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OUT IN THE WEST, WHERE THE AIR IS PURE, THE CLIMATE AGREEABLE AND THE PEOPLE FRIENDLY—THE BEST PLACE ON EARTH TO CALL HOME

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Lions begin new season

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Ozona Lions began workouts for the 2015 Football Season Monday.

This year the Lions are once again focusing on defending their 2014 District Championship.

"We had a good first day. We had some new faces. I enjoyed having these guys out," said Athletic Director Edward Perez.

This year's Lions have big shoes fill after losing 13 seniors.

Also, three players, Ben Badillo, Kobe Rodriquez and Jadon Perez, are vying for the varsity quarterback position.

Senior Bryce Martin is recovering from knee surgery and will be out for six to eight weeks.

"Our younger kids will have to step up and fill holes," Perez said.

The Lions once again have tough district opponents.

Perez said he expects Forsan, Christoval and Mc-Camey to be strong teams.

"Our district is very competitive. I'm not over-



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> **BY MELISSA PERNER** THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Commissioners' Court held a special meeting on Friday, July 31.

The commissioners approved contracts with SKG Engineering for specifications for the proposed courthouse annex and Crockett County Care Center roofs.

County Judge Fred Deaton abstained from voting on the contacts and plans.

Commissioners Frank Tambunga and Randy Branch were absent from the meeting.

The commissioners will hold another special meeting at noon Friday, Aug. 7, at the courthouse annex.

The meeting is open to the public.

Item on the agenda is discussion and action on approval of plans for Crockett County 2011 Community Development Block Grant Water and Sewer Infrastructure Improvements for Hampton Inn Ozona, Crockett County, Texas, Texas Capital Fund No. 7214343. Also, the commissioners will have their regular monthly meeting at 9 a.m. Monday at the courthouse annex.

looking anyone this season, Perez said.

Perez said some of the key players to watch this season include Tommy Fay, Kalen Perez, Jose Ojeda and Johnny Venegas on defense,

Jadon Perez and Rodriquez as a newcomer. New to the Lions coach-

ing staff is Daniel Mejia, of

Memphis, Texas, and Carlos bles. Robles, of Olton, Texas. Coaching the JV squad

will be Mitch Kay and Ro-

COACH MITCH KAY works with a group of the Ozona Lions during Monday's football workouts at Lion Stadium. More photos, page 6.

Coaching the Eighth Grade Lions will be Matt Gutierrez and Todd Harri-

son. Coaching the Seventh Grade Lions will be Ray Talamantes and Lyon Lofland.

The meeting is open to the public.

Ozona Chamber is 'a front door to the community'

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Learning about what the Ozona Chamber of Commerce does and offers were the subjects of last week's Lunch & Learn at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center.

Chamber President Shanon Biggerstaff and Interactive Media Coordinator Cathy English both made presentations about what services the chamber offers to its members.

"There are a lot of misconceptions out there about chambers. Chambers are not civic organizations. We have a paid staff with a board of directors," Biggerstaff said. "A lot of people don't understand that we are a corporation. We are bound by federal laws and guidelines."

In the state of Texas there are 600 chambers of commerce, Biggerstaff said. Each chamber operates based on the specific needs of their community.

"Our job is to be the front door to the community and their businesses. We support those businesses that come



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

CHAMBER PRESIDENT SHANON BIGGERSTAFF talks about what the Ozona Chamber of Commerce does and offers during last week's Lunch and Learn at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center.

into town and market those services to residents. We support local businesses," Biggerstaff said.

The chamber deals with an average of 120 phone calls a month.

Biggerstaff said the Ozona Chamber's focus is on the two industries that provide the economic base for Ozona: the oil and gas and tourism industry which consist of travelers that stop for gasoline, eating and spending time in the community.

The chamber has created a GPS game that gives visitors a 60-90 minute tour of Ozona by using a GPS, and a historical walking tour.

They also get information out through their website at Ozona.com, social media on Facebook, Twitter, Pinterest and Instagram, email and monthly newsletters.

The chamber has 3,200-5,000 hits every month on their website.

"People are staying with us. They are remembering us and talking about us," Biggerstaff said.

This year the chamber is hosting their annual Oil and

Gas Show in October. They host this event every other year.

"This serves a purpose to support the number one service in the county, it puts people in the community in hotels and restaurants and it's a fundraiser for the chamber," Biggerstaff said.

The Ozona Chamber is funded through dues, the local motel occupancy tax which is used to promote tourism in Crockett County, and fund raisers.

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OVFD battles three grass fires



SUBMITTED PHOTO | OZONA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

OZONA FIREFIGHTERS fought three grass fires last week. Two were off of County Road 208 north of Ozona and another was located off of State Highway 137 about five miles south of the Reagan County line. Cause of the fires is still be determined. Temperatures this week are expecting to soar into the upper 90s this week with no rain expected. Crockett County is not under a burn ban at this time. Reagan County and Iraan Firefighters also responded.





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Wednesday, August 5, 2015

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Blessing in a Backpack is now OUMC-Loaves and Fishes

Dear Editor,

The Wednesday Women's Bible Study class that meets at the Ozona United Methodist Church has offered to take over the Blessing in a Backpack program that Paige Skehan started in the Ozona Elementary School four years ago.

The program provides weekend meals for students who may not have regular meals

on the weekends. Ozona has a is no longer able to run this high percentage of elementary age children who fall below the poverty line. That translates into many being at risk for hunger.

School personnel confirm that there are children in our community that come to school on Monday mornings with empty stomachs and hunger headaches. Since Paige has relocated to Upton County, she

All that's

program. Our class has decided to take on this project.

However, because of the restrictions of the Blessings in a Backpack program, we have decided to create our own local ministry to accomplish the same goals. We will be able to provide fresh produce along with other items not included in the Backpack program. We have named our minis-

try Loaves and Fishes. We can feed a child for weekends during the school year for about \$110.

We are asking for the community's support through prayers and monetary gifts. Paige has been able to provide food for 50 children each year. Our goal is to double that number.

If you wish to send a donation, please make your check

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to: OUMC-Loaves and Fishes. Please mail your check to OUMC, P.O. Box 983, Ozona, Texas 76943. Your donation will be tax deductable.

We would like to thank Paige for starting such a valuable program in our community. As former teachers, we strongly believe that this program should continue. We know that this program will help students be more successful in school. Other communities have reported great success with similar programs.

Our class is excited to take on this challenge and we appreciate all the organizations in our community that have enthusiastically offered to help us. Thank you in advance for your support.

Vicki Stokes and Jill Crawford Ozona, Texas

Minding others' beeswax

IDLE

y any measure, there's ample global evidence that humankind is finding ways to "mind others' beeswax" despite our being on a downhill slide toward abysmal failure to handle our own. It is, though, a statement worthy of contemplation

in a wobbly world-one crying out for a cosmic shift that may date back as far as Paul the Apostle, who wrote letters to the Church at Thessalonica advising

adherents how to "do life." Some believe the expression was hammered out by Greeks. Googling in overdrive suggests it probably picked up speed during the 19th century world-wide smallpox epidemic. The disease left deep facial pockmarks, and application of an ointment called "beeswax" provided ready touch-ups.

The sun and other heat sources often did a number on the make-up, however, and retorts popped out of mouths of savvy "friends" offering second coats of beeswax.

"Mind your own business," 'pox victims may have said. Later, it was shortened to MYOB. The



the aircraft number. "Need-toknowers" may while away hoursmorning AMERICAN or evening tide-watch DON NEWBURY ing blips moving

across the computer screen. I don't think bees have a whit of involvement in beeswax production. In fact, if encouraged to ratchet their

work up a bit, they might tell us to buzz off. Bees already are doing more with less-'er, fewer-

-and great minds are spinning around the world in efforts to make the world more "bee compatible." (We've got pollen going untouched.)

While there are no apps vet identified to fortify bee populations, it is worth noting some specific-albeit unusual-projects in place to increase their numbers. Who would have guessed that hives are being moved to unlikely places, such as the roof of Dallas' new Omni Hotel? (This may mean they'll charge extra for honey you want to slather it on breakfast toast). Honey itself warrants more minding than beeswax. There are folks--like those who believe an apple a day keeps the doctor away--who consider honey to be an elixir for many ills. (I know--there's still another group countering that "stupid" can't be cured.) If honey helps to smarten us up, let's get a shipment to the lottery office in Indiana. There, they are selling bacon-scented lottery tickets. Aren't there other ways to plug "bringing home the bacon"? And include a honey shipment to Van Meter, Ind. They're pushing a fundraising lottery; the winner gets to fire a police laser at a volunteering city official. (Sad to say, but for some, it is may be way too late for apples, honey or beeswax.) Help us, Lord, to exercise a modicum of common sense, and may our beeswax quests focus inward, now and forevermore. Amen....

I don't do meetings because once you've been to an FFA meeting everything else is amateur hour. Attend any meeting today and you'll see folks holding a discussion without a motion on the floor, no flag salute, and no knowledge whatsoever of Robert's Rules of Order. As an ex FFA member who proudly presided over opening and closing ceremonies with strict adherence to parliamentary procedure, it drives me nuts to watch C SPAN.

Here's how a typical government meeting might go if they did it the FFA way.

This party will come to order. We are now holding a meeting of government parasites. Madame Vice President, are all officials at their stations?

Mr. President, I shall call the role of crooks to find out if they are here and if they are sober. Madame Secretary of State. Where are you stationed.

Here by the shredding machine.

Why by the shredding machine? Because I want to be President some day and if the public ever saw this stuff I couldn't get elected dog catcher in Little Rock.

Supreme Court Justices, where are you stationed?

We're sorry, can you speak a little louder? I said SUPREME COURT JUSTICES, WHERE ARE YOU STATIONED?

We are stationed in an assisted care living facility.

