

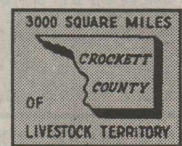
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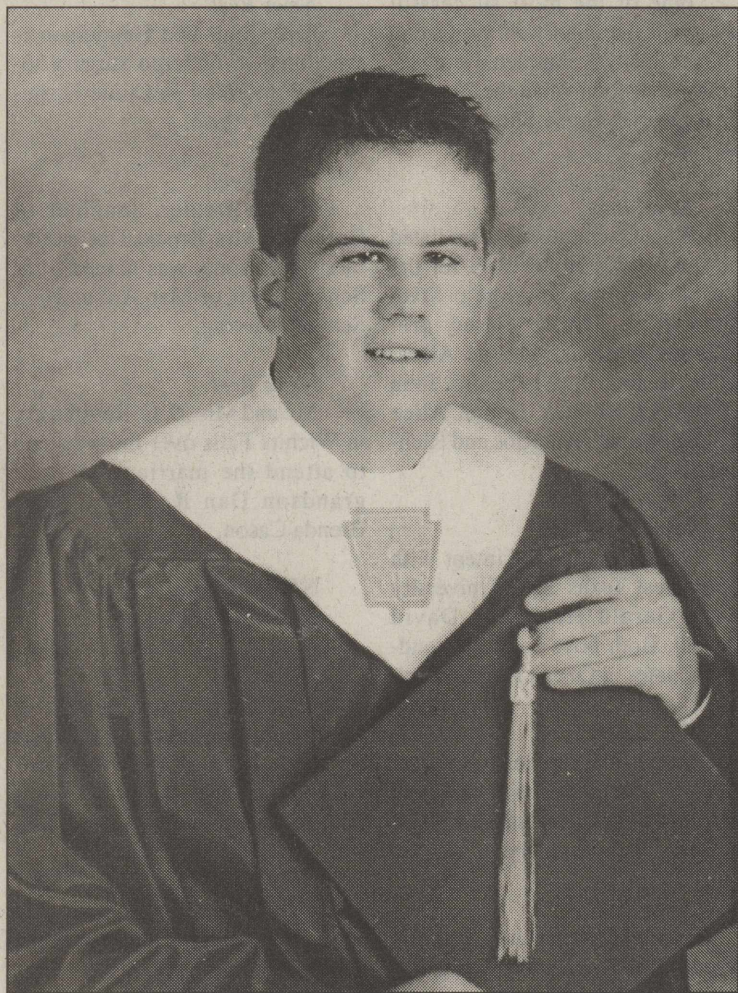
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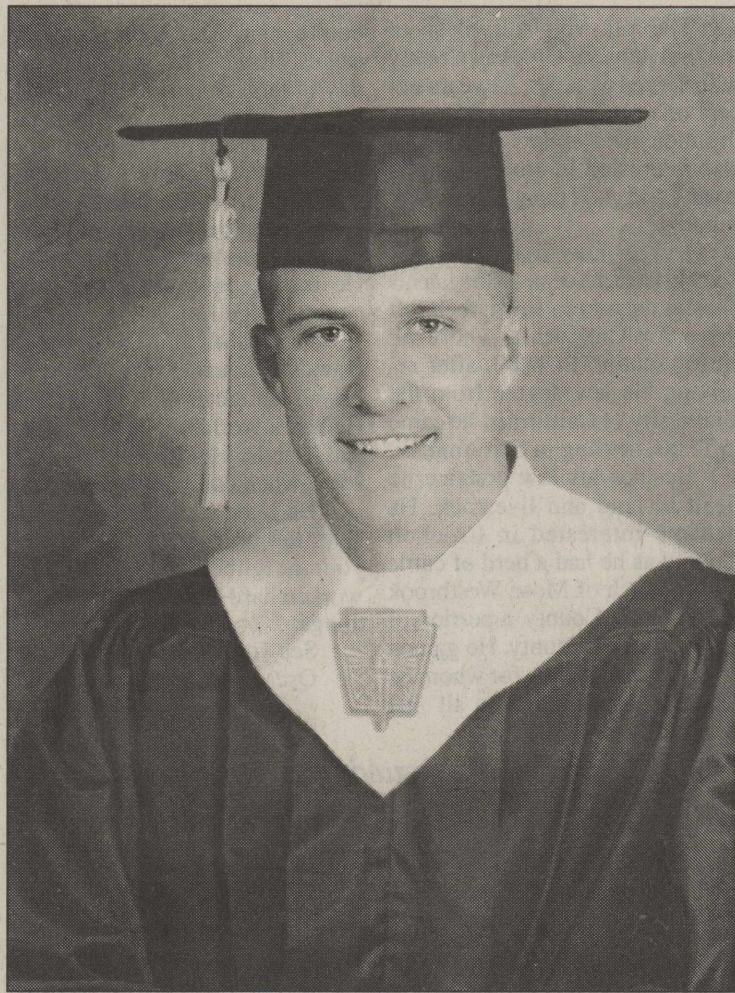
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ZACHARY WEBB - 2003 OHS VALEDICTORIAN



KOBY FENTON - 2002 OHS SALUTORIAN

Commencement Friday, May 23 . . . . .

## Webb, Fenton top graduates

Leading Ozona High School's Class of 2003 as Valedictorian is Zachary Webb. Webb completes his high school career with a 7.833 grade point average. Salutatorian Koby Shane Fenton holds a 7.167 grade point average.

These two will join classmates Friday, May 23, at 8:00 p.m. in commencement exercises in Lion Stadium.

Students earning a gpa of 7.00 and above are magna cum laude graduates. Those with gpa's of 6.00 to 6.99 graduate cum laude.

Webb will attend the University of Texas at Austin and major in mechanical engineering. He competed in University Interscholastic League calculator applications all four years of high school, qualifying for regional as a freshman and senior. This year he competed at state where he placed 11th. Zach also competed in UIL mathematics as a freshman, junior and senior, reaching regionals as a freshman and junior. Four years of UIL science competition saw him achieve regional status as a freshman, junior and senior.

This scholar is a three-year member of the National Honor Society and was voted Most Likely to Succeed.

He played football the first three years of high school and was on the tennis team as a freshman and the baseball team as a sophomore.

Zachary is the son of Dan and Cindy Webb

Koby Fenton is a member of the National Honor Society, was recognized in Who's Who Among American High School Students, is an All American Scholar and a National Honor Roll inductee. He has represented his junior and senior classes on the Student Council.

During his freshman and sophomore years, Koby was a state qualifier in the TCEA computer science competition.

Sports achievements include football Academic All District, All District second team running back and Academic All District. He was also chosen All District outfielder in baseball.

He will attend A&M University to major in aeronautical engineering.

Koby is the son of Shane and Peri Fenton. Laken Villarreal is the third magna cum laude student in the Class of 2003. She has a 7.000 gpa. Laken's parents are Ismael and Martha Villarreal.

Cum laude graduate Dianna Perez has a 6.925 gpa. She is the daughter of Domingo and

Consuelo Perez.

Michelle Necessary has a 6.917 gpa. Her parents are Jackie and Cecil Necessary.

Earning a 6.833 gpa is Myda Fay. Her parents are Amanda Enriquez and John Michael Fay.

Derek Cliff Faught is the son of Terri and Dickie Faught. He leaves OHS with a 6.481 gpa.

G. L. Bunger holds a 6.472 gpa. His parents are Tammy and Louis Bunger.

A 6.460 gpa is held by Catherine Paige Tambunga. Paige is the daughter of Wendy and Robert Tambunga.

Ramon Trujillo, the son of Herminia and Fabian Trujillo, earned a gpa of 6.429.

Achieving a gpa of 6.400 is Ariana Lira. Her parents are Claudia Carrizales and Luis A. Lira.

Rojelio Estrada, the son of Sara and Raymundo Estrada, finishes OHS with a 6.396 gpa.

Logan English earned a 6.360 gpa. He is the son of Laurie and Lyndon English.

Regan Shaw's parents are Rhonda and Ronald Shaw. She completes high school with a gpa of 6.273.

Chase Clark, son of Elizabeth and Dennis Clark, will graduate with a 6.268 gpa.

James Wilson Stokes, son of Vicki and John Stokes, has a 6.078 gpa.

A 6.060 gpa was earned by Katy Churchill. Her parents are Judy and Tony Churchill.

Finishing high school with a 6.038 is Colbey Crawford, daughter of Jill and Randy Crawford.

Olga Talamantez, who is the daughter of Eva and Pablo Talamantez, earned a 6.000 gpa.

Other members of the Class of 2003 at Ozona High School are: Sandra Barrera, Melanie Bullard, Chelsea Collett, Rebekah Cowen, Tyrell Crotwell, Kelly Cunningham, Ashley DeHoyos, Mayra Fernandez, Erika Fierro, Saul Flores, Minerva Flores, Jessica Galan, Ida Gallardo, Lyzette Garcia, Everado Garza, Ashley Gonzales, Sophia Hays, Victor Hernandez, Joe Lara, John Luna, Matthew Maness, Patricia Martinez, Maira Martinez, Stephen Maskill, Luis Mata, Zachary Medley, Russell Miller, Jonathan Munoz, Robert Ogle, Quay Oglesby, Eloisa Ortiz, Katie Parker, Romeo Perez, Dominique Perez, Maria Quiroz, Laura Reyes, Jaclyn Rodriguez, Rogelio Sanchez, Michael Savala, Andrew Shaffer, Kimberly Swearingen, Jacob Tambunga, Johnny Tambunga, Kenny Tobar, Rigoberto Treto and Lindsey Wilson.

## Deaton receives conservation award

Mary Anne Deaton was a recipient at the 2003 Area 11 conservation awards presented by the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts. The awards were presented at a banquet held in Wall on May 8.

Each year the association recognizes outstanding leaders in the field of natural resources conservation. Awards are presented to individuals in each of the five areas of Texas. Area 11 consists of 50 counties in the western portion of the state.

Joe Freeman, field representative with the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, said "The competition in Area 11

is extremely tough, and the Crockett Soil and Water Conservation was represented by a very outstanding and dedicated individual."

Mary Anne has been a teacher for 11 years and has promoted soil and water conservation in her classroom curriculum as much as possible. She has been involved with the Crockett Soil and Water Conservation District in numerous ways.

