in the death of a Sheffield deputy sheriff early Tuesday morning.

Community Calendar

Sept. 18 - Social Security Rep., Senior Citizens' Bldg., 10-11:30 a.m. Sept. 20 - OHS Homecoming Oct. 17 - Abilene Book Store Sale of Books, 1-8 p.m.

Letters to the Editor

Louise Ledoux, librarian at Crockett County Public Library sends this message that "only takes a minute to do: Please tell 10 friends to tell 10 friends today."

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Ozona Weather Conditions and Forecast table with columns for Date, Hi, Lo, Rain.

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Tambunga twins born September 11, 2001

September the 11th, what a wonderful day that was for our family. My husband and I both work for Duke Energy Field Services here in Ozona, Texas. We as a family welcomed into the world two new children, one a girl and one a boy. Our daughter was twin A and our son was twin B. Their names are Jaedin and Jaez.

We were amazed and shocked with what was happening as I lay there in labor with our babies. Our friends and the hospital employees were already calling our babies the 911 twins, even before they were born. We consider them to be a blessing, as any child is. Ours children to us are just that much more special because to us they signify how we can have new beginnings at such a tragic time in which so many lives were lost.

911 will be known as a disastrous and emotional day for Americans everywhere, which ended tragically. It is hard to know exactly what to say when such a horrendous event takes place on such a glorious day for our family.

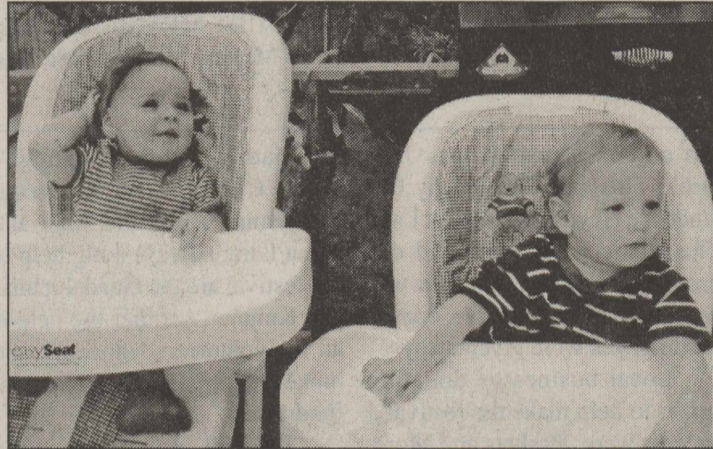
I can say we plan on raising our children with as much love and caring as we can because they are special, and have brought so much love and hope into our hearts. They are a joyful and loving pair, always gleaming. Everyone who sees them notices them, and it always seems to enter my mind that they were born that day for a reason, and I am sure it will be for something wonderful. I am just waiting to see what that might be.

Our babies are going to be



JAEDIN AND AND JAEZ TAMBUNGA, son and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robby Tambunga were born on Sept. 11 2001.

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THE TAMBUNGA TWINS celebrated their first birthday last Wednesday.

Submitted Photo

one year old on September 11, 2002 we plan on having a small dinner celebration with a few family members and close friends that night to celebrate their lives, and we are going to watch a little TV. The local news here has done a special on our Twins that will air that night, and we will be watching for it anxiously.

In closing, we send our love and prayers to those that might

have lost a loved one or those who responded to the needs of individuals whom were touched by the tragedy of the events that occurred on 911. I wanted to share a little piece of our thoughts and memories from our 911 and our family with each of you, May God Bless you, and America.

The Robby Tambunga Family of Ozona Texas

Cooking school Sept. 25

Texas Cooperative Extension-Crockett County will be having a cooking school Sept. 25 from 12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m. at the Extension Office. The topic for this month's cooking school is desserts. Eat lunch beforehand and then enjoy dessert at the Extension Office.

Wendy Scott, County Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences, will be presenting the cooking school. A small cost of \$2.00 will be charged.

Anyone can attend, so please call the Extension Office at 392-2721 to register for the cooking school. Deadline to register is Sept. 23.

Extension programs serve people of all ages, regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin. The Texas A&M University System, Department of Agriculture and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating.

Levis and Lace Club dances the night away

Although there were storm clouds around Ozona Saturday night, Sept. 14, quite a few showed up for square dancing.

Levis and Lace was represented by Raul and Maria De La Rosa, Lucy Hinde, Betty Fields, Nel Wester, Otis and Myra Nester, Leroy and Carol Adcock and Bill and Bernice Cota.

From the Roadrunners Club were Danelle and Sharon Hartsfield.

Representing the Star Promenaders were Glenda Dawkins, John and Nora Geen and Glenn and Charlene Corfield.

The caller was Ray Lombard. His wife, Miki, was also present. They are from Del Rio.

A great time was had by all. Coming up on Sept. 28 there will be a dance at the Ozona Civic Center. It will be hosted by the Levis and Lace Club. Pre-rounds will be from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m., and square and rounds will be from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m.

Gary Bible will be the caller, and Diane Slater will be cuer. For more information, call 915-944-1439.

On Sept. 20, there will be a Trails End dance from 7:30 to 10:00 p.m. It will be held at the New Braunfels Civic Center. For

more information, call 281-438-5064.

On Oct. 4 and 5 there will be a Dance Under the Stars at Promenade Square, 412 West Washington, in San Angelo. Caller will be Gary Bible, and cuer will be Diane Slater. For more information, call 915-653-1439.

From our own Levis and Lace Club, Carol Adcock will not be giving square dance lessons until the first of the year. The date and time will be published later. Bernice Cota, reporting

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Cancer Society Memorials

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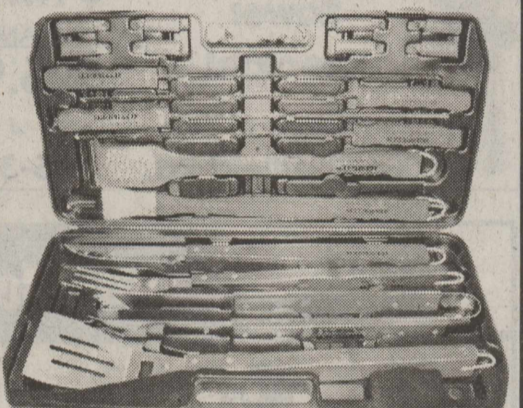
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Sept. 19 - Michael Henry, Inez Gutierrez, Aimee Longoria, Nancy Vannoy, Brittney Avila, Ethan English, Carlos Martinez Jr.

Sept. 20 - Jackie Necessary, Stephen Lara, Felipe Castro Sr.

Sept. 21 - Mark Ramirez, Lupe Gonzales Jr., Raymond Borrego, Rose Garza, Gil Komechak, Larry Glosson, Julie Flores, Jerry Cantu, Melinda Hokit

Sept. 22 - Sonny Malone, Ruben Talamantez, Sam Perner, David McWilliams, Kelsey Galan, Lib Applewhite, Kristi Kirby, Andy Stokes

Sept. 23 - Scott Bailey, Laura Rodriguez

Sept. 24 - Joe Bean, Tina Bean, Israel Gonzales, Pep Talamantez, Olga Talamantez, Romaldo Cervantez, April Vargas, David De La Rosa, Matthew Groll, Ricardo Cantu, Ted M. White

Ozona Senior Happenings

Our Fiesta was such a fun time Friday night. The ladies looked pretty in their brightly colored dresses and the men cleaned up and were looking good as well. We had several people from Sonora, Robert Hartman, Don and Terry Surrridge, Betty Elledge, Henry Turk, Brigitte Rogers and C. J. Brisbin. Richard and Jean Warringer from Big Lake attended. Also with us was Lucy Hinde from Barnhart.

Friday our volunteers attended a luncheon in San Angelo given by the RSVP program. Enjoying the luncheon were Janet Hill McDaniel, Jack Gillit, Lynn English, Jonny Johnson, Nell Wester and Helen Stokes.

This week on Tuesday and Thursday exercise will be at 3:00 p.m.

Monday is afternoon games, Wednesday Social Security from 10:00 until 11:30 a.m., and the Llano Opry is Saturday featuring Kitty Wells and family.

Mark your calendars. On Wednesday, Sept. 25, we will have our pot luck at noon. Bring a dish and join us.

As usual, our night activities are open to anyone 50+ in a no alcohol and smoke free environment.

Call 392-5026 for more information or to get on the meals program.



PRESENT FOR A RECEPTION honoring care center housekeepers Sept. 12 were: (l. to r.) Belia Reyes, Matilda Cervantez, Lacreacia Varela, Inez Ortiz and Anna Yruegas. DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

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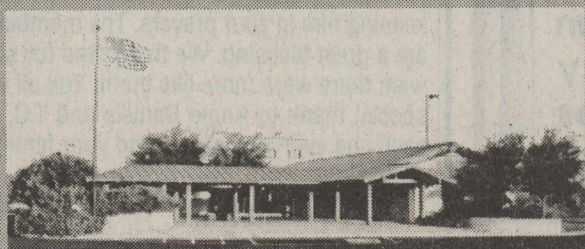
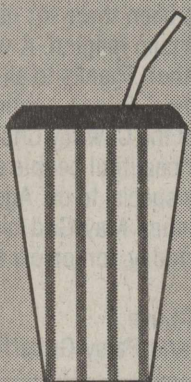
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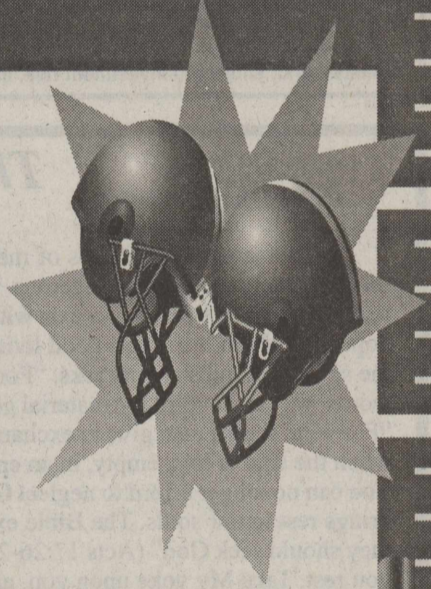
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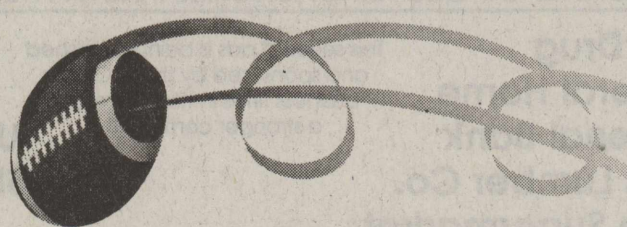
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Obituaries

Thursday service for Mrs. Taylor

Ora Belle Taylor of Ozona died Tuesday Sept. 17, 2002, in San Angelo.

