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High 92 Low 72 **Chance of T-Storms**

Saturday

High 90 Low 72 **Chance of Showers**

Sunday High 92 Low 70

Chance of Showers Forecast information provided by the **National Weather** Service in San Angelo

Local teen killed in vehicle accident

Coates was 'on fire' with a string of rodeo wins

only one you have," quote from Zane Coates' myspace page.

Zane Coates loved life and his family, but his passion belonged to the rodeo arena.

Whether it was roping or competing in saddle bronc, Coates gave his all to the sport.

Only 19-years-old, Coates died tragically last week in a vehicle accident in Stephenville on his way to a rodeo in Jacksonville.

The accident occurred at the intersection of FM 8 and U.S. Highway 281 Thursday afternoon. Coates was ejected from his white Dodge pickup when he crashed into a Milk Transport Service eighteen-wheeler. He was pronounced dead at the scene.

According to Sgt. Robbie Ruddger, trooper with the Texas Department of Public Safety in Stephenville, Coates apparently failed to yield at the stop sign on FM 8 before entering traffic on the highway and did not appear to be wearing a seatbelt.

The milk truck was traveling southbound on the highway and Rudder said it looked like the driver took evasive action in an attempt to avoid the accident.

Extensive black skid marks could be seen on the pavement. Still, the pickup plowed into the two rear axles of the trailer knocking the pickup's toolbox

"Live life to the fullest, it's the and tailgate completely off. The impact was so severe that debris was lying all over, including two of the pickup's air conditioning vents that were seen lying several yards away.

Officials at Milk Transport Service said the driver of the milk truck was Shane Muth, 36, and a resident of Millican.

Muth fractured his sternum in three places as the impact hurled him into the steering wheel. He was transported to Harris Methodist Erath County Hospital for treatment.

For the Class of 2006, it was the second time they gathered together this year to morn the passing of one of their classmates. D.L. Hensley died earlier this year in a vehicle accident on Pandale Road at the Crockett County, Val Verde County line.

Coates' lifelong friend, Dean Wadsworth, said he had just spoken to Coates at noon -just a few hours before the accident. The two were making plans to attend a rodeo in Mesquite this weekend and the following week planned to attend Cheyenne Frontier days in Wyoming.

"We heard there was a white dually pickup in a wreck and heard it might be Zane," Wadsworth said. "The whole way we it wasn't true.'

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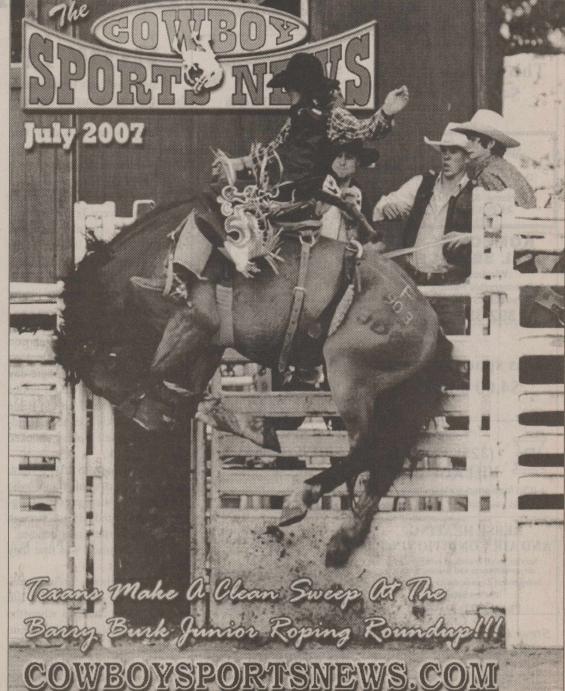


Photo courtesy of R&M photos

were holding our breath hoping ZANE COATES of the Southwest Texas Junior College Team in Uvalde rides a Bubba Miller bronc at the Sam Houston State University NIRA rodeo in Huntsville. This photo is the July cover of "Cowboy Sports News" featuring Coates who died last week in a vehicle accident in Stephenville.

Ozona Hair Company is open for business



OZONA HAIR COMPANY owners Whitney Agee (left) and Lisa Pool (center), along with Judy Bales cut the ribbon to official open for business at 1103 Avenue E. Also attending are (left to right) Chamber Ambassador Nell Wester, Commissioner Randy Branch, Chamber Ambassador Joann Babbitt, County Judge Fred Deaton, Commissioner Frank Tambunga, Chamber Ambassador Lynn English, Chamber Ambassador Beth Hoover, Past Chamber Board Member and Librarian Louise Ledoux, Chamber Ambassador Renee Padier and Chamber Board Member Sylvia Longoria.

Chamber appeals to the community for help on assessing housing issue

By MELISSA PERNER Editor and Publisher

Stepping forward in assessing the housing issue in Crockett County, the Ozona Chamber of in the consortium. Commerce is appealing to the community for their help.

The chamber is asking the citizens of Crockett County to help by completing a housing survey.

The surveys stem from concerns expressed by local residents and businesses and are a result of meetings of the Regional Consortium for Economic Development and Business Support formed by the Concho Valley Workforce Development Board out of San Angelo that includes individuals and organizations Crockett County.

All counties in the Concho Valley, with the exception of Tom Green County, are included

Communities within the Concho Valley benefit by coming together as a region to share best practices and resources that may not be available to them separately.

Housing has become a serious issue for a number of the rural communities within the region that are seeking a solution, said Chamber Executive Director currently renting? Are they hap-Shanon Biggerstaff.

Biggerstaff said her office is not, what are they looking for? approached on a daily basis by

seeking housing.

A few of the questions that will be asked on the Housing Surveys will be:

· How many employees within your organization commute? If housing were available, would they move to Ozona? Would they rent or buy?

· How many employees rent, but if available would purchase an affordable home (1,200-1,500 square foot in the \$80,000 to \$90,000 price)?

· How many employees are py with their accommodations, if

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Superintendent to discuss school issues at luncheon

Thursday is the RSVP deadline to attend By MELISSA PERNER Editor and Publisher

Superintendent Abe Gott will answer the questions the community has been raising at a luncheon sponsored by the Ozona Chamber of Commerce.

The luncheon will be held at 11:30 a.m. July 24 at the Visitor Center Conference Room.

The meal will be catered by the Ozona Chatter Box and will consist of King Ranch Chicken, rice, refried beans, Mexican salad, banana pudding, hot sauce and tea. Cost is \$8 per person.

Gott plans on speaking of the history of the schools, why the district needs a new school and how a bond with impact taxes.

During a June 7 meeting, members of the School Facilities Committee voted to build a new primary school on the existing primary school site.

With an estimated \$130 per square-foot, the total cost is estimated at \$5.2 million.

With the \$250,000 estimated for new windows in the Heritage Building, and \$300,000 for two new buses, the total cost for the district was estimated at around the intermediate school and one \$5.7 million.

The Crockett County CCSD Board of Trustees now takes the eighth grade science next year at committee's recommendation and gather information from architects to get an exact figure.

At the June 20 board meet- of Commerce. ing, the board approved Gott sending out applications to sev- 20.

The latest the board can call the chamber at 392-3737.



ABE GOTT

for a bond for the November election is the first week of Sep-Gott began as Superinten-

dent of the CCCCSD Feb. 1, He moved to Ozona from

Cherokee where he also served as school superintendent.

