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## Death Penalty Is Off The Table

By Larry Thornton Managing Editor

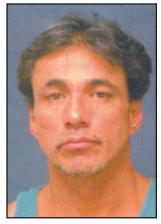
District Attorney Katheryn Gurley will not be seeking the death penalty in the capital murder trial of Daniel

A. Cardon Jr., 50, of

Artesia, N.M.

In a telephone conversation Monday, the district attorney confirmed information received by the Muleshoe *Journal*, adding that by the victim's family. while it was a tough decision to make, it was

one that was supported



Daniel Cardon, Jr.

moving the trial up possibility of parole. — possibly to the end defense to prepare.

of his estranged wife, Lucila Perez, 38, during of June 4.

sentence removed from July 23. If convicted, presence. consideration, Gurley Cardon could serve a

of May 2013, exists Perez, a sister-in-law because it would require of the alleged victim less time for both the — who contacted the the scene of the alleged Sprinkler, just off Hwy. prosecution and the Muleshoe Journal in murder, Cardon was the 84. Cardon is accused alleged murder, Cardon involving area law Richard Wills in of the alleged murder allegedly kicked in the door to her residence, across from the Dillman and apprehended, Perez residence was the early morning hours Elementary campus on following a stand-off, related to an incident He was indicted estranged wife, Lucila water plant, east of his wife — the alleged With the death for capital murder on Perez, in her (Lana's) Muleshoe on Hwy. 84. murder victim, that

to file for a divorce.

the days following the subject of a manhunt enforcement officers.

West Third, and shot his at the City of Lubbock's involving Cardon and

Perez also said the 2010, the suspect, morning.

said the possibility of life sentence without the victim had left her Cardon, was himself husband several weeks the victim of a shooting According to Lana earlier, and had planned at the residence of Valdo Perez — then Cardon's After fleeing from father-in-law, near O&C

> According to Sheriff September 2010, the He was later located shooting at the Valdo In early September, occurred earlier that

### **Students** Do Well At Region I Tourney

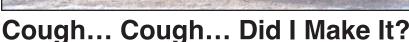
By Delton Wilhite Sportswriter

Matt Barron and Nacho Elizalde competed in the Boys Singles Region I Tennis Tournament April 17-18 on the Ector County Independent School District Ratliff Stadium Tennis Courts.

Barron was the District 2-2A Champion and faced Spooner of Boys Ranch in the first round.

Barron defeated Spooner 6-2, 6-2. However, Barron lost his second match to the number two seed in the region, Chase LeBlanc of Merkel, 1-6, 3-6.

Elizalde was also successful in his first round match with Brownfield's Lindsey.



You expect a little dust to fly when playing against Floydada, Elizalde defeated after all they are the "Whirlwinds," but in the photograph above it's Continued on B1 Muleshoe's favorite team kicking up the dust. Pictured above, Lady

Mule Daniella Mendoza slides home safe during the recent softball game against the Floydada Lady Whirlwinds. For game details, turn Photograph by Gabby Perez



### Radar Trailer's **Usage Expands**

By Larry Thornton Managing Editor

You see it flashing in the distance, it's yellowish-orange light eventually separating enough to allow you to determine the flashing lights are numerals.

moment later, the flashing yellowish-orange located. lights are suddenly accompanied by red Chief Roy Rice, the and blue lights and a addition of a single message that you've piece of equipment been caught.

Department has use has been greatly employed its radar expanded. trailer for a couple of years now, but until information gathered recently all it could do by the trailer's was help monitor the onboard computer approaching traffic can help the police on the street it's been



According to Police estimated at less Muleshoe Police than \$25 the trailer's

Now, t h e Continued on A3 By Delton Wilhite Sportswriter

the Mustangs seemed three to end the game. to find a way to come back.

The Mules led 8-6 seventh.

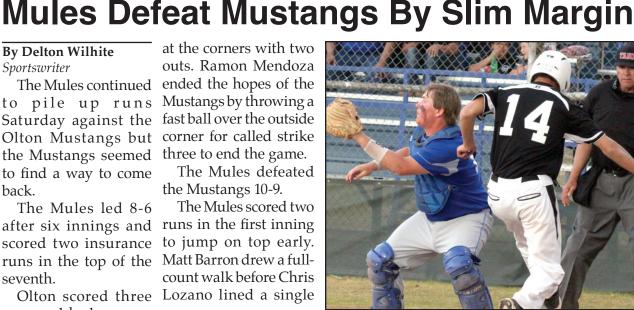
runs and had runners

at the corners with two outs. Ramon Mendoza The Mules continued ended the hopes of the to pile up runs Mustangs by throwing a Saturday against the fast ball over the outside Olton Mustangs but corner for called strike

The Mules defeated the Mustangs 10-9.

The Mules scored two after six innings and runs in the first inning scored two insurance to jump on top early. runs in the top of the Matt Barron drew a fullcount walk before Chris Olton scored three Lozano lined a single

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A Mule beats the tag in game against Olton.