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⑧ The Lord is exalted, for He dwells on high: He will fill Zion with justice and righteousness (moral and spiritual rectitude in every area and relation)

⑨ And there shall be stability in your times, an abundance of salvation, wisdom, and knowledge; the reverent fear and worship of the Lord is your treasure and His.

Isaiah 33: 5-6

Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. in First Baptist Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery under the direction of Preddy Funeral Home.

She was born Nov. 21, 1923, in Lipan to John and Vada (Miller) Pope.

Mrs. Taylor is survived by: her husband, L. B. (Zeke) Taylor; two daughters, Patricia Bishop of Austin and Victoria Land and husband Robert of Dallas; and two grandchildren, Taylor Coulthurst of Austin and Jennifer Coulthurst of Bryan-College Station; a sister, Elois Taylor of Hurst; a brother, John Benjamin Pope of Houston; numerous other loving sisters-in-law, nieces and nephews.

Lauren Sanchez crowned Fall Festival Queen

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church celebrated the Fall Festival on Sept. 14 and 15. On Saturday the celebration started with a dance with music by Romaldo y Estilo Band. The queen, Lauren Sanchez, daughter of Hector De Hoyos Jr. and Cynthia Franco, was crowned by last year's queen, April Vargas, daughter of Oscar and Wilma Vargas. Princesses were Melony Moran, daughter of Marty and Mikki Moran, and Stacy Silva, daughter of Felipe and Sandra Reyes.

Crowning the Little Fall Festival Queen, Evette Longoria, daughter of David and Flor Longoria, was last year's Little Queen, Alexandria Macias, daughter of Leticia Macias. Her princesses were: Irene Vargas, daughter of Noe and Irma Alba, and Lalyla Perez, daughter of Javier and Tracy Perez.

On Sunday, the parade started at 2:00 p.m. The first prize float was won by Queen Lauren Sanchez. Second place float went to Little Queen Evette Longoria. And the third place float went to Princess Melony Moran. The best decorated bike was won by Jordan De Hoyos. Judging the floats were Stephen and Travis Zuberbueler. The tardeada started at 3:00 p.m. with music by Romaldo y Estilo Band. During the afternoon there were food booths and drinks available.

Winner of the camcorder was Panchita Sorola of San Angelo. It was donated by Frank and Lynn Galan. Gabriel Longoria Sr. won the \$200.00 gift certificate donated in memory of Sostenes De Hoyos. The winner of the cd/ste-



OLPH FALL FESTIVAL QUEEN'S COURT MEMBERS ARE: (l. to r.) princess Stacey Silva, Fall Festival Queen Lauren Sanchez, princess Melony Moran, Little Queen Evette Longoria, princess Layla Perez and princess Irene Vargas

Photo by Stephen Zuberbueler

reo compact system was Joel Ortiz. This was donated by Orlando De Hoyos, Attorney at Law. The picnic table made and donated by Jesse and Darla Ortiz was won by Juan Flores. Also, consolation prizes were given away.

Local businesses donating prizes to help make the festival a success were: Baskets and More,

El Chato's, Debra Tambunga's Nail Care, Village Drug, Westerman Drug and Abel and Anna Lara. Always a big help to the festival are the Guadalupanas and Knights. Another big help is all the volunteers who work and make donations to this festival fundraiser.

The Fall Festival was a big

success as the community comes together to have fun in the spirit of peace and unity. Parish council members coordinating were: Robert Flores, Thomas De Hoyos, Janell Tambunga, Catarina Villarreal, Roland, De Hoyos, Leticia Macias, Art Roane, Armando Arredondo and Fannie Sanchez.

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Care Center Chatter

This last Friday we honored our care center housekeeping ladies. They are Margarita Castellanos, Amy Cervantez, Matilda Cervantez, Belia Reyes, Lucrecia Varela and Anna M. Yruegas. We all here at the care center want to thank housekeeping for being a part of our team and making every day shine.

Thanks go to E. A. Wadsworth, Randy Carter, Audrey Glynn, Otis Nester, Mary Welty, Merle Welty, Jonny Johnson, Jo Ann Williamson and Nell Wester for volunteering their time last week to our residents.

Churches that provide services for our residents are Ozona United Methodist Church, Ozona Church of Christ, First Baptist Church and Harvest Time Christian Center.

Please note, I need a month's advance notice for activities inside or outside the facility, as our cal-

endar is planned in advance.

Saturday afternoon residents enjoyed banana split ice cream.

When we take others under our wing, we grow as well. Greet each morning with a desire to excel, and the day will shine. Come be a part of our volunteers at Crockett County Care Center. A bright outlook transforms potential into reality.

Have a good week from all of us here at Crockett County Care Center.

Jan St. Clair
Activity Director

May we introduce



LETTY QUIROZ LOZANO

Letty Quiroz Lozano began her job at certified nurse aide at Crockett County Care Center last week.

Originally from Midland, she has been in Ozona 15 years. She is married to Marcos Quiroz and has a son, Erbey Blanco Lozano. "My hobby is my child," said Letty. "I love being with him all the time, and my husband, too."

Father's Eyes

We both sat there together in the stands. It was such a beautiful early fall night. The weather was perfect, and it was the first game of the season. We enjoyed the excitement of the game. The band played wonderfully, and we would yell as the cheerleaders led us.

The two teams were moving up and down the field, and the scoreboard was changing, but our attention was focused somewhere else. Our son's team was playing their first football game of the season. We watched every move he made. No, he did not get to play that night because he was on the second string, but he was the star of the game for us. We watched our son, not to observe every mistake he made, but we watched him because we loved him very much and were proud of him.

The Bible says that God looks at us in the same way (1 John 3:1). It says we are or can be the apple (very center) of His eye (Psalms 17:8). When we accept Christ as Lord and Savior we become very special to Him, we become His children (John 1:12). Psalms 33:18-21 tells us about the benefits of that special relationship. We love God, and He loves us. Make sure you're in that relationship.

See you in church on Sunday.
Brother J

That They Might Seek for God

By Dr. Dennis J. Prutow

In Vietnam, small groups of men were sent out on missions to search and destroy the enemy. These searches and destroying missions were tough and dangerous. Many men and women are on similarly dangerous missions today. They are desperately seeking to make sense of life. They are on what might be called search and live missions. Not making sense of life is like losing your soul. We hope a good job, earning a good living, and the rewards of self-satisfaction will bring meaning to life. At the same time, we neglect the spiritual. And so Jesus asks, "For what does it profit a man to gain the whole world, and forfeit his soul?" (Mark 8:36). In other words, we can have all the material goodies life has to offer and still lose our souls. And so the next question Jesus asks is to the point. "For what shall a man give in exchange for his soul?" (Mark 8:37). The souls are priceless. Nothing, absolutely nothing, fills the bill when the soul is lost, empty, in an endless search for meaning. When this happens, you can no longer afford to ignore the spiritual. You can no longer afford to neglect God. The essential reason we were placed on this earth was to seek for God. Only the living God brings rest to our souls. The Bible explains God "made from one every nation of mankind to live on all the face of the earth... that they should seek God" (Acts 17:26-27). And Jesus Christ exhorts, "Come to Me, all who are weary and heavy-laden, and I will give you rest. Take My yoke upon you, and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart; and you shall find rest for your souls" (Matthew 11:28-29). Yes, we were made to seek after God. And we only have rest when we return to God through Jesus Christ.

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Card of Thanks

We would like to give a "Big Thanks" to such a wonderful person who has been a blessing and has welcomed us into the neighborhood. He has helped us out in many ways and we wish there were more people like him: Reynaldo Garcia. Thank you, Rey, from the bottom of our hearts, for always coming to our aid when we call and bother you. May God bless you and your family today, tomorrow and always.

Thanks again,
Emilio and Patsy Gutierrez

Card of Thanks

We would like to take the time to give thanks for such precious people of Cowboy Church. You have always been there for us in all our needs even though we are of the Catholic religion. A very special thanks to Angie Daniels and T.C. Conner. Thanks to all for your prayers for our grandson Ryan Sanchez. Please continue keeping him in your prayers. The members of the Cowboy Church are a great blessing. We thank God for such beautiful people and wish there were more like them. You all very special to us. Again, special thank to Angie Daniels and T.C. Conner. May God bless each and everyone of you and your families today, tomorrow and always!

Lots of Love,
Emilio and Patsy Gutierrez

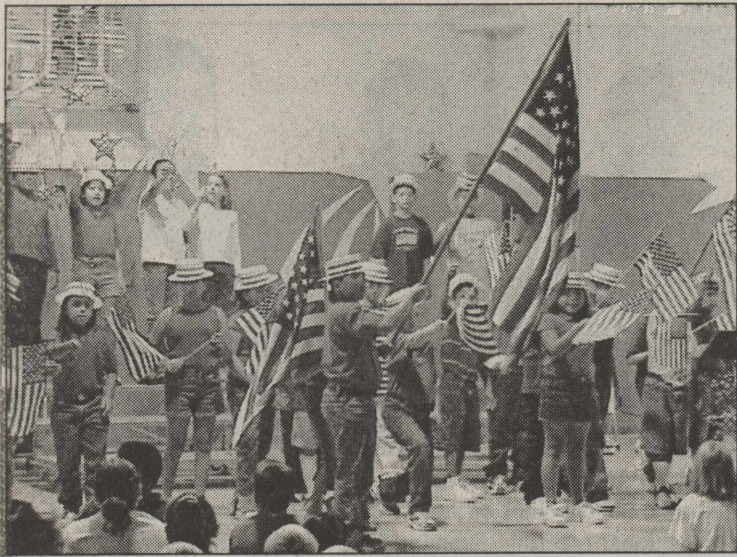
<p>First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Rev. Bill Fuller Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p>Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Rev. John Fluth Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.</p>
<p>Ozona Cowboy Church Cenisa St. - Non-Denominational Pastor Rick Thomas Thursday: 7 p.m. Broadcasting on the radio at 8 a.m. on Sunday mornings.</p>	<p>Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Rev. Charles Huffman Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m.</p>	<p>Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church 526 Santa Rosa St. - Rev. Sergio Arrellano 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.</p>
<p>Templo Bautista Jerusalem 138 Blas St. Rev. Esequiel Cervantez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>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. Thurs.: 7 p.m.</p>
<p>Calvary Baptist Church 601 Ave. I Rev. Daniel C. Fleming Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Wed. & Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida Corner of Secretariat & Man 'O War Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Apostolic Church 307 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Hector De La Cruz Sunday School: 3 p.m. Worship: 5 p.m. Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Harvest Time Christian Center 604 11th St. Pastor Velma Trimble Sunday School: 10 a.m. Morning Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship 6 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Iglesia de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run Minister: Amelio Hinojos Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m. Wed. Bible Study: 6 p.m.</p>	<p>Attend the Church of Your Choice This Sunday</p>

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"THIS IS AMERICA," a short musical program written by Sara Hignight, was presented Wednesday by the 4th grade students of Ozona Intermediate School. Students sang favorite American songs and gave an insight into what has made America so great. Honored at the program were the Ozona Sheriff's Department, firemen, DPS and EMS personnel. *Submitted Photo*



OZONA MIDDLE SCHOOL presented a 9-11 program last Wednesday which included a timeline of events on Sept. 11 and "Taps" performed by the brass section of the middle school band. Pictured are some of the band members. They are: (l. to r.) Caleb Mitchell, John Tom Tijerina and Steven Gillit. *DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore*

Youth Rally Sept. 21 in San Angelo

Keith Davis, former New York Giants football player, will be the highlight of the Right Choices Youth Rally Saturday, Sept. 21, from 4:00 until 7:00 p.m. at the San Angelo RiverStage.

