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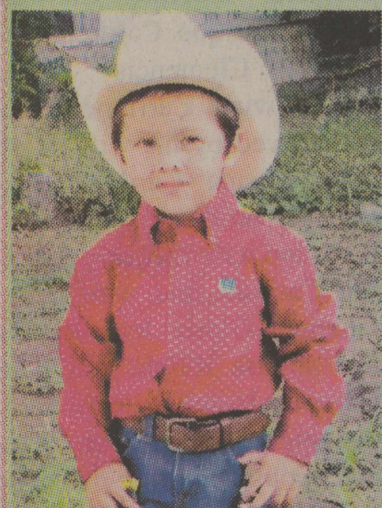
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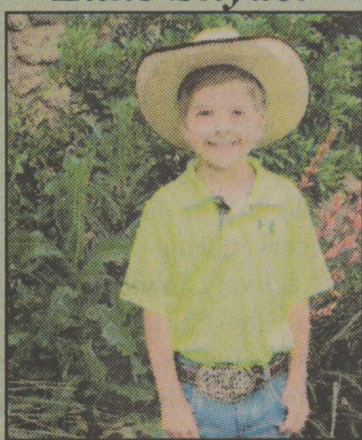
Little Mr. and Miss. Cinco De Mayo Candidates

Riley Izaias Saucedo



His parents are Conrado and Susana Saucedo. Favorite Food is pizza and he loves to play with his shark and wrestler. When he isn't playing with his toys he loves to wrestle, play outside and play video games.

Luke Snyder



His parents are Brian and Makalya Snyder. Favorite Food is crackers, tacos and spaghetti and he loves to play with his dinosaurs. When he isn't playing with his toys he loves to play outside with his dad, brot-pepper. He also enjoys fishing.

Jossi Campa



Her parents are Selena Mesa and Martin Campa. Favorite Food is Pizza and Macaroni and she loves to play with Bey Max, Stitch and her makeup. When she isn't playing with her toys she loves to color, swim, dance, ride bikes and being outside with grandpa.

STATE CHAMPS!

Lady Bronco Golf Brings Home the Gold



Lady Broncos golf team repeat as state champions with 17 stroke victory! Elyssa Prieta, Kali Mendez, Kylie Reiner, Holly Sparks, Darby Ramsdell- Day 1 -83, Day 2-374. Total-757.

Broncos Fall in A Tough Fight Against Owls



Broncos run a double play.

Photo By Ray Glasscock

By Jay Valdez

While Broncos hung tough on Tuesday, Reagan County pulled away late for the 14-6 victory at Bronco Baseball Field.

In the bottom of the first, Broncos grabbed the early lead, 1-0. Caleb Galvan started the rally for Broncos with a single. A single by Isaiah Lira then moved Galvan from first to second. Acevedo singled, plating Galvan. Reagan County never trailed after scoring six runs in the second on two doubles and two singles. After pushing across four runs in the bottom of the fourth, Broncos faced just a 8-5 deficit. An error, a sacrifice fly by Galvan, and a two-run error set off Broncos rally. The Broncos threat came to an end when J. Perez finally got Michael Mungia to strike out.

Elijah Cross had two extra-base hits for Broncos. He tripled in the fourth inning and homered in the fifth inning. Even though J. Perez allowed six runs over seven innings he still recorded the victory. He struck out 12, walked six and surrendered 12 hits. Reagan County was sparked by J. Perez and Baggett, who teamed up for four hits and six RBIs.

Andres Acevedo took the loss for Broncos. He allowed 13 runs in six innings, walked one and struck out 12. One run in the bottom of the fifth helped Broncos close its deficit to 8-6. A solo home run by Cross gave Broncos life. Reagan County added five more

runs in the top of the seventh. Next game Friday here vs Coahoma and senior night. A win will put the Broncos in 2nd place in the district heading into the Bi-District round. "The boys put together a good fight, we had some untimely errors. We also did not get some hits when we needed them. I do know that we are very appreciative of the support we had last night. It's always good to have a lot of people backing these boys, said coach Valdez".

Broncos Rally Against Coahoma

Caleb Galvan's 12 strikeouts were enough to push Broncos past Coahoma. Galvan allowed one earned run on three hits and two walks over five innings. Sanchez ended up on the wrong side of the pitching decision, charged with the loss. He allowed 13 runs in four innings, walked two and struck out two. Broncos quickly matched Coahoma's strong inning with a six-run inning of its own in the third. Broncos scored on a two-run single by Michael Mungia, a two-run double by Cross, an error, and a passed ball.

