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Veterans Day events, closings

Today, Nov. 11, is Veterans Day.

Crockett County CCSD has planned a morning full of events and the annual Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner will take place tonight.

School events:
· 8:30-9:15 a.m. Breakfast at Ozona Elementary School Library provided by

the Ozona High School.

· 9:20 a.m. Procession into the OES Gym followed by a program at 9:30 a.m. sponsored by OES with a performance by the Fourth Grade Music Class.

· 10:15 a.m.-11:15 a.m. Veterans can tour OES and visit classrooms.
· 11:40 a.m. Meet outside

Ozona Middle School and Procession into OMS.

· Noon Lunch provided by OMS at the middle school library.

The annual Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner will be at 5 p.m. tonight at the Civic Center.

All veterans, spouses and families are welcome. Dinner

is free to veteran and spouse. All other guests, cost is \$5 donation.

The Crockett County Museum also has its annual Veterans Exhibit on display during November. Everyone is invited to tour the museum and see the display.

"This year we are asking everyone to join Walmart's

campaign to Greenlight a Vet in support of those who have served in the military and their families. A green light means go and that's what veterans are known for, their ability to take action quickly no matter the challenge," said Frank Tambunga, Crockett County Veteran. "Their involvement in the communi-

ties is central to our nation's success."

Businesses that will be closed today are Crockett County Offices, U.S. Postal Service and local banks.

Postal delivery of The Ozona Stockman newspapers will be delayed due to the post office being closed today.

County seeking bids on animal control fence

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Commissioners' Court approved to advertise for bids for a new fence at the animal control shelter.

During their regular meeting Monday, Animal Control Officer Joe Jurado spoke to the commissioners about adding a fence to the back of the shelter.

Jurado said the fence will allow shelter employees to work with some of the more dangerous animals without fear of them escaping. It will also allow employees to keep dangerous dogs away from the public eye and give dogs a place to run and exercise.

"I think our shelter is the perfect model of what a shelter in a community our size should look like. The fence is one of the last pieces in to making it one of the best," Jurado said.

Jurado presented a quote for \$22,000 for the fence from Venegas Construction.

County Judge Fred Deaton said it would be best

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for Animal Control Fence page 10

if the county advertised for bids on the fence.

Road Department Supervisor Jeffrey Stuart said he had funds in his building maintenance budget for the fence.

Jurado also said he had \$7,500 set aside for security in his budget that could be used toward the fence.

Bids will be opened at a special commissioners' meeting on Nov. 23.

ANIMALS IN DRAW

Jurado said he is meeting with the Crockett Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Directors on Nov. 17 to discuss animals being in the draw.

Jurado said he would like to publish a notice in The Ozona Stockman and place signs not allowing animals or livestock in the draws.

Jurado said he has seen people working horses in the draws.

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Moses medals at state meet

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

ROUND ROCK - The OHS Cross-Country State Qualifiers faced a muddy course Saturday at the UIL State Meet in Old Settlers Park.

Senior McKenna Moses was the top runner for Ozona placing third out of 151 runners in the Class 2A girls division.

"My high school cross country career is officially over. It's bitter-sweet really. I have a love-hate relationship with the sport," Moses posted on Twitter after the race. "Although I am sad that it's over, I'm happy with my results. My sophomore year at the state cross country meet, I set a goal for myself. After years of work, with blood sweat and tears, I finally accomplished what I've been trying to do. I could not be happier and more thankful for everyone



MCKENNA MOSES placed third after surviving the muddy course at the UIL State Cross-Country Meet Saturday at Old Settlers Park in Round Rock.

JOE HERNANDEZ | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Filing begins Saturday for March Primary

Filing begins Saturday, Nov. 14, for candidates wanting to run for office in the 2016 March Primary Election.

Local offices up for election include County Commissioner seats, Precinct 1 and 3, County Attorney, Tax Assessor-Collector, Sheriff and 112th District Attorney.

Frank Tambunga currently holds the Commissioner Precinct 1 seat and Randy Branch holds the Commissioner Precinct 3 seat.

Jody Upham currently holds the County Attorney seat, Michelle Medley holds the Tax Assessor-Collector seat and Robert Rodriguez holds the Sheriff position.

Laurie English currently holds the 112th District Attorney seat.

State Rep. Andrew Murr, R-Junction, has announced he will run for reelection. His seat is up next year.

State Senator Carlos Urresti, D-San Antonio, has also announced he will be running for reelection next year.

In a race that is expected to be highly watched, U.S. Rep. Will Hurd, R-San Antonio, will be looking to keep his congressional seat.

Former congressman Pete Gallego, D-Alpine, has announced he will be running for the District 23 position as well.

Those interested in filing can do so Crockett County Clerk's Office at the courthouse annex or they can contact Sandy Stokes, local Democratic Party Chair, or Heidi Williams, local Republican Party Chair.

Lions advance to playoffs

BY MELISSA PERNER
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Ozona Lions secured a playoff spot Friday night after defeating the McCamey Badgers 24-22 at Lion Stadium.

"I am very proud of a team that has come a long way since the beginning of the season. We have had to jump over hurdle after hurdle and scrape, scratch, and claw our way into a playoff spot, but in the end our kid's tenacity held out," said Coach Edward Perez.

Tommy Fay had two touchdowns for the Lions, including an 82-yard



OZONA LION JADON PEREZ (left) looks for an opening to run as Jose Ojeda assists during Friday's game against McCamey. The Lions won 24-22 securing a spot in the playoffs.

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Defining leadership in a small business environment

This past week I had the opportunity to spend some time defining what "leadership" meant to me and how it is important in the work environment. As business owners, we encourage our staff to be leaders, to set an example. If you are in business or planning to be in business, you might find yourself looking for leadership, either in staff, mentors or even within yourself. After reading different articles, I found the following important things to remember when talking about leadership.

Leadership has nothing to do with seniority or one's position in the hierarchy of a company. Leadership doesn't automatically happen when you reach a certain pay grade. On the other hand, when trying to de-



BUSINESS TIPS
ADRIANA B. HAVINS

fine leadership through soft skills, mostly leadership is associated with charismatic people. We don't need extroverted charismatic traits to practice leadership. And those with charisma don't automatically lead. Business owners need to remember that leadership and management are not synonymous. Managers need to plan, coordinate, measure, monitor, solve, hire, fire, and so many other things. Typically, managers manage things where leaders lead people. Luckily enough you might be able to hit the jack-

pot and be a manager or hire one with excellent leadership skills. What we must remember when trying to develop and embrace the idea of being a leader is that a leader overnight is not made, created or born. The definition of leadership might help you implement strategies in your business development which you can then complement with the necessary flexibility and emotional intelligence to succeed as a business leader. The author of the book "Hacking Leader," Mike Myatt, condenses leadership very well. He

states, "Leadership means many things to many people. And not all forms of leadership are created equal. Leadership can represent a pursuit, discipline, practice, passion, skill, competency, obligation, or duty. Leadership driven by any of these constructs can be effective, but where leadership really gets interesting is when it combines all of these traits to become purpose driven. The best leaders understand the critical importance of transforming personal values into a greater sense of purpose. It is only at the point

where leaders become committed to a purpose that they're able to surrender to it and let purpose guide their approach to leadership. It's often this revelation that transforms leaders in title only into passionate purpose-driven leaders." At the end, it is a set of skills combined with emotional intelligence what molds a leader.

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Thank you for your service

I have always been conflicted when someone says "Thank you for your service." To me it was my honor and pleasure to serve and I didn't join to seek recognition. I know many veterans who feel the same way, but I still feel obliged to thank them since only a small fraction of our nation has worn a military uniform.



HURDON THE HILL
WILL HURD

second deployment and was medically retired from the military; however my dedication to service remained. Following medical retirement,

it became my life's purpose to give back and assist my fellow service members still in the fight, and veterans of all eras. I have been busy volunteering with Veteran focused non-profit organizations, I have served as an amputee peer visitor at the Brooke Army Medical Center in San Antonio, and I have gone back to complete my Master's Degrees in Policy and Social Work.

