

OZONA, TEXAS

CLASS OF 2013:

OHS Graduation Special Edition **Inside**



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OHS and OMS Bands perform, receive awards **Page 6**

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Class of 2013 graduates Friday



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didates for graduation

THE OZONA HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2013 will graduate at 8 p.m. Friday at Lion Stadium. Project Graduation will follow from 9 p.m. - 5 a.m. at the Convention Center. Candidates for graduation stand in front of the Davidson Gymnasium before the Baccalaureate Service on May 19. For more on the Class of 2013, check out The Ozona Stockman's special Graduation Edition inside.

Preparing for a disaster

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Crockett
County has a disaster plan.
At last week's Chamber of Com-



FRED DEATON

merce luncheon, County Judge Fred Deaton, along with local emergency officials, addressed a packed room on the county's strategy if a disaster should strike.

"We have a plan," he said. "We do try to prepare for all this."

THE PLAN AND PERSONNEL

The county's plan is tied to a \$250,000 Homeland Security grant. Also, the county budgets \$400,000 to \$450,000 for EMS and fire department each year.

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Remembering the fallen



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

FLAGS are lowered to half-staff during the annual Memorial Day Ceremony Monday at the Veterans Memorial between Lima and Cedar Hill Cemeteries. Volunteers also placed flags on veterans graves after the service.

State UIL Academic Meet



SUBMITTED PHOTO

OHS STUDENT CHRIS CANTU competed at the State UIL Academic Meet in Austin last week in headline writing. Cantu placed seventh at the meet.

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OHS GRADUATION 8 P.M. FRIDAY AT LION STADIUM

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Coach thanks community, challenges school board

To the athletes I have had the privilege of working with over the past three years I say "thank you." For your acceptance, I am grateful. For your commitment, dedication, and hard work, I am proud of you. For your success I celebrate. The opportunity to develop new and meaningful relationships is an opportunity I value greatly. I have made memories for a lifetime in such a short

period of time. I will miss you. To those supporters of the athletic program I helped Coach Brown develop, thank you. You are the people that understood that we were building better people in the process of building better athletic teams. For the other coaches that went on this journey, I am honored to call you my colleague. To Coach Ray Brown, thank you for your leadership and hard work. Coach Brown

is the best athletic director

and head football coach I have worked with in my 22 year career. I will miss you.

To those in the community that accepted me and my family, I am grateful. We found those willing to get to know us were warm, friendly people. We have built relationships that will last a lifetime and we will miss you.

To those nay-sayers, those that never took the time, nor made the effort, to understand why we came to Ozona, you will never know what you had in a quality family. You are the ones that missed an opportunity to grow with us. We hoped to bring some consistency and continuity; some longevity to a place that we hoped would be our last move in coaching. We hoped for a place that valued the same principles of hard work, firm and fair discipline, and a belief that the journey is more valuable than the destination. If I am speaking to you, then you will miss us when we are gone.

To the Board of Education at CCCCSD, I issue a challenge, a challenge to look outside yourself and your personal agendas and work for the benefit of all stakeholders in Ozona schools. To develop an institution that will value all its resources and utilize each one's talents and gifts for the betterment of the students of Crockett County. 1 challenge the board to find a process for recruiting and retaining quality educators. I challenge you to realize that people

are your greatest resource and when those people are allowed to flourish they can accomplish great things and the winners in that deal are the students.

We do not leave Ozona angry, but disappointed. Every experience is an opportunity to grow and an opportunity to develop one's character. To our friends, students, and supporters we wish you all the best.

> David Kennedy Ozona, Texas

To the Class of 2013, the world awaits

nother school year has come and gone. As the Class of 2013 prepares for graduation, I want to offer some advice from someone who was in their shoes when this class was being born.

When you walk across that stage, you are entering into another part of your life.

Someone once told me that the four years spent in high school are the best ones in your life. While I agree that these four years are memorable, I believe that the best is yet to come for our graduates.

The world is at your feet, but it's up to you to decide how you're going to take that crucial first step.

Whether or not you choose to pursue higher education, or jump into a career, opportunities are out there just waiting for you to grab hold of them.

Of course, there will be times when you are met with temptation, both good and bad.

It's in these moments you have to remember what you've been taught because mom and dad won't always be there to ask. Trust me on this one.

For those of you entering college, you will learn more outside the classroom than in, but go to class. Without those classes, there is no degree.

Be nice to everyone you meet, even if they are not nice to you.

Don't expect to receive awards or recognition just because you participated or showed up for work.

Have a good attitude. My dad always told me that one. As always, dad was right. A good attitude will get you through the toughest times and the hardest decisions.

Trust in your faith. It can also lead you down the right path.

Keep in touch with your friends.

While you may go your separate ways, e-mail, write letters, make a phone call, text message, Facebook, just let each other know how you are doing. I bet they will be in the same



MY MIND

MELISSA PERNER

don't want, at least one or two times, before you find the right

one.

you are.

You

will have

to work

in a job

that you

Remember, it builds character and reminds you of what you want to achieve.

This year's class is a unique blend of characters. Yes, I mean characters, not students.

Each one has a story, a tale to tell, is a part of history that will continue on after

they receive their diplomas. They are a class that has grown up with Internet, cell phones and technology at their fingertips.

Remember, face-to-face conversations are still the best.

This is not the end of your book, but only the ending of a chapter.

Ahead of you lies the wide open world ready for you to explore.

That exploration may take many of you to a university campus. It may take some of you overseas to serve our country.

For others, your journey may begin earning a living.

Whatever path you choose remember you are the author of your own book of life. What theme it will be depends on which choices vou make.

As the Class of 2013 heads out into the world, I want to remind you of some advice from a good doctor named Seuss:

"Be sure when you step, step with care and great tact. And remember that life's a great balancing act. And will you succeed? Yes! You will indeed! (98 and 3/4 percent guaranteed). Kid, you'll move mountains!"

Congratulations to the class of 2013. Good luck to all of you!

> MELISSA PERNER is the editor and publisher of The Ozona Stockman. Way to go Class of 2013!

The Treaty Of 2013

I'll try to keep my cows off the highway if you won't dump your kittens off at the end of my road. We already have a cat

I won't laugh at your kid for having an earring in his ear if you won't laugh at mine for having an empty can of Copenhagen in the back pocket of his Wranglers.

I won't phone and wake you up at four in the morning when I get up if you won't call and wake me up at eight-thirty at night when I'm asleep.

I will feed and water the wildlife for us all to enjoy but please don't cut my fences. And hunters, please don't shoot my cows. (They are the ones that look hungry)

I will slap your kid on the back of his shoulder pads and say, "Nice going," and urge you to pat mine on the back of his FFA jacket.

Please bear with me when I get lost on your freeways and I apologize for going so slow in my tractor on the farm to market roads.

I'll take the time to learn more about you if you'll take a minute to learn about Please don't laugh at us for having a

baby lamb on the hearth and a calf in the bathtub and I won't snicker at your dachshund's new mink coat.

I promise to patronize your place of business because you were kind enough



IT'S THE **PITTS**

LEE PITTS

to buy my kids project animal at the county fair. Thanks again, we do really appreciate it.

I won't ruin your neighborhood by moving a feedlot in next door to your condominium if you won't move next to my feedlot and then ask me to get out of town because I stink. I won't judge you by

read in newspaper if you won't judge me by what you read on PETA's web page.

what I see on TV or

I will pay all I can afford for the privilege of running my livestock on our federal lands. I will try my best to preserve our public lands for all of us to enjoy if you would please not shoot my water troughs full of holes. The wildlife need a drink too, you know? I won't scar the landscape by overgrazing if you won't scar it with your Yamahas and Hondas.

I won't dump cow manure in your backyard if you would just keep toxic waste dumps out of my backyard.

If you promise not to tear down my corrals for firewood I promise not to steal the towels from Holiday Inn next time we go to the big city. And when we are driving through your fair city I will take the time to point out to my kids all the good things about you and where you live. We will marvel at your skyscrapers and admire you handiwork. When you take your kids on vacation this summer and pass by my place I have hopes that you would do the same. Please point out the miles of post holes dug in rock and how straight the fences are.

I will buy your Chevrolet if you will buy my beef. Let's all buy products "Made In America".

I won't throw my Lone Star bottles on your front lawn if you won't throw your Bud Light cans in my front pasture.

I will keep dangerous drugs out of your hamburgers and lets both keep them away from our kids... the drugs I mean, not the hamburgers.

I will grant the power companies and telephone companies easements so you can have electricity and make phone calls... but please close the gates.

I won't think that all of you city people are drug snorting paranoids on welfare, and please don't think of as illiterate hicks who live off farm subsidies.

I will try to do a better job in understanding you and provide you with the kind of food that you want and need. If vou will just let me.

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End comes to Legislature's regular session

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS By Ed Sterling | Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — Texas lawmakers finally passed Senate Bill 1, a state budget for fiscal biennium 2014-2015, on May 26, the 139th day of the 140-day regular session of the 83rd Texas Legislature.

Next stop will be Gov. Rick Perry's desk for the \$197 billion budget - which came in at about \$7 billion more than the estimated budget for the current fiscal biennium. Perry had asked lawmakers to make about \$2 billion in tax reductions, but the budget he will be looking at brings in cuts totaling an estimated \$1 billion.

Various other legislation also on the way to Perry, for example, changes student testing requirements, benefits charter schools, increases Medicaid funding, allows issuance of campus "carry" permits and much more. Among bills Perry already has vetoed was one that would have

identified individual citizens who donate to so-called "dark money" organizations. The veto period will end June 16.

In passing the budget on the Senate side, Senate Finance Committee Chairman Tommy Williams, R-The Woodlands, credited his committee and each member of the Senate for producing a "fair and reasonable" document. House Appropriations Chairman Jim Pitts, R-Waxahachie, who along with Williams was the main architect of the budget on the House side, credited his committee for its work.

One of piece of legislation that passed in the final week of the session does not require any action by the governor is Senate Joint Resolution 1, a proposed amendment to the state constitution that will appear on the Nov. 5 statewide election

ballot. Voters will decide if they want to finance water infrastructure improvements by amending the constitution to create a state water implementation fund in the state treasury, outside of the general revenue fund. The money, \$2 billion initially, would be withdrawn from the state's so-called Rainy Day Fund, a savings account built up primarily from natural gas tax and oil production tax revenue, that may be used to respond to emergencies such as those caused by wildfires, hurricanes and drought. The transfer of funds out of the Rainy Day Fund requires enabling legislation, in this case, HB 1025.

