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## OHS advances eight to State UIL Academic Meet

BY MELISSA PERNER  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The OHS Academic is sending eight students to the State UIL Meet.

At Saturday's Region I Meet, Ozona won two team events, had one team advance as a wildcard and had two individual students qualify.

For the second year in a row, the OHS Computer Science Team of Manuel Torralba, Humberto Torralba, Chantz Elliott and Josh Knaack are regional champions.

Ozona won with a score of 1,094.

Winters placed second with a score of 605 and Sudan third with a score of 539.

Manuel Torralba placed first as an individual with a score of 216. Humberto Torralba was second with a score of 206, Chantz Elliott third with a score of 192 and Josh Knaack fourth with a score of 144.

The Calculator Team of Manuel Torralba, Chantz Elliott, Josh Knaack and Denise Rodriguez are also regional champions.

Ozona had a team score of 642. Sundown placed second with a team

score of 595.

Manuel Torralba was once again first as an individual with a score of 238. Chantz Elliott was second with a score of 231. Josh Knaack finished seventh and Denise Rodriguez finished eighth.

The Mathematics Team of Manuel Torralba, Humberto Torralba, Chantz Elliott and Citlalli Cano placed second. Manuel Torralba was fifth as an individual, Humberto Torralba was seventh, Chantz Elliott was 10th and



OHS ACADEMIC TEAM advanced eight to the State UIL Academic Meet Saturday after competing at the Region I Meet in Odessa. OHS finished second overall at the meet.

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## Ozona Track: six headed to regional meet

The OHS Track Team had a standout day at the Area Track Meet Monday at Abilene Christian University.

Six advanced to the Region I Meet to be held April 27-28 at Odessa.

OHS Senior Roman Esparza dominated the boys pole vaulting clearing 13-feet to win.

Esparza then qualified for regionals finishing third in the 800-meters with a time of 2:08.85.

Manuel Torralba won the 1600-meters with a time of 4:57.20. He also placed seventh in the 800 at 2:13.80.

Abraham Rodriguez finished second in the 110-Hurdles punching his ticket to regionals with a time of 15.54. He also

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## Grass fire burns more than 4,000 acres

BY MELISSA PERNER  
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Ozona and area firefighters, along with the Texas Forest Service, spent the weekend and Monday fighting a massive grass fire in the northern part of Crockett County.

The fire started Friday night, when high winds began gusting throughout the area, where County Roads 205 and 206 intersect near U.S. Highway 190.

Ozona Volunteer Fire Department, along with Irion County, Sheffield, Big Lake and Iraan Fire Departments, all responded.

Crockett County Road Department, Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Department of Transportation and the Crockett County Sheriff's Office also responded.

Texas Forest Service arrived late Friday night, early Saturday morning.

Crockett County Commissioner Frank Tambunga activated the CERT (Citizens Emergency Response Team) to assist.

Commissioners Wesley Bean and Pleas Childress also



A PLUM OF SMOKE was seen Friday night as a grass fire broke out near County Roads 205 and 206 in the northern part of Crockett County. The fire burned 4,173 acres.

responded to help.

KLST-TV reported the commissioners had an emergency meeting about the fire. No meeting was held, accord-

ing to county officials.

During fire activity Friday night, firefighters worked to keep the blaze from jumping U.S. Highway 190 and from

getting near the Belvan Gas Plant.

Due to high winds Friday

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## School Board meeting tonight

The Crockett County CCSD School Board will hold their regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 18, in the Administration Office Board Room at 797 Avenue D. The meeting is open to the public.

Items on the agenda:

1. Call to order by the President
  - A. Establish a quorum - Members present/ Members absent
  - B. Employees/Guests present
2. Invocation/Pledges
3. District Spotlight
4. Approval of Agenda for the April 18, 2018 Regular Meeting of the CCCSD Board of Trustees.
5. Open Forum/Public Comments
6. Vince Viaille - Presentation: Results regarding the Bond Sale
7. Terry, Smith, Powell & Leon, Information

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## Esparza signs to run track, cross-country with Cameron University

BY MELISSA PERNER  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

Roman Esparza is ready to take his athletic talents to the next level.

Surrounded by family, friends and teammates at the OHS Library, Roman signed his letter of intent on April 11 with Cameron University to become a part of their track and cross-country programs.

"I'm overwhelmed. It's been a long road and there have been a lot of people that have helped me to get here," Roman said. "I've had great role models to follow, and it's nice to leave a legacy for people to follow."

Roman's father, John Esparza, called the day "super special."

"This is a very special moment. All the countless hours put in over the summer, the practices, the countless hours on the road all lead up to this very special time," said Superintendent Raul Chavarria.

