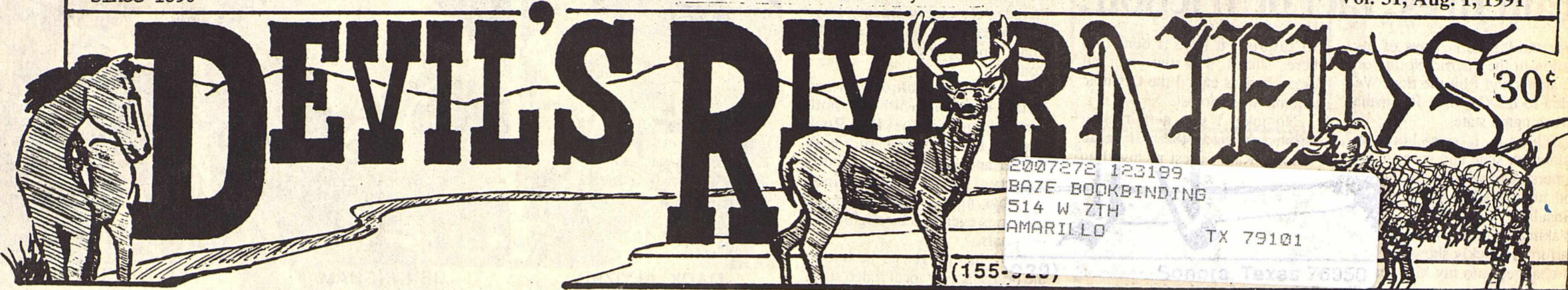


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Briefly

Hunter safety course

A hunter safety course will be offered in Sonora on August 13, 14 and 15 from 6:30 until 10 p. m. at the 4-H Center.

You must be 12 years of age to be certified. There will be a \$5 cost per person.

It is mandatory that anyone born after September 2, 1971 has to be certified.

Preregister by calling 387-5159.

Jaycees

Sonora Jaycees will be having a Membership Drive on August 6 at 7:30 p. m. at the Sutton County National Bank.

Anyone between the ages of 20-40 is welcome.

Youth conference

The First Baptist Church will be hosting a Youth Conference lock-in at the City Pool beginning at 6 p. m. on August 9 and ending at 9:30 p. m. on August 10.

Call 387-2951 to pre-register. The youth will enjoy recreation and Bible study.

Fund set up

A special fund has been set up at Sutton County National Bank and First National Bank for Brad Morgan.

Anyone wishing to donate may do so at the banks.

Social security

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be in Sonora on Thursday, August 22 at the Sutton County Courthouse between the hours of 9:30 and 10:30.

Anyone needed to conduct business with the Social Security can do so at this time.

West Side Lions

The West Side Lions Club is sponsoring a drawing to benefit the Sonora Volunteer Fire Department.

Prizes include groceries from L&H Grocery and Food Center, gas from Ed's Live Oak 66 and merchandise from Perry's.

Tickets can be purchased from selected firemen, Pizza Hut, Country Fried Chicken and Fish and the golf course.

The drawing will be held Aug. 24 during Sutton County Days.

SCDA

The Sutton County Days Association will hold its next meeting on Tuesday, August 6 at the County Park Arena.

Everyone is welcome.

Little Miss & Mr.

Entry forms are now available at the Sonora Chamber of Commerce office for the Little Miss & Mr. contest to be held during Sutton County Days on August 24, 1991.

The contestant must have turned three years of age and must not have turned six prior to August 24, 1991. There is a \$5 entry fee for each contestant.

Entry forms may be picked up at the Chamber Office at 705 Crockett or call 387-2880 for more information. The deadline for entering is August 9, 1991.

ICA

The Independent Cattlemen's Association will not hold its regular monthly meeting on August 5, 1991.

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on Monday, September 9 at 6:30 at Sutton County Steakhouse. Preston Faris, Extension Agent will be on hand to give a speech.

# 4-H programs avoid drastic budget cuts

By Griffin B. Cole  
DRN Editor

Huge budget cuts at the state level for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service may have been avoided thanks to a strong negative response by County Extension Directors and Extension Specialists.

"The indication we get, is the Senate Finance Committee has had a tremendous amount of contact," said Sutton County Extension Agent Preston Faris.

County Extension Agents became concerned when an analysis of Senate Bill 1 (SB1), the Appropriations Bill, recommended consolidating the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Forest Service.

The analysis showed the consolidation would have resulted

in a general revenue savings of \$36.5 million dollars in fiscal 1992.

Among the casualties to the budget cuts would have been all 4-H programs, all home economics programs, all community and economic development programs and the Animal Damage Control Service.

Economically speaking, Faris said the dropping of the Animal Damage Control Service would be devastating to Sutton County.

Faris said Sutton County does not have a big predatory animal problem and that is due in part to the county trappers. "(Sutton County) would lose both of its county trappers. The sheep and goat industry would take a beating. We don't have a big predatory problem, but the trappers can be right there when a hot spot arises."

Faris said the loss of the 4-H

program in Sutton County is almost unthinkable. Written responses were asked for by the 4-H counties and Faris said the letters still have not stopped pouring into the legislators offices.

"When you have a good program you don't have to tell them what to say..." said Faris.

Still, Faris said the county agricultural services will not go untouched in the budget crunch. "We'll definitely feel cuts. Some of it can be absorbed...but we can only take so much cut in funding."

Faris said some of the state-wide spots open will just be phased out instead of filled.

The cuts in funding will seem minor compared to the almost complete destruction of services which could have occurred.