SUPPLEMENTAL BILL PASSES

House Bill 1025, the supplemental appropriations bill, covers various funding

shortages in the current state budget until Aug. 31, the last day of the fiscal year. The bill, heavily amended in the Senate, is undergoing scrutiny in the House. Authored primarily by Chairman Pitts and Chairman Williams, HB 1025 includes \$450 million to repair, maintain and improve **PLEASE** SEE STATE, PAGE 8

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Knox wins summer Fulbright

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Duncan Knox, a sophomore in Angelo State University's Honors Program, has been selected for a 2013 Fulbright Summer Institute for Young American Student Leaders at the University of Bristol in the United Kingdom.

A history major with primary interests in colonial America and European history, Knox is one of just nine students chosen from throughout the U.S. for the four-week institute, which is themed "Slavery and the Atlantic Heritage" and will run June 1-29. Activities will include academic lectures and discussion, cultural site visits, interaction with Bristol University students and faculty, and volunteering with a community service organization in Bristol.

Staffed by scholars from Africa, North America and the U.K., the institute offers American students an unprecedented perspective from all three continents in the notorious Triangle Trade. Participants will gain appreciation for the complexity and commercial relevance of the 18th-century smuggling and slave trade, as well as the contrasting legacies of the slave trade between the U.K. and Africa. They will also gain greater insights into the history and culture of the U.K. in general.

"I am excited to have this amazing opportunity to study at prestigious Bristol University and to learn from noted scholars," Knox said.



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"I believe that this will not only enrich my understanding of the Atlantic slave trade by exposing me to continental and African perspectives, but also expand my cultural horizons by allowing me to travel abroad for the first time and learn more about our British heritage. I hope to gain knowledge, contribute my ideas and collaborate with others in a unique learning experience."

Knox is an OHS Graduate and son of Bobby Knox,

Knox was selected for the institute by the U.S.-U.K. Fulbright Commission through a rigorous application and interview process. Criteria included academic excellence, focused application, a range of extracurricular and community activities, demon-

strated ambassadorial skills. a desire to further the Fulbright Program and a plan to give back to the recipient's home country upon returning. Each year, the commission supports about 50 U.S. and U.K. undergraduate students for the Fulbright Summer Institutes at leading institutions in the U.K. and U.S., respectively.

Created by treaty in 1948, the U.S.-U.K. Fulbright Commission is part of the Fulbright Program conceived by Sen. J. William Fulbright in the aftermath of World War II to promote leadership, learning and empathy between nations through educational exchange.

More information on the commission is available online at www.fulbright.org. uk/.

Raj graduates from **UNT** medical school

Paarth Raj graduated from the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine at the University of North Texas Health Science Center on May 18.

The UNT Health Science Center graduated 124 doctors of osteopathy from the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine (TCOM) on May 18.

Raj will specialize in Emergency Medicine and complete residency at the Hackensack University Medical Center in Hackensack, N.J.

Raj is an OHS Graduate and the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Bhakta, of Ozona.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 29 - Mayeli Gutierrez, Courtney Childress, Oscar Sanchez Jr., Lana Chandler, Mozelle Houston and Devin Vargas

May 30 - Kassandra Baltazar, Bryan Salinas, Lupe Gonzales and Sydney Flores

May 31 - Keyarah Carlson and Lexi Poindexter

June 1 - Corey Mitchel, Silas Conner Garcia, Christy Vasquez Cruz, Royce Newton, Zay Gonzales and Stephanie Hansen

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

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, May 29

- Eighth Grade Field Trip to Austin.
- Exercise Classes, 8 a.m. at the Senior Center. • Pre-K Graduation, 9:30 a.m. at the OES Cafeteria.
- Kindergarten End-of-Year Cumulating Presentation, 11 a.m. at the OES Pavilion.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Thursday, May 30

- End of the Six Sixth Weeks, last day of school at Ozona Schools.
- OHS Graduation Practice and Breakfast for Seniors, 8:30 a.m. at the Civic Center and Lion Stadium.
- OMS Spring Fling at the middle school.
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- OES Awards program, 9:30 a.m. at the OES Gymnasium.
- Balance Exercise, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Ozona Bands Spring Concert, 7 p.m. at the Fair Park Convention Center. Friday, May 31

- Exercise Classes, 8 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- CCCCSD Staff Appreciation Luncheon, 11:45 a.m. at the OMS Cafeteria.
- 42, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- OHS Graduation, 8 p.m. at Lion Stadium.
- OHS Project Graduation, 9 p.m. at the Fair Park Convention Center.

Monday, June 3

- Exercise Classes, 8 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Summer Reading Program, 10-11 a.m., 6-12 years, 11 a.m.-noon, 3-5 years, at
- the Crockett County Public Library. • Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- CCCCSD School Board meeting, 6 p.m. at the Administration Building.

Tuesday, June 4

• Concho Valley Community Action Agency, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Senior Center.

• Balancing exercise, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.

• CCCCSD School Board meeting, 6 p.m. at the Administration Building.

Wednesday, June 5

- Exercise Classes, 8 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.



OZONA WOMAN'S FORUM NEWS

BY CHARLOTTE HARRELL TEXAS GARDEN CLUBS INC.

The Woman's Forum met Tuesday, May 21, at the Circle Bar Restaurant for lunch. Seventeen members were present for the final meeting of the 2012-2013 year. Jean Reardon, Brenda Newton, Jean Odom, and Sandy Bebee served as hostesses. Jean Reardon led the invocation and the pledge to the U.S. flag. President Betty Huffman led the business meeting. She was pleased to announce that the Woman's Forum presented two \$1,500 scholarships to Jade Carty and Cynthia Garcia by Charlotte Harrell at the recent Ozona High School Awards banquet. Allie Black was given our annual Best Citizen Award by Betty Huffman. Jade Carty's goal is to become a math teacher, and Cynthia Garcia's goal is to be a pediatric nurse.

Betty Huffman presented her President's Rose to Marolyn Bean for being a long time community leader and for her role in bringing "The Tie That Binds" statue to fruition in the park.

JoAnn Babbitt reported that she and her committee have just mailed 103 letters to businesses, asking for contributions towards the Christmas Courthouse Lighting project.

Charlotte Harrell asked members to consider setting aside some scholarship funds in order to establish a permanent fund with the San Angelo Area Foundation, which would generate enough income for future scholarships without the necessity of raising all of our funding each year. A minimum of \$10,000 is needed to

establish such a fund. Betty Huffman noted that Marilyn Cox is unable to continue as our Secretary for the coming year and asked evervone to confirm Charlotte Harrell in the dual position of Secretary/Treasurer for 2013-2014. The recommendation was accepted.

Everyone present lauded Betty Huffman for being such a fine president during the past year, while Betty Huffman wished everyone a safe and happy summer.

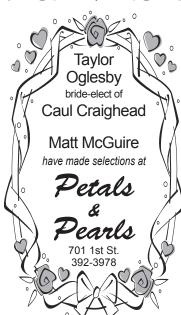
Members attending were JoAnn Babbitt, Marolyn Bean, Sandy Bebee, Norma Carson, Arlene Clayton, Janie Everett, Charlotte Harrell, Beth Hoover, Betty Huffman, Virginia Hubbard, Linda Moore, Brenda Newton, Jean Odom, Willa Perry, Jean Reardon, Nell Wester, and Louise Taliaferro.

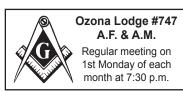






are invited to make selections. Allie Black Jessica Borrego Lisa Dorrough Cynthia Garcia Alexandra Lozano Sierra Trevino Jacinda Villarreal Have Made Gift Selections





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

Looking for a Church to Attend? We invite you to come fellowship

with us at Temploe Siloe Assembly of God Church. We would love to have you! Every Sunday - 9:45 a.m.

Transportation is available Call Pastors Ruth & Gerson Posadas 15-329-8840 cell or 392-9238 ho

COUPLES COUNSELING

TEXAS GARDEN CLUBS INC. NEWS

Harrell, Williams attend state convention

BY CHARLOTTE HARRELL TEXAS GARDEN CLUBS INC.

Charlotte Harrell and Rosalind Williams were privileged to represent Ozona Garden Club at the state convention in College Station April 21-24, along with 196 other Texas Garden Club members.

Rosalind Williams will be president of Ozona Garden Club for the 2013-2015 administration, so she was able to learn a lot about the organization, which should be helpful over the next two-year administration.

"Kicking Up Our Heels with Texas Garden Clubs" was the convention theme as we bid farewell to President Kathy Cox of El Paso and welcomed Sarah McReynolds of Groesbeck, the in-coming president of Texas Garden Clubs.

Charlotte Harrell will be the Award of Excellence chairman during her administration.

At the convention, Ozona Garden Club was given two awards for our sponsorship of Youth Contests (Smokey Bear/Woodsey Owl poster contest) and other contributions to Texas Garden Clubs. One Ozona student's poster won a state-wide award, which will be announced separately by the poster committee.

As well as eternal busi-

ness meetings, members enjoyed good food and entertainment at the Hilton College Station Hotel. We were awed by the energy and prowess of the Aggie Wranglers who did a lot of acrobatic dancing one evening. Members learned new gardening tricks in three excellent workshops: Pressed Flower Note Cards; Leaf Manipulation; and Designing a Medicine Wheel Garden.

Dr. Jane Cohen gave a fine slide presentation about the Daffodils for the Governor's Mansion project, which was celebrated in Austin in February.

Linda Whetsell sented "How to Grow Clean Air," stressing the important cleansing effects that plants have on our air.

At the Youth Awards luncheon, Dana Serafine, VP Youth Awards, presented Yana Gendke, winner of the High School Speech contest as well as Rachel Nichols, winner of a TGC Scholarship. Both young ladies spoke effectively, making us proud of their achievements and dreams for the future.

Our keynote speakers gave fascinating lectures with slides: "Heirloom Plants and Gardens for Texas" by Dr. William Welch; "Dragonflies of Texas" by Dr. Jason Locklin: and the Consumer" by Dr. eration Council Sept. 24-26.

