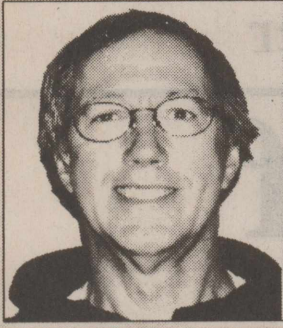


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Answers to this question & more about the off-road vehicle park on July 24

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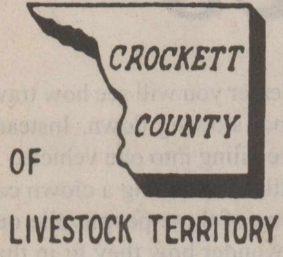


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One hump or two?

Camels highlight Thursday's Ozona Community Day activities

The Texas Pecos Trail will be hosting a "Community Day" in Ozona Thursday, July 10, at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center.

From 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Fort Lancaster soldiers will be on site with an 1800s replica of a Concord Stage Coach.

There will also be fire arm demonstrations and visits with camels Gobi and Richard.

Richard is a dromedary camel with one hump. His pal Gobi is a big Bactrian camel with two humps.

In June of 1860 Lt. William E. Echols and his "camel corps" visited Fort Lancaster.

The camels were thought to have been useful in West Texas due to the animal's ability to keep on the move with a minimum of food and water.

At noon, there will be a luncheon at the Visitor Center featuring information from Jim Gallagher, Ph.D.-Assistant Professor and Extension Wildlife Specialist, Agriculture Extension Service from Uvalde about Rainwater Harvesting.

After lunch, visitors can tour the rainharvest site at the Visitor Center.

Recent rainfall not enough to end wildfire risk

Submitted by the Texas Forest Service Office of Communications

LUFKIN - Recent rainfall varied widely last week in amounts and locations across the state.

While some areas received significant rainfall, other areas received little or no precipitation. State fire officials caution that wildfires remain an immediate threat in areas that received little or no precipitation and a potential threat even where rainfall of one to two inches fell, like Crockett County.

Any relief provided by recent light rains and higher humidity is likely to be very short term in nature, said Rich Gray, mitigation and prevention coordinator with Texas Forest Service.

"Even a short period of dry, windy weather will sap moisture from dead grass and weeds and quickly render this vegetation dry and fire-prone," said Gray, "and obviously, vegetation in areas missed by rains will stay at high risk of wildfires."

Areas with heavy accumulations of dead grass and weeds that received significant precipitation will get some immediate benefit from the precipitation, but dangerous fire conditions could return fairly quickly if dry, windy weather prevails, according to Tom Spencer, predictive services department head for Texas Forest Service.

"Significant rainfall will lead to vegetation green-up, but it could take an extended period of time before new green vegetation will reduce the wildfire risk posed by the

Please see FOREST SERVICE page 6



CAMEL FUN FACTS:

- Camels can go a week or more without water, and they can last for several months without food. They can survive a 40 percent body weight loss and then drink up to 32 gallons (145 liters) of water at one drinking session.

- Camels don't spit. They bring up the contents of their stomach with saliva. This is meant to surprise, distract or bother whatever the camel feels is threatening it.

- Double rows of extra-long eyelashes also help keep sand out of the eyes. And camels can close their nostrils to keep sand out of their noses. Their large, broad feet do not sink in desert sand or snow.

- San Diego Zoo

Lunch is \$10 and RSVP required. Menu: Catered by Ozona Chatter Box - King Ranch Chicken.

From 10-11:45 a.m. the Texas Pecos Trail Board Members will

have a meeting at the Crockett Room.

There will also be a demonstration and information about the Crockett County Museum.

The public is invited to attend all events.

For more information, call the Ozona Chamber of Commerce at 392-3737.

A RED, WHITE & BLUE CELEBRATION

By FRANK TAMBUNGA
 Fourth of July Coordinator

CROCKETT COUNTY VETERANS

The Crockett County Veterans G. I. Joe fund-raiser was a good success. We had 25 participants in this event. We had several members from the past and present cross-country teams and we even had several walkers. Also participating, were several members of the Texas Forest Service. I was real proud of all the participants for making the effort to show up and participate. This year's course was named "Dead Man's Route" which was a 3.5 run/walk, and each participant made it with no problems.

