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## Briefly

### Eisenhut Retirement Party

Sonora's Postmaster, Norman Eisenhut, has retired. The community is welcome to come by the post office Tuesday, March 11 to celebrate this event. Norman and his wife Jan, will be there from 5:30 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. to thank you for your support during his time as postmaster.

As "Ike" leaves the working world for retirement, all we can say is "Watch out golf courses across the nation!"

### Sonora Lions Broom Sale

Tuesday, March 11, at the Post Office and City Hall

### Hepatitis B Vaccine Available

The Texas Dept of Health is offering the 3-series Hepatitis B vaccine for all 11 and 12 year olds. This vaccine is not currently mandated for school but it is highly recommended for this age group. Clinics will be held March 12 from 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and March 18 from 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. For more information call 387-2234.

### 4-H Meeting

Monday, March 10 at the 4-H Center at 7:00 p.m.

### Water District Election Filing

Deadline Set For March 19  
The Sutton County Underground Water Conservation District will have an election on May 3, 1997, to elect a director for Precincts 1, 3, & 4.

Those wishing to file for a position on the ballot may do so at the Water District office in the Mercantile Building, 222 NE Main, Suite 101. The filing deadline for a Wednesday, March 19, 1997.

### Lenten Luncheons

Lenten Luncheons, sponsored by the Sonora Ministerial Alliance, are held each Wednesday at noon through Holy Week at the Parish Hall of St. John's Episcopal Church.

### Attention 1987 Grads

Our 10 year reunion is upon us. If you have not been contacted, please write or call Shaunamarie Sims, PO Box 1204, Cloudcroft, NM 88317, 505-687-3197, or Kate Jennings at 915-387-5504.

### Library Story Time

Every Wednesday of the week from 10:00-10:45 a.m. at the Sutton County Public Library, 306 E Mulberry. Ages 3 - preschool. For more information call 387-2111.

### L.M. Hudspeth Hospital & Nursing Home Auxiliary

Meeting will be the second Monday of each month at 3:00 in the basement of FUMC. Any interested persons are invited to attend.

## Community Easter Egg Hunt

The Sonora Merchants Association is hosting a Community Easter Egg Hunt scheduled for Saturday, March 22, 1997, on the Courthouse Lawn. The action will begin promptly at 10:00 a.m. and area children will have the opportunity to find eggs and search for the special "Golden Egg."

Two areas will be designated, one for pre-school children ages two-four; the other for those children in the kindergarten to third grade range.

According to co-Chair Vallree Draper for Bright Spot Fashions, "Special arrangements have been made with a special bunny to stage an early appearance on the 22nd. Bob (manager of T&C Convenience Stores) and I have worked hard to plan a special morning for the children of Sonora."

Merchant Association President Fran Pennington encourages everyone to mark their calendar and join association members on Saturday, March 22nd.



## Abundez Begins Duties At Sonora High School

Superintendent, Ernesto Martinez, and new high school principal, Paul Abundez, greet citizens at a reception held for Mr. Abundez.

Recently hired high school principal, Paul Abundez, started his new position at Sonora High School Tuesday, March 11. At a reception held in his honor, he stated he is excited about the new position, "I look forward to working with the district and community."

Abundez is a graduate of Big Spring High School. He received an associates degree from Howard College and bachelors from Angelo State University. He began his teaching career in Pecos teaching 7th grade history and coaching.

Abundez coached and taught in Hart for seven years and was assistant principal for three. He then moved to Presidio where he was high school principal for three and one half years.

He and his wife, Bonnie have four children. Tisha, 17, is a junior that will graduate early, Norma Jean, 12, is in sixth grade, Jon Paul, 10, is in the fourth grade, and Emanuel, 6, is in kindergarten. Their children will finish the year in Presidio and move to Sonora in June.

## SISD Accepts Resignations

The SISD Board of Trustees met in special session, Monday, Athletic Director and Head Football Coach, Bob Bellard. Coach Bellard recently accepted the head coach and athletic director position in Magnolia, Texas, a Class 4A school.

Bellard stated to a San Angelo Standard Times reporter, he was proud of what he accomplished in

the seven years he directed Sonora Athletics. "I've spent seven years worked with a lot of tremendous kids. It will be very difficult to leave those relationships behind," said Bellard.

The board also accepted the resignation of one year Band Director, Fred Adkins.

## Frontier Living History Day

Fort McKavett State Historical Park will come alive on March 15, 1997, as Living History groups from across the state will portray life at the fort in the 1870's. Several groups will march into the fort on Friday, March 14, down parts of Treadwell Lane, Ranch to Market Road 2873, and Toe Nail Trail.

On Saturday, there will be Cavalry and infantry drills, wagon displays and rides, weapons and uniform demonstration, and firing demonstrations. The Living History groups will portray Cavalry, Infantry, and Artillery soldiers, along with Engineers, Signal Service, Laundresses, Teamsters, and much more. Fort Concho's company F of the 16th Infantry, and Company D of the 4th Cavalry, wagon and mule teams, and

Artillery, also Lubbock's 4th Cavalry, Fort Griffin's Topographical Engineers, and Fort Stockton's 1st Infantry and Laundresses. We will also have Buffalo Soldiers, the Texas Camel Corps, Saddletramps, blacksmiths, Texas Rangers, soapmakers, and other Living History groups.

Fort McKavett State Historical Park consists of 15 restored buildings and several ruins. The restored buildings include the Post Hospital, Post Headquarters, Barracks, and several Officer Quarters. There is a historic trail that goes down to the lime kiln, rock quarry, and springs area.

The park will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and normal event fees apply.



Drew Dempsey (front left) became an Eagle Scout, Sunday, March 2. He shares the highest honor in boy scouting with his brother, Curt, (back left) and their father, Bill (front right). Their youngest brother, Russell (back right) is also very involved in scouting.

## Locklin Involved In Fatal Accident

Municipal Judge Maxine Locklin was fatally injured Tuesday, March 4 in a traffic accident on Interstate Highway 10 near Junction.

Locklin was declared dead at the wreck scene by Justice of the Peace Peggy Ragsdale. Highway Patrol Trooper Todd Jennings stated Locklin's car was struck from behind and knocked into a ditch, where it overturned.

An initial investigation indicated that Locklin was parked on the shoulder when her 1996 Buick was struck.

Maxine has given many years of faithful and efficient service to this community as a public official and leader of civic affairs. She has served as a member of the Committee on Aging, Child Protective Board, Eastern Star,



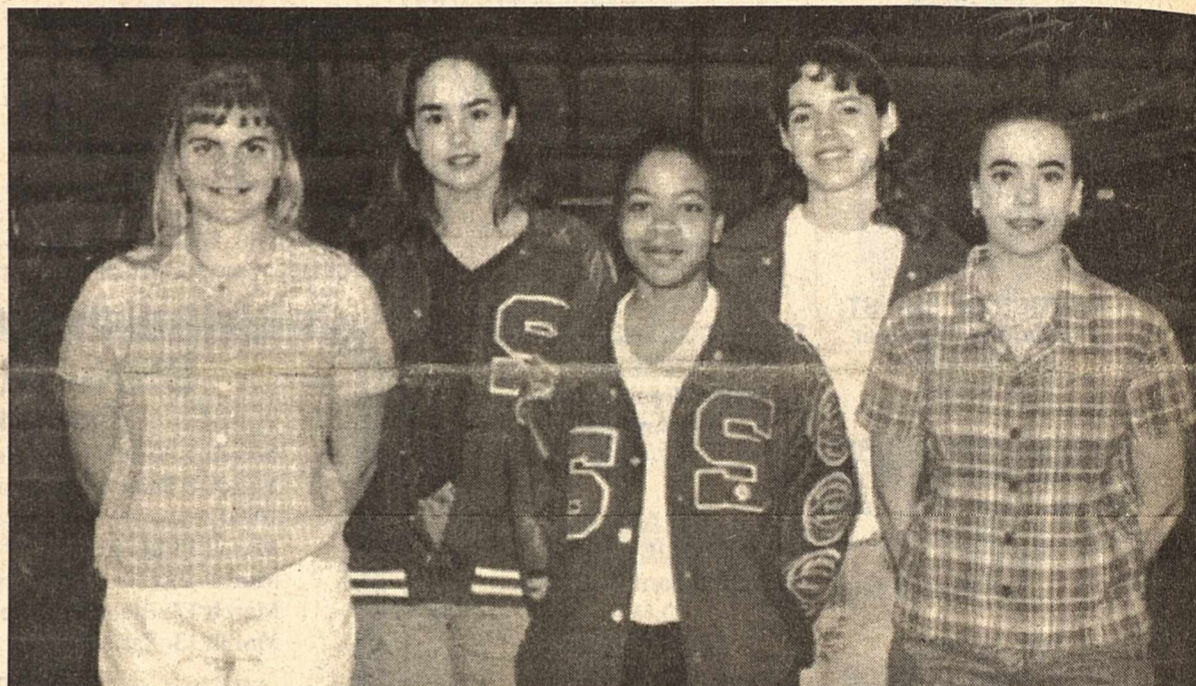
Judge Maxine Locklin

many committees to the Sonora School District, and other numerous organizations, giving generously of her time and efforts, unselfishly in all deliberations.

