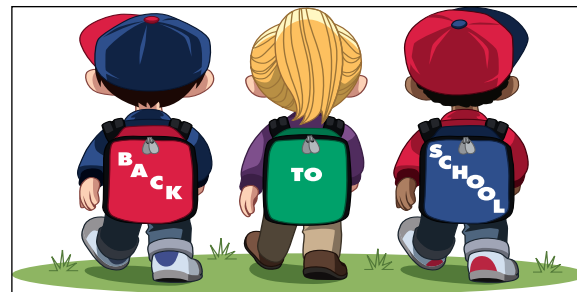




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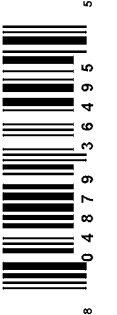


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## Lions focused on new season

BY MELISSA PERNER  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Ozona Lions are gearing up for another football season, in hopes to make a run for the district championship.

The Lions held their first day of workouts Monday.

Athletic Director and Head Coach Kyle Freeman said players were "enthusiastic" about starting the new season.

"The experienced returners looked very good and crisp," Freeman said of the first day.

The Lions lost a large group of seniors last year, so Freeman said this year's varsity team will be competing with players that were on the JV squad last season.

"We are young, but we have good athletes that are working hard," Freeman said.

The Lions were 6-4 overall last season and undefeated in district play to clinch the district championship. Ozona lost to Forsan in the bi-district round.

Senior Running Back Kobe Rodriquez said the team once again has high expectations this season.

"We have some young guys, but we push each other to get the best out of each other," Rodriquez said.

Last season, Rodriquez, the All-District MVP, was all over field rushing for 1,360 yards and scoring 22 touchdowns.

"I hope to set an example for my younger classmates," Rodriquez said. "We all work out together, so we see each other improve."

As a freshman, Alec Lara

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OHS LIONS JOE SALAS (left) and MATTHEW GALINDO run through drills with Coach Steven Jackson during the first day of football workouts Monday at Lion Stadium. The Lions are aiming for another district championship this season.

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## Hurd visiting Ozona today

BY RACHEL HOLLAND  
OFFICE OF U.S. REP. WILL HURD

U.S. Rep. Will Hurd, R-San Antonio, will be visiting Ozona today, Aug. 9, as part of his third annual DC2DQ trip, a series of public meet-and-greets held at local Dairy Queens throughout South and West Texas.



WILL HURD

The informal town hall meetings are open to the public and designed to offer constituents an authentic opportunity to engage with their congressman in a way that was never-before seen under previous representatives.

Hurd will stop in Ozona at 10 a.m. today, Aug. 9, at the Dairy Queen.

"I'm able to stand tall as your representative because I've gotten to know what issues are most important to you and our community through these kinds of interactions," Hurd said. "This is our third year hosting DC2DQ - and it's a great way to meet with constituents face-to-face, answer your questions and hear your concerns."

For more information, call (210) 921-3130 or visit [hurd.house.gov/dc2dq](http://hurd.house.gov/dc2dq).

## CCCCSD Superintendent testifies in Austin on school finance

BY MELISSA PERNER  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Asking the state to address a broken school finance system, CCCCSD Superintendent Raul Chavarría spoke to the Texas House Ways and Means Committee during a hearing last week in Austin.

The committee addressed a series of bills on school finance and property taxes on Aug. 2, including House Bill 285 filed by State Rep. Andrew Murr, R-Junction. Chavarría testified in favor of the bill, which, if passed, would have ended the "Robin Hood" school finance system.

The bill would have eliminated the portion of a property owner's tax bill dedicated to the maintenance and operation



CCCCSD SUPERINTENDENT RAUL CHAVARRIA (left) testifies before the Texas House Ways and Means Committee on Aug. 2 in favor of House Bill 285 authored by State Rep. Andrew Murr, R-Junction.

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## Body of missing Abilene man believed found near Barnhart

The body of a missing Abilene man is believed to have been found about 8 miles south of Barnhart, according to the Tom Green County Sheriff's Office.

Sheriff's investigators, along with members of the Texas Ranger Service, searched Friday, Aug. 4, along State Highway 163 in Crockett County for Eric Vincent Torrez, who was reported missing July 21.

A little after 4 p.m., investigators discovered human remains consistent with Torrez in a pasture. Leah Contreras, acting judge clerk with the Crockett County Justice of the Peace Office, conducted an inquest and ordered an autopsy to be performed, the Sheriff's Office said. Contreras was filling in for Crockett County Justice of the Peace Evelyn Lozano who was out of town, Lozano said.

Torrez was reported missing by family after he traveled to the northern part of Tom Green County to bid on a job

and never returned home.

Following several days of interviewing suspects, officials

concluded that Torrez was likely dead. Several people who were interviewed, including Torrez's ex-wife, Kristen Anne Jennings, have been arrested and face various charges.

Investigators say a break in the case occurred Tuesday, July 25, when Abilene Police discovered a text message on Torrez's cell phone.

Investigators were than able to use the text to trace Torrez's last known location - Duckworth Road - where Jennings now lives.

The Abilene Police Department also notified the Tom



ERIC TORREZ

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## How to use Google to increase productivity

There are many different software options in the business world and google happens to be one of my favorites for many reasons. Today I would like to share with you some of those reasons with you and specifically focus on those that help us increase our productivity. Google has many different programs. Most people are aware of Gmail considering they have millions of users currently. The Gmail platform revolutionized the world of email when google did away

with storage limits, meaning you never have to delete your emails. Google calendar helps us keep our time organized. Not only can you access it from different devices but its collaboration features are top notch. You can create multiple



**BUSINESS TIPS**  
DEZARAY JOHNSON

calendars under one account to keep specific areas of your life more organized. So now you can keep your work appointments and personal appointments separate and share access to those specific calendars all within the same program. This is a great feature if you are trying to schedule appointments or if your co-workers or family members need to be able to access your availability. Google drive has helped make my life a little easier by allowing me to access all of my documents from any device any-

where. The days of multiple copies of files, and physically having to carry around external storage devices are a thing of the past. With a free google drive account, you have access to an entire suite of programs designed to help your office function more efficiently. The basics include Docs., Sheets, Forms, and slides. These programs are designed to create and manipulate various types of documents. Their features differ slightly from the programs you may be accustomed to but they will certainly get

the job done. Also, you cannot beat a program that offers all of these features for free. That's right I said free. As a small business owner, you may be interested in taking your Google game to the next level. If you need to connect your own domain name to your email account or if you need multiple email accounts for your employees; the low-cost services of Google Suite may provide just what you need. Also, depending on your industry or type of service you may have very specific data storage

requirements. Upgrading to the Google Suite allows you much more control over your data. I encourage you to explore the free services of Google and other software that is available to find the perfect fit for you and your business. Taking the extra time to learn something new could be a huge time saver in the future.

"BUSINESS TIPS" was written by Dezaray Johnson, Business Development Training Coordinator, of Angelo State University's Small Business Development Center. Contact her at Dezaray.Johnson@angelo.edu.

## When leaks dry up, we turn to FOIA

When we talk about the importance of a free press, what we're really talking about is how important it is for the press to serve as a watchdog on the government. The highest responsibility of journalism is to supply the people with information about what their government is doing, so that the people can hold the government accountable, and make the best possible decisions when they vote.



**INSIDE THE FIRST AMENDMENT**  
LATA NOTT

But if you're not a journalist (full disclosure: I am not), you may not give a lot of thought to how journalists get that information in the first place. Official government press releases and briefings aren't really the place to find information about government misconduct. Obviously, leaks are a much better source when it comes to getting the real dirt. But the recent emphasis on prosecuting leakers is likely to have a major chilling effect on that source of information.

But there is a way that journalists can get their hands on FBI records, secret military policy memos, and NSA email exchanges without having to worry about their sources getting arrested or fired.

They can ask the government for them.

The Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) is a law that requires the government to hand over its records if someone asks for them.

The act applies to federal government agencies, but every state has laws that allow the public to access its government records. Anyone can request information, whether they're a U.S. citizen or foreign national. And anything can be requested.

A government agency can, of course, deny your request if it decides that the information you're seeking falls into an exemption category, like information that would threaten national security, or invade someone's privacy.

But if you think your FOIA request was unfairly denied, you can appeal, and if that doesn't work, you can sue.

Nabiha Syed, assistant general counsel for BuzzFeed, is intimately familiar with this process. A large part of her job involves getting government agencies to give up information that they would rather not share — information that often ends up be-

ing crucial to BuzzFeed's reporting. She sees the right of the public to access government information as an exciting First Amendment frontier. "For the most part, the First Amendment says, 'This is hands off, the government's not going to be involved, you guys figure out speech,'" Syed says. "And then you have the First Amendment right of access, which says, 'Yes, but also, we are going to allow you to use the law as a sword to get access to judicial proceedings, to official records...to administrative proceedings...'"

Requesting — or fighting for — government records is an instrumental part of BuzzFeed's reporting strategy.

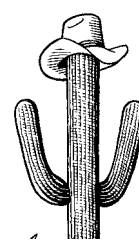
Such records have allowed the BuzzFeed News team to report on misconduct in death penalty executions, for-profit foster care scandals, and the widespread abuse of seasonal migrant workers. Just last month, BuzzFeed News obtained a secret Department of Defense report that stated that Chelsea Manning's disclosure of Iraq-related documents would be unlikely to have any impact on U.S. operations in Iraq (directly contradicting the government's position at Manning's trial).

To be sure, the system is far from perfect, as many information-seekers can attest. As Jason Fagone wrote in his article "The Secret to Getting Top-Secret Secrets," "The Freedom of Information Act, passed in 1966 to increase trust in government by encouraging transparency, has always been a pain in the ass. You write to an uncaring bureaucracy, you wait for months or years only to be denied or redacted into oblivion, and even if you do get lucky and extract some useful information, the world has already moved on to other topics."

But when it does work, the payoffs can be enormous.

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## The Special Ones



**IT'S THE PIGS**

LEE PITTS

I've always laughed at city folks and their duded up dogs and fully clothed cats but I can relate to them on some level. I can even sort of understand the bleeding hearts trying to save the so-called "wild" horses", even though many of them carry the brand of their previous owner. I can relate to these animal lovers because I am one. We all have our favorites and they come in all shapes, sizes and species. Here are some of mine:

**Cindy-** The best dog I ever had. She was a German Shorthair and there wasn't a mean bone in her body, although there was a broken one. To this day I can vividly remember sitting with her under an orange tree after she got hit by a car. My alcoholic father wouldn't let us "waste" good money by taking her to a vet even though I offered to drain my piggy bank to pay for it. I hated him for it but Cindy, who walked on three legs for the rest of her life, true to form, never showed any enduring animosity.

**Cindy-** was named after my brother's girlfriend, it's quite an honor really, although I'm not sure the girlfriend fully appreciated it. Sweethearts come and go but Cindy loyally stayed with us to the end. She learned all the tricks and greeted all visitors with her paw extended to "shake hands." One time all the little bunnies in my rabbit feedlot escaped and Cindy retrieved every one in her soft mouth with nary a scratch on any of them. She waited for me by the back door every morning

to feed my animals and every day after school to repeat the process. She's the only animal that ever drove me to poetry.

**Amos and Andy-** Named after two favorite politically incorrect comedians, this pair were the first animals I ever raised for profit. At least that's what my ag teacher predicted when I borrowed the money to pay for them. I paid \$30 each for them as 40 pound feeder lambs and sold them weighing 100 pounds for \$28 each. Welcome to the livestock business! They were the best cared for lambs in history and I think even Cindy was a little jealous about all the attention I paid them.

**Pancakes-** The first hog I ever raised was named after her favorite food, my mom's flapjacks. Those pancakes were the only way we could lure the hog back into her pen after she'd gotten out and terrorized my mom's sewing customers. I admired Pancakes for that. We tried to ride her but after a couple trips around the pen she'd dart into her house and leave us sitting in the dirt, gasping for air and bruised where the low slung roof caught us in the chest. Then she'd sit there laughing. I loved raising hogs and might have considered it a

career if only they smelled better.

**Abe-** My first beef animal, an Aberdeen Angus I named after man I admired. Abe was the meanest animal on earth and nearly killed me and my ag teacher but much to everyone's surprise, darned if we didn't win showmanship at the country fair. (It was only because Abe's killer reputation had preceded him and all the other steers were jittery in his presence.) I cried the day they hauled that mean old sorry steer away.

**Gentleman-** There will never be another Gentleman. He was the first horse I ever owned and he taught me the cow business. He even advanced my literary career when we wrote a book together called A Gentleman and A Scholar. I was supposed to be the scholarly one, but sometimes I wonder. Nearly 30 years after that book came out I still get people asking about Gentleman and one man came all the way from Nova Scotia to see him.