Sponsored by Shannon Right Choices for Youth, KIXY and Coca Cola, the rally is free and open to youth of all ages. Gates open at 4:00 p.m. with youth information booths until 7:00 p.m., the San Angelo Police Dogs at 4:30 p.m., demonstrations by Spirit Fit at 5:00 p.m. and the San Angelo Civic Ballet at 5:30 p.m. Concessions will be available for

purchase, and Coca Cola will provide free soft drinks.

Davis will take the stage at 6:00 p.m. and talk to kids about peer pressure, success in school, drug and alcohol awareness, self-esteem, promiscuity and responsibility.

Davis uses incredible feats of strength to rivet the attention of his audience, including bending steel bars, breaking baseball bats, ripping phone books in half and crushing concrete. These feats, coupled with positive, exciting music, create a thrilling atmosphere and a lasting impression. They also underscore his message that no obstacle is too tough and winners are not those who never fail, but those who never quit.

The program also fosters a great deal of student interaction and volunteer participation.

Local student included in Who's Who

Joyce Caldera from Ozona is included in the 2001-02 edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students - Sports Edition.

Who's Who - Sports Edition, published by Educational Communications Inc., Austin, is part of the largest recognition program in the nation honoring high school students. The Who's Who - Sports Edition honors outstanding student-athletes.

Athletes are nominated by coaches, teachers and sports organizations based on athletic achievement and participation in extra-curricular activities.

Who's Who - Sports Edition students also compete for \$10,000.00 in scholarship awards. The book is distributed on a complimentary basis to high schools, colleges and universities and public libraries throughout the country.

Fourth Grade students present musical revue

Wednesday September 11, 2002 students of Ozona Intermediate School remembered events that happened one year earlier. A musical revue was presented by the 4th grade students of the school. Students were told that America is a great nation. Students were shown what makes America so GREAT! Using songs students were shown that the American people are strong. We are the "Home of the Brave." The audience was also shown that Americans can be from different backgrounds. Our country is made up of people from many places in the world. In our classes we are DIFFERENT - yet the SAME.

But we all hope for the same thing --- PEACE.

Some of the songs sung were You're A Grand Ole Flag, Take Me Out to the Ballgame, America, I Care About Me and the Star Spangled Banner. Murphey Black and Tamara McWilliams sang "Were You There" as a power point was presented for the audience to view. Students were dressed in red, white and blue and had matching hats and sunglasses to carry out the patriotic theme. Students also gave a flag revue during the program.

A special thank you goes to many parents and teachers who helped present the program.

Tijerina completes deployment

Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Alfredo Tijerina Jr., a 2000 graduate of Ozona High School, recently completed a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean Sea and Arabian Gulf while assigned to the 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit, based in Camp Lejeune, NC.

Tijerina was one of more than 10,000 Atlantic Fleet sailors and Marines aboard the ships of the USS John F. Kennedy Carrier Battle Group and USS Wasp Amphibious Ready Group.

During the deployment, Tijerina's unit participated in Exercise Infinite Anvil and visited

Souda Bay, Crete and Petra, Jordan, where they had the opportunity to shop, sightsee and enjoy the local culture and cuisine.

Tijerina's unit is an expeditionary intervention force with the ability to rapidly organize for combat operations in virtually any environment. MEUs are composed of more than 2,000 personnel and are divided into an infantry battalion, aircraft squadron, support group and command element. With this combination, Tijerina's unit supplies and sustains itself for either quick mission accomplishment or clearing the way for follow-on forces.

Annual Friends of NRA banquet Sept. 28

The Friends of the National Rifle Association is going to hold a banquet Sept. 28 at the San Angelo Convention Center located at 500 Rio Concho Drive. There will be a catered meal by Pack Saddle BBQ, program, silent auction, open auction and raffle items. Most all the items for bid or raffle are NRA limited edition items. Viewing will begin at 6:00 p.m. with a cash bar opening at 6:30, program and dinner served at 7:00 with the auctions following. Cost is \$40.00 a couple or \$30.00 a ticket. Kids under 12 are admitted for \$10.00.

NRA is the organization that sponsored Ozona's 4-H shooting grant.

"Without their support, we would have been unable to receive the \$3,000.00 grant last August," said Roy Walston, County Extension Agent. "As our shooting program in Crockett County grows, we will be looking to this group in the future for sponsorship. The money raised at these banquets goes into a special foundation fund separate from NRA to sup-

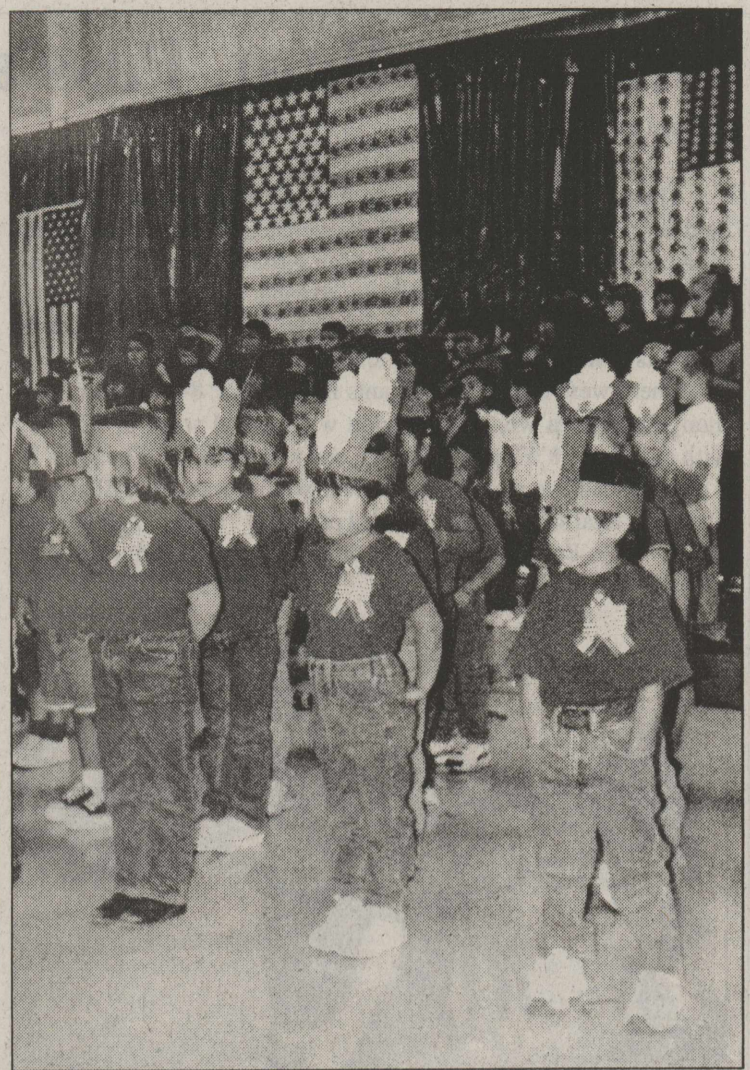
port local groups such as Boy Scouts, 4-H shooting sports programs, hunter education programs, local community gun ranges, and the list goes on and on. They awarded over one-quarter million dollars in grants this year. I hope that you will be able to attend this banquet," said Walston.

For tickets and more information, contact Cindy Dusek at 392-2721 or 876-5995.

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OZONA PRIMARY SCHOOL presented a patriotic program "America Forever" on Sept. 11. *DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway*

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Banks often unload repossessed vehicles to car dealers at rock-bottom prices - allowing dealers to re-sell them for retail value. But bargain-seekers can take heart: This week, Mitchell Toyota Kia is going to change that.

This Wednesday, September 18th through Saturday, September 21st, Mitchell Toyota Kia will offer 90 bank repossessed, lease return and other used vehicles for thousands below normal values, and pass the savings on to their customers.

"These vehicles have been acquired at incredible savings from banks (repos), auctions, and other sources," Mike Griffin of Mitchell Toyota Kia said. "We have been asked to sacrifice this inventory immediately - regardless of loss of profit. And if that means selling these vehicles some for thousands below normal values, then

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Every bank repossessed and other pre-owned vehicle will be available for just a \$59 possession fee* then start making payments. Payments starting at \$79 per month.* "It's that simple."

and the best finance terms possible. Mr. Griffin said. "We'll have over \$4 million in financing available for this event, so chances are we can arrange financing for just about anyone who is employed, regardless of past credit history."

Trade-ins will be accepted, and customers should bring their title or payment book to expedite delivery.

"The opportunity San Angelo area bargain-hunters have been waiting for happens this Wednesday through Saturday at Mitchell Toyota Kia. Every bank repo and other used vehicle is just \$59 then start making payments.* Customers may never see savings like this again," said Mr. Griffin.

After the \$59 SuperSale ends at 8:30 p.m. on Saturday, September 21st, many of these vehicles will be sent to auction. Any questions can be directed to (915) 653-2302. Mitchell Toyota Kia is located at 1500 Knickerbocker Road in San Angelo.

"This is the opportunity San Angelo area bargain hunters have been waiting for! Customers may never see savings like this again."

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said Mr. Griffin. "To make these bargains even easier, we'll mark the payments right on the windshield. Just pick your vehicle and pick your payment. You won't find a faster, easier way to get a great deal on a pre-owned vehicle."

Almost every type of vehicle and price range will be available, from luxury 4x4s to basic transportation. Many are still under warranty. "With our pre-owned inventory near an all-time high, chances are we have what you're looking for in stock and ready to drive home," Mr. Griffin added.