She continued on a daily basis helping any citizen in need and continually offered advice as to where someone might find help such as food, clothing, financial assistance, substance abuse, domestic counseling and shelter. No one in the community strived harder to work with the youth, as she has proved through her guidance as Municipal Judge.

Mayor Cascadden stated, "I always asked her to give the invocation before City Council meetings and she always knew just what to say, she prayed for the people conducting the meeting, those attending the meeting and for peace and harmony in our community. That was very important to her. She was devoted to her job and to serving the people of Sonora and I will miss her very much."

## Broncos & Lady Broncos Named To All-District Basketball Teams



District 4-3A Girl's Basketball All-District Team honorees are Cindy Jones - All-District Defensive Team, Erica Kerbow - Honorable Mention, Camille Marshall - All-District, Kelly Harrelson - Honorable Mention, and Pam Jones - All-District Team.

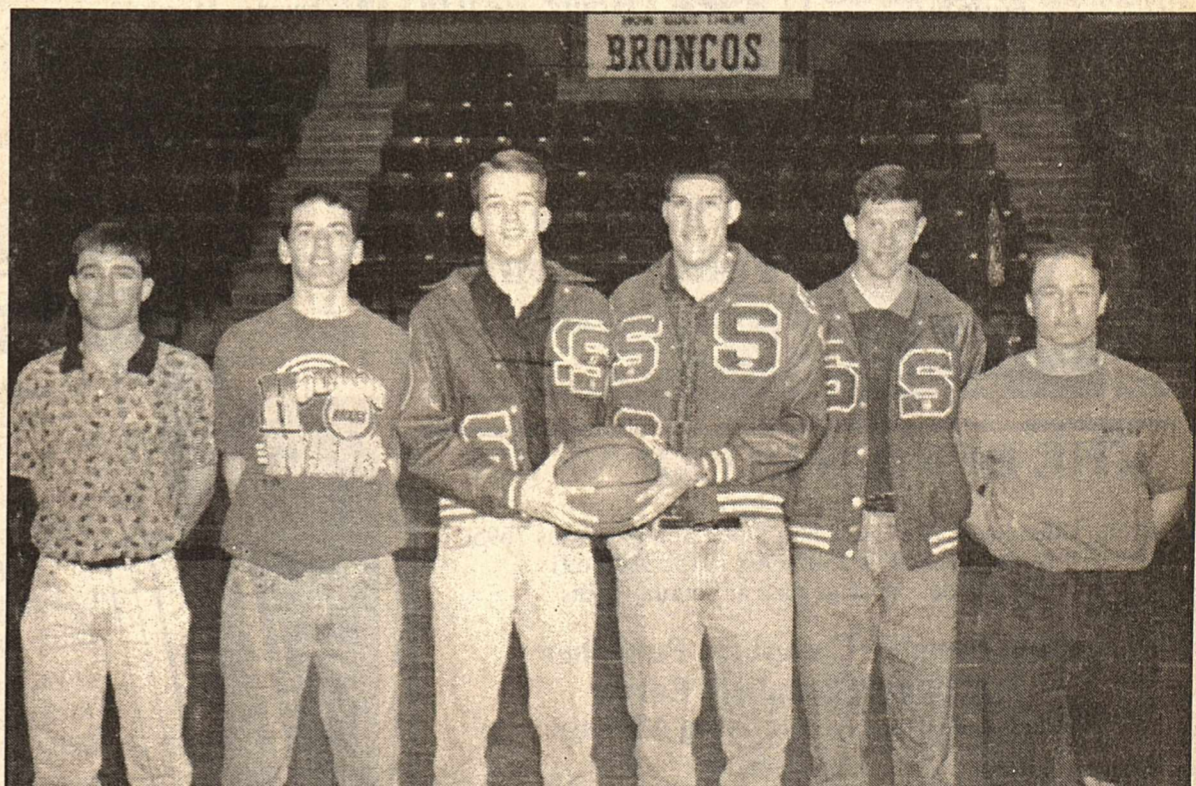
Sonora Lady Broncos that received All-District Team honors are freshman, Cindy Jones - All-District Defensive Team, senior, Erica Kerbow - Honorable Mention, junior, Camille Marshall - All-District, senior, Kelly Harrelson - Honorable Mention, and senior, Pam Jones - All-District Team.

Most Valuable Player is Bettina

Bringford from Colorado City. Co-newcomers are Kendra Anderson from Colorado City and Katherine Phillips from Reagan County. Other First Team awards went to Heather Moon of Reagan County, Cassie Henkel from Greenwood, Mica Merrell, Colorado City, Jana Redwine also of Colorado City, Brittani Flow, Reagan County,

Karen Gasch of Greenwood, Crystal Walker al of Greenwood, and Becky Cruz of Crane.

The district defensive team consists of Cara Watzl of Greenwood, Tara Pettit of Crane, Jennifer Mills of Kermit, Casi Joiner of Colorado City, Nicole Acosta of Reagan County.



District 4-3A Boy's Basketball All-District Teams honorees are Caleb Barker - All-District Team, Ty Harrelson - Most Valuable Player, J.P. Hudman - All-District Team, Kris Wood - Honorable Mention Defense, Drew Dempsey - Honorable Mention, and Justin House - All-District Defensive Team.

The Sonora Broncos men's basketball program racked up the most District 4-3A basketball awards. Sophomore Ty Harrelson was named as Most Valuable Player. All-District honors went to seniors, John Paul Hudman and Caleb Barker. Senior Justin House was named to the All-District Defensive Team and Honorable Mentions went to junior Drew Dempsey and senior Kris

Wood for defense. David Upton from Greenwood was also named MVP. Reagan County's Ray Reyes was selected Newcomer of the Year.

Other All-District honorees from the district are Neil Boecking and Andrew Wootan of Greenwood, Jamin Phipps, James Geary, and Kory Bomar of Crane, Adiel Alvarado and Mark Heredia of

Kermit, Lance Dockery of Colorado City, and T.J. Pena of Reagan County.

Brandon Hunnicut of Greenwood, Rogert Garza of Colorado City, Curtis Rogers of Crane, Clay Thorp of Reagan County, and Danny Simmonds of Kermit also received All-District Defensive Team honors.

## Dining Out Directory

- Food Center Deli 600 S. Crockett Ave.  
387-5616
- La Mexicana 240 N. Hwy. 277  
387-3401
- Pizza Hut 401 Hwy. 277 N.  
387-3540
- Rafter L Bar-B-Q 506 N. Crockett Ave.  
387-5246
- Rosie's Cafe 207 E. Glasscock Ave.  
387-5552
- Sonic Drive-In 202 Hwy. 277 N.  
387-5292
- Sutton County Steakhouse 1306 N. Service Rd.  
387-3833
- Town & Country Subway 610 S. Crockett  
387-6181
- Town & Country Deli 903 N. Crockett Ave.  
387-2169

## Sonora Church Directory

- NEW LIFE ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
James Lee, Pastor  
306 N. 4th Street  
387-2898
- PRIMERA IGLESIA BAUTISTA**  
504 Santa Clara  
387-2035
- CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Tim Dobbs, Minister  
304 W. Water  
387-3190
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Jim Stephen, Pastor  
Rev. Paul Cornelius, Assoc. Pastor  
404 NE Oak  
387-2951
- ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
Rev. J. Monte Jones, Rector  
404 NE Poplar  
387-2955
- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Ron Myers, Pastor  
201 NW Water  
387-2466
- JERUSALEM ASAMBLEA DE DIOS**  
St. Ann's Street  
387-3600
- HOPE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Charles Huffman  
417 E 2nd St.  
387-5366
- THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN**  
Lewis Allen, Pastor  
319 NE Mulberry  
387-2616
- OUTREACH CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Hwy. 277 S. Glasscock
- PENTECOSTAL CALVARY TEMPLE**  
Willie West, Pastor  
509 Amistad  
387-3236
- ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
Father William DuBuisson, O.M.I.  
229 SW Plum  
387-2278
- JEHOVAH'S WITNESS**  
310 St. Ann's Street  
387-5658 or 387-5518
- NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Don Sessom  
511 Cornell  
387-5215  
*Attend the church of your choice, this Sunday.*

**Cornerstone Home Health Agency**  
116 N Concho  
(915)387-2505 (800)593-8222

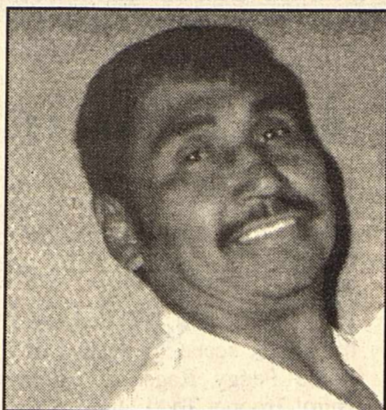
**Kerbow Funeral Home**  
387-2266

## Dear Editor,

To the Sonora Bronco Boy's Basketball Team:  
I wish to congratulate you. You played like champions! Thanks to you and your coach for the many thrills and the joy you gave us this season.  
I also want to recognize the two "players" who attended each game that I believed played as hard as you did. I know how hard they played because I listened to them often. Those two special "players" are Virgil Burge and Bruce Kerbow who broadcasted all the games over the radio. How much pleasure they gave to a granny like me who had to stay home some of the time!