# City money goes into Texas Pool

By Marti McLain  
DRN Contributing Writer

The Sonora City Council met in a special evening session July 23 to work on the 1990-1991 budget. Proposals were made for expenditures and revenues for the new fiscal year.

The city's fiscal year begins October 1.

The new proposed budget includes expenditures of around \$1.4 million.

The water and sewer fund is about \$600,000. The city will balance revenues and expenditures.

Proposed revenue increase will raise the effective tax rate from \$5369 per \$100 to \$5440 per \$100. Assessed valuation of property is just under \$57 million for the coming year.

No increase in user fees is proposed in the new budget.

City finances are approaching a debt free status. The final payment on the bonds for the waste water treatment plant will be on Oct. 1. After Oct. 1, the

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DRN staff photo by Sharon Huston

**SCHOOL GETTING CLOSER** - Andrew Dempsey and Shilol Sykes volunteered a little of their summer vacation to help move desks into the Junior High School. The end of the summer is closing in as just 25 days of vacation remain.

# Emergency room can't take place of hospital

By Alvis Johnson Jr.  
DRN Contributing Writer

First, the constitution of Texas does not provide for a tax to operate an emergency room alone. It provides for the "creation, establishment, maintenance and operation of a hospital district." It states that a district can operate a hospital it acquires or builds "providing that every district so created shall assume full responsibility for providing medical and hospital care for its needy inhabitants."

There is no mention of limiting the services to just emergency care. Since the "enabling act" that created our district was based on the constitution it does not provide for limited services.

That's the law but people get around the law everyday so let's go on.

To limit our facilities to just an emergency room would not save money. An adequate emergency

room would have to be staffed 24 hours a day 7 days a week. It would be necessary to provide the services of a physician, a nurse and an LVN to be constantly available. It would also require the availability of an X-ray technician and a laboratory technician. Roughly this would involve a payroll of \$662,680 not counting FICA, workman's compensation, insurance and pension contributions.

In addition we would still have to have administration costs, bookkeeping costs, insurance clerk, janitorial service, maintenance service, building repairs, supplies and liability insurance. These costs would not be appreciably less than they are... present. The only real saving would be less utilities providing the building could be modified so

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SPECIAL ELECTION (ELECCION ESPECIAL)  
KIMBLE & SUTTON COUNTY EDUCATION DISTRICT  
DISTRITO EDUCATIVO DEL CONDADO DE KIMBLE & SUTTON  
AUGUST 10, 1991 (10 de agosto de 1991)

SAMPLE BALLOT (BOLETA DE MUESTRA)  
COUNTY EDUCATION DISTRICT PROPOSITIONS (PROPOSICIONES DEL DISTRITO EDUCATIVO DEL CONDADO)

INSTRUCTION NOTE: (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION)  
Place an "X" in the square beside the statement indicating the way you wish to vote. (Marque con una "X" el cuadro al lado de la frase que indica la manera en que quiere usted votar.)

No. 1  
 FOR (A FAVOR DE)  
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)  
"The exemption of 20 percent of the market value of the residence homestead from ad valorem taxation in Kimble & Sutton County Education District." ("La exención del 20 por ciento del precio en plaza del hogar residencial, de impuestos al valor, en el Distrito Educativo del Condado de Kimble y Sutton.")

No. 2  
 FOR (A FAVOR DE)  
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)  
"The exemption of \$10,000 of the market value of the residence homestead of an individual who is 65 or older from ad valorem taxation in Kimble & Sutton County Education District." ("La exención de \$10,000 del precio en plaza del hogar residencial de personas inapacadas, y de \$10,000 del precio en plaza del hogar residencial de personas de 65 o más años de edad, de impuestos al valor, en el Distrito Educativo del Condado de Kimble y Sutton.")

No. 3  
 FOR (A FAVOR DE)  
 AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)  
"The taxation of all tangible personal property, other than manufactured homes, in Kimble & Sutton County Education District that is not held or used for the production of income." ("La recaudación de impuestos a todos los bienes personales tangibles, con excepción de viviendas fabricadas, en el Distrito Educativo del Condado de Kimble y Sutton, cuando dichos bienes no se poseen ni se utilizan para producir ingresos.")

# Special election is baffling to many

By Griffin B. Cole

Sonora Schools superintendent Charles Russell says there is plenty of confusion concerning the Aug. 10 special election.

The election is actually two elections being held at one time.

Russell said there is a state-wide election at the county level which has two constitutional amendment questions and then a local election with three proposition questions.

The first proposed amendment basically asks whether the County Education District (CED) would have the right to consider tax exemptions.

Currently, CED boards can't make decisions about taxation options that individual school boards may adopt.

As a result, the Legislature called a special election to let the voters decide.

Where some confusion occurs, is that the local propositions call for changes in the exemptions. In essence, the voter is being asked if the CED can have the right to consider tax exemptions. At the same time, the voter must decide on the exemption questions in the local ballot.

If the constitutional amendment does not pass, then the local election results will not matter.

There are two exemption questions at the local level.

Russell said the first question is

an exemption of 20 percent of market value of a persons homestead.

A yes vote, Russell said, would add the 20 percent to the already set \$5,000 exemption.

As an example, Russell said if the tax were at \$1/\$100 on a \$40,000 homestead, the net tax total would be on \$27,000. That is, the original \$5,000 exemption plus another \$8,000 with the 20 percent exemption.

For Kimble and Sutton County (CED 22) though, it would be based on 72 cents.

The second proposition calls for a \$10,000 exemption for those over 65-years-old and an additional \$10,000 if they are disabled.

The third proposition, calls for the possibility of taxing personal property.

