

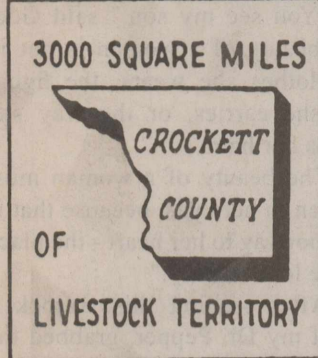
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UP IN SMOKE



Photos by Joe Hernandez
MINGO'S SALVAGE YARD caught fire on Friday causing severe damage to the items in the yard and threatening a nearby house. There was also several grass fires outside the salvage yard fence. State Highway 137 was closed to traffic by the Crockett County Sheriff's Department and Texas Department of Transportation for a time due to the amount of black smoke that filled the area. Sixteen Ozona fire fighters responded, along with fire fighters from Barnhart and Eldorado. Crockett County Road Department trucks and employees, Tee Pee Trucking and Texas Energy also helped to extinguish the blaze. The cause of the fire is electrical.



Arrest made in cable office theft

By **MELISSA PERNER**
 Editor and Publisher

An Ozona man has been charged with the July 25 break-in of the Circle Bar Cable Office.

Daniel Raul Gonzalez, 18, was arrested on Aug. 1 at the 800 block of Avenue 1 after being chased by local citizens and Crockett County Sheriff's Deputies.

Gonzalez has been charged with evading arrest/detention and burglary of a building. Gonzalez remains in custody.

Also arrested with Gonzalez was Joshua Cole Tebbets, 17. Tebbets has been charged with evading arrest/detention and on warrants for disorderly conduct/language or gesture.

Sheriff's department officials did not comment on whether Tebbets was involved in the cable office break-in. Tebbets has paid fines and been released on bond.

No additional information or mug shots were available as the case

is still under investigation.

The Crockett County Sheriff's Office appreciates the assistance provided by local citizens on Aug. 1 in helping keep the suspects contained in the area until the arrests were made.

The sheriff's office will file criminal charges on people who prevented or interfered with the apprehension of suspects.

The cable office break-in took place after midnight.

Three television sets were taken, while another television was destroyed, according to a report from the Crockett County Sheriff's Office.

An office window was also broken.

Damage to the property is estimated at \$5,000.

A flyer circulating around town about the sheriff's office enforcing a curfew is not true, said Chief Deputy Ron Hawthorne.

Anyone with any information to these crimes, can call the Crockett County Sheriff's Office at 392-2661.

TEA rates school district academically acceptable

By **MELISSA PERNER**
 Editor and Publisher

Academically Acceptable was the rating received by the Texas Education Agency on Crockett County CCSD for the 2008 TAKS test scores.

Ozona High School, middle school and intermediate school all received an academically acceptable rating. TEA rates schools with exemplary, recognized, academically acceptable and academically unacceptable status.

Superintendent Abe Gott said he would comment on the district's ratings when they are publically announced at the Aug. 27 school board meeting.

CCCCSD was rated academically acceptable in 2007.

Ozona's TAKS scores were

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above state average. District-wide, Ozona students scored 91 percent in reading, 98 percent in writing, 89 percent in social studies, 69 percent in mathematics and 64 percent in science.

State averages were 70 percent reading, 65 percent writing, 65 percent social studies, 50 percent math and 45 percent science.

Students improved in all subject area, except for math. In 2007 students scored 72 percent.

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Lions start football workouts

By **MELISSA PERNER**
 Editor and Publisher

With temperatures soaring to triple digits, 44 football players run drills up and down the practice field.

Trainers run to the players with water and iced down towels.

The first day of Ozona Lions football workouts were hot and sweaty as players and coaches started working toward their goals of the 2008 season.

"We have a lot of expectations and we need to take care of it," said Coach Matt Gutierrez. "We are aiming for a winning season, playoffs and district championship. Today was a learning day, tomorrow we get after it."

Gutierrez said the Lions have a lot of strength this year in the returning seniors.

Ones to watch include Felix Venegas, Steven Silva, Ben Flores, Ruben Rivas and Matias Gandar.

Venegas was 80-652 yards last year and made nine touchdowns for the Lions. On defense, he had 89 tackles and three sacks.

Standing in the Lions way are district rivals Crane, who are ranked first in District 4-AA, and Kermit who is ranked second.

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Gutierrez said third place is a toss up with Reagan County and Alpine being the favorites. Arch-rival Sonora is also in this year's district.

"This is a tough district," Gutierrez said. "We have a talented senior group and more experience, which is definitely a plus."

On the flip side, the Lions are lacking in depth meaning that all players need to stay free of injuries, Gutierrez said.

"We just don't have the numbers," he said.

Gutierrez is also changing up the Lions' defense by going back to the split defensive, which he said is more aggressive.

The Lions first scrimmage will be held at 10 a.m. Aug. 16 against San Saba and Mason in Mason, followed by a 5 p.m. Aug. 21 scrimmage against Brackett at Lion Stadium.

Ozona's first game is Aug. 29 against the Harper Longhorns.



Photo by Joe Hernandez
MATIAS GANDAR leads the Ozona Lions during the first day of football workouts Monday at the practice field near Lion Stadium. The Lions first scrimmage is set for Aug. 16 in Mason.

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What's on My Mind by Melissa Perner

Crying for no reason

I had one of those emotional moments this past Saturday. All women can relate to how I was feeling. As I started searching the Internet for a medical answer to why tears were continually falling from eyes, I came across this:

A little boy asked his mother, "Why are you crying?" "Because I'm a woman," she told him. "I don't understand," he said. His Mom just hugged him and said, "And you never will."

Later the little boy asked his father, "Why does mother seem to cry for no reason?"

"All women cry for no reason,"

was all his dad could say. The little boy grew up and became a man, still wondering why women cry. Finally he asked God. He said, "God, why do women cry so easily?"

God said: "When I made the woman she had to be special. I made her shoulders strong enough to carry the weight of the world, yet gentle enough to give comfort. I gave her an inner strength to endure childbirth and the rejection that many times comes from her children. I gave her a hardness that al-

lows her to keep going when everyone else gives up, and take care of her family through sickness and fatigue without complaining. I gave her the sensitivity to love her children under any and all circumstances, even when her child has hurt her very badly. I gave her strength to carry her husband through his faults and fashioned her from his rib to protect his heart. I gave her wisdom to know that a good husband never hurts his wife, but sometimes tests her strengths and her resolve to stand beside him unflinchingly. And finally, I gave her a tear

to shed. This is hers exclusively to use whenever it is needed." "You see my son," said God, "the beauty of a woman is not in the clothes she wears, the figure that she carries, or the way she combs her hair. The beauty of a woman must be seen in her eyes, because that is the doorway to her heart - the place where love resides." After reading this, I took a sip of my Dr. Pepper, grabbed the Kleenex box and cried some more. I have no idea was I was crying, and this wasn't the answer to my question. However, it sure made me feel better.

IT'S THE PITTS BY LEE PITTS

Something's Missing

When I shook his hand I knew right away that something was missing. The reason I didn't have a good grasp on the situation was that what was missing was the rancher's thumb and opposing appendage Ah, ha, I thought, a team roper! If you think it's easy just try shaking hands with one some day. There's nothing to grab on to. After we said our howdy-dos with One-Thumb Frank the five us settled into a leisurely night in a hotel lounge. We were all in town for a big cow sale the next day, the order buyer, ring man, auctioneer, the rancher and me. I was traveling buddies with the rest of the crew but it was the first time I'd ever met One-Thumb. He turned out to be a wonderful man, tough as a boot and colorful as a Navajo blanket.

