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# Super Saturday in Ozona

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Super Saturday in Ozona will take place Saturday, Dec. 4, with three festive events.

The day begins with Ozona Woman's League presenting Breakfast with Santa from 10 a.m. to noon at the Civic Center.

Tickets are \$10 for children and \$5 adult. They are available from any league member or at The Ozona Stockman.

The event includes breakfast with Santa, making an ornament for the Christmas tree and taking photos with

Children are also asked to bring their letters to Santa as he promises to answer to every one.

League members will also have their famous bazaar, which will include food and craft items for sale.

There will also be a collection box set up for Toys for Tots and an Angel Tree there as well.

Proceeds will benefit the League scholarship fund and other community organiza-

At 2 p.m., the Crockett County Museum will host their annual Wool and Mohair Style Show featuring Dolores' Unique Designs. This year's show will be held at the Crockett County Senior

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## Schedule of Events for Dec. 4:



- 10 a.m.-Noon at the Crockett County BREAKFAST WITH Civic Center. Tickets: \$10 for children; \$5 for adults. Tickets available from any league member, at The Ozona Stockman or Small Fashions & Gifts. Ozona Woman's League will also have their famous Bazaar.

### **WOOL & MOHAIR STYLE SHOW**



- 2 p.m. at the Crockett County Senior Center. Tickets are \$1 each or \$10 for 12 tickets to win the stylish wool and mohair jackets by Dolores of Dolores' Unique Designs. Tickets available the Crockett County Museum. Lots of other prizes to be given. All proceeds benefit the museum.

### 23RD ANNUAL DEERFEST



- 5:30 p.m. at the Fair Park Convention Center. Prize tickets are \$1 each. General Admission \$10 (includes meal), 10 percent of admission proceeds will benefit the West Texas Rehab. More than 60 guns, \$10,000 in Cabela's gift cards, a 2011 Polaris Ranger Crew 4x4, 2 - \$5,000 American Express Cards donated by Anderson Energy, a Pot-Belly Blind and several other blinds, feeders and numerous other prizes including selling of Yeti coolers way below retail price with a mystery prize inside. Several lucky kids will leave with their very own Red Ryder BB Gun. For more information, visit www.deerfest.org or follow them on Facebook.

## Santa Letters due Dec. 10

Santa's making a list and checking it twice, so The Ozona Stockman wants to help him by publishing letters from the children of Ozona.

All letters are due by 5 p.m. Dec. 10 at the Stockman office located at 1000 Avenue E.

These letters will then be published in the Dec. 22 edition.

Anyone interested in advertising in our Santa Letters Special Section can reserve their space as well.

Deadline for advertising is also Dec. 10.

For more information, call Melissa Perner, editor and publisher, at 392-2551 or e-mail publisher@ozonastockman.com.

For more information on advertising, call Susan Calloway, advertising director, at 392-2551 or susan@ozonastockman.com.

## **Toys for Tots** donations

Veterans of Crockett County are once again collecting new unwrapped toys and money donations as we enter this holiday season.

These donations will be used to provide a gift during Christmas for the children in Crockett County that might not

PLEASE SEE TOYS, PAGE 8

# FFA students compete in leadership contests

BY ROB PHILLIPS **OZONA FFA** 

Ozona FFA students competed in the Concho district leadership development events (LDE's) contest on Nov. 9. The contest was held at Wall High School.

The radio broadcasting team of Kelbie Renfroe, Allie Black and Kramer Hall placed second and advanced to area. Russel Komechak competed in job interview, where he placed fourth. The team of Duncan Knox, Sasha Perez, and Josh Martinez placed third in Jr. Farm skills. Jenny Venegas and Ryan Kennedy attended as alternates.

"These students worked extremely hard in preparing for these contests and should be commending for putting in the extra effort required for these events," said Rob Phillips, OHS FFA Advisor.

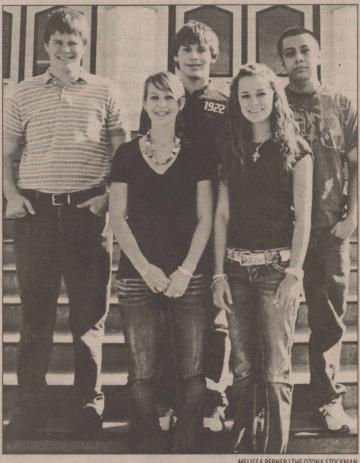
Leadership Development Events (LDE's) focus on cre-

ating situations for members to demonstrate their abilities in public speaking, decision making, communication and their knowledge of agriculture and the FFA organization.

Team and individual events are used to reinforce what is taught in agricultural science classrooms. All LDE's have elimination rounds at the district and area before the state level competition. Events include chapter conducting, radio broadcasting, farm skills, job interview, FFA quiz, public relations, and agriculture issues.

FFA events have elimination rounds at the district and area level before state level competition. Unlike UIL contests, FFA contests include schools from the smallest six man and 1A schools to the largest 5A schools, all in one district.

Our FFA district is made up of 18 schools, collectively named the Concho District, Phillips said.



**OHS FFA STUDENTS competed in district and area leadership** contests. Pictured are: (left to right) Duncan Knox, Kelbie Renfroe, Kramer Hall, Allie Black and Josh Martinez. Not pictured: Russel Komechak, Sasha Perez, Jenny Venegas and Ryan Kennedy.

## Two little Indians



OZONA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL I SUBMITTED PHOTO

LITTLE INDIANS Tell Nowell (left) and Macie Brown get ready to go sing in the Crockett County Care Center on Nov. 23. Pre-K students entertained the staff and residents.

LADY LIONS AT IRION COUNTY TOURNEY, LIONS AT HARPER TOURNEY THIS WEEK



# Seven questions asked in a borrowing situation

In his books "Borrowing for Your Business, and Borrowing to Build Your Business," former San Antonio banker George M. Dawson discussed seven questions asked in any borrowing situation. I believe these seven questions can help any business borrower better understand how lenders evaluate their loan proposal.

First, how much money do you want? Lenders want to know the borrower has taken the time to pin this down as accurately as they can. Remember to allow for contingencies, as the unexpected may happen. Another key is to borrow enough so vou do not have to go back to the lender asking for more right away.

Second,

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you going to do with

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BUSINESS TIPS

DAVE ERICKSON

know where the money is going

and specifically what it will be spent on. List the categories the money will be used for and how much will be needed for each category. Examples are equipment, remodeling, lease improvements, furniture, fixtures, inventory, or debt consolida-

Third, why is this loan a good thing for your business? You will have to show why your business will benefit from the loan proceeds. Lenders like to make loans that are productive, meaning loans that result in higher sales or margins, and reduced costs.

Fourth, why do you need their depositors' money to do it? Lenders like to know why you have to borrow. Keep in mind especially when starting a business, lenders will require from you an investment in cash or assets that is 15 to 30 percent of the total deal. This is to make sure you have something at risk. They will require you sign a personal guarantee and they will also check your credit history.

The fifth and sixth questions are somewhat related. When will you pay it back? And how will you pay it back? Lenders

want to see through conservative cash flow projections the business will have the capacity to pay back the loan. They want to see adequate collateral pledged. They will evaluate if you have enough experience in the business to make the right decisions. They will also evaluate the health of your industry and the extent of your com-

Finally, the seventh question asks, what happens if your plans do not work out? Show in your proposal you have anticipated what could go wrong and your plans to work through those problems.

Show you know the risks in your industry and risks of an economic downturn. In the case of a business startup, secondary sources of personal income are important in case cash flow from the business gets temporarily tight.

Remember SBDC advisors can always provide free assistance with developing a business plan and loan proposal.

"Business Tips" was written by Dave Erickson, **Director and Certified Business Advisor IV of Ange**lo State University's Small Business Development Center. Contact her at dave.erickson@angelo.edu

## The Season of Giving

uring this time of giving, let's stop and think about those who may do without this

Christmas. Before buying that new toy that the child or grandchild will probably play with for about five minutes, stop to think how that money can be better used.

Here are a few entities in Ozona that can always need a helping hand.

TOYS FOR TOTS Frank Tambunga has said that the need has grown larger this year for those who benefit from Toys For Tots.

Drop off locations are set up at the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department, Duckwalls or Dollar General. Volunteers will also be

around town Saturdays from 10 a.m.-noon. Monetary donations are also accepted. ANGEL TREE Each year, these corner

trees bearing ornaments listing clothing needs seems to have more and more. Trees are located at Crock-

ett National Bank, Ozona National Bank and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church.