I taught Gentleman several tricks, including how to show his teeth when he laughed and how to remove an apple from my back pocket. To this day a smile creeps across my face when I think of my wonder horse.

Yes indeed, the special ones can get under your skin, inside your head and forever hold a special place in your heart long after they're gone.

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## House passes bills to give retired teachers relief from rising costs

AUSTIN — The Texas House on Aug. 1 approved House Bill 20, legislation appropriating \$212.7 million from the "rainy day" reserve fund to help defray rising healthcare costs for retired school employees.

Primary authors of HB 20 include: Trent Ashby, R-Lufkin; Drew Darby, R-San Angelo; Gary VanDeaver, R-New Boston; John Zerwas, R-Katy; and Donna Howard, D-Austin.

The House also approved HB 80, legislation that through the Teacher Retirement System of Texas would make a one-time cost-of-living adjustment to the retirement benefits paid to certain retirees, disability retirees and survivors. To be eligible for the increase, the annuitant must have retired between Aug. 31, 2004 and Aug. 31, 2015.

Primary authors of HB 80 include: Rep. Darby, Ryan Guillen, D-Rio Grande City; Rene Oliveira, D-Brownsville;

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and Bobby Guerra, D-McAllen.

Speaker Joe Straus, who presides over the House, applauded the action, saying: "Since the end of the regular session, House members across the state have heard from retirees who are concerned about some significant increases in premiums and deductibles. Based on the feedback we've heard back home, the House cast an overwhelming vote (Aug. 1) to help retired teachers who are facing very steep increases in their monthly expenses."

In other news, the House passed HB 25, which would appropriate \$34 million from the state's \$11 billion rainy day fund and \$45 million in federal funds for fiscal year 2018, plus another \$36 million from the rainy day fund and \$48.3 million in federal funds for fiscal year 2019 to the Health and Human Services

Commission for Medicaid acute care therapy services.

Primary authors of HB 25 include: Sarah Davis, R-Houston; Walter "Four" Price, R-Amarillo; Rep. Guerra; Rep. Darby; and Matt Krause, R-Fort Worth.

These and all House bills, however, must be approved by the Senate in order to move forward to the governor's desk for final consideration.

### FORMER GOVERNOR DIES

Mark White, who served as governor of Texas from 1983 to 1987, died Aug. 5 at age 77. He was the last living Democrat to have held the post.

White also served as Texas attorney general from 1979 to 1983, and as Texas secretary of state from 1973 to 1977. Gov. Abbott ordered flags statewide to be lowered to

half-staff in honor of Gov. White.

"Mark White cared deeply about Texas, and he devoted his life to making our state even better, particularly when it came to educating our children," Abbott said.

While White served as governor, the Texas Legislature passed

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## Three former Lions named All-State Baseball

Jackson Abbey, Tommy Fay and Aiden Fierro have been named to the Texas Sports Writers Association's 2017 All-State Baseball Team. Abbey and Fierro were both named honorable mention third baseman and Fay was named honorable mention catcher.

All were named to the Class 2A 29-AA All-District Team and the San Angelo Standard-Times All-West Texas Team.

The Texas Sports Writers Association promotes the recognition of the athletic accomplishments of Texas high school student-athletes by selecting athletes for the TXSWA's All-State teams and recognizing the accomplishments of the Texas High School coaches for their outstanding work with the future leaders of America.

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ly newspapers from across the state of Texas as well as sports internet services.

They are committed to promoting the accomplishments of teams at the high school level while also featuring the individual feats of the student-athletes.

For more information, visit [www.txswa.org](http://www.txswa.org).



JACKSON ABBEY



TOMMY FAY



AIDEN FIERRO

## Veterans services coming to Ozona Friday

The Midland Vet Center, Taylor County Mobile Vet Center (MVC), Waco VA Regional Office, and County Veterans Service Offices are working together to reach out to veterans and their dependents in Concho, Menard, Schleicher, Sutton, Crockett, Terrell and Pecos Counties.

Local veterans are encouraged to come and speak with VA and County Veterans Service Office staff about their VA benefits.

The program will be in Ozona from 2-5 p.m. Friday, Aug. 11, at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center.

Prior to being in Ozona, the group will be in Sonora from 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Friday, Aug. 11, at the Sonora Chamber of Commerce, and in El Dorado from 2-5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 10, at the Schleicher County Courthouse.

The Department of Veter-

ans Affairs Mobile Vet Center (MVC) is a 40-foot "office on wheels" equipped with satellite communications hosting audio-visual equipment, encrypted phone and fax lines, computers, and wireless internet.

MVCs are driven to far-reaching rural areas to assist Veterans with counseling and referral services pertaining to Post-Traumatic Stress, Military Sexual Trauma counseling, bereavement counseling, marriage and family therapy, and resources for suicide intervention as well as VA benefits.

Readjustment Counseling Services are provided for Veterans who served in combat as well as for their dependents.

For more information on the capabilities of the Mobile Vet Center, call Donovan Smith at (325) 232-7925.

## Extension office offering adult sewing, canning classes

The Crockett County Extension Office is offering adult sewing and canning classes.

"Sewing with Friends: A Sewing Program for Grown-ups" will be held at 5 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 17, at the extension office.

The project will be a drawstring backpack.

Cost will be \$20 per person and includes fabric and notions. Limited availability.

For more information, or to RSVP, call (325) 392-2721.

"Preserving the Harvest: Water Bath Canning Workshop" will be held 2-5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, at the ex-

tension office.

Participants will learn the basics of canning and leave with a jar of homemade jam.

Cost is \$25, which includes all supplies and the "So Easy to Preserve" cookbook. Deadline to RSVP is Friday, Aug. 25.

For more information, or to RSVP, call (325) 392-2721.

## KC Kitchen

resumes Aug. 30

The Knights of Columbus will resume their KC Kitchen Meals on Wednesday, Aug. 30.

The meals are served once a month at the KC Hall on the last Wednesday and are open to anyone, no questions asked.

Anyone wanting to make a donation towards the KC Kitchen meals may do so at the account the Knights of Columbus have opened at the Ozona Bank.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### Wednesday, Aug. 9

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Lil' Cheer Camp, 9 a.m.-noon camp at OES.
- U.S. Rep. Will Hurd, 10 a.m. at the Dairy Queen
- Reading Rodeo 10 a.m. at the Crockett County Public Library
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS Band, 2-5:30 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall and Lion Stadium.
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center

### Thursday, Aug. 10

- Lil' Cheer Camp, 9 a.m.-noon at OES
- Balance Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Bingo, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS Band, 2-5:30 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall and Lion Stadium.

### Friday, Aug. 11

- State Sales Tax Holiday
- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Lil' Cheer Camp, 10 a.m., 11:30 a.m. Pep Rally at OES
- Veterans Services, 2-5 p.m. at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center

### Saturday, Aug. 12

- State Sales Tax Holiday
- Levis and Lace Square Dance, 7 p.m. at the Senior Center

### Sunday, Aug. 13

- State Sales Tax Holiday

### Monday, Aug. 14

- CCCSD In-Service Begins at all three campuses
- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Crockett County Commissioners' Court Meeting, 9 a.m. at the courthouse annex
- OHS Band, 2-5:30 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall and Lion Stadium.

### Tuesday, Aug. 15

- OHS Band, 2-5:30 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall and Lion Stadium.
- 4-H Club Meeting, 5-6 p.m. at the 4-H Office

### Wednesday, Aug. 16

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Back-to-School Bash, 10 a.m. at the Crockett County Public Library
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS Band, 2-5:30 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at the OHS Band Hall and Lion Stadium.
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- CCCSD School Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Building

## Sales Tax Holiday is Aug. 11-13

AUSTIN — Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar reminds shoppers they can save money on certain items during the state's annual sales tax holiday. This year, the sales tax holiday is scheduled for Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 11-13.

The law exempts most clothing, footwear, school supplies and backpacks priced below \$100 from sales tax, saving shoppers about

\$8 on every \$100 they spend during the weekend.

Lists of apparel and school supplies that may be purchased tax-free can be found on the Comptroller's website at [TexasTaxHoliday.org](http://TexasTaxHoliday.org).

This year, shoppers will save an estimated \$87 million in state and local sales taxes during the sales tax holiday.

The weekend has been an annual event since 1999.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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 - John Fierro, Shauna Yeager, Jill Seahorn, 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 - Macaltee Blanco, Kelsey Childress, Brad Thompson, Maria Esther Cutino and Luke Alexander Perez

Aug. 12 - Rachel Bean, Gary Yeager, J.T. Lara, Mimi Flores, Claro Quiroz, Alec Rayne Lara, Lue Morrow, Braylen Rice, Jimmy Arrott, Jose Perez, Brianna Moran and Steven Leal

Aug. 13 - Sayler Martinez, Samantha Loffland, Griffen Girvan, Rosa Bella Ramos, K.C. Carson, Nathan De Hoyos, Nick Leonard, Sesslee Perez, Logan English, Gail Spence, Melissa Childress and Kristi R. Fierro

Aug. 14 - Maria Lara, Dee Fierro, Fargo Tijerina, Sergio Mata, Carlos Martinez, Laurie Hale, Terry Thomas, Anna Elizondo, Wilson White, Julie Gutierrez, Beatrice Galvan, Dennis Clark, Zoe Jones and Seth Webster

Aug. 15 - Addyson Ortiz, Ginger Perner, Jack Paul De La Garza, George Quiroz, Amanda Quiroz, Francisco Galvan, Kayleigh Hernandez, Ely Silva, Glenda Capps, Fred Garza, Addison B. Gutierrez, Lyndsie Bunker, Leon Garcia Jr. and Dalia Hernandez

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**Reading logs are due Aug. 9!**

**Don't forget money for the pie in the face contest!**

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**AUG. 10**

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**AUG. 11**

Meatloaf, winter vegetable, tossed salad, wheat bread, banana pudding with wafers and milk.

**AUG. 14**

Beef steak fingers, cream gravy, black-eyed peas, greens, wheat bread, pineapple tidbits and milk.

**AUG. 15**

Turkey rice casserole, sliced beets, wheat bread, orange, pudding and milk.

**AUG. 16**

Hamburger on a bun, potato wedges, green beans, wheat bread, pineapple crisp and milk.

**AUG. 17**

Chipotle chicken, Mexican rice, peas and carrots, wheat bread, fruit cup with oranges and milk.

**AUG. 18**

Crumb top baked fish, macaroni and cheese, broccoli, wheat roll, fruited cherry gelatin and milk.

**AUG. 21**

Baked chicken, sweet potatoes, green peas with red pepper, wheat bread, hot spiced peaches and milk.

**AUG. 22**

Turkey sandwich, lettuce, tomato, onion, confetti coleslaw, banana, oatmeal cookie and milk.

**AUG. 23**

Meatballs, brown gravy, oven potatoes, peas and carrots, whole wheat roll, fruited cherry gelatin and milk.

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# Will red meat cause cancer?



**HERE'S TO YOUR HEALTH**  
JIM FISH

The question of whether red meat will give you cancer if eaten seems to surface every few months. Proponents of the claim usually cite yet another 'expert' analysis of outdated studies conducted in the US, Europe and the Orient between 2001 and 2005, which prove to be more dogmatic than scientifically supported.

Keep in mind that our universe ordained the nature of our health and wellbeing quite well for 2.5 million years. Our ancestors survived by eating red meat and other animal products throughout this time, before Man decided to go agrarian about 9, 000 years ago. I reckon he thought he could manage his own nutrition better than the universe. Well... it hasn't quite worked out that way.

The latest "study" conducted by the University of California, San Diego, included Ajit Varki and Nissi M. Varki as researchers, and published it online in January 2015 entitled, "A red meat-derived glycan promotes inflammation and cancer progression."

After the article explained their method and science, it then reveals in a conflict of interest statement: "A.V. and N.M.V. are cofounders of and advisors to SiaMab Therapeutics, Inc., which has licensed University of California, San Diego technologies related to anti-Neu5Gc antibodies in cancer." Even so, the article does not illustrate any increase in cancer risk.

One could wrap their

conclusions around almost any belief system regarding the possibility of contracting cancer after eating red meat. However, they are 'all over the place' in their reasoning and usually leave us asking more questions.

The most credible science concludes that red meat is no more carcinogenic (cancer causing) than the air we breathe or the water we drink daily.

The facts are: carcinogenic cells and toxic elements of varying degrees are literally everywhere, and our bodies evolved and continually dealt with them these 2.5 million. If our immune system is fully functional and in place, if our ways of eating lack the nutrients on which cancer feeds and if we pursue a healthy, happy lifestyle; our chances of developing cancer are slim to none. That said, there are those who may need to limit the amount of type of red meat consumption for any number of other reasons.

