

# Veterans Day

November 11

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# DISTRICT CHAMPS



DEFENSIVE COORDINATOR PAUL VIERS (center) holds up the district championship trophy as the Ozona Lions Football Players celebrate their victory after beating Anthony, 17-13, Friday night in Anthony. Ozona will play Forsan at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at San Angelo Stadium for bi-district.

## Lions push through Wildcats for win

BY MELISSA PERNER  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

ANTHONY - The Lions traveled 367 miles Friday with a goal of winning the district championship.

At the end of their journey, it all came down to the final five seconds of the game on the Wildcats' one-yard line.

With Anthony leading 13-10, Senior Oraldo Meza took the ball and punched it in the end zone to keep Ozona perfect in district play and

to give them the title. This is the Lions second district title in three years.

"I am very proud of our kids and coaches for never quitting Friday night. Our defense did a good job stopping the run and came through with the stops we had to have at the crucial times. It was tough getting a couple of big plays called back that could have sealed the game, but we knew we would not get any help from officials in Anthony. Antho-

ny is a good team and was a heavy favorite over us going into this season," said Coach Kyle Freeman.

Ozona (6-3, 4-0) will face Forsan for the bi-district championship at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at San Angelo Stadium in San Angelo.

Ozona Schools will release early. Pre-K and Kindergarten will release at 1:45 p.m. and OHS, OMS and First-Fifth Grades will release at 2 p.m. A send off for the Lions will be held at 3 p.m. starting

at the field house.

The Buffaloes (7-3, 2-2) are a former foe having spent the previous two seasons in the same district as Ozona before last year's UIL realignment moved them east.

Forsan finished fourth in District 1-2A under Anson, Post and Hawley. The Buffaloes defeated Stamford, 26-20, Friday night.

Their two district losses came against Post (28-21)

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# Bean, Davidson, Morris win local races

BY MELISSA PERNER  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Crockett County Voters elected a new commissioner and two new school board members Tuesday night.

Wesley Bean defeated Weldon Nicks, 268 votes to 156, to become the new commissioner of Precinct 3.

Bean will replace incumbent Randy Branch who chose not to run for another term. Bean will be sworn into office in January.

In the two contested CCCSD School Board races, Travis Davidson defeated Butch Gonzalez and Dean Fierro for the At Large District. Davidson had 529 votes, Gonzalez 450 and Fierro 253.

In the CCCSD Single Member District 2 race, Justin Morris defeated Jerry Cantu 95 votes to 70.

School board candidates are elected by plurality (the person with the most votes wins, despite the number of candidates), according to the Texas Election Code. School districts, including CCCSD, that elect trustees by plurality do not have runoff elections.

Unlike the federal, county and state officials, school board candidates begin their new terms immediately, instead of having to wait until January.

The next regular school board meeting will be at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 21 at the Administration Building. During this meeting, school board candidates that won Tuesday's election will be sworn in. The meeting is open to the public.

In state races, Will Hurd, R-San Antonio, and Pete Gallego, D-Alpine, were in a dead heat for the U.S. House District 23 race.

As of press time, Hurd, the incumbent, had 49.1 percent, Gallego had 46.2 percent and Libertarian Ruben S. Corvalan had 4.7 percent with 74.8 percent of the precincts reporting.

Hurd won Crockett County with 875 votes. Gallego had 462 and Corvalan had 28.

The Ozona Stockman will report final results on our Facebook and Twitter pages, as well as in next week's edition.

Incumbent State Senator Carlos Uresti, D-San Antonio, kept his District 19 seat with a 55.9 percent victory over Republican challenger Peter P. Flores. Libertarian Maximilian Martin received 3.6 percent.

In Crockett County, Flores won with 807 votes. Uresti had 468 and Martin had 33.

State Rep. Andrew Murr, R-Junction, kept his incumbent Texas House Seat for District 53 easily beating Democratic Challenger Stephanie Lochte Ertel with 76.6 percent to 20.5 percent. Libertarian Brian Holk had 2.9 percent.

Murr easily won Crockett County with 967 votes. Ertel had 342 and Holk had 28.

On the Presidential Race, Crockett County Voters selected Donald Trump with 980 votes. Hillary Clinton had 372, Gary Johnson 39, Jill Stein 4 and 5 write in votes.

Also in Crockett County, 331 votes cast straight Republican Party Ballots, 224 votes cast straight Democratic Party Ballots, 10 voters cast straight Libertarian Party Ballots and 7 voters cast straight Green Party Ballots.

Crockett County had 2,552 registered voters for the 2016 General Election. That is 160 more registered voters than the 2012 General Election. Voter turnout was around 56 percent with 1,430 ballots cast in the General Election. Early voting had the biggest turnout with 919 ballots cast in the General Election.

In the CCCSD School Board races, 1,260 ballots were cast.



WESLEY BEAN



TRAVIS DAVIDSON



JUSTIN MORRIS



CARLOS URESTI



ANDREW MURR

# Veterans Day events, closings

Friday, Nov. 11, is Veterans Day.

Crockett County CCSD has planned a morning full of events and the annual Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner will take place that night.

School events:

- 8:30-9:15 a.m. Breakfast at Ozona Elementary School Library provided by the Ozona Elementary School.

- 10:30 a.m. Procession into the Ozona Middle School Cafeteria followed by a program at 10:40 a.m. sponsored by OMS.