The donation is simple. Take an ornament, purchase the items listed and return the gifts by Dec. 13 to any of three tree locations.

For more information, you may call E.A. Wadsworth, RN, at 392-3060.

**SALVATION ARMY** We see the bell ringers in larger cities, but Ozona does have a local Salvation Army.

Lou Morrow, at the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department, is the person in charge. To learn more about how

to help or to make donations, stop by and see Lou at the department or make a monetary donation made out to "The Salvation Army" to P.O. Box 269, Ozona, Texas 76943.

**OZONA COMMUNITY CENTER** This organization houses one of the greatest treasures

in our town, our children. In order to keep educating these little ones, donations are greatly needed to help pay salaries, buy supplies and new equipment.

School supplies are also needed throughout the year, as well as the occasional volunteer.

Monetary donations can be mailed to P.O. Box 41, Ozona, Texas 76943.

The center is located at 1604 Primary St. next to the new Ozona Elementary School. For more information, you may call E.A. Wadsworth, RN, at 392-3060 or call the

center at 392-2710.

CENTER ett Counter needs more than

WHAT'S ON MY MIND

**MELISSA PERNER** 

The Crockty Care Cenjust money, it needs peo-The resi-

dents of the Care Center love visitors. Many of these people are look-

ing for fresh ears to talk to. Also, volunteers for beauty shop, entertainment, reading or just to play bingo are welcome.

The Care Center's address is P.O. Box 640 Ozona, Texas 76943.

It is located on Medical Drive next to the clinic. SENIOR CENTER

The Senior Center is always looking for puzzles, good movies to watch or bingo prizes for their monthly social. Used large print books and old magazines, as well as a visit, are always welcome.

The Senior Center is located on north State Highway 163. Their mailing address is P.O. Box 1025 Ozona, Tex-

HELPING HANDS Located in the Senior Center Building, Helping Hands for the Elderly provides meals each day to those who are homebound or who can-

not afford a good meal. Donations are accepted at anytime throughout the

Helping Hands mailing address is P.O. Box 944, Ozona, Texas 76943. MINISTERIAL ALLIANCE

& LOCAL CHURCHES The Ministerial Alliance provides food, shelter and sometimes a bus ticket to those who are in need.

cal churches in our community have needs as well. Whether it is an offering for a member who fallen ill, or gathering canned goods

Along with the Alliance, lo-

for missionaries, churches always work to help others. While Christmas is the perpetual time of giving, many of these organizations need help year-round. That means giving 12 months, instead

of one. Even the money in a child's piggy bank is just as big as a \$500 check.

The point is, think of others, not only at Christmas, but throughout the entire

> MELISSA PERNER is the editor anpublisher of The Ozona Stockman. Remember it's better to give than receive.

## al alabilate a A Dog Named Six

There is more than a slight possibility that this column will alienate, incriminate and exasperate two groups of folks with extremely thin skin: women and horse trainers. These are not normally people you'd want to irritate because they've been known to retaliate, but I've never been one to use good judgment where a good story was concerned. Besides, if you want to get mad at someone, don't send your nasty e mails and letters to me, send them to Les Vogt, the world famous horse trainer who told me this story.

Les Vogt is the man who turned the great horse, King Fritz, into royalty in the equine world. But Les is not just one of the best horse trainers to ever slap on a pair of spurs, he's also an excellent story teller. I remember with fondness one night many years ago when I was privileged to sit around a camp fire listening to Les and Larry Mahan swap cowboy tales of days gone by.

I see Les about once a year, usually at a cowboy collectible show, and he's always good for at least one column. And he didn't disappoint this year. He told me about a fellow horse trainer who owned three dogs with the unusual names of Three, Four and Five. How the dogs got these names is the story that I'm sure will get me in hot water with females, horse trainers and female horse trainers. I would tell vou the horse



IT'S THE PITTS

LEE PITTS

for a long life. If a woman didn't kill him I'm sure a horse

trainer would. At first I thought the dogs were named Three, Four and Five because they were sons or grandsons of some great dog the man once owned. Kind of like in Texas where it's quite common to be introduced to a man named Cuatro or

Cinco. So named because

they are either the fourth or the fifth person in the family with the same name. I like this system much better than the Roman numeral style where a baby might be named Reginald Vanderbilt Montgomery IV. I find it all rather pomp-

But I was assured that the horse trainer's dogs were in no way related.

The horse trainer had a good eye for fine horse flesh and good-looking women. (Some might call the latter highly developed trait a birth defect.) I've found it's quite common to find a ravishing babe on the arm of male horse trainers, although the reverse is not always true. I've often seen successful lady horse trainers leading trainer's name but I fear it would consider- around some real ugly losers. And I'm not

ably diminish his chances talking about their halter horses.

But back to our story. Have I mentioned the horse trainer had a keen eye for hot women? Sadly, he also had the morals of a hydrophobic skunk and whenever a beautiful lady would pass by his eyes automatically locked in on her.

One time the horse trainer was visiting with a friend when a long-stemmed beauty sashayed by. Naturally, their gazes followed every step, as men's eyes are genetically trained to do.

"I'd sure like to have a woman like that for a girl friend," the friend said.

"Yeah, she's top notch. A real looker. We've been seeing each other for a couple months now," the horse trainer bragged.

"She's your girl friend? What does your wife think about that?" "She doesn't know it yet," replied the

horse trainer. "Well, are you gonna trade up to the better looking and more recent model?"

"I'd really like to," said the horse trainer, "but I really like my wife's dog."

Les didn't say so but I have a hunch the trainer is married again and when he calls his dogs in addition to Three, Four and Five, there is now a dog named Six. You see, the trainer has a very practical system for naming his dogs. They are named after the former wives they once belonged to.

www.LeePittsbooks.com

## City officials claim Open Meetings Act sullies communication

AUSTIN — More than a dozen city council members had their day in federal district court on Nov. 23 when their challenge to the constitutionality of the Texas Open Meetings Act was heard with Judge Rob Junell

presiding. The plaintiffs, from cities across Texas, claimed the Act violates their right to free speech because it requires them to meet and vote in public or face jail time and fines if they are convicted of deliberating about public business secretly, or in a manner that circum-

vents the Act. City council members from Wichita Falls, Arlington, Alpine and Hurst testified they routinely avoid communicating with other council members outside of an official meeting because they could not be sure if doing so would be a violation of the Act.

But the Texas Attorney General's office, defendants, refuted the plaintiffs' arguments on constitutional and procedural grounds.

Judge Junell called for more input from both sides in

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January, before he will render a decision in the case.

JURY FINDS DELAY GUILTY ON 2 COUNTS

In an Austin state district courtroom, a 12-member jury on Nov. 24 found former U.S. House majority leader Tom DeLay, R- Sugar Land, guilty of money laundering and conspiracy.

The case stems from an incident several years ago when De-Lay moved corporate campaign contributions to the Republican Party into political races for certain Texas Republicans running for seats in the U.S. House.

DeLay, who faces a sentence of five to 99 years in prison and up to a \$10,000 fine on the money laundering charge, and two to 20 years in prison and up to a \$10,000 fine on the conspiracy charge, said he will appeal.

**PANEL INVESTIGATES ALLEGATION** The House Committee on

General Investigating and Ethics met at the Capitol on Nov. 23 to check out an allegation by a state representative that he may have been pressured to vote for the reelection of House Speaker Joe Straus or lose his seat in the upcoming redrawing of districts.

The allegation, lodged by Rep. Bryan Hughes, R-Mineola, sprang from a telephone conversation he had with Rep. Larry Phillips, R-Sherman. The allegation turned out to be nothing action worthy.

The Ethics Committee chalked it up as a disagreement between two members.

But of course, there is quite a bit of uncertainty afoot on how Congressional, state Senate and state House districts will look when the Texas Legislature applies Census 2010 figures to the state map.

**INVESTMENTS WILL CREATE TEXAS JOBS** Gov. Rick Perry on Nov. 22

announced a \$3.1 million in-

vestment in PETCO Animal Supplies Inc., that he said would create 400 jobs in San Antonio and generate an estimated \$17 million in capital investment.

