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OZONA, TEXAS WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 2018



# CCCCSD begins exploring conceal carry options for district staff

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County CCSD is exploring options regarding conceal and carry and district staff members.

At the April 18 regular board meeting, Superintendent Raul Chavarria told the board he would like to explore options in defense of the district's campuses.

He presented two differ-

ent plans, the School Marshal must put the handgun in a Plan and the Guardian Plan, to the board.

The School Marshal Plan

· Board of trustees appoints one more specially trained and licensed employees as school marshals.

· Allowed to carry a concealed handgun, unless their primary duty involves direct and regular contact with students. In that case, the school

locked and secured safe on school grounds and within their reach.

· Concealed handgun license required.

· Must be certified by Texas Commission on Law En-

forcement.

Pass a psychological exam.

· 80 hours of TCOLE-approved instruction.

The Guardian Plan States:

· School board authorizes the designation of specified employees to carry firearms on school premises.

· The school board defines the rules and trainings requirements.

· Concealed handgun license required.

· The plans also refers to Nixon-Smiley CISD near San Antonio that recently adopted the Guardian Plan and require 80 hours of training and a psy-

chological exam.

Under both plans, the identities of the staff members who are chosen to be armed are confidential.

Christoval ISD, Ballinger ISD, San Saba ISD, Miles ISD, Wall ISD and Veribest ISD all have Guardian Plans.

In Texas, almost 17 percent of school districts — 172 out 1,023 statewide — have some sort of policy allowing armed employees, according

to the Texas Association of School Boards.

Chavarria said he plans on conducting a two-question survey of community members and district staff members regarding the issue. He will share the results with the board at the May regular board meeting.

Board Member Orlando DeHoyos would also like to

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## Commissioners start treasurer selection process, reinstate burn ban

BY MELISSA PERNER THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Commissioners' Court have begun the process in selecting a new county treasurer. During a special meeting Tuesday morning, the commissioners met for one hour in executive/closed session to review the six applications submitted for the 26, at the courthouse anposition. The applicants are nex. The meeting is open Amy Cowley, Annette De-Hoyos, Elsa Fierro, Cynthia da states the commission-Hokit, Molly Martin and Pete ers will meet in executive/

County Judge Fred Deaton said the applicants will be checked to see if they meet the requirements for the office.

Even though the commissioners are appointing someone until the end of the year to finish the term, Deaton said the person must meet the requirements as if they are running for the office. This is to finish out the term of Karen Webb, who died of a sudden illness last month.

According to the Texas Secretary of State's website, the qualifications to run for county treasurer are the person must be a U.S. Citi-

zen, a Texas resident of at least 12 months, a resident of the county or district for at least six months, must be registered to vote in the area they are elected from and 18 years of age.

Deaton said those who meet the qualifications would be called for interviews at a special meeting at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, April to the public, but the agenclosed session on personnel matters to conduct the interviews.

The commissioners also approved a countywide burn

The burn ban does not prohibit outdoor cooking in a properly contained area.

Underneath a burn ban, any control burns must have prior approval, such as being conducted by a Prescribed Burning Association, Natural Resource Conservation Service or the Texas A&M Agricultural Experiment Station.

All controlled burns shall be reported to the

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# Art Emerge Ozona





JO ANNE HEARNE was the winner of the Sunflower Painting by Ann Fowler at the Art Emerge Ozona Art Show Friday night in the Old Brown Furniture Store Building downtown. The show featured local and area artists and raised funds for the Crockett County Care Center. More photos, page 3.

# Esparza, Posadas chosen for Academic All-State Track

OHS Track Seniors Roman Esparza and Danny Posadas also named to the 2017-2018 have been named to the 2017-2018 Texas Army National Guard, Texas High School Coaches Association's Academic All-State Team.

The THSCA Academic All-State Teams recognize high school athletes who excel in the following categories: GPA, class rank and ACT/SAT score.

Students nominated for the Academic All-State Team must be an athlete, student trainer, or manager in good standing with the team, of good moral character, a senior and have an overall grade point average of 92 or above (including courses from grades 9-11 and courses completed from grade 12).

Esparza and Posadas were THSCA Academic All-State Cross-Country Team.

Both students will be competing in the Region I Track Meet April 27-28 in Odessa.

Esparza advanced in pole vault and the 800-meter run, and Posadas advanced in the 3200-meters.

Esparza recently signed a letter of intent with Cameron University in Lawton, Okla. for cross-country and track.

Posadas will be competing in the State UIL Academic Meet May 4-5 in Computer Applications.

Both students are also members of the OHS National Honor Society.





MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

ROMAN ESPARZA (left) and DANNY POSADAS were recently named to the 2017-2018 THSCA Academic All-State Track Team.



OHS TRACK TEAMS AT THE REGION I MEET FRIDAY AND SATURDAY IN ODESSA



# A better fight against cattle fever ticks

The same unscrupulous marIn the late 1800s and early 1900s a disease termed cattle fever caused enormous economic losses to the cattle industry. It is deadly to cattle that have not developed an immunity, and the mortality rate is estimated to be up to 90 percent in these "naive" cattle. The disease was found to be transferred from animal to animal by a tick found in much of the southern United States. The only viable way to prevent the disease is to control the tick that spreads it.

Today, the disease and its vector, referred to as the cattle fever tick, are not well known to most Americans who reside outside of South Texas, even those who raise cattle for a living. That is because the tick was largely eradicated from



**CATTLEMAN'S** COLUMN

FEDERICO NIETO

the United States by 1943, preventing the spread of the deadly disease. A cooperative effort between ranchers and state and federal authorities pushed the tick back to Mexico and established a buffer that became the permanent quarantine zone.

For those landowners within a quarantine zone, there are several weapons to use against the ticks. We use controlled burning, reduce the population of non-native nilgai antelope and white-tailed deer through hunting, at certain times of the year we put out ivermectin-treated corn for whitetailed deer and we systematically treat our cattle using regimens prescribed by the Cattle Fever Tick Eradication Program

This program is administered jointly by USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS) and the Texas Animal Health Commission (TAHC).

While cattle are closely monitored to prevent spreading the tick, growing wildlife populations can also inadvertently spread the tick as they travel in search of food and water. This is particularly true in the Laguna Atascosa and Lower Rio Grande Valley National Wildlife Refuges where the tick population has grown, largely unchecked. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) oversees the refuges and has begun taking steps to better control the tick on federal lands.

Previously, FWS only utilized controlled burning and limited reduction of some wildlife populations to help mitigate the tick resurgence. While this has been beneficial, additional tools have been needed to effectively control the tick on the two refuges. Thanks to TSCRA members working with USDA-APHIS and TAHC, FWS saw scientific evidence that supports the use of additional measures to eradicate the ticks on federal lands. These measures include using ivermectin-treated corn for white-tailed deer treatment and allowing cattle to graze the refuges.

FWS has recently started to allow ivermectin-treated corn

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## Looketh unto the hills

axing biblical comes easvisits beautiful Colorado. If we "looketh up"--as the psalmists did--we can do them one better on the topic of elevation. In Psalm 121, they "lifted their eyes unto the hills" from which "cameth" their strength. How about gazing even higher--yea, toward the mountains, for relaxation and refreshment? (Colorado leads the nation with 53 peaks towering more than 14,000 feet, well ahead of Alaska's 29.)

On April's second weekend, my wife and I flew to Denver, then drove upward to picturesque Mt. Crested Butte. It is one of the numerous Colorado meccas that induces skiers to salivate, dreaming of silken slopes by day and cozy fireplaces by night.