One-Thumb's missing digits reminded me of something I'd torn out of that morning's newspaper. I'm always ripping stuff out of the paper that I think might provide inspiration or fodder for a column and it drives my wife crazy. Often she'll turn to the crossword puzzle only to find a gaping hole ACROSS and DOWN the paper. "Look at this article," I said to One-Thumb Frank. "It's a chart that says how much an insurance company will pay if you lose a body part. You should have collected 36 weeks of pay for your missing finger and 63 weeks worth of pay for your thumb." One-Thumb replied, "I suppose I could have got disability but I didn't exactly lose them while working on the ranch. On two separate occasions I left them in a jackpot arena. Not only did I not collect

disability, I didn't even win back my entry fees." This set off a big debate about which one us had the most dangerous job. "People think that working ring at auctions is easy but it's not," said the ring man. "One time I was working a sale and a bull hit the side of the sale ring, one of the pipes popped a weld and it hit me right in the mouth. Broke a couple teeth of my teeth too. According to this chart I could have collected a month's worth of wages. And over the years I've completely thrown my arm out of joint turning in bids. This says I should have collected four years disability for my bad arm." "Oh, quit your complaining. You could be in a lot worse shape. Just look at our order buyer friend here," I said, pointing to our mutual friend who was older than a Betsy Wetsy doll only without the personality. "It says here that a heart is worth 520 weeks worth of work! That's almost ten years if my math is right! Everybody knows that men lose their hearts when they become order buyers. Just think, as an order buyer you could have retired ten years ago for just being your cold, heartless self." "Very funny Pitts. As a writer what's the worst thing that ever hap-

pened to you? A paper cut? Did you throw out you back lifting a ream of paper?" "I'll have you know that my pancreas is shot and this chart says that I should have collected 416 weeks worth of disability." "Only one problem, Lee," said the order buyer. "You have to actually have a job to be disabled from one." I had to admit, it was a good point. After further study One-Thumb said, "I don't think this chart is applicable to us. "It says it's from Connecticut and I don't even know if they have any cows in Connecticut. Besides, it raises a lot of questions in my mind. Says here that the loss of one's reproductive organ is worth between 35 and 104 weeks worth of work. Why the variability? And there seems to be quite a few organs missing from the list." "That's right," chimed in the auctioneer as he sipped his frosty libation. "I've given my liver to this industry and am I not entitled to compensation?" "Yeah, it doesn't say how much the loss of a brain is worth either," I said, realizing the minute I said it that I had made a stupid mistake. Everybody knows you can't have a brain to be in our business.

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HIGHLIGHTS
By Ed Sterling

AUSTIN - President Bush on July 24 granted Gov. Rick Perry's July 23 request for a Major Presidential Disaster Declaration as Hurricane Dolly walloped South Texas. The declaration helps pay for emergency expenditures that occurred before, during and after the hurricane. But, Gov. Perry said, the declaration does not cover hurricane-related individual or business losses. Perry wrote again to the president on July 31, to speed "individual assistance" to people whose homes were damaged but not covered by insurance and "public assistance" to fund the repair or replacement of damaged or destroyed public facilities or infrastructure. Thousands of South Texans remained without power and hundreds were staying in temporary shelters, as of Aug. 1.

STATE RELEASES
MANSON TAPE CLIPS

Governor Perry presses for more disaster aid

Newspapers and broadcast media stations requested copies of videotapes recorded by governor's mansion security cameras on the night of June 8, when the governor's mansion was gutted by fire. The Texas Department of Public Safety initially denied the requests, arguing that the videotapes relate to a pending criminal investigation and should not be released. The Texas Attorney General's Office sided with the DPS and the videotapes were kept under wraps. However, on July 29, state and federal investigators made two video clips from the videotapes available to the public and offered a \$50,000 reward for information leading to an arrest and conviction. One video clip shows a man walking on a sidewalk near the mansion. Another video clip shows a man running on a different sidewalk near the mansion. The video clips and still images can be viewed at the DPS Web site, www.txdps.state.tx.us.

INDICTED MEN TURN THEMSELVES IN
A Schleicher County grand jury on July 22 indicted five men, all members of the polygamist sect that occupies the Yearning for Zion

Ranch near Eldorado. On July 28, the men surrendered themselves to the Schleicher County sheriff. The Texas Attorney General's Office published their names and the charges against them:

- Raymond Merrill Jessop, 36, charged with one count of sexually assaulting a child, a first-degree felony; possible sentence of five to 99 years or life in prison.
- Allan Eugene Keate, 56, charged with one count of sexually assaulting a child, a first-degree felony; possible sentence of five to 99 years or life in prison.
- Michael George Emack, 57, charged with one count of sexually assaulting a child, a first-degree felony; possible sentence of five to 99 years or life in prison.
- Merrill Leroy Jessop, 33, charged with one count of sexually assaulting a child and bigamy, both first-degree felonies; possible sentence of five to 99 years or life in prison on each count.
- Lloyd Hammon Barlow, 38, charged with three counts of failure to report child abuse, a class B misdemeanor; possible sentence of up to six months in prison and a fine of \$2,000 per count.
- Also indicted was sect leader Warren S. Jeffs, 52, who is a Utah prison inmate convicted of two

counts of being an accomplice to rape. Jeffs is serving two consecutive sentences of five years to life. An anonymous allegation of domestic violence and sexual abuse prompted San Angelo State District Judge Barbara Walther to order the seizure and custody of more than 400 ranch children in early April. State appellate courts overturned Walther's order and the children were returned to their parents in early June.

EDUCATION RATINGS ARE RELEASED
The Texas Education Agency released accountability ratings for schools and campuses on Aug. 1. The agency also released dropout and completion rates for districts and schools serving students in grades seventh to 12th. More Texas school districts and campuses earned the state's two highest ratings, exemplary and recognized, in 2008, the TEA reported. Statewide, the graduation rate for the 290,662 member class of 2007 was 78 percent. Between ninth grade and the end of 12th grade, 11.4 percent of the members of this class dropped out of school. Complete statistics can be found at www.tea.state.tx.us.

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Submitted photo by Allison McGuire

MILITARY MEN Daniel Cruz, Jack Rodriguez and Matt McGuire were home for a visit recently. Daniel is currently serving in Iraq. Jack is stationed in Fort Sill and will be deploying to Iraq any day. Matt, stationed at Fort Riley, expects to be in Iraq early this fall. All three serve in the U.S. Army.

Rio Foundation joins Ozona Chamber

The Rio Foundation is a new member of the Ozona Chamber of Commerce and a new service available to local employers. The foundation sponsors Rio Services, which as part of the campaign against lawsuit abuse, provides 'alternative dispute resolution' ('ADR') services.

Rio provides comprehensive employer support services, including its Alternative Dispute Resolution Programs for both employment disputes and commercial disputes. The foundation is based on South Padre Island, and plans to open an office in Marfa.

Rio's ADR Programs were developed in response to 'lawsuit abuse' which costs businesses billions of dollars annually. The purpose of Rio's ADR Program is to resolve legal disputes using alternative dispute resolution, including mediation, arbitration, or both, instead of costly litigation in court.

Rio's ADR Programs provide employers, companies and individuals an affordable, confidential and efficient process to resolve legal disputes.

Patrick Tomjack, the foundation's president, said "The average cost nationwide of defending a wrongful termination case in court

is about \$150,000.00. For employers and other businesses, Rio's ADR Programs are the best way to avoid the lawsuit lottery. Rio's fees are based on the number of employees, so the small employer pays less."

Rio's employer support services include a 'compliance review', which is a detailed review of an employer's personnel practices, documents and insurance.

"Rio's General Counsel meets with the employer, identifies the problems, and recommends corrective measures," Tomjack said.

Rio also writes and revises employee handbooks, initial employment documents, posters and notices, develops personnel policies and guidelines, job descriptions, employee benefit plans, and assists with responding to administrative claims, complaints and government investigations. Rio also presents seminars on employment law and alternative dispute resolution. Rio has offered its services statewide since 1997.

The Rio Foundation is a non-profit tax-exempt public charity. The foundation supports an orphanage (Albergue Casa Hogar de Chihuahua, A.C.) in Ojinaga, Mexico, a town on

the border, across from Presidio, Texas. The Foundation's other activities include supporting a 'no kill' animal shelter; and the Post (Brewster) county park south of Marathon.

"The foundation donated pine trees so people could enjoy 'green' year around at the park."

