

SCHOOL BOARD:

Regular monthly meeting tonight

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OHS & OMS Teams run at Harper Page 7

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Commissioners approve grant request for new hotel

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Preliminary plans for a newThe Crockett County Commissioners' Court approved a grant request for a new Ozona hotel.

Ozona Hospitality Group is building a new Hampton Inn in the location of the former Ozona Intermediate School.

The group is seeking\$239,940 in grant funds from the Texas Capital Fund infrastructure development program to relocate water transmission and sewer lines, and install a fire hydrant on the property.

At Monday's called meeting, the commissioners approved a resolution authorizing submission of the grant application to the Texas Capital Fund program. The commissioners also approved for County Judge Fred Deaton to be the county representative for all grant matters.

The Texas Capital Fund program is through the Texas Department of Agriculture. The program is an economic development tool designed to provide financial resources to non-entitlement communities. Funds from the program can be utilized for public infrastructure needed to assist a business the commits to create or retain permanent jobs, primarily for low and moderate income persons.

The program also encour-

ages new business development and expansions, according to the programs website.

Eligible applicants are non-entitlement cities or counties only. Businesses or individuals may not directly submit applications.

The entire project is estimated to cost between \$5 million to \$6 million for the 72-room hotel and will create 12 jobs.

The application for the grant is available for public examination from 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. after Sept. 21 at the Crockett County Courthouse Annex.

ANIMAL CONTROL FEES

The commissioners also approved maximum fees for the Crockett County Animal Control Department.

Fees for violation, transportation and housing are \$35 for an impound fee and \$10 per day for board fees.

If animals are infested with parasites, they are bathed and treated soon after arrival to avoid shelter infestation.

Rabies quarantine fees are \$35 for impound and \$15 per day to board, observe and make notes on the animal's condition. Rabies quarantine is 10 days after the dog bite.

"We are good at working with people. We know dogs get out, but we feel like there has to be some kind of charge," said Joe Jurado, animal control

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Lions hold back Cranes

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

CRANE - The Ozona Lions picked up their first win Friday night, holding off Crane, 13-6. "Friday night we played

well enough to win and our kids worked very hard to get that victory," said Coach Edward Perez.

Senior Ryan Porras opened the scoring for the Lions with a 33-yard pass from Senior Quarterback Jayton Rodriquez in the second quarter. Chase DeHoyos' kick was good giving Ozona the 7-0 lead.

The next score wouldn't come until Senior Ricky Porras' fourth-quarter rushing touchdown.

Ricky Porras would rush 16 times for 94 yards.

Rodriquez was 3-13 for 109 yards. He also rushed 7 times for 11 yards.

Thomas Fay and Aiden Fierro also had big catches for the Lions.

Defensively, Daniel "Bono" Lombrana was all over the Cranes. Oscar Nuno caught Crane's only TD on a 30-yard pass from Jake Morgan as time expired.

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OZONA LIONS JAYTON RODRIQUEZ and AIDEN FIERRO greet some little fans during the Pep Rally Friday held at the Ozona Elementary School.

DPS releases border security trends, activity

AUSTIN - The Texas Legislature has requested that the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) provide a publicly releasable summary of border incidents and a data report related to historical trends of crime along the Texas-Mexico border as well as current criminal activity in the Operation Strong Safety (OSS) area of op-

To that end, DPS has deeloped a Texas Border Security Dashboard and a Summary of Significant Border Incidents - both of which are unclassified and will be updated periodically.

At the direction of Texas leadership, DPS began conducting OSS on June 23, 2014, with partner agencies in a combined local, state, and federal law enforcement effort to combat the Mexican Cartels and other criminal elements operating along the Texas-Mexico border.

During OSS, DPS continues to conduct around-the-clock land, air and maritime saturation patrols in coordination with law enforcement partners

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Judge Gomez graduates from Texas College for Judicial Studies

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BY COURTNEY GABRIELE TEXAS CENTER FOR THE JUDICIARY

Honorable Pete Gomez, Judge of the 112th District Court in Ozona, was part of the 2014 graduating class of the Texas College for Judicial Studies in Austin, from May 5-9.

Judge Gomez will be recognized at the 2014 Annual Judicial Education Conference in September for his commitment to obtaining judicial education.

The Texas College for Judicial Studies is a multiyear program designed to



improve **PETE GOMEZ** their adjudication skills and acquire more knowledge in their jurisdictional specialization.

The college consists of a core curriculum of 16 hours and a specialty curriculum of 27 hours.

To receive a certificate of completion, judges must

complete the core curriculum plus 27 hours in their selected specialty jurisdiction, for a total of 43 hours. Judges can obtain the training within three years, but may take up to five years to complete the college. Only courses taken from the college will be applied towards graduation.

The college is offered by The Texas Center for the Judiciary, a nonprofit corporation whose purpose is to provide outstanding judicial education to Texas judges so

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Honoring local heroes



U.S. MARINE JOHNNY TAMBUNGA spoke to students at Del's Little Schoolhouse on Sept. 11 as part of "Heroes Day." Dr. Marcus Sims, Tara Cary with the Crockett County Sheriff's Office and Ozona Firefighters Blake Morrow and Paula Ogle also participated.

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OZONA LIONS VS GRAPE CREEK 7:30 P.M. FRIDAY AT LION STADIUM



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Drug problem needs public awareness

Dear Editor,

The Crockett County Grand Jury wishes to make the public aware of the long term, yet growing drug problem in our county.

Synthetic drug use is growing, and while these substances may seem harmless, the abuse of them can be deadly.

The Grand Jury encourages parents and grandparents to educate and protect our chil-

Please do not ignore the

signs and symptoms of children in distress.

We also wish to encourage the community to step forward and assist law enforcement officers when you have information of drug transactions in your neighborhood.

The Grand Jury pleads with you to do your part before we have additional children die from overdoses.

> **Crockett County Grand Jury** July 2014 Term Ozona, Texas

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Change is needed

zona is a town of potential. It's a town where people take pride in living here. It's also a community that needs to make some changes

Ozona doesn't like that word, change, but over the past year many have been asking for some changes from our local leaders.

Two weeks ago, the Crockett County Care Center, Health and Emergency Services Board spoke with representatives from Shannon Medical Center about building a new health clinic.

This was the icing on the cake to a list of growing needs in our community. Along with the clinic, the sheriff has asked the county commissioners for a new jail, the fire department officials have asked for a new station and a group of people are working together to raise funds for a wellness center.

It's time for our county officials to stop discussing these projects and start moving on them.

When we posted the question about supporting a bond election for a new jail on the Stockman Facebook page, not one person commented they were against it. In fact, many said they wanted a jail and a new fire station.

This week we posted a question about what people thought of having a new health clinic. So far, no nega-

tive response has been made. In fact, one of the employees at the Family Health Center of Ozona has stated that our community needs a nice, modern medical facility just as the neighbor-

ing counties have. With a new clinic, Ozona would have the opportunity to bring in specialists on a routine basis each month.