He has 19 years experience in education He is a graduate of Baylor

University with a master's degree in education from Tarleton State University. He has three children: two at

beginning in kindergarten. His wife Laura will teach

the middle school. Abe also serves as Board of Director for the Ozona Chamber

Deadline to RSVP is July

For more information, call

Stockman close this week for vacation

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Deadline for the July 25 edition will be 4 p.m. Monday, July 23.

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What's on My Mind By Melissa Perner

Bluebonnets are now in heaven

Stories of Lady Bird Johnson I was a little girl.

They were so widely told that when I was little I thought the Former First Lady was a member of my family.

In truth Mrs. Johnson was a member of every Texas family.

When I learned of Mrs. Johnson's passing last week, the world seemed to stop for just a moment. It was hard for me to realize that she was no longer with us.

We have all seen the picture of Lyndon Baines Johnson being sworn in as president on Air Force One on the tragic day in Dallas in 1963. We all notice LBJ with his hand on the Bible and Mrs. Jackie Kennedy standing to LBJ's left looking shocked and mournful.

If you look to LBJ's right, there stands a small figure who would be the new president biggest support and advisor through one of the hardest presidencies.

Mrs. Johnson was first lady like any other.

I remember a college professor telling me that his life as a reporter changed when the Johnson's took over the White House.

He told me that he went from covering a First Lady that standoffish with the press, to a First Lady that kept every piece of the media on their toes trying to keep up with her next move.

Mrs. Johnson epitomized what it means to be a "Texas Lady.

She was gracious, kind and not afraid to stick her neck out in campaigning for her husband. However, it was the stories

of how she treated people that she met that always intrigued

When my grandmother's brother was in intensive care, Mrs. Johnson walked into the waiting room to sit with the family of one her ranch hands that was also in ICU.

My grandmother said that when she walked in, everybody knew who she was but that Mrs. Johnson didn't make a fuss. She was dressed in cowboy boots, jeans and work shirt.

My grandmother said Mrs. have been told in my family since Johnson stayed with that family as if they were her own family.

Those are the stories that really touch me about this great lady.

While the world is remembering her for her beautiful works, it's the stories of how she touched lives that I enjoy read-

As I read all the tributes posted on the Internet about Mrs. Johnson, one that caught my eye was from a woman in Austin who told the story of how the Former First Lady fed her and her fellow bus drivers during a dinner party at the LBJ Ranch. The woman and her fellow bus drivers were the ones who drove Mrs. Johnson's VIP guests to the party that night.

Mrs. Johnson even pointed out her favorite dishes to the drivers, the woman posted.

The most famous story, however, comes from my father. This is one that I have heard since I was little girl.

While visiting the LBJ Library one day in Austin, my father goes to step on the elevator to go down stairs and standing in the elevator is Lady Bird Johnson.

Mrs. Johnson then asks my father if he will accompany her downstairs in the elevator.

My father got to ride down the elevator with the Former First Lady and also got to shake her hand.

all people shows the small town fashionable now twice in my Texas girl that always remained inside her.

will never go away, as long as a nuclear blast in their tattered there are those of us that will clothing. And it appears that I'm keep on telling them.

As our state and country mourns the passing of this re- are now sensible and stylish for markable woman, we are reminded every spring and summer of the greatest legacy that she left behind.

If Texas bluebonnets were not in heaven before, they are

Goodbye Claudia Alta Taylor Johnson. You will always be our Lady Bird.

SBDC Workers' Compensation Seminar July 24 in San Angelo

The Angelo State University Small Business Development Center and Workforce Solutions of Concho Valley is sponsoring the Workers' Compensation Seminar from 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tuesday, July 24.

The seminar will be held at the West Texas Training Center. The cost is \$45 per person or

\$40 for two or more people from the same company. Pre-registration is required.

This workshop will cover information on the law and rules, employer and employee rights and responsibilities, medical, income and death benefit eligibility requirements, the claims process; return to work, the dispute

resolution process; and health, safety and prevention programs Topics for the day include:

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Return to Work

• Dispute Resolution • Sam Hurtz Case

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who is from the Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers Compensation.

Call (325) 942-2098 to register or on-line at www.sbdc.an-

Correction...

Crockett County Commissioner Alfredo Tobar was charged with impersonating an official. Tobar, a county official, stated that the information printed in the July 11 issue of The Ozona Stockman, was not correct.

etters to the Editor

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Community Calendar

Wednesday, July 18

 Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center. Ozona Lions Basketball Camp, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day at the Davidson Gym.

 Vacation Bible School, 5:15 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

Thursday, July 19

 Ozona Lions Basketball Camp, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day at the Davidson Gym. Chamber Board Meeting, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Visitor

 Ladies' Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center. Vacation Bible School, 5:15 p.m. at the First Baptist

 Lady Lions Basketball Camp registration, 7 p.m. at the Davidson Gym.

Friday, July 20

 Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center. Ozona Lions Basketball Camp, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day at the Davidson Gym.

Saturday, July 21

 Ozona Royals vs. Ozona Horns reunion, 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. at the south softball fields.

Monday, July 23

• Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center. Ozona Lady Lions Basketball Camp, 9 a.m. to 3:30

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p.m. each day at the Davidson Gym. Chamber Membership Luncheon, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Visitor Center.

 Open Playday Series, 6 p.m. at the Rodeo Arena. Wednesday, July 25

Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.

 Sewing Camp, 9 a.m.-noon at the Civic Center. Ozona Lady Lions Basketball Camp, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. each day at the Davidson Gym.

 Open Door Baptist Church Taekwondo Ministry Team Demonstration, 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.



was gracious, kind and caring to least my jeans are. I have been life. The first time was during the hippy era when everyone Memories of Mrs. Johnson looked like they'd just survived "IN" once again as leading fashionistas have declared that jeans work, play and dressy occasions. Whatever those are.

Because I am a blue jeans expert and a man of exquisite taste I've agreed to answer your clothes questions so that you too can be cool and fashionable like me.

Dear Clotheshorse, What do you think of the low-riding, baggy jeans that are so popular with today's teens? Not much. Today's youth

lower their cars and their jeans to dangerous levels. The exposedunderwear-look is not one I'd recommend for obese males or anyone who blushes easily. The knee length jeans that teenag-· Workers' Compensation ers are wearing are reminiscent of the "pedal pushers" worn by • Employee & Employer women that were last popular in Dear Clotheshorse, Italian

designer jeans are popular but I have an unusual body type. Instead of an hourglass I'm shaped more like a pair. The Italian jeans I looked at were tight fitting and The Speaker is John Garza, were selling for an absurd figure. Should I splurge on a pair?

Please don't. Skintight Italian jeans shouldn't be worn by anyone with an absurd figure. Just spill some spaghetti on your Wranglers and tell everyone they're Italian.

Dear Clotheshorse, I notice that many people are wearing Ugg® boots with their jeans. Would this be a stylish look for a 75-year-old cattle feeder?

Are you kidding me? The boots were so named when a South Dakota rancher got a pair of the boots for Christmas, took one look in the mirror and exclaimed "UGG!"

Dear Clotheshorse, is it ac-

I'm glad you asked. Recentback to Oklahoma City to honor

According to trendset- our mutual friend, Ellington. I The way Lady Bird Johnson ters I'm back in fashion. Or at wasn't there but I've seen photographic evidence that many of them committed a fashion faux paus and did indeed wear jeans with their tuxedo jackets. (No doubt because it was more expensive to also rent the pants.) After seeing the photos I'd just like to say that if you attempt this look you should at least wear a NEW pair of jeans and not the same ones you used to castrate

> Dear Clotheshorse, As a trendsetter what cutting edge clothes do you wear?