### Sudan Varsity Track Teams Take Area Titles

By Cheri Sain

Sudan Correspondent

girls Sudan High School track teams won district last week, the winning streak continues as both teams win the area won the track meet with track meet last Friday at 147 points followed by Christian Ruiz placed a 51.75 second time. Sundown High School. Bovina and Forsan with third qualifying for

The girls' track team 92 points each. won the area track meet

The boys' track team placed fifth.

Marie Carrizales placed seventh. After both boys and with 110 points followed qualified for regionals by Farwell with 84 with a second place meter relay, the team of points and Forsan with in the 3200-meter run. Ambrosia Nelson Johnson, Ashton Shultz,

regionals. Kort Hill In the women's 4x100-

Ashton Sawyer, Shaylee and Bryleigh Schovajsa On the boys side, placed second with Continued on A7

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### Around Muleshoe... Announcements from non-profit organizations in the Muleshoe area. To post an announcement send an email to editor@muleshoejournal.com

#### 'The Bible'

Richland Hills Baptist Church, 1631 W. Ave. D in Muleshoe, will be hosting a Bible study based upon the recent History Channel mini-series, "The Bible," Sunday, May 5, through Wednesday,

On Sunday evening, beginning at 5:30 p.m., a portion of the mini-series will be viewed, followed by a study session on Wednesday, beginning at 6 p.m. A limited number of study guides will be

During Sunday's viewing, refreshments will be served, and on Wednesday evening there will be a light meal.

#### Teddy Bear Drive

Muleshoe's Girl Scouts are holding a "Teddy Bear Drive." Individuals wishing to donate new stuffed animals may drop them off at at DeShazo Elementary April 22-26, or at the Girl Scout Hut, 815 W. Second, on Monday and Tuesday, April

All donated stuffed animals will be donated to the Muleshoe Area Medical Center to be given to children at the hospital.

#### Disaster Relief

Trinity Christian Church of Muleshoe is gathering funds for disaster relief at West,

Monetary donations may be dropped off at the church, located at 1723 W. American Blvd., from noon until 7 p.m., on Thursday, April 25.

Mailed donations may be sent to Trinity Christian Church, PO Box 334, Muleshoe, TX 79347, or donate directly at www.redcross.org.

All funds received will be donated to the American Red Cross. For more information contact Michelle Young at 806-893-1006.

#### Project Graduation

Muleshoe High School Project Graduation 2013 Spirit Night at Sonic Drive-In is set for May 6.

Eat at Sonic in Muleshoe on Monday, May 6, from 5-8 p.m. Sonic will keep a total of how much money is spent during those hours and 10 percent policies our country will be given directly to Project Graduation should pursue when

#### Athletic Banquet

The Muleshoe High School Athletic Banquet will be on Thursday, May 2, at 6 p.m., at the Bailey County Coliseum.

Tickets are \$10 and may be bought at the door. The menu consists of River Smith's chicken and catfish and all the trimmings. The event is hosted by the Muleshoe Athletic Booster Club.

#### Bailey County Relay For Life

Team "Jacyi Joy" is hosting a fancy nancy tea soiree on Sunday, May 5, from 3-5 p.m., at DeShazo Elementary.

There will be 10 fancy events for \$20, with proceeds going to the American Cancer Society. Pre-order tickets at the DeShazo administrative office. Participants are asked to dress in their fanciest ensemble.

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## **Tragedy Opens Box Of Memories**

Last Monday's events in Boston have brought bitter memories to many across the nation.

As they did following so many other disasters, people — myself included, have gathered around televisions and internet news sites watching for the details; hungry for information suspect the one that limits, and to discuss suffering from the event, as well as for the ones that directly touch why and who of the instigator.

destruction of the New famous marathon. York City's World Trade others whose lives were Park in Atlanta, Ga.

As for me, there will from the April 19, 1995,



Oklahoma City.

As terrible as any of these events are, I about those lost and touches and troubles you the most are the your life.

I don't know anyone While such acts bring in or from Boston, nor to mind the events of do I know anyone in Sept. 11, 2001, and the attendance at this city's But I know some of the

Center, and the loss of people who lost loved so many lives, there are ones in the Oklahoma City bombing, and also also touched by the 1996 lost people I considered bombing at the Olympic friends in that tragic

My last trip to the from 1995. always be memories Murrah Building in Oklahoma City was remember the view bombing of the Alfred to pick up some court from the BATF office, P. Murrah Federal records I needed, but and details of the there will be a degree of Building in downtown the trip before that was conversations with

to drop off a shotgun that had been seriously shortened below legal the case of its posession with agents I knew in the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms office.

For many, Tuesday's area surrounding the marathon's finish line... various news agencies.

But when something like this occurs, like many others no doubt, I can't help but reopen that box of memories

I can't help but person.

agents who fell on that tragic day.

I can't help but remember the sound of a friend's voice — a radio news reporter who was only a few blocks away when Timothy McVeigh's bomb detonated, as the young reporter recorded what he saw while running on foot to the scene for later broadcast.