This proposition has been opposed by school officials and tax appraisors around the state and Sonora is no different.

"I wouldn't tell people how to vote, but I would tell people how I will vote," said Russell. "I would yes on the first two and no on the last proposition. You would spend more money that would be brought in."

Sutton County Tax Appraiser RexAnn Friess was in agreement. "It would mean the taxation on the value of items, cars, boats, motor

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DRN staff photo by Sharon Huston

**BEATING THE HEAT** - Katie Roberts (left) and her sister Texie Roberts spent part of Tuesday afternoon escaping the heat at the Sonora swimming pool. Katie and Texie were not the only folks there as Sonorans looked to escape the 100 degree temperatures.





**WORKIN' FOR A LIVIN'**- On Tuesday, when the thermometer outside read 101 degrees Stan Huff and co-worker Julio Fraustio (not pictured) were adding a room to the Church of the Good Shepherd.

### Senior Center calendar

**Bingo** is held each Tuesday and Thursday after lunch. During August no Bingo will be called on the 13 and 15 due to Carole's vacation.

**Exercises** are held each Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:30 a. m. Shopping and errands are done on Monday and Friday.

**Commodities** will be distributed on Wednesday, August 14 and on that same day a **blood pressure clinic** will be held from 11 a. m. until 12:30 p. m.

On Wednesday, August 21 we will start preparing for the parade and barbecue. Thursday we will finish up the work on the float and begin preparing for the barbecue.

### Senior Center menu

**Monday, August 5** - Spaghetti w/cheese, spinach, garlic toast, carrot-raisin salad and banana pudding.

**Tuesday, August 6** - Chicken a la king, hot rice, buttered carrots, hot rolls, orange jello w/oranges and sugar cookies.

**Wednesday, August 7** - Meat loaf, macaroni & cheese, okra gumbo, cornbread, tossed salad and cherry jello w/fruit cocktail & topping.

**Thursday, August 8** - Oven fried chicken, potato salad, green & yellow squash, bread and lemon squares.

**Friday, August 9** - Baked turkey ham, candied yams, green beans, hot rolls and cherry cobbler.

## Out and about town

Happy Birthday wishes go out to Charlie Graves who will celebrate his birthday August 2nd.  
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Visiting Sandra Luz this weekend from Cd. Acuna Coah. were Yolanda C. Garcia, Ninfa Garcia, Manuel Martinez and Ariana Garcia. They visited Fredricksburg on Sunday everyone had a great time.  
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He's Back! Griffin had a great time visiting with relatives in Longview, Washington but of course he was anxious to return back to Sonora. Thank you for all the souvenirs and post card. From all of us at DRN.  
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Happy Birthday wishes go out to Bianca and Blanca Lozano who will celebrate their birthdays August 4th. From, Mom, Dad, Jannifer, and John David.  
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Turney Friess recently met a new friend O.B. Maloy from Austin, Tx. Mr. Maloy's hobby is rebuilding and demonstrating Hit and Miss Engines. Mr. Maloy is an engine restorer. After Turney informed Mr. Maloy on how what a great success and how popular Sutton County Day's is, Maloy asked if he could bring one of his engines to have on exhibit. His request was granted by the Chamber of Commerce. Turney Friess reported that Mr. Maloy would be here August 24th on the court house lawn to demonstrate one of his engines and thought this would be very interesting to see. Mr. Friess said that Mr. Maloy is a very friendly man who is simply interested in showing how his machines are used and is really looking forward to attending Sonora's Sutton County Days.  
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Greetings to you to Carole Thorp!!!!!! From the girls at DRN.  
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### Butterworth promoted to technical sergeant

Ronald B. Butterworth has been promoted in the U. S. Air Force to the rank of technical sergeant.

He is a security supervisor at Eldorado Air Force Station, Texas.

The sergeant is the son of John H. Butterworth III and Barbara Butterworth, both of Ripley, Tenn.

His wife, Donna, is the daughter of Jack D. and Billie T. Moore of Sonora.

He is a 1979 graduate of Ripley High School.

It ain't no bull, we're giving away 60 tickets to the rodeo!

### Find the bullrider

Be one of the first five people to come to the Devil's River News office at 220 N. E. Main to win a pair of Rodeo tickets beginning Thursday at 8 a. m. One winner per household please.

### Hill's Gift Registry

Mrs. Jose Lujan, nee Monica Gonzales

## Hill's Jewelry

Downtown Sonora

387-2755

### New books at the library

**Fiction** - THE JUDGEMENT by Howard Golluss; MAMISTA by Len Deighton; THE CON MAN by Ed McBain; OUTER BANKS by Anne Rivers Siddons; and ODDS AGAINST by Dick Francis.

**Non-Fiction** - THE SHOEMAKER by Flora Schreiber; ECHOES IN THE DARKNESS by Joseph Wambaugh; A QUESTION OF INNOCENCE by Lawrence Spiegel; and WHEN YOU LOOK LIKE YOUR PASSPORT PHOTO, IT'S TIME TO GO HOME by Erma Bombeck.

### Depot available

The newly renovated Cauthorn Memorial Building, formerly the Sonora Depot, is now available for leasing to small or large groups for meetings, reunions, receptions, and other gatherings.

Contact Kathy Davis at The Sonora Chamber of Commerce in order to rent the facility. The Chamber address is 706 Crockett and the phone number is 387-2880.

For further information contact the Chamber office.

### Tedford Jewelry

Bridal Gift Registry

Rachel Merck, bride elect of Jeff Strickland  
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## Devil's River News Night

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- Profiles of candidates for Little Miss, Little Mr. and Sutton County Queen contests.
- Complete Sutton County Days schedule of events.