As we ascended, masses of vacationers drove downward, some of them with tear-stained cheeks. After all, they were returning to the workaday world and income tax reporting deadlines. With no "regular" working hours, we were merely seeking a quiet condo to edit a book.

There was more to get biblical about as the ski season ended. What happened provided evidence that not only does it "rain on the just and unjust alike" (Matthew 5:45), the same may also be true of snow. After a season of "spotty" snowfall, the skies opened with one of the best snow blankets of the season in most locales.

Guess who benefited? First, resort workers throughout the state applauded wildly. Finally, "skis were on the other foot," so to speak. With the season officially over for tourists, most of the employees on the slopes took advantage of "day after" benefits. On the magical day after season's end, the slopes were theirs alone for free skiing, grand rewards for their five

months or so of hard work. Also rewarded were those of us, comfy indoors with roaring fireplaces, gazing gratefully at the grandeur. It was a scene Norman Rockwell would have loved to paint--and then choose for the cover of The Saturday Evening Post magazine. Pipe in his mouth and an easel by his side, he might well have mused, "Yep, this one rates a cover." Truly, many



**IDLE AMERICAN** 

DON NEWBURY

benefited from one of the very best snowfalls of the season. The late snow was the "cherry on top," except for all those skiers who had to get back home.

Back in Texas, we swung by Tyler to pick

up our rescue dogs and visit their "hosts" during our respite in Colorado. Our arrival to the home of daughter Jana, son-in-law Kyle and "grands" Juliana, 15, and Kedren, 11, coincided with the fitting of Juliana's first eyeglasses.

It was in this setting that "little brother" was able to launch a line toward her that he'd heard many times.

Jana, the youngsters' home school teacher, is a firm disciplinarian, but softens many "corrections" with an "if-vou-weren't-so-cute" line, usually followed by something like, "You'd get in even ly directed toward "little brother," but this time she "aimed" it at Juliana....

Upon putting on her eyeglasses for the first time, Juliana flashed her best smile, indeed looking cute, as well as scholarly.

Her mom uttered the old line usually used on Kedren. "Juliana, if you weren't so cute, I'd...

Before she finished, Kedren piped in with this retort: "Look out Juliana. Mom's about to get tough with you."

Our dogs, Sadie and Sailor, were gleeful upon our arrival. Such delight can last for as long as 30 or 40 seconds.

One of them pointed a paw toward feeding bowls, contents of which had been precisely measured twice daily, but with plain dog food only. The dogs didn't protest,

but eagerly bounded into the car for the two-hour ride home. They knew that upon arrival, their meals would include small portions of meat morsels sneaked from the refrigerator to enhance their dining pleasure. Also, they anticipated a more liberal distribution of doggy treats. Life is good...

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# The Cowboy Arts

I'm proud to say that I was a vocational student, even though the rest of my high school looked down on us and we were quarantined far from the regular campus. Teachers and school administrators weren't used to straight A students and the smartest kid in the class learning to weld and one even suggested to my mom that my smarts would be wasted by taking agriculture. He suggested, "I'd make a "wonderful lawyer." If there is such a thing.

I've always been a shop rat and taking ag class meant you got to take an hour of shop every day. I've always enjoyed fixing things in our home, for neighbors, antique dealers and even museums and to me a perfect day is spending all day and evening tinkering in my shop. I've collected thousands of tools used for carpentry, welding, soldering, carving, leatherworking, engraving, jewelry making, airbrushing, embossing, tinsmithing, upholstery, blacksmithing, and engine repair. I even have some dental and orthopedic surgery tools so if you need a tooth pulled or a bone set, I'm your guy. (If you don't mind anesthesia by one of my over 100 hammers.)

I've gone through phases of what I liked to do best. I started out by wielding wrenches back when cars came straight from the factory with a sick engine or cranky transmission. When they started putting computers in cars I lost interest and switched my allegiance to wood carving and woodwork. That phase lasted until I realized a guy that's overly medicated



**PITTS** 

LEE PITTS

probably shouldn't be using a table saw. I'm lucky to have survived that phase with all my fingers intact. I've always loved to weld and one summer in the oilfields I was a pipeline welder's assistant. He discouraged my taking up the profession because he said all welders became cranky old men. I listened to his advice but became one anyway. A cranky old man, that is.

Then I found the per fect hobby: leatherworking. It satisfies two of my biggest urgings, I get to pound on things and it requires lots of tools. Some of them are wicked looking things like round knives and head knives and they took a long time to master, but here's my secret to surviving the learning phase: Super Glue. It's better than a bandaid for cuts.

I love working with leather because you can burn it, stamp it, dye it and airbrush it without all the sawdust of woodworking, and without burning your house down with a welding torch. I can make a belt in a day or two that a friend will wear for a lifetime. So far my best creations are a miniature saddle that sold for \$50,000 at a charity auction for my friend Joan Hardy's Small Miracles Foundation, and a photo album I made for the Junior Hereford Association that sold at the Nuggett auction for \$18,000 and ended up in my friend John Ascuaga's hands. So, thus far I'm averaging about \$34,000 per item just in case you wanted me to make you something.

For years I was too embarrassed by my work to stamp my name on it and hopefully most of it found new life as doggy chew toys. My biggest problem is I live in California and the state has outlawed all the old dyes and finishes that look so good. I'm left with making Indian "teas" out of strong coffee and rusty nails. And wouldn't you know it, just as soon as I mastered the art of carving flowers, oak leaves and scrolls, fads changed and bling, geometric designs and roughout saddles are all the rage. I can non-tool a saddle as good as anyone.

I got so tired of buying silver conches to put on my leatherwork that I took up silversmithing and engraving next. The biggest problems with it are silver is costlier than leather or wood and it's real easy to slip and put a hole through your hand while engraving. My engraving is really unbelievable when you consider I'm legally blind.

I read recently that some schools can't offer shop class because there aren't enough qualified teachers. Kids are graduating without ever having used a hammer. If the boats ever stop arriving from China there may come a time in this country when we'll once again need folks who know how to make things and there won't be any left.

www.LeePittsbooks.com

## Governor announces extension of hurricane-related sheltering assistance

**STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS** By Ed Sterling | Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — Gov. Greg Abbott on April 17 announced that the Federal Emergency Management Agency had granted Texas' request to extend the deadline for Hurricane Harvey survivors to apply for transitional sheltering assistance.

The deadline has been extended from April 23 to May 31. The transitional sheltering assistance program helps displaced individuals who are unable to return to their homes find short-term shelter in hotels or other temporary housing locations.

"With many Texas families still unable to return home after Harvey, we are committed to ensuring they have a place to stay as the recovery continues," Abbott said. "We will continue to do everything in our power to help Texans get back in their homes and get our communities rebuilt as quickly as possible. I thank our federal partners and FEMA for helping

provide this important assistance for those in need."

Officials discuss funding Gov. Abbott on April 20 joined U.S. Housing and Urban Development Secretary Ben Carson, U.S. Sen. Ted Cruz, R-Texas, U.S. Rep. John Culberson, R-Houston, and local officials in Houston to discuss the \$5 billion recently allocated by Congress to Texas for Hurricane Harvey and disaster recovery.

Provided through the **HUD Community Develop**ment Block Grant Disaster Recovery Program, the intended use of the grant funding is for the rebuilding of housing, businesses and infrastructure following Hurricane Harvey and previous flood events.