On Nov. 23, Perry announced a \$2.5 million investment to create a U.S. operations center for SunPower Corp. in Austin. Perry said the investment would create 450 jobs and generate an estimated \$10 million in capital investment. The state's financial con-



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OZONA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL | SUBMITTED PHOTO

OSCAR DE HOYOS (top photo) leads Bravo Co 4/3, 11th Infantry Brigade, American Division, in the Las Vegas, Nev. Veterans Day parade. Oscar is from Kilgore, Texas but was born and raised in Ozona. He is the son of the late Carlos De Hoyos and Lee De Hoyos of Kilgore, Texas, formerly of Ozona. Oscar is a Vietnam veteran (1969-1970). BOTTOM PHOTO: Oscar is pictured with his family (left to right) wife, Josie De Hoyos, Mary Hernandez, sister from San Angelo and Marcy Garcia, niece from Grand Priarie, Texas.

his dogs in addition to T

## Helping Hands Christmas **Arts and Crafts Show** Dec. 9 at the Civic Center

Ozona will host their Fifth be served all day. annual Christmas Holiday Hands Arts and Crafts Fair indoor and outdoor at 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Dec. 9 at 10x10 each. Cost is \$25 the Civic Center.

shop and sell handmade chairs. crafts and art, as well as unique gifts.

A home-style lunch (325) 226-4777.

The Helping Hands of and dessert specials will

Booths are available, each. Vendors need to This is a great event to bring their own tables and

> For more information, call Dianne J. Phillips at

## **OHS Parent Night Dec. 8**

Freshman and Sopho- mation. more students will be at Seniors at 6:30 p.m.

clude information about schools.net.

Ozona High School will the first annual College be hosting a Parent Night Tour trip scheduled for on Dec. 8 at the OHS Audi- Spring 2011 as well as other College Readiness infor-

For more informa-5:30 p.m. and Junior and tion, call Susie duBois at 392-5501, ext. 5740 or e-These sessions will in- mail susie.dubois@ozona-





OZONA ELEMENTARY STUDENTS collected more than 500 cans during their Thanksgiving canned food drive. Here these fifth grade students deliver the items to the OLPH Catholic Church Food Pantry. Ozona Elementary is now collecting coats and jackets for a Winter Coat Drive. Do-

## Kindergarten parents invited for Christmas lunch Dec.10

students to eat Christmas lunch with their child on Friday, Dec. 10, from noon-1

nations can be dropped off at the school.

p.m. in the OES cafeteria. Due to limited seating space, we are asking that only the parents/invited guests of Pre-K and PPCD

Elementary attend this meal. The oth-School cordially invites the er grades will be invited parents of our Kindergarten throughout the year for other meals.

Call the office of OES for additional information. Tickets are three dollars.

These tickets can be purchased at the OES office. Thank you for your cooper-

## Band Booster Meeting Dec. 7

Ozona Band Boosters will hold a meeting at 6 p.m. Dec. 7 in the OHS Band Hall.

The Ozona Bands Christmas Concert will be held at 7 p.m. Dec. 14 at the Fair Park Convention Center.

There will be a silent cake auction at the concert to benefit the Ozona Band Boosters.

For more information, contact Peggy Logan or OHS Band Director Stephen Martin.

chel Mendoza, Ken Sessom,

Jose Aguilar, Mike Little, Mikey

Burleson and Erik Carrizales

Dec. 1 - Kristie Williams, Scott Kelly, Brianna Lozano, Ashlee Allen, Roberto Hernandez, Amanda Ortiz, Blake Morrow and Nell Wester.

Dec. 2 - Danny De Hoyos, Bobby Kelly Williams, Juan Mendez, Jerzie Stella Sanchez, Nancy Childress, Maria C. Gutierrez, Traci Duncan, Rick Anderson, Salvador Mata, Matias Gandar III, Ellie Tijerina, Traci Garcia, Arron Martinez and Sue Owensby

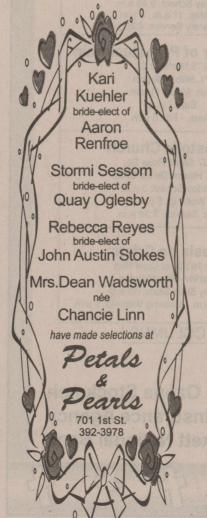
Dec. 3 - Randy Kennedy, Ianaa Hernandez, Chelsey Najar, Angelo Vitela, Desi Tijerina Sr., Kelli DeHoyos and Petra Hernandez

Dec. 4 - Jackie Rose Sanchez, Joe Sanchez, Samuel Maskill, Kayla Scott, Levi Bishop, Natalie Hernandez, Casey Mendoza and Rocky Munoz

Dec. 5 - Susan Williams, Roman Tambunga, Melissa

Glosson and Megan McDaniel Dec. 6 - Eddie Moore, Kyle Dean, Matt McGuire, Candace Gandar, Miguel Hernandez, Connie Arredondo, Vince Castro Jackie Sanchez, Joe Sanchez and Andrea Borrego

Dec. 7 - Kaleta Shepperson, Martin Childress, Laney Galindo, Lupe Cervantez, Ra-



#### **COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

#### Wednesday, Dec. 1

• Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center. • Dominoes, 1:30 p.m. at the Crockett County Senior Center.

#### Thursday, Dec. 2

- · Varsity Lions at the Harper Tournament.
- · Varsity Lady Lions at the Irion County Tournament.
- JV Lions at the Fort Stockton Tournament.
- JV Lady Lions at the Eldorado Tournament.
- OMS Lions and Lady Lions at the Comstock Tournament.
- · Ladies Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Friday, Dec. 3 • Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- · Varsity Lions at the Harper Tournament.
- Varsity Lady Lions at the Irion County Tournament.
- JV Lions at the Fort Stockton Tournament.
- JV Lady Lions at the Eldorado Tournament.
- · OMS Lions and Lady Lions at the Comstock Tournament.

#### Saturday, Dec. 4

- Breakfast with Santa, 10 a.m.-noon at the Civic Center.
- · Wool and Mohair Style Show, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- 23rd annual Crockett County DeerFest, 5:30 p.m. at the Fair Park Convention Center.
- Varsity Lions at the Harper Tournament.
- Varsity Lady Lions at the Irion County Tournament.
- JV Lions at the Fort Stockton Tournament.
- JV Lady Lions at the Eldorado Tournament.

#### OMS Lions and Lady Lions at the Comstock Tournament.

#### Monday, Dec. 6

- Ozona Elementary and Middle School students at the UIL Academic
- Elementary School Library Book Fair, during school hours at the Ozona Elementary School Library.
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- · Ladies Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Senior Center Board meeting, 5:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Freshmen Lady Lions vs. Iraan, 6:30 p.m. at the Davidson Gym.

#### Tuesday, Dec. 7

- OHS Lady Lions vs. Junction, 5 p.m. at Junction.
- OHS Lions vs. Ingram, 5 p.m. at Ingram.
- Helping Hands Board meeting, 5:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- · Band Booster meeting, 6 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall.
- Senior Bingo Social, 6:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

#### Wednesday, Dec. 8

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Dominoes, 1:30 p.m. at the Crockett County Senior Center.
- OHS Parent Night, 5:30 p.m. Freshman and Sophomores, 6:30 p.m. Juniors and Seniors, at the OHS Auditorium.



December 4, 2010 10 a.m. to noon Santa's Workshop (Civic Center)

Tickets: \$10/child & \$5/adult

(tickets are available from any League member, at The Ozona Stockman, Small Fashions & Gifts or call (325) 392-2551) Every child must be



and cinnamon rolls, along with new favorites and crafts. There is something for everyone! Entrance is free and will be alongside Breakfast with Santa.



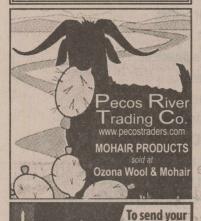
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by an adult.



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

If you want someone to agree with you in prayer, send your prayer requests to: The Prayer Box P.O. Box 733 Ozona, Texas 76943.



**American** donation to the American Society

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P.O. Box 1008 Ozona, TX 76943 Feel free to call: 325-392-4009

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#### **OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS**

BY LYNN ENGLISH SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

Our wonderful Thanksgiving Holidays are done. It only means we need to start getting ready for Christmas.

Helping Hands served a terrific Thanksgiving mean on Nov. 23. The meal was very good and several people ate here at the Senior Center that do not come often. Thank you Helping Hands for a delicious meal.

The Crockett County Senior Center Board will meet at 5:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 6, for their regular meeting. All members are urged

to attend. Helping Hands Board will meet here at the Senior Center for their regular

meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 7. On Saturday, Dec. 4, the Crockett County Museum will host their annual Wool

and Mohair Style Show at 2 p.m. at the Senior Center. Please try to attend. Any of you who would like to play dominoes are welcome to come and play

play. The bridge ladies will be playing Monday at 1:30 p.m. These players have

any morning or afternoon

that you would like to

fun at their game.

