

*****CAR-RT LOT**B 009
 887 00-00-00 0001A44 40P 15S
 Crockett Co. Histori Soc.
 PO BOX 1444
 OZONA TX 76943-1444

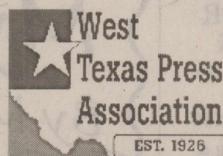
The Ozona Stockman



"Out in the West, where the air is pure, the climate agreeable, and the people friendly - The best place on Earth to call home"

©2007 The Ozona Stockman
 www.ozonastockman.com

12 pages in one section



OZONA, CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS 76943 USPS 4168-2000 WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2007 VOLUME 95 NUMBER 39 50 CENTS

What's Inside....



AWARD WINNERS
 Museum Photo contest results
PAGE 5

PAGE 2
 Signs of the Times
 This week's It's the Pitts

PAGE 3
 Crockett County Public Library gets new website

PAGES 6 & 7
 JV, OMS Lions take on Crane

PAGE 10
 Crockett County Sheriff's Report

FIVE-DAY WEATHER FORECAST

Wednesday	
High 73	Low 43
Mostly Sunny	
Thursday	
High 75	Low 49
Mostly Sunny	
Friday	
High 79	Low 52
Mostly Sunny	
Saturday	
High 75	Low 51
Mostly Sunny	
Sunday	
High 72	Low 51
Mostly Sunny	

Forecast information provided by the National Weather Service in San Angelo

OHS CROSS COUNTRY TEAMS ADVANCE TO REGIONAL MEET



THE LIONS AND LADY LIONS CROSS COUNTRY TEAMS placed third Monday at the District 7-AA meet in Alpine. The teams will compete at the Regional Meet Nov. 3 in Lubbock.

Golden Cranes too much for Lions

By MELISSA PERNER
 Editor and Publisher

No matter what strategy the Ozona Lions took Friday night, the Crane Golden Cranes were right there to defeat it.

Two blocked punts and a tremendous running game by the Golden Cranes led to the Lions 36-14 loss at Lion Stadium.

"The kids played as hard as they could, but it just didn't happen," said Coach Matt Gutierrez. "We were able to pass the ball, but we couldn't rush on them. (Crane) was a really physical defense."

Crane would get on the board first when Teague Esparza blocked Mark Tambunga's first punt. Justin Carrasco would scoop up the ball for the touchdown.

Daniel Padilla's extra-point kick would be good to put the Golden Cranes up 7-0.

The Cranes would then score again in the first quarter on their next drive as Esparza would run the ball down field, and then into the end zone for the 14-0 lead.

However, the Lions were not down yet. Quarterback Justin Maldonado would lead Ozona down the field with passes to Steven Silva, Matthew Garza, Felix Venegas and Josh Smith.

Maldonado's 17-yard pass to Matias Gandar would be the Lions first score of the night to put Ozona on the board.

The Cranes once again pushed threw to block Tambunga's extra-point kick making it 14-6.

Maldonado would pass for 223 yards during the game. He

Please see LIONS page 6



STEVEN SILVA looks to clear a path for quarterback Justin Maldonado. The Lions lost 36-14 to Crane. The Lions are 0-2 in district play as they face Alpine Friday night in Alpine.

WHITE WINS TOP AWARD AT 4-H BANQUET



WILSON WHITE receives the Mother Davidson Award from Kay Stewart at the 2007 Crockett County 4-H Banquet held Oct. 15 at the Civic Center. More photos, page 8.

New indictments handed down on commissioner, son

By MELISSA PERNER
 Editor and Publisher

A Crockett County Grand Jury has handed down new indictments on a local commissioner and his son.

Commissioner Alfredo Tobar and son, Kenny Tobar, were served these indictments Monday during a hearing at the Crockett County Courthouse.

Alfredo Tobar, 50, is being indicted on fraudulent use or possession of identifying information, which is a state jail felony that is punishable up to two years in prison and a fine not to exceed \$10,000.

He was also indicted on two counts of impersonating a public servant.

Both are third-degree felonies which is punishable up to 10 years in prison and a fine not to exceed \$10,000.

According to the court documents, Alfredo Tobar allegedly talked to Jose Antonio Rivera, an employee of Amigo Chemical Control Inc. The company is owned by Brooks Long.

During the conversation, Alfredo Tobar allegedly presented himself as an official of authority stating that he was with the law and requiring Rivera to surrender his social security number.

Alfredo Tobar then photographed Rivera's social security card, the indictment stated.

The indictment also states that Alfredo Tobar allegedly impersonated an inspector of the Texas Department of Agriculture and obtained a sample of chemicals from Rivera.

Alfredo Tobar was arrested on the charges in May.

During the hearing Monday,



ALFREDO TOBAR

Mynor Rodriguez, presented a motion to withdraw as Alfredo Tobar's attorney.

When visiting District Judge Dick Alcalá asked Alfredo Tobar about the motion, the commissioner stated that he was trying to get a loan from a bank and that the loan paperwork would take three months.

Alcalá said that was too long to go without an attorney since he plans on scheduling the case for trial sometime in January or February.

Rodriguez said that he was willing to hold off on the motion until it was more feasible for the client.

"It was just procedure," Rodriguez said after the hearing. "In small communities, politics sometimes rules the community. This is an unfortunate situation where politics in a small community has bled into the criminal justice system. We expect to have our day in court. I believe he (Alfredo Tobar) will be abolished of any charges against him."

Alfredo Tobar was indicted in February on two counts of obstruction and two counts of unlawful restraint.

Please see TOBAR page 9

Pass or fail district will downsize to three campuses

By MELISSA PERNER
 Editor and Publisher

Whether the bond passes or fails, Crockett County CCSD plans on downsizing to three campuses.

During the Oct. 17 school board meeting, it was discussed

that the board was taking the facility committee's recommendation to downsize the district in making the primary school site a pre-k through fifth grade elementary school.

Board member Jana Wilson said she was under the impression that if the bond passes

in May, the district will build a new school at the primary site, and that if the bond fails the district would just put a new roof on the primary and maintain the four campuses.

Superintendent Abe Gott said that the facilities committee unanimously voted to go to

three campuses during one of the meetings earlier this year.

"You could reject the committee's recommendation, but I felt that the committee was very unanimous in going to three campuses," Gott said. "I felt that most people on the committee didn't want to keep a school that

wasn't in good shape."

"We are going to three campuses regardless," added Veronica Fierro, board secretary.

During an Oct. 16 facility meeting with teachers and staff from the primary and intermediate schools, Gott addressed

Please see BOARD page 9

Triple C HARDWARE & LUMBER INC.

OZONA LIONS VS. ALPINE
 7:30 P.M. AT ALPINE

Triple C HARDWARE & LUMBER INC.

Business & Professional Guide

Tom Davidson
Attorney at Law
Specializing in Criminal Law
Law Free Advice & Referrals
325-632-2000

KNOX FLOOR COVERING
Carpet - Vinyl - Tile
Laminated Wood
201 AVE. I 392-2180

MARY KAY
Beauty Consultants
Margaret Villarreal - 392-2815
Mary Helen Flores - 392-2736
maryhlores@msn.com

Ozona Truck Towing & Emergency Repair (OTTER)
• Diesel Engine Repair • Towing
• DOT & State Inspections
24 HOUR CALL OUT
392-2121 392-2481 432-664-2636
1001 12th St.

www.Ruidosocabins2rent.com
ONLINE BOOKING
Reservations 1-800-822-7654
FOUR RUIDOSO HOMES FOR NIGHTLY RENTALS
BASE BEAR CABIN - 2 Kings - Queen Sofa
ANTLER ECHOES - 3 Kings - Rollaway - Cot
BECKHAM CABIN - 3 Kings - Bunks - Rollaway - Sofa
BECKHAM HILL - King-Queen - 2 Full - Queen Sofa
EACH HOUSE CAN SLEEP TWO OR QUITE A FEW.
Furnished Kitchens • Showers • Towels • TV • A/C
plus Deck Furniture • BBQ • Hot Tub & Views

HELPING HANDS SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER
One Hwy. 163 North
392-5026

Sorrelly's Hot Shot Service
Randy Sorrelly
Offsite Freight Service
Ozona Mobile: 325-226-5431
Mobile: 325-856-9726
Home: 325-392-5608
24 HOUR SERVICE
Ozona, TX 76943

First Baptist Church
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11:00
Evening Worship 6:00
Prayer Service Wed. 6:35 p.m.
Awanas: Wed. 5:30 p.m.

KOMECHAK WELL SERVICE
Windmills
Submersible Pumps
Pressure Systems
392-3304

PREDDY'S TIRE SERVICE
712 11th St.
392-2016

AMERICAN AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY
Sonora, Texas
361-701-3577
www.UpDownCamera.com

OZONA STORAGE
New Units Available
392-2142

Telephone:
(325) 392-2666
VILLAGE DRUG
"Old Fashioned Soda Fountain"
Richard G. Bird, RPH 902 W. 11th St.

J-B SPRAYING & PRUNING SERVICE
Free Estimates
• Tree Topping • Tree Trimming
• Tree Spraying
392-3441 - leave message

REESE HEATING AND AIR CONDITIONING
Service on all brands of refrigerated air-conditioners and heating units.
Independent Lennox dealer since 1976.
TAOLA 000857C
Phone (432) 836-4478

Tax Sheltered Life Medicare Supplements
Annuities Nursing Home Policies
GARY COLE INSURANCE AGENCY
(325) 949-8450 (800) 791-7094
3101 Sierra • San Angelo, TX

Steve M. Sessom, D.D.S., P.C.
304 Ave. D 410 N. Divide
Box 1002 Eldorado, TX
Ozona, TX 76943 76936
(325) 392 2575 (325) 853-2534
Mon. & Tues. Wed. & Thurs.

This space for rent \$4.00 per week

BREWER REFRIGERATION
Ice Machines
Sales - Service - Rentals
Serving Crockett & Surrounding Counties
We sell and service Deer Coolers & Freezers
325-835-2141 Mobile: 450-2793

ALL TYPES OF WORK
Robert "Bob" Longoria - 1508 Mariana St.
325-392-2466
Free Estimates References Available
• Maintenance • Small Plumbing Jobs • Painting
• Trash Hauling • Yard Work • Landscaping
• Garage, Attic, Basement & Store Rooms Cleaned

The Ozona Stockman Deadline is
NOON ON MONDAY

The Ozona Stockman
Ozona, Crockett County, Texas 76943 • USPS4168-2000
"Out in the West, Where the Air is Pure, The Climate Agreeable, And The People Friendly—The Best Place On Earth To Call Home"

and the Crockett County News

"The Ozona Stockman (UPS-416-820) is published weekly for \$23.00 per year in Crockett County, \$25.00 per year elsewhere in Texas and \$27.00 out-of-state by Melissa and Paul C. Perner IV, 1000 Ave. E., Ozona, Texas 76943-0370. PERIODICALS postage paid at Ozona, Texas 76943. Postmaster: send address changes to THE OZONA STOCKMAN, P.O. Box 370, Ozona, TX 76943-0370."

MELISSA PERNER - Editor and Publisher
PAUL C. PERNER IV - Online and Technical Manager
OSCAR KOST - Historian and Advisor
JOE HERNANDEZ - Pressman & Photography
SUSAN CALLOWAY - Advertisement Production & Sales
CHRIS LARA - Intern

Published weekly since 1913 and entered as second class matter April 9, 1913, at the Post Office at Ozona, Texas, under the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879. Published each Wednesday.

Notices of church entertainment where admission is charged, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect and all matter not news, will be charged for at regular advertising rates. Classified ads and cards of thanks are payable in advance unless customer carries a regular account.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected if called to the attention of the management.

Publisher is not responsible for copy omissions, typographical errors or any other unintentional errors that may occur other than to make a correction in next issue after it is brought to their attention. Publishers reserve the right to accept or reject at their discretion, any advertisement or news matter.

CLASSIFIED RATES
25 cents per word.
Minimum charge \$5.00 per insertion.

Telephone (325) 392-2551
Fax (325) 392-2439
Address - 1000 Avenue E
P.O. Box 370, Ozona, TX 76943
E-Mail - publisher@ozonastockman.com
www.ozonastockman.com

What's on My Mind

By Melissa Perner

Voting on new amendments

The Nov. 6 general election includes 16 constitutional amendments, put forth by the 80th Texas Legislature.

The propositions include creating the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas, denying bail for committing certain domestic violence crimes, clarifying the rules for using home equity loans, allowing Texas Tech University to oversee appropriations at recently acquired Angelo State University, and allowing small cities to hold an election to decide if business property improvements are eligible for a property tax freeze.

Early voting started this week and will run through Nov. 2 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the courthouse annex. The polls on Nov. 6 will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

The proposed constitutional amendments on the ballot for November 6 include:

PROPOSITION 1
The constitutional amendment providing for the continuation of the constitutional appropriation for facilities and other capital items at Angelo State University on a change in the governance of the university.

PROPOSITION 2
The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of \$500 million in general obligation bonds to finance educational loans to students and authorizing bond enhancement agreements with respect to general obligation bonds issued for that purpose.

PROPOSITION 3
The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide that the maximum appraised value of a residence homestead for ad valorem taxation is limited to the lesser of the most recent market value of the residence homestead as determined by the appraisal entity or 110 percent, or a greater percentage, of the appraised value of the residence homestead for the preceding tax year.

PROPOSITION 4
The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1 billion in bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for maintenance, improvement, repair, and construction projects and for the purchase of needed equipment.

PROPOSITION 5
The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to permit voters of a municipality having a population of less than 10,000 to authorize the governing body of the municipality to enter into an agreement with an owner of real property in or adjacent to an area in the municipality that has been approved for funding under certain programs administered by the Texas Department of Agriculture under which the parties agree that all ad valorem taxes imposed on the owner's property may not be increased for the first five tax years after the tax year in which the agreement is entered into.

PROPOSITION 6
The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt from ad valorem tax-

ation one motor vehicle owned by an individual and used in the course of the owner's occupation or profession and also for personal activities of the owner.

PROPOSITION 7
The constitutional amendment to allow governmental entities to sell property acquired through eminent domain back to the previous owners at the price the entities paid to acquire the property.

PROPOSITION 8
The constitutional amendment to clarify certain provisions relating to the making of a home equity loan and use of home equity loan proceeds.

PROPOSITION 9
The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to exempt all or part of the residence homesteads of certain totally disabled veterans from ad valorem taxation and authorizing a change in the manner of determining the amount of the existing exemption from ad valorem taxation to which a disabled veteran is entitled.

