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Lions pounce Eagles

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Ozona Lions picked up their first win of the season in a big way Friday night.

Scoring seven touchdowns, the Lions walked away with the shutout victory, 47-0, over Grape Creek.

"We played much better defensively and came away with the shutout. We improved a lot this week," said Athletic Director and Head Coach Kyle Freeman. "It's a good win."

Ozona (1-3) wowed the packed homecoming crowd with Senior Kobe Rodriguez scoring two touchdowns and carrying the ball 17 times for 170 yards, along with Sophomore Quarterback Alec Lara adding two touchdowns of his own as well as six carries for 81 yards. Lara was also 6-8 passing for 84 yards.

Sophomore Zachary Talamantez and Junior Dario Rodriguez also scored for the Lions, and Sophomore Abraham Rodriguez scored a defensive touchdown when he scooped up a fumble near the end zone. Talamantez also caught the ball two times for 48 yards.

Sophomore Sebastian De La Cruz rushed seven times for 84 yards and Sophomore Lazaro Rodriguez rushed four times for 83 yards.

Ozona had 426 yards rushing on 37 carries and 84



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

A PRIDE OF OZONA LIONS, including Abraham Rodriguez, Austin Damian and Joe Perez take down a Grape Creek Eagle Friday night. Ozona won the homecoming game, 47-0.

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2017 OHS Homecoming Queen Samantha Torralba



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

SAMANTHA TORRALBA was crowned the 2017 OHS Homecoming Queen Friday night. More homecoming photos, pages 8 and 9.

School board discusses cafeteria food complaints

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Improving the food in the school cafeterias was discussed at last week's regular board meeting.

At the Sept. 20 meeting, the board and Food Services Manager Ludy Vargas addressed complaints and concerns that have been made, many on social media, since school started.

No parents, or local citizens, who made the complaints attended the meeting. All school board meetings are open to the public. Food Services Manager Ludy Vargas also said no one has come to her with any complaints.

"This has been a hot topic lately. We have to stay within the federal guidelines. We're meeting those guidelines, but there is food that kids don't want," said Superintendent Raul Chavarria.

The district's food service program is regulated and funded through the U.S. Department of Agriculture and

the Texas Department of Agriculture.

Under the federal and state guidelines, the district can't use certain spices, sugar or salt on the food. Tortillas have to be wheat or whole grain.


Students are also required to take at least a vegetable or fruit or both.

"We offer a lot of food, but the kids just take what they like. Some kids just don't like to eat. We have a lot of picky eaters," Vargas said. "If a kid goes home and says they didn't like the food, I get blasted. I stay in compliance or we will lose the money. I follow the rules to the tea."

CCCCSD receives \$312,000 in federal funding, \$2,200 in state support, \$7,000 in ala carte cafeteria sales and \$75,500 in food service payments from parents for \$396,700.

Total expenses are \$546,775 for salaries and benefits, supplies, food, equipment and utilities. The

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Raul Chavarria, Superintendent

December 1, 2015

This is an open letter to all of the State and Federal Elected Officials that represent the children of Crockett County. CCCCSD Board Member Dwight Childress, along with all of our board members, asked me to investigate why our kids are going hungry in our schools. The answer I found is simply this; State and Federal Nutritional Guidelines cause our children to go hungry.

- Serving sizes for our kids are small and not age appropriate.
- Foods lack "taste" due to recipes requiring low sodium and spices.
- Second servings are not allowed, and excess food has to be thrown out while most kids are still hungry.
- Most food is pre-packaged, heated and not cooked by our staff. We have state of the art kitchens and excellent cooks that are not utilized.
- Rules and guidelines lack common sense and do not take into consideration kids' needs. We were written up last year for serving a package of 4 crackers. Kids are only allowed 2 saltine crackers with their lunch. This citation was our only blemish on our state inspection.

Our student population is 58% Economically Disadvantaged, and many of our kids receive their only meals from our school cafeterias. Our cafeterias have the ability to cook healthy, nutritious meals for our students. Instead, our staff is relegated to unwrapping prepackaged food and heating it in the oven. State and Federal guidelines have taken away local control to see that our kids receive a healthy well balanced meal.

I am asking you to revisit the Food and Nutrition Guidelines and consider the negative impact that current rules have on our kids. Grant our local school districts more control to insure that our kids' needs are met. Please understand that we are not asking for extra funds to feed our kids, we are just asking for the freedom to see that our kids receive a nutritious "home cooked" meal.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter. If you wish to contact me you may do so using the contact information above.

Raul Chavarria, Superintendent
Crockett County Consolidated Common School District
Quality Education Dedicated to Crockett County Youth
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THE ABOVE LETTER was submitted in 2015 by CCCCSD to state and federal officials addressing the regulations of the food service program.

Murr seeking re-election

State Rep. Andrew Murr, R-Junction, announced this week that he will seek a third term in the Texas House.

First elected in 2014, Murr has helped craft two of the most conservative budgets in Texas history, and he said he is looking forward to continuing the fight for true property tax reform, and for a smaller, more accountable state government.

"I've said since day 1 that I don't work for the state, but rather that I am an extension of local government and of the people who elected me," Murr said. "I go to work every day with one goal in mind, and that is to do everything in my power to create a state government that serves the people - not the other way around. While we have made great strides in that direction in the last three years, there is always more work to be done."

During the 84th legislative session, Murr was recognized as one of the state's rising conservative leaders when he helped add \$1.5 billion in funding for our local schools, \$2.5 billion in funding for roadways, and \$840 million for additional border security, all the while provided \$3.8 billion in tax relief to hard-working families.

For his efforts he was named a "Courageous Conservative" by the Texas Conservative Coalition, and was rated among the Top 25 most conservative House members by Texans for Fiscal Responsibility.

This year, during the 85th legislative session, Murr again helped add over \$2.5 billion in funding to Texas' public education system, shored up the health care system for retired



ANDREW MURR

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7:30 P.M. FRIDAY AT LION STADIUM**



What you should know about Equifax's data breach

As much as technology can connect us and make our lives easier, it can also make us more vulnerable to thieves. If you have a credit report, chances are you are one of 143 million American consumers who have been affected by the recent data breach at Equifax, one of the nation's three major credit reporting agencies.

According to the Federal Trade Commission, the breach lasted from mid-May through July. It exposed personal information for near-

ly half of all Americans including Social Security numbers, addresses, birth date and credit card numbers. The hackers also stole credit card numbers for about 209,000 people and dispute documents with personal iden-



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tifying information for about 182,000 people.

Equifax is alerting consumers whose information has been breached through email. It is also working with state and federal authorities.

Additionally, Equifax has launched a website called equifaxsecurity2017.com to alert consumers if their information was exposed. Users must enter their last name and last six digits of their Social Security number to be notified if they were affected by the breach.

BBB advises you to take the following additional steps to help protect your information:

- Monitor your accounts regularly. Check every charge on your statements. Scammers often test cards with smaller charges before racking up large bills. Confirm each charge on your account line by line.
- Get a security freeze on your credit reports. A freeze will put your information on lockdown, meaning the credit bureaus can't give it out with-

out your permission making it more difficult for an identity thief to open an account in your name. A security freeze will not impact your credit score or impair your ability to use your existing credit cards. To be effective, a freeze must be set up with all three credit bureaus: Experian, TransUnion and Equifax.

- Enroll in free identity protection services. Whether or not you were affected, U.S. consumers are eligible to receive a year of free credit monitoring and other servic-

es. Visit equifaxsecurity2017.com to enroll. You have until Nov. 21, 2017.

- Check your credit report. Any accounts or activity you don't recognize could be an indicator of identity theft. Remember, you are entitled to one free report from each credit reporting agency annually. To see your report, visit annualcreditreport.com.

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Celebrating centuries of Hispanic contributions

Each year, we celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month from September 15 through October 15

in order to reflect on the tremendous historical and cultural contributions that Hispanics have made in our communities. There is no place that this rich history is more evident than right here in the 23rd Congressional District of Texas. From the Mission Trail in El Paso to the one in San Antonio, we proudly display centuries of Hispanic achievements that make this part of the state unique from any other place in the nation. While we celebrate our Hispanic Heritage all year long in South and West Texas, it's great to pause and use this month as an opportunity to highlight some of the great Hispanic-Americans who have impacted the course of our history.

In Tornillo and the El Paso area, a name you've likely heard is Marcelino Serna. He was a real hero who, during two World War I battles in France, killed thirty-two enemy soldiers and single-handedly captured twenty-four Germans. For his acts of courage and honor, Private Serna was honored by the U.S. Army with two Purple Hearts and the Distinguished Service Cross, the highest honor that a soldier can receive after the Medal of Honor. This was presented by General John J. Pershing, and Serna became the most decorated World War I Veteran from Texas. In addition to receiving these honors, he received two "Croix de Guerre", the highest honor in France, one of which was presented to him by the Supreme Commander of Allied troops in Europe, Ferdinand Foch. He was buried with full military honors at Fort Bliss National Cemetery.