Allie Askew

### Jesus R. Herrera February 15, 1940 - March 8, 1995



*I am home in Heaven, dear ones; Oh, so happy and so bright!  
There is perfect joy and beauty, In this everlasting light.  
All the pain and grief is over, Every rest-less tossing passed;*

*I am now at peace forever, Safely home in Heaven at last.  
Did you wonder I so calmly Trod the valley of the shade?  
Oh! but Jesus' love illumined Every dark and fearful glade.  
And He came Himself to meet me In that way so hard to tread;  
And with Jesus' arm to lean on, Could I have one doubt or dread?  
Then you must not grieve so sorely, For I love you dearly still;  
Try to look beyond earth's shadows, Pray to trust our Father's Will.  
There is work still waiting for you, So you must not idly stand;  
Do it now, while life remaineth-You shall rest in Jesus' land.  
When that work is all completed, He will gently call you Home;  
Oh, the rapture of that meeting, Oh, the joy to see you come!*



## Our Sympathy

### H.B. "Bill" Smith

H.B. "Bill" Smith, 83, of San Angelo died Saturday, March 1, 1997, in Shannon Medical Center.  
Service was at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 4, at Johnson's Funeral Home with Scooter McCurdy, pastor of Glen Meadows Baptist, officiating. Graveside service was at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday, March 5, in Laurel Land Cemetery in Fort Worth.  
Bill was born October 18, 1913, to Isaac and Minnie Smith in Sonora. He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. He was an independent service station operator

in Sonora and was a member of the Dee Ora Masonic Lodge for more than 50 years. H.B. has been a long-time resident of San Angelo and a member of the Baptist church.  
He is survived by his wife, Sally Ethel Smith of San Angelo; two sons, Robert Smith of Tyler and Dick Street of Sonora; one daughter, Elsbeth Shelton of Ozona; four stepchildren, Zonita Thompson of Fort Worth, Barbara Bowker of Austin, LaRoy Easter and Larry Easter, both of Granbury; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

## SENIOR CENTER

### Calendar of Events

- March 7- Visit Nursing Home
- March 8-Party for Eulojia Flores at St. Ann's Hall 3:00-10:00
- March 10-Bingo!
- March 11- C.O.A. Meeting at 5:30 p.m.
- March 12- Blood Pressure Chks. w/ Housecalls
- March 13- Easter Crafts

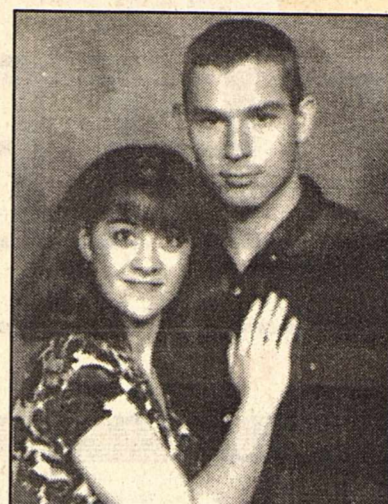
### Lunch Menu

- Thursday, March 6**  
Chicken Stir Fry, Hot Rice, Chinese Vegetable, Bread, Tossed Salad, Sugar Cookie
- Friday, March 7**  
Crabcakes, w/Tartar Sauce, Sweet Peas, Okra Gumbo, Hot Rolls, Applesauce
- Monday, March 10**  
Spanish Meatballs, Rice, Green Beans, Sliced Tomatoes, Hot Rolls, Pineapple Rings
- Tuesday, March 11**  
Beef Burrito, Pinto Beans, Spinach, Coleslaw, Jello w/Pears
- Wednesday, March 12**  
Oven Broiled Pork Chops, Noodles, Carrots, Tossed Salad, Bread, Applesauce
- Thursday, March 13**  
Meatloaf w/ Tomatoes, Blackeyed Peas, Fried Okra, Cornbread, Banana Pudding
- Friday, March 14**  
Fish Sticks, Pork & Beans, Coleslaw, Corn Bread, Peanut Butter Cake

Guest Meals are \$4.00.

Suggested donation for Senior Citizens is \$1.75.

## Engagement Announcement



Amy Fields and Adam Youngblood

Dr. and Mrs. John W. Fields announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Elizabeth Fields to Adam Olin Youngblood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Youngblood of

Boyd, Texas and Ms. Donna Youngblood of Calistoga, California.

The wedding date is set for May 9, 1997, at the Cauthorn Memorial Depot and Amphitheater. Rev. Lewis Allen of the Church of the Good Shepherd will officiate the ceremony.

The bride-elect is a 1991 graduate of Sonora High School, received a Bachelor of Science in Nursing from Texas Tech University Health Science Center and is currently employed by St. Mary's of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock.

Mr. Youngblood is a 1992 graduate of Sonora High School. He attended the United States Air Force Academy and is a candidate for May graduation from Texas Tech University. He will be commissioned into the United States Air Force May 8 of this year.

## OPEN LETTER

On September 30, the 1991 law that determines how highway funds are spent will expire. Earlier this month, I joined several Senators in introducing the Integrity Restoration Act of 1997, to continue our highway program, but also to give Texas a fair shake.

For years, Texas has been contributing far more to the federal Highway Trust Fund than it has received in return. In fact, between 1992 and 1996, Texas got back only 77 cents of each dollar that we contributed to the trust fund. By comparison, Massachusetts received \$2.49 for every dollar paid in gas taxes. That's more than just unfair. It's highway robbery.

That is why Texas and other so-called donor states--those that typically provide more money to the highway trust fund than they get back--have formed a coalition called STEP-21 (Streamlined Transportation Efficiency Program for the 21st Century). The basic objectives of STEP-21, through the enactment of our bill, are to ensure that each state receives a minimum of 95 percent of its share of payments to the trust fund, and to give

states a bigger say in how the money is spent.

In addition to promoting our fair formula proposal, I will also be working to end the diversion of gasoline tax revenues from financing infrastructure to subsidizing big government. Since its creation in 1956, the Highway Trust Fund's primary source of revenue has been the federal gasoline tax, which had been used exclusively for transportation infrastructure. Then, in 1993, President Clinton and the Congress permanently raised the gas tax by 4.3 cents per gallon and diverted the proceeds--some \$4.6 billion per year--to support other government spending.

A gas tax used to fund these other, non-highway programs is inherently unfair to Texas who often must drive long distances to work or to buy groceries, but now have to pay higher taxes just to get to the store. By directing these revenues to the highway trust fund, we will be able to assure a fairer distribution by increasing the amount of money dedicated specifically for highways.

Yours respectfully,  
Phil Gramm

## School Lunch Menu

### BREAKFAST and LUNCH

Monday, March 10	Tuesday, March 11	Wednesday, March 12
Breakfast Pizza, Juice	Tequito (Egg, Potato, Ham, Cheese), Fruit	Biscuit, Sausage w/Gravy, Juice
Chicken Nuggets, Mashed Potatoes, w/Gravy, Green Beans, Pudding Rolls	Ham-N-Cheese Sandwich, Vegetable Soup, Sliced Pears, Potato Chips	Beef Tacos, Taco Salad, Pinto Beans, Cinnamon Rolls
<b>Thursday, March 13</b> Egg, Toast w/Jelly, Fruit	<b>Friday, March 14</b> French Toast, Juice	
Hamburgers, Burger Salad, Pickles, French Fries, Apple Crisp	Fish Burger, Lettuce & Pickles, Vegetable Pasta Salad, Peaches	

All meals served with milk

## Community Calendar

**6 March**

- Saturday March 8**  
Party for Eulojia Flores at St. Ann's Hall 3:00-10:00 p.m.
- Monday, March 10**  
Little Dribblers: 5:30 p.m. Sonics (g) vs. Hot Shots & Spurs vs. Nike Chicks, 6:30 p.m. Super Sonics vs. Raiders & Bullets vs. Sonics (b)
- Tuesday, March 11**  
Retirement party for Norman "Ike" Eisenhut, 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

**March 12**

- Tuesday, March 11**  
Downtown Lion's Club broom sale- Post Office and City Hall, Little Dribblers: 5:30 p.m. Hot Shots vs. Blue Sharks & Spurs vs. Raiders, 6:30 p.m. Bulls vs. Bullets & Wolverines vs. Knights
- Wednesday, March 12**  
Lenten Luncheon Episcopal Church, 5:15 p.m. Jammers (b) vs. Bulls & Spurs vs. Jammers (g)