To me there is nothing quite as unique or as fulfilling as military service. Talk to ten service members or veterans and you will hear ten different stories of how they ended up in the military, but all of their stories will have some common threads -- selflessness, a sense of common purpose, and a calling to a purpose outside oneself. My calling to military service began at a young age. Both of my grandfathers served in the Army during the Second World War and my father received two purple hearts during his service as a medevac pilot during Vietnam. I was honored to enlist in the Army after high school as the next generation of my family to serve. I served for just less than ten years (9 years, 10 months and 22 days to be exact) and it was the most rewarding and fulfilling job I have ever had. There is a certain camaraderie that develops among today's service members in the all-volunteer force that would be hard, if not impossible, to replicate in any other environment.

During my service, I deployed to South and Central America as part of "The War on Drugs," supported disaster relief missions, and deployed to Iraq twice with the 101st Airborne, during Operation Iraqi Freedom. I was injured in Iraq during my

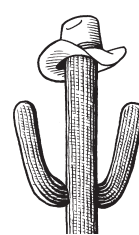
Prior to joining Team Hurd, I spent three years as an Army Wounded Warrior Advocate assisting wounded soldiers and their families successfully transition back into the civilian world. It was a very rewarding position helping soldiers and families, and I soon realized that I wanted to help veterans on a larger scale.

I joined Team Hurd in August as a way to continue serving our nation's military members and veterans at the individual level, while having the opportunity to affect change at the national level. As a fellow veteran, I recognize the selfless sacrifices the veterans of the 23rd Congressional District of Texas have made for our country and want to ensure that they receive the best possible service.

To my fellow Veterans, allow me to say "Thank you for serving" and Happy Veterans Day.

WILL HURD represents the 23rd District of Texas, which includes Crockett County. Contact him at: <http://hurd.house.gov>

Bald, Blind & Bloody



IT'S THE PITTS

LEE PITTS

I'm glad to see that men are growing more beards, mustaches and sideburns because growing facial hair is one one the few things left in this world that women can't do. At least most women. With the sissification of our society I find it refreshing that hairy men are saying, "By gosh, I'm a man and I will grow a Duck Dynasty beard, soup strainer or a cookie duster if I want to. I'll leave my bed unmade, watch Sports Center, ride shotgun without telling the driver how to drive, leave the lid up, go the restroom without a support group and take my shirt off on a hot day if I want to and I dare you women to do likewise."

Having said that, you may have noticed that I'm clean shaven. My face is as smooth as a baby's bottom, although not as stinky.

Some have even suggested I wear a sign on my head that says, "This side up." There are reasons why I shave. It's proper hygiene and I don't go around with dried meringue, whipped cream or yesterday's lunch in my mustache.

Just because I don't have a mustache do not assume I still live with my mother, carry a man-purse, watch chick flicks while I lay in a bubble bath with rose petals where I sip herbal tea and listen to a tape of ocean waves.

I assure you, I do not go to baby showers or wax my legs. I still control the remote in my house. (When my wife's not

home.) It's just that I'm fuzzy faced. I can grow hair all right... it's just in all the wrong places.

On top my head, not so much, but you should see the hair that grows out of my nose and ears. I've even toyed with the concept of training my nose hairs into a mustache and my ear hairs into mutton chops.

My lack of facial hair pains me greatly. Going

all the way back to Mark Twain humorists have always had mustachios.

Maybe it explains why I'm not a good entertainer or a cowboy poet who can twirl the ends of his waxed mustache. I was invited once to be in a celebrity beard growing contest but all I got was a "participation" ribbon. They couldn't find my "beard" with the aid of a magnifying glass.

My problem with shaving has to do with the fact that I'm legally blind in 12 states. And I can't wear my glasses while shaving because they fog up.

When I get a haircut and the barber asks me if I like his work I lie because I can't see the mirror three feet away. If he cut half an ear off I'd say "Sure, great job. Nice haircut."

When I'm done shaving one sideburn

is invariably two inches higher than the other, my lip is split and I have two dozen little pieces of TP on my face to stop the flow of blood before I bleed out. If you think it's funny just try shaving with your eyes closed and you'll see what I have to contend with. With all the moles, warts and other speed bumps on my face it's like trying to plow around a stump.

I'm sensitive about my suboptimal facial hair because that's how we measure manliness these days. Just watch an NFL game and you'll see that none of the participants shaved recently to scare the foe, and here I am with a fuzzy face. But I swear, I've worked in the oilfields, was a cowboy, got in my share of fights in school, wrestled, boxed and have eaten at the counter with striking longshoreman. I'm a lunch bucket type of guy. I just can't grow hair where I need to.

Believe me, I'd like to not shave but when I go without shaving for two weeks I end up looking like a homeless old prospector.

Alas, I cannot tell a lie. The primary reason I'd like to grow a beard is the high cost of razor blades. Have you seen how expensive they are? I could stoop to using those cheap, pink throwaway razors that women use to shave their legs but that would kinda defeat the whole purpose of me trying to prove I'm a man's man, now wouldn't it?

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Governor conditions issuance of grants on compliance with ICE

AUSTIN — Gov. Greg Abbott says Texas sheriffs won't receive grant funds from his Criminal Justice Division unless they comply with U.S. Immigration & Customs Enforcement notification and detention requests.

In a Nov. 4 letter, Abbott wrote to sheriffs: "Beginning now, all Criminal Justice Division grant awards will require that sheriffs departments fully honor ICE's detention requests for criminal immigrants. Any applicant that cannot certify that their office will honor all ICE detainers for criminal immigrants will be ineligible for CJD funding. Further, any applicant that certifies full compliance with ICE detainer requests—but subsequently fails to honor an ICE detainer—will be subject to claw-back provisions and must refund the full amount of their CJD grant award."

"As governor," Abbott continued, "I simply will not allow CJD grant funding

STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS

By Ed Sterling | Texas Press Association

administered by this office to support law enforcement agencies that refuse to cooperate with a federal law enforcement program that is intended to keep dangerous criminals off Texas streets."

On Oct. 26, Abbott sent a letter to Dallas County Sheriff Lupe Valdez, calling on her to reverse her office's policy "of not detaining all criminal immigrants" pursuant to ICE's detainer program.

TAX REVENUE DECREASES

Texas sales tax revenue in October was \$2.28 billion, down 5.4 percent compared to October 2014, Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar announced.

"October state sales tax revenue was depressed, as expected, by declines in spending in oil and natural gas-related sectors," Hegar said Nov. 4. "Other major sectors of

the Texas economy, including construction, information, and services, continued to show growth in tax remittances."

But, Hegar said, he is sending cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts \$731.7 million in local sales tax allocations for November, 1.2 percent more than in November 2014. These allocations, he said, are based on sales made in September by businesses that report tax monthly, and sales made in July, August, and September by businesses that report tax quarterly.

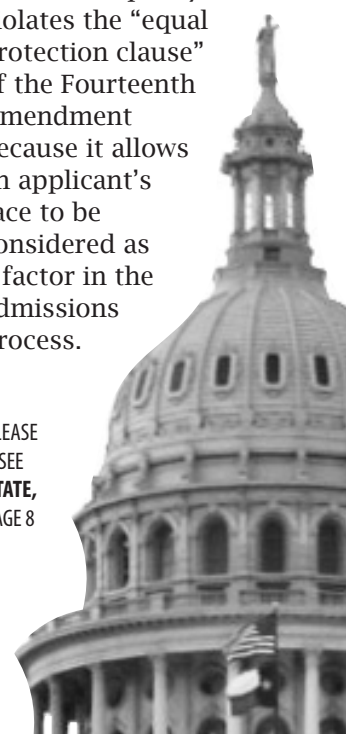
53 join amicus brief

Fifty-three members of the Texas Legislature, all of them Democrats, signed a "friend-of-the-court" brief with the U.S. Supreme Court on Nov. 2, in support of the University of Texas in the Fisher v. University of Texas case that has

been in litigation since 2008.

Attorneys for the plaintiff contend the university's admissions policy violates the "equal protection clause" of the Fourteenth Amendment because it allows an applicant's race to be considered as a factor in the admissions process.