Kids, look for the rodeo clown in next week's paper, color him, and use it as a pass to Thursday night's rodeo performance!



Keep up with the Hot Rock Rodeo Report each week in the Devil's River News!

## Obituaries

### Herman E. Moore

Herman E. Moore, 71, died Friday, July 26, 1991, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 29, 1991, at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Jim Stephen officiating. Burial will follow in Sonora Cemetery, under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

Herman was born May 20, 1920, in Granbury, Texas. After graduating from Junction High School in 1940, Mr. Moore served in the Army Air Corps from 1942 to 1945.

Following his service years, he joined the Texas Department of Public Safety in 1948 and served until 1960. In 1961 he was elected sheriff of Sutton County and served in that capacity until 1973. He was in private business from 1973 until 1980, when he became Sutton County Justice of the Peace. He served in that office until his retirement in 1990.

He was a member of the Dee Ora Masonic Lodge No. 715, the Downtown Lions Club and First Baptist Church.

Mr. Moore married May Dell Stewart of London, Texas, in 1941.

He is survived by his wife; two sons, Herman Moore Jr. and his wife, Candy, of Pasadena, and Larry Bob Moore and his wife, Jan, of La Vernia; one brother, R. G. Moore and his wife, Jean of Crowley; and two grandchildren, John Carter Moore and Rachel Moore.

### Alice Lucille Sawyer Jones

Alice Lucille Sawyer Jones, longtime Sutton County ranch woman and civic leader, died Sunday, July 28, 1991, in Hudspeth Memorial Hospital.

A memorial service was held Tuesday, July 30, 1991 at the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Clay Hall officiating. Burial followed in Sonora Cemetery, under the direction of Kerbow Funeral Home.

She was born Oct. 14, 1916, in Bangor, Maine, to Mae B. and Edwin E. Sawyer, both native New Englanders. She attended Sonora schools and graduated from the University of Texas in 1937.

On Sept. 20, 1940, Alice married Cleveland T. Jones Jr. They ranched on their Headquarters Ranch, 12 miles northeast of Sonora and a six mile ranch south of town, until Cleve's death in 1952. Alice then moved into Sonora and operated the ranches

herself with assistance in later years from her son and son-in-law.

She continually attempted to conserve the land and worked side by side with her bitterweed crews for many years. Alice was a devoted member of First United Methodist Church and the United Methodist Women. She taught Sunday school and served on the church administrative board.

She was an active 4-H leader and received the Outstanding 4-H Adult Leader award in 1957. She was a member of the Sonora School Board from 1959 to 1964. In 1987, she was chosen as the Sonora Chamber of Commerce Female Citizen of the Year.

She was also a member of the Sonora Woman's Club, the TSGRA, the TSCRA and the American Cancer Society.

Alice delighted in working in her yard, cooking for her family, spending summers in Maine, and attending events in which her grandchildren were involved.

Family members include one daughter and son-in-law, Claire and Mickey Powers; a son and daughter-in-law, Cleve T. and Lolabeth Jones; grandchildren, Rick Powers and his wife Melinda, Rebecca Powers, Cleve Jones IV, Julie Jones and John Jones; a brother, Wesley Sawyer; and a sister-in-law, Lura Sawyer, all of Sonora, and four nieces and two nephews.

A brother, Edwin Sawyer and a sister-in-law, Harva Cooper, preceded her in death.

Memorials may be made to the First United Methodist Church of Sonora, the Sutton County 4-H Club or to a favorite charity.

### George D. Chalk

George D. "Sally" Chalk, 85, died Thursday, July 25, 1991 at Angelo Community Hospital in Sonora.

Graveside services were held Friday, July 26 in Sonora Cemetery, directed by Kerbow Funeral Home.

He was born Oct. 2, 1905, in Sonora. He retired from Carl J. Cahill Construction Co. and was a Methodist. He was a former member of the Sonora Independent School District and a member of the Downtown Lions Club and was a former Boy Scout leader.

Survivors include three sons, Luther Chalk of Sonora, Russ Chalk of Georgia and Philip Chalk of California; four daughters, Lila Cook of Sonora, Inez Baldwin of Houston, Kay Chalk of California and Barbara Griffin of Indiana; a brother, Jessie Ray Chalk of Del Rio; 22 grandchildren; and 14 great-grandchildren.

## San Angelo goat roping to be held this weekend

The Texas Goat Roping Association and Miller Lite are happy to announce that they are bringing the World Championship Goat Roping back to San Angelo. This Championship is an event for everyone from Pros to Junior ropers and will benefit the West Texas Rehabilitation Center. World Champions will be crowned in three divisions, Open, Junior and Senior divisions.

In the Miller Lite Open division we will add \$5,000, give away a custom-made Donahoe saddle and a Gist belt buckle to the champion, along with a belt buckle given to the reserve champion.

In the Junior division, there will be \$1,000 added money and a buckle given to the champion. The Junior World Championship is sponsored by Mustang Chevrolet and White & Zesch Insurance of San Angelo. This will be for kids age 15 years and under as of August 31, 1990.

The Senior division is sponsored by ADM Feeds of Sweetwater, Texas. There will be \$500 added and a buckle given to the champion. The participants in this field will be 50 years of age and over and will feature several ropers around 70 years of age.

There will also be three entertaining feature events which are a Celebrity Goat Milking Contest, a Kids 12 & under Goat Scramble, and a Friday night Match Roping between Smitty Smith of Lubbock, the reigning World Champion and Jeff Waldrop a two time former World's Champion. There will also be a Novice, Amateur and 40 & Over Goat Roping jackpot, and a Jr. Girls and Womens Open Goat Tying. The Women's Professional Rodeo Association approved goat tying will have \$500 added money and a buckle given to the champion.