The foundation also sponsors Rio Legal Services, a public interest law firm, which provides pro bono legal services in matters of public interest.

Approximately 90 percent of the foundation's revenue comes from providing dispute resolution services to employers and other companies.

The Rio Foundation and Rio Services can be contacted toll-free at 1-800-891-4554, at Rio's website www.rioservices.com and through the Ozona Chamber of Commerce.

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Belly Button retirement, NICU Reunion

Aug. 19

San Angelo Community Medical Center's 2004 Belly Button Retirement and NICU Reunion will be held from 4-7 p.m. Aug. 19 at the conference rooms at San Angelo Community Medical Center.

Snacks and water will be served. 2001-2003 buttons will also be available. For more information, call 947-6224.

Community Calendar

Wednesday, Aug. 6
 • Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
 • Golf Camp, 9-11 a.m. at the country club.
 • 4-H Camp, 9 a.m.-noon at the extension office.
 • Museum board meeting, noon at the museum.

Thursday, Aug. 7
 • Golf Camp, 9-11 a.m. at the country club.
 • 4-H Camp, 9 a.m.-noon at the extension office.
 • Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

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

Sunday, Aug. 10
 • Bingo, 3 p.m. at the OLPH Parish Hall.

Monday, Aug. 11
 • 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.

Tuesday, Aug. 12
 • Open Playday Series, 6 p.m. at the rodeo arena.

Wednesday, Aug. 13
 • Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.

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Ozona Senior Happenings

By **LYNN ENGLISH**
Senior Center Director

My thought for this day is that it is Monday and hot. Wonder where I can go to get cooler?

Next Monday, Aug. 11, I will have cataract surgery on my right eye. I will be happy to get it over with and seeing well.

Two Crockett County ladies are back in Ozona healing at our local care center. Madolyn Stokes and Katherine Russell are the ladies I am writing about. If you have time during your busy day, go by and visit with them.

JoAnn Babbitt is in Austin having eye surgery. Also, Leroy Adcock went to Midland to inquire about the best treatment for a lung mass that was found last week. You are both in our thoughts and prayers.

Kitty Montgomery is in Regency House and her family plans

to move her to Royal Estates if her health improves.

On Aug. 1, Lupe Martinez and Lynn English went to the Concho Valley Chapter of Activity Professionals quarterly meeting. We earned needed CEU's. It was a good meeting and approximately 30 people were there from the Concho Valley area.

Brenda and Royce Newton have been gone for a week and we are looking forward to their return.

On Sunday, at lunch, I was delighted to see Betty Harrell out along with Lloyd and Glenda Winkle. It was wonderful seeing them all out as I haven't seen them in some time.

The main three puzzle players, Brenda Newton, Betty and Bob Hartley have begun a new puzzle and it looks to be a difficult one but I am sure these three can get it done.

The "Walk Two Miles" ladies are still going strong. They meet ev-

ery Monday, Wednesday and Friday here at the Senior Center at 8:30 a.m. This would be a good time to join this group and get the exercise you need to be healthy.

Monday and Thursdays 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 a fun afternoon.

We are continuing to have our regular activities: square dance lessons/dances, 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 you may add something that you would enjoy doing.

Our activities are for those who are 50 years young and older. We will remain flexible as to age.

Volunteers needed for emergency response team

Volunteers are being sought for a Community Emergency Response Team in Crockett County.

A Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) is a training program that prepares citizens to help themselves, their family and their neighbors in the event of a disaster.

During an incident, emergency service personnel may not be able to reach everyone right away. By get-

ting trained in CERT, citizens will have the skills to help emergency responders save lives and protect property.

As a member of a CERT Team, citizens can respond to disasters, participate in drills, exercises and take additional training.

CERT teams are known and trusted resources to emergency responders and their communities.

A member can be anyone 18 years and older.

Normally the training is held in

San Angelo, but if there are several people interested in the training, then an instructor can come down and train in Ozona.

There is no cost involved to become a member of CERT.

"I really believe that this team would really benefit our county. I would like to ask anyone interested in taking some training to give me a call, so that we can set up a training schedule," said Frank Tambunga.

For more information, call (325) 392-2827 or (325) 226-2827.

Care Center Chatter

By **MARTA DE LA GARZA**
Activity Director

With these hot summer days, it is impossible for us to go outside during the day so we try to go early morning or late evening. We have continued to work on our yard by planting flowers and reporting some plants and working on getting a new fence for the courtyard along with a patio set.

Residents celebrated our monthly birthday party with cake and cookies, the cake was donated by Lilly Payne. Thanks to families and staff who have brought fresh fruit for our residents and staff.

We are sorry to say that we no longer have Johnny June's dog with us. He has passed away and we will all miss him.

Crockett County 4-H rodeo set for Aug. 23

Crockett County 4-H Open Youth Rodeo will be held Aug. 23 followed by the Zane Coates Memorial Bronc Riding.

Events will start at 9 a.m. at the Crockett County Arena.

Events: Barrels, Poles, Flags, Goat tagging/tying, breakaway, tie down and ribbon roping. Entry deadline is Aug. 10.

Age groups: 6-under lead line, 5 and under boys and girls, 6-9 boys and girls, 10-13 boys and girls, 13-18 Boys and Girls.

Age as of 4-H enrollment date for '07-'08 year (Aug. 31, 2007).

Broken Arrow Buckles given for all around boy and girl in all age groups, except lead line.

Lead line-halters given for overall all around.

Places 2-4 all around in all age groups receive tack

For more information and an entry blank, call the Crockett County 4-H office (325) 392-2722 or Wendy Justiss (325) 226-2305.

Foster Grandparent Program to host Recruitment Fair on Aug. 21

The Foster Grandparent Program of the Concho Valley is holding a Recruitment Fair on Aug. 21 at 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. at First Christian Church at 29 N. Oakes in San Angelo (across from Shannon Hospital) in the Fellowship Hall).

Foster Grandparents work in schools, Head Starts, Boys and Girls Clubs, shelters and churches working with the children of this area by helping them with their reading skills, social skills, while acting as mentors to the children.

If you are 60 years or older,

have a limited income, are willing to work 20 hours a week, and need some extra money then this program is for you.

We pay an hourly stipend, plus reimburse for mileage, provide a free yearly physical, meals, monthly training, and recognition events.

This will not affect any benefits you receive such as Social Security or Food Stamps.

For more information, call (325) 223-5704 at the Area Agency on Aging or toll free (877) 944-9666.

Junction to host confederate brigade reunion anniversary ceremony Aug. 9

A ceremony will be held at 2 p.m. Aug. 9 in the Kimble County Park at Lake Junction to commemorate the centennial anniversary of the Confederate Reunion of the Mountain Remnant Brigade held in Junction in 1908.

The program will be conducted by the Frontier Guards Camp of Confederate Veterans and the Mary Harlow Griffith Chapter of the Confederate Rose.

A feature of the ceremony will be a condensed version of the origi-

nal M. E. Blackburn speech given by his grandson, Marvin Snodgrass of Junction.

The program will end with a black powder musket salute given by reenactors and the playing of Taps.

Main Street will be the scene of a parade at 10 a.m. that will precede the ceremony. There is no fee for either event, and everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend.

For additional information, e-mail gharrison16@suddenlink.net or fvyatt30@cebridge.net.