Broncos survived Coahoma's surge and put up five runs of its own in the fourth. Broncos scored on a two-run double by Hunter Hughes, a passed ball, an RBI single by Mungia, and a passed ball.

The Broncos have taken 2nd place in the District. The Broncos will face Ballinger in the Bi-district round. Time, Place and Date TBA.



Tennis Team State Bound

On Monday and Tuesday, April 20 and 21, the Sonora Tennis Team had a great two days at Rose Park Tennis Center in Abilene. Sonora was represented by Halle Samaniego in girls' singles, Tyler Hampton and Tanner Esparza in mixed doubles, and Gracie Dozier and Sky Jennings in girls' doubles. The teams of Hampton-Esparza and Dozier-Jennings entered the tournament as the number two seeds.

Halle Samaniego started the tournament with an easy win over Amanda Harris from Early 6-2,6-1. In the second round, she faced the number 3 seed, Meghan Scott from Wall. Halle defeated her 7-5,7-5 to move into the semifinals. She then played Annette Posada from Tornillo. Halle played some of the best tennis of her career, but lost to Posada 7-5, 2-6, 6-2. After the tough loss, Halle rebounded to take the third place medal by beating Brooklyn Ryan from Brownfield 2-6, 7-5, 6-2.

Gracie and Sky started the tournament by easily defeating Vaquera and Walker from Spearman 6-0,6-1. In the second round, the girls struggled against King and Richards from Crane, but still managed to get the win 4-6, 6-2,6-4. The girls then played the in the semifinals against the sisters from Wall. Chitsey and Chitsey. Again, the girls struggled and fell by a score of 6-4,6-4. After that match the girls were very down as they felt they had not played well and missed their chance at state. The next day, playing for third and a possible playback, the girls rebounded and defeated Morales and Boyd from Brownfield 6-1, 6-1. The girls then learned that they would get a playback against the Yarbrough twins from Breckenridge. The Breckenridge girls defeated them the previous year on their way to state. This time Gracie and Sky came out and played aggressive and confident. The girls defeated the Yarbroughs, 6-4, 6-4 to earn a trip to the state tournament.

Tyler and Tanner came very close to winning the region. Tyler and Tanner won their first round by defeating Luttrell and Mitchell from Early 6-1, 6-1. They then defeated Cantu and Garza from Shallowater in a very tough match 6-7, 6-1, 6-2. In the semifinals, they defeated Gray and Murphy from Wall 6-2, 6-2. The win advanced Tyler and Tanner to the championship match where they played Hoelting and Harper from Tulia. They played great, but came up just a little short falling 4-6, 7-5,6-4. After such a hard fought match with the disappointment of not being regional champs, the team then had to rebound and realize that they could still get to state if they took care of business in a playback against Huffman and Farmer from Brady. Tyler and Tanner did just that and defeated the team from Brady, 7-5, 4-6, 6-0 to become state bound with their teammates.

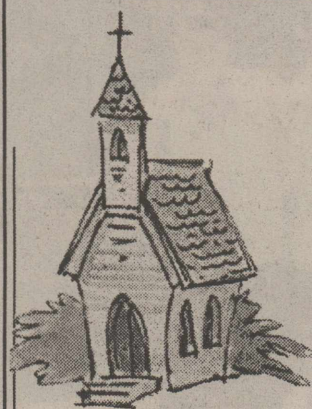
All of the athletes did a great job and played some of their best tennis of the year. The mixed double's team of Tyler Hampton and Tanner Esparza and the girls' double's team of Gracie Dozier and Sky Jennings will now advance to the state tournament in College Station. They will play on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 12 and 13, at the Mitchell Tennis Center at Texas A&M University. The girls' doubles first round will be at 12:00, and the mixed doubles will begin at 1:30. The Sonora High School Tennis Team would like to thank everyone involved in the send-off and send-in, including the parents, Mr. Hartman, as well as all the support from the community.

Wellness Ministry

Good health is not about a quick fix. It's not about a 30 day challenge, the latest fat burning supplement, or starving yourself to fit in a swimsuit. Health and wellness is a lifestyle. It's a daily commitment to making good choices. It's about today's scrambled eggs. And tomorrow's 8-hour sleep. And the next day's grilled salmon. And the next day's walk in the neighborhood. And the next day's prayer for guidance. And the next day's bowl of blueberries. It's about progress. Not perfection. It's about the small steps you take every day that add up to a lifetime of health.