And I can't help but remember the events that followed.

As far as the memories tragedy focused on the go for the people directly connected to the horrific incident at as documented by the Boston, it doesn't matter if the bombing was foreign or domestic in nature. And it doesn't matter if it was brought about by a conspiracy of individuals or by the actions of one single

Certainly, now that an arrest has been made, closure, but I believe the things that will help the victims and their families the most as they struggle to get through the days and weeks ahead will be the love and prayers from those around them, as well as from their countrymen and wellwishers from around the world, and of course from God above.

### t Was A Shameful Day

US Sen. John Cornyn spoke on the Senate floor on Thursday, April 18, in response to recent Senate votes on gun legislation. Excerpts of his remarks are below:

"[I] say this more with sadness than anger — I watched the President of the United States say it was a pretty shameful day for Washington on the national news. That was yesterday. And I agree but for different reasons than the President himself articulated.

"When good and honest people have honest differences of opinion about what it comes to the Second Amendment and gun rights and mass gun violence, the President of the United States should not accuse them of having no coherent arguments or caving to the pressure.

The President could have taken the high road, could have said, 'Ok now that we have been unsuccessful in these measures, let's move on to area where we know there is consensus, and that has to do with the mental health element in so many of these mass gun tragedies. But instead, he chose to take the low road. And I agree with him, it was a truly shameful day.

"I, and many of my colleagues, are not worried, as some of the press like to portray it, about the gun lobby who would spend a lot of money and paint us as anti-Second Amendment. I don't work for them. I don't listen to them. I work for 26 million Texans, and I'm proud to represent them. And the views I represented on the floor of the United States Senate are their views. And if I don't represent their views, then I am accountable to them,



and no one else.

proposals are not being intimidated, as he said yesterday. And it's false it's absolutely false to say it comes down to politics, as he said.

"For me, it comes down to a meeting I had with the families who lost loved ones at Sandy Hook Elementary School. I told them that I was not interested in symbolism, in things we might be able to do that would have had no impact on the terrible tragedy that day or at Tucson, or Virginia Tech, or at Aurora, Colorado. I'm interested in trying to come up with a solution.

"I told them that day, the family members who came to visit with me, as we grieved with them for their terrible loss, I told them that, as I understood what they were telling me, they weren't coming to sell a particular political point of view or an agenda or a legislative laundry list of things they wanted to see passed.

"It really boiled down to this: These families who lost both children and parents and spouses want to make sure that their loved one did not die in vain. They want to make sure that something good comes out of this terrible tragedy. And why wouldn't we want to work together to try to help them achieve their goals?

"Instead of calling the President names and taking the low road, like he did yesterday, and chastising my fellow senators for their goodfaith disagreement and the best policies to pursue in order to make sure these families' loss

was not in vain, I'm here

to ask for his help. I'm "And no, those of here to ask for every us who did not agree Members' help, to try with the President's to make sure that we Continued on A3











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The Meliton Diaz Jr. family

### Traffic Trailer... Continued From A1

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vehicles are speeding. That means if the majority of vehicles speeding on West Ave. D, are doing so between 4 p.m. and 4:30 p.m., the police department knows when to assign a patrol officer to the area to issue citations.

can most effectively the speed limit and monitor the traffic makes drivers aware of moving through an their own speed," said Rice. Chief Rice.

traffic counters, which motorists just need to Brunson, a portion of see a reminder of how fast they are going and allow them to correct their own speed," he

But the trailer can also provide information about the city's traffic flow, street usage, and even help determine the priority for street maintenance.

"Another thing I time period most of the like about the trailer is the data it collects. It collects data not only on speed of the vehicles traveling the street, but also the number of cars and time of day the traffic is the fastest and heaviest," Rice said.

The trailer will be parked all over town at

"The trailer is a clear sometime or another and when a police officer reminder for traffic of will be at its location for approximately a week at a time, according to

According to City "Sometimes, Manager David the information may be included on the city's interactive web mapping program for use by city officials and possibly the general public.

### Diaz Family Recognized

Family of the Year.

Meliton Jr. works Celeste is 12 years old, Meliton III is 10 years old, and Mariana is 7 years old.

sat down together to nominate our choices for Library Family of the Year, and we all had thought of this family. They have never returned books late, never had a fine and have never lost a book," Dunagan said.

"The children were the only ones who volunteered to read books online to our mascot Boston Betti. The library staff all agrees that these are the best behaved children we see in the library," she said.

"Alejandra, Celeste, Meliton and Mariana

Librarian Dyan have participated in cookbooks and home Dunagan of the many of the programs Muleshoe Area Public this year. Alejandra is Library has announced always willing to lend a the family of Meliton hand when we need help Diaz Jr. is the Library with the craft projects," said Dunagan.

at the Coyote Lake had something loved planting plants in Feedyard and Alejandra different to say about the library during the is a stay-at-home mom. their favorite part of the library," Dunagan said. "Meliton Jr. says Bailey County books,

decorating books, Celeste has enjoyed participating in all the activities this year, Meliton III enjoyed the Summer Reading "Each one of them Program and Mariana Spring Break Program," she said.