- 11:30 a.m. Lunch provided by Ozona High School at the OMS Library.

The annual Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner will be at 5 p.m. Friday, Nov. 11, at the Civic Center.



All veterans, spouses and families are welcome. Dinner is free to veteran and spouse. All other guests, cost is \$5 donation.

The Crockett County Museum also has its annual Veterans Exhibit on display during November. Everyone is invited to tour the muse-

um and see the display.

"We encourage everyone wherever you are at to take the time to pause on Nov. 11 at 11 a.m. from whatever you are doing and remember all those veterans that are among us that served our country, our fallen heroes and always remember those that are still currently in arms way," said Frank Tambunga, Crockett County Veteran. "Their involvement in the communities is central to our nation's success."

Businesses that will be closed Friday, Nov. 11, are Crockett County Offices, the Crockett County Public Library, U.S. Postal Service and local banks. Many county offices and the library will close at noon Thursday, Nov. 10.

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## They paid it forward, ensuring jobs for our nation's heroes

For more than a year and a half, Jon Arnold, our Veterans Affairs and Military liaison staffer, has been working hard on behalf of the Veterans in the 23rd Congressional District of Texas, helping them to receive the benefits they earned while serving our nation. What Jon did not mention is his own ten years of service and sacrifice in the United States Army and the drive he has to make sure our nation's heroes are not left behind in a never-ending sea

of bureaucrat-ic red-tape.

Jon is a great example of many of the Veterans who leave military service and then look for ways to continue serving in our communities. Another example is



**HURD ON THE HILL**  
WILL HURD

Ruben Gutierrez, Jr., a name that the community of Del Rio is familiar with. His wife, Carmen Gutierrez, has served as my Field Representative in Del Rio for almost two years, but she and her husband have served the city of Del Rio for much longer. But before that, SGT Ruben Gutierrez spent four years serving our nation in the U.S. Marine Corps. Another role model is retired United States Air Force Master Sergeant Jose Martinez, who served for twenty-

six years. His time in the Air Force was distinctive and he was recognized with the Meritorious Service Medal and was named Outstanding Air Force Executive Support Superintendent of the Year, among several other awards. But Martinez did not end his service when he left the military. The community of Del Rio is well aware of the time and resources he has poured into their town and his special focus on helping other Veterans and their families.

There are many other Veterans we could point to who have ended their time in the military, but continued their service in their local communities. Unfortunately, not every Veteran story goes in that direction. We are all aware of the number of Veterans who struggle to find purpose and employment once they leave the military. Far too many face unemployment and homelessness as they fall through the cracks and their needs go unaddressed. We

need to do more to ensure Veterans in our communities never have to suffer in this way. While there are many local individuals, families and organizations that work very hard to assist Veterans, there is certainly a role for Congress in this as well. During my time serving as your Representative, I have had the privilege to sponsor several pieces of legislation that help

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## Honoring veterans

Day is done,  
gone the sun,  
From the lake,  
from the hills,  
from the sky;  
All is well, safely rest,  
God is nigh.  
Fading light, dims  
the sight, And a star  
gems the sky, gleaming  
bright. From afar, drawing  
nigh, falls the night.  
Thanks and praise,  
for our days, 'Neath the  
sun, 'neath the stars,  
neath the sky; As we go,  
this we know, God is nigh.



**WHAT'S ON MY MIND**

MELISSA PERNER

lowed by a program. At 11:30 a.m., lunch will be provided by Ozona High School in the OMS Library. The annual Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner will be 5 p.m. Friday at the Crockett County Civic Center. Dinner is free for veterans and spouse. Cost for all other guests is a \$5 donation.

Our wonderful Crockett County Museum will have its Veterans Exhibit on display throughout November. I encourage everyone to stop by and learn more about our local veterans. I am proud our community and school district honors our veterans every year. It's because of leaders, like local veteran Frank Tambunga and his family, that this is all made possible.

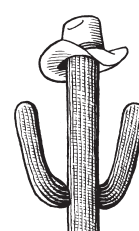
Sun has set, shadows come, Time has fled, Scouts must go to their beds Always true to the promise that they made. While the light fades from sight, And the stars gleaming rays softly send, To thy hands we our souls, Lord, commend. The lyrics above are from "Taps," a song most of us are familiar with but probably never knew the words. This week, we honor our veterans, men and women who fought bravely for our freedom. It is also on this day that we also remember and salute those men and women that are currently fighting for our freedom. Every year, our country sets aside two days to recognize those who have served and fought for our country: Veterans Day and Memorial Day. But whereas Memorial Day is set aside specifically to honor those who died in service to our country, Veterans Day is about recognizing all those who have served our country in both war-time and peacetime. The veteran population in the United States is just over 23 million and counting. Here in Crockett County, we have many currently serving our country. On Friday, we will honor our Veterans with a dinner at the Crockett County Civic Center, as well as breakfast at the Ozona Elementary and a program and lunch at Ozona Middle School. Friday morning the Ozona Elementary School will hold a breakfast from 8:30-9:15 a.m. at the OES Library. Following this, Ozona Middle School will honor Veterans at 10:30 a.m. with a procession into the OMS Cafeteria fol-

Military place themselves in harm's way on a daily basis, occasionally, tragically even on domestic bases, which is exactly why we should dutifully and frequently pause to reflect not just on their contributions and sacrifices, but also on the physical and emotional toll their service can exact in combat stress and repeat deployments. Since 1919, Americans have gathered on Nov. 11 to honor those who have fought for our country, including ones who defending freedom on American grounds. We may not understand why events like Pearl Harbor and Sept. 11 happen. We may not agree with fighting in wars like Vietnam and the War in Iraq. We may not be able to see both sides of what all is going on, but one thing we can do is thank the men and women who dedicated, and those who are still dedicating, their lives so that we may all have freedom.