PROPOSITION 10
The constitutional amendment to abolish the constitutional authority for the office of inspector of hides and animals.

PROPOSITION 11
The constitutional amendment to require that a record vote be taken by a house of the legislature on final passage of any bill, other than certain local bills, of a resolution proposing or ratifying a constitutional amendment, or of any other nonceremonial resolution, and to provide for public access on the Internet to those record votes.

PROPOSITION 12
The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of general obligation bonds by the Texas Transportation Commission in an amount not to exceed \$5 billion to provide funding for highway improvement projects.

PROPOSITION 13
The constitutional amendment authorizing the denial of bail to a person who violates certain court orders or conditions of release in a felony or family violence case.

PROPOSITION 14
The constitutional amendment permitting a justice or judge who reaches the mandatory retirement age while in office to serve the remainder of the justice's or judge's current term.

PROPOSITION 15
The constitutional amendment requiring the creation of the Cancer Prevention and Research Institute of Texas and authorizing the issuance of up to \$3 billion in bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for research in Texas to find the causes of and cures for cancer.

PROPOSITION 16
The constitutional amendment providing for the issuance of additional general obligation bonds by the Texas Water Development board in an amount not to exceed \$250 million to provide assistance to economically distressed areas.

For more information, visit <http://www.lwvtexas.org>.

Community Calendar

- Wednesday, Oct. 24**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Thursday, Oct. 25**
- Diabetes Support Group, 5:30 p.m. at the Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.
 - Ozona Chamber of Commerce Board meeting, 11 a.m. at the Visitor Center.
 - Ladies' Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
 - OMS Lions vs. Alpine, 5 p.m. at Alpine.
 - JV Lions vs. Alpine, 5 p.m. at Lion Stadium.
- Friday, Oct. 26**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
 - Nutrition/Food Pantry class, 9:30 a.m. at the Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.
 - Ozona Lions vs. Alpine, 7:30 p.m. at Alpine.
- Saturday, Oct. 27**
- Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church Fall Festival.
- Monday, Oct. 29**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
 - Ladies' Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Tuesday, Oct. 30**
- Congressional Rep. visit, 9 a.m.-noon at the courthouse annex.
- Wednesday, Oct. 31**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
 - Ozona Community Center Halloween Carnival, 5:30 p.m. town square.

It's the Pitts
by Lee Pitts

Signs Of The Times

Here are ten signs that people in this country have too much money:

#10 Glamping: "Roughing it" has taken on new meaning these days. Instead of cooking over a bonfire and sleeping on the ground rich folks are "glamping," or, engaging in glamorous camping. At the Resort at Paws Up, in Montana glampers pay \$595 a night to sleep in heated down comforters in a thermostatically controlled tent, with warmed slate floors and "original artwork" on the walls. A butler builds their fire, a chef cooks their dinner and a guide takes them fly-fishing. If the glampers are afraid of the noises at night, the bathroom is, too far away or such living is simply too harsh they can upgrade to a house on the property for only \$3,460 per night.

#9 Multiple Houses: I can't properly take care of the one house we have and yet many Americans are buying second and third homes to live in two weeks a year. (It might be cheaper to just go glamping.) These second homes are not just cabins or shacks but McMansions with media rooms and wine cellars. (Why can't they just store their wine in the boxes it comes in from the grocery store?) I read of one second home that had one dedicated room just to be used for wrapping gifts.

#8 Multiple Spouses: I have absolutely no idea why some people would want and can afford two homes, let alone two or three divorces.

#7 Coffee: Remember when a cup of coffee was a dime at the counter and that included all you could drink? If you were nice to the waitress she might even fill up your Thermos for free. Now days you pay four bucks at Starbucks for a coffee milk shake that is mostly foam. (Starbucks actually goes through more milk than they do coffee.) A person could save a couple bucks just by ordering a Blizzard at the Dairy Queen.

#6 Elective Surgery: Speaking as someone who's gone under the knife many times I can't understand why anyone would do so willingly just to have a smaller nose or bigger boobs. Why people pay thousands of dollars to have botulism injected, their plumbing rerouted or have their forehead pulled so tight they look like E.T. is beyond me.

#5 Personal Trainers: Not only are people hiring gardeners, house cleaners and nannies they are employing young studs and stud-muffins to tell them how to work up a sweat. They pay for adult day-care services at the local gym while their kids are laying around at home playing video games, a professional auto detailer is washing their car and their very own personal illegal alien is mowing their lawn. Here's a tip: Keep the work all in the family and you won't get fat and out of shape to begin with.

#4 Accessorizing: Belly button jewelry, tongue studs, face glitter, four color fingernails, toe rings and tattoos in exotic locations. And I'm not talking Tahiti. Need I say more?

#3 Hummers: What would make a person think they need to drive a tank to soccer practice or to the grocery store? Do they think they're going to get attacked by terrorists going to a PTA meeting? The Hummer is Osama's and the Ayatollah's answer to our tomahawk cruise missiles. With gas at three dollars a gallon and oil at 70 bucks a barrel they'll destroy us one Hummer at a time.

#2 Doggy Spas: We can't seem to do enough for our dog-children these days. If your dog is stressed out you might want to send it to LA Dogworks where, for only fifty dollars, it could enjoy an oatmeal body wrap. Or not. Other doggy spas offer acupuncture, therapy and special interactive socialization programs. For dogs!

#1 Bottled Water: In an airport recently I had to pay three dollars for a bottle of water that came out of a public water fountain somewhere. You can get the same water out of the end of a garden hose for free! We're paying more for bottled water per gallon than we are for gasoline. And sometimes the gas tastes better. Have we all gone mad?

Local ranchers to speak at Holistic Management event in Albuquerque

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. - Peggy Maddox and Maryann West of David West Ranch in Ozona, will make a presentation about their commitment to a family ranching lifestyle at 3:40 p.m. on Nov. 3 as part of Holistic Management International (HMI)'s International Gathering, "From The Ground Up: Practical Solutions to Complex Problems," which runs from Nov. 1-Nov. 4 at the Hotel Albuquerque at Old Town, 800 Rio Grande Blvd., NW. Around 300-400 attendees from around the world are expected.

HMI, an Albuquerque-based international non-profit founded in 1984, works with rural communities and stewards of large land holdings (farmers, ranchers, government agencies, environmental advocacy groups, and others) to restore their lands to health, productivity and profitability.

"From the Ground Up..."

will feature keynote addresses by noted grass farmer Joel Salatin; animal and autism expert Dr. Temple Grandin; Air America Radio broadcaster Thom Hartmann; and HMI founder Allan Savory. In addition to the keynotes, there are more than 30 round table discussions, educational workshops, a children's program and a Certified HMI Educator track - with international experts on soil health and desertification, sustainable farming and grazing, animal behavior, and global warming.

In this workshop Peggy Maddox and Maryann West will examine the Holistic Management delivery model for Grades 3-6, focusing on place-based environmental science coordinated with the National Science Education Standards. West Ranch Children's Education Program facilitates student understanding of the human-land relationship and encourages kids to think and

act responsibly as they become stewards of this planet Earth. A workshop handout will include curriculum development from rationale to final evaluation, including grade-level standards coordination.

The West Ranch, a 12,000-acre property near Ozona, Texas, is an HMI learning site. Ranch Managers Joe and Peggy Maddox run a mixed herd of cattle and sheep among a healthy population of deer, turkey, javelina and other species. HMI's staff at West Ranch share their knowledge of Holistic Management with schoolchildren and ranchers during field trips and field days. HMI also offers internships for extended learning experiences at the Ranch.

For more information about HMI and the gathering, a complete schedule of events, and how to register, call HMI at (505) 842-5252 or visit the website, www.holisticmanagement.org.

Tickets on sale for Texas Star Blue Topaz necklace

Ozona Woman's League is currently selling raffle tickets for a genuine Blue Topaz necklace with the official Lone Star Cut.

Cost is \$5 and tickets are available from any member of Ozona Woman's League. Drawing will be held Oct. 31 at the Halloween Carnival. You do not have to be present to win. All proceeds benefit Ozona Woman's League.

Support our Troops goody box drive

A goody box drive is going on for local military troops serving overseas.

Non-perishable items are being collected to place in the boxes.

Items like toothpaste, toothbrush, baby wipes, lip gloss, holiday cards, flower seeds, beef jerky, anything that will fit in the box.

Also small chip bags, packaged cookies and crackers, energy drinks or powdered lemonade.

A full list of items is available at The Ozona Stockman.

Keep in mind that items sent should be items that military personnel can carry in their pockets, backpacks or attach to

their daily gear.

Also, Ozona Lions, Ozona or Texas T-shirts or caps will be accepted as well.

The goody boxes will be sent out by the end of October so the troops can receive them for the holidays.

Items can be dropped off at the courthouse annex, the Crockett County Care Center, Duckwalls, Dollar General and Ozona Middle School.

The drive is being sponsored by the Ozona Military Support Group.

For more information, call Sylvia Lara at 392-2965 or Mel Ybarra at 392-2671.

Crockett County Library News by Louise Ledoux

Library gets new website

CCPL is proud to announce our new website hosted by the Texas State Library and Archives Commission. <http://bcls.tsl.state.tx.us/crockett>

Bookmark it now in your computer Favorites.

Our new website includes tons of information for our patrons about the library, our staff and services, about upcoming programs at the library, such as the Book Review & Quilting Program coming up November 6 with author Jane Tenorio-Coscarelli.

It includes a calendar feature to keep track of important events. Information about the library with contact info; library card and policy info; hours and services and the Friends of the Library organization. It also has links to general info for kids, bestseller books, excellent research sites for students with school projects and homework or for adults, and materials in Spanish.

Several important links for our patrons include the TexShare Databases at the Texas State Library, the Live Homework Help from Tutor.Com, and the Learning Express Library for Test

Preparation. The TexShare Databases are filled with magazine articles, encyclopedia entries, and other materials to help you discover more on any subject, from general interest to business, hobbies, and more. Live Homework Help is one-on-one tutoring in core subjects, 4th-12th grades and first-year college available every day from 3pm-10pm. The Learning Express Library is a database of practice tests on subjects such as the GED, college entrance exams, ASVAB, postal exams, law enforcement careers, and elementary and middle school skills improvement. E-books included.

These important links can be accessed at the library or from your computer at home. All you need is a library card. The CCPL librarians will sign you up for a card and walk you through the authentication process to sign in and use the online services. Your library card number is your ticket to a free trip to lifelong learning and educational opportunities for library patrons.

Information is just a click away at the Crockett County Public Library Online. <http://bcls.tsl.state.tx.us/crockett>

Longoria graduates from boot camp



Submitted photo
TIM LONGORIA graduated from boot camp at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot on Aug. 30

in San Diego, Calif. After his 10-day leave, Tim returned to California to complete Marine Combat Training. Tim is now at Fort Leonard Wood, Mo. to complete his MOS training as a mechanic which will take approximately 8 weeks to complete.

Tim is a 2007 graduate of Ozona High School and the son of Kala Sessom and Sammy Longoria. Tim would love to receive mail from home and can receive mail at the following address:
LONGORIA, TIMOTHY S. MARCO DET. - EEIC BEER 03 - 08
1273 IOWA AVENUE
FORT LEONARD WOOD, MO 65473 - 8963

Cancer Society Memorials

In Memory of:
Sonny Malone
Given By:
Madeline Stokes
Bill and Gwen Harris

Please send your American Cancer Society Memorials to:
Shelly Childress
P.O. Box 1008
Ozona, TX 76943

We Do Printing!

- Business Cards
- Invitations
- Multiple Part Forms
- Letterheads •Envelopes
- And much more!

The Ozona Stockman
1600 Ave. E 392-2551

Happy Birthday

Oct. 24 - Josh Roman, Asa Bullard and Omar Rico

Oct. 25 - Joe Hernandez, Lacey Parker, Ray Fierro, Ronald Shaw, Minnie Lara, David Porter, Oscar Lopez and Collyn Glaspie

Oct. 26 - Josie Ruiz, Marshall Hubbard, Bryce Hokit, Debbie Vordick, Debbie Bachman, Melissa Perner

Oct. 27 - Luann Pierce, Adrian De La Garza, Ray J. Villarreal and Tonya Poindexter

Oct. 28 - Turk Gonzales, Ronald Higginbottom, Donald Higginbottom, Billy Hoover and Emilee White

Oct. 29 - Robert Rodriguez, Julio Sanchez Jr. and Charlie Gravell

Oct. 30 - Brandi Glosson, Betty De La Cruz and Manny Longoria IV

PEOPLE READ LITTLE ADS, YOU'RE READING THIS ONE!

Call The Ozona Stockman at 325-392-2551 or stop by 1000 Avenue E to place your classified ad!

WEEKDAY LUNCH SPECIALS

Monday - Friday • 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

HungerBuster - \$1.59

Small Pop Corn & Small Drink \$3.29

Belt Buster & Small Drink \$3.99

I-10 & Ave. C. 392-5000



JON HART

Trunk Show

Order Now for Christmas

Tuesday, Oct. 30 • 11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Get Carried Away this Holiday Season!



Petals & Pearls

701 1st Street
392-3978

HALLOWEEN CARNIVAL

Sponsored by Ozona Community Center

Wednesday, October 31

Town Square
Beginning at 5:30 p.m.

Any organization or individual wishing to have a food or game booth call 392-3060 to reserve a space. - Booth spaces are \$10.00 ea.

BOOTHS ALREADY RESERVED:

- Bounce Houses •Been Bag Toss •Turkey Legs •Tamales
- Chalupas •Menudo •Pecan Pie •Mexican Candy

Raffle Tickets for sale to win Childs Outdoor Playhouse

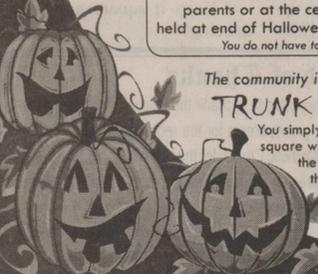
DONATED BY TRIPLE C LUMBER

Tickets available from OCC board members, parents or at the center. Drawing to be held at end of Halloween Carnival on Oct. 31. You do not have to be present to win.

The community is invited to participate in

TRUNK OR TREAT!

You simply park on the south side of the square with your trunk open and facing the square, and the children can then go "trunk" or treating from car to car.



Congressional representative to visit Tuesday

The Office of U.S. Representative **Ciro D. Rodriguez**, D-San Antonio, will be hosting Congressional Mobile Office Hours in West Texas, the Middle Rio Grande, San Antonio and surrounding areas this October.

Crockett County's stop will be from 9 a.m.-noon, Tuesday at the Crockett County Annex, 909 Avenue D.