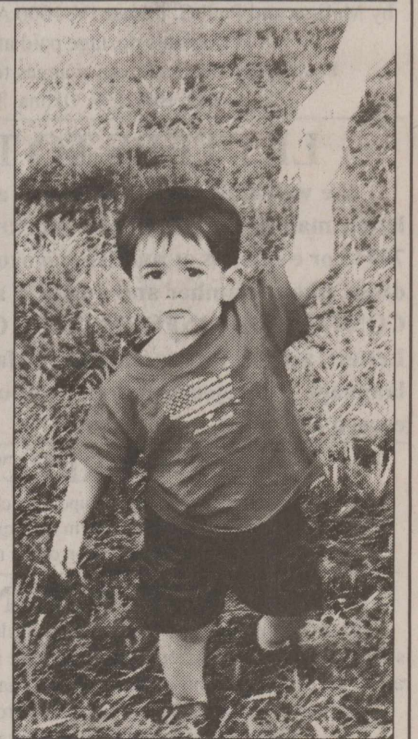
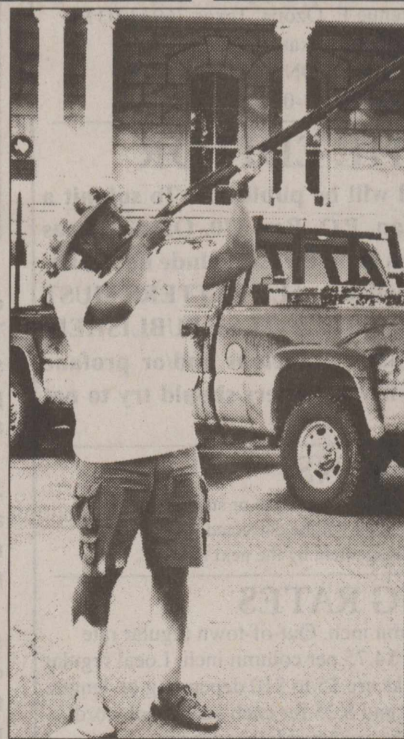
Our own Jesse Badillo (cross-country runner) Roman Tambunga (former cross-country runner) and a member of the Texas Forest Service led all the way through the course.

I would like to thank all the participants and everyone that help me with this event. I appreciate Matt Mecke, Jana Wilson, Michell Badillo, Ethan English, Manuel Mendoza and Kayla for their help and a special thanks to my wife Irma and all she does for me.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

The Fourth of July Festival at the park turned out to be big success. We had 12 food vendors and games throughout the afternoon. We also had a watcher pitching contest. We had the Battle of the DJ's with DJ King (Sammy), TKO (Johnny) and a San Angelo DJ, which gave us a variety of DJ Music. We had a large crowd all afternoon.

Please see FOURTH page 6



OZONA CELEBRATED THE FOURTH OF JULY in red, white and blue fashion with a celebration downtown, a parade and fireworks. More photos at www.ozonastockman.com.

Photos by Chris Lara and Melissa Perner

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Off-road vehicle park to be discussed at July 24 luncheon

The Escondido Draw Recreation Area, a 3,400-acre off-road vehicle recreation park, will be the topic of the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Luncheon on July 24 at the Visitor Center.

A meet and greet session will be held at 11:30 a.m. followed by lunch and program from noon-1 p.m.

The lunch will be catered by Tia's Café and feature combination fajitas, rice, beans, guacamole, tortillas, tea and apple cobbler. Cost is \$9.50.