Honoring him became one of my legislative priorities when I was first elected in 2014. The newly-named Tornillo-Marcelino Serna Port of Entry is a constant reminder not just of his tremendous accomplishments but also of the countless Mexican-American immigrants that have risked their own lives to keep our nation safe.

As you work your way west in TX-23 among its 29 counties, you'll find Zavala County, which is named after Lorenzo de Zavala. He was the interim Vice President of



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the newly founded Republic of Texas, and also was a signer of the Texas Declaration of Independence from Mexico. By the time that Zavala arrived in Texas in July 1835, he had

already held office on the local, state and national levels in the Mexican Colonial, Imperial, and National governments. Zavala's legislative, executive, ministerial, and diplomatic experience, together with his education and linguistic ability, uniquely qualified him for the role he was to play in the drafting of the constitution of the Republic of Texas. Lorenzo de Zavala was buried at his home in a small cemetery plot marked by the state of Texas in 1931.

The eastern most part of my district includes my hometown of San Antonio - The Alamo City. An often-unsung hero of the infamous Battle of the Alamo was Andrea Castañón Villanueva, better known as Madam Candelaria. Madam Candelaria was a mother of four and raised twenty-two orphans. She nursed the sick and aided the poor. It is said that she was inside the Alamo during the 1836 battle and nursed the ailing Jim Bowie.

Since evidence of survivors was sparse, this claim was never confirmed, but in 1891 the Texas Legislature granted her a pension of twelve dollars a month honoring her as an official Alamo survivor and for her work with smallpox victims in San Antonio. Madam Candelaria is buried in San Fernando Cemetery.

We should celebrate the remarkable contributions of local legends like Private Serna, Lorenzo de Zavala and Madam Candelaria, because every aspect of South and West Texas culture is interwoven with achievements of Hispanic Americans.

This fact is not just something to honor this month, but for the rest of the year.

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

And You Think I'm Cheap?

Did you ever wonder where some of the curious expressions that we use very day originated? I have. For example, I wish someone would tell me when I engage in conversation it is referred to as "shooting the bull?" Why do people say I'm not worth a "hill of beans" or that I'm "full of prunes?" Why does my wife always have a "bone to pick with me" and what did I ever do to deserve being called henpecked, a piker, or a four flusher?

I don't want to "make a mountain out of a mole hill" here but I would like to illustrate how at least one of these phrases originated. I'm sure you've never heard this version before so I thought I'd "turn over a new leaf" and tell you a totally true story for once.

It seems that Duane wanted to go into Spokane to buy a new pair of jeans because his 15 year old pair were showing signs of excessive wear. Don't get me wrong, Duane was not poor, in fact Duane had done quite well in the purebred cattle business. Duane "had more money than he could keep dry." It's just that he never would spend any of it. To give you an idea of how cheap Duane is I am told when he's sleeping he always gets out of bed to turn over so he won't wear out the sheets. Yet "he has enough money to burn a wet mule."

Back to my true story. Duane loaded up his wife and their best friends, a neighboring couple about their age. For



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the long journey to Spokane Duane's wife had packed a basket of Spam sandwiches with mayo on white bread so it would not be necessary to stop at one of those expensive truck stops along the way. The trip was an adventure due to the age of Duane's car. It was so old it was still insured for theft, fire and Indian raids. It was about "to kick the bucket" you could say. His license plate holder proudly stated, "My other car is a piece of junk too."

Duane, along with his wife and two guests, pulled up in front of the Goodwill store in Spokane. It was at this moment that Duane was introduced for the first time to one of the modern wonders of the twentieth century... the parking meter. They weren't here the last time Duane bought pants!

At first Duane thought the parking meter was a pay toilet for dogs but then he read the instructions and let out a howl that could be heard all the way to Boise.

"One cent for 12 minutes! Just to park?" screamed Duane. "They want an arm and a leg just to park," he told his wife, who wholeheartedly agreed.

Reluctantly, Duane reached down into his one way pockets and pulled out two pennies. It was the first time Abe Lincoln had seen the sun for months. For his two pennies Duane got 24 minutes. He thought that would allow plenty of time to try on one pair of used pants. Duane walked into the store where he had bought his last pair of pants 15 years ago and announced, "Well, here I am again. I bet you thought I'd kicked the bucket or was wearing a pine overcoat by now?"

Unfortunately, the Goodwill store didn't have the exact pants Duane wanted. They were "close but no cigar," so the group left in a hurry. The two wives didn't want the trip to be a total waste of time so they suggested that they drive six blocks down the road to another marvel of the late 20th century: the outlet mall. But when Duane looked at the parking meter he noticed that he had 13 minutes left.

"I am not leaving until those 13 minutes are up," he stubbornly announced. So the ladies began walking the six blocks through the worst part of Spokane while Duane sat in his old car waiting for the red flag to pop up. When it did he drove down the street a few blocks to pick up the girls.

Cross my heart and hope to die that is how the phrase, "getting your two cents worth," originated.

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Governor extends aid for widespread needs caused by Hurricane Harvey

AUSTIN — Gov. Greg Abbott on Sept. 20 extended his state disaster declaration for 60 counties affected by Hurricane Harvey.

"As Texans continue to recover from this storm, I want to make it absolutely clear that the State of Texas will be there every step of the way. This disaster declaration extension will help ensure affected communities continue to get the resources they need to rebuild and return to full operation. Although the road to recovery will be long, Texas is fully committed to doing everything we can to assist those in need along the way," Abbott said.

State disaster declarations must be renewed every 30 days for assistance to remain available, and Abbott said he would continue to renew the declarations as needed.

On Sept. 20, Abbott and Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton urged President Trump to ensure that churches and other religious organizations

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are treated equally with other nonprofits and not excluded from Federal Emergency Management Agency disaster funding for victims of the storm.

FEMA rules offer assistance to private non-profit organizations, including zoos, performing arts centers and museums, but facilities established or primarily used for religious activities are excluded, Abbott and Paxton said.

The president, they added, has the authority to include churches and other houses of worship in FEMA's definition of a "private nonprofit facility."

TxDOT, through the website DriveTexas.org, provides a way for travelers to choose routes in, around or through hurricane-stricken areas of the state. TxDOT said that with more than 500 state roadway closures during the height of Hurricane Harvey, the DriveTexas.org website

was visited more than 5 million times as drivers searched to check road conditions, find alternate routes and see closures on state roadways.

AG argues for Senate Bill 4 Litigators for the Texas Attorney General's Office on Sept. 22 presented oral arguments in the New Orleans-based U.S. Court of Appeals for the 5th Circuit for a stay of a district court order that blocked Senate Bill 4 from taking effect on Sept. 1.

The Texas Legislature passed SB 4, known as the "sanctuary cities" bill, in May, intending to set a statewide policy of cooperation with federal immigration authorities tasked with enforcing federal immigration laws. The bill was passed with all Republican lawmakers voting in favor and all Democrats voting against.

SB 4 requires state and local law enforcement agencies to detain individuals pursuant to the U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement federal detainer program.

"Enforcing immigration law helps prevent dangerous criminals from being released into Texas communities. Supreme Court

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE NEWS

Hampton Inn holds ribbon cutting

BY SHANON BIGGERSTAFF
OZONA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Chamber Board of Directors, staff and ambassadors, county officials, family and friends and local business owners all gathered at a Ribbon Cutting Monday, Sept. 18, to welcome the Hampton Inn as a new business to the community of Ozona.

Chamber President, Shanon Biggerstaff, introduced the Hampton Inn by Hilton Hotel Manager Amit Patel and attendees to the event.

"We have 72 rooms, outside designated smoking areas, rooms with two queen size and one king beds," Patel said. "Our rooms have 43-inch LED TVs, Dish Network, wireless or wired Internet, microwaves, coffee makers, refrigerators, irons and hair dryers. We have both a business and fitness center available to our guests. Our meeting room can accommo-



THE HAMPTON INN held a ribbon cutting event with the Ozona Chamber of Commerce on Sept. 18.

date 50 people. It includes a built-in projector with available screen, sound system and an area to set up refreshments or a meal. It is available to local groups as well. We also have digital check in and digital key. This allows guests to check in online or via the Hilton mobile app. Customers may also choose to receive a digital key which

is accessed through the app and their smart phone becomes the key to access their room and other areas of the hotel allowing guests to bypass the front desk if they choose."

Guests were then enjoyed a tour of the property which included a "Welcome to Ozona" corner. Overnight guests will find every-

thing from a toothbrush and toothpaste to first aid supplies, snacks, drinks, sandwiches, ice cream and more. Following the tour, participants enjoyed a catered meal by El Chatos in the hotels breakfast area.