Bhimu Patil.

Nearly everyone boarded two tour buses to visit the George H.W. Bush Presidential Library as well as a fantastic ceramics exhibition displayed in the TAMU museum in the Student Center. The same evening Dr. James L. Johnson, Director Emeritus of the Benz School of Floral Design at TAMU delighted us with his program "Remembering Texas Design Seminars- Creativity." Afterward, his designs were auctioned to the highest bidders.

Before the General Assembly, the Texas A&M University Corps of Cadets Color Guard presented the American and Texas flags. Mayor Nancy Berry welcomed members to College Station; Dr. Jane Cohen welcomed members to District V; President Kaye Hamn extended a welcome from Texas A&M Garden Club; TGC President Kathy Cox extended a welcome and greetings; Renee Blaschke brought greetings from National Garden Clubs; and, Judy Grotts brought greetings from the NGC South Central Region. Chaplin Marlene Schumacher led a touching memorial service for members who died during the past year.

The Texas Garden Clubs' 2013 Fall convention will be and "Fruits and Vegetables hosted by the Houston Fed-

OBITUARIES

Allen Smith Jr.

Allen Smith, Jr. 79, of Camp Wood, Texas went to be with his Lord May 15, 2013 at University Hospital in San Antonio, Texas. He was born in Real County on October 31, 1933, to Allen Smith, Sr. and Alice Wells Smith.

Allen spent his childhood years in Nueces Canyon and graduated from Rocksprings High School in 1952. He graduated from Spartan Aeronautical Institute in 1953, then attended Sul Ross University and subsequently joined the Army where he served for two years.

Allen married Beth Mansfield on July 19, 1958 in London, Texas. He and Beth resided in Junction from 1958-1960, Rocksprings from 1960-1984, Ozona from 1984-1998, and then Nueces Canyon. Allen retired from Country Boys Feed and Supply in March 2013. He was the happiest when he was with family and friends and helping others. He was a devoted member of the Barksdale Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Beth Smith of Camp Wood, two daughters Cheryl New and Jimmy Reeves of Liberty Hill, Texas, Wanda Sanders of Leander. Texas. Grandchildren: Dobie New and wife Brittany, Dakota New, Colt New and all of those who called him Grandad including Jake, Jason, & Jayla Reeves. Brother: Clinton Smith and wife Nettie of Junction, Texas. Sister: Bonnie Sierakowski and husband Stan of San Angelo, Texas. He is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews who were each very special

He was preceded in death



by: his parents, Allen Smith, Sr. and Alice Wells Smith, sister, Edda Ray Moody and husband Dean Allan, mother and father-in-law: Beatrice and Cecil Mansfield, niece: Sherrie Mansfield Walter.

Pallbearers are: Stan Cottle, Jimmy Reeves, Stanley New, Colt New, Bill Brown, Garrett Brown, Josh Sierakowski and Randy Gibbs.

Honorary pallbearers are: Allen Ray Moody, Clint Smith, Jr., Carlos Gibbs, Grant Seale, Bill Seale, Bobby Cottle, John Cox, and Bill Davis.

Funeral services were held Saturday, May 18, 2013 in the Barksdale Baptist Church in Barksdale, Texas, with Pastor Blake Westbrook and Pastor Charlie Baird officiating. Committal services followed in the Rocksprings Cemetery.

Interpretation of Matthew 25: 31-46 by Allen Smith, Jr.

"There's gonna be a Cut N Shoot someday...Some will go to the North and some will go to the South pasture, and you don't want to end up in the South pasture."

The family invites you to leave a condolence at www. nelsonfuneralhomes.net. Arrangements are under the personal care of Nelson Funeral Home of Camp Wood, Texas.

HELPING HANDS NEWS

Helping Hands is in need of volunteers to deliver meals to the elderly. If you have some time this summer, or need some community service for school, come by or call (325) 392-5026.

For applications, call Weldon Nicks at (325) 392-3600. **MAY 29**

·Buttered cod wedge, squash and carrots, green peas, hush puppies, peaches

percent milk.

MAY 30

· Barbecue chicken breast, corn O'Brien, stewed tomatoes, wheat bread, fruit cup with oranges and one percent

MAY 31

·Chop steak and mushrooms, mashed potatoes, Capri vegetables, whole wheat roll, banana and one percent milk. JUNE 3

· Chicken and dumplings,

broccoli with cheese, apple cobbler, wheat roll and one percent milk.

JUNE 4

·Breaded pork chop, black-eyed peas, turnip greens, cornbread, rosy pears and one percent milk. **JUNE 5**

· Meatloaf with tomato sauce, mashed potatoes, okra and tomatoes, cornbread, orange mandarin gelatin and one percent milk.

and strawberries and one

THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Last week I was traveling in another part of our state so Sunday I visited a cowboy church in that area. I really enjoyed the service and I noticed they had two flags in the sanctuary. One was the American flag and the other was the Christian flag. I was really touched when we said the pledge of allegiance to the American flag and it caused me renew my commitment and loyalty to our country. We also said a pledge to the Christian flag and it made me think deeply about my commitment and loyalty to God. I affirmed in my heart that I want try and be committed and loyal to God. The Bible talks a good bit about commitment, loyalty and faithfulness. Some people are mentioned for their faithfulness such as Timothy, Tychicus, Epaphras, Onesimus and Silvanus to mention a few. God gives us a chance to see how we are going to do. We can reject Him if we want but we will suffer the consequences. The other area is of service or how we live for Him. Many start with Christ but sooner or later abandon or forget Him, (Matthew 24:45-51). God promises a reward for faithful service to Him, (Matthew 25:21, Hebrews 3:5&6, Revelation 2:10). Those who leave or abandon following God will lose in this life but also a great amount in the afterlife, (Matthew 24:48-51).

See you in Church next Sunday.

Brother J

First Baptist Church

Pastor Chris Johnson Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting - 6 p.m.

Templo Bautista Jerusalem

138 Blas St. Rev. Esequiel Cervantez Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m, 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida Corner of Secretariat & Man O' War

Pastor Juan Avila Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 6 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church 601 Ave. I

Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Sunday Worship: 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship: 7 p.m.

New Beginnings Church

701 9th Street **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.

Faith Lutheran Church 802 1st St.

Pastor Tom Baden Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 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.

Jueves: 6:00 p.m

Attend the Church of your choice this Sunday

Ozona United **Methodist Church**

12 - 11th St. Pastor Jean Reardon Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

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OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

Community action agency comes Tuesday

BY BRENDA NEWTON SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

Can't seem to quit thinking about all the people hit all the tornadoes and the problems they are having and facing in the future. Bless their hearts, I can't even imagine how they feel. We need to thank the Good Lord every day for the things we

have and take for granted. On a happier note, I hope you guys had a safe and fun time during the three day holiday. It was nice the have time off from the same ole' same ole' but it is nice to have a job to go to.

Remember the copy machine and the computers set up here for your use. The tutorial tapes on computers, Long Term Care, Hand-on Skills are here for your use. The Wii games are really fun on the 60-inch TV. It is fun to play golf, bowl, play tennis, play baseball or box while sitting in a chair or moving in front of the TV. Remember we have good air conditioning and heating and would love to share it with you. Beat this 100-degree weather and have fun while you are at it. If you are not into moving around much, the puzzle is there to work on. You gotta keep that ole brain active. If you don't use it - you lose it.

We still have the exercise on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 8 a.m. Balance exercises are on Tuesday and

Thursday afternoons at 2 p.m. You will be doing your body a favor if you attend and take advantage of E. A. Wadsworths nursing abilities with this exercise. She will guide you with moves that will make you feel better and help you move more freely and possibly keep you from a painful fall in the future. If you play bridge, this is the place to come on Monday afternoons at 1:30 p.m. and the Mexican Train takes off on Wednesdays at 1:30 p.m. The ladies are still having their prayer group on Wednesday afternoons at 3 p.m. If you think of something else you might like to do, let me know and I will try to set it up for

If you are reading this and know someone that is having a little trouble making ends meet, let them know that Concho Valley Community Action Agency will be here on June 4 from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Come early and get your name on the list. They leave right at three, so if you do not have your name on the list, you might miss them.

There is a TV in the Man Cave with all the cable channels. Maybe you would like to come watch TV where it is quiet, or play pool, or play dominoes. There is also a coffee maker there for your use and a microwave for you to use if needed.

Come on out, the coffee

Card of Thanks

A special "thank you" to Dr. Sims and the hospital staff for stabilizing Lyndon during his heart attack and to Eddie Martin and the EMTs for their speedy transport to San Angelo. Once again our local heroes saved a precious life! We appreciate all the prayers and concern for Lyndon during this time of healing.

Lyndon and Laurie English and family



OMS girls honored with tea party



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN MAKENNA FOX shows off her

teacup and saucer.

'We wanted to do something fabulous for you girls'

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Girls are as precious as a China cup. That's what OMS Principal Tammy McWilliams believes.

In honoring that statement, McWilliams and OMS Counselor Leanna Childress gave tea parties last week for all the OMS girls at the Crockett Room.

The parties were not only a way to honor the girls, but to also teach them about etiquette and manners in a formal setting.

Each girl was also given her China teacup and saucer as a reminder of the event.

"We wanted to do something fabulous for you girls. A tea party is the perfect girl event," Childress said.

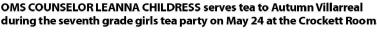
Some of the China used at the parties belonged to OMS Teachers Mary Anne Deaton and Lisa Harmsen's grandmother, along with the late Becky Childress, a former CCCCSD School Board member.

Childress also explained to the girls how each of them are like a China cup in that they are beautiful, unique, valuable, very fragile and resistant and irreplaceable, everybody learns from their mistakes and they are all pre-

"We love our girls, you all are amazing," Childress said. "We live in a disposable society. Today, we only wanted the finest things for you. Every time we get this China out we will think of you."









