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Sonora Celebrates Memorial Day



Members of Goodfellow Air Force Base Honor Guard raise the Stars and Stripes in front of the courthouse during the Memorial Day tribute. The Honor Guard also presented wreaths to the memorial markers honoring the sacrifice of Sutton County soldiers, followed by a 21 gun salute. Veterans from the WWII, Korea and Vietnam eras were on hand for recognition of their service to our country. Several Sonora school students also provided their assistance by reading essays prepared for the program.

Memorial Day honors the brave men and women who have given the ultimate sacrifice of their lives defending our country.

Graduation 2007



2007 Graduates of Sonora High School during commencement exercises held Friday, May 25, 2007. Photo courtesy of Robert Higdon.

Texas Farm Service Agency Schedules Public Meeting For Sutton County Ranchers

Sonora, TX – Jan G. Wanoreck, County Executive Director for the Schleicher/Sutton/Val Verde County Farm Service Agency (FSA) today announced that John T. Fuston, State Executive Director for Texas FSA and members of his management team have scheduled a public meetings in Sutton County Tuesday, June 12th at 9:00 AM at the Lighthouse Community Church located at 1705 N. Crockett Avenue, Sonora, TX.

According to Wanoreck, declining staff numbers, as well as federal budget constraints, have required FSA to re-evaluate the way the Agency conducts business in the 21st century; thereby necessitating closure or consolidation of FSA county offices throughout the U.S. and in Texas.

"Government agencies are becoming increasingly obligated to reconsider how we conduct business and to take a hard look at how the private sector has improved delivery of goods and services through consolidations and mergers," said Wanoreck. "Improving how the Agency implements program delivery requires that we streamline and centralize delivery of services. It is our goal to insure that all of our offices are better-staffed, better-equipped and are operational five days a week"

This meeting will provide the only forum for public comment on the Texas FSA proposed office restructuring plan in which the Sutton County office is being considered for closure. All public comments will be taken into full consideration prior to development or implementation of a final restructuring plan.

"If you have a vested interest in federal farm program delivery in Sutton County then June 12th is your chance to have your voice heard by the Texas FSA State Office Management Team," said Wanoreck.

If office closure does occur, an important option for producers in Sutton County to consider is the right to choose another FSA county office where they wish to conduct business. If another county is more convenient for any individual producers, they will be allowed to choose that office to meet their business needs.

For more information, contact Jan G. Wanoreck at 325-853-3535.

Sutton County Days Coming Back to Courthouse Square

County Commissioners Okay Plan

The regular meeting of the Sutton County Commissioners' Court was held on the 14th day of May, 2007 with the following officers present: Carla Garner, County Judge; Mike Villanueva, Commissioner Precinct No. 1; John Wade, Commissioner Precinct No. 2; Milton Cavaness, Commissioner Precinct No. 3; Fred Perez, Commissioner Precinct No. 4; Veronica E. Hernandez, County Clerk.

In the first item-of-business, Jenny Sue Trainer representing St. John's Episcopal Church addressed the court about the possibility of moving Sutton County Days Festivities back to the courthouse as in the past. She read a petition signed by several citizens and a letter signed by Carolyn Hardee urging the commissioners to allow the Chamber of Commerce to have Sutton County Days at the courthouse. Judge Garner advised that there are some sewage and electrical lines buried underground at the back of the courthouse, and the architect recommended that there should not be any traffic through that area. She also reported that the electrical plugs by the Annex Building should not be utilized because of all the equipment that is being used by the offices. Motion to allow The Chamber of Commerce to have The Sutton County Festivities at the courthouse and to authorize Judge Garner to draw up the stipulations and limitations established by the county was made by Commissioner Wade and seconded by Commissioner Villanueva. Motion carried unanimously.

The second item of business was the approval of the minutes of the prior meeting. Motion to approve the minutes as written was made by Commissioner Villanueva and seconded by Commissioner Perez. Motion carried unanimously.

Then came for examination and consideration the various claims and accounts against Sutton County since the last term of court. Commissioner Cavaness made a motion to approve for payment the accounts listed as Exhibit "A". The motion was seconded by Commissioner Perez. Motion carried unanimously.

The JP monthly report for April was presented by Judge Wilson. Total collections were $81,464.29. He reported 508 cases had been filed during the month of April. The state's portion is $35,242.16, McCreary and Veselka received $1,397.72, $244.00 were refunded, and the county retained the amount of $44,580.41. Motion to approve the report was made by Commissioner Wade and seconded by Commissioner Perez.

Sheriff Fincher presented the Jailer's Report. He reported 35 inmates had been processed and the dispatchers handled 899 calls. Total fees generated were $3,979.00. The cost per meal was $1.19. The Sheriff proceeded with the Sheriff's Report. Miles per gallon averaged at 14.7. Motion approving both Jailer and Sheriff's reports was made by Commissioner Cavaness and seconded by Commissioner Wade. Motion carried unanimously.

EMS Coordinator Rosie Butler reported a total of 43 ambulance runs.

Road Superintendent Oscar Jimenez reported that the new tractor and shredder are in and repairs will be needed on roads due to the abundance of rain the county has received.

Commissioner Villanueva inquired about the siren alarms during bad weather.

Judge Garner replied that the City does have two, which are located at the fire station and city hall. Garner will check with the City about testing procedures.

The County Attorney's Report was accepted as presented, reflecting the amount of $1,001.56 recovered from the Hot Check Fund.

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Sonora High School Academic Awards

2007 Award Recipients

DAR Good Citizen Award –
Stacy Sanchez
DAR Award – Excellence in History –
McKenzie Watkins
Scholastic Excellence Award – U.S.M.C. -
Jose Casillas
Distinguished Athlete Award-U.S.M.C -
Craig Leonard
Semper Fidelis Award – U.S.M.C -
Jose Casillas

Texas Assoc. of Secondary School Principals (TASSP) All-State Academic Team
Commended Scholar -
Stacy Sanchez
Teens Serving Texas Finalist
Craig Leonard
Dee Ora Masonic Lodge –
Chealsey Daniels,
Jennifer Gonzalez,
Mckenzie Watkins
Home Economics -
Brittany Hernandez

Ag. Science -
Hayden Chandler
Ag. Mechanics -
Tony Torres

Art I -
Amy Hernandez
Art 2 -
Mikael Samaniego-Lira
Art 3 -
Liano Luna

Health Science Tech. -
Kaija Valkonen
Construction System -
Juan Capuchina
Manufacturing System -
Dustin Duhon
Manufacturing Technology -
Evan Gulley

PALS -
Alexie Ortiz
Webmaster –
Erika Hernandez
Computer Science I -
Nathan Mungia
Computer Science 2 -
Mackenzie Perez

World Geography -
Monica Sanchez
World History -
John Duke Hudson
US History -
Zadrian McGee
Government -
Kayla Fields
Economics -
Marc Hernandez

Dual Credit US History -
McKenzie Watkins
Dual Credit Government -
Craig Leonard
Dual Credit Economics -
Starlyn Chadwick

Spanish I -
Savannah Leonard
Spanish 2-
Maritza Garcia
Spanish 3 –
Craig Leonard

Physics -
Stacy Sanchez
Integrated Phy. & Chem. –
Amy Hernandez
Biology -
Azeneth Villanueva
Chemistry -
Shelbi Johnson
AP Chemistry -
Kari Nicholas
AP Biology -
Stacy Sanchez

Physical Education -
Juan Capuchina
Health -
Kayla Garcia
Anatomy & Physiology -
Stacy Sanchez

BCIS I -
Senida Martinez
Accounting I -
Zenon Acosta
Keyboarding/ Word Processing
Angel Aguayo
BCIS 2 -
Erica Hernandez
Student Office Aide -
Marco Jimenez
ACTS -
Aaron Nitsch
ESL -
Juan Dominguez

Yearbook -
Emilly Butler
Newspaper
Senida Martinez
Desktop Publishing
Cody Perez
Theater Arts -
Tyler Creek
Communication Applications
McKenzie Watkins
Tech. Theater -
Brandy Neff
Debate / Public Speaking -
Lauran Schaefer

English I -
Monica Sanchez
English 2 -
Steven Pacheco
English 3 -
Yazmin Hernandez
AP English/Language -
Edward Garcia
English 4 -
Marc Hernandez
Dual Credit English (11th)
Marcus Perez
Dual Credit English (12th)
Mackenzie Perez

Algebra I -
Brittany Hernandez
Geometry -
Yolanda Sanchez
Algebra 2 -
Savannah Leonard
Pre-Calculus -
J.T. Downing,
Laura Martin,
Marcus Perez
Calculus -
Alex Kenney
Stacy Sanchez

Perfect Attendance Awards -
Chris Aguero
Juan Capuchina
Ivan Chavez
Kayla Garcia
Hunter Lawson
Zadrian McGee
Brandy Neff
Mario Oliden
Pedro Ramirez

UIL Academic Competitors
REGIONAL QUALIFIERS
Informative Speaking -
Marc Hernandez,
Calculator -
Savannah Leonard
Current Issues -
Stacy Sanchez

UIL Scholar Awards -
Stacy Sanchez,
Craig Leonard,
Chealsey Daniels,
Mackenzie Perez,
Marc Hernandez
Alex Kenney
Top 10% Graduates -
Stacy Sanchez,
Craig Leonard,
Chealsey Daniels,
Mackenzie Perez,
Marc Hernandez
Alex Kenney
Principal's Excellence Award –
9th Grade -
Alyssa Favila,
Tyler Creek
10th Grade -
Steely Ingham,
John Duke Hudson
11th Grade -
Emily Earwood,
J.T. Downing
12th Grade -
Stacy Sanchez,
Craig Leonard

Valedictorian & Salutatorian
Stacy Sanchez & Craig Leonard
Mr. & Miss SHS
Stacy Sanchez & Craig Leonard

St. Ann Catholic Church

Father Miguel Dinio, Pastor

311 W. Plum
P.O. Box 1397
Monday - Wednesday & Friday 1-4
Thursday - 10:30 - 12:30, 1:30 - 5:30
Phone: 325-387-2278
Fax: 325-387-2278
E-mail: stannsec@verizon.net
Confessions: Sat. 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE
Sunday - 8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Monday - NO MASS
Tuesday - 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday - 7:00 a.m.
Thursday - 7:00 a.m.
Friday - 7:00 a.m.
Saturday - 6:00 p.m.

Lighthouse Community Church
CAN A LOVE RELATIONSHIP WITH GOD
Be Real, Personal & Practical?
THE ANSWER IS YES!
1705 N. Crockett

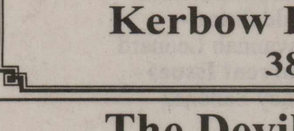
Senior Center Activities

Fri. June 1 - Run errands and pay bills!
Mon. June 4 - Bingo... After lunch!
Tues. June 5 - Exercise with video... sign up now!
Wed. June 6 - TRAX Van to Angelo - call 387-2509.
Happy Birthday Lisa Alvizo - Big "44".
Thur. June 7 - Crafts for Father's Day.
We need volunteers & ideas.

Senior Center Menu

Fri. June 1 - Chicken fajitas with onions & peppers, rice, beans, tossed salad, Jell-O with fruit and milk.
Mon. June 4 - BBQ beef on bun, baked french fries, carrots, coleslaw, peaches and milk.
Tues. June 5 - Lemon pepper chicken, mixed beans, whole kernel corn, wheat bread, tropical fruit and milk.
Wed. June 6 - Steak fingers with gravy, mashed potatoes, sliced tomatoes, juice, biscuits, heavenly hash cake and milk.
Thur. June 7 - Bean & cheese burritos, lettuce/tomato, flour tortilla, pineapple tidbits and milk.

Participants in the senior nutrition program must be 60 or older. Meals are served Monday - Friday at 12:00 p.m. Donations are accepted (suggested donation for Seniors is $1.50; $4.00 for under 60 and all other meals-to-go). New Summer Hours: 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Mon. - Fri.



Sonora Church Directory

Primera Iglesisa Bautista
504 Santa Clara
387-2035

Church of Christ
304 N. Water
387-3190

The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian
319 E. Mulberry
387-2616

First Baptist Church
111 E. Oak
387-2951

Lighthouse Community Church
1705 N. Crockett
387-9100

St. John's Episcopal Church
404 E Poplar
387-2955

Pentecostal Calvary Temple United
509 Amistad
387-5266

First United Methodist Church
201 N. Water
387-2466

St. Ann's Catholic Church
229 W. Plum
387-2278

Templo Jerusalem Asamblea De Dios
306 W. 4th St.
387-5713

Jehovah's Witness
310 St. Ann's St.
387-5658/387-5518

Hope Lutheran Church
417 E. 2nd St.
387-5366

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387-2266

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2007 Relay for Life Raises $35K



Lewis Allen accepts the trophy for most money raised.

By Kel Thomas

The 2007 Relay for Life, held May 19 in Sonora, yielded over $35,000 for the American Cancer Society.

The team from Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church was awarded the prize for "Most Money Raised."

A strong Lillian M. Hudspeth hospital team brought home the travelling "Super Star" trophy.

The combined Days Inn/ Comfort Inn/Sutton County Steakhouse team was awarded the trophy for "Most Laps".

The First National Bank team won the trophy for "Best Camp," and the Samaniego Family won the trophy for "Best Chuckwagon".

The softball tournament was the biggest and best yet. The competition was keen and was the highlight of this year's Relay.

This year's committee worked tirelessly promoting, planning, and organizing the event in order to raise cancer awareness in our community.

The work did not stop once the relay was completed. Tallies were checked and re-checked, and receipts were balanced.

The committee deserves a heart-felt thank you and pat on the back for a job well done.



Shanna Petty of the First National Bank presents Mariah Castro proceeds from the monthly popcorn sales to benefit Relay for Life.

Extreme Make-Over Home Edition

How to Improve Your Marriage & Family

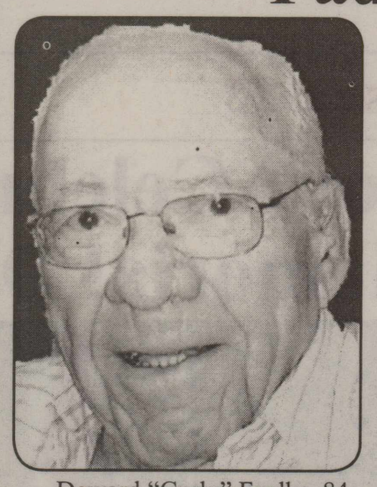
Mother's Day through Father's Day
Sundays 11:00 a.m.
Lighthouse Community Church
1705 N. Crockett

Happy Birthday

May 31
H.J. Schlegel, Mayra Sepeda, Kayla Sykes, Marta Martinez, Ed Mayfield
June 1
Victor San Miguel, Elia Longoria
June 2
Blayze Sykes, Kylie Reiner, Susan Hinsley, Treva McReynolds, Valeria Ramirez, Mary Beth Morgan
June 3
Margarita Lopez, Bob Caruthers, Kaytline Hearne, Kodee Smith, Alviah Ortiz, Rachel Brunclikova, Bracy Lock, Jeffrey Klein, Margarita lopez, Bob Caruthers
June 4
Donna Garrett, Evan Shannon, Martina Vaquera, Patricia Hernandez, Ammaniel Capuchina, Patty Hernandez, Jennifer Gonzales, Jason Bounds, Douglas Yocham, Jessica Paredes
June 5
Elias Perez, Bud Whitehead, Trent Reiner, Raul Chavarria, Adriana Botello, Alonzo Hernandez, Jr., Arlette Ortiz, Christy Perez, Teri Castro, Jaci Dutton, Jesse Amador
June 6
Sandra Elliott, Destiny Rodriguez, Matthew Perez, Rusty Baldwin, Bailey Sykes, Trent Reiner, Reed Jennings

Obituary

Deward Hollis"Curly" Faulks



Deward "Curly" Faulks, 84, passed away Tuesday, May 22, 2007 in a local hospital.