For more information, call the Hampton Inn at (325) 392-1449 or email amit.patel4@hilton.com.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, Sept. 27

- OMS Cross-Country Teams at Christoval
- Exercise Class, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OES Pride Lunch for Kindergarten, Second, and Fourth Grades
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Youth dinner, 6 p.m. at the Friendship Baptist Church

Thursday, Sept. 28

- Ozona Lions QB Club, 6:15 a.m. at Mi Familia Restaurant
- Flu Shot Kick-Off, 8 a.m.-6 p.m. at the EMS Building
- 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
- OMS Lions vs. Reagan County, 5 p.m. at Lion Stadium
- JV Lions vs. Reagan County 6 p.m. at Big Lake

Friday, Sept. 29

- End of the First Six Weeks at CCCSD
- Exercise Class, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Knights of Columbus Pancake Supper, 5 p.m. at the Civic Center
- OHS Lions vs. Reagan County, 7:30 p.m. at Lion Stadium
- High School Fifth Quarter, after the football at the Civic Center. Sponsored by New Beginnings Ozona

Saturday, Sept. 30

- OHS Cross-Country at Alpine
- Concho Valley Pre-Marching Contest in San Angelo

Monday, Oct. 2

- Exercise Class, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Financial Peace University, 5:30 p.m. at the Crockett County Extension Office
- OHS Band Practice, 7-9 p.m. at the Lion Stadium

Tuesday, Oct. 3

- Exercise with Niki Bishop, 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Crafts with Rhonda Shaw, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OMS Cross-Country at the Ozona Meet
- Crockett County Commissioners' Court Special Called Meeting, 5 p.m. at the courthouse annex.
- Friends of the Library Annual Meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the library
- Living Compass, 6 p.m. at the Ozona United Methodist Church

Wednesday, Oct. 4

- OHS Cross-Country at the Ozona Meet
- Exercise Class, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OES Pride Lunch for Pre-K, First, Third and Fifth Grades
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center

Family Health Center Flu Shot Kickoff Thursday

The Family Health Center will host the annual Flu Shot Kick-Off at The Crockett County EMS Building on Thursday, Sept. 28, from 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

We will file your insurance for your flu shot, so please have insurance cards handy in the event that we don't have yours on file. Also if you work for a company that

pays for your vaccine, please bring your prepared paperwork," said Susan Bilano, clinic director.

Cost of the vaccine is \$30 without insurance or with Medicaid.

Children 14-17, who are accompanied by a parent, can get their vaccine at the drive-through. Children 13 and under will need to come

to the clinic to get theirs.

For patients 65 or older, there is a special flu vaccine prepared just for you.

For the high dose flu vaccine, schedule an appointment with one of the providers during normal clinic hours, Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Anyone that misses the flu shot kick-off, they can

come into the urgent care from 6-7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29, through Wednesday, Oct. 4, to be vaccinated.

After that date, call the clinic (325) 392-3788 for further information on additional dates and times.

"Remember, wear short sleeves on Thursday and we look forward to seeing your smiling faces," Bilano said.

Friendship Baptist Church hosting youth dinner tonight

Friendship Baptist Church is going to be serving a light dinner every last Wednesday of the month for all children of the Ozona Community.

The first youth dinner will

be tonight, Sept. 27 at 6 p.m.

There will be having a short praise and worship service followed by light dinner and fellowship.

All children, kindergar-

ten through seniors are welcome.

We are excited to fellowship with Ozona's youth and can't wait to see everyone.

The church is located at

611 Ave I.

For more information, call (325) 226-8391.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Sept. 27 - Ann Harmsen, Lara Sue Baggett, Zachary Polk, Betty Tambunga, Bobbie Griffin, Consuelo Garcia, Eva Vasquez, Tyler Vitela, Reese Howard and Lori A. Martinez

Sept. 28 - Vicky Yruegas, Sadie Davidson, Cameron Ochoa, Makayla Renee Flores, Mary Welty, Kimberly Balderama, Elva Ramirez, Mari Longoria, Edward Chipman Jr. and Bailey Badillo

Sept. 29 - Griselda Tambunga, Allee DeHoyos, Kodi Glosson, Kailyn Preddy and Paige Villarreal

Sept. 30 - Jeffrey Stuart, Barbie Myers, Paul De

La Garza, Tom Ben Williams, Michael Garza, Joey Arredondo, Cheyenne Taylor, Guy W. Hester, Elizabeth Upham and Griselda Tambunga.

Oct. 1 - Leslea B. Fierro, Nancy Gutierrez, Chase DeHoyos, Michael Morelli, Debra Burk and Fay Henry

Oct. 2 - James Hurt, Jessica Luckie, Lu Ingram, Susan Hester, Mike Miller, Aryn Danre Sanchez and Brandi Trevino

Oct. 3 - Marolyn Bean, Lizette De La Cruz, Kyann Slaughter, Margaret Longoria, Robert Tambunga, Sue Ellen Crawford, JoLynn Rodriguez and Autumn Gonzales

CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H NEWS

4-H Banquet Oct. 19

The Crockett County 4-H Achievement Banquet will be held 6 p.m. Oct. 19 at the Crockett Room.

The event is to celebrate the 2016-2017 4-H Year. Meal will be provided. RSVP to 392-2721 by Oct. 17.

Community Service and Leadership Award Applications are available in the 4-H Office and are due by 4 p.m. on Oct. 6.

SHOOTING SPORTS COACHES TRAINING

District 6 4-H Youth Development program will be hosting a 4-H Shooting Sports Coaches Training in the four disciplines of archery, pistol, rifle and shotgun on Oct. 21-22 in Fort Stockton.

Individuals must be an active 4-H member or volunteer in 4-H Connect in order to register for the event. No exceptions.

Registration fee is \$120. Registration will be Sept. 25-Oct. 10 through 4-H Connect.

For more information, call the Crockett County Extension Office at (325) 392-2721, Charlene Belew, District 6 Office, at (432) 336-8585 or email c-belew@tam.u.edu or visit d64h@tam.u.edu and click on the contests/events tab.

D6 FALL ROUNDUP

The District 6 4-H Fall Roundup will be held Dec. 1-2 in Big Spring at Howard

College Campus.

Friday will be Quiz Bowl competition.

Saturday will be Consumer Decision Making, Educational Presentations, Entomology ID, Food Challenge, Food Show, Public Speaking and Share-the-Fun.

For more information, call the extension office at 392-2721.

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.

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

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- Wednesday, September 27 Hamburger Steak
- Thursday, September 28 Chicken Tacos
- Friday, September 29 Fried Fish
- Saturday, September 30 Patty Melt - \$8.99
- Sunday, October 1 Steak Bits
- Monday, October 2 Meat Loaf
- Tuesday, Oct. 3 ... Chicken Fried Steak Ranchero
- Wednesday, Oct. 4 Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce

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OCT. 3

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OCT. 4

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What about cholesterol in the brain?



HERE'S TO YOUR HEALTH

JIM FISH

The human brain is comprised of two hemispheres of fat in gray and white matter; up to 80 percent of fat by dry weight (+/-). Of this, roughly half is protective saturated fat and contains 25 percent of our body's total amount of cholesterol, much of it in the form of myelin.

"Myelin coats every nerve cell and every nerve fiber like the insulating cover around electric wires. Apart from insulation, it provides nourishment and protection for every tiny structure in our brain and the rest of the nervous system." - from "Cholesterol: Friend Or Foe?" by Natasha Campbell-McBride, MD, MMedSci (neurology), MMedSci (nutrition).

"People who start losing their myelin develop a condition called multiple sclerosis. Well, 20 percent of myelin is cholesterol. If you start interfering with the body's ability to produce cholesterol, you put the very structure of the brain and the rest of the nervous system under threat."

Science does not support the myth that the brain requires we eat 130 grams of glucose. A secret weapon of sorts, the human brain is unique in all of nature, with the ability to rely on special units of energy produced from fat, known as ketones, in an on-going basis. Only human brains are capable of this.

So, what does our brain do with all that fatty composition and unique fat-based energy? It solves complex sophisticated problems at lightning speed, which no computer can match, and it can philosophically ponder the sophisticated origins of our vast universe and very existence.

Every nerve cell and fiber in the human body is made with cholesterol.

All the steroid hormones, including Vitamin D, the sex and adrenal hormones are as well. Drugs that reduce the liver's production of it will affect the hormonal balance

and result in damage to the body in general. Cholesterol is the solution, not the problem. In most cases inflammation is the problem to which the body's immune system is dispatched

to counter. Cholesterol is the immune system's messenger and agent, reconnoitering our good health and wellbeing.

"Pharmaceutical companies and those people in the pockets of pharmaceutical companies have altered the definition of high cholesterol in order to increase the number of people who are eligible to take cholesterol medications... how many people who have been told they have 'high' cholesterol, in fact have a normal cholesterol level." - Justin Smith, May 28, 2016, from his article, "Creating the 'High' Cholesterol Myth - Why Your Cholesterol Level is Normal and NOT High."

For millions of years, cholesterol has been key in the production of most our body's hormones. It is in a constant constructing and repairing cells and nerve fibers in our brains and throughout our bodies, cholesterol facilitates optimum health and homeostasis. We would not have survived without it.