"Though Hurricane Harvey was the worst of storms, it brought out the best in the people of Texas," Abbott said. "In each community, so many

lives were saved because of the courage and leadership of local officials and the efforts of our incredible first responders. These funds will help give communities the resources they need to continue recovering, and I thank HUD Secretary Ben Carson, as well as all of our federal partners, for their ongoing support throughout this process."

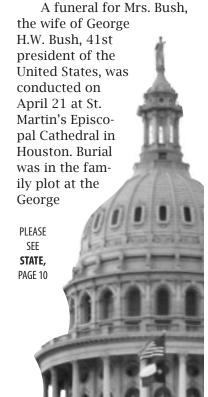
The funding includes: — \$652 million to help rebuild damaged homes, busi-

— \$4.3 billion for elevating homes, property buyouts, and hardening structures from wind and water to help protect Texas families from future storms; and

nesses and infrastructure.

— \$62 million to Houston and \$24 million to San Marcos for mitigation of 2015 floods.

FORMER FIRST LADY DIES Former first lady Barbara Pierce Bush died in a Houston hospital on April 17. She was 92.



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# Art Emerge Ozona



Ann Fowler (left) and her son Hudson.





PAUL C. PERNER IV | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

SUSAN CALLOWAY | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

"Indian Girl" by Kaleta Shepperson

Ginger Perner (left), Roberta Schoenhals and Mary Klepper.



SUSAN CALLOWAY | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

# "Naturally Western" by Josae Coy.

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

April 25 - Abbey Maldonado Hobdy April 26 - Casper Alvarez

and Clay Richardson April 27 - Samuel Hernan-

dez, David Craig, Janell Tambunga, Judy Reagor, Erin Castro and Roxanne Talamantez April 28 - Dena Porter, O.J. Ortiz, Leilah Beseril,

Melvyn Mejia II and Carlon April 29 - Gina Castro,

Joe Bradford, Yvonne Rodri-

guez, Hector Hernandez, Briana Lara and Isaac Gonzalez

April 30 - Lorena Renteria, Fernando M. Galvan, Freida Zuberbueler, Glenda Winkley, Gabriela Baltazar, Brian Anderson, Sierra Trevino, Joe Ortiz Jr., Ruben Mendez Jr. and Ben Pena

May 1 - Corey Mitchel and Twylah Stewart

May 2 - Jodi Adcock, Angelina Morrow, Becca Enriquez, Lisa Paredes





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Golf carts will not be pro-

non-members. Must be 18 or older. Non-members must buy temporary membership

cepted.

from 4-8 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday or 1-8 p.m. Friday-Sunday.

sale.

No ic beverages allowed to be brought in.

All decisions and rulings are final and made by the tournament committee who will be playing in tour-

## Beto O'Rourke to visit Ozona **Saturday**

U.S. Senate Candidate Beto O'Rourke will be in Ozona for a Town Hall Meeting at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 28, at Sonic, 704 E. 14th St.

Congressman O'Rourke is the Democratic candidate running against U.S. Senator Ted Cruz, R-Texas.

For more information, visit secure.betofortexas.com.

## Three-Person Golf **Scramble** May 19

Ozona Country Club is hosting a Three-Person Golf Scramble at 1 p.m. May 19 at the club located at 207 Country Club Drive in Ozona.

Registration fee is \$150 (100 percent payout), Mulligans (optional) \$10 per person, Birdies (optional) \$30 per team for holes #3 and

Sausage wraps will be available on the course.

vided for rental (RUVs acceptable).

Open to members and for \$5 to purchase alcohol.

Cash only, no checks ac-

Early sign up available

Snacks, drinks and alcoholic beverages available for

outside alcohol-

nament.

For more information, call (432) 661-0179 or (325) 226-2515.

### **COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

### Wednesday, April 25

- OHS Lady Lions Golf at the Region I Meet in Odessa
- Special Olympics in Sonora
- Pre-K and Kindergarten Pre-Registration, 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. at the OES Library
- Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Concho Valley Workforce Solutions, 10 a.m.-noon at the Crockett County Public Library
- OES Pride Lunch Kindergarten, Second and Fourth Grades
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Range Evaluation and Plant ID Meeting, 5:15 p.m. at the 4-H Office

### Thursday, April 26

- 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
- Crockett County Commissioners' Court Special Meeting, 5:30 p.m. at the courthouse annex.

### Friday, April 27

- OHS Track Teams at the Region I Meet in Odessa
- Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS Blood Drive, 1-4 p.m. at the OHS Library

### Saturday, April 28

- OHS Track Teams at the Region I Meet in Odessa
- 4-H District 6 Range Evaluation and Plant ID Contest in Eldorado
- Beto O'Rourke Town Hall, 7 a.m. at Sonic, 704 E. 14th St.
- Levis and Lace Square Dance Club 31st Annual Anniversary Dance Festival, 11 a.m.-noon Barbecue Lunch, 2-4 p.m. Dance at the Civic Center.

### **Sunday, April 29**

• Wool and Mohair Judging, 3 p.m. at the 4-H Office

### Monday, April 30

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

• OHS First Baptist Church Senior Banquet, 7 p.m. at the First Baptist **Church Hoover Building** 

### Tuesday, May 1

- San Angelo Gives
- OHS Lions Roar, 6 p.m. at the OHS Auditorium

### Wednesday, May 2

- Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Range Evaluation and Plant ID Meeting, 5:15 p.m. at the 4-H Office





### **HELPING HANDS NEWS**

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

### APRIL 25

Salisbury steak, baked potato, Capri vegetables, dinner roll, banana pudding with wafers and milk.

### **APRIL 26**

Chicken and mushroom ravioli, butter beans, glazed carrots, wheat roll, fruited gelatin and milk.

### APRIL 27

Cilantro lime chicken, garden blend rice, sauteed yellow squash, wheat roll, oatmeal raisin cookie and milk.

### APRIL 30

Lemon pepper tilapia, golden hominy, turnip greens, cornbread, apricots and milk. MAY 1

Chicken parmesan, egg noodles, Italian green beans, garlic bread, oatmeal cookie and milk. MAY 2

Chicken tenders, cream gravy, mashed potatoes, corn O'Brien, wheat roll, plums and milk.

### MAY 3

Hamburger patty, lettuce, tomato, onion, mustard, baked beans, oven baked French Fries, wheat bun, apple slices and milk.







ASHLEE RAMOS | ADR PHOTOGRAPHY

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CATHOLIC CHURCH held First Communion Services on April 14. First Communion is a major rite of passage in the Catholic Church. As one of the seven Sacraments, First Communion typically falls around the age of 7, when a child is deemed capable of reason and therefore able to appreciate and understand the miracle of the Eucharist.



OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CATHOLIC CHURCH held Confirmation Services on April 21. The Sacrament of Confirmation completes the Sacrament of Baptism. Pictured with the class is Michael Sis, bishop of the Catholic Diocese of San Angelo, and Father Hilary Ihedioha.

### **FORT LANCASTER NEWS**

# Western Frontier Days May 18-19

Fort Lancaster will come alive with soldiers, pioneers, chuck wagons, livestock, camels, a stagecoach and more during the annual

Western Frontier Days.

The event is free and open to the public from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. School Day is Friday, May 18, and Public Day is Saturday,

May 19. Special focus during the event is Armed Forces Day. For more information, call (432) 836-4391 or visit

www.visitfortlancaster.com.

## **OHS Blood Drive Friday**

Ozona High School National Honor Society will host a Blood Drive from 1-4 p.m. Friday, April 27, at the OHS Library.

Donors will receive a special donor T-shirt. Additionally, donors providing a double red cell donation will receive a free movie pass or Starbucks or Amazon gift card in the form of 700 Hero points.