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Card of Thanks
I appreciate all the gifts and cards that I received for my graduation. Thank you to everyone.
A.J. Montanez

Card of Thanks
I, Markaus Galindo, along with my parents would like to thank the businesses and community for their support in my trip to the AAU Junior Olympic Games in Detroit, Mich. I placed 28th out of 41 throwers in the United States. I would like to give a special thanks to Bryan Gregory and Triple C Hardware & Lumber Inc. This has been a great experience and opportunity for me. Thanks to all who supported me.
Markaus Galindo

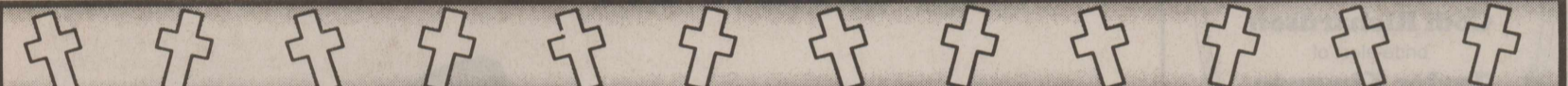
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My wife and I have always liked the outdoors and had friends who invited us to go fishing and camping on their ranch on the Rio Grande River. It was a very remote area and you very seldom saw anyone else. One evening we were at our camp and starting the fire for supper when we heard a voice but it was on the other side of the river. We could not understand what the person was saying. Then we heard a different noise like a bunch of small rocks sliding. We were both trying to see what was making all that noise and then we saw it, it was a herd of goats and there must have been several hundred. The goat herder was bringing them down from the high bluffs to drink water from the river. The goat herder watched carefully and after they all got a drink he spoke to them and the goats started back up the steep trail. Several goats tried to stay behind but he said something gruffly to them and they joined the rest of the herd. That event reminded me of something important about Christianity. If we truly know Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, we will obey Him. He will personally know our name and call to us. We will know His voice and will, (obey) follow Him, (John 10:3&4).
See you in Church next Sunday.
Brother J

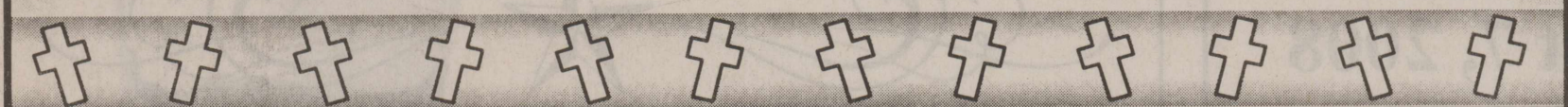
<p>First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6:15 p.m. Awanas: Wednesday - 5:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p>Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Pastor Ron Shott 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 de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Rd. Interim - Ray Valadez Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.</p>	

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4th of July Fun at Pandale

Fishermen, landowners, ranchers, family and friends all celebrated Pandale's 3rd Annual 4th of July Parade. Decorations started at 3:00 p.m. and the parade started around 5:00 p.m. Following the parade everyone was invited to eat. Billy Lockeridge

barbecued goat meat, Mary Lockeridge made a spaghetti salad, Mark Pearce brought smoked sausages, Easy barbecued chicken and chili dogs, beans, potato salad and drinks were also enjoyed. At dark Easy did the fireworks

display and everyone was given glow necklaces, bracelets and glasses. Easy and Edna would like to thank Jim and Beth Harris from Truckload Fireworks, Deputy Sheriff David Kelley, all the sponsors and everyone that participated. Firework sponsors: Car-

rie and Cory Mitchel, George Gries and daughter Aaryn (Miss Teen International Colorado) Ms. and Mrs. Kent Franks, Billy and Mary Lockeridge, Tom and Macey Collins, Rick Hafley and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lipham. Participating in the parade: Billy

and Mary Lockeridge, Joyce Taylor (Mary's mom), Billy Ray Barrera, Chad, Frank Haines and family - Ronnie, Jeffrey, Brenda, Israel, Frank Jr. and David Seabston, Jamin Gaucin, Kent Franks and family, Carrie and Cory Mitchel and party (Amalio, Eleanor, West and Marcos Ramon, Glen, Skeeter and Ethan Hocut, Dustin and Jennifer Tippie, Henry Wimberly (Bambam), Kyle, Alicia and Kyson Davis and family. I would also like to thank Easy, Ismael, Joseph Davila III and Jo Anthony Davila for all the hard work. I love you all. Viva Pandale, Edna



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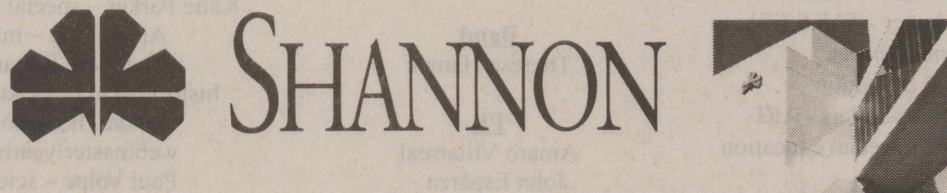
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A word of caution: If you sell items that do not qualify for the exemption, you may not advertise or promise that you will pay your customers' sales tax. Additionally, you are prohibited from advertising that you will not collect sales tax on items that do not qualify. You may advertise that tax is included in the sales price of the taxable items that you sell, however.

For information on how to report tax on these sales, call toll-free at (800) 252-5555.

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- Hosiery
- Jackets
- Jeans
- Jerseys - baseball and football
- Jogging apparel
- Neckwear and ties
- Pajamas & Robes
- Pants and trousers
- Raincoats and ponchos
- Shirts
- Shoes - sandals, slippers, sneakers, tennis, walking
- Socks (including athletic)
- Shorts
- Suits, slacks, and jackets
- Sweatshirts & Sweat suits
- Sweaters
- Swimsuits
- Underclothes
- Work clothes and uniforms

TAXED

- Accessories (generally) - barrettes, elastic ponytail holders, wallets, watches
- Backpacks - unless for use by elementary and secondary students
- Baseball cleats and pants
- Belt buckles (without belt)
- Boots - climbing, fishing, rubber work boots, ski, waders
- Buttons and zippers
- Cloth and lace, knitting yarns, and other fabrics
- Dry cleaning services
- Football pants
- Golf gloves
- Handbags and purses
- Handkerchiefs
- Hard hats
- Helmets - bike, baseball, football, hockey, motorcycle, sports
- Ice skates
- Jewelry
- Laundering services
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- Personal flotation devices
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- Roller blades and skates
- Safety clothing, glasses
- Shoes - bicycle (cleated), bowling, golf

2008-2009 Teachers

ELEMENTARY TEACHERS

- Pre-K**
Brandi Crawford
Amber Vasquez
- PPCD**
Shauna Yeager
- Kindergarten**
Allison Vasquez
Holly Rylander
Dena Porter
Ann Daniels Carroll
- First Grade**
Connie Crenwelge
Stacy Meeke
Melinda Moran

- Second Grade**
Sue Ellen Crawford
Vicki Davis
Peggy Logan

- Third Grade**
Jessica Luckie
Christina Rodriguez
Vicki Stokes

- Fourth Grade**
Kathleen Edinburgh
Michael Gully
Maria Leticia Guerra
Cora Worthington

- Fifth Grade**
Cindy Owens
Debra Fred
Autumn Brown

Special Services

- Elizabeth Clark - dyslexia
- Vicky Munoz - diagnostician
- Jan Patterson - TAKS
- Tonya Poindexter - TAKS/ESL
- Rosario Sanchez - special education
- Catherine Ross-Sellers - ARI
- Susan Williams - special education

- PE**
David Porter

- Music**
Justina Saunders

MIDDLE SCHOOL

- Sixth Grade**
Mary Ann Deaton - science
Jill Koerth - math
Jill Crawford - history/GT
Jessica Phillips - English
Betsy Nanny - reading

- Seventh Grade**
Nikki Harrison - math
Dedra Rohan - science/coach
Betsy Nanny - reading
Katrece Hale - history
Shana Granger - English

- Eighth Grade**
Dana Criswell - reading
Leanna Childress - history
Lara Gott - science
Wendy Justiss - English
Lisa James - math