What is extraordinary is that we acquired these incredible neurological machines because we put down the bamboo leaves and picked up the marrow bones (and cracked them open). Without this fundamental shift 3.39 million years ago, we might have just been another potbellied primate, foraging fourteen hours a day along the forest floor and joining our social order by picking the tasty bugs off our neighbors' backs.

Did our taste for meat and fat allow for our big, hungry brain? We don't know for sure (though it is likely), but we know that humans allocate a much higher proportion of their energy expenditure to their brain than any other mammal or primate our size. And by developing (relatively) carnivorous digestive tracts and robust gallbladders, we could fulfill this energy need by digesting meat and animal fat instead of plant matter, thereby ensuring a calorically dense diet... something that hours of foraging and digesting leaves and plants could never do.

The preceding is paraphrased from Primal Fat Burner, the latest tome by Nora Gedgaudas, CNS, NTP, BCHN to hit the bestseller list.

Our brain is under a greater threat today than any other part of us, at any other time in human history; from all the chemicals, toxins, Franken-foods and malnutrients we ingest and to which we are exposed daily.

I'll give the last word to Dr. David Perlmutter, "In putting together Grain Brain, the science that I found painted a very clear picture of the true nature of cholesterol. The fact is: cholesterol isn't the harbinger of nutritional doom that many would have you believe. In fact, study after study has linked cholesterol to improved attention/concentration, learning, memory and abstract reasoning. Further, avoid the dangerous statins drugs... statin drugs could be one of the worst things we can do to our bodies. Instead, focus on maintaining a healthy level of cholesterol in your body. Go ahead, add a third (or even fourth!) egg to that Western Omelet you're making." Here's to your health.

JIM FISH is a certified Integrative Nutrition Health Coach. Contact him with your health related questions or for citations to this article at: (325) 276-2150, JimFishNH@usa.com or Jim Fish, P.O. Box 905, Ozona, Texas 76943

DEATH NOTICES

Jose V. Ortiz, Jr.

Jose V. Ortiz Jr. died Sept. 20, 2017. He was born April 3, 1932. Funeral service was Friday, Sept. 22, at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church with burial in Cedar Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by Kerbow Funeral Home.

He is survived by his wife Brenda, daughters Lucinda Ortiz and Elizabeth Ramirez, sons Jesus Jose Ortiz and Joe Brandon Ortiz, brother Frank Ortiz and sisters Olga Leal, Antonia Dehoyos, Roberta Schoenals and Angelina Valdez, 10 grandchildren and numerous great-grandchildren.

Online condolences can be made at kerbowfuneralhome.com.

OBITUARIES

Frances Louise Gray



Mrs. Frances Louise Gray, 93, of Rankin, Texas died on Thursday, September 21, 2017, in the Crockett County Care Center where she had been a resident for the last five years.

Graveside services were held Monday, September 25, 2017, at the Rankin Cemetery with Reverend Troy Strickland of the First Baptist Church of Rankin officiating. Arrangements were under the care and direction of Shaffer-Nichols Funeral Home of Crane.

Mrs. Gray was born on July 8, 1924, in Mexia, Texas and was married to Billy E. Gray on February 6, 1943, in Odessa, Texas. She was a housewife, and a secretary for the Western Company until her retirement. She

moved to Rankin, Texas in 1951 from Odessa. She was a Christian and a member of the First Baptist Church.

She is survived by two sons, Terry L. Gray of Midland and Tommy C. Gray of Ozona; five grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

Bingo Thursday afternoons

BY BRENDA NEWTON
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

We have a lot of puzzles that have already been worked here at the center. We need more puzzles to work. If you have some at your house that have already been worked, please bring them to us and you can trade for the ones we have.

I still have copies of the Senior Sourcebook for 2017 that lists all the services available for us older folks.

We are still doing the balanced exercised Monday and Thursday at 9:30 a.m. These are simple exercises that are done very slowly so that most are able to do them.

If you let me borrow any of your movies a while back to show here at the center, I have them here. I thank you for lending them to me and would love for you to have them back. Please come by and pick them up.

Niki Bishop is back offering the exercises on Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. She is the Wesley Nurse at the Ozona United Methodist Church and has some great exercises, along with checking your blood

pressure and keeping a record of it. Niki came last Tuesday and there was a good group. I think you would enjoy these discs. Come give it a try.

We still have Bingo on Thursday afternoons at 2 p.m. Bring your nickels and play as many cards as you can handle at a nickel a card per game. We serve Cokes and popcorn and laugh and hope we get a bingo.

Bingo social will be Oct. 9. We will be serving cheese enchiladas, beans, rice and salad. Corina Diehl will be making bread budding for dessert.

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

Exercise - 9:30 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Mexican Train - 1:30 p.m. Wednesday.

Prayer Group - 3 p.m. Wednesday.

Quilting - 9:30 a.m. Thursday.

Balance Exercise - 9:30 a.m. Monday and Thursday.

Bingo - 2-4 p.m. Thursday.

Exercise with Niki Bishop - 10:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Come on out, the coffee is on.

WHEN WE DO NOT LISTEN

We were invited to go with them to visit her sister and brother-in-law's ranch. Our friends were up in years and were a lot of fun to be around. She was taller, larger framed and weighed more and he was smaller, shorter and weighed less but one thing that stood out was his head. He was bald headed except for a small white ring of hair just above his ears. Upon our arrival her kinfolks took us on a tour of the ranch. There were all kinds of animals to see and in one of the barns something caught my eye. There was a chicken sitting on a nest. My friend wanted to see what was under the hen but his brother-in-law told him to leave her alone because she had some baby chicks and she would fight. We left the barn to go drink some coffee at the house but my friend stayed behind. Shortly, my friend arrived at the house with a handkerchief over his head and blood dripping down his nose. His wife jumped and removed the handkerchief and there were two deep scratches from the top of his head down to his eyebrows. His brother in law said, "You didn't leave that ol hen alone did you?" That chicken protecting her babies reminds me of how much God loves us, (Genesis 28:15) and is there protecting us, (2 Thessalonians 3:3). He is there for us day or night, (Psalm 121:1-8). See you in Church next Sunday. Brother J

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Worship: 11 a.m.
Sunday Worship: 6 p.m.
Wednesday Worship: 6 p.m.

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Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m.
Wed. Service: 6 p.m.

Ozona Church of Christ
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Wednesday: 7 p.m.

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Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.

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Wednesday Family Service: 6:30 p.m.

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Texas Mission of Mercy mobile dental clinic Oct. 13-14 in San Angelo

Texas Mission of Mercy is a mobile dental clinic that provides free care to those in need on a first come, first serve basis.

The program will host a clinic Oct. 13-14 at the First United Methodist Church, 37 E. Beauregard Ave. in San Angelo.

The services include basic, pain-relieving and preventive procedures, such as

dental cleanings, fillings and extractions.

Patients should arrive by 5 p.m. Because the program is first come, first serve, the clinic will stop accepting patients once capacity has been reached.

For more information, call Sara Harney, missions manager, at (512) 448-2441 ext. 203, email sara@tda.org or visit www.tmomvolunteer.org.

Card of Thanks

The family of Catarino T. Villarreal would like to thank everybody for the prayers, flowers, food, sympathy cards, and those attending from out of town. God Bless you all.
The Villarreal Family

Commissioners approve change in sheriff's budget

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Commissioners' Court approved to create a new line item in the Crockett County Sheriff's Budget during a special called meeting Monday.

The commissioners approved to move \$20,000 from the vehicle expense line item in the sheriff's 2017 budget to create the new line item.

Sheriff Robert Rodriguez said he could not go into why he needed the create the new line item, only that it was for a local investigation.

He also said he should have enough to keep his vehicles going for the rest of the year.

Rodriguez said he does have money budgeted to replace one vehicle next year, but he really needs to replace four.

Commissioner Wesley Bean said if the sheriff has money left over in the 2017 budget that could roll over into 2018 and possibly be used to purchase another vehicle.

The commissioners also approved to pay for flu shots for county employees and their spouses.

They also approved

changed order for the new wellness center for the ceiling tiles, water usage on site and the ceiling plan. Total for the change orders was \$5,724.11.

County Judge Fred Deaton said the funds are already in the wellness center's budget.

The commissioners will have a special called meeting at 5 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 3, at the courthouse annex, where they will hear presentations on fitness equipment for the wellness center and decide on options of sealed proposals or Buy Board for the equipment.

The meeting is open to the public.

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district makes up the difference in cost.

"The school cafeterias are not set up to make a profit, but rather feed students at a very low price. We are not a restaurant," Chavarria said. "We will continue to meet the federal guidelines on what we can and cannot serve. As you can see, we depend tremendously on the federal funding to help run our cafeterias."

"If we don't meet these guidelines, we're going to hit with fines and withholding of funds," added Justin Morris, board member.

The cost to eat lunch at OES is \$2.40 and \$2.55 at OMS and OHS. Breakfast is \$1.40 at OMS and OHS. Breakfast is free for all OES students.