To make an appointment, visit bloodhero.com or email Dottie DeLeon at dottie.deleon@ozonaschools.net.

### **OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS**

# Bingo every Thursday

BY BRENDA NEWTON

SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

I will be glad when the wind calms down. Hopefully, it will blow up some rain that will calm down the fires that have been hurting our area. I love the rain, but not the wind. I think you have to have one to get the other. Thanks to the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department that the fire north of us was put out last week. Now, as I am writing this, I hear the fire whistle sounding. My fingers are crossed and prayers are going up that it is not serious.

Thanks to the road department we have a new way to enter and leave the Senior Center. The one we have has become dangerous because of the truck traffic. If you use the crossing south of the center, across from Avenue D, it will be much safer. Entering the old way is not too bad, but leaving is hard because you cannot see traffic coming from the south until it is too late to get across safely. Try out the new way. You can enter the same as always. Please leave by way of the Avenue D crossing.

I got some new games for the center to exercise your hands and minds. Come on out and try them. You can play them standing up or siting down. Remember, if you don't use it, you loose it.

Niki will not be here the

to exercise with the Wesley Nurse Program. She will be going to San Antonio for more training. She should be back on May 22. Niki has really good exercises that are not hard but are very good for all of us. She takes your blood pressure and keeps a record of it for you. She comes on Tuesday morning each week and presents the good exercises for our age group. Give it a try.

There will be no Bingo Social during May because of the busy schedule all you parents and families will have to celebrate the graduation of our Class of 2018.

We will have afternoon bingo this Thursday at 2 p.m. Bring your nickels and play as many cards as you can handle at a nickel a card per game. If you bingo for that game, you get all the nickels. We serve Cokes and popcorn and have a good time. Then we have a blackout bingo for a little prize for the lucky winner.

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

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

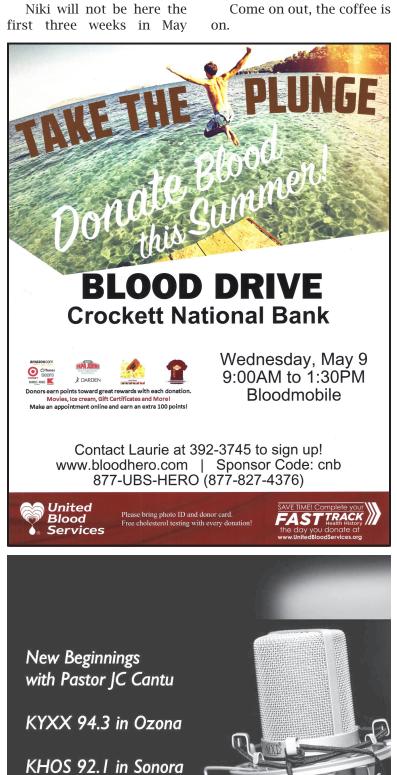
Tuesday - 10:30 a.m. Exercise with Niki Bishop

Wednesday - 1:30 p.m. Mexican Train; 3 p.m. Prayer

Thursday - 9:30 a.m. Balance Exercise; 9:30 a.m. Quilting; 2 p.m. Bingo

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Sunday 8:30am - 9:00am

### **BOARD:** from page 1

present a draft Board Resolution at the May meeting as

Chavarria said that at this time the district is just exploring all options and that further discussion on the issue will take place over the next couple of months before any decision is made.

### **DISTRICT OF INNOVATION**

The board unanimously approved the District of Innovation Plan. The plan met its final requirements of being posted on the district's website for 30 days and being approved by the Texas Education Agency Commissioner's

The process, which began with informal discussions back in August 2017, allows school districts options to be exempt from certain laws.

The exemptions CCCCSD is seeking in the plan are:

· SCHOOL START DATE. Current law prohibits students from starting school before the fourth Monday in August. According to the CCCCSD's plan, the district would have the flexibility of creating a school calendar to balance instructional days between semesters, by allowing for an earlier start date. The 2018-2019 School Calendar has not been set yet, but Chavarria said an example would be students would could start the Wednesday before the fourth Monday.

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the education code, each district must operate so that it provides at least 75.600 minutes of instruction. CCCCSD's plan states "exempting completely from the 420-minute requirement would give the District a significant amount of local control over scheduling (above and beyond the six-day maximum as needed) without the fear of diminishing state funding or losing credit for instructional time that might cause the district to fall out of compliance with annual minute requirement." The plan also states the district will continue to maintain the 75,600-minute requirement. Also, the length of the instructional day cannot be

changed.

· TEACHER CERTIFICA-TION. State law requires a teacher to hold an appropriate certification. CCCCSD is seeking exemption from this rule when it comes to career and technical education courses and hard-to-fill positions. Chavarria said the district would still pursue highly qualified teachers for core subjects, but this would allow the district to hire a teacher for a year in a subject they are not certified in until they can achieve that certification. He also said it will allow the district to expand the career and technology classes by allowing the district to hire individuals with experience in their career field to teach those classes. The plan states the superintendent will inform the school board of all hiring.

· TEACHER CONTRACT. INSTRUCTION. According to State law states that a pro-

bationary contract may not be for a term exceeding one school year for an experienced teacher. CCCCSD's plan will allow the district to expand probationary contracts to two years for experienced teachers. Chavarria said this will be for new teachers hired to the

While there are many flexibilities a district can chose from in becoming a District of Innovation, Chavarria said these are the four that the committee decided on for CCCCSD.

The plan was finalized by a committee was comprised of Chavarria, school administrators, including all the principals and counselors, teachers and community members.

"This plan has been researched and looked at by quite a few people," Chavarria said.

### **CALENDAR**

With the new District of Innovation Plan approved. Chavarria said one of the first uses will be on the 2018-2019 School Calendar. The board approved the calendar which meets the 75.600 required minutes for attendance with 173 school days.

Students will start school on Aug. 21, which is earlier than the normal start date.

Early out days include: Sept. 28 for Homecoming; Nov. 20 for Thanksgiving; Dec. 20 for Christmas and Feb. 15 for staff in service.

Thanksgiving break will still be three days. Christmas break will be two weeks, a little bit longer.

Labor Day, Sept. 3, President's Day, Feb. 18, and April 19 and 22 will be holidays for students and staff.

March 11-15 will be Spring

Oct. 26 and Jan. 11 will be teacher in-service days and student holidays.

May 24 will be the last day of school and graduation.

### WIND FARMS

The board heard a presentation from Terry Smith, from Powell & Leon, about how the district could benefit from the current wind farm projects that are pending in Crockett County.

Smith presented some projected numbers on the pending Ranchero Wind and High Lonesome Wind Projects that are still in development in Crockett County.

The projects have not been finalized, but Smith's advice to the board was if they do happen "take advantage early on in the project when you get the most benefit from it."

"Get the most from those companies as you can," he

Smith also said before 2009, school districts could negotiate where they received more than half the tax benefit. That enabled many small districts to build new schools. Since then, the laws have changed, he said.

"There may be a lot of misconception about his in your community," he said.

### **BOND SALE**

The board approved the order authorizing the issuance of the bonds for the Crockett County CCSD \$5 million School Bond. The bond was approved by Crockett County Voters in November 2017.

This order was supposed to be approved at the March 12 regular meeting, but not enough commissioners were in attendance as a super quorum of four commissioners and the county judge is needed. All commissioners were in attendance at Monday's meeting.

Tax rate for the bond will be 14.4 cents per \$100 valuation. Interest rate is 2.16 percent. The bonds are scheduled to close on May 9.