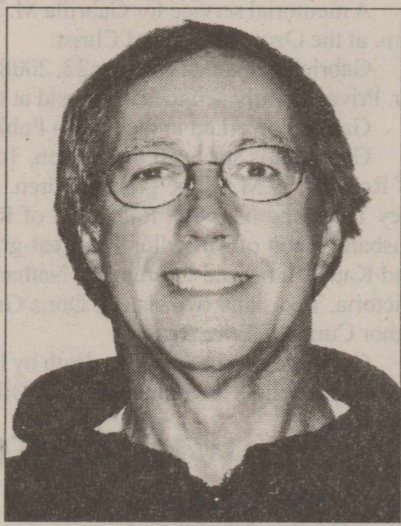
The program will feature the answer to these questions:

- What is the Texas Motorized Trails Coalition?
- What is off-road recreation and why will use the park?
- What hours will the park be open and what services will it provide?
- Will the park be open to the general public?
- Is there a Master Plan for the park?

Tony Eeds currently serves as the President of the Texas Motorized Trails Coalition (TMT) and is active across the state of Texas fostering opportunities for OHV recreation and bringing economic vitality to the rural communities near the parks.

TMT currently operates one park near Gilmer and is opening a new park near Ozona, and is working with communities and agencies across the state to increase opportunity.

Additionally, he has served on the board of the Texas Downtown



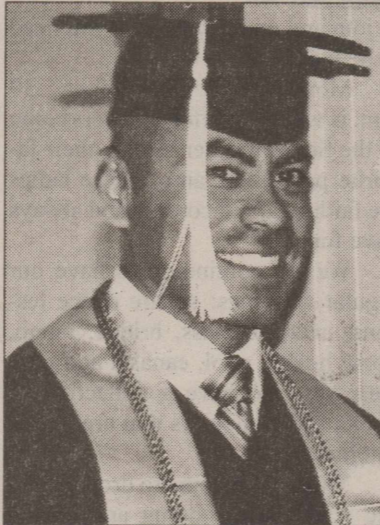
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Association focusing on economic redevelopment of the small towns and cities of Texas, an organization that he continues to actively work with.

RSVP deadline for the luncheon is July 22.

For more information, call the chamber at 392-3737.

Mendoza graduates from college



United States Marine Corps Staff Sergeant Manuel P. Mendoza, a 1996 graduate of Ozona High School, joined the Marines in 1998.

He has completed several

tours over seas. He served one year in Iraq came back and has been stationed at the Naval Air Station in Meridian, Miss. where he was promoted to his current rank of staff sergeant.

During his tour in Meridian Manuel attended Meridian Community College and graduated on May 10, 2008 with an associates degree in arts with high honors.

SSGT Mendoza was also selected as the Naval Air Station Military Student of the Year.

Attending his graduation were his parents Frank and Irma Tambunga, also Roman, Noah, his sister Michelle, his fiancé Kayla, also a Marine and also graduated from college on the same day.

Manuel will be home on leave before serving another tour over seas in Okinawa, Japan. He will be leaving in July.

Youth Center Calendar of Events

July 14 - OHS Food Night, 7-10 p.m.

July 15 - OMS Food Night, 7-10 p.m.

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2-10 p.m. Thursday & 2-midnight Friday



It's a boy

Tashina Lewis and Jonathan Carrasco are the proud parents of Hayden Lee Carrasco. Hayden was born June 26, 2008 weighing in at 7 pounds, 2 ounces and 20-inches long.

Here to welcome Hayden home are grandparents Cory and Donella Lewis and Hilda Carrasco. Great-grandparents Linda Lewis, Marvin Lewis, Tina Carrasco and James and Donna Towery. Great-grandma Dorothy Swann. Aunts Ashley Lewis and Tiffany Carrasco.

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Community Calendar

Wednesday, July 9

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Crockett County CCSD Board of Trustees meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Building.

Thursday, July 10

- Ozona Community Day, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at the Visitor Center. Texas Pecos Trail Board meeting 10 a.m. at the Crockett Room. Rainwater Harvesting luncheon program at noon at the Visitor Center.
- Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Friday, July 11

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- VBS, registration 5:30 p.m., program 6-8:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church.

Monday, July 14

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Commissioners' Court meeting, 9 a.m. at the courthouse annex.
- Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- VBS, 6-8:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church
- Joint commissioners' and school board meeting, 6 p.m. at the courthouse annex.