Students on reduced price breakfast are charged \$.30 for breakfast and \$.40 for lunch.

"We're trying to keep the cost down where everyone can afford it," said Roland DeHoyos, board member.

In years past, the district has had problems of students and employees accumulating large amounts owed on individual charge accounts.

Since then, the district has changed their policy to not allowing a student to go over \$20 in charges before sending out a reminder letter to parents.

"That has worked extremely well in that we went from being owed about \$15,000-20,000 annually on charges, to just over \$1,000," Chavarria said. "I would like to remind parents that if at any time your income changes due to job loss etc., that they can apply for free and reduced lunches."

In 2015, the school board sent a letter to all state and federal elected officials representing Crockett County in regards to the state and federal nutritional guidelines.

The letter complained how the serving sizes small are not age appropriate, the lack of taste in the food due to not being able to use spices and salt, having to charge students for second helpings, how the food comes pre-packaged and how the rules "lack common sense" when it comes to students' nutrition-

al needs.

The district received a response from State Rep. Andrew Murr's office. Murr, R-Junction, represents Crockett County.

In his letter, Murr addresses policies in handling leftover food, but did not address any of the other specific areas the board mentioned.

Board President Dwight Childress said he continuously calls state and federal officials in regards to this issue.

"It's ridiculous and it's not right," he said.

Board member Travis Davidson suggested that the board or a committee look and see what other school districts are doing in regards to food service. One suggestion that was made was using the School Health Advisory Committee, which is a group comprised of parents, OHS students, community members and school employees.

"This isn't just a problem here in Ozona," Chavarria said. "We're going to explore every option we have to improve the quality and quantity in the cafeterias."

Vargas said she welcomes anyone to come visit with her about the issue. Her office is located at Ozona Elementary School or she can be reached at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5547 or (325) 226-1474.

ENROLLMENT

Chavarria presented enrollment numbers for the beginning of the 2017-2018 school year.

OES has 388 students; OMS has 181 students and OHS has 187 students for a district total of 756.

This is 32 students less than this time last year.

Chavarria said OES lost a large class of fifth-graders that are now sixth-graders at OMS. That class has 71 students and is the biggest class in the district.

The smallest class is this year's seniors at 40 students.

"With the economy the way it is, the younger students tend to move off," Chavarria said.

The attendance rate is 97.74 percent throughout the district. OES is 98.24 percent; OMS is 97.77 percent and 97.20 percent.

The district's goal is always 97.5 percent.

"We are always above the state average in our atten-

dance rate," Chavarria said.

WATER AT OES

Chavarria also said there was misinformation on Facebook about the water at the elementary school being sewer water.

The Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District was pressure testing the pipes for the new jail facility causing the water in the school to turn brown for a little while.

The water department testing the water at the elementary school and the water is fine to drink, Chavarria said.

BUS SAFETY

Chavarria also wanted to remind everyone that when a bus is stopped and lights are flashing, vehicles should not go around the buses in the pickup and drop off areas.

"We are just reminding everybody to observe the law," he said.

According to the Texas Department of Public Safety, state law requires that approaching drivers stop when a bus is stopped and operating a visual signal - either red flashing lights or a stop sign. Drivers should not proceed until the school bus resumes motion; the driver is signaled by the bus driver to proceed; or the visual signal is no longer activated. A driver does not have to stop for a school bus that is operating a visual signal if it is on a highway with roadways separated by an intervening space or physical barrier.

As a reminder, school buses, by law, must stop at all railroad crossings.

Drivers who illegally pass school buses face fines up to \$1,250 for the first offense, and potential criminal charges if they cause serious bodily injury to another. For individuals convicted of this offense more than once, the law allows the individual's driver license to be suspended for up to six months. A ticket for illegally passing a school bus cannot be dismissed through defensive driving.

THE BOARD ALSO:

Reviewed the School Safety Audit.

The next regular meeting will be held 6:30 p.m. Oct. 18 at the Administration Building.

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teachers, and overhauled the Child Protective Services and Texas' foster care program. The CPS reforms include hiring almost 600 new CPS case-workers, enhancing foster care provider rates, and providing additional support for families who take in abused children (also known as kinship care).

In 2017, Texans for Fiscal Responsibility once again rated Murr in the top 20 percent most conservative members of the House.

Also this year, during the recently concluded special session of the Texas Legislature, Murr authored the most groundbreaking legislation in recent memory to change the way in which we fund public schools in Texas.

Following Governor Abbott's directive to address property tax reform, Murr filed a bill that would have finally ended the "Robin Hood" school finance system, and it would have cut the average property owner's tax bill by almost 50 percent.

Although the legislation was not passed into law, Murr said he will continue to take the lead on this issue until true property tax reform is realized.

"I hear from constituents every day about their property tax concerns," Murr said. "They want real relief, and the only way that will ever happen is by changing the way the state funds its constitutional obligations to provide public education for our children. Slashing property taxes will give families greater opportunities for home ownership, it will protect existing homeowners from skyrocketing appraisals, and it'll make sure that we stop punishing people for owning their little piece of Texas. Coming from a family of ranchers, this is a moral issue to me as much as it is a financial issue."

Murr said, "It's been an

honor to serve the people of District 53. I am humbled by the support I have received across our 12 counties, and I look forward to continuing our work together to benefit our district and the entire state."

House District 53 includes Bandera, Crockett, Edwards, Kimble, Kerr, Lla-

no, Mason, Medina, Menard, Real, Schleicher and Sutton Counties and covers approximately 15,000 square miles of rural Texas.

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JV gets big win over Eagles

GRAPE CREEK - The JV Lions brought home a 45-12 win over the Grape Creek Eagles on Sept. 21.

Jose Dominguez scored four touchdowns, including one for 90 yards.

Jaden Fay caught one touchdown.

"He (Fay) played extremely well on both sides of the ball," said Coach Steven Jackson.

Jesse Vega threw for one touchdown and ran for another.

Joseph Hernandez ran for a touchdown.

"The team overall played extremely well at the state. We had a drop off in the second quarter, but then came back after halftime and shut out Grape Creek in the second half," Jackson said.

The JV will face Reagan County at 6 p.m. Thursday at Big Lake.



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN
JOSE DOMINGUEZ scored four touchdowns in last week's game against Grape Creek.

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yards passing on six completed passes and 510 total yards of offense.

Defensively, the Lions were all over the Eagles with Abraham Rodriguez making nine tackles, Lazaro Rodriguez making eight tackles, and Senior Mark Ybarra and Dario Rodriguez each making each tackles. Ybarra also had two sacks.

Despite the win, Freeman said the team still has work to do heading into this week's match against Reagan County.

"I am disappointed in how we handled the ball. We had five fumbles, and we have to fix that. Ball security has to be a priority for us," Freeman said.

The Owls (3-1) rallied from a 20-point deficit last week to get the 42-34 win over Forsan with Quarterback Alex Chavez finishing the night with 341 yards of offense.

Kickoff is 7:30 p.m. Friday at Lion Stadium.



TIFFANY ESPARZA | SPECIAL TO THE OZONA STOCKMAN
ABRAHAM RODRIGUEZ flips over a Grape Creek Eagle after making a tackle as Kyle Lewis (#65) looks on during Friday's homecoming game. Ozona won 47-0.

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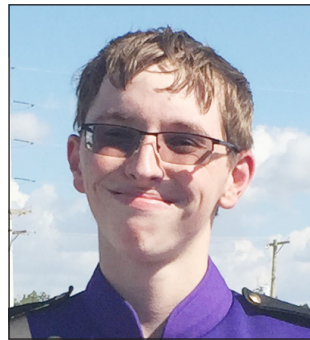


Alec Lara
Offense



Mark Ybarra
Defense

OHS Band Student of the Week



Chantz Elliott



SHANNON FREEMAN | SPECIAL TO THE OZONA STOCKMAN
CARLOS CANTU (left) outruns two Grape Creek defenders to score a touchdown for the Eighth Grade Lions in their home opener last week. Ozona won 32-24. Cantu made two touchdowns and had 200 yards rushing.

VARSITY LIONS
Friday, Sept. 29
vs. Reagan County - 7:30 p.m. - at Lion Stadium

JV LIONS
Thursday, Sept. 28
vs. Reagan County - 6:00 p.m. - at Big Lake

OMS LIONS
Thursday, Sept. 28
vs. Reagan County - 5:00 p.m. - at Lion Stadium

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OMS - Sept. 27 - Christoval
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Rocksprings	37
Irion County	16
Coahoma	34
Bangs	26
Sonora	32
Jim Ned	28
Mason	58
Iraan	7
Alpine	20
Crane	12
Reagan County	42
Forsan	34
McCamey	54
Bronte	0
Eldorado	20
Miles	13
Stanton	31
Christoval	0
Anthony	19
Van Horn	6
Goldthwaite	32
Junction	12

OMS Lions take on Grape Creek Eagles

The OMS Lions had their home opener last week against Grape Creek.