Because Crockett County has a common school district, the Crockett County Commissioners' Court also approved the bond sale at their April 9 meeting.

The bond will be used to make up the district's \$2 million loss of Additional State Aid for Tax Reduction funding that was cut by the state. Chavarria said the district plans to purchase a truck for the agriculture department, maintain computer labs, purchase new computers and support for all campuses, purchasing teaching equipment and supplies for student use for all campuses, update the career and technology classes as nursing, food science and agriculture. address maintenance repairs throughout the district and continue with the updating of existing teaching housing.

### **BOARD TRAINING**

Chavarria thanked the board members for attending the School Board Training in San Angelo on April 5. The training covered the Team of 8 Training and SB1566 (Evaluating and Improving Student Outcomes), which is new this year and mandatory for all board members.

"I want to applaud our board for everyone being there. Our board members do not get paid anything, but they took time away from their families, at their own expense, to attend these trainings," Chavarria said.

### THE BOARD ALSO:

· Reviewed and accepted the District and Campus Improvement Plans.

· Approved teachers for rehire as presented after meeting in a short closed session.

### **FUTURE MEETING**

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



# **CROCKETT COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY EVENTS!**



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**Fiction** "Accidental Heroes"

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"An American Marriage" by Tayari Jones

"A Gentleman in Moscow" by Amor Towles "The Rising Sea" by Clive Cussler

and Graham Brown "Alternate Side"

by Anna Quindlen "The Bishop's Pawn"

by Steve Berry

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by Michael Wolff Holt

"Astrophysics for People in a Hurry" by Neil deGrasse Tyson "Killers of the Flower Moon" by David Grann







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# Tuesday, May 1 24 hours of giving

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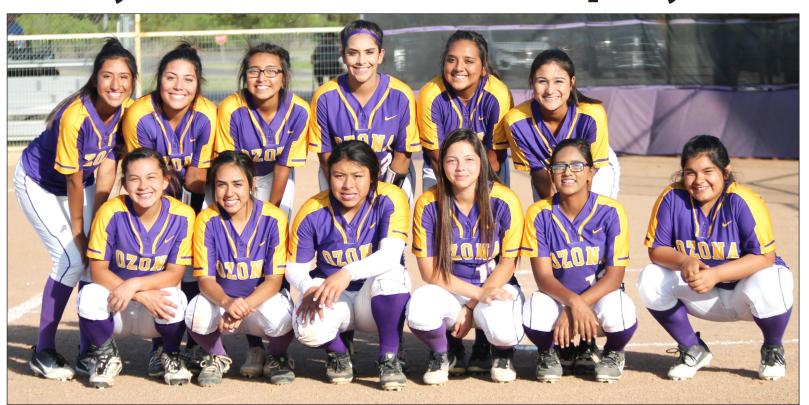
Nonprofits are eligible to win several cash prizes throughout the day, making San Angelo Gives a fun, innovative way to raise money in our community.

Be part of the greatest day of giving! Donate to the Ozona Organizations on May 1.

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# Lady Lions advance to playoffs



THE OHS LADY LIONS SOFTBALL TEAM defeated Junction 19-8 Friday night to finish third in district standings. Ozona has a bye this week. Playoff information will be posted on the Stockman Facebook and Twitter pages when it becomes available.

# **OHS Softball Senior Night**



**ZETHANY CUEVAS was honored on April 17** during OHS Lady Lions Softball Senior Night.

# Nehus elected as District FFA Officer



ADALYNE NEHUS ran for a District Officer position at the Concho District FFA Banquet last week. She was voted into the position of District Sentinel.

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JOSE DOMINGUEZ (left) and Jacob Childress tag team a Mason Puncher during the April 17 game at the OHS Baseball Field. The Lions have clinched the fourth place district position securing a spot in the playoffs.

# Lions secure playoff birth

The OHS Lions Baseball Team have secured a playoff spot finished fourth in district play.

Mason won the district with Harper and Center Point taking second and third.

Ozona wrapped up their season Tuesday night. Full results of that game and playoff information will be in next week's Ozona Stockman.

The Lions lost to Junction, 5-4, on April 13.

Pitcher - Justin Yeager, Marco Rodriguez and Jacob Schroeder; Catcher - Jesse Vega.

The Lions lost to Mason, 12-2, on April 17. Pitcher - Schroeder and Jose Dominguez, Catcher - Vega. Ozona lost to Harper, 3-2, on April 20. Picher - Yeager and Dominguez, Catcher - Vega. Leading players - Ryan Ramos and Dominguez. Ozona is 12-9 overall and 5-6 in district play.

# OHS Honor Roll

### A HONOR ROLL Fifth Six Weeks

Freshmen – Carson Childress, Michael Esparza, Shelbie Galindo, Reaghan Gonzalez, Jose Munoz, Norah Rodriguez and J'Cee

**Sophomores** – Rosamaria Arredondo, Citlalli Cano, Esmeralda Castillo, Jacob Childress, Rebecca Flores, Braeden Gutierrez, Roslynn Mendez, Lexi Montgomery, Lazaro Rodriguez, Kayla Sarabia, Humberto Torralba, Manuel Torralba, Tyler Webb and Justin Yeager.

Juniors - Chantz Elliott, Jazmin Hernandez and Josh Knaack. Seniors – Makenna Fox, Brenna Hale

and Samantha Torralba.

**A-B HONOR ROLL** 

Freshmen – Lianna Blanco, Austin

**Kerbow Funeral Home** 

Castro, Madison Castro, Ethan Criswell, Alondra Hernandez, Kemberly Hernandez, Marco Rodriguez and Emmanuel Venegas.

**Sophomores** – Jade Borrego, Raelee Borrego, Larissa Carrizales, Sebastian De La Cruz, Laney Galindo, Georgina Garcia, Alec Lara, Cristina Mata, Gerardo Mata, Grizelda Mata, Wendy Mata, Kristy Rodriguez, Kendra Sarabia, Kenzee Talamantez and Kaitlyn Tambunga.

Juniors – Mariana Garza, Ivana Hernandez, David Landin, Karina Marmolejo, Marisol Medina, Adalyne Nehus, Fernando Portillo, Esperanza Ramirez, Juan Rangel, Carlos Soto, Debora Torres, Caleb Webb and Riley Williams.

Seniors - Josae Coy, Zephen Cuevas, Steban Flores, Andy Hernandez, Larissa Hernandez, Brandon Jara, Zoe Jones, Denise Rodriguez, Jennifer Rodriguez, Cierra Sanchez, Kaelan Savala and Christian Yruegas.

# OMS Honor Roll

### A HONOR ROLL Fifth Six Weeks

Sixth Grade — Lauren Albers, Claire Bean, Bernardo Blanco, Grant Childress, Seth Childress, Emma Crenwelge, Mia Cruz, Mia Davidson, Asa Forehand, Sebastian Fullingim, Valeria Garza, Audym Geary, Brylee Gutierrez, Mia Gutierrez, McKenna Luckie, Laramie Nowell, Cameron Ochoa, Kailyn Preddy, Faith Quiroz, Nicholas Ramon, Vanesa Rodriguez, Alexia Salazar, Alexis Scroggins, Audrey Upham, Alyssa Vargas, Noah Viers, Kaitlyn Venegas, Ashlyn Villarreal and Ryan Williams.

Seventh Grade — Levi Bishop, Ivy Campos Rodriguez, Rianna De La Rosa, Maximus Everett, Christa Montgomery, Victoria Nowell, Kattie Rodriguez and Elyssa Trujillo.