Also, as much as we all love Dr. Marcus Sims there will come a time that he will want to retire. A new clinic will attract a new physician, something our community needs.

Without a permanent physician, we could be subjected to a different doctor coming in every week, which would limit patients in developing a one-on-one relationship with their physician.

Take a look at our aging clinic the next time you are there. Ask some of the employees about the sinking concrete beneath their feet and aging equipment.

Go by and visit the sheriff's department and the jail that is not being used because the Texas Jail Commission says it's not up to par.

Last month, the sheriff's department paid an esti-

WHAT'S ON OUR MINDS EDITORIAL

mated \$20,000 toward out of county facilities to house prisoners. That is taxpayer money that could stay in Crockett County.

CCCCSD is already moving forward in asking voters to approve a \$3 million bond in November. This bond, which we believe is needed, will help fund new buses, technology, science labs, tennis courts and other maintenance areas. We feel the school district should continually be pursuing ways to fund, renovate and move forward when it comes to taking care of our school build-

ings, students and teachers. The good thing about a bond is that we, the voter and taxpayers, have a say in whether or not the school should receive those funds.

The same can be said for a jail, clinic, fire station and wellness center. We, the citizens of this county, should be standing up to our county officials and letting them know that these projects are needed in our community.

The estimated cost for a new clinic is \$2.5 million, a jail \$5 million, fire department \$2.5 million-\$3.5 million and wellness center could be built for around \$3.5 million to \$5 million. All of these are preliminary figures, but to put it in perspective the bond for the new Ozona Elementary School was \$10 million. That is now a building that we can be proud of and show off.

Many of the projects may be able to be completed without a bond, but we won't know that until we have an open public discussion with all the facts and figures out there.

It's been almost a year since Sheriff Robert Rodriguez and members of the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department spoke to the county commissioners about new buildings.

It took over a year for a new animal control building to be completed. Do we want to wait another year?

This is our taxpayer money and we are in an oil boom that is helping our tax base. If we want Ozona and Crockett County to grow and thrive, it's time to make some changes.

Talk to your county commissioner. Tell them that the time is right to upgrade our facilities for the betterment of all citizens. We ask you to consider doing this for our community's sake.

Big Names, Little Pills

I'm not proud of this but I take 20 pills per day to stay alive, which goes a long way in explaining why my writing may appear loopy. Every time I go to a different specialist they ask me what drugs I'm taking, which would be no problem if the drugs had simple names. But no, the drug companies want to make it difficult so the docs write prescriptions in handwriting you can't read, for drugs none of us can spell. Or pronounce. They aren't even words. That could be a deadly combination and you could end up with an 88 year old lady taking Viagra instead of her blood pressure

Making it worse, every drug has at least two names, its own and a generic. Gabapentin is generic for Neurontin, Benazepril is generic for Lotensin, Gemfibrozil is generic for Lopid and on and on. It's as if they are trying to impress the FDA with their big sounding fake words. Why don't they speak English? What are they trying to hide?

It seems that the smaller the pill the more difficult the name. And who among us can remember if Acetaminophen is Tylenol or Advil? Or is it Ibuprofren? It's terribly confusing and perhaps that's the point. Drug companies use such long words to confuse us and give us a headache so we have to buy even more pills for the pain.

Big pharma does the same thing with drugs we give our animals and they have evidently hired the same marketing firms who name their drugs to also name their



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companies. For example, Pfizer, a trusted name in animal drugs for generations, renamed it's animal division Zoetis. What's a Zoetis? Then there are things like Zilmax and Zactran. Makes you wonder if the wordsmiths who came up with these names are big Scrabble junkies and they needed more "z" words for triple letter scores.

Drug makers have merged and purged so much we had firms like CIBA-Geigy and Sandoz, GlaxoSmith-Kline and Boehringer Ingelheim Vetmedica, which sound more like law firms. Schering-Plough sounds like they make tractor implements and Intervet sounds like it's giving the veterinarian permission to come into your house or barn.

Consider the drugs Vetoquinol, Pyxis and Clamoxyquine. It's as if they are on a mission to give rarely used letters of the alphabet equal rights. Even words that seem faintly familiar are misspelled, like Cylence Ultra. If you or I would have spelled "silence" that way in grammar school we'd have been held back a year.

Because ranchers are practical people we give these drugs nicknames to remember them. Clenbuterol becomes "bute" and

Acerpromazine becomes "Ace". Or we just refer to their size and color, as in, "Hey doc, I need some of those big blue pills for scours. Well they're not for me really, they're for my calves."

I just wish the names of the drugs would give some hint as to what they do. Tylan 200 is a great product but it gives no hint as to what it does; it sounds more like the name of a Nascar race. And what's with all the numbers like Pyramid 5, Triangle 9 or Arsenal 4.1? They sound more like computer operating systems than they do drugs.

We should take a page from the pesticide people who name their products things like Ambush, Ammo, Avenge, Bullet, Lariat or Crossbow. Now that's an Arsenal. (Another pesticide). The products you buy in a grocery store aren't named this way. Instead they have simple names like Fritos, Snickers or Twinkies. If Proctor and Gamble or Kraft owned a drug company their ear tags would be called Swat and their scour pills would be known far and wide as Plug-It.

There is one exception. Every time I see a Viagra or Cialis commercial I get red-inthe-face embarrassed and I certainly don't want the names of those pills describing on television exactly what it is they do!

Uh, oh, I better quit now because there's smoke coming from my computer and I think I may have just fried my spell checker.

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Texas, Mexico exchange words over border military force

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS By Ed Sterling | Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — While the governor and group of tradewith-Texas promoters were in Japan and China last week, the 13th anniversary of the "9-11" terrorist attacks on the United States was broadly observed. Perry acknowledged the anniversary from afar and Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst, who serves as acting governor when Perry is out of the state, also made a similar, solemn statement on Sept. 11.

Perry posted another statement in absentia, calling attention to the fact that some 1,000 National Guard troops, at his request, had taken positions at observation posts along the Texas-Mexico border to deter crossings of the Rio Grande by terrorists and drug traffickers. Mexican President Enrique Peña Nieto reacted, criticizing the deployment of National Guard to the border as a less-than-neighborly act.

Dewhurst responded to President Nieto's statement, saying, in part: "I find it

puzzling and frankly offensive that the government of Mexico chose the 13th anniversary of the most tragic attack on our homeland to call on Texas to throw open our international border to illegal immigration, trafficking in drugs and human lives, and potentially even terrorists who wish to harm America."

Rosalba Ojeda, Mexican consul general in Austin, followed with her own calmative statement, saying: "Mexico has collaborated with the U.S. to ensure that our common border becomes a prosperous and dynamic region to benefit the people that inhabit the area on both sides. Mexico, through the Consulate General of Mexico in Austin, Texas, recognizes the message expressed by the Government of Texas as an invitation to open up a space for coordination

and dialogue, which is most welcomed.'

Meanwhile, over the ensuing weekend, the Texas Capitol was being readied for the traditional Diez y Seis de Septiembre Mexican Independence Day celebration, with festivities that draw a multiethnic crowd numbering in the thousands.