### Eldorado tourney

There will be a tennis tournament in Eldorado on August 17 and 18. Divisions include Boys & Girls Singles-11, 13, 15 & Open; Boys & Girls Doubles 12, 15 & Open; and Mixed Doubles 14 & under & Open. Entry fee is \$8 per person/per event. Trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and consolation.

Single & Double matches played on Saturday, August 17 and Mixed Double Matches played on Sunday, August 18.

To enter or for more information call Peggy Williams 853-3377 or Angie Bounds 853-3252.

All events will be held in the Fairgrounds Arena in San Angelo, August 2nd and 3rd. Slack or preliminary rounds will begin at 8 a. m. both mornings and the night performances begin at 7:45 p. m. with champions being crowned after the conclusion of each event.

Tickets for the night performances are \$7 for box seats, \$4 general admission in advance and \$5 general admission at the gate. Kids 12 and under will get in free. Charge for the morning slack is \$1. All tickets are available at the West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

We encourage and ask everyone's support and hope to see you there. Remember proceeds from the weekends events benefit West Texas Rehabilitation Center.

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## CHURCH GUIDE

<b>The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian</b> Worship Service-11:00 am Church School-9:45 am Communion first Sunday of each month Lewis Allen, Pastor	<b>Sonora Tabernacle United Pentecostal</b> Rev. Kenneth Doyle, Pastor Sunday School, etc. -10:00 am Prayer Meeting-6:30 pm Evening Worship-7:00 pm Prayer Meeting-6:00 pm Wednesday Service-7:00 pm	<b>Jehovah's Witness</b> 310 St. Ann's / 387-2679 or 7-3947 Spanish Meeting Public Talk-1 Sunday Watchtower Study -1:55 Sunday Theocratic Ministry-7:30 pm Tues. Service Meeting -8:15 Tuesday Bible Study-7:30 Thursday
<b>New Life Assembly of God</b> 306 N. 4th Street Sun. Worship 10:30 am Sun. evening worship 6:00 pm Weds. Study 7:00 pm Daniel Timmerman, Pastor	<b>Jehovah's Witness</b> 310 St. Ann's / 387-2679 or 7-3947 English Meeting Public Talk-10 am Sun. Watchtower Study-11:55 Sunday Theocratic School-7:30 pm Wed. Service Meeting-8:15 Wednesday Bible Study-7:30 Monday	<b>Hope Lutheran Church</b> Sunday School-10 am Worship Service-11 am Wednesday Adult Bible Class-8 pm Charles Huffman, Pastor
<b>Primera Iglesia Bautista</b> Sunday School-9:45 am Worship Service-11:00 am Training Union-5:00 pm Evening Service-6:00 pm Wednesday Service 7:00 pm W.M.U.-Sunday-2:00 pm Between Santa Clara & Chestnut	<b>New Hope Baptist Mission</b> 511 Cornell Sun. morning bible Study-10 am Sun. morning Worship-11 am Sun. evening Worship-7 pm Weds. Childrens Bible Study-7 pm Dana Floyd-Pastor	<b>St. Ann's Catholic Church</b> Rev. William DuBuisson, O.M.I. Saturday Night Mass-7 pm English Sunday Mass 8 am Spanish 11 am English Holy Day Mass-7 pm
<b>Church of Christ</b> Minister-Don Jones Bible School-10 am Worship-11 am Sunday Night-6:30 pm Wednesday Night-7 pm	<b>St. John's Episcopal Church</b> 404 NE Poplar Holy Eucharist-Sunday 8 & 11 am Sunday School-9:45 am Holy Eucharist w/Prayers for healing, 1 & 3-Wed. 7:15 pm Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector	<b>Jerusalem Assembly of God</b> Ministry to the Bi-lingual Community Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m. Sunday Eve. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Family Night 7:00 p.m. Daily Prayer 5:30 a.m. Daniel Diaz de Leon, Pastor
<b>First Baptist Church</b> Rev. Jim Stephen Sunday School-9:45 am Morning Worship-11:00 am Church Training-6:00 pm Evening Worship-7:00 pm Wednesday Service-7:00 pm	<b>First United Methodist Church</b> R. Clay Hall Sunday School-9:45 am Worship-10:55 am KHOS 92.1 FM-11 am Chancel Choir Wednesday-7:30 pm	<b>Visit the Church of your choice this Sunday!!!</b>

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## Local 4-H'ers compete at district fashion show

SAN ANTONIO - Local 4-H'ers competed in the district fashion show held here recently.

In the 4-H clothing program, participants study wardrobe planning and coordinating, fashion, textiles, buying and garment construction -- along with grooming, poise and the social/psychological aspects of clothing.

Each of the contestants in the district event won their division in their county fashion show.

In the junior category of the district competition Shawna Faris and Lora Hale placed first.

First place winners in the pre-junior category included Johnna Wade.

Results are as follows: Construction, non-tailored daywear-3. Julie Jones. Construction, evening wear-2. April Spiller. Pants/shorts/culottes/skirts-3. Sarah Marrs. Sleepwear-4. Cara Jackson. School Dress-1. Shawna Faris. Dressy attire-2. (tie) Heather Floyd and Heather Calk. Kendall County. Coordinates-1. Lora Hale. Shirts/tops/outerwear-1. Johnna Wade. Sleepwear-2. Cassie Jackson. School dress-5. Becky Whitaker.