Extra sales and finance staff will be on hand to assure customers prompt, quality service



HEAD START STUDENTS and their families celebrated Diez y Sies this past Monday with a fiesta including a piñata and an enchilada dinner with all the trimmings. *DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway*

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Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick competition

BY GERRI AZAM - STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

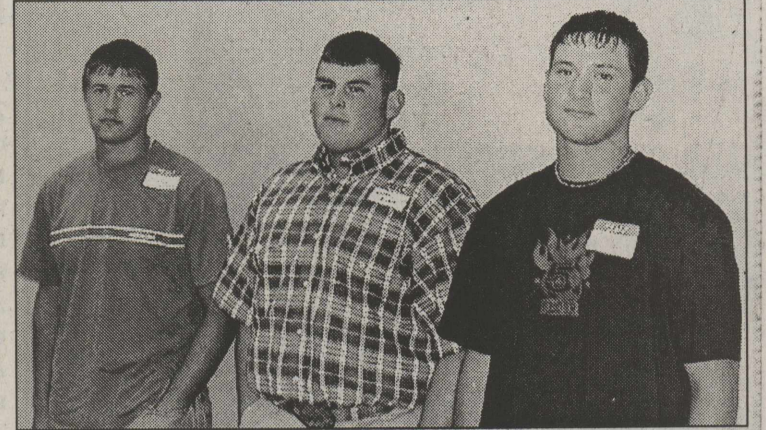
The local NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick Competition was held here on Saturday, Sept. 7. There were a total of 36 participants in the competition: 29 boys and seven girls. Each participant was given a score based on their punting, passing, and kicking attempts. There are four divisions for boys and girls. The winner in each division gets to advance to the next level of competition.

There were eleven participants in the boys' 8-9 division. Anthony Tambunga won this division with a total score of 125'10" with a punt of 28'5", pass of 49'2", and kick of 48'3". The girls' 8-9 division had two participants and the winner was Alma Elizondo. She had a total score of 55'9" with a punt of 0", a pass of 19'9", and a 36'0" kick. For the boys' 10-11 division there were thirteen par-

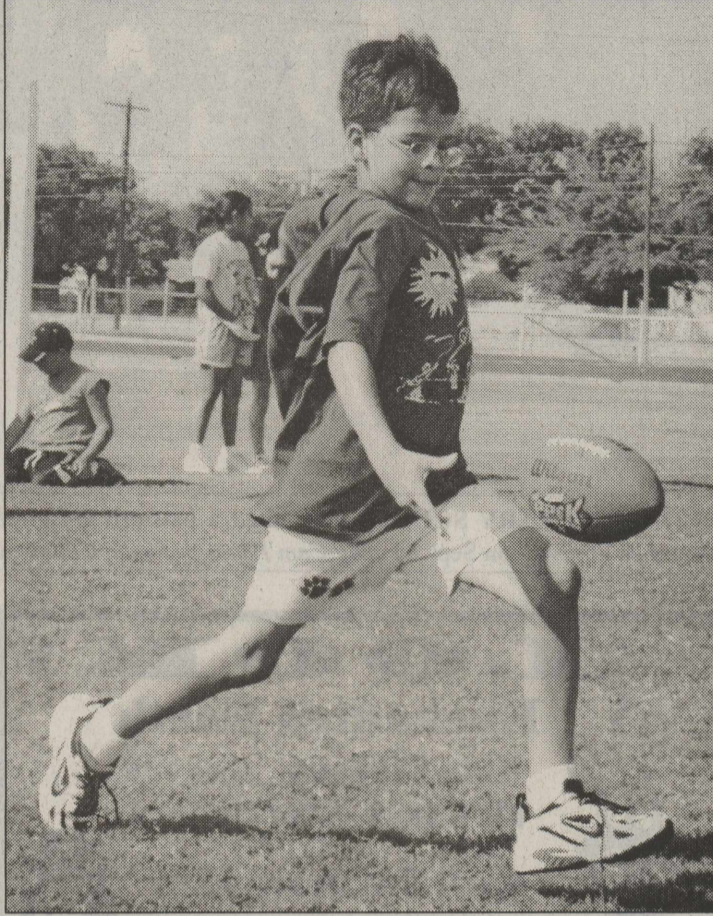
ticipants. Dylan Castillo won with a total score of 181'6". His punt was 52'10", his pass 65'7", and a kick of 63'1". Tara Johnson won the girls' 10-11 division that had three total participants. Her total score was 83'3" with a punt of 6'8", pass of 30'2", and kick of 46'7".

The boys' 12-13 division had one participant. Joey Hernandez will advance with a total score of 60'10" from a punt of 1'5", pass of 38'8", and a 20'9" kick. There were two participants in the girls' 12-13 division. Alysha Lara won with a total score of 119'8" with a punt of 46'2", a pass of 41'5" and a kick of 32'1". Caleb Michel won the 14-15 boys' division with a total of 266'7" which included a punt of 75'8", a pass of 107'7" and kick of 83'4".

Those advancing to the Dallas Cowboy Sectional Competition will compete on Oct. 19 at 2:00 p.m. in Kerrville.



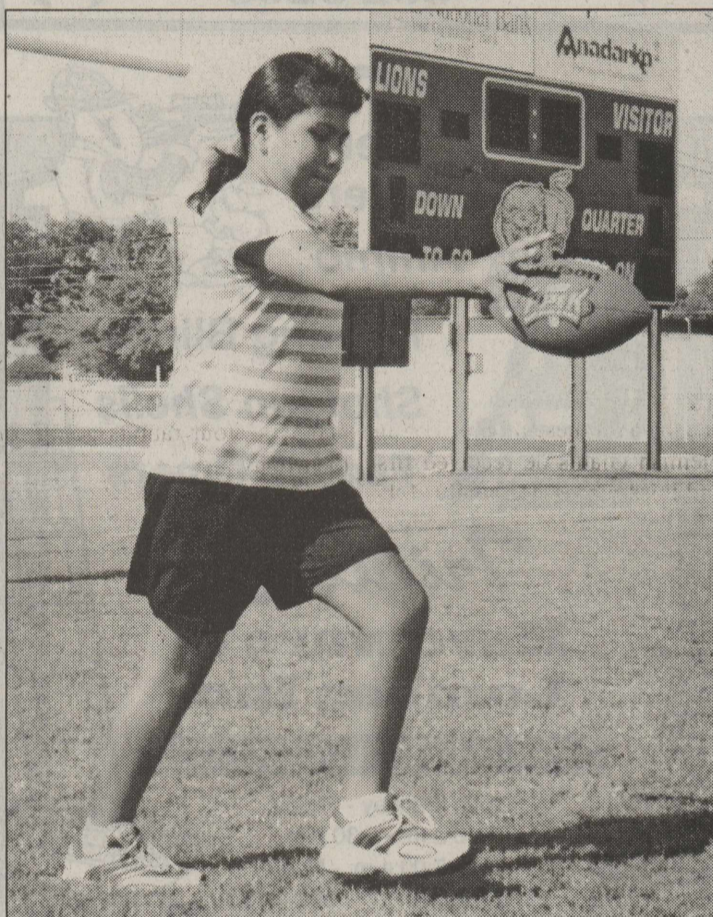
WESLEY BISHOP (center) was awarded one of three A.E. Prugel Memorial Scholarships on Aug. 14 during the Southwest Texas ACA informational Meeting. Brandon Wilson (l.) and Will Whitten also received the scholarship. Submitted Photo



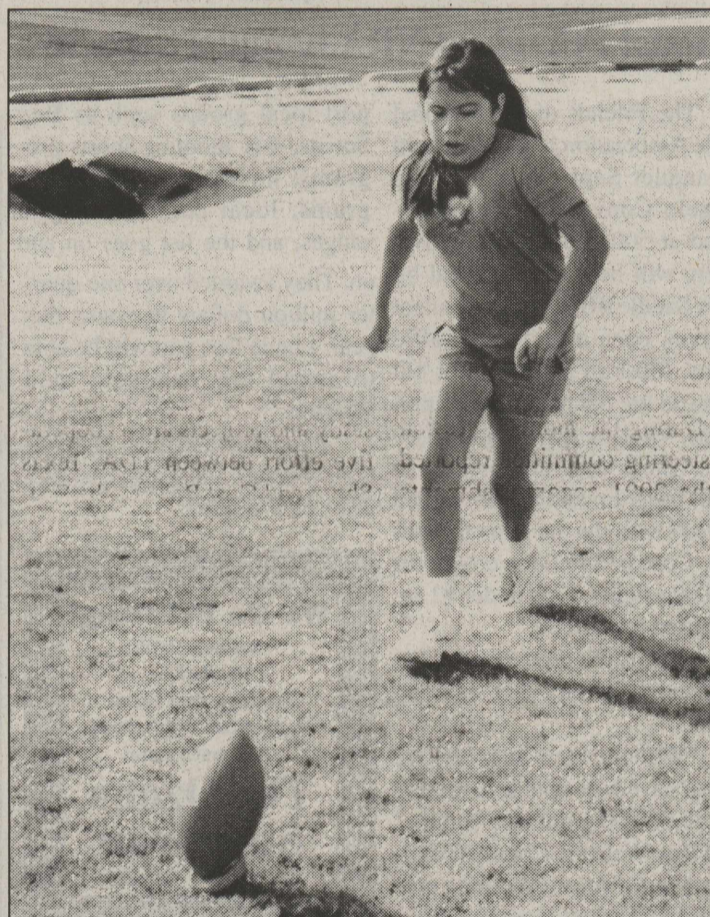
AUSTIN SUDDRETH



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ALMA ELIZANDO



JOLENE HERNANDEZ

Photos by Scotty Moore

Southwest Texas ACA Awards Scholarships at Informational Meeting Aug. 14

The Southwest Texas Agricultural Credit Association's Sonora Branch held their Annual informational meeting, Wednesday, Aug. 14, at the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station located on Hwy. 55, 22 miles south of Sonora. A hamburger dinner with all the trimmings was served by the Sutton County Steakhouse. Following the meal was a short program presented to the group by Mark Hiler showing the growth of the association during the past year.

Recipients of the A. E. Prugel Memorial Scholarship for 2002 were awarded by Mrs. A. E. Prugel to students who graduated in the following Counties: Crockett County - Wesley W. Bishop, son of Ricky and Karen Bishop; Edwards County - Brandon Wilson, son of Todd and Mary Wilson; Schleicher County - Will Whitten, son of Steve Whitten; Sutton County - Byron Williams, son of Reggie and June Williams. After the scholarships were awarded, programs were given by Butch Taylor of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and Gary Roberson, owner of Burnham Brothers in Menard. Linda Johnson was also recognized for her help with the meeting.

Officers and directors present included: Mark Hiler - President and Chief Operating Officer, Roy West - Executive Vice President and Chief Credit Officer, Doug Wadsworth - Vice President-Lending, Donna Heath - Vice President-Corporate Affairs, Elbert Butt, Vice President-Commercial Lending, Shelby Henke - Chairman of the Board, and wife, Beverly, Louis F. Woodard - Director, and wife, Eddie Mae, Jane Crittendon - Director, and husband Lynn, Jack Kingsbery - Director, Glen Richardson - Director, and wife, Rosalie, Bill Savell - Director, De Lux - Director, Jack B. Smith, Jr. - Vice President/Branch Manager, and wife, Lauri, Pat Gillit - Loan Administrator.

Team ropers invited to Del Rio

The Val Verde County Team Roping Challenge and Dale Gas Pro Rodeo Pep Rally will be Saturday, Sept. 21, at the Altizer Arena on Pepper Lane in Del Rio.