We continue to have our regular activities: square dancing, exercise class, bridge, bingo, home health, pool, canasta and puzzles. We also have a collection of books, magazines and two computers that are on the internet for seniors to use.

We have a projector with stand and a screen and have recently added a wonderful keyboard. 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 adults only.

#### **CARE CENTER CHATTER** BY ODILIA SANCHEZ shampoo, conditioner, de-

ASSISTANT ACTIVITY DIRECTOR

I love this time of year when the leaves are turning beautiful shades of orange, red, brown and yellow. Then, the leaves start falling and blanketing the ground. I know some people would not agree with me, because it does create more work for the ones who have to rake up all those leaves. Anyway, it is a blessing to be able to enjoy God's magnificent artistry

I promised that I would update you on our Halloween/Birthday party. The party was a great success. The food was decorated in Halloween colors. There were plastic spiders and eyeballs, dark green punch (almost black) and even a green hand reaching out of the punch bowl. It all looked pretty yucky, but everything was delicious and the residents had a great time.

Another update I promised was our Bingo Shop Day which was held at the end of October. This was the biggest one we have had, yet. We would like to say thank you so much to so many wonderful people who donated all the items for that day. Some of the items were odorant, shirts, blouses, nightgowns, house shoes, lamps, handkerchiefs, purses, books, jewelry and a variety of snack items.

In November, we were blessed to have a group of musicians, from the Methodist Church, come and sing and play their guitars. The residents really enjoyed it. Thank you for giving of your time to visit and minister to our loved ones.

A group from the Care Center had fun attending a play called Yee Haw, in Eldorado. They enjoyed it so much that they wanted to see it again. Some of the residents that were scheduled to attend the next performance were not able to attend due to a ticket sellout. Hopefully they will be able to make it to the next one. We are all looking forward to going again.

On Nov. 23, the Pre-K kids filled our lobby. They all had Indian headbands and they looked adorable. They sang some Thanksgiving songs and went around saying hello to our residents. This was a special treat for them. Some of the children have great-grandparents in the facility and they enjoyed visiting with them. The kids brought a huge tub filled with all kinds of fruits to give to the residents.

That day, the residents enjoyed helping the staff make a fruit salad to enjoy with their meal. It was delicious. Thank you kids for coming to visit.

The residents Thanksgiving meal on Nov. 25 was great. All the staff pulled together to set up tables and chairs for the guests that came to eat with their loved ones. Everything came together without any problems and everyone had a good time eating and visiting. Thanks to our wonderful cooks that put together a delicious meal for everyone to enjoy. The food was awesome! Thanks ladies.

I hope that you and your loved ones had a wonderful Thanksgiving Day. I know that we are all thankful for God's wonderful blessings that we enjoy everyday.

We have one more holiday to look forward to this year. It's time to start planning and preparing and hopefully have all our shopping done before Dec. 25. Please take time to come by and visit with our residents when you have some extra time on your hands. They will be blessed by your visit.

#### **OBITUARIES**

## Glenn Burns

On Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 25, 2010, after a day with his family, Glenn Burns was welcomed into the arms of his heavenly father, where there is no more pain and suffering.

Graveside services were held Sunday, Nov. 28, 2010 in Rochelle Cemetery in Rochelle, Texas with Johnnie Perkins and Gary Vannoy officiating.

He was born Norris Glenn Burns in Dublin, Texas in 1936 to E.N. (Pinky) and Theo Juanita (Sones) Burns. In the 1940s, Glenn moved with his parents and sister to Rochelle, Texas. During his high school years he was a Golden Gloves Boxing Champion and was elected "Mr. Football" for the Rochelle Hornets graduating in 1955.

Glenn married his high school sweetheart. Nina Sue McAnnelly in Fredericksburg, Texas in 1956. Together they raised their two daughters, Dawn Dee and Twila Gay.

Glenn had a strong work ethic and did many things in his life to provide for his family. He was a Caterpillar Mechanic, a lineman, and manager for West Texas Utilities. The family transferred to Ozona in 1969 and decided to make it their long term home. Glenn and Sue had an electrical business, oil field electric service, gas station, and Pioneer IV Wrecker Service. Over the years Glenn also worked for various ranches and had a great love and respect for that life and the animals. He was a member of the National Guard and a Baptist.



Glenn was preceded in death by his parents, his sister Doris Lynn Bryson, niece Glenna Sue Bryson Reno, and his wife Nina Sue Burns.

He is survived by his daughter Dawn of Ozona, son-in-law Michael Carter of San Angelo, daughter Gay Stokes and husband Ken of Ozona. grandchildren Kyann Rose Kothman of San Angelo, Sol Walker and Sierra Rochelle Stokes of Ozona. He is also survived by life-long best friend and brother-in-law Shad Bryson, nephew Wes Bryson, and his wife Jamie all of Rochelle. He bleaves behind his very special friend and running buddy, Irma McCutcheon and her family who brought much joy and laughter into his life. He also leaves behind a good friend Dan Griffith of Pflugerville, Texas.

to Glenn (touched many lives. He was a strong man, a loyal friend and a brave man with a big heart. He loved his family most, of that there is no doubt. We will miss you Daddy.

## Angel Tree gifts due Dec. 13

The Ozona United Methodist Church Wesley Nurse have been placed on orna-Program is sponsoring this ments, which are decorat-

is to ensure all Crockett County residents experience the blessings of the Holy Day of Christmas.

It could not be suc-Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church, Ozona Elementary School, Ozona National Bank and Crockett National Bank.

Approximately 150 children and elderly residents in our community have been contacted.

Their clothing needs year's Angel Tree program. ing Christmas trees located This program's purpose at OLPH Catholic Church, Ozona United Methodist Church, Ozona Elementary, Ozona National Bank and Crockett National Bank.

If you would like to parcessful without the help of ticipate, please go by one of these four locations and pick up the ornament of your choice, purchase the items listed and return your gift by Dec. 13 to any of the four locations.

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

We had a wonderful thanksgiving with all the friends and family and food and time together. We were so blessed but it got real interesting in meal preparations around our house. Everyone had to help or was given a certain job or assignment. I remember walking through part of the house and into the kitchen and seeing someone working on a task and others, maybe two or three working together on a particular project. Seeing everyone busy and working together and having a enjoyable time reminded me of something in the Bible. Many Christians and lost people have the wrong idea about Salvation. They may think all I have to do is wait for God to bless me financially, give me good physical health, no major problems and then one day beam me up to Heaven. That is not what the Bible teaches "We are saved to serve!" God wants us to honor Him and obey Him but He also has jobs or tasks or assignments for us and it has been that way all the through the Bible, (Exodus 23:25, Deuteronomy 11:13-15). We see that with the Disciples when they were with Jesus. They helped feed people, ran errands and did whatever Jesus asked them to do, (Mark 8:6) Our service is willingly not by force and to honor God, (2 Timothy1:3, Hebrews 9:14). Deuteronomy 10:12&13 sums it up so well. See you in Church next Sunday. **Ozona United** 

First Baptist Church 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.

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Wed. Service: 6 p.m.

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Sunday Worship: 6 p.m.

Wednesday Worship: 7 p.m.

**New Beginnings Church** 

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**Pastor Carlos Cantu** 

Sunday Worship: 10 a.m.

Wednesday: 7 p.m.

**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.

12 - 11th St. **Pastor Ron Shott** Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wed. Worship - 5 p.m.-Meal, 5:30 p.m.-Study

Templo Siloe **Faith Lutheran Church Assembly of God Church** 802 1st St. 2121 Santa Rosa St. **Pastor Tom Baden** Rev. Dan & Ann Rios Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.

Iglesia de Dios De La Profecia 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.

Fr. Nilo Nalugon Sun. Mass: 11 a.m. Sat.: 7 p.m. Tues. - Fri.: 6 p.m. Jueves: 6:00 p.m. **Apostolic Church** 

Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday

307 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Hector De La Cruz Sunday School: 3 p.m. Worship: 5 p.m. Thur. Service: 7:30 p.m.

