

Sonora High School students wait for their parents to pick them up after Friday's bomb threat.

Photo by Juanita Gomez

## Sonora schools evacuated for second threat; administration serious about catching callers

by Storie Sharp

Sonora ISD is offering a \$250.00 reward to any individual who gives information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person(s) responsible for the bomb threats made to the school district on February 9, 2006 and February 24, 2006.

"We're going to do everything we can to catch these people and we will prosecute to the fullest," said Sonora ISD Superintendent Doug Bawcom. Bawcom had just left the Sonora Police Department where an ongoing investigation is being handled by local law enforcement, as well as school administration.

The call came in to the Sonora Middle School on Friday, February 24, around lunch time. Sonora ISD staff, having been instructed on new protocol for answering all calls since the first bomb scare on February 9, 2006. It is reported that the caller was a female this time, and sounded young. The schools were immediately evacuated again, with the safety of the children and staff being the main concern. The same efficiency and cooperation as the previous evacuation was carried out, with all schools moving to the secure designated locations. Students were again transported to the Sutton County Civic Center where they could be out of the cold rain until parents could pick them up. Bawcom and Chief of Police Mike House again commended the teachers, aides, students and parents on their assistance and cooperation in insuring that all students were moved quickly and safely.

Thorough sweeps of all the campuses were once again held, with no trace of any suspicious activity being located, however school was dismissed for the day.

New phone systems have been installed in all the Sonora ISD buildings, allowing for all numbers to be identified. If a number is anonymous it will not be connected to a staff personnel, but will be transferred to an automated answering system. A message can be left, but all numbers will be traceable. Set procedures have also been set for answering all calls, with select personnel being allowed to answer the calls.

"Bomb threats are no joking matter and we're going to do everything we can to avoid such situations again," said Bawcom.

Any information that is provided regarding the previous calls will be strictly confidential. Anyone with any information is encouraged to call Doug Bawcom for more information at 387-2545.



Sonora Middle School Principal, John Berry and Sheriff Joe Fincher talk with concerned parents at the designated evacuation location.

Photo by Juanita Gomez

## Suspects still sought in armed robbery

by Storie Sharp

Two suspects are being sought after a power line worker for AEP reported being held at gunpoint on Monday, February 27, 2006. The victim notified the Sutton County Sheriff's Office after the two men robbed him of his wallet, containing a little over \$100, a watch and his coat.

It was reported that the young man was working approximately five miles north of Sonora on Hwy 277 N when he was accosted by two Hispanic males. One suspect reportedly held a small handgun to the man's head and told him in Spanish to give him his stuff. The victim complied and the two thieves made away through the pasture, believed to be headed north.

The victim made a quick exit in the other direction and made his way to a phone to call police. The Sutton County Sheriff's Office was assisted by local law enforcement, including local Game Warden, Will Allison, Texas State Troopers and City Police. Border Patrol was contacted and also joined the search, assisting with Custom's and Border Patrol air crafts. Search continued throughout the night.

The two suspects, described as Hispanic, one standing approximately 5'6" with a slender build and the other standing approximately six foot, with a heavy build, have not been found as of press time. The only clothing description obtained was that one was believed to be wearing a long sleeved plaid shirt. If you have seen two suspects fitting these descriptions please contact the Sutton County Sheriff's Department at 325-387-2880

## Filing open for local elections

Filing is currently underway for position on the Sonora ISD Board of Trustees, Sonora City Council and Sutton County Commissioners. Filing, which began February 13, continues through March 13, 2006.

The deadline for write-in candidates is March 20.

The Elections will be held May 13, 2006.

It's the At-large seats that are up for re-election on the school board, currently held by Tammy Favila, Tom Payton and Scott Jacoby.

On the City Council there are two seats to be decided, those representing Wards 1 and 2, as well as the position of Mayor. Currently, Virgil Poloczek holds the seat in Ward 1 and Fred Perez holds the seat for Ward 2. The office of Mayor is currently held by Gloria Lopez. There will also be a proposition on the docket, where voters need to vote on the adoption of a local sales and use tax in the City of Sonora at the rate of one-fourth of one percent to provide revenue for maintenance and repair of municipal streets.

In the County, Precinct 4 is up, with Belia Castaneda currently holding the seat.

Anyone interested in filing for any of these positions can pick up form at Sonora Administration Office for School Board; City Hall for the Council; and the Sutton County Annex for the Commissioner's Court

## No need to smile, it's not your picture they want

by Storie Sharp

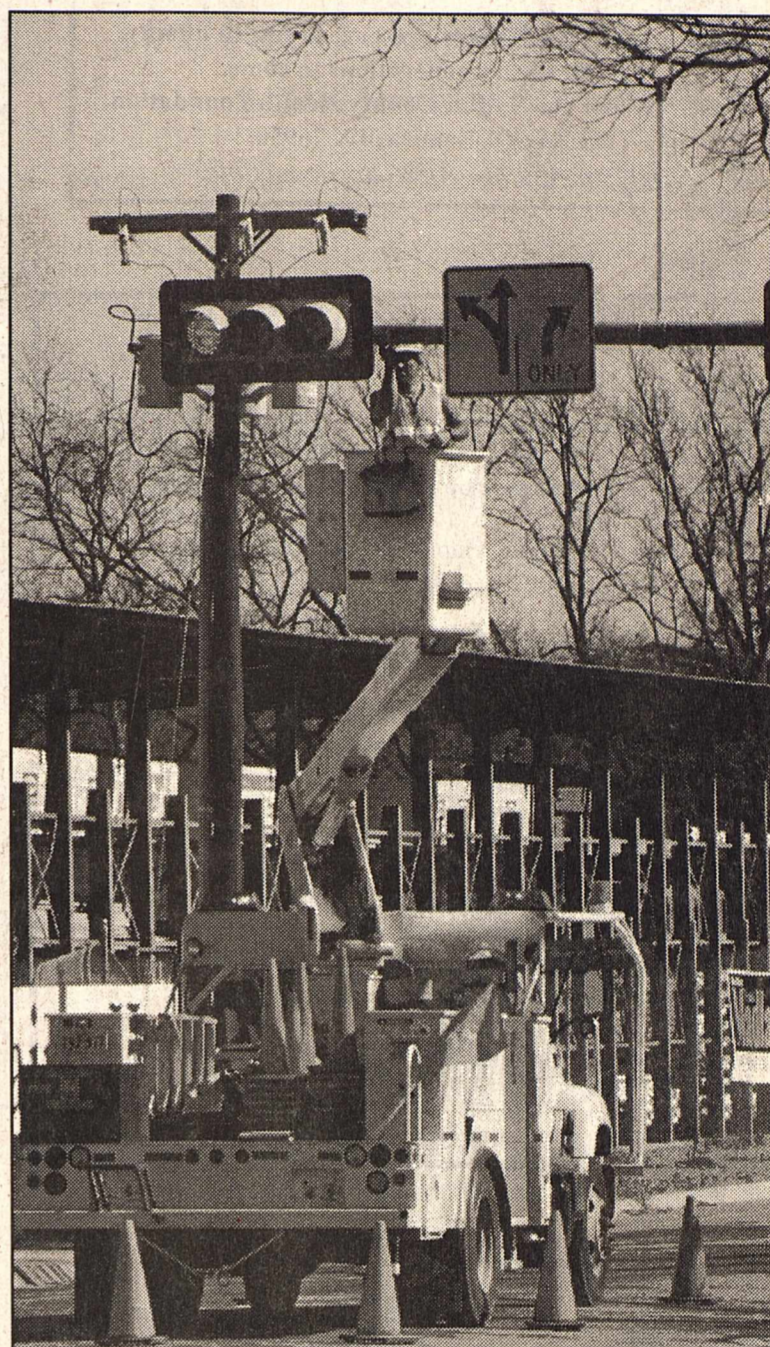
There's been a lot of speculation, heated conversation and "tickets in the mailbox" anticipation over the new "cameras" seen around town at the red light intersections. But the new devices have not been put in place to snag seatbelt violators or red light runners, no the new electronic additions to our traffic lights in Sonora are a vehicle detection system that the Texas Department of Transportation from the San Angelo District is installing here in Sonora. This new technology is Video image vehicle detection systems (VIVDS) and is becoming an increasingly common means of detecting traffic at intersections and interchanges.

