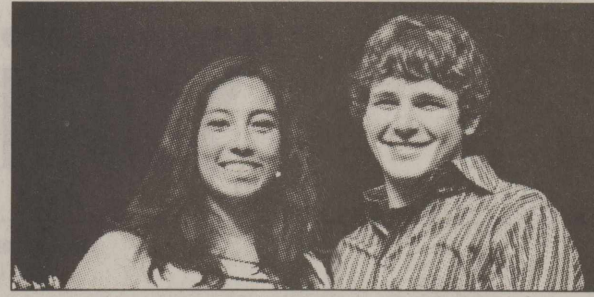


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# The Ozona Stockman

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## Graduates look to the future

BY MELISSA PERNER  
 THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Class of 2010 decided to arrive at their graduation together "in style."

Seated in a "yellow dog" school bus, the graduates took one last ride together before ending one road of life and turning to start another.

Ozona High School Principal Benny Granger said he hopes this simple request, will become a new tradition.

"I thought it was neat. They wanted to ride together," he said.

Diplomas were conferred on 48 students as the Class of 2010 graduated Friday at Lion Stadium.

In his welcome speech, Salutatorian Lane White spoke of how this event was "opening a new chapter in our lives."

He thanked parents, teachers and friends for their guidance and wisdom. He also thanked God for being with them.

"From here, we will all spread our wings and take off in a new direction," he said.

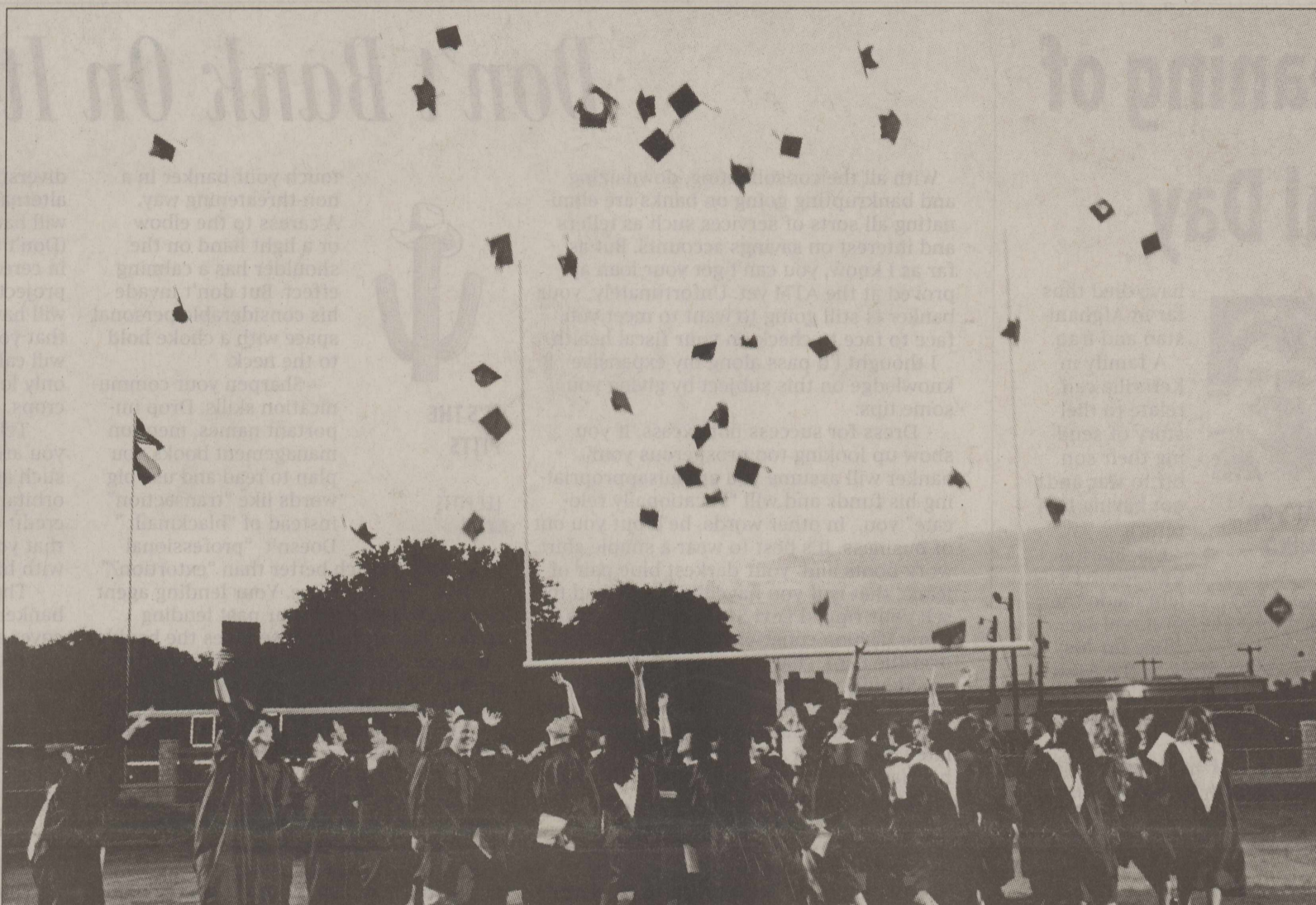
Through tears, Brandi Shanea Glosson, the fourth-highest graduate, reflected on the past of the Class of 2010.

"We don't have a past like most others. We have been a class that made change possible," she said.

From being the loudest in the cafeteria of the primary school to the "gum-chewers anonymous" club to this year's basketball season and making the playoffs, the Class of 2010 has always been close, Glosson said.

"So many memories to hold close to our hearts. We are all done with our first journey tonight," she said. "Now we can look forward and hope you never forget all those that have loved you."

Quoting Confucius, the third-highest graduate, Alexandria Macias, began her speech with "wherever you go, go with



JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

GRADUATES OF THE OZONA HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2010 toss their caps after completing the annual commencement exercises Friday at Lion Stadium.

all of your heart."