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### Nutrition/Food Pantry program Dec. 9

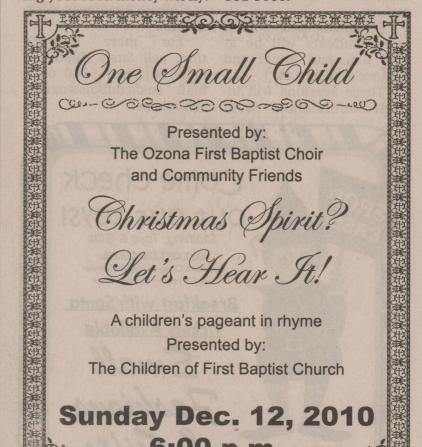
The Nutrition/Food Pantry program will be held Thursday, Dec. 9, beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

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

Recipes will be given. The class is open to all

interested persons. However, in order to receive a food box, you must pre-register.

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



## SATURDAY: 23rd annual DeerFest starts at 5:30 p.m. from page 1

A stylish wool and mohair jacket will be given away at the event. Tickets are \$1 each or \$10 for 12. They are available at the museum or from any museum board member.

Lots of other prizes will be given away during the show.

In 1990, Dolores Vernor founded Dolores' Unique Designs in Camp Wood, Texas after discovering mo-

She has designed jackets for former First Lady and current U.S. Secretary of State Hilary Clinton, U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchinson, R-Texas, and former Texas Governor Ann Richards.

"I cannot believe that this exists," was her reaction to the fiber she proclaims to be a hidden treasure.

She creates coats, dresses, scarves and socks, and feels a strong responsibility to educate people about the fabric created from the hair of an Angora goat.

As part of her educational effort, Vernor travels extensively for trunk shows.

"I never say 'no'," she said of invitations to display her garments at the show.

She said she feels that these shows are her opportunity to tell people about mohair.

After people discovered mohair, which 90 percent of them have never heard of, they realize what a unique fabric it is, Vernor said.

Her clothing has also be featured on the late Mary Kay Ash, as well as several beauty pageant winners.

A jacket she designed for Barbie was featured at the State Fair of Texas.

For more information on the show, call the museum at 392-2837.

For more information on Dolores' Unique Designs, call (830) 597-4152.

At 5:30 p.m., th will open at the Fair Park Convention Center for the 23rd annual Crockett County DeerFest.

Prize tickets are \$1 each and can be found at several locations throughout Ozona, including the Ozona Chamber of Commerce, Super S Foods, Maness Exxon Little Store, Westerman Drug, Crockett Automotive, The Ozona Stockman, Wool Growers, Ozona Wool & Mohair, Triple C Hardware and Lumber, Village Drug, Circle Bar Pitstop Convenience Store, Circle Bar Restaurant, Circle Bar Hotel, Best Western/Ozona Inn, Best Value Inn, Hillcrest Motel and the Crockett County Abstract office.

General Admission is \$10, which includes the meal of chicken fried deer, turkey, axis deer and pork sausage, deer chili, deer tamales and brisket. Ten per-



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OZONA VOLUNTEERS serve up the meal at the 2009 Crockett County DeerFest. The 2010 DeerFest will be held Saturday, Dec. 4 at the Fair Park Convention Center. More than 60 guns, as well as two \$5,000 American Express Gift Cards donated by Anderson Energy and other prizes will be given away.

cent of the admission proceeds will go to the West Texas Rehab.

This year's DeerFest will give away more than 60 guns, \$10,000 in Cabela's gift cards, a 2011 Polaris Ranger Crew 4x4, two \$5,000 American Express Cards donated by Anderson Energy, a Pot-Belly Blind and several other blinds, feeders and numerous other prizes including selling of Yeti coolers way below retail price with a mystery prize inside.

Several lucky children will leave with their very own Red Ryder BB Gun.

The DeerFest came to life in 1988 as a fund-raiser to keep the Ozona Chamber of Commerce's doors open. Art Roane and the Double T Ranch provided all of the deer for the event. Without their generosity, feeding hundreds of people in attendance would not have been possible. Twelve guns and several other local prizes were given away the first

A few years later, the DeerFest had made enough money to keep the Chamber of Commerce open and

then begin donating to other local projects. The Crockett County EMS building and the Fair Park Convention Center were built with funds raised at the Crockett County DeerFest.

"The success of this event has always been based on your generosity and participation," said Hugh Childress, president.

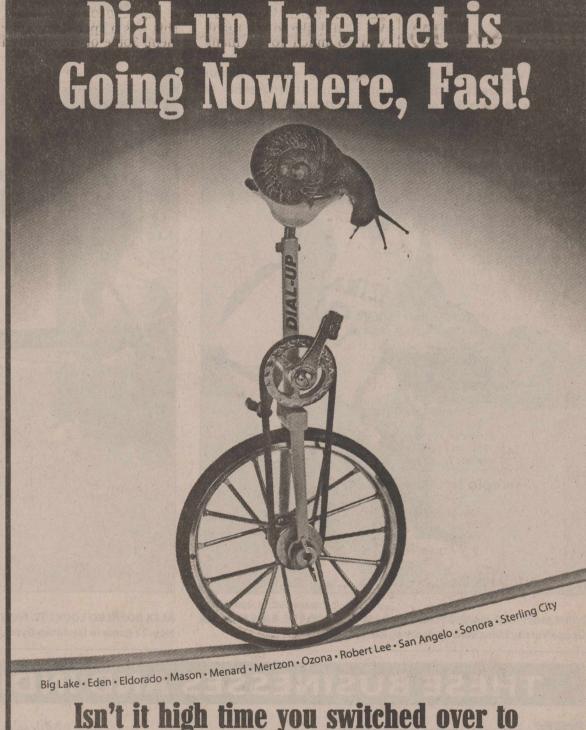
As a result, DeerFest is now able to provide financial assistance to many local organizations including the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Church Youth Groups, The Ozona Community Center, The Youth and Civic Center, the Crockett County 4-H and the Crockett County EMS and the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department.

The DeerFest also contributes annually to the West Texas Rehab Center, and they award academic scholarships to students from Ozona High School. Since 1991, the Crockett County DeerFest has donated \$420,369 back to Crockett County.

For more information, visit www.deerfest.org or follow them on Facebook.







## Wool & Mohair Style Show

By Delores' Unique Designs

Saturday, Dec. 4 2:00 p.m. Crockett County Senior Center

Lots of prizes to be given.

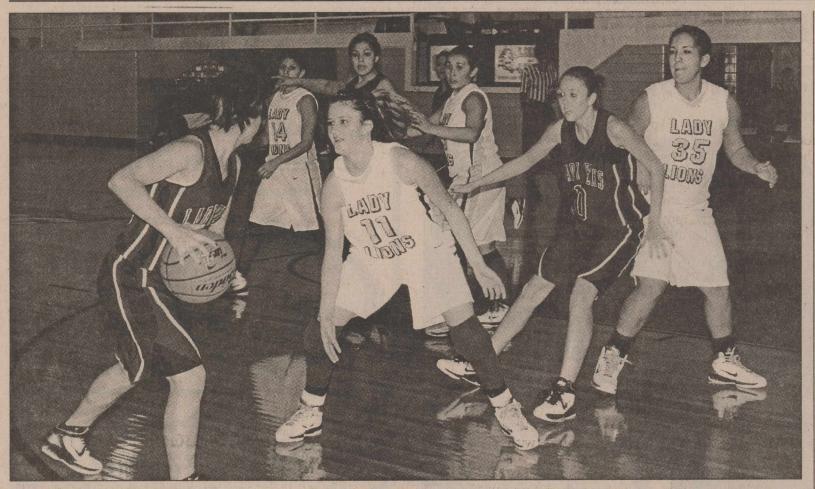
Tickets are available from any board member & at the Museum! \$1 for one or \$10 for 12 tickets

All proceeds will benefit the Crockett County Museum. YOU NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN.

Raffle drawing for this stylish wool & mohair jacket, designed by Dolores of Dolores Unique Designs, will be after the style show.



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THE OZONA VARSITY LADY LIONS DEFEATED BOTH ALPINE AND COMSTOCK LAST WEEK PICTURED ARE: (I. to r.) Stacie Quiroz, Melanie Miller, RaeLynn Arredondo and Britni Mitchel.

# JV Lady Lions defeat Comstock, Alpine

The JV Lady Lions increased, their wins by defeating Comstock and Alpine last week.

Ozona routed Comstock 41-28.

Score by quarters: Ozona - 18 0 10 13 - 41; Comstock - 29413 - 28.

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"There are a lot of new

on Alpine in their first

game of the season on Nov.

na - 9 4 6 4 - 24; Alpine -

Jarrod duBois 2; Austin

Suddreth 2; Ryan Mayfield

faces on varsity who have

very little varsity experi-

22. Ozona lost 39-24.

5 and Alex Borrego 5.