God Bless You and God Bless America.

MELISSA PERNER is the editor and publisher of The Ozona Stockman.

## Stealing My Own Money



**IT'S THE PITTS**

LEE PITTS

Years ago I owned a livestock newspaper and a purebred breeder owed us a lot of money for advertising he purchased in advance of his bull sale. I paid all my own expenses to go work ring at his bull sale which was two states away from my house. Months passed until the sale and still no check was in the mail. Then I started hearing rumors the purebred breeder was in trouble and sure enough, the bank announced his complete dispersal.

The sale manager for the dispersal called and tried to place a big budget of advertising but there was no way I was going to go work the sale or give the breeder one inch of advertising until his bill was paid in full. The sale manager begged and begged, probably because all the other periodicals the breeder owed money to wouldn't "sell" him any ad space either. After several calls I came up with a brilliant bit of cowboy capitalism: my repayment plan was that I'd work the two-day dispersal and sell ad space for the sale but I'd purchase a dollar amount of cattle in the dispersal equal to the breeder's total outstanding bill and not pay for them. The sale manager thanked me profusely and readily agreed to the deal.

I thought I was the first person to come up with such a plan but my buddy Russell from South Dakota busted my high opinion of myself when he told me about a similar deal he struck in the first year he had his real estate office.

It seems Russell was a member of the county school board which was in the mandatory process of bussing kids to school and changing where many kids went to school. One parent complained bitterly to Russell who half-jokingly replied, "Why don't you sell your ranch and move closer to the school." A month later the complainer did just that.

Russell got the place sold but the rancher owed so many people money that there wasn't enough left to pay Russell's commission, so Russell took a pony cart, a Shetland Pony, a harness to pull the cart and an IOU for \$2,500. Two years went by and still Russell didn't get his money. One day Russell saw a ranch auction advertised for the guy so Russell went to the banker, explained his predicament and the banker said he could deduct \$2,500 off any amount he paid for cows.

"I got the cows bought," said Russell, "but I started worrying if I had enough money to pay the difference and how was I going to get the cows to my ranch. I was walking to my pickup when a man ran up and asked, 'Have they sold the

cows yet?' I said yes and I'd just bought them." So Russell sold the cows to the tardy auction-goer after tacking on a commission, got his \$2,500 and came out of the deal smelling like a rose.

I only wish I could say the same thing. After I'd bought some bulls roughly equal to what the purebred breeder owed us I had them home only a few days when I got a call from the sale manager who explained that I was going to have to pay for the cattle because a bankruptcy trustee was at the sale and he wrote down the price and buyer of every hoof that went through the ring and now he wanted to know when this Lee Pitts feller was going to pay up. The sale manager told me, "Either you or I are going to pay and it darn sure isn't going to be me."

Oh, the scoundrel, how he lied! In the end, we never got paid for any advertising, I had to pay for the bulls and I used them on a small jag of cows. I only wish the bulls were as full of bull as the guy who bred them because they only settled 40% of my cows and those that did get pregnant had dwarf-like calves. So I sold the bulls in the slaughter run for \$1,000 less than I paid and I still wasn't finished paying because every time I looked at those runty calves I just had to ask myself, "Am I a genius or what?"

www.LeePittsbooks.com

## States, lawmakers file briefs in support of Texas' voter ID law

AUSTIN — Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton on Sept. 23 filed a petition on behalf of the State of Texas, asking the U.S. Supreme Court to reinstate the Texas voter ID law.

On Oct. 31, Paxton announced that a coalition of states and members of Congress had filed a friend-of-the-court brief in the United States Supreme Court, in support of Texas' voter identification law that passed in 2011 as Senate Bill 14.

"Our democracy does not work unless voters have confidence that election results are not skewed by fraud," Paxton said, alleging the existence of a nationwide voter-fraud problem.

The coalition in support of the Texas voter ID law includes the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Utah and West Virginia. The states' brief concludes, "There is no reason to expect that Texas's

### STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Ed Sterling | Texas Press Association

Voter ID law will somehow cause substantial harm to voter participation, when nothing of the sort has happened in 10 years of Voter ID in Indiana." A like-minded amicus brief was submitted to the high court by U.S. Sens. John Cornyn and Ted Cruz, both R-Texas, and Sen. David Vitter R-Louisiana; U.S. Reps. John Culberson, Blake Farenthold, Joe Barton, Kevin Brady, Bill Flores, Louie Gohmert, Kay Granger, Michael Burgess, John Carter, Michael Conaway, Jeb Hensarling, Will Hurd, Ted Poe, Sam Johnson, John Ratcliffe, Kenny Marchant, Pete Sessions, Michael McCaul, Lamar Smith, Randy Neugebauer, Mac Thornberry, Pete Olson, Randy Weber, Brian Babin, and Roger Williams, all R-Texas; U.S. Reps. John Fleming, Garrett Graves and Charles W. Boustany Jr., all R-Louisiana; and U.S. Rep.