I prefer a sweater around my neck for a pouty look and "relaxed fit' jeans for a style I call "soggy bottom." I prefer jeans with smaller back pockets because large ones tend to make my caboose seem disproportionately large. I also wear my pants longer... about 12 years longer, to be exact. I don't wear "cutting edge" newer jeans where the waistband cuts into my midsection thereby creating a "cutting edge.'

Dear Clotheshorse, How many pair of jeans should be in my wardrobe?

Two pair is plenty. Retrieve your pile of jeans (I'm assuming anyone who reads this column doesn't hang their jeans on hangers) and sort them by color. Your bluest and newest should be worn to church, your wedding, funeral and other solemn events. Wash them once a year so they don't fade and fall into the second category which is threadbare faded jeans that you wear for casual occasions and for work.

When your ripped, holy and nearly gray jeans (the kind that that were once popular with country singers) develop holes in embarrassing places they fall into a category I call "pinkeye patches." If you are a charitable person you can attempt to give these jeans to the Goodwill but, based on personal experience, I seriously doubt that they'll take them.

Dear readers, Be watching for my next installment of Dear Clotheshorse when we discuss formal wear and answer the ageold question... "For dressy occasions should you tuck your tee shirt in or not?"

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Duncan-Crossland to wed

Coach Tom and Dana Duncan, of Midland, are proud to announcement the engagement of their daughter, Terri Lynn Duncan, to Chad Ray Crossland, son of Delmer Ray and Jeanne Crossland, of Shamrock, Texas.

The wedding will be held Sept. 1, 2007 at The Wedding Garden in Canyon, Texas.

The bride-elect is a 2001 graduate of Ozona High School. She is a 2005 graduate of Texas Tech University in Lubbock with a bachelor of arts degree in sociology and criminology. She is employed by Potter County Probation as an adult probation officer in Amarillo.

The prospective groom is a 1998 graduate of Shamrock High School. He is a 2003 graduate of West Texas A & M University in Canyon with a bachelor of science degree in criminal justice. He is employed by Potter County Probation as an adult probation officer

Necessary graduates from ASU

Michelle Necessary, a 2003 graduate of Ozona High School, was among 465 graduates at Angelo State University, where she received an associate of applied science in nursing degree conferred during the May 12 commencement at the Junell Center in San Angelo.

Michelle passed the state regulated ENCLEX examination in June and began working as a registered nurse on the Progressive Care Unit at San Angelo Community Hospital.

Attending the commencement were Cecil and Jackie Necssary, Virginia Bishop, Bailey Bishop, Morris and Betty King, Junior, Susan and O'Rion Bilano, all of Ozona, Ralph and Mary Necessary, of Christoval, Joseph Knaack, of Austin, Jessica Knaack, of Odessa and Layne English, of Lubbock, along with numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, life-long friends and precious new ones.

Following the ceremony, Michelle was presented with a graduation part at Zentner's Steak House, hosted by many other family members and close friends.









Conner-Campbell to wed

Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Conner Jr., of Ozona, are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter, Robin Kate Conner, to Jason Ken such as sewing on a button, hand Campbell, son of Ken Vance Campbell and Pollianna Campbell.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.R. Conner, Mrs. Dempster Jones and the late Dempster Jones, all of Ozo-

The prospective groom is the grandson of Mrs. Vance Campbell and the late Vance Campbell, of Floydada, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wilson, of Modesto, Calif.

The wedding will be held Oct. 27, 2007 at the Ozona United Methodist Church.

The bride-elect is a 1999 graduate of Sonora High School. She also attended Howard College and now works in ranching in Lub-

The prospective groom is a 1998 graduate from Floydada High School. He is a 2003 graduate of Texas Tech University in Lubbock with a bachelor of science degree in agriculture and applied economics. He works in ranching near Dougherty, Texas.

Former Ozona resident to retire from 31 years at phone company

Mary Fierro Ruiz, formerly of Ozona, will celebrate her retirement on Aug. 10, with a dinner dance at the Luminarias Restaurant in Monterey Park, Calif.

Mary is retiring after 31 years of service at Pacific Bell, South-

western Bell and AT&T.

She is the daughter of the late "Pancho" Fierro. Pancho and Mary's mother Lily Ramos Fierro, along with Mary and her sisters Emma, Irma, Frances and Esperanza, and brother Frank were long term residents of Ozona, prior to relocating to California.

Anyone wishing to send Mary a card, or call her, can forward the cards to Mary Ruiz 2051 Whittier Blvd. #331, Montebello, Calif. 90640. You can reach her at (323) 838-0048.

Sewing camp to be held July 25

The Crockett County Texas machine and how to use pat-Cooperative Extension will be having another sewing camp from 9 a.m. to noon July 25 at the Crockett County Civic Center.

This is a basic sewing class wanting to learn the basics of for ages 9 and up. The cost is sewing. Please pre-register by

You will learn basic sewing sewing, how to work a sewing

Texas Cooperative Extension office at 392-2721. 均appp

Crockett County Museum Memorials

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July 20 - Gabriel Longoria Sr., Shelia Castillo, Fleet Ray Worthington and Devon Diehl

July 21 - Isaac Galindo, Lindsy Lacy, Daniel Gonzales, Helen Bean, Tee Jay Nowell, Ann Shaw, Harold Shaw and Rae Lynn Arredondo

July 22 - Emmanuel Sarabia, Anthony Matos and Vicky

July 23 - Mikie Santiago, E. Jason Vitela II, Sara Alexis Fuentes, Glenda Henderson and Domingo Leal

July 24 - Charlie Bryson, Joshua Perez, Dana Moran, Jessica Moore, Chuck Preddy, Jonathan Carrasco, Mia Cruz, Bill Fuller, Nathan Hubbard, Wade Maness and Arlene Clayton

To place a birthday on the birthday list, call 392-2551

Texas Pecos Trail seeks new board members By KEITH GODWIN - currently held by Jed Elrod of promote and present your his-Fort Stockton, will be reviewed toric site, museum, or tourist Trail Regional Coordinator

The Texas Pecos Trail Region board is seeking nominations from interested civic and business leaders - for three new board members, one each from

two "Zones" and one "At-large" position in the Region. The board facilitates the program strategies, marketing, education and funding projects that help communities in the region use heritage tourism as an eco-

nomic development growth tool. Board members serve a three year term with a minimum meeting bi-monthly.

The deadline for applications to this progressive board is Friday, August 31.

In Zone 1, (Ward, Loving, Winkler, Andrews, Martin, Ector and Midland counties,) Paula Walker of the Monahans Main Street Program is rotating out, and in Zone 4, (Sutton, Kimble, Edwards, Kinney, and Maverick counties) Mary Ann Kay of Sonora Main Street is leaving after three years on the board.

Applications for those two positions, and the At-large seat

and nominees selected - at the destination. September board of directors Visit the web for more inmeeting in Odessa. formation.

Application forms, a list of board responsibilities, and a complete list of the current board members may be found on the website page - "About the Region", or by contacting Keith Godwin, Region Coordinator.

