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**BETTY HUFFMAN'S HOUSE** on Avenue J has been chosen as the October Garden of the Month by the Ozona Garden Club for its beautiful landscape and colorful flowers.



**Levis & Lace Square Dance News**

By **TINA JARVIS**

**Levis and Lace Square Dancers**

Friday morning a caravan of Levis and Lace dancers traveled to Dallas to dance in the State Fair.

We relaxed Friday and became increasingly nervous as Saturday morning dance time arrived all too soon. Friday night we danced at the I-Hop for the "I danced at the I-Hop dangle, in a parking lot, tar baby dangle and on the grass for grasshopper dangles."

Dancers Carol and Leroy Adcock, Danny and Tammi Monzingo, Bobby and Karen McDonald, Frank and Debra Fred, Raul, De La Rosa and Debbie Gaskill, JoAnn Babbitt and Jim Couch, Nell Wester, Barry Stout and Martha Hammett from Odessa, Ed Eubank from Odessa and Ann Dody from Dallas, Polly and

Bill Griffin from Odessa, John and Nora Geen and myself danced two 20 minute tips both Saturday and Sunday.

After our performance on Saturday we all went to Razoo's and celebrated Raul's daughter Ruth, her husband David and her son John came and watched us. John was kind enough to run our video camera on Saturday and Debra Fred taped us on Sunday.

Martha's daughter and son-in-law and two grandchildren came and watched, Polly's daughter came to watch us, Leroy's son Trent and his wife LaDonna and Carol's sister Donna and her husband also came. Our practice really paid off we danced beautifully and were videoed taped by many people at the Fair.

As we walked around between our scheduled dance times enjoying the Fair we were asked by many peo-

ple to be photographed with us in our square dance apparel. We were also asked questions about square dancing and steered interested people to clubs in their areas.

We would like to thank everyone that participated and especially Carol and Leroy Adcock, Danny Monzingo and Bobby McDonald for all their hard work in putting this together and John Geen's oral presentation of the ethnic origin of the square dance.

We have been asked back next year and we are really excited about the square dance program being kept in the ethnic dance program.

We will have our regular dance on Saturday night at 8 p.m. at the Senior Building and we will dance to caller Bill Pritchard from Eagle Pass.

Keep it square and happy dancing!

**Answers on Aging coming Tuesday to the Senior Center**

The Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley Council of Governments will visit Ozona with their Answers on Aging and Community Outreach programs on Tuesday, Oct. 28.

Lindsey Elliott and Toni P. Gutierrez will be available from 2-3 p.m. at the Crockett County Senior Center.

Programs that are housed in the Area Agency on Aging include Advocacy (Texas Silver Haired Legislature), Benefits Counseling (Medicare Part D), Care Coordination (Prescription & Utility Assistance, Home Modifications), Caregiver Support (Respite Care), Foster Grandparent Program (Mentoring Children), Ombudsman Program (Advocates For Long-Term Care Residents), Senior Companion Program (Companions For The Elderly), and 2-1-1 of the Concho Valley (Health & Human Services Information).

Also, the community outreach

and assistance programs include: food stamps, temporary assistance for needy families, CHIP and Medicaid for children, women, pregnant women or people who are elderly or have disabilities.

For more information, call (325) 223-5704 or toll-free at 1-877-944-9666. The Texas Department of Aging and Disability Services funds services of the Area Agency on Aging of the Concho Valley.



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Oct. 24 - Josh Roman, Asa Bullard and Omar Rico

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Oct. 26 - Josie Ruiz, Marshall Hubbard, Bryce Hokit, Debbie Vordick, Debbie Bachman, Melissa Perner

Oct. 27 - Luann Pierce, Adrian De La Garza, Ray J. Villarreal and Tonya Poindexter

Oct. 28 - Turk Gonzales, Ronald Higginbottom, Donald Higginbottom, Billy Hoover and Emilee White

**REHAB to host clay shoot Nov. 8**

West Texas REHAB Center's annual Frank Caraway Sporting Clays Classic is set for Nov. 8 at the San Angelo Claybird Association.

Entry fee is \$150 through Friday, Oct. 24, and \$175 after that date.

Included in the fee will be: 100 targets per shooter; a random drawing for Beretta 391 shotguns, \$600 gift certificates from the Outdoorsman in San Angelo and \$500 cash; lunch catered by Kenny Blank; a plaque for the top scorer and a gift for each shooter from the Rehab Center.

There will be two rotations - 8:30 a.m. and noon. The event will also feature shooting games and both a silent auction and a fast-paced live auction.

Entry forms can be secured from the West Texas Rehab Center at 3001 S. Jackson in San Angelo, the Claybird Association office or by going to [www.rehabclayshoot.com](http://www.rehabclayshoot.com).

**Community Calendar**

**Wednesday, Oct. 22**

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Project Graduation meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Civic Center.

**Thursday, Oct. 23**

- Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- JV Lions vs. Crane, 6 p.m. at Crane.
- OMS Lions vs. Crane, 5 p.m. at Lion Stadium.

**Friday, Oct. 24**

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Nutrition/Food Pantry 9:30 a.m., Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.
- OHS Lions vs. Crane, 7:30 p.m. at Lion Stadium.

**Saturday, Oct. 25**

- Chamber of Commerce Banquet, 6 p.m. at the Fair Park Convention Center.
- Levis and Lace Square Dance, 8 p.m. at the Senior Center.

**Monday, Oct. 27**

- OHS and OMS Cross Country teams at the district meet at Alpine.
- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Ladies bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center.

**Tuesday, Oct. 28**

- Answers on Aging, 2-3 p.m. at the Senior Center.
- Ozona Chamber of Commerce Leadership Class Graduation, 6 p.m. at the Crockett Room.

**Wednesday, Oct. 29**

- Exercise Classes, 8:30 a.m. at the Senior Center.
- Project Graduation meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Civic Center.

**Project Graduation meeting tonight**

There will be a Project Graduation meeting at 6:30 p.m. tonight, Oct. 22, at the Civic Center.

Anyone interested in helping with Project Graduation is invited to attend.

For more information, call Amy Newton at 392-5616.

**Updated military addresses needed**

Updated military addresses are needed on all local active men and women.

Addresses can be taken to Syl-

via Lara at the Crockett County County Judge's office in the courthouse annex or by calling Lara at 392-2965.

**Church collecting military letters**

The Calvary Baptist Church is collecting letters to be mailed to active service military men and women for the upcoming holidays.

Letters may be addressed to someone specific or can be general. Letters are due by Oct. 30 and can be dropped off at The Ozona Stockman office. For more information, call 392-5241.

**Monthly Nutrition/Food Pantry program Friday**

The Nutrition/Food Pantry program will be held at 9:30 a.m. Friday, Oct. 24, at the Ozona United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

This class focuses on nutritious foods and spending your food money wisely. Recipes will be given. The class is open to all interested persons. However, in order to receive a food box, you must pre-register. For more information, call E.A. Wadsworth R.N. at 392-3060.