STAPLES DECRIES MEATLESS DAY

An editorial concerning "Meatless Monday" by state Agriculture Commissioner Todd Staples was published in the Austin American-Statesman on Sept. 8.

"Recently," Staples wrote, "I learned some Texas school districts, such as Dripping Springs ISD, have adopted a policy deemed 'Meatless Mondays' for some of their campuses. These actions have me very concerned.

"Restricting children's meal choice to not include meat is irresponsible and has no place in our schools. This activist movement called 'Meatless Mondays' is a carefully orchestrated campaign that seeks to eliminate meat from Americans' diets seven days a week, starting with Mondays. PLEASE SEE STATE PAGE 8

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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CORRECTIONS

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hernandez Jr.

Joe Hernandez Jr. and Doris Haider were married August 2, 2014 in Zwettl, Austria.

Joe's mother, Joanie Medley, of Ozona, attended the ceremony, along with family and friends, and their children Miguel, Samuel and Mia.

The groom is employed at the United States Embassy. The bride works for the Austria Police Department out of Vienna.

LIBRARY NEWS

Western author speaking Oct. 7

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In The

Big Drift

Dearen

tells the

story of

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PATRICK DEAREN

the great cattle drift and

roundup of 1884-1885 will

be a search for redemption.

in a blizzard, Texas cowhand

Will Brite finds an unwel-

come savior as former slave

Zeke Boles emerges from the

blinding snow and a bloody

past. This fugitive stirs

haunting memories, but lit-

tle does Will know that their

lives will be inexorably linked

throughout the most brutal

roundup of the 19th century.

meal and a campfire tale with

Patrick Dearen at the Friends

of the Library annual Meeting

from 6:30-9 p.m. Tuesday,

Oct. 7, at the Crockett County

Civic Center. The Guadalupa-

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will cater a barbecue chick-

en buffet, with questions and

book sales to follow. Tickets

for the meal and program are

\$12 and can be purchased

from any Friends member or

at the Public Library. R.S.V.P.

by Friday, Oct. 3.

Come and enjoy a good

Trapped under his horse

Author Patrick Dearen wears two hats.

As a historian and folklorist, he digs deeply into the lore and legend of the West and produces books that appeal to both scholars and general readers.

As a novelist, he draws on this reservoir of knowledge and crafts stories of people interacting with a harsh and yet beautiful land.

"I'm the grandson of a 19th century cowboy, but I can't ride, rope or brand. I've never seen the 'stompede devils' possess a herd, or felt my bronc's heart beating against my leg as my animal gave chase. After the single occasion that I spent a half-day on a horse, I couldn't sit down for a week," Dearen said. "So how could I expect to write believably about the Texas range of 1884-85, the setting for my new novel from TCU Press, 'The Big Drift?'

One word: research. Between 1983 and 1995, Dearen recorded interviews with 76 men who cowboyed before 1932. Born between 1892 and 1915, they represented the last generation of cowhands who plied their trade exclusively on horseback.

The true-life big drift of 1884 was the greatest mass migration of open-range beeves in history, a 600-mile journey from the blizzardstruck Great Plains to the

MUSEUM MEMORIALS

GOLD LEAF MEMORIAL:

Tom Mitchell From: Judy and Robert Guyer **MEMORIAL:** Tom Mitchell From: Glen J. Ellis Sr. Crockett County Museum Memorials can be sent to: P.O. Box 1444, Ozona, Texas 76943

Christmas arts and crafts event seeking vendors

The ninth annual Holiday Hands Christmas Arts and Crafts Fair will be held Dec. 11 at the Crockett County Civic Center.

If you have "holiday hands" for creating handmade arts and crafts items, or home baked goodies, we invite you to reserve a booth.

Booths are 10x10 indoor. Space rental is \$25. Outdoor space is also available.

For more information, or to register, call Dianne at (325) 226-4777.

Valdes chosen for future medical leaders congress

Nathaniel Valdes, a senior at Ozona High School, has been nominated to attend the Congress of Future Medical Leaders in Washington, D.C. on Nov. 14-16. He is the son of Melinda and Emiliano Valdez, of Ozona.

The congress is an honors-only program for high school students who want to become physicians or go into medical research fields.

The purpose of this event is to honor, inspire, motivate and direct the top students in the country who aspire to be physicians or medical scientists, to stay true to their dream and, after the event, to provide a path, plan and resources to help them reach their goal.

Nathaniel was nominated by Dr. Connie Mariano, the Medical Director of the National Academy of Future Physicians and Medical Scientists to represent Ozona High School based on his academic achievement, leadership potential and determination to serve humanity in the field of medicine.

During the three-day congress, Nathaniel will join students from across the country and hear Nobel Laureates and National Medal of Science Winners talk about leading medical research; be given advice from Ivy League and top medical school deans on what is to expect in medical school; witness stories told by patients who are living medical miracles; be inspired by fellow teen medical science prodigies; and learn about cutting-edge advances and the future in medicine and medical technology.

"This is a crucial time in America when we need more doctors and medical scientists who are even better prepared for a future that is changing exponentially," said Richard Rossi, Executive Di-

Davy Crockett Festival

from noon-6 p.m.

Allen at (325) 226-0212.



NATHANIEL VALDES

give him."

National Academy of Future Physicians and Medical Scientists. "Focused,

bright and determined students like Nathaniel Valdes are our future and he deserves all the mentoring and guidance we can

The academy offers free services and programs to students who want to be physicians or go into medical sci-

Some of the services and programs the Academy plans to launch in 2014 and 2015 are online social networks through which future doctors and medical scientists can communicate: opportunities for students to be guided and mentored by physicians and medical students: and communications for parents and students on college acceptance and finances, skills acquisition, internships, career guidance and much more.

The National Academy of Future Physicians and Medical Scientists was founded on the belief that we must identify prospective medical talent at the earliest possible age and help these students acquire the necessary experience and skills to take them to the doorstep of this vital

Based in Washington, D.C., the academy was chartered as a nonpartisan, taxpaying institution to help address this crisis by working to identify, encourage and mentor students who wish to devote their lives to the service of humanity as physicians, medical scientists, technologists, engineers and mathematicians.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, Sept. 17

- Exercise class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center. • Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- CCCCSD School Board meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Building.

Thursday, Sept. 18

- Balance exercises, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Lunch & Learn Series, 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center.
- Movies, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- OMS Lions vs. Grape Creek, 5 p.m. at Lion Stadium.
- JV Lions vs. Grape Creek, 6 p.m. at Grape Creek.

Friday, Sept. 19

- Exercise Classes, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Ozona Lions vs. Grape Creek, 7:30 p.m. at Lion Stadium. Future Lion night.

Saturday, Sept. 20

- OHS Cross-Country at UTSA in San Antonio.
- OMS Cross-Country at Christoval.
- OHS Band at the West Texas Auxiliary Competition in Lubbock.
- Ozona Pee Wee Lions vs. Sonora, 10:30 a.m. at Mertzon.
- Ozona Heavy Weight Lions vs. Sonora, 1:30 p.m. at Mertzon.