Cameron University is located in Lawton, Okla. and has an enrollment of around 5,100 students.

The university competes in the NCAA Division II Lone Star Conference with Angelo State, Eastern New Mexico, Midwestern State, Tarleton State, Texas A&M-Commerce, Texas A&M-Kingsville, Texas Woman's, UT Permian Basin, West Texas A&M and Western New Mexico.

The men's cross-country

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ROMAN ESPARZA (center) signs a letter of intent to run cross-country and track with Cameron University in Lawton, Okla. on April 11 at the OHS Library. His is pictured with his parents Tiffany and John Esparza.

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## Online purchase scams are the riskiest type of fraud, according to BBB Scam Tracker

Online purchase scams are now the riskiest form of consumer fraud, according to a new report from the Better Business Bureau. In 2017, consumers reported more than 47,000 scams to BBB Scam Tracker. BBB analyzed this information using its unique BBB Scam Risk Index to determine the riskiest scams based on exposure, susceptibility, and monetary loss. The findings, released for National Consumer Protection Week show some significant changes from 2016:

- Tax collection scams decreased 60 percent in volume of reports, likely due to the arrest in India in 2016 of the ringleader of a network of call centers primarily responsible for the IRS scam.
- Online purchase scams jumped from



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the fourth riskiest scam to the top spot, likely due to an increase in exposure.

Home improvement scams dropped from first to sixth riskiest, despite a number of natural disasters that traditionally bring out "storm chasers." Young people continue to be at higher risk for scams, and susceptibility decreases with age, although dollars lost increases when victims are older. The most common online purchase scams in 2017 were

related to pets, clothing, cosmetics, electronics, and automobiles. The offer of free trials was a common tactic for these online purchases: 67 percent of scams involving cosmetics and 60 percent involving nutrition products mentioned a free trial opportunity. Another significant increase was in the category of investment scams, which tend to target older age groups and come with a higher average monetary loss. This scam type jumped from the sixth

riskiest in 2016 to the second riskiest in 2017. Home improvement scams dropped from the riskiest scam in 2016 to sixth riskiest in 2017. Surprisingly, the drop occurred in a year marked by several weather-related disasters, including hurricanes Irma and Harvey. BBB believes this may have been due to a significant increase in information from the media and consumer protection groups, around home improvement scams following disasters.

The top ten riskiest scams in 2017 were:

1. Online purchase scam (up from #4 in 2016)
2. Investment scam (up from #6 in 2016)
3. Employment scam (no change)
4. Advance fee loan scam (up from #5 in 2016)
5. Fake check scam (down from #2 in 2016)
6. Home improvement scam (down from #1 in 2016)
7. Tech support scam (up

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## Energy Security is National Security

Folks in the 23rd District know well that West Texas energy fuels our economy. In fact, the Texas portion of the Permian Basin alone provides more than 444,000 jobs, contributes more than \$60.2 billion to the Gross State Product of Texas and generates \$113.6 billion in economic output for local communities.



**HURD ON THE HILL**  
WILL HURD

lion invested to ensure the safe and responsible development of this facility, more jobs for the hardworking folks in TX-23 are

on the way.

What's equally as important is that energy security is national security. Many folks don't realize the hardworking Texans getting in their trucks each morning to work on nearby rigs or at refineries are doing much more than earning a paycheck - they are playing an important role protecting our nation from threats abroad. Here's why:

Due to the discovery of significant reserves across the United States, including the Permian Basin, the nation has ramped up domestic oil production. In doing so, we have reduced our dependence on other oil producing nations while concurrently securing and improving our economy.

Countries across the globe are now looking to the United States to supply energy, ultimately diminishing the influence of other countries, such as Russia, on the industry.

It is exciting that TX-23 is ground zero for North American energy dominance and so many hardworking Texans have a hand in our foreign policy by simply doing their jobs.

Recently, I spent a week in West Texas with employers, constituents and energy stakeholders to see their contributions firsthand in the Delaware Basin, a portion of the Permian Basin that spans across Culberson, Jeff Davis, Loving, Pecos, Reeves, Ward and Winkler Counties.

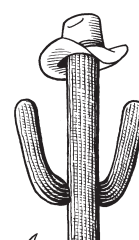
I started my trip in Orla where I visited a new natural gas processing plant. With more than \$250 mil-

lion invested to ensure the safe and responsible development of this facility, more jobs for the hardworking folks in TX-23 are on the way. In addition to hosting an energy roundtable in Fort Stockton, a town hall in Monahans and visiting facilities in Balmorhea and Pecos, I toured the site of a new refinery outside of Fort Stockton. This will be the first project of its kind built in the United States in 47 years. The refinery operator chose Fort Stockton because of the available land, access to natural resources and the South Orient-Texas Pacifico railroad that travels to Mexico through the border town of Presidio. My office worked with Texas Department of Transportation to secure grant funding to begin fixing an ailing rail line and the Presidio rail bridge that previously burned in a fire. It is particularly rewarding to see this private-sector investment in our community that will help grow jobs in the area and improve the economy.