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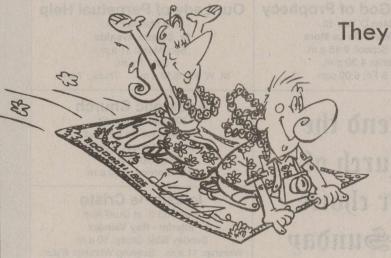
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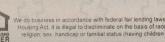
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Zane was a loving son and a

Zane is survived by his par-

loyal friend; a free spirit, living

ents, Fleet and Deklyn Coates of

Ozona; his grandparents, Lonye

and Pat Cain of Ozona; his un-

cles, Cody Cain and Casey Cain,

both of Bulverde. He will be

Hardin, Justin Browning, Terry

Crawford, Clint Hale, Kenny

Wadsworth, Dean Wadsworth,

and all of Zane's special friends

he had come to know over the

memorials be made to The Cow-

boys Crisis Fund, through the

PRCA to help families of the less

My candle burns at both ends;

It will not last the night;

But, ah, my foes, and,

oh, my friends -

it gives a lovely light.

- Edna St. Vincent Millay

fortunate cowboys.

The family requests that

Pallbearers were be Cole

missed by many, many friends.

each day to its fullest.

Obituaries

Zane Dalton Coates

Zane Dalton Coates passed

He was born on Jan. 13,

Zane loved life, his family,

Rodeo was his passion, and

this earth Thursday July 12, 2007

in Stephenville, Texas, as a result

1988 in San Antonio. Graveside

services were held Sunday July

15 at the Cedar Hill Cemetery in

and rodeo. He graduated from

Ozona High School in 2006,

where he played on the OHS golf

State Rodeo Qualifier all four

years. Zane was a member of

the American Junior Rodeo As-

sociation, United States Team

Roping Association, and Pro Ro-

deo Cowboys Association. He

was a Class A roper, and learned

a PRCA Permit Holder, and had

begun to reap the benefit of his

ning performance at the Belton

Fourth of July PRCA Rodeo,

Temple Telegram staff writer

Tim Waits wrote, "Saddle Bronc

rider Zane Coates, a wiry young

cowboy from Ozona with a flair

for drama, made his ride pay

big dividends in front of a near-

capacity crowd at Bell County

Expo Center. Coates rode out a

horse named Windsor to an im-

pressive 77 score to handily take

first place in the saddle bronc,

outscoring the closest competi-

cover of this month's Cowboy

He is also featured on the

tors by four points."

Sports News magazine.

Zane worked hard to become

Following Zane's win-

to love saddle bronc riding.

efforts.

of a traffic accident.

and basketball teams.

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Kimberly Flores bride-elect of **Tim Maldonado**

Robin Conner bride-elect of Jason Campbell



Ozona Senior Happenings

By LYNN ENGLISH Senior Center Director

Can you believe we are already in the middle of July? It has begun to get warmer with less of those wonderful showers.

Last Friday, Grace Williams celebrated her 90th birthday out at the Circle Bar Restaurant with a number of friends and relatives. Congratulations Grace and we wish you many more happy birthdays.

Our friend Penn Baggett was injured in a motorcycle accident yesterday. He remains in a San Angelo hospital after having surgery yesterday. We will keep Penn in our prayers and wish him a speedy recovery.

I was happy to see Charlotte Harrell at the post office Friday. She has been in Virginia with her daughter having some medical treatment. We are happy that you are back in Ozona with us.

Patsy White, one of our Crockett County Senior Center Board members, called from Dallas today. She is recovering from successful eye surgery. It

good word.

We want to give a very spe-

cial thanks to a young man which

we are so proud of Sgt. Jacob

Tambunga. He came to visit and

say "Hi!" He is the son of Mel

Ybarra from accounts here at our

was good hearing her cheerful voice and we are anxious for her to return home to Ozona.

Byron and Liz Williams celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary this past week. Congratulations to you both and we wish you happiness for a long, long time.

I saw Dorothy Montgomery Saturday. She told me that she and Beecher had celebrated their 64th wedding anniversary "a week or so ago." Is that not wonderful? Congratulations to you and wishing you continued happiness.

The Crockett County Senior Center received a generous donation from Robilen Miller and Gail Hartman. We thank these two ladies and will always remember their kindness. We are blessed having such good supporters.

The entire English family was saddened to learn of the death of a much loved Uncle, J.P. English of Carrizo Springs, Texas on July 15. J.P. leaves a number of relatives, including a wife, two daughters and one son. He also leaves a mountain of friends.

We will have a movie at 2

senior center. It's called "Return to Me." Please come join us.

Come in and look over the book selection in our bookcase to see if there is one or two that you would like to read. We also have available magazines and recipe books.

Come "Walk Two Miles" with us every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 a.m. This exercise program conditions you to begin your day and everyone who participates testifies that it makes them feel better. We are happy that the ladies that have gone have returned to resume their walking exercise.

Every Monday and Thursday, the bridge players come he was a Texas High School to the Senior Center to play. These ladies come in all smiles bringing snacks and enjoy each other's company. Playing bridge last week were Liz Williams, Celia West, Sandy Bebee, Eileen Childress, Marolyn Bean, Katherine Russell and Jean Odom.

Our activities are for those 50 and over (we are flexible). Come out and join in the activi-

p.m. Tuesday, July 24, here at the ties you are missing. LET US INTRODUCE



from the Care Center **ORIGINALLY FROM:** Ozona, Texas SPOUSE, CHILDREN: Jimmy, two girls, two girls,

> 11 grandkids and 1 great-grandchild HOBBIES, ORGANIZA-

TIONS, OTHER INTER-ESTS: Enjoy taking time and spend with my grandkids and go play bingo, and enjoy

CCCC and I'm a member of OLPH

Levis & Lace Square Dance News

By TINA JARVIS

Levis and Lace Square Dancer

Saturday night club members Leroy and Carol Adcock, JoAnn Babbitt, Nell Wester, Lucy Hinde, Tina Jarvis, Jim Couch, Frank Fred, Danny and Thanks to Lucy Hinde for Tammi Monzingo, Sandy Bebee bingo prizes and also playing and Mary Welty dance to caller bingo and dominoes. We consider Tom Harrison from Abilene. We her as a great volunteer. We would really had more of a Plus Worklike to thank all our volunteers for shop with Tom calling singing

Several years ago my wife and I were involved in a program that taught children the Bible. If the children learned their

memory verses and did their Bible homework they were qualified to get in the candy line for a reward at the end of the

evening. It was interesting to watch them line up to get their rewards. They were so excited and could hardly wait. Watch-

ing them reminded me of something that Christians face in life. Are we qualified to stand in God's candy line? There have

been times in my Christian walk that I have done well and then there were times I did mediocre and then there were times

that I failed. I didn't deserve it but I stood in God's candy line anyway. When I faced God I was ashamed and I asked him to

forgive me, (Daniel 9:9) and I asked Him to help me do better. I was not there asking Him for a reward but for forgiveness,

(Hebrews 4:16). I have found our God, the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob to be a loving, forgiving and merciful God,

(Ephesians 2:4) and many times when I didn't deserve a reward a blessing he gave me one anyway, (Nehemiah 9:16&17,

Romans 9:15). Now of us deserves forgiveness for our sins and yet he provided a way, through Jesus Christ, (Acts 10:43,

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1002 11th St.

Mr. Johnnie Perkins

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

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

Faith Lutheran Church

802 1st St.

Pastor Tom Baden

Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m.

Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m.

Church of God of Prophecy

102 Man O' War St.

Pastor Mario De La Mora

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Worship: 4:30 p.m.