The carcinogenic properties present in red meat may be rendered even more toxic by cooking meat over high heat. This is also the case with the polyunsaturated seed oils we purchase every day in the grocery store.

The seed/grains of corn oil,

shortening, canola and vegetable oil (a misnomer, it too is a seed oil) are processed by exposing them to very high temperatures so that their oils can be extracted. Originally, these polyunsaturated oils were produced for industrial use and not considered as safe food for human consumption, since they were found to be extremely high in carcinogens.

Our best defense against cancer is having a healthy body, a well-rounded regime that is conducive to your idea of a lifetime of wellness and provides a beneficial environment throughout our digestive tract for positive bacterial and microbial growth. The latter is paramount, as our gut is the first line of defense in our immune system, probably 70 percent of it.

The best strategy concerning red meat, processed or not, is to not burn it or simply not eat the charred portions, if I it is overcooked. If you don't like red meat, don't eat it; there are plenty of other nutritious choices... besides, that's just makes more for me.

Form a relationship with your body as if it were a significant-other in your life, because it is. Let your genes do the talking, not your 'beliefs'. What may work for someone else may not produce the same results for you. You are different from any other person and the nutriment and medications you ingest daily will be expressed differently at the genetic level. Be ready to challenge any belief you may have regarding your good health, especially if it isn't working for you. While your beliefs do effect some processes in your body, by in large, it functions at the level of authenticity.

Here's to your health

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**OBITUARIES**

## Viola Borrego Perez



Viola Borrego Perez, age 68, passed away at her home on Sunday, August 6, 2017.

Services will be 10 a.m. today, Aug. 9, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial following in Lima Cemetery. Arrangements by Kerbow Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, Jerry Perez, son Felipe Ramirez Jr.; daughter Mikki Ortiz and husband Javier Ortiz; brothers Juan (JB) Borrego, Chris Borrego, and Raymond (Bear) Borrego; sisters Beatrice Vargas and Lupe Maskill; grandchildren Jacob Moran, Melony Moran, Martin Moran Jr., and Mikell Moran; great-grandchildren Jacob and Joshua Moran from Wyoming, Coby, Caileb, and Brianna Moran of Ozona, and Zeke Moran of San Angelo, and numerous nieces and

nephews.

Preceded in death by her parents, Placido and Maria Borrego, sisters Santos Longoria and Margaret (Ma Maggie) Rodriguez, brothers Jose, Manuel, and Placido Borrego, granddaughter Jasmine Gonzales, and great-granddaughters Kierra Smith and Emori Gonzales.

**OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS**

## Bingo Social Aug. 21

BY BRENDA NEWTON  
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

Wow, what a party it was this weekend. Audrey Glynn had her 90th birthday party here at the center and it was really something else. If you did not come, you really missed a great party. Everyone was invited and most of the people were here. Audrey is such a special lady. I was so glad that everyone took the time to be here for her party.

Be thinking of Aug. 21. It will be a special day at the center. Rhonda Shaw has a really good craft planned for us all. It will be fun.

There are a lot of movies here that you nice people let me show when we were having movie afternoon. I still have all of these movies. If you left some, please come by and pick them up. Thank you for letting us enjoy them.

I talked to Niki Bishop, the Wesley Nurse, this week and she said she was planning to come back with her exercises on Aug. 15. She is back at the church already, but has a lot of work to catch up on after being off for her maternity leave.

I have some copies of the 2017 Senior Sourcebook that lists all the services available for us older folks. Stop by the Senior Center and I have some extra copies that you can have. There are a lot of people working to help you

with your problems. Take advantage of them.

We are still doing balance exercises Monday and Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m. These are simple exercises that are done very slowly so that most can do them. The ones that are joining in say that it helps them with the movements that they have had a lot of trouble with. All is slow and easy.

Come play bingo on Thursday afternoons. That means tomorrow afternoon at 2 p.m. Try it - you'll like it. Just a nickel a card per game. You win all the nickels if you bingo. Then we have a black-out game at 4 p.m. that has a little more for a prize. We have cold drinks and popcorn and it is kind of like a little party.

Bingo Social for August will be 6:30 p.m. Monday, Aug. 21. Ham and cheese sandwiches will be served with chips and watermelon for dessert.

The center will open at 8:30 a.m. and close at 4:30 p.m.

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

Mexican Train - 1:30 p.m. Wednesday

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## STANDING IN GREEN GRASS

I remember one summer walking out in the pasture looking for some of our sheep when all of a sudden I stopped and looked down. I was actually standing in green grass. I couldn't believe but there it was. Just a few weeks earlier it had been bare ground or dried brown burnt grass. I had been too busy to notice the change. I looked around and everything was green. I bowed my head and asked God to forgive me for not giving enough thanks for answering my prayers, (Psalm 107:1). I also looked back over my life and realized how much God had blessed me, (Psalm 107:2). Maybe you can't tell by looking at the outside but on the inside there is a joy and peace in my heart. There is also assurance and calmness because of my new relationship to Christ Jesus, (Romans 6:3-11). I didn't have that before I accepted Christ as my personal Lord and Savior, (John 1:12&13). I also thought about all the years I have tried to live in a way that honors Him and how He has blessed me time and time again, (Psalm 107:4-9). A good marriage with many happy and joyful years and the children and grandchildren God gave us, (Psalm 127:3) and the list of blessings goes on and on. I hope and pray I will not forget God's many wonderful blessings, (Psalm 107:43).

See you in Church next Sunday.

Brother J

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Sunday Worship: 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Worship: 6 p.m.

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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.  
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All pastors of Ozona churches are invited to submit columns.

## First Baptist Church hosting Beth Moore simulcast Sept. 16

LifeWay Christian Resources and Living Proof ministries are partnering to simulcast Bible teacher and best-selling author Beth Moore, live from Toledo, Ohio, on Sept. 16. First Baptist Church is serving as a host location for the Ozona area.

Living Proof Live, sponsored by Nashville-based publishing company LifeWay Christian Resources, will feature Moore's dynamic storytelling and passionate Bible teaching. Along with Beth Moore, one of today's top women's ministry leaders, worship pastor and Dove Award recipient Travis Cottrell will lead worship via simulcast.

This year the simulcast event will focus around one theme: "Captivated: The Wonder of Christ on the Winding Road. Beth will share truth from Scripture to help guide women on their own journeys of faith."

The Living Proof Simulcast on Sept. 16 runs 9:30 a.m.-4:14 p.m. Tickets are \$25 covering one full day of music and worship and lunch; sessions led by Beth Moore; and opportunities for fellowship with other women from the surrounding communities.

Women may register to attend by e-mailing the church office at [ozonafirstbaptist@gmail.com](mailto:ozonafirstbaptist@gmail.com) by Sept 8 and then purchase their tickets the morning of the simulcast.

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# Library hosting 'Reading Rodeo,' 'Back-to-School Bash' to finish summer reading



**FORT LANCASTER OFFICER WILSON WHITE (right) looks over his troop with laundress Brianna Moran and soliders Caleb Moran, Westley Harris, Cort Hale and Jett Hale. Wilson presented a program at the library on Aug. 2.**

The Crockett County Public Library's Summer Reading Program is wrapping up with events today and Aug. 16.

At 10 a.m. today, Aug. 9, featuring books read by Sydney Knaack, Tori Nowell, Dena and David Porter, Vicky Munoz, Nate Harris, Kim Davis, Margaret Longoria, Sylvia DeHoyos-Longoria, Vicki White, Jean Reardon and Jana Fox.

Each person will be reading their favorite book.

Also, Reading Logs are due today, Aug. 9.

Wednesday, Aug. 16, 10-11 a.m. Back-to-School Bash at the library featuring Jeremy Munoz with his Magic and Side Show and the winner of the pie in the face contest.

Kona Ice will also be there with items to sell. Prices for Kona Ice are: \$2 small, \$3 regular, \$4 King Kong and \$5 Color Changing.

The library will also be giving away 120 Back-to-School Backpacks filled with school supplies.

Prizes for reading logs will also be given away. Those are Walmart Gift Cards for \$50, \$25 and \$20.

For more information, call the library at (325) 392-3565 or visit <http://crockett.ploud.net>.



**AUDREY GLYNN celebrated her 90th Birthday surrounded by family and friends Saturday at the Crockett County Senior Center.**

## SCHOOL: from page 1

(M&O) of school districts and replace it with an increase in the state sales tax from 6.25 percent to 12 percent. On average across the state, M&O school taxes account for roughly 43 percent of an owner's property taxes, which is part of the taxes subject to recapture under "Robin Hood."

Chavarria told the committee that CCCSD has sent \$225 million in recapture since 1999.

Between that, and the loss of \$2 million in Additional State Aid for Tax Reduction (ASATR) funds, CCCSD is facing having to make some tough budget cuts for the 2017-2018 school year, Chavarria said.

"The combination of recapture and ASATR is destroying districts across the state," Chavarria told the committee members. "We are sending 52 percent of our M&O budget back to the state."

Chavarria said CCCSD is preparing to cut programs, such as drug testing, career and technology and the work study program, as well as freezing teachers' salaries. He also said the district has cut 15 percent across the board and absorbed seven-eight positions in two years.

"There's no way, even with all those cuts, we can survive. We're still close to \$1 million short in meeting the demands of our district," Chavarria said to the committee. "For a district of our size, \$1 million is crucial. It could kill us. Those aren't scare tactics. Those are just facts."

If the district comes up short, Chavarria said they will have to pull from the \$3.2 million in fund balance.

"Do the math, that is less than two years survivability for Crockett County Schools," Chavarria said about the fund balance amount. "I totally agree with ending recapture and finding the solutions to offset that cost. When we send 50 percent of our money out and don't get any in re-

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**Raul Chavarria**  
CCCCSD Superintendent

turn, then there's something wrong with the system."

In addition to Chavarria, Dr. Vance Ginn, an economist for fiscal policy with the conservative Texas Public Policy Foundation, also testified. Ginn said the ultimate policy goal of the legislature should be to eliminate the property tax by increasing and expanding the sales tax.

"By doing this tax swap there would be more economic growth, about \$63 billion more in personal income, 337,000 new jobs that would be created. You have to think about the dynamic effects of going to a more efficient and more effective sales tax instead of the property tax. It also tends to be more conservative," Ginn said.

State Republican Executive Committeeman Terry Holcomb also spoke on the need to more evenly distribute the burden of financing public education.

"Part of the problem with the system we have today is that we have far too many exemptions and the load is continuing to be put on fewer and fewer people," Holcomb said.

Dr. Crystal Bomar Dockery, Superintendent of Hunt ISD, and Casey Callahan, formerly of Llano ISD, also testified during the hearing in favor of the bill.

Murr said the current system forces districts like CCCSD to "take out debt service to run their schools" because bond money is not subject to recapture by the state.

"Our district is not an extravagant spending district. Our taxes are low here, and our school board is committed to keeping our taxes low. However, if the state doesn't do something, we may have to call for a small bond election," Chavarria said.

The district is currently

paying on a \$3 million bond that was passed in 2014 that has been used for transportation, maintenance, technology and housing expenses.

"It's a state policy that is actually encouraging debt," Murr said.

Chavarria said he received a call from Murr asking him to come testify. CCCSD School Board President Dwight Childress and his wife, OHS Counselor Leanna Childress, also attended the hearing.

"I do appreciate that Representative Murr reached out to us. The concerns of our community were well received," Chavarria said.

While Murr's bill did not make it out of committee, the next day the Texas House passed a package of bills that would put \$1.8 billion into public schools.

The funds cited in the legislation would come from deferring a payment to public schools from fiscal year 2019 to 2020, and would allow an increase in the base funding per student from \$5,140 to \$5,350 statewide.

The bill would also create a transitional \$200 million grant program over the next two years to help school districts losing ASATR funding.

The bill now goes to the Senate, where Lt. Gov. Dan Patrick has called this pay-

ment deferral mechanism a "Ponzi scheme."

The Texas Supreme Court ruled last year that the school finance system was in need of serious reform, but ultimately constitutional. Gov. Greg Abbott added school finance reform to the agenda a few days into the 30-day special session that started July 18.

Murr said what his bill was proposing was "pretty complex legislation."

"I wanted to initiate a comprehensive, serious policy discussion on what can be done to reduce property taxes," Murr said. "This is a long term issue. It needs a year and some serious discussions. If I get a chance to come back to the legislature in 2019, this bill will probably be the first one I file."

In the meantime, Chavarria said the district is still waiting on the outcome of the current special session and what that will have on a budget that needs to be approved by Aug. 28.