Every year when the Crockett SWCD and Ozona National Bank co-sponsor an essay and poster contest at the local schools, Mary Anne is actively involved. The

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MARY ANN DEATON (third from left) was presented the 2003 Area II conservation award by the Texas Soil and Water conservation District at a banquet held in Wall on May 8. Also pictured are Larry Williams, Fred Deaton, Kayla Shurley, Pleas Childress and Stephen Zuberbueller. Contributed Photo

## Commissioners accept 2002 audit

Wayne Beyer, CPA, told commissioners Monday that accounting and financial aspects of county records for 2002 were fine except that records are on a cash basis with no fixed assets such as roads included.

He agreed to meet with John Stokes, the county auditor, this summer to work out infrastructure figures in preparation for putting the county finances on an accrual basis.

Commissioners voted to accept the audit he presented on behalf of Beyer & Company, Certified Public Accountants of

Pleasanton.

Court members accepted a preliminary plat for Hudspeth Ranch Subdivision. Judge Johnny Jones, who represents Claude Hudspeth as a broker, abstained from voting.

The property, located in southern Crockett County, involves three tracts.

Crockett National Bank representatives Kay Stewart and Debbie Long and Ozona National Bank representatives Dan Pullen and Jim Skehan were present for the opening of depository bids. Set up for a four-year period rather

than the two previously designated, the contract was awarded to Crockett National Bank. The county and school district are both included in the agreement.

Abstaining from voting were commissioners Frank Tambunga and Pleas Childress.

Court members voted to execute a contract with Hospice of San Angelo and to execute HIPAA business associate agreements with Hudspeth Memorial Hospital, Community Hospital and Shannon Rural Health Clinics Inc. These actions are made necessary by the implementation of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

After Benny Gibbs, administrator of the care center, gave his report, court members voted to approve specifications for an ambulance remount and advertising for bids for the remount.

Gibbs told the court that the center had 98% occupancy for April. He was pleased to report that an R.N. and L.V.N. will begin work at the center under the agreement they signed when accepted into the employee education program. These additional staffers should eliminate the need for agency nurses, Gibbs said.

Court members agreed to allow the swimming pools to be open to the public later for two nights each week this summer. The pools will be open on different week nights, giving greater opportunity for use.

The pools will open once required lifeguard certifications are complete. Target date is May 24, but this was not definite as of Monday.

Complaints about late hours of adult baseball games led court members to vote for an 11:00 p.m.

lights out requirement.

No action was taken on an agenda item regarding a waiver/release of liability to be executed for participation in softball/baseball. This has not been required by the county in the past.

Commissioner Frank Tambunga talked about the need to have one person coordinate schedules for all facilities at the fairgrounds. He also said that the area and restrooms need daily inspection by a county employee.

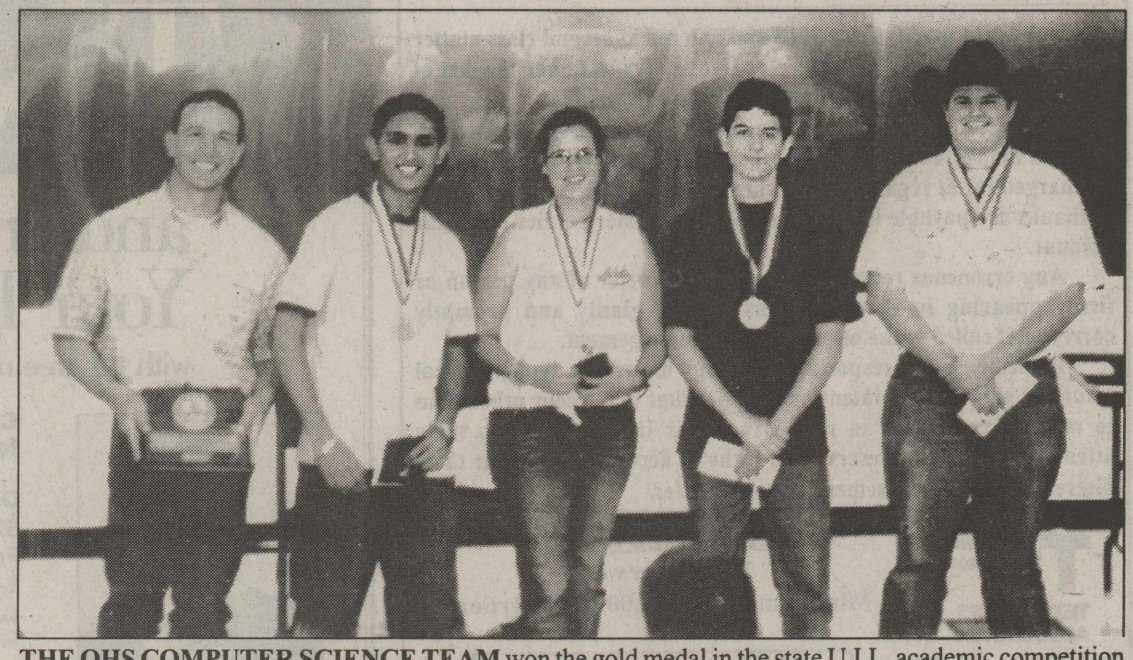
Commissioners agreed to have Penni Tippie to do all the bookings and also to require that all trailers at the fairgrounds be licensed and tagged.

Shanon Biggerstaff, executive director at Ozona Chamber of Commerce, presented information on the Texas-Pecos Trail Region which includes Crockett County. There are 11 identified

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ARIANA LIRA (center) was presented the John Phillip Sousa award by high school band director Sonny Bahlman and middle school band director Gretchen Bloebaum. DigiCam Photo by Stephen Zuberbueller



THE OHS COMPUTER SCIENCE TEAM won the gold medal in the state U.I.L. academic competition held May 2 and 3 in Austin. Pictured are: (l. to r.) coach Rod Miller, Paarth Raj, Amber Batura, Layne English and Philip Baggett. Philip also received a silver medal for scoring the second highest individual score. Contributed Photo

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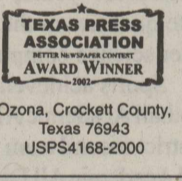
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By Oscar Kost

### Judge Charles Davidson

The following story is about the first judge of Crockett County who served as judge 52 years except one two year term. His contribution to the county is great. He was interested in having a good county and good things, especially schools.

Judge Davidson was of Scotch-Irish descent. He began his business career in Iowa, then left there for California where he taught school. In 1880, after receiving his law degree from the University of California, he came to Texas, settling in San Angelo.

Besides his law practice he dealt in land and livestock. He became interested in Crockett County as he had a herd of cattle on the ranch of Mose Westbrook in Val Verde County, a portion of later Crockett County. He gained from Mr. Snodgrass, for whom he worked, for passage on all his

### \*Deaton (Continued from front page) . . . .

week prior to the contest the Crockett SWCD is invited into her classroom to discuss the importance of preserving our natural resources and to show students the posters of previous winners, enabling them to better understand what is expected of them.

Mary Anne is very instrumental in promoting the Conservation Roundup student newsletter, book covers supplied by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers Association, and videos requested from the Conservation Video Library.

When the district and the Crockett National Bank co-sponsor the Annual Sixth Grade Field Day, she is there to participate and help educate the students. Due to her efforts, students have a better understanding when they tour the Perry Ranch where they are presented with numerous exercises in range and brush management, wildlife management, prescribed burning, and various other practices.

She has taken advantage of the opportunities to attend Conservation Teacher Workshops that have been offered during the summer months. Mary Anne feels that

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## News Reel

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MAY 31, 1973 where she underwent surgery Monday.

**News Reel**  
 One of the most successful shows in the history of the Ozona Horse Club was completed late Saturday afternoon when the 21st Annual Quarter Horse Show came to an end.

**News Reel**  
 Nine Ozona students are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the spring semester at Angelo State University. Those listed are: Michele Nations, George Allen, Eddie Beard, Phyllis Beard, John Childress, Rodney Pagan, Alice Louise Perner, Juan Rios and Richard Sikes.

**News Reel**  
 Signing letters of intent with Southwest Texas State University were Gerald Huff, and David Sewell. Both boys were outstanding athletes in Ozona High School.

**News Reel**  
 Graveside services for Mrs. J. R. (Lora Lee) Mays, 64, were held here Saturday morning at 11 a.m. in Cedar Hill Cemetery.

**News Reel**  
 Hartley Johnigan is in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo recuperating from a heart attack suffered here last weekend.

**News Reel**  
 Mrs. Enemencia Diza is in Shannon Hospital in San Angelo

## Letters to the Editor

### An open letter to America's Teachers May 6, 2003

To America's Teachers:  
 Thank you.  
 Thank you for your dedication. Thank you for your hard work. Thank you for your service. Thank you for choosing this noble profession.  
 Thank you for being a hero to both young and old. Thank you for being a best friend. Thank you for your love.  
 Thank you for believing in the bright hope of every child. Thank you for setting high standards. Thank you for believing every child can learn if given the chance.  
 Thank you for inspiring the

### \*Audit (Continued from front page) . . . .

trails in the state, with only five active. The Texas-Pecos Trail Region could become active if 75% of the 22 counties in the area pass a resolution saying they want to begin the process of applying for a grant through the Texas Historical Commission.  
 Court members voted to pass the appropriate resolution relating to the pursuit of an application for a \$50,000.00 grant. If approved, the grant would require a \$10,000.00 match from the region. Money would go toward salary and operating expenses for an employee for the Texas-Pecos Trail Region.  
 Yvonne Hernandez with Pre-Paid Legal Services presented information on her company's areas of coverage. The court voted to offer this to employees at their own expense with cost to be deducted from the payroll.  
 A request for a donation for the Soil and Water Conservation District was approved by the court. The amount, \$3,000.00, was already budgeted in 2003 for maintenance on the flood control dams that protect Ozona.  
 Commissioners also voted to approve an application for a permit submitted by Anadarko re-

### Ozona Weather Conditions and Forecast

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**JARED SHAFFER** arrived home May 11 to a party in his honor. Shaffer serves aboard the USS Abraham Lincoln which had been deployed to the Persian Gulf 10 months ago. Pictured are: (1 to r) Kay, Ray, Jared, Andrew, Mandy and Dustin Shaffer. (Story and more photos to follow.)  
DigiCam photo by *Scotty Moore*

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 14 - Ray Lara, Gary Thompson, Eleno Moran, Shannon Moore, Rosa Fernandez, Gilbert Gomez, Sean Gutierrez, Lori Salinas

May 15 - Marge Smith, Nikki Harrison, Robert Arachega, Tonya Aldridge, Rylee Ramos, Sub Fierro, Clarissa Villarreal, Al Fields

May 16 - Elva Ortiz, Vanessa Tobar, Lori DeHoyos, Tommy Sessom, Alicia Borrego, Vicky Valadez

May 17 - Michael Vasquez, Scott Denman, Robbie Rodriguez, David Vargas, Mary Barrera, Joann Rodriguez, Carole Richie

May 18 - Dora Carrizales, Kenny Tobar, Matthew Navarete

May 19 - Jake Stewart, Ruth Seahorn, Gary Medley, Veronica Tijerina, Nichol Martinez, Shelly Childress, Aileen Thompson

May 20 - Mike Moore, Laramie McWilliams, Luisa Payne, Luis Garanzuay, Dillen Ramirez, Rudy Martinez



"REFLECTIONS OF A LIFETIME" National Nursing Home Week begins May 11 - 17th. Care center administrator Benny Gibbs and his staff invite the community to swing by May 14 for cake, punch, live music and games during the day. Benny and his staff wish to say "Thank you Ozona" for all your continued support and prayers.  
DigiCam Photo by *Scotty Moore*

### By the way

#### Band concert May 15

The public is invited to a concert Thursday, May 15, featuring the Ozona Public School's bands. Directors Sonny Bahlman and Gretchen Bloebaum invite you to bring your lawnchair and enjoy the music on the town square beginning at 6:00 p.m.