The plans of the diligent lead surely to abundance, but everyone who is hasty comes only to poverty. Psalm 21:5

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Obituaries

Sonora- Donna Sue Taylor passed away Tuesday, April 21, 2015. Sue was born September 8, 1935 in Guthrie, King County, Texas. She attended Guthrie High School in Aspermont, Tx. She retired from Valero, with whom she was a secretary in Sonora and San Antonio, Tx. She was preceded in death by her parents, Admiral Dewey Harper and Josephine Eldred Hill Harper, sisters Ladelle Harper Davenport and Deweylene Harper Sedberry, and a brother Dick Melton Harper, her husband Roy Lynn Taylor, and also preceded in death by her very special great-granddaughter Alyssa Collins. She is survived by her children Sarah Suzanne Whitworth of Sonora, Tx., John Scott Alley of Round Rock, Tx., and Derrel Steve Alley of Cypress, Tx., grandchildren Lindsey Whitworth Collins of Lubbock, Tx., Kaitlyn Alley of San Angelo, Tx., and two great-grandchildren, Nathaniel Childress and Shay Boggs, and several special nieces and nephews. Sue will always be remembered for her kind and compassionate nature. Graveside services were held Friday, April 24, 2015 in Sonora Cemetery.



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Andrea Y. De La Fuente	Jacqueline Limon
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Jeremy L. Doran	Kali A. Mendez
Gracie Dozier	Abby R. Nolan
Austin T. Esparza	Lisette L Ortiz
Julissa M. Equivel	Eathan B. Patlan
Abigail Garcia	Annalisa M. Perez
Jose Juan Garza	Gabe B Rollert
Santiago Garza IV	Jonathan A. Salazar
Veronica Gaytan	Halle Samaniego
Kaitlyn A Gibbens	Rikki E. Sterling
Meeko Gonzalez	Alexa L. Sykes
Mckaula L. Herrada	Selena M. Trevino

Pablo Torres Cardona, Sr. (aka Paul or Mr Knucklehead) was born September 2, 1925, in El Remolino, Coahuila, Mexico, and left this life on April 12, 2015 at the age of 89, while living in Sugar Land, TX. He grew up in Sonora, TX, with his four brothers and two sisters. He volunteered for military service in the Army at age 17 along with his two older brothers during WWII. He was actively involved in the war in the Philippines as an artillery fighter against the Japanese for almost 4 years. After an honorable discharge in 1946 he moved to Houston, TX, with his first wife, Gloria H. Flores, and attended the University of Houston... Pablo Torres Cardona, Sr. (aka Paul or Mr Knucklehead) was born September 2, 1925, in El Remolino, Coahuila, Mexico, and left this life on April 12, 2015 at the age of 89, while living in Sugar Land, TX. He grew up in Sonora, TX, with his four brothers and two sisters. He volunteered for military service in the Army at age 17 along with his two older brothers during WWII. He was actively involved in the war in the Philippines as an artillery fighter against the Japanese for almost 4 years. After an honorable discharge in 1946 he moved to Houston, TX, with his first wife, Gloria H. Flores, and attended the University of Houston Pharmacological College for three years under the GI Bill while he stayed in an active Army Reserve Unit. Pablo was activated to serve in the Korean Conflict. After his military discharge in 1952, and with two young children, he found his career employment with the US Post Office to support his family; retiring after 32 years of service. Paul and Gloria had five children when in February of 1965 Gloria lost her courageous two year battle to cancer, leaving him to raise his young children, ages ranging 5 to 18. He was a dedicated husband, father, grandfather, brother who loved the outdoor life. He was a passionate deer hunter in his prime years and enjoyed fishing with family which led him and his four brothers to purchase land in Centerville, TX. The Cardona families continue to this day the tradition of holiday gatherings on this property named "La Hacienda de Santa Maria." Pablo married again in June of 1967 to Juana Alonzo of Zaragoza, Coahuila, Mexico, and was blessed with their daughter Sandra. Not only was he our veteran hero, he was a very strong family man...family was very important to him as he was always striving to make ends meet while attempting to give what he could. He worked hard and he played hard, all with a beautiful smile. Pablo enjoyed being a member of the American Legion Veterans' group and participated in parades at every opportunity representing the military up until 2010. His three sons-in-law, Ralph Ramos, Rudy Gaona, and Gilbert Flores (deceased in 2004) were also proud veterans and often marched together with him. He also enjoyed being an active member of the Charro Association of Houston for several years. Pablo enjoyed repairing and refinishing wood furniture in his shop. Pablo is preceded in death by his parents, Cecilio and Maria Cardona; his two older brothers, Cecilio Cardona II and Enrique Cardona; his sisters, Clemencia Flores and Edwina Carruthers. He is survived by his wife of 48 years, Juana Cardona; two younger brothers, Angel Cardona and wife Lili, and Salvador Cardona and wife Feliz; daughter Gloria Jean Ramos and spouse Ralph; son Paul Cardona Jr and wife Amelia; daughter Melinda Rose Garza and spouse Edward; daughter Anna Marie Flores and spouse Gilbert (deceased); son Rene Ruben Cardona and wife Pamela; and Sandra Gaona and spouse Rudy; 13 grandchildren, 16 great grandchildren, and 1 great-great grandson due to be born in August. Visitation will be held on Wednesday April 15, 2015, from 5 to 9 with a Rosary recited at 7 p.m. Funeral Mass held at St Stephen's Catholic Church on Thursday April 16, 2015 at 11 a.m. with the Internment following at Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery with full military honors.