## Julie Jones awarded scholarship

Julie Christine Jones of Sonora, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones and a graduate of Sonora High School, has been awarded an academic scholarship from Austin College for the 1991-92 academic year.

Austin College awards a number of endowed scholarships each year based on outstanding academic achievement and scholarly motivation, as well as involvement in school and community activities. More than 200 competitive scholarships were

awarded to meritorious students on a non-discriminatory basis.

Austin College, a 142-year old liberal arts college related by covenant to the Presbyterian Church (USA), is located 60 miles north of Dallas. The college is listed in many selective college guides, including PETERSON'S COMPETITIVE COLLEGES, FISKE'S SELECTIVE GUIDE TO COLLEGES, and THE BARRON'S 300: BEST BUYS IN COLLEGE EDUCATION.

## SHS teacher receives award

Lee Bloodworth, Agriculture Science and Technology Teacher at Sonora High School, will receive the Area II award for teachers who work with radio from the Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas at their Annual Meeting, July 31, 1991 in Amarillo.

This award is presented to the teachers who best utilized radio

broadcasting in publicizing the Agricultural Science and FFA Programs. The award will be presented by Bruce Smith, Dumas, President of the Association.

The Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association of Texas represents Agricultural Science and Technology teachers throughout Texas and has over 1,200 members.

## "Lone Star State" coming to plates

The eyes of Texas may think they're seeing things beginning next spring. But deep in the hearts of Texans, they'll know it's true.

That really will be "The Lone Star State" written across the bottom of Texas license plates on passenger cars.

"Texans have made their pride plain, to the point of making it the object of legislation," said Arnold Oliver, engineer-director of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation. "We obviously have a lot to be proud of, and our newest license plate, with its flag and 'The Lone Star State', couldn't trumpet that any more loudly."

The State Highway and Public Transportation Commission approved the new design in its July meeting. The new tags will begin appearing when all the

current plates are issued, probably by early spring, said Lawrence Smith of the Division of Motor Vehicles.

Two years ago, the slogan surfaced as an alternative to using the proposed label "The Friendship State," rejected by the commission after Texans said they didn't like the idea. ("Friendship" is the state's official motto.) The commission opted not to mess with Texas plates except to add the Texas flag on the upper left.

This spring, the Texas Legislature passed a resolution suggesting the department consider adding "The Lone Star State" to the redesigned plates.

"Though the resolution conveyed a suggestion, we agreed it was time to put Texas' unofficial but best-loved label on the plates," Oliver said.

## Football players need physicals

Football season is just around the corner and there are some important dates that all high school football players need to be aware of. Shoes will be issued to all high school players on Wednesday, August 7. Seniors and juniors at 5 p. m. and freshmen and sophomores at 5:30. Two-a-day workouts will begin on Monday, August 12.

All players entering the 7th and 9th grades must get a physical. Sonora ISD will pay for all 9th grade physicals. All 9th grade students should make an appointment at Dr. Pajestka's office to get their physical. All 7th graders may get their physical

from Dr. Pajestka for \$15 or choose their own doctor. It is important that the proper physical form is used for the examination. Physical forms may be picked up at the fieldhouse, administration building or Dr. Pajestka's office.

Each athlete entering the 7th or 9th grade needs to make arrangements for their physical as soon as possible to avoid logjam at the doctor's office as the season nears. If there are any questions concerning the upcoming season call Bob Bellard at 387-2839 or 387-3632.

Have a great summer and get ready for another great year of Bronco football.

## Junior High schedules registration

Registration for Sonora Junior High School students is scheduled as follows: **Sixth Grade** - Wednesday, August 14 from 9 a. m. - 11 a. m.; **Seventh Grade** - Wednesday, August 14 from 1 p. m. - 3 p. m. and **Eighth Grade** - Thursday, August 15 from 9 a. m. - 11 a. m.

Students need to bring: Home address and phone number, mother's work phone, if applicable, father's work phone, if applicable, parent's friend or relative's number in case of an emergency and elective choice--Art

6, 7 and 8; Band 6, 7 and 8; Choir 6, 7 and 8; Computer Literacy 8; Reading Improvement 6, 7 and 8; Shop 8; and Spanish 8.

New students: Items 1-5 above, and records from previous school.

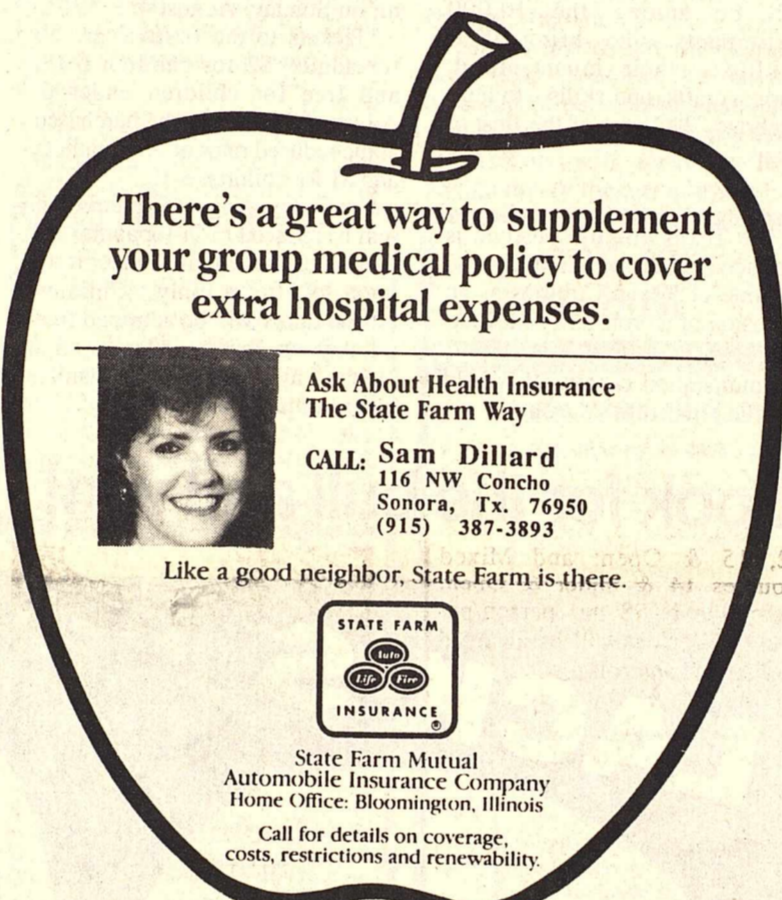
On the first day of school, Monday, August 26, students will consult a roster in the snack bar indicating their 1st period class. Students are to report to this class by 8:15 a. m.