Monday, Sept. 22

- Exercise Classes, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

- Tuesday, Sept. 23 • OHS and OMS Cross-Country Teams at Mertzon.
- Balance exercises, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Computer course, 10 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Crafts, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Bunco, 7 p.m. at the Senior Center.

Wednesday, Sept. 24

- Exercise class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sept. 17 - Adelina Martinez, Weston Seahorn, Betty Mainerd, Judy Jones, Gabby Longoria, Laura Parker, Nina Martinez, Roy Bullard and Ismael R. Castro Sr.

Sept. 18 - Shawna Hopper, Pablo Talamantez Sr., Elsa Vasquez, Raven Perez, Kelsie Ramirez and Monica Schwartz

Sept. 19 - Kassidy Gonzales, Kellan Carlson, Inez Gutierrez, Aimee Longoria, Linda Conner, Ethan English and Nancy Vannoy

Sept. 20 - Cheryl Bricken, Jana Fox, Natalia Rodriguez, Jackie Necessary, Kaitlynn Poindexter, Stephen Lara, Felipe F. Castro Sr. and Chandler Jones

Sept. 21 - Christian Felix Castro, Larry Glosson, Bear Borrego, Mark Ramirez, Gil Komechak, Sky Munoz, Alec Ingraham, Cory Galindo Jr., Matthew William Fuentes and Raymundo Estrada

Sept. 22 - Lisa Ramirez, Susie Bishop, Karen Webb, Lisa Ramirez, Ruben Talamantez, Teresa Torres, Wes McGuire and Sam Perner

Sept. 23 - Edward Segura, Michael Medina Jr., Maria Oritz, Kaitlyn Tambunga, Mariah Gallardo, Jennifer Venegas and Eva P. Bordan









HELPING HANDS NEWS

Helping Hands is in need of volunteers to deliver meals to the elderly. If you have some time, or need some community service for school, come by or call (325) 392-5026. For applications, call Weldon Nicks at (325) 392-3600.

SEPTEMBER 17

·Beef tips and gravy, scalloped potatoes, seasoned spinach, whole wheat bread, chunky fruit medley and milk.

SEPTEMBER 18

· Chicken enchilada bake, pinto beans, yellow squash, flour tortilla, salsa, season fresh fruit and milk.

SEPTEMBER 19

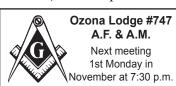
·Crunchy baked fish, potato wedges, spicy buttered carrots, red and green coleslaw, butter crackers, brownie and milk.

SEPTEMBER 22

·Cranberry glazed ham, whipped sweet potato, mixed California blend, whole wheat bread, chunky fruit medley, oatmeal raisin cookie and

SEPTEMBER 16

·Pulled pork on a bun, baked steak fries, pineapple coleslaw, fruit crisp and milk.







GARDEN OF THE MONTH: The house of Dale and Sandy Bebee has been named the Garden of the Month by the Ozona Garden Club. It is located at 1101 Ratliff St.

WORDS OF INSPIRATION

Without God - All Are Lost

Due to computer problems, this weekly article is an excerpt from the book "In the Grip of Grace" by author Max Lucado.

I could not have said it

Symbols are important. Some of them, like communion and baptism, illustrate the cross of Christ.

They symbolize salvation, demonstrate salvation, even articulate salvation. But they do not impart salvation.

Do we honestly think God would save his children

based upon a symbol? What kind of God would look at a religious hypocrite obeyed me, but because your name was on the roll of a

nation, I'll save you?" Our God is abundant in love and steadfast in mercy. He saves us, not because we trust in a symbol, but be-

church in the right denomi-

God justifies the believer, not because of the worthiness of his belief, but because of Christ's worthiness.

Have a blessed week, Pas-

Calvary Baptist Church in Ozona, Texas.

and say, "You have never cause we trust in a Savior. loved me, sought me or Without God, all are lost.

tor Dan

DAN SLEDGE is the pastor of

SQUIRREL IN A BASKET

Recently I received some pictures of a baby squirrel that was orphaned. He was finally accepted and cared for by a small female dog that had just had a litter of puppies. She would lick on him, (not exactly to his liking) and watch over him and even let him stay in the basket with her babies. It was warm and safe there and he was protected. When it came time for feeding he was even allowed to nurse with the rest of the gang. He and the little puppies would take naps together and play together, all the while mother carefully watching over them. Those pictures reminded me of Christianity and our relationship to God. The Bible says we are adopted into the family of God when we accept Christ, (John 1:12,13, Romans 8:15, Ephesians 1:5). Originally God chose the nation of Israel for some special purposes (Romans 9:4,5). For instance, they were chosen to have a special relationship to God but they wouldn't listen and rejected Him and even crucified His only Son, Jesus, so God chose to allow others in their place. I don't know why the mamma dog chose that little squirrel but he has been very blessed and needs to be thankful. If we have accepted Christ and are adopted into the family of God shouldn't we do the same, (Psalms 118:21)?

Brother J

First Baptist Church **Pastor John Curry** Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Morning Bible Study - 10 a.m. Awana - 5:30 p.m. - Wednesdays Wednesday Choir Rehearsal - 7:30 p.m.

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Wed. Service: 6 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church

601 Ave. I Pastor Dan E. Sledge

Sunday School: 10 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 6 p.m.

Wednesday Worship: 6 p.m.

New Beginnings Ozona

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Pastor JC Cantu

Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Rev. Esequiel Cervantez

See you in Church next Sunday.

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 Jean Reardon

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 vour choice this Sunday.

Ozona United Methodist Church

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

Templo Siloe **Assembly of God Church** 2121 Santa Rosa St. Pastor Ruth & Gerson Posadas

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m. Wed. Family Service: 6:30 p.m.

Our Lady of Perpetual Help 219 Martinez St. Fr. Nilo Nalugon

Sun. Mass: 9 a.m. in Sheffield; 11 a.m. in Ozona EverySecond Sunday of the Month: Sun. Mass: 9 a.m. in Ozona; 11 a.m. in Sheffield Tues. - Sat. Mass: 6 p.m.

> **Apostolic Church** 307 Santa Rosa St. Rev. Refugio Vega

Sunday School: 3 p.m. Sunday Worship: 4 p.m. Tues & Thur. Service: 7:00 p.m.

Iglesia de Cristo Hwy 163 S. at Quail Run Interim - Ray Valadez Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m.

Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.

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DEATH NOTICES

Roberto B. Ybarra

Roberto B. Ybarra, 85, of Ozona died Sunday, Sept. 14, 2014 in Ozona. Funeral services will be today, Sept. 17, 2014 at 10 a.m. at the Templo Siloe Church. Burial will follow in Lima Cemetery. Survivors include his wife Jesusita Ybarra, sons Robert Jr., Juan and Freddy Ybarra, all of Ozona, and sister Estella Arispe of Mexico.