For up to date information on upcoming events in your area, visit the "Congress On Your Corner" section on Congressman Rodriguez's official website: <http://rodriguez.house.gov>

WE WANT YOUR NEWS or PHOTOS!

Call The Ozona Stockman at 392-2551 or stop by 1000 Avenue E.

You'll purr like a kitten over our bath items.

- ITALIAN SPA
 - Moisturizing Bath Pearlettes
- by WELLNESS
 - Foaming Bath Soak
 - Bath Capsules
- SPRINGFRESH
 - English Bath Cubes Set
 - Moisturizing Bath Soak Set
- YANKEE CANDLE
 - Body Lotion
 - Scented Bar Soap
 - Hand Lotion
 - Shower Gel

Westerman Drug of Ozona
916 Ave. E
392-2608

Ozona Senior Happenings

By **LYNN ENGLISH**
Senior Center Director

Some of winter blasted in late Sunday night. It was really our first chill of the season. We did get a small but welcome amount of rain.

Having a birthday last week was Katherine Russell, Marilyn Cox and Eileen Childress. A big Happy Birthday to these three extra special ladies.

Last week I traveled to San Angelo to the quarterly meeting of the Area Agency Provider conference. There was lots of information passed out to all. I learned that October is National Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Month.

After speaking with Andrea Talley, operations supervisor for social security, informed me that we would be getting a social security person for Ozona in the near future. This is exciting news, as I have many phone calls asking when they are in town.

Of interest to all Veterans, there will be a groundbreaking

ceremony for the newest Texas State Veterans Cemetery at Abilene, Texas. The event will take place at 10 a.m. on Oct. 30.

Our new computer is up and running and on the Internet. We also have set up two more computers, both of them on the Internet.

The Crockett County Library donated these extra computers, along with two step by step videos showing how to operate the computer. If you need more information, call Lynn English at 392-9094.

Joe Stewart of the Helping Hands Board advised me that the Helping Hands will be having a raffle soon.

One of the items they will raffle will be a large rocking chair that you need to see to fully appreciate, along with a number of other items. The tickets for the drawing will go on sale in the near future.

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. We have been getting more books as time goes by so our selection is growing.

The Angel Food Boxes have been cancelled for October. Money will be returned to those who have paid. Contact Lisa Branch for refunds.

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 energized for the day.

Every Monday and Thursday, the bridge players come 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, Eileen Childress, Charlotte Harrell, Dorothy Friend, Jean Odom, Sandy Bebee and Marolyn Bean.

Our activities are for those 50 and over (we are flexible).

Come out and join in the activities you are missing.

Obituaries

Genevieve Janelle Sanchez

Genevieve Janelle Sanchez, 69, long time Carnegie, Okla. resident, passed away on Friday, Oct. 12, 2007, in Oklahoma City, Okla. She was born April 13, 1938 in Lawton, Okla. to Walden and Ivy (Satepauhoodle) Ware. She married Jesus L. Sanchez on Aug. 26, 1964 in Ozona and he preceded her in death in 1987.

She was a member of the Kiowa Tribe and the Cedar Creek Methodist Church where she was active in the UMW, in Carnegie, Okla. Janelle was a member of the Kiowa War Mothers. Her faith in Christ was exemplified throughout her life. Her favorite past time was spending time with her grandchildren and attending their sporting events.

She is preceded in death by her husband, parents, four brothers Timothy "Toby" Ware, David "Booty" Ware, Virgil "Porkey" Ware and Marland Koomsa, one sister Dorothy June Ware, one daughter Nancy K. Proctor and a grandson John Michael Svitak.

Survivors include four daughters, Dorothy Proctor Hall and husband Wayne, Everett, Wash., Ivy Yeahquo and husband Tim, Yukon, Okla., Robbin Sanders and husband Brett, Anadarko, Okla. and Janice Sanchez, Anadarko, Okla.; three



sons, Robert Burcum Sr. and wife Misty, Carnegie, Okla., Chris Sanchez and wife Elana, Lawton, Okla. and Cedric Sanchez, Carnegie, Okla.; two sisters, Ernestine Hernasy and husband Richard, Carnegie, Okla., Francis Bailey and husband, John, Carnegie, Okla.; 17 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral service was held Tuesday, Oct. 16, at Cedar Creek Methodist Church in Carnegie, Okla. with interment following at Satepauhoodle Family Cemetery, Carnegie, Okla.

Services by Ray & Martha's Funeral Home, Carnegie, Okla.

Care Center Chatter

By **ELSA VASQUEZ**
Assistant Activity Director

What beautiful weather we are having. Oh, how I love this fall wind.

On Monday we received bingo prizes donated by Judy Reagor.

Tuesday was Boss's Day. We had cake and punch with our administrator, Benny Gibbs, and our Director of Nursing, Kim Dooley. They received cards, balloons and gifts with goodies from staff. You know it takes a lot to be able to be boss and we are fortunate to have good leaders. We really do admire them and pray for them everyday.

On Wednesday, Judy Reagor and Jamie Pagan sang country songs. Judy had her cousin visiting all the way from Alabama.

Thursday, the ladies looked darling with their new hairdos.



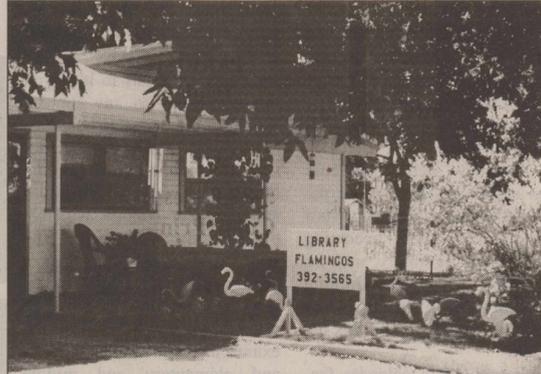
CARE CENTER RESIDENT ANNA JOHNSON and administrator Benny Gibbs during the Boss's Day celebration.

Stacy Mefford sent the most beautiful fall flower arrangements to residents. It brightens up the place.

Anna Flores brought residents bingo prizes. She made

pillows and wheelchair or walker carry-all bags made out of bingo game material.

We are so thankful for all these people that are caring and generous.



OMS TEACHER BETSY NANNY received "pink flamingo" birthday wishes from the Crockett County Public Library.

Tickets on sale to win a trip to Fort Davis, Texas

The Crockett County Museum is currently selling raffle tickets for a chance to win a trip to Fort Davis, Texas.

Trip includes 3-day, 2-night stay at Prude Ranch for a family of four.

Tickets are \$1 each or 6 for \$5. They are available

at The Ozona Stockman, the museum or from any museum board member.

Drawing will be held at the Christmas Lighting in the town square. Need not be present to win.

All proceeds will go to the Crockett County Museum Elevator Fund.

Monthly diabetes support group to meet Thursday

The Wesley Nurse Program hosts a monthly diabetes support group at the Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

The next meeting at 5:30 p.m. is Thursday, Oct. 25.

This support group is a good continuation for all who have attended any part of the

"Do Well, Be Well" with diabetes class but is open to anyone.

Various topics and activities are part of the monthly meeting including cooking, diabetes care, medications, research and general discussion.

For more information, call E.A. Wadsworth R.N. at 392-3060.

Nutrition/Food Pantry class to meet Friday

The Nutrition/Food Pantry program will be held at 9:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 26 at the Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

This class focuses on nutritious foods and spending your food money wisely.

Recipes will be given. The class is open to all interested persons. However, in order to receive a food box, you must pre-register.

For more information, call E.A. Wadsworth R.N. at 392-3060.

Levis & Lace Square Dance News

By **TINA JARVIS**
Levis and Lace Square Dancer

Monday night club members Leroy and Carol Adcock, Raul De La Rosa, JoAnn Babbitt, Nell Wester, Danny and Tammi Monzingo, Lucy Hinde and Tina Jarvis danced at the Care Center. Our students Bob-

by and Karen McDonald danced with us also. Afterwards everyone came to my house and Carol taught our lesson.

Saturday night we will dance at the Senior Building at 8 p.m. to caller Ed Hart from Bronte.

Keep it square and happy dancing!

Card of Thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to thank the following for making our baptism even more special: our grandparents for the reception, Father Rodney and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church for the ceremony, Mr. & Mrs. Ray Martinez and Mr. & Mrs. Juan Flores for assisting with the reception preparations, and to all our family and friends for attending.

Briseis Guadarrama & Blayk Mitchell

TWO DOGS AND TEMPTATION

Years ago my children were given a beautiful basset hound because she loved children. That sweet loving dog only had one problem and that was of temptation especially when it came to food. Anything you left on the floor or where she could gains access was history. One time my wife made a great big bag of our children's favorite chocolate chip cookies for a trip. We loaded the van with suitcases, cookies and dog. My wife told the children to put the sack of cookies up where the dog could not get to them. When we walked outside to get into the van, there sat the dog between the seats wagging her tail with an empty cookie sack beside her. Boy, were my kids mad at the dog that day. The thing is she would be so sneaky about it. She could never be trusted around food. Another dog that I have now will not or does not touch food unless she has not been given permission. I have left her in my pickup with fried chicken and she will not touch it until I tell her, okay. A problem we all face is temptation and it has many forms and sources. We are told to flee it and not to yield to it, (Ephesians 6:13-17). To pray we will not enter into it, (Luke 22:40) and for God to keep us from it, (Matthew 26:41& Luke 11:4).

See you in Church next Sunday. Brother J

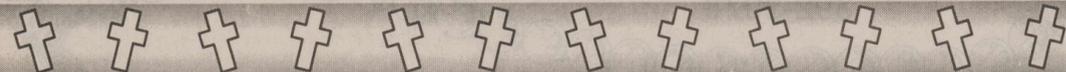
<p>First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Rev. John Collis Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6:30 p.m. Awanas: Wednesday - 5:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun: Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p>Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Rev. John Fluth Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.</p>
<p>Templo Bautista Jerusalem 138 Blas St. Rev. Esequiel Cervantez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St. Pastor Tom Baden Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m.</p>	<p>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.</p>
<p>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida Corner of Secretariat & Man O' War Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>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.</p>	<p>Our Lady of Perpetual Help 219 Martinez St. Fr. Rodney White Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Sat: 7 p.m. M. W. F. - 8:30 a.m. Thurs.: 7 p.m.</p>
<p>Calvary Baptist Church 601 Ave. I Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Wed. & Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday</p>	
<p>New Beginnings Church 701 9th Street Pastor Jesse Cardona Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Tuesday Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Iglesia Je 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.</p>	

ALL PASTORS OF OZONA CHURCHES ARE INVITED TO SUBMIT COLUMNS.

Westerman Drug
Preddy Funeral Home
Ozona National Bank
Food Basket

This series of ads is being published and sponsored by these Ozona business firms in the interest of a stronger community.

Hillcrest Motel
The Ozona Stockman
Upham Insurance Agency
Crockett National Bank



Crockett County Museum Photo Contest Winners

ADULT CATEGORIES

- General Color Print:**
 1. Cecil Necessary - \$25
 Ozona Chatter Box Gift Card
 1. Diane Phillips - \$25 El Chatos Gift Card
 2. Diane Phillips
 2. Diane Phillips
 3. Jalys Mabry
 3. Nat Read

- General Black & White/Sepia:**
 1. Carmen Sutton - \$25
 Baskets & More Gift Card
 2. Mrs. M.J. Read
 3. Lynn Maness Perner

- Scenery Color Print:**
 1. Michelle Necessary - \$25
 Pepe's Café Gift Card
 2. Stefny Nance
 3. Stefny Nance

- People Color Print:**
 1. Clint Perner - \$25
 Next Door Gift Card
 2. Camille Jones
 3. Stefny Nance
 4. Dana Criswell

- People Black & White/Sepia:**
 1. Von Brawley - \$25
 Hitchin' Post Gift Card
 2. Susie Bishop

- Windmill Color Prints:**
 1. Michelle Martin - \$25
 Small Fashions Gift Card
 2. Michelle Martin
 3. Marolyn Komechak
 3. Susie Bishop

- Windmill Black & White/Sepia:**
 1. Sandy Stokes - \$25
 Circle Bar Truck Stop Gift Card
 2. Carmen Sutton

- Adult Best in Show:**
 Mary Anne Deaton - \$100
 Petals & Pearls Gift Card

- Museum Board Members:**
 1. Shannon Hunnicutt
 2. Jerri Lynn Pierce
 3. Jerri Lynn Pierce
Best in Show:
 Jerri Lynn Pierce



MARY ANNE DEATON
Adult Best in Show



JERRI LYNN PIERCE
Museum Board Best in Show



PARRISH AIGUIER
Youth Best in Show

YOUTH CATEGORIES

- 5-8 grades Color Prints:**
 1. Vivian Medina - \$20
 Dairy Queen Gift Card
 2. Vivian Medina
 3. Kelsee Smith

- 9-12 grades Color Prints:**
 1. Randi Cooper - \$20 Dairy Queen Gift Card
 1. Devon Diehl - \$20 Dairy Queen Gift Card
 2. Vicky Treto
 2. Randi Cooper
 3. Randi Cooper
 3. Randi Cooper

- 9-12 grades Black & White/Sepia:**
 1. Melanie Wallace - \$20
 Dairy Queen Gift Card
 1. Kendra Pratt - \$20 Dairy Queen Gift Card
 2. Sylvia Hernandez

The Crockett County Museum wishes to thank everyone who participated and donated to the first photo contest. We greatly appreciate all the community's support.

2. Gabriela Diaz
 3. Aaron Pearl
 3. Austin Whitten

- 9-12 grades Windmill:**
 1. Randi Cooper - \$20 Dairy Queen Gift Card
Youth Best in Show:
 Parrish Aiguier - Ozona National Bank \$50 Savings Bond

- Adult & Youth Honorable Mention:**
 Libby Martinez
 Farrell Armstrong
 Stefny Nance
 Staci Sutton
 Jalys Mabry
 Jalys Mabry
 Julia Henderson
 Camille Jones
 Jalys Mabry
 Janet Smith
 Camille Jones
 Alysha Lara
 All winners received a ribbon donated by First National Bank of Sonora.

Chamber Leadership Class Graduates

By SHANON BIGGERSTAFF
 Chamber Executive Director

Following an eight-month series of workshops and one-on-one lectures, dialogue between participants and community decision makers and tours of various community facilities, 12 students graduated from the 2007 Building Connections Community Leadership Program.

Graduates received their Certificates of Completion during a celebration dinner held at the Civic Center last Tuesday.

The program was sponsored by the Ozona Chamber of Commerce and Crockett County Extension office.