**FINAL INVITATION—PLAN TO JOIN US**

**44th Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet**  
**This Saturday—October 25, 2008**  
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**Reservation Deadline-Today!**  
Cocktail Reception & Silent Auction 6:00-7:00 p.m.—BYOB  
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Monies raised at the Chamber of Commerce banquet will be used to help develop an Interpretive Trail. This will be a trail system consisting of native plants, birds, butterflies and wildlife within our region. It will also feature the already completed Rain Harvest demonstration site. Its purpose will be to attract tourists (who spend their dollars in our community and local businesses), and will serve as a local and regional educational exhibit. The Interpretive Trail will be located on the east side of the Visitor Center property.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to say **THANK YOU** to the following individuals and businesses for their support and contributions:

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### Ozona Senior Happenings

By **LYNN ENGLISH**  
Senior Center Director

The butterflies have been beautiful hovering and on the fall blossoms. They will stay only a short while and soon will be gone. Enjoy them while you can.

We lost another nice Ozona lady last week. Pat Cain who worked for a number of years at Ozona National Bank passed away. We will all miss her smile and friendly personality in town. Our condolences go out to her friends and family.

Bryan Branch is back at the Senior Center after his hospital stay in Lubbock. We are all so happy to have him back with us. He was certainly missed.

I saw Ann Davidson at the post office and she asked why my column was not in the paper last week. I then explained to her that my computer was out of order and so was my printer.

Sometimes, I miss the good old

days when we could depend on the trusted typewriter. I am sorry that I missed last week.

We have not heard from Dee Keilers in a long time. We have all missed him very much.

I heard that he was in San Angelo taking treatments. If anyone has an address for him, please call me at 392-9094 so that we can send him good wishes.

Our Senior Bingo was Oct. 14. We had a great time. Katie Friend prepared the delicious goulash. She spent almost five hours on this dish and it was very good. Thank you, Katie for your hard work.

The Area Agency on Aging will be here at the Center on Tuesday, Oct. 28, to answer questions that senior citizens may have. There is a new program called the Community Outreach and Assistance Program. The coming staff will assist persons in completing the applications forms. The staff will be here from 2-3 p.m. at the Senior Center.

The "Walk Two Miles" ladies are still going strong. They meet every Monday, Wednesday and Friday here at the Senior Center at 8:30 a.m. This would be a good time to join this group and get the exercise you need to be healthy.

Monday and Thursdays at 1:30 p.m. is when the bridge players come to the Senior Center to play their favorite past time game. These ladies are faithful about coming and always have a fun afternoon.

We are continuing to have our regular activities: square dance lessons/dances, exercise class, bridge, bingo home health, pool, canasta and puzzles. We also have a collection of books and three computers that are on the Internet.

You are welcome to drop by and see what we are doing and you may add something that you would enjoy doing?

Our activities are for those who are 50 years young and older. We will remain flexible as to age.

### Care Center Chatter

By **ELSA VASQUEZ**  
Assistant Activity Director

The Levis and Lace Square Dancers were here Monday night. They traveled to the State Fair in Dallas this past weekend. We are proud of you all.

We had a great monthly meeting celebrating employee October birthdays with cake and a big thanks to John L. Henderson, Randy Branch and Eddie Martin for cooking the wonderful steaks for us. They were the best.

We give our deepest sympathies to the families that have lost loved ones. We are with you, we feel for you, but He is our refuge and strength.

Roylan Sullivan, she is something else. There is something so special and awesome about our volunteers. They are all wonderful.

Ann Shaw, Rusty Harris and Anna Yruegas donated Bingo prizes. Thank you to Josie Menodza for working for me Friday and Saturday. Without her I could not have gone to my seminar in Lubbock this weekend.

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**Healthy Living**  
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## The Top 10 Breast Cancer Myths

Editor's note: Starting this week, *Healthy Living* is a new column provided by Dr. Marcus Sims and Shannon Medical Center that will appear each month in *The Ozona Stockman*.

and drinking more than one alcoholic beverage a day. The biggest risk factors for breast cancer are being a woman and growing older.

For the past 20 years, October has officially marked Breast Cancer Awareness Month. More than 200,000 new cases of breast cancer were diagnosed in the U.S. last year, and it is likely 1 in 8 women will develop breast cancer during their lifetime.

This month is a good time to mark your calendar for your annual mammogram and to increase knowledge about preventing and treating this disease. One of my Shannon colleagues, Michelle Snuggs, M.D., who is the chief radiologist at the Shannon Women's Imaging and MRI Center, recently shared with me these top breast cancer myths that she often hears at the center.

- 5. A MOTHER'S FAMILY HISTORY OF BREAST CANCER IS THE ONLY IMPORTANT HISTORY.**  
A history of breast cancer in your mother's or your father's family will influence your risk equally, because half of your genes come from each side.
- 6. THE MOST IMPORTANT RISK FACTOR IS THE NUMBER OF RELATIVES WHO HAVE HAD BREAST CANCER.**  
The age of occurrence is more important than the number of relatives diagnosed. If your mother or sister was diagnosed with premenopausal breast cancer, your chances of getting the disease are doubled -- that is to say if, with no family history, you would have had a 1.5 percent chance of developing the disease in the next five years, with your history, your chance rises to 3 percent.
- 7. BREAST CANCER SHOULD BE REMOVED IMMEDIATELY BEFORE IT SPREADS.**  
Breast cancer is not usually an emergency, with the exception of inflammatory breast cancer. Most cancers 1 cm in size have been in the breast for 8-10 years. This gives more time to consider your options.
- 8. ALL BREAST CANCER PATIENTS RECEIVE THE SAME TREATMENT.**  
At one time, mastectomy was standard therapy, but now many women have more than one choice. The combination of lump removal (lumpectomy) and radiation is performed more commonly.
- 9. BREAST CANCER IS THE NUMBER ONE ENEMY OF WOMEN.**  
More American women actually die of heart disease and lung cancer. Early detection and innovative treatment options are now making it possible for many more women to live healthy, cancer-free lives. But despite this progress, approximately 40,200 deaths will occur from the disease this year - 400 of them will be men.
- 10. HIGH RISK WOMEN CAN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT THEIR RISKS.**  
There are several effective ways to reduce—but not eliminate—the risk of breast cancer in women at high risk. Options include lifestyle changes (minimize alcohol consumption, stop smoking, exercise regularly), medication, and in cases of very high risk, surgery may be offered (prophylactic mastectomies, and for some women, prophylactic ovary removal). Be sure that you have consulted with a physician or genetic counselor before you make assumptions about your level of risk.