#### Final date for athletic physicals

Incoming 11th graders will have their athletic physicals May 17 at 9:00 a.m. These physicals will be offered at the Ozona Family Health Clinic at a cost of \$10.00.

Student athletes must have their medical history form completed at the time of the physical.

For more information, call the high school at 392-5711 or the training room at 392-5501, ext. 5222.

#### Barnhart Playday

The Barnhart 8 and Under Playday June 7 has tack and toy prizes for each contestant. Buckles will be given to all four All Around winners with divisions for five and under girls and boys, and for 608 girls and boys. Events include poles, barrels, straights, flags and goat touching.

For more information and entry forms, call Tonya Stalcup at 876-5003 or 392-3731. May 31 is the last day to register.

#### Class of 1953 reunion coming up

The Ozona High School Class of 1953 will celebrate its 50 year reunion May 23-25. Hosts for this occasion will be the OHS Class of 1954.

Festivities begin at 8:00 p.m. Friday, May 23, at Lion Stadium. Alumni will be recognized during the commencement ceremony honoring the graduating class of 2003. Scott Hickman, a 1953 OHS graduate, will be guest speaker at this event. Following graduation, the Class of 1953 will gather at the Hitchin' Post Restaurant.

Saturday's activities start at 9:00 a.m. at Granny Miller Hall for coffee, juice and rolls. Everyone is invited to bring pictures, stories, yearbooks and such to share. After a barbecue lunch at Ozona Lion Fieldhouse, there will be a tour of the school and other points of interest. Dinner is set for 7:00 p.m. at the Hitchin' Post.

On Sunday, classmates will gather for a 9:00 o'clock breakfast at Ozona Senior Center before saying their farewells and heading home.

For more information, contact Jamie Knox at 325-392-2180 or any other member of the OHS Class of 1954.

### Ozona Garden Club News

By Jerri Lynn Pierce

Fourteen members of the Ozona Garden Club met on Monday, May 12, for a salad luncheon in the lovely ranch home of Charlotte Harrell. Dorothy Montgomery and Jerri Lynn Pierce were hostesses.

Vice-president Charlotte Harrell presided over the business meeting. Several projects were discussed by members for the next year.

Dorothy Montgomery installed the club's four new officers, who will serve for the next two years, with appropriate words: Charlotte Harrell, president; Debi Hamilton, vice-president; Sharon Williams, treasurer; and Jerri Lynn Pierce, secretary.

Members attending were: Marolyn Bean, Ella Clegg, Debi Hamilton, Charlotte Harrell, Virginia Hubbard, Mary Jo Mason, Dorothy Montgomery, Jean Odom, Jerri Lynn Pierce, Marge Smith, Jan Van Shoubrouek, Esther Williams, Grace Williams and Sharon Williams.

Visiting with Carmen Sutton over Mother's Day weekend was her son, Cody Sutton, who is currently attending Thunder Bird M.B.A. school in France, and her daughter and son-in-law, Steffy and David Nance from Fort Worth.

**Congratulations Valerie Ann Fierro on your graduation from Howard College.**

*Good luck on your new job!*

Bob, Sylvia & Robert

**Congratulations Amber, on your graduation.**

WE ARE VERY PROUD OF YOU! *Hope you accomplish your goals in whatever you decide to do. May God bless you and be with you always.*



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### Crockett County Museum Memorials

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Gwynel Walker Wells in memory of Rod Franklin, Toots Williams, Jonesy Williams

Carmen Sutton in memory of Jim Watts

Sue and Larry Arledge in memory of Anne Lee Parker  
Memorials may be sent to Crockett County Museum at Box 1444, Ozona, TX 76943.

### OMS promotion

Ozona Middle School's promotion ceremony will be held Friday morning, May 23, at 10:00 a.m. This is a change from the customary afternoon ceremony of the past.

Candidates for promotion will be presented in the Ozona High School Auditorium.

### Ozona Senior Happenings

Remember this Wednesday, May 14, is our potluck lunch. Our last potluck we had 56 in attendance and had a great time. So, if you're in the mood for a good time and a sampling of a variety of foods, fix a dish and come on out and enjoy the fellowship with us.

Jack Gillit returned from his 10-day tour of Wisconsin. He said he had seen a lot of pretty country and that they were able to dodge all of the tornadoes. Jack reported that he and Duffy had a good deal of work to do in order to make up for days Jack was gone. When asked if he plans to return to Wisconsin, he said, "only if I can fly next time".

A very happy birthday wish goes out to Al Fields from all of us who hope to match or even exceed his age accomplishments.

Luetta Kost is back in the care center. Remember Oscar and Luetta in your prayers.

Lynn English, Bertha Rivera and Lupe Martinez will travel to Lubbock to attend a food and nutrition seminar sponsored by U. S. Food Service May 20 and 21.

Those attending the 16th annual Senior Spring Fling in San Angelo were: Nell Wester, Helen Wall, Lynn English, Helen Stokes, Concha Zapata, Maria De La Rosa, Jonny Johnson, Emma Munoz, Carol Adcock and Elouise Ramos. At the Spring Fling Nell Wester was nominated for the Volunteer Hall of Fame. A big thank you goes out to Nell and all of our other volunteers who give so much of themselves.

We are still in need of volunteers to deliver meals. If you have an extra half hour once a week, please call and let us know what

day is best for you. The number to call is 392-5026.

For our grandchildren graduates, our congratulations go out to Jonny Jonson for Rebecca Cowen, Lynn English for Logan English, Betty Bullard for Melanie Bullard and Hollie Harpool, JoAnn Babbit for Brandon Babbit. All of these grandkids are graduating and we are wishing the best to all of you.

We heard today at lunch that Pleas and Geniece Childress' granddaughter, Abby, graduated from Duke University.

Bill and Bernice Cota are enjoying a visit from their son, Billy, his wife, Lisa, and their daughter, Isabell. Billy and family are making a grand tour through the United States to decide where they would like to live.

Our regular activities are games on Monday afternoons 1-3 p.m., exercises on Tuesdays and Thursdays 3-4:30 p.m. This facility is provided for those 50+ and is drug and alcohol free.

We always have a pot of coffee going, a puzzle in progress, friendly people to talk to and visit with, and a clock that ticks forward and tocks backward.

Come join us.

Betty Bullard

### Dancers welcome visitors

The Levis and Lace Square Dance Club met Saturday, May 10, at the Senior Citizens Center for square dancing, fun and fellowship. You are invited to come watch, listen, visit, join in and enjoy the refreshments.

Our caller was John Geen from San Angelo. With John was his wife, Nora, and a large group of their friends from San Angelo. There was more than two squares enjoying John's calling.

Lessons are still continuing at the care center. This week we will gather on Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m.

Our next dance will be May 24 at the Senior Center with the Darrel Williams family calling. Everyone is invited to come out and see what good exercise and fun square dance can be.

Nell Wester reporting

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GLORIA BISHOP (center) visits with her mom Mary Swihart (r.) and Marie Gerlach as they celebrate their birthdays and Mother's Day at the care center  
*Contributed Photo*

**Did You Forget?**

It is so easy to do in the fast-paced society that we live in. Forgetting Mother's Day! I remember a time or two I forgot when my mother was still alive and I felt so bad. In later years I tried never to forget.

God made us to be relational people. You see that in the Garden of Eden (Genesis 2:18). He made us to know Him and love Him (Deuteronomy 6:5). We are to keep ourselves in that love (Joshua 23:11, Jude 21).

All through the Bible it talks about our relationship to others like love our neighbor (James 2:8), love our enemies (Luke 6:27). We are also commanded to give a special place of honor to our mothers and fathers (Exodus 20:12). The Bible goes on to tell us some do's and don'ts concerning parents and especially mothers. Not to curse (Exodus 21:17), to fear (Leviticus 19:3), to consider or not overlook (1 Kings 19:12-21), hear their instruction (Proverbs 1:8, 6:20). We are told to not despise or rob (Proverbs 15:20, 28:24).

I think it is good that we have a special day we honor mothers, but I also think we need to treat them special the rest of the year. Remember, they were created uniquely to care for us.

See you in church this Sunday.  
Brother J

**Care Center  
Chatter**

This Wednesday we will celebrate Nursing Home Week. We invite everyone to come and visit from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 14.

Our nursing home is very important to Crockett County. We provide 24-hour care for those unable to be in their own homes. We make our facility as much home-like as possible with care and love from all employees.

Come join us for this very important day.

Thanks go to Baskets and More for our Mother's Day corsages. They were beautiful

Residents enjoyed Commissioner Freddie Nicks and wife Pat's famous homemade cookies. Thank you two. I can always depend on you.

Thanks go to Gloria Bishop and Brenda Solis for helping with our party on Friday sponsored by Crockett Bank of Ozona.

We appreciate volunteers E. A. Wadsworth, R.N., Gloria Bishop, Brenda Solis, Levis and Lace Square Dancers, Ozona Church of Christ, First Baptist Church, Ozona United Methodist Church, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, Merle and Mary Welty, Otis Nester, Commissioner Freddie Nicks and Pat Nicks and The Ozona Stockman.

Please note, I need a month's notice for activities inside or outside the facility as our calendar is planned in advance.

We all had a good week last week, even looking forward to a better one this week as we are counting on you all to come make your nursing home visit May 14.