Curly was born Feb. 20, 1923 to James and Mary Faulks in Anson, Texas. He had 4 brothers and 2 sisters, Carl, Dub, Chess, Wilma, Nova, and James.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his daughter, Maryjo, and brothers Dub and Carl; and 1 stepson Wayne Smithhart.

He moved to Sonora, Texas after marrying Louise Smithhart in Feb. 1973. Along with the marriage came 5 daughters and 1 son that he loved as his own.

He had 13 grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, 1 great - great grandchild and one special daughter in law, Kathy Kelton.

Curly enjoyed his 84 years on this earth to the fullest. Pa Curly loved having all his family together, having coffee with friends, and fishing, but most of all, he loved sitting on his porch swing feeding and watching the deer and turkey.

Services were held at Kerbow Funeral Home Chapel on Friday, May 25. Burial followed in Sonora Cemetery.

Thank You

I would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Luis Vasquez and Carmen Castillo from La Taqueria el Toritos, for hosting the BBQ benefit for my son, Brian Andrew Dominguez.

I would also like to thank everyone who purchased tickets, sold tickets and volunteered to help at the benefit.

Your generosity is greatly appreciated. May God bless you all.

Brian is doing well after his second surgery.

Sincerely,
Ms. Nora Jo Dominguez

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County Clerk Veronica E. Hernandez presented the monthly report for April. Total District Clerk fees were $3,808.83 and $16,751.50 for County Clerk.

Judge Garner reported that City Secretary Patti Prather suggested that the commissioner's court and city council hold their annual joint meeting during the lunch hour to discuss intergovernmental contracts. The commissioners will try to set a date at the next meeting.

Motion waiving the subdivision regulations for Sutton County Estates subdividing 20 acres for a salt water disposal well was made by Commissioner Villanueva and seconded by Commissioner Wade. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

Commissioner Villanueva made the motion to waive the subdivision regulations subdividing 2 more tracts fronting the old Junction Hwy for the Doran-Dillard Subdivision.

The motion was seconded by Commissioner Wade and carried unanimously.

It was unanimously agreed to offer Tommy Van Winkle and gentleman from Rocksprings the leftover light poles from the park. There were no bids submitted, and it was determined that those light poles are not of any use to the county. A motion made by Commissioner Cavaness and seconded by Commissioner Perez.

A discussion was then held concerning the consideration on the amount allocated for the jail apartment. Sheriff Fincher addressed the court and stated that the jailer who lives there, Ty Fincher, is required to live there for safety issues. He further stated that when he is there, he also assists the other jailer if needed and averages about two or three calls a week. Sheriff Fincher proceeded to comment that Commissioner Villanueva was just picking on his department. Commissioner Villanueva responded by stating that he has been approached by some taxpayers inquiring why Ty Fincher is living there without paying rent and/or utilities. It was later determined that Ty currently receives a Form l099 at the end of the year reflecting $175.00 per month. Commissioner Perez asked if someone else could live there, besides the Sheriff's son. Commissioner Cavaness felt that if Ty's job description is to live in the apartment for safety issues then whatever value the Form 1099 is worth is money well spent. Commissioner Wade stated that he felt that Ty's presence saved Bob Hartman's life during a physical altercation with an inmate and made a motion to allow Ty Fincher to live there and to continue receiving a Form1099 from the county for the amount of $175.00 per month. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Cavaness and motion carried by Commissioners Wade, Cavaness and Perez voting aye and Commissioner Villanueva voting nay.

The Sheriff was unanimously authorized to hire an additional part-time dispatcher upon a motion made by Commissioner Wade and seconded by Commissioner Perez.

Ann Kay passed out a book featuring Sutton County's Courthouse to each commissioner and extended an invitation to everyone present to attend The Memorial Day Celebration.

Susan Hall with the Keep Sonora Beautiful Program, expressed her appreciation and thanks to the commissioners and Road Superintendent Oscar Jimenez for their cooperation with Arbor Day.

With no further business at hand, the motion was made by Commissioner Wade to adjourn until the next regular or special session. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Cavaness. Motion carried and court adjourned by unanimous vote at 10:00 a.m.

SUTTON COUNTY HEALTH FOUNDATION
Your memorial gift helps preserve access to quality health care for generations to come.
Please consider the Sutton County Health Foundation, PO Box 18, Sonora, TX 76950.
All contributions 100% tax deductible.

Letter to the Editor

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Historical Society

ASK THE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

by Jo-Ann E. Palmer, Secretary
Sutton County Historical Society

Q. Do you have a copy of the 20 year prediction the junior class made about the Class of 1967?

A. The Devil's River News, May 25, 1967

1967 Seniors Get Glimmer of Future 20 Years Hence

It had been twenty years since the Senior's of '67 graduated. Being sentimental in nature, they called for a class reunion. The place for the reunion was picked because of its accessibility to everyone. Many simply had to cross the street. We now take you to Lando's 1987.

Everyone is waiting to be waited on by Nedra Raye, the star attraction.

Let's see who else is present. Wade Stokes, who is now working at the snuff concession, is the new owner of Lando's. In his spare time, he plays with a one-piece band. Uh-Oh, he and Bert are fighting over the guitar. Bert Bloodworth, the first Aggie to get a gold record, says he is now modeling as Charles Atlas for pictures.

It isn't like Allen Hearn not to be here on schedule. Since he started driving Bill Taylor's trucks, he has been fairly regular. Ralph Gomez is being awfully quiet. He's probably practicing his job with the Secret Service. He's an observation post.

Jim Fish is mixing right in with the party. He's the bartender. The only complaint heard is that he keeps calling the drinks solutions. I see Ben Perez made it. He is now the owner of the world's most famous women's "leg shaving" shop.

Elie Chavez has been trying to talk Jim into giving her a drink. She is the women's heavyweight boxing champion. Pete Martinez sent word that he could not be here, for he is graduating from dear old SHS tonight.

Laney Cook is having a good time, especially since he's not in training. Laney just bought back his own contract from the Dallas Cowboys because they wanted to call him Mr. B. He is now coaching a girl's marble shooting team known as "Mr. Bear's Bombers."

Robert Brown is a pill salesman. He furnishes Laney's marble shooting team. Robert failed to become the university's head trainer by snubbing Darrel Royal's hello.

Andre Reyna has a job in Christoval operating the Golden Years Nursing Home. Joe San Miguel and company are working at Juno's one and only general store. They walked all the way to join us.

Brent could not be with us due to very unusual circumstances. He was the first person to be changed into a frog. Prissy Howell, the current world's champion high jumper, is trying to get someone to listen to her. She says that she will soon be hired as Coach Hopkin's assistant.

Gary Hardgrave isn't exactly here, he's out in back, bottling cherry vodka. Production seems to be slowing. The Reliable Equipment Company isn't so reliable after all. Wayne Bryant is in Christoval tonight visiting his steady, Janet, who is a member of the Golden Age Rest Home.

Nedra Raye just quit because someone pinched her. She left muttering something about shaving her head and joining a monastery. Joe Jiminez has a job making commercials for Glass-Pak mufflers at the drag strip. Hector Noriega is in Sonora still proofreading True Confessions in Mrs. Hayes typing class.

Cecilia Johnson, better known as Cee-Wee, who was voted football sweetheart, 4-H queen, the most beautiful and sweetest girl at Washington State could not attend due to her untimely accident involving a rattlesnake while driving a garbage truck.

Chris Berger has been telling everyone how he gave up his golf career to write. His newest novel is entitled "How to Raise Championship Rams," as told by Miguel. Kaye Ellis could not be with us because she is the floor show at the Shamrock. Cindy Lambert, who is still practicing speech, is Kay's announcer.

Linda Jones was the first woman to swim the Atlantic Ocean. We're all proud of you Linda. Brenda McCutchen and Linda Hearn are making plans to try out for Laney's marble team since they didn't make the Olympic Volley Ball Team.

Gloria Sanchez is quite excited. She is engaged to the janitor of the Schlitz Brewing Company in Milwaukee. Yvonne Young, that daredevil of the bounce, is telling everyone about her new book, "Foam Rubber Diving for Fun and Profit."

Larry Shroyer left his post as Chief River Rat to come here. He is soon to move up to technical assistant of the Mickey Mouse Show. Tommye Lynn Smith is not here because she



Max Mayer
Jan. 1891

is acting as Charley's alternate driver in the Grand Prix.

Arnold Garcia barely made it. He has been very busy at his new job as director of the United States Flood Control at Sanderson. Mary Jo Martinez, Adilita Lozano, and JoAnn Martinez are now business women. They own the Tiny Tots Teeter-Totter Diaper Service at Wetmore, Oklahoma.

Margaret Bundy and Jackie Cargill are models and co-editors of Playboy magazine. Martha Love is busy tonight with her Aunt Jamartha's pancake mix. Mr. And Mrs. Mario Sanchez are operating Locke's on the Ozona highway. Rodrego Sontos is at his recently appointed post as commanding officer of Fort McKavett.

Guy Askew isn't here. We hear that he quit selling ladies underwear to become a priest. Louis Wardlaw has been doing some advertising since he's a local businessman. He owns Louie Jay's Falcon Repairing and Ambulance Service. Margaret Martinez was unable to come since her Peace Corp assignment sent her to Africa. She is living in a high rise apartment, that is a thatched hut, and this is the lion season.

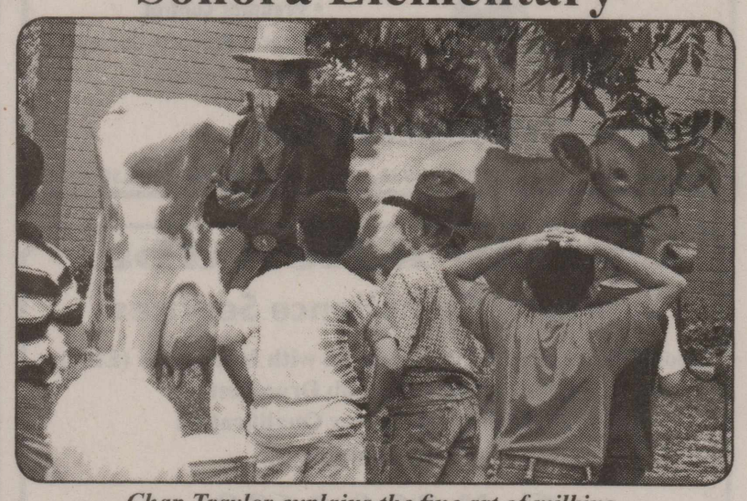
Al Letsinger is laughing at his own jokes as usual. He has been telling everyone about his new wrestling career. He says he got his training fighting off SHS girls. Johnny Ramos has a job with D.A.S.A. He was the first King Rat on the moon. Jimmy Trainer is pretending to laugh at Al's jokes. Jimmy is now the proud owner of a flea circus. He has patiently trained his fleas to play football, and he calls the team the Fourney Jackfleabitts.

All kidding aside, we the Juniors, wish the graduating Seniors the best of luck in the future.

Now we know that at the 20 year mark all these seniors were doing much better than this hilarious prediction. Where are you all hiding now and what are you all doing at the 40 year mark? Drop us a note, and we will print it here to let your old friends know you are still around. So many grow up and leave Sonora it would be fun for old teachers and neighbors to hear from them on the 40th anniversary of their graduation.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton County history, send them to "Ask the Historical Society," P.O. Box 885, Sonora, TX 76950-0885 or e-mail them to schs@sonoratx.net It is almost time for our annual meeting in July, and there will be election of officers. We have no rental dates left open for the month of May, and half of June is rented already. The Ice House Museum is coming along but could use about $20,000 more for concrete ramping. The John & Mildred Cauthorn Memorial Building/Old Depot siding has been put off until the 13th of August so that our grounds may be utilized to hold the overflow crowd expected for Sutton County Days. Hopefully, I can sit up with my leg propped up and visit with some of you then.

Time Travel at Sonora Elementary



Chap Traylor explains the fine art of milking.

By Delyse Jeager

Sonora Elementary School closed the year with a bang, and a moo, and a baa, and a great deal of fun in the form of hands-on learning.

Wild West Day was held on Wednesday and students were treated to a number of games, period re-enactments, a petting zoo of ranch animals and even a bit of dancing.

Activities included milking a cow, setting up camp, making butter, roping dummies, sack races and seed spittin'.

Under a sea of cowboy hats, (many of which were pink), big smiles and wide eyed wonder greeted the numerous volunteers who brought our western heritage to life for the kids to experience.

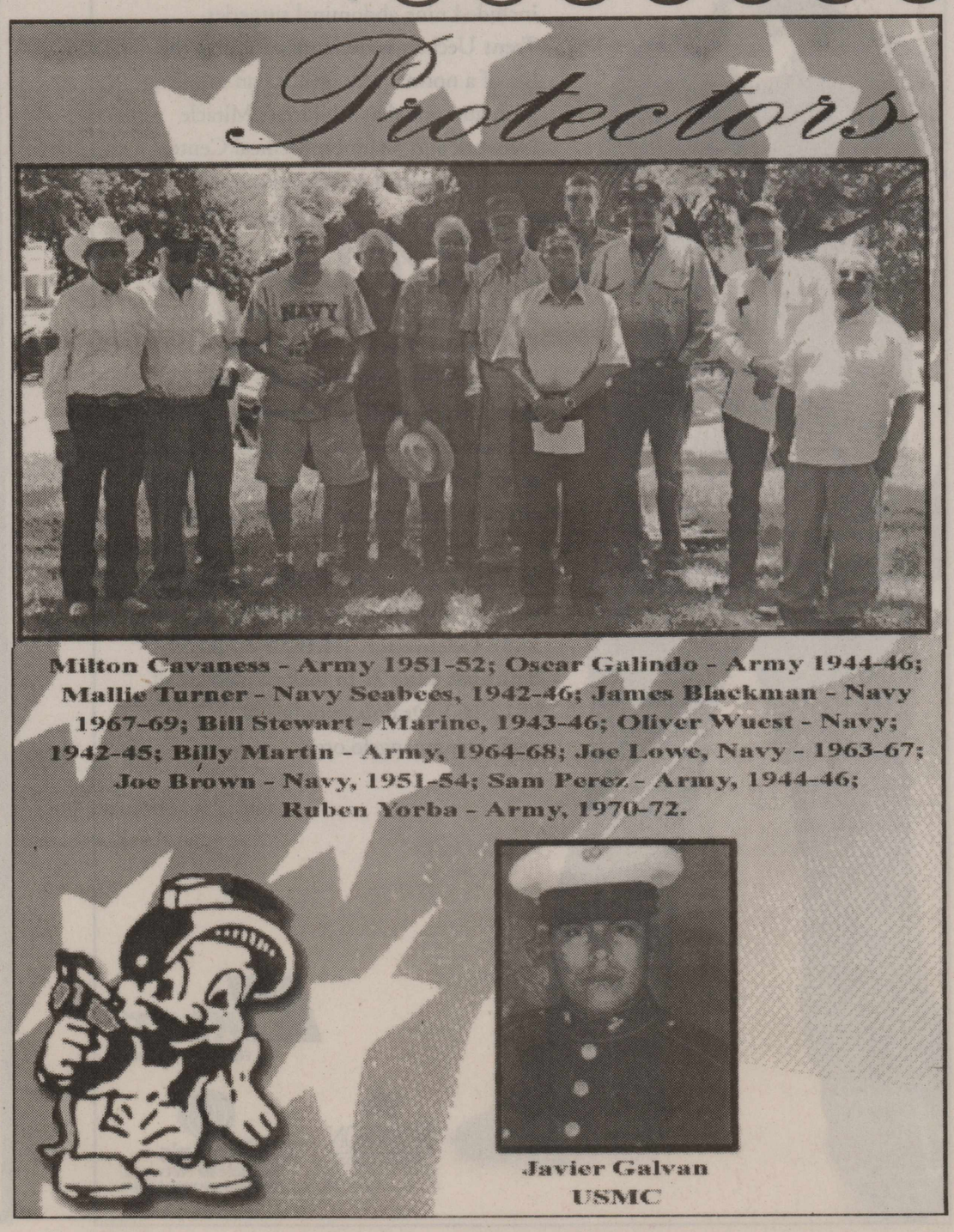


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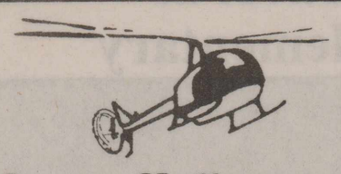
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Up On Eaton Hill

By Delyse Jeager

Cub Scouts Restore Benches



Garett Jaeger and Tate Shannon, both of Pack 19, try out the new benches on Eaton Hill.