## THE GREATEST DISASTER

It happened on April 26, 1986 when reactor #4 exploded and burned in USSR. It sent clouds of radioactive material all over and over 600,000 people were highly exposed. There was over 400 times more radioactive fallout than from the Atomic bomb in WWII. My wife and I had the opportunity to visit some of the hospitals where the people were being cared for. It was a very sad to go into the hospital wards and see many dying and see the look of no hope on their faces. We took a little food, some Bibles and all of things canned goats' milk to them. We started talking to them about how God loved them and that Christ died for them on the cross, (John 3:16, John 14:6) and that this is not all there is to life. After they heard this good news many wanted to accept Christ and they did, (John 1:12, John 5:24). These men were once big stout soldiers but now with fingers, hands, feet and legs rotting off were not even able to get out of bed. One man in particular, who was a major, did not want me to talk to him. He watched as I talked to other men and saw many of them pray to accept Christ. He finally motioned me over to his bed and with tears in his eyes he prayed to receive Christ, (John 20:31). There were changes in their faces that day, (1 John 5:11-13). See you in Church next Sunday. Brother J

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# Hudspeth tells the treasure tale of 'Dead Man's Hole'

By **MELISSA PERNER**  
Editor and Publisher

Despite the sinister sounding name, Dead Man's Hole in Jeff Davis County served a useful purpose.

Claude Hudspeth presented a program on Dead Man's Hole on Oct. 13 as part of Texas Archeological Awareness Month at the senior center. The event was sponsored by the Crockett County Museum.

During his slide show photography presentation, Hudspeth discussed Dead Man's Hole located 13 miles north of Valentine in Jeff Davis County.

The area was once home to two water stations after the Civil War on the Butterfield Stage line and the Ben Ficklin line. The stations remained there for 33 years until the railroad took over.

In an ariel photo, the road of the stage line can still be seen. Hudspeth said the location was named Dead Man's Hole because someone found a dead man in it.

"There is not much there but apparently it was once reliable," he said.

Photos during the presentation showed remains of small fireplaces, a single piece of adobe left from a house and an emerging hearth with stones located in the center and none around it.

There are also around 15 large bedrock mortars or Indian grinding holes around the area, Hudspeth said.

Scattered burned or fire-charged rocks are around the area, showing signs that people once camped and cooked there.

The most famous story of Dead

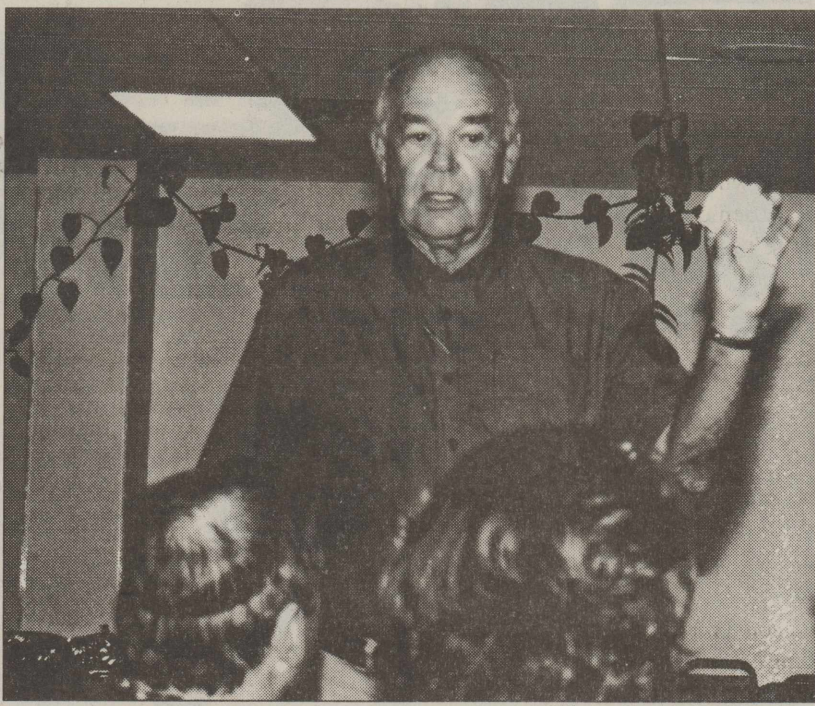


Photo by Melissa Perner

**CLAUDE HUDSPETH** shows a piece of fire rock during his Dead Man's Hole presentation on Oct. 13 at the Senior Center. The presentation was sponsored by the Crockett County Museum.

Man's Hole is the treasure hole located there.

The story goes that four men and 40 Mexicans raided Monterrey, Mexico and buried their loot in Jeff Davis County at Dead Man's Hole, Hudspeth said.

A man named Bill Cole spent 40 years digging to try and find this treasure. When he reached 80 feet, the only thing Cole found was water, in which he installed a windmill and began sending scuba divers down resulting in the death of one man, Hudspeth said. No treasure was ever found.

"I thought this was the biggest fiasco I had read in my entire life, but

it really happened," Hudspeth said.

Along with his presentation on Dead Man's Hole, Hudspeth also touched on some local archeology showing photos of a shelter on Jack Baggett Jr.'s ranch, one on the Ball Ranch in Val Verde County and a large one at Seminole Canyon State Park.

Hudspeth said true archeologists never pick up anything and he said it's important to learn from the findings.

"Sites have completely disappeared, especially in the east with urban sprawl taking over," he said. "Fortunately, things are not so serious for us in the west."

# From legend to history, 'La Adelita' comes alive in film, story and song

By **MELISSA PERNER**  
Editor and Publisher

The story of "La Adelita" has haunted Alberto Galindo his entire life.

During the Friends of the Library annual dinner on Oct. 14, Galindo presented his latest book "Un Cielo De Metralias" about the Mexican Revolution nurse.

Galindo said he fell in love with Adelita when he saw a picture of her when he was 12 years old. From there, her story keeps following Galindo until he finds her family and friends in Del Rio.

"This is the real story. The one that Mexico hasn't even seen yet," he said.

Galindo said a lot that he read about Adelita before he met her friends and family, was that she was "loved" by the troops in the war.

The truth is Adelita became a nurse in the revolution when she was just a little girl. A young sergeant falls in love with her and composes the now famous song about their love.

During one of the battles, the sergeant is killed and Adelita becomes disheartened with the war.

"She said the revolution became something horrible," Galindo said.

Adelita then disappears and becomes a secretary, until 1965 when a colonel who also knew her during the war finds her and marries her.

"They honeymoon all over the world. Her neighbors in Del Rio said she was the happiest lady and that she spoke English really well," Galindo said.

In 1971, Adelita died of cervical



Photo by Melissa Perner

**ALBERTO GALINDO** signs one of his books after his presentation of "La Adelita" during the Oct. 14 Friends of the Library dinner at the Civic Center.

cancer. She was buried in Del Rio with a small and simple tombstone, which is what she wanted, Galindo said.