12 7 10 10 - 39.

Scoring: Arleen Castillo 11; Kodi Glosson 10; Vivian Medina 4; Sierra Stokes 3; Alex Rodriguez 3; Nancy Rodriguez 2; Maria Villarreal 2; Natalie Hernandez 2; Cynthia Garcia 2 and Amy Quiroz 2. Also playing: Lexi Poindexter and Brianna

who did not play particu-

larly well. Everything is

fixable. We committed 24

turnovers and you won't

beat anyone when you

don't take care of the ball,"

said Coach Ted Rohan. "Al-

pine is 4-0 and has a good

team that has 95 percent

of their team in the gym

year-round. We will need

to learn how to work hard-

er and play smarter in our upcoming tournament in

45-10. Score by quarters: Ozona - 19 12 5 9 - 45; Alpine

-5131-10. 09 for bluow Scoring: Glosson 8; Castillo 8; Cervantez 6; Garcia 5; Quiroz 5; Villarreal 4; A. Rodriguez 3; Medina 3; N. Rodriguez 2; Poindexter 1. Also playing: Hernandez and Stokes.

"I see an improvement every game. They have amazing hustle and play well together. They are re-

ally building on team effort Ozona defeated Alpine and seeing more of the options they open by utilizing team play," said Coach Kristie Williams. "It is comforting as a coach to struggle with who will start every game and know that I can always turn to the bench and they will be just as strong and what will come off the court. Coach Autumn Brown and I are extremely proud of this young group of girls and we are excited about what they will bring in the future."

The Ozona Lady Lions Freshman team will play on Monday, Dec. 6 at 6:30 p.m. in Ozona against Iraan and on Monday, Jan 17th they will travel to Iraan to play the Lady Braves at 6:30 p.m.

# **Lady Lions pounce** Comstock, Alpine

The Lady Lions made it two-in-a-row last week against Comstock and Alpine.

Ozona defeated Comstock 49-35.

Score by quarters: Ozona - 11 8 18 12 - 49; Comstock - 4 10 4 17 - 35.

Scoring: Melanie Miller 13; Kristen Mendoza 11; Adrienne Sanchez 8; Britni Mitchel 6; Natalia Ortiz 4; RaeLynn Arrredondo 3; Stacie Quiroz 2; Brenda Venegas 2. Also playing: Lavla Perez, Makayla Badillo, Tamara Fay.

The Lady Lions also defeated Alpine 45-19.

Score by quarters: Ozona - 21 9 8 7 - 45; Alpine - 2665 - 19.

Scoring: Miller 11; Mendoza 10; Quiroz 7; Mitchel 4; Arredondo 4; Venegas 2; Sanchez 2 Badillo 2; Perez 2; Ortiz 1 and Fay -6 rebounds.

"In the last three games, our press defense has caused the other team to struggle offensively. The girls and I are learning more about each other as we work toward our goal of becoming a competitive and disciplined team," said Coach Cristy Isenhower.



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JV LION BLAKE MORROW prepares to take a shot against Alpine. No other information on the game was available at presstime.



Lions take on 'Bucks in opening game

PHOTO BY JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN RYAN MAYFIELD MANEUVERS THE BALL TOWARD THE BASKET in the Ozona Varsity Lions Nov. 22 game against Alpine.



PHOTO BY JOE HERNANDEZ I THE OZONA STOCKMAN ALEX BORREGO LOOKS TO PASS TO #4 AUSTIN SUDDRETH AS #14 JERROD duBOIS BLOCKS AN ALPINE BUCK to open up a shot in the varsity Lions

Nov. 22 game in Davidson Gym.

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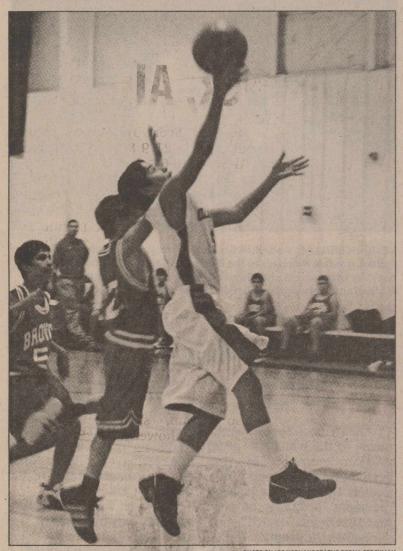


PHOTO BY JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN KAYLEN PEREZ GOES UP FOR A LAYUP to lead the seventh grade Lions in scoring with 12 points in their 31-11 win over Sonora on Nov. 22

## **Seventh Grade Lions** roar past Sonora Colts

The Seventh Grade Lions "A" Team defeated the Sonora 31-11 on Nov. 22.

Score by quarters: Ozona - 5 10 8 8 - 31; Sonora -4232-11.

Scoring: Kaylen Perez 12; Alan Landa 2; Bryce Martin 6; Jose Ojeda 2; Javier Barrera 4; Michael Graham 3 and Ben Badillo 2. The Lions are 2-0.

## Eighth Grade Lady Lions fall to Sonora

The Eighth Grade Lady Lions lost to Sonora on Nov. 22.

The "B" Team lost 26-28. Score by quarters: Ozona - 4 4 12 6 - 26; Sonora -8866-28.

Scoring: Marissa Held 14; Nydia Valdez 6 and Morgan Espinosa 6. Also playing: Meagan Espinosa, Elizabeth Kennedy, Nicole Garcia, Meagan Bullard, Amber De Hoyos and Krislynn Harris.

""We played a tough up and down game. We were able to play some good defense and were able to score some fast

Ballinger. His name was in-

correct in the Nov. 24 Ozona Stockman. Sorry, Jayton.

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break points. They played a tough game and fought hard to the end. We fell behind early and never gave up. I was proud of the effort and team work that we displayed," said Coach John Esparza.

The "A" Team lost 36-8. Score by quarters: Ozona - 0 2 6 0 - 8; Sonora - 6 785 - 36.

Scoring: Keyanna Perez 4; Melissa Lozano 2 and Janna Munsell 2. Also playing: Maira Rodriguez, Bethany Martinez, Kaylenn Elston, Kaylee Ramirez, Angelica Diaz, Elva Galardo and Becky Mata.

## **Eighth Grade Lions claw Sonora**

The Ozona Eighth Grade Lions played host to the Sonora Colts Nov. 22.

The Lions "B" Team took the court first and led the Colts "B" Team 8-0 at the end of the first quarter.

In the second period, the Colts would put up 8 points but the Lions poured in 10 to lead 18-8 at half-

In the third quarter, the Lions played solid defense to shut the Colts out.

The Lions would lead this contest after three quarters of play by a score of 27-8. The Colts out-scored the Lions 8-6 in the fourth quarter making the final score: Lions 33, Colts 16.

Scoring for the Lions were: Ryan Porras with 13 points, Rigo Rodriguez and Kino Rodriguez would each chip in 6 points and Omero Rodriguez tallied 5 points. Juan Rodriguez would round out the scoring with 3 points.

In the final game of the evening, the Ozona "A" Team would take to the court.

The Lions would fall behind early in the first quarter but came roaring back to lead 10-9 after one peri-

In the second quarter, the Lions would play some tough defense, holding the Colts to only three points, making the half-time score 16-12 in favor of Ozona.

After a brief intermission, the Lions continued playing solid defense to out-score the Colts 11-3 in the third quarter.

In the fourth quarter, both teams scored six points each, making the final score: Lions-33, Colts 21.

Jayton Rodriquez led all scorers with 17 points. Chase De Hoyos chipped in 8 points while Daniel Lombrana had 4 points. Fernando Sifuentes and Dylan Perez would score 2 points each to round out the scoring for the night.

Both Ozona "A" and "B" teams post a record of 2-0.

## Birthday to Susan Williams on December 5! We Love you, Allen, Melissa, Paul, Michelle, Ray and

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to get the word out to our students.

#### Seventh Grade Lady Lions fall to Sonora

The Seventh Grade Lady Lions lost to Sonora on Nov. 22.

The "B" Team lost 16-8. Score by quarters: Ozona - 4 2 0 2 - 8; Sonora - 4 246-16.

Scoring: Gina Marquez 6 and Alondra Rodriguez 2. Also playing: Daisy Cantu, Narda Aguilar, Naradia Vega and Ashley Vargas.