Why are you stationed there?



are here to rewrite the Constitution, wear long flowing robes, take long naps and vacations, be waited on hand and foot and to live off a big fat pension while we write books that nobody reads. Members of the House

of Representatives, where are you stationed? Here by the dollar sign. Why are you so stationed?

The dollar sign is the time honored symbol of lobbyists and Politi-

cal Action Committees. Without them we can't accomplish much. We burn all records of receipts and disbursements and take money under the table from multinational corporations just as Washington kept his farm accounts, very carefully. It is our duty to see that the lobbyist's checks don't bounce and everyone gets their share of the payola. We encourage graft amongst the members, give meaningless speeches, make promises we have no intention of keeping and live like billionaires. We conduct the nation's business with direction from our major contributors.

Members of the Senate, where are you stationed?

Here by the revolving door. Why are you so stationed? In case we lose in the next election, we can retire on a huge pension and get a job as a lobbyist with a green group, a defense contractor or as a lobbyist for a Chinese corporation. As highly paid lobbyists we can continue to go to strip clubs with our old Congressional friends.

Federal Reserve, where are you stationed? Here by the wise old owl.

Why are you stationed there? We are asked to advise from time to time as the need arises. It is our job to keep interest rates low so the stock market will soar and our mutual funds will provide for us in the style we have been accustomed. Madame Vice President, why do you keep a bag of golf clubs at your station?

Because you never know when the President might want to play a few rounds. And Madame Vice President, what is your duty there?

I wish I knew? Mostly I preside over cabinet meetings in the absence of the President when he is on vacation and I go to funerals in foreign countries on Air Force One. If we would but follow the leadership of our King we will be led into bankruptcy and away from a Democratic Republic into the glorious sunset of a Monarchy or dictatorship.

John Q. Public, where are you stationed? Here under the bus with tire tracks on our bodies.

And why are you so stationed? Because that's where you and your fellow government officials threw us

letters now are sometimes confused with BYOB, letters which provide directives concerning beverage conveyance to meetings, including suggestions as to "concealed carry" or "open carry" manner

For folks of a certain age, MYOB was a handy playground term often used during recess. It was a softspoken bluff to big, tough bullies masquerading as classmates who insisted the rest of us dance to their fiddles. Like Indian rain dances, sometimes the bluffs worked.

Suffice it to say that in practice, there are massive. planetary efforts--accelerated by technology--for the world's beeswax pot to be accessible to all.

A current news piece from England claims that Britons-for an all that costs \$4.65 American-may access air ambulance locations at all times.

This includes the one piloted by Prince William, a volunteer during paternity leave.

Fearing his political foes might find such information helpful, I'll choose a fourwheeled ambulance should I have need when visiting "unjolly" old London.

For several years, flightstats.com has provided status and locations of aircraft

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Panel hears testimony in wake of jail death

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS By Ed Sterling Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — The Texas House Committee on County Affairs met on July 30 to hear testimony on Sandra Bland and jail standards.

Bland, 28, was pulled over by a state trooper in Hempstead on July 10. Soon after, she was placed in the Waller County Jail and was found dead in her cell on July 13. Investigators ruled the death a suicide. The story, covered by local, state, national and world news agencies, has emerged in the context of other tragic outcomes involving black citizens and law enforcement.

"How does someone get pulled over for not signaling and end up dead three days later? It just does not compute," said Committee Chair Garnet Coleman, D-Houston, in opening the hearing. Coleman called for discussion on how such an event might affect the Texas Department of Public Safety's training

of officers and how Texas county jails might adjust their practices in the incarceration of mentally ill inmates.

Brandon Wood, director of the Texas Commission on Jail Standards, said mental health has become the commission's top priority and that state funding to add beds for inmates with mental issues is forthcoming. Wood testified that there have been 140 in-custody suicides in Texas since 2009 and 22 in 2014. He recommended enhancements to mental health screening processes, such as the addition of personnel who are qualified to assess mental health and deliver mental health care.

Texas Department of Public Safety Director Steven Mc-Craw said the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the Texas Rangers are investigating the arrest and death of Bland and

suggested the public release of the arrest video was an act of transparency on the agency's behalf.

Yannis Banks of the Texas NAACP testified, suggesting that transparency issues include official documents that could be altered and video recordings that do not capture everything that happens. Several audience members spoke about their personal experiences related to racial profiling by law enforcement.

Greg Hansch, public policy director of National Association of Mental Illness of Texas, called for Texas to better address racism in law enforcement. And, while acknowledging increases in the Texas Legislature's attention to mental health issues generally over the past couple of legislative sessions, Hansch said Texas still has long way

to go in addressing needed improvements in its mental health system.

PLANNED PARENTHOOD IS DISCUSSED

The state Senate Committee on Health and Human Services on July 29 met to receive invited testimony concerning Planned

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CORRECTIONS

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OMS CHEERLEADERS had a cheer camp last week at the OHS Davidson Gym. They were coached by the OHS JV and Varsity Cheerleaders.

Carter Healthcare School supply drive

Carter Healthcare of Ozona has put together a school supply drive through Aug. 5.

The goal is to gather enough school supplies to fill up backpacks for those in need and those who are on the "Blessings in a Backpack" program.

"We would love to be able to fill for all of them, if possible. We will drop off the backpacks to the school on the morning of Aug. 6, so the school can then discreetly distribute them to those on the list. The list is confidential, so we don't have names, only the school does," said Linda Ruiz, with Carter Healthcare.

The remaining supplies will be evenly distributed to the offices of the other campuses.

Items needed: glue sticks, pencils, large pink erasers, 8-count Crayola Crayons, 10-count Crayola Crayons, water colors, folders with brads (plastic and paper), 1 subject spiral notebook, plastic mat, earbuds, jumbo pencils, pencil box, jumbo glue sticks, 24-count Crayola, Crayola Markers, 4-pack dry erase markers, composition notebook, towel, pocket folders plastic, eraser tops, map colors, high lighters, Clorox wips, quart Ziplock bags, gallon Ziplock bags, non-electric pencil sharpener, notebook paper, 3-ring binder, zippered pencil bag, red pens, dividers, rulers, 3-subject spiral notebooks, 2-inch binders,

note cards, protractor, multicolored note cards, Germ X, Kleenex, colored sticky notepads and 3-ring binder with zipper.

Anyone wanting to donate supplies take to one of the designated drop off locations: Carter Healthcare office, The Ozona Stockman, Ozona National Bank, Lowe's grocery store, Ozona Merchantile, Dollar General and The General Store.

Anyone, or any businesses, wanting to make monetary donations bring those to the Carter Healthcare office or call us and we will pick up.

For more information, call Linda at (325) 392-8200 or Charlene at (325) 617-8160.

Sales Tax Holiday this

weekend

This year's Sales Tax Holiday is this weekend, Aug. 7 - 9. As in previous years, the law exempts most clothing, footwear, school supplies and backpacks priced under \$100 from sales and use taxes, which could save shoppers about \$8 on every \$100 they spend.

All sales of qualifying items made during the holiday period qualify for the exemption, including items sold online, or by telephone or mail. Lay-away plans can be used again this year to take advantage of the sales tax holiday. The dates for the sales tax holiday are set by the Legislature.

For a full list of items, visit TexasTaxHoliday.org

MUSEUM MEMORIALS

GOLD LEAF IN MEMORY OF: Crystelle Childress FROM: Mr. and Mrs. Van Shoubrouek **IN MEMORY OF:**

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, August 5

 OHS Lions Football Workouts, 6:30 a.m.-noon at Lion Stadium. • OES and OMS Jumpstart Camp, 8 a.m.-noon at Ozona Elementary School and 9 a.m.-noon at Ozona Middle School. • Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center. • Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center. Blood pressure and diabetes checks, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center. • Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center. • OHS Band Practice, section leaders 1-3, full band 3:15-5 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall; marching practice, 6-8 p.m. at Lion Stadium Thursday, August 6 Balance Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center. • Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center. • Lion Lunch Pals meeting, noon at the OES Library. CCCSD Registration, noon-7 p.m. at the OES Gym. • Movies, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center. • OHS Band Practice, section leaders 1-3, full band 3:15-5 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall; marching

practice, 6-8 p.m. at Lion Stadium. • Crockett County Care Center, Health and Emergency Services Board of Directors meeting, 7

p.m. at the EMS Building.

Friday, August 7

• Balance Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center. Crockett County Commissioners' Court meeting, noon at the courthouse annex. • OHS Band Practice, 1-3 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall.

Monday, August 10

• OES and OMS Jumpstart Camp, 8 a.m.-noon at Ozona Elementary School and 9 a.m.-noon at Ozona Middle School

• Crockett County Commissioners' Court meeting, 9 a.m. at the courthouse annex.

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Lil' Cheer Camp, 9 a.m.-noon at the OES Gym.

• Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

• Overeaters Anonymous, 3 p.m. at the Ozona United Methodist Church.

• OHS Band Practice, section leaders 1-3, full band 3:15-5 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall; marching practice, 6-8 p.m. at Lion Stadium

Tuesday, August 11

• OES and OMS Jumpstart Camp, 8 a.m.-noon at Ozona Elementary School and 9 a.m.-noon at Ozona Middle School.

• Balance exercises, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.

• Lil' Cheer Camp, 9 a.m.-noon at the OES Gym.

• OHS Band Practice, section leaders 1-3, full band 3:15-5 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall; marching practice, 6-8 p.m. at Lion Stadium

Wednesday, August 12

• OES and OMS Jumpstart Camp, 8 a.m.-noon at Ozona Elementary School and 9 a.m.-noon at Ozona Middle School.

• Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center.

• Lil' Cheer Camp, 9 a.m.-noon at the OES Gym.

• Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

• Blood pressure and diabetes checks, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

• Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center.