We'll see you all here on Wednesday.

Jan St. Clair  
Activity Director

**Obituaries**

**Funeral held for Pat Aiguier**



Patricia Ann (Pat) Womack Aiguier, 57, died Monday, May 5, 2003.

She was born in Richmond, VA, Nov. 7, 1945. She came to Ozona with her parents, Clovis and Babe Womack, when she was a few months old after her father was discharged from military service following World War II. Pat lived the rest of her life in Ozona where she graduated from Ozona High School in 1964.

On Nov. 20, 2002, she retired after 30 years with the Crockett County Road Department. She could tell you about any place in Crockett County or how to get there.

Pat loved the outdoors and spent a lot of time on the Pecos River hunting and fishing. She was fascinated with old windmills, historic courthouses and would go miles out of the way to get pictures and information about them. She also was interested in historical places and artifacts and enjoyed learning the history connected with them.

Survivors include her mother, Babe Womack of Ozona; sister, Clovie Shannon of Big Spring; a niece, Denise Coates of Belton, and her two children, Kelsey and Brent Coates; an aunt, Inez Wylie of Baird; and her son, Durwood Wylie and his wife, Marie, of Houston.

Pat was preceded in death by her former husband, John Aiguier; her father, Clovis C. Womack; a nephew, Clark Johnson; three uncles, Gaston and R. J. Wylie, Bill Womack; and an aunt, Viletta Kinsey.

Graveside service was held May 8 in Cedar Hill Cemetery. She was a member of First Baptist Church of Ozona, and former pastor, Rev. Bill Fuller of Panhandle, officiated her service.

Pallbearers included: Harold Shaw, Eddie Moore, Ben English, Mike Womack, Ray Elkins and Jim House.

**Sonora service for Mrs. Curry**



Club and the First Christian Church of Del Rio. For the past four years, Mrs. Curry has been a resident of Crockett County Care Center in Ozona.

Preceding Josephine Longley in death were her parents, her husband, her sister Gretchen Longley Word, three brothers, Glen Lawley Longley, Cole Young Longley, Col. Cam Longley, Jr., and grandson Alan Neil Emery, Jr. Survivors include a son, Virgil Chrane, and two daughters, Virginia Calvert Curry Epps and husband Ben of Sonora, and Josephine Kay Curry Emery and husband Neil of Langtry.

Mrs. Curry's grandchildren include Donald Loding Campbell and wife Ruth Ann of Sweetwater; Cam Longley Campbell and wife Erika Jane of Sonora; Calvert Curry Campbell and wife Bonnie Lou of Sonora; Kimberly Kay Emery Lozano and husband Eddie Lee of Langtry. Great grandchildren include Donald Loding Campbell III (Tres) and Kathleen Ann Campbell of Sweetwater, Chelsey Lou Campbell and Chance Calvert Campbell of Sonora and Laurissa Kay Lozano, Alan Emery Lozano and Kamryn Lea Lozano of Langtry. She is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

Our family wishes to express heartfelt appreciation for the professional care and many personal acts of kindness shown to our Mother in the Crockett County Care Center.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made to The Sutton County Health Foundation, P.O. Box 18, Sonora, Texas 76950, the Crockett County Care Center, P. O. Box 640, Ozona, Texas 76943-0640 or a charity of your choice.

Memorial services for Mary Josephine Longley Curry, who died Wednesday, May 7, 2003 at Crockett County Care Center in Ozona, will be held on Saturday, May 17 at 5:00 p.m. at St. John's Episcopal Church in Sonora.

Mrs. Curry was the daughter of pioneer ranchers Cam Longley and Josephine Young Longley of Crockett, Terrell and Val Verde counties since the early 1900's. The youngest of five children, Josephine Longley was born October 15, 1913, in Ozona and attended Ozona Public Schools and San Marcos Baptist Academy.

She married William Calvert Curry, a pharmacist, in 1935. Mr. and Mrs. Curry lived briefly in Sanderson and Lubbock before settling in San Angelo where Mr. Curry owned Curry Drug Company. In San Angelo, Mrs. Curry was a member of the 32 Club, the Eastern Star and The Daughters of The Nile organizations.

After Mr. Curry's death in 1967, Mrs. Curry moved to the Longley home in Del Rio to care for her mother. While in Del Rio, she enjoyed her lifelong hobby of painting in the mediums of oil, pastel and china. She was a member of The Del Rio Porcelain Arts

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<sup>(11)</sup> Teach me Your way, O Lord; I will walk in Your truth; unite my heart to fear Your name.  
<sup>(12)</sup> I will praise You, O Lord my God, with all my heart and I will glorify Your name forevermore.  
<sup>(13)</sup> For great is Your mercy toward me and you have delivered my soul from the depths of Sheol.  
**Psalm 86: 10-13**

**Confirm Your Calling**

By Dr. Dennis J. Prutow

Most colleges and universities have a specialty. They serve the needs of individuals who want to follow a particular vocation. Do you know this is a reflection of God's desire for our world? After creation, God said to Adam, "Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth, and subdue it; and rule over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the sky, and over every living thing that moves on the earth" (Genesis 1:28). You see, God wanted man to build a society on this earth. And so we all have different vocations and jobs to do in society, right down to the present time. Yes, we are to learn various skills so we fit into society as productive citizens. But there is more to it than that. God wants us to build a culture which is honoring to Him! And this means you must understand your calling to be a Christian. It is not sufficient to go to school and learn a skill so you can earn a good wage and support a family. All that is very important. But you must also see your vocation as a calling from God. And in order to do that, you must follow God through His Son, Jesus Christ. You must confess Christ as the Lord over your life. You must see as sin, your desire to live life apart from God and apart from Christ. And you must return to God. There must be a new desire in your life to glorify God rather than yourself. And so you must ask God's forgiveness for your sin. And you must trust in the death of Christ as the only adequate payment for that sin. Then you will begin to see your life, your work, your marriage, and your family, as God's plan for you to be a part of a society which honors Him!

<p><b>First Baptist Church</b> 901 Ave. D Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Ozona Church of Christ</b> 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Ozona United Methodist Church</b> 12 - 11th St. Rev. John Fluth Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Ozona Cowboy Church</b> Cenisa St. - Non-Denominational Pastor Rick Thomas Thursday: 7 p.m. Broadcasting on the radio at 8 a.m. on Sunday mornings.</p>	<p><b>Faith Lutheran Church</b> 802 1st St. Rev. Charles Huffman Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church</b> 2121 Santa Rosa St. - Rev. Dan &amp; Ann Rios 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><b>Templo Bautista Jerusalem</b> 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><b>Church of God of Prophecy</b> 102 Man O' War St. Pastor Lupe Domoniquiez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 4:30 p.m. Tues. &amp; Thurs: 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</b> 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><b>Calvary Baptist Church</b> 601 Ave. I Rev. Daniel C. Fleming Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Wed. &amp; Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida</b> Corner of Secretariat &amp; Man O War Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Apostolic Church</b> 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><b>Templo El Paraiso Inc.</b> 604 11th St. Pastor Jesse Cardona Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Tuesday Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Iglesia de Cristo</b> 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><b>Attend the Church of Your Choice This Sunday</b></p>

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**May 10 service for Mrs. McBroom**

Verla Carlene McBroom of Tomball died May 5, 2003. Graveside service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday at Hamilton-Beeman Cemetery in Corsicana.

daughter-in-law, Mickey and Regina McBroom; grandchildren, Shaun, Kerri and Taylor, and her sister, Bobbye Strickland; and numerous other relatives and friends.

She was born in Goose Creek to Jesse and Autrey Brown Thomas.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, Box 20448, Houston, TX 77225.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Dan McBroom. Survivors include her son and

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# Students honored in Ozona Middle School awards banquet

By Gerri Azam  
STOCKMAN REPORTER

Ozona's sixth, seventh and eighth grade students were honored in the annual Academic Awards Banquet on Monday, May 5. After a welcome from middle school principal Charles White, the Eighth Grade Advisory Council stepped in to conduct the awards program. The Advisory Council was made up of Justine Fielding, Levi English, LuCinda Birkenfeld, Jordan Long, Dianne Hernandez, Roman Tambunga, Caleb Mitchell, Maria Torres, Matthew Bullard, Isabel Aguilar, Catlin Sessom, Barrett Richie, Jarrod Simmons, John Tom Tijerina, Adrienne Bendele, Christina Dominguez, and Lauren Pool.

School Service Awards were given to: Isabel Aguilar, Adrienne Bendele, Lucinda Birkenfeld, Matthew Bullard, Cristina Dominguez, Levi English, Justine Fielding, Dianne Hernandez, Jordan Long, Caleb Mitchell, Lauren Pool, Barrett Richie, Catlin Sessom, Jarrod Simmons, Roman Tambunga, John Tom Tijerina, and Maria Torres.

Perfect Attendance Awards went to: 6th grade - Daniel Anderson, Latham Ducote, Jonathan Flores, Edward Gutierrez, Jasmine Moran, Josh Smith, Iris Vergara; 7th grade - Josh Avila, Rocky Munoz, Celia Rivera, Ely Silva, Jared Spence; 8th grade - Ashley Anderson, Britni Buchanan, Mathew Bullard, Cristy Dominguez, Peyton Fenton, Jose Galvan, Stephen Gillit, Dianne Hernandez, Megan McDaniel, Harvey Santos, Roman Tambunga, and John Tom Tijerina.

Awards for excellence in UIL events were presented in: Calculator 6th grade - Ethan English, Wade King, Ruben Rivas, Daniel Anderson; 7th grade - Puja Bhakta, Lori Villarreal, Vicki Treto, Kasey Gray; 8th grade - Farran Wilson, Levi Vargas, Jordan Long, Megan McDaniel.

Dictionary Skills 6th grade - Kara Bird, Ruben Rivas, Devon Diehl, Alisha Lara; 7th grade - Alexa Cervantez, Morgan Glosson, Brooke Kelly, Libby Martinez; 8th grade - Matthew Payne, Ashley Unger, Levi Vargas.

Impromptu Speaking 7th grade - Kyann Kothman, Lauren Sanchez, Alexa Cervantez, Wendy Wilson; 8th grade - Lauren Pool, Leandra Benson, Josh Roman, Freddy Fierro, Melony Moran.

Listening Skills 6th grade - Whitney Wilson, Jasmine Lara, Chelsey West, Ben Flores; 7th grade - Vanessa Tobar, Rocky Munoz, Jared Spence, Kasey Gray; 8th grade - Matthew Bullard, Kaleigh Wiley, Tim Longoria, Ashley Unger.