"Building Connections" is intended to identify and motivate potential leadership. It gives individuals an opportunity to learn about their own personal leadership traits and skills and how to best use them. It acquaints participants with community needs, challenges and opportunities, and offers alternate processes for dealing with those needs. It challenges the graduates of the program to become involved in the community, its organizations, and local decision making.

The eighth-month program requires a commitment of one day a month from each participant.



Photo submitted by Shanon Biggerstaff

2007 BUILDING CONNECTIONS COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP PROGRAM GRADUATES: (front row, left to right) Kay Shaffer, County Extension Office, Kat Clayton, Crockett National Bank and Camille Allen, Crockett County Museum. Second row: (left to right) Chris Boleman, Texas Cooperative Extension of College Station, Barbie Myers, DCP Midstream, Dianne Lott, Chamber of Commerce, Dee Montanez, West Texas Rehab, Marta De La Garza, Crockett County Care Center, Sylvia Longoria, Crockett County Library and Melinda Valdes, Ozona National Bank. Back Row: (left to right) Brandon Asbill, Double T Ranch and Clay Engdahl, Ozona National Bank. Graduate not shown: Hasu Patel, Best Value Inn.

Ideally, employers sponsor an employee to attend the sessions.

"The training and development received is only of benefit to local businesses," said Shanon Biggerstaff, Chamber Executive Director. "By the end of the program, employees have a better understanding of the decisions made by their employer or other

businesses, and the many factors that affect those decisions. They begin to understand what drives the community, the role of current local leaders, and how they can become involved."

Sign-up for the 2008 class has begun and anyone interested in going through the program can contact the Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737.

We Print Business Cards!
THE OZONA STOCKMAN
 1000 Ave. E 392-2551

Wedding Gift Selections
 have been made by
Robin Conner
 bride-elect of
Jason Campbell
Lana Stewart
 bride-elect of
Will Wagner
Kristen Shurley
 bride-elect of
Spencer Han
Jessica Herring
 bride-elect of
Brian Bolding

Baby Shower Selections
 have been made by
Taylor Childress
Shelly Lechuga
Small Fashions
 1004 Ave. E 392-3226

• Driveway - Parking Lots • Ranch Road • All Jobs Owner Supervised
 • Dirt Work - Grading • School-Municipal • 10% Church Discount

Pro Pave

Hot Asphalt Chip Sealing

Will be in Ozona Area - Oct. 26 - Nov. 10

Call for Local References • Free Estimates
 None of the Dirt - 1/2 the Price!

(325) 232-1093 (800) 265-3081 (432) 495-8258
 Abilene, Tx Toll Free Midland, TX

COME TO US FOR ALL YOUR

Hunting Needs

• Ground Blinds • Tower Blinds
 • Deer & Protein Feeders • Deer Feeder Parts
 • Feeder Timers & Batteries
 • Milo • Deer Blocks

DEER CORN

ALDERMAN-CAVE FEEDS
 Winters, Texas • Roswell, NM

DEER PROTEIN 17% & 20%

Triple C Hardware & Lumber, Inc.

CALL RUSSELL OR COLE - 392-4123

OPEN DURING LUNCH HOUR
 1116 Ave. E • Ozona
 Open Mon. - Fri.: 7 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
 Sat. - 7 a.m. - Noon



Photo by Joe Hernandez

CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H AGENT SUSIE BISHOP and Wool Growers Manager Mike Edinburg conducting the annual Crockett County 4-H Youth Show Association raffle on Oct. 10. Winners are: Joe Maddox, 3-Day Guided Deer Hunt donated by Flying W Outfitters; Bryan Gregory, Winchester Model 70 Black Shadow 270 WSM donated by Field & Streams of San Angelo; Ed Hale, Holland Grill donated by NATGAS of Ozona; Kari Kuehler, 300-pound Broadcast Feeder donated by Wool Growers and Stan Potts, Simmons Spotting Scope 20x60x60 donated by Gregory Guns Gear.

EQIP signup deadline Nov. 16

Landowners interested in signing up for financial assistance with conservation projects such as cedar or mesquite grubbing or prickly pear spraying need to visit their NRCS office by Nov. 16 to fill out the necessary paperwork to apply for the 2008 EQIP program.

For more information or to sign up, call Ty Williams at the NRCS office in Ozona at (325) 392-2301 ext. 3.

Luann Pierce

With good wishes at fifty,
 To my dearest, yes, best friend,
 Happy birthday, dear Luann,
 May your joys in life never end

Got fifty years upon her,
 Got inestimable joys,
 Got a husband she adores,
 Got the world's three greatest girls.

With Luann's classic sense of style,
 Her hair and clothes so nifty,
 You'd never think this lovely lady
 Had somehow just turned fifty!

Devon Puts Energy into Safety

Devon Energy Corporation's number one priority is the safety of both our neighbors and our employees. At Devon, we believe that having a safe working environment and a safe community requires a daily commitment from everyone. This commitment to safety is one reason Devon provides financial support and volunteer time to emergency response agencies and the Wise Eyes crime watch program in west Texas. At Devon, being a good neighbor means putting our energy into safety.

devon
 www.devonenergy.com

Lions, Lady Lions take third at district

By **MELISSA PERNER**
Editor and Publisher

The OHS Cross Country Teams are advancing to the regional meet.

The two teams placed third at the District 7-AA meet Monday at Alpine.

The Lions came in behind Kermit and Crane.

Junior Ethan English was the top runner for Ozona, placing 10th with a time of 20 minutes, 19.90 seconds. English also qualified for the regional meet as an individual.

Also running for Ozona was: 12. Jesse

Badillo, 20:29; 17. Stefan Wilson, 21:25; 18. Abey Lara, 21:47.7; 20. Kyle Dean, 22:24.7; 24. Lalo Longoria, 23:52.8 and 29. Bailey Badillo, 25:10.4.

The Lady Lions team came in behind Reagan County and Kermit.

Freshmen Chelsea Moore and Rebecca Ramos both advance to the regional meet as individuals. Moore placed fourth with a time of 17:01.9 and Ramos was seventh at 17:14.6.

Also running for Ozona was: 17. Vanessa De La Garza, 18:55.10; 20. Jennifer Allen, 19:11.4; 21. Melanie Miller, 19:25.5; 26. Makayla Badillo, 20:13.4 and

28. Puja Bhakta, 21:23.2.

The OMS Lady Lions placed first at the district meet.

Running for Ozona was: 2. Alex Rodriguez, 16:41.5; 5. Maria Villarreal, 18:51.4; 6. Cynthia Garcia, 19:19.7; 7. Kodi Glosson, 19:55.6; 8. Sabrina De La Garza, 20:05.1; 9. Trinity Collis, 20:12.6 and 12. Jacinda Villarreal, 22:21.7.

The OMS Lions also competed in the meet.

Running for the Lions was: 10. Christian Perez, 13. Jason Badillo, 14. Matt Galindo and 17. Noah Tambunga.

The OHS teams will compete at the Regional Meet Nov. 3 in Lubbock.

Lions, from page 1

would also get two critical interceptions on defense.

Life would change for the worse in the second half, as Crane's Isidro Garcia would block another Ozona punt late in the third quarter for the 21-6 lead.

The Golden Cranes would start off the fourth quarter with a long drive that included a 36-yard pass from Lloyd Chisum to Esparza. Chisum would then run the ball into the end zone for 11 yards to increase the lead 28-6.

Ozona would get a bit of luck two series later. On its first play, Maldonado's 34-yard pass to Venegas would good for the Lions second touchdown of the night. Maldonado would then run in the two-point conversion for the 28-14 score.

Crane would score once again with 1:43 left in the game on a 17-yard pass from Chisum to Carrasco to end the game 36-14.

Along with loss, Ozona also suffered key injuries in the game.

Running back Josh Santos suffered a knee injury on the first kickoff and Gandar was also injured during the game.

"We are looking at moving people around and doing with what we've got. We might look at moving some players up," Gutierrez said.

Ozona is 2-5 overall and 0-2 in district play.

The Lions will travel to Alpine this week to take on the Fighting Bucks. Game time is 7:30 p.m. Friday in Alpine.

CRANE 36 OZONA 14

Crane - 14 0 7 15 - 36
Lions - 0 6 0 8 - 14

First Quarter

C - Justin Carrasco recovered blocked punt in the end zone (Daniel Padilla kick), 7:43 remaining.

C - Lloyd Chisum 5 run (Padilla kick), 2:23.

Second Quarter

O - Matias Gandar 17 pass from Justin Maldonado (kick failed), 9:41.

Third Quarter

C - Isidro Garcia 20 blocked punt return (Padilla kick), 2:40

Fourth Quarter

C - Chisum 2 run (Padilla kick), 5:59.

O - Felix Venegas 34 pass from Maldonado (Maldonado run), 3:46.

C - Carrasco 17 pass from Chisum (Chisum run), 1:43.

	Lions	Crane
First Downs	11	16
Total yards	248	303
Rushes-yards	18-25	36-171
Passing-yards	223	132
Comp-Att-Int	16-33-0	8-19-2
Punts	5-36.2	3-29
Fumbles-lost	3-1	2-0
Penalties-yards	9-67	15-77

AREA SCORES

- Kermit 30,
- Alpine 13
- Reagan County 46
- Van Horn 14
- Early 35
- Wall 7
- Sonora 21
- Mason 0
- Eldorado 41
- Menard 7

PEP RALLY

Friday, Oct. 26
at 1:30 p.m.
at Davidson Gym.

The OHS Athletic Booster Club would like to thank Texas Energy for operating the concession stand during the last week's varsity football game. 100% of the proceeds from the concession stand go back to OHS athletics. We appreciate your support!



THE OZONA MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS' CROSS COUNTRY TEAMS BROUGHT HOME THE DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP (l. to r.) Trinity Collis, Cynthia Garcia, Alex Rodriguez, Maria Villarreal, Kodi Glosson, Sabrina De La Garza and Jacinda Villarreal.

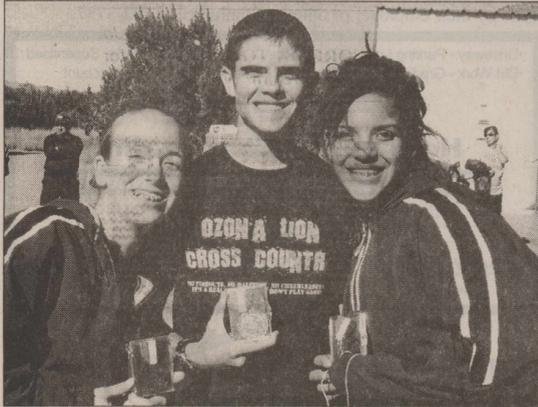


Photo by Shona Moore
QUALIFYING AS INDIVIDUALS to the Regional Cross County Meet to be held in Lubbock on Nov. 3 are: (l. to r.) Chelsea Moore, Ethan English and Rebecca Ramos.

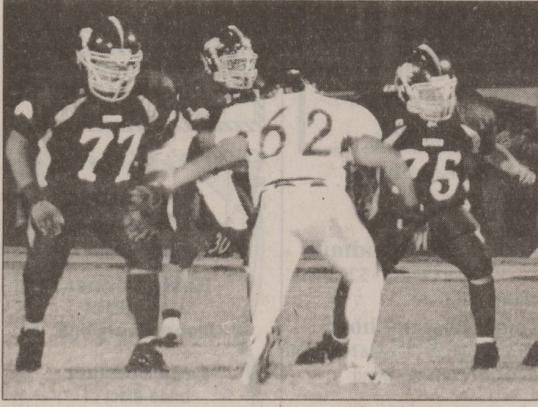


Photo by Joe Hernandez
OFFENSIVE LINEMAN RUBEN RIVAS (l.) and Daniel Anderson (r.) are lined up to protect quarterback Justin Maldonado.

JV Lions run through Golden Cranes 22-6

By **MELISSA PERNER**
Editor and Publisher

The Ozona JV Lions won 22-6 in Crane on Thursday.

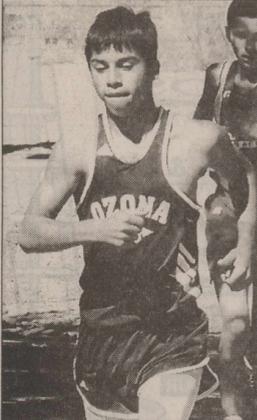
The first score of the game came on a Kyle Dean 20-yard run. The two-point conversion was good on a pass from Chris Rendon to Abey Lara.

The second score came on another Dean run from 15 yards out. The two-point conversion was again successful on a Rendon pass to Lara.

The final score of the game came on a long 55-yard run from Lara for a touchdown.

"Each week we are able to build on the previous week on both sides of the ball. It's great to see how hard these guys compete each and every week," said Coach Justin Morris. "If they continue to work hard and stay focused they should be fun to watch."

The JV Lions are 5-1 overall and 2-0 in district play. Ozona will take on Alpine at 5 p.m. Thursday at Lion Stadium.



JESSE BADILLO



KYLE DEAN



ABEY LARA



STEFAN WILSON

Fan of the Week



John & Layne Collis

Student of the Week



Alex Cruz

Sponsored this week by **4J & A PHOTOGRAPHY**

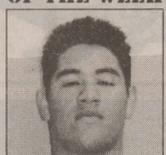
Call The Stockman at 392-2551 to sponsor this ad every week!

OFFENSIVE MVP OF THE WEEK



Justin Maldonado
Justin was 16 for 25 for 211 yards and 21 yards rushing.

DEFENSIVE MVP OF THE WEEK



Rylee Ramos
Rylee had 9 tackles, 3 tackles for a loss, 1 batted ball and 1 sack.

SPECIALTIES MVP OF THE WEEK



Johnny Flores
Johnny showed great hustle in the game.

Sponsored each week by



THESE BUSINESSES AND INDIVIDUALS SUPPORT YOU 100%!!!

- | | | |
|--|--------------------------|------------------------------|
| Adios Wrecker Service L.L.C. | Key Energy - Ozona | Preddy's Tire Service |
| Amigo Chemical Control | Lilly Construction, Inc. | Small Fashions |
| Best Western - Ozona Inn | Bill & Mary Jo Mason | Sonic |
| Crockett Automotive | Mesa Land Services | Sorrelley's Hot Shot Service |
| Crockett County Abstract | Mike's Auto Care | Steve Sessom D.D.S. |
| Crockett National Bank | Nabors Well Service | The Ozona Stockman |
| Dairy Queen | NatGas, Inc. | Triple C Hardware & Lumber |
| DCP Midstream | Ozona Chatter Box | Upham Insurance |
| Food Basket | Ozona Insurance | Village Drug |
| John L., Jeannine, Jenna & Julia Henderson | Ozona National Bank | Westerman Drug of Ozona |
| Hope Drilling | Ozona Veterinary Clinic | Allen & Susan Williams |
| | Ozona Wool & Mohair | Wool Growers |

Seventh Grade Lions take down Crane

By **MELISSA PERNER**
Editor and Publisher

Perez, R.J. Martinez, Joaquin Meza, Christian Perez, Brandon Dominguez.