Juliana C. Arredondo

Juliana C. Arredondo, 86, of Ozona died Wednesday, Sept. 10, 2014 in Ozona. Funeral services were Saturday, Sept. 13, 2014 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church. Burial followed in Lima Cemetery. Survivors include sons Raul Arredondo Sr. of Ozona, and Cirilo C. Arredondo of Indiana, daughter Rosalba Pichardo of Mexico, and sisters Maria Salinas of Chicago, Ill. and Faustina Elizondo of Ozona.

OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

Movie day Thursday

BY BRENDA NEWTON SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

Movie day is 2 p.m. Thursday. We will be showing "Maid in Manhattan" with Jennifer Lopez and Ralph Finnes.

Come on over a join us. We have learned to play Bunco now and have a group playing on Tuesday at 7 p.m. Come try it out. It is an unusual game of dice that moves fast and is easy to play. Don't be shy, come give it a try.

The bridge players have started up again. They sound like they are having a great time at 1:30 p.m. Monday.

We have been trying the new exercise tape on Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings. It was a real workout, but everyone can quit when it gets to be too much. It is exciting because it has modern music in the background. You should come and try it. The Balance Exercise is working better in the morning, so we will leave it at 9 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

If there is something you would like to have started at the center, please let me know and I will try to make it happen. Don't forget the trade table. We have really had a good time with the trash to treasure table lately. Thank you to the ones that have donated to this table.

Exercise 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Bridge 1:30 p.m. Monday. Balance Exercise 9 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

Crafts 2 p.m. Tuesdays. Mexican Train 1:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Prayer Group 3 p.m. Wednesday.

Quilting 9:30 a.m. Thursday. Movies 2 p.m. Thursday. Come on out, the coffee it on.

OZONA GARDEN CLUB NEWS

Club welcomes new member, discusses programs

OZONA GARDEN CLUR

The Ozona Garden Club Members met at the home of Tina Bean on Monday, Sept. 8. Helping Tina with hosting duties was Vicki Stokes.

Rosalind Williams began the meeting by calling for the officers reports, followed by members previewing the new 2014-2015 yearbook and discussing programs for the coming year.

Tina Bean and Vicki Stokes gave a short program on caring for house plants and using colorful pot plants

The meeting ended with a plant auction. We are pleased to have Laura Skehan become a new club member.

The October meeting will be hosted by Marolyn Bean and Charlotte Harrell on the 13th.

We invite anyone interested in becoming a member of the Ozona Garden Club to join us for fellowship and to learn ways to become better gardeners.

More information about our organization can be learned by calling our Club President, Rosalind Williams at 392-3269.

Thank You

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks for the expressions of condolences and love, flowers, calls, cards and food during the loss of our beloved mother. Your thoughtfulness and kindness will always be treasured. Thank you to Father Nilo and the OLPH choir for the lovely services and the Guadalupanas for the delicious meal. Special thanks go to Sheriff Bob Rodriguez and the Crockett County Sheriff's Department. May God bless each and everyone of you.

The Arredondo Family



Sunday: 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

(Sunday School & Small group Bible Study Sunday at 9:45 a.m.)

Monday – Wednesday: 7 p.m.

(Food & Fellowship 6 p.m.)

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in the region to deter, detect and disrupt drug and human trafficking, and other related criminal activity.

The Texas National Guard, at the direction of Gov. Rick Perry, has also deployed to the border and is supporting the mission of OSS.

"The goal of this datadriven, multi-agency operation in high-threat areas for a sustained period of time is to deny Mexican cartels and their associates the ability to move drugs and people into Texas between the ports of entry, as well as reduce the power of these organizations, whose success depends on their ability to operate on both sides of the border," said DPS Director Steven McCraw. "At the request of the Texas Legislature, DPS is providing unclassified, detailed information about the trends that have been developing along the border for some time, as well as the current activity occurring in the OSS area of operation."

Mexican cartels are the most significant organized crime threat to Texas, with seven of the eight cartels operating command and control networks in the state, moving drugs and people into the United States, and transporting cash, weapons and stolen vehicles back to Mexico.

In short, an unsecured U.S.-Mexico border is a state and national security problem. DPS personnel, as well as the brave men and women of the U.S. Border Patrol, local law enforcement agencies, state partners and members of the Texas National Guard, are working around-the-clock to keep the local communities safe through Operation Strong Safety.

A summary of significant border incidents can be found at: http://www.txdps.state.tx.us/PublicInformation/documents/sumSignificantBrdrIncidents.pdf.



FORMER MEMBERS OF MENARD AND OZONA HIGH SCHOOL BANDS with past director Chans Moellendorf and current director Constance Kelly at the Angelo State University season opener football game Saturday. Pictured are: (left to right) Dr. Kelly, Devon Garcia, Elijah Aguilar, Logan Glaspie, Ethan Espinosa and Mr. Moellendorf.

School board meeting tonight

The CCCCSD School Board meeting will be held at 6:30 p.m. tonight (Sept. 17) at the Administration Building, 797 Avenue D.

· Open forum/public comments

· Reports: transporta-

tion and maintenance; principals; athletic director; technology director; band; cafeteria and food service; special and federal programs; superintendent - enrollment and attendance; financial and bills - bills, board report, monthly investment report and amendments to the 2014-2015 official budget.

· Consent Agenda - approve minutes for the Aug. 27 regular meeting.

• Executive/closed session - personnel matters and discuss real property.

Possible action from executive/closed session.

New businessFuture business - Oc-

· Future business - October regular board meeting, suggested date Oct. 15.

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NEED BUSINESS CARDS?

Sutton County NRA Banquet Saturday

The Sutton County NRA Auction and Dinner will be held Saturday, Sept. 20, at the Sutton County Civic Center in Sonora.

Doors open at 5 p.m. The event will honor all Veterans in attendance. Tickets at the door will be \$30 per person, while advance tickets will be \$25 per person.

Ages two and under are free.

Bring laundered coats
and jackets and receive free
raffle tickets. Items will be
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Tickets are available by contacting Buck N Bass Outdoor Sporting Goods (325) 387-3400) or Tonya Brown (325) 206-0454 or (325) 387-3861.

E-mail request to: sutton-conra@gmail.com. Purchase online at www.friendsof-nra.org. Table packages are available.



LIONS: from page 1

Despite the win, both teams had a combined 31 penalties for 269 yards. Ozona finished with 18 penalties for 149 yards, and Crane had 13 penalties for 120 yards.

"It was difficult overcoming the penalties and mental errors we made, but our kids persevered and picked up our first win.

We had a number of busts on assignments and alignments on both sides of the ball so we are going to go back and drill the necessary things to clean all of that up," Perez said. "Defense played big on a short field for most of the evening and the offense executed when we needed to and we were able to come out on top. Most of the problems we had on Friday were errors on our part that are easily adjusted and fixed."

The Lions are 1-2 overall heading into this week's game against 3-0 Grape Creek.

that night after the game.