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'Little Hats Big Hearts' program

BY NANCY JOHNSON
SONORA, TEXAS

I learned of this program last year through an ad on a knitting website, requesting little red hats for babies born in Chicago during the month of February to raise awareness about heart disease. A friend of mine, Elaine Donaldson, and I made some hats and sent them to the Chicago hospital. We received thank you notes and more information about the program.

I learned that even though it was active in several states, it had not been introduced to Texas.

As I was sitting in the waiting room, in our local hospital in Sonora, to see Dr. Michael Blanc after receiving a stent, I thought why are we sending our hats to Chicago when we could be sending them to our hospitals in San Angelo.

I wanted to be able to contribute something to Dr. Blanc, my cardiologist from San Angelo Community Hospital, who comes to our small hometown hospital to provide much needed services to our community.

The project is called "Little Hats Big Hearts" and is designed to raise awareness about heart disease, the number one killer of Americans, and Congenital heart defects, the most common type of birth defects in this country according to a statement from Advocate Hospitals.

San Angelo Community Medical Center will be the first hospital in Texas to participate in this program.

We have been working with Dr. Blanc and Jamie Muth, director with the American Heart Association in San Angelo, as well as Sheryl Pfluger and Sherian Briley, with the hospital, to launch this program.

We are inviting knitters, people who can crochet, and



NANCY JOHNSON (left), of Sonora, has started the "Little Hats Big Hearts" program that makes red hats for patients to raise awareness about heart disease.

loomers to participate by donating finished baby hats in newborn and preemie sizes.

These hats are quick and easy and make a great weekend project for a worthy cause. The hats are to be made with medium weight red cotton or acrylic yarn. Hats should not have buttons, bows or pom poms because they pose a danger to babies. Please make them red and simple.

The deadline for all hats to be sent to us is January 15, 2016. The hats can be mailed to Nancy Johnson in Sonora at 301 W. Castlehill Road, Sonora, Texas 76950, or taken to the Chandler Cottage at 1821 Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, Texas 76904.

We now have a growing group of volunteers in Sonora and other towns that are devoting their spare time and efforts to this worthwhile project.

We have named our group "Knitting Hats for Lit-

tle Hearts."

We would like to see this program spread to other towns and hospitals all across Texas. We have already had interest shown from hospitals in Austin.

Those participating in Sonora are: Nancy Johnson, Elaine Donaldson, Rex Ann Friess, Jacque Baker, Brenda Smalling, Vallree Draper, Roy Jean Johnson, Diana Arteaga and Ileana Baker.

Volunteers from San Angelo are: Mimi Allison, Lauren Allison, Paige Allison, Ashley Allison, Nita Ware, Jalene Jones, Sondra Orr, Tracey Duke and Lisa Chandler of Chandler Cottage.

Also volunteering are Jennifer Otero and Julia Aguirre, of Christoval, Wendy Barrows and Madeline Barrows, of San Antonio and Kendall Hart, of Del Rio.

For more information, call Nancy Johnson at (325) 226-3659 or e-mail 19nannjo41@gmail.com.

Holiday Hands arts and crafts fair seeking vendors

The 10th Annual Holiday Hands Christmas Arts & Crafts Fair will be held on Dec. 10 at the Crockett County Civic Center.

If you have holiday hands for creating art, crafts, or food items, you are invited to reserve a booth at the Christmas fair. Indoor 10 x 10 space rental is \$ 25. Outdoor space is also available. All rental and ticket proceeds go to support Ozona "Meals on Wheels" program.

To register or for further information, call Dianne (325) 226-4777

Road closure by old intermediate school

The area by the Old Intermediate School at 14th Street and Avenue J up to Jones Street will be CLOSED due to construction until further notice. TxDOT officials will notify the Stockman when the road is reopened.

'Coz 4 Oz' fundraiser

The In Care Of Ozona Foundation is a local charity helping residents with hotel and fuel expenses in cases of life threatening diseases, illnesses or severe medical conditions.

This year's "Coz 4 Oz" fundraiser is a \$1,600 Dallas vs Washington football package for two on Jan. 2-4.

The package includes: two nights hotel accommodations at the Embassy Suites DFW South, an all suite hotel, lower level game tickets (200 level end zone or 300 level corner seating) to the Dallas Cowboys vs Washington Redskins Jan. 3 game, made to order, all-you-can-eat breakfast each morning, two hour reception with complimentary beer, wine, mixed drinks, soft drinks and snacks and also, transportation to and from AT&T stadium or to and from DFW airport; all taxes included and a Star Sports Tours representative available throughout your entire weekend.

Tickets are one ticket for \$10 or three tickets for \$25.

Buy your tickets today at the KYXX radio station on 917 Sheffield Road or call/text (325) 340-0937. The drawing will take place the week after Deerfest. Thank you and help support a great local cause for Ozona.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, November 11

- Veterans Day - U.S. Post Office, local banks and county offices closed.
- CCCCS Veterans Day events, 8:30-9:15 a.m. Breakfast at OES Library, 9:30 a.m. Fourth Grade Veterans Program at OES Gym, 10:15 a.m. tour OES and visit classrooms, noon lunch at OMS Library.
- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Kindergarten, Second and Fourth Grades Pride Lunch at OES.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Veterans Day Appreciation Dinner, 5 p.m. at the Civic Center.
- AWANA, 5:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church

Thursday, November 12

- Balance Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Commissioners' Court meeting, noon at the courthouse annex.
- Thanksgiving Luncheon for Pre-K and Parents, 12:15-12:45 p.m. at OES.
- Bingo, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center

Friday, November 13

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS JV and Varsity Lady Lions Basketball vs. Comstock, 5:30 p.m. at OHS Gym.

Saturday, November 14

- OMS Academic Team at the TMSCA meet in Rankin.
- Crockett County 4-H at the District 6 Food Show in Fort Stockton.
- OHS Lions vs. Stamford, 2 p.m. at San Angelo Stadium.

Monday, November 16

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- OMS Lions and Lady Lions Basketball vs. Iraan, 5:30 p.m. OMS and OHS Gyms.
- Crockett County Commissioners' Court and the Crockett County Care Center, Health and Emergency Services joint meeting, 6 p.m. at the courthouse annex.

Tuesday, November 17

- Balance Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Little Dribblers Registration, 6:30-7:30 p.m. at the OES Gym.

Wednesday, November 18

- Exercise Class, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Pre-K, First, Third and Fifth Grades Pride Lunch at OES.
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- AWANA, 5:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church
- CCCCS School Board meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Building.

Blood drive Nov. 20

Crockett National Bank will host a Community Blood Drive on Friday, Nov. 20, from 1-6 p.m.

To make an appointment visit www.bloodhero.com or call Laurie Hale at (325) 392-3745.

Blood donations during the holiday time of year are critically needed.

Find the hero in you and give one of the most precious gifts you can during this season.

Thanksgiving lunch Nov. 22

The Knights of Columbus will have their annual Thanksgiving lunch at noon on Sunday, Nov. 22, at the Civic Center.

Cost is \$5 donation. People 50 and over are free. Proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Nov. 11 - Lynn English, Tina Moran, Katie Perner, Oliver O'Bryan, Amanda Guerra, Martha Landin and Colton McDowell

Nov. 12 - Ernie Hernandez, Jimmy Hokit, Dana Duncan, Roland Galindo Jr. and Gabriela Rodriguez

Nov. 13 - Minnie Ramirez and Arty Gonzales

Nov. 14 - Ricky Martinez, Margaret Jones, Santa Castro, Britni Mitchel and Makalia McDowell

Nov. 15 - Ramon Maldonado, Raynee Payne, Jill Crawford, Herberito Perez, Krista Lynn Dominguez and

Dolores Gutierrez
Nov. 16 - Gage Crawford, Chas Rutherford, Ruth Cervantez, Jon Blue, Jace Polo Savala and Alex Macias

Nov. 17 - Juan J. Garcia III, Clair McDaniel and Manny Tijerina

Bridal Selections
have been made by:
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OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS

Bingo every Thursday

BY BRENDA NEWTON
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

So proud of our cross-country runners. I can't believe the conditions they were faced with. I saw pictures on Facebook of the six-inch solid mud, but they pushed on and finished the race. McKenna Moses got Ozona on the map. Good job girl. She is amazing.