The roping is open to all residents of Val Verde and surrounding counties. There will be three head; progressive after one, enter once and draw four. The entry fees are \$80.00 per man, cash only. The books open at 1:00 p.m. and close at 1:30 p.m. Entries will be taken at the arena. The roping starts at 2:00 p.m.

The top 18 teams will advance to the short go to be held during the performances of the Dale Gas Pro Rodeo at the Val Verde County Fairgrounds Arena in Del Rio.

The Best of the Border special performance on Sept. 26 starts at 6:00 p.m. The performances on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 27 and 28, will start at 8:00 p.m.

Following the county roping will be the Best of the Border team ropings. On Sept. 21 is a 3 for \$30.00 with a 2.5 cap. Ropers can enter four times, progressive after one. Books open at 1:00 p.m., and ropers must be entered by the end of the county roping to be eligible for the round money.

On Sunday, Sept. 22, there will be a 3 for \$30.00 for 2.5 and 5.0 ropers. The ropings will run together. Ropers can enter six times for each roping, progressive after one with a separate short go. Books for both ropings open at 1:00 p.m. with the first starting at 2:00. Ropers must be entered by 2:00 p.m. to be eligible for the round money. The books for the second roping close at the end of the first roping.

The Dale Gas Pro Rodeo Weekend will host The Party Never Ends Team Roping Sept. 28. The 3 for \$30.00 roping will be for 3.5 and 5.0. Ropers can enter 6 times, progressive after one with a separate short go. Books open at 11:30 a.m., and the roping starts at 12:30 p.m. Ropers must be entered by 12:30 p.m. to be eligible for the round money.

All ropings will be held at the Altizer Arena with cash only entries. Bad Company reserves the right to classify or reclassify Coggins papers will be required for all horses brought onto property.

For more information on any of the ropings of the Dale Gas Pro Rodeo call 830-775-7459.

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Range tour Oct. 1 at Double T Ranch

Crockett County Extension, along with the Crockett County Soil and Water Conservation District, will host a range tour on the Double T Ranch at Ozona Tuesday, Oct. 1. The tour will convene at 5:30 p.m. at the home of Art Roane.

Area ranchers, along with Dr. Darrel Eckert, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Range Specialist, will be evaluating and discussing the effects of contour rippling for the purpose of rainfall harvesting, and various means of controlling brush. Dr. Bruce Carpenter, Extension Livestock Specialist, will cover stocking rates during a drought followed by Mr. Jim Bob Solsbery, County Executive Director, with an update on the wool and mohair program.

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Celebrate National Food Safety Education Month

September has been designed as National Food Safety Education Month. The purpose of this annual observance is to promote the importance of safe food handling for both the food service industry and for consumers.

The theme for this year is "Four Steps to Food Safety". National Food Safety Education Month is supported by federal, state and local agencies as well as consumer organizations. The food industry is supporting this effort with their emphasis on "Check It Out Before You Check It In".

Educators are working to increase public understanding of foodborne illness and how to prevent it. Foodborne illness is caused by eating harmful microorganisms in food that cannot be seen, smelled or tasted. Each year, it is estimated that one in four Americans will become sick from a foodborne illness, one in 1,000 will be hospitalized and more than 5,000 will die.

Four simple steps can be taken to prevent foodborne illness. These are known as the Fightback! principles:

Clean everything that touches food. Utensils, surfaces and hands should be cleaned before and after preparing food.

Cook all food to the proper internal temperature. Cooking destroys harmful microorganisms

such as E. coli O157:H7, Salmonella, Campylobacter, and Listeriosis. A food thermometer is the safest way to determine if food has reached the proper internal temperature, especially for foods such as meat, poultry, pork, egg casseroles, other protein-rich foods and combination dishes.

Separate raw foods from cooked or ready-to-eat foods. This helps eliminate cross-contamination, which is the transfer of harmful microorganisms from one food to another. An example of cross-contamination would be cutting vegetables on the same cutting board as raw meat without washing the cutting board in-between.

Chill refrigerated food at 40 degrees F or below and frozen food at 0 degrees F or below. The temperature of the refrigerator and freezer is best monitored by an appliance thermometer. Always keep food out of the temperature danger zone, or temperatures between 40 degrees and 140 degrees F. This can be done by refrigerating or freezing perishables, leftovers and prepared food within two hours. When thawing frozen food, it is safest to do it in the refrigerator.

To learn more about how to avoid foodborne illness through safe food practices, contact Wendy Scott at Texas Cooperative Extension, Crockett County.

Iraan Homecoming Sept. 27-28

Iraan High School's homecoming will be Sept. 27 and 28. Pre-game activities start at 7:30 p.m. Friday night at Brave Stadium. Ex-student queen candidates will be introduced prior to the 8:00 p.m. kickoff.

Ex-student registration and visitation will be held in the school cafeteria following the game.

On Saturday from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m., there will be registration, visitation and refreshments at the cafeteria followed by a catered barbecue lunch from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Visitors and friends are welcome to come eat and visit.

The parade begins at 2:00

p.m. and will be followed by an ex-student meeting in the high school auditorium. The ex-student queen will be crowned at this time. The Saturday night dace at the Iraan Civic Center features music of Black Gold from 9:00 p.m. until 1:00 a.m. Admission is \$10.00 for couples and \$5.00 for singles.

Dues and other contributions to the exes' scholarship fund should be mailed to: Iraan Ex-Student Association, Box 1084, Iraan, TX 78744. New 2002 ex-student address books will be on sale for \$10.00. To order, add \$2.00 for postage. Changes of addresses of families or classmates should be sent to the above address.

Additional Carr Academic Scholarships awarded

Angelo State University has awarded an additional 56 Carr Academic Scholarships to entering freshmen for the 2002-03 academic year. Among the recipients is Jordan A. Webster of Ozona.

The newly awarded scholarships range in value from \$1,500.00 to \$6,000.00 and go to students representing communities throughout Texas as well as from South Carolina, South Africa, Nigeria and India. More than 230 incoming ASU students will receive Carr Academic Scholarships this fall.

During the current year more

than 1,000 students from throughout Texas and the nation, as well as several foreign countries are attending ASU on Carr Academic Scholarships. As a general rule, to qualify for Carr Academic Scholarships, entering freshmen must rank in the top 15 percent of their class and present either a combined math and verbal score of 1140 on the SAT I or a composite score of 25 on the ACT.

The scholarship program at Angelo State is supported by a growing multimillion dollar trust established by the late Robert G. and Nona K. Carr of San Angelo.

The Permian Basin Fair and Exposition Rabbit Show was held this past weekend in Odessa. Competing from Ozona were Kara Bird, Corey, Ross, Nicole and Scott Kelley, Derek and Matthew DeWolfe, Barbara and Weldon Nicks, Diane and Natalie Hernandez and Adrienne Bendele. There was a total of 57 competitors from 18 counties in Texas and New Mexico. Winning the show was a Californian shown by John Terry from Cameron.

The Ozona people made an awesome showing by winning many of the classes and capturing many of the trophies presented during the day. Judging started at 9:00 a.m. and was finished at 6:30 p.m. It was a long day with the highest entry of rabbits in the past

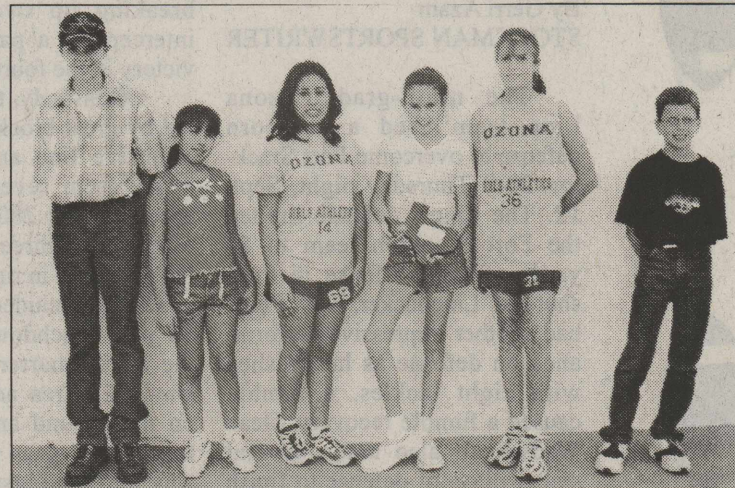
10 years.

Diane Hernandez showed eight rabbits and received three first places and two second places. She captured the Best Opposite Sex trophy in Florida White. She also showed Himalayans and Californians.

Natalie Hernandez captured the Best of Breed trophy with her Florida Whites. She had one first, three seconds and two thirds during the show. She exhibited Florida Whites, Netherland Dwarfs and Californians.

Mathew DeWolfe showed two Mini Rexes and received one first and a BOSV award for the Caster doe. He also received a third for his Broken Mini Rex.

Derek DeWolfe showed two Mini Rexes also and placed with both rabbits. His Opal received a



OZONA RABBIT COMPETITORS did well at the Permian Basin Fair and Exposition Rabbit Show in Odessa this past weekend. Pictured are: Ross Kelley, Natalie Hernandez, Diane Hernandez, Kara Bird and Corey Kelley. DigiCam Photo by Susan Calloway

Regional tourism successful through partnership effort

The South West Texas Tourism Partnership (SWTTP), a group of business and organization representatives and individuals interested in promoting tourism in Sutton, Schleicher, Crockett Counties and adjoining parts of Tom Green, Kimble and Edwards Counties, continues to research tourism possibilities. The group held their second annual retreat at the X-Bar Ranch and Retreat in Eldorado Aug. 21.

"We had a terrific turnout. Not only was the level of enthusiasm high, we had a very productive day," said Shanon Biggerstaff, SWTTP chairman.

During the June 2001 retreat, the group formulated a marketing plan, goals and strategies. There were five priorities discussed at the August 2002 retreat, 1) Forming Our Organization, 2) Market Match/Web Site, 3) Regional Indicator Map, 4) Funding and 5) Texas Friendly Hospitality Program.

During the morning session the steering committee reported on the 2001 accomplishments since the last retreat. Dave Erickson of the ASU Small Business Development Center, gave a presentation of the name, logo and SWTTP slogan, "Experience the Texas Way of Life". A professional designer at ASU developed the logo. Erickson also shared with the group a capability/membership benefits kit that will offer multiple uses. The kit can be used as a membership benefits package or to market regional services to a variety of customer types determined by the partnership.

Stan Meador, with the X-Bar Ranch and Retreat, presented a draft of a regional indicator map. The map will be given to travelers to direct them to the services available within the region.

Shanon Biggerstaff of the Ozona Chamber of Commerce discussed the necessary steps and status of forming an organization and funding.

A team from Texas A&M University reported on the progress of a market match system. This program and software was developed to assist the region in determining their customers and target markets.