Macias encouraged her classmates to work toward their goals and go with all their hearts.

"To me that says it all," Macias said. "Meeting our accomplishments does not mean to ease off and take the access road."

In entering their new life, Macias said the world will be filled with changes. Parents will not be there to make sure it's time

to get up and get to school. For Macias, she won't have her "awesome" grandparents to make her breakfast in the morning.

"Your future is what you make of it," she said. "We're the future, go and take it."

In her Valedictory address, Julie Leann Gutierrez gave to her class, the ABC's of how to succeed. Some were funny, such as "D - Don't let a freshman drive

your truck," "F - Five people can fit into Alex's (Macias) car" or "N - No crying in Franco land."

Others were serious. I stood for Luke 10:27 - "You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, all your strength, and all your mind."

On the letter X; Gutierrez turned this difficult letter into an algebra problem.

"If x stands for happiness,

then family plus friends plus faith equals x," she said. "For us all the family, friends and faith have been here to support us. No matter where we go, Ozona will always be home."

Lalo Longoria Jr. gave the invocation, and Corey Kelley gave the benediction.

Ushers were Duncan Knox, Jayce Logan, Layla Perez and Rebecca Pierce.

Leave that wild animal alone, experts advise

SUBMITTED BY MARK BLOUNT  
 CROCKETT COUNTY GAME WARDEN

AUSTIN, Texas — With spring come young, wild animals venturing from their nests and hiding places under the watchful eyes of their parents. Young animals often stray and appear to be abandoned; that's when humans need to resist the urge to help, wildlife experts say.

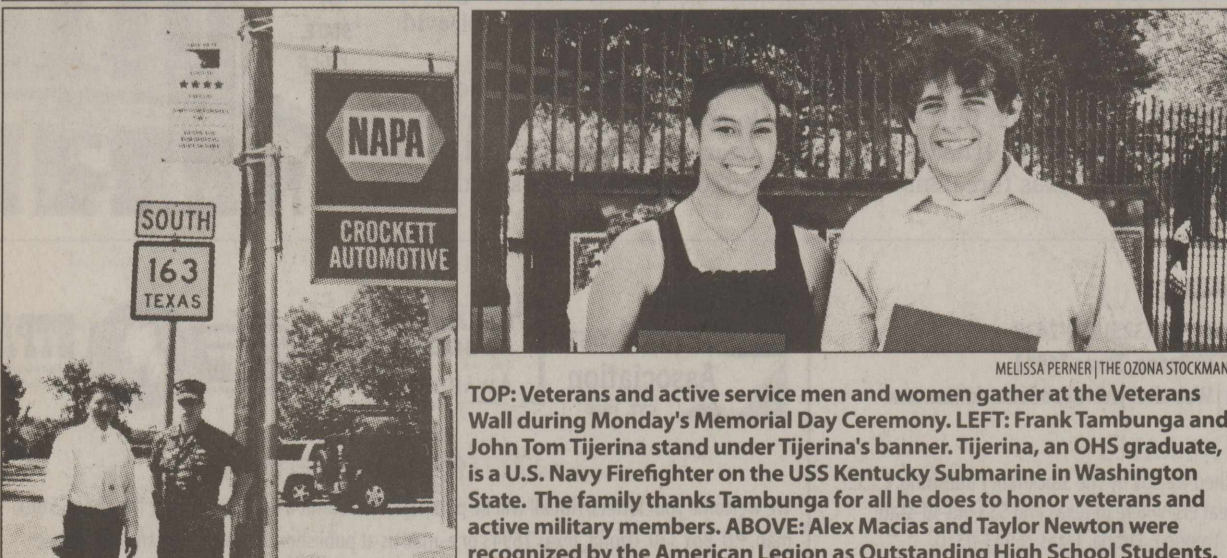
Some species, including birds, deer and snakes, are very active this time of year and are being seen more frequently.

This is the time of year that young birds are out of their nests but cannot fly. If the bird's eyes are open, it has a coat of feathers and is hopping around, it is probably fine, according to staff at Texas Parks and Wildlife's wildlife information center. Grounded fledglings will usually be up and flying within a few days.

"Many people discover apparently lost or abandoned wildlife young and take them in, thinking they are doing the right thing, and this sometimes does more harm than good," said Mark Klym of the Wildlife Diversity branch at TPWD. "People should leave young animals alone unless they are obviously injured or orphaned. It is best to observe a wild creature from a distance for a while in order to make that determination."

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## Memorial Day: never forget the fight for freedom

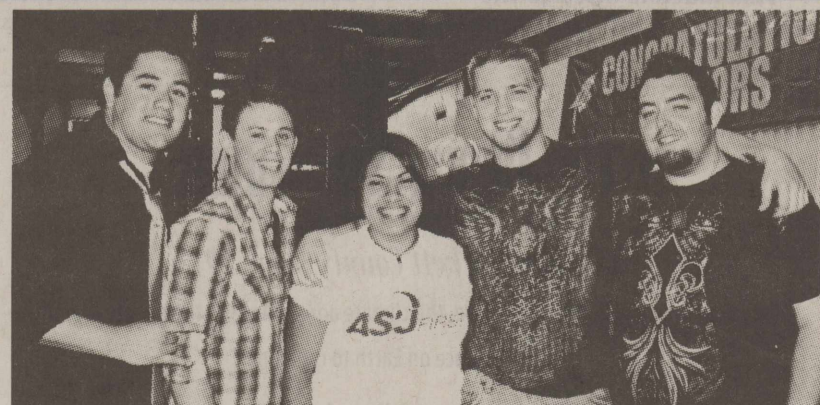


TOP: Veterans and active service men and women gather at the Veterans Wall during Monday's Memorial Day Ceremony. LEFT: Frank Tambunga and John Tom Tijerina stand under Tijerina's banner. Tijerina, an OHS graduate, is a U.S. Navy Firefighter on the USS Kentucky Submarine in Washington State. The family thanks Tambunga for all he does to honor veterans and active military members. ABOVE: Alex Macias and Taylor Newton were recognized by the American Legion as Outstanding High School Students.