"Our board is making cuts, but some of these cuts don't need to be made," Chavarria said. "Something needs to be done."

The next regular school board meeting will be 6:30 p.m. Aug. 16 at the Administration Building, 797 Avenue D. The meeting is open to the public.

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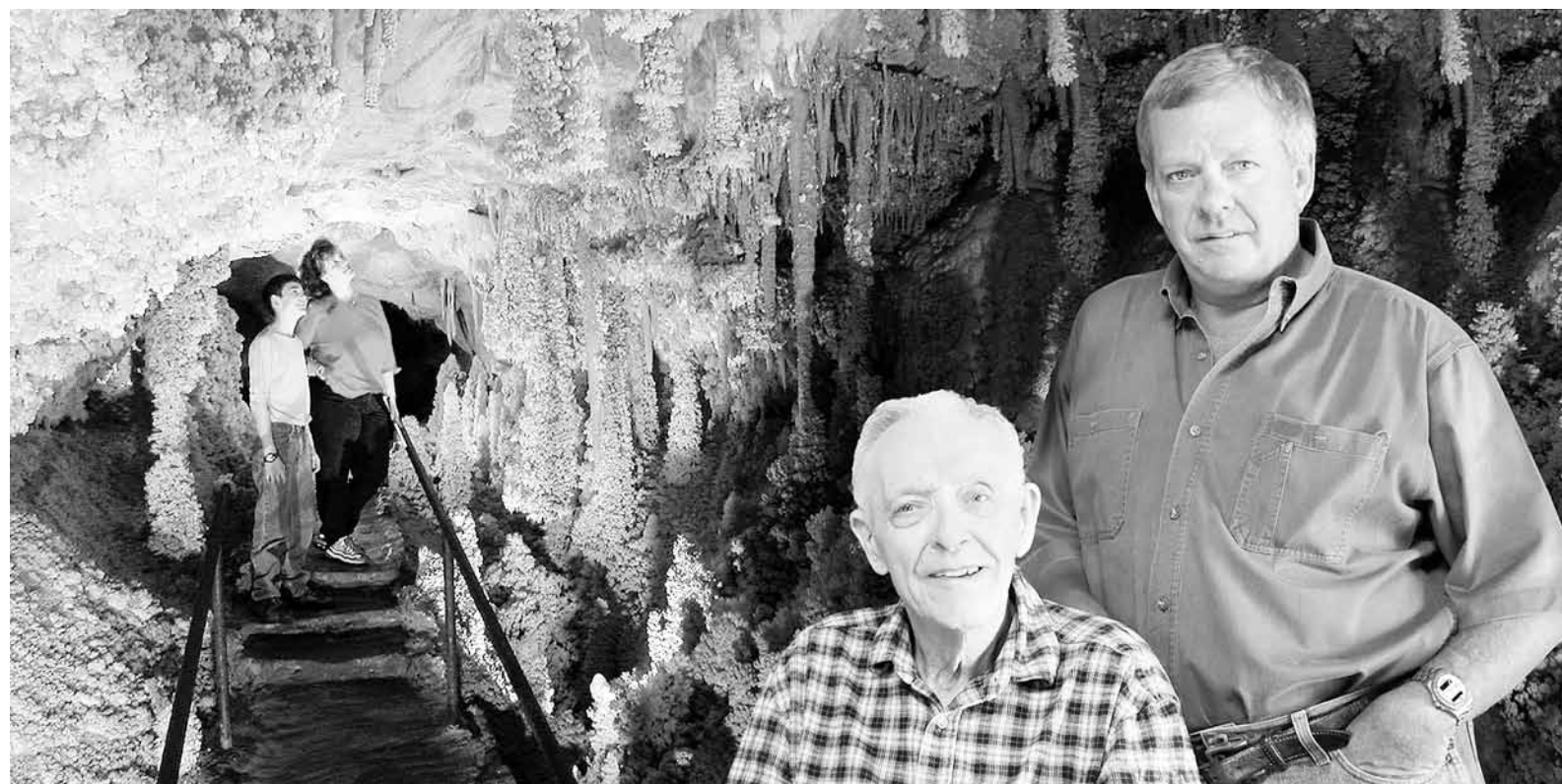
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# ARE YOU READY FOR SOME LIONS FOOTBALL?

## LIONS: *from page 1*

was the All-District Newcomer of the Year, playing running back and receiver, as well as on defense, for the Lions.

This season, Lara will be the starting quarterback, a position that he feels ready to handle.

"It's going to take time for my teammates to trust and follow me, but we had a good start today," Lara said. "We're young and we know it, but we still have the speed and smarts to be competitive at the next level. I've put in a good amount of time to get myself better to help the team."

Freeman said players are being moved around to fill spots this season.

"People will be playing at different positions. We're filling the pieces of the jigsaw puzzle," Freeman said.

New faces on the Lions coaching team this year are Wayne Lisenbe, outside linebackers and tight ends, Steven Jackson, offensive line and defensive tackles, Joe Moore, receivers and secondary, and Daniel Cruz, who will be handling most of the middle school duties. Lisenbe and Jackson will also be coaching the JV squad.

Paul Veirs is the offensive coordinator, Luke Wyatt, Justin Doiron and Matt Gutierrez are assistant coaches. Trainer is Rick Fox.

Dave Campbell's Texas Football Magazine predicts the Lions will finish second in District 2-AA after Anthony. Christoval, McCamey and Eldorado round up the rest of the district rankings.

Ozona starts the season with a tough pre-district schedule starting with Sonora on Sept. 1 in Sonora and Iraan on Sept. 8 in Iraan. Followed by Crane, Sept. 15, Grape Creek, Sept. 22 (Homecoming) and Reagan County Sept. 29, all home games, before traveling to Rocksprings on Oct. 6.

After a break on Oct. 13, the Lions start district play against McCamey on Oct. 20 at McCamey, Eldorado Oct. 27 at home, travel to Christoval on Nov. 3 and finish up the regular season against Anthony on Nov. 10 at home.

Meet the Lions will be 7:30 p.m. Aug. 18 at Lion Stadium.

The Lions will scrimmage Irion County and do 10 plays against Wall's JV team at 10 a.m. Aug. 19 at Mertzon.

Ozona's second scrimmage will be against Coahoma at 5 p.m. Aug. 24 at Lion Stadium.



## MEET THE LIONS

**Friday, Aug. 18**

7:30 p.m. - Lion Stadium

### SCRIMMAGES

**Saturday, Aug. 19**

vs. Irion County

10 a.m. Mertzon

**Thursday, Aug. 24**

vs. Coahoma

5 p.m. at Lion Stadium

### 2017 FOOTBALL SCHEDULES

DATE	OPPONENT	VARSITY	SITE	TIME
Sept. 1	Sonora			
8	Iraan	Away		7:30
15	Crane	Away		7:30
22	Grape Creek (HC)	Home		7:30
29	Reagan Co.	Home		7:30
6	Rocksprings	Home		7:30
13	Open	Away		7:30
20	*McCamey			
27	*Eldorado	Away		7:30
Nov. 3	*Christoval	Home		7:30
10	*Anthony****	Away		7:30
		Home		7:30

\*District 3-AA Game \*\*Future Lion Night (HC) Homecoming \*\*\*Senior Parent Night

### SCRIMMAGES:

Saturday, Aug. 19 - V & JV vs. Irion County - at Mertzon - 10 a.m.  
Thursday, Aug. 24 - V & JV vs. Coahoma - at Lion Stadium - 5 p.m.

### JUNIOR VARSITY

Aug. 30	Sonora	Home		6:00
Sept. 7	Iraan	Home		6:30
14	Crane	Home		6:30
21	Grape Creek	Away		6:30
28	Reagan County	Away		6:00
Oct. 5	TBD	Away		6:00
12	McCamey			
19	McCamey	Away		7:00
26	Eldorado	Home		7:00
Nov. 2	Christoval	Away		7:00
		Home		7:00

### MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sept. 14	Crane	Away	5:00	Oct. 12	McCamey	Away	5:00
21	Grape Creek	Home	5:00	19	McCamey	Home	5:00
28	Reagan Co.	Home	5:00	26	Eldorado	Away	5:00
Oct. 4	Rocksprings	Home	5:00	Nov. 3	Christoval	Home	5:00

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Village Barber & Beauty Shop  
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# 2017-2018 Ozona School Supplies

## Elementary School

### Pre-Kindergarten

- 2 - glue bottles
- 4 - glue sticks
- Scissors
- 1 box of 12 #2 pencils
- 1 - large pink eraser
- 1 - 8 count box crayons
- 1 - 10 count box markers
- 1 - water color paints (no acrylic)
- 1 - folder with brads and pockets
- 1 - spiral notebook (one subject)
- 1 - box Ziploc baggies (girls - quart size; boys - gallon size)
- 1 - plastic mat (no sleeping bags, blankets or pillows)
- 1 change of clothes (shorts, pants, shirts, socks & underwear preferred)
- 1 - pair of headphones for computer 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 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 markers (basic colors, no florescent)
- 2 - packages of 4 dry erase markers (any color)
- 4 - paper folders with metal brads and pockets (one of each color - red, blue, green, yellow)
- 1 - plastic folder with metal brads
- 1 - composition notebook
- 1 - towel for rest time (no plastic mats)
- 1 - pair of headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons)
- Tennis shoes for P.E.

### FIRST GRADE

- 2 - plain plastic pocket folders with brads
- 4 - glue sticks
- 2 - glue bottles
- 1 - box of markers
- 2 - boxes of 24 count crayons
- Scissors
- 2 - composition notebooks
- 1 - school supply box
- 2 - packages of pencils (no mechanical pencils)

- 2 - large pink erasers
- 1 - package of 4 dry erase markers
- Backpack
- 1 - pencil sharpener
- 1 - box Ziploc baggies (girls - quart size; boys - gallon size)
- 1 - pair of headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons)
- Tennis shoes for P.E.

### SECOND GRADE

- 1 - box of Ziploc baggies quart size
- 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 - package of 3 highlighters (3 different colors)
- 1 - package of 4 dry erase markers
- 2 - pocket folders with brads
- 1 - pair of headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons)
- Tennis shoes for P.E.

### THIRD GRADE

- 1 - 3 ring binder
- 4 - spiral notebooks
- Scissors
- 1 package of colored pens
- 10 - glue sticks
- 2 - glue bottles
- 1 - box of crayons (24 count)
- 1 - box of map colors
- 2 - highlighters
- 1 - package of 4 dry erase markers (assorted colors)
- 24 - #2 pencils
- 2 - packages of note cards (any size)
- 1 - package of notebook paper (wide ruled)
- 1 - set of dividers (8 count) or 2 sets of dividers (5 count)
- 4 - folders with brads and pockets
- 1 - box of Ziploc baggies (girls-quart size, boys-gallon size)
- 1 - pair of headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons)
- Tennis shoes for P.E.

### FOURTH GRADE

- 1 - package construction paper (assorted colors)
- 2 - spiral notebooks (1 subject size)
- 4 - pocket folders with brads

- 2 - composition notebooks
- 2 - packages of notebook paper (wide ruled)
- 2 - packages of 4 dry erase markers (assorted colors)
- 1 - package pencil eraser tops
- 3 - dozen pencils
- Markers
- Glue - liquid and stick
- Scissors
- Crayons
- Map color pencils
- 1 - package of note cards 4x6
- 1 - box of Ziploc baggies quart size
- 1 - protractor
- 1 - notebook (3 subject)
- 1 - pair of headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons)
- Tennis shoes for P.E.