Lions Roar



The Lions welcomed three Sonora Intermediate School students to their weekly meeting on Tuesday April 28th. Mr. Leamon brought third grader Jolene Pasilas-Galaviz, fourth grader Fabian Lira, and fifth grader Diya Kumar. Our program director, Alicia Lowe, introduced Dee Blanquet, who is a guide at the Sonora Caverns. Dee spoke to us about the new gift

items, including fossils and toiletries that they just got in, and about a proposed pavilion, which will hold approximately 75 people. She stated that there have been a record number of visitors to the cave recently for this time of year, and that May is one of their busiest months because of school children's field trips. There are volunteers currently replacing the handrails in the cave that are rusting and

decaying. Tent camping with bathrooms and showers is available, as well as RV camping. It was interesting that she reported to us that the college student from Houston, Jeremy Robertson, who broke the famous Butterfly wing, had been convicted of the offense and had a monetary judgment against him, as well as serving some time in jail.

Sonora Netters "LOVE" Tennis

SMS Tennis News from Coach Dozier

Early Saturday morning the Sonora Middle School Tennis Team traveled to Big Lake and had a very successful outing. Next up for MS tennis is Ozona this Saturday then district here in Sonora May 9th.

Medalists:

- 8th Mixed Doubles Consolation Finals - John Deleon/Rebeckah Owens
 - 8th Mixed Doubles Finals (2nd Place) - Evan Shannon/Karah Martinez
 - 8th Boys Doubles 3rd Place Champs - Noe Estrada/Wesley Dutton
 - 8th Boys Doubles Finals (2nd Place) - Avery Lemon/Jackie Sykes
 - 8th Boys Singles Champion - Brian Van Winkle
 - 8th Boys Singles 3rd Place Champ - Carlos Mendoza
 - 8th Girls Singles Champion - Keeley Moore
 - 7th Boys Singles Champion - Wilson Johnson
 - 7th Boys Doubles Champions - David Delgado/Blaze Sykes
 - 7th Girls Doubles Consolation Finals - Viviana Arellano/Kayla Gee
- Dylan Taylor, Kaitlyn Gann, Ariel Salazar, Kole Gann and Taryn Mitchell also competed well.