Tues. & Fri: 6:00 p.m.

Attend the

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pour choice

this Sunday

Ozona United

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12 - 11th St.

Rev. John Fluth

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

Templo Siloe

Assembly of God Church

2121 Santa Rosa St

Rev. Dan & Ann Rios

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.

Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.

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Fr. Serafin Avenido

Sun. Mass: 11 a.m.

Sat.: 7 p.m.

M. W. F. - 8:30 a.m. Thurs.: 7 p.m.

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.

Iglesia de Cristo

Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run

Interim - Ray Valadez

Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study: 6 p.m.

We also had a meeting tonight and voted to stay in the come see the Open Door Bap-Westerners, Jim Couch will be our delegate and JoAnn Babbitt will be the substitute delegate in case Jim can't go to a meeting. Our guests tonight were

We hope to dance Friday

Keep it square and happy

First Baptist Church to host

Mary Welty, Rita Rios and Myra Nester is back with us also.

night at the Care Center.

Taekwondo Team Demonstration The public is invited to istry mission trip in support of

tist Church Taekwondo Ministry Team of Raleigh, N.C. at 7 p.m. July 25 at the First Baptist Church of Ozona.

the week of July 22-29 for a min- pel of Christ.

Esperanza Del Rio Community Church, a church plant of Open Door Baptist. The public is invited to see

first hand how this evangelistic The team will be in Del Rio ministry works to share the gos-

Big Lake to host prison ministry training in August

Lake, will be hosting a one day training for those interested in volunteering in a prison ministry program.

The training will be held from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Aug. 11. There will be two sessions.

The first session will be on prison fellowship. This session will cover topics from Biblical foundations for an in-prison ministry, discipleship, getting to know the criminal justice professionals, introduction to the prison environment, community needs, common problèm areas for prisoner's families, collaboration, Do's and Don'ts on prison grounds, transitioning to the free world, partnership, facilitating small-groups, learning to listen, and other ministry opportunities.

There is a \$10 registration fee

that covers the cost of materials. The second session will be conducted by TDCJ concerning security and safety training. This session will satisfy the State's requirement to volunteer in a TDCJ prison and state jail. If you are interested in becoming

Friends For Hope, in Big a state approved volunteer, you will need to fill out an application as soon as possible.

You can stop by the Friends For Hope office at 116 N. Main in Big Lake and pick up an application, or you can call and have an application faxed to you. You will need to complete the application ASAP.

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TDCJ will send you a letter indicating your approved status. This letter must be brought with you to class.

When you complete the training from TDCJ, you will be considered "Trained and Approved Volunteers" for in-prison ministry.

If your application is not approved, TDCJ will explain what is necessary to approve or reasons you were not approved and will discuss with you on a per-

If you have any other questions or concerns, you may contact the Friends For Hope office at (325) 884-9804 or (325) 884-2281.

This training is not being funded by any grant associated with Friends For Hope.

Card of Thanks

We would like to express our sincere appreciation to Doctor Sims, the nurses, and EMT personal. Thank you for making it possible for our baby girl to get the attention she needed. You all did an outstanding job. Also to our family. We greatly appreciate you concern and support. Above all, we thank God for letting us bring our baby girl home safe and out of harm. God bless you all,

Noe and Clara Guerra

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all our friends and family for making our wedding such a special occasion whether in attendance or in prayer. To those that jumped in and assisted with the serving of the food, you were a lifesaver.

> God bless you all, Jessica and Raphael Alba Rita De La Rosa

Devotion to St. Jude

May the sacred heart of Jesus be praised, adored, glorified, loved and preserved and glorified throughout the world now and forever. The sacred heart of Jesus, pray for us. St. Jude, worker of miracles, pray for us. St Jude, helper of the hopeless, pray for us. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ for the help of your servant St Jude in Listening to my prayers. Say this prayer nine times for nine days. By the end of the eighth, your prayer will be answered. It has never been known to fail. Publication must be promised. Thank you St. Jude for prayers answered.

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Templo Bautista Jerusalem

138 Blas St.

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m, 6 p.m.

Wednesday: 7 p.m.

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.

Calvary Baptist Church

601 Ave.

Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m.

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

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M-COOL will benefit beef industry

By BILL HYMAN ICA Executive Director

LOCKHART, TEXAs - For Immediate Release - The Independent Cattlemen's Association of Texas looks forward to working with the U.S. Congress and the Department of Agriculture as they begin to work towards implementation of Mandatory Country of Origin Labeling (M-COOL) for beef.

ICA remains committed to making sure USDA will take a positive approach in writing the final rules for M-COOL.

ICA believes the rules should be simple, easy to follow, and above all, not disruptive to our livestock marketplace.

Newly elected ICA President H. G. "Peanut" Gilfillian from Stowell, Texas said "Now cow/calf producers have the opportunity to speak and be heard during the USDA M-COOL comment period. It is time to let

efficient and verifiable program that will allow U.S. producers the chance to spotlight our born, raised, and processed beef."

USDA and Congress are on track to initiate M-COOL on or before September 2008 and Congressional leaders have made it clear the law will be implemented.

Recent news releases by longtime opponents of M-COOL have attempted to erode producer support for the program by continuing to reference the possible extreme costs associated with the requirements of the proposed

These rules are simply proposed rules and are far from being adopted. Criticism of the proposed rules has become an effort by some to muddy the waters and create chaos.

The M-COOL legislation, which was passed by Congress in 2002, remains the same as

tion and simplification.

ICA and other grassroots producer groups will be working with the beef industry and USDA to adopt workable rules and reporting requirements.

All foreign live cattle transported into the United States are currently permanently identified as to country of origin. All domestic cattle that are unmarked would be cattle of U.S. origin.

Admittedly this is not a "zero tolerance" system but it is what we now have and will be of no cost to the producer.

Persons who attempt to blatantly circumvent this system will be subject to penalties and fines. The packing and the retail industry is currently segregating beef by quality and grade.

They should have little trouble incorporating the new rules. The advancement of branded

USDA know that we support an originally written. The initial beef programs such as "Angus proposed rules will still need to Beef," bear witness to the fact be redrafted to insure clarifica- that the packers and retailers are able to separate and identify beef when they desire.

Beef, born, raised and processed in the United States is basically a program which identifies the product of U.S. ranch-

M-COOL may not necessarily raise the value of U.S. calves, but the program will halt the practice of using cheap foreign cattle and beef to leverage down prices and stop foreign beef from being sold as U.S. beef.

Cattlemen from across the state are invited to join ICA in supporting mandatory country of origin labeling. ICA is fighting for your industry and we need your help.

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Tips from Susie

By Susie Bishop CEA-FCS



Take caution when working outdoors in the heat

coaching, or some other capacity, caution should be taken when work area as possible. temperatures rise.

Asphalt and concrete store heat longer and gradually release heat at night, making road work extremely hot. Strenuous activ- in duration, an electrolyte-conity in the heat causes the body to sweat in an effort to cool itself.

When sweat evaporates, the body begins to cool. A pea-sized bead of sweat can cool nearly 1 liter (about 1 quart) of blood by 1-degree F.

In hot, humid conditions, however, evaporation of sweat becomes more difficult, and keeping the body's temperature regulated can become a problem

if precautions are not taken. work in the outdoor heat, take

GET ACCLIMATED TO THE HEAT

these safety precautions:

If you have just begun summer work, returned from a vacation, or had an extended illness, it is important to begin work gradually. It will take an adult protect the face and neck. about 5-7 days to acclimate to the heat.