### FIFTH GRADE

- Scissors
- 1 - box map color pencils
- 2 - glue sticks
- 2 - dozen pencils (not mechanical)
- 1 - pencil sharpener
- 1 - package of red pens
- 1 - package of dry erase markers (assorted colors)
- 1 - package of high lighters (assorted colors)
- 1 - package washable markers
- 2 - packages index cards (any color)
- 1 - 2-inch three ring binder
- 1 - 3 subject spiral notebook
- 3 - composition notebooks
- 2 - packages of notebook paper (wide ruled)
- 1 - zippered pencil bag or school box
- 1 - expandable file folder with at least 5 pockets
- 1 - box of Ziploc baggies; (girls quart size, boys gallon size.)
- 1 - pair of headphones for computer lab (mandatory for health reasons)
- Tennis shoes for P.E.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL

- 1 - box of 12 No. 2 pencils
- 1 - pencil sharpener
- 1 - package of big erasers
- 1 - pair of scissors
- 1 - box of markers
- 4 - composition notebooks
- 1 - large 3 ring zipper binder

- 2 - packages of notebook dividers
- 3 - 1-inch 3-ring binders with pockets
- 1 - box map colors
- 2 - bottles of glue
- 2 - packages wide-ruled notebook paper
- 1 - box of tissue
- 1 - bottle of hand sanitizer
- 1 - package of highlighters
- 1 - pair of 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 headphones for computer lab
- 1 - flash drive
- ELA:**
- 1 - 1 1/2-inch binder
- 2 - composition notebooks
- 1 - package of dividers
- MATH:**
- 1 - composition book
- 1 - 1 1/2 inch binder
- 1 - package dividers
- TEXAS HISTORY:**
- 1 - three-subject spiral notebook (plastic cover is best)
- 1 - blue pocket folder with brads (plastic is best)
- SCIENCE:**
- 1 - pocket folder with brads
- ACADEMIC SUPPORT:**
- 1 - single subject spiral
- 1 - three-subject spiral
- GT CLASS:**
- 1 - pocket folder with brads

### 8TH GRADE

- GENERAL SUPPLIES:**
- Notebook paper
- Pens (black/blue)
- Pencils (wooden or mechanical)
- Pencil top erasers

- Map pencils
- Markers
- Highlighters
- Pencil bag (inexpensive)
- 2 - boxes tissue
- 1-2 - pairs of headphones
- SPANISH I:**
- 1 - 1-inch 3-ring binder
- 1 - package of dividers (5 count)
- Red pens
- SCIENCE:**
- 1 - 2-inch 3-ring binder
- 1 - composition or spiral notebook
- MATH:**
- 1 - 2-inch 3-ring binder
- 1 - composition notebook
- 4 - glue sticks
- SOCIAL STUDIES:**
- 1 - 1-inch 3-ring binder
- 1 - composition notebook
- 1 - package (5 count) dividers
- 1 - small package post-it notes
- ELA/READING:**
- 1 - 1-inch 3-ring binder
- 2 - composition notebooks
- 1 - package of dividers (5 count)
- 1 - small package post-it notes
- OPTIONAL (NOT REQUIRED):**

Large binder or notebook - must fit in lockers  
 Backpack  
 1 - flash drive  
 \*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 the parents if this occurs.

**IT IS MANDATORY THAT EACH STUDENT BRING A PAIR OF HEADPHONES FOR USE IN THE COMPUTER LAB DUE TO HEALTH AND SAFETY REASONS.**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT IN ALL GRADES THE SUPPLIES WILL NEED TO BE REPLENISHED THROUGHOUT THE YEAR**

## 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.

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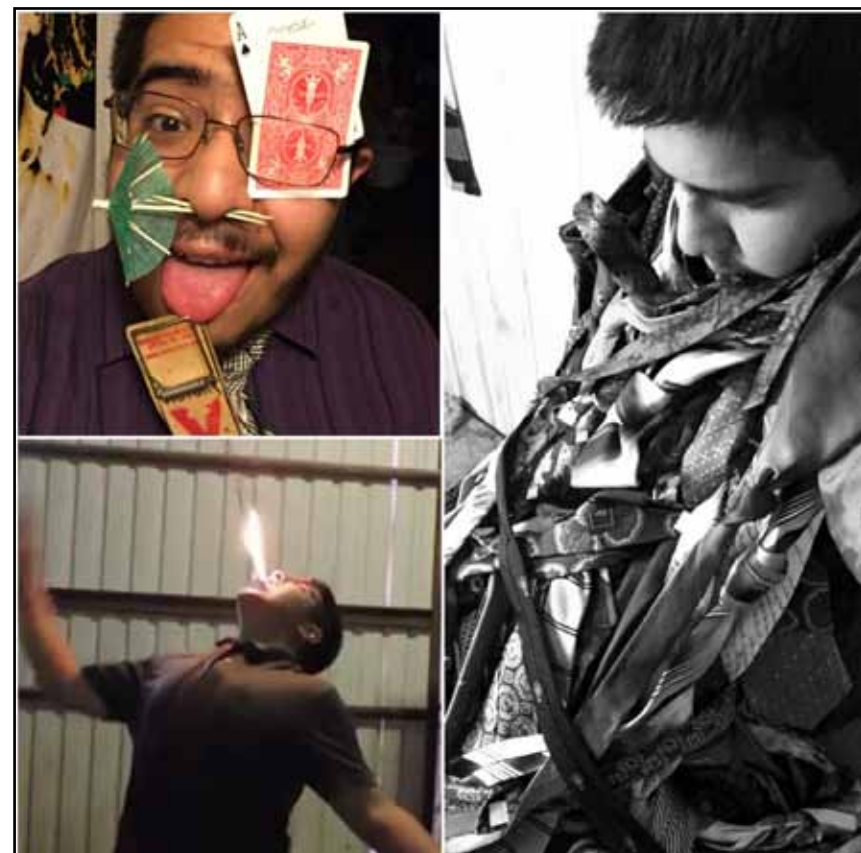
1. *Graduated Seniors memberships have expired.*
2. *Sixth graders entering seventh grade may attend the youth center with eighth grade.*
3. *Eighth graders entering ninth grade may attend the YOUTH CENTER WITH THE HIGH SCHOOL.*

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# BACK TO SCHOOL BASH!

10 a.m.  
 Wednesday, Aug. 16  
 Crockett County  
 Public Library  
 1201 Avenue G

JEREMY  
 MUNOZ  
 WITH HIS  
 MAGIC &  
 SIDE SHOW



**Kona Ice:**  
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 \$3 Regular  
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 Kong  
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 for reading logs:  
 \$50 Walmart Card;  
 \$25 Walmart Card  
 \$20 Walmart Card  
  
 Pie in the Face  
 Contest WINNER!  
 Proceeds donated  
 to the Friends of the Library



CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H NEWS

Sheep and Goat Expo Youth Program Aug. 19

The Texas Sheep and Goat Expo Youth Program will be held at 8:30 a.m. Aug. 19 at the First Community Spur Arena in San Angelo.

The Sheep Skillathon is a competition which challenges contestant with questions, skill stations, and a public speaking component encompassing various facets of the sheep industry.

For more information, or to register, visit agrilife.org/westresults/registration or call (325) 378-3181.

4-H CLUB MEETING

The first 4-H Club Meeting of the 2017-2018 year will be held 5-6 p.m. Tuesday,

Aug. 15, at the 4-H Office.

4-H Officer Training will be held Aug. 16.

LIVESTOCK EXHIBITORS

For youth interested in showing livestock for the upcoming season, hair sheep will be shown as well as Fine Wool and Fine Wool Cross, meat goats, angora goats and hogs.

Anyone that needs assistance in finding a sheep or goat project, contact Ryan Bean or Les Hale. They can direct people to a breeder.

4-H CONNECT

Member profiles change to inactive on Aug. 15 at 4-H Connect. All adults and youth

members are required to re-enroll.

Login to texas.4honline.com as soon as possible to avoid delays in event registration.

FOOD AND NUTRITION

Food and Nutrition meetings will begin in September.

TEXT REMINDERS

Text @cc4hclub to 81010 to receive text reminders on your phone.

4-H OFFICE

The Crockett County 4-H Office can be reached at (325) 392-2721 or crockettcounty@ag.tamu.edu.

Kailey Roberts, CEA-FCS, can be reached at (210) 705-2887 or kailey.roberts@ag.tamu.edu.

Lydia Munoz, secretary, lydia.munoz@ag.tamu.edu.

Like the Facebook page at www.facebook.com/crockettextension.

Win an Ozona Lion football helmet

The Ozona Lions Football Team is holding a drawing for one of their official Chrome Gold Helmets.

Tickets are \$10 each and are available for purchase at the Administration Building or at the Lion Stadium Field House during strength and conditioning camps throughout the summer.

Drawing will be held on Meet the Lions Night in August.

Proceeds will go toward the purchase of gold helmets for the varsity team to wear during home games and play-offs.

Ozona Athletic Booster Club Football Program

Full color magazine featuring our Lions and Lady Lions!

1/8 page ad - \$25 parent/fan \$50 business

1/4 page ad - \$50 parent/fan \$100 business

1/2 page ad - \$100 parent/fan \$200 business

Full page ad - \$200 parent/fan \$400 business

DEADLINE AUG. 15!

Call (325) 226-3110

OHS Summer Band schedule

Summer band will go through Aug. 24.

Please remember that the time and effort we put in these first weeks will help to establish a foundation for the remainder of the marching season.

It is important that we begin rehearsals at the designated times. Please arrive early enough to find your place before rehearsal/practice begins.

If you are early it means you are on time. If you are on time then you are late.

Wednesdays, Aug. 9 and 16 - 2-3:30 p.m. Sectionals; 3:30-5 p.m. Full Band in Band Hall.

Thursdays, Aug. 10 and 17 - 2-3:30 p.m. Start in Band Hall/Break for Sectionals; 3:30-5:30 p.m. Full

Band in Band Hall; 5:30-7 p.m. Dinner Break; 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

Monday, Aug. 14 - 2-3:30 p.m. Start in Band Hall/Break for Sectionals; 3:30-5:30 p.m. Full Band in Band Hall; 5:30-7 p.m. Dinner Break; 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

Tuesday, Aug. 15 - 2-3:30 p.m. Start in Band Hall/Break for Sectionals; 3:30-4 p.m. Team Building; 4-5:30 p.m. Full Band in Band Hall; 5:30-7 p.m. Dinner Break; 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

Monday, Aug. 21 - 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

Tuesday, Aug. 22 - 8-10 a.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

Thursday, Aug. 24 - 8-10 a.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

Monday night rehearsals will continue when school begins. There are no evening rehearsals on Wednesdays.

If for any reason you are not able to attend a rehearsal, you must contact one of the directors. Please use e-mail or leave a message at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5226.

It is your responsibility to communicate with the directors. It is not acceptable to have someone else notify the directors for you.

Directors must be notified one week in advance for any absences to be excused. Emergencies must be confirmed with a note from a doctor.

Avoidable absences will not be excused.

Lil' Cheer Camp starts today

The OHS Cheerleaders will host Lil' Cheer Camp Aug. 9-11 at the OES Gymnasium.

Registration will be 8:15 a.m. Aug. 9.

Camp will run 9 a.m.-noon Wednesday, Aug. 9, and Thursday, Aug. 10.

On Friday, Aug. 11, it will start at 10 a.m. with a Pep

Rally at 11:30 a.m.

Campers will receive a water bottle and a cheer T-Shirt. Campers need to wear comfortable shoes (tennis shoes) and workout clothes. Cheer uniforms can be worn but not required.

If campers bring pom poms, or any personal items, have them write their name

on them.

The camp is for ages Pre-K through sixth grade.

Cost is \$25 per camper. Each additional sibling camper is \$20.

All checks must be payable to OHS Cheerleaders.

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

OES Meet the Teacher Aug. 22

Ozona Elementary School will host Meet the Teacher Night from 4-6 p.m. Aug. 22.

Students in grades Pre-K through fifth grade can come meet their teachers and drop off school supplies at Ozona Elementary School.

tary School.

CCCCSD first day of school is Monday, Aug. 28.

For more information, call (325) 392-5501 or visit www.ozonaschools.net.

CCCCSD Staff Development Schedule 2017-2018

MONDAY, AUG. 14 8 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus. Principals will

have instructions for you. 10 a.m. - Child advocacy training for all teachers and staff at

OMS Auditorium. 1-4 p.m. - Grade Level Meetings at OMS and OES; Introductions and Teacher Packets at OHS.



BLOOD DRIVE Crockett National Bank Thursday, August 10 9:00AM to 2:30PM Bloodmobile

Contact Laurie at 392-3745 www.bloodhero.com | Sponsor Code: cnb 877-UBS-HERO (877-827-4376)

TUESDAY, AUG. 15 8 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you.

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16 7:45-8:30 a.m. - Breakfast provided by Ozona United Methodist Church at each campus.

8:30 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you.

THURSDAY, AUG. 17 8 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you.

FRIDAY, AUG. 18 8 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you.

MONDAY, AUG. 21 8 a.m.-noon General Meeting at the Ozona High School Auditorium for all staff and employees; Blood Pathogens Training Nurse Karen Huffman; Title I and Title II Information-Federal Programs Director Janina Savala; Technology Meeting - Keith Harmsen, Technology Coordinator.

Noon-1 p.m. - Lunch will be provided by Ozona Bank at the OES Cafeteria.

1-4 p.m. - General Meetings at your home campus.

TUESDAY, AUG. 22 8 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you. 4-6 p.m. - OES Meet the Teacher

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 23 8 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you.

THURSDAY, AUG. 24 8 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you.

FRIDAY, AUG. 25 8 a.m.-10 a.m. - District Staff Breakfast at OES Cafeteria.

10 a.m. - Teachers report to your home campus Principals will have instructions for you.