Students of the Week



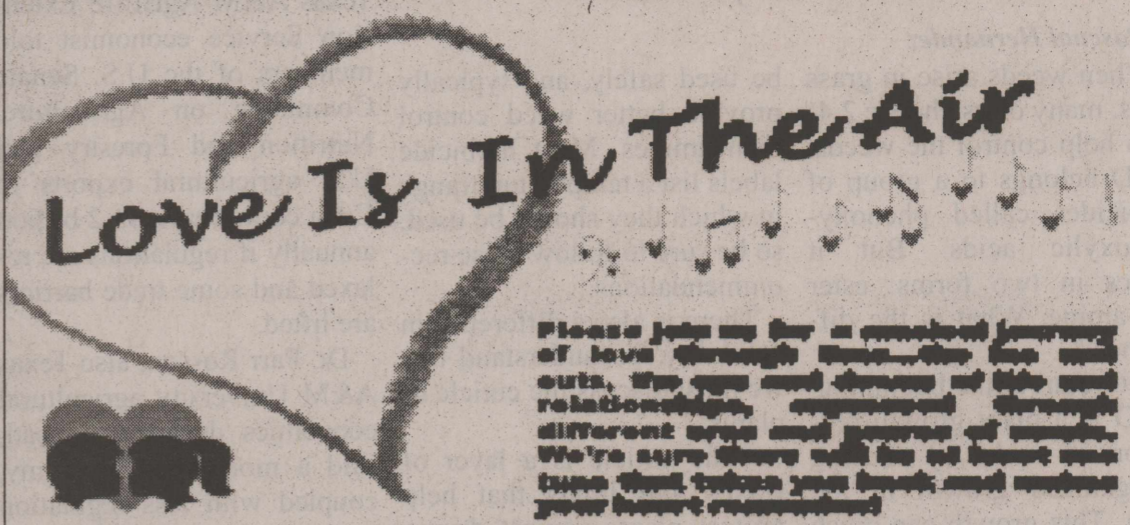
PK - Yarixa Gonzalez-Ozuna, Kinder - Izabell Meza, 1st - Jaylee Martin, 2nd - Sabrinah Castro



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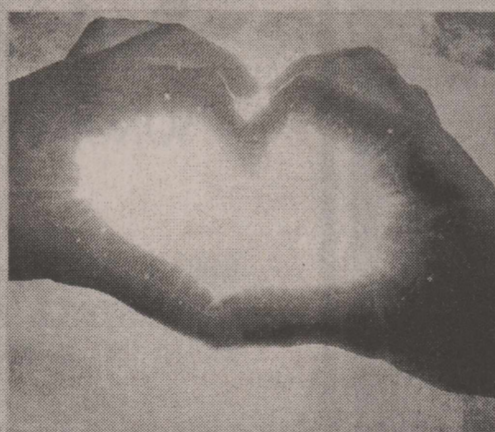
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How Well Do We Know 2,4-D?

By Pascual Hernandez

When weeds arise in grass areas, many of us choose 2,4-D to help control the weeds. 2,4-D belongs to a group of herbicides called phenoxy-carboxylic acids. But it comes in two forms: ester and amine. What is the difference?

Let's start at the beginning. 2,4-D is a plant growth regulator; it works by causing unorganized growth in the plant. This growth can crush the plant's vascular system. Though it affects annual and perennial broadleaf weeds, if used properly, it can have little effect on grasses.

The two major formulations of 2,4-D are amine salts and esters. There are definite differences.

There is a difference in drift potential. Ester formulations tend to volatilize. This can happen during hot weather. This becomes important when using the product near susceptible plants. Even though there are some "low volatile" esters available, amine salts are generally less volatile than esters. Amine formulations are typically used in landscape settings and scenarios when drift is a primary concern.

That is why people sometimes say that ester formulations are "hotter", meaning they display more activity on plants. During cooler weather (March, April, and early May), ester formulations can

be used safely, and typically provide better weed control than amines. Most herbicide labels list a temperature range in which they should be used, so be sure to follow these recommendations.

There is also a difference in solubility. To understand this we must discuss the cuticle of plants.

The cuticle is a layer of waxes and lipids that help protect plants against drying and pathogens. Cuticles also give some amount of protection from herbicides. Esters are lipid soluble and move through the cuticle more easily. They are thus more readily absorbed. For this reason, use caution when using in susceptible plants or crops.

Amines are more water soluble and less efficient at moving from the leaf surface, across the cuticle and into the leaf.

A third difference is in soil activity. Amine formulations have a longer soil life than do Ester formulations.

In summary, both amines and esters have their place in weed control programs. Depending on the time of year, location, weed density, and application technique, you can safely use one of these formulations to achieve acceptable weed control. As always, read product labels and follow manufacturer recommendations.

U.S. Ag. Exports to Cuba Could Top 1 Billion

COLLEGE STATION — A Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service economist told members of the U.S. Senate Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition and Forestry that U.S. agricultural exports to Cuba could reach \$1.2 billion annually if regulations are relaxed and some trade barriers are lifted.

Dr. Parr Rosson, also Texas A&M University agricultural economics department head, said a more open economy, coupled with less regulation by both governments, strong tourism and remittances, would pave the way for U.S. food and agricultural exports to potentially reach record levels within five years.