"Having families like he loves the History of the Diaz family makes working at the library a "The library staff Alejandra enjoys the joy," Dunagan added.



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actually continue to look for measures that we might be able to get behind to actually make things better, that would have offered up a solution to some of these problems.

"So I believe that there is actually a way forward for us, and I hope that Senator Reid, the Majority Leader, who controls the agenda on the Senate floor, will not choose to quit in our effort to try to find solutions, indeed something we need to pursue, instead of just symbolic gestures which would have had no impact on these mass gun tragedies."



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By Susan Skipworth

the cold spells.

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invite all of you senior the delicious food citizens who like to cooked up by Sherlon play dominoes to come and Marion. Come on on down to the Oneita down and join us.

Wagnon Senior Center.

every day here at the

and lots of fellowship supper and join in We would like to daily! Not to mention on the entertainment

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Save the date! We There are at least two are starting our dances again for the year. Our first dance will be on Vandevender will be

Remember to bring We have lots of fun a dish for the pot luck and excellent exercise. Dancing is not only fun but great exercise. So come have some fun and get fit at the same

> It is a great time to renew some old acquaintances. The dance starts at 7 p.m., and will go until 10

Pray for rain! We would love to have to fight the mud instead of the sand for awhile.

April 29-May 3 menus:

Monday, April 29 - Chicken tetrazzini, Italian vegetables, salad, oatmeal cookies, and garlic bread.

Tuesday, April 30th — Polish sausage, red cabbage with sweet and sour sauce, German Forrest parfait, and a wheat roll. Wednesday, May 1 —

potatoes and gravy, green beans tossed vegetable salad, low calorie French dressing, cornbread, cobbler, and a roll, Thursday, May 2

and fruit. Friday, May 3 — Fish or chicken strips, beans, cabbage slaw, corn bread, and fruit.

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Texas spending, and shares user-friendly format.

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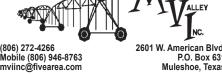
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### 'I'd Like To Try Being Spiritual But Not Religious'

I've thought about it, and I'm pretty sure I'd like to join the cool crowd, the growing numbers of folks in our society who are button-bustin' proud of religious."

A good friend who reads a lot and, consequently, thinks a religion. lot, pointed me to an

It's strange, she clowns were scary. says, that folks who themselves, but proud a church, nowadays feel such a burning need old-fashioned. to "witness" to out-



being "spiritual but not dated religious folks, particularly ministers, about the weaknesses of church and organized

interesting book the never felt a particular rivers (even more since need to educate every Written by Lillian teacher she meets with up.) I'm particularly Daniel, the book the knowledge that she's fond of mountains is entitled. When always hated math, or and snow and sliding "Spiritual but Not to inform cooks in her around in snow on encouraged alongside Religious" Is Not presence that she can't Enough: Seeing God in cook, or to tell clowns Surprising Places, Even she runs across that me looking "spiritual" she's always thought and know it's what

But, for some reason, are so "spiritual" folks lock-stepping gas, catch me on top of a they can hardly stand along to the popular mountain in the snow. "spiritual but not as punch of never religious" tune feel a sleeping in a good darkening the door of need to evangelize or

Well, except that never.

I'd be unemployed, I religious" folks.

as practically "spiritual" as any of the popular

I like birdies and ours here are all drying sticks.

If you want to find passes for the real deal and not just intestinal

bit more on Sunday poke the unenlightened mornings than I get to, which is, sadly, almost hope with me.

might like to try joining not giving tithes and the "spiritual but not offerings. I'd be willing to try mentally assenting I've long wondered if that all blessings come to be a preacher anyway. being thankful in a way painful check-writing.

But I think I'd miss a lot.

I'd miss joining my Daniels says she's sunsets. I like lakes and heart and voice and prayers with others so that faith becomes a river and not just a dried up trickle.

> I'd miss being others of the centrality of Christ and his cross and what his people have always held most deeply meaningful and true and dear.

I'd miss being a genuine part of a I'm sure I'd like fellowship of folks who love me and mine as family and laugh with me, cry with me, live in

I'd miss being part of

me and the flavor or opinion polls. style I happen to like best at this moment.

I'd miss own desires so that be blessed.

part of a group called to follow an unchanging Lord and his will rather the nose by society's just me.

I'm certain I'd like something bigger than latest always-changing

I'd like to try being spiritual but not the religious. I just have a I was religious enough from God but never opportunity to follow really bad feeling that, a crucified Lord by at the more folks who try And I think I could be that involved much times crucifying my it, the more we all lose.

Come to think of it, others in his body might it's being religious and not just spiritual that I'd miss being a real forces me to believe a genuinely inconvenient truth: I need to care about how my decisions than being led around affect others and not





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The Lazbuddie Avery Timms.