Galindo said while he was speaking with her family, he was given photos and letters from her.

"I was a perfect stranger. Maybe they knew that I had been looking for her so long," he said.

Along with the book, Galindo presented a nine-minute documentary film starring him and also narrated by him.

A longer and bigger film is in the works, in which Galindo will star as an author looking for Adelita. Galindo also wrote the first script

for the new film, which is planning on being finished by Dec. 11.

"All of a sudden, I've become an actor," he said. "I'm blessed to be able to show her story to the world."

Galindo's book has been selected to be presented Dec. 11 at the Governors Palace in Saltillo, Coahuila as the best historical book of 2008.

It will then be presented in Monterrey on Dec. 20 at the Mexican History Museum for The Historical and Geographical Society of Coahuila, Mexico.

Galindo will be traveling to Mexico City in March 2009 and then on to Chicago in April 2009 to present his award-winning book.



**PATSY WHITE** (left) tells the history of Crockett County and the Davy Crockett Statue at the Permian Basin Historical Society held their Fall Program on Oct. 18 at the Crockett Room.

## Permian Basin Historical Society holds Fall Program in Ozona

Members of the Permian Basin Historical Society held their Fall Program on Oct. 18 at the Crockett Room.

During the general meeting, several members presented a variety of programs. Patsy White, of Ozona, talked about the history of Ozona and the Davy Crockett Statue.

Betty Hargus, of Fort Stockton, presented a history of Gibbs Field and the Winfield Hanger - World War II in Fort Stockton.

Don Jackson, of Sheffield, talked about "Who Was James W. Scott?"

Solving a Mystery in the Sheffield Cemetery.

Also from Sheffield, Suzanne O'Bryan presented a book review of "The Awful Truth, A Young Man's World War II Letters from the Philippines."

Russell Smith, of San Angelo, presented a book review on "The Gun That Never Was."

Members then presented various awards and door prizes, as well as enjoyed a catered lunch by Ozona Chatter Box.

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## Eighth Grade Lions hold on to beat Yellowjackets

By **MELISSA PERNER**  
Editor and Publisher

The Lions travel to Kermit to get a big 16-12 win over the Yellowjackets.

The first quarter was a defense battle both teams held scoreless.

In the second quarter, the Lions offensive line took over the game open holes for Nathan Leonard. Leonard replaced a hurt Blake Morrow.

"I am really proud of him, he played hard and did what he was asked to do," said Coach Amaro Villarreal.

Alex Borrego connected with Cuatro Jones for a 20-yard touch-

down pass. Borrego ran in the two-point conversion making the first half score 8-0.

In the third quarter, Borrego ran a 5-yard touchdown and the 2-point conversion making the score 16-0.

The Yellowjackets scored twice in the third and fourth quarters, making the score 16-12 for the Lions victory.

The play of the defense line of Brandon De Hoyos, Brandon Dominguez, Robert Hernandez, Cuatro Jones, Joaquin Meza, Adam Gonzales and R.J. Martinez did a good job of holding the running back in check, Villarreal said.

The linebackers and second-

ary did their job by helping out, and Matthew Galindo and Jason Badillo did a great job in special team, Villarreal said.

"These two individuals (Galindo and Badillo) flew down the field to make the tackles, which were huge not allowing the Yellowjackets to break for touchdowns," Villarreal said. "I so proud of our team. We had a good week of practice and it paid off. We had some injuries and other players on our team stepped up and did a good job."

The Lions will play Crane at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at Lion Stadium.



Photo By Joe Hernandez

**BAILEY BADILLO** sprints down the field to gain some yards for the JV Lions.

## Seventh Grade Lions lose a tough one to Kermit

By **MELISSA PERNER**  
Editor and Publisher

The Ozona Lions seventh grade football team was defeated by the Kermit Yellowjackets 22-8 last Thursday night.

The 'Jackets opened the scoring on a 58-yard touchdown run. Kermit converted the two-point conversion and led at the end of the first quarter by a score of 8-0.

The Lions immediately responded by driving the ball down the field with a combination of runs and passes.

Ozona's Saul Benson and Daniel Gonzalez provided the running punch and quarterback E.Z. Rivas

completed two passes in the drive.

The Lions were able to drive the ball to the Kermit 10-yard line and looked to tie the game at this point.

On the next play, the Lions fumbled the ball at the Kermit 3-yard line preventing them from possibly tying the game.

Two plays later the Lion defensive line responded by sacking the Kermit quarterback in the endzone for a safety.

The score became 8-2 in favor of Kermit and remained that way at the end of the first half.

Kermit added another touchdown in the third quarter to stretch their lead to 16-2.

Ozona responded with a 61-yard touchdown pass from Rivas to Gonzalez making the score 16-8.

Once again, the Lions had a chance to stop Kermit. The 'Jackets responded with another touchdown via a long run, making the score 22-8.

"We played with much more urgency this week and moved the ball well at times," said Coach Ted Rohan. "We need to tackle better and make more plays behind their line of scrimmage. They gave great effort and showed signs of improvement in the passing game. Thanks to all who came to the game."

The Lions will face Crane at 5 p.m. Thursday at Lion Stadium.