• OHS Band Practice, section leaders 1-3, full band 3:15-5 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall; marching practice, 6-8 p.m. at Lion Stadium.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Aug. 5 – Catherine Herrera, Alisha Bullard, Patsy Hester, Jill Koerth, Abby Newton, Doug Duncan, Seth Peerson, Jeremy Munoz and Italy Villarreal Aug. 6 - Gerry Held, Ryan

Little and Chris Sanchez

Aug. 7 - Melinda Moran, Laura Leyes, Leon Garcia, Veva Vargas, Audrey Glynn, Jerry Perry, Pifi Vargas Kaberliene and Melanie Bullard

Aug. 8 - Kimberlee Vasquez, Javier Perez, Felipe Reyes, Matthew DeWolfe, Tyler Phillips, Felipe F. Castro Jr. and Sophie Trevino

Aug. 9 – Pedro Rodriguez, Exander Whitby, Mireya Flores, Alexander T. Borrego, Lisa Pool, Cole Shaw, Mark Galindo, Aaron Lee Rodriguez and Sandy Bebee

Aug. 10 - Shauna Yeager, Betty Knox Myer, Daniella Gonzalez, Caleb Mitchel, T.C. Conner, Andy Trevino III, Jose Dominguez, Pete Ybarra, Eliza Tijerina, Maria Sifuentes, Tamara Fay and Luis Cruz

Aug. 11 – Macaliee Blanco,

Meet the Teacher Night Aug. 18

Meet the Teacher Night will take place from 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, Aug. 18.

and drop off school supplies at Ozona Elementary and Middle Schools.

or email tamara.mcwilliams@ ozonaschools.net, or call Vicky Munoz, OES Assistant

Students in grades Pre-K through sixth grade can come meet their teachers

For more information, call Tamara McWilliams, OES Principal at (325) 392-5730

Lion Lunch Pals gathering Thursday

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It is time to get the Lion elementary or middle school Lunch Pals in gear for the coming school year.

There will be a Lion Lunch Pals lunchtime gathering on Thursday, Aug. 6, at Ozona Elementary School from noon to 1 p.m.

Lunch will be provided.

All current mentors as well as anyone interested in becoming a mentor are invited to come.

The program involves one on one time with a particular

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student during their lunch time once a week.

This program was very successful last year and we hope for even more adults to serve as mentors this school year.

You may check the Lion Lunch Pals Facebook page for more information or call Jean Reardon at (325) 392-3060 or (830) 563-5188 or Tina Bean at (325) 226-4323.

Baby

Selections

Julia Henderson Schwartz

Bridal

Selections

Niki Pressler,

bride-elect of Wesley Bishop

Emily Newton,

Aaron Pearl

916 Ave. E

Principal, at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5504 or email vicky.munoz@ozonaschools.net.

Lil' Cheer Camp

Lil' Cheer Camp will be held Monday, Aug. 10, through Wednesday, Aug. 12, 9 a.m.-noon at the Ozona Elementary School Gym.

Registration will be 8 a.m. Monday. Cost is \$25 per participant for ages four years (pre-k) to incoming sixth grade.

Campers will receive a Tshirt, water bottle and cheer trinkets. Each camper needs to wear tennis shoes, hair up and comfortable clothes, no jewelry.

For more information, call Tiffany Esparza at (325) 277-6249.

Crystelle Childress FROM: Darrell and Janis Almond

and Mr. and Mrs. John Stokes **IN MEMORY OF:** Mary Clayton FROM:

Mr. and Mrs. Van Shoubrouek

Crockett County Museum Memorials can be sent to: *P.O. Box* 1444, Ozona, Texas 76943



Niki Pressler, bride-elect of Wesley Bishop Ashley Wallace bride-elect of Cody Hunnicutt

Emily Newton, bride-elect of

Aaron Pearl Petals & Pearls

701 1st St. 325-392-3978



Kelsey Childress, Brad Thompson, Maria Esther Cutino and Luke Alexander Perez

Youth Center Calendar of Events

7TH & 8TH GRADE:

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

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 and Saturday: 2-7 p.m. **CLOSED SUNDAYS**

OHS MEAL NIGHT: Mondays - 7-10 p.m.

7TH AND 8TH MEAL NIGHTS: Every other Tuesday 7-10 p.m.

STARTING AUG. 1: 1. Graduated Seniors memberships have expired. 2. Sixth graders entering seventh grade may attend the youth center with eighth grade. 3. Eighth graders entering ninth grade may attend the **YOUTH CENTER** WITH THE HIGH SCHOOL.



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.

AUG. 5

· Turkey rice casserole, green pea salad, calico corn, banana pudding with wafers, dinner roll, margarine and milk.

AUG. 6

· Buttered cod wedge, buttered rice, lemon broccoli, white/wheat roll, cocktail or tarter sauce, snicker doodle and milk.

AUG. 7

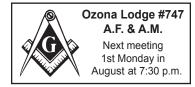
• Barbecue beef on a bun, spicy pinto beans, romaine salad, dressing, strawberries and peaches and milk.

AUG. 10

Grilled turkey swiss, sandwich, pasta salad, green pea salad, fruit yogurt and milk.

AUG. 11

· Lemon baked tilapia, black-eyed peas, seasoned spinach, white/wheat roll, margarine, tropical fruit and milk.





OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

Food group program Tuesday

BY BRENDA NEWTON SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

We missed the rain again. I don't know about vou but I am having a hard time keeping my yard alive. My poor elephant ears are burning around the edges from the sun. Oh well, at least we had half the summer without 100 degrees. We should be thankful for that.

County extension agent-FCS Kailey Roberts will begin Better Living for Texas programming on Tuesday, Aug. 11, at 1:30 p.m. This program will be educational series with a focus on the MyPlate food groups. MyPlate illustrates how to build a healthy plate using the five food groups that are buildings for a healthy diet. Join us as we begin this series with a discussion about the nutritional and health benefits of grains.

The movie for Aug. 4 will be "Message in a Bottle" starring Kevin Costner, Robin Wright Penn and Paul Newman. This movie was based on the novel by Nicholas Sparks. Don't miss it.

Come on out and enjoy yourself with popcorn and drinks Thursday at 2 p.m.

Don't forget the Thunderbird. They are available to help you get around. Just give them a call and leave a message. Be sure to say who you are and where you are. They will call you back. Call us at 392-9094 if you do not have their number.

Clean your mini blindsclose all the way, spray with vinegar, let set a few minutes - wipe clean. Open all the way and do the same.

Clean sliding door tracks sprinkle baking soda in track, pour a bit of vinegar into track - wipe clean.

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

Bridge - 1:30 p.m. on Mondays Balance exercise - Tues-

day and Thursday at 9 a.m. Prayer Group - Wednes-

day at 3 p.m. Quilting Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m.

Movies - Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m. Come on out, the coffee

is on.

CARE CENTER CHATTER Independence Day celebration

BY MARY WILLIAMSON ASSISTANT ACTIVITIES DIRECTOR

We celebrated Independence Day on July 3 with Blueberries, strawberries and pineapple arranged in the colors of the US flag, another arrangement consisted of strawberries and watermelon. Strawberries were dipped in white chocolate and coated with red, white, and blue sprinkles. Watermelon, pineapple and rice crispy treat were shaped like stars and served also.

The residents were decked out in red, white and blue colors. Red, White, and Blue leis were provided by Jan Patterson for residents and staff to wear.

RESIDENT COUNCIL

Every first Monday of the month residents meet in council to discuss any issues or concerns and select a some newer books.

For our residents that cannot see print, we have services from the Texas Talking Book Program. Book players and books on tape are provided by

Care center residents are staff had ice cream on July 23 in honor of National Ice Cream day, which was July 19.

toppings such as Chocolate syrup, strawberry syrup pr caramel syrup on chocolate or vanilla ice cream.

On July 17 Jonny Jonson had an art show, she had 44 bird pictures, 24 butterfly photos and various other pictures that she has drawn. Jonny also had some pictures that she drew for children to color.

Cookies, punch and watermelon were served during the art show.

the public. Items on the agenda:

Selden Max Jones

Texas and founded the Triple-J Paint Horse Ranch. Selden and Joy were proud supporters of the Comanche 4H and Comanche Rodeo.

Selden is survived by his wife of 59 years, Joy; daughter, Bobbie Jones Bolinger and husband Terry of Aurora, CO, their children, son, Todd Bolinger and wife Lindi of Arvada, CO, son, Travis Bolinger and wife Mandy of Erie, CO, and their daughter, 1 year old Kenzie; daughter, Michelle Jones Allen and husband Randy of Cypress, Texas, their son, Ryan of Cypress, Texas, their daughter Jessica Noel of Cypress, Texas, her daughter, Barbara-Michelle and son, Blaise; daughter, Elizabeth Jones Lazarine and husband John of Rosenberg, Texas, their sons, Brett and Zachary; brother, Jim Jones of Wichita Falls, Texas; sister, Annell Hammon of Conroe, Texas. He was preceded in death by parents, Silas Max and Sarah Jones.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations, In Memory of Selden Jones, be made to; 4-H Horse Division, CCLA Horse Buckle, PO Box 611, Comanche, Texas 76442.

• Care Center Report

sion on location of building

Public comments

agenda items by members

for the purpose of placing

• New Business - discus-

· Discussion of non-

• Old Business

Care Center, Health and Emergency Services

Building.

The meeting is open to

them on the next agenda.

on property.

meal for the month. Dietary does a great job of providing the meal of their choice, this months choice was enchiladas with rice, beans and guacamole.

NEW ACTIVITIES

We played dancing bear and set out some games to play. Dancing Bear was played similar to Musical Chairs, a bear was passed around to music when the music stopped the person holding the bear had to tell a childhood memory instead of being pulled out of the circle.