"We played a great first half and moved the ball well. We had some great defensive stops early and had some fast-break opportunities. In the second half our

shots would not fall. We had great looks and played good defense the ball just would not go in the basket. I am proud of the hard work and fight shown by the girls," said Coach John

The "A" Team lost 31-8. Score by quarters: Ozona - 0 2 4 2 - 8; Sonora -17347-31.

Scoring: Kim Borrego 4; Maria Mejia 2; Brianna Sanchez 2. Also playing: Estefania Torralba, Alyssa Newlin, Madison Childress and Lauren Miles

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### Team lose to Sonora The Seventh Grade Li-

ons "B" Team lost to Sonora 22-10 on Nov. 22.

Score by quarters: Ozo-448-22.

and Caleb Villa.

# Seventh Grade Lions 'B'

na - 2 4 4 - 10; Sonora - 6 Scoring: Rafael Diaz 4;

Walker Whitten 2; Jacob Talamantez 4. Scoring: Erbey Blanco, Dakota Lee, Anthony Garza, Johnny Venegas

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#### Correction... Eighth grade Middle School Lion Jayton Rodriquez scored 19 points in last week's game against

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THE SONORA RAGE FAST PITCH SOFTBALL TEAM played in Odessa on Oct. 13-14. The Rage managed to grip a fifth place finish in the third annual Thanksgiving Tournament. The Rage played well. The girls played eight games in a very competitive field. Pictured are: (front row, left to right) Mariah Sarimento, Big Spring; Janelle Vasques, Sonora; Kamryn Lozano, Ozona; Cip Tobiaz, Sonora and Madison Childress, Ozona. Top row: (left to right) Raegan Noriega, San Angelo; Chayo Munoz, Big Spring; Kelley Painter, San Angelo; Rachel Mendoza, Ozona; Rikki Chavez, San Angelo; Jill Bruiton, Crane. Coaches Nelda and Manuel To-

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**FAMILIES OF LOCAL MILITARY SERVICEMEN were presented military** service flags on Nov. 22 at the Civic Center.

## Ozona Military families honored

Families of the following military servicemen were presented military service flags with a blue star by rines Donald McClure of McClure Oil Company of Midland:

· Byron Beasley- U.S. Air · Nicolas Perez- U.S.

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· Jonathan Weddle- U.S. Army

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McClure explained the origin of the service flags dating back to World War 1. The flags were proudly displayed in homes and businesses of families who had a relative serving in the Armed Forces.

McClure plans to return to Ozona early next year to present flags to families who have a relative actively serving in the military.

For more information, · Evelardo Longoria- U.S. call Sylvia Lara at (325) 392-3034 or (325) 226-2944.









LEXIE MCMULLAN, an Eighth Grade Student at Barbara Bush Middle School, got this nice buck at the McMullan Ranch off Taylor Box Road over the Thanksgiving holiday. Lexie's parents, Joanie and Ashby Mc-Mullan, and grandparents, Jim and Ann McMullan, live in San Antonio.

#### **OZONA WOMAN'S FORUM NEWS**

BY BETH HOOVER OZONA WOMAN'S FORUM

theme of the Woman's Forum program presented by Tina Bean on Nov. 16 at the Senior Center. The members enjoyed the many positions of yoga that Tina demonstrated.

Before the program Katharine Russell read a poem and the American's Creed. Hostesses were Nell Wester, Katharine Russell and Helen White.

Guest was Tara Wilkins. Thank you notes were read from groups that the Woman's Forum have contributed to including the West Texas Rehab, Nancy Robinson Mas-

Hand Bell Choir, Senior Center, Crockett County Public Library, Karen Huffman School "Benefits of Yoga" was the Nurse Fund and Scholarship recipients Taylor Newton and Julie Gutierrez. Shirley Kirby reported on the status of the Wellness Center.

A large sign with future building drawings will be put up on the sight while waiting for the grants to be written.

Members attending were Marolyn Bean, Sandy Bebee, Norma Carson, Lynn English, Charlotte Harrell, Beth Hoover, Betty Huffman, Shirley Kirby, Barbara Malone, Linda Moore, Jean Odom, Nell Wester, Helen White, Arlene Clayton, Willa Perry, Katharine Russell and ters, Ozona Methodist Church Louise Taliaferro.

### TOYS: from page 1

be as fortunate as others.

The Toys for Tots campaign will last until Dec. 18 at which time all toys and money collected will be turned over to the Ozona Salvation Army where they will distribute the toys, with the support of the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department.

The Ozona Salvation Army will have applications for the people that need some assistance this holiday.

Crockett County Veterans will be asking everyone to join them in bringing a smile to a local child this holiday season.

Toy containers are located at Ozona Fire Department, Duckwalls and Dollar

Crockett County Veterans have already started collecting toys and will be available at various locations throughout town every Saturday morning from 10 a.m. to noon.

The veterans are asking you to join us during our 2010 Toys for Tots Campaign. If you would like to drop off a toy or make a money donation come by when you see our volunteers collecting on Saturdays," said Frank Tambunga, coordinator.

For more information, call Tambunga 392-2827 or Lou Morrow 392-2626.

#### Card of Thanks

Friends and Family: We want to express our sincere gratitude for the cards, flowers, plants, food and all the kind gestures toward our family for the loss of our beloved Manuel. A special thank you to the Knights of Columbus, Frank Tambunga and Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church for the beautiful service. The Guadalupanas for the wonderful meal. To all who prayed the Rosary with us, especially to Linda Vasquez, your time was so much appreciated. To Preddy Funeral Home for the wonderful service and to all of our family and friends who in one way or another, even though our hearts were filled with great sorrow, you helped ease our burden and for that there are no words to express our sincere appreciation.

Thank you always in our hearts, The Family of Manuel Lumbreras (Rest in Peace Apa)

#### Card of Thanks

The warm embrace shown on the loss of our beloved Jose "Tata" Ramirez was very comforting. All acts of love, care, compassion and sympathy was tender to our hearts. The Lord God truly blessed us with your presence and prayers. **Tobar & Ramirez Families** 

#### Card of Thanks

I would like to give thanks to Patricia, Noe Jr., Carolina, Lazaro, Clara and Pacho for giving me the support I need during this low point in my life. Now for the special woman in my life, I love you beautiful, more than all the stars in the sky. I would like you to know that there might be some rough roads ahead of us, but all we can do is buckle up and ride them out. And to her three little boys, I want ya'll to know that no matter what, everything will be alright. I want to thank all of you for being there for me. I love you all and I will keep all of you in my prayers.

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### **Texas Bankers Association alerts consumers** to dangers of holiday shopping online

BY OLIVIA CARMICHAEL SOLIS TEXAS BANKERS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN - Many Texans will do some, if not most, of their holiday shopping on the Internet. According to the National Retail Federation, 50.8 percent of Americans will make at least one holiday purchase online.

However, as more consumers turn to the Internet to shop, so do the fraudsters with their scams.

The Texas Bankers Association suggests that consumers follow some simple steps to protect themselves while shopping online.

"Some people like to shop online because of the convenience and others like the exclusive sales available the reason, we all have to take steps to protect ourselves and our financial information," said TBA Chairman Jeff Austin III, vice chairman of the board of Austin Bank, Texas in Jacksonville. "Don't let the spirit of the season get ruined by online fraud."

The Texas Bankers Association offers the follow-

· If you're not sure, don't share. Anyone can set up a website these days so be sure you're familiar with the retailer's site before you give them any of your financial information. The Better Business Bureau has a list of about 70,000 safe websites. Check it out at: http://www.bbb.org/online/consumer/default.aspx

Is the site secure?

Look for the "s" in https:// and a small padlock at the bottom of the screen before entering any payment information.

· Know the terms of your purchase. Is the product returnable and if so, who pays the shipping fees? How long will the product take to ship? What does shipping cost? Read the fine print. If it's not clear or you don't agree, make the purchase elsewhere.

· Print & Save. Be sure to print and save the transaction receipt, the order number, a customer service phone number, and any other information you can just in case there's a problem with your order.

· Check the privacy polonly on the Web. Whatever icy. Find out what they're doing with your information by reading the privacy policy. If it's too complicated to read or they don't have one, choose to do business with a more consumer friendly website.

> · TMI. Don't divulge too much information to anyone on the Internet. If a website is asking for your bank account number, social security number or driver's license number, don't share it.

· Know your rights. If you suspect you are a victim of fraud, you can contact the Federal Trade Commission at: www.ftc.gov/ complaint. You can also contact the Texas Attorney General at: www.oag.state. tx.us. Be sure to report it to the Better Business Bureau.

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with "intellectual disabili-

convenes in January 2011.

publications.