Tuesday, July 15

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- VBS, 6-8:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church

Wednesday, July 16

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- VBS, 6-8:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church

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- The unequal appraisal of your property
- The inclusion of your property on the appraisal roll
- Any exemptions that may apply to you
- The qualification for an agricultural or timber appraisal
- The taxable status of your property
- The local governments which should be taxing your property

- The ownership of the property
- The change of use of land receiving special appraisal
- Any action taken by the chief appraiser, appraisal district or appraisal review board that applies to and adversely affected you

Informal Review

CONTACT: Crockett County Appraisal District, P.O. Drawer H, 909 Avenue D, Ozona, TX 76943 (325) 392-2674

Review by the Appraisal Review Board

If you can't resolve your problem informally with the county appraisal district (CAD) staff, you may have your case heard by the appraisal review board (ARB).

The ARB is an independent board of citizens that reviews problems with appraisals or other concerns listed above. It has the power to order the CAD to make the necessary changes to solve problems. If you file a written request for an ARB hearing (called a notice of protest) before the deadline, the ARB will set your case for a hearing. You'll receive written notice of the time, date and place of the hearing. If necessary, you may request a hearing in the evening, Saturday or Sunday. Prior to

your hearing, you may ask to review the evidence the CAD will use to uphold their determination. The CAD may ask you for a copy of the evidence you plan to present. The hearing will be informal. You or a designated agent may appear in person to present evidence or you may send notarized evidence for the ARB to review at your hearing. The CAD representative will present evidence about your case. You may cross-examine the CAD representative. The ARB will make its decision based on the evidence presented. You can get a copy of a protest form from the appraisal district office at 909 Avenue D, Ozona, TX, (325) 392-2674.

NOTE: You shouldn't try to contact ARB members outside of the hearing. The law requires ARB members to sign an affidavit saying that they haven't talked about your case before the ARB hears it.

Review by the District Court

After it decides your case, the ARB must send you a copy of its order by certified mail. If you're not satisfied with the decision, you have the right to appeal to district court. If you choose to go to court, you must start the process by filing a petition within 45 days of the date you receive the ARB's order.

Tax Payment

If you appeal and your case is pending, you must pay the lesser of the amount of taxes due on the portion of the taxable value not in dispute or the amount of taxes due on the property under the order from which the appeal is taken.

More Information

You can get more information by contacting your appraisal district at Crockett CAD P.O. Drawer H Ozona, TX 76943. You can also get a pamphlet describing how to prepare a protest from the appraisal district or from the State Comptroller's Property Tax Division at P.O. Box 13528 Austin, TX 78711-3528

Deadline for Filing Protests With the ARB*

Usual Deadline

On or before May 31 (or 30 days after a notice of appraised value was mailed to you, whichever is later).

Late protests are allowed if you miss the usual deadline for good cause. Good cause is some reason beyond your control, like a medical emergency. The ARB decides whether you have good cause.

Late protests are due the day before the appraisal review board approves records for the year. Contact your appraisal district for more information.

Special Deadlines

For change of use (the appraisal district informed you that you are losing agricultural appraisal because you changed the use of your land), the deadline is before the 30th day after the notice of the determination was mailed to you.

*The deadline is postponed to the next business day if it falls on a weekend or holiday.

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Ozona Senior Happenings

By LYNN ENGLISH
Senior Center Director

The Fourth has come and gone. I just hope all of you had an enjoyable time.

On Monday, the Crockett County Senior Board met at the Senior Center.

On Tuesday, the Concho Valley Community Action Council was here to assist those who qualify with their utilities.

Also, the Helping Hands board met here at the Senior Center. Most all members were able to attend.

I was happy to see Helen Stokes at the Komechak wedding Saturday evening. Helen looked good and reported that she had recently turned 93 years old. Congratulations Helen,

you are a wonderful example for the rest of us.

It was wonderful to see Katherine Russell out and about recently. She was at the drug store and was looking better than I have seen her in a long time.

We will be glad to get Katherine back with us playing bridge. She is the peacekeeper and a couple of the ladies, who will remain nameless, can get out of hand when Katherine is gone.

Our next Senior Bingo Social will be July 22. We will serve supper and begin playing bingo soon after eating.

The "Walk Two Miles" ladies are going strong. They meet every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8:30 a.m. This would be a good time

to join and get the exercise you need to be healthy.