Cub Scout benches have arrived!

In response to the vandalism that occurred some time ago in the park, a group of Cub Scouts held a bake sale and donated over $200.00 to Eaton Hill Wildlife Sanctuary. Replacement benches were purchased and now await your derriere.

The new benches are located at the Native American Village and provide an excellent vantage point for observing the ongoing bird activity at the quarry-cliff water feature.

Here, the water trickles enticingly down the rock bluff, swirling easily in small pools and creating a perfect bath house for all sorts of feathered wonders, not the least of which is the king of color, the ever glorious painted bunting.

The area is easily accessed from the Eaton House, should visitors lack time or physical ability for a longer hike.

Enter at the Agave Ridge trail sign where it crosses the road, and follow straight in to the quarry located directly below the gold brick city building at the top of City Hill Road.

The gambusia (skeeter-eaters) fish are thriving in all the watering pools and mosquitoes are not a problem until the sun goes down.

Wildflowers are still in magnificent bloom, and the promenade of yuccas has begun. Hit the trails for a hometown adventure that is educational and exciting! Thank you Sonora Cub Scouts!

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Saturday, June 2
Sutton County Park

City of Sonora Clean-up
Saturday, June 9

Chamber Chatter

"Good, Clean Fun - All Kinds of Fun"

By Becky Covington

As the pages of the calendar turn, and seemingly in the blink of an eye, we have reached the month of June. That means the beginning of summer, and for those that have school-age kids, June, July and August offer the chance to have a longer, more leisurely family holiday. With the price of gas being so high, please remember there are a lot of exciting, fun and educational things that you can do with your children in Sonora.

Caverns of Sonora:

Guided tours through the Caverns of Sonora leave from the visitors' center in groups of 12 or less throughout the day. The historic section of the cavern is seen as you enter the site of the natural entrance. The tour then progresses into the active, living area where the entire cavern is covered with formations. The tour takes about 2 hours and covers about 2 miles of trail. The underground class room, a great, interactive class in the Caverns Hilton Room offers hands-on activities such as a fossil dig, a paleontology dig, and a caving adventure with helmets and lights. Cave biology, geology, paleontology and speleology are covered in the Underground Classroom. A minimum of twelve people will be required for all workshop reservations, so get a group of your friends together for this adventure. The Caverns of Sonora offers a R.V. Park and campground that is nestled in the heart of a working ranch. The campground also has clean restrooms with showers. Summer Hours: 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Eaton Hill Wildlife Sanctuary Park:

Take a hike and enjoy West Texas' rugged beauty with the arid Chihuahua desert. It is a land of contrasts, where delicate wildflowers flourish alongside the imposing Spanish dagger and prickly pear cactus; a place where colorful painted buntings and exquisite hummingbirds soar above prehistoric looking Texas horny toads and spiny lizards. Enjoy a picnic among the shaded oak trees, a cactus garden, outlaw camps, watering pool, birding stations and wildlife. The park is open year round, and there is no admission cost.

Golf:

Go to the Sonora Golf Course this season, and soon realize that playing golf, even in your own hometown, may be the perfect family vacation. It is hard to imagine a better family activity than golf. Take your family golfing and enjoy a day outside: The course is beautiful. Sip on some cool lemonade, share special conversation and simply spend quality time with each other while having fun. In fact, an enjoyable option is to not play golf at all. That's right. A great family activity can be to go to the Golf Range and hit a few buckets of balls. From learning to grip the club to fine-tuning your game, going to the range can be a great night out for families. Also, a "Disc Golf" course is being developed. Disc golf can be played from school age to old age, making it one of the greatest lifetime fitness sports available.

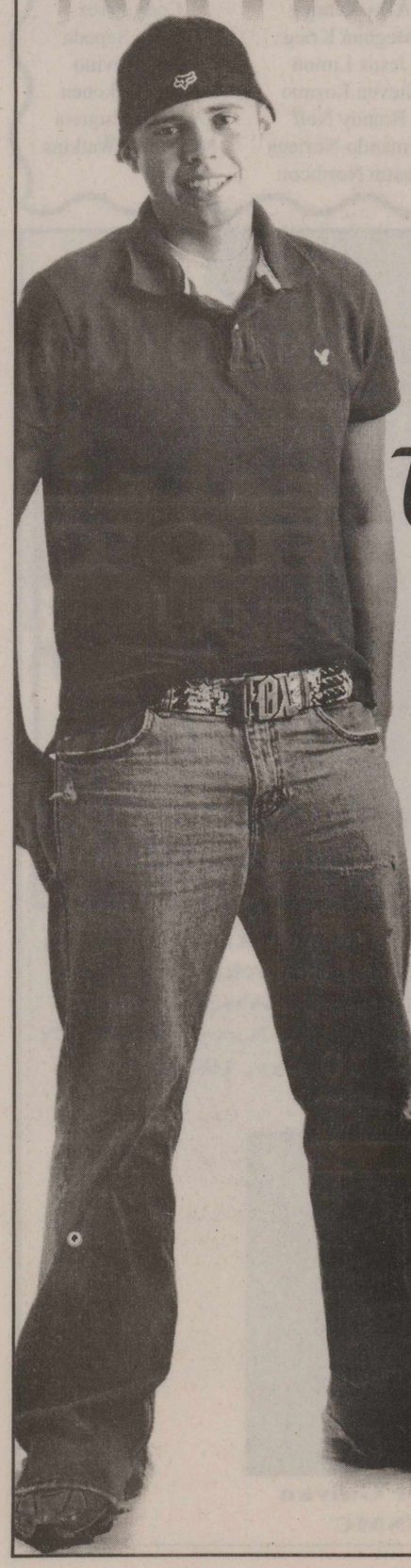
Parks:

When you decide to take a break from your busy schedule and relax, feel free to stop and visit one of the parks in Sonora. Liberty Park, Will Carver Park, Belle Steen Park and the County Parks are a few of the parks that can be enjoyed. At Belle Steen Park, the City operates an outdoor swimming pool with a super slide. Make a splash, swim some laps, and learn to swim at the public pool or book a private party. Picnic areas, baseball field and play equipment are also available. The facilities at the County Park include athletic fields, picnic areas, sitting areas and play equipment. Camp Allison, on the North Llano River in southeastern Sutton County, is a free campsite and public park for swimming and fishing.

Museums:

Introduce your children to Sonora' history by taking a beautiful, leisurely downtown walking tour through the newly restored Sutton County Courthouse, Santa Fe Depot, Old Jail, Miers Home Museum, Bank Vault Park, Veteran's of Foreign Wars Exhibit, Pioneer Ranch Women Exhibit and the site of the Will Carver Outlaw Shooting.

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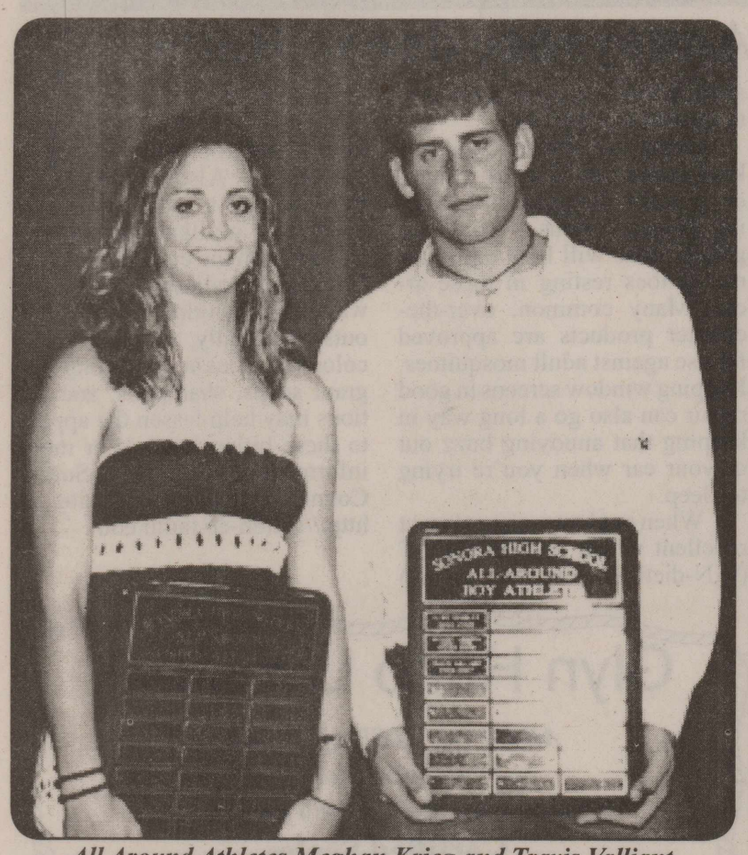
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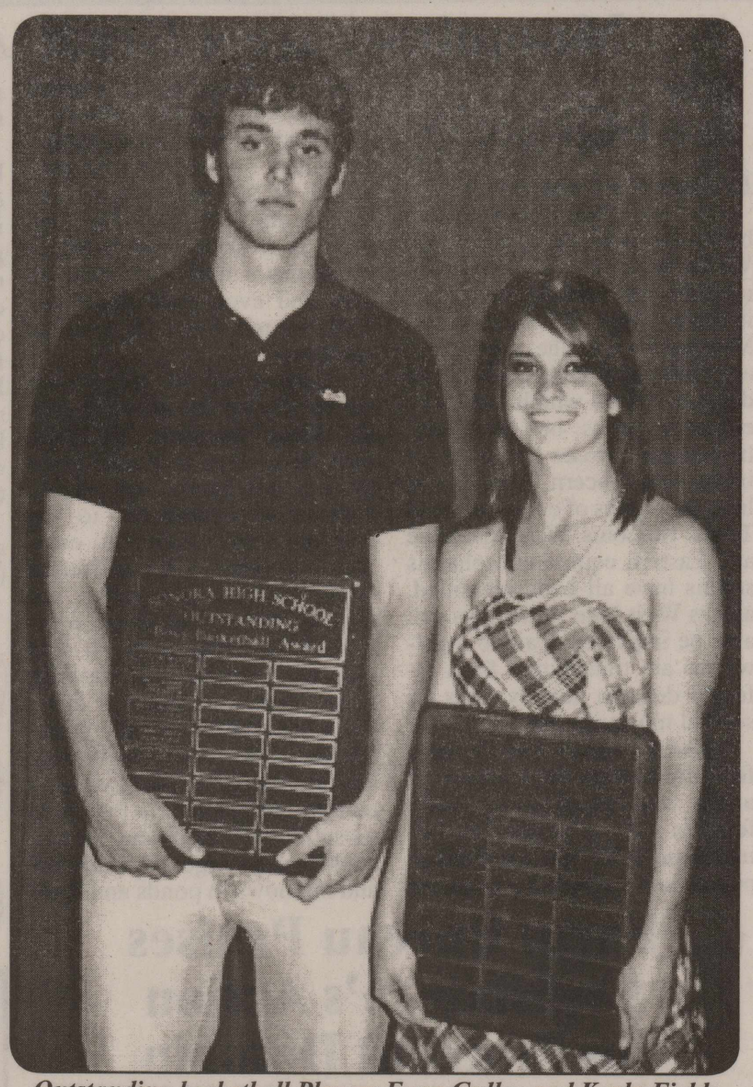
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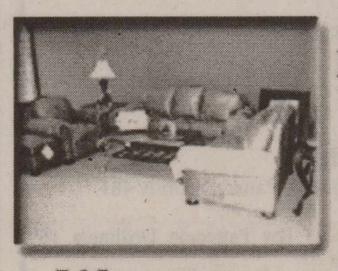
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Mosquitoes are a Great Annoyance due to Rains

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By Pascual Hernandez

As with most things, there's bad news with the good news. We've been blessed with good rainfall this spring, but with it have come the mosquitoes. Mosquitoes are the sole carriers of malaria, yellow fever and dengue, all of which have occurred in Texas, but encephalitis-causing viruses are of more immediate concern. There are at least four types of encephalitis in Texas. St. Louis, Western equine and Eastern equine encephalitis strains have all been identified, as has West Nile virus. Pets can also be impacted. Canine heartworms are transmitted from infected dogs to healthy dogs by several mosquito species.

Though males and females feed on flowers as a source of nectar and plant juices, only females feed on blood. The biting mosquitoes are attracted to people and animals by moisture such as perspiration, warmth and carbon dioxide, which is produced when humans exhale.

Great swarms can be produced in a little water, and they're not particular. They can breed in fresh and salt water or water that's foul. Old tires, tin cans and even hoof prints can hold enough water for them to reproduce.

Getting rid of mosquitoes means drying up standing water. Water standing for more than three days in potted plant saucers, pet bowls and wading pools also contributes to the problem. So, remove all cans, tires and other water-collecting items (clogged rain gutters are another prime, but often overlooked, breeding site). If you cannot eliminate all standing water, then use common larvicides to control mosquito populations. The most convenient are the 'dunks' which contain a non-polluting bacteria that halts mosquito development before adults can emerge. Keeping fish and minnows in ponds and landscape pools is another good way to control mosquitoes.

Grass and weeds should be kept mowed to help landscapes dry quicker. Fogging and spraying garages, sheds, shrubs and grassy areas will help eliminate mosquitoes resting in these areas. Many common, over-the-counter products are approved for use against adult mosquitoes. Keeping window screens in good repair can also go a long way in keeping that annoying buzz out of your ear when you're trying to sleep.

When outdoors, use an insect repellent which contains DEET (N,N-diethyl meta-toluamide) on exposed areas of skin. However, insect repellents containing DEET should be used sparingly on children. Also, avoid applying repellent to portions of the hands that are likely to come in contact with the eyes and mouth. Citronella candles may be useful when your children are playing outside. Finally, wearing light-colored clothes and avoiding fragrant soaps, shampoos, and lotions may help lessen the appeal to these biting bugs. For more information, visit the Sutton County Extension website at http://sutton-co.tamu.edu .

Farm Bureau Praises Legislature's Action on Eminent Domain

WACO – Texas' largest farm organization is praising the Texas Legislature's passage of a bill that includes significant reform of the state's eminent domain process. The Texas House has concurred with Senate amendments to HB-2006, the eminent domain bill.