A school supply list for each grade will appear in the local papers and will be posted on the front door of the Junior High.

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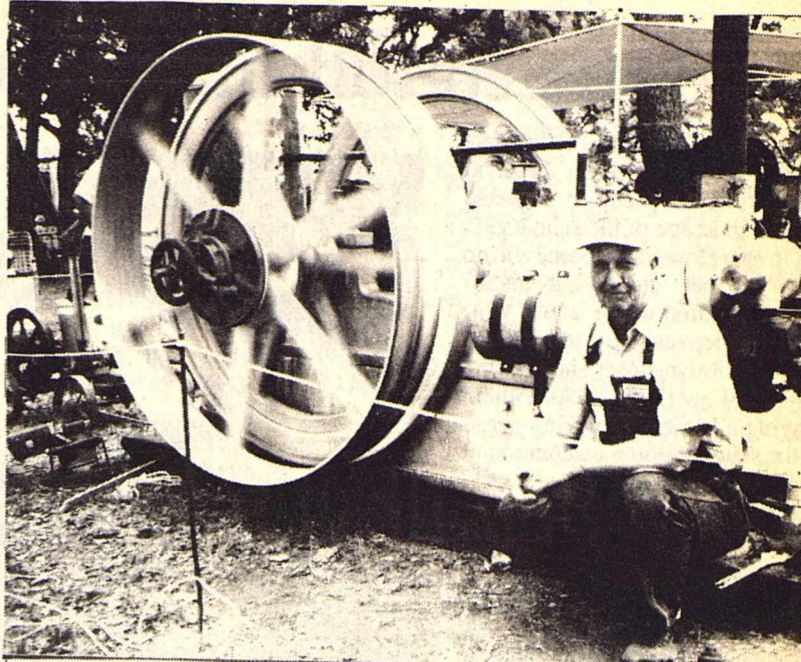
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# Real life to folklife: changing hats for Festival

SAN ANTONIO - Participants at the Texas Folklife Festival come from backgrounds as diverse as the landscape of the state itself.

It therefore may come as no surprise that when your doctor hangs up his white coat, your minister leaves the church, and your repairman closes shop for the day, you just might find them playing a banjo or plucking geese at the state's premier celebration of its rich cultural diversity.

For 20 years now, the Texas Folklife Festival has assembled the brightest jewels of ethnic expertise from around the state for this popular annual event.

This year's Festival, August 1-4, will be no exception. People will once again load up their costumes, crafts, or food and head for the Institute of Texan Cultures to exchange their real life for folklife.

The Festival has always prided itself on being a "people" event. It is not an arts and crafts show or a series of concerts; it focuses instead on the skill, talent and dedication of those who take pride in preserving the folkways of their ancestors. The fact that their regular occupations are not related at all to their folklife contributions just adds to the charm of this annual event.

On Sunday mornings in Sonora, Rev. Jim Stephens preaches from the pulpit of the First Baptist Church. For ten years, however, he has also demonstrated his craftsmanship as a muzzleloading gunsmith at the Festival. It's a skill he learned from his gunsmith father and one says was "very important in the settling of the frontier."

Verlie Wegner leaves behind her rather dignified job as Assistant Registrar for the Winedale Historical Center to enlighten Folklife visitors on the proper way to pluck a goose. How else will they know where their down comforters come from?

## Raffle tickets available for mohair blanket

Members of the Sutton County Unit American Cancer Society are selling raffle tickets for a "Mohair" blanket from Ol' Sonora Trading Co.-home of Mohair Originals. Tickets are \$1 each and the winner will have the choice of size (twin, regular, queen or king) and color (peach, blue, beige or white.)



**FOLKLIFE FESTIVAL** - Sponsored by the University of Texas Institute of Texan Cultures, the Folklife Festival is held on the Institute's grounds on HemisFair Park in San Antonio. Gunsmith James B. Stephen of Sonora demonstrates the building of muzzleloading guns to the hundreds of Festival visitors who visit his area. Other Sutton County participants are storyteller Rev. Monte Jones and first year participant Jimmy Cahill with his mohair products demonstration.

The reputation of musical saw virtuoso Robert Froehner has spread far beyond his home town of Grand Prairie; he was certainly a favorite at last year's Festival. During a working day, however, Dr. Froehner can be found tending to the medical needs of his patients.

Emcee Jim Atherton from Corpus Christi is an electrical construction manager; Bob Sitton, executive director of the Alumni Association for Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, handcarves wooden decoys; and retired aeronautical engineer Don Hiltz and his wife Joy from Arlington demonstrate the art of cookie decorating the old-fashioned German way.