The United States is a global powerhouse due to so many Texans who support the energy industry right here in our backyard. West Texas energy fuels our economy, fosters thousands of local jobs and allows us to bolster our national security by relying less on other oil-producing countries for natural resources. I'll continue to work with my colleagues in our nation's capital to create pro-growth policies to ensure South and West Texas continues to thrive.

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

## Making The Change



**IT'S THE PITTS**

LEE PITTS

The biggest problem I had when leaving high school was that for four years the FFA had consumed my life and then, suddenly, I had nothing to hold my interest. Collegiate livestock judging filled that void. I liked the competitive nature of it and loved giving reasons. I was good at it, if I do say so myself. So much so that my grandpa thought I should be a lawyer arguing before the Supreme Court, but I objected and appealed his decision on grounds that I didn't want to spend the rest of my life looking for loopholes.

I also loved livestock judging because I got to go places I'd never been: Chicago, Fort Worth, Kansas City, San Francisco, Portland and Denver. It was because of all this traveling that I learned something important about myself: I hated big cities.

I'll never forget our flight home from Chicago because it was my first time on a 747 and because it was a Playboy Bunny flight where Playboy Bunnies served the first class flyers drinks and dinner. I kid you not. We got fogged out of L.A. and had to circle for a couple hours and while we waited drinks were on the house. Needless to say, things got a little rambunctious, and the Playboy Bunnies ended up being locked in the cabin with the pilots. I think the Bunnies got permanently grounded after that.

One reason I liked giving reasons so much was I grew up in a house where "the views and opinions expressed were

strictly those of management." Judging was the first time in my life I was allowed to express my opinion and the grown-ups had to listen and not interrupt.

My coach, Bill Jacobs, was only ten years older than I was and our deep friendship was based largely on one thing: I taught him how to shoot pool. I had grown up shooting pool in my grandpa's house

and had become fairly proficient at it. One time on a judging team trip I introduced Bill to the game and he immediately became infatuated with it, so much so that if a student wanted to reach him after class they knew where to find him: at the pool hall.

In his career Bill judged all the major shows in America and even overseas. It was during a faddish phase where you could judge a class of animals with a tape measure. As a coach Bill was the kind of a man who let you say what you thought... as long as you agreed with him.

One year, in preparation for a big contest, we were judging bulls and in one class there was a bull who had won all the western shows but I rolled "The Meatless Wonder" to the bottom of the class

because as far as I could tell, there wasn't an ounce of meat on his long, tall frame. He was short an organic compound and had "no acetol". (Sound it out.) I never bought into the "long and tall" fad, being of the opinion that you couldn't eat all that empty space underneath an animal.

Lo and behold "The Meatless Wonder" ended up in a judging class at the Cow Palace and I recognized him immediately. (I can't remember people but I never forget an animal!) I knew they'd start the class with "The Meatless Wonder" but I just couldn't do it. I wanted to place him dead last but I had to think about the team so I placed him third and my score took a big hit. I ended up placing second in the contest and had I placed him first I would have won the whole thing, but I had my principles!

I ended up with a 48 out of 50 on my reasons for the class so I could only assume the judge hearing my reasons kinda agreed with me.

It's been a source of enjoyment ever since knowing that "The Meatless Wonder's" real name has never appeared in any popular pedigree. He ended up at the butcher shop within two years, right where he belonged. I'm sure he yielded at least 20 pounds of extremely lean, tasteless hamburger and one very big pile of long, tall bones..

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## Officials see room for improvement in criminal history reporting

AUSTIN — Gov. Greg Abbott and Attorney General Ken Paxton on April 11 sent a joint letter to eight state criminal justice agencies and associations, urging them to review their processes for reporting criminal history to the National Instant Criminal Background Check System, or "NICS."

The NICS checks available records on persons who may be disqualified from receiving firearms. Abbott and Paxton said a recent study found that only 68 percent of arrests in state criminal history files nationwide were reported to the NICS. But Texas' overall rate is 84 percent, with a 95 percent reporting rate for arrests within the past five years.

Recipients of the letter included the Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Commission on Law Enforcement, Office of Court Administration, Sheriff's Association of Texas, Texas Police Association, Texas Court Clerks As-

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sociation, Texas County and District Clerks' Association and Texas District and County Attorneys Association.