Maps, Graphs and Charts 6th grade - Alysha Lara, Ethan English, Jesse Ramos, Matthew Garza; 7th grade - Park Preddy, Julia Henderson, Aaron Pearl, Justin Maldonado; 8th grade - Barrett Richie, Justine Fielding, Jordan Long, Vicky Yuregas.

Mathematics 6th grade - Ben Flores, Daniel Anderson, Wade King, Ruben Rivas; 7th grade - Puja Bhakta, Alexa Cervantez, Park Preddy, Paloma Torres; 8th grade - Barrett Richie, Jordan Long, Levi English, Laura Mata.

Modern Oratory 7th grade - Puja Bhakta, Morgan Capps, Julia Henderson, Brooke Kelly; 8th grade - Justine Fielding, Levi English, Kaleigh Wiley.

Music Memory 6th grade - Ben Flores, Latham Ducote, Jonathan Flores, Wade King, Wilson White.

Number Sense 6th grade - Wade King, Ruben Rivas, Daniel Anderson, Ben Flores; 7th grade - Puja Bhakta, Park Preddy, Anna Hernandez, Lori Villarreal; 8th grade - Justine Fielding, Laura Mata, Levi English, Diane Hernandez.

Oral Reading 6th grade - Ethan English, Chelsey Spence, Kara Bird, Nathan Knox; 7th grade - Alexa Cervantez, Brooke Kelly, Julia Henderson, Wendy Wilson; 8th grade - Kaleigh Wiley, Lauren Pool, Peyton Fenton, Britni Buchanan.

Ready Writing 6th grade - Chelsey Spence, Ethan English, Whitney Wilson, Latham Ducote; 7th grade - Kyann Kothman, Puja Bhakta, Lauren Sanchez; 8th grade - Kaleigh Wiley, Melissa Morris, Lauren Pool, Britni Buchanan.

Levi English, Matthew Bullard, Catlin Sessom, Barrett Richie.

Spelling 6th grade - Whitney Wilson, Iris Vergara, Matthew Garza, Alysha Lara; 7th grade - Park Preddy, Brooke Kelly, Lauren Sanchez, Alexa Cervantez; 8th grade - Matthew Bullard, Melony Moran, Megan McDaniel, John Tom Tijerina.

Editorial Writing 7th grade - Morgan Capps, Julia Henderson, Lauren Sanchez, Kyann Kothman; 8th grade - Levi English, Justine Fielding, Lauren Pool.

Awards for the A/B honor roll for the year were given to: In the sixth grade - Kara Bird, Latham Ducote, Jordan DeHoyos, Devon Diehl, Jonathan Flores, Benjamin Flores, Desiree Galan, Wade King, Nathan Knox, Matthew Komechak, Dillon Langford, Jasmine Moran, Jesse Ramos, Ruben Rivas, Christina Rodriguez, Steven Silva, Samantha Torres, Preston Tebbetts, Freddy Veloz, Chelsea West; In the seventh grade - Morgan Capps, Alexa Cervantez, Jonathan Flores, Anna Hernandez, Kyann Kothman, Brooke Kelly, Justin Maldonado, Aaron Pearl, Lori Villarreal, Celia Rivera, Jessica Simmons, Jared Spence, Matt Turland, Abigail Zamarripa; In the eighth grade - Isabel Aguilar, Lucinda Birkenfeld, Britni Buchanan, Cristy Dominguez, Justine Fielding, Dianne Hernandez, Tashina Lewis, Caleb Mitchell, Melissa Morris, Matthew Payne, Lauren Pool, Catlin Sessom, Frankie Skinner, Roman Tambunga, John Tom Tijerina, Maria Torres, Levi Vargas.

The following students were honored for making the A honor roll through out the year: 6th grade - Daniel Anderson, Ethan English, Alysha Lara, Chelsey Spence, Wilson White; 7th grade - Puja Bhakta, Julia Henderson, Park Preddy, Lauren Sanchez, Mark Tambunga; 8th grade - Matthew Bullard, Levi English, Jordan Long, Barrett Richie.

Academic awards were presented in each grade for every subject. These awards were given to: 6th grade girls Physical Education - Kara Bird, Alysha Lara

6th grade boys Physical Education - Devon Diehl, Fabian Onate

6th grade band - Chelsey West and Wilson White

7th grade band - Park Preddy and Stevie Romero

8th grade band - Isabel Aguilar and Caleb Mitchell

6th grade Spanish - Devon Diehl and Matthew Komechak

7th grade Spanish - Puja Bhakta and Lauren Sanchez

8th grade Spanish - Lauren Pool and Frankie Skinner

ESL - Leo Mata

6th grade art - Isaac Rodriguez and Dillon Lankford

7th grade art - Vanessa Tobar and Vanessa DeLaGarza

8th grade art - Adrienne Bendele and Laken Aaron

6th grade math - Wilson White, Ruben Rivas, and Ethan English

6th grade reading - Chelsey Spence, Wade King, and Daniel Anderson

6th grade science - Benjamin Flores, Jesse Ramos, and Josh Smith

6th grade social studies - Matthew Komechak, Latham Ducote, and Alysha Lara

6th grade English - Nathan Knox, Kara Bird, and Preston Tebbetts

7th grade English - Morgan Capps, Abigail Zamarripa, and Aaron Pearl

7th grade reading - Morgan Capps, Jessica Simmons, Abigail Zamarripa

7th grade math - Puja Bhakta, Mark Tambunga and Jonathan Flores

7th grade history - Park Preddy, Julia Henderson, and Justin Maldonado

7th grade science - Jessica Simmons, Puja Bhakta, and Abel Villarreal

Oustanding resource student - Corey Allum

8th grade English - Justine Fielding, Adrienne Bendele, and Caleb Mitchell

8th grade reading - Isabel Aguilar, Matthew Bullard, and Frankie Skinner



**BROWNIE TROOP 103** attended Brownie Core Camp on March 29-30 at Camp Jo Jan Van. Pictured are: (back) leader Linda DeLaGarza. Middle row: Isabel Ybarra, Ingrid Silva, Sierra Trevino, Jessica Borrego, Samantha DeLaGarza, Sabrina DeLaGarza. Front: Jennifer Marquez, Sarah DeLa Garza and assistant leader Alice Borrego and not pictured Briana Lara. *Contributed Photo*

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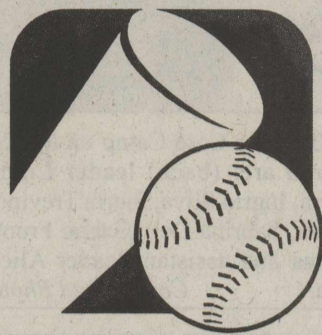
Cost of the camp is \$165.00; however, **the Emerald U.W.C.D. will pay for the cost of the camp plus \$100.00 to the travel provider.**

If you are interested in attending this camp, please contact the Emerald U.W.C.D. at 1102 Ave I (Phone #392-5156) to obtain an application form. All applications must be turned in by May 30, 2003. Youths will be informed of their acceptance into the camp by June 13th.