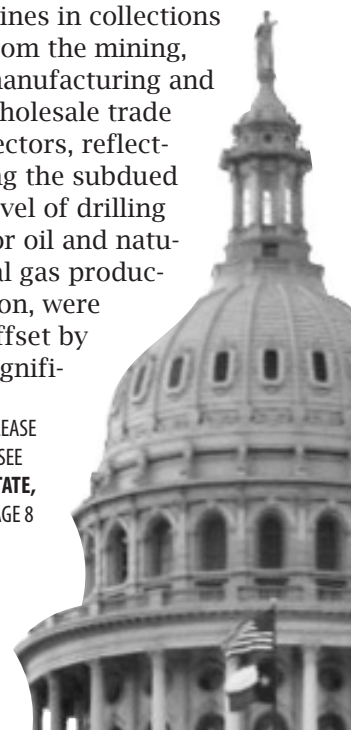
Steven Palazzo, R-Mississippi. Like the Indiana law, the Texas law requires a citizen to present one of several forms of photo identification in addition to a voter registration certificate before casting a ballot in person. The U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit found that the law, while not discriminatory in intent, is discriminatory in effect. Last summer, a federal district court relaxed voter identification requirements for the Nov. 8 general election.

### TAX REVENUE INCHES HIGHER

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar on Nov. 2 announced state sales tax revenue totaled \$2.29 billion in October, 0.2 percent more than the amount reported in October 2015. "Opposing trends in con-

sumer and business spending resulted in slight overall growth in state sales tax revenue," Hegar said. He added that continued declines in collections from the mining, manufacturing and wholesale trade sectors, reflecting the subdued level of drilling for oil and natural gas production, were offset by signifi-

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

# Business of the Month: Pizza Mia on the Square

BY SHANON BIGGERSTAFF  
OZONA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize Pizza Mia on the Square as our Business of the Month.

"We opened our business in January of this year. I have enjoyed serving the school kids and the community. One thing I never expected was the amount of people that would stop in from out of town. I have made pizzas for people from Switzerland, Germany, Italy, Belgium and from all over the United States. They are so much fun to visit with! When I opened the business, I wasn't sure how things would turn out, but you have to believe in yourself," said Sandra Marmolejo, owner.

"I would like to thank the community for their support. We have been listening to our customers and have now added to our menu. We have bought a couple of new fryers and now offer chicken strip baskets, lemon pepper wings, hot wings and mango habanero wings."

Pizza Mia on the Square offers 10-inch pizzas, 10-inch Neapolitan



PIZZA MIA: (left to right) Celeste Rodriguez, Lupe Longoria, Sandra Marmolejo and Eusevio Longoria.

pizzas and 16-inch pizzas and personal salads. Toppings include cheese, pepperoni, Canadian bacon, hamburger, sausage, spinach, mushroom, Hawaiian, veggie, come carne meat and supreme. You can purchase pizza by the slice from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. daily. We have a student special as well. One slice of pizza and a free drink," said Sandra.

Pizza Mia on the Square is located at 512 9th Street,

or at the north end of the square. They are open Monday through Saturday, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 4 to 9 p.m. Closed Sundays.

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce would like to recognize Pizza Mia on the Square for their commitment to providing the best quality service to local residents as well as travelers.

For more information, call Pizza Mia on the Square at (325) 226-1314 or at pizzamia11@gmail.com.

## Holiday Hands arts and crafts fair seeking vendors

The 11th Annual Holiday Hands Christmas Arts & Crafts Fair will be held on Dec. 8 at the Crockett County Civic Center.

If you have holiday hands for creating art, crafts, or food items, you are invited to reserve a booth at the Christmas fair.

Indoor 10 x 10 space rental is \$30. Outdoor space is also available.

All rental and ticket proceeds go to support Ozona "Meals on Wheels" program.

For further information or to register, call Corba at (325) 392-3302 or (325) 206-2331.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**Nov. 9** - Landry Myers, Johnathan Rivas, Thelma Vitela, Cat Sessom, Hilda Camarillo and Pat Nicks

**Nov. 10** - Landon Martinez, Lisa Harmsen, Frank Paradez, Jason Moran, Ashley Anderson, Arron Garza, Maurice Briones and Michael Medina Jr.

**Nov. 11** - Lynn English, Tina Moran, Katie Perner, Oliver O'Bryan, Amanda Guerra, Martha Landin, Colton McDowell, Ronald Higginbottom Jr.

**Nov. 12** - Travis Davidson, Ernie Hernandez, Jimmy Hokit, Dana Duncan, Roland Galindo Jr. and Gabriela Rodriguez

**Nov. 13** - Minnie Ramirez and Arty Gonzales

**Nov. 14** - Ricky Martinez, Margaret Jones, Santa Castro, Britni Mitchel and Makalia McDowell

**Nov. 15** - Ramon Maldonado, Raynee Payne, Jill Crawford, Heriberto Perez, Krista Lynn Dominguez and Dolores Gutierrez

### COMMUNITY CALENDAR

**Wednesday, Nov. 9**

- OES First Grade Field Trip to Fiddlesticks in Midland. Group will leave at 8 a.m.
- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OES Lion Pride Wednesday for Kindergarten, Second and Fourth Grades
- KC Kitchen, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center

**Thursday, Nov. 10**

- Ozona Lions Quarterback Club, 6:15 a.m. at Mi Familia Restaurant.
- Lion's Den Luncheon at Ozona Elementary School
- Balance Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- County offices and the county library closing at noon.
- Bingo, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Special Ed Training for Teachers, 3:30-4:15 p.m. at OES.
- Book Club, 6 p.m. at the Crockett County Public Library
- OHS Lions vs Forsan, 7:30 p.m. at San Angelo Stadium.