Junior High "A" District has released its — Devon Pacheco, honor rolls for the fifth Mattisun Hester and Ashley Scott.

Junior High "AB" – Matthew Beavers, Elementary "A" — Marisol Gomez, Nancy Fehr, Anita Cheyenne McQuigg, Martens and Michael Andres Solano, Angel Villasenor, TJ Ballard, Elementary "AB" Ashley Beavers, - Dalton Copley, Bernardo Lopez, Eve Froese, Phoebe Georgia Taylor and

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### **Baby Showers**



Johna Myers

### **Myers Feted With Shower**

honored with a baby Bamert and Rhonda shower on April 14 in the home of Sherri

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> Keila Morris. The hostess gift was a gift certificate for portrait setting and pictures from Madison

> Photography. Special guests attending included Jamie Myers, Vickie Wilson, Rylee Wilson, Kali Wilson, Mandy Myers, Johnney Alford, Kealy McDaniel, Kim Thetford, Kaci Miller,

Johna Myers was Jill Morris, Madison Myers.

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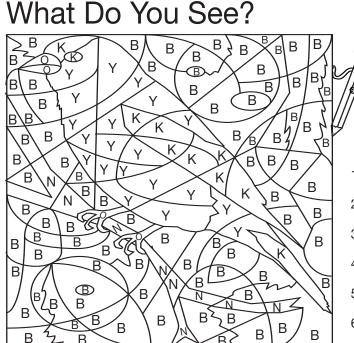
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F. she was the first writer of the Nancy Drew series

### State Cattle On Feed Report Shows Down Seven Percent

April 1, down seven to 419,000 head. percent from a year

by the Texas Field Office, the estimate was up two 1 level.

Producers placed 540,000 head in commercial feedlots during March, up 26 percent from a year ago and up 59 percent from February.

Texas commercial feeders marketed 485,000 head during March, up three percent from 2012 and up 23 percent from February.

On April 1, there were 2.25 million head of cattle and calves on feed in the Northern High Plains, 87 percent of the state's total.

The number on feed across the area was down five percent from last year and up two percent from the March

March placements in

#### Lazbuddie Results Released

A total of eleven units of blood were received during the Lazbuddie High School and community blood drive held on April 17 with Coffee Memorial Blood Center.

Cattle and calves the Northern High Plains feedlots during March on feed for slaughter totaled 478 thousand totaled 1.90 million market in Texas feedlots head, up 64 percent head, six percent above with capacity of 1,000 from the February total. March 2012. March head or more totaled Marketings were up 21 placements of cattle 2.59 million head on percent from last month and calves weighing

on feed for slaughter 600-699 pounds totaled According to the market in the United monthly report released States in feedlots with a capacity of 1,000 head or more totaled 10.9 percent from the March million head on April head. 1, 2013.

> down five percent from April 1, 2012.

Placements in below 2012.

less than 600 pounds Cattle and calves totaled 410,000 head; 315,000 head; 700-799 pounds totaled 540,000 head; 800 pounds and greater totaled 634,000

Marketings of fed This inventory was cattle during March totaled 1.77 million head, eight percent



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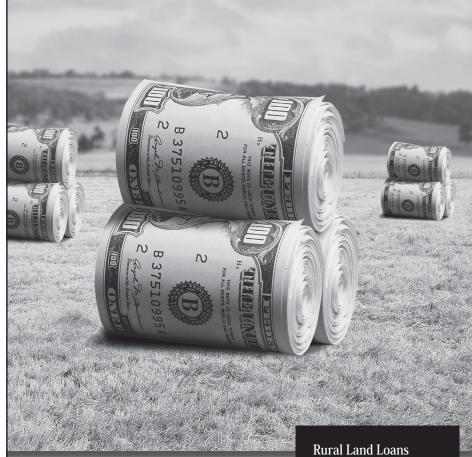
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### Sudan Track Teams... Continued From A1

behind Forsan.

meter relay, Sudan placed sixth. placed second. Team Chester, Dayton Fisher, Reece Harper and had a time of 44.71 seconds.

Forsan also beat them with a time of 44.51.

run, Landon Williamson seventh. placed seventh and eighth.

100-meter hurdles, Ashton Sawyer placed first and Ashton Shultz 110-meter hurdles, Xavier Trillo placed third and Jesus Lozoya placed fifth.

In the 100-meter dash, Carrizales. Shaylee Johnson placed first with a time of 12.81 seconds. Shultz placed fifth and Schovajsa 110-meter dash, Jake Chester placed sixth.

In the men's 4x200team placed second. Team members are Jelmer Vanderlei, Tanner Fisher, Jake Chester, and Reece Harper.

placed sixth but will run high jump. at regionals after two

They placed second competitors scratched. In the men's 400-meter In the men's 4x100- dash, Adam Martin

In the 300-meter members are Jake hurdles, Ashton Sawyer placed second. In Barry Johnson, and the men's 300-meter hurdles, Barry Johnson placed third and Xavier Trillo placed fifth.