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# CCCCSD 2017-2018 Free/Reduced Price Lunch Program

Crockett County Consolidated Common School District

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Children need healthy meals to learn. *Crockett County* CCSD offers healthy meals every school day. Breakfast costs *Free for OES, \$1.40 for OMS and OHS* ; lunch costs \$2.40 for OES; \$2.55 for OMS and OHS. **Your children may qualify for free meals or for reduced-price meals.** Reduced-price is \$ .30 for breakfast and \$ .40 for lunch. If you received a notification letter that a child is directly certified for free or reduced-price 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, 325-392-5501 ext 5547*. If you have questions about applying for free or reduced-price meals, contact *Ludy Vargas, PO Box 400, Ozona, TX 76943, 325-392-5501 ext 5547; ludy.vargas@ozonaschools.net*.

- 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 for Households on Indian Reservations (FDPPIR), 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.
- 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* at PO Box 400, Ozona, TX 76943; 325-392-5501; *raul.chavarria@ozonaschools.net*.
- 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* at 325-392-5502 ext 5547r. Si necesita ayuda, por favor llame al teléfono: *Ludy Vargas* at 325-392-5502 ext 5547r.

Sincerely,  
*Lisa Harmsen*

Letter for 2017-2018 Household Application for Free and Reduced-Price School Meals May 5, 2017

Crockett County Consolidated Common School District

Estimado Padre/Madre/Guardián: Los niños necesitan comida sana para aprender. *Crockett County* CCSD ofrece alimentación sana todos los días escolares. El desayuno cuesta *Free for OES, \$1.40 for OMS and OHS*; y el almuerzo cuesta \$2.40 for OES; \$2.55 for OMS and OHS. **Sus niños podrían calificar para recibir comidas gratuitas o de precio reducido.** El precio reducido es \$ .30 para el desayuno y \$ .40 para el almuerzo. Si usted ha recibido una carta de notificación (de certificación directa) que indica que un niño califica para recibir comida gratuita, no llene una solicitud. Reporte a la escuela si hay niños en el hogar asistiendo a la escuela, pero que no se incluyeron en esta carta de certificación.

Las siguientes preguntas y respuestas, y las instrucciones adjuntas, proporcionan información adicional para como completar la solicitud. Complete sola una solicitud para todos los estudiantes en el hogar y entregue la solicitud completa a *Ludy Vargas, PO Box 400, Ozona, TX 76943, 325-392-5501 ext 5547*. Si tiene preguntas sobre como solicitar comida gratuita o de precio reducido, póngase en contacto con *Ludy Vargas, PO Box 400, Ozona, TX 76943, 325-392-5501 ext 5547; ludy.vargas@ozonaschools.net*.

- ¿Quién puede recibir comida gratuita?**
  - Ingresos**— Los niños pueden recibir comida gratuita o a precio reducido si el ingreso bruto del hogar se encuentra debajo de los límites de las *Guías Federales de Elegibilidad* por Ingresos.
  - Participantes de programas especiales**— Todos los niños en los hogares que reciben beneficios del Programa de Asistencia de Nutrición Suplementaria (SNAP), del Programa de Distribución de Alimentos en Reservas Indígenas (FDPPIR), o del programa de Asistencia Temporal para Familias Necesitadas (TANF), califican para comida gratuita.
  - Los Niños Adoptivos Temporales (Foster Children)**— Los niños adoptivos temporales (foster children) que está bajo la responsabilidad legal de una agencia de cuidado temporal (foster care agency) o de una corte.
  - Head Start, Early Head Start, y Even Start**— Los niños que participan en Head Start, Early Head Start y Even Start también califican para recibir comida gratuita.
  - Los Niños Sin Hogar, Fugitivo y Migrante**— Los niños sin hogar, que son fugitivos o que son migrantes califican para recibir comida gratuita. Si usted cree que hay niños(s) en su hogar que cumplen con estas descripciones, y si no le han dicho que el niño es considerado como persona sin hogar, fugitivo o migrante, por favor llame o envíe un correo electrónico a *Janina Savala* at 325-392-5501 or *janina.savala@ozonaschools.net*.
  - Beneficiarios del Programa WIC**— Los niños que viven en hogares que participan en el programa WIC **pueden ser** elegibles para recibir comida gratuita o a precio reducido.
- ¿Qué sucede si no estoy de acuerdo con la decisión de la escuela sobre mi solicitud?** Debe hablar con los funcionarios escolares. También, puede apelar la decisión llamando o escribiendo al *Raul Chavarria* at PO Box 400, Ozona, TX 76943; 325-392-5501; *raul.chavarria@ozonaschools.net*.
- La solicitud de mi hijo fue aprobada el año pasado. ¿Necesito llenar otra solicitud?** Sí. La solicitud de su hijo es válida solo por un año escolar y los primeros días del año escolar actual. Debe entregar una solicitud nueva a menos de que la escuela le informó que su hijo es elegible para el nuevo año escolar.
- Si no califico ahora, ¿puedo solicitar más adelante?** Sí. Puede solicitar en cualquier momento durante el año escolar. Un niño con un padre, madre o guardián que pierda su trabajo puede calificar para recibir comida gratuita o a precio reducido si el ingreso del hogar cae debajo del límite del ingreso establecido.
- ¿Qué pasa si mi ingreso no es igual siempre?** Reporte la cantidad que recibe normalmente. Si un miembro del hogar perdió un trabajo o le han reducido sus horas o su sueldo, use el ingreso actual.
- Estamos en las fuerzas armadas. ¿Tenemos que declarar nuestro ingreso diferente?** Su sueldo básico y los bonos en efectivo tienen que ser reportados como ingresos. Si recibe unos subsidios para vivienda fuera de la base militar, comida y ropa, o recibe pagos de Family Subsistence Supplemental Allowance (FSSA), tiene que incluirlos como ingresos. Si su vivienda es parte de la Iniciativa Privatizada de Vivienda Militar (Military Housing Privatization Initiative), no incluye este subsidio de vivienda como ingreso. Además, no cuenta cualquier pago de combate adicional debido al despliegue militar como ingreso.
- ¿Puedo solicitar si un miembro de mi hogar no es ciudadano estadounidense?** Sí. Usted, sus hijos, u otros miembros de su hogar no tienen que ser ciudadanos estadounidenses para calificar para recibir comida gratuita o a precio reducido.
- ¿Van a verificar la información que yo doy?** Sí. También podemos pedir prueba escrita del ingreso del hogar que usted reporta.
- Mi familia necesita ayuda adicional. ¿Existen otros programas a los que podríamos solicitar?** Para enterarse de cómo solicitar otros beneficios de ayuda, llame a la oficina local de asistencia al 2-1-1.
- ¿Puedo solicitar por internet?** Sí! La solicitud por internet (online) requiere la misma información que por escrito. Visite a [[www.ozonaschools.net](http://www.ozonaschools.net)] para empezar su solicitud o aprender más sobre el proceso de completar la solicitud por internet. Póngase en contacto con [*Ludy Vargas* PO Box 400, Ozona, TX 76943; 325-392-5501 ext 5547; *ludy.vargas@ozonaschools.net*] si tiene preguntas sobre la solicitud por internet.

Si tiene alguna pregunta o necesita ayuda, llame al *Ludy Vargas* at 325-392-5502 ext 5547r.  
Atentamente,  
*[Lisa Harmsen]*

Texas Department of Agriculture Chart 1 Income Eligibility (IEGs) April 17, 2017

### Income Eligibility Guidelines for Determining Free and Reduced Price Benefits

Effective from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018

Family Size	Annually		Monthly		Twice per Month		Every Two Weeks		Weekly	
	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced	Free	Reduced
1	\$15,678	\$22,311	\$1,307	\$1,860	\$654	\$930	\$603	\$859	\$302	\$430
2	\$21,112	\$30,044	\$1,760	\$2,504	\$880	\$1,252	\$812	\$1,156	\$406	\$578
3	\$26,546	\$37,777	\$2,213	\$3,149	\$1,107	\$1,575	\$1,021	\$1,453	\$511	\$727
4	\$31,980	\$45,510	\$2,665	\$3,793	\$1,333	\$1,897	\$1,230	\$1,751	\$615	\$876
5	\$37,414	\$53,243	\$3,118	\$4,437	\$1,559	\$2,219	\$1,439	\$2,048	\$720	\$1,024
6	\$42,848	\$60,976	\$3,571	\$5,082	\$1,786	\$2,541	\$1,648	\$2,346	\$824	\$1,173
7	\$48,282	\$68,709	\$4,024	\$5,726	\$2,012	\$2,863	\$1,857	\$2,643	\$929	\$1,322
8	\$53,716	\$76,442	\$4,477	\$6,371	\$2,239	\$3,186	\$2,066	\$2,941	\$1,033	\$1,471
9	\$59,150	\$84,175	\$4,930	\$7,016	\$2,466	\$3,509	\$2,275	\$3,239	\$1,138	\$1,620
10	\$64,584	\$91,908	\$5,383	\$7,661	\$2,693	\$3,832	\$2,484	\$3,537	\$1,243	\$1,769
11	\$70,018	\$99,641	\$5,836	\$8,306	\$2,920	\$4,155	\$2,693	\$3,835	\$1,348	\$1,918
12	\$75,452	\$107,374	\$6,289	\$8,951	\$3,147	\$4,478	\$2,902	\$4,133	\$1,453	\$2,067
For each additional family member add:										
	+\$5,434	+\$7,733	+\$453	+\$645	+\$227	+\$323	+\$209	+\$298	+\$105	+\$149

**Crockett County CCSD, 2017-2018 Multi-Child Application for Free and Reduced-Price School Meals** This Box for School Use Only. Date Withdrawn: \_\_\_\_\_  
Complete one application per household. Please use a pen (not a pencil). Apply online at <http://www.ozonaschools.net>

**Step 1** 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.

List each child's name.	Student Attends School in District?			Optional Student ID Number	Check all that apply.							
	First Name	Mi	Last Name		Yes	No	Grade	Foster	Head Start	Homeless	Migrant	Runaway
1.												
2.												
3.												
4.												
5.												
6.												

**Step 2** Report Income for ALL Household Members (Skip this step if you entered an EDG number or checked the box to indicate participation in FDPPIR in Step 1).

**A. Total Household Members (Children & Adults)** \_\_\_\_\_ **B. Last Four Digits of Social Security Number (SSN) of an Adult Household Member:** XXX-XX-\_\_\_\_-\_\_

**C. Income for Adult Household Members (Include Yourself, But Not Children)**  
List all Household Members **not listed in STEP 1** (including yourself) **even if they do not receive income.** For each Household Member listed, if they do receive income, report total income (without deductions) for each source in whole dollars only. Indicate the frequency of income: W=Weekly, E=Every 2 Weeks, T=Twice per Month, M=Monthly, A=Annually. If they do not receive income from any source, write "0". If you enter "0" or leave any fields blank, you are certifying (promising) that there is no income to report.

Adult's First Last Name (Do not include the income of children in this section. The income of children goes in 2C.)	Work Earnings (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)	Public Assistance/Child Support/Alimony (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)	Social Security/Supplemental Security Income (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)	All Other (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)
1.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
2.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
3.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
4.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
5.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A

**D. Combined Income for Children in the Household (Do not include adult income)**  
Record combined total income by frequency for all children listed in Step 1.

	Weekly	Every 2 Weeks	Twice per Month	Monthly	Annually
\$					

**Step 3** Provide Contact Information and Adult Signature. Return this application to your child's school.  
I certify (promise) that all information on this application is true and that all income is reported. I understand that this information is given in connection with the receipt of Federal funds, and that school officials may verify the information. I am aware that if I purposely give false information, my children may lose meal benefits, and I may be prosecuted under applicable State and Federal laws.

Street Address # \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Daytime Phone and Email (Optional) \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Adult Household Member Signing the Form \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Adult Household Member Signing the Form \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Household Member Space—2017-2018 Multi-Child Application for Free and Reduced-Price School Meals**

**Step 1, Additional** List ALL Household Members Who Are Infants, Children, and Students up to and Including Grade 12.

List each child's name.	Student Attends School in District?			Optional Student ID Number	Check all that apply.							
	First Name	Mi	Last Name		Yes	No	Grade	Foster	Head Start	Homeless	Migrant	Runaway
7.												
8.												
9.												
10.												
11.												

**Step 2, Additional** Report Income for ALL Household Members (Skip this step if you entered an EDG number or checked the box to indicate participation in FDPPIR in Step 1).