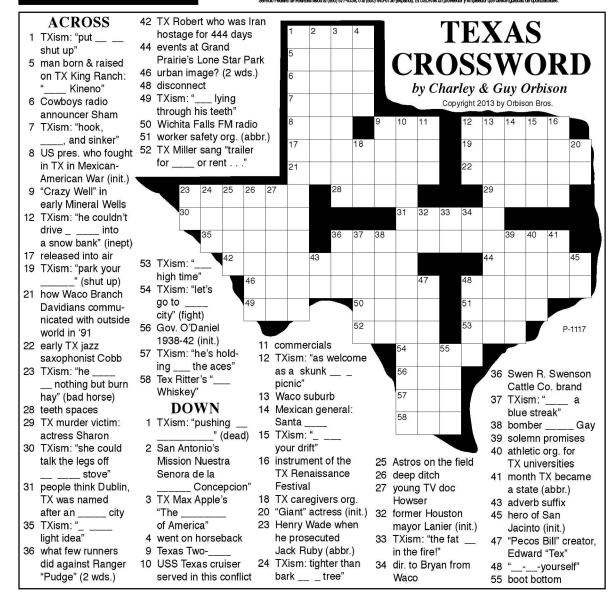


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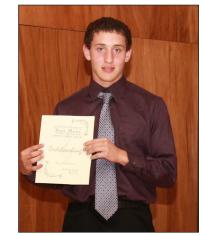
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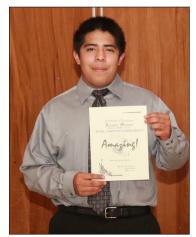
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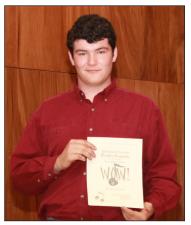
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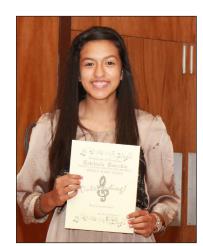
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WOW AWARD Travis Gunnels WALK A MILE AWARD Saul Vargas (not pictured)



ASSISTANT COLOR GUARD CAPTAIN **Rebecca Hernandez COLOR GUARD CAPTAIN** Lexi Poindexter (not pictured)



OUTSTANDING COLOR GUARD MEMBER Estefania Torralba

Ozona Bands Spring Concert







and Ozona High School Bands, as well as a tribute to former OHS Band Director Kelly Glaze.







JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONASTOCKMAN



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Youth Center Calendar of Events CLOSED FRIDAY, MAY 31, **FOR GRADUATION**

HIGH SCHOOL:

Monday: 7-10 p.m. Tuesday: 2-7 p.m. Wednesday: 7-10 p.m. Thursday: 2-10 p.m. Friday: 2 p.m.-midnight Saturday: 2-7 p.m.

7TH & 8TH GRADE:

Tuesday: 7-10 p.m. Wednesday: 2-7 p.m. Saturday: 7-10 p.m.

CLOSED SUNDAYS OHS MEAL NIGHT:

Mondays - 7-10 p.m.

7TH AND 8TH GRADES MEAL NIGHTS:

Every other Tuesday 7-10 p.m.

Ozona Schools May Calendar of Events

May 29 - Pre-K Graduation Ceremony, 9:30 a.m. at the OES Cafeteria; Kindergarten End-of-Year Cumulating Presentation, 11 a.m. at the OES Pavilion; OMS Eighth Grade Field Trip to Austin; OHS Senior Exams fifth, sixth and seventh periods.

May 30 - OES Awards Program, 9:30 a.m. at the OES Gymnasium; OHS Senior Graduation Practice and Breakfast, 8:30 a.m. at Lion Stadium and Civic Center.

May 31 - OHS Graduation, 8 p.m. at Lion Stadium.

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OMS Academic Awards



 $OMS\ EIGHTH\ GRADE\ STUDENTS\ received\ their\ Passports\ to\ Success\ during\ the\ May\ 22\ Ozona\ Middle\ School\ Academic\ Awards\ Ceremony.$

JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZO NASTOCKMAN

The Ozona Middle School held their annual Academic Awards on May 22 at the Civic Center.

A HONOR ROLL Eighth Grade: Gage Glidewell

Seventh Grade: Matthew Gunnels, Brenna Hale and Samantha Torralba

Sixth Grade: Chantz Elliott

A-BHONOR ROLL

Eighth Grade: Jasmine Carty, Thomas Cruz, Madison Galindo, Garry Held, Asia Lara, Kamryn Lozano, Timothy Maldonado, Julie Marshall, Rachel Mendoza, Kelly Sewell, Dacie Taylor and Azaylea Tovar

Seventh Grade: Alejandra Camarillo, Makenna Fox, Kassidy Gonzalez, Sara Gunnels, Michel Guerrero, Andy Hernandez, Murray Logan, Danny Posadas, Denise Rodriguez, Kaelen Savala, Hunter Smith and Autumn Villarreal

Sixth Grade: Jackie Guerra, Ivana Hernandez, Jazmin Hernandez, Austin Hokit, Josh Knaack, Isaura Lopez, Karina Marmolejo, Coulter McWilliams, Marisol Medina, Adalyn Nehus, Shelbie Rust, Chrsitian Valdes, Xena Vargas, Paige Villarreal, Caleb

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PRESIDENTIAL ACADEMIC

EXCELLENCE
Eighth Grade: Gage
Glidewell, Asia Lara, Kamryn

Lozano, Julie Marshall and Dacie Taylor Seventh Grade: Alejandra Camarillo, Josea Coy, Roman Esparza, Makenna Fox, Kassidy Gonzalez, Matthew Gunnels, Brenna Hale, Andy

Hernandez, Denise Rodriguez, Kaelen Savala, Hunter Smith, Samantha Torralba and Autumn Villarreal Sixth Grade: Chantz Elliott, Ivana Hernandez, Jazmin Hernandez, Josh

Elliott, Ivana Hernandez, Jazmin Hernandez, Josh Knaack, Coulter McWilliams, Marisol Medina, Adalyne Nehus, Yasmin Ojeda, Shelbie Rust and Caleb Webb

> PRESIDENTIAL OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

Sixth Grade: Destiny Perez, Carlos Soto, Lisa Jay Vargas, David Landin, Marianna Garza, Jackie Guerra, Austin Hokit, Riley Williams, Kameron Ortiz, Ebony Ramirez and Xena Vargas

Seventh Grade: Sara Gunnels, Brandon Jara, Itzel Esmerado and Brenna Hale, 40 Book Challenge Eighth Grade: Ornaldo Meza, Adrian Rodriguez, Cameron Rutherford, Raven Perez, Megan Vasquez, Gabriela Treto, Dacie Taylor, 40 Book Challenge and Julie Marshall, 40 Book Challenge

PERFECT ATTENDANCE Sixth Grade - Caleb Webb

SUBJECT AWARDS

Eighth Grade: English -Edgar Damian, Pricila Rodriguez and Dacie Taylor

Math – Thomas Fay and Kelly Sewell

Algebra I – Asia Lara and Julie Marshall Science – Gage Glide-

Science – Gage Glidewell, Cade Hardy and Maddie Hubbard Social Studies – Luis

Contreras, Thomas Cruz and Kamryn Lozano Read Right – Erika

Vasquez Gifted and Talented -

Gifted and Talented Dacie Taylor

Band – Trystian Galindo, Timothy Maldonado and Rachel Mendoza Technology - Jake Ever-

ett, Sydney Fierro and Elizabeth Rodriguez Seventh Grade: English - Kassidy Gonzalez, Brenna

Hale and Kaelen Savala Math – Makenna Fox, Sarah Gunnels and Autumn Villarreal

Science – Alejandra Camarillo, Josea Coy and Murray Logan

Social Studies – Roman Esparza, Caleb Martinez and Samantha Torralba

Read Right – Audrey Gandar

Gifted and Talented – Matthew Gunnels

Band – Josea Coy, Brenna Hale and Denise Rodriguez Technology – Audrey

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Coulter McWilliams and Yasmin Ojeda

Science - Chantz Elliott, Esperanza Ramirez and Shelbie Rust

Social Studies – Bryan Salinas, Kyle Lewis and Jordan Martin

Read Right - Debra Torres Gifted and Talented -Josh Knaack

Band - Carlos Martinez, Christian Valdez and Paige Villarreal

PE – Kassidy McCutcheon and Ryan Pena Technology - Isaura Lopez, Karina Marmolejo and Debora Torres

EIGHTH GRADE PASSPORTS TO SUCCESS

Paola Blanco, Jasmine Carty, Veronica Collins, Luis Contreras, Thomas Cruz, Edgar Damian, Vanessa De La Rosa, Zachary Dockal, Jake Everett, Jared Everett, Weston Fay, Michael Fay, Aidan Fierro, Jaeden Focha, Madison Galindo, Trystian Galindo, Devan Gamez, Gage Glidewell, Timothy Hardy, Cora Harrison, Garry Held, Madyson Hubbard. Maiah Jurado, Asia Lara, Paige Lewis, Kamryn Lozano, Timothy Maldonado, Julie Marshall, Caleb Martinez, Jose Martinez, Olivia Mata, Preston McCutcheon, Juan Mendez, Rachel Mendoza, Ornaldo Meza, Ivy Pena, Anthony Perez, Jadon Perez, Raven Perez, Sidney Perez, Alice Reynosa, Amery Robison, Alberto Rodriguez, Elizabeth Rodriguez, Pricila Rodriguez, Adrian Rodriguez, Cameron Rutherford, Emmanuel Sarabia, Matthew Scheel, Kelly Sewell, Meagan Shook, Briana Smith, Dacie Taylor, Azaylea Tovar, Gabriela Treto, Bobbie Jo Vargas, Sarah Vargas, Megan Vasquez, Erika Vasquez Chavez and Gregory Williams.

OMS Tennis players place at district

The OMS Tennis Team competed at the District Meet in San Angelo on May 18.

The team brought home six medals.

Roman Esparza and Samantha Torralba placed second in seventh grade mixed doubles.

The duo beat Allen and Goolsey, of Miles, 6-2 and then lost to Gomez and Martinez, of Mertzon, 6-2.

Rachel Mendoza placed third in eighth grade girls singles.

Mendoza beat Wardlaw, of Mertzon, 6-0; lost to Aripse, of Eldorado, 6-2 and beat Lindley, of Mertzon, 6-1.

Kobe Rodriguez placed third in seventh grade boys singles.

Rodriguez beat Pourciau, of Mertzon, 6-1; lost to Martin, of Eldorado, 6-1 and beat Benson, of Mertzon, 6-2.