**Friday, Nov. 11**

- Veterans Day - county offices, county library, local banks and U.S. Post Office closed
- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Veterans Breakfast, 8:30-9:15 a.m. at OES Library
- Veterans Program, 10:30 a.m. procession into OMS Cafeteria followed by program at 10:40 a.m.
- Veterans Lunch, 11:30 a.m. at the OMS Library.
- Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner, 5 p.m. at the Civic Center.

**Saturday, Nov. 12**

- OHS Lion Aaron Rodriguez at the UIL State Cross-Country Meet, 2 p.m. at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock.
- Ozona Pee Wee Football vs. Alpine, 9 a.m. at Fort Stockton.
- JV and Varsity Lady Lions vs Sterling City, 11 a.m. at the OHS Davidson Gym.
- Ozona Heavy Weight Football vs. Crane, 1 p.m. at Fort Stockton

**Sunday, Nov. 13**

- Knights of Columbus Community Thanksgiving Meal, noon at the Civic Center.
- 4-H Food Challenge Practice, 3 p.m. at OMS Cafeteria.
- OLPH Bingo, 3 p.m. at the OLPH Parish Hall

**Monday, Nov. 14**

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Crafts, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OMS Lions and Lady Lions vs Irion County, 5:30 p.m. at the OHS and OMS Gyms
- Senior Bingo Social, 6:30 p.m. at the Senior Center

**Tuesday, Nov. 15**

- Balance Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Sit Down Exercise, 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- JV and Varsity Lady Lions vs Iraan, 5 p.m. at Iraan
- 4-H County Food Show, 6 p.m. at the Civic Center.
- OES PTO Meeting, 6 p.m. at OES Library

**Wednesday, Nov. 16**

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OES Lion Pride Wednesday for Pre-K, First, Third and Fifth Grades
- KC Kitchen, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. at the Knights of Columbus Hall
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center



THE PAISLEY SISTERS (top, left to right) Terry Weaver of Sonora as Connie Paisley and Vickie Schwiening of Eldorado plays Lonnie Paisley; (bottom, left to right) Sonora High School student Delaney Ramsdell as Abigail Paisley and Tammy Doran of Eldorado as Bonnie Paisley.

## Way Off Broadway Players present 'The Paisley Sister Christmas Special'

Start with a White Christmas, mix in a mid-'60 Judy Garland television Christmas special, add a dash of Silkwood, and you have The Paisley Sister Christmas Special.

It is 1964, and America's Songbirds, the Paisley Sisters, are airing a brand-new color television holiday extravaganza landing themselves back in the Top 40. The results is a hilarious send-up of early television holiday specials full of backstage drama, sponsors, secret telephone calls, assumed identities and general mayhem.

The Paisley Sister Christmas Special music was written by Bret Silverman; Lyrics by Joel Benjamin, James Ansart and Bret Silverman. Book written by Joel Benjamin, James Ansart, Bret Silverman and Steve Silverman.

The Way Off Broadway Players in Eldorado will be performing "The Paisley Sister Christmas Special" on Nov. 18, Dec. 2 at 7 p.m.; Nov. 19-20 and Dec. 3-4 at 3 p.m. Tickets are \$12.

To reserve your ticket, call (325) 277-0635. Check out our website www.wobp.us.

## Knights of Columbus Thanksgiving Meal Sunday

The annual Knights of Columbus Community Thanksgiving Meal will be at noon Sunday, Nov. 13, at the Civic Center.

The meal is open to everyone, but people ages 60 and over are free. Anyone else the cost is a donation.

Proceeds benefit the Ozona Knights of Columbus.

## CROCKETT COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENTS!

### Friends of the Library Drawing!

- First Prize - Dell Laptop Computer
  - Second Prize - Amazon Kindle
  - Third Prize - Amazon Gift Card
- \$5 per ticket

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# FSA County Committee Elections beginning

BY ISABEL BENEMELIS  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

WASHINGTON, D.C. - Farm Service Agency (FSA) Administrator Val Dolcini has announced that the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) will begin mailing ballots to eligible farmers and ranchers across the country for the 2016 FSA County Committee elections on Monday, Nov. 7, 2016. Producers must return ballots to their local FSA offices by Dec. 5, 2016, to ensure that their vote is counted. "Producers elected to FSA county committees play a vital role in local agricultural decisions," said Dolcini. "Their contributions are essential to the daily operation of nearly 2,200 offices across the country. It is a valued partnership that helps us better understand the needs of the farmers and ranchers we serve." Nearly 7,700 FSA County Committee members serve FSA offices nationwide. Each

committee has three to 11 elected members who serve three-year terms of office. One-third of county committee seats are up for election each year. County committee members apply their knowledge and judgment to help FSA make important decisions on its commodity support programs, conservation programs, indemnity and disaster programs, and emergency programs and eligibility. Producers must participate or cooperate in an FSA program to be eligible to vote in the county committee election. Approximately 1.5 million producers are currently eligible to vote. Farmers and ranchers who supervise and conduct the farming operations of an entire farm, but are not of legal voting age, also may be eligible to vote. Farmers and ranchers will begin receiving their ballots the week of Nov. 7. Ballots include the names of candidates run-