The games consisted of Yahtzee, Checkers, Dominoes, Chinese Checkers, Skip-Bo, and Uno.

Crockett County Public Library has been kind enough to lend us large print books so that the residents could read

this program.

Everyone had a choice of

Odessa, but also in Gainesville and Ozona. Selden and Joy Elaine Burney were mar-

ried July 7, 1956 in Odessa, Texas. They had three daughters, Bobbie, Michelle, and Elizabeth. Selden was a dedicated husband, father, grandfather, great grandfather, and Southern Baptist. In 1995, Selden and Joy moved to Comanche where they took up raising horses. They pur-

chased a ranch near Energy,

OBITUARIES

Selden Max Jones, 79, of

Comanche, passed away Sat-

urday August 1, 2015. Funeral

services, under the direction

of Heartland Funeral Home of

Comanche, will be held 10:00

a.m. Saturday August 8, 2015,

at the Heartland Chapel with

Chris Stevens and Ronnie

Calcote officiating. Interment

will follow at the Gardens of

Memory in Comanche. The

family will receive friends

6:00 - 7:00 p.m. Friday Au-

gust 7th, 2015 at the funeral

home. Condolences to the

family can be left online at

www.heartlandfuneralhome.

net or come by the funeral

ary 25, 1936, in Boynton,

Oklahoma, to Silas Max and

Sarah (Boher) Jones. After

graduation from Odessa High

School in 1954, Selden at-

tended Odessa College receiv-

ing his Associate degree. He

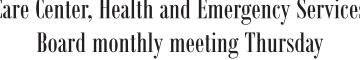
was employed by the Shell

Oil Company as a production

foreman, living primarily in

Selden was born Janu-

home to sign the register.



The Crockett County Care Center, Health and Emergency Services Board of Directors will hold their monthly meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 6, at the EMS

BACK TO SCHOOL

People returning home from last minute vacations and clothes being bought, along with pencils and paper and other supplies, yes, it's back to school. Seeing all the preparations and activities reminds me of a great opportunity that Christians face. It is getting ready to or continuing to learn the Bible. I don't know how many people have told me they walked the isle of some Church and that was it, they were forgotten. How sad, that is just the beginning, not the end. We are in times when very few people really know the Bible or God. That is one of the main reasons for so many problems in our homes today. We are told to hide God's word in our heart, know it forward and backwards (Deuteronomy 11:18-21) We need food to eat but God's word is more important (Deuteronomy 8:3) We are to keep reading it and reviewing it and applying it or obeying it (Joshua 1:7,8) His word, if known and applied can keep us from great troubles and make us wise (Deuteronomy 4:6,Matthew 7:24) God promises that His word will never change and always be there (Isaiah 40:8) Revelation 1:3, says if we read and hear and obey it we will be well off (blessed). God's word promises eternal life for those that have accepted Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, (John 3:16&17). Personally, I want to be blessed.

See you in Church on Sunday

Brother I

See you in Church on Sunday.		Brother J					
Apostolic Church 1908 Santa Anna St. Pastor Refugio Vega Sunday School: 3 p.m. Sunday Worship: 4 p.m. Tuesday & Thursday Service: 7 p.m.	Iglesia de Dios De La Profecia 102 Man O'War St. Pastor Maria C. Salcedo Lunes: 6 p.m. Domingo: 9:45 a.m., 6 p.m. Martes: 6 p.m. Jueves: 6 p.m.	Our Lady of Perpetual Help 219 Martinez St. Fr. Patrick Akpanobong Sun. Mass: 9 a.m. in Sheffield; 11 a.m. in Ozona Every Second Sunday of the Month: Sun. Mass: 9 a.m. in Ozona; 11 a.m. in Sheffield Tues Sat. Mass: 6 p.m.					
Calvary Baptist Church 601 Ave. I Interim Pastor Paul Ray Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Sunday Worship: 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship: 6 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.	Ozona Church of Christ 1002 11th St. Mr. Johnnie Perkins Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6 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.	New Beginnings Ozona "churchbut different" 354 Highway 163 South Pastor JC Cantu Sunday Worship: 10 a.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m. (325) 226-3060 www.newbeginningsozona.com	Ozona United Methodist Church 12 - 11th St. Pastor Jean Reardon Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.					
First Baptist Church 901 Ave. D 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.	ATTEND THE Church Of Your	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 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.	CHOICE THIS SUNDAY	Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church 2121 Santa Rosa St. Pastor Ruth & Gerson Posadas Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Family Service: 6:30 p.m.					
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Sign and approve the minutes of the July 9 meeting. • New Clinic Update by Rick Burnight. • EMS Report

Review and authorization to pay Care Center/ H.S.C./E.M.S. Financials. Executive session if needed.

OLPH Dies Y Sies De Septiembre Festival Sept. 20

BY ELIGIO MARTINEZ OLPH CATHOLIC CHURCH

OLPH Sept. 16 festival planning is underway and queen contestants are needed.

Events include, music by local DJ's TKO and Sonido Juanes, food booths, cake auction and games.

A meal will be sold by the Guadalupanas after mass.

Parade floats and participants need to line up in front of the church before 2 p.m.

Food booths are available for \$75 each and all earnings will be kept by the booths renters.

Three main raffle prizes valued at \$500 each have been donated by The Knights of Columbus, The Cursillistas and The Guadalupanas organizations.

Tickets will be sold by Parish Council members and parishioners for \$2 each.

Other raffle prize donations at any value are needed to be given away all afternoon. Donations can be dropped off at the church office.

This years festival will be on Sunday, Sept. 20. Everyone is invited to attend.

For more information on queen candidates, or to buy tickets, call the OLPH office at (325) 392-3353.

Let's all help this years fundraiser be more successful than our previous events!

Poor Man's Lunch fundraiser Friday at the town square

A Poor Man's Lunch will be served at 11 a.m. Friday, Aug. 7, at the town square.

The meal will be \$8 per plate, consisting of beans, sausage, corn bread, salad, drink and dessert.

Proceeds go toward missions at Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church.

Need business cards? Call 392-2551, stop by 1000 Avenue E or email publisher@ozonastockman.com www.ozonastockman.com

Ozona School Supplies

Elementary School

Pre-Kindergarten

- 2 glue bottles 4 - glue sticks Scissors 3 - regular size pencils 1 - large pink eraser 1 - 8 count box Crayola crayons 1 - 10 count box Crayola markers 1 - Crayola water color paints (no acrylic) 1 - folder with brads and pockets 1 - spiral notebook (one subject) 1 - plastic mat (no sleeping bags, blankets or pillows) 1 change of clothes (shorts, pants, shirts, socks & underwear preferred) 1 - pair of ear buds or headphones for com-
- puter lab (mandatory for health reasons) Tennis shoes for P.E.

KINDERGARTEN

- 4 glue bottles 4 oz. size
- 2 packages of jumbo pencils
- 1 pencil box
- 4 jumbo glue sticks
- 2 24-pack of Crayola crayons (no florescent) 2 - boxes of yellow #2 pencils (no decorative
- pencils)
- 2 big pink erasers
- 1 pair of metal fiskar scissors (no plastic) 1 - box of Crayola markers (basic colors, no
- florescent) 1 - package of 4 Expo dry erase markers (any
- color) 4 - paper folders with metal brads and
- pockets
- 1 plastic folder with metal brads 1 - composition notebook
- 1 towel for rest time (no plastic mats)
- 1 pair of ear buds or headphones for com-
- puter lab (mandatory for health reasons) Tennis shoes for P.E.

FIRST GRADE

2 - plain plastic pocket folders 4 - glue sticks 2 - boxes of 24 count crayons Scissors 2 - composition notebooks 1 - school supply box 2 - packages of pencils (no mechanical pencils) 1 - package of pencil eraser tops 1 - package of 4 Expo dry erase markers Backpack Clorox wipes No pencil sharpeners

girls quart size, boys gallon size 2 - boxes of Kleenex 2- bottles of glue or glue sticks Scissors 12 - #2 pencils 2 - large pink erasers 1 - non-electric pencil sharpener 1 - supply box 1 - box of map colors 1 - box of crayons 3 - composition notebooks wide ruled 1 - yellow highlighter 2 - pocket folders with brads 1 - package of notebook paper (wide ruled) 1 - pair of ear buds or headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons) Tennis shoes for P.E.

SECOND GRADE

1 - box of Ziploc baggies;

THIRD GRADE

- 1 3 ring binder 4 - composition notebooks Scissors 4 - glue sticks 2 - boxes of crayons (24 count) 2 - boxes of map colors
- 1 package of highlighters (assorted colors)
- 1 package of 4 Expo dry erase markers (as-
- sorted colors)
- 2 packages of pencils
- 1 zippered pencil bag
- 1 package of red pens
- 2 packages of notebook paper (wide ruled)
- 1 set of dividers (8 count) or 2 sets of dividers (5 count)
- 5 folders with brads and pockets
- 2 packages of large pink erasers
- 1 ruler with inches and centimeters
- 1 pair of ear buds or headphones for com-
- puter lab (mandatory for health reasons) Tennis shoes for P.E.