The Texas Farm Bureau, according to the group's president, Kenneth Dierschke of San Angelo, said HB-2006 is the most important property rights legislation in Texas in more than a decade. The bill, sponsored by Representative Beverly Woolley of Houston, passed the Senate Wednesday on a 30-0 vote. The House concurred with the Senate action today.

"Texas farmers and ranchers have been concerned for some time about the eminent domain process," Dierschke said. "It's far too easy to take property in this state, sometimes without even a good faith offer. Landowners can't match the deep pockets of the taking entities in legal proceedings."

Dierschke said that HB-2006 will compensate landowners based on what a willing buyer would pay a willing seller. "It's hard to argue with the fairness of that."

Dierschke said the legislation ensures that property owners will be fairly compensated for the taking of their property by the thousands of entities with the power of eminent domain. Entities with this authority include state and municipal governments, utilities, university systems, some corporations and other government groups.

"With the state growing at such a rapid rate, eminent domain proceedings can be expected to increase. We cannot ask Texas property owners, rural and urban alike, to sacrifice their farms, ranches, businesses and homes without fair compensation," he said. "Representative Woolley has shown tremendous leadership on this issue and the Senate passed her bill unanimously."

Dierschke says Governor Rick Perry should sign the bill.

"Governor Perry has been a supporter of private property rights for his entire political career, and that means a lot in this state," Dierschke said. "His signature on this legislation will secure his legacy as a true champion of property rights."

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All-Sports Banquet pictures continued...



Outstanding track and field athletes: Alexie Ortiz, Justin Northcott and Kelsey Watkins. Not pictured for cross country: Candace Chandler



Fighting Heart Award winners: Dustin Duhon, Craig Leonard, Brandy Neff and not pictured, Emilly Butler.

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Outstanding football player: Justin Northcott

City Police Dispatcher Report

Incidents:

May 21, 2007

• 8:05 AM: Caller requested animal control officer at residenee. Animal Control Officer responded.
• 8:10 AM: Caller requested dead animal on road. Animal Control Officer responded.
• 8:37 AM: Caller reported stray kittens at residence. Animal Control Officer responded.
• 3:22 PM: Caller requested assistance with unlocking a vehicle. Officer responded.
• 4:31 PM: Caller reported a snake outside of residence. Animal Control Officer and Officer responded.
• 9:45 pm: Caller requested welfare assistance. Officer responded.

May 22, 2007

• 10:30 PM: Caller reported a disturbance. Officer responded.

May 23, 2007

• 10:58 AM: Caller reported a minor traffic accident at hospital. Officer responded.
• 11:17 AM: Caller requested assistance with unlocking a vehicle. Deputy notified.
• 4:10 PM: Caller requested assistance with unlocking a vehicle. Officer responded.
• 4:45 PM: Caller reported a disturbance. Officer responded.
• 8:20 PM: Caller reported an unlicensed driver. Officer responded.
• 10:20 PM: Caller requested assistance with unlocking a vehicle. Officer responded.

May 24, 2007

• 4:10 PM: Caller reported a theft of service. Officer responded.
• 6:30 PM: Caller reported a disturbance. Officer responded.
• 6:50 PM: Caller reported a disturbance. Officer responded.
• 10:15 PM: Caller reported a disturbance. Officer responded.

May 25, 2007

• 11:55 AM: Caller reported a minor traffic accident on Main Street. Officer responded.

May 26, 2007

• 10:35 AM: Caller reported a disturbance. Officer responded.
• 1:00 PM: Execution of Search Warrant on Kissleburg. Deputy and Officer responded.

May 27, 2007

• 9:10 AM: Caller requested assistance with unlocking a vehicle. Officer responded.
• 11:25 AM: Caller requested assistance with unlocking a vehicle. Officer responded.
• 12:25 PM: Caller reported a reckless driver. Officer responded.

The next Regular Sonora I.S.D.
School Board Meeting
is scheduled for
Monday, June 11, 2007 at 5:30 p.m.
at the Vocational Building.

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Attention Livestock Show Exhibitors - All Sutton County 4-H exhibitors who marketed animals at major stock shows can pick up checks at the Sutton County Extension Office. Call the office at 387-3101 with any questions.

ESL Summer School Sonora Elementary is offering an ESL (English as a Second Language) Summer School Program. This program is offered to limited English proficient students who will be eligible for admission to kindergarten and first grade at the beginning of the 2007-2008 school year. This program will be offered from June 4 – July 13 from 8:00 – 12:00 each day. If you would like for your child to participate, please contact the elementary office by Friday, May 25. In order to provide this program, we must have at least 10 children sign-up to attend. If you have any questions, call the Elementary School office at 387-6951.

Escuela de Verano Para Estudiantes de ESL La Escuela Primaria de Sonora está ofreciendo un programa ESL (Ingles como Segunda Idioma) de escuela de verano. Este programa se ofrece a estudiantes que están limitados en el idioma de ingles y que son elegibles para entrar a kinder o primer grado al comienzo del año escolar de 2007-2008. Este programa se ofrecerá del 4 de junio -13 de julio de 8:00 – 12:00 cada día. Si usted desea que su niño/niña participe, por favor póngase en contacto con la oficina de la escuela primaria antes del viernes, 25 de mayo. A manera de poder ofrecer este programa, necesitamos tener por lo menos 10 estudiantes inscritos para asistir. Si tiene alguna pregunta, llame a la oficina de la escuela primaria al número 387-6951.

Sonora High School Class of 1997 is having a 10 year reunion during the 2007 Sutton County Days. Michele Cramer Spillman is in need of addresses, phone numbers or email addresses to contact classmates for the upcoming reunion. Michele may be emailed at michelespillman@gardere.com or after 6:00 p.m. at 214-515-5593.

The 2007 Texas Reading Club, "Sail Away With Books", provides opportunities for children of all ages to enjoy reading. It begins June 5, 2007 at the Sutton County Library. The program is provided at no charge. Programs run through July 10, 2007. Information regarding the Texas Reading Club is available by calling 387-2111, or at the library, located at 306 E. Mulberry during the business hours of 9:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church in Sonora, announces Vacation Bible School for ages 4 years - 4th grade, June 4 - 8, 9:00 a.m. - noon. It's "Game Day Central" GREAT FUN! Registration is Monday, June 4 at 8:30 a.m. For more information, call 387-2951.

Sonora Ladies Golf Auxilliary is offering metal folding chairs for sale. The price is $3.00 each. For more information, call 387-3680.

The next Regular **School Board meeting** will be held on Monday, June 11, 2007 at 5:30 p.m. at the Vocational Building.

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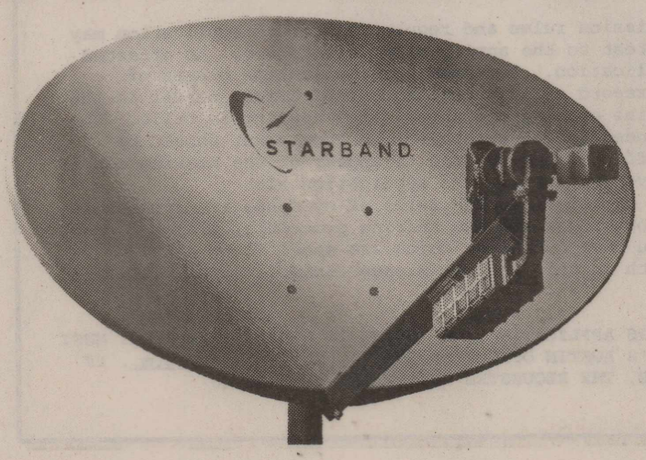
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DISTRICT 7C
DATE OF ISSUANCE: May 9, 2007

Rule 37/38 Case No. 0251726
Status/Permit No. 637846

N O T I C E O F A P P L I C A T I O N

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FIELD: SAWYER (CANYON)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	16
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1230.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	803.0
Lease Lines	:	1230.0 F S L, 1671.0 F E L
Survey Lines	:	1230.0 F S L, 1671.0 F E L

FIELD: FAWCETT (WOLFCAMP)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	16
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1230.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	803.0
Lease Lines	:	1230.0 F S L, 1671.0 F E L
Survey Lines	:	1230.0 F S L, 1671.0 F E L

FIELD: SAWYER (STRAWN, NORTH)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	16
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1230.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	803.0
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Field Rules for ALL fields on the permit application are as follows:

SAWYER (CANYON) :
GAS Special Rules 500/1000, 320.0 acres.
GAS Optional Rules 500/1000, 40.0 acres.

FAWCETT (WOLFCAMP) : GAS Statewide rules 467/1200, 40.0 acres.

SAWYER (STRAWN, NORTH) : Statewide rules 467/1200, 40.0 acres.

This well is to be drilled to an approximate depth of 8995 feet.

If you have questions regarding this application, please contact the Applicant's representative, Keri Pfeifer, at (405)7495213.

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

IF YOU WISH TO REQUEST A HEARING ON THIS APPLICATION, AN INTENT TO APPEAR IN PROTEST MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE RAILROAD COMMISSION'S AUSTIN OFFICE BY Jun 20, 2007 at 5:00 p.m.. IF NO PROTEST IS RECEIVED WITHIN SUCH TIME, THE REQUESTED PERMIT MAY BE GRANTED ADMINISTRATIVELY.

Sonora Middle School End of Year Awards

Sports
Outstanding Achievement In...
Basketball
7th grade girls
Hunter Jennings
7th grade boys
Word Hudson
8th grade girls
Morgan Smith
8th grade boys
Colyer Dermody
Football
7th grade Offense/Line
Kyle Patlan
7th grade Offense
Clayton Parks
7th grade Defense
Zach Badeaux
7th grade Defense/Line
Dakota Daniels
8th grade Offense
Ethan Morriss
8th grade Offense/Line
Osbauldo Castaneda
8th grade Defense
Shane Patlan
8th grade Defense/Line
Ryan Garmon
Tennis
7th grade girls Singles
Hunter Jennings
7th grade boys
Matthew Young
7th grade boys Doubles
MiltonBlack/GarrettSmith
8th grade girls Doubles
Maci Zuniga/ Morgan Smith
8th grade boys
Colyer Dermody, Ryan Garmon
Track
7th grade girls
Hunter Jennings
8th grade girls
Chelsey Lou Campbell
7th grade boys
Robert Hernandez/Field
7th grade boys
Milton Black/Running
8th grade boys
Bailey Joe Pennington/Field
8th grade boys
Jesse Guerrero/Running
Cross-Country
7th grade girls
Evelyn Solis
8th grade girls
Valeria Buitron
Physical Education
5th grade girl
Crystal Lopez
5th grade boy
Chance Campbell
6th grade girl
Kelsey Favila
6th grade boy
Gunter Pennington
7th grade girl
Adriana Buitron
8th grade boy
John DeLaGarza

History
5th grade Social Studies
Chasady Braly
6th grade Social Studies
Emilce Hernandez
7th grade Texas History
Zachary Leonard
8th grade Social Studies
Colyer Dermody

Math
5th grade Math
Cody Barber
6th grade Math
Alonzo Hernandez
7th grade Pre-Algebra
Word Hudson
8th grade Math
James Bean
8th grade Algebra 1
Valeria Buitron
Science
5th grade
Crystal Lopez
6th grade
Melissa Freeman
7th grade Life Science
Garrett Smith
8th grade Earth Science
Bailey Joe Pennington

Language Arts
5th grade Language Arts
Kelsey Velez
6th grade Language Arts
Paige Sykes
7th grade Language Arts
Delilah Aguero
8th grade Language Arts
Alexis Galindo
Reading
5th grade Reading
Daniel Campa
6th grade Reading
Rebekah Infante
7th grade Reading
Hunter Jennings
8th grade Reading
Dulce Acosta
Reading Counts
6th grade
Stella Ingham
7th grade
Manuel Tobias
8th grade
Rebecca Hudson

Smith Neal Writing Award
Aliana Castro
Jo Ellen Neal Reading Award
Adrian Mier

Spanish
7th grade
Sabrina Blanco
8th grade
Karina Trevino

Language Arts (Special Ed.)
6th grade
Aaron Esquivel
7th grade
Michael Perez
8th grade
Lizette Lira
Math (Special Ed.)
5th grade
Alex Morales
6th grade
Aaron Esquivel
7th grade
Michael Perez
8th grade
Osbauldo Castaneda
Reading (Special Ed.)
5th grade Reading
Michael Chavez
6th grade Reading
Aaron Esquivel
7th grade Reading
Soyla Rivera
8th grade Reading
Jose "AJ" Ozuna
Read Right Program
5th grade
Kayla Baker/Alex Morales
6th grade
Micaela Moore/Kevin Dominquez
7th grade
Ricky Samaniego/Sandra Hernandez
8th grade
Maci Zuniga/Juan Renteria

Computers
7th grade Tech Apps.
Delilah Aguero
8th grade Tech Apps.
Leandra Castaneda

Band
Outstanding 6th grader
Emilce Hernandez/Nolan Kinder
Outstanding 7th grader
Hunter Jennings/Toby Garza
Oustanding 8th grader
Rebecca Hudson/Preston Lopez
Music
5th grade
Crystal Lopez/Cody Barber
6th grade
Jacinda Sanchez/Matthew Jarvis
7th grade
Adriana Buitron/Eric Hernandez
8th grade
Morgan Smith/Samule Delarosa

5TH GRADE CITIZENSHIP NOMINEES:
Chasady Braly, Alec Samaniego, Harley Johnson, Kelsey Velez
(awarded to:)Yesenia Renteria
6TH GRADE CITIZENSHIP NOMINEES:
Abby Creek, Paige Sykes, Juan Rivas, Clarissa Hernandez, Stella Ingham
(awarded to:) Ryan Contreras
7TH GRADE CITIZENSHIP NOMINEES:
Elizabeth Chavarria, Delilah Aguero, Robert Hernandez, Alba Gloria
(awarded to:) Zachary Leonard
8TH GRADE CITIZENSHIP NOMINEES:
Adrian Mier, Dulce Acosta, Ethan Morriss, Morgan Smith, Serena Allison
(awarded to:) Samule DeLaRosa
MOST IMPROVED 8TH GRADE STUDENT:
Adrian Mier

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C
DATE OF ISSUANCE: May 9, 2007

Rule 37/38 Case No. 0251723
Status/Permit No. 637834

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Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1109.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	749.0
Lease Lines	:	1210.0 F W L, 1491.0 F S L
Survey Lines	:	1491.0 F S L, 1210.0 F W L

FIELD: FAWCETT (WOLFCAMP)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
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Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
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FIELD: SAWYER (CANYON)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	13
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
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Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	749.0
Lease Lines	:	1210.0 F W L, 1491.0 F S L
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FAWCETT (WOLFCAMP) : GAS Statewide rules 467/1200, 40.0 acres.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
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DISTRICT 7C
DATE OF ISSUANCE: May 9, 2007

Rule 37/38 Case No. 0251725
Status/Permit No. 637844

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FIELD: SAWYER (CANYON)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	15
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	603.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	763.0
Lease Lines	:	603.0 F N L, 1503.0 F E L
Survey Lines	:	2014.0 F S L, 1503.0 F E L

FIELD: SAWYER (STRAWN, NORTH)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	15
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	603.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	763.0
Lease Lines	:	603.0 F N L, 1503.0 F E L
Survey Lines	:	2014.0 F S L, 1503.0 F E L

As part of this application, applicant also seeks permit authority in 1 additional field: (1) FAWCETT (WOLFCAMP). No rule exception is necessary pursuant to the field rules for this field.

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

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The Other Side

The traditional print and broadcast media paint a negative picture of what goes on in the War on Terror. We want to show you the other side of the story from soldiers and civilians who are fighting for freedom.