Special Education

- Angela Smrkovsky

Band

- Theresa Hanzik

PE

- Amaro Villarreal
- John Esparza - also 6th grade history
- Courtney Beck

Technology

- Myranda Stokes

HIGH SCHOOL

- Jay Ben Alls - special education/coach
- Gretchen Bloebaum - band
- Cherokee Bolen - health/PE
- Courtney Childress - art
- Ronny Clayton - math/coach
- Linda Coates - health care
- Terry Crawford - woodshop
- Thomas De Hoyos - English
- Dottie De Leon - drama/speech
- Ubaldo Elguea - credit recovery/coach
- Ben English - criminal justice
- Cathy English - computer science
- Emma Franco - Spanish
- Vanessa Gutierrez - English
- Betty Hawthorne - ISS
- Gina Hochreiter - BCIS/cheerleading sponsor
- John Jackson - government/head girls basketball
- Kim Flores Maldonado - science
- Becky Martin - math
- Tammy McWilliams - English
- Justin Morris - social studies
- Veronica Newlin - Spanish
- Katie Parker - special education
- Anne Reeb - math
- Theodore Rohan - history/head boys basketball
- Linda Thompson - webmaster/yearbook
- Paul Volpe - science
- Cody Watkins - vocational/agriculture
- Cindy Webb - math/counselor
- Corby Weeaks - Athletic Trainer
- Kristie Williams - science

2008-2009 Official Ozona Schools Calendar

- Aug. 18-22 - Staff Development Days
- Aug. 21 - 9 a.m. District-wide breakfast OHS Cafeteria
- Aug. 25 - First Day of Classes
- Sept. 1 - Labor Day Holiday
- Sept. 26 - End of First Six Weeks
- Nov. 7 - End of Second Six Weeks
- Nov. 27-28 - Thanksgiving Holidays
- Dec. 19 - End of Third Six Weeks
- Dec. 22 - Jan. 2 - Christmas Holidays
- Jan. 2 - Staff Development Day
- Jan. 9 - UIL Workday
- Feb. 13 - End of Fourth Six Weeks
- March 16-20 - Spring Break
- April 9 - End of Fifth Six Weeks
- April 10 - Bad Weather Day
- May 29 - End of Sixth Six Weeks, Bad Weather Day & Graduation
- May 30 - Staff Development Day

Early Release Days/Times

- Nov. 26, Dec. 19, March 13 and May 29
- Primary Grades 12:30 p.m.
- Intermediate School 12:40 p.m.
- Middle School 12:50 p.m.
- High School 1 p.m.

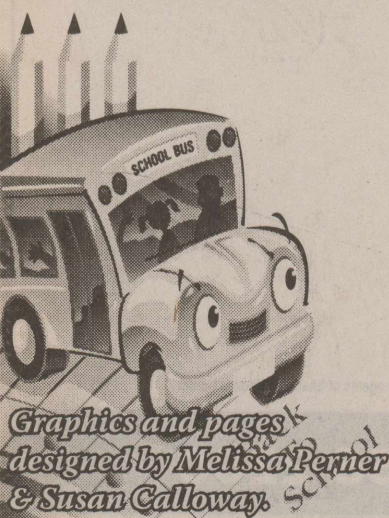
TAKS Test Schedule

- March 3** - 4th and 7th Writing; 3rd, 5th, 8th and 9th Reading; 10th and Exit Level English Lang. Arts.
- April 7** - 5th and 8th Math
- April 28** - 3rd, 4th, 6th, 7th and 10th Mathematics
- April 29** - 4th, 6th, 7th Reading; Exit Level Math
- April 30** - 5th, 8th, 10th Science; 9th Math
- May 1** - 8th, 10th and Exit Level Social Studies

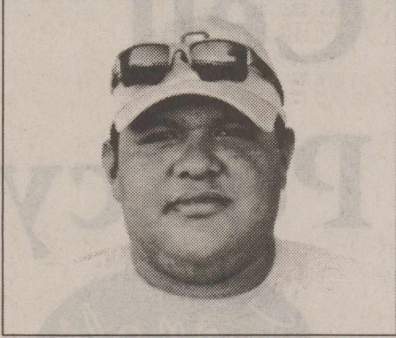
2008 School Registration Dates

- Aug. 12**
Ozona High School - New Student Registration (Students who are new to the district who will be enrolling in high school) 9 a.m.-noon
- Aug. 13**
Ozona High School Seniors - 9-11 a.m.
Ozona Intermediate School
1st Grade - 9 a.m.-noon
Ozona Intermediate School
3rd Grade - 9 a.m.-noon
Ozona Middle School 6th Grade - 9 a.m.-noon
Ozona High School Juniors - 1-3 p.m.
Ozona Intermediate School 2nd Grade - 1-4 p.m.
Ozona Intermediate School 4th Grade - 1-4 p.m.
Ozona Middle School 7th Grade - 1-4 p.m.
- Aug. 14**
Ozona High School Sophomores - 9-11 a.m.
Ozona Intermediate School Pre-K - 9 a.m.-noon
Ozona Intermediate School 5th Grade - 9 a.m.-noon
Ozona Middle School 8th Grade - 9 a.m.-noon
Ozona High School Freshmen - 1-3 p.m.
Ozona Intermediate School Kindergarten - 1-4 p.m.

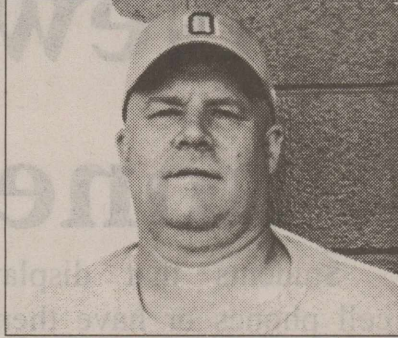
Parents need to bring their child's social security card, birth certificate, immunization record and a parent's drivers' license



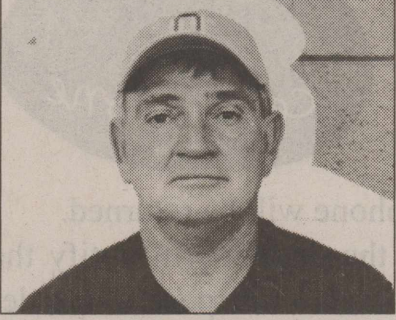
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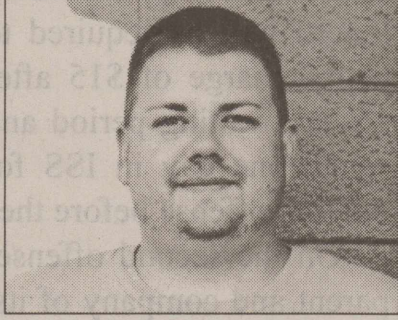
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Family: Son, Sergio, 5.



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From: Boerne
Family: Daughter, A.J., 16, Son,
Austin, 10.



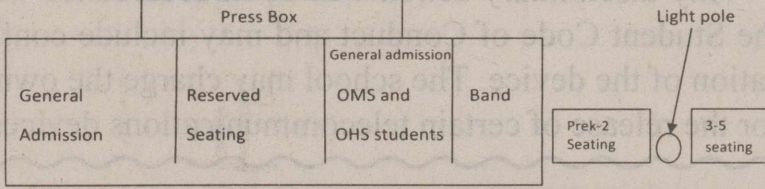
TED ROHAN
From: Celina
Family: Wife, Dedra (also a new
coach), sons, Peyton, 6 and Kyndall, 5.



CORBY WEEAKS
Athletic Trainer
From: San Angelo
Graduated: Lake View HS, ASU

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- All students will be required to sit in the stands. Students may sit with their parents or in designated student sections.
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- No skateboards will be allowed inside the stadium. They will be confiscated.
- Although some elements of the dress code will be relaxed, the following will continue to be enforced:
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Youth Center Calendar of Events

Aug. 6 - 6 p.m.
Youth Center Board Meeting

Aug. 11 - OHS Food Night, 7-10 p.m.
Aug. 12 - OMS Food Night, 7-10 p.m.

Effective Aug. 1 - Graduated Seniors, or persons 18 years of age or older, memberships have expired.

- 6th Graders entering the 7th Grade may attend the Youth Center during Middle School times.
- 8th Graders entering the 9th Grade may attend the Youth Center with the High School.

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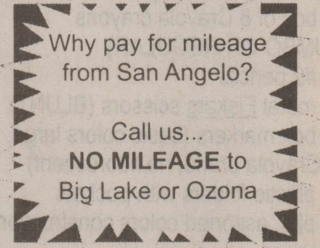
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Thursday, August 7th

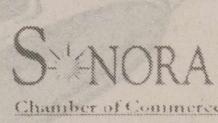
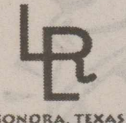
8:30 a.m. First go-round Tie-down roping, Steer wrestling, Team Roping.
5:00 p.m. Second go-round starts.