A number of partners submitted event tickets and market data to Texas A&M University. Using the market match system, an analysis of the data was presented to the group outlining where customers who attended these events came from. They also gave a demonstration of the partnership web site.

Diane Breeding with Texas A&M reported on the current status of the Texas Friendly Hospitality Program implemented in the region.

The partnership spent the afternoon formulating committees and goals to be accomplished within the next three months.

The partnership is a direct result of the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) Sheep and Goat Economic Adjustment Strategy Study. The Economic Development Administration funded the study to assist the sheep and goat industries and communities dependent on those industries. The study and projects are a cooperative effort between TDA, Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers, the Economic Development Administration, A&M and community leaders to improve rural economic development in Texas. The goal of the partnership is to attract tourists to the region, and by working together, encourage them to stay longer in the region.

"This coalition is a model of regional cooperation and provides an excellent example for other chambers and groups to follow. Your progress is being followed, and we feel the partners are doing a great job," said Andy Skadberg of Texas A&M University.

"SWTTP will begin to meet on a quarterly basis," said Ms. Biggerstaff. "The steering committee will meet the first week in October, and the partnership will meet the first week of November. Any business, attraction or land owner within the region is not only invited, but encouraged to get involved. It has been slow moving, but we are making progress. I have no doubt that the efforts contributed to the partnership will prove successful for all in this region."

For more information on the partnership or how to get involved, please call 392-3737.

second place, and the Broken Jr. Buck placed in the top 10 of the class.

Barbara Nicks showed the family Mini Lops. She received the Best Opposite Sex trophy for her Jr. Doe. She received four firsts and one second place for the Mini Lops. Mrs. Nicks' Mini Rexes placed with two second places and two thirds.

Weldon Nicks showed the Californians from the family rabbit barn. All six classes had over 15 rabbits. Placing in the top 10 of each class, Mr. Nicks received several third, fourth and fifth places. With so many rabbits in the classes these were a very good showing.

Kara Bird showed a total of 18 rabbits from her barn. She managed to receive the Best of Breed Trophy for her Netherland Dwarf Rabbits. The Netherland Dwarfs held one of the highest entry number for the day. Kara received a total of six first places, five second places and the remaining rabbits received all third and fourth places. Kara, besides winning the BOB trophy, received four Best of Varieties.

Adrienne Bendele captured the Best of Breed and Best Opposite of Breed for her Jersey Woolies. She had a total of four first places with these rabbits and had these four rabbits going for the trophy.

Show superintendents were John Hignight of Ozona and Marilyn Ratliff of Rankin. Show secretary was Sara Hignight. Aiding the secretary were Barbara Nicks and Nicole Kelley. Working the tables at the show also was Weldon Nicks. Amanda Hignight aided at the secretaries' table.

Attending the show with the competitors from Ozona were Rick Bird, Lucy Humphrey, Ampara Hernandez, Mina Gandar, Monica Schwartz, Sara, John and Amanda Hignight.

breed. Ross received a first, second and third for his French Lops and two first places, a second and third and fourth for his Holland Lops. Ross had five first places and two second places and a Best of Variety for his Mini Rexes. Ross captured a first place for his Ruby Eyes White Netherland Dwarf Rabbit.

Scott Kelley also showed English lops, giving his two sons and wife competition in this class. He captured three first places and one second place. He also received the Best Opposite Sex Trophy for the Flemish Giants and the Best of Breed trophy for the French Lops. He walked off with a total of 10 first places for the day. He also showed Hollands and Mini Rexes during the day.

Nicole Kelley showed a total of 15 rabbits for the day. She also showed against the other members of her family. Mrs. Kelley received a total of eight first places, six second places and the remaining rabbits received third places. Mrs. Kelley received two Best of Varieties and two Best Opposite of Sex Varieties.

Corey Kelley showed a total of 15 rabbits. He received a trophy for his Best of Breed English Lop. He earned a first, second and one third for these rabbits. For his Flemish Giants he received first and third places. He received the Best Opposite Sex trophy for his first place Broken Doe. Corey also showed Holland Lops, Netherland Dwarfs and Mini Rexes. He received a total of six first places, three second places and numerous thirds and fourths. Corey also received a Best of Group for his Netherland Dwarf.

Ross Kelley also showed the family English Lops. He captured two first places and two second places. Ross gave his brother competition for the trophy for this



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4-H Functions

4-H enrollment time

All new and returning 4-H members need to fill out 4-H enrollment forms for the 2002-03 year. You must fill out a form to be on the mailing list. Please come by the Crockett County Extension Office located at 1301 Ave. AA.

Swine validation tags must be ordered

Crockett County 4-H and FFA members must order their swine validation tags by Sept. 19. Any 4-H member planning on exhibiting their animals in a major show must order these tags. The cost of the tags is \$6.00 each and must be paid when order is placed.

Orders can be made at the County Extension Office by Sept. 19.

Orientation for new 4-H parents

There will be a new 4-H parents orientation on Wednesday, Sept. 25, from 5:00 to 6:00 p.m. at the Crockett County Extension Office. For more information, contact Wendy Scott at 392-2721.

Senior 4-H Club to meet

The Senior 4-H Club meeting will be Monday, Sept. 23, at the Crockett County Extension Office. The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. Hot dogs will be served.

Extension programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, disability or national origin. U. S. The Texas A&M University System, U.S. Department of Agriculture and the County Commissioners Courts of Texas Cooperating.

Freshman Lions defeat Fort Stockton

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The ninth-grade Ozona Lion team used a stubborn defense to overcome Fort Stockton 20-0 Thursday night, Sept. 12. The Lions' defense limited the Fort Stockton team to 50 yards of total offense in their shut out. Linebacker, Nick Perez had another impressive performance on defense as he finished with eight tackles, a fumble caused a fumble recovery. Dean Wadsworth also made several stellar plays of defense to finish with five tackles and a pair of quarterback sacks. Erik Fierro led the defensive backs by

breaking up two passes and intercepting a pass to seal the victory in the fourth quarter.

Offensively, the Lions were led by great blocking from their offensive line and a balanced attack from several backs that accounted for 280 yards of total offense and three scores. Perez led the Lions in rushing with 110 yards that included a spectacular 58 yard touchdown scamper in the third quarter. Quarterback David Esparza added 50 yards on the ground and an 18 yard touchdown pass that found its way into the outstretched hands of Dean Wadsworth. Dusty Thomas added 45 yards rushing that included a 12 yard touch-

down run. Coach Lenny Morrow said, "We emphasized eliminating turnovers and penalties after the Brady game, and I was proud to see how the guys responded to that. We finished the Fort Stockton game with very few penalties and zero turnovers. I am excited about how coachable these guys are and how they respond to adversity."

The Lions moved their record to 2-1 on the year as they head into this week's home game against Sterling City. They will play immediately after the seventh and eighth grade games or 7:30 p.m.



RAVEN PEREZ scored two touchdowns for the J.V. Lions in their Sept. 12 clash with Fort Stockton. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

Junior Varsity Lions fall to Fort Stockton

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Lions were host to the visiting Fort Stockton Panthers on Thursday, Sept. 12. Ozona started out strong, finishing the first half ahead 12-8. They could not hold on to that lead, however, and at the close of the game Ozona fell to the Panthers 12-26.

The first quarter began, and after two possessions by each team, the tide turned in favor of the Panthers when the Lions fumbled the ball on their own 14 yard line. Linebackers Derek Wiley, Vince Castro, and Brandon Jobe stepped up the pace for the defense. There was also good play by defensive ends Michael Garza and Doug Duncan. The score at the end of the first quarter was 0-0.

In the second period another mistake almost cost the Lions when a high snap from center sailed over punter Doug Duncan's head. He scrambled 24 yards, but it was not enough for the first down. Again, the Lions' defense held the Panthers, with the help of corners Eliseo Treto, Glenn Connors, and Raven Perez. The Lions took over on their own 35 yard line. Raven Perez broke two tackles and ran 41 yards to the Panther 12 yard line. Vince Castro moved the ball close to the 7 yard line then Raven Perez took it in for the first score. The PAT attempt was no good. The Lions led 6-0.

The Panthers struggled to

move the ball with the good defensive play of Jacob Parks, Daniel Rubio, and Kyle Fish. After they punted, the Lions started the drive from their own 24 yard line. Raven Perez swept the left side behind the downfield blocks of Vince Castro, Doug Duncan, and Eliseo Treto and advanced the ball 27 yards to the Panther 33 yard line. The play was called back on a holding call but the Lions came back with a 25 yard hot pass to Raven Perez from Justin Galan.

J. D. Barrera then ran a nice 33 yard sweep and advanced the ball to the Panther 29 yard line. Justin Galan then connected with Eliseo Treto on the throwback, taking the ball to the 4 yard line. Perez scored on the sweep but the PAT was no good, 12-0 for the Lions. With 58 seconds remaining in the half, the Panthers threw a sideline pass and scored. The PAT was good and the Panthers crept up on the Lions 12-8.

The second half opened with Ozona playing good defense. Glenn Connors, Justin Galan, J. D. Barrera and Dub Walston made several good plays. Fort Stockton lost the ball on downs, and the Lions took the ball at mid-field. Ozona then drove to the Panthers' 18 yard line and fumbled. The Panthers recovered the fumble and ran it all the way back for the score. The quarter ended with the score 12-14 for Fort Stockton.

The Lions were unable to rally on offense again, and Fort

Stockton got the ball on their own 46 yard line. They drove down the field and scored once more. The final score of the game was 12-26 for the Panthers.

Coach Lynn Sears stated, "A costly fumble and some bad snaps on our specialty teams turned the game around. We were forced to try and play catch-up. In spite of the loss, Raven Perez had one of his better games. Michael Garza did a good job on the offensive line. Wiley, who normally alternates at quarterback, had to be used as tailback and did a good job. Treto made a great catch which set up one of our scores. Galan is gaining a lot more confidence at quarterback and did a good job. Our kids played hard the entire game, but a few mistakes cost us the victory."

This week the J.V. Lions will travel to Coahoma to line up with the Bulldogs starting at 6:00 p.m. on Sept. 19.



#60 DUB WALSTON & #40 VINCE CASTRO descend on a Fort Stockton Panther during the JV game Sept. 12 in Lion Stadium. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller



DOUG DUNCAN scrambles for a J.V. first down in Lion Stadium on Sept. 12. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller



J. D. BORREGO ran seven yards for the J.V. Lions on this carry. Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller

Homecoming parade route

Friday afternoon's OHS Homecoming parade will begin at Granny Miller Hall at 4:00. The route will take the parade east on 11th Street to Ave. E where they will turn left, proceed one block, then turn right on 10th Street, the left on Ave. D to the pep rally location between the high school and Heritage Buildings.

Everyone is invited to come out for the parade and pep rally.