## Project graduation + Crossing Tyler = Good Times



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN  
 OZONA STUDENTS danced the night away at Project Graduation to the tunes of Crossing Tyler Friday at the Fair Park Convention Center. RIGHT: Alma Elizondo (center) poses with the group (left to right) Rylee Ramos, Seath Smith, Aaron Pearl and Bobby Schuyler. More about the group can be found at <http://www.myspace.com/crossingtyler> or on their Facebook page.



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**GARDEN OF THE MONTH:** Ozona Garden Club has chosen Janie Everett's cactus garden as the Garden of the Month for June. The cactus are blooming and the garden is beautiful.

## Benefit co-ed softball tournament June 26 in Eldorado

A benefit co-ed softball tournament for Joaquin Covarrubiaz will be held June 26 in Eldorado. Cost is \$100 per team. For more information, call Fidel Herrera (325) 450-2190 or Ruby Valdez (325) 716-8788 or e-mail rcg7829@yahoo.com

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

- Wednesday, June 2**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Thursday, June 3**
- Summer Reading Program, 10-11 a.m. ages 6-12 and 11 a.m.-noon ages 3-5 at the Crockett County Public Library.
  - Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
  - Answers on Aging, 2:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Friday, June 4**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Monday, June 7**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
  - Summer Reading Program, 10-11 a.m. ages 6-12 and 11 a.m.-noon ages 3-5 at the Crockett County Public Library.
  - Crockett County Senior Center Board meeting, 5:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Tuesday, June 8**
- Concho Valley Community Action Council, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Senior Center.
  - Household fire safety class, 4 p.m. at the EMS Building.
- Wednesday, June 9**
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.



**BARBARA MALONE** was honored with a retirement reception on May 27 after 29 years working at John "Sandy" Stokes, CPA.



**BEN BADILLO** reads his story to the children at Ozona Community Center. Mrs. Phillips sixth grade class read to the children on May 27.

### Happy Birthday

- June 2** - Jodi Adcock, Angelina Ramos, Becca Enriquez, Erika Conner, Brandi Buchanan, Benny Granger, R.J. Martinez, Clemon Sniffen and Raynaldo Martinez
- June 3** - Cristy Dominguez, Kristen Mendoza, Josh Smith, Alyia Ortiz and Frankie Garza
- June 4** - James Galindo, Jalen Lopez, Camille Hernandez, Peggy Logan, Ray Shaffer, Janet Thompson and Calib Bullard
- June 5** - Amber Batura, Dylan Castillo and Roylan Sul-livan
- June 6** - Ronnie Davis, Sharika Sheppard, Paula Ses-som, Elisa Tambunga, Clint Perner and Dustin Trevino
- June 7** - Brady Granger, Alejandra Borquez, Kim Wed-dle, Garry Raymon Held and Rudy Martinez III
- June 8** - Kayla Turland, Jason Parker, Michael Hill and Lisa Colin

To add a name to the birthday list, call 392-2551.

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## Tambunga graduates from TCU

Ashley Tambunga graduated cum laude with a bachelor of arts degree in English, minor in Spanish, from Texas Christian University. She was ranked 354 out of 1,156 graduates.



During her college career, Tambunga was named to the School of AddRan Liberal Arts Dean's List, was a School of Communication TCU Department of English Senior Scholar, recipient of the Dave Kuhne Descant Award for Creative Writing, member of 2010 Sigma Tau Delta English Honor Society, Alpha Lambda Delta Academic First Year Honor Society, Phi Sigma Iota International Foreign Language Honor Society, secretary National Society of Collegiate Scholars, Bryson Literary Society, president and co-editor in chief for eleven40seven magazine, editor for eleven40seven magazine, TCU Daily Skiff copy editor and opinion columnist, TCU Press copy editor for Hill Country Deco, Modernistic Architecture of Central Texas by Jim Parsons and David Bush, editorial assistant.

She also participated in the TCU Orchestra as principal flautist for 2008-2009, featured in "The Magic Flute" (composed by Mozart), Orchestra Tour in Puerto Rico 2007, TCU Wind Symphony 2007-2008, TCU Chamber Program, assisted with a va-

riety of chamber groups, including percussionist recitals, gigs and quintets. She is the daughter of Alejos and Gloria Tambunga of Fort Worth, the granddaughter of Elena Tambunga of Ozona and granddaughter of Gloria Herrera of Fort Worth.

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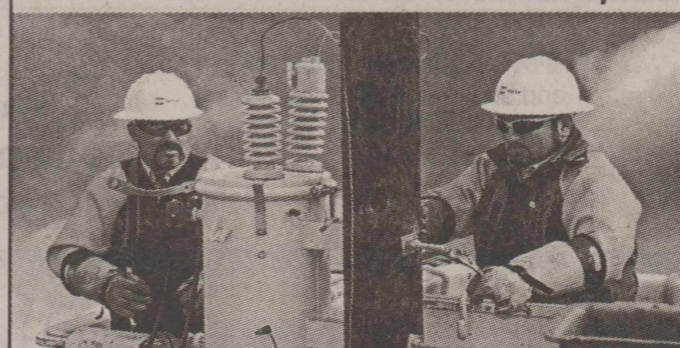
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**OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS**

BY LYNN ENGLISH  
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

It is hard to believe that June will be here in a few short days. In fact, the first day of summer will be June 21.

Bob and Betty Hartley will be going to San Angelo for Bob to receive his treatment. We all wish them the best and we will miss them.

The people who deliver meals for Helping Hands do much more than just take people their noon meals. Amanda Munoz was delivering a meal to Linda Casey. Amanda smelt a strong offensive smell as she advanced to Linda's mobile home. Amanda advised Linda of the odor and it was checked out to be a bad

propane leak. A repair man repaired the leak and Linda was safe.