"The opportunity for job creation in the U.S. as a result of more open trade with Cuba is substantial," Rosson said. "Our estimates indicate that U.S. food and agricultural exports to Cuba have the potential to exceed \$1 billion annually. These additional exports would support the creation of 6,000 new jobs throughout the U.S. economy, along with another \$739 million in business activity nationwide."

However, Rosson said there are challenges for this to happen.

"First, there needs to be income growth and economic prosperity for Cubans," he said. "Infrastructure improvement and investment will also be necessary to improve the efficiency of existing supply

chains and the creation of new cold chains to handle processed foods. Finally, policies and regulations that facilitate trade, and that are transparent and consistent, are an absolute necessity."

International visitors to Cuba continue to increase, which also increases demand for food and agricultural products. A study by Rosson and the Center for North American Studies at Texas A&M shows potential increases in U.S. food and agricultural exports to Cuba due to increased travel would add \$366 million annually to U.S. exports, creating up to 5,500 new jobs.

Texas stands to benefit from increased exports to Cuba. Rosson said several export items including chicken leg quarters, dry beans, wheat, corn and dairy products produced in Texas have been exported to Cuba. More rice exports are also expected if trade relations are opened further. Cuba's growing tourism market has also sparked demand for more items such as condiments, snack foods, processed foods, bottled water, beef, wine and spirits.

"These estimates include only the additional spending by new U.S. visitors to Cuba," he said. "More open trade and less restrictive financial regulation would certainly lead to more rapid growth of our exports and create more jobs for Texans and the U.S. economy."

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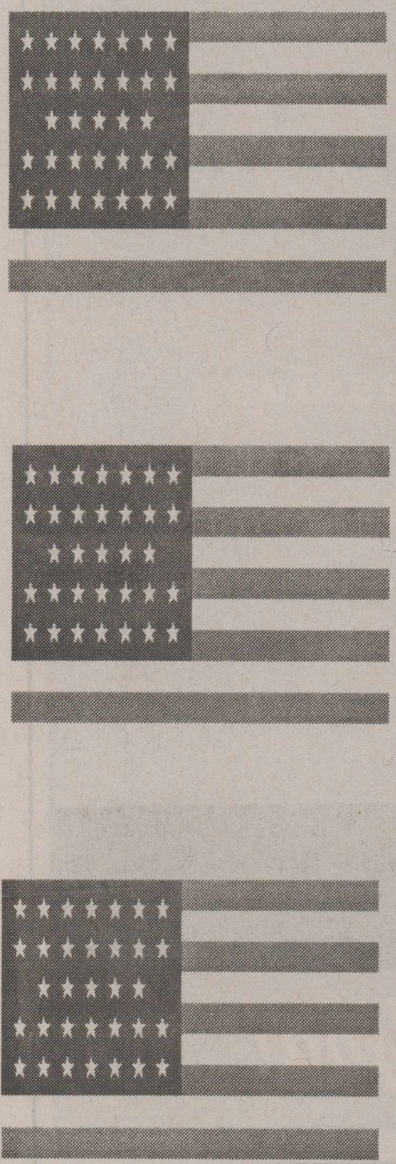
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From creating press releases to hosting events with hundreds of attendees, Johnna Gibson has a unique talent for marketing, advertising, event planning, public relations, communication and graphic design skills that she's built over the course of 11 years.

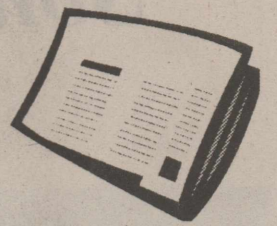
Johnna is a 2000 graduate of Sonora High School and a 2003 graduate of Angelo State University with a BBA in Marketing. She followed her dreams by working for a San Antonio Advertising Agency, represented Kerrville as the Main Street Manager & most recently served as the Director of External Affairs for Sonora Bank before branching out on her own.

She is married to Gary Gibson, co-owner of Gibson Water Well, and they reside in Eldorado, Texas.

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Notice is hereby given that Sutton County is now accepting applications for a part time position in the Road & Bridge Department. Experience in Road & Bridge maintenance and equipment operation is preferred. Applicant must have a valid Texas CDL license. Duties include labor connected with general maintenance including paving of roads.

Each applicant is required to submit an application for employment with pertinent information regarding training and experience. Sutton County EEO.

Applications can be obtained at auditor's office. Completed application must be returned to Auditor's office by April 10, 2015.