**Eighth Grade** — Monserrat Blanco, Roxana Camarillo-Mares, Carlos Cantu, Esperanza Castillo, Ethan Gonzalez, Bryce Gray, Varun Kala, Sydney Knaack, Amber Moran and Krysten Webb.

### **A-B HONOR ROLL**

Sixth Grade — Jesus Aranda-Avila, Raelynn Barrera, Roberto Barrera, Fernando Rodrigo Blanco, Felipe Cano, Claire Childress, Jack De La Garza, Robyn Dominguez, Salomon Duron, Esmeralda Fraga Mata,, Alondra Garza, Patrick Hensley, Miguel Angel Hernandez, Jadlyn Hunt, Jonessa Jurado, Callie Martinez, Ty Nuttall, Addyson Ortiz, Christopher Ramirez, Dusty Smith, Jaylynn Tijerina, Rigoberto Treto, Mia Venegas and Nikolas Villarreal.

Seventh Grade — Noah Contreras, Shania Fluckers, Danecia Hill, Jonovan Jurado, Skylar Lacy, Alexa Lara, Michael Luna, Jarryn Puckett, Natalie Rodriguez, Hailey Salinas, Maria Santos, Logan Thompson, Andrea Viera, Hermin Villegas-Hernandez and Jayden Ybarra.

Eighth Grade – Ysabella Flores, Kayleigh Hernandez, Adam Hopper, Jason Lopez, Makayleigh Martinez, Brianna Maskill, Mysti Mata Zapata, Melvyn Mejia, Lea Quigley, Kolton Thompson and Jaron Villarreal.

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# Pre-K, Kindergarten **Pre-Registration today**

Pre-Registration for the Pre-Kindergar-2018-2019 ten and Kindergarten classes will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2018 in the Ozona Elementary School Library from 9 a.m. to noon and 1-4

Your child must be 4 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2018 to be eligible for Pre-Kindergarten and 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2018 to be eligible for Kindergarten.

Parents must bring their child's:

Birth Certificate (The original one from the Court House not the one from the hospital)

· Social Security Card Current Immunization Record (In order to attend school, your child must be up to date on their immunizations. Nurse Farran will be present to review the immunization records.)

As of August 1, 1999, all children born on or after September 2, 1992 to

Have the following immunization to begin school: Immunizations required

to enter Pre-Kindergarten: 1. Hepatitis A – 2 doses

2. Hepatitis B - 3 doses 3. DTaP - 4 doses

- 4. Polio 3 doses
- 5. MMR 1 dose
- 6. Varicella 1 dose 7. PCV13-4 doses
- 8. Hib 3 doses
- Immunizations required to enter Kindergarten
  - 1. Hepatitis A 2 doses 2. Hepatitis B - 3 doses
  - 3. Varicella 2 doses
  - 4. DTaP 5 doses
  - 5. Polio 4 doses 6. MMR - 2 doses

Parents will also need to provide proof of residency and a photo ID in order to register their child. If you are not the parent, then you must bring proof of guardianship. A copy of all these documents will be made and the originals will be returned. This is required by the law according to Chap. 25.002 of the Texas Education Code. Please bring your child with you.

Parents enrolling their child in Pre-Kindergarten must also bring a copy of their most recent paycheck stub.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Ozona Elementary School at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5500.

Matriculaciones para el 2018-2019 se llevara a cabo el miércoles, 25 de abril de 2018 de las 9:00-12:00 y 1:00-4:00 p.m. en la Biblioteca de la Escuela Primaria (Ozona Elementary School).

Su niño/a de Pre-Kínder debe tener 4 años de edad antes del 1 de septiembre 2018 para ser elegible para Kínder. Para ser elegible para Kínder, el niño/a debe tener 5 años antes del 1 de septiembre 2018.

Padres necesitan traer: El certificado de nacimiento (de la corte, no del hospital)

· La tarjeta del seguro social · El registro de las vacunas. (En orden que su niño/a asista a la escuela, tiene que estar a día con sus vacunas. Enfermera Farran estará presente para revisar los registros de vacunación).

Desde el 1 de Agosto de 1999, todos los niños nacidos a partir del 2 de septiembre 1992 están obligados a tener las siguientes vacunas para empezar la escuela.

Vacunas para entrar a

1. Hepatitis A – 2 dosis 2. Hepatitis B - 3 dosis

3. Difteria - 4 dosis 4. Polio - 3 dosis

- 5. Sarampión 1 dosis
- 6. Varicela 1 dosis 7. Neumococica - 4 dosis
- 8. Hib 3 dosis Vacunas para entrar a
- 1. Hepatitis A 2 dosis
  - 2. Hepatitis B 3 dosis
  - 3. Varicela 2 dosis 4. Difteria - 5 dosis
  - 5. Polio 4 dosis 6. MMR 2 dosis

Los padres también necesitan traer una prueba de residencia y identificación con foto para poder registrar a su niño(a). Favor de presentar prueba de tutela si acaso usted no es el padre. Se hará una copia de estos documentos y se devuelven los originales. Esto es requerido por la ley de acuerdo con el Cap. 25.002 del Código de Educación de Tejas. Favor de traer a su niño(a) con usted!

Padres que van a inscribir a su niño(a) en Pre-Kinder tendrán que presentar un comprobante de ingresos.

Si tiene alguna pregunta, por favor de llamar a Ozona Elementary School al (325) 392-5501 ext. 5500

# **OES** offering Summer Program

Ozona Elementary will be offering a summer program for children of limited English proficiency who will be enrolled in Kindergarten or First Grade in the fall. This program will help your child to continue in his/her development of social skills, literacy, and his/her use of language needed for success in school. The program will take place from Wednesday, May 30, until Friday, June 22. Classes will be on Monday thru Thursday from 8 a.m.-2:30 p.m. and on Fridays from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. The last day of summer school will be early dismissal at 1 p.m. If your child was not enrolled in the district during the regular school year, please bring the following documents on the first day of the summer program: Birth Certificate, Social Security Card, Immunization Records and Proof of Residency. For more information, call Janina Savala, director of federal programs at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5980 by Friday, May 25, to enroll your child in this program.

El distrito Crockett County CCSD estará ofreciendo un programa de verano para niños que no dominan el idioma inglés y que van a entrar a Kindergarten o

> **OHS MEAL NIGHT:** Mondays - 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.



Primer Grado en el otoño. Este programa le ayudará a su hijo/a a que continúe su desarrollo con destrezas sociales, el alfabeto, y uso del idioma para tener éxito en la escuela. El programa será de miércoles 30 de mayo al viernes 22 de junio. Las clases serán de las 8:00 a.m. hasta la 2:30 p.m. de lunes a jueves y en los viernes serán de 8:00 am. a 4:30 p.m. El ultimo día de clases será hasta la 1:00 p.m. Si su niño/a no fue matriculado en el distrito durante el año escolar, traiga los siguientes documentos el primer día del programa de verano: acta de nacimento, tarjeta del seguro social, registro de vacunas y prueba de residencia. Favor de ponerse en contacto con Janina Savala, Directora de Programas Federales al (325) 392-5501 ext. 5980 antes del viernes, 25 de mayo para matricular a su hijo/a en este programa.