IMPLEMENT WORK-REST CYCLES

Distribute the workload evenly over the day and amongst able workers with adequate rest periods. Do not increase the duration of rest periods in hopes stressful tasks should be perof increasing the duration of formed during the cooler parts work periods - this can result in of the day (early morning or at heat illness. Short, but frequent, work-rest cycles are the greatest benefit to the worker.

PROVIDE COOL RESTAREAS Shaded or air conditioned

workers or family members that

from page 1

current housing?

Whether you work outdoors areas with a a temperature of 76 agriculture, construction, degrees are preferable. The rest area should be as close to the

DRINK 1/2 CUP TO 1 CUP OF COOL WATER EVERY 15 TO 20 MINUTES

For work longer than 1 hour taining sports drink may be preferred to replace lost nutrients. To prevent dehydration, it is crucial that the water intake during the workday be about equal to sweat loss. Do not rely on thirst as a measure of the need for fluid. A worker may produce 2 to 3 gallons of sweat over the course of a day.

WEAR APPROPRIATE CLOTHING

Clothing helps to prevent the If you or your employees transfer of heat from the air to the body. This advantage may be nullified, however, if the clothes interfere with the evaporation of sweat, such as in humid environments. In most cases, the best choice is to wear light-weight (like cotton), loose-fitting, light-colored clothing and a hat with a wide brim to

WORK IN PAIRS

Each person should have a partner whose job is to check on the other to watch for signs of

POSTPONE NONESSENTIAL TASKS

night). Double shifts and overtime should be avoided whenever possible during high temperature conditions.

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summer by saving energy and money.

Both employers and workers should know the hazards of working in the heat, the benefit of implementing the above guidelines, as well as the signs

and symptoms of heat illness. Heat exhaustion is the most common heat illness and often comes on suddenly. It is caused by decreased blood volume due to dehydration.

Symptoms may include dizziness/feeling faint, headache, nausea, profuse sweating, clammy or cool skin, rapid/weak pulse, body temperature at or below normal, low grade fever, low blood pressure and an ashen/pale appearance.

If left unattended, heat exhaustion can result in the more

disabling and deadly heat stroke. Heat stroke occurs when the body is unable to regulate its temperature and cool down. Body temperature may rise to 106 degrees or higher within 10 to 15 minutes.

Warning signs vary, but may include an extremely high body temperature (above 103 degrees orally), red, hot, and dry skin, no sweating, rapid, strong pulse or heartbeat, rapid, shallow breathing, elevated or lowered breathing, throbbing headache, dizziness, nausea, confusion, irritability and unconsciousness.

For more information on from page 1 When feasible, the most heat and heat illness, see the "HealthHints" newsletter on ing at the rodeo, the fear of his this topic at http://fcs.tamu.edu/ friend's death was confirmed. health/Health Education Rural Outreach/index.php.

> Texas Cooperative Extension are classmates in 40 minutes while open to all people without regard 1 rode tonight," Wadsworth said. to race, color, sex, disability, re- "He was just a natural talent at ligion, age, or national origin. whatever he tried.'

munity based on survey results.

& Visitor Center.

Museum is sponsoring photo contest

seum is sponsoring an Amateur (Youth and Adult) Photo Contest.

All proceeds from the contest will go toward the library's elevator fund.

Categories: YOUTH PHOTOGRAPHY (Grades 1-4)

Black & White/Sepia Color Prints Special Category "Windmills"

(Grades 5-8) Black & White/Sepia Color Prints Special Category "Windmills"

(Grades 9-12) Black & White/Sepia Color Prints Special Category "Windmills"

ADULT PHOTOGRAPHY

Section 1 Black & White/Sepia Scenery General Photos (no people, but animals included) People Special Category "Windmills"

Section 2 – Color Prints Scenery General Photos (no people, but animals included)

Special Category "Windmills"

- 1. All entries shall be subject to the general rules and instructions of this contest.
- 2. Entry fee of \$5 per Youth entry and \$10 per Adult entry is required. NO REFUNDS.
- 3. Exhibitors in this contest shall be in one of the following groups:

YOUTH, Grades 1-4 YOUTH, Grades 5-8 YOUTH, Grades 9-12 ADULT, includes people 18 and over who are out of high school.

- 4. Photographs in the Youth by First National Bank of Soand Adult categories shall be unretouched photographs.
- 5. Entries must be FRAMED with glass or Plexiglass, equipped with wire hangers or will not be accepted.
- 6. Photographs must be no smaller than 4 x 6 inches, and overall size, including frame, not exceed 8 x 10 inches.
- 7. Entries must be the work of the exhibitor.
- 8. Awards will be given out for Youth and Adult winners.

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Grades 5-8 and 9-12 - Six 1st place, each is \$20 gift card from

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9. Photos need to be received

- by 5 p.m. October 1 at the Mu-
- 10. Winners will be announced Oct. 15.
- 11. Photographs can be picked up by Oct. 22. Photos not picked up by Dec. 1 become property of the Crockett County Museum.

For more information, call the Museum at 392-2837.

DEO: Coates was on a roll

Wadsworth said after arriv-

"Just to tell you how many people knew him and liked him, Educational programs of I had 10 missed calls from our

Coates had just won the sad-HOUSING: Surveys can be dle bronc event at the July Rodeo in Belton. dle bronc event at the Fourth of

According to an article by Tim Waits of the Temple Telegram, "a wiry young cowboy from Ozona with a flair for drama, made his ride pay big dividends in front of a near-capacity • Do you know friends, co- consortium is to form a resource incentives, and financial institutes

Coates scored a 77 on a have had difficulty finding hous- with communities about their ing development within the comtake first place. He was the only Housing surveys can be cowboy or cowgirl who shot into picked up and returned to the first place in his respective event Ozona Chamber of Commerce that evening, the article said.

Wadsworth came in second For more information, call behind his friend.

"He was just on fire," Wadsworth said. The had just won three pro rodeos in a row in saddle bronc riding in Bandera,

Photo courtesy of SWTJC

ANE COATES helps out during the Southwest Texas Junior College Rodeo Team's annual Kid's Rodeo this past March in Uvalde. Coates, a member of the rodeo team, was killed last week in a vehicle accident in Stephenville.

Helotes and Belton. He was riding exceptionally well."

Coates also won the saddle bronc riding in Bandera and Heltoes, prior to Belton, and was featured on this month's "Cowboy Sports News" magazine.

Coates came from a cowboy family, not professionals but ranch folks who encouraged the youngster in his chosen profession, rough stock riding.

Just a few days ago, Zane moved to Stephenville where he planned to-be better located for the drive to rodeos throughout

"We were all just shook up. rodeo team, added. "When we heard it was a white Dodge du-

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ally, we just hoped that it wasn't Zane. Now all we can do is pray for his family."

Coates also a member of the Southwest Texas Junior College Rodeo Team in Uvalde, where he made the collegiate finals this year, a Texas High School State Rodeo Qualifier all four years, a member of the American Junior Rodeo Association, United States Team Roping Association and Pro Rodeo Cowboys Association.

Coates was a Class A roper and a member of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association.

- ANGELIA JOINER and when we heard that it was Zane JOYCE WHITIS, Staff Writers (in the wreck)," Harve Stewart, of the Stephenville Empire-Trichampion bull-rider and member bune, and MELISSA PERNER, of the Tarleton State University Editor and Publisher of The Ozona Stockman, all contributed to this report.