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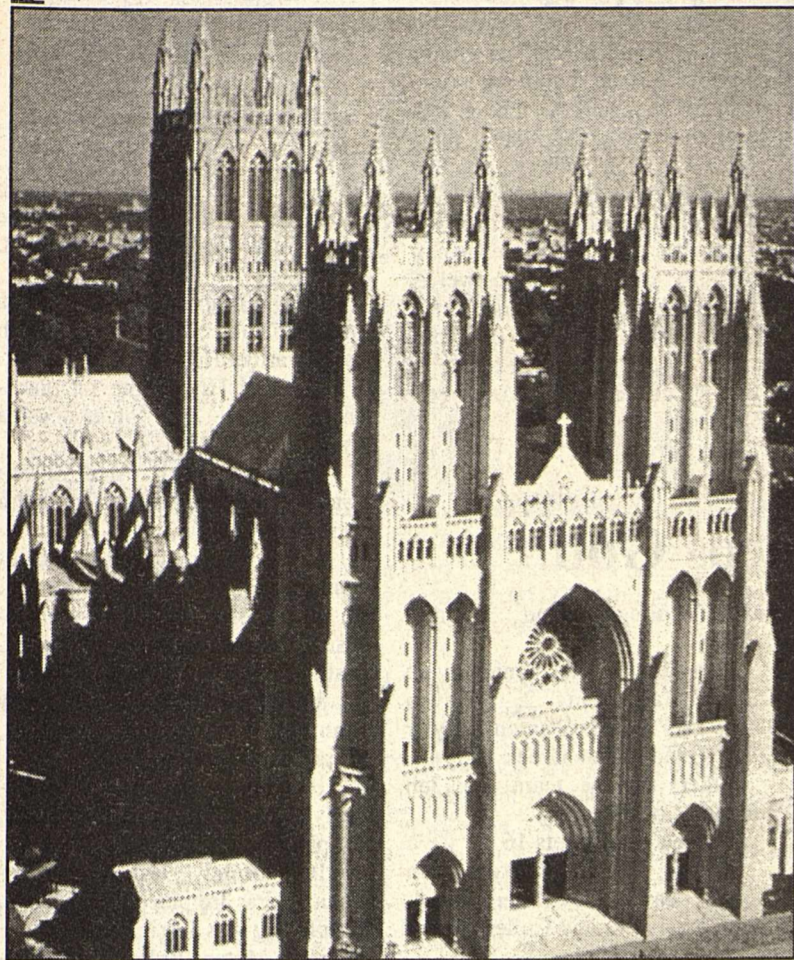
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# Ask The Historical Society



Washington National Cathedral, photo by Robert Lautman

by Jo-Ann E. Palmer

The Washington National Cathedral

The history of the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral Church of Saint Peter and Saint Paul, to use the official name of the cathedral, is most interesting. The Washington National Cathedral was constructed with the same type of materials and in the same manner as were those in Europe centuries ago.

The Washington National Cathedral is the sixth largest cathedral in the world. The central tower of the Washington Cathedral is 20 stories high, rising 676 feet above sea level, the highest point in Washington. The nave is 1/10 of a mile long. The height of the nave is one and a half times as high as the one in Westminster Abbey in London. The cathedral resembles a 14th century English Gothic cathedral. The Washington Cathedral took 83 years to construct compared the Chartres which took 250 years and Exeter Cathedral in England which took 99 years.

The earliest concept of a national cathedral in the United States was first expressed in 1791 by Pierre Charles L'Enfant, the architect of the Federal District. His idea was to have the federal government build and maintain a cathedral for the people, a practice employed in most European cities. Our forefathers believed that the idea was contrary to the Constitution since it would mix the state with religion. In later years others toyed with the idea.

But it was not until 1891, one hundred years later, that the seed germinated in an acceptable manner. Charles Carroll Glover, a local banker and leading philanthropist, invited several influential residents to his home in Washington to discuss the feasibility of erecting a national cathedral with private funds.

As a result of this meeting and after careful planning and spade work of many others, Congress chartered in 1893 the Protestant

Episcopal Cathedral Foundation "to establish within the District of Columbia a cathedral and institution of learning for the promotion of religion and education and charity."

The act of Congress was signed by President Benjamin Harrison, and since that time, until September 29, 1990, every President of the United States has had some dealings with the building program.

Although the Protestant Episcopal Cathedral Foundation operates three outstanding schools and two colleges, its principal purpose was to solicit funds and to build and maintain a cathedral. Throughout its operations no funds were requested or received from any government or from the national Episcopal church. Every effort has been made to avoid any governmental involvement and to dedicate the cathedral primarily to ecumenical and non-sectarian uses.

A purchase of 57 acres of land on Mount Saint Alban, the highest ground in the city, was made. George Frederick Bodley, an English architect was engaged to prepare drawings and plans. The cornerstone was laid by President Theodore Roosevelt, a Master Mason, on September 29, 1907, using for this purpose the gavel employed by President Washington to lay the cornerstone of the U.S. Capitol in September 1793. The gavel is owned by Potomac Lodge No. 5, District of Columbia. Contained within the cornerstone are several small stones taken from the fields of Jerusalem.

It was determined that the cathedral would be built in the manner employed by stone masons who contracted the medieval cathedrals. It is interesting to note that the stones for the high altar were taken from King Solomon's quarry outside of Jerusalem, the same quarry used by the king to obtain the stone needed to build his famous temple described in the Bible.

During the 83 years of building, five successive architects or archi-

tectural firms were employed to complete the building: George Frederick Bodley of England, Henry Vaughan of Boston, Philip Hubert Froham of Boston (50 years starting in 1919), Howard B. Trevillian, Jr., of Boston, and Smith, Segreti, Tepper of Washington D.C.

It was thought it would take 100 years to complete the cathedral mainly because of the amount of money that had to be raised. In 1969 President Eisenhower requested and obtained permission for his funeral to be held in the cathedral. The services were televised all over the world and brought international fame to the structure. Thereafter, not only were famous individuals granted permission to hold funeral services there, but his event caused the flow of contributions to increase.

In July of 1976, a service was held in the Washington National Cathedral which President Gerald Ford and Queen Elizabeth II attended. Later that year the Archbishop of Canterbury officiated at a service. Between 1976 and 1990, the Cathedral was pushed to completion. On September 29, 1990, 83 years to the day after President Roosevelt laid the cornerstone,

President George Bush dedicated the cathedral while the last finial was put in place on a pinnacle of the southwest tower.

The statue of George Washington that stands in the southwest alcove of the cathedral was donated by the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States in 1947. Around the statue are the words: "First Citizen, Churchman, President, Statesman, Farmer, Soldier, Patriot, Freemason." Many parts of the cathedral were donated by Masonic groups. This is a must on places to see when traveling to Washington, D.C.

I would like to thank the Northern Light A Window for Freemasonry and the Scottish Rite Bulletin for the Valley of Washington D.C. for allowing me to use material from their publications in this article, especially Ill. Charles Iverson, 33' Sovereign Grand Inspector General in the District of Columbia for the Supreme Council, Southern Jurisdiction. "The Washington National Cathedral, like freemasonry, is dedicated to God, is ecumenical and is intended to elevate mankind."



## CARD OF THANKS

We extend our thanks and gratitude to Dr. Charles Pajestka, Dr. Alvin Gutierrez, the staff of the Lillian Nursing Home, the staff of the Hudspeth Lillian Memorial Hospital, and the staff of the Sutton County Emergency Medical Service.

We appreciate your service and loving care that you gave our mother.

The gifts that we may give, the deeds that we may do most truly honor Christ when self is given too.

We thank all the people that were there for us in our time of sorrow, for the lovely flowers, the food, and for visiting in the funeral home.

Our thanks to the people that helped us in some way with the funeral arrangements, to the people

that served in the church, the altar servers, the ushers, and the choir.

We thank you the St. Ann's Church committee for the dinner that was served after the funeral.

Thanks to the people that provided and donated food for the dinner and to the people that attended and prayed the rosary.

We also thank the staff of Kerbow Funeral Home for their fine service.

May God bless you.  
The family of Carolina Chavez, Lupe Chavez, Francisco Andrada, Elvira Garcia, Connie Maskill, and Espy Sanchez.

*Hold your parents tenderly for the world will seem a strange and lonely place when they are gone.* --Emily Dickinson

The family of Mage Duran would like to express our thanks to everyone who helped make the benefit lunch and those who came out to join us. Thank you for your prayers, visits, cards, and donations.

The Duran Family

Though we are still saddened by the death of our father, we would like to express our gratitude to the many caring people that kept us in their thoughts by prayers. Thank you for the great food sent to our homes and the church; thank you

for the many cards and the beautiful flowers and plants. Also, thank you for the comforting company of our friends and family during these past days.

Sincerely,  
Rita Trevino and Children

A nombre de la Familia de Fernando Trevino, que en paz deseamos. Queremos expresar las mas sinceras Gracias a Familianes, amigos y demas personas.