VIVDS detects movement at an intersection and sends a message to a traffic controller unit to change the signals

"Rather than cut into the pavement to make wire connections, the cameras are installed above the light poles", said Angie Ortegon with the San Angelo TXDOT office.

This interest stems from the recognition that video detection can cost less to install than inductive loop detection at multi-lane intersections and that it has fewer maintenance problems. These benefits have become more substantial as the VIVDS technology matures, its initial cost drops, and experience with it grows.

So, as much as it is assured that the local law enforcement would like drivers to slow down, buckle up and pay attention, they have not taken to stop-light spying; but you can bet they will still be waiting around the corner if you try to test your luck.



TxDOT workers install new VIVDS on local traffic lights.

## Polling places for primaries

Locations of polling places for Democratic and Republican Primaries

MARCH 7, 2006

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Civic Center

Precinct No. 2

Hospital

Precinct No. 3

Sutton County Annex Building

Precinct No. 4

Fire Station

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MARZO 7, 2006

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Precinto Num. 2

Hospital

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Precinto Num. 4

Estacion de bomberos

## Photo workshop to focus on Sonora; students looking for true Texas material

by Zac Kerbow

The people of this community have always been willing to support programs that allow Sonora and Sutton County to reach beyond its misleading size.

Well, once again we have an opportunity to be an area leader. During the last part of March, approximately the 18th through the 26th, Sonora will play host to a dozen photography and journalism students from Western Kentucky University.

The extent of their project is quite large.

Sonora has been chosen as the first stop of the *American Diversity Project*, with the Sonora component tentatively titled "*The West Texas Workshop*."

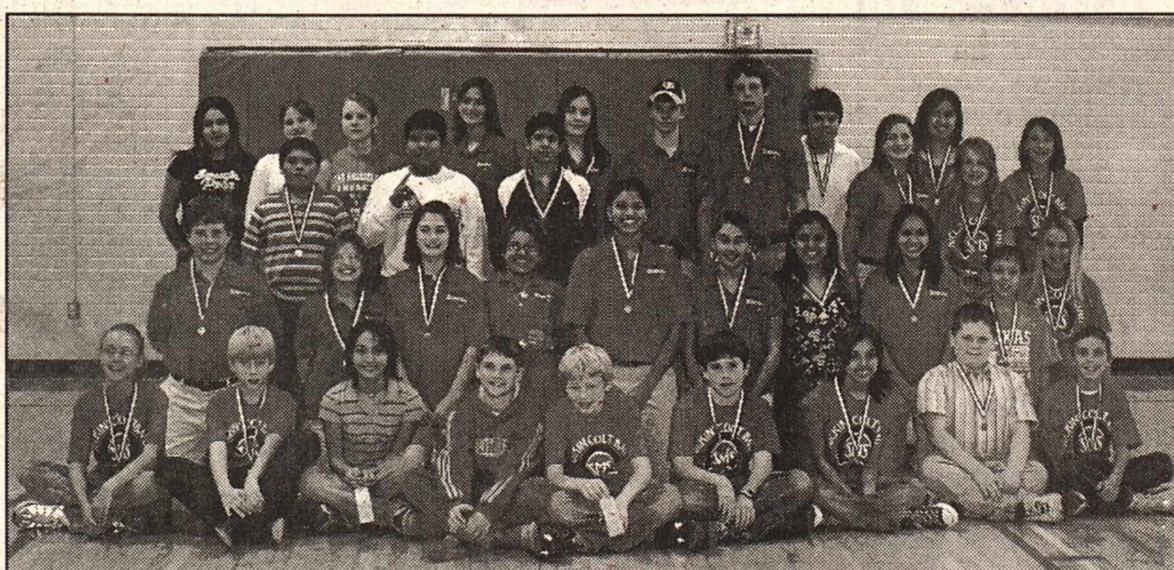
The starting point is providing for these students to pursue human interest stories in the area. They will seek out locations and members of the community for photos and interviews pertaining to the following general subjects: History, Economy, Government, Education, Religion, Youth, Scenic and Tourist Features.

We hope to have everyone aware of these photographers, but also have everyone go about their daily routine. The goal of the project is to capture "slice of life" people, activities and events.

The Kentuckians will be very professional and are very excited to be visiting our area. The final result of the ambitious venture will be a website with the storylines displayed through photos and audio quotes. To view a sample of a similar project visit their website, [www.mountainworkshops.org](http://www.mountainworkshops.org).

Through the efforts of Ann Kay and members of Friends of Historic Sonora and the Chamber of Commerce a good foundation of support has been formed. The community is being asked to assist with the main financial responsibility of providing for the group's meals, hopefully two a day.

Any organization or individual that would like to donate or help with meals, please contact Zac Kerbow at (512) 461-2066 or the Friends of Historic Sonora at 387-2248.