The Bingo Social for December will be canceled due to the Christmas activities.

Helping Hands is raffling a beautiful Christmas quilt made by our Hands in Service Quilters that meet at the Senior Center each Thursday.

Be sure and get your tickets to win this treasure on Dec. 10 at the Holiday Hands Arts and Crafts. Tickets are \$1 each or six tickets for \$5. You can get your tickets from Bertha Rivera, Roberta Schoenhals, Gary Yeager, Keith or Ann Fowler, Weldon or Barbara Nicks, Allen Stover and Lisa Branch.

I am going to try something new on Thursdays afternoon. We will be having bingo each Thursday at 2 p.m. Bring a small gift item for a bingo prize.

Don't forget the Thunderbird. They are available to help you get around. Just

give them a call and leave a message. Be sure to say who you are and where you area. They will call you back. Call us at (325) 392-9094 if you do not have their number.

Exercise - 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday

Bridge - 1:30 p.m. Monday

Balance Exercise - 9 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday

Mexican Train - 1:30 p.m. Wednesday

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Quilting - 9:30 a.m. Thursday

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Tax tips for small business owners Thursday

The ASU-SBDC (Angelo State University Small Business Development Center) is excited to host the training event "Tax Tips for Small Business Owners" Thursday, Nov. 12, at 6 p.m. for \$15.

Michelle Perkey, CPA with Oliver, Rainey and

Wojtek will provide you with the guidance needed to implement various tax saving strategies by year end for small business taxes, including payroll requirements.

For more information, or to register for the event, call the ASU-SBDC at (325)

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HELPING HANDS NEWS

Helping Hands is in need of volunteers to deliver meals to the elderly. If you have some time, or need some community service for school, come by or call (325) 392-5026.

NOV. 11

• Turkey rice casserole, green pea salad, calico corn, banana pudding with wafers, dinner roll, margarine and milk.

NOV. 12

• Beef enchiladas, Spanish rice, pinto beans, lettuce and tomato salad, fresh fruit, pineapple cream cake and milk.

NOV. 13

• Grill chicken burger, potato salad, lettuce, tomato, pickles, onions, mustard, mayo, fruit and milk.

NOV. 16

• Chicken enchilada bake, Spanish rice, tossed lettuce salad, ranch dressing, saltine crackers, hot cinnamon pears and milk.

NOV. 17

• Beef pepper steak, garlic mashed potatoes, Capri vegetables, wheat roll, lemon pudding and milk.

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Crockett County Care Center Halloween Party



PINK LADY BETH SIMS (left) and new Director of Nurses Michelle Brown.



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RESIDENT DOMINGO LEAL and his son Tom hand out treats.



CARE CENTER ADMINISTRATOR ROBERT STECHER hands out treats at the Crockett County Care Center's Halloween Party on Oct. 29.



FAY HENRY hands out treats and talks with children at the Halloween party.

DEATH NOTICES

Donald Payne

Donald Payne, 63, of Ozona died Monday, Nov. 2, 2015 in Big Lake. Services were held Sunday, Nov. 8, at the New Beginnings Church with burial following in Lima Cemetery.

He is survived by his spouse, Lily, of Ozona, son Joe Payne and daughters, Heather, Christina and Selena Payne and brother Oakley Payne.

35 years a big fat lie

Back in the mid-1970s, while serving the U.S. Army in West Germany, they had a "subversive" form of health-care called, "socialized medicine." I was sure that it would not survive to equal the American standards of medicine and the western diet. Never mind they had some form of universal health care since the 1880s, as well as most other European countries, Great Britain since 1948 and even Canada jumped on board in the 1980s.

This "communistic" form of medicine focused on preventing the cause of illness and disease, rather than a cure after it created havoc throughout our bodies. What were these "third-world," European countries thinking?

By the end of my three year tour of duty, I'd gotten the message and have been wondering why the United States "didn't get it," ever since.

I was overseas from 1971 until 1977, but then Senator George McGovern was heading a commission throughout the decade to standardize the American diet, which came to be known as the Standard American Diet (SAD) and, boy howdy, did it ever turn out that way.

Saturated fat and cholesterol became the "evil doers" in our ways of eating and U.S. citizens were strongly advised to eat 60 percent carbohydrate, 30 percent protein and no more than 10 percent dietary fat. It did not matter that there was no scientific evidence to support their conclusions.

Fast forward 35 years. Now, science and statistics are showing that the results of their recommendations have actually cost American lives, has brought our collective citizenry to the point that 1 in 3 of us are obese and pre-diabetic, at best; and heart disease is the number 1 killer in our country.

Need I mention cancer? With the advent of fast food and ever-increasing sugar consumption, the SAD has become an acronym that has lived up to its namesake.

The Los Angeles Times published an article in their Health and Fitness section on Jan. 23 reporting the projection of several nutrition experts and writers:

"People will come to realize that they have the power to control their health with nutrition and fitness. We're going to see the ability of the individual to literally self-diagnose and cure through low-tech strategies, by adjusting diet and lifestyle," said Mark Sisson, author of MarksDailyApple.com and



HERE'S TO YOUR HEALTH

JIM FISH

creator of "The Primal Blueprint Diet."

Gary-Taubes, science writer, author of "Why We Get Fat" and a founder of the non-profit Nutrition Science Initiative

said, "What I see happening in the next year that will change our health is the continued focus in the public health community on sugars (sucrose and high fructose corn syrup, in particular) as the prime dietary suspects in the cause of obesity, diabetes and their related diseases. [I see] a continuing decrease in the amount of sugars that we consume and, more important, our children consume, particularly sugary beverages such as sodas and fruit juices."

Dr. Robert Lustig, pediatric endocrinologist at UC San Francisco and author of books including "Fat Chance: Beating the Odds Against Sugar, Processed Food, Obesity and Disease" said, "About five years from now, insurance companies are going to look at the amount of money they are paying out in treatment for chronic diseases, and they will determine that prevention pays better than treatment. They're already talking 'wellness' (although they think that means "absence of illness," which is very shortsighted). In five years, they'll realize they can make more money from healthy clients than sick ones, and they will finally take the plunge."

Well, I'm 63 years old and don't have time to wait and hope our pharmaceutical, medical and food industries, and our government health authorities tear themselves away from their profit and loss statements to begin a reformation process. They do not have our best interests at heart and we are worth more to them sick than we are healthy. For these reasons, I have taken responsibility for my own health, educated myself, tried the theories and have found what works for me and my specific genome. I'm still a work in progress but I use my dollars as votes toward the items I feel will best serve me.

JIM FISH is an Integrative Nutrition Health Coach. Contact him with your health related questions or citations to this article at (325) 276-2150, jimfish@usa.com or P.O. Box 905, Ozona, Texas 76943

THE MAN WITH TWO HEARTS

He seemed perfectly normal and I would guess him to be in his mid-sixties. As we were talking I mentioned that I had recently met a young doctor doing heart research and he said, "I received a heart transplant five years ago". He had been sick a long time and suffered very much. When they did the transplant they installed the new younger heart beside the old one. After the transplant and he was informed that he had received the heart of a young woman killed in a car wreck. He said that it was very hard for him to accept emotionally. Why should a young woman have to give her life so that an old dying man could live? As I thought about what he said it reminded of what God has done for us on the cross (Romans 5:6-11). He sent His only Son (Jesus, John 3:16) to die for us that we may receive a new life (2 Corinthians 5:17), or Spirit, or heart (1 Peter 3:18, Galatians 2:20). Just as that young woman's family had to allow or agree for her heart to be given for someone else God also did that for us. Have you received that precious gift from God, that new life in Christ (Ezekiel 36:26, 27, John 5:24)? See you in Church on Sunday.

Brother J

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Tuesday & Thursday Service: 7 p.m.

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Martes: 6 p.m. Jueves: 6 p.m.

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Every Second Sunday of the Month:
Sun. Mass: 9 a.m. in Ozona; 11 a.m. in Sheffield
Tues. - Sat. Mass: 6 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church

601 Ave. I
Interim Pastor Paul Ray
Sunday School: 10 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m.
Sunday Worship: 6 p.m.
Wednesday Worship: 6 p.m.

Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida

Corner of Secretariat and Man O'War
Pastor Juan Avila
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m.
Wed. Service: 6 p.m.

Ozona Church of Christ

1002 11th St.
Mr. Johnnie Perkins
Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.
Sun. Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.

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Worship: 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.

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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. - Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
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Awana - 5:30 p.m. - Wednesdays
Wednesday Choir Rehearsal - 7:30 p.m.

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Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.
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Interim - Ray Valadez
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Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.

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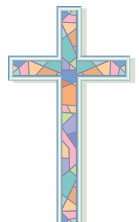
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Card of Thanks
We would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for the thoughts, prayers, cards, food, flowers, and words of comfort during the loss of our loved one. It is in times like these that we are reminded of what a wonderful community we live in. We would also like to thank the Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church for the wonderful meal. We could not have gotten through this time without the love and support of our friends and family.
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USDA commitments to help build up next generation of farmers and ranchers

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Agriculture Deputy Secretary Krysta Harden has announced a commitment by the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) to prioritize \$5.6 billion over the next two years within USDA programs and services that serve new and beginning farmers and ranchers. Harden also announced a new, tailored web tool designed to connect burgeoning farm entrepreneurs with programs and resources available to help them get started.

"Today's announcement is symbolic of the evolution of USDA's efforts to better serve the next generation of farmers and ranchers. What began seven years ago with the recognition that the rapid aging of the American farmer was an emerging challenge, has transformed into a robust, transparent, tech-based strategy to recruit the farmers of the future," said Harden. "No matter where you're from, no matter what you look like, no matter your background, we want USDA to be the first stop for anyone who is looking to be a part of the story and legacy of American agriculture."

The new web tool is available at www.usda.gov/newfarmers. The site was designed based on feedback from new and beginning farmers and ranchers around the country, who cited unfamiliarity with programs and resources as a challenge to starting and expanding their operations. The site features advice and guidance on everything a new farm business owner needs to know, from writing a business plan, to obtaining a loan to

grow their business, to filing taxes as a new small business owner. By answering a series of questions about their operation, farmers can use the site's Discovery Tool to build a personalized set of recommendations of USDA programs and services that may meet their needs.

Using the new web tool and other outreach activities, and operating within its existing resources, USDA has set a new goal of increasing beginning farmer and rancher participation by an additional 6.6 percent across key USDA programs, which were established or strengthened by the 2014 Farm Bill, for a total investment value of approximately \$5.6 billion. Programs were targeted for expanded outreach and commitment based on their impact on expanding opportunity for new and beginning farmers and ranchers, including starting or expanding an operation, developing new markets, supporting more effective farming and conservation practices, and having access to relevant training and education opportunities. USDA will provide quarterly updates on its progress towards meeting its goal. A full explanation of the investment targets, benchmarks and outcomes is available at: BFR-Commitment-Factsheet.

Harden made the announcements during remarks to more than 60,000 attendees at the National FFA Convention in Louisville, Ky. The National FFA Organization is the largest youth organization in the United States, and focuses on preparing students for a wide range of careers in agriculture, agribusiness and other agriculture-related occupations.

As the average age of the American farmer now exceeds 58 years, and data shows that almost 10 percent of farmland in the continental United States will change hands in the next five years, we have no time to lose in getting more new farmers and ranchers established. Equally important is encouraging young people to pursue careers in industries that support American agriculture. According to an employment outlook report released by USDA's National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) and Purdue University, one of the best fields for new college graduates is agriculture. Nearly 60,000 high-skilled agriculture job openings are expected annually in the United States for the next five years, yet only 35,000 graduates with a bachelor's degree or higher in agriculture related fields are expected to be available to fill them. The report also shows that women make up more than half of the food, agriculture, renewable natural resources, and environment higher education graduates in the United States. USDA recently released a series of fact sheets showcasing the impact of women in agriculture nationwide.

The announcement builds on USDA's ongoing work to engage its resources to inspire a strong next generation of farmers and ranchers by improving access to land and capital; building market opportunities; extending conservation opportunities; offering appropriate risk management tools; and increasing outreach and technical support. To learn more about USDA's efforts, visit the Beginning Farmers and Ranchers Results Page.



DAVID MASTROVICH, 10, shot his first buck with a very special combination of rifle and cap used by his great-grandfather. The rifle he used was a 98 year old Model 1894 Winchester 25-35 which both his grandfather and great-grandfather shot their first buck with. The cap he was wearing was his great-grandfather's "lucky" cap, which seemed to still have a little luck left in it. The 11-point buck was taken on the family ranch on the Pandale Road south of Ozona.

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Commissioner Pleas Childress III, who is also a board member of the Crockett Soil and Water Conservation District, said it's a joint effort between the county and the conservation district to take care of the draws.

"It's our responsibility to keep that water way in good shape. When horses eat the grass we have erosion problems," Childress said.

"I think it's a matter of people being aware again," Jurado added.

ROAD BUILDING

Deaton said the new road department building is sustainably completed with a few items that still need to be corrected.

He also said the final American Disabilities Act inspection will be around Dec. 15 or sooner, if the county can get an inspector.

"We will not accept the building or release the final amount of money until we've been approved by the engineer and the ADA inspector," Deaton said.

The commissioners took a tour of the building on Oct. 14. Cost for the building is around \$900,000. The building replaces the old office and vehicle maintenance facility that burned down in a massive fire last year.

The commissioners accepted the building on Oct. 14 as substantially complete excluding some items on the punch list that still need to be completed.

ALLEY

The commissioners approved having the alley surveyed going north and south from Ramos Street between Encino Street and Avenue A.

It was listed on the agenda to discuss closing the alley.

Deaton said the alley has a lot of utility lines that go to resident's houses.

"There is a lot of infrastructure that someone

would miss someday if that is closed off," Deaton said.

Residents that live in the area voiced their concerns about property boundaries in the area.

Commissioner Frank Tambunga said he would like to get the area surveyed.

"There are a lot of utility easements. All the lines would have to be moved if it's closed. In my opinion, it would probably be the best interest to just leave it alone," Tambunga said.

PRECINCT 1 VOTING PLACE

The commissioners approved moving the Precinct 1 voting location from the Crockett County Courthouse to the courthouse annex.

OTHER AGENDA ITEMS APPROVED:

- Commissioners discussed creating a stipend for travel for the extension office for the 2016 budget. The commissioners will look at approving this item during their budget line item meeting in December.
- Purchase new cardi-

ac monitor and mechanical CPR devices with EMS funds. Cost is \$35,000 for the monitor and \$15,000 each for the three mechanical CPR devices. The items are two separate purchases.

- Fuel bids from Sunoco.

FUTURE MEETINGS

The commissioners will have special called meetings on Nov. 12, Nov. 16 and Nov. 23.

At noon Thursday, Nov. 12, the commissioners will meet to canvass the Crockett County Nov. 3, 2015 election.

At 6 p.m. Monday, Nov. 16, the commissioners will have a joint meeting with the Crockett County Care Center Health and Emergency Services Board to discuss the new clinic and the care center, clinic and rehab roof.

At noon on Nov. 23, the commissioners will meet to open and award bids for the care center, clinic and rehab roof replacement, as well as the animal control fence.

All meetings will be at the courthouse annex and are open to the public.

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Range and pasture workshop Dec. 3

The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service will conduct a multi-county Range and Pasture Workshop Dec. 3 in the Eldorado Civic Center.

Registration is at 8:30 a.m. followed by the program from 9 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Individual registration is \$15 before Nov. 27, and \$25 thereafter. The fee includes lunch.

The workshop is a collaborative effort among the AgriLife Extension offices in Schleicher, Sutton, Edwards, Irion and Crockett counties.

Topics will include winter feed cost outlook, brush control and herbicide, pesticide laws and regulations, patch burning applications and do-it-yourself fecal parasite sampling.

Three Texas Department of Agriculture continuing education units will be offered.

For more information and to RSVP, call the AgriLife Extension office in Schleicher County at (325) 853-2132.

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| Friday, Nov. 13 | Fried Fish |
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| Sunday, Nov. 15 | Beef Tips |
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kickoff return to start the second half.