Open Late after Home Games

"Our next opponent, Grape Creek, is a good ball club. They are sitting 3-0 and are averaging approximately 52 points a game, so they are explosive on offense. Defensively they have a very good line and should challenge us on both sides of the ball. We are looking forward to another great game this week to test us on both sides of the ball once again," Perez said. "The kids are really doing a great job in playing within our scheme and are improving each week. Every day we are looking to get a step closer to being the very best we can be and to operate as one team on the field. I am very proud of our young men stepping up and playing tough in every game and doing it in a true 'Iron Man' fashion with only 22-24 on the roster depending on the week. I'm looking for good things to come in the near fu-

Kickoff is 7:30 p.m. Friday at Lion Stadium. The game will also be Future Lion Night.

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JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

DANIEL "BONO" LOMBRANA (center) MAKES AN EXCELLENT BLOCK FOR THE VARSITY LIONS IN THEIR 13-6 WIN OVER CRANE ON FRIDAY, SEPT. 12. Also assisting on the play is #57Jose Ojeda.



Thursday, Sept. 18 vs. Crane - There - 5:00 p.m.

JV LIONS

Thursday, Sept. 18 vs. Grape Creek - There - 6:00 p.m.

VARSITY LIONS

Friday, Sept. 19

vs. Grape Creek - Lion Stadium - 7:30 p.m.

CROSS COUNTRY

Saturday, Sept. 20

OHS - San Antonio (UTSA)

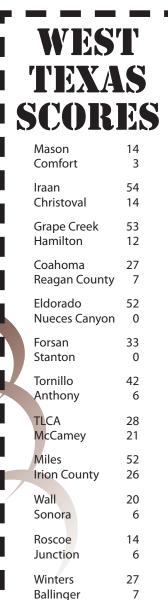
Middle School - Christoval

Tuesday, Sept. 23

OHS and Middle School

in Mertzon







LINING UP FOR THE VARSITY LIONS ARE: (I. to r.) #64 Zack Taylor, #50 Chase DeHoyos, #11 Jayton Rodriquez, #61 Johnny Venegas, #21 Ryan Porras and #57 Jose Ojeda



JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN RICKY PORRAS makes some good yardage for the varsity Lions in their game against Crane.



JUAN RODRIGUEZ WRAPS UP a Crane player in the Ozona varsity Lions victory on Friday, Sept. 12 in

OHS Students of the Week



Mireya Rivera



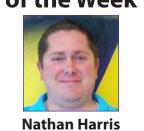
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THE VARSITY OZONA LIONS PLACED SECOND at the Harper Meet Saturday. Pictured are: (left to right) Jackson Abbey, Roman Esparza, Omero Rodriguez, Noe Medina, Alan Landa, Alex Hopper, Adrian Rodriguez and Danny



THE VARSITY OZONA LADY LIONS PLACED THIRD at the Harper Meet Saturday. Pictured are: (back row, left to right) McKenna Fox, Coach Tiffany Esparza, Samantha Torralba, Brenna Hale, Cameron Rutherford, Alyssa Newlin, Estefania Torralba and Coach John Esparza; (front row, left to right) Nerada Vega, Gabby Treto, Madison Childress and McKenna Moses.



JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

THE OZONA ELEMENTARY STUDENTS STAND UP AND ROAR FOR THE OZONA LIONS AT THE OHS PEP RALLY held Sept. 12 at the elementary school.

JV Lions pluck Cranes 30-8

The JV Lions defeated Crane, 30-8, Thursday night at Lion Stadium.

Jadon Perez scored two touchdowns for the Lions, Rodriguez and Mark Ybarra adding one touchdown each.

"The kids played a great game. I am especially proud to pull together to secure the victory in the second half,' said Coach Mitch Kay.

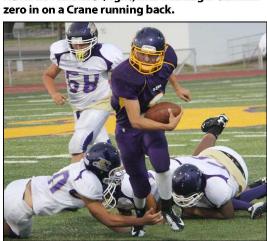
The JV Lions will face Grape Creek at 6 p.m. Thursday at Grape Creek.



ORNALDO MEZA (top, right) says, "You're going down," to the Crane ball carrier as #55 Michael Garcia (top, left) wheels around to assist him. "Told ya!"



JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN ADRIAN TREVINO (right) and #12 Edgar Damian



JADON PEREZ evades not one, not two, not three, but four Crane defenders to score a touchdown.

Lions second, Lady Lions third at Harper CC meet

The OHS Cross-Country teams competed at the Jacob Krebs Invitational Saturday in Harper.

The Lions placed second behind Class 4A Fredericksburg. They were ahead of Kerrville Tivy, Harper, Comstock, Fredericksburg JV, Johnson City, Tivy JV, Blanco and Bracken JV.

Omero Rodriguez won the meet at 17 minutes, 78 seconds.

Adrian Rodriguez was sixth at 18.23.50; Alex Hopper ninth 18:30; Noe Medina 13th at 18:50.67; Roman Esparza 20th at 19:05; Alan Landa 21st at 19:08; Danny Posadas 43rd at 20:34 and Jackson Abbey 82nd at 23:30.

"We all took an average of about 20 seconds off our times from the previous week. If we continue to work hard and stay healthy, we have some great meets ahead of us," said Coach John Esparza.

The Lady Lions finished third behind Class 4A Fredericksburg and Class 5A Tivy. They were ahead of Johnson City, Harper and Fredericksburg JV.

McKenna Moses was the top runner finishing fourth at 13:01.

Madison Childress was 11th at 13:32; Gabby Treto 17th at 13:47; Nerada Vega 18th at 13:48; Estefania Torralba 31st at 14:34; Brenna Hale 36th at 14:47; Cameron Rutherford 41st at 15:88; Cierra Sanchez 44th at 15:04; Alyssa Newlin 46th 15:09; McKenna Fox 69th at 16:28 and Samantha Torralba 87th

our girls who are starting to get healthy and really come together. As with the boys, we all had about a 20 second improvement from last week. As long as we can stay healthy, great things could happen," Esparza said.

will run Saturday, Sept. 20, at UTSA in San Antonio and Tuesday, Sept. 23, at Mertzon.

The OMS Cross-Country Teams competed at the Jacob Krebs Invitational in Harper.

medals. Also running: Dalton

at 18:27. "This was a good race for

The Lions and Lady Lions

OMS

The OMS Lions finished

third. Alec Lara was the top runner placing fourth. Aiden

Fuentes 23rd and Zachary Talamantez 24th, also received

Cloud, Justin Yeager, Chantz

OHS PEP RALLY Friday, Sept. 19

12:15 p.m. - Davidson Gym

Elliott, Manuel Torralba, Humberto Torralba, Iacob Childress and Dylan Mendoza. Competing for the OMS

Lady Lions were: Ebony Ramirez, Alyiah Ortiz, Kameron Ortiz, Roslynn Mendez, Karina Marmolejo, Jade Borrego, Alana Escamilla, Ivana Hernandez, Raelee Borrego, Mariah Galindo, Paige Villarreal, Wendy Mata and Kristy Rodriguez.

The OMS teams will compete Saturday, Sept. 20, at Christoval and Tuesday, Sept. 23, at Mertzon.