The Eighth Grade Team won 32-24.

Carlos Cantu had 20 carries for 200 yards and two touchdowns. He also had a two-point conversion and a sack for a safety.

Matthew DeLaGarza had a 45-yard touchdown reception from Lane Smith.

Smith added another rushing touchdown and two two-point conversions.

Other notable players were J.D. Ramirez, Xaden Badillo and Keanu Perez, said Coach Justin Doiron.

The Seventh Grade Lions lost 22-14.

Logan Fay scored two touchdowns and Max Everett had a two-point conversion.

Levi Bishop also played hard from start to finish, Doiron said.

The OMS Lions will take on Reagan County at 5 p.m. Thursday at Lion Stadium.



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SEVENTH GRADE LIONS Levi Bishop, Logan Fay and Logan Thompson all bring down a Grape Creek Eagle in Thursday's game.

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Lions third at Lubbock Invitational

The OHS Cross-Country Teams ran at the Lubbock Invite Meet Saturday at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock.

"This was a really tough meet with some of the top competition in the state," said Coach John Esparza.

The Lions finished third overall behind top state-ranked Sundown and fourth state-ranked Boys Ranch and ahead of seventh state-ranch Sunray, who placed fifth. Crosbyton placed fourth.

Roman Esparza continued to be the lead runner for the Lions, finishing fourth with a time of 17 minutes, nine seconds, which was a 45-second improvement on the course, said Coach Esparza. The course is also used for the Region I Meet.

Humberto Torralba placed 25th at 18:43.90; Manuel Torralba 26th at 18:47.30; Danny Posadas 27th at 19:18.70; Josh Mahannah 38th at 19:18.70 and Marco Rodriguez 45th at 20:01.10.

"Danny Posadas, Manuel and Humberto Torralba continue to be the biggest dif-



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ference in each race as they come in so close together and have kept our scores down. Freshman Josh Mahannah stepped up and had to be our

number five and did a fantastic job. Marco Rodriguez also ran well and was able to beat Sunray's number five, which really helped us," Coach Es-

parza said. "The guys continue to show improvement as we move towards district."

The Lady Lions placed 11th as a team. The girls said had four state-ranked teams running, Coach Esparza said.

Kenzie Talamantez was once again the top runner finishing 24th at 13:28.20.

Roslynn Mendez was 44th at 14:00.90; Norah Rodriguez 57th at 14:16.60; Itzel Esmerado 58th at 14:16.80; Dorisel Sanchez 106th at 16:02.80; Karina Marmolejo 130th at 16:59.90; Cameron Ortiz 133rd at 17:30.30.

"On the girls side, we continue to show improvement with everyone dropping at least 10 seconds off their times on one of the toughest courses that we will see all year. Our girls that returned from last year took almost a minute off their times from last year," said Coach Esparza. "Each of our girls continue to improve as we move through the season, we still have a ways to go to get where we want to be."

OMS and OES participating in Walk to School Day Oct. 4

Ozona Middle School and Ozona Elementary School will participate in Walk to School Day on Oct. 4.

Come walk to school with Lucky the Lion and the OHS Cheerleaders.

Join children and adults around the world to celebrate the benefits of walking. Students, staff, parents and community members will be meeting at the town square at 7 a.m. and will begin walking to school at 7:10 a.m.

For more information, call CCCSD Nurse Farran Morris at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5507 or email farran.morris@ozon-schools.net.

Knights of Columbus Pancake Supper Friday

The Knights of Columbus will hold a Pancake Supper starting at 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 29, at the Civic Center.

Cost is \$5 per plate. Proceeds will benefit local community events and scholarships.

CCCCSD School Menus

Sept. 27-Oct. 4

Cafeteria Costs:	
Ozona Elementary School Breakfast is free for all students! Lunch is \$2.40 and Reduced Lunch is \$0.40	LUNCH Wednesday Cheeseburger, hamburger garnish, broccoli, sweet potato fries, mixed fruit, crispy cereal treat and milk.
Ozona Middle & Ozona High Schools Breakfast is \$1.40 and Reduced Breakfast is \$0.30 Lunch is \$2.55 and Reduced Lunch is \$0.40 Menus are subject to change. To learn more about school meals, call Ludy Vargas (325) 392-5501 ext. 5547	Thursday Pizza choice, garden salad, carrots, apple slices and milk.
	Friday Barbecue on a bun, coleslaw, green beans, orange smiles and milk.
	Monday Hamburger or cheeseburger, hamburger garnish, oven fries, fresh veggie cup, mixed fruit and milk.
	Tuesday Tex-mex stack, charro beans, Spanish rice (OHS only), salsa, tiny tomato cup, hot cinnamon apples and milk.
	Wednesday Calzone, marinara sauce, Tuscan vegetables, garden salad, peaches, cookie and milk.
BREAKFAST Wednesday Breakfast pizza or cereal and toast.	<i>Did you know that you can apply for free or reduced meals at any time? Simply stop by the Ozona Elementary School Office and pick up an application. Or let us know and we will send one home with your child. We encourage everyone to fill out an application for free or reduced meals. This form needs to be completed yearly to determine your child's benefits. If your child is approved for free or reduced meals, you will be notified as soon as possible!</i>
Thursday Sausage, egg and cheese on a croissant or cereal bar and yogurt.	
Friday Biscuit and gravy with scrambled eggs or cereal and toast.	
Monday Sausage biscuit or cereal and toast.	
Tuesday Breakfast burrito with hash brown or cereal bar and yogurt.	
Wednesday Chicken and waffles or cereal and toast.	
Pre-K: Muffin and yogurt.	
EVERYDAY - Fruit, fruit juice & milk	

JV Lions sweep Irion County Cross-Country Meet

The JV Lions swept the Spring Creek Invitational Cross-Country Meet on Sept. 20 in Mertzon.

Abraham Rodriguez won the meet with a time of 13 minutes, 46 seconds.

Marco Lozano was second at 13:01.94. Jesse Vega third at 13:28.34; Justin Yeager fourth at 13:31.19 and Christian Yruegas 13:40.36.

For the JV Lady Lions, Cassidy Gonzalez placed 21st at 20:02.80 and Paige Sanchez 24th 21:44.92.



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THE JV LIONS CROSS-COUNTRY TEAM Swept the Spring Creek Invitational in Mertzon last week.

OHS Cross-Country runs at Spring Creek Invitational

The OHS Cross-Country Teams competed in the Spring Creek Invitational last week in Mertzon.

EIGHTH GRADE BOYS

Team totals - 1. Wall; 2. Glenn; 3. Ozona; 4. Lee; 5. Sonora; 6. Eldorado; 7. Reagan County; 8. Lincoln; 9. Ballinger; 10. Sterling City; 11. Water Valley.

Individual results - 13. Jason Lopez, 13:04.62; 14. Lane Smith, 13:06.14; 21. Adam Hopper, 13:29.81; 23. Melvyn Mejia, 13:31.47; 25. Bryce Gray, 13:36.61; 38. Koltan Thompson, 14:36.25; 46. Carlos Cantu, 14:47.97; 65. Matthew DeLaGarza, 15:52.21.

SEVENTH GRADE BOYS

Team totals - 1 Lincoln; 2. Glenn; 3. Wall; 4. Ozona; 5. Reagan County; 6. Eldorado; 7. Sonora.

Individual results - 2. Logan Fay, 13:17.80; 9. Arturo Guerra, 13:59.64; 25. Max Everett, 14:48.21; 36. Hermin Villegas, 15:14.86; 38. Chance Criswell, 15:16.35; 48. Pedro Elizando, 16:00.40; 49. Jadon Martinez, 16:13.64.

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS

Team totals - 1. Glenn; 2. Wall; 3. Ballinger; 4. Eldorado; 5. Robert Lee; 6. Christoval; 7. Sonora; 8. Mason; 9. Ozona; 10. Winters; 11. Lee; 12. Reagan County; 13. Water Valley; 14. Menard; 15. Lincoln.

Individual results - 16. Ysabella Flores, 15:01.07; 24. Jacque Medina, 15:29.86; 47. Lea Quigley, 16:38.63; 61. Jazmynn Barera, 17:13.22; 108. Abby Cervantez, 21:45.85.

SEVENTH GRADE GIRLS

Individual results - 16. Ashlynn Hill, 15:11.69; 27. Natalie Rodriguez, 15:57.36; 38. Charli Oglesby, 16:42.09; 49. Christa Montgomery, 16:55.53.

OHS Cross-Country will compete today, Sept. 27, at Christoval.



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Youth Center Calendar of Events

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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

7TH & 8TH MEAL NIGHT:

Every other Tuesday 7-10 p.m.

7TH & 8TH GRADE:

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2017 OHS HOMECOMING QUEEN AND COURT: (left to right) Itzel Esmerado, escorted by Roman Tambunga, Kassidy Gonzales, escorted by Ryan Ramos, Queen Samantha Torralba, escorted by Kobe Rodriguez, Brenna Hale, escorted by Steban Flores and Makenna Fox, escorted by Marc Flores.