Mondays and Thursday at 1:30 p.m. is when the bridge players come to the Senior Center to play their favorite past time game. These ladies are faithful about coming and always have fun.

We are continuing to have our regular activities: square dance lessons, exercise class, bridge, bingo, home health, pool, canasta and puzzles. We also have a collection of books and computers that are on the Internet.

You are welcome to drop by and see what we are doing and maybe you can add something that you would enjoy doing.

Our activities are for those of you 50 or over (we are flexible).

OBITUARIES

Gabriella M. Tutor

A memorial service for Gabriella M. Tutor will be held Sunday, July 13, at 2 p.m. at the Ozona Church of Christ.

Gabriella, 88, died on May 22, 2008 at Eastern New Mexico Medical Center. Private family services were held at that time.

Gabriella worked in the Ozona Public School system for 19 years.

Gabriella is survived by her son, Tom Tutor and friend, Alfred Velasquez of Roswell, N.M.; three grandchildren, Jason Tutor and his wife Shirley, Jeffrey Tutor and his wife, Rachel all of Roswell, N.M., Johanna Drdul and her husband, Scott of Amarillo; five great-grandchildren, RaeAnn Archuleta, Sarah and Katie Tutor, and Lauren and Nathan Drdul; a brother, Louie Miller Jr., of Victoria, Texas and two sisters, Doris Grammer of Albuquerque, N.M. and Eleanor Curtis of Tyler, Texas.

Gabriella was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas A. Tutor; parents, Louis and Nelle Miller and a brother, Bill J. Miller.

Who will take care of me?

By BENNY GIBBS
Care Center Administrator

Many people have a misinterpretation that when they can no longer take care of themselves physically (and mentally), that the government, specifically Medicare, will take care of them. This simply is not true. This above subject is just one of many misinterpretations of our Medicare and Medicaid system for our growing population of the elderly. Questions such as: 1) What is the difference between Medicare A and Medicare B? 2) How do I know if I have both Medicare A and Medicare B? 3) Will Medicare pay for my stay in a nursing home? 4) What is Community Medicaid vs. Nursing Home Medicaid? 5) If I come into a nursing home, can the government take my home away? 6) What is Asset Spend - Down? 7) Can I avoid spending down my assets just to be able to come into a long-term care setting? 8) How can I qualify for Medicaid (state welfare program in all 50 states)? 9) Do I have the right to participate in the Medicaid program? 10) What is the Medicaid Estate Recovery Act passed by legislation in March 2005? 11) What is a SNF in relation to Medicare A & B? 12) How long do I have to stay in a hospital in order to receive physical therapy, speech therapy, etc. when I am discharged? These are just a few of the many questions that the general public needs to have answers to.

I have been asked to write this article for the local paper by my board that I report to. I grant you that my sole responsibility is to see that our residents are taken care of in the best manner possible with regard to abiding by the state regulations that are set forth by the state of Texas. There is a reasonable amount of knowledge that I have pertaining to the above questions and other questions dealing with the financial mechanics of this very complex industry.

I have an excellent resource that is led by an attorney from Abilene, Texas that would be more than happy to assist you in any questions that you might have. Just give me a call at 392-2671 and I would be happy to share their names and 1-800 phone numbers. Don't get caught with the unexpected happening to you or your family without having some knowledge of which direction to go.

There has recently been a great deal of proposed legislation regarding overhauling our nation's health care system. The retooling of Medicare and Medicaid with an emphasis on the purchase of long term care insurance does have its merits. But it also fails to address the dilemma of Senior Citizens who either cannot afford it or who don't medically qualify for it. For those families and individuals, Medicaid is the only choice for financial assistance during a long term care or nursing facility stay.

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Care Center Chatter

By MARTA DE LA GARZA
Activity Director

We were busy this week with birthday parties and Fourth of July and a wedding.

Mrs. Galan celebrated her birthday with family and friends.

Friday, the Family Council brought ice cream with strawberries. Residents enjoyed the fireworks display that evening as they sat outside.

On Saturday, we were all ready to go to Karen's wedding. Some of the residents and staff attended.