In seventh grade girls doubles, Michelle Guerrero and Larissa Hernandez placed third.

The duo beat Lovelace and Hernandez, of Winters, 6-4; lost to Welton and Perez, of Iraan, 6-4 and beat Robertson and Deanda, of Mertzon, 6-3.

Also competing were: Sara Gunnels, Denis Rodriguez, Kassidy Gonzales, Brenna Hale, Meagan Vasquez, Meagan Shook, Trystian Galindo, Gary Held, Juan Mendez, Preston McCutcheon, Weston Fay, Maiah Jurado and Ornaldo Meza.

"We had a great and fun season learning and competing. I am so very proud of all the players," said Coach Taylor Baker.



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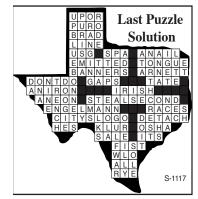
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as weather spotters and are Ozona Hair Company called out in bad weather. Crockett County CCSD Tues.-Fri. • 9 a.m.-5 p.m. LATER BY APPOINTMENT also has lightning warning sys-

tems in place at Lion Stadium 392-4247 (HAIR) 226-2838 and the north baseball parks. "It's important for you to have a plan and a place to go **Crockett County Care Center**

in bad weather," Deaton said. "Your car is not a safe place." Crockett County also has seven flood-control dams that were built by the Army

Core of Engineers after the 1954 flood that killed 20 people and destroyed 300



PLAN: from page 1

The Ozona Volunteer Fire

Department is headed by Fire

Chief Bob Falkner, has 31 vol-

unteers and Steve Kenley is

Deaton also mentioned local

ranchers that use sprayers

county has three ambulanc-

es. EMT Coordinator is Eddie

Martin. He is also the assis-

tant emergency management

coordinator. There are 19

with the Family Health Cen-

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Emergency Response Team

(CERT) that is a group of lo-

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emergency personnel to take

WARNING SYSTEMS

AND PREVENTION

911 phone system. When an

emergency hits, the county

puts out a message through

the system that calls all list-

on the county's website at

www.co.crockett.tx.us to put

their cell phone and unlist-

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citizens to take cover due to

10 p.m. and during church

services and funerals, unless

there is a major emergency.

The siren with one con-

The sirens are silent after

Firefighters are also trained

tem," Deaton said.

uses warning sirens.

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bad weather.

used in the 2011 wildfires.

ed local phone numbers.

The county has a reverse

People can also register

"We can send a message

The fire department also

The siren that has three

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The county also works

There is also the Citizens

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State Health Services.

Frank Tambunga.

care of us," Deaton.

On the EMS side, the

the county fire marshal.

during wildfires.

These dams are inspected every year and maintained by the county and the Crockett Soil and Water Conservation District.

In 2007, the county received a grant from the Concho Valley Council of Governments to purchase a generator. This generator is on top of Waterworks Hill to provide water if the electricity goes out for long periods of time.

The Fair Park Convention Center is also supplied to house people if needed as a shelter.

Crockett County also has interlocal agreements with all surrounding counties for emergency services.

WHEN DIASTER STRIKES

Deaton said 72-hours is the key when a disaster hits. At this time, Deaton declares the county a disaster area and calls for help.

Deaton used the 2011 wildfires that hit the county as examples throughout his presentation.

After 72 hours, Deaton said that is when the state was called in to help through the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Incident Management System.

An emergency operations center is set up at the fire department or EMS building.

"It takes a lot of coordination to make this work. After three days, our local volunteers are tired. It's hard on them. The state and federal officials start coming in and a lot of toes can get stepped on," he said. "We keep local officials in the operations center with state and federal officials.'

Deaton said local officials explain about private property issues, the disaster or situation at hand and the terrain or area that is being dealt with.

"There's a lot of emotion at this time. We practice so we can prepare for this," Deaton said.

The Chandlerdale West area on the southeast part of Ozona has been discussed lately by commissioners due to heavy flooding that has occurred in that area.

Deaton said the commissioners are still working on a plan and that an emergency gate has been put in place in that area.

Falkner also said the fire department does yearly drills with local oilfield companies as well. Falkner said this is to help officials in case an explosion, like the recent one in West, Texas, happens.

HOW TO HELP

When a disaster strikes, it's best to check with the fire department on how to help during that time.

Deaton said people are always needed to help.

"Don't think that just because you don't have any firefighting skills, you can't help," he said. "I've never seen any place pull together like this town does.'

Volunteers interested in joining the CERT group can call Tambunga at 392-2827.

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Crockett County Sheriff's Weekly Activity Report

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Incident Reports: May 19-27

· Local citizen reported a company attempted to run money scam on her via telephone, claiming she was a prize winner and needed to send them a fee to collect the money. Alert citizen did not respond to scam. 5-23-13

• Local business requested charges be filed on subject who had presented a false payroll check for money. Case is pending further investigation. 5-24-13

· Local citizen reported vandalism to a vehicle parked near school area. Sheriff's office has identified high school students involved and continuing investigation.

• Sheriff's office filed a driving while intoxicated third or more report, following a traffic stop by sheriff's deputy. One person was arrested at scene.

5-27-13

• Sheriff's office filed a criminal trespass report following a disturbance report at an apartment complex on State Highway 163 south. A person previously warned to stay off the property was involved and was arrested at the scene.

Arrest Report: May 19-27 5-21-13

 Erika Torres Rubio, of Ozona, was arrested by sheriff's deputy for possession of synthetic marijuana under two ounces. She posted bond and was released. 5-26-13

• Brad Orin Bettis, of Ozona, was arrested by sheriff's deputy for driving while intoxicated third or more. He currently remains in custody and will be transferred to Upton County.

• Raul Armando Morin Jr., of San Diego, Calif., was arrested by sheriff's deputy for an outstanding warrant from California of sexual assault. He remains in custody pending extradition.

• Oscar Garcia Jr., of El Paso, was arrested by DPS Trooper for outstanding warrant of deceptive trade from El Paso. He posted bail and

was released. • Diana Yvette Lara, of Ozona, was arrested on view by sheriff's deputy for public intoxication. She paid fine and was released.

5-27-13 • Rocky Matthew Munoz, of Ozona, was arrested on view by sheriff's deputy for driving while license invalid. He paid fine and was re-

• Cora Shaynne Williams, of Ozona, was arrested on view by sheriff's deputy for criminal trespass. She remains in custody pending

FIRE DEPARTMENT RUNS

 5:50 a.m. - Motor vehicle accident, I-10 service road near mile-marker 378. Vehicle hit deer. Two units, five firefighters. Time in service 47 minutes.

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5/20/2013

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Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital 911 Response (Emergency) 5/24/2013

• 2:43 a.m. - Treatment, No Transport, 911 Response (Emergency) 5/25/2013

• 10:25 p.m. - No treatment, No Transport, 911 Response (Emergency)

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state roadways in areas impacted by energy exploration and development, such as the Barnett Shale in North Texas and the Eagle Ford Shale in South Texas. Money to repair county roads, however, is not included in the legislation.

HB 1025 also would put \$200 million in new money into public education. Combined with the education funding increases already in the budget bill, that works out to between \$80 and \$400 more per student in nearly every district in the state. Lawmakers also passed

HB 500 by House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Harvey Hilderbran, R-Kerrville. The bill revises exemptions and deductions under the business franchise tax and expands the kinds of businesses that qualify for a reduced-tax rate for retail trade. HB 500 also excludes a number of expenses from being counted as revenue and revises "cost of goods sold" deductions.

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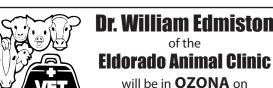
In a disaster proclamation he signed on May 21, Gov. Rick Perry certified that the severe storms and tornado outbreak that occurred on May 15 have caused a disaster in Ellis, Hood and Johnson counties.

The proclamation directs that all necessary measures both public and private as authorized by state law be implemented to meet the disaster.

On May 20, Perry renewed the emergency disaster proclamation he originally issued on July 5, 2011, certifying that exceptional drought conditions posed a threat of imminent disaster in specified counties in Texas. The number of specified counties in this 30-day extension of the proclamation was 201, or nearly 80 percent of Texas' 254 counties.

Meanwhile, a federal, state and local investigation of the April 17 deadly fire and explosion at farm supply and fertilizer facility in the small town of West continues.





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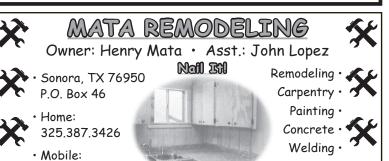
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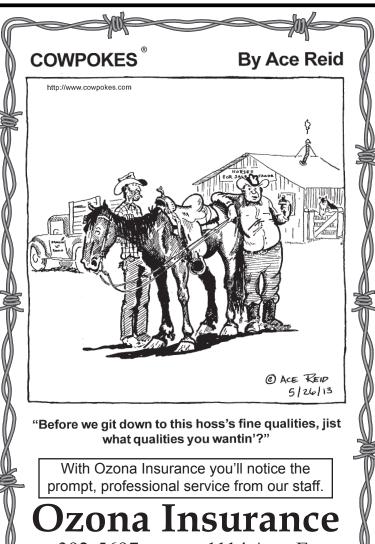
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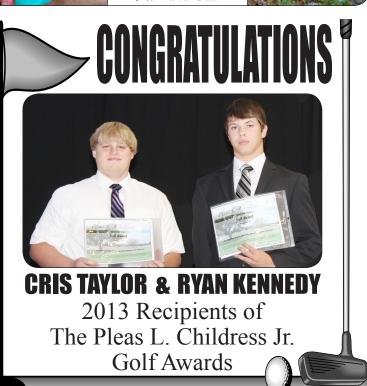