Por sus Oraciones, Ofrendos, Florales, la comida y principalmente por su tiempo que tomaron para estar con nosotros en los momentos de Dolor. Gracias una vez mas los recordaremos siempre con amor, y que Dios los Bendiga.

Atentamente  
Rita Trevino y Familia

Dear Friends,

We would like to pass our sincere thanks on to everyone for your prayers, calls, balloons, etc. during Laramie's recent accident. He is home and back to school with very restricted activities. He will be fully recovered in 3 months. Let us also encourage all parents to make sure your children have helmets for bicycling and roller-blading (and make sure they wear them!). It's not a very good feeling when your child does not open his eyes for more than

a minute at a time during a 24 hour period due to a 8-9 inch crack of the skull and a bruise to the brain.

Sincerely and God Bless You All,  
Callaway, Ronda, Stetson, and Laramie

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## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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Frances Lopez  
Felicia Sentena  
Elida Noriega

8th  
Rosalda Chavez  
Danielle Dobbs  
Irene Dominguez  
Lupita Mireles  
Juanita Sanchez

9th  
David Weiss  
Teresa Brown  
Francis Mendez

10th  
Lozaro Dominguez  
Lonnie Fox  
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Kenny Martin  
Alex Rodriguez  
Haley Thompson

11th  
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Word Hudson  
Alicia Saenz  
Nelda Tobias

12th  
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Dora Gonzales  
Isabel Hernandez  
Eve Martin  
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Amy Fields, bride elect of Adam Youngblood  
Tammy Fisher, bride elect of Stephen Jung

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**Chicken Cordon Bleu Sandwich**

1/4 cup nonfat Mayonnaise  
1 teaspoon mustard  
4 rolls, cut in half, toasted  
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Directions:  
• Prepare chicken as directed.  
• Combine mayonnaise and mustard; spread on rolls.  
• Place cheese on chicken and melt in oven.  
• Assemble ham, chicken and cheese on rolls.  
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This column will appear each week as a courtesy to our customers. We hope you enjoy the recipes, Town & Country Food Center & The Devil's River News.

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## SMS 7th & 8th Grade Band Receive Excellent Ratings At Contest

On Saturday, March 1, 1997, the Sonora Middle School 7th and 8th grade Colt Band traveled to Ballinger to participate in the Ballinger Bearcub Band Festival.

The SMS Band performed three concert pieces which were, *New South Wales March*, composed by John Edmondson, *Sea Song Trilogy*, by Anne McGinty, and *Glen Canyon Overture*, by John

Edmondson. The Colt Band performed their concert on the Ballinger High School stage at noon. Bands performing at the festival are rated on a five step rating system: Superior, Excellent, Good, Fair, and Poor. The SMS Band received a rating of "Excellent" on their performance.

Sonora Middle School Band Director, Melynda Conlon, stated

that she is very proud of her students and their performance on Saturday, as well as, every performance they have this school year. She also would like to express her appreciation to the parents who went on the trip as a sponsor and to all the parents who came to Ballinger to hear the Band perform on Saturday.

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## Bronco Boys Golf

On Friday, Feb. 28, the Sonora High School boys golf team participated in the Big Lake Invitational. The Bronco golf team placed 7th in the tournament. The Sonora team was led by senior Caleb Barker with a score of 82 and freshman Jason West with a score of 85. Others participating for the Broncos were Jody Boggs, Tommy Gutierrez, and Zac Kerbow. Standings in the tournament were:

Colorado City (326), Ozona (331), Alpine (339), Crane (345), Rocksprings (345), Reagan County (352), Sonora (359), Iraan (376), Greenwood (378), Reagan County B (406), and Iraan County (411).

Next action for the boys golf team will be on Friday, March 7th, when they travel to San Saba.

## Starting Off On The Right "Track"

by Kellie Downing

It is the end of February, a successful season of basketball has now come to an end, and track season is about to begin. For most it already has, considering the weeks of conditioning that are necessary before preparing for the first meet. Beginning on Feb. 10th, the Lady Broncos track team has been focusing on getting in shape and striving to have things ready for the Eldorado meet on March 8th. From issuing shoes to timing runs, this year's team has been working

together to improve as a whole. Practices consist of running a cross-country for warm-up, stretching, and running that day's assignment. With the help of Coach Jennings, the 8th grade girls' coach, the team is able to work in groups and concentrate on their specific events. The team has grown this year by about twelve girls, making the total around thirty, and Coach Marshall is looking forward to a great season. Come support your Lady Broncos, March 8th in Eldorado!

## Lady Broncos Golf

The Sonora girls golf team placed second at the Alpine Invitational Golf Tournament. Led by Farrah Virgen and Johnna Adams with scores of 88, the Bronco golf team shot a 386 total. This was 13 strokes behind the first team as Alpine shot 373 to capture the tournament crown. Other teams participating in the tournament were Ft. Stockton B team, Pecos B team, Monahan B, Sanderson, and Marfa.

Individually the Broncos placed three golfers in the top ten medalist race. Receiving awards for this honor were Farrah Virgen, Johnna Adams, and Ashley Henson. Also participating for the Broncos golf team were Kim Bustamante and Marisha Henson.

The next action for the girls golf team will be on Saturday, March 8, as they host an Invitational Golf Tournament. Teams that are scheduled to participate in the tournament are Sonora, Crane, Colorado City, Lakeview, Ozona, Brady, Mason, and Junction.

Little Dribblers  
3-4 Boys  
Bulls 20, Sonics 18  
Scoring for the Bulls were J.R. Solis 6, Trent Reiner 4, Roland Solis 4, Anthony Longoria 2, Ty Love 2, Emmanuel Gutierrez 2.

Others on the team are: Frank

David Gallegos and Boomer Galindo.

Scoring for the Sonics were Andrew Barthelemy 2, Steven Barthelemy 2, Brian Payton 2, Tyler Talley 2, and Dustin Creek 10.

Others on the team are: Jeb Hunt and Cody Shurley.

Rockets 40, Bullets 16  
Scoring for the Rockets were Rabaldo Leava 12, Will Ferguson 4, Clint Cearley 22, and Cullen Parker 2.

Others on the team are: Brandon Munn, Cameron Cox, and Michael Ashton.

Scoring for the Bullets were Jacob Adams 6, Clayton Hicks 6, and Austin Wagoner 4.

Others on the team are: Will Crittendon, Benny Frasier, Warren Wallace, and Chris Perez.

Laramie Hall will be out for the season.

3-4 Girls  
Sonics 14, Blue Sharks 20  
Scoring for the Sonics were Diedra 10 and Tissie 4.

Others on the team are: Desirae, Kaleena, Heather, Lauren, Allison, and Jillian.

Scoring for the Blue Sharks were Chelsea 8, Adriana 8, Catherine 2, and Jordan 2.

Others on the team are Taylor, Mandy, Christine, and Kathy.

## 7th Grade Girls Win Iraan Track Meet

The 7th grade girls track team placed first with 177 points in the Iraan Track Meet on Friday, Feb. 28, 1997.

Long Jump: 3rd place-Monica Lira, 4th place-Emily Luna, 6th place-Maribel Hernandez.

Running High Jump: 1st place-Amy Gann, 2nd place-Jessica Bruns, 5th place-Kasey Miller.

Triple Jump: 4th place-Monica Lira, 5th place-Amy Gann, 6th place-Kasey Miller.

3200 Meter Run: 1st place-Heather Lawson.

400 Meter Relay: 4th place-Kasey Kearney, Desiree Gonzalez, Heather Lawson, and Emily Luna.

800 Meter Dash: 1st place-Amy Gann, 2nd place-Desiree Gonzalez, 3rd place-Kasey Kearney.

100 Meter Hurdles: 3rd place-Emily Luna, 5th place-Ashley Bible, Not placing was Tori Valliant.

100 Meter Dash: 1st place-Monica Lira, 3rd place-Emily Luna, Not placing was Jessica Bruns.

800 Meter Relay: 1st place-Monica Lira, Maribel Hernandez, Kasey Miller, and Amy Gann.

400 Meter Dash: 1st place-Maribel Hernandez, 4th place-Pam Shahan, Not placing was Tori Valliant.

300 Meter Hurdles: 4th place-Ashley Bible.

200 Meter Dash: 2nd place-Jessica Bruns, 4th place-Kasey Kearney, 5th place-Desiree Gonzalez.

1600 Meter Relay: 1st place-Monica Lira, Maribel Hernandez, Kasey Miller, and Amy Gann.

Other team participants:  
Shot Put: Pam Shahan, Desiree Gonzales, and Jalys Mabry.