After the wedding, Karen and Gil visited residents at the facility. We with you the very best.

Other residents went home with loved ones for the holiday.

May God Bless everyone.

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- July 11 - Mabel Hernandez, Nicholas Perez, Ericka Rubio, Dorothy Montgomery, Leticia B. Longoria, Jody Upham, Karina Marmolejo, Yvette Gonzales, Joceline Porras and Evelyn K. Tebbets
- July 12 - Eric Mendoza, Christi Smith, Vicky Treto, James Montgomery, Shirley Kirby, Eric Mendoza, Jose Aguayo and Stormy Bell
- July 13 - Agnes Payne, Myra Flores, Quinton Anthony Porch, Katie Parker, James G. Swearingen and Naomi Barriga
- July 14 - Bryan Arras, Cindy Komechak, Mayra Orona, Annalu Gonzales, Bethani Trevino, Grace Williams, Raul De La Rosa III and Jimmy Nowell
- July 15 - Enrique Galvan, Kendra A. Sarabia, Kayla A. Sarabia, Nathan Pena-Alfaro, Luis Villarreal and Linda Borrego

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Next Bingo will be Aug. 10 at the OLPH Catholic Parish Hall.

Card of Thanks

I would like to thank the Ozona Fire Dept. and the Forest Service for all the help they gave during our fire at the ranch. How lucky we are to have such caring people in Ozona.

Thank you,
Carmen Sutton and Family

TWO TICKETS

I could not believe it two speeding tickets in the same day. Years ago a good friend and I were on a trip and we were having a great time visiting and I was the driver. I did not think the speed limit was very important because it was a sparsely populated area. We went by a highway patrol car and he sure did think the speed limits were important and I got a speeding ticket and it was not a warning. We continued on and I thought no problem and I was speeding again and forty miles up the road another highway patrol and another ticket. That did it I got out of the car and told my friend I was not driving anymore on this trip. I realized God was trying to tell me something.

Not only does God expect us to obey the laws of the land but also His commands. It is a bad testimony for Christians to have speeding tickets and other offenses. When we try to obey the laws of the land and also what God commands us in His Word it pleases Him, (John 14:15, 1 John 2:3-6). He can and will bless us, (Jeremiah 7:23, Luke 11:28). If not His hand of blessing can or will withdraw, (Proverbs 19:16). I started trying to obey the laws of the land and I tried to learn the be more obedient to God's Word, (Psalm 119:4-6).

Brother J

<p style="text-align: center;">First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6:15 p.m. Awanas: Wednesday - 5:30 p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Pastor Ron Shott Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.</p>
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<p style="text-align: center;">Calvary Baptist Church 601 Ave. I</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Wed. & Sun. Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p style="font-size: 1.2em;">Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">New Beginnings Church 701 9th Street</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Pastor Jesse Cardona Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Tuesday Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Iglesia de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run Interim - Ray Valadez Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.</p>	