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then transfer to Texas Tech, at the State Track meet in where I will continue to col-Austin was a fun memory lege rodeo. I plan to graduate and great experience. from Texas Tech and get my **Future Plans:** To attend degree in agribusiness. a university's nursing school, possibly run on a track scholarship, and earn a bachelors of science in nursing. Then transfer to San Antonio's Health Science Center to earn a masters and specialize in certain areas of pediatric nursing. **ALLIE BLACK CYNTHIA GARCIA** Parents: Will M. and Vickie Parents: Paul and Gloria San-Black chez **Accomplishments:** Miss OHS **Accomplishments: CRIS TAYLOR** Nominee, Texas High School standing Female Athlete 4; Track 1-4, Track Regional Rodeo Association State 1-4, Qualifier 1-4, Track State National High School Rodeo Parents: John and Kerrie Bak-Qualifier 4, Track MVP 4, Finals 1, 4-H 1-4, 4-H Presi-Track Most Outstanding Fedent 2, FFA 2-4, FFA Vice **Accomplishments:** Mr. OHS President 3, FFA Sweetheart male Athlete (Cactus Relays) Nominee, Football I, Cross 4, Track High Point Girl Dis-3, NHS 3-4, NHS President 4, Country 2, Basketball 1,2, trict 8-A 4, Basketball 2-4, Student Council 1 and 4, FCA Golf 1-4, Golf Fighting Heart Basketball All-District Hon-1-4, Homecoming Nominee, 4, UIL One Act Play 1-4, All Star Cast Zone 4, UIL Comorable Mention 3, Basketball Yearbook 3-4, Yearbook Seputer Science 2-4, First Place Fighting Heart 3, Basketball **JERROD DUBOIS** nior Editor 4,Art 1-2,4, A Honor Roll 1-4, UIL 1-4, The Lion District 4, UIL Literary Criti-Second Team All-District 4, 2013 (Excellent Contribution cism 3,4, Track 1, NHS, Bas-Baseketball Defensive MVP **Parents:** Chris and Susie and Highest Average in Digiketball Manager 4, Junior 4, Texas Association of BasduBois tal Media), Independent Study Class Representative 3, Sciketball Coaches Academic **Accomplishments:** All-State Team 4, Texas Girls in Technical Applications, ence Club 4, Salutatorian, standing Male Athlete 4; Valedictorian, Top 10 percent, Top 10 percent, Magna Cum Coaches Association Aca-Mr. OHS Nominee, Top 10 Magna Cum Laude, UIL Schol-Laude, President's Excellence demic All-State Team 4, Powpercent, Magna Cum Laude, Award, UIL Scholar, Environar, Pre-Calculus, Daughters of erlifting Regional Qualifier President's Excellence, UIL mental Systems, Independent the American Revolution So-4, Cross Country 3-4, Cross Scholar, A-B Honor Roll, cial Studies Award and Art III, Studies in Computer Science, Country MVP 4; Softball 1-3, U.S. Marine Corps Academ-Ozona Woman's Forum Best UIL Computer Science Re-Softball-Regional Quarterfiic Excellence Award, First gional Qualifier 4, Theatre I, nalists 2, Softball All-District Team All-District Football Citizen. **Best High School Memory:** A-B Honor Roll. Honorable Mention 2, Soft-2,4, Academic All-District ball Second Team All-District **Best High School Memory:** Every stock show and rodeo 1-4, All West Texas Foot-Advancing out of zone in I spent with Murphey, Lane, Infield 3, Softball Fighting ball 2,4; Academic All-Chase, Kelbie, Audrey and Sione act and out of district in Heart 3, Athletic Trainer 4, State Football 4; District Newcomer of the Year erra. The awards will fade, but computer science. Academic All-State Trainer 4, Homecoming Queen, NHS Basketball 2, First Team the memories and friendships Future Plans: To attend Anwill last a lifetime. gelo State University with 2-4, NHS Vice President 4, All-District Basketball 3,4, plans to major in computer All West Texas Basketball Future Plans: I am going to Class Secretary 2, Class Presirodeo for South Plains Juscience and pursuing a cadent 3, Class Vice-President 4, All West Texas Super reer in video game design. 4, Science Club Vice Presinior College for two years Team Basketball 4; Second dent, UIL Math Team 3-4, UIL Team All District Baseball Number Sense 1-2, UIL Sci-4, Basketball Offensive ence Team 2-3, Art Club 2-3, MVP 4; Track Shot Put Dis-Art Club Historian 4, VASE trict Champion 4, Regional Regional Qualifier, Medical Qualifier Track 3,4, MVP Terminology Award 2, Prin-4, Area Qualifier 4; NHS; ciples of Agriculture Award PLAN Award 2; Computer 3, Pre-Ap Pre-Calculus Award Science Award 2; Computer 3, Anatomy and Physiology Science Regional Qualifier CLASS OI 2; Basketball Offense MVP Award 4, Top 10 percent, Magna Cum Laude, UIL Schol-3; Track MVP 3; Football ar, Anatomy and Physiology, Defensive MVP 4; A Honor Roll, U.S. Marine **Best High School Memory:** Corps Academic and Ath-Beating Sonora in football letic Excellence Awards, in the 2010 season. Miss OHS. **Future Plans:** To attend Best High School Mem-West Texas A&M University **ory:** Going to FCA and and major in environmen-Ann Shaw's on Wednestal engineering and play day. It's awesome being football. surrounded by such lov-Congratulations! ing people. Also, running









Nowhere to go but



Graduates of 2013!

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JESSICA BORREGO

Parents: Alice T. Borrego **Accomplishments:** Miss OHS Nominee, Homecoming Queen Nominee; Band 1-3; Golf 1-3; National Honor Society 3-4; One Act Play 3-4, Honorable Mention Cast 4; UIL 1-4, Golf Regional Qualifier Team 1, Golf Fighting Heart Award 2-3, JV Cheerleading 1, Varsity Cheerleading 3-4, Softball Manager 2, Cum Laude and A Honor Roll.

Best High School Memory: My entire freshmen year. Future Plans: Attend Western Texas College in Snyder, Texas for two years and then transfer to Texas Tech University to major in accounting.



SIERRA TREVINO

Parents: Armando Trevino and Tracy Ybarra

Accomplishments: Miss OHS Nominee, Cheerleading 1-4, Head Cheerleader 4; Track 1-2; NHS 2-4; Homecoming Queen Nominee; A-B Honor Roll; Band 1-3; UIL Feature Writing 1-2, Spelling 3-4; Spanish 2 Excellence Award, Cum Laude.

Best High School Memory: Cheering my senior year Future Plans: I plan to attend Angelo State University and major in business management.

Graduation Day Wishes



Brandon,

Thank "God" you did it! Grandma will never forget you. Congratulations & keep on going. Don't forget God is everywhere. I love you mucho!

Grandma Lina





LISA DORROUGH

Parents: Christine and Steven Dorrough

Accomplishments: Laude, graduating high school in three years, NHS, swearing into the U.S. Navy, Golf 2, Tennis 3, UIL Computer Science 2,3, UIL Computer Applications 1-3, Science 3.

Best High School Memory: Riding in the suburban with Youngblood, Sierra, Dalan and Brendan on the ag trip to College Station and defining the term "YO BRO."

Future Plans: To attend Howard College in San Angelo and finish my freshman year before shipping out to U.S. Navy bootcamp in February as an aviation electrician and computer system technician.



JADE CARTY

Parents: Josh and Tammy Carty

Accomplishments: Grade 9 - Varsity Basketball, Regional Track Qualifier; Grade 10 - Varsity Basketball, District Pole Vault Champion and Regional Qualifier, Head Cheerleader, Football Sweetheart, LAHS Sophomore Homecoming Court Nominee, National Honor Society, Texas ACT Council Student Achievement Award for College Readiness; Grade 11 - Varsity Basketball and Softball, Track Manger, Stu-

dent Trainer, National Honor Society, One Act Play Cast, Highest Average Duel Credit Algebra and English III; Grade 12 - All-State Academic Student Trainer, Homecoming Court Nominee, National Honor Society, Yearbook Sports Editor, One Act Play District Honorable Mention All Star Cast and Cum Laude.

Future Plans: I will be attending Texas State University for my degree in mathematics. I plan to follow in my parents footsteps and become a high school teacher.



MARTIN BROCK JONES IV

Parents: Tammy and David McWilliams and the late Martin Brock Jones III.

Cum **Accomplishments:** Laude and President's Excellence Award, ASU Top Scholar and CARR Scholarship Recepient, NHS, One-Act Play Honorable Mention All-Star Cast Zone, One-Act Play Honorable All-Star Cast District, Football 1-4, Blue Ribbon Team Award Houston Livestock Show in Ag Mechanics, UIL Computer Science, Ready Writing and Journalism, Student Council, Student Leader FCA and Fields of Faith Leader.

Best High School Memory: It's a toss up between beating Sonora my sophomore year or getting "naked" in the suburban with the Computer Science Team (they were smoothies, get your mind out of the gut-

Future Plans: To attend Angelo State University and pursue a career in mass communications.



AVNI BHAKTA

Parents: Chandravadan and Kinnari Bhakta

Accomplishments: Art Club 1-4, NHS 3-4, NHS Historian 4, Perfect Attendance 1-3, World History Class Award 2, IPC class award 1, A-B Honor Roll 3, P.E. Class Award 1, ESL Class Award 1-3, Art Class Award 1, Science Club 4, UIL Science 4, UIL Calculator 1,3-4, UIL Regional Qualifier 4; English 4 Class Award, Cum Laude.

Best High School Memory: When Coach Glidewell told Mayra to run down the hall with a mask on and to act like a chicken.

Future Plans: I plan to attend Howard College in San Angelo for two years then transfer to Texas Tech and major in nursing.



DAVID RYAN KENNEDY

Parents: David and Rita Kennedy

Accomplishments: Mr. OHS Nominee, Greenhand Degree: 2010-2011; Varsity Powerlifting: 2010-2013; Varsity Golf: 2011-2013, Golf Fighting Heart 2013; Varsity Football: 2012-2103; Ag Mechanics Outstanding Student: 2012;





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Brian, Georgia & Family

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Numerous Blue Ribbon Ag Mechanics Projects; NHS: 2013; Powerlifting Fighting Heart: 2012; Sr. Class Treasurer: 2013, Cum Laude.

Best High School Memory: Every single memory that I have made while living in Ozona and going to school here are ones I will cherish for the rest of my life. But above all the Ag Mechanics trips were the absolute best memories I have.

Future Plans: My plans for the future are to earn a degree in agrology from South Plains College and then transfer to Texas Tech University to earn a degree in range and wildlife management.