The Seventh Grade Lions bounced back with a big win over the Crane Golden Cranes.

The Lions defense kept the Cranes at their end of the field the whole game.

Having big games on defense were Nathan Leonard, Blake Morrow, Brandon DeHoyos, Adam Gonzales, Cuatro Jones, Christian Perez, Brandon Dominguez, Jason Badillo and Jeffery Sanchez, who nearly blocked a punt in the Cranes own endzone.

The Lions defense kept the Cranes scoreless until 52 seconds remained in the fourth quarter.

Kodi Glosson scored on a 30-yard punt return, and Blake Morrow added the two-point conversion.

"Offensively, the Lions played tough, hard nosed football," said Coach Jacob Hall.

Blake Morrow ran the ball exceptionally well and scored two touchdowns and added a two-point conversion.

Brandon DeHoyos pounded the ball effectively and rumbled in to add a two-point conversion.

Noah Tambunga ran exceptional routes to draw the defense away from the running plays.

Alex Borrego led the offensive attack as well as ran the ball very effectively.

"The offensive line played extremely well and held their blocks to allow the backs room to maneuver," Hall said.

The line consist of Adam Gonzales, Cuatro Jones, Tres

Daniel Rios placed the Cranes deep in their own territory with two well kicked punts that were both over 60 yards.

"I am very proud of these student athletes to bounce back after a close loss and work hard at practice all week. We understood what we needed to work on, and the results showed on the field and the scoreboard," Hall said.

The Lions are 1-1 in district. They will play Alpine at 5 p.m. Thursday in Alpine.



Photo by Joe Hernandez
BLAKE MORROW SCORED TWO TOUCHDOWNS and a two-point conversion in the seventh grade Lions win over Crane.

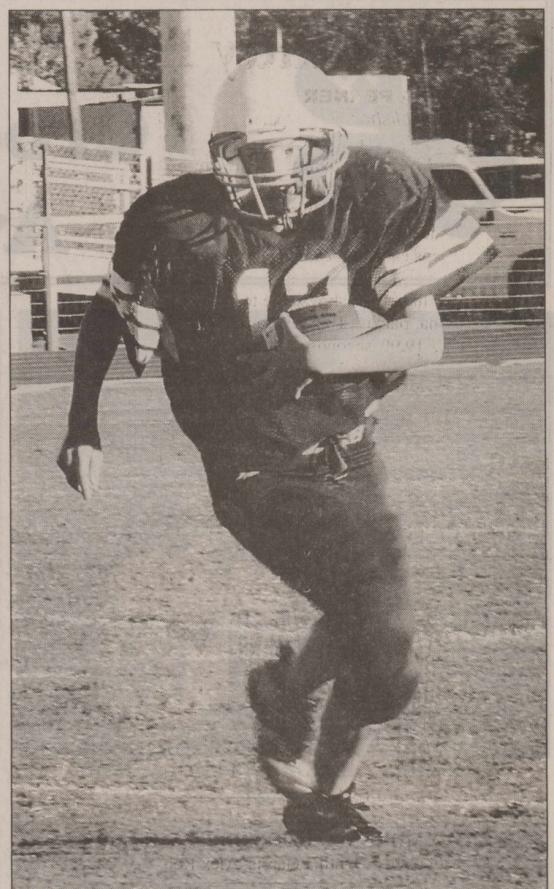


Photo by Joe Hernandez
KODI GLOSSON SCORED A TOUCHDOWN for the seventh grade Lions on a 30-yard punt return



Photo by Joe Hernandez
THE EIGHTH GRADE CHEERLEADERS STRIKE A POSE during the game against Crane. They are: front, Kelsie Ramirez, kneeling: Natalie Hernandez, Leigh Ann Galindo, and Gaby Gutierrez holding Kelbie Renfro.

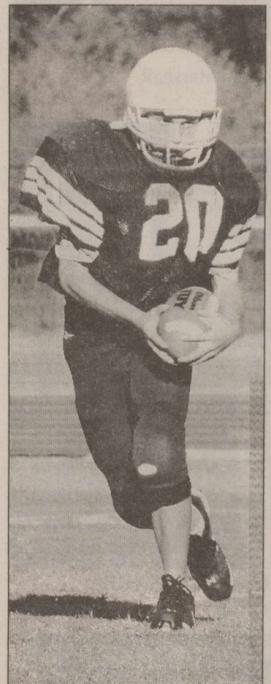


Photo by Joe Hernandez
NATHON LEONARD carries the ball for the seventh grade Lions.

Eighth Grade Lions fall short to Crane

By **MELISSA PERNER**
Editor and Publisher

The Eighth Grade Lions came up short against the Crane Golden Cranes falling 18-20 last week.

The Lions came out strong with Mark Gallardo causing a fumble on the first defensive play of the game.

The Lions offense would move the ball through the air with Alejandro Mendez finding Andy Trevino for a 30-yard pass that would put the Lions on the 12-yard line where Mendez would find Gallardo in the end zone, giving the Lions an early 6-0 lead.

The Lions offense would struggle the rest of the first half and go to halftime trailing 6-20.

In the second half the Lion offense would step up their play and move the ball effectively.

Mark Gallardo would carry the ball for over 100 yards in the second half and two touchdowns,

one from 60 yards the other from 2 yards out.

Defensively, the Lions were very sound in the second half giving up only four first downs.

"We were a bit sloppy in the first half and we did not tackle well and it cost us. In the second half we had chances to take the lead and we just came up short," said Coach John Esparza.

Others playing for Lane Hale, Kramer Hall, Steven Rubio, Michael Medina, Austin Perez, Mario Sifuentes, Jose Lozano, Anthony Avila, Javier Otamendi, Adriel Zamarripa, Eric Carrizales, Jorge Sarabia and Marty Moran.

The Lions will take on Alpine at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at Alpine.



Photo by Joe Hernandez
ALEJANDRO MENDEZ, leaves a Crane in the dust as he moves the ball down the field for the eighth grade Lions.



Photo by Joe Hernandez
MICHAEL MEDINA pushes through the line in the eighth grade Lions game against Crane.



Submitted photo
MS. AMBER VASQUEZ and **MRS. LINDA DE LA GARZA'S** Pre-K classes enjoyed a visit from the Crockett County EMS during Community Helpers Week.

Boy Scout popcorn time

Ozona Boy Scout Troop 153 is taking orders for popcorn.

The money earned from the popcorn sales will go toward paying for merit badges and camping trips for the troop.

The troop is taking orders through Oct. 29. Delivery will be Nov. 9-21.

Anyone interested in placing an order can call Linda Conner at 392-8125.

Ozona Lodge #747
A.F. & A.M.
Regular meeting on 1st Monday of each month at 7:30 p.m.

Pecos River Trading Co.
MOHAIR PRODUCTS
www.pecostraders.com
432-836-4331

The Ozona Stockman
Deadline is
Monday at Noon

Benny Granger is working with kids who are interested in becoming golfers. Several of the students do not own golf clubs. Anyone willing to donate any used or new golf clubs would be greatly appreciated. Clubs needed include putters, drivers, fairway woods and iron sets.
For more information, call Granger at 392-9109 or 392-5722

Youth Center
Calendar of Events
Oct. 26 - Closed for football game.
Oct. 29 - OHS Food Night, 7-10 p.m.
Nov. 1 - Closed for football game, Will reopen after game.
Nov. 3 - Closed for football game, Will reopen after game.
Go LIONS!



2007 Crockett County 4-H Awards Banquet



Photos by Joe Hernandez



DAN BEAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Laura Stapper



COMMUNITY SERVICE
Murphey Black, Jadie Marshall and Laura Stapper



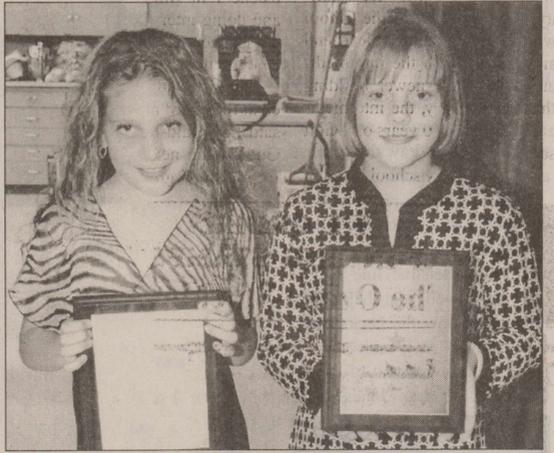
LEADERSHIP AWARD
Kelbie Renfro, Lanna Stapper and Matthew Komechak



GOLD STAR
Taylor Newton



SILVER STAR
Linda Stapper and Allie Black



BRONZE STAR
Abby Newton and Jadie Marshall



FRIEND OF THE 4-H AWARD

The Ozona Stockman (represented by Melissa Perner) and Crockett County Commissioners Court (represented by Pleas Childress III)



DANFORTH "I DARE YOU" AWARD
Taylor Newton



OUTSTANDING ADULT LEADERS
Ann Stapper and Larry Glosson



CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H MEMBERS
after another successful banquet.

The Ozona Stockman Deadline is MONDAY at NOON!

*A little birdy told us
you were Thirty!*

*Happy
Birthday
to Melissa
on Oct. 26.*



We love you,
Mom, Dad, Paul, Michelle, Ray, Desiree,
Joe & Susan

Now Open



2222 Sherwood Way
949-0300

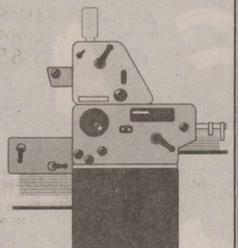
**WE DO CUSTOM
PRINTING!**

- Business Cards
- Invitations
- Ticket Books
- Multiple Part Forms
- Letterheads
- Envelopes

AND MUCH MORE!

**The
Ozona
Stockman**

1000 Ave. E 392-2551



BOARD: District will look at new roof, addition to primary school if bond fails

from page 1

reasons on why the district wants to combine the two campuses.

He said it would give all campuses a TAKS test, the primary school currently does not have TAKS testing, one principal would oversee all pre-k through fifth grade students and the main cafeteria would be located there to serve the majority of students.

Financially, Gott said the district's declining enrollment and maintenance issues are other reasons to combine. Employees would not lose their jobs when the schools combined, but as people leave or retire some positions may not be replaced, Gott said.

Combining the two schools on the primary school site "avoids all schools being one side of town," Gott said.

"The primary site has more history than the intermediate site," Gott said during the board meeting.

Also, the intermediate school is not in the best location being close to the interstate.

The intermediate school also has no room for expansion, there is only accessibility on three sides of the school with one side being a dead end and even though the intermediate school is a newer building than the primary, the intermediate building is 30 years old, Gott said.

The primary school location

"Maintaining four campuses is not an option. Keeping the intermediate school is not an option,"

- Superintendent Abe Gott

is more ideal because it can be made accessible on all sides, is further from the interstate and has ample room to build or add on, Gott said.

"Maintaining four campuses is not an option. Keeping the intermediate school building is not an option," Gott said. "We will combine campuses, either in a new building or in the old primary school with improvements."

Wilson said there has been a lot of negative feedback from people in the community that have said the bond will not pass.

"If people are having negative thoughts, tell them to hold off until we have something to present," said Laurie Hale, board vice president.

Currently, Douglas Koehne, architect, is working with primary and intermediate school teachers in filling out surveys and doing interviews as to what the teachers would like to see in a new school.

In his bond update, presented at the board meeting, Koehne said he would be working with Gott in the next few weeks to form a small group for a Design

Committee to help with the design process of the new building.

The committee is to be made up of some school administrators, teachers, parents, board members and community members. The size is not to exceed 10 people.

If the bond passes, primary school students would be displaced for the 2008-2009 school year. Principal Dan Webb and Gott have spent time working out a plan as where the children would be located.

The intermediate school will continue to be in use, until the new school is complete and ready to be moved into, Gott said.

If the bond fails, Gott said he will ask Koehne to come up with a plan that will allow the district to repair the primary school roof and construct an addition to the primary building to house pre-k through fifth grade students.

The district will be able to make these renovations through a lease-purchase agreement, where the district could try for a bond again in two years to then pay off the agreement, Gott said.

"From everybody I've talked to, I don't see anybody wanting to stay four campuses," Gott said.

PREVENTING STAPH

To help prevent staph infection, the school maintenance staff will be setting off "germ bombs" at the high school field house, said Ray Don Myers, maintenance and transportation supervisor.

Board President Dr. Marcus Sims said that field house would be better if the carpet was taken out of it and floor covered with concrete paint. Also, the wooden lockers and benches need to be replaced with metal.

"It won't keep it all out, but it would help," Sims said.

Staph infections have occurred in the field house in previous school years. Staph is also gaining more attention due to a 17-year-old Virginia high school student who had invasive form of the disease.

Sims said the Virginia student's case was rare and that most of time staph is a skin infection.

"This is not news. Every week we have cases in my of-

rice. Mostly this year, it's been with adults," he said.

NEW BUSES AND SUBURBANS

Myers said the new school buses should be arriving before the final football game on Nov. 9.

Myers also said the district needs at least two new suburban buses. The newest suburban has 96,000 miles on it.

Myers said the vehicles are used a lot in spring sports and when teachers travel to attend workshops. Two suburban buses are currently being used on bus routes.

SCHOOL SECURITY

Each of the principals mentioned the new security name badge system in their report.

The new computer software system, donated by IDENT-A-KID, takes a visitor's picture and prints out a name badge for the visitor to wear while they are on campus.

DARE PROGRAM

The primary school will be taking part in the DARE drug-free program presented by the Crockett County Sheriff's Department.

The second grade will be

split into two groups, with the first group participating in the last part of November and the first part of December, and the second in January or February.

STUDENTS ATTEND OIL AND GAS SHOW

Gott said the high school had four classes and the middle school sixth-graders recently attended the first South West Texas Oil and Gas Trade Show held a few weeks ago.

Gott said he lost count of the number of people who complimented the student's behavior in attending the show.

Also, DCP Midstream said they want to work with physics and chemistry classes on a mentoring basis.

OTHER AGENDA ITEMS:

- The board unanimously approved board policy update #81.