IA, CF Rescue 42 Individuals at al-Qaeda Hideout Near Baquba

Monday, May 28, 2007
http://www.mnf-iraq.com

BAQUBA — Iraqi Army and Coalition forces conducted a raid based on a tip from a local citizen, and discovered 42 individuals at an al-Qaeda in Iraq hideout six miles south of Baquba, Iraq Sunday.

During the raid Soldiers from 5th Iraqi Army Division and U.S. Soldiers from the 3rd Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division, discovered the men, who claimed to have been held captive by al-Qaeda. Some claimed to have been held as long as four months.

A joint air and ground operation, lead by the 5th IAD, was launched to locate the alleged AQI hideout after receiving information from a local citizen.

The individuals, who were found in a small, concrete and mud compound located approximately one-half mile west of the village, were sleeping in cramped rooms on dirty blankets and pillows, according to Coalition Forces present at the site.

Soldiers also described the surroundings as having rotting food inside the building and outside on the ground.

The men were transported by Coalition Forces to a nearby combat outpost for further medical evaluation. The individuals were provided with food and water and were questioned about their abductors' whereabouts.

There was evidence of torture and some had broken bones.

"This is one more example of how al-Qaeda treats the citizens of Iraq – and we mean ALL the citizens, not based along sectarian lines or any other lines," said U.S. Army Lt. Col. Christopher C. Garver, a Multi-National Force-Iraq spokesman. "This is another example of why we must win this fight against al- Qaeda."

Al-Qaeda Plan to Destroy Girls' School in Tarmiyah Thwarted

May 2007
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CAMP TAJI — Coalition forces thwarted an al-Qaeda plot to destroy the Huda Girls' School in Tarmiyah, said U.S. military officials Thursday.

As reconstruction efforts for school systems in Iraq continued, al-Qaeda extremists targeted the Huda Girls' School in Tarmiyah twice in the past month using improvised explosive devices and building explosives into the school house.

"[It was a] sophisticated and premeditated attempt to inflict massive casualties on our most innocent victims," said U.S. Army Maj. Gen. William B. Caldwell IV, the Multi-National Force-Iraq spokesman.

Recently, the al-Qaeda plan to destroy the school was disrupted when Soldiers of 2nd "Stallion" Battalion, 8th Cavalry Regiment, 1st Brigade Combat Team discovered a detonating wire across the street from the school leading to five artillery shells, two large explosive-filled propane tanks and numerous projectiles embedded in and around the construction of the school house.

"It is ironic that on the same day terrorists were planning to blow up the school, Soldiers along with local leaders were making plans to deliver more school construction supplies," said U.S. Army Maj. Robert Rodriguez, executive officer of 2nd Bn., 8th Cav. Reg., 1st BCT.

As Iraqi contractors were responsible for building the school for girls, officials intend to question those involved with the construction.

At a separate incident, terrorists attempted to disrupt a ribbon-cutting ceremony at the Atwan School for boys in Baghdad by directing small-arms fire towards the school April 24.

However, the terrorists fled when Coalition forces returned fire.

"We will not be stopped by terrorists," said Iraqi Police Col. Ra'ad Eyas Amin at the ceremony. "We will all live in peace together."

Multi-National Division-Baghdad troops will continue to develop projects such as school systems despite al-Qaeda's attempt to stop them, said Rodriguez.

"Together with the Iraqi people, the [Coalition made] Iraq a more secure, stable place one day at a time," he said. "We won't be deterred in our task to help these people, and I think that sends a powerful message to the world."

(U.S. Army story by Spc. Carl N. Hudson, Combined Press Information Center)

Correction

Last weeks edition failed to credit the website that we got all three articles about Iraq. Please excuse this mistake. The website is http://www.mnf-iraq.com.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the DOMINION OKLAHOMA TEXAS E&P, INC, [RRC Operator No. 222282] has made application for a spacing and density exception permit under the provisions of Railroad Commission Statewide Rule 37 and 38 (16 Tex. Admin. Code section 3.37 and 3.38). Applicant seeks exception to the DISTANCE BETWEEN WELLS requirement of Rule 37, and the DENSITY requirement of Rule 38, for the NEW DRILL permit in Sec. 20, Bk. D, GC&SF RR CO/ADAMS, T B Survey, A-1639, SAWYER (CANYON) and FAWCETT (WOLFCAMP) and SAWYER (STRAWN, NORTH) Fields, SUTTON County, being 11 miles SW direction from SONORA, Texas. The location and identity of the well is as follows:

FIELD: SAWYER (CANYON)

Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	14
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1166.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	740.0
Lease Lines	:	1166.0 F S L, 2545.0 F E L
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Lease/Unit Name	:	MAYER 20A
Lease/Unit Well No.	:	14
Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1166.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	863.0
Lease Lines	:	1166.0 F S L, 2545.0 F E L
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RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OIL AND GAS DIVISION

DISTRICT 7C — Rule 37/38 Case No. 0251721
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Lease/Unit Acres	:	317.4
Nearest Lease Line (ft)	:	1541.0
Nearest Well on Lease (ft)	:	644.0
Lease Lines	:	1541.0 F S L, 1956.0 F W L
Survey Lines	:	1541.0 F S L, 1956.0 F W L

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As part of this application, applicant also seeks permit authority in 1 additional field: (1) FAWCETT (WOLFCAMP). No rule exception is necessary pursuant to the field rules for this field.

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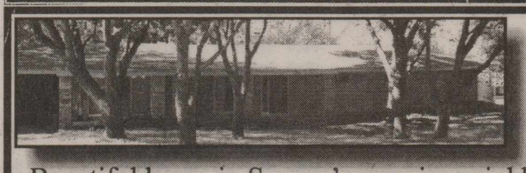
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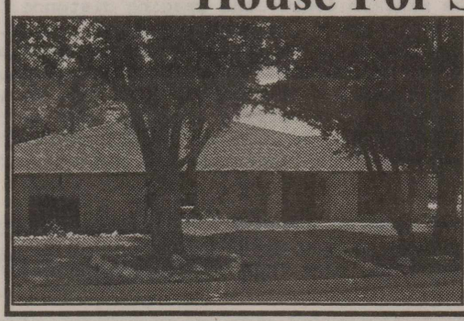


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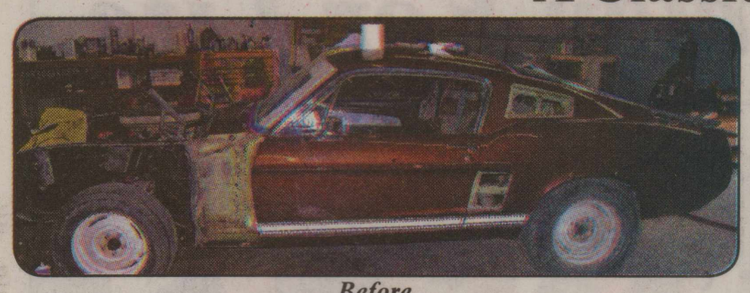
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After

By Megan Aho

Steve Tackle, former owner of the Napa Store in Sonora, has restored classic cars for years. The restoration process is both an art and a paid hobby. Some of Tackle's earlier restoration projects included: 1966 Corvette owned by Mike McBride and a "frame off" full restoration of a 1970 Oldsmobile 442 owned by Cam Campbell. The process is extremely time-consuming, but Tackle feels that seeing classic cars in their original condition is well worth the wait.

In November, 2006 Tackle was approached by John Calcote the owner of a 1967 Shelby American GT500 Mustang. Calcote knew of Tackle's expertise in car restoration and wanted him to restore his vintage Mustang to its original condition. Despite the GT's original interior and low mileage, the outside of the hot-rod needed major help. In 1975, Calcote painted the car dark brown; the original color was lime gold metallic. The car's exterior also had numerous dents and scrapes.

"I wanted to paint this car because it is such a special and rare car. I enjoy restoring old cars back to their original condition," said Tackle. "Working on the car was therapeutic. It was a lot of fun trying to get the car back to where it was in the first place".

The 1967 GT500 is one of the most famous Shelby Mustangs. The 500 is a fastback that was created at a time when the United States car market screamed for a big engine in a small car. Carroll Shelby, an accomplished race car driver and native Texan, answered this call. Plain Ford Mustangs were sent to Shelby's secondary manufacturing plant in California and came out the Shelby American with a 428 cubic inch engine. This Mustang was not like any that came before it.

Over the past forty years, the GT500 has increased significantly in value. In 1967, the GT was sold for approximately four thousand dollars and only 3,225 were produced. Today, depending on its condition, the Mustang can sell for between $150,000-400,000.

At the end of November, Tackle started working on the GT. First, he completely disassembled the vehicle's body: fenders, hood, front end, doors, trunk, tail lights, head lights, windows, etc. He stripped the car down to bare metal inside and out. His next step was the priming and sanding which had to be repeated three times. Tackle and Calcote then put the entire car back together to make sure everything fit.

Once Tackle got the car back together, he had to take it apart again to paint three coats of the original color followed by three coats of clear. Next, the two men put the car back together and Tackle painted the stripes, then a final four coats of clear were applied.

"Putting the car back together is the hardest part because everything has to line up, said Tackle. "Once you start adding a lot of paint, it makes the door and fender gaps uneven."

Tackle's work is certainly without flaw. According to Calcote, when he brings his GT500 to auto shows car specialists think he has taken excellent care of the vehicle over years and it is all original.

"Tackle is a perfectionist, everything had to look just right to him," said Calcote.

Due to demand of the1967 GT500, Ford and Shelby got back together and produced the Shelby Cobra GT500 Mustang in 2007. With 500- horsepower, this muscle car is the most powerful factory-built Mustang in history.

"I knew sooner or later this car would back," Tackle said.

Softball Champs



The Superchicks softball team for girls 12 and under celebrate a victorious tournament in Junction.
Back row left to right: Paige Sykes, Adriana Faz, Jay Sanchez, Sydney Dermody, Abby Creek and Evelynn Solis.
Front row left to right: Briana Baeza, Kelsey Favila, Bethany Trevino, Kyle Love and Alexia Sykes.

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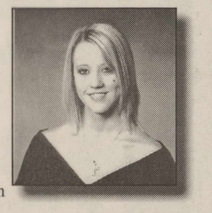
2007



Broncos

Class of 2007

Kindra Lee Bounds



Parents: John and Susan Brown

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Who's-Who Among American Students

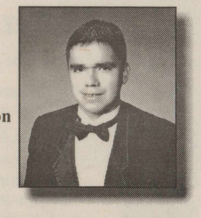
Special Interest:
Hang out with friends, work, watch TV, hang out with family, and just be with David.

Future Plans:
I plan to go o Howard college for cosmetology.

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387-3861

Class of 2007

David Anthony Buitron



Parents: David and Dora Buitron

Extracurricular Activities:
Football

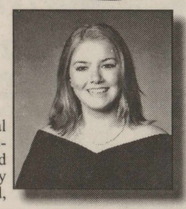
Special Interest:
sleep, working, chilling and doing nothing.

Future Plans:
go to college

Burnham & Burnham Trucking
387-3843

Class of 2007

Emilly Rose Butler



Parent: Keith L. and Rose But-

Extracurricular Activities: National Honor Society, Student Council Secretary, Copy Editor of Yearbook and Newspaper, Varsity Cross Country (Team Captain) and Track and Field, UIL Journalism.

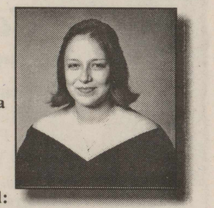
Honors and/or Awards Received: Senior Hall of Fame "Class Clown" and "Most Spirited", Who's Who Among American High School Students, All-A Honor Roll, A-B Honor Roll, District Champion 4-H cooking, 5th place UIL Headline Writing, Sonora High School Student of the Week, State Science Fair Qualifier (2003), 2nd place regional science fair (2003), 3rd place district science fair (2003). My writings have been published twice, once by "Immortal Voices" and once by "Galls." I am a Nationally Registered Emergency Care Attendant, volunteering with the Sutton County EMS. I just completed the EMT-Basic course and will test to obtain my certification sometime in June.

Future Plans: In the fall, I will attend Texas Tech University majoring in Biology with a focus in pre-medicine. Then I plan on attending TTU's medical school in pursuit of my medical degree; after which I hope to work as an emergency physician in Chicago.

Dr. Charles Fajestka, Diana Artega, PA and Monica Gulfo, PA
387-6557

Class of 2007

Crystal Trevino Capuchina



Parents: Jesus and Lourdes Capuchina

Extracurricular Activities:
Track (2 yrs.), and Spanish Club (2 yrs.)

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Who's-Who Among American High School Students, Foreign Language Festival Superior Award, and Award of Excellence- Poetry (February 2007).

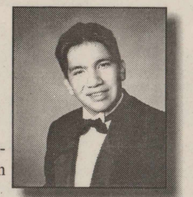
Special Interest:
I enjoy listening to music, acrylic painting, drawing cartoons, taking road trips with my siblings, and what I love most is laughing and goofing around with all my friends.

Future Plans:
I will attend Howard College and earn my certificate in Cosmetology. Then in a few years I plan to open up my own beauty salon.

First National Bank of Sonora
387-3861

Class of 2007

Jose Daniel Casillas



Parents: Joe and Irene Casillas

Extracurricular Activities:
National Honor Society, Football, One Act Play, PALS, Church Youth Group

Honors and/or Awards Received:
One Act Play State Champion, Principal's Excellence, Student of the Month Lions Club, Student of the Week, Honor Roll

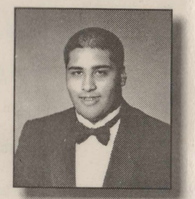
Special Interest:
Playing Guitar, listening to music, going to concerts, writing songs, riding around.

Future Plans:
Going to college in San Antonio, getting a minor in Music, working at a radio station.

B&H Catering
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Class of 2007

Austin Lee Castaneda



Parents: Mindy and Baldo Castaneda

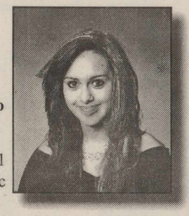
Extracurricular Activities:
Football and baseball

Special Interest:
I like to draw and also to play baseball.

G&L Tools Co.
387-3177

Class of 2007

Teresa Marie Castillo



Parents: Pascual and Mary Lou Castillo

Extracurricular Activities:
Band (3 years), Spanish Club (1 year), Flags (3 years), Catholic Church Youth Group (k-12)

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Who's- Who Among American High School Students (1 year)

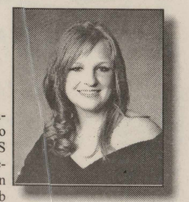
Special Interest:
Graphic design, photography, art

Future Plans:
Attending Howard College

Creek Swabbing
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Class of 2007

Starlyn Nicole Chadwick



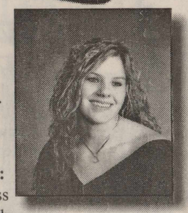
Parents: Glenna Chadwick Martin

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Tennis (2 yrs.); One Act Play (4 yrs.); Bronco Spirit Crew (4 yrs.); FFA (3 yrs.); PALS (2 yrs.); Student Council (1 yr.); Ag Mechanics (2 yrs.); Fellowship of Christian Students/Athletes (3 yrs.); Spanish Club (1 yr.); UIL: Prose Interpretation, Spelling, Mathematics, and Calculator; St. John's Episcopal Church Youth Group (4 yrs.); Peppermint Ball Club (4 yrs.); Prom Committee (1 yr.); and National Honor Society (2 yrs.). **Honors and/or Awards Received:** Who's Who Among American High School Students, National Honor Roll, All A Honor Roll, A/B Honor Roll, National Society of High School Scholars, Outstanding Display of Leadership - FFA Leadership Camp 2006, Greenhand FFA Degree, Chapter FFA Degree, 2nd place - Eldorado Tennis 2007 (Singles), 2nd place - San Saba Tennis 2007 (Doubles), Algebra II Award 04-05, Honorable Mention All-Star Cast - Zone OAP 2006, Honorable Mention All-Star Cast - District OAP 2006, Honorable Mention All-Star Cast - Area OAP 2006, All Star Cast - State OAP 2006, and State Champion One Act Pay 2006. **Special Interest:** I enjoy playing tennis, going to the lake, riding horses, caving, listening to music, shopping, spending time with friends and family, laughing, traveling, and basically just having fun.
Future Plans: I plan on attending Texas A&M University at College Station to study Animal Science.