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SENIOR FOOTBALL MOMS



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THE OHS JUNIOR CLASS won Best Class Float with "JUNIORS - Taste the Victory."



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GLITTERING HEARTS TWIRLERS won Best Community Float.



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GOD'S GROWING CHILDREN won Best Overall Float with their Circus Theme.



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OZONA YOUTH FOOTBALL PLAYERS won Best Non-Float.

OHS Homecoming 2017



OHS SENIORS light their torches at the bonfire.

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THE 2017 OHS BONFIRE.

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OHS OVERALL SPIRIT WINNERS ROMAN ESPARZA, VICKI CHILDRESS AND ZOE JONES.

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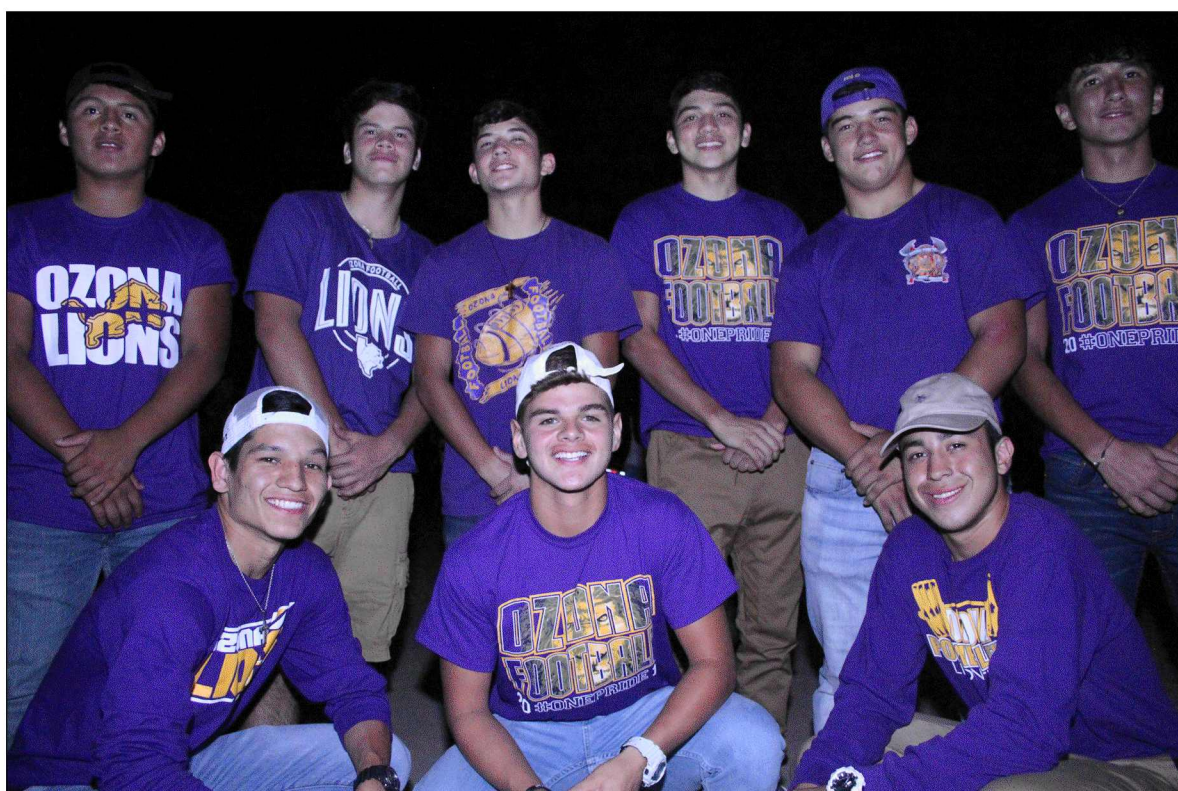
OHS SENIORS at their last high school bonfire.

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LUCKY THE LION at the OHS Bonfire.

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OHS SOPHOMORE FOOTBALL PLAYERS at the bonfire.

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OHS CHEERLEADERS AND ALUMNI CHEERLEADERS perform "Good Luck" during the pep rally.

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OHS SPIRIT WEEK WINNERS

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Agricultural leasing workshop set Oct. 19 in San Angelo

BY KAY LEDBETTER
TEXAS AGRILIFE EXTENSION

SAN ANGELO - The final program in the 2017 series of Rancher Leasing Workshops covering grazing, hunting and livestock leases is scheduled Oct. 19 in San Angelo by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service.

The workshop addresses the legal risks associated with agricultural leases, said Tiffany Dowell Lashmet, AgriLife Extension agricultural law specialist in Amarillo. The goal is to educate landowners and producers on the importance of utilizing written leases as a risk management tool.

The workshop will be from 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. at the Tom Green 4-H Center, 3168 N. U.S. Highway 67. The free program is funded by the Southern Extension Risk Management Education Center.

Lunch will be provided by Ag Workers Insurance. Participants will need to RSVP at least one week before the meeting to Kim Garcia at (806) 677-5626 or kim.garcia@ag.tamu.edu.

Joining Lashmet on the program will be Bill Thompson, AgriLife Extension economist in San Angelo.

"We will discuss the potential legal implications of failing to have a sufficient written lease and the potential legal issues and litigation that the development of written leases can help avoid," she said. "The workshops will also

familiarize participants with key terms and provisions that should be considered in lease negotiations."

Participants will receive a leasing handbook that covers legal issues, designing lease payment structures and calculating payments, and landowner liability. The book also will provide checklists and sample lease forms for negotiating lease agreements.

Lashmet said this will be the final workshop offered this year, adding the three previous events in Lubbock, College Station and Pearsall have far exceeded expectations on attendance and audience satisfaction.

Some audience reviews so far include:

"Excellent program. Met my needs for life. A morning well spent."

"Great resource and service to the people of Texas."

"I was so impressed with the professionalism and knowledge I witnessed today. I am interested in any class she teaches. I am a new landowner and a non-traditional landowner, so I need to learn from wise people in many fields."

"Very informative! My husband talked me into coming since this is really his interest on a little retirement place we own and I'm so glad I came. I thought I would want to slip out and go shopping but you hooked me in and I'm so glad I stayed. Very nicely done."

Deer Bowhunting Season starts Saturday

TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE
NEWS RELEASE

AUSTIN - Texas bowhunters will come "nocking" starting Saturday as deer hunting's early season, limited to archery equipment only, opens statewide. Hunting prospects are expected to be good across the state, according to wildlife biologists with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD).

While the archery-only season kicks off this weekend, the general gun season opener is still more than a month away on Nov. 4. A special youth-only weekend season is set for Oct. 28-29. The gener-

al season runs through Jan. 7, 2018 in North Texas and Jan. 21, 2018 in South Texas. A late youth-only season is also slated for Jan. 8-21, 2018.

Hunters are reminded of new regulations for the 2017-18 season, including the establishment of chronic wasting disease (CWD) management zones. Hunters who harvest mule deer, white-tailed deer, elk, red deer, or other CWD susceptible species within the Trans-Pecos, Panhandle, and South-Central Texas CWD Containment and Surveillance Zones are required to bring their animals to a TPWD check station within 48 hours of harvest. TPWD also urges voluntary sampling of hunter harvested deer outside of these zones.

Hunters should also be aware of rules banning importation of certain deer, elk, and other CWD susceptible species carcass parts from states where the disease has been detected, as well as the movement of the same carcass parts from CWD zones. The rules are part of the state's comprehensive CWD management plan to determine the prevalence and geographic extent of the disease and to contain the disease to the areas where it is known to exist.

For more information, visit TPWD's web site at tpwd.texas.gov.

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Weekly Activity Report

Type of Calls	Count
Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints	1
911 medical/fire assistance	4
Civil complaints	6
Civil documents served	2
Criminal complaints/disturbances/loud noise	11
Juvenile/School	2
Motorist assist/locked vehicle	6
Reckless driving/speeding complaints	4
Minor/major traffic accidents	3
Alarms	4

OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS:

9-18-17
• Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument at the Stripes store on Del Rio Street.
9-19-17
• After responding to a disturbance call on Peach Street, sheriff's deputies arrested Jose Ramirez Villarreal, of Ozona, for disorderly conduct and resisting arrest. Subject was arraigned and sent to Upton County.
9-20-17
• Sheriff's deputies took a report of stolen wiring from a construction site on State Highway 137.
9-22-17
• Sheriff's deputies responded to a disturbance on Largo Street.

• Sheriff's deputies arrested John Paul Rodriguez, of San Angelo, for possession of marijuana less than two ounces. Subject was arraigned and released on bond.
9-23-17

• Sheriff's deputies responded to a loud music call on Hickory Street.
9-23-17

• After responding to a disturbance call on Perez Street, sheriff's deputies arrested Esquivel Castillo, of Ozona, for assault. Subject was arraigned and released on bond.
9-24-17

• Sheriff's deputies took a report of theft from Dollar General.