In the 200-meter In the men's 800-meter dash, Vanderlei placed

In the 1600-meter run, Cesar Medrano placed Marie Carrizales placed first and Ambrosia In the women's Nelson placed sixth. On the men's side, Christian fourth in the long jump. Ruiz placed second.

placed fourth. In the relay, Sudanteam placed Jake Chester placed eighth. Team members third, and Tanner Fisher are Madi Edwards, placed sixth. Eliana Herrera, Allison Black, and Marie the women's pole vault

meter relay, the Sudan second. team placed first. Team members are placed seventh. In the Barry Johnson, Jelmer pole vault. Vanderlei, Reece Harper, and Dayton Fisher.

In the field events, meter relay, the Sudan Damion Montes placed eighth in the discus triple jump and Ashton throw. Madi Edwards Sawyer placed eighth. placed second in the women's high jump. Dayton Fisher placed In the 400-meter first and Tanner Fisher placed third. dash, Madi Edwards placed second in the

Ashton Shultz placed South Plains College



The Sudan Nettes win the area track meet. Pictured above are Nettes Kristina Thorn, Eliana Herrera, Bryleigh Schovajsa, Hailee Gonzales-Diaz, Keela chester, Marie Carrizales, Allison Black, Madi Edwards, Ashton Sawyer.

Dayton Fisher placed In the 4x400-meter first in the long jump,

Keela Chester won followed by Ashton The men's 4x400- Sawyer who placed

Tommy Whitehurst placed first in the men's

Andrew Ramon placed fifth in the shot put. Ashton Sawyer placed fifth in the

Dayton Fisher placed first in the triple jump, and Reece Harper

The regional track meet will be held at



Dayton Fisher, Barry Johnson, Reece Harper, and Jake Chester placed second in the 4x100 meter relay. Photographs by Cheri Sain

starting on Friday, April 26, at 8:30 a.m.

Half of the field events will be completed in the morning, and the other half will take place Saturday morning, April 27.

Friday will have the running preliminaries in the afternoon, and Saturday will see the finals of the running events starting at 2:30 p.m.



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Pole Vaulters Keela Chester and Ashton Sawyer win first and second at area track meet.

track team win the area track meet. Pictured above are Andrew Ramon, Cesar Medrano, Jesus Lozoya, Christian Ruiz, Barry Johnson, Reece Harper, Dayton Fisher, Jelmer Vanderlei, Stephen Schovajsa, Tanner Fisher, Jake Chester, Adam Martin, Xavier Trillo, Damion Montes, Tommy Whitehurst, Landon

### Sudan FCCLA Attend State Meeting

The Sudan FCCLA Texas FCCLA State in STAR (Students with other duties. Meeting in Dallas on Taking Action with April 10-13.

Members who Goen, Adriana Porras, Denise Salazar, Hailee STAR Events. Gonzales-Diaz, Alex Maldonado.

Recognition) Events.

attended included Jade also judged STAR delegation. Events, and Tiffanie

Denise Salazar Scholarship Fund. Hernandez and Tiffanie completed her officer duties by working at the year member of FCCLA is Cheri Sain.

Several of these STAR Events, attending and has competed at members attended the members competed meetings, and helping

> Maribel Centeno served as the voting Two of the members delegate for the

the regional and state level for three years. She will major in biology at Texas Tech in the fall.

Sudan FCCLA received special Jade Goen received recognition for their Leandra Briseno, Ivan Maldonado served as a a \$1,000 scholarship state project on cleaning Trillo, Maribel Centeno, timekeeper at one of the through the Texas the football field and also FCCLA/Blue Bell received recognition for their service learning Goen has been a four-projects. Their sponsor





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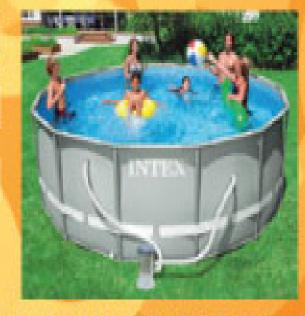
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### Sports News

### **Lady Mules Breeze** Through Lady 'Winds

By Delton Wilhite Sportswriter

blowout 10-0 win in five second run.

in the fifth.

a wild pitch, third on a and Sanchez. passed ball and scored run of the game.

out six in the five inning affair with one coming in both the first and second innings and two one in the fourth and one in the fifth.

walked to lead off the scored on wild pitches. The Floydada Lady fourth inning and Winds did not put Adriana Loya bunted the third time in the up much of a fight her to second base. Tuesday against the Vasquez stole third second and third on visiting Lady Mules as and scored on a wild wild pitches. Mendoza Muleshoe cruised to a pitch for the Lady Mules beat out an infield hit

Jessica Kube walked from third. The Lady Mules and stole second base. scored five runs in the Sanchez, and Daniela second and went to fourth inning and four Mendoza both walked third on a wild pitch. Linda Sanchez led off Mandy Scolley smacked drive in Mendoza for the first inning with a a line drive double to the 10th and final run walk, went to second on left field to score Kube of the game.

on an error for the first before Miranda deBruin with a perfect 9-0 run singled up the middle through the District Marissa Cortez struck to score Mendoza 2-2A competition. and Scolley. The Lady

in the third. She fanned by the pitcher in the top against the Bushland of the fifth inning. She Lady Falcons Friday advanced to second, Floydada only moved to third and managed on hit against scored on wild pitches. hope to play a second Cortez and she walked Kube walked and practice game Monday advanced to second. She at Lubbock Coronado.