FOURTH GRADE

- 2 2-inch binder 4 - spiral notebooks (1 subject size) 2 - pocket folders with brads 2 - packages of notebook paper (wide ruled) 2 - packages of 4 Expo dry erase markers (assorted colors) 3 - dozen pencils
- Map color pencils 1 - package of note cards 4x6
- 1 box of Ziploc baggies gallon size 1 - protractor

- **FIFTH GRADE**
- Scissors 1 - box map color pencils
- 2 large liquid glue bottles
- 4 dozen pencils (not mechanical)
- 1 zippered pencil bag
- 2 large erasers
- 1 pack of multi-colored index cards
- 2 packages of notebook paper (wide ruled)
- 5 folders with brads and pockets
- (red, blue, yellow, green and purple)
- 1 wooden ruler
- 1 bottle of Germ-X with aloe
- 3 boxes of Kleenex
- 1 shoebox with lid
- 4 colored sticky note pads
- 3 composition books
- 1 box of Ziploc baggies;
- girls quart size, boys gallon size.
- 2 3 subject spiral notebooks
- 1 large 3-ring binder with zipper closure 1 - pair of ear buds or headphones for com-
- puter lab (mandatory for health reasons) Tennis shoes for P.E.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

6TH GRADE

- 1 box of either blue or black pens 1 - box of 12 No. 2 pencils (no mechanical) 1 - pencil sharpener 1 - package of big erasers
- 1 pair of scissors
- 4 composition notebooks
- 1 large 3 ring zipper binder
- 2 packages of notebook dividers
- 4 1-inch 3-ring binders with pockets
- 4 packages wide-ruled notebook paper 1 - pair of ear buds or headphones for computer lab
- NOTE: Each student will be assigned a locker. However, the lockers do not come

with locks already on them. You may purchase a lock for your student's locker as long as either the combination or an extra key is given to the teachers. If your student chooses to use a backpack, please purchase a backpack that will fit in the lockers because students are not allowed to take the backpack into the classrooms

7TH GRADE

General Supplies: 1 - large three ring binder 1 - zipper bag Wide-ruled notebook paper 1 - package map pencils Pens, blue or black ink Pencils 1 - pair of ear buds or headphones for 1 - three-subject spiral notebook (plastic cover is best) 1 - composition book

1 - 3 inch binder

Dividers

MATH: 1 - composition book

- 1 1 inch binder
- **TEXAS HISTORY:**
- 1 three-subject spiral notebook (plastic
- cover is best) 1 - blue pocket folder with brads
- SCIENCE:
- 1 three-subject spiral notebook (plastic cover is best)

1 - pocket folder with brads ACADEMIC SUPPORT/GT CLASS: 1 - plastic pocket folder with brads

8TH GRADE

- 2 1 inch, 3 ring binders 1 - 2 inch, 3 ring binders
- 2 pocket folders 2 - 3 subject spirals (plastic cover preferred) 2 - packages of notebook paper Pens (black or blue) Pencils (wooden or mechanical) Pencil top erasers

Map pencils Markers

2 - packages of dividers 1 - small package of post-it notes

- Pencil bag (inexpensive)
- 4 glue sticks
- 2 boxes of tissue
- 1 pair of ear buds or headphones for computer lab

sure they will fit in the locker.

the parents if this occurs.

1 - flash drive (label with student's name)

A large, zipper binder and/or a backpack are

not required, but if you get them make

*The 8th grade will be ordering a class T-shirt

sometime in the first few weeks of school.

These usually cost around \$15. You may

send this anytime before we order them.

*** Other supplies may be necessary during

the year. The teacher will give notice to

IT IS MANDATORY THAT EACH

STUDENT BRING A PAIR

OF EAR BUDS

OR HEADPHONES FOR USE IN

THE COMPUTER LAB DUE

TO HEALTH AND SAFETY

REASONS.

<u>PLEASE NOTE THAT IN ALL GRADES</u> THE SUPPLIES WILL NEED TO BE

REPLENISHED THROUGHOUT THE YEAR

1 - pair of ear buds or headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons) Tennis shoes for P.E.

1 - pair of ear buds or headphones for comcomputer lab puter lab (mandatory for health reasons) 1 - 2G flash drive Tennis shoes for P.E. ELA:

Booster club T-shirt sale

Red pens

Markers

Scissors

Cravons

Glue

Ozona Athletic Booster Club new football and cross-country T-shirts are for sale.

Orders can be placed

online at https://ozonaabc. itemorder.com/sale.

Shirts will be in by Aug. 15 scrimmage and Meet the

CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H NEWS

4-H MEETING

The first 4-H meeting of the new year will be 5:30 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 27. Officer elections will be held at this time, so mark

your calendars.

2015-2016 **OPEN ENROLLMENT**

Enrollment for the 2015-2016 year will be open on 4-H Connect beginning Saturday, Aug. 15.

Be sure to logon to texas.4honline.com to complete/update your 4-H Family profile.

All member profiles change to inactive on Aug. 15, therefore, all adults and youth are required to re-enroll for the new 4-H year. Profile items change every year so it is important to update all information before submitting.

4-H REGISTRATION

Crockett County 4-H will have a registration table set up at the CCCCSD School Registration from noon-7 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 6, at Ozona Elementary School.

Be sure to stop by and say hello or pick up information about Crockett County 4-H.

HORSE PROGRAM

A Horse Program meet-

Lions.

ing will be held at 6:30 p.m.

come involved in this awe-

LAMBS OR GOATS

who plan to show lambs or

goats, call Aaron Renfroe at (325) 392-2721 or (325) 226-

0761 as soon as possible.

Crockett County 4-Hers

It is time to star pur-

Bring the 4-H family for

Order your tickets in ad-

For more information,

RANGER GAME

a night out at Globe Life Park

to watch the Texas Rangers

vs. the Seattle Mariners Sept.

19. Pat Green post-game con-

vance to earn money for

visit http://texas4hfounda-

tion.org/alliances/ranger-

4-H OFFICE

4-H Office can be reached at

AG/NR, can be reached at

(325) 226-0761 or arenfroe@

FCS, can be reached at (210)

705-2887 or kailey.roberts@

The Crockett County

Aaron Renfroe, CEA-

Kailey Roberts, CEA-

your county 4-H program.

cert also that evening.

baseball.

(325) 392-2721.

ag.tamu.edu.

ag.tamu.edu.

Come learn how to be-

Aug. 13 at the 4-H Office.

some opportunity.

chasing projects.

terms. "We work very well to-

gether. A board members position cannot be self-serving. You must be willing to serve the community," Biggerstaff said.

directors. Each board mem-

ber serves three years and

can serve for two consecutive

English showed participants how they can get the most from their membership by using their ChamberMaster account through Ozona. com.

Every chamber member has their own account to ChamberMaster. Through

CHAMBER: from page 1 ChamberMaster the business can update their information, post about events, hot deals and it also has a social net-They also have a board of

working aspect. Other chamber benefits include ribbon cuttings and promoting new businesses, grand opening ceremonies, low cost seminars and workshops, special recognitions, networking, educational and training opportunities, hunting lease marketing, business referrals and leads, advocacy, relocation and information packets, chance to visit with legislators and opportunities for involvement.

For more information, call the chamber at (325) 392-3737 or visit www.ozona.com.





The Ozona Stockman 5

school registration

August 6

Noon-7 p.m.

at the Ozona Elementary School Gymnasium.

Designated areas by grade levels will be set up in

order to coordinate enrollment.

Grades PK-5

Grades 6-8

Grades 9-12

All students new to the District

ALL MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS NEED

TO REGISTER AND BRING THEIR PARENTS!

'OPEN ENROLLMENT' Pre-K:

ten program. This means that any student who turns four (4) on or be-

fore Sept. 1, 2015, is eligible to enroll and attend our Pre-Kindergarten

program. Please provide proof of income when enrolling. This is for pro-

gram reporting purposes only, it is not for eligibility purposes.

in your child participating in this academic setting.

Crockett County CCSD offers an "open enrollment" Pre-kindergar-

Dual-language: Ozona Elementary offers a dual-language curriculum for Pre-

K, Kindergarten, First Grade, Second Grade, Third Grade and Fourth

Grade students. Please contact office personnel if you are interested

ELEMENTARY REGISTRATION

GENERAL INFORMATION:

If you participated in early registration for Pre-Kindergarten or Kin-

dergarten and any of your information has changed such as income,

address, phone number, Box #, number of people in your household,

etc. you MUST attend and make the changes on your registration

packet. All returning students grade 1-5 are required to register.

If you are registering your child with our campus for the FIRST TIME,

you must supply the following documents: • Birth Certificate • Im-

munization Record • Social Security Card If appropriate, please bring

a recent report card, along with the address and fax number of the

previous school your child attended. YOU MUST BE THE LEGAL PARENT/

GUARDIAN to register a student, if you are not the legal parent/guard-

ian, then PROPER and LEGAL DOCUMENTATION IS REQUIRED to verify

that the child is in your custody. Children with disabilities may receive

services from public school as soon as they turn three years of age.

Early assessment and education is available free of charge to children

having disabilities. For further information regarding this service,

call our offices at 392-5501 ext. 5500.



Wednesday, Aug. 5, 2015



THESE BUSINESSES AND INDIVIDUALS SUPPORT YOU 100%!!!

Best Western - Ozona Inn C & J Energy **Collett & Son Gun Shop Crockett Automotive Crockett County Abstract Crockett Co. Youth & Civic Center Crockett National Bank Dairy Queen The General Store**

Kerrie's Creations Lowe's Market Michael's Lawn & Feed Service **Mike's Auto Care Ozona Bank Ozona Insurance Ozona Mercantile** 4J & A Photography

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CCCCSD 2015-2016 Free/Reduced Price Lunch Program

Crockett County Consolidated Common School District

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. Crockett County Consolidated Common School District offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast costs free at OES, \$1.30 at MS & HS]; lunch costs \$2.30 at OES and \$2.45 @ OMS & OHS]. Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced-price meals. Reduced-price is \$0.30 for breakfast and \$.40 for lunch. you received a notification letter that a child is directly certified for free meals, do not complete an application. Let the school know if any children in the household attending school are not listed in the letter.

The questions and answers that follow and attached directions provide additional information on how to complete the application. Complete only one application for all the students in the household and return the completed application to Ludy Vargas, PO Box 400, Ozona, Tx 76943, 325/392-5547. If you have questions about applying for free or reduced-price meals Ludy Vargas, PO Box 400, Ozona, Tx 76943, 325/392-5547.