## SMS students show their stuff at Science Fair

Sonora Middle School's Annual Science Fair was held last week. Winners were as follows:

### Physics

- 1st - Elizabeth Chavarria
- 2nd - Meredith Earwood
- 3rd - Edward Garza
- 4th - Courtney James
- 5th - Selena Mesa
- 6th - Erica Granados

### Environmental

- 1st - Sterling Love
  - 2nd - Tyler Creek
  - 3rd - Bailey Joe Pennington
- ### Chemistry
- 1st - Christina Robbins
  - 2nd - Sterling Hall
  - 3rd - Juan Capuchina

### Earth Science

- 1st - Amy Hernandez
- 2nd - Phillip Stephens
- 3rd - Manuel Paredes

### Zoology

- Allison Freeman

### Engineering

- 1st - Chelsey Lou Campbell
- 2nd - Jesus Garcia
- 3rd - Sarah Hernandez
- 4th - Colyer Dermody
- 5th - Bethany Berry
- 6th - Cadesman Pope

### Medicine / Health

- 1st - Monica Sanchez
- 2nd - Cody Pena
- 3rd - Hunter Jennings

### Biochemistry

- 1st - Michael Stephens
- 2nd - Aliana Castro
- 3rd - Alex Lang
- 4th - Cassie Krieg

### Math

- 1st - Brittany Hernandez

### Space

- 1st - Stella Ingham

### Behavioral

- 1st - Sierra Barber
- 2nd - Zachary Leonard
- 3rd - Delilah Aguero (tie)
- 3rd - Alex Galindo (tie)
- 4th - Evelyn Solis
- 5th - Michael Sanchez
- 6th - Kash McGee

### Botany

- 1st - Alyssa Favila
- 2nd - Anali Garcia
- 3rd - Bryce Smith
- 4th - Milton Black
- 5th - Alicia Lowe
- 6th - Clayton Parks





## Pecos Trail Region district meeting welcomes all

### Main Street Traffic

Released By Jennifer Esparza

The Texas Historical Commission recently designated the Texas Pecos Trail Region as the ninth region in the Texas Heritage Trails Program and started formally organizing the program in September of 2005. The next meeting of the 22-county Texas Pecos Trail Region will take place on March 9th in Fort Clark Springs. Get involved in your regional program and join us!

Time will be from 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Fort Clark Springs service Club on Route 90 in Bracketville, TX, 78332. (to get to the Service Club, take the

gate on the south side of Route 90. Stop at the security building and receive a pass. The Service Club is the first building on the right after you cross the bridge.)

A Mexican Buffet lunch will be available for \$10.00. Please RSVP by March 7, 2006 to:

Ron Pellin, Fort Clark Springs Director of Operations or Genell Hobbs, Fort Clark Springs General Manager

Phone: 830-563-2493

Email: ron.pellin@fortclark.com

If you are interested in staying at the motel in Fort Clark Springs, a discounted rate of \$20.00 a night is available on a first come, first serve basis. Please call the motel at 1-800-937-1590 for reservations.

This Meeting is for all who are interested in promoting historic and cultural resources to tourists.

## Ladies Golf Auxiliary promotes golf, welcomes new members

The Sonora Ladies Golf Auxiliary promotes women's and youth golf.

The Auxiliary meets the 4th Wednesday of the month at 12 p.m. for lunch and a short business meeting at the Sonora Golf Course Club House.

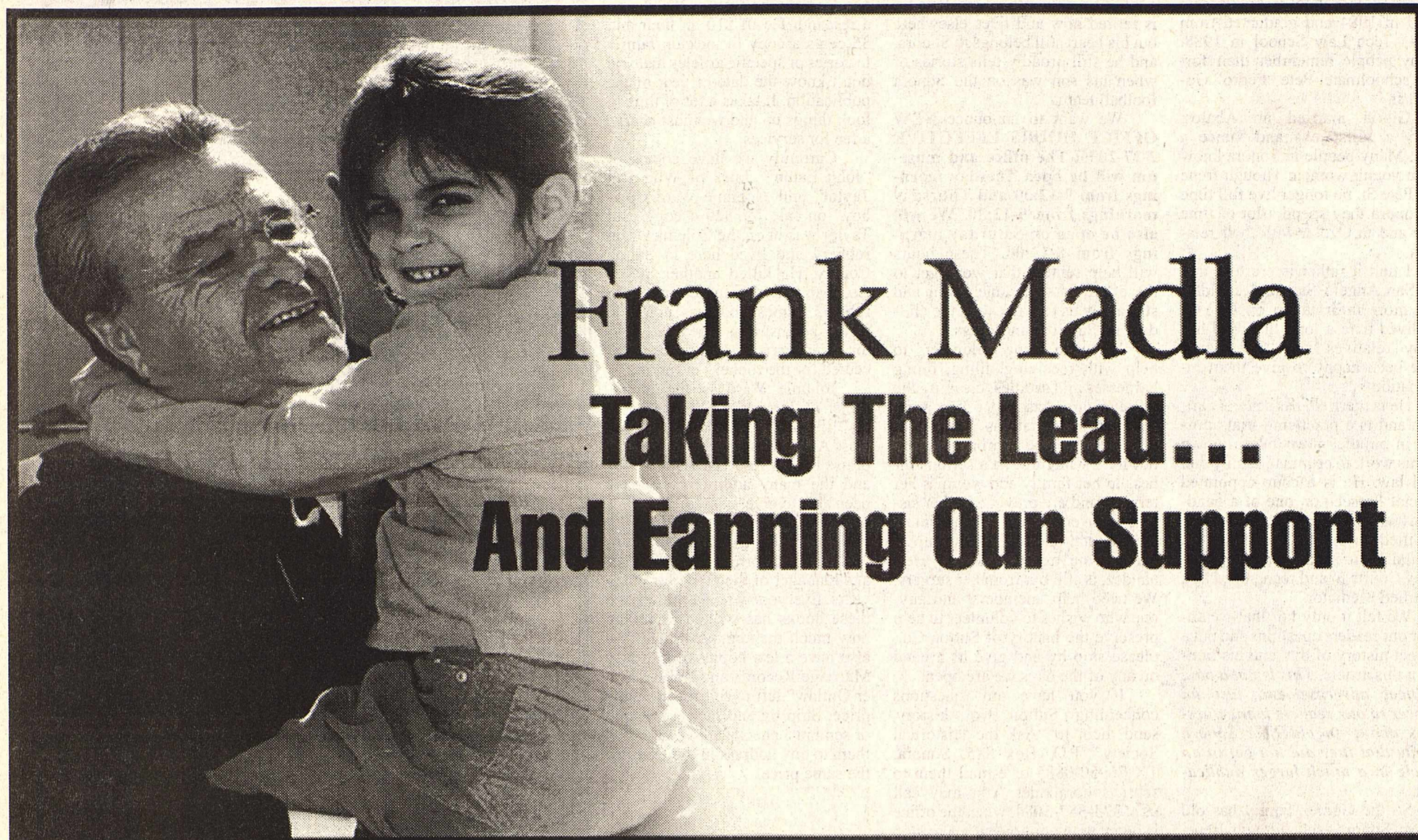
Current officers for the LGA are: Patti Prather, President; Su Scott, Vice-President; Anita Hudson, Treasurer; and Mary Jean Sims, Secretary.

The LGA sponsors five tournaments from April to September. Sponsorships start at \$200 for the five tournaments with your

name on a sign posted throughout the golf course during the tournaments. If you are a business and would like to be a sponsor for these tournaments, contact Patti Prather at 387-2063 or Mary Jean Sims at 387-5744 for more information.

If you are a lady golfer, or would like to learn to play golf, and are interested in joining the Sonora Ladies Golf Auxiliary, contact any of the officers.

The next scheduled meeting is March 22, at 12:00 p.m. at the Sonora Golf Course Club House.



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## Chamber spotlights members; Sonora Wool & Mohair, Red Horse Feeds



by Greta Ramsdell, COC Executive Director

The photographs from the Daddy Daughter Date Night have arrived and they are all spectacular! The packets are available at the Chamber office so please pick them up at your convenience.