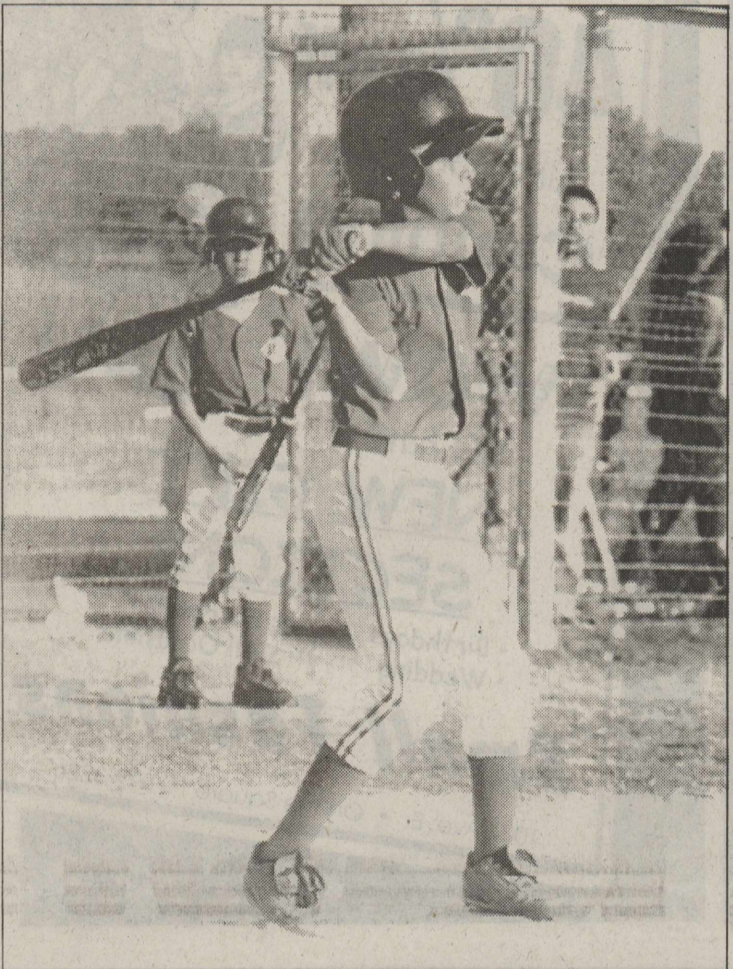


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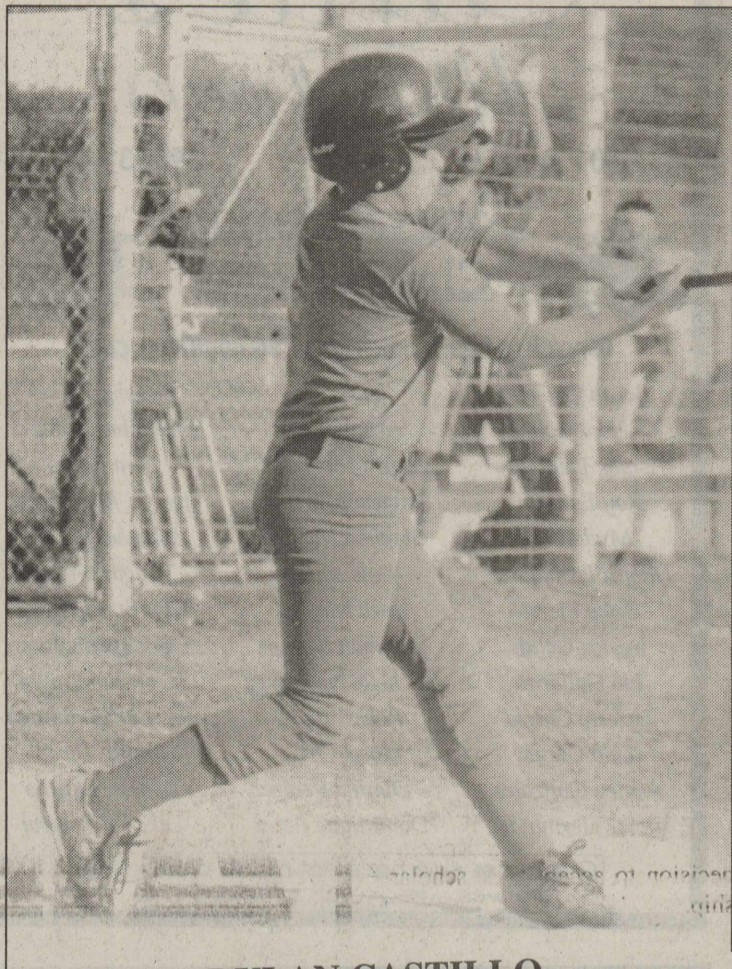
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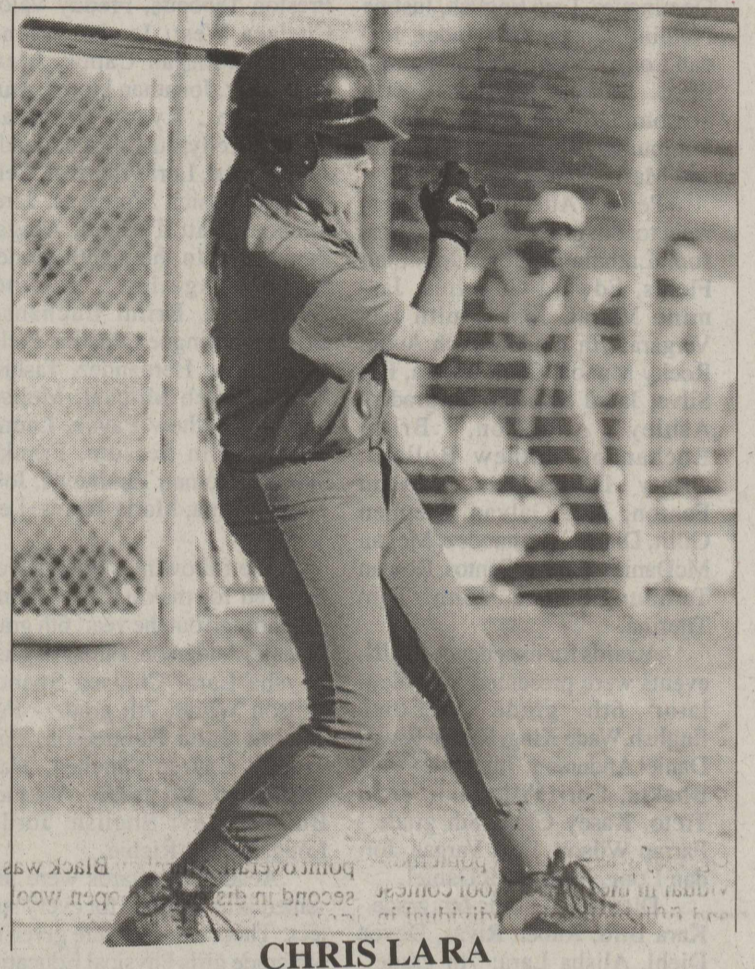
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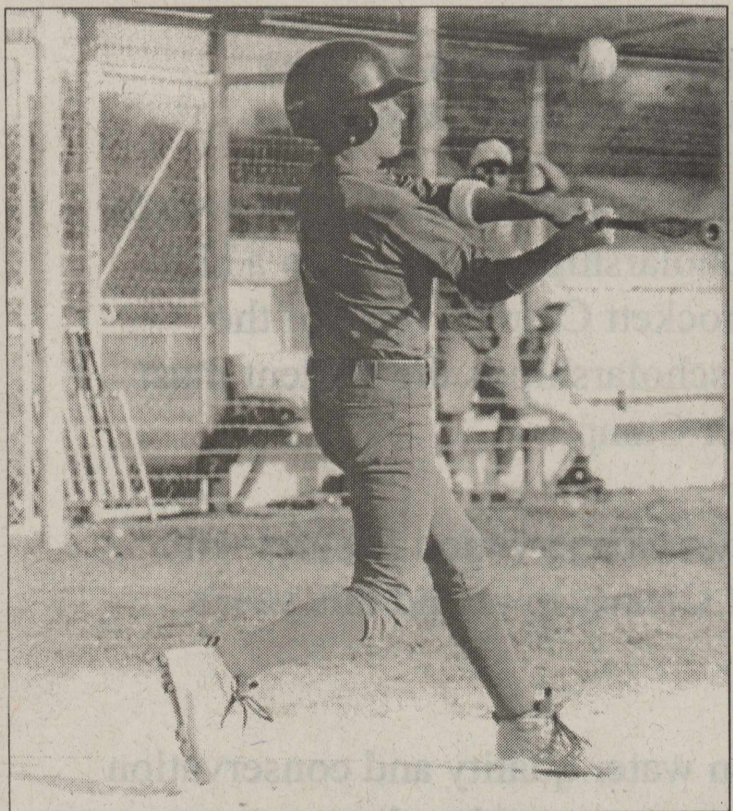
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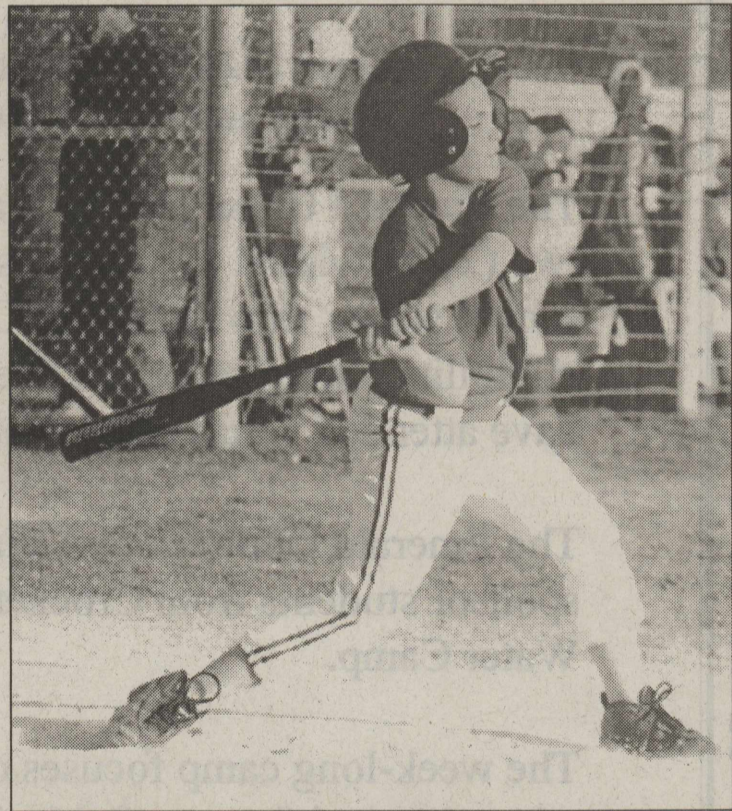
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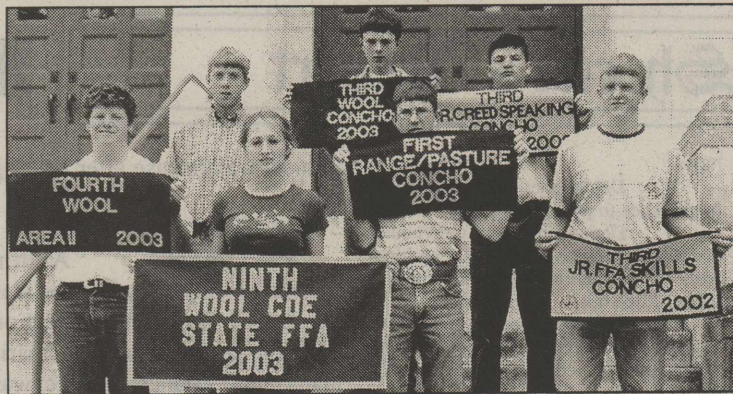
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OZONA HIGH SCHOOL FFA MEMBERS won several awards this past year. Pictured are: (l. to r.) Andy Birkenfeld, Clint Hale, Katy Churchill, Ross Kelley, Aaron Renfro, Jared Espino and Dean Wadsworth. Not pictured are: Katie Parker and Derek Wiley  
DigiCam Photo by Linda Moore

## FFA students win awards

Ozona High School Future Farmers of America students were recognized for their achievements May 6 at the district banquet held in Christoval. The students brought back awards banners which will be displayed in the classroom of their sponsor, Terry Crawford.

The farm skills team of Ross Kelley, Jared Espino, Dean Wadsworth and Clint Hale won third place in district. Derek Wiley was third place winner in creed speaking. They are coached by Mr. Crawford.

Winning first place in district

range judging was the team of Aaron Renfro, Andy Birkenfeld and Dean Wadsworth. The team, which is coached by Stephen Zuberbueller, placed ninth at area.

The wool judging team coached by Donnie Laughlin and Charles Seidensticker placed third at district, fourth at area and was ninth in the state competition out of 42 teams. Ozona's winners were Katie Parker, Dean Wadsworth and Aaron Renfro.

Senior Katie Parker is an outgoing officer in the Concho District. Also a district officer is sophomore Andy Birkenfeld.

## 4-H teams win at district

The Crockett County 4-H wool and mohair judging teams had 19 young people compete Saturday, May 10, in Del Rio. The senior wool and senior mohair teams each won district and qualified for the State 4-H judging contest at College Station June 10-12.

The senior mohair team of Katie Parker, Aaron Renfro, Andy Birkenfeld and Kathryn Walston was first in district and third in open mohair, third in open wool and third overall in the open contest. Kathryn Walston won first high point individual in the district mohair contest and third high point in the open contest.