Friday, August 8th

8:30 a.m. Girl's Barrel Racing and 3 complete go-rounds of Steer roping
7:30 p.m. Sonora Outlaw pro Rodeo
8:00 p.m. til midnight-Dance to **Jake Hooker and the Outsiders**

Saturday, August 9th

7:30 p.m. Crowning of Miss Sutton County followed by the Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo
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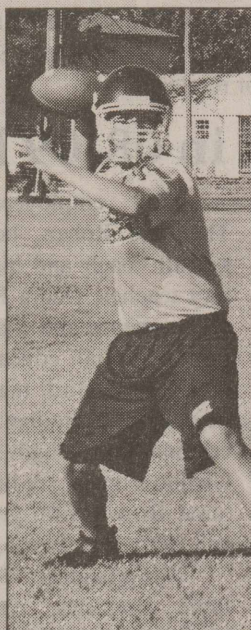
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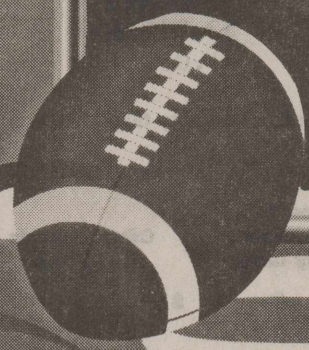
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Saturday, Aug. 16

San Saba & Mason
In Mason - 10:00 a.m.

Thurs., Aug. 21

vs. Brackett
In Ozona
5:00 p.m.



2008 OHS VARSITY LION SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
Aug. 29	Harper	Home	8:00 p.m.
Sept. 5	Iraan	Home	8:00 p.m.
12	***Wall	Away	8:00 p.m.
19	Brady	Home	8:00 p.m.
26	McCamey	Away	7:30 p.m.
Oct. 3	---OPEN---	Away	7:30 p.m.
10	*Alpine	Home	7:30 p.m.
17	*Kermit	Home	7:30 p.m.
24	*Crane	Away	7:30 p.m.
31	*Reagan Co.	Home	7:30 p.m.
Nov. 7	*Sonora	Home	7:30 p.m.

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Aug. 16 - San Saba & Mason - In Mason - 10:00 a.m.
Aug. 21 - vs. Brackett - Home - Time - 5:00 p.m.

*Denotes District Game ***Homecoming

JUNIOR VARSITY

Aug. 28	Harper	Away	6:30 p.m.
Sept. 4	Iraan	Home	6:30 p.m.
11	Wall	Home	6:30 p.m.
18	Brady	Away	6:30 p.m.
25	McCamey	Away	6:30 p.m.
Oct. 2	---OPEN---	Home	6:30 p.m.
9	*Alpine	Home	6:30 p.m.
16	*Kermit	Away	6:00 p.m.
23	*Crane	Home	6:30 p.m.
30	*Reagan Co.	Away	6:30 p.m.
Nov. 6	*Sonora	Home	6:30 p.m.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sept. 11	Wall	Home	5:00/6:30
18	Brady	Away	5:00/6:30
25	McCamey	Home	5:00/6:30
Oct. 2	Open	Home	5:00 (1 Game)
9	Alpine	Home	5:00/6:30
Oct. 16	Kermit	Away	5:00/6:30
23	Crane	Home	5:00/6:30
30	Reagan Co.	Home	5:00/6:30
Nov. 6	Sonora	Away	5:00/6:30

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Anderson, Cantu, Medina, Myers all file for school board race

By **MELISSA PERNER**
Editor and Publisher

Filings for the November school board election have started.

Incumbent Tom Anderson has re-filed to keep his position in District 6. Challenging Anderson will be Jer-

ry Cantu.

In District 2, Grizz Medina has filed. That position is currently held by Jana Wilson. Wilson has not filed yet for re-election.

Ray Don Myers has filed for the At-Large position, which is currently held by Dr. Marcus Sims, who also has not filed yet for re-election.

Other positions up for re-election are District 1 - previously held by Carol Buie.

In county and local state office races, nobody has filed as a write-in candidate.

County and local state offices that are up for re-election are sheriff, county attorney, 112th District Attorney, commissioner precinct 3, commissioner precinct

1, county tax-assessor collector and constable.

The filing period for anyone wanting to seek election to the school board or for write-in candidates lasts until Aug. 26 for the November General Election.

For more information, call the clerk's office at 392-2022 or the school district's administration office at 392-5501 ext. 5700.

More money for fencing proposed in 08-09 budget

By **MELISSA PERNER**
Editor and Publisher

Additional money for resurfacing the tennis courts and finishing the fence at Lion Stadium was discussed during a July 30 called meeting of the Crockett County CCSD Board of Trustees.

During a budget workshop, Superintendent Abe Gott and Business Manager Cynthia Hokit went over the 2008-2009 school budget with the board.

In the proposed budget, lists \$200,000 to resurface the tennis courts and finish the fencing at Lion Stadium.

Currently, a \$50,260 rock fence is being built on the north end of the stadium by Texas Rock-N-Stone. The fence will then be finished with wrought-iron poles between the pillars.

Gott said they are looking at continuing the fence around the stadium.

In transportation, the district has budgeted \$90,000 for fuel and \$325,000 for three suburbans, two trucks and buses.

When school trips are taken this year, Gott said the district will look at cutting fuel costs by taking fewer buses.

Also in the proposed budget

was \$50,000 for security cameras for the portable buildings. Gott said after the district has the portables for a year and a half, or longer, the cameras can be placed elsewhere in the district or at the new elementary school.

Gott also said the district is working on getting the portable buildings by the middle school finished so that the deck can be built before school starts.

Around \$25,000 has been proposed for security and to help pay for EMS and fire department help at games. The money will also be used for extra security from the sheriff's office when needed in the district.

Throughout the budget, extra money has been set aside for unexpected expenses. Around \$6,000 has been budgeted for technology, \$10,000 for the school administration, \$3,000 for counselors and \$10,000 for the Administration Building.

The district also increased the budget for drama and computer science to \$3,800 due to the teachers of those subjects wanting to build their programs, Gott said.

The board will approve the budget and the school tax rate at the Aug. 27 monthly meeting.

NEW EMPLOYEES, RESIGNATIONS

New employees hired are: Theodore Rohan, head boys basketball coach and high school history teacher; Dedra Rohan, seventh grade science and coach; Hilda Carrasco, special education inclusion aide; David Bird, maintenance; Leticia Bird, custodian; Ben English, criminal justice high school teacher; Ubaldo Elguea, credit recovery; Autumn Brown, fifth grade and coach and Betty Hawthorne, OHS ISS.

Resignations: Shona Moore, Irene Gonzales, retiring; Allison McGuire, going to work for the Menard Coop; Vicki Villarreal, Victor Villarreal and Quinton Odom.

ASBETOS and NEW HERITAGE WINDOWS

In his report, Gott said King Consultants, of Lubbock, is working on receiving proposals to remove the asbestos in the primary school.

Also, new windows in the OHS Heritage Building are being installed. The old windows will be available to be sold to the public with the money going toward the OHS Scholarship Fund.

OTHER ITEMS

The board also approved bids to purchase cafeteria products for the 2008-2009 school year.

The next meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. Aug. 27 at the Administration Building.

TAKS: State also rated academically acceptable

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Concern about the TAKS was brought up in the May board meeting, when ninth and seventh grade math scores were described as "horrible" and "horrendous" by Carole Allen, high school principal, and Benny Granger, middle school principal.

High school students scored 57 percent in math, and middle school students scored 66 percent.

Around the area, other schools fared the same as Ozona. Alpine, Crane, Eldorado, Grape Creek, Junction, Kermit, McCamey, Presi-

dio, Reagan County and Sonora all received academically acceptable ratings as districts.

Christoval, Irion County, Iraan, Mason, Rankin and Wall received recognized district ratings. Water Valley received an exemplary district rating.