Samantha Vasquez then went to third and

Sanchez walked for game and moved to and scored Sanchez

She advanced to to load the bases. Gabi Chavez singled to

The Lady Mules Gabi Chavez walked concluded the season

They will have a bye Mules led 6-0 after four in the first round of the playoffs but will Loya reached on error play a practice game afternoon.

The Lady Mules



Lady Mule Marissa Cortez swings during the game against Floydada.

### **Harris Completes First Round** At Regional Golf Tourney

By Delton Wilhite Sportswriter

Colten Harris the second day. completed the first Odessa with an 81.

He knew he would need to shoot a better the second round and round the second day as the day progressed

Harris was greeted round of the Region by a very cold wind I Golf Tournament in blowing from the

He layered up to start and after a fitful night Harris had to battle the

golfer can experience.

over he had shot a 93.

Harris tied for 45th coach. place in Region I with a two-round total of 181.

"I am proud of Colten (Harris) and have enjoyed working with him for four years," said Mule golf coach Carey Sudduth.

of playing the course in course, the elements and the tournament was his dreams he awoke for the frustration only a miserable with a very cold wind blowing. But When the round was he gave it his best on every shot," said the

> "Golf can be a very frustrating at times and it was rewarding to see that Colten has learned to control his emotions and just keep playing. That is a pretty good life lesson," said Coach





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### Matt Barron, on the right, and Nacho Elizalde Tennis Tourney...

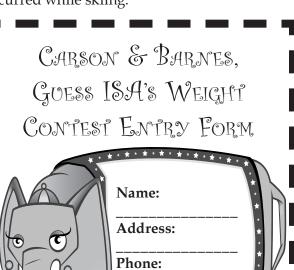
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Lindsey 6-1, 6-3. Elizalde fell in his second match to the number one seed in the region, Chase Cook of Jim Ned, 1-6, 0-6.

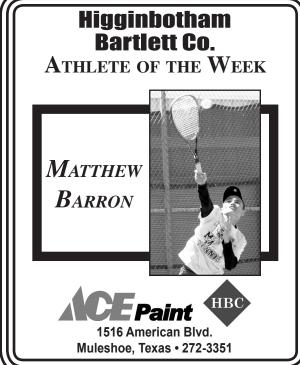
Cook defeated LeBlanc in Thursday's finals

"I was very proud of these two Mules," said Muleshoe tennis coach Jody Wood. "They competed well against the best players in the region. I look forward to having both of these sophomore boys back for two more seasons."

Coach Wood had knee surgery on Friday after the Region I Tournament to repair damages she incurred while skiing.



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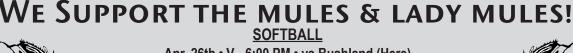
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### Varsity Baseball... Continued From A1

to right field.

The right fielder allowed the ball to get passed him and it rolled to the fence.

Barron and Lozano continued to round the bases as the Mustang fielder tracked down the ball.

Barron crossed the plate and Lozano slide home as the ball arrived to put the Mules up

The Mustangs scored a run before Danny Campos camped under center field.

both times to secure the second and third outs.

sacrifice.

Matt Flores single to left field to lead off when the catcher the fourth inning and triple off the fence in the ball into left field. centerfield to score Flores.

centerfield to sacrifice innings. Mendoza home to put the Mules on top 4-2.

at the Mule lead with a fourth. The Mules led advantage to 8-3. 4-3 after four innings.



Campos squeezed scoring on a Felipe hits and a Mule error. the ball in his glove Espinoza double to centerfield.

Keagan Gonzales after six innings. The Mules led 2-1 reached on an error by after one inning. Olton the third baseman and tied the game in the Flores was hit by a pitch. third inning with a Flores and Mendoza base hit, a walk and a were hit by pitches to force Espinoza home.

Gonzales scored wild pitches. attempted to pick him walked to load the Mendoza ripped a RBI off third base and threw bases.

out two in the bottom line. The right field Wesley Clarkson of the inning and the attempted to make a sent a fly ball deep to Mules led 7-3 after five running catch but the

top of the sixth and Elizalde and Bessire. Olton chipped away scored on an error by the third baseman up their season at run in the bottom of the to extend the Mules'

Olton would not go Bobcats.