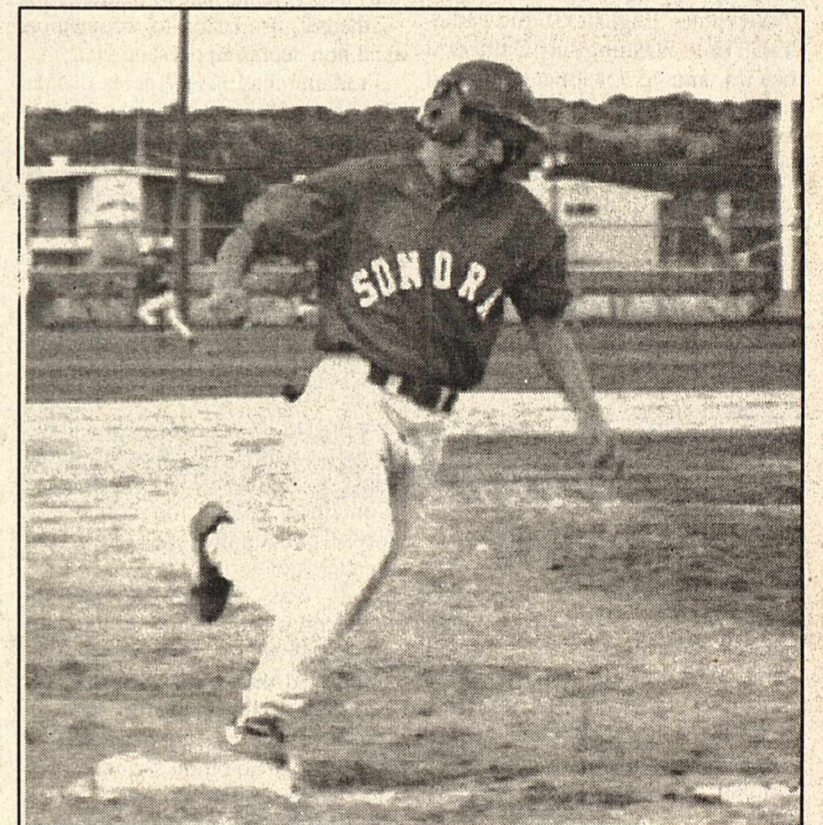
Discus Throw: Pam Shahan, Desiree Gonzales, and Jalys Mabry.

100 Meter Hurdles: Tori Valliant.

100 Meter Dash: Jessica Bruns  
400 Meter Dash: Tori Valliant.

## Kerrville Baseball Tourny

The Bronco Baseball team played Pleasington, Lampassas, and Brownwood in the Kerrville Tournament this past weekend. The Broncos did not win, yet they competed against some very good teams receiving excellent experience that will be utilized in upcoming games, said Coach Tryon Fields.



Fernie Emiliano tags third base on his way to home plate for one of 11 points scored against Eldorado's 4.

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## SPRING SPORTS CALENDAR

March

Bronco Baseball

Friday 7 Wall There 4:00 p.m., JV Junction There 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday 11 Alpine Here JV 4:00 p.m. Var. 6:30

Thursday 13- Saturday 15 Bracketville Tournament TBA

Saturday 15 Junction-Double Header Here 2:00 & 4:30 p.m.

Bronco Golf

Friday 7 San Saba Boys

Saturday 8 Sonora Girls

Saturday 15 Sonora Boys

Bronco Tennis

Friday & Saturday 7-8 Tournament Reagan Co.

Friday & Saturday 14-15 Tournament Eldorado

Bronco Track

Friday 7 Junior High Eldorado

Friday 8 Eldorado

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## Sonora I.S.D. Choir News

The Sonora I.S.D. Choirs will be performing in concert on March 11, 1997, at 7:30 p.m. The concert will be in the Sonora High School Auditorium. The program will include music from various time periods in music history as well as arrangements of some popular songs. The sixth grade mixed choir will perform its first three part arrangement of the year and a song called "The Jalapeno Bother." The seventh and eighth grade mixed choir and the high school mixed choir will be performing some of their contest music. UIP Concert and Sightreading contest for the seventh and eighth grade choir will be on March 20, 1997. The high school group will go to contest on April 9, 1997.

If you haven't heard our choirs lately, you need to come and hear them on the eleventh. The Sonora I.S.D. Choirs are something for the whole town to be proud of!!! Come and hear for yourself.

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## Scouts Host Annual Blue & Gold Banquet



During the ceremony the coveted popcorn sales results were given with Nathanael Prather topping the chart with sales of \$1064, Roland Solis pulling in a close second with \$1035, Shane Love \$913, Ty Love \$865, and Laramie Hall (not pictured) \$654.

The Scout's annual Blue and Gold Banquet was held Monday, February 24.

Tiger Cubs receiving paws were Colten Moore, Hunter Rushing, Morgan Martinez, David Ashton, Aaron Gayton, Nicholas Pena, and J.T. Downing. The Tiger Cubs are led by Jane Rushing.

Wolves receiving awards from Den 3 were Coleman Hemphill - Wolf Badge, marble belt loop, one gold arrow point; Nick Shurley - Wolf Badge, marble belt loop, one gold arrow point; Shane Love - Wolf Badge, marble belt loop, one gold arrow point; Ariel Trevino - Wolf Badge, marble belt, one gold arrow point; Cody Perez - Wolf Badge, marble belt loop, one gold arrow point; Jonathan Marrs - Wolf Badge, marble belt loop, one gold arrow point; Dustin Duhon - Wolf Badge, marble belt loop, one gold arrow point; Alonzo Pena - Wolf Badge, marble belt loop; Zack Clark - bobcat, four beads, Wolf Badge, one gold arrow. Wolf Cubs, Den 3 are led by Becca Love, Wanda Shurley, and Sheila Hemphill.

Den 4 Wolves receiving Wolf Badges, marble belt loops, and gold arrow points were Juan Dominguez, Travis Valliant, Bryan Acuff, Tanner James, Chris Knight, Robert Guerra, and C.D. Lipham. Leaders

are Teresa James and Andila Acuff.

Bears from Den 1 that received Bear Badges were Liano Luna, Nicholas Favila, Brandon Munn, Micheal Ashton, Ty Love, Patrick Shahan, Steven Barthelemy, and Mason Martinez. Leaders are Todd and Pam Munn and Maria Miller.

Den 2 Bears receiving Bear Badges are Frank David Gallegos, Steven Duhon, Justin Gray, Will Crittendon, C.J. Turney, Warren Wallace, Cameron Cox, Embre Smith, Walsh Hearn, Tyler Talley, and Roland Solis.

Fourth grade Webelos earning Webelos Badges and God & Family religious emblems are Jacob Adams, David Adkins, Andrew Barthelemy, Will Ferguson, Laramie Hall, Clayton Hicks, David Leena, Nathanael Prather, and Steve Reyna.

Fifth grade Webelos that received the Arrow of Light, God & Family, and crossed over into Boy Scouts are Joseph Ainsworth, David Cook, Stevie Hernandez, James Ross, Wilson Wallace, Shaun Ramos, Devon Yearout, Tom Valliant, and Norbert Ortiz. J.E. Carrillo, Israel Mendoza, and Zed Snodgrass also crossed over into Boy Scouting.

Fourth and fifth grade Webelos earning "God & Family" religious emblems were Jacob Adams, David Adkins, Will Ferguson, Laramie Hall, Clayton Hicks, and Nathanael Prather.

## The Scout Report

### News From Bear Scouts-Den 2

The Bear Scouts of Den 2 have been working hard since the first of the year. These are third grade Cub Scouts, of which the following boys are members; Cameron Cox, Frank Gallegos Walsh Hearn, Will Crittendon, Steven Duhon, Justin Grey, Embre Smith, Roland Solis, Tyler Talley, C.J. Turney, and Warren Wallace. Leader is Beth Wallace with Assistant Leaders Faye Cox and Christie Talley.

Den meetings during these months were busy with many activities to complete the Bear requirements. The boys learned about space, making mobiles of the plan-

ets and rocket models. The boys also made table decorations for the Blue and Gold banquet.

In January, the boys participated in the Pinewood Derby, with great results. Roland Solis placed second and Warren Wallace placed third. At this pack meeting, all of the boys received a belt loop for sports participation.

In February, the boys celebrated the birthday of Scouting at the Blue and Gold banquets. At this time, all of the boys received the bear badge. Roland Solis also received the second place trophy for popcorn sales.



Calloway and Ronda Hall were presented awards at the Blue and Gold Banquet. Calloway received the Cub Master of the Year 1996 for the entire Concho Valley. Ronda received one of the two awards of merit given out in the Concho Valley District. Mark Richardson, district representative was at the banquet to present the awards.

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### HOTEL/MOTEL OCCUPANCY TAX PUBLIC NOTICE PROPOSED USE HEARING

The city council will hold a public hearing on the proposed hotel/motel occupancy tax budget on March 18, 1997 at 2:00 p.m., City Hall, 201 E. Main, Sonora, Texas.

The Primary and foremost qualification for the use of the hotel occupancy tax revenue is that the expenditure is spent in a manner which directly enhances and promotes tourism and the convention and hotel industry. The collected tax is allocated to five statutory expenditure categories as outlined in the Texas Local Hotel Occupancy Tax Law: (1) creating and improving a convention center that is classified as a civic center, auditorium, exhibition hall and coliseum owned or managed by the city; (2) paying the administrative cost of registering convention delegates; (3) paying only for advertising and city promotions that attract tourists and conventions; (4) enhancing art-related programs and the physical facilities in which they are housed; and (5) paying for historical restoration and preservation projects.