### **OMS Tennis at Sonora Tennis Meet**



**MAKAYLA FLORES AND MIRANDA FLORES won Consolation** in Girls Doubles at the Sonora Middle School Tennis Tournament

# Bicycle Helmet Giveaway





DARRIUS GALINDO (top) and Katie Nowell received a bicycle helmet Monday at the S.A.F.E. Kids Bicycle Rodeo at OES. Crockett **County EMS donated the helmets.** 

## Selections HAVE BEEN MADE BY Lucy Vasquez

Quinceanera Selections HAVE BEEN MADE BY

Reagan Barerra

bride-elect of

Rodrick Tijerina

OHS Senior Selections

HAVE BEEN MADE BY Josae Coy Zethany Cuevas Zephen Cuevas Itzel Esmerado Roman Esparza Makenna Fox **Audrey Gandar** Michael Garcia Rigo Gonzales Brenna Hale Zoe Jones

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## CCCCSD School Menus

**CLOSED SUNDAYS** 

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**MEAL NIGHT:** 

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**7TH & 8TH GRADE:** 

Tuesday: 7-10 p.m.;

Wednesday: 2-7 p.m.;

Saturday: 7-10 p.m.

**Ozona Elementary School:** Breakfast is free for all students! Lunch is \$2.40 and Reduced Lunch is \$0.40

**Youth Center** 

**Calendar of Events** 

All applications for the Civic and Youth Center Scholarship are due 5 p.m. May 1,

and must be turned into Mr. Williams. Applications are available at the OHS Office.

**Ozona Middle and 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

Wednesday, April 25 Breakfast

Biscuit, Bacon with Scrambled Eggs or Cereal and Toast, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch

Cheeseburger, Lettuce and Tomato Garnish, Sweet Potato Fries, Broccoli, Mixed Fruit, Crispy Cereal Treat and Milk

> Thursday, April 26 Breakfast

Sausage Kolache and Yogurt or PBJ Sandwich, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch

Pizza Choice, Garden Salad, Carrots, Sliced Apples and Milk.

Friday, April 27 Breakfast

Muffin and Yogurt or Cereal and Toast, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk. Lunch Barbecue on a Bun, Green Beans, Coleslaw, Orange Smiles and Milk.

> Monday, April 30 Breakfast

Waffles and Bacon or Cereal and Toast, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk.

Lunch Hamburger, Lettuce and Tomato Garnish, Oven Fries, Fresh Veggie Cup, Mixed Fruit and Milk.

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### **CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H NEWS**

### **FASHION and INTERIOR DESIGN**

Fashion and Interior Design Contestsare Tuesday, May 8, in Andrews.

### **RANGE EVALUATION** and PLANT ID

Range Evaluation and Plant ID practice will be 5:15 p.m. today, April 25. District 6 Range Evaluation and Plant ID Contest is Saturday, April 28, in Eldorado. Registration is April 5-16.

### **WOOL AND MOHAIR JUDGING**

Wool and Mohair Judging practice will be 3 p.m. Sunday, April 29. District 6 Wool and Mohair Judging Contest is Friday, May 11, in San Angelo. Registration is April 16-27.

### 4-H OFFICE

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

KaileyRoberts, CEA-FCH, can be reached at (210) 705-2887 or kailey.roberts@ag.tamu.edu. Lydia Munoz, secretary,

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## Ozona FFA Ag Mechanics **Project Show & Silent Auction**

**Tuesday, May 8,** 2-7 p.m. **Crockett County Convention Center** 





**BBQ Sandwich Dinner** starting at 5:30 p.m. \$10 a plate

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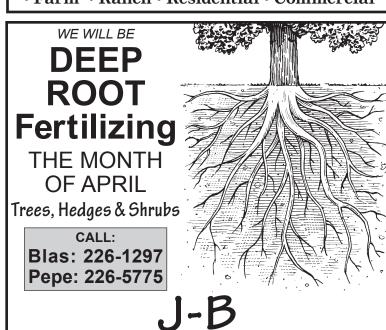
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# **CROCKETT COUNTY**

## **ORDER RESTRICTING OUTDOOR BURNING**

The Commissioners' Court finds that circumstances present in all or part of the unincorporated area of the county create a public safety hazard that would be exacerbated by outdoor burning; and NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED by the Commissioners' Court of Crockett County, Texas, that outdoor burning is restricted in Crockett County for 30 days from the date of adoption of this Order, unless the restrictions are terminated earlier based on a determination made by the Texas Forest Service or this Court. This Order is adopted pursuant to Local Government Code 352.081, and other applicable statues. This Order does NOT prohibit outdoor burning activities related to public health and safety that are authorized by the Texas Natural Resources Commission for: (1) firefighter training; (2) public utility, natural gas pipeline or mining operations; (3) planting or harvesting or agricultural crops; or (4) burns that are conducted by an approved Prescribed Burning Association, Natural Resource Conservation Service, the and/ or Texas A&M Agricultural Experiment Station, or prescribed burn manager certified under Section 153.048, Natural Resources Code, and meet the standards of Section 153.047, Natural Resources Code.

All burns shall be reported to the Crockett County Sheriff's Office (325) 392-2661 and the Fire Chief (325) 392-2626 prior to commencing, together with the name of the landowner, location involved and expert to be on hand. This Order does NOT prohibit outdoor cooking in a properly contained area which is attended at all times. In accordance with the Local Government Code 352.081 (h), a violation of this Order is a Class C misdemeanor, punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.

ADOPTED this the 24th day of April, 2018 - Crockett County Commissioners' Court



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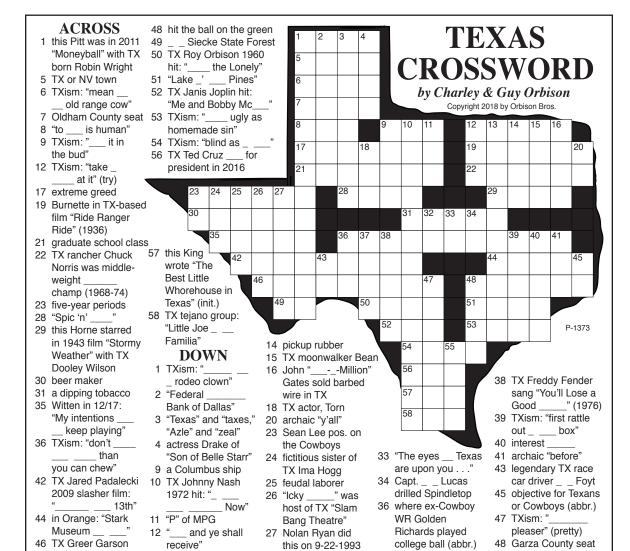
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# Last Puzzle Solution



### Information sought, reward offered for stolen sheep

BY JEREMY FUCHS TEXAS AND SOUTHWESTERN CATTLE RAISERS ASSOCIATION

Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association (TS-CRA) Special Ranger Kenny Wadsworth is seeking information after approximately 125 head of sheep were stolen from a Crockett County ranch.

A cash reward of up to \$2,500 is being offered for information leading to the recovery of the animals and arrest of the person or persons responsible for the crime. The total award includes up to \$1,000 from Operation Cow Thief, an anti-theft initiative led by TSCRA, \$1,000 from the victim and another \$500 from Crockett County.

At an unknown time between March 14 and March

28, 2018, the perpetrator or perpetrators cut a fence and made illegal entry onto a property off County Road 203. The suspects are thought to have gathered at least 125 Dorper sheep, including ewes, bucks and lambs before loading them on a trailer for transport. Several of the ewes had red or blue ear tags printed with

The case is being investigated by TSCRA Special Rangers. Anyone with information that could help identify the CRA's Operation Cow Thief sworth at (325) 392-2552.

All information is kept confidential and tips may be

### **STATE:** from page 2

H.W. Bush Presidential Library at Texas A&M University in College Station on April 22.