Caverns of Sonora
387-3105

Class of 2007

Candace Danielle Chandler



Parents: Courtney and Doug Chandler

Extracurricular Activities:
Cross-Country & Track

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Freshman Awards 2003-2004, Cross County Regional Qualifier, Track Regional Qualifier, Sophomore Awards 2004-2005, Cross Country Regional Qualifier, Cross Country Sweetheart, Junior Awards 2005-2006, Track Regional Qualifier, Cross Country Award, Senior Awards 2006-2007, Cross Country Regional Qualifier

Special Interest:
Running and hanging out with Lexi and Emilly

Future Plans:
Attend ASU and get my prerequisites classes to enter Radiology School to became a Sonographer.

Dominion Exploration & Production
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Class of 2007

Chealsey M. Daniels



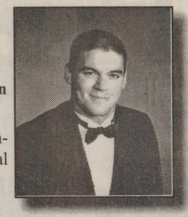
Parent: Anna Daniels

Extracurricular Activities: Student Government: Senior Class Vice President, Junior Class President, Sophomore Class President, Student Council, National Honor Society, PALS, Fellowship of Christian Students/Athletes, Prom Committee Chairperson, Lady Bronco Basketball, UIL Accounting, UIL Mathematics, UIL Ready Writing, UIL Computer Science, and Locks of Love Donor.
Honors and/or Awards Received: AP English III Award 05-06, Chemistry Award 05-06, Health Award 05-06, Perfect Attendance 03-05, All A Honor Roll, A/B Honor Roll, National Honor Roll, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Lions' Club Student of the Month 05-06, Basketball Academic All-District 06-07, National Society of High School Scholars, and 4th Place UIL Accounting at District.
Special Interest: I enjoy listening to music, being in the company of those I care about, sightseeing, photography, designing, spirituality, and sharing fun times.
Future Plans: I plan to attend the University of Texas at Austin to earn my bachelors degree and then go on to graduate school to earn my masters degree.

Taco Grill ~ 387-9127

Class of 2007

Dustin Paul Duhon



Parents: Steve Duhon & Melissa Duhon

Extracurricular Activities:
Rodeo, Football, Basketball Manager, Sergeant at Arms - Industrial Technology

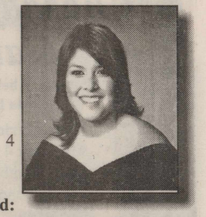
Honors and/or Awards Received:
4 Year Rodeo State Qualifier, 3 Year National Qualifier, 4 Year Varsity Football, 1st Team All District Special Teams, 1st Team All District Offensive Lineman, 2nd Team All District Linebacker, 1st Team All District Linebacker, 3 Year Varsity Track, 1 Year Varsity Basketball

Special Interest:
Rodeo, working out, being with family and friends

Dana Duhon & Brandy Nixon at Stir Up Trouble
387-5382

Class of 2007

Jaimee Alyss Duran



Parents: Manuel and Rachel Duran

Extracurricular Activities:
NHS, PALS, Football trainer, 4 Years Varsity Softball

Honors and/orAwards Received:
Academic All District, 2nd Team all district, 1st Team all-district

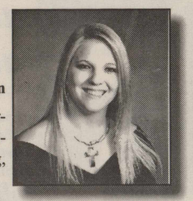
Special Interest:
Church, being with family and friends, playing softball, sleeping, just having as much fun as possible.

Future Plans:
Attending Texas State @ San Marcos in the fall of 2007 to obtain the education needed to become a Physical Therapist

Chavez Plumbing
387-2197

Class of 2007

Betsy Allyse Edmondson



Parents: James and Tibba Edmondson

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity golf, Varsity track, JV basketball, FFA Chapter Conducting, Ag-Mechanics Project

Honors and/or Awards Received: Golf- District Runner-up, Regional Qualifier, and All District. Who's Who Among America's High School students, Lions Club Queen Contestant, and Miss Sutton County Queen Contestant

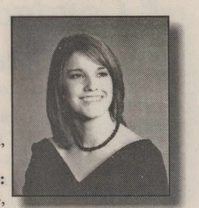
Special Interest: I love to be around my family, they are the biggest part of my life. Being at my grandparents house is a very peaceful place to go, and a time to get away. My friends are another very important part of me. I love being outdoors and I'm always willing to give an extra hand to someone.

Future Plans: I have been accepted at Angelo State University and plan on majoring in Elementary Education.

Sonora Chemical ~ 387-6023

Class of 2007

Kayla Shae Fields



Parents: Tryon and Cindy Fields

Extracurricular Activities: Cheerleading, Basketball, Softball, One-Act Play, NHS, PALS

Honors and/or Awards Received: 2nd Team All District Softball-2004, 1st Team All District Softball-2005, 1st Team All District Softball-2006, All West Texas Softball-2006, Honorable Mention at District One-Act Play-2004, Best Actress at District One-Act Play-2005, All-Star Cast at Area One-Act Play-2005, All-Star Cast at Zone One-Act Play-2006, All-Star Cast at District One-Act Play-2006, All-Star Cast at Area One-Act Play-2006, Best Actress at Regional One-Act Play-2006, Best Actress at State One-Act Play-2006, All-Star Cast at District One-Act Play-2007, 1st Team All District Basketball-2007.

Special Interest: I like to travel, gymnastics, read, drama, be with my family and friends, wake board, swim, and work out.

Future Plans: I plan on attending Texas Tech University in the Fall of '07 and major in Sports Medicine. I would like to pursue a career in Physical Therapy.

First National Bank of Sonora ~ 387-3861

Class of 2007

Chasady Mylon Garcia



Parents: Abel Garcia Jr. and Carla D. Garcia

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Track 4 yrs., Varsity Basketball 1 yr., Football Trainer 4 yrs., National Honor Society, Lighthouse Community Church Youth Group 2 yrs., Peppermint Ball Committee 4 yrs,.

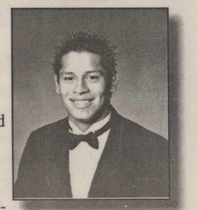
Honors and/or Awards Received: Track Regional Qualifier 04, 06-07, Academic All-District Basketball, Lions Club Queen Candidate, Homecoming Queen Candidate, Fall Festival Queen Candidate, National Leadership Conference and Who's-Who Among America's High School Students.

Special Interest: I enjoy running and keeping in shape, singing, being with friends and family, shopping, eating ice cream, watching movies, being on the computer and taking pictures.

Tan Your Hide
387-5382

Class of 2007

Pedro Gloria



Parents: Juan and Martha Gloria

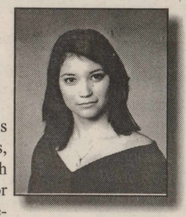
Extracurricular Activities: Football 4 years, track 2 years, band 4 years, basketball 1 year.

Special Interest: Sleeping, hanging with friends, fishing, hunting, playing PS2, eating, watching T.V.

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387-2585

Class of 2007

Jennifer Eleen Gonzales



Parent: Elva Vasquez

Extracurricular Activities: Cross Country-3 years, Track-3 years, Spanish Club- 3 years, Church Youth Group- K-12, National Honor Society- 2 years, Prom Committee-1year, Choir- 1 year,

Honors and/or Awards Received: Who's-Who Among American High School Students, National Society of High School Scholars, National Honor Roll, Cross Country Academic All District- 3 years, Track Academic All District- 3 years, All A's Honor Roll, and All A's /B's Honor Roll.

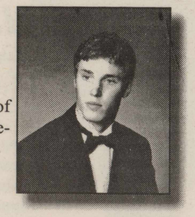
Special Interest: NBA(San Antonio Spurs), Drawing, Painting, Talking on the phone, Spending time with friends, family and Josh, Eating, Running, and making money at the Video Store.

Future Plans: Attending Angelo State University and pursuing a career that I will enjoy further in the future.

B&H Catering ~ 387-2528

Class of 2007

Evan S. Gulley



Parents: Jim & Rhonda Gulley

Extracurricular Activities: Football, Basketball, President of Industrial Technology, track, baseball

Honors and/or Awards Received: 2 year 1st team all district safety, 2nd team all district receiver, 2nd team all district kicker, all west texas receiver, all west texas super team receiver, 2 year 1st team all district basketball basketball, honorable mention basketball

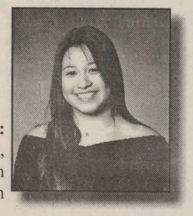
Special Interest: Playing basketball, church, working out, being with family and friends

Future Plans: Attending Angelo State University

Gulley & Sons
387-2613

Class of 2007

Erica Marie Hernandez



Parents: Hilda and Henry Mata

Extracurricular Activities: 4 Years Band, 3 Years Track, 2 Years Flags, 1 Year Spanish Club, Catholic Church Youth Group K-12,

Honors and/or Awards Received: Who's-Who Among America High School Students

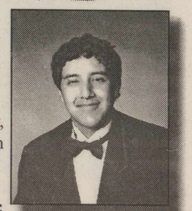
Special Interest: Graphic designs, running, photography, watching sports, baby sitting [nephew], talking on the phone.

Future Plans: Becoming a Border Patrol Agent or attending a photography school.

The Devil's River News
387-2507

Class of 2007

Marc Hernandez



Parents: George and Jo Ann Hernandez

Extracurricular Activities: Football, National Honor Society, PALS, UIL Academics, Church Youth Group, National Honor Roll

Honors and/or Awards Received: 2nd place District, advanced to Regional in Informative Speaking, IPC Award, Speech Award, Honor Roll

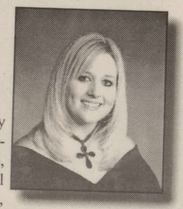
Special Interest: Playing my bass, jamming with my friends, going to concerts, hanging out, riding around, playing X-BOX, and sleeping

Future Plans: Move to San Antonio, go to UTSA

The Bank & Trust
387-2593

Class of 2007

Madeline Claire Higdon



Parents: Robert and Charlotte Higdon

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Softball-2 years, JV Tennis- 1 year, Varsity Tennis- 3 years, 4-H swine- 7 years, 4-H cooking- 4 years, Peppermint Ball Club-3 years, Spanish Club- 2 years, NHS -3 years, PALs- 1 year, Prom Committee, U.I.L.

Honors and/or Awards Received: National Honor Society Secretary, Senior Class Secretary, Yearbook Editor-in-Chief, National Honor Roll, Who's Who Among America's High School Students, Grand Champion Swine.

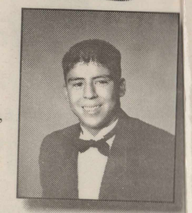
Special Interest: I enjoy photography, being with my friends, laughing, spending time with my family, going on road trips, music, doing and changing up my hair, and too much more to mention. haha

Future Plans: I plan to attend Angelo State University in the Fall and major in the arts. I also plan to get a minor in business, and to start my own photography company.

Creek Swabbing
387-5938

Class of 2007

Jacob Ibarra



Parents: Fernando and Alice Ibarra

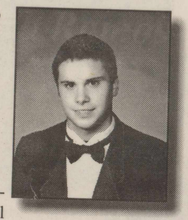
Extracurricular Activities: 4 year cross country, 3 year track, 2 year NHS, 2 year PALS, 1 year Basketball

Honors and/or Awards Received: World History Award, World Geography, All A Honor Roll, AB Honor Roll, Student Of The Week

Special Interest: Hanging out in San Angelo, sleeping, chilling at home

Class of 2007

Jordan Isenhour



Parents: Rick & Helmy Isenhour

Extracurricular Activities: Football, basketball, track, FCS.

Honors and/or Awards Received: First Team All-district football, academic all-district football, National Society of High School Scholars.

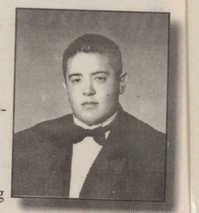
Special Interest: Riding dirt bikes, playing guitar and bass.

Future Plans: Go to college at UTSA and become a doctor.

Multi-Chem Group LLC
387-2585

Class of 2007

Marco Jimenez



Parent: Dorothy Jimenez

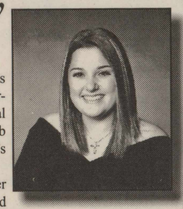
Extracurricular Activities: football 4 years, band 3 years, Peppermint Committee 2 years,

Special Interest: Lifting weights, football, hanging with friends,

JJ's Auto Service
387-5125

Class of 2007

Alexandrea Kenney



Parents: Mary Ann Pajestka and Curtis Eugene Kenney

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Tennis Team (4yrs), Spanish Club (1yr), Bronco Spirit Crew (3yrs), One-Act Play (2yrs), National Honor Society (3yrs), Peppermint Ball Club (3yrs), Angelo Dance Club (1yrs), Missoula's Children's Theater (1yr), Cheerleader (1yr)

Honors and/or Awards Received: Theater Arts 1 Award,Tech Theater Award, All A's and B's(4yrs), 1st State U.I.L. One-Act Play, 3rd District Tennis (doubles), 4th District Tennis (singles), 1st Tennis Eldorado, 2nd Tennis Ozona, 3rd Team Tennis, All District Choir, Angelo Dance Club

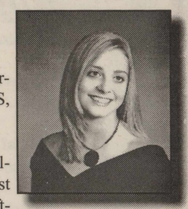
Special Interest: In my spare time I like to watch movies with friends, bowling, camping, outdoor sports, work with children, play tennis, and go to the river. I also like to go to New Mexico and doing cave restoration on closed caves. Traveling has become a main interest of mine for the Working with my mom has been something I like to spend my time doing in the last few months of me being in Sonora because we have become closer than ever. Supporting my brother in all his sports has been a part time cheerleading job of mine that I love. Family has been my biggest interest in this last year and I have realized that it is more valuable that anything else.

Future Plans: I plan to attend Angelo State University to become a pediatric physiologist and eventually travel with the Peace Core to different countries.

Ol' Sonora Trading Co.
387-5507

Class of 2007

Meghan Krieg



Parents: Mike and Michelle Krieg

Extracurricular Activities: Cheerleading, basketball, softball, NHS, PALS

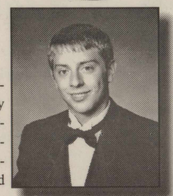
Honors and/or Awards Received: 2nd Team All District Basketball-2004, MVP Softball- 2004, All West Texas Newcomer of the Year Softball-2004, 1st Team All District Basketball-2005, Offensive Player of the Year Softball- 2005, 1st Team All West Texas Softball, 1st Team All District Basketball- 2006, MVP Softball- 2005, MVP All West Texas Softball-2006, All State Softball-2006, Offensive Player of the Year Basketball- 2007, Softball Award for SHS 2004 ,2005, 2006, Basketball Award for SHS 2005, 2006, Best All Around Girl Athlete 2006

Future Plans: I plan on attending Louisiana Tech University on a softball scholarship in the fall of '07 and major in Sports Medicine.