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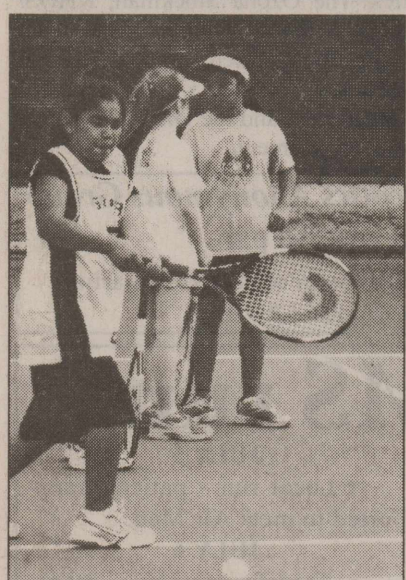
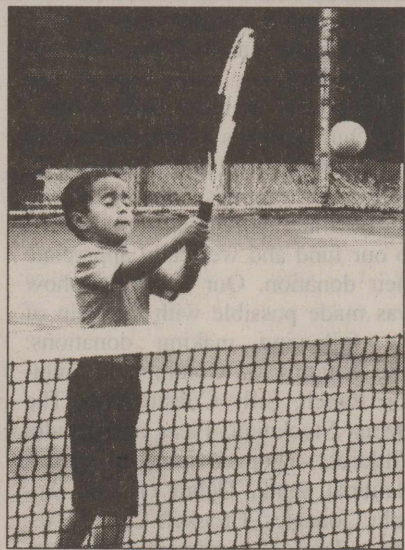
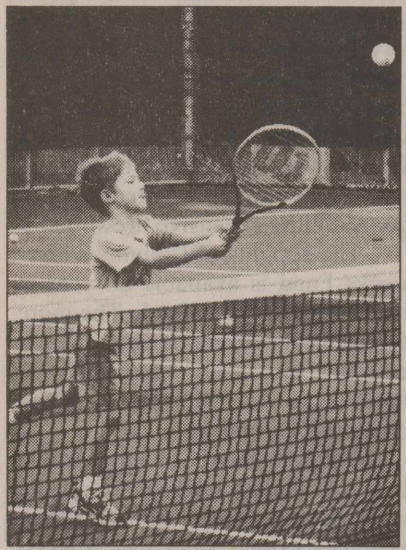
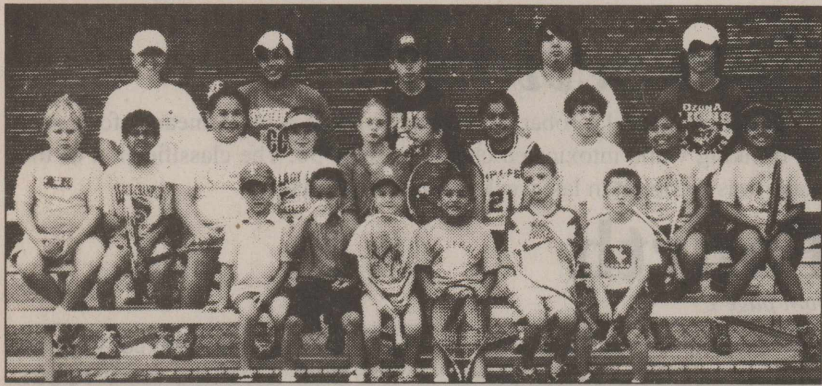
Registration - Sunday, July 13
@ 5:30 p.m.

Sun., July 13 - Thurs., July 17
VBS - 6:00 - 8:30 p.m.

(For more information call 392-5555)

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Submitted photos
TOP: OZONA MINOR LEAGUE ALL STARS placed first at the Big Lake Tournament. Pictured are: Alfonso Valadez, Dean Fierro, Willie Fierro, Abel Lara, Hunter Smith, Mark Valadez, Aidan Fierro, Brianna Smith, Mark Ybarra, Alec Lara, Jonathan Posas, Preston McCutcheon and Ryan Ramos. Not pictured: Timothy Maldonado, Gaven Myers and Oscar Valadez. Alternates: Thomas Cruz, Juan Mendez and Murray Logan. **BOTTOM:** Making All Tournament were Preston McCutcheon, Hunter Smith, Mark Valadez, Aiden Fierro and Mark Ybarra.

Photos by Joe Hernandez
TENNIS CAMP participants and coaches worked on form, technique and fun last week at the high school tennis courts. The camp was open to students from kindergarten-sixth grade and was led by Coach Wendy Justiss.

Crockett County Open Playday Series

Playday Series - July 22: Aug. 5, 12. Must attend 3 in order to qualify for all-around prizes.
 Age groups include: Boys and Girls Lead line 5 and under; 6-9; 10-13; 14-18. Age as of Aug. 1, 2007.
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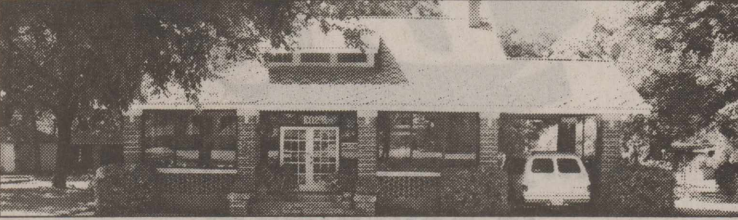
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