Notice is hereby given that Sutton County Road & Bridge Department is now accepting applications for two (2) fill time positions. Experience in Road & Bridge maintenance and equipment operation is preferred. Applicants must have a valid Texas CDL license. Duties include labor connected with general maintenance including paving of roads.

Each applicant is required to submit an application for employment with pertinent information regarding training and experience. Full time positions includes insurance, vacation and sick leave benefits. Sutton County is EEO.

Applications can be obtained at Auditor's Office. All completed applications must be returned to Auditor's office at the Courthouse Building by May 7, 2015.

Employment

Notice is hereby given that The City of Sonora is now accepting applications for Lifeguards for The Municipal Swimming Pool. Applicants must be 16 years of age or older. Applications can be picked up at City Hall and the deadline for returning the applications is May 15, 2015. Interviews will be scheduled after deadline. Questions should be directed to Tammy Favila 325-206-0315. The City of Sonora is an equal opportunity employer.

The City of Sonora is hiring for the position of City Prosecutor. This position handles prosecution and appeal of Municipal Court cases. The prosecutor must be able to interpret the Municipal Code and prosecute accordingly. A Texas law license is required. For further information, contact City Manager Edward Carrasco at 201 E. Main St., Sonora, Texas 76950 or (325)387-2558. Position open until filled. The City of Sonora is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Employment

Notice is hereby given that the City of Sonora is now accepting applications for the position of Field Laborer. Applicants should have a valid Texas Driver's License, a high school diploma or GED. Applicants must be able to maintain and repair property of the municipality, be self-motivated and responsible. Applicants will also be required to obtain a water and wastewater license. All applicants are subject to a criminal background check. Applications can be picked up at City Hall, 201 E. Main, Sonora, Texas 76950 and should be returned to City Hall. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. For further information, applicants can call City Hall at (325)387-2558. The City of Sonora is an equal opportunity employer.

EMPLOYMENT NOTICE

Eaton Hill Nature Center is seeking an Executive Director. Please email Lorie Powers at lopocz59@gmail.com for Job Description and information.

Public Notice

Sutton County Road & Bridge is hereby requesting sealed bids on the following R&B Materials:

R&B MATERIALS:

- 1) Approximately 48,000 Gallons of AC-5 Asphalt
- 2) 2000 Tons of (PB4) #4 Pre-coated Gravel

Materials to be delivered to Sutton County Road & Bridge yard at 410 East Pecan in Sonora, Texas.

Sealed bids will be opened on April 27, 2015 at 9:00 a.m. at the special meeting of Commissioners Court at the Sutton County Annex. "Sealed Bids" must be delivered or mailed to Judge Steve Smith, 300 E. Oak, Suite 4, Sonora, Texas 76950. For specifications, please contact the County Road & Bridge Superintendent, Standley Clay