ALEXANDER BORREGO

Parents: Alex Borrego and Lori Tambunga

Accomplishments: 2-4; Student Council 1-4; Football 1-4, First Team All District 2-4, All West Texas 4. Offensive MVP 4; Basketball 1-4, Second Team All District 3-4, Defensive MVP 4; Baseball 1-4, Fighting Heart 4 and Track 1-4, Cum Laude, Mr. OHS.

Best High School Memory: When Mark Franco made his first three-pointer against Iron County.

Future Plans: I plan on attending Wayland Baptist University, to play football.



Crockett County Abstract

I will be majoring in geology with a minor in busi-



JASON BADILLO

Parents: Michell Mendoza and Jesse Badillo Future Plans: Study Geol-



STEPHANIE CERVANTES

Parents: Angel Cervantes and Vivian Cervantes

Accomplishments: Art 1-3 **Best High School Memory:** Going up to the bell tower with my friends and being one of the many signatures. **Future Plans:** Attend Howard college in San Angelo and study in emergency medical technology.



BRIANNA CERVANTEZ

tez and the late Alfonso

of the Year 4; Softball 1-4, Fighting Heart 4; Track 1-4; Basketball 1-4; Cross Country 1; Regional Qualifier in Track 4, Honorable Mention All-District Softball.

Accomplishments: Trainer

Ramirez.

Best High School Memory: When Kodi, Cynthia, and I fell on top of each other in the locker room with noting but our under garments on. We stayed on the floor laughing for about 30 minutes!

Future Plans: To attend Howard College in San Angelo, Texas and then transfer after two years to Angelo State University for neo-



BRANDON DEHOYOS

Parents: Danny De Hoyos and Annette Diggs

Accomplishments: Art 1; Football 1-4, 2nd Team Linemen and Linebacker 4; Basketball 1-4; Track 1-4; Baseball 1-3

Best High School Memory: Friday Night Lights.

Future Plans: I plan to attend Howard College and



JON DAVID DEHOYOS

Parents: Emily Cervan- Parents: Janis De Hoyos and James Tambunga

Congratulations! Tres Perez



Senior of 2013 We are very proud of you in all that your have accomplished throughout your high school years. We pray and hope that God continues to bless you in fulfilling all your dreams and gives you wisdom and courage to succeed in life. GOOD LUCK!



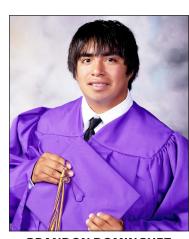


Accomplishments: Football 1-3; Basketball 1-3; Baseball 1-3; Track 1-3; Tennis 1,4, MVP 4; Band 1-4, Drumline Captain 4; Lead Snare 3,4; Band Beau 4; U.S. Marine Corps Band Excellence Award.

Best High School Memory: My snare drum rolling down the stands my freshman year.

Future Plans: I plan to attend Howard College in Big Spring and major in dental hygiene.

MAYRA L. DIAZ



BRANDON DOMINGUEZ

Parents: Jose Dominguez and Rosa Siller

Accomplishments: U.S. Marine Corps Athletic Excellence Award; Art 1; Football 1-4; Powerlifting 1-4; track 1-2; Band 1-3; 1st team all district offensive linemen 4; 2nd team all district offensive linemen 2; Football Playoffs bi-district champions 4; Football Playoffs 2; Football Fighting Heart 4.

Best High School Memory:



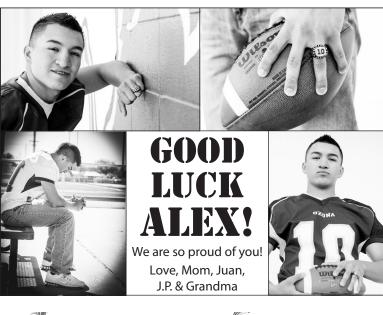
HATS OFF TO THE CLASS OF 2012!

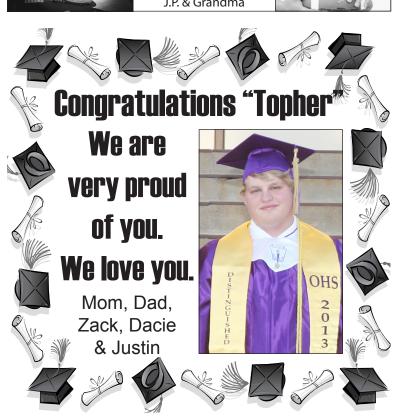
Your day has arrived! Congratulations to each and every member of the Graduating Class of 2012.

GOOD JOB!

Crockett County Water Control and I.D. #1 and **Board of Directors**









You turned your Can'ts into Cans and your Dreams into Plans! We are so proud of you! Love you, Mom, Dad, Morgan, Brandi, Andon and Maddox





Dream Big

Congratulations, 2013 graduates. Devon salutes you and wishes you the best. You have the ability to change the world.

Commitment Runs Deep



Friday Night Lights Future Plans: I plan to attend Howard College in San Angelo and major in business.



MARK FRANCO

Parents: Ester Franco **Accomplishments:** Basket-

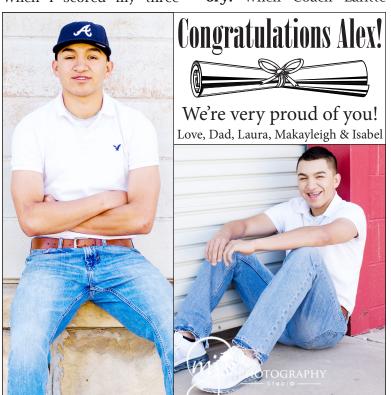
Best High School Memory: When I scored my threepointer for Daisy Guerra. **Future Plans:** To go be a chef, and be successful in life.



JOSEPH MATTHEW GALINDO

Parents: Jose Mario Galindo Jr. and Angelica Galindo **Accomplishments:** ball 1-3; Track 1-2

Best High School Memory: When Coach Lafitte







Today is the first of many extraordinary days to come, as you go from student to graduate. Whether you continue your studies or enter the workforce, we wish you all the best in your future endeavors. No matter where they take you, your achievements will always be front-page news to us here at home!

The Ozona Stockman

slapped a pizza box out of Brandon De Hoyos' hands on the bus coming back from the Coleman game.

Future Plans: Enlist in the United States Air Force and have a career in the military.



KODI GLOSSON

Parents: Melissa and Larry Glosson

Accomplishments: Football 1-2; Basketball 1-4, Honorable Mention 3, Offensive MVP 3,4, Second Team All-District 4; Softball 1-4, Defensive MVP 1, Second Team All-District 1, Offensive & Defensive MVP 2. District Offensive MVP 2, All-West Texas Catcher 2, All-State Team 2, District Runners-up 2, Bi-District Champs 2, Area Champs 2, Quarter Finalist 2, Offensive MVP 3,4, First Team All-District 3, All-West Texas Catcher 3, All-State Team 3, District Runners-Up 3, District Offensive MVP 4, District Runners-Up 4, Track 4, District Champs 4; FCA 1-4, Class Favorite 1,2,3, Miss OHS Nominee 4, 4-H 1-4

Best High School Memory: Going three rounds deep in softball playoffs my sophomore year and the time Cynthia and I put Brianna in a cheerleading stunt after a basketball game to turn the music up in our sports bra and tights and busted.

Future Plans: To attend Howard Payne University to play softball and study nursing.



ADAM GONZALES

Parents: Rick and Raquel Gonzales

Accomplishments: Football 1-4, Honorable Mention All-District 2011-2013, playoffs Bi-District Champs, Second Team All-District Linemen and Linebacker 2012-2013; Baseball 1-4, Defensive MVP 4; Basketball 2.

Best High School Memory: Going to playoffs in every sport for guys.

Future Plans: Attend Howard Community College for two years for business.



HECTOR GONZALES

Parents: Rodrigo and Catalina Gonzales

Accomplishments: First to graduate in my family.

Best High School Memory: Getting eight days of detention for having a loud truck.

Future Plans: My future plans are going to work with my day for a year in the oil field then leave to Tulsa Oklahoma for welding school.



KAYLEN HERNANDEZ

Parents: Ronnie and Robbie Smith

Best High School Memory: When Mr. Barfield kicked my stuff across the room freshmen year, all of our bizarre conversations in Medical Terminology with Mrs. Coates, the troubles in Spanish 2, the many offtopic discussions in my math classes with Iglehart, sophomore year, U.S. History with Thor, junior year and my entire senior year.

Future Plans: I hope to obtain some sort of higher education and live the most joyous life possible with my daughter.



CHEYENNE LOPEZ

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Vasquez and Mr. and Mrs. Fabian Lopez

Accomplishments: Athletic Trainer 1,4; UIL Prose 2,4, Spelling 2,4; English Award 2, 3.

Best High School Memory: Having my older sister Clarissa in robotics with me.

Future Plans: I plan to join the U.S. Air Force Reserves then continue my education to hopefully become a pediatric surgeon.



ALEXANDRA LOZANO

Parents: Juan and Consuelo Lozano

Accomplishments: My Accomplishment was actually graduating high school and doing three years of art.

Best High School Memory: Rainy days seeing everyone fall down cause of the Lion Paws painted on the side walks.

Future Plans: My future plans is to go to Howard Collage for cosmetology. Later open my own business.



R.J. MARTINEZ

Parents: Ray and Lety Martinez

Accomplishments: Football 1, 2 and 4; Baseball 1-3; FFA 2-4; Perfect Attendance 1-4

Best High School Memory: Making it to the second round of the playoffs in football my senior year.

Future Plans: Go to South Plains College and then transfer to Texas Tech to study business administration and try out for the football team.







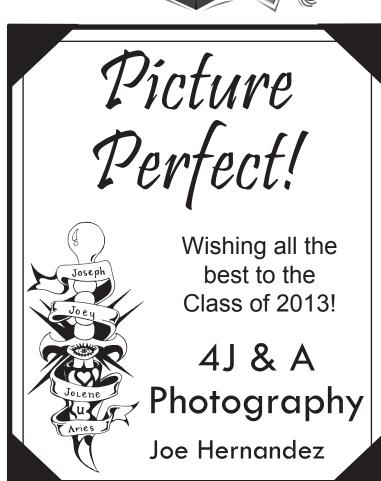
Congratulations (class of 13)

Let God be your guide in the new

chapter of your life. Dream Big,

you can accomplish anything you set your mind to, you've proven

that! We are extremely proud of you. Love always & forever.