Burnham & Burnham Trucking
387-3843

Class of 2007

Craig Leonard



Parents: Gary and Carol Leonard

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Football 3yrs, Varsity Basketball 3yrs, Varsity Track 05, Texas High School Rodeo Association 2yrs, American Junior Rodeo Association 4yrs, National Honor Society, Student Council 05-06, UIL, FFA, 4-H, and First Baptist Church Youth Group

Honors and/or Awards Received: State Qualifier Texas High School Rodeo, 1st Team All District Basketball06-07, 1st Team All District Football 06, 2nd team All District Basketball 05-06, Hon. Mention All District Football 05, Hon. Mention All District Basketball 04-05, AJRA Top 10 Ribbon Roping and Calf Roping, State Champion Wool Judging Team 2006, State Champion Mohair Judging Team 2005, 2nd National Wool Judging Team 2006, Salutatorian of 2007 Graduating Class, 2006 State 4-H Horse Show Calf Roping Champion, State Debate Qualifier 2005, Regional Debate Qualifier 2004, Who's Who Among America's High School Students 2005-2007, National Honor Roll 2005-2007,

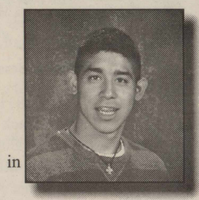
Special Interest: I enjoy riding my horses, being at the ranch, going to rodeos, playing basketball, and pitching washers with my friends.

Future Plans: I plan on attending Texas Tech University and studying Pre-Veterinary Medicine.

The Bank & Trust
387-2593

Class of 2007

Jesus Limon



Parents: Jesus Limon and Juana Limon

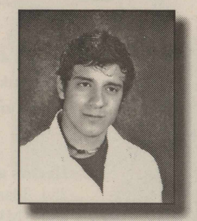
Extracurricular Activities: Football

Future Plans: Go to the academy in New Mexico to be a border patrol.

Gifts Galore & More
387-5871

Class of 2007

Elijah Lopez



Parents: Robert and Carol Lopez

Extracurricular Activities:
Band

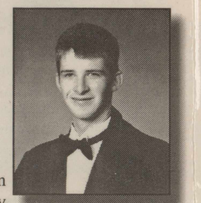
Special Interest:
Music

Future Plans:
Go to College in San Angelo at ASU

Busy Bee Day Care Center
387-2725

Class of 2007

Shane Love



Parents: David and Rebecca Love

Extracurricular Activities:
Ag, Work Program

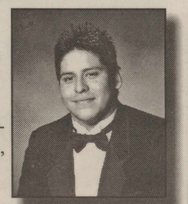
Special Interest:
Hanging out with friends, working on cars and trucks, spending time with my family, and trying to stay out of Sonora.

Future Plans:
I plan to go to college at Cisco or TSTC, and become a Diesel Mechanic.

First National Bank of Sonora
387-3861

Class of 2007

Steven Ray Lozano



Parents: Sesario & Sulema Lozano

Extracurricular Activities: Football, Track & Field, NHS, PALS, Spanish Club

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Academic All-District Football 05-06

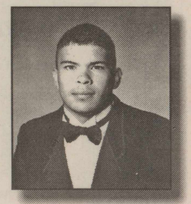
Special Interest: I like to draw, paint, and read in my spare time. I also enjoy watching movies with my family and friends, listening to music, and working out after school.

Future Plans: I plan on attending Howard College in San Angelo in the Summer of 07. I want to major in Radiology and minor in Computer Science. I plan on pursuing a career as a Radiology Tech.

Wellness Center
387-2521

Class of 2007

Liano Luna



Parents: Ubaldo & Linda Luna

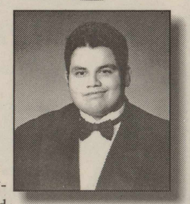
Extracurricular Activities:
Football

Special Interest:
Hanging out friends,
playing football, spending time with family

First National Bank of Sonora
387-3861

Class of 2007

Aric McGee



Parents: Martin and Geneva McGee

Extracurricular Activities:
Youth Group, Football (2 years)

Special Interest:
Making and listening to music, drawing, spending time with friends and family

Future Plans:
Attend Angelo State University to major in Business management and architecture.

First National Bank of Sonora
387-3861

Class of 2007

Queena Mendez



Parent: Graciela Lopez

Extracurricular Activities:
Band (2 yrs.)

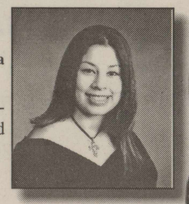
Special Interest:
Working, hanging out with family and friends, and taking roadtrips.

Future Plans:
After graduation, I plan on going to college to become a cosmetologist.

Burnham & Burnham Trucking
387-3843

Class of 2007

Victoria Mendoza



Parents: Pedro Capuchin and Maria Castaneda

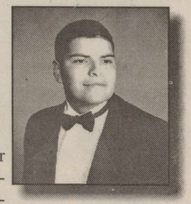
Extracurricular Activities:
Spanish Club-2 years and Community Service Coordinator 1 year, Band Freshman Year

Special Interest:
I like to spend time with family and friends, I also like to play Guitar Hero with my brother...it gets old but its worth it...I especially enjoy spending time with my son and husband..

First National Bank of Sonora
387-3861

Class of 2007

Nathan Andrej Mungia



Parents: Willie and Linda Mungia

Extracurricular Activities:
Student Council President, Senior Class Secretary, Spanish Club, National Honor Society, Yearbook, Varsity Baseball,

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Who's-Who Among American High School Students

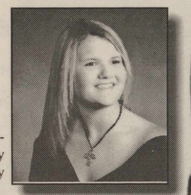
Special Interest:
Hanging out with friends and family, listening to music, camping, hunting, and fishing

Future Plans:
Attend TSTC in Sweetwater, major in Heating and Air Conditioning, minor in Drafting. After completion of school, I plan to open up a business with my brother.

Dominion Exploration & Production
387-3588

Class of 2007

Brandy Tra'chelle Neff



Parents: Scott and Linda Neff

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity Softball 4 years, Varsity Track 1 Year, Varsity Basketball 2 years, 4-H, FFA, One-Act play 1 Year, Football Trainer 2 years, PALS

Honors and/or Awards Received: Freshman Awards 2003-2004, Academic All-District Softball, Ag Mechanics Award, Class Favorite, District Champions Softball, Regional Quarterfinalist Softball, Sophomore Awards 2004-2005, Academic All-District Softball, Second Team All– District Softball, Bi-District Champions Softball, Junior Awards 2005-2006, Academic All-District Basketball, Academic All-District Softball, Second Team All-District Softball, Undefeated District Champions Softball, Area Champions Softball

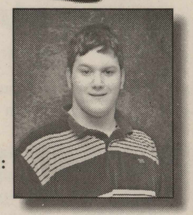
Special Interest: Spending time with my family and friends, showing goats and lambs, playing softball, talking on the phone, and just having a great time.

Future Plans: I plan on attending Texas State University in San Marcos in the Fall of 2007 and becoming an X-ray technician.

Rafter W Feed
387-3042

Class of 2007

Aaron Nitsch



Parents: Kenny and Kendra Nitsch

Extracurricular Activities:
Football, FFA

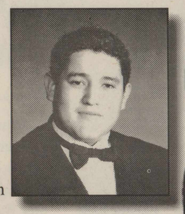
Honors and/or Awards Received:
Academic recognition

Special Interest:
Listening to music playing X-box live.

Everett's Furniture
387-3938

Class of 2007

Armando Noriega



Parents: Armando and Rosa

Extracurricular Activities:
Wood Shop

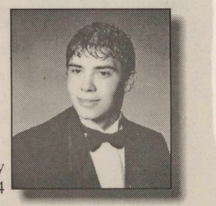
Special Interest:
Cars, traveling, spending time with family and friends.

Future Plans:
Go to college at Sul Ross State University in Alpine, Tx and later on get a good job.

Everett's Pharmacy
387-2541

Class of 2007

Justin Lee Northcott



Parents: Jerry & Jan Northcott & Delma Reyna

Extracurricular Activities:
Varsity Football 3 yrs. , Varsity Basketball 1 yr. , Varsity Track 4 yrs. National Honor Society 2 yrs., PALS 1yr.

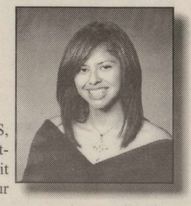
Honors and/or Awards Received:
Hon. Mention All District Linebacker 04-05, 2nd Team All District Runningback 05-06, 1st Team All District Runningback 06-07, All West Texas Runningback 06-07, Track Regional Qualifier '04,'05,'06,'07.

Future Plans:
I plan on attending South Plains College to major in Sports Physical Therapy.

Burnham & Burnham Trucking
387-3843

Class of 2007

Alexie Marie Ortiz



Parents: Norbert and Sara Ortiz

Extracurricular Activities: PALS, UIL Editorial Writing and Newswriting, youth group, Spanish Club, Spirit Crew, Varsity Cross-Country four years, Varsity Track four years.

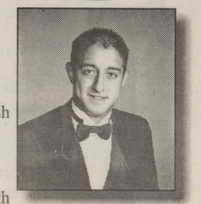
Honors and/or Awards Received: Miss Sutton County, A/B Honor Roll, Track Regional qualifier 2006, Track Regional qualifier 2007, Cross-Country Regional qualifier 2007, District Champion of 3200 and 1600.

Special Interest: Distance running, working with young children, sleeping, eating, singing in the car, dancing, talking on the phone, text messaging, Myspace, hanging out with Emilly and Candace, riding horses, swimming and cruising around in my Mustang.

Future Plans: I plan on attending Abilene Christian University. I hope to pursue a career in Business and Marketing while running track and cross-country for ACU Wildcats. I hope to one day have my own business and live in New York.

Class of 2007

Cody Perez



Parents: Claudia and Oscar Perez

Extracurricular Activities:
Band, basketball, football, Spanish Club, Peppermint Committee,

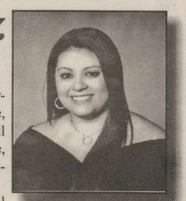
Honors and/or Awards Received:
Who's-Who Among American High School Students, National Honor Roll, Freshman Class Treasurer, Sophomore Class Treasurer, A&B Honor Roll, Student Council

Special Interest:
lifting weights, football, hanging out with friends and family

Taco Grill
387-9127

Class of 2007

Mackenzie Perez



Parents: Jennifer & Esequiel Martinez, and Joe & Veronica Perez

Extracurricular Activities: Varsity cheerleading, UIL cross examination debate, UIL informative speaking, Peppermint Ball Club, Texans for Obama, Prom committee, Spanish Club, PALS, Fellowship of Christian Students, and Bronco Spirit Crew.

Honors and/or Awards Received: National Honor Society, 2005 & 2006 UIL District Champion Informative speaking , 2006 UIL Regional Runner-up Informative speaking, 2006 State Qualifier Informative speaking, 2006 Cross Examination Debate State Alternate, 2005-2006 Public Speaking Award, UCA All-Star Cheerleader 2005 & 2006, Who's Who Among America's High School Students, National Honor Roll, and American Cheerleader Magazine "Cheerleader of the Month" nominee.

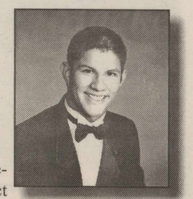
Special Interest: Cheering, gymnastics, reading, text messaging, going to San Angelo, college football, Myspace, spending time with my family, debate, dancing, and being with my best friends.

Future Plans: I plan on attending the University of Texas at Austin in the fall. My major is government with a business foundation. After graduating I plan to attend law school and specialize in tax law.

Nabors
387-2884

Class of 2007

Caleb Ramos



Parents: Rudy & Ruth Ramos

Extracurricular Activities:
Football, Basketball

Honors and/or Awards Received:
2003: Newcomer of the Year, Regional Qualifier 2004: Bi-District Qualifiers, Honorable Mention 2005: Area Qualifiers, 1st Team All District Quarterback 2006: Bi-District Qualifiers, 1st Team All District Quarterback

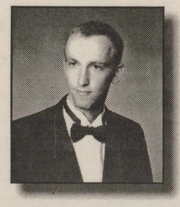
Special Interest:
Sports, Music

Future Plans:
Attending UTSA, Major in Kinesiology

Multi-Chem Group LLC
387-2585

Class of 2007

Evan Rousselot



Parents: Mark and Mallory Rousselot

Extracurricular Activities:
Football, basketball, baseball, track

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Honorable Mention-
Wide Reciever, 2nd team
All-District, Regional qualifiers- track- 800m relay

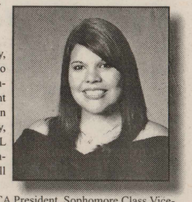
Special Interest:
Paintball, hunting, hanging out with friends, and other stuff

Future Plans:
College

KHOS/KYXX FM Radio Station
387-3553

Class of 2007

Stacy Lea Sanchez



Parents: David & Mari Sanchez

Extracurricular Activities: National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes/Students, Concho Country Chrysalis Community, Lighthouse Community Youth Group, Spanish Club, PALS, Student Council, Bronco Spirit Crew, UIL Cross- Examination Debate, UIL Persuasive Speaking, UIL One-Act Play, UIL Current Issues & Events, UIL Science Team, UIL Ready Writing, Varsity Softball, JV Basketball, JV Tennis, Girls Varsity Basketball Manager, Varsity Football Trainer, & Varsity Baseball Manager.

Honors and/or Awards Received: NHS President, FCA President, Sophomore Class Vice-President, Who's Who Among America's High School Students, Lions' Club Student of the Month, National Honor Roll, Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Ambassador, SportsQuest Honorable Mention All-American, Venture Scholar. Freshman: English I Award, Keyboarding/Word Processing Award, Academic All-District Softball, Softball Regional Quarterfinalists. Sophomore: BCIS Award, Principal's Excellence Award, Academic All-District Basketball, CX Debate State Qualifier, UIL Persuasive Speaking Regional Qualifier, UIL One-Act Play Area Qualifier & Area Outstanding Crew Member. Junior: Debate III Award, Spanish III Award, Principal's Excellence Award, CX Debate District Champion & State Quarterfinalist, UIL Current Issues & Events 3rd Place Team at District, UIL One-Act Play-Outstanding Crew Member at District and State Champions. Senior: CX Debate 3rd Place at District, Current Issues and Events Regional Qualifier.

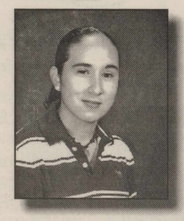
Special Interest: My faith in Jesus, being around my family and friends, being with my church family, going to San Angelo and hanging out, going to PALS and helping out & spending time with younger children, watching movies, reading, being on the internet... pretty much anything that occupies my time!

Future Plans: I plan on attending Abilene Christian University in the fall, and majoring in Biochemistry in their pre-medical program with a minor in Bible, Missions, and Ministry. I plan on going to medical school and becoming a pediatric oncologist.

Rosey Bud Florist'
387-6327

Class of 2007

Bianca Sepeda



Parents: Harvey and Emma Sepeda

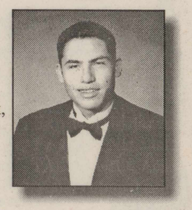
Special Interest:
Hanging out with friends, spending time with family, playing Guitar Hero

Future Plans:
Go to college in San Antonio

First National Bank of Sonora
387-3861

Class of 2007

Antonio Torres



Parents: Paula and Antonio

Extracurricular Activities:
Ag Mechanics, cross country, track, Ag show, Spanish club

Honors and/or Awards Received:
cross country regional qualifier

Special Interest:
Going to the river, Ag mechanic shows, hanging out with friends, meeting new people

Future Plans:
After graduation I will be attending ASU.