If you would like to help Helping Hands deliver meals for the summer, call Bertha Rivera at 392-5026.

The Crockett County Senior Center Board will be meeting at 5:30 p.m. Monday, June 7, at the Senior Center. All members are urged to attend.

The Concho Valley Community Action Council will be here from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday, June 8, at the Senior Center. They assist those who qualify with their utility bills.

Monday 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 a fun afternoon.

We continue to have our regular activities: square dance lesson and dances, exercise class, bridge, bingo, home health, pool, canasta and puzzles.

We also have a collection of books, magazines and three computers that are on the Internet for seniors to use.

We have added a projector with stand and a screen.

Also, for your enjoyment, we have a Wii game and five different stimulating games. We are anxious for these games to be used.

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

**CARE CENTER CHATTER**

BY ODELIA SANCHEZ  
ASSISTANT ACTIVITY DIRECTOR

The month of May has been a very busy month at the Care Center. On May 7, we celebrated Birthdays, Mother's Day and Cinco de Mayo. Some of the residents were able to sit under a canopy and eat outside where all the cooking was going on. The cooks were Julio and Maria Galindo and Adrianna Ibarra from Sonora, Rusty and Flor Harris, Armando and Maria Arredondo and Bryan Mendez, all of Ozona. There were also many other people that helped them, along with the ladies from dietary who prepare meals daily. All the food that was prepared was very good. The dessert was prepared by Lily Payne who made some very delicious cupcakes. Thanks to all the people that made this day fun and festive. Everyone had a good time.

We also celebrated Nursing Home Week the week of May 10. The facility halls were decorated with different themes and some of the employees dressed accord-



CARE CENTER STAFF MEMBERS entertain residents during Cinco de Mayo.

ing to the theme of each hall. The residents enjoyed watching all the activity during the week.

Now that the days are getting hotter, some of the residents have been enjoying popsicles and ice cream outdoors. They love to sit outside and watch all the traffic that goes by and enjoy visiting with each other.

Thanks to all the people who continue to come share their talents during the week and on Sunday afternoon. The

facility is always decorative with pretty flowers, thanks to our local florists Baskets & More and Petals & Pearls. Along with our residents, we also have several of the school children who have been helping us color the monthly activities' calendars that we put in the rooms of each resident. Thanks guys for doing such an awesome job.

Please continue to come by and visit our facility. The residents enjoy the company and conversation.

**DEATH NOTICES**

**Romeo S. Perez**

Romeo S. Perez, 77, died Thursday, May 27, 2010 in San Angelo.

Funeral service was Saturday, May 29, 2010 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements are by Preddy Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife, Rafela Perez of Ozona; three daughters, Nora Briones, Delfina Vinton and Santos Gomez all of Ozona; five sons, Cipriano Perez, Romeo Perez Jr., Ricky Perez, David Perez and Blas Perez all of Ozona and one sister Eva Borden of Ozona.

**Cherrie Estella Fielder**

Cherrie Estella Fielder, 70 died Saturday, May 29, 2010 in a local care center. Funeral service was Monday, May 31, 2010 at the Ozona First Baptist Church with burial in Lima Cemetery. Arrangements are by Preddy Funeral Home.

Survivors include a daughter, Connie Mae Fielder of Ozona; two sisters, Annie Will Fielder of Weatherford, Texas and Shirley Ann Richerson of Colorado Springs, Colo.; two brothers Willie B. Fielder Jr. of Beaumont and Alonzo Fielder of Weatherford, Texas.

**LEVIS & LACE SQUARE DANCE NEWS**



ON MAY 22 dancers twirled round the floor to the calling of Tracey Dowell from McCaulley, Texas. Members who attended were Raul DeLaRosa, Lucy Hinde, Carol Adcock, Nell Wester, Jim Couch, JoAnn Couch and Frank Fred. Visiting dancers who attended were Sally Wolfe, Ernie Wolfe, Dolores Magee and Larry Magee from San Angelo and Debra Fred. Other visitors were Yetta Masters from Barnhart.



ON MAY 21, LEVIS AND LACE DANCERS Raul DeLaRosa, Carol Adcock, JoAnn Couch and Jim Couch traveled to Odessa to dance with "The Allemanders Square Dance Club." They danced to the calling of David Davis of Hobbs, N.M.

**BEHIND ENEMY LINES**

He is a decorated war hero for great service for our country but he was in a different kind of warfare. He was in a special forces unit, "Green Berets" in Vietnam and spent most of that time behind enemy lines. It was not easy go into and live behind enemy lines and remain undetected. Many times his unit would be without food, cold, wet and no shelter while they watched the enemy living at ease with plenty of food, warm clothes and comfortable shelters. His military service reminds me something in the Christian life. We live in a lost and dying world, spiritually, (2 Corinthians 4:4). We are in a sense deployed, (John 17:18) here but we are not to cross into the enemy lines, (James 4:4). Jesus left us here for a purpose but we are not to live like the enemy or join their ranks, (Romans 12:2). I have not heard of many stories where our troops joined the enemy forces but sadly today where many profess to be Christians they are living with or like the enemy, (2 Timothy 4:10). We are to come out from them, ( the lost, the worldly and unbelieving) and live the way Christ wants us to live, (1 John 2:15). If we do there will be a day we will be rewarded and we might have beautiful medals to show for our distinguished service for Christ, (Revelation 22:12). See you in Church next Sunday. Brother J