The senior wool team of Dub Walston, Clint Hale and Taylor Oglesby was first in district wool, fifth in open wool and fifth overall in the open contest. Taylor Oglesby was first high point individual in the district wool contest and fifth high point individual in the open wool contest and fifth high point overall in the open contest. Dub Walston was second high point individual in district wool and fifth high point individual in the open mohair. Clint Hale was third high point individual in the district wool.

Three junior teams were second, third, and fourth in district wool and mohair, and were second, third, and fifth place in the open contests. The members were Kraig Chandler, Laura Stapper, Taylor Newton, Kyann Kothman, Wendy Wilson, Lakin Aaron, Wade King, LuCinda Birkenfeld,

and Travis Zuberbueller. Laura Stapper was second in district wool, third in open wool, fifth in open mohair and fourth high point individual overall in the open contest. Kraig Chandler was third in district wool, fifth in open wool and fourth in open mohair. Lakin Aaron was third in district wool, fourth in open wool and fifth overall.

The novice team of Lane Hale, Murphey Black and Kelbie Renfro swept both the district and the open contests. They won first in the district and open contests in both the wool and mohair judging and won first overall in the open contest. Lane Hale was first high point individual in both contests in wool judging, third high point in district and open mohair judging and won first high point overall. Murphey Black was second in district and open wool, fifth in open mohair and second high point overall. Kelbie Renfro was fourth in district and open wool.

Volunteers joining the teams in Del Rio included; Coaches Donnie Laughlin, and Charles Seidensticker, parents Bobbie Renfro, Vickie Black, Amy Newton, Carlon Stapper, Kelvin Chandler, Randy Dusek, Les and Katrece Hale, Mark and Karen Davidson and County Agents Roy Walston and Wendy Scott.

Following State 4-H Roundup in June, these teams will compete in Sonora on June 18.

## 4-H'ers take top honors at District VI 4-H Round-Up

Thirteen members from Crockett County 4-H traveled to Fort Stockton May 1 to compete in the District 6 4-H Round-Up.

In senior competition (ages 14-18), the Share-the-Fun team consisting of Allie Bean, Katy Churchill, Bekah Cowen, Clint Hale, Jenna Henderson, and Taylor Oglesby placed first in the drama category. Their six minute drama deals with negativity and how to overcome it. Katie Parker and Aaron Renfro placed second in the sheep and goat category with their demonstration, "Wool: The Other Fabric of Our Lives." All eight seniors will now represent Crockett County and District 6 at State 4-H Round-Up, held June 10-13 at Texas A&M University.

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Members that attended this meeting were: Brandyn Tebbetts, Tell Churchill, Travis Zuberbueller, Adrienne Bendele, Lane White, Wilson White, LuCinda Birkenfeld.

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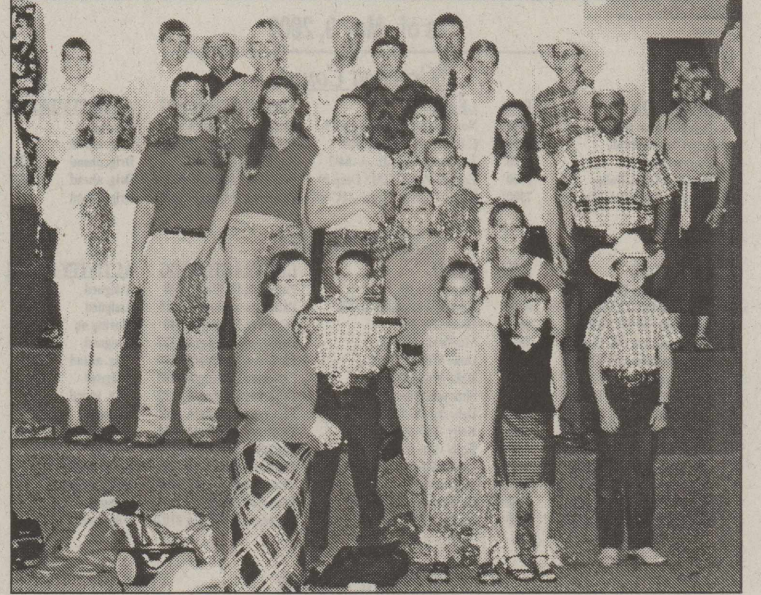
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on the piano.

Crockett County was also awarded "Most Spirited County" and brought home the spirit stick.

Wendy Scott, County Extension Agent, said, "I am so proud of our 4-H'ers for trying a new project this year. Most kids are

afraid of public speaking, but our 4-H'ers know the speaking skills they learn now will pay off in the future. I would like to thank the parents, grandparents, and brothers and sisters that attended District Round-Up. Our success was definitely a team effort."



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## Conner signs with Blinn baseball

Krissie Conner, granddaughter of Katherine Russell of Ozona, has signed with the Blinn Lady Buccaneers softball team. The second baseman for the Brenham Cubettes was the second member of her team to sign with the Lady Bucs this season.

Billed as cleanup batter for Brenham, she has been vital to the team's offense this season. Her statistics include a .315 batting average with seven doubles, four triples, two home runs and 22 runs batted in. Krissie's double, triple, home run and RBI totals led her team, which ranked at the top of the Conference 4A polls.

Blinn's No. 20 rank in the nation was a factor in Krissie's decision to accept their scholarship.

Blinn head coach Rick Church said that Krissie might play third base or at second base. Coach Church said one of the things he has admired about Krissie is that "when she's out in the field she has a level of intensity that you love to see in a college player."

Brenham head coach Wade Wilson praised Krissie's efforts for her team. "Krissie has done a great job for us all year," "She's one of the leaders on the team," he said in an interview with Richard Bray, sports editor for the Brenham Banner Press.

Wilson went on to comment that Krissie hits for power and average and doesn't strike out a lot. "She can hit the inside pitch, and she can hit the outside pitch, so she's a hard out."

Wilson is convinced Krissie will "do great". Having her sign is a steal for Blinn he says.

Krissie is the daughter of Rhonda and Tony Conner.

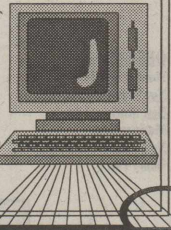
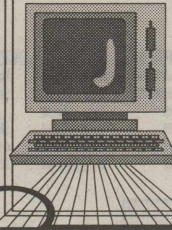
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San Angelo Dealership Disposing of 90 Bank Repos and Other Used Vehicles for Only \$59 Then Start Making Payments\*

SAN ANGELO, TX - Bank Repossessed cars and trucks are among the most hunted-for bargains in the automotive industry. Unfortunately for the general public, they're also the hardest to come by.

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, May 14th through Saturday, May 17th, Mitchell Toyota Kia will offer 90 bank repossessed, lease returns, fleet returns, auction vehicles and other clean 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 or profit. And if that means selling these vehicles some for thousands below normal values,

then that's what we'll do." Every bank repossessed and other pre-owned vehicles will be available for just a \$59 possession fee\* then start making payments. Some payments only \$99 per month.\* "It's that simple," said Mike Griffin. "To make these bargains even easier, we'll mark the payments right on the windshield. Just pick your payment and then

pick your vehicle. 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 factory 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 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 Super Sale ends at 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 17, 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.

\*With approved credit. \$59 plus, tax, title & fees. 1994 Olds Royale Stk#F3342A, Selling Price \$2,995 plus TT&L. \$99/mo for 36 mos. @ 12.9% APR thru Wells Fargo. \$59 possession fee, plus tax, title and license. Amount of down payment may vary with credit worthiness. Negative trade equity will be added to amount financed. Limit 2 vehicles per household. See dealer for details Mitchell Toyota/Kia 2003.

The Ozona Stockman Deadline is **MONDAY AT 5:00 P.M.**

# Crockett County Sheriff's Report

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**RIG LOCATIONS**  
General location information for Crockett, Sutton, Schleicher, Terrell, Reagan and Val Verde counties of Texas

As of May 9, 2003

**\*Crockett County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New Harrison Int.	10600	Norman Dudley Johnson #9	Patterson Drilling/A #109	Moving on Drig. ahead
New Chevron/Mid.	9500	C E Davidson Jr.-B-439	Nabors Drilling (O) #353	Drig. ahead
Encore Oper. LP	9100	J.L. Henderson Jr.-A-44-2	Key Energy (L) #10	Drig. ahead
Westport O&G/Dallas	9000	Conoco Powell GMS Deep #9	Patterson Drilling/S #81	Drig. ahead
New Anadarko Pet. Mid.	7900	Laura Hoover Estate -41C-#8	Patterson Drilling/A #38	Drig. ahead

**\*Sutton County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New Dominion OK TX&P	8550	Mayer -21- #9	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Assigned
Dominion OK TX&P	8750	Brown-Whitehead -2- #27	Patterson Drilling/A 3120	Assigned
Dominion OK TX&P	8650	Hicks -22- #14	Patterson Drilling/A #40	Moving on
New Dominion OK TX&P	8650	Mayfield -40- #10	Patterson Drilling/A #122	Assigned
New Dominion OK TX&P	8600	Duke Wilson #1865	Patterson Drilling/A #108	Drig. ahead
New Dominion OK TX&P	8600	Duke Wilson #1744	Patterson Drilling/A #108	Assigned
New Dominion OK TX&P	8350	Simmons Ranch #22	Patterson Drilling/A #122	Drig. ahead
New Dominion OK TX&P	8300	Deberry -A- #83	Patterson Drilling/A #102	Assigned
New Dominion OK TX&P	8700	Kelly -126- #14	Patterson Drilling/A #115	Drig. ahead
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New Dominion OK TX&P	8600	Genini #3708	Patterson Drilling/A #105	Drig. ahead
New Dominion OK TX&P	8200	Martin #25	Patterson Drilling/A #102	Drig. ahead
New Dominion OK TX&P	6150	Vanderstucken -71-#16	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Assigned
New Dominion OK TX&P	6100	Shurley #97	Patterson Drilling/A #107	Drig. ahead

**\*Terrell County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Tom Brown Inc/Mid.	20,000	Muleskinner #1 H	Grey Wolf Drilling/M #88	Drig. ahead
Excelsior Mobile Dev. Co.	15000	Banner Estate #29H	Patterson UT/LY #481	Workover
Nuevo Texas Inc.	12500	Mitchell -4-#8	Nabors Drilling (O) #626	Drig. ahead
EOG Res./Mid.	9600	Garner -11- #1	Patterson Drilling/A #39	Drig. ahead
New J. Cleo Thompson/Dal	9000	Ingham 23-1/2-#1	Patterson Drilling/A #42	Drig. ahead
New Fasken Oil & Ranch	7500	Geaslin NW -198- #42	Patterson Drilling/A #161	Drig. ahead