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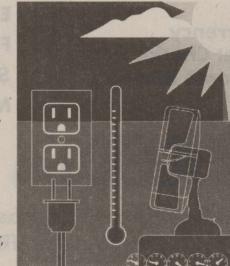
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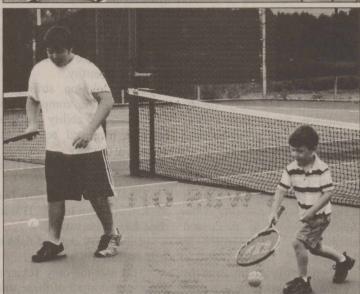
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OZONA TENNIS CAMP







Photos by Joe Hernandez STUDENTS OF ALL AGES participated last week during the Ozona Tennis Camp. The camp was hosted by Coach Wendy Justiss and several helpers.







place at 7 p.m. Thursday, July

The camp is open to girls entering third-ninth

Cost is \$30 per camper or

\$25 for two or more campers

23-26 at the Davidson Gymna-

entering third-sixth grades and

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Sierra and Sol Stokes compete at District 4-H Shoot

peted in the District VI 4-H Shoot on July 7 in Midlan.

Sierra won first in skeet, second in trap and 5-stand and Junior Division.

Sol won first in skeet, second in trap, fifth in 5-Stand and was the Runner Up High Overall in the Intermediate Division.

There were 97 shooters from the district competing.

Ozona Royals VS. **Ozona Horns** reunion July 21

There will be a baseball club reunion on July 21 at the south softball field.

The Ozona Royals will take on the Ozona Horns. The first game is at 3 p.m. with the second game at 6 p.m.

All ex Royals members are invited to attend.

There will be hamburgers and games for the children.

For more information, contact Romaldo Cervantez, Willie Fierro, Jesse Ortiz or Roland De-

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the funadmentals of the game. There will also be games

and competitions for the campers to participate in during each

Snacks will be provided.

Each camper will receive

Campers will need to bring

For more information, call

Pager: 432-567-8081

or Coach Jackson at 392-2385.



Sol and Sierra Stokes com- FOUR MEMBERS OF BOY SCOUT TROOP 153 (left to right) Chad Fluth, Kent Fluth, Craig Fluth, Collyn Glaspie of Ozona attended their first summer camp at Camp Sol Mayer. All four received six Merit Badges. These new Scouts commented: "The camp counselors are fun. It was exciting. It was an adventure. Our Scout leaders, Melvin and Linda Conner were very helpful in teaching us was the High All Around in the how to camp." The 315 acre camp on the San Saba River was given to the Concho Valley Council, BSA by Mr. and Mrs. Sol Mayer in the spring of 1945. Later, an additional 8,000 acres were placed in a trust to insure the maintenance and care of the camp forever. The camp is located about 3 miles east of Fort McKavett Historical Park. Program events that took place at the 2007 summer camp included Aquatic Activities, Waterfront, Shooting Sports, Outdoor Skills, Ecology, Conservation, Fine Arts, Handicrafts, and special events. The 2007 summer camp season would not be complete without promoting the excellent meals that are provided three times a day. The overall consensus of camp for the 2007 season was fun and exciting for everyone who attended Camp Sol Mayer.

Youth Center Calendar of Events

July 23 - OHS Food Night, 7-10 p.m.

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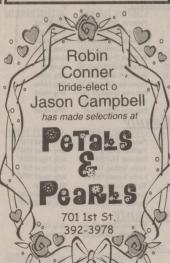
DURING THE SOUTHWEST TEXAS CONFERENCE OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, held at Corpus Christi, Texas, Rev. John Fluth was presented the Torch Award by Bishop Joel N. Martinez. This extremely rare award is presented by the General Conference of United Methodist Men in recognition of at least 10 years of exceptional service in using and supporting scouting programs at the district and annual conference level and in recruiting men and women for leadership in Boy Scouts of America organization and programs. Bishop Martinez recognized Rev. Fluth for giving "outstanding leadership to the children and youths of our conference through his work with the Boy Scouts of America."

Ozona Masonic Lodge installs new Junior Warden

At the July meeting of Ozona Masonic Lodge #747, elected secretary, and Graham Joe Warren Friend was installed Childress was elected Senior as Junior Warden of Ozona Masonic Lodge #747, and John Fluth's tenure as Worshipful Master was continued for another year.

Ozona Lodge #747 A.F. & A.M. Regular meeting on 1st Monday of each





Also, Dan Davidson was

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gym shoes each day.

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Registration for Lady Lions

Basketball Camp Thursday

19, at the Davidson Gymna- trate on teaching the campers

The camp will be held July a camp T-shirt and certificate.

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ons Basketball Camp will take seventh-ninth grades.

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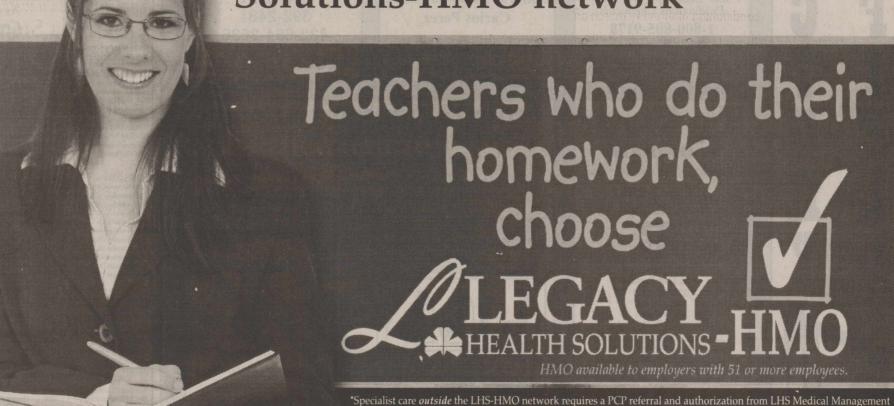
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WEEKLY NEWS REPORT The following persons have outstanding Crockett County Warrants. It is recommended that these persons surrender into custody at the Crockett County Sheriff's Office as soon as possible.

• Rhonda Cerda, of Ozona, 26, of Kerrville was arrested by Crockett County Court-Theft by Check

· Lacy Fleming, of Odessa/ Ozona, Crockett County Court-Theft by Check

· Brandon O'Neil, of Barnhart, Crockett County Court-Theft by Check

· Blas Ramos Jr., Crockett County J.P. warrant - no drivers'

license and restrained child. · Jason Parker, Taylor County warrant - theft by check.

· Gilberto Montelongo Mata, Crockett County J.P. warrant minor in consumption of alcohol. · Christine Reyes Arana, of Austin, Crockett County Court - failure to identify.

· Gerilyn Longoria, of Ozona, Crockett County Court - theft by check.

· Ethel Mae Borrego, of Ozona/San Angelo, possession of a control substance in a correctional facility.

ARREST REPORT 7-10-07

· Alfredo M Chavez, 28, of Sonora was picked up on a bench warrant by sheriff's deputy. Subject remains in jail awaiting court.

Arturo Lara, 62, of Ozona was arrested by sheriff's deputy on a parole warrant for a parole violation. Subject remains in jail awaiting court.

· Saul Fernandez Martinez, while park 100 block of Avenue of San Antonio was arrested I. Investigation continues by sheriff's deputy on a U.S. Marshall warrant. Subject was criminal mischief report, com-

released to the U.S. Marshall.