SAM MASKILL

Parents: Miguel Maskill, Elma Maskill

Future Plans: Get a job and save up, then attend Angelo State University and study computer science.



JOAQUIN MEZA

Parents: Ricardo and Deyanira Meza

Accomplishments: Football 1,4, 2012 Bi-District Champions; Basketball 4 2013 Bi-District Champions, Fighting Heart 4; Mr. OHS Nominee; Class Secretary; UIL 1, 3-4; One Act 3-4; OLGB Vice President; AVID President; All-District All-Star Crew Award; Government and Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen Award.

Best High School Memory: Growing up and understanding everything I was capable of doing.

Future Plans: I plan on attending Howard College in Big Spring, Texas for two years. While there I plan on focusing on prerequisites to earn acceptance into the nursing program. After two year I hope to obtain an RN associates degree and then go on to Angelo State University to pursue a bachelors degree in nursing.



BLAKE MORROW

Parents: Brian and Georgia Morrow, Donna and Chad Harding

Accomplishments: Football 1-4, All-District Fullback 4; Ozona Fire Department, Economics and A-B Honor Roll.

Best High School Memory: When Alex, Brandon and myself took a trip to Sono-

Smile!

You did it!

Congratulations

Grads!

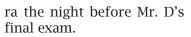
STEVE

SESSOM

D.D.S.,

FAMILY

& STAFF



Future Plans: To go to the Police Academy and be a cop, so I can serve others around me.



CHRISTIAN PEREZ Parents: Cipriano & Maria Best High School Memory

playing football Future Plans* going to the marines



CIPRIANO "TRES" PEREZ III

Parents: Cipriano & Maria

Accomplishments: Football 1-4, All-District Defensive Lineman 2,3, Second Team Center 4; Basketball 1-4, Bi-District Champions 4; Baseball 1,2,4; Band 1-3; Power Lifting 4, Regional Qualifier 4; Track 1; Student Council Vice President

Best High School Memory: When we beat Sonora in our house and when my daughter Jazzelle was born. Future Plans: I plan to attend either Howard College in San Angelo or Midland College.



KELSEA PEREZ

Parents: Lisa Mendez and Jeff Perez

Future plans: My future plans are to attend Howard Community College in San Angelo.





JOCELINE PORRAS

Parents: Lisa Broughten and Emilio Porras

Accomplishments: Art 1-3 **Best High School Memory:** My whole freshman year i had good times with old friends.

Future Plans: To attend college in Corpus Christi to become a social worker.



DILLEN JAMES RAMIREZ

Parents: Rudy Ramirez nd Elva Ramirez Future Plans: To be successful at life.



MAYRA RIOS

Parents: Eufemiano and Norma Rios **Accomplishments:** Art 1-2; Track 1

Best High School Memory: The time someone dared me to run down the hallway while wearing a chicken mask flapping my arms squawking like a chicken. Future Plans: Continue

working at Crockett Nation-



the Class of 2013 much success for tomorrow and beyond.



The best of luck to all our ambitious young graduates. You're the hope and the future of our community, and we look forward to

great things from each and every one of you.

CONGRATULATIONS ON A JOB WELL DONE!



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al Bank then later go to college and become a photographer and open my own **Accomplishments:**

Baseball Playoffs 3

Friday Night Lights.

Best High School Memory:

Future Plans: I plan to en-

list into the United States

Marine Corps. My MOS will

be infantry and after ad-

vancing up to corporal I

will then try out for Marine

Sniper School, and I then

plan to work my way up

through the ranks to even-



YARELI CERVANTEZ RODRIGUEZ

Parents: Rojelio and Guadalupe Rodriguez **Accomplishments:** Softball 1; Track 1; Art 1.

Best High School Memory: Freshman year in girls athletics when we had to play tug a war with a tire.

Future Plans: I plan to attend Howard College in San Angelo to major in cosmetology.



NOAH TAMBUNGA

Parents: Frank and Irma Tambunga



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ELISA MICHELLE TAMBUNGA

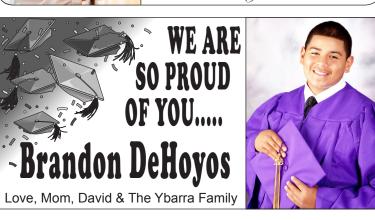
Parents: Emilio and Maria Tambunga

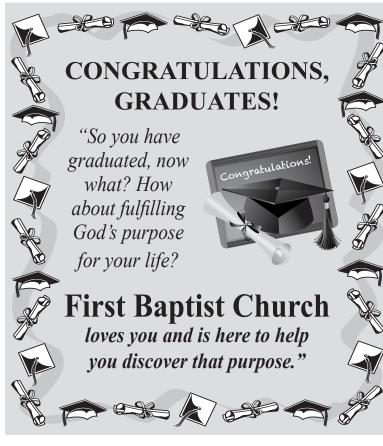
Accomplishments: Track Discus and Shot Put, 100-meter dash 1; UIL Calculator 1-2; AB Honor Roll

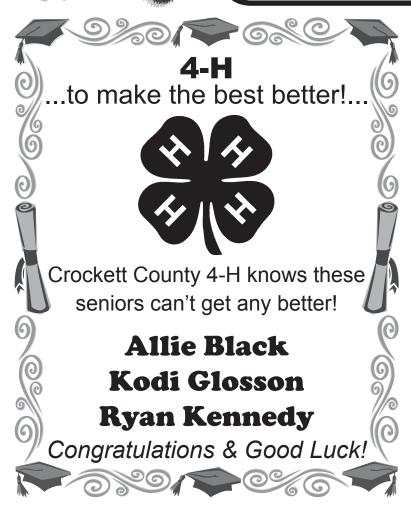
Best High School Memory: My best high school memory was my freshman year in track when me and the









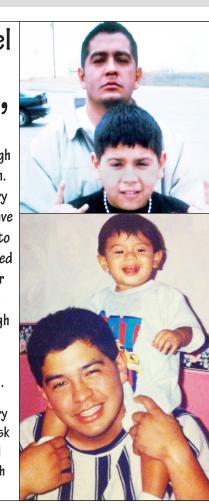




Brandon Daniel DeHoyos

Congratulations on your High School Graduation, my son. I am so proud of your. I carry you and the memories we have made thus far the closest to my heart. You have succeeded in writing the first chapter of your life. The memories you have made at Ozona High School will carry with you throughout your life. Be proud of them, enjoy them.

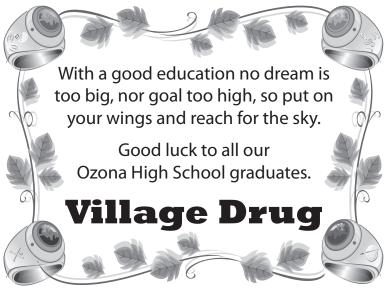
I pray the Lord bless you every day wherever you are. And I ask you to have fun, be safe and always remember "How Much Does Daddy Love You?"



Robert Hernandez

Mom & Dad, Rebecca, Anna & Victor Jr.







A World of Good Wishes, Grads!

Hats off to you, graduates, as you celebrate a fine achievement. A world of opportunity awaits, and we wish you happiness and success in all that you do.



senior girls would stay late throwing discus and shot put and goofing off.

Future Plans: I plan to attend The Art Institute in Austin Texas, to major in graphic design. I also want to attend Texas State in San Marcos to minor in microbiology.



JAYLYNN VARGAS

Parents: Lisa M. Villarreal **Accomplishments:** 2-3, Track 1-2, Basketball 1-2, Art 1-4, Golf Player of the Year 2, Cross Country Regional Qualifier 3, Powerlifting Regional Qualifier 3, Art 4.

Best High School Memory: Going to school in Eldora-

Congratulations .

Cynthia We are proud of all your

accomplishments:

.ove, Tia Barbara Savala, Tia Norma Martinez,

Tio Willie, Tia Mary Fierro and Family

A BIG HUG,

You've done well, and we're

mighty proud of you.

Congratulations, and may

all your dreams come true.

do and making the friends I made.

Future Plans: I hope to attend Howard College and major in nursing.



ROCKY VENEGAS

Parents: Felix and Maria Venegas

Accomplishments: Football 1-4, Second Team All-District Defensive Back; Track 1-3.

Best High School Memory: The "Free Rocky" cam-

Future Plans: To attend Howard college in San Angelo to receive my basics, then transfer to Angelo State University to get a degree in criminal justice.



Parents: Jesse and Adriana Villarreal

Accomplishments: Art 1-4; AVID; Geometry Award 2. **Best High School Memory:** My freshman year in P.E. when me and Hector Gonzales broke a chair in the Davidson Gym. Alexandra

Lozano caught it on video

Future Plans: I plan on moving to Midland in the summer and getting a job. I also plan on applying at Midland Collage for cosme-



JACINDA VILLARREAL

Parents: Steve and Jennifer

Accomplishments: Walking the stage and getting my Diploma

Best High School Memory: Having Mark Franco sing to me at the talent show.

Future Plans: To become a veterinarian.



ONLINE GRADUATES



ROBERT HERNANDEZ

Parents: Patty and Victor Hernandez

Accomplishments: Graduate of Resolute Academy



GLEN TINNEY

Parents: Natalie Martinez and Glen Tinney

Accomplishments: Foot-1,2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Tennis 1,3,4; Football District Runner Up 4, Football Bi-District Champion and Area Qualifiers 4; Basketball Bi-District Champion and Area Qualifiers 4; Second Team All-District Baseball 3; Second Team All-District Cornerback 4; Baseball Bi-District Runner Up 3, Graduate of Resolute Academy.

Best High School Memory: Moving back to Ozona and playing sports with my childhood friends.

Future Plans: To attend Angelo State University and become a teacher and coach.



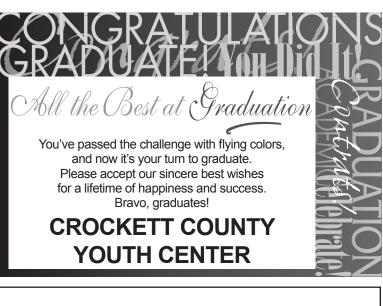
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