Mrs. Bush was the mother of George W. Bush, 43rd president and former governor of Texas, and Jeb Bush, former governor of Florida. She was the grandmother of current Texas Land Commissioner George P. Bush.

Gov. Abbott on April 17 said of the former first lady: "Barbara Bush dedicated her life to helping others. As only the second woman in history to be both the wife and mother of U.S. presidents, Barbara had a unique and profound impact on our country.

'Spearheading the fight against illiteracy, she created the Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy, working to improve the lives of those less

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fortunate through education. Her selfless devotion to service defines the inspiring legacv Barbara has left behind. Her impact on Texas and our nation will forever be treasured.

"Cecilia and I extend our deepest condolences to President George H.W. Bush and the entire Bush family during this difficult time. We ask that all Texans join us in keeping them in their thoughts and prayers as they mourn the passing of a devoted wife, mother and public servant."

### **SOLAR INDUSTRY IS STUDIED**

In the April issue of the Office of the Comptroller's online digital publication, Fiscal Notes, the solar industry in Texas is examined.

According to the Comptroller's Office, 532 solar companies and nearly 100 solar product manufacturers are located in Texas.

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### **Weekly Activity Report**

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**OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS:** 

• Sheriff's deputies responded to a loud

music call on Avenue E.

 Sheriff's deputies arrested Blair Chandler, of San Angelo, on a Tom Green County warrent for possession of a controlled substance. Subject was arraigned and sent to Tom Green County. 4-21-18

· Sheriff's deputies arrested Eriberto Lopez, of San Angelo, for a Tom Green County warrant for tampering with physical evidence. Subject is awaiting arraignment.

· Sheriff's deputies responded to a loud music call on Swaps Street.

### **COURT:** from page 1

Ozona Volunteer Fire Department at (325) 392-2626 prior to commencing, together with the name of the landowner, location involved and expert to be on hand.

Violation of the burn ban is a Class C misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.

They also approved a change order of \$1,123.51 for security cameras at the J. Cleo Thompson Wellness Center for the pool room and to run data cable for cameras in the exercise rooms.

Commissioner Eligio Martinez was absent from the meeting.

### CATTLE: from page 2

on the refuges. The medicated corn kills ticks on whitetailed deer, one of the three major hosts for the tick. The treatment will not only improve the health of the deer population, but will prevent the deer from spreading ticks to adjacent properties.

FWS has also started to allow cattle to graze on the refuge. While it may seem counter intuitive, it is effective because cattle are preferred by the tick and unlike wildlife the cattle can be rounded up and treated year-round. Cattle still graze many of the over 550 refuges in the National Wildlife Refuge System, and cattle grazing occurred on the Laguna Atascosa National Wildlife Refuge from its founding in 1946 until 1974. On the Lower Rio Grande Valley National Wildlife Refuge, a 2002 study found that grazing will have a mutual benefit to the refuge by reducing invasive

grasses that threaten native habitats. Cattle will not only be a mechanism to eradicate cattle fever ticks, but will also reduce the risk of wildfires and assist the establishment and recovery of native brushland vegetation.

We thank the FWS personnel who are involved in in both maintaining standing eradication methods and expanding fever tick eradication efforts through the use of tools like grazing and distribution of ivermectintreated corn. This is a huge achievement for the beef industry and an enormous relief for ranchers and landowners adjacent to quarantined refuge lands.

I manage a ranch in South Texas that is currently under quarantine. I know firsthand the challenges that are presented by fever ticks and can tell you definitively that the U.S. cannot afford to let cattle fever ticks expand into the range occupied in the early 1900s.

TSCRA members have fought hard to ensure the managers of the wildlife refuges will be using all the available tools. This will help all of us wage a better fight against cattle fever ticks.

> FEDERICO NIETO is the TSCRA Fever Tick Subcommittee chair.

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

### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

### **NOTIFICATION BY PUBLICATION: SECOND PUBLICATION**

Vehicle Stored at Sheffield Towing Storage Facility: 2016 Black Chevrolet Sonic; License: MX/FJW4516; VIN: 3G1J85CC2GS549131

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### THE STATE OF TEXAS

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION- Parent and Child** 

Cause No. 299439 - 0

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**DANIEL JAY OLIVER** 

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filed in said Court on April 02, 2018, against DANIEL JAY OLIVER, respondent, and said suit being number 299439 - 0, on the docket of said Court, and entitled In the Interest of Children

VERA ROSE OLIVER-7/1/2005, JADEN MARIE OLIVER-10/29/2006.

The nature of which suit is a request to **Parent/Child Relationship**.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's/childrens' adoption.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs

This was issued at the request of attorney: Pro Se:DONNA MARIE RUSSELL, 771 BENCHMARK TRAIL BELTON, TEXAS

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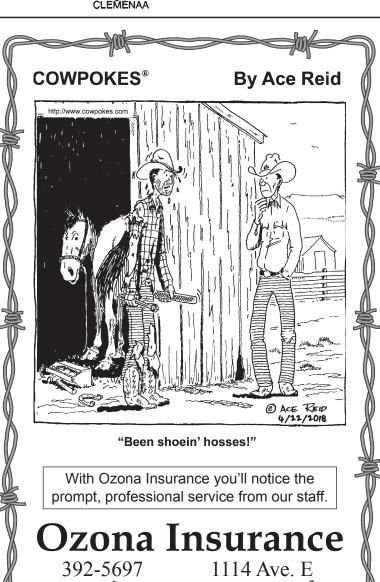
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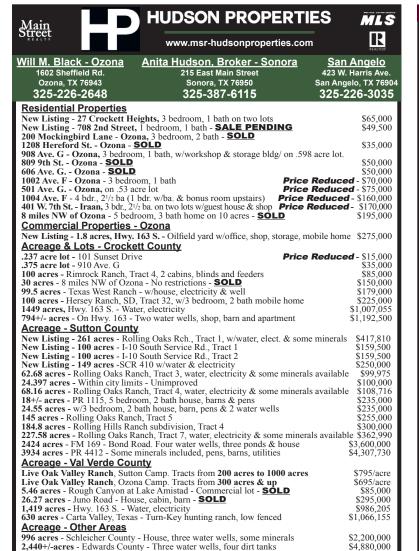


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### **PUBLIC NOTICES**

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### **PUBLIC NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

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Bidding instructions and specifications may be obtained by contacting the County Auditor's Office, Courthouse Annex, Ozona, Texas or the Crockett County Road Department.

Each bid envelope must be plainly marked (PAVING AGGREGATE). Any bid received after stated opening time will not be considered and will be returned unopened. Bids shall be mailed or given to Dolores Ramirez,

County Auditor, P.O. Box 989, Ozona, Texas 76943. For more information on specifications, contact Jeffrey Stuart, Road Superintendent, at the County Road Department, 325-392-3020.

Rock is to be priced at bidders location and Crockett County will do the hauling to job sites. Bid must state location of pit where rock will be hauled from and mileage to Ozona from said site. A map must be included in bid. Bidder must give time that rock will be available for Crockett County to haul to Ozona Rock must be ready for first job on 30 days after receiving the bid@ 300 cubic yards a day to be hauled by County trucks. Rock can be bid by ton and stating the conversion rate to Cubic Yards. Bidder is to load all trucks on first come first serve basis.

Crockett County reserves the right to reject any and all bids that are received on the opening date and also reserves the right to accept either all, or part of a bid. Crockett County reserves the right to not necessarily accept the lowest bid or to waive any minor technicalities in determining what best suits our needs.

Dolores Ramirez,

**Crockett County Auditor** 

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