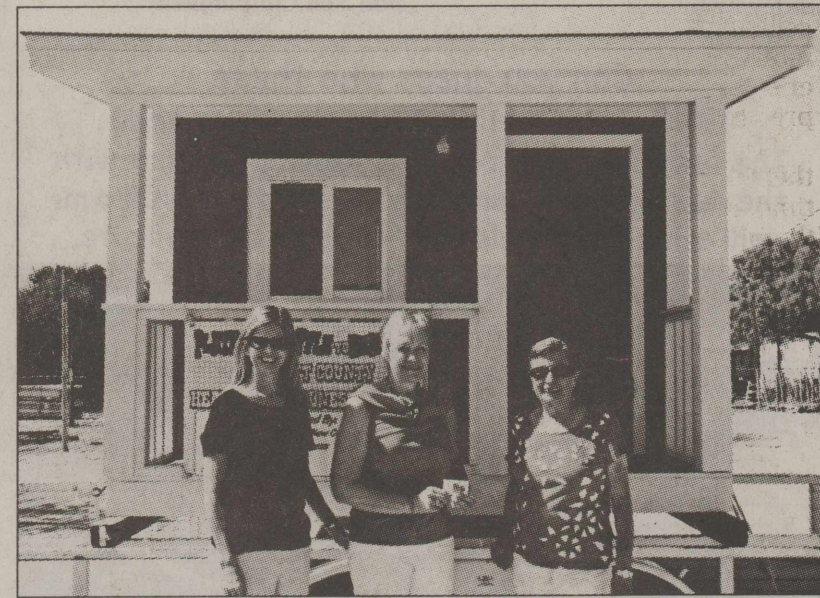
<p><b>First Baptist Church</b> 901 Ave. D Pastor Chris Johnson Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m. Awanas: Wednesday - 5:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Ozona Church of Christ</b> 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Ozona United Methodist Church</b> 12 - 11th St. Pastor Ron Shott Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m. Wed. Worship - 5 p.m.-Meal, 5:30 p.m.-Study</p>
<p><b>Templo Bautista Jerusalem</b> 138 Blas St. Rev. Esequiel Cervantez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m, 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Faith Lutheran Church</b> 802 1st St. Pastor Tom Baden Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church</b> 2121 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Dan &amp; Ann Rios Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida</b> Corner of Secretariat &amp; Man O' War Pastor Juan Avila Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Iglesia de Dios De La Profecia</b> 102 Man O' War St. Pastor Maria C. Salcedo Lunes: 6:00 p.m. Domingo: 9:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Martes: 6:00 p.m. Jueves: 6:00 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</b> 219 Martinez St. Fr. Nilo Nalugon Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Tues. &amp; Thur.: 6 p.m. Wed. &amp; Fri.: 8 p.m. Sat.: 6 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Calvary Baptist Church</b> 601 Ave. I Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Sunday Worship: 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday</b></p>	<p><b>Apostolic Church</b> 307 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Refugio Vega Sunday School: 3 p.m. Sun Worship: 5 p.m. Tues. &amp; Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>New Beginnings Church</b> 701 9th Street Pastor Carlos Cantu Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.</p>		<p><b>Iglesia de Cristo</b> 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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TORY ARNOLD (center) of Angleton, Texas was the winner of the Crockett County Health and Wellness Center Playhouse raffle fund-raiser. Arnold has donated the playhouse back to the health and wellness center to be auctioned for more funds on June 18. Also pictured are Karin Childress and Shirley Kirby.

**Wellness center playhouse auction June 18**

Tory Arnold, of Angleton, Texas was the proud winner of the Crockett County Health and Wellness Center Playhouse raffle fund-raiser. Arnold has donated the playhouse back to the health and wellness center to be auctioned for more funds on June 18. Also pictured are Karin Childress and Shirley Kirby.

The playhouse will be auctioned off to the highest bidder. People can start bidding now. Bid sheets are available at Triple C Hardware & Lumber. A live auction will take place at noon June 18 in front of Triple C Hardware & Lumber. The playhouse will go to the highest bidder in the live auction.

If nobody bids during the live auction, the playhouse will go to the highest bidder on the bid sheets. All proceeds go to the Crockett County Health and Wellness Center fund.

**HELPING HANDS NEWS**

Over 60? Come on out to the Senior Citizens Building, sign up with Helping Hands and enjoy Free Lunches and Fellowship. Free transportation will be provided via the Thunderbird Bus #2021. Invitation by the Helping Hands Board Of Directors.

**MEALS ON WHEELS MENU**

- JUNE 2: Doritos casserole, salad and dessert.
- JUNE 3: Pork chop, sweet potatoes, vegetables, roll and dessert.
- JUNE 4: Tuna salad, pea salad, carrot raisin salad, crackers and dessert.
- JUNE 7: Barbecue chicken, baked beans, coleslaw, roll and dessert.
- JUNE 8: Chili with beans, tossed salad, corn bread and dessert.

## Softball seniors selected for All Star game

Alex Cruz, Lauren Najar and Brandi Glosson have been selected to play in the 2010 West Texas All Star Game at the Freddie Ezell Softball Complex in Midland.

The three Senior Softball Lady Lions will represent the north team. The game will be at 2 p.m. on June 12. The complex is located at 2900 West Kentucky in Midland.

Cruz is the daughter of



Irma and Ruben Cruz Sr., Najar is the daughter of Marisa

Glosson is the daughter of Larry and Melissa Glosson.

The game is being held through the Greater West Texas Softball Coaches Association.

The "GWTSCA" promotes good fellowship and encourages sponsorship and support of high school softball in the greater West Texas area.

## CCCCSD teachers and staff honored for service

Crockett County CCSD Teachers and Staff were honored during an end of school luncheon on May 28 at the Civic Center.

Cora "Cookie" Worthington was recognized for her 28 years of service to CCCCCSD. She is retiring after 30 years of teaching. She was also honored by the staff and teachers of Ozona Elementary School with a reception on May 27.

Receiving 30 years of service awards were Dena Porter, Jill Crawford, Simplicia Cervantez and Emma Franco.

Twenty-five years of service - Vicky Munoz, Esmi Barrera and Vicki Davis.

Twenty years - Delia Hernandez.

Fifteen years - Peggy Logan and Cynthia Hokit.