In addition to introducing new Chamber of Commerce members, I will be spotlighting our current members during the upcoming months.

As spring approaches and the drought continues, many ranchers are focusing on shearing their sheep and goats and trying to keep adequate feed out for all of their livestock. I visited the Sonora Wool and Mohair Company and found Susan Stark busy preparing paperwork on wool and mohair consignments. Sonora Wool & Mohair has been operating continuously since 1929 and serves the needs of ranchers from this area and all the way to Washington and Oregon. Mohair is sorted on premise and wool is graded and classed on location to assure the highest prices for our producers. Sonora Wool & Mohair is a USDA and APHIS-approved (Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service) warehouse, so mohair is certified and loaded into sea containers and sealed for shipment to Europe and South Africa for processing.

The Wool House supports various local events such as the upcoming 69th Annual Sonora Wool & Mohair Show where local ranchers display their fleeces for competition. The Fling Ding is also held at the Wool House, where every year the building is transformed into a lovely, festive ballroom.

Red Horse Feeds has found its home inside the Wool House, and Juan Patino is continuing his 32-year long career in the feed business.

Red Horse Feeds is owned by Linda and Tom Johnston who also own West Bear Creek General Store in Junction. Red Horse has a complete line of livestock feed including Hi Pro and Full-O-Pep feeds, pet food, alfalfa and coastal hay. Animal health supplies, horse tack, and all types of fencing materials, including wire and t-posts are also available at Red Horse. Hunters can find hunting supplies, blinds, feed and feeders and if you're looking for western wear, Red Horse has Wrangler apparel, Ariat boots, and Stetson and Resistol hats.

Remember Sonora Wool & Mohair Company and Red Horse Feeds for your ranching, hunting and western wear needs!

### CHAMBER EVENTS CALENDAR

Thursday, March 9: Chamber of Commerce Monthly Meeting, noon, Chamber office.

Monday, March 13: Keep Sonora Beautiful Monthly Meeting, noon, Chamber office.

Saturday and Sunday, April 1 & 2: Sonora Classic Goat Show, Civic Center.

## Wedding Announcement



Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Pajestka

### Kenney, Pajestka exchange vows

MaryAnn Kenney and Charles R. Pajestka, MD, were united in marriage on January 28, 2006 in their hometown of Sonora, Texas.

The bride is the daughter of the late Clois and Miriam Rogers. She graduated from Sonora High School in 1985, and attended Angelo State University and Cal State. She is currently the owner and operator of Ol' Sonora Trading Co., Rosy Bud Florist, and Merle Norman Cosmetics.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie F. Pajestka of Holland, Texas. Dr. Pajestka attended Texas A & M University, and graduated from University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio Texas in 1984. He completed Family Practice Residency in Abilene, Texas in 1987 and is presently in family practice in Sonora, Texas.

Officiating the ceremony was Reverend Lewis Allen of Sonora, Texas. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, James Benny Ellison. The maid of honor was the bride's daughter, Alexandra Kenney.

The groom's best man was friend, Dean Prather, of Midland, Texas. Christian Kenney, the bride's son, and Keith Butler served as ushers. Rosie Butler, Debra Hobbs, Lenora Pool and family assisted with the lovely decorations for the reception that followed the ceremony.

A special gift of a beautiful wedding cake from their dearest friend Linda Love, and wonderful food from the Sutton County Steakhouse, made the celebration complete.

The couple enjoyed a wedding trip to Hawaii.

### Zook awarded for years of service



John Zook was presented his 25 year Service Award from Dominion by Lead Foreman John Sturgeon. Prior to Dominion Exploration & Production Inc., John worked for Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas and Mitchell Energy, all here in Sonora.

### Ozona teachers meet legendary coach



On February 8, when Sandy Gandar, Patty Villarreal and Lucy Bird went to the Texas Computer Education Association conference (TCEA), one of the nation's largest educational technology shows, in Austin, Texas, one of their main speakers was Coach Ken Carter who was the subject of the movie, "Coach Carter," starring Samuel L. Jackson.

He made news as head coach of Richmond High School in Richmond, California when he locked out his undefeated varsity basketball team in order to push them to improve their grades.

He is also an author, business owner, and successful motivational speaker.

## Despite Roadblocks, Economy Keeps Truckin'



By Henry Bonilla

On January 31, 1999, all Americans celebrated the new Millennium while anticipating the greatly hyped trepidation that Y2K would doom the world's electronic systems or crash the World-Wide Web. Though January 1, 2000, was not marred by global technology issues, the new century has presented several unexpected economic roadblocks to the United States economy. The tragedies of September 11th and the destruction caused by Hurricanes Katrina and Rita were unexpected, but did not deter the resilience of the American economy.

September 11th devastated the nation emotionally, spiritually, and economically. The Twin Towers were not only a highly recognizable symbol of financial strength, but also the pulse of New York City's renowned Financial District. The complete destruction of the World Trade Center was witnessed by millions of television viewers around the world. Condolences from sympathetic nations poured in as First Responders from West Coast to East Coast loaded up fire trucks and ambulances with supplies and then headed to the Big Apple and to Washington, D.C. to aid their fellow heroes. While the strike against the United States was severe, it only steered the resolve of all Americans to overcome adversity and prove to the cowardly terrorists that we will not be deterred by such attacks. Though the offices of the Wall Street Journal are located less than a block from the Twin Towers, the newspaper was able to produce an abbreviated edition for September 12th. Despite catastrophic losses to many financial corporations, the New York Stock Exchange opened the following Monday. We pulled together as a nation to help those who needed help and comfort those who were hurting.

More recently, Mother Nature has taken a dramatic toll on the Gulf Coast region. Hurricanes Katrina and Rita generated destructive winds and rains with an intensity not witnessed in centuries. Those who had not heeded the warnings to evacuate found themselves seeking cover from Category 5 devastation. Only after the storm finally broke and the skies cleared did the world witness the true brutality of Mother Nature. Hundreds of thousands of people evacuated Louisiana and Mississippi in desperate need of shelter, food, and medical care. Within hours, bus loads of evacuees pulled up to the Astrodome in Houston while thousands more headed to cities and communities throughout Texas. Without medical records, prescriptions for medications, or access to treatment, many feared for their lives. The Texas Red Cross organized hoards of volunteers to help the wounded and infirm to seek emergency health care at prominent Texas medical centers such as MD Anderson and CHRISTUS Santa Rosa Hospital. Following the aftermath of the storms, I was selected to serve on the bipartisan select committee that investigated the preparation for and response to Hurricane Katrina. While there were substantial failures at all

levels of government, I contend that the outpouring of emotional, financial, and volunteer assistance from communities and individuals across Texas proves that the strength of the American Spirit can overcome all obstacles.