The Mules tacked on away and scored three back-to-back fly balls to three runs in the fifth runs in the bottom of inning with Lozano the sixth on three base

> The Mustangs had cut the Mule lead to 8-6

> The Mules manufactured two runs in the top of the seventh with Elizalde reaching on an error. He went to third on back-to-back

> Bessire and Lozano

Espinoza hit a fly ball Nacho Elizalde struck down the right field ball bounced out of Barron walked in the his glove to score both

> The Mules finished home Monday evening against the Dimmitt

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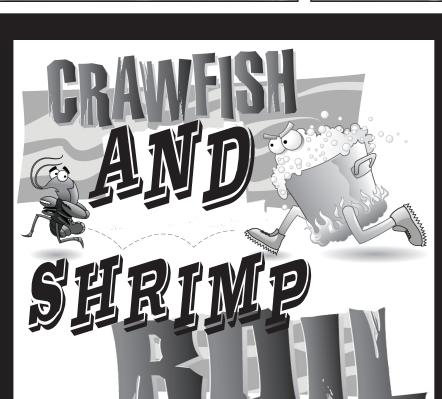


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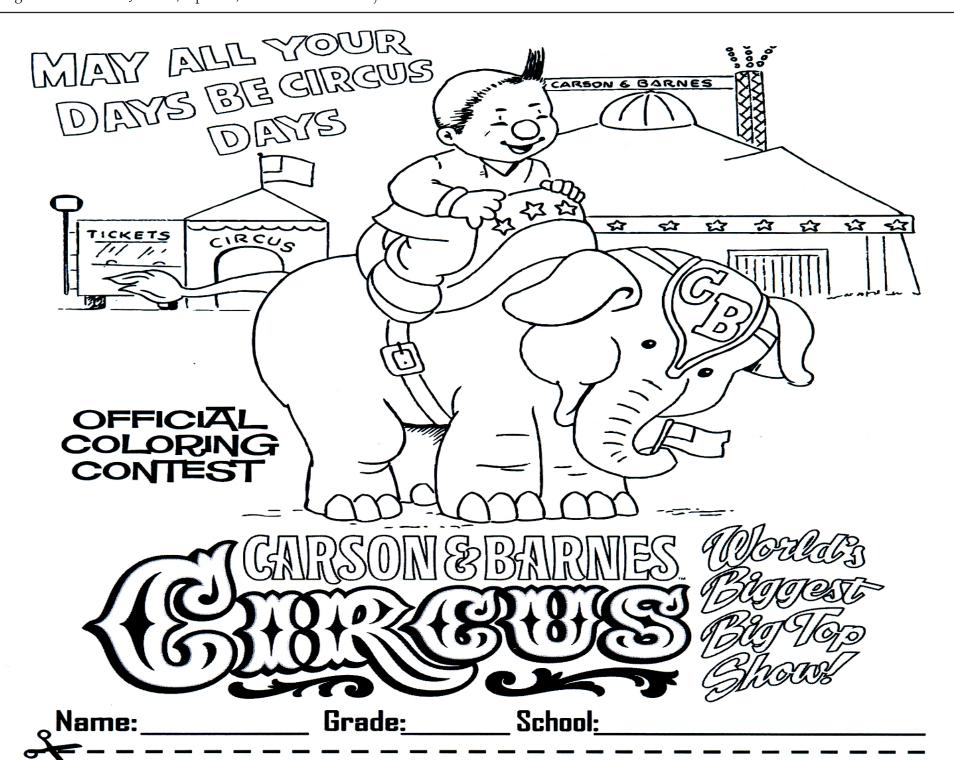


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#### NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION

To the Registered Voters of the City of Muleshoe: (A los votantes registrados del Ciudad de Muleshoe)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 11, 2013 for voting in a general election to elect:

Council member District #1 Council member District #2

Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abriran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 11 deMayo del 2013 para votar en la Eleccion General para elegir:

el lugar del Consilio membro del Districto #1

el lugar del Consilio membro del Districto #2

LOCATIONS OF POLLING PLACES (DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

City Hall, 215 S. First, Muleshoe, TX

Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at: (La votacion adelantada en persona se llevara a cabo de Lunes a Viernes en)

City Hall, 215 S First, Muleshoe, TX

Between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 29, 2013 (entre las 8:00 de la manana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 29 de April 2013)

and ending on May 7, 2013. (y terminado el 7 de Mayo 2013)

Early voting hours are extended from 7:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M. on April 30, 2013 and May 7, 2013 as required under Section 85.005 (d) of the Election

(las horas de votar temprano estan estendidas de las 7:00 de la manana a las 7:00 de la tarde el 30 de April 2013 y el 7 de Mayo del 2013 es requerido por la seccion 85.005 del Codigo de Eleccion.)

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LeAnn Gallman

(Name of Early Voting Clerk) (Nombre de la Secretaria de la Votacion 215 S First

(City) (Ciudad)

(Address) (Direccion)

Muleshoe, TX

<u>79347</u>

(Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

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May 3, 2013. (3 de Mayo del 2013)

> Issued this the 11th day of February, 2013. (Emitada este dia 11 de Febrero, 2013.)

> > /s/ Cliff Black

Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)

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#### **LEGAL**\ **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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