Kalen Perez also scored for the Lions.

Francisco Rivera was perfect on extra points and made a 22-yard field goal.

Leading tacklers were Jose Ojeda, 15 Tackles, Mark Ybarra, 10 Tackles, Kalen Perez and Bryce Martin with 7 tackles each.

Edgar Damian caused a fumble.

Fay recovered a fumble and had one interception.

Ben Badillo had two interceptions for the Lions.

"We are looking to a great week in preparation for Stamford and anticipate a great game come Saturday. Our kids have matured and are really gaining some confidence at the right time and starting to heal up from injuries so at this time of course, all I can say is, 'Impossible is Nothing,'" Perez said.

Ozona, 4-6, will play Stamford, 9-1, at 2 p.m. Saturday in San Angelo Stadium.



MICHAEL MITCHELL WAS HONORED BY THE CLASS OF 2016 thanking him for his "Outstanding and Dedicated Service". The presentation was made during the Senior Night ceremony held before the Lions last home game on Nov. 6.



THE OHS OFFENSIVE LINE was key in opening up holes for the Varsity Lions in their last home game of the season. The Lions advance to the play-offs and will play Stanford on Nov. 14 in San Angelo at 2 p.m. Pictured are: (left to right) #30 Mark Ybarra, #78 Orinaldo Meza, #55 Caleb Martinez and #2 Preston McCutcheon.



GABRIELLA TRETO eyes her footing at the State Cross Country Meet.

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that has pushed me when I wanted to quit. State this year was one to remember. Mud everywhere, zero traction whatsoever, people falling, and basically swimming the course."

Lady Lion Gabriella Treto finished 101st in the race.

"It was a really tough course, it was more tough mud, than cross-country course, but we are so proud of our kids. McKenna ran amazing race for her to come home with the bronze is a true testament to her perseverance, she is going to be missed next year. Gabby did a great job as well she had several falls throughout the race but kept getting back up and finished with her head held high and she will come back stronger next year," said Coach John Esparza.

The Ozona Lions took 11th as a team, led by Roman Esparza in 38th. Other Lions' finishers included Lane Rust in 64th, Alex Hopper in 84th, Adrian Rodriguez in 114th, Noe Medina in 127th, Alan Landa in 136th and Danny Posadas in 149th.

"Despite the result today, I gotta tell you, I am definitely "blessed" to make it here for the fourth time," Hopper, an OHS Senior, posted on Facebook.

This was the fourth consecutive year the Lions have advanced to the state meet as a team.

"On the boys side we all ran our hearts out, and we represented the community very well. We came up short of our ultimate goal but we are still in the top 6 percent of the whole state. We were able to get to the state meet four years in a row, which is a reflection of the hard and dedication from all the boys, especially our seniors, Alex, Alan, and Noe. We are going to miss them. We have a great core young runners coming back and a great group of young runners coming up from the middle school," Esparza said. "This was a great season and the cross-country family would like to say thank you to the community for all the support and a special thank you to all the family, friends and supporters that stood in the rain and mud to watch these great athletes compete at the highest of levels."

Playoff T-shirts available Thursday

Ozona Lions football playoff shirts will be available at the Crockett County Public Library at 9 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 12. The shirts are short sleeve performance shirts and the price is \$18.

WEST TEXAS SCORES

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| Iran | 35 |
| Eldorado | 14 |
| Alpine | 28 |
| TLC Academy | 14 |
| Crane | 20 |
| GrapeCreek | 0 |
| Junction | 31 |
| Center Point | 9 |
| Colorado City | 48 |
| Coahoma | 14 |
| Sonora | 42 |
| Reagan County | 12 |
| Christoval | 22 |
| Anthony | 20 |
| Menard | 38 |
| Winters | 26 |
| Wink | 34 |
| Irion County | 7 |
| Central | 27 |
| Permian | 20 |



THE VARSITY BOYS' CROSS COUNTRY TEAM prepare to skate through the course at the State Cross Country Meet held in Round Rock on Nov. 7. Team members are: (left to right) Roman Esparza, Noe Medina, Alex Hopper, Alan Landa, Lane Rust, Danny Posadas and Adrian Rodriguez.

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National Junior Honor Society inducts new members

The OMS National Junior Honor Society inducted new members during a ceremony held Nov. 2 at the Civic Center.

Seventh Grade new members inducted were: Austin Castro, Madison Castro, Carson Childress, Ethan Criswell,

Michael Esparza, Shelbie Galindo, Reagan Gonzalez, Kaitlyn Hernandez, Jose Munoz, Catherine Perez, Ida Per-

ez, Norah Rodriguez and Jacqueline Venegas.

Eighth Grade members: Citlalli Cano, Esmie Castillo,

Jacob Childress, Sebastian De La Cruz, Alec Lara, Wendy Mata, Roslynn Mendez, Carlie Ramos, Lazaro Rodri-

guez, Kayla Sarabia, Kendra Sarabia, Humberto Torralba, Manuel Torralba and Tyler Webb.



THE NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY HELD THEIR INDUCTION CEREMONY on Nov. 2 at the Crockett County Civic Center.

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CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H NEWS

Raffle tickets on sale

Crockett County 4-H Youth Show Association Raffle Tickets are here. Tickets are \$10 each and the drawing will be Dec. 19.

First prize: Guided Axis Deer Hunt; Second prize: 20 Gauge Shotgun; Third prize: Remington 22-250 Rifle; Fourth prize: Holland Grill and Fifth prize: Yeti Cooler 45 quart.

Remember, all participants are required to sell at least 10 tickets and there is a prize for the top seller.

AWARDS BANQUET

The Crockett County 4-H Awards Banquet will be held after the county stock show on Dec. 19.

Applications for the Leadership Award (junior, intermediate and senior), Community Service Award (junior, intermediate and senior) and Danforth I Dare You Award (senior) are available at the office and due Nov. 19.

All 4-H members are encouraged to apply.

ANGEL TREE

At the Nov. 19 meeting, wish list items for the Angel Tree children will be divided up. The 4-H Club will help provide needed items for five underprivileged children in Ozona.

There will be a sign up sheet at the meeting for those members and families who decide to participate in buying gifts.

Anyone that cannot make the meeting, but wants to participate, the sign up sheet will remain in the office until the December meeting when gifts will be wrapped together.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov. 14 - District 6 Food Show in Fort Stockton
- Nov. 19 - 4-H Meeting and Angel Tree Sign Up
- Nov. 30 - Swine Validation
- Dec. 5 - District 6 Food Challenge in Rankin
- Dec. 6 - 4-H Meeting/Christmas Party and Gift Wrapping
- Dec. 19 - Crockett County Stock Show and Awards Banquet.

TEXT REMINDERS

Text @cc4hclub to 81010 to receive text reminders on your phone.

4-H OFFICE

The Crockett County 4-H Office can be reached at (325) 392-2721 or crockettcounty@ag.tamu.edu.

Aaron Renfro, CEA-AG/NR, can be reached at (325) 226-0761 or arenfro@ag.tamu.edu.

Kailey Roberts, CEA-FCS, can be reached at (210) 705-2887 or kailey.roberts@ag.tamu.edu.

Lydia Munoz, secretary, lydia.munoz@ag.tamu.edu.

Crockett County 4-H also has a Facebook page at www.facebook.com/crockettextension.

Little Dribblers registration Tuesday

Registration for Little Dribblers Basketball will be from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 17, at the Ozona Elementary Gym.

Little Dribblers is for any boys and girls who are in grades first through sixth and are interested in playing basketball.

Registration includes a fee of \$40 per child and must be paid at registration.

Anyone interested in coaching, applications will be available at registration.

For more information, call Jerold Savala at (325) 716-0256.

Youth Center Calendar of Events

HIGH SCHOOL:

- Monday: 7-10 p.m.;
- Tuesday: 2-7 p.m.;
- Wednesday: 7-10 p.m.;
- Thursday: 2-10 p.m.;
- Friday: 2 p.m.-midnight and Saturday: 2-7 p.m.