With all that the American economy has had to overcome in the past five years, I am amazed at the resilience of the United States economy. Through economic freedom and proactive legislation, America continues to have the strongest economy in the world. Our income per person is without equal and the current 5.6 percent rate of unemployment is below the national averages from the 1970s, 1980s, and 1990s. Since the full implementation of the President's tax relief plan in 2003, more than 4.7 million new jobs have been created, productivity has increased at a remarkable 3 percent annual rate, homeownership has reached all-time highs especially for minority homeowners, and the American economy is growing faster than those of other major industrialized nations. Earlier this month, President George W. Bush signed the Deficit Reduction Act, which will reduce the deficit by \$39 billion and reform important government programs by helping to eliminate waste, fraud, and abuse.

While these legislative initiatives have helped our economy to weather extreme turbulence, we still have more to do. I look forward to working with my colleagues in the House of Representatives to draft, debate, and pass legislation that will further increase our economic fortitude. Please feel free to contact my office with your concerns and ideas as to how we can continue to make America stronger. It is my honor to serve as your Representative and I value your opinions. Thank you and God Bless America.



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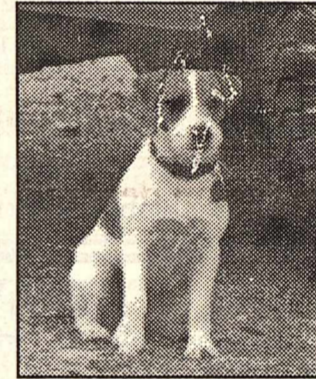
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March 4

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March 5

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Lira, Micaela Moore,  
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Herring, Matthew Young,  
Alex Gonzales

March 7

Felicia Sentena, Billy Bob  
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Megan Childress

March 8

Kellie Berry, Rosalba  
Chavez, Kindra Bounds



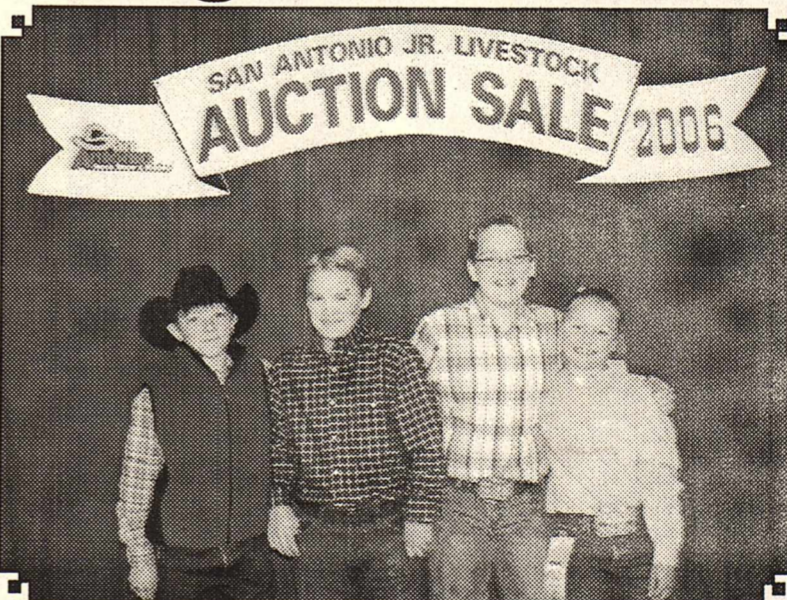
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Macie Friess - 4<sup>th</sup> Place Meat Goat

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# Local 4-H, FFA youth show strong in San Angelo

submitted:  
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 Placing with Buck Kids were Meredith Earwood 2nd, Cash Jennings 4th and 12th, and Hunter Jennings 8th.  
 Yearling Bucks were shown by Emily Earwood who placed 2nd and 6th, Laura Martin 3rd and Meredith Earwood who placed 7th.  
 Showing in the Aged Buck category were Meredith Earwood who finished 1st, Emily Earwood 4th and Cash Jennings 7th.  
 RESERVE CHAMPION BUCK honors went to Meredith Earwood.  
 In the Doe Kid category, Laura Martin placed 2nd and 11th, Emily Earwood 8th, Hunter Jennings 9th and Kelsey Watkins 13th.  
 Showing Yearling Does were Meredith Earwood who finished



Sutton County 4-H and FFA exhibitors, Mark Baxter (Tom Green County), Laura Martin, Steely Ingham, Meredith Earwood, Kelsey Watkins, Bailey Joe Pennington, Stella Ingham, Emily Earwood, Mandy Brister, Chelsey Lou Campbell and Kylie Love, showing Emily, Meredith and Laura's Breeder's Flock.

5th, Laura Martin 6th and Emily Earwood 12th.  
 In the Aged Doe category Meredith Earwood won 2nd and Emily Earwood 6th.  
 Meredith won third in the Pen of Three.  
 In the Breeders Flock category Meredith Earwood placed 3rd, Emily Earwood 4th and Laura Martin 6th.

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I would like to remind all citizens of Sutton County and all readers of the *Devil's River News* that this election to determine who will succeed Judge Brock Jones is a very important one.

Thus, I want to remind everyone that Judge Jones' successor will be determined in the Democratic primary.

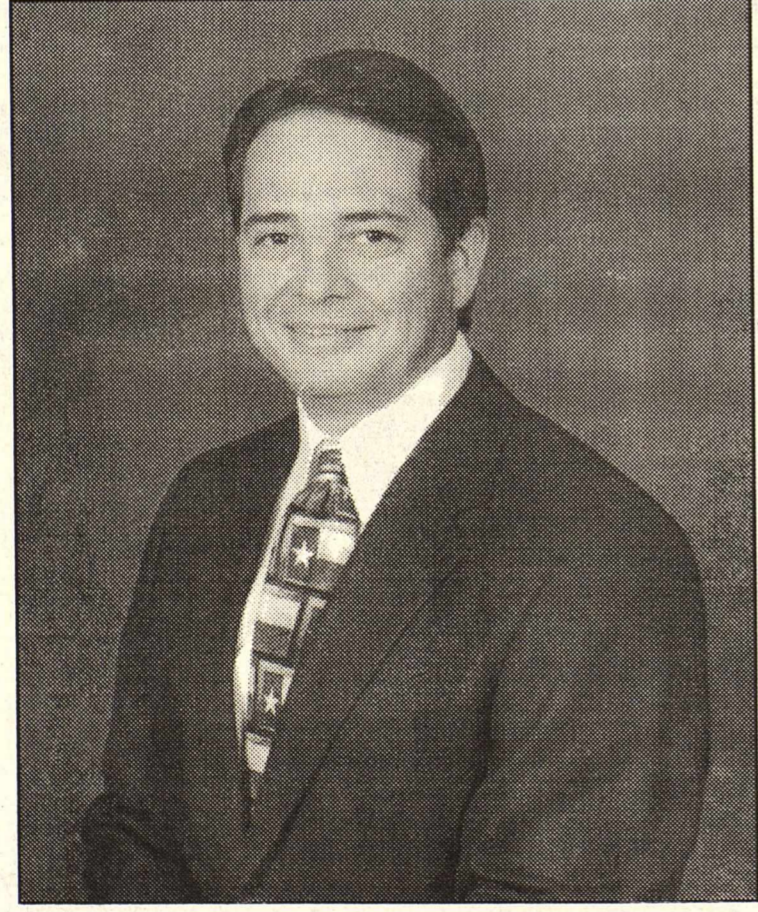
There is no Republican candidate for this position on the ballot. Whoever wins in the Democratic primary will be the next District Court Judge.