ning for the local committee election. FSA has modified the ballot, making it easily identifiable and less likely to be overlooked. Voters who do not receive ballots in the coming week can pick one up at their local FSA offices. Ballots returned by mail must be postmarked no later than Dec. 5, 2016. Newly elected committee members will take office Jan. 1, 2017. For more information, visit the FSA website at [www.fsa.usda.gov/elections](http://www.fsa.usda.gov/elections). You may also contact your local USDA Service Center or FSA office. Visit <http://offices.usda.gov> to find an FSA office near you. USDA works to strengthen and support American agriculture, an industry that supports one in 11 American jobs, provides American consumers with more than 80 percent of the food we consume, ensures that Americans spend less of their paychecks at the grocery store than most people in other countries, and sup-

ports markets for home-grown renewable energy and materials. Since 2009, USDA has provided \$5.6 billion in disaster relief to farmers and ranchers; expanded risk management tools with products like Whole Farm Revenue Protection; and helped farm businesses grow with \$36 billion in farm credit. The department has engaged its resources to support a strong next generation of farmers and ranchers by improving access to land and capital; building new markets and market opportunities; and extending new conservation opportunities. USDA has developed new markets for rural-made products, including more than 2,700 biobased products through USDA's BioPreferred program; and invested \$64 billion in infrastructure and community facilities to help improve the quality of life in rural America. For more information, visit [www.usda.gov/results](http://www.usda.gov/results).

## OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

# Bingo Social Monday

BY BRENDA NEWTON  
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

How about those Lions! We are so proud of you guys. Cowboys did good also. Good luck Lions on the next step. We will be rooting for you. Be sure to support our Helping Hands at their arts and crafts shown on Dec. 8. There will be members selling tickets for the quilt made by our Hands in Service Quilters. Buy some tickets and support their effort in taking care of our elderly and shut-ins. Thanks in advance. November Bingo Social will be 6:30 p.m. Monday, Nov. 14. We will be serving lasagna with garlic bread, salad, and strawberry shortcake for desert.

what you want in Angelo. Come on out and learn how to do those beautiful mesh wreaths yourself you see on Pinterest. Call Lisa Valencia with the Area Agency on Aging for help on age related problems at (325) 223-5704. I talked to Corina Sturgeon with Esperanza and she said Alicia Henry had moved to California, but that Jorge Salizar was taking her place on the insurance information. She gave me the number (325) 949-6220. Be patient with me. These people change all the time. As far as I know, Mary Landa is still in the same place. You can call her with 2-1-1 Texas if you need information on any of the things that concern us older generation. Dial 2-1-1 and you will get a message asking you to choose English or Spanish. Choose one and then choose option 1. This will get you to Mary and she can pass you to the person that can help you. Exercise - 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday Bridge - 1:30 p.m. Monday Crafts - 3 p.m. Monday Sit Down Exercise - Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. with the Wesley Nurse. Mexican Train - 1:30 p.m. Wednesday Quilting - 9:30 a.m. Thursday Balance Exercise - 9:30 a.m. Thursday Bingo - 2 p.m. Thursday Come on out, the coffee is on.

I have had some request for the balance exercise on Thursday at 9:30 a.m. I quit this exercise because no one was coming, but I am going to have it again each Thursday. Come join us. It is not a very hard exercise, but will help strengthen your muscles for the balance we all need to keep us from those dreaded falls. Isn't a little discomfort in your muscles better than the disablement of a broken hip? Just saying. I am also going to start crafts again on Monday afternoon at 3 p.m. We will be learning to make mesh wreaths. You will need to bring a wire base ring and a roll of mesh in the size and color you want and pipe cleaners in a close color. I have been told that the Dollar Store has some of this or you can get someone to get

## TEXAS PECOS TRAIL NEWS

# Pecos Trail Partners Event Nov. 17

BY MELISSA HAGINS  
TEXAS PECOS TRAIL

The Texas Pecos Trail will hold their bi-monthly Pecos Trail Partners Event at 9:30 a.m. Nov. 17 at the Annie Riggs Museum, 301 S. Main in Fort Stockton. The public is welcome

to attend, and attendance of those involved in tourism and heritage preservation in the region is encouraged. The meeting will include lunch, a tour of the Annie Riggs Museum and then move to the Officer's Quarters 8 at historic Fort Stockton for an educational pro-

gram and Texas Pecos Trail Region Board Meeting. Cost of lunch is \$10 per person. The public is invited to attend. RSVP for meeting and lunch by Monday, Nov. 14, to Melissa Hagins at (432) 212-5910 or e-mail [info@texaspecostrail.com](mailto:info@texaspecostrail.com).

The Texas Pecos Trail Region encompasses 22 West Texas counties in the Trans-Pecos area: Andrews, Crane, Crockett, Ector, Edwards, Glasscock, Kimble, Kinney, Loving, Martin, Maverick, Midland, Pecos, Reagan, Reeves, Sterling, Sutton, Terrell, Upton, Val Verde, Ward, and Winkler.