- Public reporting of progress in meeting highly qualified teacher requirements for 2006-2007 and 2007-2008 was presented. The district currently has two non-highly qualified teachers, but both are involved in programs to become highly-qualified.

- Randy Wilson spoke in open forum and requested to be on the agenda for the next meeting.

The next regular board meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 7 at the Administration Building at 797 Avenue D.

TOBAR: Son indicted on two counts of fraudulent information

from page 1

The February grand jury also indicted Tobar's son, Timothy Joe Tobar, 26, on two counts of aggravated assault and one count of intoxicated assault.

Also during the hearing Monday, Kenny Tobar was served an indictment for two counts of fraudulent use or possession of identifying information. Both counts carry a state jail felony charge.

According to the indictment, Kenny Tobar, 23, obtained Daniel Munoz Moran's name, date of birth and social

security number without Moran's consent to apply for a Bank of America credit card.

Alfred Tobar currently serves as commissioner of Precinct 4.

He can remain in office, if he chooses, until he is convicted, if he is convicted.

According to the Texas Local Government Code, the conviction of a county officer by a jury for any felony or for a misdemeanor involving official misconduct operates as an immediate removal from office of that officer.

State representative selected for deer breeding interim committee

AUSTIN - Speaker Tom Craddick, R - Midland, appointed Rep. Harvey Hilderbran, R - Kerrville and Rep. Tracy King, D - Batesville, to the Select Interim Committee to Study the Practice of Breeding White-Tailed and Mule Deer.

"Texas' unique wildlife landscape is unsurpassed by any other state in the nation, and it is essential that it is taken seriously in order to maintain this position," said Craddick. "Reps. Hilderbran and King both have the necessary expertise and come from parts of the state that are particularly concerned with wildlife management. I am certain they will serve this committee well."

The Select Interim Committee will look at the operation of breeding facilities throughout the state; evaluate whether barriers exist that prevent the breeding industry from efficiently functioning;

find opportunities to improve the breeding industry in Texas; and, explore issues related to disease control, and liability and indemnification.

The committee will report its findings to the Legislature by Feb. 1, 2009.

Hilderbran said, "The deer breeding industry will continue to have a positive impact on the rural economy and have tremendous potential to generate significant revenue for the state."

The Select Interim Committee will include 10 members: two senators and one non-elected member appointed by the governor, two House members and one non-elected member appointed by the speaker, three members not employed by a governmental entity appointed by the governor, and one member appointed by the chair of the Parks and Wildlife Commission who is not employed by a governmental entity.

Tax seminars Thursday and Tuesday

The ASU Small Business Development Center will host two tax seminars.

The first is "Financing Options for Your Business" from 6-8:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 25 in Room 108 of the MCS Building on the ASU Campus in San Angelo.

This seminar will focus on finding sources of financing for your startup or existing business.

The second is "Social Security Annual Wage Reporting"

from 6-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 30 in the SBDC Conference Room at the Rassman Building on the ASU Campus.

Find out everything you need to know about submitting tax year 2007 annual wage reports (W-2s, W-3s) electronically, including the option for electronic filing of W-2 and W-2C reports and for online verification of employees' names and Social Security numbers.

For more information, call the ASU SBDC at 942-2098.

WE ORDER SELF-INKING STAMPS AT The Ozona Stockman

Attention.....

Ranchers & Livestock Producers Drought Insurance!

Now enrolling & re-enrolling participants for 2008 Drought Insurance Coverage! Pasture, Rangeland and Forage Drought Insurance policies are now available for farmers and ranchers.

* Premium partially subsidized by USDA

Sales closing date - November 30th

T. Cy Griffin
Cell: 325-226-0432

Guy Cauthorn
Cell: 512-658-0134

325-387-3912

This agency is an equal opportunity agency

Doyle Morgan Insurance
217 E. Main
Sonora, Texas 76950



Getting ready to hibernate?

Make your home more comfortable

Receive up to a **\$1,000 REBATE*** OR **18 Months NO PAYMENTS** Deferred Interest Financing**

with the purchase of a qualifying Lennox® high-efficiency home comfort system.

Air Dynamics Inc.
AIR CONDITIONING & HEATING

Air Conditioning, Heating & Plumbing
15 E. Highland Blvd. • San Angelo, TX
www.airdynamics1.com
(325) 655-2515

TACL003677C

Offer expires 11/16/2007.

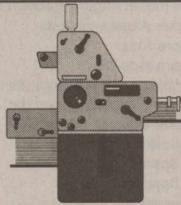
*Rebate offer is valid only with the purchase of qualifying Lennox® products.
**Offer is subject to credit approval by GE Money Bank with purchase of qualifying Lennox product. No finance charge will be assessed and no minimum monthly payments will be required on your promotional purchase balance if you pay the promotion purchase balance in full by the end of the 18 Month promotion period. If you do not, finance charges will be assessed on the promotional purchase balance from the date of purchase and minimum monthly payments will be required on the remaining promotional purchase balance. Standard account terms apply to non-promotional purchases and, after promotion ends, to your promotional purchase. Variable APR is 21.15% as of 01/01/2007. Variable delinquency APR of 23.95% as of 01/01/2007 may apply if you fail to pay your minimum payment by your due date for two consecutive billing periods. Minimum finance charge \$1.50. Offer void where prohibited by law.
© 2007 Lennox Industries Inc. See your participating Lennox dealer for details. Lennox dealers include independently owned and operated businesses.



WE DO CUSTOM PRINTING!

• Business Cards • Invitations • Envelopes
• Multiple Part Forms • Letterheads
• AND MUCH MORE!

The Ozona Stockman
1000 Ave. E 392-2551



Southwest Back Clinic

Specializing in Worker's Compensation

Have you been hurt on the JOB?
Are yo in PAIN because of your injury?
DO YOU NEED A DOCTOR?

Se Habla Espanol

Jim Collier, D.C.

4241 Southwest Blvd. Ste. 106
San Angelo, Texas 76904

325-947-2225
Fax: 325-947-3019

Everett's Furniture & Emporium

205 E. Main St.
Sonora, Texas 76950



Fine Furniture & Appliances

Free Delivery, Set up & Haul off



G.E. Financing
0% 12 mos. W.A.C. & In house financing on furniture & appliances with down payment Everyone Qualifies!

WIN BIG WITH SPECIAL FINANCING ON SELECT SUPERBOOM™ SKID STEER LOADERS*



San Angelo TRACTOR & EQUIPMENT
A Division of GE
Easy to Do Business With!
620 N. Bell • San Angelo, TX
(325) 653-2121 • 800-496-0271
www.sanangeltractor.com
NEW HOLLAND CONSTRUCTION
*For industrial use only. Offer subject to customer credit qualification and CNH America LLC approval. See your New Holland dealer for details and eligibility requirements. Down payment may be required. Offer good through October 31, 2007, at participating New Holland dealers in the United States. Offer subject to change without notice. © 2007 CNH Capital America LLC. All rights reserved. New Holland Construction is a trademark of CNH America LLC. CNH Capital is a registered trademark of CNH America LLC.

Crockett County Sheriff's Report

TYPE OF CALLS	# OF CALLS
Abandoned/impounded vehicles/property	1
Animal control, Livestock Complaints	11
Civil Complaints	5
Civil Service	9
Criminal Complaints, Disturbances, Etc.	28
Juvenile Complaints	2
Locked Vehicles	4
911 Fire Calls, Admin. Calls	3
911 Vehicle Accidents	1
911 Medical calls/ Transfers	2
Motorist Assistance/Gas Welfare	4
Reckless driving/speeding complaints	3
Security Alarms	4
Assist other Law or county Agencies	1
Sheriff's Office Admin Calls	26
Jail/dispatch Admin Calls	9
Suspicious Persons/Vehicle	6
Welfare Concern for Citizen/Property	4
Utility Services/complaints	1
Traffic Citations Issued	14
Prisoners Currently in custody/Ozonia	7
Prisoners Housed in other counties	14

NOTICE: THE UNSAFE PRACTICE OF PARKING IN STREETS TO UNLOAD OR LOAD CHILDREN, AND ALLOWING YOUR CHILD TO WALK BETWEEN OTHER MOVING VEHICLES IS DANGEROUS. THIS PROBLEM IS OCCURRING FREQUENTLY AT ALL SCHOOLS, AND SHOULD BE OF GRAVE CONCERN FOR ALL OF US, ESPECIALLY WITH OUR KIDS AT THE PRIMARY & INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS. PLEASE BE ALERT AT ALL TIMES WHEN IN SCHOOL AREAS.

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.

- LACY FLEMING... of Odessa/Ozonia- Crockett County Court- theft by check
- BLAS RAMOS JR... of Midland/Odessa Crockett County J.P. warrant - no driver license and restrained child
- GILBERTO MONTE-LONGO MATA ... of Ozonia, Crockett County J.P.- minor in consumption of alcohol
- CHRISTINE REYES ARANA... of Austin- Crockett County Court-failure to identify
- JOHN MANSELL CLARK... of Ozonia - Crockett County Court - unlawful restrained of a minor after indictment.

- Mathew Walter Daniels ... of Ozonia, Crockett County Court - motion to revoke assault causing bodily injury.
- Andres Trevino Jr. ... of Ozonia, Crockett County Court - theft by check.

Notice: It is a violation of Texas Laws to assist or help hide a person known to have an outstanding warrant for arrest.

ARREST REPORT

10-16-07
 • Diane Elizabeth Martinez, 50, placed in custody at 112th District Court. She remains in custody pending bail/court.
 10-18-07
 • John Anthony Ramirez, 41, of San Antonio, Texas, was arrested by sheriff's deputy with a county court warrant of failure to appear. He remains in custody.
 • Gerardo Montoya, 31, of Mexico, was arrested at Crockett County Court, to serve 72-hour jail sentence. He was released after sentence was completed.
 10-19-07
 • Robert Emil Alexander, 20, of Ozonia, arrested by sheriff's deputy with a Crockett County Court warrant of motion to revoke/evading arrest. He remains in custody.
 • Kimberley Lois Weddle, 30, of Ozonia, arrested by sheriff's deputy with a Crockett County Court warrant for theft by check. She paid check restitution and was released.
 10-20-07
 • Diana Yvette Lara, 44, of Ozonia, arrested by sheriff's deputy for public intoxication. She paid fine and was released.
 • Billy Lee Burns, 46, of Ozonia, arrested by sheriff's deputy with a Crockett County Justice of the Peace court warrant of disorderly conduct. He posted bail and was released.
 • Valentin Sanchez Alaniz, 27, of Ranger, Texas, arrested by sheriff's deputy for driving while intoxicated. He posted bail

and was released.
 • Juan Manuel Sanchez Alaniz, 25, of Ranger, Texas, arrested by sheriff's deputy for public intoxication. He pleaded guilty in J.P. court and was released.
 10-22-07
 • Michael David Graham, 28, of Ozonia, arrested by sheriff's deputy with a Crockett County Court warrant for motion to adjudicate/assault causing bodily injury. He remains in custody.
 • Justin Deon Lowe, 19, of Santa Monica, Calif., arrested by DPS Trooper for possession of marijuana under 2oz. He remains in custody.

INCIDENT REPORTS

10-16-07
 • An assault causing bodily injury/family violence report was filed, by juvenile victim, who stated family member had caused injuries during an assault. Upon further investigation this report was canceled.
 • An aggravated assault with a deadly weapon report was filed, by local citizen on Santa Anna Street. Victim reported that while at a residence on 14th Street, a known juvenile threatened victim with a knife. Investigation continues.
 10-20-07
 • Sheriff's office filed a driving while intoxicated report, following a complaint of reckless driver on I-10. Vehicle was stopped on I-10, and two persons were arrested.
 10-21-07
 • A missing person report was filed by a local citizen. A family member had wondered off from a location, at another town. Report was later canceled after family member was located.
 • An assault causing bodily injury/family violence report was filed by citizen on Man of War Street. Victim reported that spouse had caused injury during an assault. Investigation continues.

Judge grants anti-toll road group new hearing



AUSTIN — The "Keep Texas Moving" advertising campaign funded by the Texas Department of Transportation

continues to be challenged by Texans Uniting for Reform and Freedom (TURF).

Travis County State District Judge Orlinda Naranjo on Oct. 18 granted TURF's request for continuance and a new hearing in 90 days.

For months, the group has sought to stop TxDOT from spending state funds to promote the TransTexas Corridor, a multibillion dollar, multidecade privately funded tollroad plan.

"TxDOT is waging a one-sided political ad campaign, designed to sway public opinion in favor of the policy that puts money in TxDOT's own coffers," said TURF founder and executive director Terri Hall.

A Texas law prohibits state agencies from using public funding for political advocacy, Hall said.

But Kristina Silcocks, a transportation attorney with the Office of the Attorney General who is representing TxDOT, said the "Keep Texas Moving" campaign is permitted under another state law that allows marketing of toll projects.

EXTRA CHECK MAY COME FOR SOME
 The Teacher Retirement System board of trustees will meet Nov. 9 to decide whether to give eligible annuitants an extra check in January.

The independent actuary for the TRS said a supplemental 13th check can be paid to those who are eligible without hiking the active member contribution rate.

The check amount would be equal to a normal monthly pension payment, up to a maximum of \$2,400.

The supplement was made possible by SB 1846 sponsored by Sen. Robert Duncan, R-Lubbock, and Rep. Vicki Truitt, R-Keller, in the 80th Texas Legislature.

HANDWASHING IS KEY TO PREVENTION
 By now, Texans have gotten wind of this health issue in a variety of media, but it will not hurt to mention it here.

Handwashing is important. A particularly stubborn form of "staph" bacteria is out and about, spread through person-to-person contact or via contact with contaminated surfaces.

"Regular hand washing is the best way to prevent staph transmission," said Marilyn

Felkner, a Texas Department of State Health Services epidemiologist. "Getting back to the basics, using soap and water, or hand sanitizer, is essential in facilities where people work, live and play close together."

Find guidelines to keep staph in check at www.mrsa.texas.org.

PERRY NAMES EDUCATION CHIEF

Texas has a new education commissioner: Gov. Rick Perry named Robert Scott to the post on Oct. 16. Scott had been acting as commissioner since predecessor Dr. Shirley Neeley resigned effective July 1. He served four years as chief deputy commissioner, managing daily operations for the Texas Education Agency.

THINK HARD BEFORE YOU VOTE

Here is one more plug for the Nov. 6 election: the subjects of all 16 proposed constitutional amendments on the ballot:

- Prop. 1: Transferring constitutional facilities funding for Angelo State University to the Texas Tech University System.