Ten years - Jan Patterson and Matilda Camarillo

Five years - Susan Williams, JayBen Alls, Katherine Ross, Kim Maldonado, John Esparza, Rosa Leal, Melinda



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COR (COOKIE) WORTHINGTON was honored during a retirement reception on May 27.

Moran, John De Hoyos, Mari Longoria, Cindy Owens, Nichol Martinez, Vicky Valadez, Betsy Nanny, Dana Criswell and Terry Thomas.

## Wadsworth qualifies for national rodeo

Dean Wadsworth, a member of the McNeese State rodeo team has, qualified for the 62nd College National Finals Rodeo to be held June 12-19 in Casper, Wyo.

Wadsworth, son of Kenny and E.A. Wadsworth of Ozona, qualified in saddle bronc riding. This is his third appearance to the national finals rodeo.

After this season's final rodeo competition, the men's team finished first in the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association Southern Region for the second year in a row.

The CNFR is the "Rose Bowl" of college rodeo. It is where the National Intercollegiate Rodeo Association crowns individual event champions and national champions for both men's and women's teams. Over 400 students from more than 100 universities and colleges will compete in this year's event.

## LIBRARY NEWS

By Louise P. Ledoux | Crockett County Librarian

### Gutierrez, White and Predry receive scholarship

The Friends of the Library have awarded two scholarships to outstanding seniors, Julie L. Gutierrez and Lane A White, and one continuing scholarship to an excellent college student, Park R. Predry.

To be eligible students must be accepted at an accredited college or university; major in an academic field related to libraries, such as, education, history, English, science and have at least a B average.

Each scholarship is for \$750 a year for four years as long as a B average is maintained.

Julie will be attending Angelo State University in the fall and Lane has been accepted at Abilene Christian University. Park continues her studies at Angelo State University majoring in journalism. Congratulations to them all!

### Household fire safety class Tuesday

The Crockett County EMS, in conjunction with Concho Valley Regional Advisory Council, will be hosting a household fire safety class on Tuesday, June 8, starting at 4 p.m.

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## ANIMAL: from page 1

Staying too close to the baby may keep mamma from returning, Klym said.

The fawning season begins in early to mid-May, although the newborns may not be visible to the casual observer for several weeks because of excellent camouflage of their mottled coats and their mother's care in hiding them from predators.

Deer will typically leave their fawn(s) for hours at a time, returning only to nurse them. Fawns are often discovered lying quietly in tall grass or brushy areas. Well-mean-

ing people sometimes pick up these fawns, thinking that they have been abandoned by their mothers and need help. This is rarely the case.

A fawn should only be picked up if it is covered in fire ants or is otherwise seriously injured. These fawns need assistance and should be taken to a wildlife rehabilitator immediately.

If it is determined that a wild animal is sick or injured call the TPWD wildlife information line, (512) 389-4505, during business hours for a referral to a licensed wildlife rehabilitator.

After-hours callers can get the names of rehabilitators

from TPWD's dispatch line at (512) 389-4848 or by accessing the department's web site.

During the spring, the department receives more than 100 calls a week about baby wildlife.

"Some of the most common questions are whether the fawns are actually abandoned and if baby birds can take care of themselves on the ground," Klym said. "In most cases, the fawns' mothers are just out of sight and the baby birds are still being protected and fed by the parents."

"The overall message is that wildlife should be left alone," said Klym. "Wild animals are best left in the wild."

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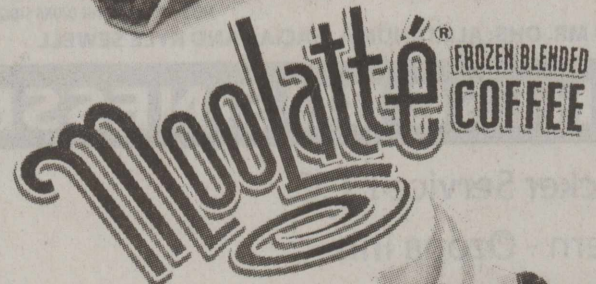
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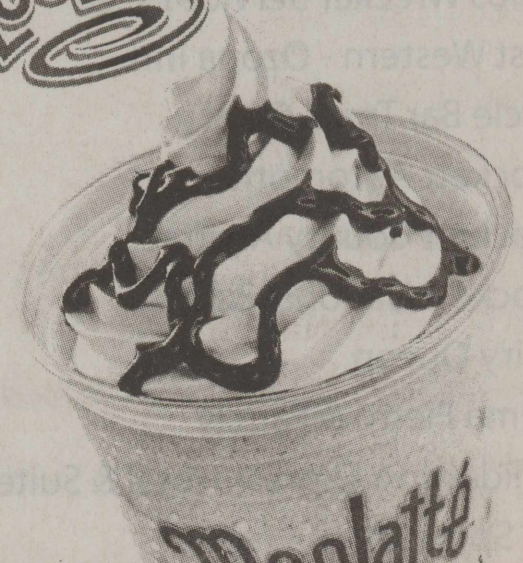


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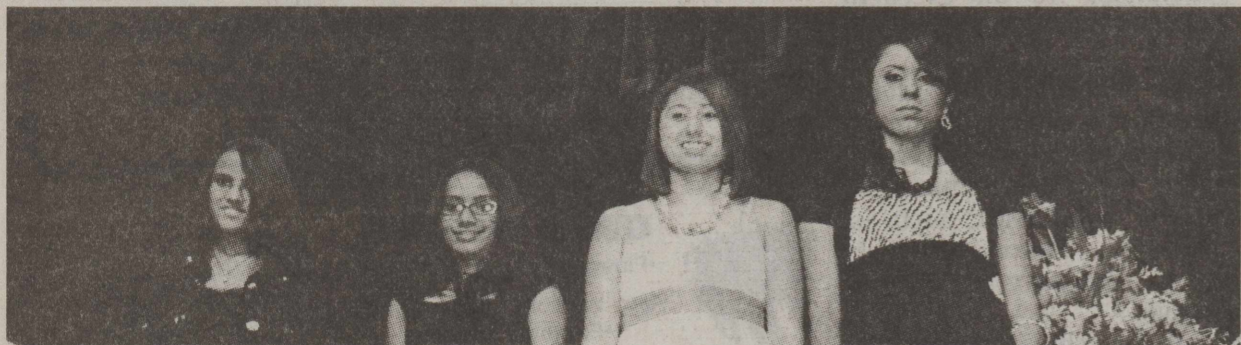
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# OHS Academic Awards



**A HONOR ROLL:** (left to right) Tesla Caperton, Allie Black, Lane Hale, Duncan Knox and Julie Gutierrez.



**PERFECT ATTENDANCE** (left to right) Avni Bhakta, Khushbu Bhakta, Brianna Cervantez, Miriam Valdes and RJ Martinez (not pictured).