· Reynaldo Galindo, 52, of

Taylor Lawrence Ninness,

· Teresa Sue Sniff, 39, of

· Abel Munoz Rodriquez,

· Sheriff's office filed a re-

Ozona turned himself in to serve

45 days on a court sentence for

sheriff's deputy for unlawful

carrying of a weapon, public in-

toxication. Subject was released from jail after posting bond and

Ozona turned herself in on a

court order. Subject awaiting

42, of Ozona turned himself in

on a court order sentence. Sub-

ject awaiting transfer to CRTC.

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that he was 1500 block of Piedra

Street, riding his bike and he was

attack by the dog. Subject was

port of assault, complainant ad-

vised he was assaulted while at

1200 block of Peach St. Investi-

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persons spray painted his truck

while park 200 block of Avenue

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criminal mischief report, com-

· Sheriff's office filed a

Street. Investigation continues.

· Sheriff's deputy filed a theft report, complainant advised that person or persons stole a recliner from 100 block of Avenue E. Investigation continues. 7-14-07

· Sheriff's deputy filed a unlawful carry of weapon and public intoxication report, deputy located a suspicious vehicle park behind a business on State Highway 163 south, upon further investigation deputy determine that subject was intoxicated and was in possession of a gun, subject was arrested for unlawful carry of a weapon and public intoxication.



Photo courtesy of The Eldorado Success

CHRISTOPHER JOE MARTINEZ joined the Schleicher County Sheriff's Department this month as a Deputy Sheriff. He is a 2004 graduate of Ozona High School and a graduate of the Concho Valley Law Enforcement Training Academy. Deputy Martinez is the son of Anna Martinez of Ozona.

Fire department runs

The following is a list of and helped EMS crew. One unit teer Fire Department from July

JULY 12

• 11:20 a.m. - Motor Vehicle Accident mile-marker 344 accident, helped work traffic

runs made by the Ozona Volun- and two fire fighters responded.

JULY 17

• 5:25 p.m. - Motor Vehicle Accident mile-marker 375 I-10. Units were canceled prior to on Interstate-10, two vehicle arrival. One unit and four fire fighters.

Junction Stockyards Market Report

Sheep and Goats July 16, 2007 We sold 3,307 head. Lambs 2-5 lower. Ewes steady. Kids mostly 8-15 lower.

	#1 spring lambs 50-70 lbs.	98-1.12
	#1 spring lambs 70-90 lbs.	87-1.02
L-ren	Fat ewes	38-42
	Thin ewes	22-35
	Bucks	25-34
	Baby Tooth Ewes	60-72
	Solid Mouth Ewes	38-55
	Baby Tooth Angora stocker nannies	60-80
	Solid mouth Angora stocker nannies	45-54
	Stocker Angora muttons	50-57
	Angora Kids	1.05-1.20
	Angora Kids-shorn	85-94
	Weighing Angoras-shorn (thin)	28-37
	Weighing Angoras-shorn (fat) nannies	40-46
	Stocker Spanish nannies	65-88
	Fat Spanish nannies	45-52
	Fat Spanish muttons	85-1.15
	Fat Spanish billies	60-78
	Fat yearlings	1.05-1.16
	Fat Spanish kids	1.00-1.15
	Small kids	90-1.12
	Thin kids	82-92
	Spanish nanny & kid pairs	36-41/hd
	Next Sale July 23	

Lady Bird Johnson is laid to rest



- Lady Bird. Johnson, 94, died of natural causes July 11 at her home in West Lake Hills with

her daughters Lynda Johnson Robb and Luci Baines Johnson and her grandchildren at her side.

On July 12, Gov. Rick Perry ordered flags to half-staff in Mrs. Johnson's honor.

Mrs. Johnson's body lay in repose July 13 to 14 at the LBJ Library and Museum on the campus of the University of Texas at Austin. More than 11,000 people filed past her casket in the library's great hall.

About 1,800 people attended a private memorial service at Riverbend Church on July 14.

Among the many dignitaries in attendance at the memorial service were First Lady Laura Bush, President Bill Clinton and Sen. Hillary Clinton, President and Mrs. George H.W. Bush, Nancy Reagan, President and Mrs. Jimmy Carter, Gov. and Mrs. Perry, Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, Susan Ford Bales, Caroline Kennedy Schlossberg and Maria Shriver.

On July 15, crowds of people lined Congress Avenue between the Capitol and Town Lake to pay last respects as the funeral motorcade proceeded south, then west, enroute to Johnson City.

In the early afternoon of the 15th, Mrs. Johnson was buried alongside her husband in the Johnson family cemetery in Stonewall, about 70 miles west of Austin. The cemetery is part of the LBJ National Historical

Born Claudia Alta Taylor in Karnack, a small town in East Texas in 1912, Mrs. Johnson is remembered as the trusted adviser and devoted wife of the States, Lyndon Baines Johnson.

President Johnson died at age 64 on Jan. 22, 1973, four years after leaving office. Mrs. Johnson outlived her husband by more than 34 years.

During her more than five years as first lady, Mrs. Johnson became recognized as the prime mover behind the Highway Beautification Act of 1965 and conservation measures. But her zeal to improve America also bore fruit in the creation of Head

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Start and other federal programs benefiting Americans to this day. Her work to bring attention to poverty and unmet health and education needs in rural and urban America helped President Johnson forward his agenda in the "War on Poverty."

After President Johnson's term of office ended in January 1969, the Johnsons returned to Texas, and Mrs. Johnson set to work on beautifying state highways with wildflowers and other native plants.

Mrs. Johnson and her friend, actress Helen Hayes, worked together to found the National Wildflower Research Center in 1982. Mrs. Johnson downplayed her own efforts, but the complex and sprawling grounds in South Austin were renamed the Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center because others wanted to honor her work in promoting, building, maintaining and improving the institution over many years.

Mrs. Johnson's work to build and improve Austin's Town Lake Hike and Bike Trail also is noteworthy.

Mrs. Johnson suffered a stroke in 2002, compromising her vision and ability to speak, but she remained active until relatively recently.

FORMER CHIEF JUSTICE HILL DIES

Another native of East Texas, Kilgore-born John L. Hill Jr., died July 9. He was 83.

Gov. Perry ordered flags to half staff in Hill's honor.

Hill was the only Texan to have served in all of these state offices: as secretary of state, attorney general and chief justice of the supreme court. After graduating from the

University of Texas law school in 1947, Hill became a masterful lawyer, winning high-profile cases. He worked in Harris County on John Connally's 1964 gubernatorial campaign. Hill served as secretary of

36th president of the United vistate from 1966-68 under Gov. Connally.

He was elected attorney general in 1972 and served in that role until 1979. Hill ran unsuccessfully for

governor in 1978, losing to Bill Clements. Hill was elected chief jus-

tice of the Texas Supreme Court in 1984 and resigned in 1988. In 1997, then-Gov. George

W. Bush appointed Hill to a post on the Texas Lottery Commis-

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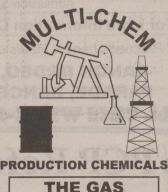
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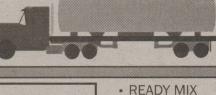
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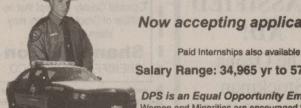
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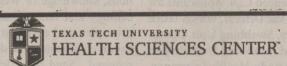
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