Adult's First Last Name (Do not include the income of children in this section. The income of children goes in 2C.)	Work Earnings (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)	Public Assistance/Child Support/Alimony (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)	Social Security/Supplemental Security Income (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)	All Other (Enter Amount)	Frequency (Circle One)
1.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
2.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
3.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
4.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
5.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A

The Richard King Mellon Foundation Lunch Act requires the 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 for each adult household member who is not required when you apply on behalf of a foster child or you list a Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) case number or other FDPPIR identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the application does not have a social security number. We will use this information to verify your child's eligibility for free or reduced price meals, and for administration and enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. We MAY share your eligibility information with education, health, and nutrition program personnel, fund, or other officials for their programs, audits for program reviews, and law enforcement officials to help them look into violations of program rules. In accordance with Federal and State laws, including the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), USA (and rights regulations and policies), the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, sex, gender, age, marital status, place of birth, national origin, ancestry, place of birth, disability, and political affiliation. Persons with disabilities who require alternative means of communication for program information (e.g. Braille, large print, audiotape, American Sign Language, etc.), should contact the Agency (State or local) where they applied for benefits. Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service (800) 877-8339. For more information about accessible formats and communication needs accommodations, please visit <http://www.usda.gov/govinfo>. Information may be made available in languages other than English. To file a program complaint of discrimination, complete the US Discrimination Complaint Form (AD-3027) found online at [http://www.azsusa.gov/complaint\\_filing\\_cust.html](http://www.azsusa.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html) and set an USDA office, or write a letter addressed to USDA and provide in the letter all of the information requested. To request a copy of the complaint form, call (866) 632-9892. Submit your completed form or letter to USDA by: (1) mail: U.S. Department of Agriculture, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Civil Rights, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington, D.C. 20250-9410; (2) fax: (202) 690-7442; or (3) email: [program.intake@usda.gov](mailto:program.intake@usda.gov). This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

**Do Not Fill Out This Section For School Use Only.**

**Income Determination:** Multiple income frequencies must be converted to annual amounts and combined to determine household income. Do not convert if only one income frequency is provided by the household. If converting income to annual, round only the final number—Annual Income Conversion: Weekly x 52 | Every 2 Weeks x 26 | Twice a Month x 24 | Monthly x 12

Household Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Income: \_\_\_\_\_ Weekly: \_\_\_\_\_ Every 2 Weeks: \_\_\_\_\_ Twice a Month: \_\_\_\_\_ Monthly: \_\_\_\_\_ Annually: \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewing/Determining Official's Signature/Date \_\_\_\_\_ Confirming Official's Signature/Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Crockett County CCSD Solicitud para Comidas Escolares Gratuitas y a Precio Reducido para Varios Niños del Hogar** This Box for School Use Only. Date Withdrawn: \_\_\_\_\_

Llene una solicitud para cada hogar. Por favor, use un bolígrafo (no un lápiz). Llame o solicite por internet al <http://www.ozonaschools.net>. No necesita más espacio; use la página de atrás para añadir miembros adicionales.

**Parte 1** Liste a TODOS los Miembros del Hogar que son Infantes, Niños y Estudiantes hasta el Grado 12. Si necesita más espacio, use la página de atrás para añadir miembros adicionales.

Definición de Miembro del hogar: Una persona que vive con usted y comparte ingresos y gastos, aunque no estén relacionados. Los niños que son temporalmente adoptados (foster), niños que cumplen con la definición de migrantes, un hogar (homeless), fugitivo, (runaway), o que participan en Head Start para alimentos gratis.	¿Asiste a la escuela en el distrito?			Opción: Número de Identificación del Estudiante	Marque todo lo que aplique.							
	Primer Nombre	Inicial del Segundo Nombre	Apellido		Si	No	Grado	Nro Adoptivo Temporal (Foster)	Head Start	Sin Hogar	Migrante	Fugitivo
1.												
2.												
3.												
4.												
5.												

**Parte 2** Declare el ingreso de TODOS los Miembros del Hogar (ignore esta parte si escribió un número de EDG en la Parte 2).

**A. Total de los miembros del hogar (niños y adultos)** \_\_\_\_\_ **B. Los últimos cuatro números del Seguro Social (SSN) del miembro del hogar que llenó la solicitud:** XXX-XX-\_\_\_\_-\_\_ **C. Marque si no tiene un SSN**  Sí  No

**C. Ingresos (Brutos) de los Adultos del Hogar (incluya a usted mismo, pero no a los menores)**  
Liste a todos los Miembros del Hogar que no son incluidos en la Parte 1 (incluya a usted mismo) incluso si no reciben ingresos. Para cada Miembro del Hogar indicado que recibe ingresos, anote el ingreso (sin deducciones) total de cada fuente en dólares redondeados. Ponga la frecuencia en que recibe su ingreso: W=Semanal, E=Cada 2 semanas, T=2 veces por mes, M= Mensual, A= Anualmente. Si la persona no recibe ingreso, escriba "0". Si escribe "0" o deja algún espacio en blanco, está certificando (prometiendo) que no hay ingresos por reportar.

Primer Nombre del Adulto/Apellido (No incluya los ingresos de los niños en esta sección. Los ingresos de los menores se anotan en 2C.)	Sueldo de Trabajo (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)	Asistencia Social/Mantenimiento de niños/Pensión alimenticia (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)	Pensiones/ Jubilación/ Seguro social/SSI (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)	Otros Ingresos (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)
1.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
2.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
3.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
4.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
5.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A

**D. Ingresos (Brutos) de los Niños del Hogar (No incluya los ingresos de los adultos)**  
Anote los ingresos para todos los niños indicados en Parte 1 por frecuencia.

	Semanal = W	Cada dos semanas = E	Dos veces por mes = T	Mensual = M	Anualmente = A
\$					

**Parte 3** Proporcione Su Información de Contacto y Firma de Adulto. Regrese esta solicitud a: la escuela de su hijo.  
Certifico (juro) que toda la información en esta solicitud es cierta y que he reportado todos los ingresos. Entiendo que esta información se da con el propósito de recibir fondos federales y que los funcionarios de la escuela pueden verificar la información. Entiendo que si falsifico información a propósito, mis hijos pueden perder los beneficios de comida y no pueden ser procesados de acuerdo con las leyes estatales y federales que aplican.

Dirección/Apt. \_\_\_\_\_ Ciudad \_\_\_\_\_ Estado \_\_\_\_\_ Código Postal \_\_\_\_\_ Número de teléfono y correo electrónico (opcional) \_\_\_\_\_  
Miembro (Adulto) del hogar que llenó solicitud \_\_\_\_\_ Firma del adulto que llenó la solicitud \_\_\_\_\_ Fecha de hoy \_\_\_\_\_

**Hoja para Anotar Miembros del Hogar Adicionales—Solicitud de 2017-2018 de Comida Escolar Gratis y a Precio Reducido para Niños Varios**

**Parte 1, Adicional** Liste a TODOS los Miembros del Hogar, Infantes, Niños y Estudiantes Hasta el Grado 12. Si necesita más espacio, use la página de atrás para añadir miembros adicionales del hogar.

Liste el Nombre de Cada Niño.	¿Asiste a la escuela en el distrito?			Opción: Número de Identificación del Estudiante	Marque todo lo que aplique.							
	Primer Nombre	Inicial del Segundo Nombre	Apellido		Si	No	Grado	Nro Adoptivo Temporal (Foster)	Head Start	Sin Hogar	Migrante	Fugitivo
6.												
7.												
8.												
9.												
10.												

**Parte 2, Adicional** Declare el ingreso de TODOS los Miembros del Hogar (ignore esta parte si respondió "SI" en la Parte 2).

Primer Nombre del Adulto/Apellido (No incluya los ingresos de los niños en esta sección. Los ingresos de los menores se anotan en 2C.)	Sueldo de Trabajo (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)	Asistencia Social/Mantenimiento de niños/Pensión alimenticia (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)	Pensiones/ Jubilación/ Seguro social/SSI (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)	Otros Ingresos (Ponga el monto)	Frecuencia (Marque una con un círculo)
6.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
7.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
8.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
9.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A
10.	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A	\$	W-E-T-M-A

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 from 10:00 a.m. - to 5:00 p.m.  
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**ACROSS**

1 TX "Babe" helped found this pro assoc.

5 Neiman Marcus has a store in Scottsdale in this state (abbr.).

6 Eagle Pass FM

7 \_\_\_\_\_ wood, TX

8 "eye to eye"

9 TXism: "they took everything but the \_\_\_\_\_ in my lungs" (was robbed)

12 TXism: "you need to \_\_\_\_\_ your head on right"

17 Roger Clemens pitched for Houston and this city

19 TXism: "mean as \_\_\_\_\_ bull"

21 TXism: "tight as \_\_\_\_\_ string"

22 this James was in TX-based 1943 film "Border Buckaroos"

23 TXism: "attracted like a bug to \_\_\_\_\_"

28 Patricia of TX-based 1963 film "Hud"

29 \_\_\_\_\_ of dominoes

30 iconic Marilyn

31 TX Hagman's 1960s sitcom: "I \_\_\_\_\_ of Jeannie"

35 \_\_\_\_\_ of ice cream

36 TX Robert Bice was in 1944 film "Thirty \_\_\_\_\_ Tokyo"

42 reusable items can be sterilized with \_\_\_\_\_ water

44 Waco TV show: "\_\_\_\_\_ Upper"

**DOWN**

12 \_\_\_\_\_ Angelo, TX

13 TXism: "\_\_\_\_\_ crop" (good)

14 uses oars

15 Paul Simon's TX wife, Brickell

16 red, swollen mark

18 huge hit in 1967: "\_\_\_\_\_ to Billie Joe"

20 TXism: "good \_\_\_\_\_ boy"

23 WBAP is an \_\_\_\_\_ station on 820 kHz

24 \_\_\_\_\_ Fresno, TX

25 WWII pipeline from TX to New Jersey: the "Big \_\_\_\_\_"

26 you should \_\_\_\_\_ horse often

27 TXism: "don't give a \_\_\_\_\_ a holler"

32 hosp. nurse

33 this Clark was the 8th gov. of TX

34 TXism: "old \_\_\_\_\_ dirt"

36 what many TXns do on a lake

37 Longview is in \_\_\_\_\_ TX

38 this Leachman was in TX-based "The Last Picture Show" rapidly spread: "it went \_\_\_\_\_"

40 extol or praise

41 monthly apartment expense

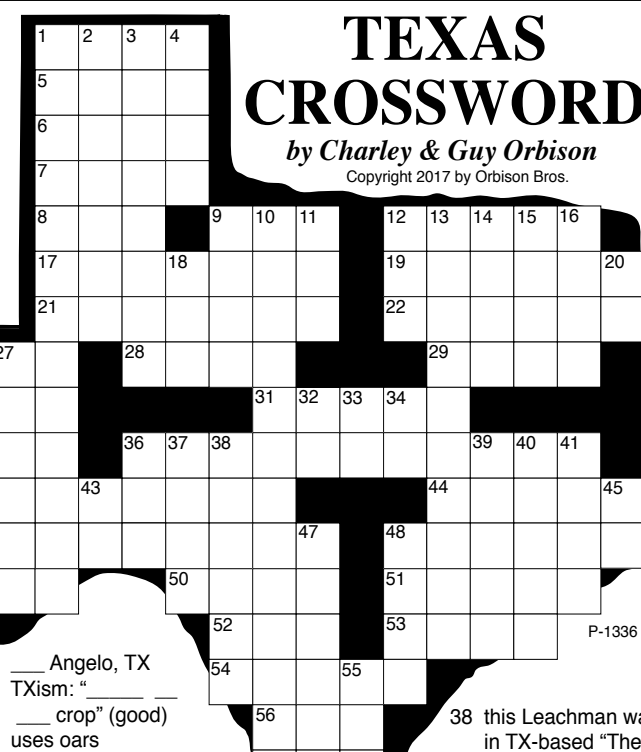
43 this Linda recorded TX Roy Orbison's "Blue Bayou" (init.)

45 he played "Gus" on TX-based "Lonesome Dove" (init.)

47 icing spreader

48 San \_\_\_\_\_, TX

55 El Paso TV, AM, FM





OZONA FIREFIGHTERS CODY GOTCHER AND PAUL C. PERNER IV extinguish a truck fire Monday night at the JohnCo Wrecker Yard. No injuries were reported. Possible cause of the fire was electrical.

### BODY: from page 1

Green County Sheriff's Office that it was investigating a case involving Kristen Jennings, who allegedly entered the residence of Eric Torrez's mother the afternoon of July 21, assaulted Torrez's mother and forcibly took a 4-year-old from the residence. Eric Torrez is the child's father, and Kristen Jennings is the child's mother, according to officials.

Sheriff's investigators and the Texas Rangers executed an evidentiary search warrant at the residence of Stephen and Kristen Jennings.