1. Who Can Get Free Meals?

- Income Children can get free or reduced-price meals if a household's gross income is within the limits described in the Federal Income Eligibility Guidelines.
- Special Assistance Program Participants-Children in households receiving benefits from the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), are eligible for free meals.
- Foster Foster children who are under the legal responsibility of a foster care agency or court are eligible for free meals.
- Head Start, Early Head Start, and Even Start-Children participating in these programs are eligible for free meals.
- Homeless, Runaway, and Migrant-Children who meet the definition of homeless, runaway, or migrant qualify for free meals. If you haven't been told about a child's status as homeless, runaway, or migrant or you feel a child may qualify for one of these programs, please call or email Janina Savala at 325-392-5501 or janina.savala@ozonaschools.net.
- WIC Recipient—Children in households participating in WIC may be eligible for free or reduced-price meals.
- 2. What If I Disagree With the School's Decision About My Application? Talk to school officials. You also may ask for a hearing by calling or writing to [Raul Chavarria, PO Box 400, Ozona TX 76943; 325/392-5501; raul.chavarria@ozonaschools.net.
- 3. My Child's Application Was Approved Last Year. Do I Need To Fill Out A New One? Yes. An application is only good for that school year and for the first few days of this school year. Send in a new application unless the school has told you that your child is eligible for the new school year.

If you have other questions or need help, call Ludy Vargas @ 325/392-5501 Ext. 5547. Si necesita ayuda, por favor llame al teléfono: Ludy Vargas @ 325/392-5501 Ext. 5547.

Sincerely,

Cynthia Hokit Letter for 2015-2016 Household Application for Free and Reduced-Price School Meals

- 4. If I Don't Qualify Now, May I Apply Later? Yes. Ap at any time during the school year. A child with a parent or guardian who becomes unemployed may become eligible for free and reduced-price meals if the household income drops below the income limit.
- 5. What If My Income Is Not Always the Same? List th amount normally received. If a household member le a job or had hours/wages reduced, use current incon
- 6. We Are in The Military. Do We Report Our Income *Differently?* Basic pay and cash bonuses must be reported as income. Any cash value allowances for o base housing, food, or clothing, or Family Subsistenc Supplemental Allowance payments count as income housing is part of the Military Housing Privatization Initiative, do not include the housing allowance as income. Any additional combat pay resulting from deployment is excluded from income.
- 7. May I Apply If Someone in My Household Is Not a l Citizen? Yes. You, your children, or other household members do not have to be U.S. citizens to apply for free or reduced-price meals.
- 8. Will Application Information Be Checked? Yes. We may also ask you to send written proof of the reporte household income.
- 9. My Family Needs More Help. Are There Other Programs We Might Apply For? To find out how to apply for other assistance benefits, contact your local assistance office or 2-1-1.

Directions for Applying For Free and Reduced-Price School Meals

Please use these instructions to complete the free or reduced-price school meals application. Submit one application per household, even if the children in the household attend more than one school in Crockett County Consolidated Common School District. Please use a pen (not a pencil) when completing the application.

The application must be filled out completely in order for the school to make a determination if the children in your

household qualify for free or reduced-price school meals. An incomplete application cannot be approve Please contact Ludy Vargas, 325/392-5501 Ext. 5547; ludy.vargas@ozonaschools.net with your questions.

Step 1: List All Household Members Who Are Infan Children, And Students Up To and Including Grade

• List each child's name.

 Print the first name, middle initial, and last name for each child in the househo in the spaces provided. If there are more children in the household than lines on the application, use the back of the application to record additional names

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Reduced-Price Meal Income Eligibility Guidelines								
Family Size	Annually	Monthly	Twice per Month	Every Two Weeks	Weekly			
1	\$21,775	\$1,815	\$908	\$838	\$419			
2	\$29,471	\$2,456	\$1,228	\$1,134	\$567			
3	\$37,167	\$3,098	\$1,549	\$1,430	\$715			
4	\$44,863	\$3,739	\$1,870	\$1,726	\$863			
5	\$52,559	\$4,380	\$2,190	\$2,022	\$1,011			
6	\$60,255	\$5,022	\$2,511	\$2,318	\$1,159			
7	\$67,951	\$5,663	\$2,832	\$2,614	\$1,307			
8	\$75,647	\$6,304	\$3,152	\$2,910	\$1,455			
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Special Directions

Include all members in the household who are age 18 or under and are supported with the household's income. Children do NOT have to be related to anyone in the household to be a part of the household.

- Mark the box following the child's name if the child is a student in the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District
- Check the appropriate box if the child qualifies for free meals as participant in the foster care system; as a participant in a Head Start, Early Head Start, or Even Start program; or as a child meeting the criteria for homeless, migrant, or runaway.

Special Directions

On this application, checking Foster indicates that a foster care agency or court has placed the child in your home. Foster children who live in the household may count as members of the household and may be listed on your application. If the application is being submitted for foster children only, complete Step 1, skip Steps 2 and 3, and go to Step 4.

If all children in the household are participants in one of these programs, skip Steps 2 and 3 and go to Step 4.

- Step 2: Do Any Household Members (Including You) Currently Participate in the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), or Food Distribution Program on Indian **Reservations (FDPIR)?**
 - If no one in the household currently participates in any one of these programs
 - Skip the remaining questions in Step 2, and go to Step 3.
 - If anyone in the household participates one of these programs

Record the Eligibility Determination Group Number (EDG) in the space provided, skip Step 3, and go to Step 4.

Step 3: Report Income for All Household Members.

Part A. Income for Children in the Household

- Record the total income for all children by how often the income is received (frequency). Do not include income for adults in this section. Record the income of adults in Part B. Special Directions:
 - It is not necessary to record the income of the children in the household individually. Instead, combine and report children's total income by frequency. For example, combine all income received weekly and record the total amount in the space under weekly.
 - The Child Income Information Box (on the right) provides additional information on the types of income that needs to be reported for children in the household

Part B. Income for All Adult Household Members (Including Yourself)

• Record the first and last name of each adult in the household in the space provided.

If there are more adults in the household than the spaces provided, use the back of the application. Do not include the income of children in Part B. Children's income is reported in

<u>Part A</u>. Special Directions:

In this section, include all adults living in the household that share income and expenses, even if the adult is not related to anyone in the family and even if the adult does not receive income of her or his own. Do <u>not</u> include people who live in the household but are not supported by the household's income and do not

List ALL Household Members who are infants, children, and students up to and including grade 12. If more spaces are needed, use the Additional Household Member Sheet on the back.

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The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this application. You do not have to give the information, but if you do not, we cannot approve your child for free or reduced price meals. You must include the last four digits of the social security number of the adult household member who signs the application. The last four digits of the social security number is not required when you apply on behalf of a bater child or you ist a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Program or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) case number or other FDPIR identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the application does not have a social security number of the lunch and the reakfast programs. We NAY share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition programs to help them evaluate, fund, or determine benefits for their programs, auditors for program reviews, and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of program nules.

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If you wish to file a Civil Rights program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, found online at http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint filing oust.html, or at any USDA office, or call (866) 632-9992 to request the form. You may also write a letter containing all of the information requested in the form. Send your completed complaint form or letter to us by mail at U.S. Department of Agriculture, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, by fax (202) 690-7442 or email at program intake@usda.gov.

Individuals who are deaf, flard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339; or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish) USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

Do Not Fill Out This Part, This Is For School Use Only

Multiple income frequencies must be converted to annual a household. If converting income to annual, round only the fu	Date Received:					
Household Size: Categorical Eligibility	Total Income: Per	Eligibility: □ Free □ Reduced □ Denied				
Reviewing/Determining Official's Signature:						
Confirming Official's Signature:		Date:	Date Withdrawn:			
Follow – Up Official's Signature:		Date:				

Record the amount of income the adult receives under the type of income:

- Working Earnings
- Public Assistance/Child Support/Alimony
- Pensions/Retirement/Social Security/ Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- All Other

Special Directions:

Report all amounts in gross income only and in whole dollars. Gross income is the total income received before taxes or deductions. Many people think of income as the amount they take home and not the total. gross amount. Ensure that the income reported on this application has not been reduced by the amounts deducted for taxes, insurance premiums, or any other purpose. The Adult Income Information Box provides additional information on the types of income that need to be reported. Foster children may be included as part of the household, but are not required to be included.

Write a 0 in any fields where there is no income to report. Any income fields left empty or blank will be counted as zeroes. If you write <u>0</u> or leave any fields blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report. If local officials have known or available information that the household income was reported incorrectly, the application will be verified for cause.

• <u>Circle</u> how often each type of income is received (frequency).

- W = Weekly
- E = Every 2 Weeks
- T = Twice per Month
- M = Monthly
- A = Annually
- <u>Record</u> the total number of children and adults in the household in the appropriate box.

Special Directions:

- This number MUST be equal to the number of household members listed in Step 1 and Step 3. If there are any members of the household that have not been listed on the application, go back and add them. It is very important to list all household members, as the size of the household determines the household eligibility.
- Provide the last four digits of the Social Security number (SSN) of the adult signing the application or check the box for no SSN.

Special Directions:

A social security number is not required to apply for these programs

Step 4: Provide Contact Information and Adult Signature.

- Read the certification statement.
- <u>Write</u> your current address and contact information in the fields provided. Sharing a phone number, email address, or both is optional, but helps us reach you quickly if we need to contact you.

Special Directions:

- If you have no permanent address, this does not make your children ineligible for free or reduced-price school meals.
- <u>Print</u> the name of the adult completing the form in the spaced provided.
- <u>Sign</u> the form.
 - Special Directions:

All applications must be signed by the adult household member completing the application. By signing the application, the household member is promising that all information has been truthfully and completely reported. Before completing this

- section, please read the privacy and civil rights statements on the back of the application.
- <u>Record</u> today's date in the appropriate box.