All citizens, organizations or businesses are invited to attend and provide the council with written or oral comments on possible uses of approximately \$90,000.00 of hotel occupancy revenue expected by the city during 1997.



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## Police Report

2/23 Assault, 103 Dollie, received disturbance call, complainant stated a person known to her entered her apartment and assaulted a friend on the premises.

2/20 Theft 501S. Crockett Ave., Officer responded to Napa, complainant stated two subjects entered the store to inquire about a measurement tool, one subject exited the building. The complainant noticed the tool was missing afterwards.

2/21 Investigation of assault, referred to county attorney's office,

local female was assaulted by local female, victim has not filed charges at present date.

2/19 Current investigation of terrorist threat, local man's life was threatened by former employee.

2/17 Police are investigating an assault at the high school.

The police will begin enforcing parking rules at the schools, people have been parking in the school bus pickup zones, not allowing the buses to park.

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## Scouts To Begin Annual Fund Drive

Beth Wallace of Sonora was named Chairman of this year's Boy Scout Texas Friends of Scouting Drive.

Beth Wallace, along with other local businessmen, will raise Sonora's share of the Concho Valley Council's 1997 Scouting budget.

The annual fundraising effort is conducted to assist the Council in providing the necessary support for the Cub Scout, Boy Scout, Exploring and Learning for Life programs in this area. The Scouts' operating budget will come from three primary sources. The seven United Way community organization in the Council's 23 1/2 county service area will provide about 20% of the budget. Another 50% will come from a variety of council activities such as camp and office trading post, annual popcorn sale, summer camps, endowment fund, ranch lease, and other special fund generating events. The balance of \$151,619 or 25% will be raised through the Texas Friends of Scouting Community campaigns. These are charitable donations from those individuals and companies with a special interest in Scouting. The cost of Scouting has risen, just as other business' cost over the last few years. Inflation, utilities, insurance, employee health cost, travel and the addition of new programs have been cited as the most significant increases in the operating budget.

At something like \$79 per youth, it's still one of the best bargains around in a youth program for the young people of our community. The council spends 99% of the money locally instead of sending it off to a distant national office. Roughly 30% is spent in services to over 165 Packs, Troops, Posts, and Learning for Life Groups. Another 30% is used for program services such as training, activity, shows, camporees, advance ceremonies, community service projects, and summer camps. 25% is spent for membership, marketing, and relationship services. This provides support for unit partner organizations, unit renewal service, new unit organization and marketing services, 9% goes for supporting our two year round and two weekend camps and their related expenses such as utili-

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## Local Judge Attends Seminar

Judge Adelita Smalling Alvarez was certified at the recent 20 Hour Justice of the Peace Seminar held February 23-26, 1997, in San Antonio, Texas. The seminar was sponsored by the Texas Justice Court Training Center, headquarters at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. The seminar is one of five held for elected Justices of the Peace so they can fulfill their

Continuing Judicial Education Requirements as set fourth in Article 27.005 of the Texas Government Code. The seminar addressed topics such as Judicial Ethics, Criminal and Civil Jurisdiction and Venue, Trial Procedure, Alternate Sentencing, Small Claims, Administrative Hearings, Civil Law, Criminal Law,

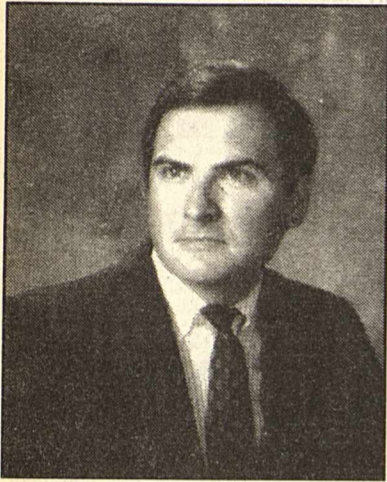
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Melinda Gentry, new owner of Tropical Sun Tanning Salon, celebrated her grand opening. Winners of the drawing for five free tanning sessions were Jack B. Smith, Janaea Crowder, and Stephanie Campbell.

Front row: Ethan Morris, Little Miss Sutton County, Stephanie Morris, and Little Mr. Sutton County, Braxton Snyder. Back row: Tammie Tidwell, Tanya Brown, Melinda Gentry, Sharon Key, Margaret Cascadden, Jack Smith, and Beth Snyder.

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An Olney, Texas, native, Montgomery is a graduate of Hardin Simmons University with a degree in Public Communications and Business. He developed his extensive mortgage and real estate lending background in previous positions at Southwest Bank in San Angelo, Amwest Savings, and Olney Savings Association.

His community affiliations include memberships in the San Angelo Chamber of Commerce, Sonrisas Therapeutic Riding Club, 1995/96 Leadership San Angelo, San Angelo Home Builders Association, San Angelo Board of Realtors, San Angelo Central Booster Club, and Downtown Lion's Club.

Wrey and his wife, the former Brenda Bramhall of San Angelo, have one son, Reese. The Montgomery's are members of the Johnson Street Church of Christ.

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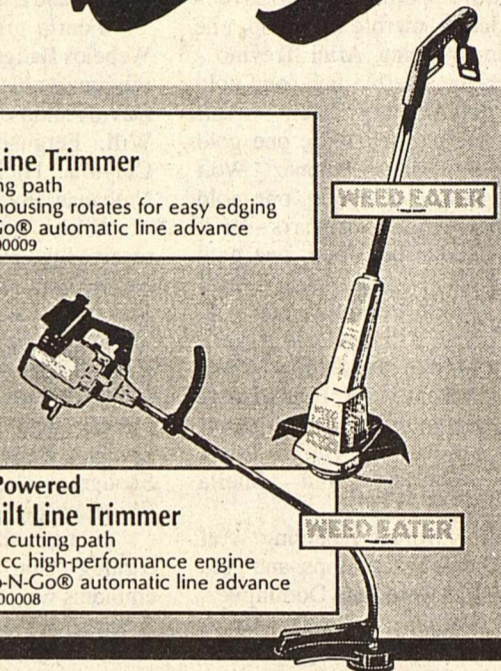
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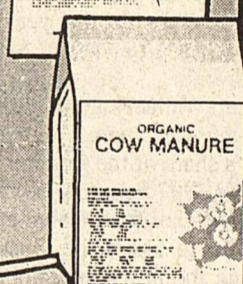
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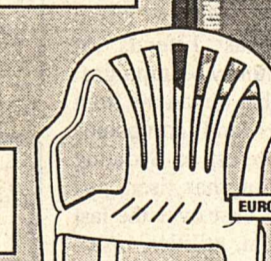
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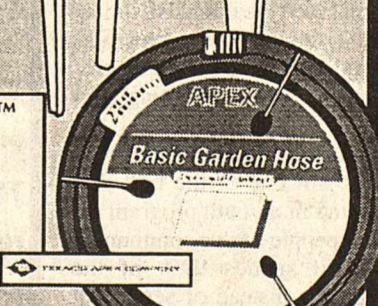
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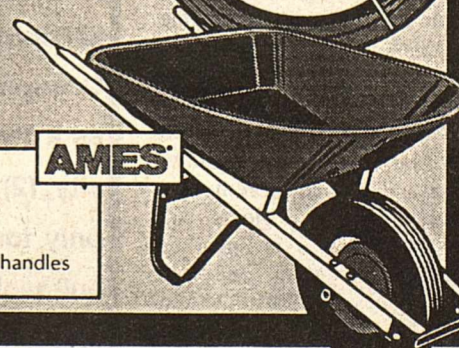
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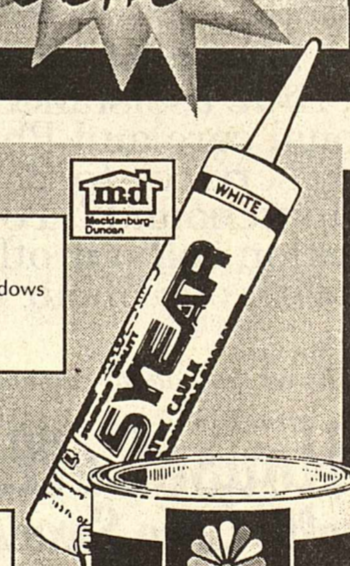
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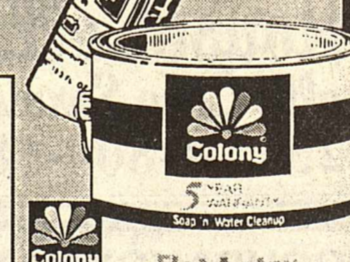
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### Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association

To: All TS & GRA Members and directors in District 5 Members, directors and interested sheep and goat producers in TS & GRA District 5 ill meet Friday, March 14, 1997, at Club Victoria in Menard, TX. The meeting will get under way with registration at 9:30 a.m., and the county meetings will begin at 10:00 a.m. The general meeting will begin at 10:30 a.m. The noon meal will be hosted by the Menard County TS & GRA directors.