Therefore, I call on all citizens in this district, who want to have a voice in this important race, to vote in the Democratic primary and Vote for Pete Gomez to be your next District Judge.

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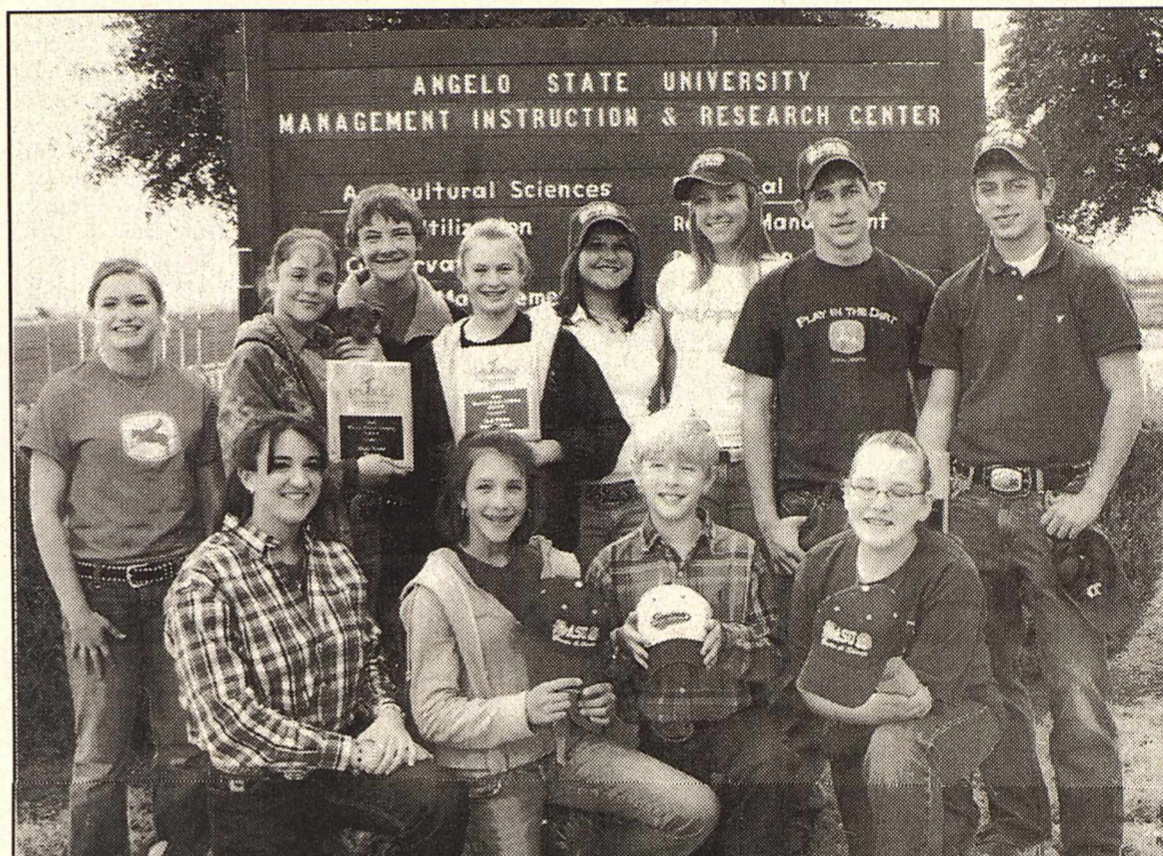


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## Wool & Mohair judging teams score in San Angelo



Standing L to R: Sterling Love, Chelsey Lou Campbell, Bailey Joe Pennington, Keeli Taylor, Laura Martin, Steely Ingham, Colton Moore, and Craig Leonard. Kneeling L to R: Coach, Shawna Faris, Hunter Jennings, Zachary Leonard, and Stella Ingham.

by **Bonnie Lou Campbell**

Sutton County wool & mohair judging teams headed to San Angelo on Saturday, February 25, 2006 to compete in the San Angelo Stock Show Competition held at the Angelo State University MIR Center. There were 20 teams entered with 75 individual contestants participating.

Team members evaluate both wool and mohair, which are used worldwide in the clothing and textile industries. The students determine which product is best for consumers, then defend their choices to judges.

Sonora had three teams entered, coached by Sawna Faris.

Sutton Team #1: Steely Ingham, Craig Leonard, Laura Martin, and Colton Moore.

Sutton Team #2: Bailey Joe Pennington, Stella Ingham, Zachary Leonard and Cash Jennings.

Sutton Team #3: Sterling Love, Chelsey Lou Campbell, Keeli Taylor and Hunter Jennings.

Contest results were as follows: Wool - individual placings: 9th Laura Martin, 10th Craig Leonard.

Wool Team Placing: Sutton #1 placed third.  
 Mohair- individual placings: 1st- Craig Leonard, 4th- Colton Moore, and 10th- Steely Ingham.  
 Mohair Team Placing: Sutton #1 placed first, Sutton #2 placed seventh, and Sutton #3 placed tenth.  
 Overall Wool & Mohair Combined Individuals: 2nd - Craig Leonard, 10th - Laura Martin.  
 Overall Wool & Mohair Combined Teams: 2nd - Sutton #1 and 10th - Sutton #2.

## Junior Ewe Lamb Futurity competition tough in San Angelo

The Junior Ewe Lamb Futurity was held Thursday during the San Angelo Stock Show & Rodeo.

The contest consists of a live evaluation, a wool evaluation, a written portion, and placing and evaluation.

Sutton County 4-H results and points scored are as follows: 5. Bailey Joe Pennington, Sutton County 4-H, 83.83; 10. Chelsey Lou Campbell, Sutton County 4-H, 81.27; 13. Mandy Brister, Sonora FFA, 78.57; 15. Colton Moore, Sonora FFA, 76.37.

## Earwood, Martin show Champion Angoras in San Antonio



**Emily Earwood**  
 submitted  
 Emily Earwood, 15, of Sonora, Texas won Grand Champion Open Angora Goat Buck on February 7th at the San Antonio Livestock Show and Rodeo. Emily is a member of Sutton County 4-H Club and Sutton County FFA.  
 Cory Flach of Bandera, Texas received Reserve Grand Champion Open Angora Goat Buck.



**Laura Martin**  
 Emily Earwood won Grand Champion Open Angora Goat Doe.  
 Laura Martin, 15, of Sonora, Texas won Reserve Grand Champion Open Angora Goat Doe.  
 Laura is a member of the Sutton County 4-H. She also enjoys cheerleading, band, softball and tennis.



# \$100 Prize for Best April Fools Day Parade Entry

The featured event of this year's Eldorado Elgoatarod will be the April Fools Day Parade with a plethora of different entries expected commemorating this "foolish" day. Entries are being accepted from across the state, because to the knowledge of organizers, there is not a major parade for this special day anywhere in the state. There is no entry fee and the winner of the parade for the best entry of an April Fools variety will receive a \$100 cash prize.