- Prop. 2: Authorizing general obligation bonds to finance student loans.

- Prop. 3: Annual 10 percent cap on increases in homestead taxable value.

- Prop. 4: General obligation bonds for state agency construction and repair projects.

- Prop. 5: Allowing a temporary property tax freeze for smaller city redevelopment.

- Prop. 6: Property tax exemption for a personal vehicle used for business activities.

- Prop. 7: Selling property acquired through eminent domain to former owner at original price.

- Prop. 8: Revisions to home equity loan provisions.

- Prop. 9: Exempting residence disabled veterans from property taxation.

- Prop. 10: Deleting constitutional references to county office of inspector of hides and animals.

- Prop. 11: Requiring legislators to cast record votes on final passage.

- Prop. 12: Authorizing \$5 billion in general obligation bonds for highway improvements.

- Prop. 13: Allowing judges to deny bail in certain cases involving family violence.

- Prop. 14: Permitting judges reaching mandatory retirement age to finish their terms.

- Prop. 15: Authorizing general obligation bonds to fund cancer research.

- Prop. 16: Bonds for water and sewer services to economically distressed areas.

Fire department runs

OCTOBER 17
 • 3:43 p.m. - Grass fire on County Road 204, 5 acres. Four units and six fire fighters responded.

OCTOBER 20
 • 6:43 p.m. - Grass fire on the Phillips Ranch off of State Highway 163 south. Five units and eight fire fighters responded.

Local EMS runs

OCTOBER 15
 • Two transfers to Shannon Medical Center San Angelo.

OCTOBER 16
 • Local run transported to Family Health Clinic.

OCTOBER 17
 • Local run transported to Family Health Clinic.

OCTOBER 18
 • Local run transported to Family Health Clinic.

OCTOBER 19
 • Standby football game.

OCTOBER 20
 • Standby football game.

Junction Stockyards Market Report

Sheep and Goats
 Oct. 22, 2007
 Total receipts 2,168 head. Thin stock, was lower. Other classes mostly steady.

#1 spring lambs 50-70 lbs.	1.00-1.08
#1 spring lambs 70-90 lbs.	87-1.02
Fat ewes	34-40
Thin ewes	12-24
Bucks	28-35
Baby Tooth Ewes	60-72
Solid Mouth Ewes	37-48
Baby Tooth Angora stocker nannies	60-78
Solid mouth Angora stocker nannies	32-44
Stocker Angora muttons	50-70
Angora Kids	1.10-1.25
Angora Kids-shorn	92-1.10
Weighing Angoras-shorn (thin)	17-27
Weighing Angoras-shorn (fat) nannies	28-34
Stocker Spanish nannies	60-80
Fat Spanish nannies	38-47
Fat Spanish muttons	90-1.10
Fat Spanish billies	72-88
Fat yearlings	95-1.07
Fat Spanish kids	1.05-1.13
Small kids	98-1.12
Thin kids	85-92
Spanish nanny & kid pairs	36-41/hd

Next Sale Oct. 29

CINEMARK 4-DAY ADVANCE TICKET SALES
 NO PASSES-NO SUPERSAVERS
 Tickets & Showtimes available at cinemark.com

The Best Seat In Town

Tinseltown
 Loop 306 & Sherwood Way 325-223-2858
 () = FRI., SAT. & SUN. ONLY

STEREO SURROUND SOUND IN ALL AUDITORIUMS

◆ DAN IN REAL LIFE (PG-13) (10:15am) (10:35pm) (1:15pm) (1:35pm) 4:15pm 4:35pm 7:15pm 7:35pm 10:05pm 10:25pm	◆ MICHAEL CLAYTON (R) (10:40am) (1:40pm) 4:40pm 7:40pm 10:30pm
◆ SAW IV (R) (10:05am) (10:50pm) (1:00pm) 4:00pm 4:50pm 7:00pm 7:50pm 9:50pm 10:40pm	◆ RENDITION (R) (10:20am) (1:20pm) 4:20pm 7:20pm 10:10pm
◆ 30 DAYS OF NIGHT (R) (10:30am) (1:30pm) 4:30pm 7:30pm 10:20pm	◆ THE COMEBACKS (PG-13) (10:45am) (1:45pm) 4:45pm 7:45pm 10:35pm
◆ 30 DAYS OF NIGHT (R) (10:30am) (1:30pm) 4:30pm 7:30pm 10:20pm	◆ THE GAME PLAN (PG) (11:05am) (2:05pm) 5:05pm 8:05pm 10:55pm
ELIZABETH: THE GOLDEN AGE (PG-13) (10:05am) (1:05pm) 4:05pm	◆ THE HEARTBREAK KID (R) (10:10am) (1:10pm) 4:10pm 7:10pm 10:00pm
◆ GONE WITH THE WIND (R) (11:00am) (2:00pm) 5:00pm 8:00pm 10:50pm	◆ THE KINGDOM 7:05pm 9:55pm
	◆ TYLER PERRY'S WHY DID I GET MARRIED (PG-13) (10:25am) (1:25pm) 4:25pm 7:25pm 10:15pm
	◆ WE OWN THE NIGHT (R) (10:55am) (1:55pm) 4:55pm 7:55pm 10:45pm

Showtimes Valid
 Friday - Thursday - 10-26 - 11-01, 2007 ONLY

OIL FIELD FACTORY

MULTI-CHEM

PRODUCTION CHEMICALS

THE GAS ENHANCEMENT COMPANY

Your Leader for Gas Well Production Chemicals
 1-800-805-9178
 704 Glasscock • Sonora, TX
 387-2585 392-8302

Bridges Port-A-Potty Inc.

Oilfield Exclusively

- McALLEN
- SONORA • ALICE

Providing clean portable bathrooms for the oilfield workforce.

Sonora: 1-888-387-3822
 Carlos Perez
 Field Supervisor Cell: 956-369-0834

Ozonia Truck Towing & Emergency Repair (OTTER)

- Diesel Engine Repair
- Towing
- DOT & State Inspections

24 HOUR CALL OUT

392-2121
 392-2481
 432-664-2636

1001 12th St.

Fenton's Transport & Rental

- AC Generators • Trail Storage Tank & Pressure Pump
- Pressure Wash Pump - Trailer Mounted
- Fresh Water For Storage Tank

325-392-3884
 325-650-2115

LILLY CONSTRUCTION, INC.

OFFICE (325) 392-2669 FAX (325) 392-3637

Dave Wilson, General Manager
 Box 1567 • 603 Ave. H • Ozonia, TX

- READY MIX CONCRETE
- Ditching Machines
- Dozers
- Backhoes
- Roustabouts
- Welders
- H2S Certified
- D.O.T. Drug Tested

PAID CDL TRAINING! YOUR FUTURE BEGINS HERE

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

Stevens Transport, the premier refrigerated carrier in the US, sponsors the total cost of your CDL training! In 17 short days you will earn your CDL and begin your paid on-the-job training! Earn \$40K first year and up to \$150K fifth year! Excellent benefits and 401K!

For more information, call **800-333-8595**
www.becomeadrivers.com

This report provided by **RIGDATA** For a complete report, call (800) 627-9785

Rig Locations
 For Crockett, Sutton, Terrell and Reagan counties

As of Oct. 12, 2007

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Approach Operating	9000*	J.R. Bailey -A- #805	Nabors Drilling (O)	Drig Ahead
New Approach Operating	9000*	Bayley #326	Patterson Drilling/A 710	Drig Ahead
New Anadarko E & P Co Lp	8500*	Meylin-A- #8	Patterson Drilling/A 38	Drig Ahead
New Eog Resources/Mid	5800*	Shannon Hospital -A- #13	Capstar Drilling 11	Drig Ahead 738*
New Fiml Natural Res	5500*	Baggott Oz #1157d	Patterson Drilling/A 721	Drig Ahead

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Dominion OK T's E&P	9650*	Morris Brothers Ranch	Patterson Drilling/A 39	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	9400*	Duke Wilson -174- #9	Patterson Drilling/A 120	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	9250*	L.R. Valliant #29	Helmerich & Payne/S 303	Assigned
Dominion OK T's E&P	9100*	L.R. Valliant #30	Patterson Drilling/A 122	Drig Ahead
Kcs Resources/Pb	9000*	Sawyer-129- #16	Patterson Drilling/A 42	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	9000*	Duke Wilson -188- #9	Patterson Drilling/A 120	Assigned
Dominion OK T's E&P	8975*	Mayer Ranch -35- #6	Helmerich & Payne/S 303	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	8675*	Mayer Ranch -35- #6	Patterson Drilling/A 742	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	8525*	Shurley Rr-1c- #5	Patterson Drilling/A 40	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	8475*	Edwin S Hill-Mayer Jr -A- #7	Helmerich & Payne/S 301	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	8300*	Edwin S Hill-Mayer Jr #11-4	Helmerich & Payne/S 302	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	7200*	R H Mittel #5	Patterson Drilling/A 105	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	7050*	Canyon Ranch -115- #23s	Helmerich & Payne/S 305	Assigned
Dominion OK T's E&P	7000*	Canyon Ranch -105- #15s	Helmerich & Payne/S 304	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	7000*	H C Epps -39- #11	Patterson Drilling/A 115	Drig Ahead
New Dominion OK T's E&P	6950*	Canyon Ranch -115- #22s	Helmerich & Payne/S 305	Drig Ahead
Dominion OK T's E&P	6750*	H C Epps -39- #13	Patterson Drilling/A 115	Assigned
Dominion OK T's E&P	6350*	Epp -56- #16	Helmerich & Payne/S 304	Assigned

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
New Swartz Oil Company	5500*	O'Harrow -55- #1	Heart Land Drilling 2	Moving On
New Paint Rock Operating	5200*	McLaughlin #82	Greenwood Drilling 1	Drig Ahead

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
Pioneer Natural Trv	10500*	Hughes -195- #1	Martlock Drilling 2	Drig Ahead 8100*
Pioneer Natural Trv	9975*	Ringo -7- #1	Lariat Services/Ode 44	Drig Ahead 8628*
Mariner Energy	9000*	Kille -1213- #2	Big Dog Drilling 1	Drig Ahead 6036*
New Mariner Energy	8650*	University -17- #11	JB Hunt Gas & Oil 2	Drig Ahead 6500*
New Mariner Energy	8550*	Sau Mariner 36-2- #2	Big Dog Drilling 5	Drig Ahead 3993*
Palo Petroleum, Inc.	2800*	Palo-University 14-12 Bevo #51	Hope Drilling 1	Drig Ahead

OPERATOR	PTD	LEASE	CONTRACTOR/RIG	ACTIVITY-DEPTH
ConocoPhillips/Odessa	12500*	Alex Mitchell -1- #10	Patterson LULVs 481	Drig Ahead 10600*
Encore Operating Lp	12100*	Banner Estate #35 H	Nabors Drilling (O) 649	Drig Ahead
Encore Operating Lp	6700*	Goode Estate Unit #15	Nabors Drilling (O) 701	Drig Ahead

WEST TEXAS CLASSIFIED AD NETWORK

CLASSIFIED Ads

- ★ ELDERADO
- ★ SONORA
- ★ OZONA
- ★ BIG LAKE

Place your non-commercial classified ad in The Ozona Stockman, The Eldorado Success, The Devil's River News and The Big Lake Wildcat for one low, low price. Call today for details.

392-2551

The whole world reads your classified ad on the Internet at www.ozona.com or www.ozonastockman.com

Employment

HELP WANTED: Help wanted: Lilly Construction Inc. now accepting applications for all positions. Competitive wages. Employee benefits including health insurance and Christmas bonus. Please apply at 603 Ave H. tfc32

LOOKING FOR SURVEYOR in local area, please call (325) 226-9089. 4p36

MUST HAVE HELP in concrete and metal construction, good pay - Call Jay at 392-4247 or 226-2837. tfc37

THE GLOVER COMPANY is seeking Qualified and Experienced CDL Applicants for **Trans-Vac Drivers, Winch Truck Drivers, Swabbing Unit Operator and Swabbing Unit Helper.** We provide Health Insurance, Life Insurance, Paid Vacation, Uniforms, Christmas Bonus and Competitive Wages. Apply in Person at 2973 1-10 East (6 miles East of Ozona) 325-392-2561. tfc03

TEMPORARY LABOR WANTED (daytime or evenings), clearing and cleaning lot. Please call 392-3217 or 226-3217. 2c38

HELP WANTED: Express Air Drilling is seeking individuals willing to learn, no experience necessary, health insurance, bonuses, paid vacation and company uniforms. (325) 392-2577 ask for Scott. 4c38

CAVERNS OF SONORA needs tour guides Monday-Friday. Please apply in person. FMI call 325-387-3105. tfc04

PATIENT SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE - The West Texas Rehab Center has a full time position available for an individual with at least 2 years experience in a clerical position, proficiency with Windows/Word/Excel, and a background working with the public. Previous medical experience is helpful. Duties include scheduling patients, answering phones, checking in patients, data entry, insurance preauthorization and other duties. Bilingual a plus. Please apply to: WTRC e-mail to jobs@wtrc.com 1c39

THE OZONA COMMUNITY CENTER IS SEEKING A WELL-QUALIFIED DIRECTOR: CDA required; teaching certificate a plus. Salary depends on qualifications. Apply in person at 1604 Primary Street. tfc36

SORRELLY'S HOT SHOT SERVICES is looking for a CDL Driver. Must be able to pass DOT Drug Screen. Call 226-5431. tfc39

DAWSON GEOPHYSICAL IS HIRING JUG HANDS for seismic crews. Those interested report to Town & Country Convenience Store on Avenue E, every morning at 6:30 a.m. For more information, call Mike Geffre at (432) 638-8306 or Richard Wilson at (432) 853-2067. 4p36

Public Notices

LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAXATION OF PERSONAL PROPERTY IN TRANSIT
Crockett County, TEXAS
Monday, November 12, 2007 9:00 a.m.
County Courtroom, Crockett County
909 Avenue D Ozona, Texas

Notice is hereby given in compliance with Subchapter B, Chapter 11, Section 11.253, of the Texas Tax Code and Article VIII, Sec. 1-n(d) of the Texas Constitution that the Commissioners Court of Crockett County, Texas, at its regular meeting at the above-named time, date, and location, will conduct a Public Hearing on the adoption of an Order to tax tangible personal property in transit which would otherwise be exempt pursuant to Sec. 11.253 of the Texas Tax Code. This action relates to the whether certain tangible personal property held temporarily at a location in this state for assembling, storing, manufacturing, processing or fabricating purposes (goods-in-transit) shall remain subject to taxation by Crockett County, as it has in the past. Fred Deaton, Crockett County Judge, Ozona, Texas. 2c39

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR COMMERCIAL DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT IN A PRODUCTIVE FORMATION

Penergy P. O. Box 50076 Midland, TX 79710

is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a COMMERCIAL DISPOSAL WELL permit to dispose of produced salt water or other oil and gas waste by well injection into a formation which is productive of oil or gas.