7th grade Lions compete in first football game of season

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The seventh grade Ozona Lions traveled to Fort Stockton Thursday, Sept. 12 for the first game of their season. Starters for the Lions on offense were: Justin Maldonado, Abel Villarreal, Mark Tambunga, Rocky Munoz, Luis Perrez, Matt Turland, Ruben Reyes, Aaron Pearl, Ely Silva, Jorge Vasquez, Rylee Ramos, Michael Quiroz, and Jared Spence. Defensive starters for the Lions were: Justin Maldonado, Ely Silva, Luis Perez, Rocky Munoz, Mark Tambunga, Aaron Pearl, Jared Spence, Parrish Aiguier, Josh Santos, Michael Quiroz, Jorge Vasquez, and Ruben Reyes.

During the first quarter, the Panthers had a 22 yard touch down and made good on the PAT attempt. The score was 0-8 at the end of the quarter. During the second quarter, Fort Stockton made a six yard touch down run, but failed at the PAT. The score at halftime was 0-14 for the Panthers. Fort Stockton scored again during the third quarter with a 12 yard touchdown, but the PAT was no good. The score was then 0-20. In the fourth quarter, Ozona's Ely Silva made a touchdown, and Justin Maldonado scored the PAT. The

final score of the game was 8-20, Fort Stockton.

Big plays for the Lions included an 88 yard touchdown run on a fumble recovery by Ely Silva, good runs from Justin Maldonado, and a good catch and run by Matt Turland on a pass from Maldonado.

"I was very pleased with the way these young men performed in their very first football game," said Coach Rick Bachman. "We were a little skeptical on offense as the game began, which is understandable. As the game progressed and the boys became more comfortable with their situation, we began to perform better. Defensively, the boys played well from the beginning. Fort Stockton had a couple of big running backs that ran very well and were hard to contain. We shut them out in the fourth quarter as we settled down and realized we could play with them."

"We have much room for improvement, but I was pleased with the overall performance exhibited by this young team. I am very excited about what lies ahead for this group as they continue to improve from week to week."

The seventh grade team will play again this Thursday, Sept. 19. They will host the Coahoma team with kickoff at 5:00 p.m.

Lions

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scrimmage and one quarterback sack. #44 Romeo Perez was the Special Team's MVP. He blocked well and covered well on all the kicking teams and had two tackles.

This week the Lions will host Coahoma for the Homecoming game on Friday, Sept. 20. Kick-off will be at 8:00 p.m.

STATISTICS:

Rushing Yards: Arron Garza 7-(3), Clay Hale 3-2, G. L. Bunger 13-79, Jarryd Taylor 11-32, Josh Long 1-3, Brad Mayfield 6-27
Passing Yards: Arron Garza 2-26
Receiving Yards: Quay Oglesby 1-7, Lalo Garza 1-19
Tackles: Jarryd Taylor 16, Ramon Trujillo 14, Quay Oglesby 13, Robert Ogle 12, Andrew Shaffer 10, Chase Clark 9
First Downs: Ozona 10, Fort Stockton 8
Penalties: Ozona 6 for 55 yards, Fort Stockton 8 for 75 yards

This Week's Football Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Varsity			
Sept. 20	Coahoma	Here	8:00
Junior Varsity			
Sept. 19	Coahoma	There	6:00
Freshmen			
Sept. 19	Rocksprings	Here	7:30
Seventh Grade			
Sept. 19	Coahoma	Here	5:00
Eighth Grade			
Sept. 19	Coahoma	Here	6:30

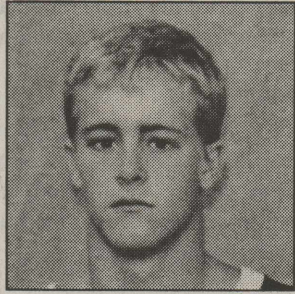
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INTRODUCING THE OHS VARSITY FOOTBALL PLAYERS



Kris Gray
Class: Junior
#22
Offensive Position: Tailback
Defensive Position: Cornerback
Specialties: Kick, Kick Return
Parents: Tamie & Tommy Gray
Kris also plays baseball and tennis and runs cross country



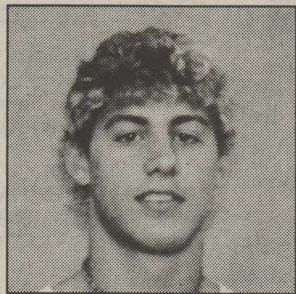
Clay Hale
Class: Junior
#5
Offensive Position: Quarterback
Defensive Position: Monster
Specialties: punt, kick and extra point
Parents: Ed & Laurie Hale



Josh Long
Class: Junior
#35
Offensive Position: Tailback
Defensive Position: Linebacker
Specialties: Punt Return, Kickoff, Kickoff Return
Parents: Brooks & Debbie Long
Josh is also involved in NHS, FCA, golf, & UIL.



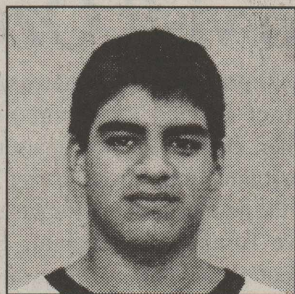
Chris Martinez
Class: Junior
#74
Offensive Position: Tackle
Defensive Position: Defensive End
Specialties: Extra Point, Kick Return
Parents: Anna Martinez
Chris also plays basketball.



Brad Mayfield
Class: Junior
#8
Offensive Position: Wingback
Defensive Position: Linebacker
Specialties: Punt, Kickoff, Kick Return
Parents: Carl & Dale Mayfield
Brad also runs track and plays basketball.



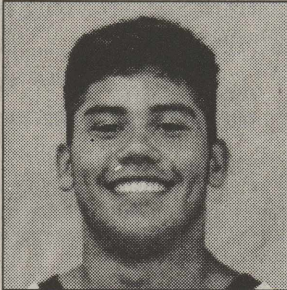
Ryan Pearl
Class: Junior
#30
Offensive Position: Split End
Defensive Position: Corner
Specialties: Kick, Punt, Field Goal
Parents: Ronnie & Renee Pearl
Ryan also participates in basketball and golf.



Romeo Perez, III
Class: Junior
#44
Offensive Position: Fullback
Defensive Position: Middle Linebacker
Specialties: Kickoff, Kick Return, Punt, Punt Return
Parents: Sandra & Romeo Perez
Romeo also runs track and plays baseball and basketball.

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OFFENSIVE MVP OF THE WEEK



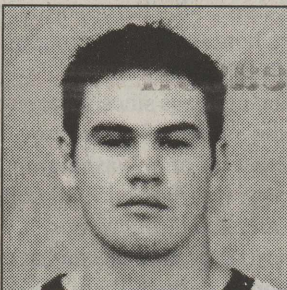
Jacob Tambunga
Jacob has blocked great all year and graded out highest of all the linemen.

CO-DEFENSIVE MVP OF THE WEEK



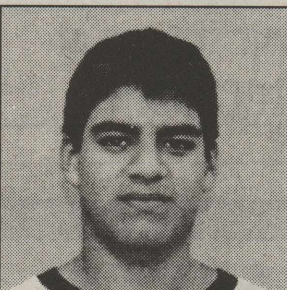
Ramon Trujillo
Ramon had fourteen tackles, two behind the line of scrimmage, one quarterback sack and he broke up one pass.

CO-DEFENSIVE MVP OF THE WEEK



Chase Clark
Chase had nine tackles, two behind the line of scrimmage and one quarterback sack.

SPECIALTIES MVP OF THE WEEK



Romeo Perez
Romeo blocked well and covered well on all the kicking teams and had two tackles.



ARRON GARZA braces for a tackle from a Fort Stockton Panther as Victor Hernandez prepares to knock the defensive player for a loop. The Lions were dealt a crushing blow later in the game when they lost Garza for the season due to torn shoulder ligaments.
Photo by Stephen Zuberbuler

Cross country teams run in Reagan County meet

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Ozona cross country teams traveled to Big Lake on Saturday, Sept. 14, to participate in the meet held there. The varsity girls' team finished third overall. The top five Lady Lions were: Laken Villarreal, fifth place; Britney Ramos, seventh place; Paige Tambunga, 38th place; and Candace Gandar, 45th place. For the middle school girls, Vicky Treto finished in 11th place.

The varsity boys' team included a 27th place finish by Eliseo Treto, a 35th place finish by Simon Garza and a 38th place finish by David Esparza. The top five middle school boys for the Lions in this meet were: Levi English, 10th place; Stephen Gillit, 12th place; A. J. Montanez, 13th place; Rocky Munoz, 32nd place; and Justin Maldonado, 40th place.

The Ozona cross country teams will compete again this Saturday, Sept. 21, in Big Spring.

Former teams and players featured in 2002 football programs

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

Each Ozona football program this season will feature one of the Ozona Lion football teams from the past. This Friday's program will feature the 1972 Ozona Lions team with an article from the Top-o-Texas magazine from that year. The article will appear on the back of the program and will include current Ozona residents with names and pictures.

If you have information about a particular Lion team or past season and would like to see it included in one of this year's programs, please contact Coach Steve Taylor at 392-5738.

O.H.S. rodeo team competes in local event

By Gerri Azam
STOCKMAN SPORTSWRITER

The Ozona High School Rodeo was held on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 7 and 8. Contestants from Texas and New Mexico competed in bull riding, saddle bronc riding, bare back riding, calf roping, steer wrestling, team roping, barrels, goat tying and breakaway.

Over 140 cowboys and cowgirls participated, including Ozona's G. L. Bunger, Bryan Skehan, Clay Hale, Clint Hale, Zane Coates, Dean Wadsworth, Aaron Renfro, Kristen Bunger, Allison Skehan, Victoria Miller, Weslee Wilson, and Katy Churchill.