CLOSED SUNDAYS

OHS MEAL NIGHT:

- Mondays - 7-10 p.m.
- 7TH & 8TH GRADE:
- Tuesday: 7-10 p.m.;
- Wednesday: 2-7 p.m.;
- Saturday: 7-10 p.m.

7TH & 8TH MEAL NIGHTS:

- Every other Tuesday - 7-10 p.m.

OHS LIBRARY BOOK REVIEW

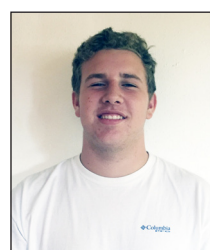
'Twelve Fingered Boy Trilogy' a must read

BY JACOB SCHROEDER
OZONA HIGH SCHOOL

The "Twelve Fingered Boy Trilogy" by John Horner Jacobs was probably one of the best trilogies I have ever read.

The books were never boring and absolutely every moment of it was exciting.

The characters in the books are very relatable to



JACOB SCHROEDER

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The Stockman Deadline is NOON ON MONDAY

Dr. William Edmiston
 of the
Eldorado Animal Clinic
 will be in OZONA on
Thursday, Nov. 12, 2015
 from 10:00 a.m. - to 5:00 p.m.
 at 1205 Sheffield Road
During office hours on Thursdays call 392-2508
 To make an appointment or for more information call
Eldorado Clinic at 325-853-2572

DPS seeking candidates for 2016 trooper schools

AUSTIN - The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) is encouraging the public to consider a career in law enforcement, and to proudly serve and protect Texas by becoming a Texas State Trooper. DPS is accepting applications for trooper recruit classes scheduled for 2016. The next application deadline is Jan. 27 for the class beginning July 10, 2016.

"The men and women who graduate from the DPS Training Academy will join an elite and reputable crime-fighting force that has answered the call to serve and protect the great state of Texas for nearly 200 years," said DPS Director Steven McCraw. "DPS carries the enormous responsibility of protecting Texas from a wide range of public safety threats, and we are seeking a diverse group of first-rate recruit candidates who want to join one of the premier law enforcement agencies in the country."

In 2015, the Texas Legislature and Texas Leadership authorized 250 additional trooper positions to be permanently stationed in the border area by August 2017, along with additional DPS recruit schools to help fill that need. Four trooper trainee recruit classes are planned for 2016.

After gaining experience on the job, Texas Highway Patrol (THP) Troopers have the opportunity to promote within THP or to other divisions or specialized units within the agency, such as the Texas Rangers, Criminal Investigations, SWAT, Tactical Marine Unit or Aircraft Operations. The department's 13 divisions and highly-trained personnel are steadfast in their commitment to serving and protecting the state, many of whom use cutting-edge technology and equipment to identify, disrupt and deter crime as well as disman-

tle dangerous organizations such as Mexican cartels, their gang counterparts and other criminal threats.

DPS is an equal opportunity employer, and the starting pay for accepted trainees is \$4,623.44 monthly or \$55,481 yearly, based on the current 10-hour workday (50-hour workweek). Basic requirements for acceptance into a DPS recruit class include the following:

- 20 years of age at the time of application and 21 years of age upon graduation
- 60 college-earned hours from a regional accredited college/university; or 24 months active duty military or full-time peace officer experience; or six years of service in the military reserves or National Guard
- Pass a physical fitness test, written assessment, criminal history check and polygraph exam

"DPS employees are second to none, as the choice to join our department and fulfill our mission to protect and serve Texas demonstrates a selfless commitment to the people of our state," said Director McCraw. "DPS has a proud history of keeping Texas safe, and we are eager to meet the brave men and women who will carry on that tradition as the next Texas State Troopers."

For more information about the upcoming recruit class dates and deadlines, minimum requirements or to apply, visit www.JoinDPS.com. Individuals can also contact a regional DPS recruiter by calling 1-866-898-7667. After submitting an online application, applicants will be notified by email if they are selected to continue to the testing phase.

The current recruit class graduates on Dec. 18, 2015, and the next school begins Jan. 10, 2016.

CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

Crockett County Sheriff's Office wishes to make the public aware of a phone scam involving the IRS. Do not give any personal information to anyone over the phone. Demand the information requested be in writing. The IRS will never make contact without giving a notice in writing.

Weekly Activity Report

| Monthly Status Report - October 2015 | Alarms | 0 |
|---|----------|---|
| Total Placed in Jail | 25 | |
| Total Released | 20 | |
| Currently Incarcerated - Ozona | 1 | |
| Currently housed outside county | 11 | |
| Housing Cost - Mitchell Co. | \$0 | |
| Housing Cost - Upton Co. | \$16,875 | |
| Housing Cost - Sutton Co. | \$0 | |
| Housing Cost - Schleicher Co. | \$0 | |
| Housing Cost - Pecos Co. | \$0 | |
| Total Housing Cost | \$16,875 | |
| Total Civil Papers | 8 | |
| Civil Papers Served (state and out of county) | 4 | |
| Total Unreserved | 4 | |
| Total Fines Collected | \$438 | |
| Total Civil Fines Collected | \$315 | |
| Cash Bonds Collected | \$452 | |
| Bonding Fees Collected | \$90 | |
| Traffic Citations Issued | 125 | |
| Illegal Aliens Held Overnight for Ins (BP) | 0 | |
| Inmates Transported | 0 | |
| Total Dispatch Calls | 320 | |
| 911 Landline | 40 | |
| 911 Wireless | 206 | |
| Unavailable (abandoned or ghost calls) | 80 | |
| Actual 911 Calls | 206 | |

| OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS: |
|---|
| 11-2-15 |
| • DPS Trooper arrested Eddie Lee Patterson and Alberto Buentello, both of San Antonio, on charges of possessing a drug test falsification device. Buentello was also charged with possession of a controlled substance in a correctional facility. Both subjects were arraigned. Patterson was released on bond. Buentello was transported to Upton County. |
| 11-4-15 |
| • Sheriff's deputies detained an illegal alien after a traffic stop. Subject was released to U.S. Border Patrol. |
| • Sheriff's deputies met with a complainant about a theft of property from a residence on Heracio Street. |
| 11-5-15 |
| • Sheriff's deputies arrested Johnny Ray Murphy, of Houston, on a warrant for failure to appear on a charge of fraudulent use of ID. Subject was arraigned and released on bond. |
| • Sheriff's deputies arrested Librado Pila-cio Jr., of Ozona, on charges of public intoxication and unauthorized use of a motor vehicle. Subject was arraigned and transported to Upton County. |
| 11-8-15 |
| • Sheriff's deputies responded to a call of loud music on Rugged Road. The music was turned down. |
| • Sheriff's deputies responded to a call of loud music on Mulberry Street. The music was turned down. |

| Type of Calls | |
|---|----|
| Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints | 1 |
| 911 medical/fire assistance | 1 |
| Civil complaints | 4 |
| Civil documents served | 6 |
| Criminal complaints/disturbances/loud noise | 8 |
| Juvenile/School | 10 |
| Motorist assist/locked vehicle | 0 |
| Reckless driving/speeding complaints | 6 |
| Minor/major traffic accidents | 3 |