Anderson, (325) 226-3388 or County Auditor, Maura Wein-

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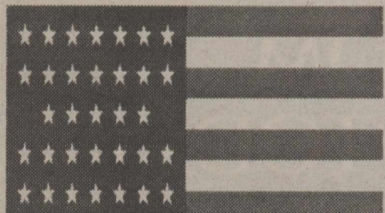
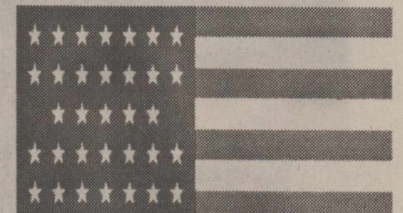
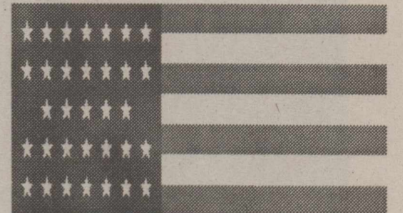
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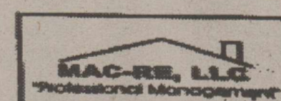
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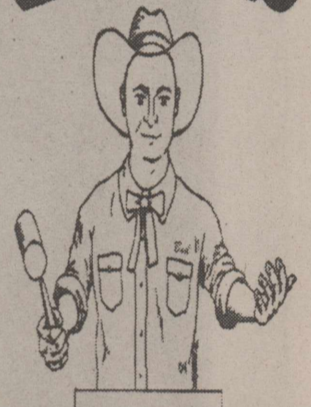
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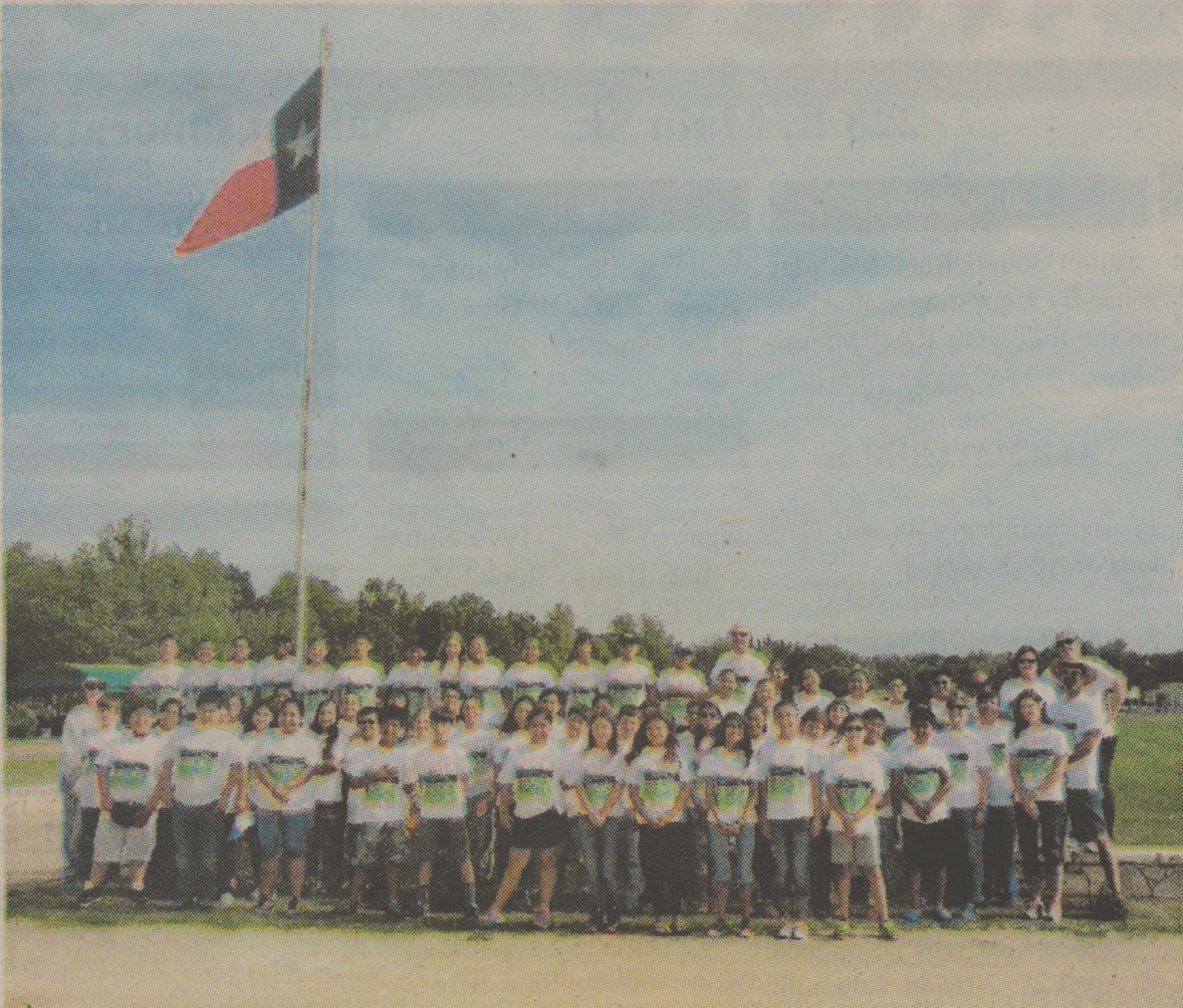
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Top: Students proudly wear their Arbor Day Shirts on a Beautiful Spring Afternoon. Left: Mayor Wanda Shurley reads a Proclamation on Arbor Day. Bottom: The Bank and Trust President Brady Johnson and Keep Sonora Beautiful Representative Susan Hall pose for a picture with Carolina Elizondo (the winner of the Arbor Day Poster Contest).



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Saturday May 2, 2015, 12 PM - 1 AM
Sutton County Fairgrounds/Slab

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