According to TEA, the State of Texas achieved academically acceptable status.

Of the 1,229 districts, 43 districts (3.5 percent) were rated exemplary and 328 (26.7 percent) were rated recognized. The districts rated

exemplary comprise 0.6 percent of the total student enrollment, while the districts rated recognized comprise 19.9 percent of total students enrolled.

Achieving an academically acceptable rating were 818 of the 1,229 districts, which comprises 79.1 percent of the total students enrolled. Thirty-seven districts are academically unacceptable representing 0.4 percent of the total students enrolled.

For more information, visit the TEA website at www.tea.state.tx.us.

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2008 Property Tax Rates in CROCKETT COUNTY

This notice concerns 2008 property tax rates for CROCKETT COUNTY. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

	General Fund	Farm to Market/ Flood Control Fund	Special Road/ Bridge Fund
Last year's tax rate:			
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 7,263,132	\$ 2,214,351	\$ -0-
Last year's debt taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -0-
Last year's total taxes	\$ 7,263,132	\$ 2,214,351	\$ -0-
Last year's tax base	\$2,038,480,620	\$2,035,805,220	\$ -0-
Last year's total tax rate	\$.35615 /\$100	\$.10870/\$100	\$ -0- /\$100

This year's effective tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 7,226,407	\$ 2,203,442	\$ -0-
+ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$2,430,880,570	\$2,429,064,660	\$ -0-
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	\$.29727 /\$100	\$.09071 /\$100	\$ -0- /\$100
Total effective tax rate	\$.38798 /\$100		

In the first year a county collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes, it must insert the following lines unless its first adjustment was made last year:

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ -0-	/ \$100
= Effective tax rate	\$ -0-	/ \$100

This year's rollback tax rate:			
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate, and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$ 7,260,508	\$ 2,203,442	\$ -0-
+ This year's adjusted tax base	\$2,430,880,570	\$2,429,064,660	\$ -0-
= This year's effective rate	\$.29867 /\$100	\$.09071 /\$100	\$ -0- /\$100
x 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$.32256 /\$100	\$.09796 /\$100	\$ -0- /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$.00000 /\$100	\$.00000 /\$100	\$ -0- /\$100
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	\$.32256 /\$100	\$.09796 /\$100	\$ -0- /\$100
This year's total rollback rate	\$.42052 /\$100		

A county that collects the additional sales tax to reduce property taxes, including one that collects the tax for the first time this year, must insert the following lines:

- Sales tax adjustment rate	\$ -0-	/ \$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ -0-	/ \$100

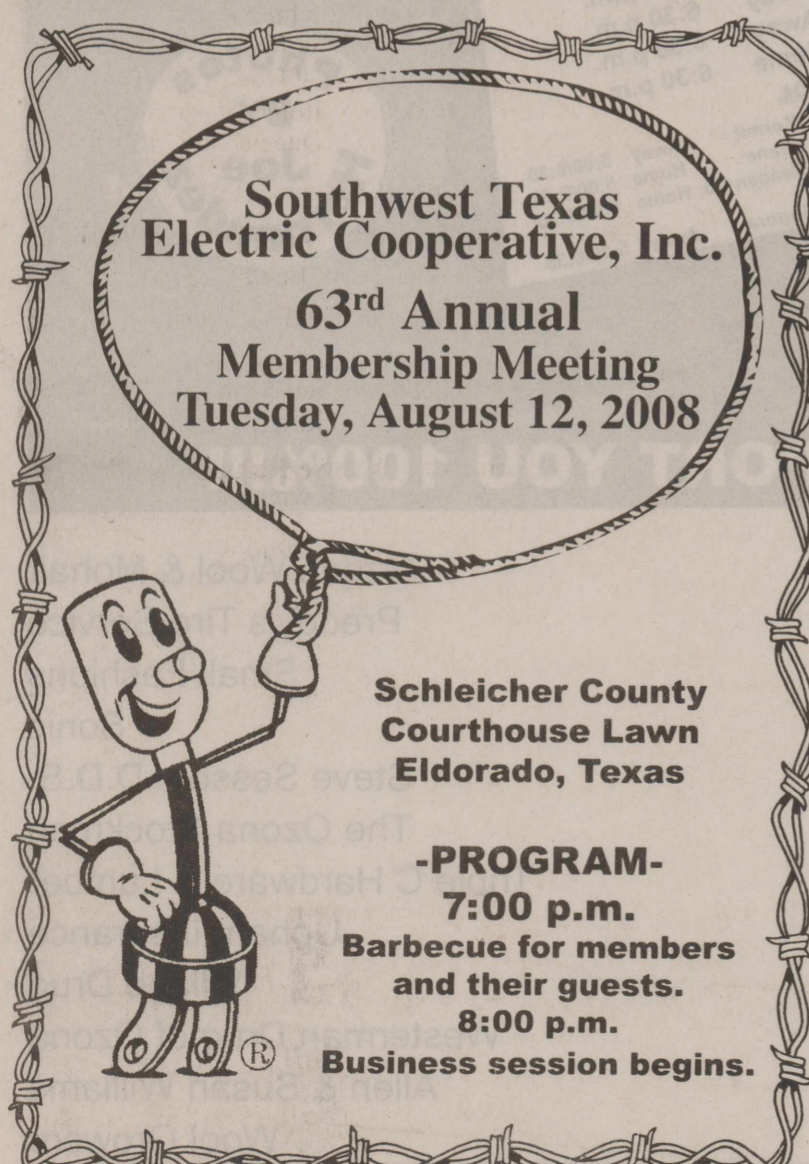
For a county with additional rollback rate for pollution control, insert the following lines:

+ Additional rollback rate for pollution control	\$ -0-	/ \$100
= Rollback tax rate	\$ -0-	/ \$100

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63rd Annual Membership Meeting
Tuesday, August 12, 2008

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-PROGRAM-
7:00 p.m. Barbecue for members and their guests.
8:00 p.m. Business session begins.

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Statement of Increase/Decrease

If CROCKETT COUNTY adopts a 2008 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$.38798 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2007 taxes by \$ 13,550.17

Schedule A - Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
COUNTY GENERAL FUND	\$3,234,000
ROAD & BRIDGE FUND	\$1,031,000

Schedule B - 2008 Debt Service

The unit plans to pay the following amounts for long-term debts that are secured by property taxes. These amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues, if applicable).

Description of Debt	Principal or Contract Payment to be Paid from Property Taxes	Interest to Be Paid from Property Taxes	Other Amounts to be Paid	Total Payment
	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-	\$ -0-
<i>(expand as needed)</i>				
Total required for 2008 debt service		\$ -		\$ -0-
- Amount (if any) paid from funds listed in Schedule A		\$ -		\$ -0-
- Amount (if any) paid from other resources		\$ -		\$ -0-
- Excess collections last year		\$ -		\$ -0-
= Total to be paid from taxes in 2008		\$ -		\$ -0-
Amount added in anticipation that the unit will collect only % of its taxes in 2008		\$ -		\$ -0-
= Total Debt Levy		\$ -		\$ -0-

Schedule C - Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For hospital districts, cities and counties with additional sales tax to reduce property taxes)
In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$ -0- in additional sales and use tax revenues. For County: The county has excluded any amount that is or will be distributed for economic development grants from this amount of expected sales tax revenue.

Schedule D - State Criminal Justice Mandate (For Counties)

The CROCKETT County Auditor certifies that CROCKETT County has spent \$.00 in the previous 12 months beginning JANUARY 1, 2007, for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. CROCKETT County Sheriff has provided information on these costs, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.

Schedule E - Transfer of Department, Function or Activity

The spent \$ from to on the . The operates this function in all or a majority of the . (Second Year of Transfer: Modify schedule to show comparison of amount this year and preceding year by unit receiving the function.)