Photo By Joe Hernandez

**JV LION MILTIO CASTRO** (r.) is backed up by (l. to r.) Lane Hale, Andy Trevino and Stefan Wilson.

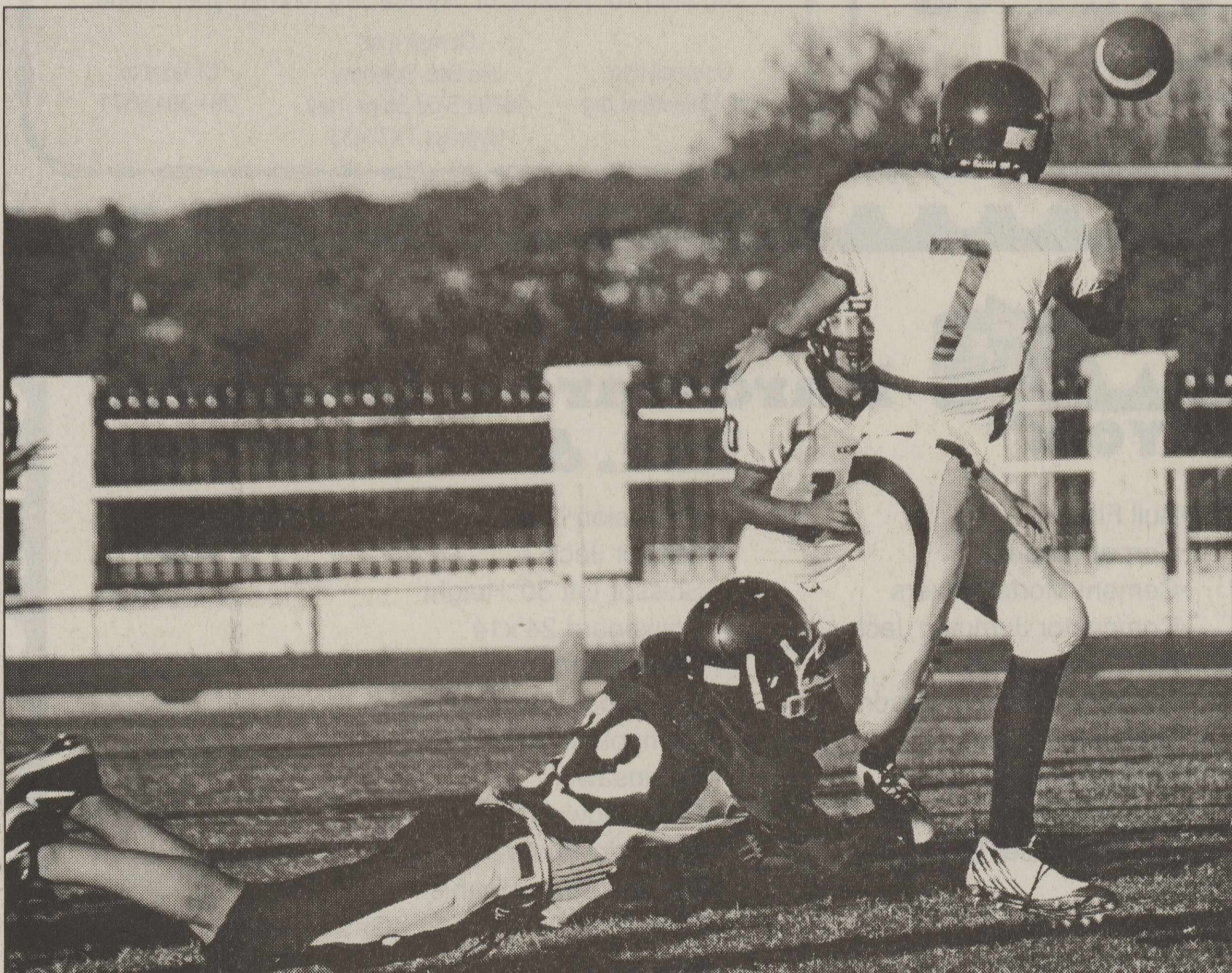


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**AUSTIN SUDDRETH** reaches out to take down the Kermit JV quarterback as he hurries off a pass to a receiver.

## JV Lions lose to 'Jackets

By **MELISSA PERNER**  
Editor and Publisher

touchdown pass from Kyle Dean. Josh Ramos also caught a 40-yard pass from Dean.

The JV Lions lost 48-6 to Kermit last Thursday.

Bailey Badillo caught the only

The Lions will face Crane at 6:30 p.m. at Crane.



Photo By Joe Hernandez

**LANE HALE** (l.) throws a great block to give JV Lion Miltio Castro some running room.



Photo By Joe Hernandez

**KYLE DEAN** RUNS THE BALL for the JV Lions in their Oct. 16 game in Lion Stadium.

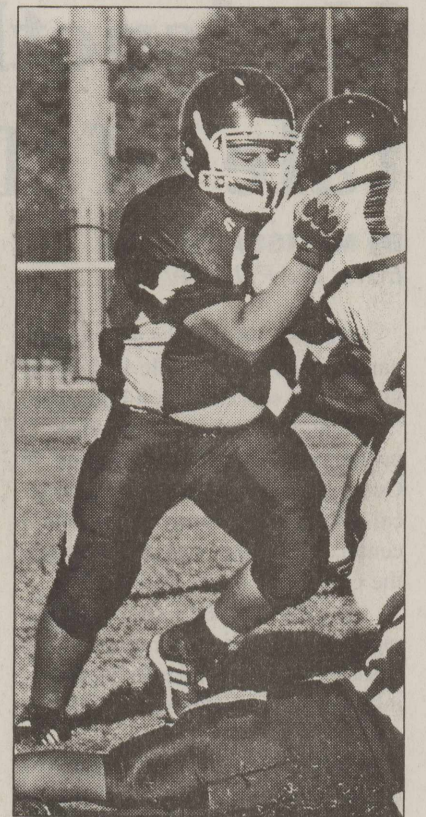


Photo By Joe Hernandez

**MICHAEL MEDINA, JR.** produces some great blocking for the JV Lions in their Oct. 16 game against the Kermit Yellowjackets.

### ATHLETES OF THE WEEK



**Abey Lara**

Had one interception, four solo tackles and four assists.



**Rebecca Ramos**

Placed second in the cross country meet



**Fabian Onate**

Varsity Cross Country



**Nathan Leonard**

8th Grade Football



**Daniel Gonzalez**

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**Dean Wadsworth wins at University Rodeo**

The McNeese State University Rodeo Team won the men's competition at the Southwest Texas Junior College rodeo in Uvalde Oct. 9-11. Dean Wadsworth, of Ozona, placed first in saddle bronc riding with 76 points. Wadsworth is a 2006 graduate of Ozona High School. He is the son of Kenny and E.A. Wadsworth of Ozona.

**The annual bonfire has been rescheduled for**

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REBECCA RAMOS (l.) placed second in the Monahans Cross Country Meet. Vanessa Rodriguez (r.) came in seventh.

**Cross country teams compete at Monahans**

By MELISSA PERNER  
Editor and Publisher

The OHS Cross Country teams competed at the Monahans meet this past weekend.

For the Lady Lions, Rebecca Ramos was second and Vanessa Rodriguez seventh.

For the Lions, Stefan Wilson was 16th and Fabian Onate 25th. Also running was Jesse Ramos, Bailey Badillo and Austin Whitten.

The OHS and OMS teams will compete at the district meet Monday at Alpine.