Victoria Miller placed sixth in barrels and G. L. Bunger placed third on Saturday in the tiedown.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

All lunches served with your choice of white or chocolate milk

REGULAR

- Sept. 23 - Chicken Spaghetti, Veg. Salad, Peas & Carrots, Rolls
- Sept. 24 - Nacho Supreme, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Pinto Beans, Apple Cobbler
- Sept. 25 - Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Tator Tots, Cookie
- Sept. 26 - Chili Dog, Cheese, French Fries, Pineapple
- Sept. 27 - Steakfingers, Creamed Potatoes, Corn, Gravy, Roll

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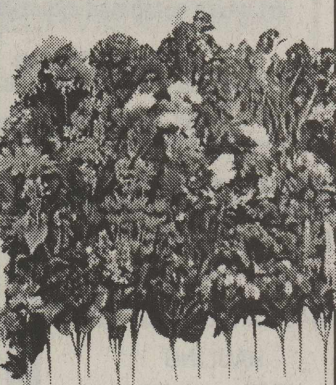
- Sept. 23 - Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Veg. Salad, Applesauce
- Sept. 24 - Tacos, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Cheese, Pinto Beans, Apple Cobbler
- Sept. 25 - Hamburger, Lettuce, Tomatoes, Pickles, Tator Tots, Cookie
- Sept. 26 - Barbecue on Bun, French Fries, Pineapple
- Sept. 27 - Cheeseburger, Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles, French Fries, Roll

BREAKFAST

- Each meal is served with milk, juice, muffin, toast and jelly. You may have your choice of one of the following items each day.
- Sept. 23 - Beef & Bean Burrito or Cold Cereal
- Sept. 24 - Sausage & Biscuit or Cold Cereal
- Sept. 25 - Sausage & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal
- Sept. 26 - Breakfast Pizza or Cold Cereal
- Sept. 27 - Chorizo & Egg Burrito or Cold Cereal

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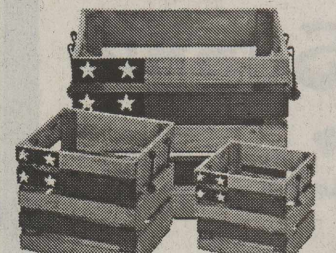
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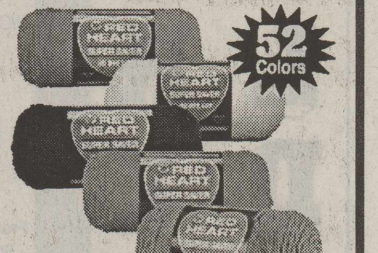
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Miscellaneous

\$500.00 DOLLAR REWARD
During the past year person or persons unknown have damaged County road signs. The person who provides information that leads to the arrest and conviction of those responsible will be eligible for the \$500.00 reward. Those having information should call Sheriff Shane Fenton. Callers names will remain anonymous. tfc16

Public Notice

BID NOTICE
The Crockett County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1, 511 11th St., P.O. Box 117, Ozona, Texas 76943-0117 will receive sealed (not faxed) bids for 2002-03 pickup trucks until 5:00 p.m., September 23, 2002. Any bid received after that time will be returned unopened. 2c32

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• MEN IN BLACK II 7:10
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HELP WANTED: Lilly Construction Inc. now accepting applications for all positions. Apply in person-603 Ave. H. tfc12

SHOT'S #4 is hiring for part-time evening help. Pick up application in person. No phone calls please. tfc29

KEY ENERGY SERVICES is accepting applications for drivers. Call 392-5553. tfc30

REHAB AIDE/SECRETARY
West Texas Rehab Center has an opening for a Rehab Aide/Secretary. This is an as-needed position, with duties including utilization of Microsoft Word, typing skills, interaction with patients. Lifting for patient transfers is required for this position. Bi-lingual required. Please call: Clay Gentry @ 392-9872, or send resume to 4601 Hartford, Abilene, TX 79605. E-mail jobs@WTRC.com EOE. 3c31

OZONA COMMUNITY CENTER - opening for a part-time teacher. Minimum wage with quarterly bonuses, and sick leave. Call Linda Borrego, Director at 392-2710. tfc32

JOB OPENING: Full time secretary for Crockett County Extension Office. Applications may be picked up at the County Auditor's Office. Qualifications: High School or Equivalent; Successful secretarial experience; Working knowledge of office equipment and filing; Typing ability 40-45 words a minute and a typing test will be required; Experience in meeting and successful interaction with the public; Good Telephone Etiquette; Computer experience using Corel World-Perfect software, Internet & E-Mail capabilities. Quicken Bookkeeping. Applications will be accepted from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. starting Wednesday, September 18, 2002, through Wednesday, October 2, 2002, at 5:00. Applications must be turned in by 5:00 p.m., October 2, 2002, at the County Auditor's office. The County Auditor's Office is at 909 Ave. D. or call 392-3131. Crockett County is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 2c33

NEED HOUSEKEEPER--Must have own transportation. Gasoline allowance paid. 392-2382. 2c33

TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE
Saturday, Sept. 21, 519 Santa Rosa, 8:00 a.m. - ? Nintendo game, play station CDs, furniture and lots of misc. 1p33

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Public Notices

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the SAMSON LONE STAR LP, TWO WEST SECOND ST., TULSA, OK 74103 has made application for a spacing and density exception permit under the provisions of the Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 and 38 (16 Tex. admin. Code section 3.37 and 3.38). Applicant seeks exception to the lease line and distance between wells and density of the subject field(s) requirement for the recompletion permit for Well No. 2, Williams Gas Unit, 640 Acres, Sec. 5, Bk. O, C. W. Brown/M. T. Harrell Survey A-4639, Miller (Strawn), Miller (Ellenburger) Field(s). Crockett County, being 25 miles from south of Ozona, Texas. The location of this well is as follows:
467' from the north line and 2,400' from the west line of lease.
2,119' from the north line and 2,400' from the west line of survey.

Field rules for the Miller (Strawn) field are 1867/3735, 640 acres. Field rules for the Miller (Ellenburger) field are 1320/3735, 640 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 11,881 feet. PURSUANT TO THE TERMS of Rule 37 (h) (2) (A), and 38, this application may be granted without a hearing if no protest to the application is received. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protest should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Wendy K. Warden, Agent, at 512-480-8800. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission at (512) 463-6899.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE BY September 20, 2002 at 5:00 p.m. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

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Maintenance Tech I

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For additional information on minimum requirements, job description and where to pick up an application call Human Resources at 915-944-1501, go by any TxDOT office or use our Internet home page at <http://www.dot.state.tx.us/> An applicant needing an accommodation in order to apply for the above job(s) may call Human Resources. You may also call the Telecommunications Device for the Deaf (TDD) at (512) 416-2977. AN EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER.

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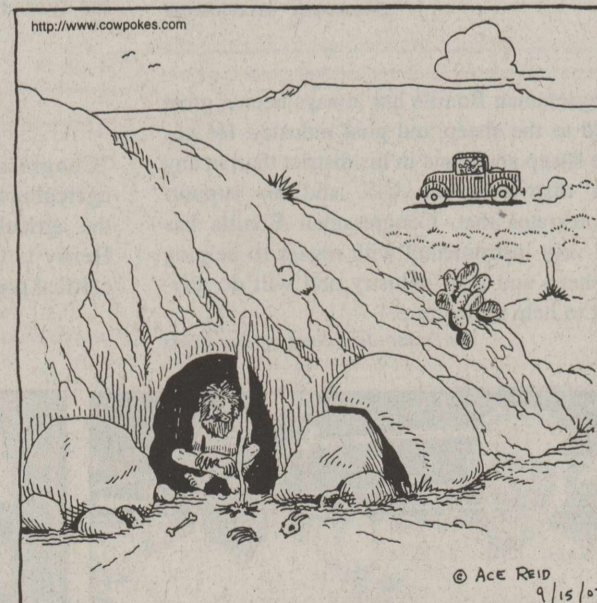
PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENT OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
Special Election
NOVEMBER 5, 2002

Explanatory Brief for HJR 2
HJR 2 would amend the constitution to allow the commissioners court of a county to declare the office of constable dormant if that office has been vacant for at least seven consecutive years. The records of a constable office that is declared dormant will be transferred to the county clerk. If the office is declared dormant, the previous officeholder does not continue to hold the office. The office may not be filled by election or appointment unless the commissioners court votes to reinstate the office or a majority of votes cast in an election held on the issue favor reinstatement. The reinstatement election may be held if the commissioners court on its own motion orders such an election, or the reinstatement election must be held if the commissioners court receives a petition signed by 10% of the registered voters of the constable precinct. The proposition will appear on the ballot as follows:
"The constitutional amendment authorizing the commissioners court of a county to declare the office of constable in a precinct to be dormant if the office has not been filled by election or appointment for a lengthy period and providing a procedure for the reinstatement of the office."
Este es el informe explicatorio sobre la enmienda propuesta a la constitucion que aparecera en la boleta el 5 de noviembre de 2002. Si usted no ha recibido una copia de los informes en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin, TX 78711. PUBLISHED BY SECRETARY OF STATE GWYN SHEA

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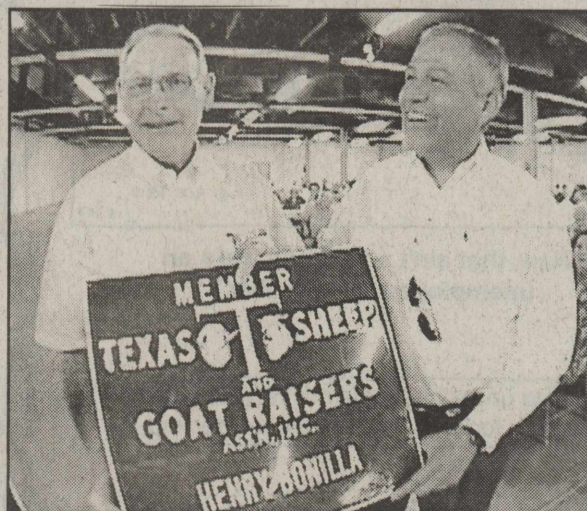
The Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers, along with the Texas Farm Bureau, Texas Cattle Raisers and Texas Cattle Feeders honored U.S. Congressman Henry Bonilla at a special reception in San Angelo.

"Henry has always been in tune with the needs of the folks in our industry...He brings a business sense to government and that is very important to the people in our industry."
Ernie Morales - Morales Feedlot

"Congressman Bonilla's push to eliminate wasteful government spending and support of increased appropriations for agriculture and defense are qualities that are very important to the Texas Farm Bureau and its membership."
Donald Patman - President of Texas Farm Bureau and the Texas Farm Bureau AGFUND

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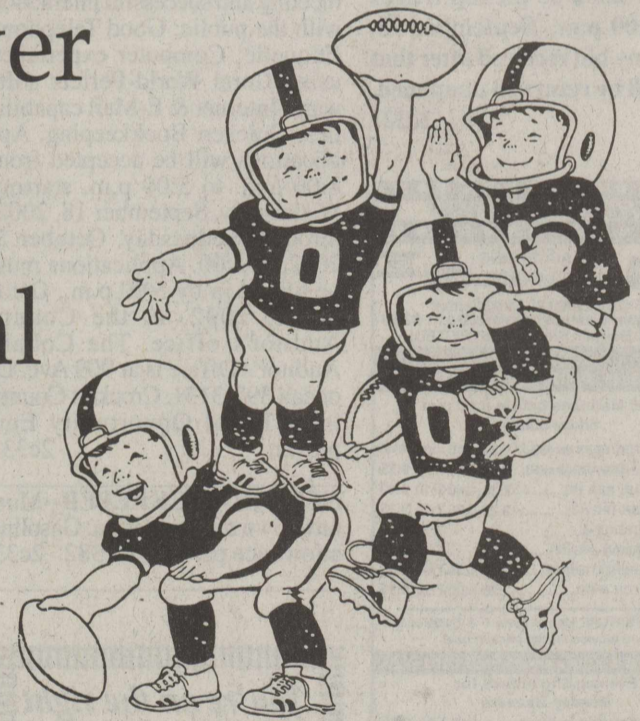


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