FOR THE RECORD: COURT PROCEEDINGS

| COUNTY COURT | Closed Cases - September 2015 |
|---|---|
| • Justin Reval Elie, possession of marijuana less than two ounces, deferred adjudication - \$500 fine and \$338 court costs. | • Dioniso B. Camacho, failure to appear, conviction - \$238 fine and \$262 court costs. |
| • Starr Lynn Curnutt, possession of a controlled substance penalty group 2A less than two ounces, conviction - \$212 fine and \$338 court costs. | • Brian Keith Martindale, failure to appear, conviction - \$238 fine and \$262 court costs. |
| • Billy Ray Curnutt Jr., possession of marijuana less than two ounces and possession of a controlled substance penalty group 2A less than two ounces, dismissed - co-defendant pled guilty. | • Joe O. Rodriguez III, evading arrest/detention, dismissed - pled in district court. |
| • Walter James Wilson, failure to appear, conviction - \$238 fine and \$262 court costs. | • Daniel Guadarrama-Sanchez, failure to appear, conviction - \$238 fine and \$262 court costs. |
| • Douglas Eugene Stalnak, failure to appear, conviction - \$238 fine and \$262 court costs. | • Sandra Santiago Reyes, theft by check, dismissed - paid restitution and court costs. |
| • David Pantoja Guzman, failure to appear, conviction - \$238 fine and \$262 court costs. | • Richard Lee Martinez, assault bodily injury family violence, dismissed - completed obligations to the county attorney. |
| • John Thomas Hunt, failure to appear, conviction - \$162 fine and \$338 court costs. | • Stephen Scott Duhon, driving while intoxicated first/open container, conviction - \$1,000 fine and \$488 court costs. |
| | • Joseph Ezaba Sinaka, falsification of drug test results, conviction - \$500 fine and \$328 court costs. |
| | • Brandi Michelle Williams, criminal trespass, conviction - 37 days in jail. |
| | • Andrew James Hernandez, possession of marijuana less than two ounces, dismissed - completed obligations to county attorney. |
| | • Gilberto Lopez Contreras, driving while license invalid - enhanced, dismissed - unable to locate. |

| COUNTY COURT | Closed Cases - October 2015 |
|---|-----------------------------|
| • Juan Galindo, failure to appear, conviction - \$238 fine and \$262 court costs. | |

ANIMAL CONTROL REPORT

| OCTOBER 2015 | |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Animal related contacts | 151 |
| Impounded dogs | 21 |
| | plus one pony to 4-H Barn |
| Animal Bite investigations | 0 |
| Owner surrenders | 4 |
| Number of animals surrendered | 5 |
| Impounded cats | 37 |
| Destroyed animals | 74 |
| Livestock calls | 2 |
| Animal disposal | 22 |
| Animal traps set | 82 |
| Wildlife caught | 10 raccoons and possums 26 skunks |
| Dangerous animal reports | 1 bat |
| Written warning citations | 1 |
| Written citations | 12 |
| Welfare checks | 4 |
| | (1 hearing with Justice of the Peace) |

Call Ozona Animal Control at 392-3676

STATE: from page 2

Sen. Rodney Ellis, D-Houston, in his summary of the brief, wrote that the university's policy in effect furthers "equal access to higher education and unfettered pathways to leadership and opportunity in the State."

LAWMAKERS TO STUDY ISSUES

Texas House Speaker Joe Straus on Nov. 4 assigned interim charges to several Texas House committees that will study issues in preparation for the next regular session of the Texas Legislature, which convenes in January 2017.

To be studied are: regulations and taxes, competition with other states, the impact of declining oil prices, school finance, college funding and governance, education and career opportunities for veterans, government transparency, money sitting in accounts, state water plan funding, emergency preparedness, cyber security, the repair of state parks from flooding and wildfires, and more.

In other news, on Nov. 5, Speaker Straus announced the formation of a House Committee on Federal Environmental Regulation "to take a comprehensive look at how an array of rules from the Obama administration will affect Texas and its economy."

Straus said the committee will look at recently proposed or finalized rules from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, including the Clean Power Plan, the National Ambient Air Quality Standards, the "Waters of the United States" rules and new standards regulating methane emissions from the oil and natural gas sector.

ELECTION RESULTS POSTED

Voters approved all seven ballot measures in Texas' 2015 Constitutional Amendment Election. Total turnout on Nov. 3 was slightly more than 11 percent of the state's nearly 14 million registered voters. Election night returns were posted on Nov. 4.

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ACROSS

- Corpus Christi's annual "Bay _____"
- TXism: "jumped from the fryin' pan _____ the fire"
- this McCloughan is the GM of the hated Redskins
- in Hamilton Co. on hwy. 281
- pen liquid
- "Father of TX" (init.)
- first name of TX actress who was wife of Rod Stewart
- in Medina Co. on I-35
- TX Dabney Coleman 1980 film, spelled out: "Nine _____"
- he pitched for the Astros (1990-93)
- TXism: "restless _____ in church"
- one way to get to DFW airport (3 wds.)
- TXism: "_____ your poison" (choose)
- this TX Gipson wrote "Old Yeller"
- Camry maker
- Cowboys' "Ring of _____"
- biblical Abraham's grandfather
- TX Tex Ritter sang this classic (2 wds.)
- TX Carol Burnett got her start on "The Gary _____"
- TXism: "wipe the _____ clean" (erase)
- a university in Austin (2 wds.)
- TXism: "critter"
- TX oil tycoon: "_____ Hunt"
- cat sound
- TXism: "_____ eyeful" (seen enough)
- TXism: "in a pig's _____" (never)
- drug addict
- TXism: "went to the well _____ too often"
- Lee Greenwood sang "God Bless the _____"
- TXism: "that _____ won't hunt"
- "_____ of a kind"

DOWN

- TXism: "like shootin' _____" (easy)
- in La Salle Co. on I-35
- Fort _____, TX
- Dorothy's dog
- squalid area in Dallas or Houston
- TXism: "that's a _____" (bad situation)
- Clyde h.s. class
- TX Tanya's "One Love _____ Time"
- in Cameron Co. on hwy. 100
- TXism: "_____ piece" (distant)
- popular athletic shoe
- showing a keen interest
- TXism: "hot _____ Cadillac bumper"
- talking horse: "Mr. _____"
- TX Tanya Tucker sang "If _____ Don't Come Easy"
- prefix for "not"
- sweet potato (2 wds.)
- certain salmon's molar (2 wds.)
- TXism: "best I ever laid eyes _____"
- dir. from Coleman to Abilene
- TX Roy Orbison 1964 hit: "_____, Pretty Woman"
- dir. from Azle to Abilene
- TXism: "like _____ in a synagogue" (inappropriate)
- in Knox Co. on hwy. 277
- Texas is _____ in the U.S.A.
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Applications may be obtained at the 112th District Attorney's Office, 400 S. Nelson (Judicial Building), Fort Stockton, Texas 79735, (432-336-6294) or the Ozona Office located in the Crockett County Courthouse, 907 Avenue D, Ozona, Texas 76943 (325-392-2025). EOE. **DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS:** November 13, 2015

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The Schleicher County Sheriff's Department is accepting applications for Full Time Position of Jailer/Dispatcher.

Requirements for the position: must be 18 years of age, must have a valid DL, must be able to pass a criminal background investigation, must be a U.S. Citizen, must have high school diploma or GED. Health Insurance; 401K Retirement; Full Benefits. Applications may be picked up at the Schleicher County Sheriff's Office. EOE

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR OIL AND GAS WASTE DISPOSAL WELL PERMIT

J. Cleo Thompson and James Cleo Thompson, Jr., L.P., 325 N. St. Paul, Suite 4300, Dallas, Texas 75201 is applying to the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to dispose of produced salt water by well injection into a porous formation productive of oil and gas. The applicant proposes to dispose of oil and gas waste into the Elenburger Formation on the Vaughan 83 Lease Well No. 1 (RRC#171874). The proposed injection well is located 10 miles NW from Ozona in the Doc Buddy (Ellenburger) Field in Crockett County, Texas. Fluid will be injected into strata in the subsurface depth interval from 7496' to 7640'. **LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Texas Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. Requests for a public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, P.O. Box 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. (Telephone: 512-463-6792)

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Bids are to be addressed to the Honorable Judge Fred Deaton. Bids will be received at the Crockett County Courthouse Annex Building located at 909 Avenue D, Ozona, Texas 76943 until 12:00 P.M. on November 20, 2015.

The bids will be opened and read aloud on November 23, 2015 at 12:00 P.M. at the Crockett County Annex Building. Information for bidders, bid forms, requirements, plans, specifications, and contract documents may be obtained by submitting a non-refundable fee of fifty dollars (\$50) for a paper copy or a free copy of the specifications can be sent via email.

Please contact Sara Gillit at SKG Engineering (325-655-1288) for more information. Plans and specifications may also be reviewed at the Crockett County Annex Building.

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Each bid envelope must be plainly marked (ANIMAL CONTROL FENCE). Any bid received after stated opening time will not be considered and will be returned unopened. Bids shall be mailed or given to Janie Chandler, County Auditor, P.O. Box 989, Ozona, Texas 76943.

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