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announced that Crockett, Lov-

ing, Pecos, Upton and Ward

counties in the 23rd District

of Texas are eligible for fed-

eral drought relief assistance.

They now join more than two-

dozen other counties in the

23rd District of Texas that

were previously designated

as drought stricken. U.S. Sec-

retary of Agriculture Tom

Vilsack made the federal as-

sistance available through a

has severely affected com-

munities in the 23rd District

of Texas," Gallego said. "You

know the drought is bad when

most of the 29 counties in the

district are eligible for feder-

al drought relief. Yet, it is crit-

ical that we help farmers and

ranchers - the men and wom-

en who put food on our tables

- with the tools needed to pro-

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OZONA STORAGE agricultural communities." On several occasions this year, Gallego met with Vilsack 392-2142 to discuss how the drought has affected communities in

Washington - U.S. Rep. the 23rd District of Texas as well as how the U.S. Department of Agriculture can better serve the district.

Crockett, Loving, Pecos, Upton and Ward counties now qualify under the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act as a contiguous disaster area. Earlier this year, Vilsack designated more than 108 Texas counties as primary natural disaster areas due to the recent drought.

Also earlier this year, Vilsack designated other counties in the 23rd District as contiguous counties eligible for federal relief under the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act.

A disaster designation makes farmers in primary counties and surrounding counties eligible for assistance from the Farm Service Agency (FSA), including FSA emergency loans. FSA considers each emergency loan application on its own merits, taking into account the extent of production losses on the farm, and the security and repayment ability of the farmer.

For more information, contact your local FSA office, or visit www.fsa.usda.gov.

For more information on U.S. Rep. Gallego, visit www. gallego.house.gov.

FOR THE RECORD: COURT PROCEEDINGS

COUNTY COURT

August 2014 · Larry Bernell Green, failure to appear,

conviction - \$180 fine, \$318 court costs. · Brent Lloyd Santellano, failure to appear, conviction - \$170 fine, \$328 court costs.

· Jesus B. Bedolla, possession of marijuana less than two ounces, conviction - \$500 fine, \$378 court costs. · Ricardo Barron Ruiz, failure to appear,

conviction - \$170 fine, \$328 court costs. Alice Ann Lewis theft by check dismiss

- paid restitution and court costs. · Thomas Chad Hammond, failure to appear, conviction - \$170 fine, \$328 court costs.

· Eric Wayne Rhodes, possession of marijuana less than two ounces, dismiss - completed obligations to county attorney • Eric Wayne Bain, driving while license

invalid - enhanced, dismiss - completed obligations to the county attorney. Robert (harles Daniels, driving while

tion, \$500 fine and \$488 court costs. • Jonathan William Langdon, possession

intoxicated - first, conviction - one year proba-

of marijuana less than two ounces, conviction fine \$200, \$388 court costs. • Branden Scott McIntyre, possession of

marijuana less than two ounces, conviction -\$200 fine and \$388 court costs.

• David Lee Perez, assault/bodily injury/ family violence, conviction - 69 days in jail.

• Felix Ray Robledo, possession of a controlled substance penalty group 2A, conviction - \$500 fine and \$378 court costs.

· Brian Lee Satterfield, possession of marijuana less than two ounces, conviction -\$300 fine and \$388 court costs. • Ismael Castro, possession of marijuana

less than two ounces, dismiss - unable to make • Michael David Ramirez, driving while

license invalid - enhanced, dismiss - has occupational driver's license. • Jose Daniel Rios, driving while license

invalid - enhanced, dismiss - unable to make ima facie case.

· Peter Estalfo Rodriguez, possession of marijuana less than two ounces, dismiss - unable to make prima facie case.

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officer. "I think we go above and beyond to help people out."

The fees are the maximum amount the department can charge. Jurado said the department will work within their discretion on the fees.

"This isn't an amount we just came up with today. We try to educate people. We

shooting"

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fox in

battery

55 boys

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47 TX Kiowa chief

48 "Lonesome Dove"

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25 "one-armed bandit"

26 TX Kenny sang

Your Love

32 TX Buddy Holly

33 American world-

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27 chicken fried steak

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39 largest TX spider:

40 African antelope

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bend over backwards to help them," said Janet Pullen, animal control officer.

CIVIC CENTER

The commissioners approved Travis Knaack and Christy Cruz as members of the Crockett County Civic and Youth Board. They also approved to advertise for bids for a new roof for the Civic Center.

INSURANCE

The commissioners approved an agreement with Travelers for liability, property and auto insurance.

Commissioners Frank Tambunga and Eligio Martinez were absent from the meeting.

DEWHURST

tions are due Oct. 31.

SPEAKS ON TWIA Lt. Gov. Dewhurst on Sept.

9 spoke at a Senate Business & Commerce Committee hearing with the permis-



PUBLIC NOTICE Brief Explanatory Statements of Proposed

Constitutional Amendments Special Election November 4, 2014

Proposition Number 1 (SJR 1)

SJR 1 would authorize the transfer of certain money from the general revenue fund to the state highway fund and the economic stabilization fund. Money transferred to the state highway fund may be used solely for the construction, maintenance and acquisition of rights-of-way for public roadways.

The proposed amendment will

appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the use and dedication of certain money transferred to the state highway fund to assist in the completion of transportation construction, maintenance, and rehabilitation projects, not to include toll roads.'

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CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Crockett County Sheriff's Weekly Activity Report

Type of Calls

Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints 6 911 medical/fire assistance Civil complaints Civil documents served Criminal complaints/disturbances/loud noise 30 Juvenile/School Motorist assist/ locked vehicle 10 Reckless driving/ speeding complaints 6 Minor/major traffic accidents 2 Traffic contacts 30

OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS:

• Sheriff's deputy filed an identity theft report from a local resident.

• Sheriff's deputy arrested Johnny Borrel Villarreal, of Ozona, on a local warrant for driving while license invalid. Villarreal bonded out.

• Sheriff's deputy arrested Jorge Aranda,

of Ozona, on a charge of driving while license invalid. Aranda bonded out. · Ryan Lee Ramos, of Ozona, turned him-

self in on a local warrant for assault family violence. Ramos bonded out after arraignment.

· Sheriff's deputies arrested Jimmy Mu-

noz, of Ozona, on a local warrant for assault family violence-enhanced due to previous con-

viction. Munoz bonded out after arraignment. • Sheriff's deputy arrested Hector Lloyd Etheridge, of Corpus Christi, on a local warrant for aggravated assault with a deadly weapon. Etheridge was transferred to Upton County after arraignment.

· Sheriff's deputies arrested Michael David Ramirez, of Ozona, on a local warrant for aggravated assault with a deadly weapon. Ramirez was transferred to Upton County after · Sheriff's deputy arrested Jennifer Mar-

ley Knox, of Ozona, on a charge of driving while intoxicated – open container. Knox bonded out after arraignment.

· Sheriff's deputy arrested Rocky Munoz, of Ozona, on a local warrant for assault. Munoz bonded out after arraignment.