TS & GRA officers will go over plans for an expanded membership drive as well as the proposed referendum on sheep and goats. Executive Director Zane Willard will review legislation at the state and national level which could adversely affect sheep and goat producers. Bill Wright of Menard is District Chairman anon is in charge of local arrangement. District 5 is made up of Kimble, Menard, Schleicher, and Sutton counties. Directors to serve the district for the coming year will be elected at the county meetings at 10:00 a.m. Now serving as directors are:

**Kimble County:** Marshall Brown, Teddy Holekamp, Awbrey L. Kothmann, Greer Kothmann, Henry A. Lackey, Archie Lennon, Arthur L. Mudge, Robby Robinson, Clint Smith Jr., C. A. Trimble, David Whitworth and Cecil Woodard.

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### Junction Sheep and Goat Auction

03/03/97

Compared to last week: Stocker Spanish nannies 4.00-6.00 higher. Slaughter Spanish nannies 3.00-5.00 higher. All other classes slaughter, Spanish fully steady. Stocker angora nannies 3.00-5.00 higher. All classes slaughter angora 1.00-3.00 higher. Supply included around 1 percent sheep including near 10 lambs.

**Slaughter Sheep:** Barbados: 40-60 lb lambs 80.00-94.00 CWT. Stock and Feeder Goats: Spanish Goats: 50-90 lb nannies 64.00-79.00 CWT; heavy bred nannies 58.00-59.00; nannies and kids 23.00-32.50 per head; half Boer billies 175.00 per head.

**Angora Goats:** Good and Choice baby tooth nannies 50-60 lbs 50.00-65.00 CWT.

**Spanish Goats:** 30-60 lb kids and yearlings 79.00-93.00; 70-100 lb nannies 53.00-68.00; 80-160 lb billies 65.00-80.00 CWT.

**Angora Goats:** 80-135 lb muttons and billies 52.00-59.00; fat nannies 47.00-55.00; 35-60 lb kids and yearlings 68.00-82.00; thin nannies and muttons 35.00-46.00 CWT.

Source: Dept of Ag-USDA Market News

# AGRIBUSINESS

## Producers Livestock Auction Co

Sheep Auction  
**Slaughter Lambs:** Choice, few Prime 2-3 shorn and woolled 100-150 lbs 98.50-103.00, set 106.00.

**Slaughter Ewes:** Good and Choice 2-4 50.00-59.00, woolled 45.00-49.00; Utility and Good

2-3 53.00-63.00; Utility 1-3 43.00-53.00, Cull and Utility 1-2 40.00-43.00.  
**Slaughter Bucks:** 44.00-52.00.

**Feeder Lambs:** Medium and Large 1-2 60-90 lb 107.00-117.00; 90-100 lb 100.00-111.00. Set new crop 63 lbs 121.00. Medium and Large 2 45-90 lbs 96.00-107.00, 90-100 lbs 95.00-100.00.

**Replacement Ewes:** Medium and Large 1-2 yearlings 77.50 per head, baby tooth 65.00-70.00 per head.

**Slaughter - Meat Goats:**  
**Billies and Muttons:** 100-160 lbs 62.00-105.00 per head; small billies and muttons including yearlings 60-100 lbs 80.00-88.00 cwt, Good 62.00-75.00 cwt.

**Nannies:** 60-100 lbs 55.00-64.00 cwt, thin nannies 60-95 lbs 45.00-55.00 cwt.

**Kids:** Good and Choice 40-65 lbs 80.00-91.00 cwt, set 107.00; few 65-70 lbs 91.00-95.00. Good 40-65 lbs 70.00-80.00 cwt.

**Angora:** 50-80 lb 42.00-49.00 cwt, 80-100 lbs 50.00-59.00 cwt.

### Rotary Rig Activity Count

Andrews	9	Hockley	2	Schleicher	0
Borden	0	Howard	4	Scurry	1
Brown	0	Irion	3	Sterling	3
Coke	1	Jones	1	Stonewall	1
Coleman	1	Kent	0	Sutton	4
Concho	0	King	1	Taylor	1
Cochran	0	Lamb	1	Terrell	7
Cottle	1	Loving	2	Terry	1
Crane	3	Lubbock	0	Tom Green	0
Crockett	13	Lynn	0	Upton	4
Crosby	0	McCulloch	0	Val Verde	1
Culberson	0	Martin	3	Ward	4
Dawson	0	Mason	0	Winkler	7
Dickens	2	Menard	0	Yoakum	3
Ector	4	Midland	12	<b>New Mexico</b>	
Edwards	1	Mitchell	1	Chaves	3
Floyd	0	Motley	0	Eddy	20
Fisher	0	Nolan	3	Lea	27
Gaines	6	Pecos	2	Roosevelt	1
Garza	2	Presidio	0		
Glasscock	3	Reagan	12	For week ending Feb. 19:	
Hale	0	Reeves	0	184 rigs	
Haskell	1	Runnels	2	For week ending Feb. 12:	
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#### BIDS FOR SUTTON COUNTY MEDICAL INSURANCE

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Sutton County Judge  
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For further information on the insurance specifications, please call or write to the Sutton County Auditor.  
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## Producers Livestock Auction

02/27/97

Compared with last week feeder steers and heifers firm. Slaughter cows 2.00-3.00 higher, bulls 5.00-8.00 higher. Stock cows and pairs steady. Trading active, demand good. Quality full range from plain to attractive. Supply included 70 percent calves, 15 percent slaughter cows and bulls, 10 percent yearlings, 5 percent stock cows and pairs.

**Feeder Steers:** Medium and Large 1 200-300 lbs 100.00-105.00; 300-400 lbs 88.00-100.00; 400-500 lbs 80.50-91.00; 500-600 lbs 77.00-86.00; 600-700 lbs 68.00-77.00, few 80.00-83.00; 700-800 lbs 66.50-70.00. Medium and Large 1-2 200-300 lbs 95.00-100.00; 300-400 lbs 74.00-88.00; 400-500 lbs 68.00-80.50; 500-600 lbs 65.00-77.00; 600-700 lbs 60.00-68.00; 700-900 lbs 60.00-66.50.

**Feeder Heifers:** Medium and Large 1 300-400 lbs 71.00-80.00; 400-500 lbs 68.00-76.00; 500-700 lbs 63.50-73.00; 700-800 lbs 60.00-64.00. Medium and large 1-2 200-300 lbs 70.00-80.00; 300-400 lbs 61.00-71.00; 400-500 lbs 60.00-68.00; 500-700 lbs 55.00-63.50; 700-800 lbs 53.00-57.00.

**Slaughter Cows:** Breaking Utility 2-3 41.00-45.00; Cutter and Boning Utility 1-2 34.00-40.50, high-dressing 40.50-45.00; Canner and low-Cutter 1-2 26.00-34.00.

**Going to Mexico:** Breaking Utility 2-3 40.00-42.50; Boning Utility 1-2 35.00-40.00.

**Slaughter Bulls:** Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2100 lbs 49.00-53.50, hi-dressing 54.00-54.50; low-dressing 1100-1600 lbs 40.00-49.00.

**Pregnancy Tested Stock Cows and Heifers:** Medium and Large 1-2 570.00-630.00 per head. Medium 1-2 440.00-550.00 per head.

**Cow and Calf Pairs:** Medium 1-2 cows with 100-300 lb calves 600.00-650.00 per pair.

**Stocker & Feeder Cows:** Medium and Large 1-2 (young) 800-1050 lbs 42.00-46.00 cwt; (middle age) 700-1000 lbs 36.00-42.00 cwt.

Source: USDA-Texas Dept of Ag Market News

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## Protect your rights! "Render" your taxable property by April 14th.

A "rendition" is a report to the appraisal district that lists all the taxable property you owned or controlled on January 1st of this year. The rendition form is available at your local appraisal district office... or you may draft a similar form.

### Who must file a rendition?

You must file a rendition if you own tangible personal property that is used to produce income—such as the inventory and equipment used by a business.

### Are there any advantages to you?

The advantages of filing a rendition are:

- You give your opinion of your property's value. If the appraisal district believes the value is higher, it must notify you in writing of the higher value and explain how you can protest that value to the appraisal review board.
- You record your correct mailing address so your tax bills will go to the right address. If your bill is mailed to the wrong address, the law still holds you responsible for paying your taxes on time or paying extra charges for late payments.
- You can also file a "report of decreased value" to notify the appraisal district of significant depreciation of the value of your property in 1996. The district will look at your property before assigning a value in 1997.

### What's the deadline?

The last day for filing 1997 renditions is Monday, April 14. Call your appraisal district for the last date the rendition may be postmarked, if mailing. You can get an extra 15 days if you ask for it in writing by the April 14 deadline.

### Where do you file?

File renditions with your local appraisal district at:

For more information stop by your appraisal district and pick up

"Texas Property Taxes: Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies & Responsibilities"

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