Kristen Jennings was arrested Tuesday, July 25, by Tom Green County Sheriff's investigators on a Taylor County warrant on suspicion of burglary of a habitation with intent to commit another felony. She was booked into the Tom Green County Jail, then transferred to the Taylor County Jail on July

28, where she is being held in lieu of \$50,000 bail  
 Stephen Lynn Jennings, Kristin Jennings' husband, and Gary Lynn Jennings, Stephen's father, were also arrested on suspicion of tampering or fabricating with physical evidence with intent to impair.

On Thursday, July 27, Ballinger police reported finding Torrez's 2008 Ford pickup truck in the Ballinger Walmart parking lot.

The investigation into Torrez's death continues. Upon completion of the autopsy, additional charges are expected to be filed against the suspects already in custody as well as additional suspects identified during the investigation as participants in the offense, the Sheriff's Office said.

- information provided by the San Angelo Standard-Times.

## CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

### Weekly Activity Report

Type of Calls	Count	Details
Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints	1	sible assault on Piedra Street.
911 medical/fire assistance	3	- After responding to a call of an altercation at the Crockett Apartments, sheriff's deputies arrested Raine Cheyenne Baldwin and Toby James Ramsey, both of Ozona, for assault by contact. Both parties have been arraigned and released on bond.
Civil complaints	7	- Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument on Pecan Street.
Civil documents served	6	<b>8-3-17</b>
Criminal complaints/disturbances/loud noise	8	- Sheriff's deputies arrested Felix Antonio Suarez, of Tye, Texas, for failure to identify, public intoxication and resisting arrest. Subject was arraigned and released on bond.
Juvenile/School	2	<b>8-4-17</b>
Motorist assist/locked vehicle	6	- Sheriff's deputies responded to a loud music call on Heradio Street.
Reckless driving/speeding complaints	4	
Minor/major traffic accidents	4	
Alarms	0	

**OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS:**  
**8-1-17**  
 • Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument at Stripes.  
**8-2-17**  
 • Sheriff's deputies responded to a po-

## Texas Hunting, Fishing Licenses on sale starting Tuesday

AUSTIN - The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) reminds hunters and anglers that the new 2017-2018 licenses go on sale Tuesday, Aug. 15. All current year Texas hunting and fishing licenses (except year-to-date fishing licenses) expire Aug. 31.

Every year, the department issues more than 2.4 million hunting and fishing licenses through the agency's 28 field offices, more than 50 state parks, at over 1,700 retailers across the state and online at www.tpwd.texas.gov/buy. All revenue generated from hunting and fishing license fees pays for conservation efforts and recreational opportunities that help make Texas one of the best places in the country to hunt and fish. Fish stocking, wildlife management, habitat restoration, public hunting

### STATE: from page 2

the "no-pass, no-play" law affecting secondary school athletes. Lawmakers also passed a tax to fund teacher pay-raises.

Plans are for White's body to lie in state in the Capitol Rotunda. Burial will be in the state cemetery.

### TAX REVENUE INCREASES

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar on Aug. 1 announced that state sales tax revenue totaled \$2.56 billion in July, 7.9 percent more than in July 2016.

Sales tax receipts from all major economic sectors were up compared to last year and total sales tax revenue for the three months ending in July 2017 is up 7.3 percent compared to the same period a year ago, Hegar said.

"The most notable increases were from oil- and gas-related industries, as spending on well development continues to rebound. Despite the recent uptick, sales tax revenue remains in line with recent estimates from my office," he added.

**RAILROAD FUNDING ARRIVES**  
 The U.S. Department of Transportation on Aug. 3 announced the Texas Department of Transportation has received a \$7 million federal grant to help rebuild the Presidio-Ojinaga, Mexico, International Rail Bridge and 72 miles of track on the state-owned South Orient Rail Line that runs from the border to near Coleman.

Texas Transportation Commission Chairman Tryon Lewis hailed the "FASTLANE" grant as a critical investment in the West Texas oil and gas industry.  
 "Cross-border trade is the lifeblood of many communities in my district," commented U.S. Rep. Will Hurd, R-San Antonio, whose congressional district includes the affected area. "As one of five border crossings between Texas and Mexico, these repairs are vital to Texas' economy," he added.

### HURRICANE BRIEFING IS HELD

Gov. Abbott on Aug. 4 announced that he joined President Donald Trump, heads of federal agencies and other governors from across the country via teleconference for a 2017 White House Hurricane Briefing.  
 "Texas is in a constant state of hurricane preparedness and the safety of Texans is our top priority," Abbott said.

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**TAKING APPLICATIONS** for truck drivers, roustabouts and light duty mechanic. Apply in person at Lilly Construction, 603 Ave. H in Ozona. TFNC

**TAKING APPLICATIONS AT THE** Crockett County Road Department: CDL preferred, pick up applications at the road department office or county auditor's office. CCCS is an EOE. tfc32

**C.N.A. SCHOOL TO BEGIN** Crockett County Care Center is accepting applications through Sept. 1, 2017, for a C.N.A. School. School will be Sept. 12-18. Applications for the 2 1/2 week course can be picked up at the Crockett County Care Center, 103 N. Ave H, Ozona, Texas 76943. Limited openings available. Applicants chosen will undergo a DRUG SCREEN, PHYSICAL, and WORK-STEPS. CCCS is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 2c29

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

**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.



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## PUBLIC NOTICES

### PUBLIC NOTICE

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For information about your rights or grievance procedures, contact the Title IX Coordinator, Raul Chavarria, at 325/392-5501, and/or the Section 504 Coordinator, Raul Chavarria, at 325/329-5501.

### FORMULARIO DE MUESTRA

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New Listing - 8 miles NW of Ozona, 5 bedroom, 3 bath home on 10 acres	\$195,000
209 Live Oak, 3 bedroom, 2 bath	\$145,000
111 Hart, Iraan, 4 bedroom, 2 bath - <b>SOLD</b>	\$90,000
616 W. 9th St., Iraan, 3 bedroom, 2 bath	\$93,000
601 Ave. G, Ozona, 3 bedroom, 2 bath	\$96,000
301 9th St., Iraan, 4 bedroom, 2 bath - <b>SALE PENDING</b>	\$100,000
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**Acres & Lots - Crockett County**

100 acres - Rim Rock Ranch, Tract 75, w/electricity - <b>SALE PENDING</b>	\$82,500
100 acres - Rim Rock Ranch, Tract 83, includes bunkhouse - <b>SOLD</b>	\$110,000
30 acres - 8 miles NW of Ozona, no restrictions	\$150,000
99.5 acres - Texas West Ranch, w/house, electricity & well	\$179,000
100 acres - Hersey Ranch, Tract 21, w/4 bed, 2 ba mobile home - <b>SALE PENDING</b>	\$225,000
794 +/- acres - On Hwy. 163, two water wells, shop, barn and apartment	\$1,192,500
2004.7 acres - Working ranch w/3 bedroom, 2 bath house.	\$2,104,935

**Acres - Sutton County**

New Listing - 24.397 acres, within city limits, unimproved	\$100,000
New Listing - 119 acres - Loop 467, two cabins, barn & pens	\$395,000
New Listing - 2500 acres - FM 2597, highly improved	\$4,500,000
105.38 acres - North I-10 Service Road, unimproved	\$144,898
150.01 acres - Rolling Hills Ranch subdivision, Tract 5	\$250,000
184.8 acres - Rolling Hills Ranch subdivision, Tract 4	\$300,000
178.86 acres - Rolling Hills Ranch S/D, Tract 6. House, water, elect.	\$350,000
600 acres - South I-10 Service Road	\$957,000
772.35 acres - SCR 403 - Off of Hwy. 277 South	\$984,746
400 acres - 680 RR 864 - Ft. McKavett Rd., 3 bedroom/2 bath home, pens, barn	\$1,225,000
2424 acres - FM 169 - Bond Road. Four water wells, three ponds & house	\$3,400,000
3242 acres - PR 4412 - Three homes, barn, shop, pool	\$3,600,000
3934 acres - PR 4412 - Some minerals included, pens, barns, utilities	\$4,307,730

**Acres - Val Verde County**

New Listing - 1660 acres, Juno Road - Rock house & log cabin	\$2,495,000
New Listing - Live Oak Valley Ranch, Sutton Camp. Tracts from 200 acres to 1000 acres	\$850-\$995/acre
New Listing - Live Oak Valley Ranch, Ozona Camp. Tracts from 300 acres & up	\$85,000
5.46 acres - Rough Canyon at Lake Amistad - Commercial lot	\$85,000
26.27 acres - Juno Road - House, cabin, barn	\$295,000

**Acres - Other Areas**

New Listing - 2,440 +/- acres - Edwards County. Three water wells, four dirt tanks	\$3,538,000
1.7 acres - Tract 12 - San Rio River, Menard County	\$69,500
99.857 acres - Mertzon - River property w/house, barn and more	\$1,595,000
996 acres - Schleicher County - House, 3 water wells, some minerals	\$2,200,000

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New Listing - 302 11th St. - 4 bedroom, 3 bath, 2.4 Acres, large, mature pecan trees - \$229,000

New Listing - 210 Ave. J - 4 bedroom, 3 bath, newly renovated, updated kitchen - \$130,000

301 11th St. - 4 bdr., 3 1/2 bath, swimming pool, game room, 2-car garage - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$220,000

103 11th St. - 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, w/additional 2 bed, 1 bath home on Ave. A - \$245,000

101 Hummingbird Lane - 4 bedroom, 3 bath home on two lots - \$235,000

902 6th St. - 3 bedroom, 3 bath, 2 living areas, 3,800 sq. feet, carport - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$189,000

201 Ave. G - 3 bedroom, 2 bath - **SALE PENDING** - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$112,000

902 Angus Dr. - 4 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, large lot - \$98,600

904 Almond St. - 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath - \$95,000

28 Crockett Heights Dr. - 3 bedroom, 1 bath, newly remodeled, carport - \$84,500

210-A 14th St. - 2 bedroom, - **SALE PENDING** - 1 bath, I-10 frontage - \$59,000

406 Young St. - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, attached garage - \$45,000

**DEL RIO - LAKE AMISTAD**

New Listing - 2.06 Acres - Residential lot, located in Rough Canyon area - \$25,000

New Listing - 7164 Texas R2 - 3 bedroom, 2 bath condo - Lake views - \$252,500

New Listing - 103 Alamo Dr. - 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, minutes from boat ramp - \$225,000

**COMMERCIAL**

New Listing - 203 Besente - Commercial Property and building - \$18,500

New Listing - 402 Ave. E - Hwy. 163 Frontage - 0.53 acre lot - \$45,000

211 Crockett Heights Lane - Commercial property, 5 acres, 10,000 sq. ft. shop & 2,500 sq. ft. office

Country Club View Apartments - Newly Remodeled - 20 Unit Apartment Complex - \$595,000

**SONORA**

3269 W. I-10 Service Road - 6,000 sq. ft. shop, office complex on seven acres - \$395,000

**ACREAGE**

New Listing - 205 Acres - w/3 bedroom, 2 bath house  
Private water well, electricity and 2 car garage/shop - \$375,000

New Listing - 402 Ave. E - Hwy. 163 Frontage - 0.53 acre lot - \$45,000

Live Oak Ranch - 22,635 acres - Pecos River and Live Oak Creek frontage. Some minerals included.  
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200 Acres - High Lonesome Ranch, - **SOLD** - Tract 22 & 23 - \$170,000

100 Acres - High Lonesome Ranch, Tract 20, house & electricity - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$140,000

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Lake Amistad Listing - 92 Palma St.  
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PROJECT COMPLETION - TEXAS CAPITAL FUND PROJECT

Crockett County will conduct a public hearing to solicit the input of its residents concerning the completion of an infrastructure project in support of the development of the new Hampton Inn motel. The project was financed with assistance from the Texas Capital Fund of the Texas Community Development Block Grant (TxCDBG) Program administered by the Texas Department of Agriculture, under TxCDBG Contract No. 7214342. The public is invited to attend this hearing and to voice opinions and comments concerning the completed project. Location: CROCKETT COUNTY COURTHOUSE Date: Aug. 14, 2017 Time: 5:00 P.M. Residents unable to attend this public hearing may submit their comments to the office of the County Judge in the Crockett County Courthouse during regular office hours. Those in need of special assistance in order to attend the hearing should call the County Judge's Office, at (325) 392-2965, at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled hearing so that appropriate arrangements can be made. El publico en general esta invitado a asistir a esta audiencia. Las presentaciones y las discusiones se hartin en espana l para aquellas personas que asl 10 soliciten. Fred Deaton, County Judge Date published: Aug. 9,2017

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