Regardless of their occupations, however, Folklife participants cherish their heritage and enjoy sharing it with visitors each year. And when they leave their real life behind again this August, they will be among the 10,000 participants who bring their folklife - their music, food, stories, crafts, and skills - to help celebrate "20 Years of the Best of Texas."

The Texas Folklife Festival is produced and presented by the Institute of Texan Cultures as an extension of its role as a statewide research, education, and communication center. It is held on the Institute's grounds on

HemisFair Park in downtown San Antonio.

Festival hours are 5 to 11 p. m. on Thursday, August 1; noon to 11 p. m. on Friday and Saturday, August 2 and 3; and noon to 10 p. m. on Sunday, August 4.

Tickets to the Festival are \$6 for adults, \$2 for children 6-12, and free for children under 6. Advance tickets may be purchased at the reduced rates of \$5 for adults and \$1 for children 6-12.

On Friday, August 2, admission will be reduced to \$1 for adults and free for children 12 and under from noon to 1 p. m. only. Children 12 and under will be admitted free all day on Sunday, August 5 - "Kids' Day" - when accompanied by an adult.

## Fifty-three participate in scramble

Fifty-three golfers played in the Thursday scramble on July 25. The top two teams both shot a 6 under with the team of Edward San Miguel, Harold Downs, Richard Gonzales, Harvey DuRussell, Mike Holley, and Tommy Holley winning the putt-off to take first place. Second place winners were Steve Tackel, Brad Brevard, Charlie Oren, Freddie Garza and Clyde Dukes.

There was also a tie for third place between two teams with 5 under. Primo Gonzalez sank his putt in the putt-off to win it for his teammates Todd Churchill, Ed Price, Harold Martinez, Benita Martinez and Jim Stephens. The other team at 5 under was Ray Roe, Oliver Wuest, John D. Casparis, Steve Short and Buddy Brown.

Other teams and their scores were as follows:

Joe Ramirez, Virgil Burge, Joe Casillas, Don Deel and Stan Smith at 4 under.

Jason Donaldson, Elaine Donaldson, Randy Sparks, Mike Moore and Lester Rainer at 4 under.

Erasmus Lumbreras, Mike McBride, Juanita McBride, John Adams, and Mike Mays at 4 under.

Steve Thorp, Guy Crippin, John N. Casparis, Brian Cosby, and Dick Hall at 3 under.

Lance Leatherwood, Bunk Galbreath, Jane Archer, Bill Savell, and Manuel Munoz at 3 under.

Bob Harris, Ron Woodard, Jesse Ortiz, George Noriega, Mason Shurley and Marvin Shurley at 2 under.

## Night golf scramble held July 19

The Sonora Golf Club held an 18 hole scramble on July 19, with 9 holes played in the afternoon and 9 holes played after dark, with a delicious fajita supper being served before the night play began. Special glow balls are used for night play, and glow sticks are placed on the pins on the greens so players can determine pin placements. The glow-in-the-dark balls don't go as far as a normal golf ball, so scores were higher than in the usual 18 hole scrambles.

At the end of play, there were two teams at 9 under. The team of Matt Davis, Kathy Davis, Phil Browning, Pam Browning, and Ed Price won the putt-off when Matt sank his putt to take first place. The other team at 9 under, and second place winners, was Erasmo Lumbreras, Allan Prather, Patti Prather, Jane Archer and Pete Maldonado.

All alone in third place was the team of Virgil Burge, Mike Percifull, Marla Percifull, Danny Weant, Martha Weant, and John N. Casparis with a 7 under.

There was a five way tie for fourth place at 6 under, with the team of Jason Donaldson, Alex Blocker, Melissa O'Harrow, Jerry Northcott, Kevin Snyder, and



Jimmy Crowder winning the putt-off. Other teams and their scores were:

Primo Gonzales, Preston Joy, Dingo Ortiz, Benita Martinez, and Harold Martinez at 6 under.

Devoe Smith, Melanie Smith, Orlando DeHoyos, John Barker and Venetta Smith at 6 under.

Steve Thorp, Richard Gonzales, Elizabeth Ortiz, Albert Fowler, Mike Krieg, and Mike Dillard at 6 under.

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ASSETS		Thousand of \$\$\$
Cash and balances due from depository institutions:		
Noninterest bearing balances and currency and coin-----	232	
Securities-----	8,728	
Federal Funds Sold-----	350	
Loans and Lease financing receivables:		
Loans and Leases, net of unearned income-----	4,152	
LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses-----	88	
Loans & Leases, net of unearned income, allowance and reserve-	4,064	
Premises and fixed assets-----	844	
Other Real Estate owned-----	26	
Other assets-----	278	
<b>Total Assets-----</b>	<b>14,522</b>	
LIABILITIES		
Deposits:		
In Domestic offices-----	12,851	
NonInterest Bearing-----	1,593	
Interest Bearing-----	11,258	
Other Liabilities-----	271	
<b>Total Liabilities-----</b>	<b>13,122</b>	
EQUITY CAPITAL		
Common Stock-----	750	
Surplus-----	750	
Undivided profits and capital reserves-----	(100)	
<b>Total equity capital-----</b>	<b>1,400</b>	
<b>Total liability and equity capital-----</b>	<b>14,522</b>	

I, Ray Smith, Vice President and Cashier, of the above named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Ray Smith - July 17, 1991  
Vice Pres./Cashier

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this statement of resources and liabilities. We declare that it has been examined by us, and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.

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