• Sheriff's deputies arrested Joseph Michaels Tambunga, of Ozona, for theft. Subject was arraigned and is awaiting transport.
9-24-17

• Sheriff's deputies arrested Aldo Torres Balderas, of Ozona, for attempted burglary of a habitation. Subject was arraigned and released on bond.

• Sheriff's deputies arrested Michaela Leigh Goebel, of Pinos Altos, N.M., for evading arrest. Subject is awaiting arraignment.

• Sheriff's deputies arrested Carlos Guillermo Solero, of Fruitland, Fla., for possession of drug paraphernalia. Subject is awaiting arraignment.

FOR THE RECORD: COURT PROCEEDINGS

DISTRICT COURT SEPTEMBER 2017

• Daniel Lara Martinez, 40, of Ozona, assault against a family member, third-degree felony, motion to dismiss granted, charge combined with another case.

• Anita Yslas Gonzalez, 66, of Carlsbad, N.M., possession of a controlled substance,

state jail felony, motion to dismiss granted due to mistaken identity.

• Fausto Guillermo Lopez, 36, of Santa Ana, Calif., pled guilty to money laundering more than \$30,000 and less than \$150,000, third-degree felony. Sentenced to two years deferred adjudication, \$1,000 fine, 160 hours community service and \$325 court costs.

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precedent for measures similar to Texas' law make clear that Senate Bill 4 is entirely consistent with the cooperative system of government that the Constitution created," Paxton said.

It could take months for a ruling on the constitutionality of SB 4 to be released. Meanwhile, parties to the suit next will present arguments pertaining to the district court's injunction before the Fifth Circuit in November.

PROPERTY RETURN RECORD SET

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar on Sept. 21 announced his office returned a record \$281 million in unclaimed property to rightful owners during the past fiscal year, breaking the previous record of \$270 million returned in fiscal 2016.

While the comptroller's office has returned more than \$2 billion to owners since the unclaimed property program's debut in 1962, the state is currently holding more than \$4 billion in unclaimed cash and other valuables, Hegar said.

The comptroller's unclaimed property website, ClaimItTexas.org, enables individuals to search for un-

claimed property and begin the claims process.

KING TO CHALLENGE STRAUS

State Rep. Phil King, R-Weatherford, filed papers last week to run for speaker of the Texas House of Representatives in January 2019.

King currently serves as chair of the body's Homeland Security and Public Safety Committee. First elected to the House District 61 seat in 1998, King is currently the 17th-most-senior member of the body.

Speaker Straus, R-San Antonio, unanimously elected to his fifth consecutive term as leader of the Texas House, has said he intends to run for the leadership position again. If he wins, he will have been elected speaker a record six times.

INSURANCE CHIEF IS NAMED

Gov. Abbott on Sept. 21 appointed Kent Sullivan of Austin as Commissioner of Insurance for a term set to expire Feb. 1, 2019.

Sullivan is now in charge of overseeing the Texas Department of Insurance, the agency that regulates the insurance industry and protects consumers.

Sullivan, a partner at the Jackson Walker law firm, previously served as a justice on the Fourteenth Court of Appeals, as first assistant state attorney general and as a state district court judge.

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ACROSS
1 this bandleader
Archie was married to TX Evelyn Keyes
5 Port Arthur radio station before it became KDEL
6 TX B.J. Thomas hit: "___ Lonesome I Could Cry"
7 Cowboy hope (abbr.)
8 see ya later
9 high school football players wear 'em
15 Davy Crockett birth state (abbr.)
16 "I guess you had ___"
19 pre-owned vehicle (2 wds.)
21 you have ___ a gun, or you won't hit nuthin'
22 TXism: "hard as putting ___ in a windstorm"
27 TX Mildred ___ "Babe" Didrikson Zaharias
28 intuitive feeling (2 wds.)
29 8-across (2 wds.)
30 what TX Howard Hughes became
32 a Santa word
33 in Grayson County on FM 120
36 hot tubs
37 this Sam was long-time Speaker of the U.S. House (init.)
38 Salinas de ___ was Mexico president during NAFTA

39 last teenage year
41 "___ me in the middle"
42 this TX Mark is a "Shark" on TV & Mavs owner
45 this Fred coached UT from 1977 to 1986
46 ___brook, TX
47 "Star Trek" captain
48 TXism: "molar ___" (toothbrush)
49 a Fort Worth businessman and philanthropist

52 TXism: "brains in ___" (computer)
53 this Darryl pitched for the Astros (1991-97)
54 Colorado Indian
55 TX Vikki's "With in Hand" (1969)

DOWN
1 TXns do this on water mostly
2 ___ and eggs
3 Van ____, TX
4 in the TX oil boom this was used for drilling (2 wds.)
8 TXism: "___ I ever laid eyes on"
9 this is worse than one from a rattlesnake (3 wds.)
10 first two initials of 36th U.S. president, from TX
11 boot width
12 TXism: "coming apart ___" (losing control)
13 King James' "you"
14 this Elliott's #32 has been retired by the San Antonio Spurs
15 metal used to make filaments in lights
16 soft mineral found in TX
17 this scale quantifies an earthquake size
18 "Hook ___"
20 actress Moore in "Rio Grande Patrol"
22 Mineola is on ___ highways 69 and 80
23 TXism: "dull as week-old soda ___"
24 an early TXn lived in ___ cabin
25 TXism: "from womb ___" (lifetime)
26 chicken fried steak, e.g.
28 TXism: "mean ___ old range cow"
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PUBLIC NOTICE

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C
DATE OF ISSUANCE: Sep 12, 2017
NOTICE OF PROTEST DEADLINE: 5:00 PM, Oct 17, 2017
Address: Railroad Commission of Texas
ATTN: Drilling Permit Unit
P. O. Box 12967
Austin, Texas 78711-2967
Fax: (512) 463-6780
Email: SWR37@RRC.TEXAS.GOV

Rule 37 Case No. 0306713
Status/Permit No. 830661

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the OCCIDENTAL PERMIAN LTD., [RRC Operator No. 617544] has made application for a spacing exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37). Applicant seeks exception to the LEASE LINE requirement for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 70, Bk. 35, H&TC RR CO/ RENNOLDS, T M Survey, A-4938, CROSSETT, S. (DETRITAL) Field, CROCKETT County, being 4.5 miles SW direction from MCCAMEY, Texas.

PURSUANT TO THE TERMS OF Railroad Commission rules and regulations, this application may be granted **WITHOUT A HEARING** if no protest to the application is received within the deadline. An affected person is entitled to protest this application. Affected persons include owners of record and the operator or lessees of record of adjacent tracts and tracts nearer to the proposed well than the minimum lease line spacing distance. If a hearing is called, the applicant has the burden to prove the need for an exception. A Protest should be prepared to establish standing as an affected person, and to appear at the hearing either in person or by qualified representative and protest the application with cross-examination or presentation of a direct case. The rules of evidence are applicable in the hearing. If you have any questions regarding the hearing procedure, please contact the Commission's Docket Services Department at (512)463-6848. If you have questions which are specific to the Application or the information set forth in this Notice, please contact the Commission's Drilling Permit Unit at rule 37 (512)463-6751.

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST **MUST BE RECEIVED** IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE AT THE ADDRESS, FAX NUMBER, OR E-MAIL ADDRESS SET OUT ABOVE BY **Oct 17, 2017 at 5:00 p.m.** IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, YOU WILL LOSE YOUR RIGHT TO PROTEST AND THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

THIS NOTICE OF APPLICATION REQUIRES PUBLICATION

The location and identity of the well is as shown below:

FIELD: CROSSETT, S. (DETRITAL)

Lease/Unit Name : SOUTH CROSS UNIT
Lease/Unit Well No. : 279
Lease/Unit Acres : 5587.2
Nearest Lease Line (ft) : 287.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft) : 768.0

Lease Lines : 287.0 F NW L, 2101.0 F NE L
Survey Lines : 534.0 F SW L, 287.0 F NW L

Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

CROSSETT, S. (DETRITAL) :

Special Rules 467/1100, 40.0 acres.
Optional Rules 467/1100, 80.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 5800 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Sharon Wyatt, at (713)366-5162.

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Technical Permitting Section
Drilling Permit Unit
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APPLICANT: OCCIDENTAL PERMIAN LTD.
P-5 Organization No. 617544
District: 7C
Status/Permit No. 830661
Rule 37 Case No. 0306713

I, _____, representing _____,
(Print Name) (Print Name)

hereby enter a protest to this application and states he/she or his/her representative will appear in protest, through cross-examination or presentation of a direct case at a hearing called to consider this application. I further certify that I have this date mailed, faxed, e-mailed or delivered a copy of this Notice of Intent to Appear in Protest, to Applicant at the address shown in the Notice of Application Service List.

Signature _____ Date _____

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Acres & Lots - Crockett County

New Listing - .237 acre lot - 101 Sunset Drive \$25,000
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