Schedule F - Enhanced Indigent Health Care Expenditures

The COUNTY OF CROCKETT spent \$ 34,101.00 from 1-1-07 to 12-31-07 on enhanced indigent health care at the increased minimum eligibility standards, less the amount of state assistance. For the current tax year, the amount of increase above last year's enhanced indigent health care expenditures is \$ 34,101.00

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rates' calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at 909 AVENUE D OZONA, TEXAS 76943

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Two members of a Corpus Christi family killed in Interstate accident

By **MELISSA PERNER**
Editor and Publisher

Two members of a Corpus Christi family were killed in a three vehicle accident Saturday on Interstate-10.

Michael Andrew Canales, 32, and O'Neil Garcia, 6, were both pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Wilson from Sutton County, according to a report from the Texas Department of Pub-

lic Safety.

Octavius Luna, 10, was taken to Lillian Hudspeth Memorial Hospital in Sonora for third-degree burns, the report stated. Graciano Martinez, 42, of Mission, Texas, was also taken to Sonora for injuries.

The accident, which occurred around 8:05 p.m., was at the 385 mile-marker.

Martinez, driver of an 18-wheeler truck-tractor with a trailer, was looking at a log book

and did not see a 2000 Jeep and a 2001 Chevrolet Malibu with a U-Haul trailer pulling into traffic from the shoulder, the report stated.

The truck then struck the back of the Jeep knocking it into a rock wall and causing it to explode on impact, the report stated. Canales was the driver of the Jeep. Garcia and Luna were passengers in the Jeep.

The truck then struck the U-Haul trailer causing it to jackknife

the Malibu, the report stated.

The truck then struck the driver's side of the Malibu causing the truck to burst into flames, the report stated.

Information on the driver of the Malibu, Canales's wife, was not available. The family in the Jeep and the Malibu is a military family moving.

Crockett County EMS, fire fighters, along with Sonora EMS and fire fighters all responded to the accident.

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Sheffield boot camp to reopen

Submitted by the
Terrell County News Leader

SHEFFIELD - The Texas Youth Commission boot camp here, closed since March, will become part of a Galveston-based alternative education program for youth at risk.

And the Iraan-Sheffield Independent School District will provide the educational component, both for the Sheffield campus and the Galveston facility.

"They are still trying to put together state funding to start classes in January," Superintendent Kevin Allen said. "So it's not done deal yet."

Seaborn ChalleNGe Corps is the Texas site of the National Guard Youth ChalleNGe Program, an alternative education program for 16-

to 18-year-old youth who are not reaching their academic potential in their home high school.

The Seaborn ChalleNGe campus annually serves some 300 of the 30,000 high school dropouts in Texas.

Allen said there was concern in Galveston over the fact that his district was doing the educational component instead of Galveston ISD.

"Their business manager said it best," he said. "It is just not profitable for them."

He said it is an added responsibility for Galveston ISD but the district would not gain additional funds, whereas because of the complicated state school funding mechanisms, Iraan-Sheffield can make money.

"We benefit from this," Allen said. "The local Galveston ISD

wouldn't benefit. We also are taking over [the TYC facility in] Pyote. It is in the Monahan district but it is not a benefit for them. We can do better job."

Youth assigned to the Galveston facility will be educated there and those assigned to Sheffield will be educated here.

"We are using their people down there [Galveston]," Allen said. "It is their people that we hired."

The TYC boot camp here housed 17 youth when it closed in March and had a staff of 60.

"This is good for Sheffield, to get something back there that's good for the town," Allen said.

Seaborn ChalleNGe Corps, the Texas campus of the National Guard Bureau's at-risk youth program, has received the national Richard A.

Wolf award for overcoming mentor training obstacles caused by Texas geography.

Using current Texas-wide National Guard resources, Seaborn developed and conducts a distance learning pro-gram for mentors via live broadcasts throughout the state.

"We work with mentors from Amarillo to Harlingen and from El Paso to Long-view," said Peggy Baldwin, assistant director of Seaborn ChalleNGe Corps.

"Our staff created the distance learning program to resolve the geographical and financial challenges for mentors to attend required training at the Seaborn campus in Galveston," she said. "Our mentors, like our students, deserve an alternative to reach a successful outcome."

Congressman to visit Ozona Aug. 15

WASHINGTON - U.S. Congressman **Ciro D. Rodriguez**, D-San Antonio, will make a stop on Aug. 15 in Ozona.

Rodriguez will be in town from 8:30-9:30 a.m. at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce and Visitor Center.

On July 31, Rodriguez held a telephone townhall meeting with U.S. Veterans Administration (VA) Secretary **Dr. James Peake** and Congressman **John Salazar**, of Colorado.

During the call the three addressed a number of veterans issues and took questions from constituents

throughout Rodriguez's district from San Antonio, Del Rio, Alpine, among other communities. Over 4,300 people were able to participate.

Some of the topics discussed included a bill that Congressmen Rodriguez and Salazar recently co-sponsored, the Rural Veterans Access to Care Act (HR 1527), which would provide increased access to civilian providers for veterans residing far way from VA health centers if it were to become law.

The Veterans' Integrated Service Network (VISN) that covers Rodriguez's district west of Del Rio and

portions of Congressman Salazar's district in Colorado would be one of the pilot VISNs under this bill.

Also discussed was the VA's recently announced new outreach center in Bexar County, and an additional Community Based Outreach Center in El Paso County, the VA's simplified application process for veterans' benefits on its website and the VA's effectiveness of its suicide prevention hotline, in addition to several other questions from constituents.

"We make a promise to our service members that when they be-

come veterans we will take care of them," said Rodriguez. "Secretary Peake served our country in war, and also as a military physician in Texas. In his short tenure Dr. Peake has done his best to cut through the red tape and help our Texas veterans. I look forward to our continued work together through my service on the VA Committee so that we may give the best opportunities to those who have protected our country."

In the coming months Rodriguez will take a trip to the Middle East with the VA Health Subcommittee.

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386 acres - Runnels County
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510 acres - Coke County
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4140 acres - Tom Green County
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Friday August 1st
Mutton Bustin': 7 pm
Saturday August 2nd
Team Roping Challenge: 6 pm

Thursday August 7th
Slack Performances: 8:30 am
Admission Free

Friday August 8th
Full Rodeo Performance: 7:30 pm
Adults: \$7 in advance, \$10 at gate
Children under 12: \$4 in advance, \$7 at gate

Saturday August 9th
Full Rodeo Performance: 7:30 pm
Adults: \$7 in advance, \$10 at gate
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Crowning of Miss Sutton County

Dance Under the West Texas Stars
Sutton County Park
Friday August 8th
8 pm - 12 am
Featuring: **Jake Hooker and the Outsiders**
Tickets - \$10 in advance, \$12 at gate

Saturday August 9th
9 pm - 1am
Featuring: **Jake Hooker and the Outsiders**
Tickets - \$10 in advance, \$12 at gate

Sutton County Days Events
Sutton County Park
Saturday August 9th

"Cowboys Rock Parade"
8 am - line up at First National Bank
9 am Parade
Crockett Ave. to Rodeo Arena
Main Stage - Sutton County Park
10 am
Opening Ceremonies
Invocation
National Anthem - Rita Capuchina
Flag Raising - Boy Scouts
Booths & Rides Open
Washer Pitching -
Sonora Volunteer Fire Dept.
10:30 am

Little Mr. and Miss Sutton County Contest
Miss Sutton County Queens Interviews
West Texas Cloggers: 11:30 am
Elvis Impersonator - Vic Trevino 12 - 1 pm
Blue Mass Appeal Band 1 - 3 pm
Blind Nello Band 3 - 5 pm
Masonic Lodge Fundraiser:
Steak Dinner: 5 pm
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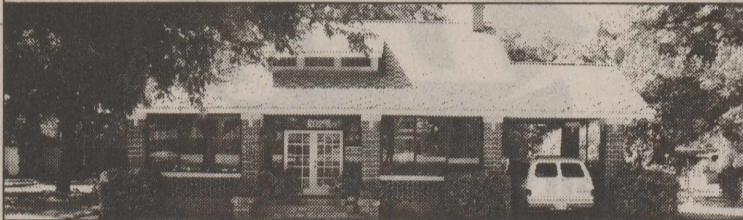
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