Entries may be bike units, crawling units, driving units, equine units, floats, four wheeler units, or any type of entry that can be imagined. Obviously, the most unusual entry will stand the best chance of winning the \$100. As entries begin to pour in, other categories of prize money will be added in order to reward all the best "creative" ideas.

Points will definitely be awarded for originality. Notice is being given early so car clubs, bands, church groups, college groups, etc. can begin putting together unique entries. No idea is too crazy, foolish, half-witted, mysterious, odd, outlandish, offbeat, off-the-wall, ridiculous, silly, strange, stupid, unusual, weird, wild, etc., although common decency must be observed. This IS a family event after all.

This is the fourth year for the Elgoatarod, which is a spoof of the Alaskan Iditarod. But the Eldorado event features goats pulling carts instead of dogs pulling sleds. New entries are always welcomed for the goat races, especially unique ones. Goats may be led for the entire race and there are no restrictions on conveyances. Past entries have included bathtubs, chariots, converted adult trikes, galactic goats, inverted dollies and even little red wagons.

Other goat contests are held throughout the weekend of April 1 & 2, such as goat pill flipping, goat kissing, stick goat racing, goat fry cook-off, goat sacking, etc. And to further emphasize the significance of the day, other foolish contests will be added of the April Fools variety. Last year's event drew 3000 spectators and fifty vendors but with the addition of Saturday's April Fools Day parade, the numbers are expected to swell. The parade will begin at 2 PM with some entries beginning to line up as early as noon on that day. Any person or group wishing to enter or find out more about the parade, goat races or any of the contests should contact Jim Runge at eoboc@hotmail.com or 325-226-2890.

# March Is National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month

submitted by Kelly L. Thorp, MS CEA-FCS Sutton County Texas Cooperative Extension



Having conversations about our "private parts" is difficult for many of us, but it's important to have these conversations, especially with our doctors. Now is the perfect time to talk to your doctor since March is National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month. Colorectal cancer is a serious threat, with approximately 56,000 Americans dying from it yearly. But you don't have to be one of these statistics; when colon cancer is found early, it is very curable!

Colon cancer occurs in the colon or rectum. The colon is the same thing as the large intestine.

Food that is eaten passes through the colon, where it turns into waste matter or a bowel movement. The rectum is the last 8-10 inches of the large intestine. Bowel movements travel through the rectum and pass out of the body through the anus.

Colorectal cancer tends to occur in midlife, with 90 percent of colorectal cancers being diagnosed in persons aged 50 or older. No racial or ethnic group is spared from this disease, although some may be at a higher risk of developing the disease. Colorectal cancer tends to occur and kill African-Americans more often, followed by Caucasians, Asian Americans, Hispanics, and American Indians.

If you are 50 or older, you should begin having regular tests for colon cancer. However, your doctor may have you screened earlier if you have a previous history of colorectal cancer or you have a family history. There are five different types of screening tests; talk to your doctor about which type of test you should have. These tests can find polyps, which are growths inside the colon or rectum that are not normal. If these polyps are not removed, they can turn into cancer.

- The Fecal Occult Blood Test (FOBT) checks for hidden blood in the stool. With this test, the doctor gives you a test kit. At home, you place a small amount of stool from three bowel movements on test cards. You then return the cards to your doctor's office or a lab where the stool samples are tested for hidden blood. This test should be performed yearly.

- The Flexible Sigmoidoscopy (Flex Sig) test is recommended to be done every five years. It examines the lining of the rectum and lower part of the colon using a thin, flexible, lighted tube called a sigmoidoscope that is inserted into the rectum and lower part of the colon.

- The third test is a combination the FOBT and Flex Sig tests. Some doctors recommend using both tests to increase the chance of finding polyps and cancers. This test is recommended every five years.

- The Colonoscopy is the most comprehensive test. It is similar to the Flex Sig, but it allows the doctor to look at the entire lining of the rectum and entire colon using a thin, flexible, lighted tube called a colonoscope, which is inserted into the rectum and colon. The doctor can also find and remove most polyps and some cancers using a colonoscope. This test is recommended every 10 years for individuals with no family or personal history of colon cancer and no symptoms.

- The Double Contrast Barium Enema test allows the doctor to see an x-ray image of the rectum and entire colon. First, the patient is given an enema with a liquid barium that flows from a tube into the colon, followed by an air enema. The barium and air create an outline around the colon, allowing the doctor to see if anything is wrong. A double contrast barium enema is recommended every 5-10 years.

There are some things you can do to decrease your risk for colorectal cancer:

- Increase your physical activity. Exercise at least 30 minutes a day on the majority of days of the week.

- Don't start smoking, and if you do smoke—quit. In the USA, 1 in 5 colorectal cancers in men and 1 in 8 colorectal cancers in women may be due to cigarette smoking.

- Improve your diet by eating more fruits and vegetables. Limit your alcohol use. Limit the number of high fat foods in your diet, and red, charred or processed meat.

Now, let's be honest. When was the last time you had a colorectal screening if you're over the age of 50 or have a family history of this cancer? Remember that if polyps are found, they can be removed before turning into cancer. This cancer, when caught early, is highly curable, and you have a great chance of surviving this disease if it is caught early. Texas Cooperative Extension and Texas Cancer Council encourage you to take charge of your health now, which will lead to a healthier tomorrow.

Source: Courtney J. Schoessow, Extension Program Specialist - Health, Texas Cooperative Extension, February 2006. Texas Cooperative Extension Family and Consumer Sciences website: <http://fcs.tamu.edu>

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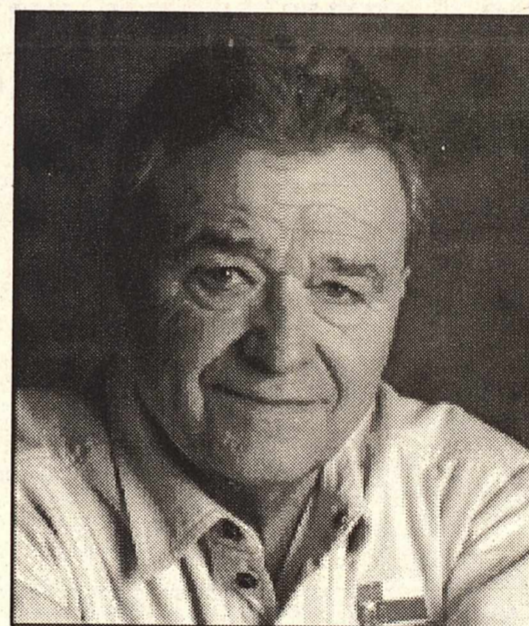
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### Winning tradition continues in Angelo; Moore and Matthews bag blue ribbon



Kathleen Moore and Hensel Matthews have represented Sutton County well, showing winning fleeces for over 20 years.

The Wool and Mohair Fleece Show was held Thursday at the San Angelo Stock Show and Rodeo.

Kathleen Moore continued a twenty year winning tradition, bringing home the Grand Champion honors for the Aged Ewe Fleece in the Open Wool Division.