Torres Landscaping & Construction
206-0774

Class of 2007

Delma Tovar



Parents: Raul & Laura Tovar

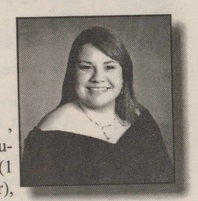
Honors and/or Awards Received:
Freshman Duchess & Fall Festival Queen Candidate

Special Interest: I like to spend time with my friends and most especially spend time with my son. I love to go out and just have a good time.

Future Plans:
I plan to go to College in San Angelo and become a nurse.

Class of 2007

Victoria Tovar



Parents: Rosario Tovar

Extracurricular Activities:
Band (4 years), FCS (4 years) , Who's-Who's Among High Students (4 years), Spanish Club (1 year), Bronco Spirit Crew (1 year), Prom Committee (1 year),

Honors and/or Awards Received:
Band - 2004 & 2006: Superiors, 2004: Advancing to Area, 2003 & 2005: 2 Excellent

Special Interest:
talking on my cell phone, hanging out with my friends & family, roadtrips, playing basketball with my friends

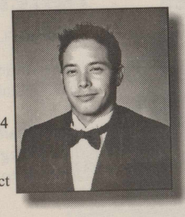
Future Plans:
I plan to attend ASU to major in Education & in Business.

Mi Familia
387-2940

Concho Refrigeration
387-3707

Class of 2007

Ariel Trevino



Parents: Fernando and Alma Trevino

Extracurricular Activities:
Football (4 years), and Baseball (4 years).

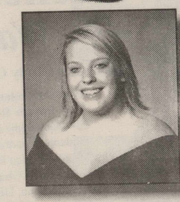
Honors and/orAwardsReceived:
Baseball 2006: 1st team all district OF and 2nd team all district INF
2005: 2nd team OF
Football 2004: Honorable mention wide receiver.
2005: Honorable mention wide receiver.
2006:First team all district wide receiver.

Special Interest:
My special interests are playing baseball, hanging out with friends, and family, and hunting.

G&L Tools Co.
387-3177

Class of 2007

Kaija Lee Valkonen



Parents: Tony and Lindy Valkonen

Extracurricular Activities:
Golf, 4-H, FFA, Youth Group

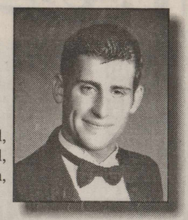
Honors and/or Awards Received:
Who's-Who Among American Students

Future Plans: I plan to attend Odessa College and major in Nursing

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387-3861

Class of 2007

Travis Cozby Valliant



Parents: Tom E. and Brenda Valliant

Extracurricular Activities: Football, One Act Play, Basketball, Baseball, Track, NHS, Ag show competition, Ag Mechanics competition, UIL

Honors and/or Awards Received: Senior Class President (2007), NHS Vice President (2007), Member Regional Qualifier One Act Play (2005), Alternate advancing play (2007) , One Act Play All-Star Cast (2007),1st Team All-District Offense and Defense (Football 2007),1st Team All– Region Defense (Football 2007), 2nd Team All-District (Basketball 2007), District & Area Champion Agriculture Mechanics Team (2006), 8th in State Agriculture Mechanics Team (2006) FFA Vice President (2007) Prom King (2007).

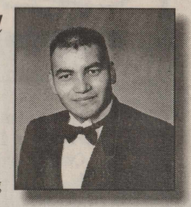
Special Interest: Hanging out with my friends, Playing sports, and having a good time.

Future Plans: Attend ASU and receive a degree in Ag. Business.

Multi-Chem Group LLC
387-2585

Class of 2007

Agustin Vaquera



Parents: Miguel & Martina Vaquera

Extracurricular Activities: football, baseball

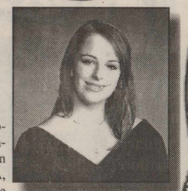
Special Interest: Working, running, sleeping, lifting weights

Future Plans: going to college and working

Creek Swabbing
387-5938

Class of 2007

McKenzie Lea Watkins



Parents: Cindy Gilcrease and Bo Watkins

Extracurricular Activities: National Honor Society, Bronco Baseball Manager, Student Council- Class Representative, Fellowship of Christian Students, Sonora FFA, Area II Association FFA, Mighty Bronco Band, Sutton Co. 4-H, Lighthouse Community Church Youth Group, Shattered D.R.E.A.M.S., Relay for Life, Spanish Club, UIL Lincoln-Douglass Debate, UIL Informative Extemporaneous Speaking, UIL Social Studies, UIL Spelling, Peppermint Ball Club, Prom Committee, Girl's JV & V Basketball Manager, "Keep Sonora Beautiful" Organizer, Pennies for Patients, Veteran's Day Program and Red Ribbon Week Coordinator.

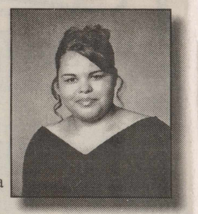
Honors and/or Awards Received: Principal's Excellence Award, English I Award, Keyboarding/Word Processing Award, Who's Who Among American High School Students, Lions Club Student of the Month- Nov. and Sept., UIL Informative Extemp. Speaking- 2nd at District, UIL Informative Extemp. Speaking- 2nd at District & 4th at Regionals, Sonora FFA Star Greenhand, Sonora FFA Star Chapter Farmer, Sonora FFA Public Speaking Proficiency Award, State FFA LDE - Creed Speaking Finalist - 8th place, Sr. Showmanship Award, and "Top Hand" Award.

Special Interest: My special interests include reading books, writing short stories and poetry, swimming, speaking, playing music, listening to music, playing putt-putt, riding horses, road trips, spending time with family and friends, and FFA activities. I enjoy going to the river, working with computers, Ultimate Frisbee, Astros and Owls Baseball, Bronco Football and hunting.

Mr. D's Liquor & Beer
387-3351

Class of 2007

Yaneth Zapata



Parents: Laura & Abel Zapata

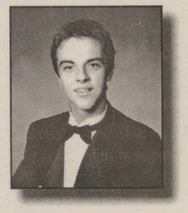
Extracurricular Activities: Spanish Club

Future Plans: Move to Eagle Pass and try to buy a house and to become a nurse.

The Video Store
387-3710

Class of 2007

Justin Zuniga



Parents: Bobby and Tina Zuniga

Extracurricular Activities: Football, FFA, 4-H

Special Interest: Playing the guitar, and riding dirt bikes

Future Plans: Moving to Fort worth or San Antonio and becoming a Fireman.

Holt Cat PSD Parts Store
387-5303

Remember When?



Fred McFeely (Mr.) Rogers
2002 Commencement Address at Dartmouth College

"Wow. What a privilege to be with you all. Since I've arrived here, many people have greeted me by saying, "It's a beautiful day in this neighborhood." Well, indeed it is a beautiful day. But before I begin, I'd like you to know that I recognize that you who live and work here have had many days, particularly during these last several months, that have been far from beautiful. You've had a painful time and you've handled it with dignity.

Our world hangs like a magnificent jewel in the vastness of space. Every one of us is a part of that jewel. A facet of that jewel. And in the perspective of infinity, our differences are infinitesimal. We are intimately related. May we never even pretend that we are not.

Have you heard my favorite story that came from the Seattle Special Olympics? Well, for the 100-yard dash there were nine contestants, all of them so-called physically or mentally disabled. All nine of them assembled at the starting line and at the sound of the gun, they took off. But not long afterward one little boy stumbled and fell and hurt his knee and began to cry. The other eight children heard him crying; they slowed down, turned around and ran back to him. Every one of them ran back to him. One little girl with Down Syndrome bent down and kissed the boy and said, "This'll make it better." And the little boy got up and he the rest of the runners linked their arms together and joyfully walked to the finish line. They all finished the race at the same time. And when they did, everyone in that stadium stood up and clapped and whistled and cheered for a long, long, time. People who were there are still telling the story with great delight. And you know why. Because deep down, we know that what matters in this life is more than winning for ourselves. What really matters is helping others win too. Even if it means slowing down and changing our course now and then.

Anicius Manlius Severinus Boethius - what a name - was the last of the great Roman philosophers and the first of the scholastics of the Middle Ages. Fifteen hundred years ago, Boethius wrote this sentence, "O happy race of mortals, if your hearts are ruled as is the universe by love." I was once invited to sit in on a master class of six young cellists from the Pittsburgh Youth Symphony. The master teacher was Yo-Yo Ma. Now, Yo-Yo is the most other-oriented genius I've ever known. His music comes from a very deep place within his being. And during that master class, Yo-Yo gently led those young cellists into understandings about their instruments, their music, and their selves, which some of them told me later, they'd carry with them forever.

I can still see the face of one young man who had just finished playing a movement of Brahms' cello sonata, when Yo-Yo said, "Nobody else can make the sound you make." Of course, he meant that as a compliment to the young man. Nevertheless, he meant that also for everyone in the class. Nobody else can make the sound you make. Nobody else can choose to make that particular sound in that particular way.

I'm very much interested in choices and what it is and who it is that enable us human beings to make the choices we make all through our lives. What choices lead to ethnic cleansing? What choices lead to healing? What choices lead to the destruction of the environment? The erosion of the Sabbath? Suicide bombings or teenagers shooting teachers? What choices encourage heroism in the midst of chaos?

I have a lot of framed things in my office which people have given to me through the years and on my walls are Greek, and Hebrew, and Russian, and Chinese, and beside my chair is a French sentence from Saint-Exupery's The Little Prince. It reads, "L'essential…l'invisibles pour les yeux." What is essential is invisible to the eye.

Well, what is essential about you? And who are those who have helped you become the person that you are? Anyone who has ever graduated from a college, anyone who has ever been able to sustain a good work, has had at least one person and often many who have believed in him or her. We just don't get to be competent human beings without a lot of different investments from others.

I'd like to give you all an invisible gift. A gift of a silent minute to think about those who have helped you become who you are today. Some of them may be here right now. Some may be far away. Some, like my astronomy professor, may even be in Heaven. But wherever they are, if they've loved you and encouraged you and wanted what was best in life for you, they're right inside yourself. And I feel that you deserve quiet time on this special occasion to devote some thought to them. So let's just take a minute in honor of those who have cared about us all along the way. One silent minute.

Whom ever you've been thinking about, imagine how grateful they must be that during your silent times you remember how important they are to you. It's not the honors and the prizes and the fancy outsides of life which ultimately nourish our souls. It's the knowing that we can be trusted, that we never have to fear the truth, that the bedrock of our lives from which we make our choices is very good stuff.

There's a neighborhood song that is meant for the child in each of us and I'd like to give you the words of that song right now.

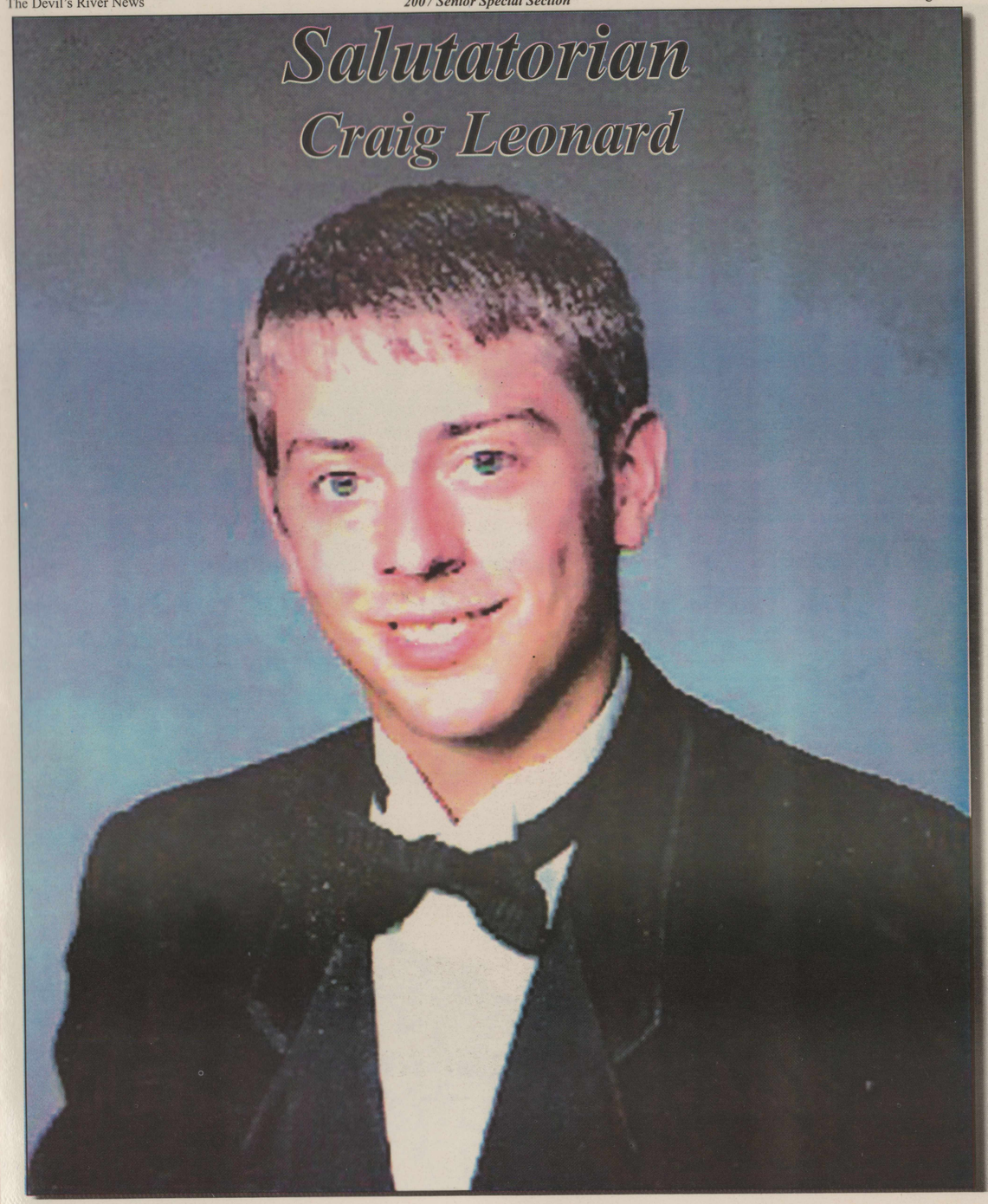
"It's you I like. It's not the things you wear. It's not the way you do your hair But it's you I like. The way you are right now The way down deep inside you. Not the things that hide you. Not your caps and gowns, they're just beside you. But it's you I like. Every part of you. Your skin, your eyes, your feelings whether old or new. I hope that you remember even when you're feeling blue. That it's you I like, it's you, yourself. It's you. It's you I like."

And what that ultimately means, of course, is that you don't ever have to do anything sensational for people to love you. When I say it's you I like, I'm talking about that part of you that knows that life is far more than anything you can ever see or hear or touch. That deep part of you that allows you to stand for those things without which humankind cannot survive. Love that conquers hate, peace that rises triumphant over war, and justice that proves more powerful than greed.

So in all that you do, in all of your life, I wish you the strength and the grace to make those choices which will allow you and your neighbor to become the best of whoever you are."

Congratulations to you all.

Salutatorian
Craig Leonard



Valedictorian Stacy Sanchez