# Crockett County NRCS Office accepting financial assistance applications

BY TY WILLIAMS DISTRICT CONSERVATIONIST

TEMPLE — Applications for funding opportunities with the USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) Environmental Quality Incentive Program (EQIP) and Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program (WHIP) are currently being accepted at all NRCS offices across Texas.

NRCS in Texas has received its initial allocation of program funding recently and will begin obligating EOIP and WHIP contracts af-

ter Jan. 28, 2011.

"These programs support conservation of private agricultural lands by providing payments for maintaining and enhancing natural resources," said Crockett County NRCS District Conservationist Ty Williams.

EQIP is a "working lands" conservation program that assists private landowners with conservation measures that address priority resource concerns as identified by local farmers and ranchers.

WHIP is designed to bene-

fit wildlife on primarily wildlife land although agriculturally productive operations may qualify for funding.

All of NRCS Farm Bill Programs are voluntary and have a continuous sign-up with periodic ranking cut off periods. NRCS encourages any person interested in participating in their programs to contact their local field office, usually located at the county seat.

The NRCS administers both programs and provides technical assistance to landowners. 2010 represents the

75th year of NRCS "helping people help the land."

Since its inception in 1935, NRCS has advanced a unique partnership with state and local governments and private landowners delivering conservation based on specific, local conservation needs, while accommodating state and national interests.

For more information on these programs, including eligibility requirements, call the USDA Service Center office in Ozona at (325) 392-2301 ext. 3.



## Texas Council of Community MHMR Centers Inc. THE RICHARD STEE STAR ANNOUNCES name change

BY MARIA RIOS **TEXAS BANKERS ASSOCIATION** 

Austin - After many ties" from all official Texyears of advocacy efforts and unanimous approval by Congress, President Obama signed Rosa's Law (S.2781) into effect on Oct. 5.

Inspired by Rosa Marcellino, a child with Down syndrome, and her family's refusal to accept the use of a stigmatizing label that did not reflect her value and accomplishments, Rosa's law directs the elimination of the term "mental retardation" and replaces it with the term "intellectual disabilities" in federal health, education and labor stat-

In support of Rosa's Law and out of respect for people with intellectual disabilities, the Texas Council of Community MHMR Centers, Inc. has changed its name to the Texas Council of Community Centers.

lows a decision by the Tex-

Castle, Texas Council CEO. As an association the Texas Council of Commu-The name change folnity Centers supports the 39 Community Centers in as Council their public mission, across Board of all 254 counties, to serve as

> care for Texans with mental illness, intellectual disabilities and substance use dis-



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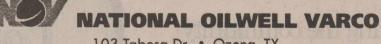
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DISTRICT COURT Hon. Pedro Gomez Jr. presiding

Harold Hageman, Jr, Biloxi, Mississippi pled guilty to theft, Class A, sen-

tenced to \$8,000 restitution, \$1,500 fine, and \$304 court costs.

The above information was obtained from the Crockett County Clerk's Office.

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Texas Enterprise Fund, a business incentive account that requires the governor, lieutenant governor and speaker of the House to agree before funds can be disbursed.

#### **PLENTY OF SHINGLES** IN OUR ASPHALT

In mid-November, the Texas Department of Transportation reported that in the last 18 months, it prequalified two dozen used shingle-processing operations to supply TxDOT road projects.

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"That's as many shingles as roofers would remove from 40 2,000-square foot homes."Chemical company wins honorTexas Workforce Commission on Nov. 19 announced Dow Chemical Co. as its 2010 Texas Workforce Employer of the Year.

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or Michelle Medley at the Courthouse Annex or Melissa Ybarra (226-3894) Last day for donations will be Tuesday, Nov. 30.

the agency's goal of ensuring that both employers and workers have the resources and skills Texas needs to remain competitive in the 21st century.

Officials noted that Dow dedicates resources to a state employment project that matches industry jobs to military job descriptions to help returning veterans secure employment.

#### 10 TO VIE FOR VACANT **HOUSE SEAT**

Eight Republicans, two Democrats and one Libertarian are running in the Dec. 14 special election for the House District 44 seat.

The winner will succeed the late Edmund Kuempel, R-Seguin, who had served as the district's state representative since 1983, Kuempel, 67, died of a heart attack in Austin on Nov. 4.

Guadalupe, Gonzales and Wilson counties make up House District 44.

#### **EMS DEPARTMENT** RUNS

NOV. 23 · 911 call - Transport and treatment Shannon Medical

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· 911 call - Transport and treatment Family Health Clinic

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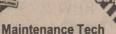
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#### **LEGAL NOTICE:**

This Texas Lottery Commission Scratch-Off game will close on December 30, 2010. You have until June 28, 2011, to redeem any tickets for this game: #1265 Veterans Winnings (\$2) overall odds are 1 in 4.72. These Texas Lottery Commission Scratch-Off games will close on January 26, 2011. You have until July 25, 2011, to redeem any tickets for these games: #1249 \$1,000 Spin (\$1) overall odds are 1 in 4.70, #1271 \$250,000 Bingo (\$10) overall odds are 1 in 3.14, #1245 Bank Loot (\$1) overall odds are 1 in 4.96. The odds listed here are the overall odds of winning any prize in a game, including break-even prizes. Lottery retailers are authorized to redeem prizes of up to and including \$599. Prizes of \$600 or more must be claimed in person at a Lottery Claim Center or by mail with a completed Texas Lottery claim form; however, annuity prizes or prizes over \$1,000,000 must be claimed in person at the Commission Headquarters in Austin. Call Customer Service at 1-800-37LOTTO or visit the Lottery Web site at www.txlottery.org for more information and location of nearest Claim Center. The Texas Lottery is not responsible for lost or stolen tickets, or for tickets lost in the mail. Tickets, transactions, players, and winners are subject to, and players and winners agree to abide by, all applicable laws, Commission rules, regulations, policies, directives, instructions, conditions, procedures, and final decisions of the Executive Director. A Scratch-Off game may continue to be sold even when all the top prizes have been claimed. Must be 18 years of age or older to purchase a Texas Lottery ticket. PLAY RESPONSIBLY. The Texas Lottery Supports Texas Education.

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#### **PUBLIC NOTICES BID NOTICE**

The Crockett County Water Control & Improvement District No. 1, 511 11th St., P.O. Box 117, Ozona, Texas 76943-0117 will receive sealed (not faxed) bids for ONE 2011 three quarter ton pick-up truck until 5:00 p.m., December 13. 2010. Bid specifications can be obtained by contacting Crockett County WCID#1.

Any bid received after that time will be returned unopened. Bids will be open at the Regular Monthly Board Meeting December 13, 2010.

#### **Crockett County WCID#1** Box 117 Ozona, Texas 76943-0117 **BID NOTICE**

Crockett County WCID#1, Ozona, Texas, will be accepting highest

bid for the following: 600 feet of 6 inch ID, 6.562 inch OD well pipe without rods, bid out as price per foot. Pipe may be inspected at the corner of Ward Street and Sixth (6th) Street at the District's lot. Pipe is not suitable for potable water use. Crockett County WCID#1 will accept sealed bids until 5:00 p.m., December 13, 2010. The District will not accept faxed bids. Bid packet may be picked up at the District's office at 511 Eleventh St., Ozona, Texas or call for more information call 325.392.2730 or fax

#### 325.392.9296. **PUBLIC NOTICE**

CROCKETT COMMISSIONER'S COURT. will receive sealed bids for the lease of the Family Medical Center building until 12:00 p.m. on December 13, 2010. Any bid received after stated opening time will not be considered will be returned unopened. Bids should be mailed or given to John Stokes, County Auditor, P.O. Box 989, Ozona, Texas, 76943. John Stokes, Crockett County Auditor.

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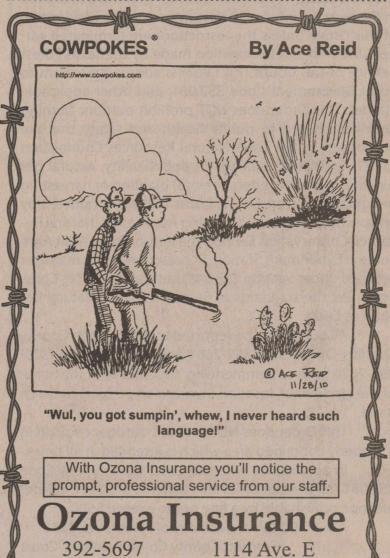
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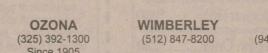
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