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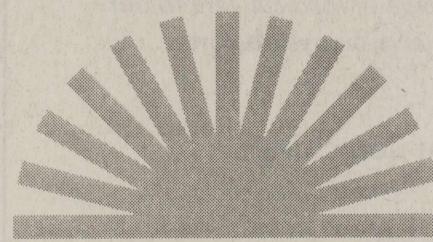
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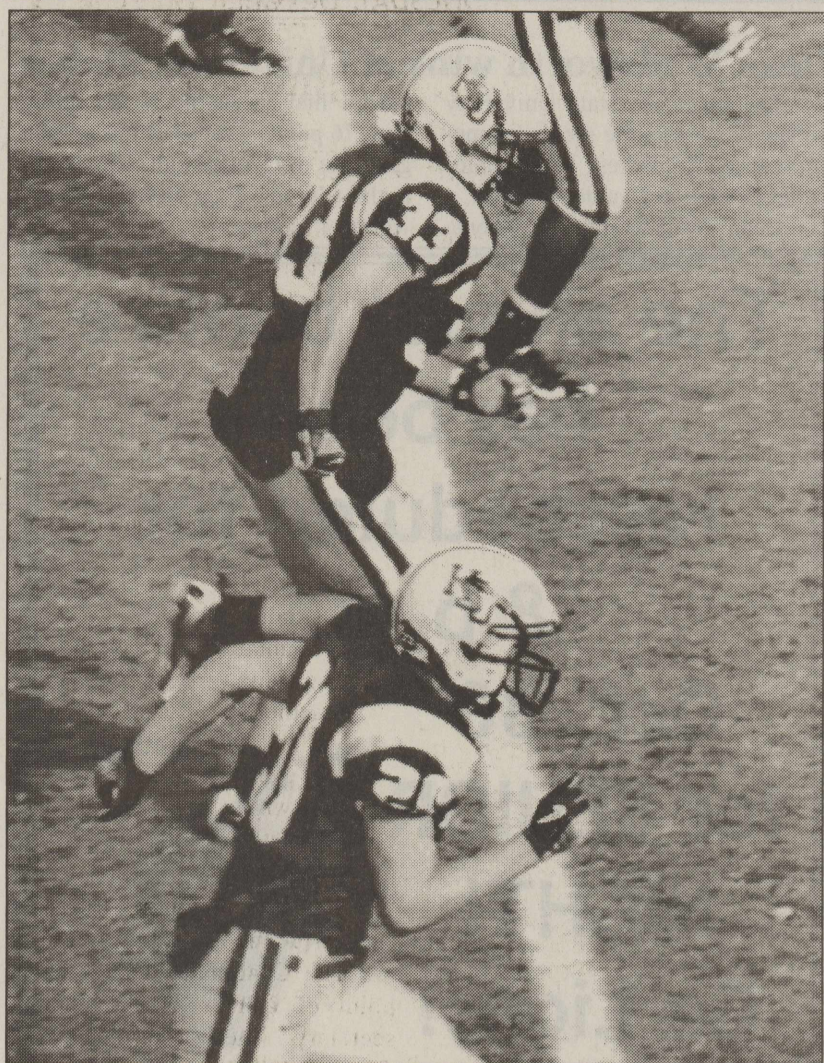


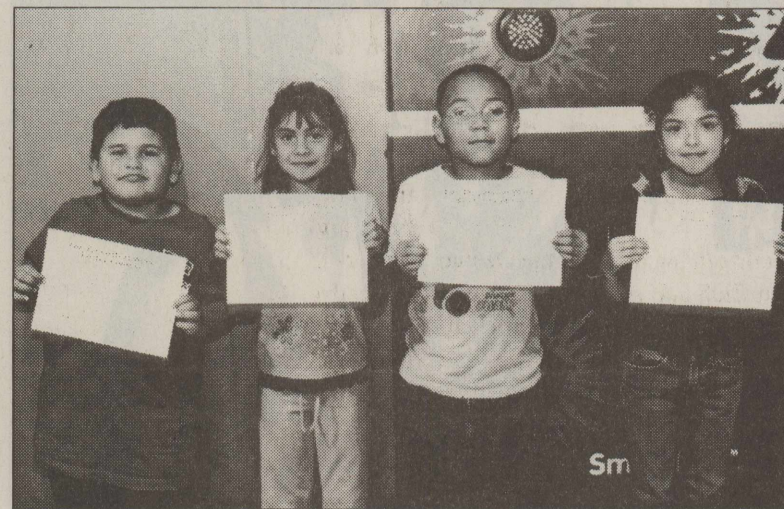
Photo submitted by Renee Taylor

**TWO FORMER OZONA LIONS** are now a part of the Hardin-Simmons Cowboys football team. Jarryd Taylor (#33 top) and Jordan Long both start on the varsity team for the Cowboys. Both players are former All West Texas and All District standouts. Jarryd is a 2004 graduate of Ozona High School and the son of Steve and Renee Taylor, formerly of Ozona; Jordan is a 2007 graduate of Ozona High School and the son of Brooks and Debbie Long, of Ozona.

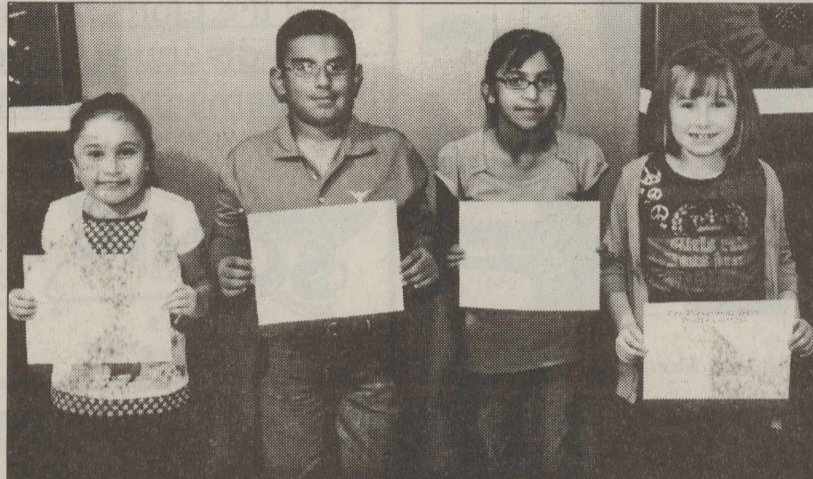
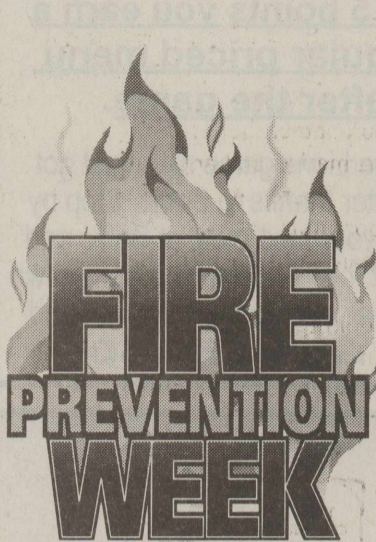
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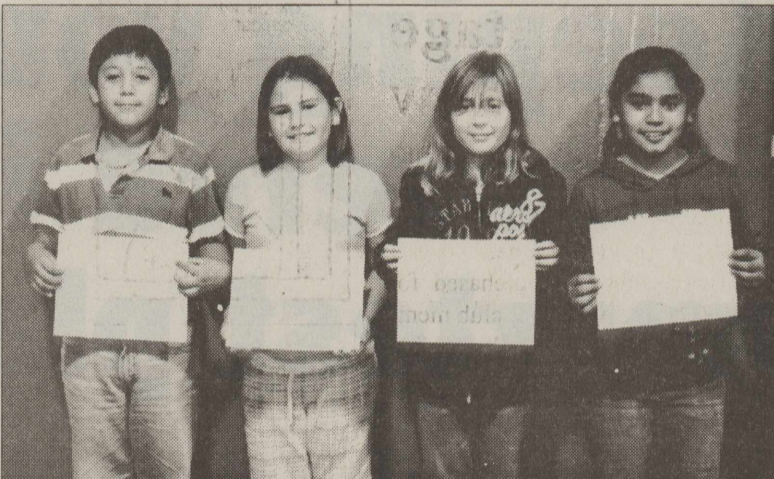
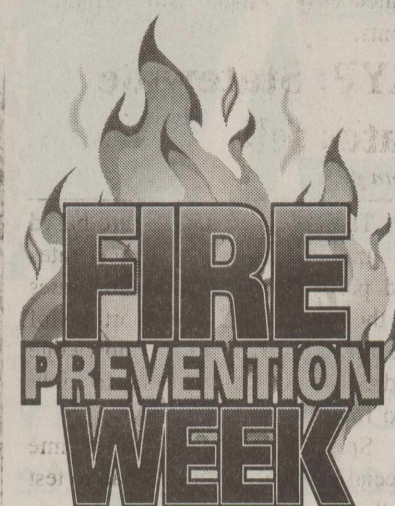
**FIRST GRADE:** (left to right) Peyton Rohan, third place; Avery Edinburg, second; Roslynn Jade Mendez, first and Zachary Talamantez, best in class.