**UIL SCHOLAR AWARD** (left to right) Julie Gutierrez, Lane White, Alex Macias, Brandi Glosson and Lalo Longoria.



**MILITARY SERVICE GRADUATES:** Josh Ramos, Sophie Trevino, Lalo Longoria, Jesse Badillo and Austin Whitten.



**PRESIDENTIAL ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE AWARDS:** Julie Gutierrez, Corey Kelley, Lalo Longoria and Lane White



**PLAN (PRE-ACT) TEST AWARD:** Emalee Hamilton, Kramer Hall and Isabel Ybarra



**MISS AND MR. OHS:** ALEXANDRIA MACIAS AND KYLE SEWELL



**NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES:** Lane Hale, Emalee Hamilton, Kelbie Renfroe, Isabel Ybarra, Angelica Aranda, Natalie Hernandez, Leigh Ann Galindo, Michael Medina, Layla Perez, Miriam Valdez, Melanie Miller, Stefan Wilson, Roxanne Talamantez, Kyle Sewell, Kelsey Childress, Jesse Badillo, Kramer Hall and Kelsie Ramirez.

The following is a list of scholarship winners that were recognized during the Ozona High School Academic Awards on May 24.

Best Western Ozona Inn - Julie Gutierrez and Lane White  
Crockett County DeerFest - Kelsey Childress and Taylor Newton

Pleas L. Childress Jr. Golf Award - \$500 to Kelsey Childress

Crockett County 4-H Youth Show Association - \$4,000 each to Taylor Newton, Lane White, Wes McGuire and Brandi Glosson

Crockett County Fair Association - \$4,000 to Taylor Newton

Crockett County Groundwater District - \$1,000 to Lane White

Friends of the Library - \$750 each for four years to Julie Gutierrez and Lane White

Ozona Woman's League - \$2,000 to Lane White

Ozona Woman's Forum - \$1,500 each to Taylor Newton and Julie Gutierrez

Ozona Woman's Forum Best Citizen - Julie Gutierrez  
OHS Class of 1989 - Anthony Villarreal and Julie Gutierrez

OLPH Guadalupanas - \$1,000 each to Julie Gutierrez and Teresa Cervantez

Knights of Columbus - Alex Macias, Julie Gutierrez and Anthony Villarreal

Ozona United Methodist Church - \$1,000 each to Kelsey Childress and Taylor Newton

Kirk Knapp Memorial - \$1,000 each to Alex Macias and Brandi Glosson

Becky Childress Memorial - Lane White

Justin Browne Memorial - Lauren Najar

Ozona National Bank - \$1,000 to Lane White

West Central Wireless - \$500 to Teresa Cervantez

Dr. Robert and Jean Ann Le Grande Scholarship from Angelo State University - Julie Gutierrez

Super S - \$1,000 to Lauren Najar

Crockett County Youth Center - Julie Gutierrez, Taylor Newton, Alex Macias, Anthony Villarreal and Brandi Glosson

The Ozona High School held their annual Academic Awards Ceremony on May 21

at the OHS Auditorium.

## A-B HONOR ROLL

Alex Borrego, Jessica Borrego, Arleen Castillo, Jerrod duBois, Zeth Hernandez, Cris Taylor, Erik Carrizales, Leigh Galindo, Kramer Hall, Emalee Hamilton, Natalie Hernandez, Michael Medina, Kelsie Ramirez, Kelbie Renfroe, Isabel Ybarra, RaeLynn Arredondo, Murphey Black, Leandra Hernandez, Jayce Logan, Rebecca Pierce, Jayden Poindexter, Judith Rodriguez, Roxanne Talamantez, Miriam Valdez, Liliana Camarillo, Brandi Glosson, Lalo Longoria, Alexandria Macias, Lauren Najar, Kyle Sewell, Anthony Villarreal and Austin Whitten.

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Highest Average in Social Studies - Julie Gutierrez

Good Citizen - Alexandria Macias

## ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

PE - Allie Black and Avni Bhakta

Intro to Health Science - Judith Rodriguez and Katye Hernandez

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Anatomy & Physiology - Kelsey Childress