· Sheriff's deputy filed a theft of a fire-

arm report from County Road 208. Sheriff's deputy filed a theft of a firearm report that occurred at local gun range.

• Sheriff's deputy filed a theft report on a

• Sheriff's deputy file a criminal mischief report from a local resident who report their vehicle tires had been slashed.

EMS DEPARTMENT RUNS

9/8/2014

• 9:58 a.m. - Transported No Lights/Siren San Angelo Community Med Ctr 911 Response (Emergency) 9/9/2014

• 11 a.m. - Transported No Lights/Siren San Angelo Community Med Ctr 911 Response (Emergency) 9/10/2014

• 8:38 a.m. - Transported Lights/Siren Fam-

"For those Texans who

choose not to eat meat, I say

more power to you. If you

want to take the personal

challenge to go meatless on

Mondays, go right ahead.

However, we cannot force

such an agenda-driven diet

on anyone who has not cho-

sen such a diet, especially

In other news, Staples

on Sept. 10 announced the

Texas Department of Agri-

culture will receive \$317,600

in federal funding to help

growers and handlers of or-

ganic agricultural products

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Grant funds will be avail-

able to help producers re-

cover part of the cost of

applying for the U.S. Depart-

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organic certification.

our school children.

ily Health Clinic 911 Response (Emergency) • 9:19 a.m. - No treatment, No Transport

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911 Response (Emergency)

• 9:20 a.m. - Transported No Lights/Siren Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital 911 Response (Emergency)

• 6:07 p.m. - Transported No Lights/Siren Shannon West Texas Memorial Hospital 911 Response (Emergency) 9/11/2014

• 6:30 p.m. - Standby at football game. 9/14/2014

• 3:15 p.m. - Transported No Lights/Siren Family Health Clinic 911 Response (Emergency)

sion of the chair, Sen. Kevin Eltife, R-Tyler.

The Texas Windstorm Insurance Association (TWIA) has insured obligations that have grown from about 85,000 policies representing \$16 billion since January 2003, to more than 270,000 polices representing almost \$77 billion currently, De-

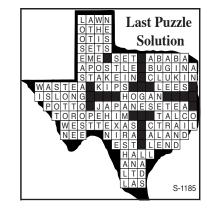
whurst said. "Should Texas, God forbid, endure two targeted Category 5 hurricanes in a single year, the impact on the state budget from claims on TWIA's \$77 billion in coverage could be devastating. I encourage the senators to explore ways to carefully move Texas coastal policy holders to commercial insurance carriers over time, thus avoiding a rate shock and reducing the risk of a massive financial tsunami to Texas taxpayers," Dewhurst added.

SALES TAX REVENUE RISES

State Comptroller Susan Combs on Sept. 10 announced state sales tax revenue in August was \$2.57 billion, up 7.5 percent compared to August 2013.

Revenue gains, she said, were led by remittances from the oil and natural gas, wholesale trade and retail trade sectors.

Also, fiscal year 2014 ended (on Aug. 31) with total collections at \$27.27 billion, up 5.5 percent over fiscal year 2013. Combs said the Office of the Comptroller will send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts their September local sales tax allocations totaling \$627.8 million, up 9.2 percent compared to September 2013.



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application.

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Hospital District to pick up an ap-

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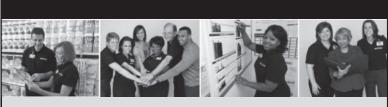
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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTIFICATION OF ABANDONED VEHICLE

Date 9/17/2014 First Notification

1993 FORD MUSTANG License Registration JON 213 ND VIN: 1FAFCP-40MXPF209486 IMPOUND DATE 7/29/14 ATTEMPT TO NOTIFY OWNER: Total Tow Fees \$355.00 Notification fee \$50.00 Storage fees accrue until vehicle is released at \$15.00 a day plus state tax. Total charges cannot be computed until vehicle is claimed. Proof of ownership is required. Vehicle is stored at JohnCo Storage Facility 305 Ave. J Ozona, Texas 76943 Vehicle will be sold at a public sale 30 days after second notice.

NOTIFICATION OF ABANDONED VEHICLE

Date 9/17/2014 First Notification

2002 JEEP LIBERTY License Registration 4YZ H767 CA. VIN: 1J4G-Z58Y2RC155750 IMPOUND DATE 9/1/2014 ATTEMPT TO NOTIFY OWNER: Total Tow Fees \$275.00 Notification fee \$50.00 Storage fees accrue until vehicle is released at \$15.00 a day plus state tax. Total charges cannot be computed until vehicle is claimed. Proof of ownership is required. Vehicle is stored at JohnCo Storage Facility 305 Ave. J Ozona, Texas 76943 Vehicle will be sold at a public sale 30 days after second notice.

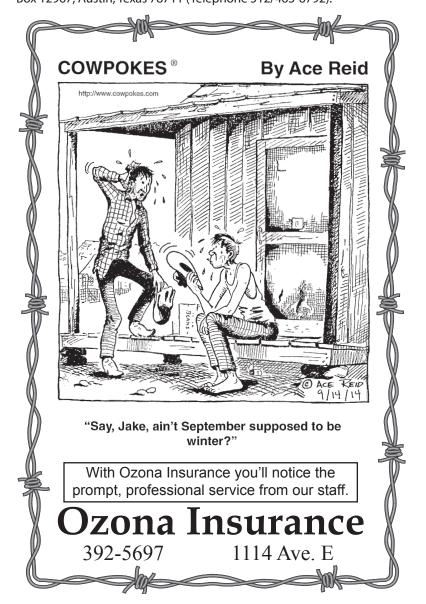
NOTIFICATION OF ABANDONED VEHICLE

Date 9/17/2014 First Notification

JEEP CHEROKEE License Registration EFS8396 MEXICO. VIN: 1T4G-W48S5YC470125 IMPOUND DATE 8/23/14 ATTEMPT TO NOTIFY OWNER: Total Tow Fees \$355.00 Notification fee \$50.00 Storage fees accrue until vehicle is released at \$15.00 a day plus state tax. Total charges cannot be computed until vehicle is claimed. Proof of ownership is required. Vehicle is stored at JohnCo Storage Facility 305 Ave. J Ozona, Texas 76943 Vehicle will be sold at a public sale 30 days after second notice.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR FLUID INJECTION WELL PERMIT

 $\label{lem:lembor_lembor_lembor} \textbf{LEAD DOGTECHNOLOGY I, LLC} \ is applying \ to \ the \ Railroad \ Commission \ of$ Texas for a permit to inject fluid into a formation, which is productive of oil and gas. The applicant proposes to inject fluid into the SAN ANDRES formation, McClatchey-Gauvey Lease, well number 3. The Proposed injection well is located 10.5 miles NW of Ozona, in the Vaughn Field, in Crockett County . Fluid will be injected in strata in the subsurface depth interval from 1440 to 1456 feet. LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512/463-6792).



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> Fred Deaton, County Judge Date published: September 17, 2014

BID NOTICE

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