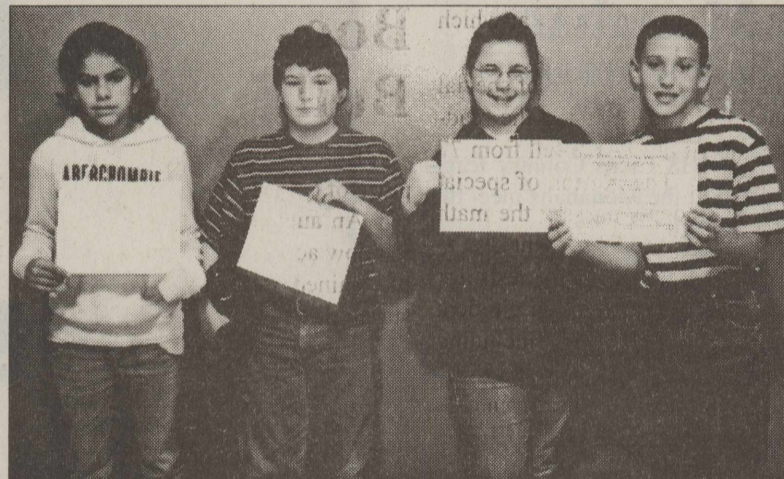
**SECOND GRADE:** (left to right) Kyle Lewis, third; Esperanza Ramirez, second; Xavier Coward, first and Jazmin Hernandez, best in class.



**THIRD GRADE:** (left to right) Josae Coy, best in class; Mark Ybarra, third; Alejandra Camarillo, second and Brenna Hale, first.



**FOURTH GRADE:** (left to right) Thomas Cruz, best in class; Jennifer Paige Lewis, third; Kelly Sewell, second and Rachel Mendoza, first.



**FIFTH GRADE:** (left to right) Rikki Chavez, best in class; Tyer Gunnels, third; Lauren Miles, second and Bryce Martin, first.

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## Ozona Woman's League News

By **MELISSA PERNER**  
Ozona Woman's League

Members of Ozona Woman's League held a meeting Oct. 14.

Ellen Brown from West Texas REHAB was the guest speaker presenting members with a draft of the letter they will be sending out asking for REHAB Telethon donations in

December. Ellen also passed out a few copies of the list of donor names and addresses. The list needs to be updated and back to Ellen by Nov. 10.

Andie Richardson presented members with the opportunity to conduct a Christmas fund-raiser of selling wreaths and greenery. Members voted to pursue this replacing last year's poinsettia fund-raiser, since the poinsettia company is no longer in business. Andie will present more details on the new fund-raiser at the next meeting.

The annual Christmas party has been changed to Dec. 12 at the Ozona Country Club.

New member voted into league was Myranda Stokes.

The next meeting will be at 6 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 28, at Vicki Childress's house. This meeting is the annual Breast Cancer Awareness program by E.A. Wadsworth and Elizabeth Upham. Vicki will also have her house decorated for Halloween and members and their children are encouraged to dress up.

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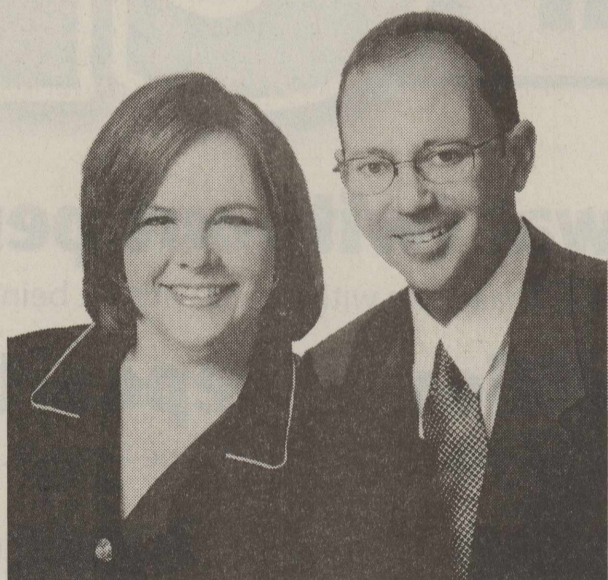
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# Ozona Garden Club News

By CHARLOTTE HARRELL  
Ozona Garden Club

Fourteen members of the Ozona Garden Club and several guests met Monday, Oct. 13, at the Crockett Room.

Jeannine Henderson and Esther Williams were hostesses for the Fall Foliage Way meeting.

Tom Ridgway of Ridgway Florist's of San Angelo presented a fall design program, using colorful fall flowers and foliage as he demonstrated easy-to-make table arrangements.

## AYP: Statewide rates fell

from page 1

The federal standards are based on graduation or attendance rates and participation and passing rates or the reading and math portions of the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills for grades three to eight and 10.

Spring 2008 was the first time special education students had to test in the grade in which they are enrolled, rather than the level at which they are taught.

Statewide, the portion of special education students passing the reading portion of the TAKS fell from 77 to 62 percent. The portion of special education students passing the math test fell from 74 to 50 percent.

Passing rates on both tests for all students and for other student groups that are tracked — including African American, Hispanic, white and economically disadvantaged students — essentially remained the same.

In Ozona, 40 percent of special education students met standards in reading, while 26 percent met standards in math. Last year the numbers were 46 percent reading and 48 percent math, when the students were tested on their grade level, not the grade level they are enrolled in.

In the report, Gott said Ozona's special education students did well in some areas and not so well in others, but that that the district maintained the ratio of less than three percent of students taking the TAKS-Modified test.