The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the San Andres formation Vaughn - B- Lease,

Well Number #1 and #3. The proposed injection well is located 14 miles North West of Ozona, TX in

the Vaughn Field, in Crockett County.

Fluid waste will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from:

Well #1: 1420 - 1465 feet
Well #3: 1373 - 1450 feet

LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas.

Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P. O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6792)

PERSONAL CHECKS ACCEPTED!

FREE DIRECTV 4 Room System!
FREE 4 MONTHS!
ALL 250 Channels +
HBO, Cinemax & Showtime
HURRY, ASK HOW!!
PKGS. STARTS \$29.99
FREE DVR / HD!
1-800-214-7110

Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE
Friday, Oct. 26 starting at 8 a.m. at 126 Man O War.
Lots of stuff!

GARAGE SALE
Saturday, Oct. 27 starting at 8:30 a.m. at 1711 Piedra St.
Dining room table, computer desk,
lots of odds and ends, baby clothes

Pets & Supplies

ANATOLIAN LIVESTOCK GUARDIAN DOGS born and raised with goats. Hot wire broke, one male, three females available. Call 806-759-3396. 2c38

Ranching & Livestock Supplies, Services & Labor

HAY FOR SALE: #1 New Mexico Alfalfa, can deliver, call Glenn Burns at (325) 650-4301. tfc39

FOR SALE: BRANGUS BULLS-REGISTERED- Big, Stout, 2 Year Olds Top Bloodline. Doss & Eldorado Reeh Brangus. Call Tommy Reeh at 830-669-2325. tfn39

For Sale

FOR SALE: Matching tables, two end and square cocktail Substantial Rattan with heavy glass tops, second shelves. Call (325) 392-3956. 1p39

The Ozona Stockman has Wedding Invitations!

Stop by 1000 Avenue E



K MARKETING, INC. EXPERIENCE DRIVERS NEEDED

If you are looking for a professional, well established company, where you are a respectful part of our team, then you should consider the following:

- Full compensation orientation.
- Quarterly and annual safety bonuses.
- Regional work. Not only are you home most nights, you can keep your truck with you.
- Six days on - two days off work schedule.
- 90% Company paid Blue Cross Blue Shield health insurance benefits for employee, family insurance offered at cost, life, dental, vision and workers compensation insurance also part of benefits package.
- IRA plan with employer matching contribution.
- Paid vacations
- All hauls are paid by the load - and all destinations have a set rate. We don't pay short line miles or household miles.
- No longer lose money waiting to load/unload. Downtime paid for all waiting above usual and customary charges. Time also paid for breakdown and repairs.
- Late model equipment that is well maintained.

Be a Name-Not Just Another Number
Contact Stanley Oliver
361-815-3953

Allen Butler Construction, Inc.

Lubbock, Texas

Now Hiring for
Dirt and Paving Superintendent
Civil Engineer
Civil Engineer in Training (EIT)
Project Manager

Send Resume to Allen Butler Construction, Inc.
24 S. Lakeshore Dr. Ransom Canyon, TX 79366
806-745-7498

Allen Butler Construction, Inc. is a full service Site Contractor with the equipment and the abilities to get the job done since 1978.

Med Care MEDICAL SUPPLY

Ask us if you qualify for a **POWER CHAIR** at little or no cost to you.

In most cases, Medicare, Medicaid & Insurance will cover 100% of the cost for your Power Chair!

Toll Free 800-606-9860
www.medcaremedicalsupply.com

AUCTION

18,550± DEEDED ACRES WITH OVER 4,000 ACRES SELLING ABSOLUTE
[Stone Mountain] MORA & HARDING COUNTIES, NM
Ideal ranching, hunting, vacation retreat & development
Conveniently situated in NE New Mexico, 30± minutes from I-25
Stunning environment for versatile recreational use
3± miles of frontage on the Canadian River

NOVEMBER 15 [Thursday, 11:00 AM (MT)]
800.558.5464

J.P. KING WWW.JPKING.COM

SIGN UP FOR A FREE SCOOTER
One Scooter Given Away Each Month

Toll Free 800-606-9860

Med Care MEDICAL SUPPLY
www.medcaremedicalsupply.com

E-mail
The Ozona Stockman
publisher@ozonastockman.com

Services

THIS SPACE AVAILABLE FOR \$5.22 PER WEEK CALL 392-2551

Steve M. Sessom, D.D.S., P.C.
304 Ave. D Box 1002 Ozona, TX 76943 (325) 392-2575 Mon. & Tues. OZONA
410 N. Divide Eldorado, TX 76946 (325) 853-1534 Wed. & Thurs. ELDERADO

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE YOUR BUSINESS LISTED IN THE SERVICE DIRECTORY CALL 392-2551.

The Crockett County Deerfest will be taking bids for making tamales this year. We will need 150 dozen tamales. Deerfest will provide the meat. Questions, call 226-4766

Anyone interested in bidding may do so by mailing his or her bid to:
Crockett County Deerfest
P.O. Box 3163 Ozona, TX 76943
All bids must be received by October 31.

Public Notices

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (TxDOT) CONTRACTS

Sealed proposals for contracts listed below will be received by TxDOT until the date(s) shown below, and then publicly read. **CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/BUILDING FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)** Dist/Div: Odessa Contract 0003-06-084 for SEAL COAT SFR ONLY (FY-08 PROGRAM) in REEVES County, etc will be opened on November 02, 2007 at 1:00 pm at the State Office. Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s) are available from TxDOT's website at www.dot.state.tx.us and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor. NPO: 25029 State Office Constr./Maint. Division 200 E. Riverside Dr. Austin, Texas 78704 Phone: 512-416-2540 Dist/Div Office(s) Odessa District District Engineer 3901 E. U.S. Hwy 80 Odessa, Texas 79761 Phone: 432-332-0501 Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

NOTICE OF SALE OF CONTENTS OZONA STORAGE #71

Sale to satisfy landlord's lien on property belonging to Mike Jackson. Location: 1200 Hwy 163, Ozona, TX 76943 PO Box 909 Ozona, TX 76943. 9 a.m. October 31, 2007 Storeroom #71 Items to be sold to the highest bidder for cash. 2c38

Need office supplies? Come by the Ozona Stockman at 1000 Avenue E

COW POKES® By Ace Reid

RODEO
<http://www.cowpokes.com>

"Now remember this, as long as you stay on you ain't gonna git hurt!"

With Ozona Insurance you'll notice the prompt, professional service from our staff.

Ozona Insurance
392-5697 1114 Ave. E

WEST TEXAS CLASSIFIED AD NETWORK

CLASSIFIED ADS

- EL DORADO
- SONORA
- OZONA
- BIG LAKE

Place your non-commercial classified ad in The Ozona Stockman, The Eldorado Success, The Devil's River News and The Big Lake Wildcat for one low, low price. Call today for details.

392-2551

The whole world reads your classified ad on the Internet at www.ozona.com or www.ozonastockman.com

REAL ESTATE - PORTABLE BUILDINGS

508 Ave. I

3 bedroom/1 bath, large master bedroom, fenced backyard
PRICE REDUCED



602 Ave. E

Very Nice Family Home
Extra large lot, large trees. Perfect for Family



COMMERCIAL PROPERTY
Miller Building - 801 Ave. E

HUNTING RANCHES

160 Acres - House **SOLD** - Ard County
150 Acres - House **SOLD** - Pens - San Angelo
3,158 Acres - Sonora
6,239 Acres - Val Verde County
10,204 Acres - Val Verde County

Johnny Jones, Broker
325-392-5822 • 325-226-0182

Andy Smith, Agent
San Angelo Office
949-2449 • Cell 234-8189

SELL IT FAST WITH A STOCKMAN CLASSIFIED AD!
Call
The Ozona Stockman
at 325-392-2551

Hunting Leases

WANTED: Disabled vet & 15-year-old son looking for small hunting lease in Ozona area or Sonora area or Fort Stockton. Call (903) 534-8316. 4c36

Miscellaneous

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

NOTICE OF REWARD

I AM OFFERING **\$500 REWARD** for apprehension and conviction of guilty parties to every theft of livestock in Crockett County - except that no officer of Crockett County may claim the reward.

Shane Fenton
SHERIFF, CROCKETT CO.

G.L. BUNGER, AGENT

Cell: 325-226-2107 Res.: 325-392-5830

Representing Sellers And Buyers

LARRY BEHRENS REAL ESTATE

Specializing In Ranch Sales & Appraisals

Office: 325-658-7591 1207 S. Bryant, Suite A
Fax: 325-658-8372 San Angelo, Tx 76903
www.behrensranhcsales.com

Country Club Apartments

2 Bedroom - 1 Bath • PAY ELECTRICITY ONLY
RITA YBARRA - NEW MANAGER

OFFICE HOURS
Mon. - Fri — 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Closed on Weekends
325-392-2927

RICK THOMAS

LEE, LEE, & PUCKITT ASSOCIATES INC.

Specializing in Farm & Ranch REAL ESTATE & APPRAISALS

Office 325-655-6989
Cell 325-650-5399
Fax 325-653-1906
1002 Koenigheim
San Angelo, Texas 76903
www.llptexasranchland.com
e-mail: llp@wcc.net

For Rent

FOR RENT: 2 beautiful offices fully carpeted for rent or sale on main street with or without furniture. If interested call J. B. Miller at 392-2641. tfc33

FOR RENT: 1 bedroom house, furnished, 305B 13th St. Call 392-2100. lp39

Wanted

WANTING A SMALL HOUSE in Ozona good or bad condition. Call Ira Childress at 325-277-3445, leave message. tfc28

The Stockman has Wedding Invitations!

Stop by 1000 Avenue E

Real Estate

FOR SALE: Brown Furniture Company, 906 Avenue E, 20,000 square-feet, concrete building. Large garage and workshop. 2 BR, 2 BA upstairs apartment. Asking \$250K, owner financing possible. Contact Ben Ross at 392-5895 or 226-4431. tfc15

WE BUY NICE OR UGLY HOUSES: Call Bob and Vivian Childress at 392-2382. tfc35

HOUSE FOR SALE: 3,000 square-feet, 4 BR, 3 BA, 2 fireplaces, jacuzzi bathtub, large family room, lots of storage, serious inquires only. 1103 Owens St. \$129,000. Call 392-3554. tfc38

Hunting Leases

6th GENERATION CROCKETT COUNTY RANCHER wanting ranch to lease for hunting and grazing within 100 miles from Ozona. Call Ira Childress at 325-277-3445.

Thank you for reading The Ozona Stockman

PON SEAHORN REAL ESTATE

P.O. BOX 1483 • OZONA, TX. 76943

325-392-3278

FOR YOUR RANCHING, RECREATIONAL & RESIDENTIAL NEEDS

NEW LISTINGS

614 Acres - 30 miles west of Ozona. Travel Trailer, generator, 4-wheeler, 6 deer feeders & stands. **\$475,500**

210 Live Oak - 3 bedroom & 2 Bath, Central H/A. Lots of **CONTRACT PENDING** \$115,000

NEW LISTINGS NEEDED

Wendland and Associates, Brokers

P.O. Box 1157 Kerrville, TX 76029

(830) 896-8410

www.wendland-associates.com

E-mail: jpwt@att.net

ozona.com/ponseahornrealestate.asp



REALTOR



Light Tower Rentals

- Light Towers
- Generators
- Trailer Houses
- Satellite Systems
- Fresh Water Systems

1 Hwy. 163 North Unit B • Ozona, TX 76943

Cody Webb
Truck 325-206-0246
Pager: 432-567-8080

325-392-5190

Jimmy Nowell
Cell: 325-206-0485
Pager: 432-567-8081

Our Goal is to Keep your Location Safe, Efficient and Clean with Reliable Top-of-the-Line Equipment and Superior Service.

Unleased Minerals?

If you have any, call
Basin Land Services
432-684-4850

Donna Masterson, M. Ed. LCDC, SAP

Substance Abuse Professional
D.O.T. Certified

325-947-7729

2307 W. Harris ~ San Angelo, TX 76901
Fax: 325-947-9755

The Ozona Stockman E-Mail Address
publisher@ozonastockman.com

STOCKMAN DEADLINE IS MONDAY AT NOON

Circle (M) Frac & Acidizing Service

CIRCLE M FRAC & ACIDIZING SERVICE

Located in Synder, Texas with the following job openings:

Drivers & Treaters

- Valid CDL license w/Hazmat required
- Be willing to travel & possibly relocate

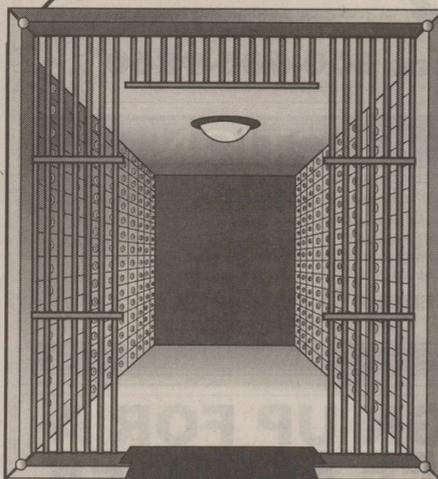
Vacuum & Transport Drivers

- Must have valid CDL

Pre-employment Drug Testinig
Full Benefits & Top Pay

Contact: James or Mike Merrill @
325-573-8005 to set interview appointment

BE SAFE WITH A SAFE-DEPOSIT BOX



DON'T TAKE CHANCES!

Protect your important documents, jewelry, and other valuable assets from the possibility of burglary, fire, flood or other disaster. Secure your valuables in a safe-deposit box.

For more information about rates and sizes, come in today, or call 325-392-1300

Ozona National Bank

Your Community Bank Since 1905



24 Hour
Telebank Service 392-1360
Time-Temperature-Weather ATM Service 392-1365
www.ozonabank.com



OZONA (325) 392-1300 Since 1905

WIMBERLEY (512) 847-8200

BOWIE (940) 872-2828 LPO/DPO

SAN MARCOS (512) 754-2600

SAN ANTONIO (210) 979-6275 Loan Production



We do business in accordance with federal fair lending laws. Under the Federal Fair Housing Act, it is illegal to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, sex, handicap or familial status (including children under the age of 18).