Earnings from Work

Adult Income Information Box

- General Types of Incom
- Salary, wages, cash bonuses
- Strike benefits U.S. Military
- Basic pay and cash bonuses (do NOT include combat pay, FSSA or

Child Income Information Box

For Example: A child has a job where she or he earns a

For Example: A child is blind or disabled and receives

For Example: A parent is disabled, retired, or deceased,

For Example: A child receives income from a private

and their child receives social security benefits.

Social Security, Disability Payments

Social Security, Survivor's Benefits

Income from any other source

pension fund, annuity, or trust.

Earnings from work

Social Security benefits

salary or wages

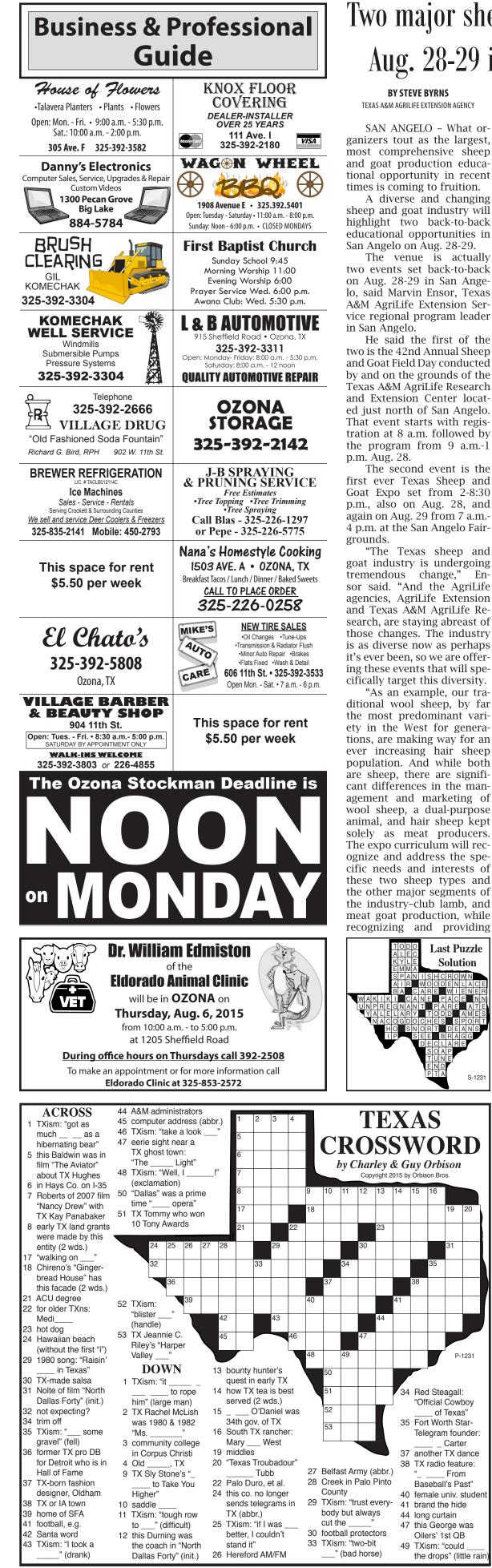
- privatized housing allowances) Allowances for off-base housing,
- food, and clothing Self-Employed Worker
- Net income from self-employment (farm or business)-calculated by subtracting the total operating expenses of your business from its gross receipts or revenue. Public Assistance/Alimony/Child Support
- (Do not report the value of any cash value public assistance benefits NOT listed on the chart.)
- Unemployment benefits
- Worker's compensation
- Supplemental Security Income (SSI)
- Cash assistance from State or local
- government
- Alimony payments Child support payments If income is received from child support or alimony, only court-ordered payments
- should be reported here. Informal but regular payments should be reported as other income in the next part.
- Veteran's benefits Pensions/Retirement
- Social Security (including railroad retirement and black lung benefits)
- Private Pensions or disability
- Annuities

- Regular cash payments from outside
- Earned interest

- - household
- Income from trusts or estates
- All Other Income

 - Rental income

- Investment income



Two major sheep, goat events Aug. 28-29 in San Angelo

SAN ANGELO - What organizers tout as the largest, most comprehensive sheep and goat production educational opportunity in recent times is coming to fruition.

A diverse and changing sheep and goat industry will highlight two back-to-back educational opportunities in San Angelo on Aug. 28-29.

The venue is actually two events set back-to-back on Aug. 28-29 in San Angelo, said Marvin Ensor, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service regional program leader

He said the first of the two is the 42nd Annual Sheep and Goat Field Day conducted by and on the grounds of the Texas A&M AgriLife Research and Extension Center located just north of San Angelo. That event starts with registration at 8 a.m. followed by the program from 9 a.m.-1

The second event is the first ever Texas Sheep and Goat Expo set from 2-8:30 p.m., also on Aug. 28, and again on Aug. 29 from 7 a.m.-4 p.m. at the San Angelo Fair-

"The Texas sheep and goat industry is undergoing tremendous change," Ensor said. "And the AgriLife agencies, AgriLife Extension and Texas A&M AgriLife Research, are staying abreast of those changes. The industry is as diverse now as perhaps it's ever been, so we are offering these events that will specifically target this diversity.

'As an example, our traditional wool sheep, by far the most predominant variety in the West for generations, are making way for an ever increasing hair sheep population. And while both are sheep, there are significant differences in the management and marketing of wool sheep, a dual-purpose animal, and hair sheep kept solely as meat producers. The expo curriculum will rec-

support in the common areas that impact all aspects of the sheep and goat industry."

The annual Sheep and Goat Field Day is a longstanding tradition of the AgriLife center dating back to the 1970s. The field day is generally scheduled the first Thursday of each September, but Ensor said both events complement one another so well that planners opted to move the field day to coincide with the expo as a convenience to participants.

The expo is to be a premier state-level event with emphasis on demonstrations and hands-on activities that will follow the center's Aug. 28 field day. Activities on Aug. 29 will start early at the San Angelo Fairgrounds with a chuck wagon breakfast followed by concurrent sessions featuring the various management and marketing techniques specific to wool breeds, hair sheep, club lamb production and meat goats.

Commercial businesses will exhibit new equipment, products and services at both events.

"Both these programs will be packed with information," Ensor said. "We'd like folks to first attend the center's field day that touts work being conducted there, including the extensive flock guard dog work being done, work on using juniper in deer feed to limit the problem of feral hogs eating much of it, insight into factors affecting lamb prices, the latest in prescribed fire management and some very interesting wool garment work. After a sponsored lunch at the center, activities will move to the San Angelo Fairgrounds for the start of the expo.

"It will be a full two days, and participants can take part in any or all of both events. We do hope they will take advantage of both programs though, as we have never offered such an opportunity before."

Ensor said expo presenters will include AgriLife personnel, Texas A&M University

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT Weekly Activity Report

Type of Calls Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints 1 911 medical/fire assistance 2 **Civil complaints** 9 Civil documents served 2 Criminal complaints/disturbances/loud noise 11 Juvenile/School 0 Motorist assist/ locked vehicle 8 Reckless driving/ speeding complaints 5 Minor/major traffic accidents 4 Alarms 2

OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS: 7-28-15

 Sheriff's deputies arrested Cora Shyanne Williams for criminal trespass. Subject was arraigned and released on bond.

• Sheriff's deputies met with subject who wanted to report a missing wallet. The wallet was discovered missing while the subject was at Dairy Queen. 7-29-15

• DPS Troopers arrested Victor Ray Smallwood, of Oklahoma City, Okla., on an out of county warrant. Subject was arraigned and released on bond.

• Sheriff's deputies responded to a report of an argument between family members on Avenue AA. The dispute was resolved.

 Sheriff's deputies responded to the Family Health Center of Ozona for a report of a possible assault. The investigation is still ongoing. 7-30-15

• DPS Troopers arrested Alten Nino, of Odessa, on an out of county warrant. Subject was arraigned and released on bond. 8-1-15

• Sheriff's deputies went to a residence on Monterrey Street in reference to loud music. The music was turned down. 8-2-15

 Sheriff's deputies met a complainant at Lowe's in reference to a missing money order.

FOR THE RECORD: COURT PROCEEDINGS

DISTRICT COURT July 23

• Felipe Martinez Ramirez, 47, pled guilty to aggravated robbery, first-degree felony. Ramirez has been sentenced to 10 years deferred adjudication, community supervision, 320 hours of community service, and charged \$348 in court costs. Counts of unlawful restraint and possession of control substance have been dismissed.

Texas members introduce border infrastructure bill

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BY SHANA TEEHAN WILL HURD'S OFFICE

U.S. Rep. Will Hurd, R-San Antonio, working with Senator John Cornyn, R-Texas, U.S. Rep. Michael McCaul, R-Austin, and U.S. Rep. Henry Cuellar, D-Laredo, announced last week the introduction of legislation which will give states more flexibility in how they use federal transportation funds, allowing them to invest more into border infrastructure.

H.R. 3181 will create a Coordinated Border Infrastructure (CBI) Reserve Fund creating an explicit avenue through which border States like Texas can reserve up to 5 percent of statewide Surface Transportation Funds for qualified border infrastructure purposes. This legislation allows stakeholders and border communities to advocate for border infrastructure and provides funding certainty.



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District of Texas, which has more than 820 miles of international border and includes Crockett County.

Cornyn worked to include similar language in H.R. 22, the long-term highway bill currently pending before the senate.

"As the top exporting state in the nation, Texas relies on quality infrastructure along its southern border to help transport more than \$100 billion in exported Texas goods to Mexico each year and support hundreds of thousands of Texas jobs. Allowing border states like Texas more flexibility in the long-term planning of border projects will benefit workers and consumers in our state and across the country," Cornyn said. The legislation is receiving support from officials and stakeholders on the border, who understand the importance of having secure and stable routes across the border.