Pharmacy - Jenice Elguea

Desktop Publishing - Jayce Logan

Web Mastering - Camille Cervantez

Yearbook - Teresa Cervantez

Yearbook Editors - Alex Macias and Brandi Glosson

Multimedia - Oscar Rodriguez

Technology Systems - Liliana Camarillo

Manufacturing Systems - Jose Lozano

Intro to Agriculture Science - Kayla Fuller

Agriculture Mechanics - Oscar Lopez

Agriculture Structures - John Longoria

Intro to Agriculture Mechanics - Gabriela Rodriguez

Range Management - Liliana Camarillo

Dekalb Agriculture Accomplishment Award - Wes McGuire

Art 1 - Allie Black and Evette Longoria

Art 2 - Sophie Trevino

BCIS - Maria Camarillo, Neida Lozano and Alejandro Mendez

MCA Exam - Kramer Hall,

Rebecca Pierce, Jadyen Poindexter and Roxanne Talamantez

ESL - Avni Bhakta

Spanish I - Cris Taylor, Natalia Ortiz and Allie Black

Spanish II - Maria Camarillo and Jill Marquez

Spanish III - Duncan Knox and Miriam Valdes

Health - Tres Perez, Sierra Trevino, Alex Borrego, Allie Black and Jerrod duBois

Criminal Justice - John Longoria and Russel Ko-mechak

Crime in America - Austin Whitten and Erik Carrizales

Computer Science I - Erik Carrizales

Computer Science II - Duncan Knox and Jayce Logan

Independent Studies Computer Science - Lane White

Robotics - Taylor Newton and Jesse Badillo

World Geography - Allie Black and Cris Taylor

U.S. History - Duncan Knox and Miriam Valdez

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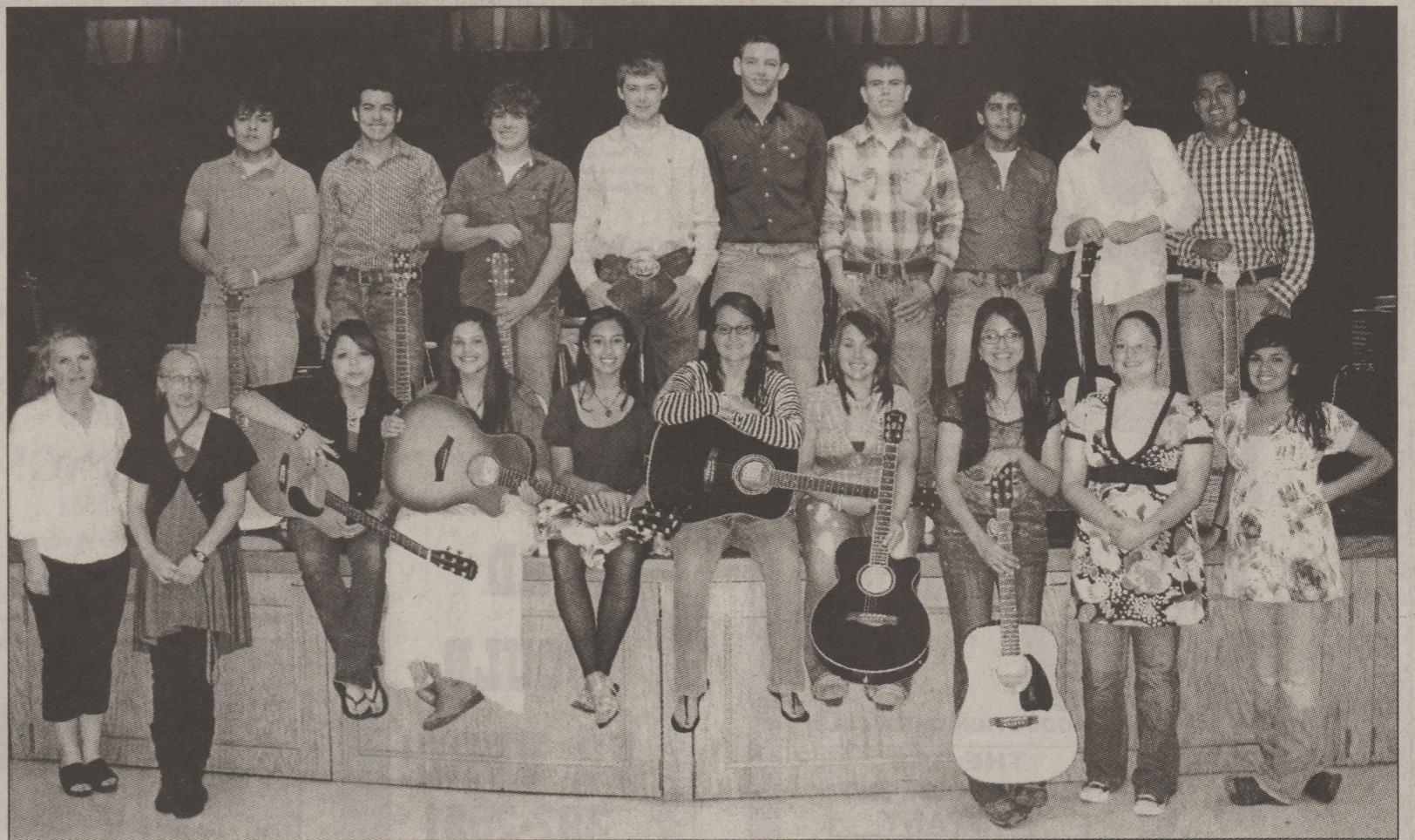


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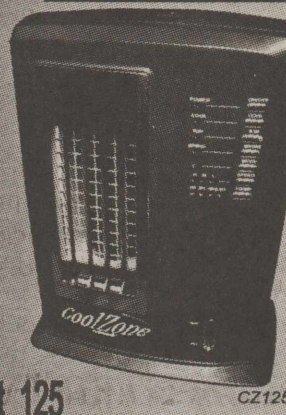
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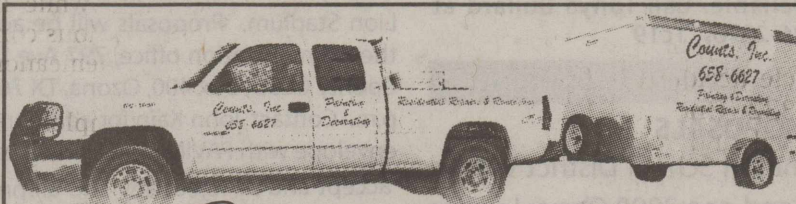
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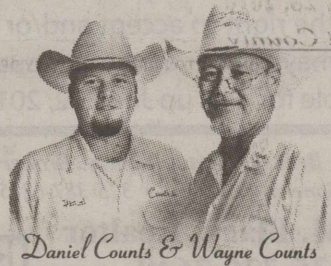


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