# In Care of Ozona Foundation seeks donations

The In Care Of Ozona foundation was founded for the purpose of helping Ozona residents in need of fuel or hotel expenses resulting from a catastrophic illnesses and other severe medical conditions. In 2016, Coz 4 Oz has helped three local residents with fuel expenses due to kidney dialysis treatments and

two local residents with hotel expenses due and cancer treatments. Your donations are currently helping two individuals with fuel expenses due to severe medical treatments. \$5 is all we're asking you to donate. Help us raise \$1,500 by going to the GoFundMe link on the In Care of Ozona Facebook page.

You can donate at Ozona Bank, the KYXX station or mail in your \$5 donation to In Care Of Ozona P.O. Box 1027 Ozona, Texas 76943. Also, drop your change in the Coz 4 Oz container at D's Liquor Store to help out. Please donate today and help us help others in Ozona. Thank you.

FMI contact Eligio Martinez at (325) 340-0937.


## Care Center Board Meeting Thursday

The Crockett County Care Center will hold their regular board meeting at 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 10, at the EMS Building.


- The meeting is open to the public.
- Items on the agenda:
- Sign and approve the minutes of the Oct. 5 meeting.
  - EMS Report
  - Administrator Report
  - Old Business
  - New Business
  - Public Comments
  - Discussion of non-agenda items by members for the purpose of placing them on the next agenda.
  - Review and authorization to pay Care Center/H.S.C./E.M.S. Financials.
  - Executive session if needed.

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THE VARSITY LIONS KNEEL IN THE END ZONE FOR THEIR TRADITION PRE-GAME PRAYER before the last district game on Nov. 4. Their 17-13 win over Anthony secured the district championship and a Nov. 10 playoff game.



THE OZONA LIONS CONFIDENTLY MARCH into the Anthony Wildcat Stadium with the knowledge that the district championship is hanging in the balance. They outlasted the Anthony Wildcats in a thrilling 17-13 victory.

### LIONS: *from page 1*

and Hawley (58-14). Forsan defeated district champ Anson 27-24.

The Lions racked up 307 yards of offense, but the Wildcats' defense kept Ozona from finding the end zone until close to the end of the first half when Kobe Rodriguez scored making it 10-7 in favor of the Lions.

Anthony would score with five minutes left in the fourth quarter pulling ahead 13-10.

The Lions would continue to battle until Meza's one-yard winning touchdown.

Francisco Rivera was perfect on extra points and kicked a field goal in the first quarter to put the Lions on the board.

Rodriguez had 27 carries for 170 yards. Quarterback Jadon Perez had 13 carries for 92 yards.

Brandon Meza led the team on defense with 10 tackles and a sack. Rodriguez had six tackles, Alec Lara and Caleb Martinez each had five.

Ryan Ramos and Martinez each got a sack and Tommy Fay caused a fumble.

"Our kids showed tremendous heart in overcoming the long trip out there.

We need to continue to focus on our overall goal and take each game as a step toward that goal," Freeman said.



EDGAR DAMIAN LEANS TOWARD THE ACTION in the Lions district win over the Anthony Wildcats on Nov. 4.

### Early school release on Thursday

Ozona Schools will have an early release Thursday due to the football playoff game.

OHS, OMS and First-Fifth Grades will release at 2 p.m., Pre-K and Kindergar-

ten will release at 1:45 p.m.

The football team will be leaving at 3 p.m. from the field house. There will be a send off for them at that time from the field house.

### Congratulations to our Players of the Week!

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170 yards rushing on 27 carries and a touchdown

#### Kobe Rodriguez

Offensive Player of the Week



2 tackles while leading the Defensive line.

#### Orinaldo Meza

Defensive Player of the Week

### OHS Band Student of the Week



#### Denise Rodriguez

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Sabinal	0
Junction	28
Harper	16
Grape Creek	59
Crane	6
Rocksprings	48
Center Point	17
Forsan	26
Stamford	20
Wall	63
Kermit	14
Wink	50
Menard	40
Ballinger	45
Alpine	29



THE VARSITY LIONS PUMP UP THE VOLUME before the final district game of the season on Nov. 4 against Anthony. They rallied in the fourth quarter with a Orinaldo Meza touchdown to take the district crown.



OZONA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS visited the campus of the University of Texas at San Antonio last week. There may be a few future Roadrunners in this group.

## VARSETY LIONS

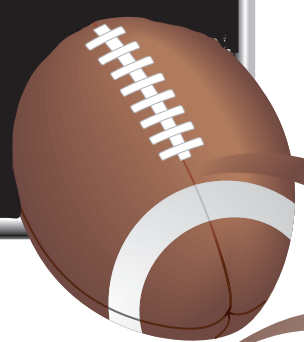
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Veterans Day

As I celebrate Veterans Day,
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from the Mekong Delta
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I never thought I'd lost;

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some 50 years,
the greatest who stand tall;

We earned our way,
etched our name,
the best who refused to fall.

God Bless America

- Tom Morrow
Ozona, Texas

Information sought on calves shot, equipment stolen in Coleman

BY LARAMIE ADAMS
TEXAS AND SOUTHWESTERN CATTLE RAISERS ASSOCIATION

COLEMAN, Texas - Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association (TSCRA) Special Ranger Joe Roberts and Coleman County authorities are seeking information regarding 8 head of calves shot in pastures in the Novice, Texas area.