**\*Val Verde County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
EEX E&P Co.	12500	Whitehead -A- #7904	Patterson Drilling/A #471	Drig. ahead
New Henry Pet.	10600	Rose-Lea #2	Big Dog Drilling #12	Drig. ahead

**\*Edwards County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Dominion E&P/Houst.	9000	Four Square Ranch -A- #0543E	Patterson Drilling/A #120	Drig. ahead
New Dominion E&P/Houst	7500	Canyon Ranch #2102E	Patterson Drilling/A #118	Rigging up

**Schleicher County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
TXP, Inc.	6800	Murphy -19- #1	Heart Land Drilling #2	Drig. ahead

**\*Reagan County**

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Pioneer Nat./Irv.	9100	Aldwell -K- #404	Patterson UT/Mid #461	Drig. ahead
New Prime Oper./Mid.	8700	Weatherly -1219- #7	Patterson UT/Mid #472	Drig. ahead
New Mariner Eng.	8600	SAU Mariner-32-2A #2A	Big Dog Drilling #5	Drig. ahead
Mariner Eng.	8600	SAU Mariner -40- #1A	Big Dog Drilling #9	Drig. ahead
New Pioneer Nat./Irv.	8400	Spraberry Driver Unit #C170A	Patterson UT/Mid #464	Drig. ahead
Henry Pet.	7200	University Amber #2	Big Dog Drilling #2	Drig. ahead

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**Crockett County Sheriff's Department Weekly News Report 05-06-03 thru 05-12-03**

**05-06-03**

- Report of loud music at a local motel. Subjects were advised to turn down the music. No further incident.
- Report of dogs barking in the area of 11th St. and Ave. B. Deputy was unable to locate anything suspicious in the area.
- Deputy assisted a motorist having tire problems on Hwy. 163.
- Subjects came into the Sheriff's Office to request welfare assistance. Deputy gave subjects gas and food.
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- Deputy assisted an elderly couple on I-10. Subjects were brought to town to wait for their son to pick them up.
- Received two reports of a reckless driver in the area of Ave. J. Subject was located and warned of the complaints. No further incident.
- While on patrol, Deputy was flagged down and told of a possible argument at a residence on Ave. F. Matter was settled with no further incident.

**05-07-03**

- Report of subject at a residence on Bold Ruler who wasn't supposed to be there. Officers ordered the subject to leave. Subject refused to leave on his own, and was arrested on charges of criminal trespass and resisting arrest.
- Report of someone around a church on Santa Rosa St. When Deputies arrived, they noticed a window broken. Further investigation found an intoxicated subject inside the church. Subject was arrested on charges of public intoxication, criminal trespass and criminal mischief.
- Deputy unlocked vehicle on Ave. J.
- Deputy assisted DPS in an accident involving two tractor trailers near a local convenience store.
- Deputy assisted DPS in a one vehicle roll over on Hwy. 163. No injuries reported.
- Subject came into the Sheriff's Office and requested assistance with gas. Deputy arranged for the subject to get gas.
- Report of family disturbance on Ave. E. Deputy arrived, and matter was settled with no further incident.
- Deputy assisted EMS with a medical call on 2nd St.
- Report of loose livestock on 15th St. Deputies arrived and the situation was under control.
- Subject came into the Sheriff's Office to speak with a Deputy in reference to harrasment. Upon talking to complain-

- ant, no criminal action was taken.

**05-08-03**

- Report of telephone harrasment on 400 Block of Plum St. Deputy met with complainant and report was taken.
- Report of gas drive off at a convenience store on I-10. Vehicle was located, and subject was taken back to the convenience store.
- Deputy unlocked vehicle on 11th St.
- Report of two male subjects urinating in public on 1100 Block of Ave. H. Deputy was unable to locate subjects.
- Report of loose livestock on I-10. Land owner was contacted.
- Report of loud music coming from a vehicle parked near a local business. Deputy located vehicle, and advised the subjects to leave the area. No further incident.

**05-09-03**

- Report of several juveniles skateboarding on 11th St. Juveniles were told to leave the area.
- Report of a possible stranded motorist on I-10. Female subject had run off the road, and had already contacted someone to come get her.
- Report of a possible disturbance on Ave. J. Deputy arrived to discover everything was okay. Male subject involved had already left the residence.

**05-10-03**

- Civil dispute on the 800 Block of 9th St. Deputy stood by while subject left.
- Report of a moving truck on fire at 364 MM of I-10. Deputy assisted DPS Trooper. Fire was already put out.
- Deputy met with subjects on Corto St. in reference to trash thrown in yard.
- Deputy destroyed raccoons on 100 Block of 1st St.
- Deputy provided gas welfare for subjects at local convenience store.
- Deputy unlocked vehicle
- Subject reported trash being dumped on property. Subject did not wish to speak to a Deputy.
- Report of possible disturbance on 100 Block of Man O War. Deputy arrived to discover everything was ok.

**05-11-03**

- Report of disturbance on 1800 Block of Santa Rosa St. Deputies were unable to locate anyone in the area.
- Report of disturbance on 2000 Block of Santa Rosa St. Deputies advised no disturbance, just two subjects arguing. Subjects were gone upon Deputy's arrival.
- Report of intoxicated subjects in the area of Willow Dr.
- Deputy met with complainant on Mulberry St. in reference to subject calling him on the phone, and harassing him. Complainant did not want to file charges.

**05-12-03**

- Deputy met with complainant on Piedra St. in reference to juvenile daughter who had not returned home.
- Deputy responded to 911 call in reference to subject with knife wounds. Subject was transfer to clinic by EMS.
- Deputy unlocked vehicle on Ave. C.
- Deputy met with complainant in reference to money missing from a safe. Deputy took offense report.
- Deputy met with complainant at the office in reference to assault. Deputy took report.
- Report of reckless driver on Ave. E. Deputy was unable to locate vehicle.

- Deputy met with complainant in reference to juvenile problem.
- Deputy met with Greyhound driver in reference to having a problem with one of the passenger. Subject was taken off the bus.
- Deputy responded to 911 call in reference to female subject that had fallen, and stabbed herself with a knife. Female was transfer to clinic by EMS.

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- Gregory Abdon Marmolejo, age 31, of Austin was arrested by Task Force Officer on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 ounces. Subject was release after posting bond.
- Mario Najera Aguilar, age 24, of San Angelo was arrested on a Crockett County Warrant charging theft more than \$1,500, less than \$20,000. Subject still remains in jail unable to post bond.

**05-10-03**

- Kirkpatrick, Jason Deshawn, age 43, of Houston was arrested by DPS Trooper on a Brazoria County warrant charging theft by check. Subject was released after posting bond.

**OFFENSE REPORTS 05-06-03 thru 05-12-03**

**5-08-03**

- At approximately 11:20 a.m., Crockett County Sheriff's Deputy met with complainant on 400 Block of Plum St., and took offense report for harrasment.

**05-12-03**

- Deputy filed an offense report for aggravated assault with deadly weapon. Victim was stabbed twice by known person. Investigation continues, and an arrest is pending.
- Deputy filed an offense report for theft of money from local store.

## Prospective jurors called

Only 42 of the 250 called to jury duty responded Monday morning, leading to deputies knocking on doors to round up 12 more for possible service in a murder trial. Of the 54 who came to the courtroom that afternoon, 18 were excused according to the

county and district clerk's office. On trial is Evelio Fuentes Galindo of Del Rio. He is charged in the Sept. 29, 2001, shooting death of Salome Rodriguez, also of Del Rio. The shooting occurred on the Joe Bean Ranch on Pandale Road.

## NRCS announces EQIP financial assistance now available in Texas

The USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) announced that financial assistance will be available in Texas to conserve natural re-

sources and address environmental concerns on private lands. These funds are part of conservation provisions contained in the 2002 Farm Bill and authorized by the Environmental Quality Incentives Program (EQIP). Eligible farmers and ranchers may apply for these funds as cost-share assistance.

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In making the announcement Dr. Larry D. Butler, State Conservationist for NRCS in Texas, said, "Each county will be provided a base allocation. Local Work Groups (LWGs) have established resource concerns, eligible conservation treatment practices, and developed the ranking criteria and screening processes. This is government at its best where local landowners and operators establish local conservation priorities at the grassroots level."

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In Texas, NRCS works with 216 local Soil and Water Conservation Districts (SWCDs) to address local natural resource issues. Larry Williams, chairman of the Crockett SWCD, said he was pleased with the input they have received in developing the local conservation needs criteria for Crockett County. "This is an excellent opportunity for local people to provide substantial information in order to administer EQIP for our SWCD."

Applications for the 2003 EQIP program in Texas will be accepted through June 13, 2003. For more information about the 2003 EQIP program, contact the local SWCD district office or NRCS field office at 201 11th in Ozona or call 325-392-2301 ext. 3. Additional information is available on the agency website at <http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/farmbill>.

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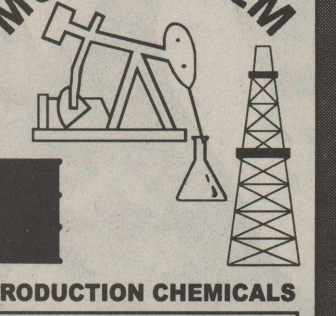
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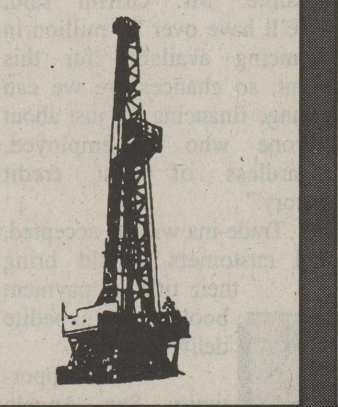


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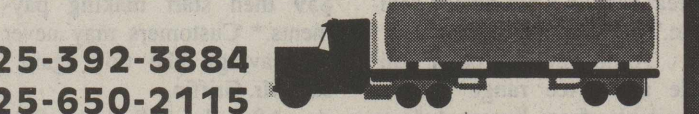
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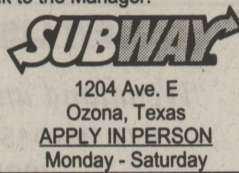
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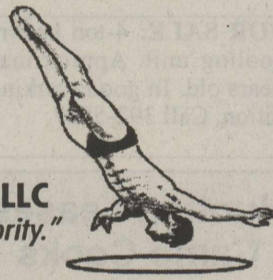
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