Kathleen placed first and second and Hensel Matthews completed the Sutton County sweep placing third.

Moore also placed third in the Aged Ram Open Wool Division.

### Applications Being Taken for Game Warden Academy

AUSTIN, Texas — Texas Parks and Wildlife Department is taking applications for a game warden cadet class scheduled to start October 2006. Applications will be available starting March 1, 2006 and will be accepted through April 14, 2006.

Twenty-five cadets will be accepted in the 52nd Game Warden Academy, which will begin its seven-month training October 2006. More than 700 people applied for the 40 positions in the previous cadet class that graduated in July 2005.

Game warden recruiters say they are particularly interested in receiving applications from persons who are bilingual in Spanish and English. Bilingual game wardens receive additional pay of \$50 per month.

Applicants must be 21 years old on or before October 2006 and have a bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university. The degree requirement must be met prior to June 1, 2006.

To be accepted, applicants must meet the minimum eligibility requirements and successfully complete a regional interview, an extensive background investigation, and a physical agility test held in Austin. Applicants must successfully complete each step before advancing to the next step.

After graduation, the new game wardens will be assigned to vacant stations throughout Texas with the responsibility of protecting the state's natural resources. Game wardens also protect lives by enforcing the Water Safety Act and

### Rig Locations as of February 24

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New Dominion; 8875' Hudspeth - 1 - #5, Patterson Drilling.  
Dominion; 8850' Mayfield - 34 - #23, Patterson Drilling.  
Dominion; 8800' Mayfield - 41 - #11, Patterson Drilling.  
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Dominion; 8350' Edwin S Hill-Mayer Jr - S - #5, Patterson Drilling.  
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New Dominion; 8150' Mayer Ranch - Z - #24-4, Patterson Drilling.  
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### Sutton County 4-H Seeks Range Science Teams

submitted by Pascual Hernandez, Sutton County Extension Agent-Agriculture

WANTED.... youth interested in the outdoors, livestock, and wildlife. Yes, we're looking for a few good youth (ages 9- 18) to form 4-H Range Science teams. Participants will get range and natural resource training as well as knowledge

and understanding in the areas of range livestock and wildlife needs, stewardship, range ecology, plant growth, tools of range and natural resource management and the impact of management decisions. Hands-on activities provide visual examples and opportunities to learn skills in plant identification, plant collecting, plant species composition, total ranch planning, and stocking determinations. In short, it develops knowledge and skill in practical range and ranch manage-

ment. And it is also FUN!  
Participants compete in 4-H teams of 3 or 4 members in either Range Evaluation or Pasture Grass Identification contests. We will attend several contests in our area: Ozona, Eldorado, Kerville, Boerne, and Fredericksburg. Contestants identify 20 to 40 range plants; determine use, condition, site and practices for range area; and judge four range plots. The top senior 3 teams at district competition advance to Texas 4-H RoundUp

(state competition) held at Texas A&M each June. While there, participants will get to take part in contests, assemblies, dances, as well as meet youth from across the state and tour the campus. Senior 4-H age consists of ages 14 and up.

For developing teen and junior leaders in range management, the Range Science project has served as an excellent opportunity for Texas youth to receive training in range management, stewardship of natural resources and leadership. Please call Extension Agent, Pascual Hernandez, at 387-3101 if you're interested. Practice will begin in March.



4-H youth evaluating a range site.

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## PTO Luau allows sons a date with their best girl

submitted

On Friday, February 17, 2006, the 4-H Center was rocking with a bunch of Mom's and their son's as they boogied to the music. The Sonora Elementary PTO fundraiser Mommy/Son Date Night was a huge success. The mothers, grandmothers, aunts, and their young men danced their socks off. The room was filled with laughter, music, dance competitions, and pictures. However the dance would not have been a success if it wasn't for the supporters. The Sonora Elementary PTO and officers would like to give a special

thanks to Walsh Welding (David Walsh), PCS Productions, Pruitt Tools (Richard Cooper), Teaff Oil Company, Friends of Historic Main Street Program, Sonora Chamber of Commerce, Memories by McBride (Juanita McBride), Abel Garcia, Timothy Young, PTO officers and their families, and all the wonderful mothers. We sincerely hope that this dance becomes a tradition. It was an excellent opportunity for mother and son to bond. All proceeds from the dance go towards putting playground equipment on the school grounds.



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## F.Y.I.

Effective Feb. 28 the new hours of operation for the Sutton County Historical Society will be Tuesday & Thursday mornings 9:00-12:30 and Saturday mornings 8:00-12:00. The office number is 325-387-5084.

Piano Lessons - Leroy Moore, bringing 35 years of teaching experience for ages 8 - adult, now has two spots available for new lessons. Please call Tammy Favila @ 387-3661 FMI

Days Inn/Steakhouse/Comfort Inn Relay for Life Team is selling purple ribbon car magnets to raise money for Cancer Awareness/Relay. Large = \$5 and Small \$3. Come by any of the locations to pick one up and show your support!

Read Across America Day - March 2, 2006.

2nd 2006 Sutton County Calling Contest; March 4th & 5th. Sign up Saturday at 2:00 p.m. at Stagecoach BBQ, turn in Sunday at 10 a.m. at same location. Sponsored by Bad Company Rodeo - merchandise and cash prizes. FMI call Paul Martinez at 650-0221 or 206-1722.

Spring Break for Sonora ISD - March 13-17, 2006

J.W. & Durwood Neville Memorial 2-man Select Shot - April 1st & 2nd - Sonora Golf Course - \$200.00 per team - pre-flighted - 64 team limit - 2 day payout- Tee times 7:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. Friday, March 31- Shootout 5:00 p.m.

Sonora Golf Club 3-person 27 hole Select Shot - April 8th - Must have at least one woman - Tee time: 10:00 a.m. First 22 paid teams - \$135.00 per team/mulligans included

Consuelo Ranch 3rd Annual Relay for Life Benefit Team Roping, Saturday, April 22, 2006 (9 miles south of Sonora on Hwy 277, gate combo = 1234). 1st roping books open 8:00 a.m.; close 8:30 a.m. Rope 9:00 a.m. Enter 1, Draw 3 for \$50 - enter twice; OTRA#2 roping with #1 cap per roper - 2nd roping books open 1:00 p.m.; close 1:30 p.m. Rope 2:00 p.m. (or after first roping); Enter 1, draw 3 for \$75 OTRA #3 Roping. Saddles awarded to high point roper in each roping; donated by E.M Hobbs and Niblett's Oilfield Services. Other prizes include buckles, breast collars, rope bags, and spurs. BBQ meal catered by Stagecoach BBQ; no glass bottles; cash only. FMI call 387-3244 or 387-2272.

9th Annual College Scholarship Tournament - April 29th - Sonora Golf Course - 3 person team- \$100.00; 4 person team - \$150.00; 5 person team - \$200.00 - Tee time: 1:00 p.m.

Al-Anon Meetings - 7:00 p.m. Tuesdays - L.M. Hudspeth (old part) cafeteria.

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