Gott said there are some districts in the region that have not met their AYP for three years and are calling Gott to see how Ozona is meeting theirs.

Gott also said that the federal government also rewards districts, like Ozona, who maintain their ratios of having students take the TAKS on grade level and stay below the three percent.

For districts who did not meet standards, sanctions can be placed on the school districts that include having to pay to have students tutored or transferred to other schools.

U.S. Department of Education officials have said that special education students were a forgotten group and that the change was to ensure that expectations and achievement levels for that group were raised.

Texas Education Agency spokeswoman Suzanne Marchman said that the education agency had no plans to change how special education students are tested for federal accountability purposes in the coming year.

"Unfortunately, we are bound by the rules and regulations of the federal government on this," she said.

- information from the Austin American-Statesman contributed to this report.

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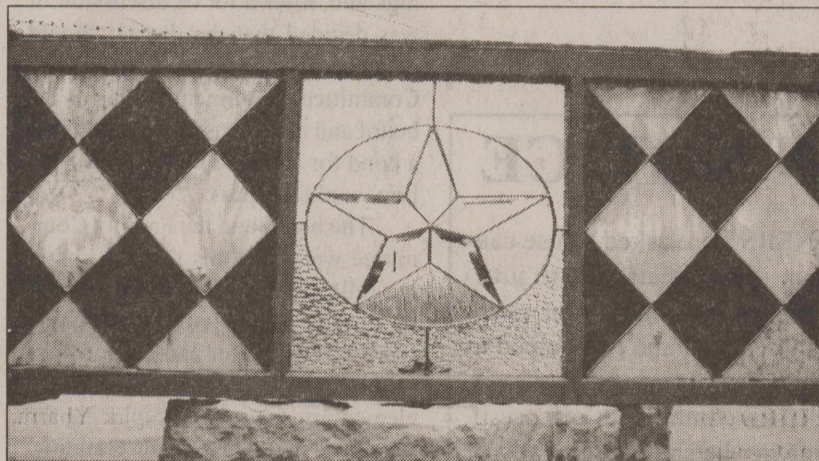
Mr. Ridgway's presentation was full of tidbits of information, ranging from informative tips on arranging flowers to the state of his family. At the end of the program, those persons able to answer his quiz questions won the arrangements.

Ozona Garden Club was delighted to welcome several guests who subsequently decided to join the club: Sadie Davidson, Barbara Meador, Diane Phillips and Kathleen Shott. Rosalind Williams was also a guest.

President Jerri Lynn Pierce conducted the business meeting. The let-

ter of appeal for funds for the Live Oak Park Butterfly Garden project was circulated for the final approval by the members. Charlotte Harrell encouraged members to attend the upcoming TGC state convention in San Angelo, Oct. 15-17.

Members present were Marolyn Bean, Tina Bean, Alice Brewer, Arlene Clayton, Charlotte Harrell, Jeannine Henderson, Virginia Hubbard, Louise Ledoux, Pamela Maresch, Dorothy Montgomery, Jerri Lynn Pierce, Carmen Sutton, Jan Van Shoubrouek and Esther Williams.



## Booster club raffling Heritage Building stain glass window

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## ACADEMY: Transition focuses on discipline, education

from page 1

This transition begins with discipline and a focus on education. The ChalleNGe High School, a part of the Iraan-Sheffield Independent School District is located at the TCA facility.

The school focuses on four core academic studies: math, science, social studies and English.

ChalleNGe High School has 10 full-time instructors and one on-call substitute teacher. Candra Cade is the school principal.

Several staff members and team leaders relocated to Sheffield after Hurricane IKE damaged the Galveston Seaborne ChalleNGe Corps facility on Sept. 13.

These dedicated professionals have helped ensure continuity of the program during the transition.

Area residents are encouraged to contact the Academy for job information and applications.

There are approximately 50 positions at the Academy and many jobs are still vacant.

Mr. Weir said the TCA is looking for qualified individuals in a variety of positions and skill sets who are committed to helping

the TCA and the cadets achieve success.

"Moving from Galveston to Sheffield after Hurricane IKE was not an easy task," said Colonel Tony West, Joint Counterdrug Task Force commander. "However, it is well worth the effort for our cadets' sake."

West has oversight of the Texas ChalleNGe Academy.

"This relocation effort has truly been an awesome display of teamwork — community leaders, school administrators, Galveston's Seaborne ChalleNGe Corps employees, the Sheffield workforce, Texas Joint Military Forces Soldiers, Airmen and military leaders, as well as state agencies — Texans working together to continue the outstanding legacy of the Texas National Guard ChalleNGe Program," West said.

The adjustment to the remote area was difficult for some cadets, several decided to return to their family after visiting the facility.

The remaining cadets show great determination and desire to continue the program and gradu-

ate Dec. 20.

"We appreciate and thank the hard work and dedication of the staff, the facility and the communities of Iraan and Sheffield," Weir said. "The community has come forward and graciously provided several homemade hot meals, purchased pizza and cooked hamburgers for the cadets. The cadets really appreciated the show of community interest and involvement."

The cadets attending the Texas ChalleNGe Academy have many mountains to climb, not just the ones visible from Sheffield.

Whether it is academic, overcoming bad choices, hasty decisions or even just running around with the wrong crowd, each individual cadet is determined to overcome their personal challenges and "climb their mountain" toward a successful and rewarding future.

The ChalleNGe High School point of contact is the campus secretary, Shelly Hartman. The Texas ChalleNGe Academy and ChalleNGe High School can be reached at (432) 836-4690.

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| JULY 1, 2008 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 |                     |                   |                   |                       |                     |                     |
|   | JULY 1, 2008        |                   |                   | SEPTEMBER 30, 2008    |                     |                     |
|   | BEGINNING BALANCE   | RECEIPTS          | TRANSFERS IN      | CASH DISBURSEMENTS    | TRANSFERS OUT       | ENDING BALANCE      |
| GENERAL FUND:                           | \$ 7,084,721.56     | 280,449.74        |                   | (1,945,555.37)        | (431,702.25)        | 4,987,913.68        |
| ROAD & BRIDGE:                          | 1,883,971.35        | 77,748.92         |                   | (418,576.90)          |                     | 1,543,143.37        |
| CARE CENTER :                           | (58,444.08)         | 456,816.12        | 249,339.00        | (764,716.59)          |                     | (117,005.55)        |
| HSC:                                    | 340,771.15          | 0.00              | 182,363.25        | (522,907.82)          |                     | 226.58              |
| EMS:                                    | 10,236.50           | 57,127.63         |                   | (63,482.00)           |                     | 3,882.13            |
|   | <b>9,261,256.48</b> | <b>872,142.41</b> | <b>431,702.25</b> | <b>(3,715,238.68)</b> | <b>(431,702.25)</b> | <b>6,418,160.21</b> |





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