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faculty, veterinarians, Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory staff, agribusinesses and area ranchers.

The concurrent expo sessions will include:

- Wool Sheep Session: rancher panels on effective coyote, bobcat, feral hog control; lambing rate expectations and current goals, and how to increase the number of lambs marketed.

Hair Sheep Session: hair sheep breeds overview; recommended best management practices-rancher panel; tips on selecting breeding stock with a cull-keep demonstration; marketing opportunities for hair sheep; and cause, prevention and treatment of pneumonia.

- Club Lamb Session: ram breeding soundness and semen collection; testing for reproductive and other diseases; breed classification standards; the facts about coccidiosis and other internal parasites; and keys to a successful embryo transfer program.

- Meat Goat Session: use of embryo transfer technology to improve geneticsproducer panel; testing for reproductive and other diseases; pregnancy testing using ultrasound and Pregnancy-Specific Protein B technology; coccidiosis and other parasites; and cause, prevention and treatment of pneumonia.

The AgriLife Center sheep and goat field day is free including the lunch there.

Individual preregistration for the expo received by Aug. 26 is \$20 and \$30 thereafter. Register online at http://agrilife.org/westresults/registration/ or call Myra Marsh at the center at 325-653-4576, ext. 237.

For more specific information regarding either activity and their accompanying trade shows, contact Ensor at 325-653-4576, e-ensor@tamu.edu.

"International trade and commerce is the life-blood for many cities and small towns in my district. Making it easier to safely move goods and services across the Texas-Mexico border will be good for both sides. Putting resources back into the infrastructure that facilitates that movement of goods is a long-

Parenthood and its Texas

affiliates in light of recent

In opening the hearing,

committee Chair Charles

Schwertner, R-Georgetown,

said, "Senators, I am sure

all of you have seen the re-

cent videos and news stories

showing top Planned Parent-

hood executives casually dis-

cussing donation and poten-

tially to sell fetal tissues and

organs. The cavalier attitude

portrayed in these videos

was alarming and disturbing

to many people throughout

the nation and of course here

Attorney General Ken Pax-

ton testified that the state

is conducting its own inves-

tigation of Planned Parent-

hood affiliates in Texas and

that a federal investigation of

Planned Parenthood also is in

Texas Department of Health

and Human Services repre-

sentatives testified about the

agency's role in regulating

abortion practices and ex-

plained that the agency has

no authority in the sale or do-

nation of fetal tissue, but it

can report suspected abuses

to other agencies that have

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news.

in Texas."

progress.

jurisdiction.

AGENCY URGES **CONSERVATION**

The Public Utility Commission of Texas on July 30 urged consumers to conserve electricity because of record electricity demand and higher than normal temperatures throughout the state.

The agency asked residential and business customers to adjust air conditioning thermostats at least two degrees higher and turn off unnecessary lighting and also to run dishwashing and laundry appliances after sunset or later.

When the weather gets hot, electricity usage peaks between 3 p.m. and 7 p.m., according to the PUC.

GRAND JURY INDICTS PAXTON

A Collin County grand jury last week indicted Ken Paxton, a former state representative from McKinney and current state attorney general.

Felony counts against Paxton reportedly are expected to be unsealed sometime on Monday, Aug. 3.

Paxton has been accused of encouraging investments in a McKinney-based technology company without telling investors he was a stockholder in the company and that he was making a commission on the investments.

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have good knowledge of com-

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GARAGE SALE

Wednesday, Aug. 5, Thursday, Aug. 6, 8-11 a.m. at Templo Siloe Assembly of God

GARAGE SALE

Sunday, Aug. 9, 8 a.m.-1 p.m. at 310 Avenue H.

PUBLIC NOTICE TO PARENTS OF CROCKETT CCSD **STUDENTS**

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District periodically applies pesticides as part of an integrated pest management program. All persons applying pesticides at this school district are required to receive special training in pesticide application and pest control.

In addition, the school district has a policy that requires use of non-chemical pest control tactics whenever it is possible that pesticides may periodically be applied.

Should you have further questions about pesticide use, including the types and timing, you may contact Chuy Martinez, IPM Coordinator, 808 Ave E, Ozona, Texas 76943, 325/392-5710.

PUBLIC NOTICE TO PARENTS OF CROCKETT CCSD **STUDENTS**

The use of corporal punishment is permitted by the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District as a corrective action to certain rules infractions in order to preserve an effective and orderly educational environment. Factors of student size and age, and the physical, mental, and emotional conditions of the student shall be considered before the administration of any corporal punishment.

Corporal punishment shall be limited to spanking or paddling and shall be administered only in accordance with the following guidelines: (1) The student will be informed of the reasons(s) for corporal punishment; (2) Corporal punishment may be administered by the teacher, school principal, or assistant principal; (3) The instrument to be used in administering corporal punishment shall be approved by the principal; and, (4) The administration of corporal punishment shall be performed in the principal's office and in the presence of one other professional employee of the district.

Parents who object to the use of corporal punishment must submit a written statement of objection to the appropriate campus principal.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District offers career and technology education programs in Health

Occupations, Computer Applications and Agriculture

Mechanics. Admission to these programs is based on

PUBLIC NOTICES

CONSTRUCTION **INVITATION FOR BIDS**

The Crockett County Commissioners will receive bids for the TxCDBG Capital Fund Program Infrastructure Improvements Hampton Inn, Ozona, Crockett County Texas until 11:00 a.m. on Friday, August 14, 2015 at Crockett County Courthouse Annex, located at 909 Ave. D, Ozona, Texas 76943. The bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, August 14, 2015 at Crockett County Courthouse Annex, located at 909 Ave. D., Ozona, Texas 76943.

Bids are invited for several items and quantities of work as follows: Furnish and install approximately 712 LF of 8" DR-18 C900 PVC water line with appurtenances, and approximately 811 LF of 8" SDR-35 PVC sanitary sewer line, 5 manholes, and appurtenances with approximately 740 LF of asphalt pavement improvements.

Bid/Contract Documents, including Drawings and Technical Specifications are on file at Enprotec / Hibbs & Todd, Inc., 402 Cedar Street, Abilene, Texas 79601. Copies of the Bid/Contract Documents may be obtained by depositing \$75.00 hardcopy and \$50.00 pdf CD with the Engineer for each set of documents obtained. The deposit is not refundable.

A bid bond in the amount of 5 percent of the bid issued by an acceptable surety shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the Crockett County Commissioners or negotiable U.S. Government Bonds (as par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Agriculture Office of Rural Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin. Adherence to the grant recipient's Section 3 Policy is require for contracts and subcontracts in excess of \$100,000.00.

The Crockett County Commissioners reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by Crockett County Commissioners for a period not to exceed 30 days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders qualifications prior to the contract award.

Crockett County Commissioners By: Judge Fred Deaton Date: July 29, 2015

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student interest. It is the policy of the Crockett County Consolidated Common School district not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972; and, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended. The Crockett County Consolidated Common School District will take steps to assure that lack of English language skills will not be a barrier to admission and participation in all educational and vocational programs. For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Raul Chavarria, at 325/392-5501, and/or the Section 504

PUBLIC NOTICE

Coordinator, Raul Chavarria, at 325/329-5501, extension

Pursuant to Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Crockett County Consolidated Common School District has a duty to identify, refer, evaluate and if eligible, provide a free, appropriate public education to disabled students. For additional information about the rights of parents of eligible children, or for answers to any questions you might have about identification, evaluation and placement into Section 504 programs, please contact the District's Section 504 Coordinator, Raul Chavarria, at 325/392-5501, extension 5741 or by mail at Post Office Box 400, Ozona, Texas 76943.

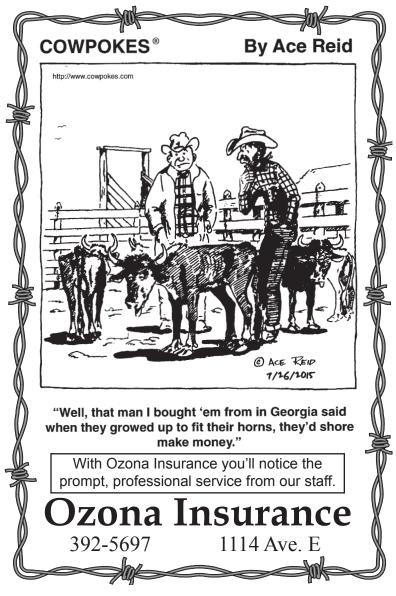


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July 15, 2015 Crockett County Treasurer, PO Box 1554, Ozona, Texas 76943

Re: Constitutional Judge's Supplement

As you may be aware Senate Bill 1025 of the 84th Legislature was enrolled on June 17, 2015, passing with twothirds vote in the House and the Senate. The Comptroller's Judiciary Section will be remitting to the counties the additional funding necessary to start the increase in the State Salary Supplement for the amount of \$25,200 starting Sept. 1, 2015.

Each judge is entitled to an annual salary supplement increase of \$2,123.84 for the period of June 17, 2015 to August 31, 2015.

A direct deposit in the amount of \$2,123.84 has been made to the county bank account.

The total amount for FY2015 will be \$17,123.84 (\$15,000 + \$2,123.84 increase).

Please be aware that the counties will be receiving a scheduled Q4 salary supplement in late August to complete the original \$15,000 annual distribution.

Beginning September 1, 2015, the new annual amount of the Constitutional Salary Supplement will be in the amount of \$25,200.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Judy Ybarbo of the Comptroller's Judiciary Section by e-mail at judy.ybarbo@cpa.texas.gov or by phone at (800) 531-5441 ext. 3-0226.

Leonard Higgins

Comptroller's Judiciary Section

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