Authorities are also requesting assistance from anyone with information regarding a case where two skid steer loaders and a gooseneck trailer were stolen from properties in Coleman County.

Roberts reported eight calves each weighing 450 to 600 pounds were shot in pastures around County Road 419 and County Road 484 in the Novice, Texas area sometime between Oct. 20 and Nov. 11.

Roberts said in addition to the investigation regarding the calves that were shot, there is another case in Coleman County regarding the theft of ranching equipment. Two skid steer loaders and a gooseneck trailer were stolen from properties near Cole-

man, Texas sometime between Oct. 28 and Nov. 3.

Missing is a gray and yellow New Holland skid steer loader model L218, VIN # NEM485470; a yellow 2012 Caterpillar skid steer loader, model 279C, VIN # 0MBT02737; and a black dovetail 40-foot gooseneck Pro-Trak trailer, Texas license plate 505455H, VIN #5BNDG4027XC001078.

Anyone with further information regarding these cases should contact TSCRA's Operation Cow Thief hotline at 888-830-2333 or call Special Ranger Roberts at (325) 669-1427.

A cash reward up to \$1,000 may be paid to individuals who can provide useful information leading to the arrest and indictment of suspect(s). Individuals reporting information may choose to remain anonymous.

TSCRA has 30 special rangers stationed strategically throughout Texas and Oklahoma who have in-depth knowledge of the cattle industry and are trained in all facets of law enforcement.

All are commissioned as Special Rangers by the Texas Department of Public Safety and/or the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation.

TSCRA is a 139-year-old trade association and is the largest and oldest livestock organization based in Texas. TSCRA has more than 17,000 beef cattle operations, ranching families and businesses as members. These members represent approximately 50,000 individuals directly involved in ranching and beef production who manage 4 million head of cattle on 76 million acres of range and pasture land primarily in Texas and Oklahoma, but throughout the Southwest.

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Weekly Activity Report

Table with columns: Type of Calls, 11-4-16, 11-5-16, 11-11-16, 11-12-16, 11-2-16. Lists various incidents like livestock complaints, medical assistance, criminal complaints, etc.

Game Warden Field Notes

COMPILED FROM TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT LAW ENFORCEMENT REPORTS.

EXPIRED AND ARRESTED

A Morris County game warden observed a small flat bottom boat with three male occupants on Big Cypress Creek along Sand Crossing at the Morris County/Camp County Line. Using binoculars he could see that the boat had an expired registration decal. Upon making contact, the warden found several violations in addition to the expired registration.

A SHOCKING DISCOVERY

As Bowie County game wardens arrived on the scene in response to a complaint about a truck and trailer blocking a boat ramp, they noticed a boat had just pulled in and was in the process of being loaded onto the trailer. While making contact with the operator, the wardens observed an illegal fish shocking device onboard with wires still connected.

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Veterans find work. In some cases we have ensured that Veteran's receive credit and certification for the skills they learned while serving, making it easier for the private sector to identify and recruit talent.

Beyond technical skills though, we have worked to highlight the leadership and managerial skills that so many veterans have. That is why I am excited to announce that Senator John Cornyn and I will introduce a new bill this fall which will do even more to help our nation's Veterans better transition into meaningful civilian

careers. The American Law Enforcement Act will incentivize the hiring of Veterans as law enforcement officers by prioritizing federal grants at the local and state level. So many of our Veterans are already trained for this kind of work and are looking for ways to serve their community. The new bill will create a win-win scenario for all involved by helping Veterans make this transition, while helping law enforcement attract well-qualified talent.

WILL HURD represents the 23rd District of Texas, which includes Crockett County. Contact him at: http://hurd.house.gov

TEXAS CROSSWORD by Charley & Guy Orbison. Includes crossword grid and clues for Across and Down words.

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cant gains from retail trade and restaurants.

Total sales tax revenue for the three months ending in October 2016 was down by 2.1 percent compared to the same period a year ago, Hegar said.

Sales tax revenue is the largest source of state funding for the state budget, accounting for 58 percent of all tax collections. Motor vehicle sales and rental taxes, motor fuel taxes and oil and natural gas production taxes also are large revenue sources for the state, according to the comptroller's office.

STRAUS LAUDS TEA DECISION

Texas House Speaker Joe Straus on Nov. 2 welcomed the Texas Education Agency's announcement last week that

it is halting the use of one indicator in a special education monitoring system.

Concerns had been raised that the 12-year-old indicator, which was designed to ensure that schools did not put students into special education when it wasn't warranted, had actually been used by some school districts to keep students out of special education, according to the speaker's office.

In late October, Straus urged Texas Education Commissioner Mike Morath to suspend use of the indicator so that the education agency and legislators could work together in the 2017 legislative session to make sure students get the services they need.

"This is good news for Texas families," Straus said in a news release. "TEA's decision will give the agency time to work with legislators and

others to make sure students get the services they need."

PERFORMANCE DATA POSTED

Texas Education Commissioner Morath on Nov. 3 announced the availability of preliminary 2015-2016 Texas Academic Performance Reports on tea.texas.gov, the Texas Education Agency website.

The reports, Morath said, provide a wide range of performance information for every public school and district in the state. The campus-level, district-level, regional and statewide reports combine details of academic performance with information about staff, programs and demographics.

The final version, following the resolution of district appeals of preliminary ratings, is scheduled for release by Dec. 2.



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**Acres - Sutton County**

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