"We congratulate you on this success, but there continues to be room for improvement," Abbott and Paxton wrote. "Our goal is 100 percent reporting of final dispositions statewide. We encourage you to review your processes to ensure that all relevant information is being reported."

Federal law, the officials said, disallows the transfer of firearms to any person who is:

- A fugitive from justice;
- Uses or is addicted to controlled substances;
- Has been adjudicated "mentally defective" or committed to mental institutions;
- Subject to a domestic violence restraining order; or
- Convicted of a misde-

meanor or felony domestic violence charge crime or is under indictment for such a charge.

All criminal justice agencies in Texas, including court clerks, are required to report information that identifies people ineligible to possess firearms to the Department of Public Safety through the Criminal Justice Information System. The rules are outlined in state Code of Criminal Procedure. The information then is provided to the NICS database.

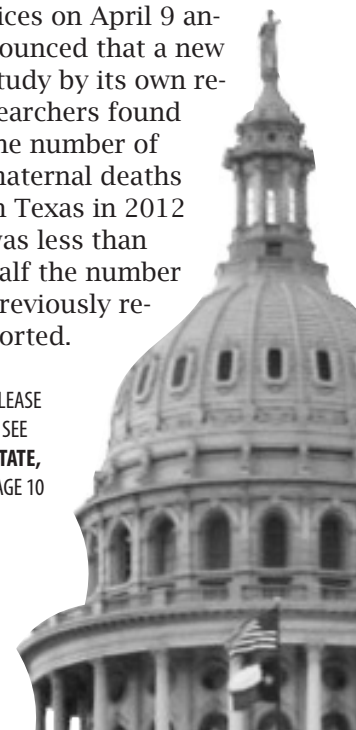
"NICS is vital to making sure guns stay out of the dangerous hands of individuals with a high risk of committing violence," Paxton said. "By doing everything we can to ensure that all relevant information is being reported timely and accurately to NICS, Texas can help prevent shootings before they

happen and save lives."

### DEATH COUNT IS AMENDED

The Texas Department of State Health Services on April 9 announced that a new study by its own researchers found the number of maternal deaths in Texas in 2012 was less than half the number previously reported.

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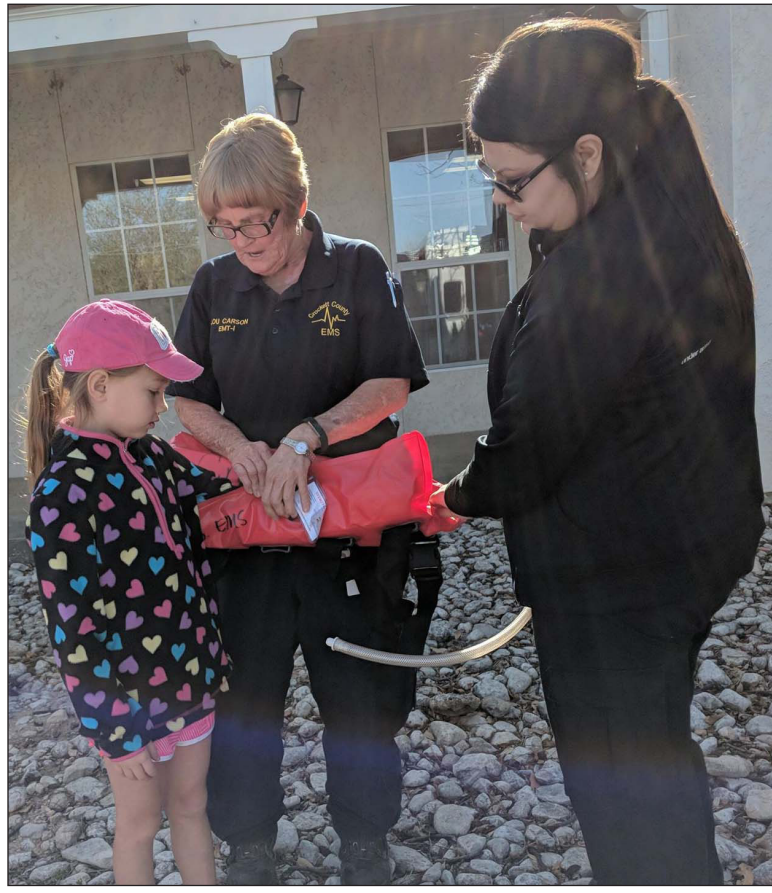
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# Community Helpers Day



THE CROCKETT COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY HOSTED COMMUNITY HELPERS DAY on April 10. OES First-Graders visited the library and met with county officials, Crockett County EMS personnel, Crockett County Animal Control and Crockett County Extension Office employees, Crockett County Librarians, CCCCSD Administrators and Ozona Firefighters. They also did a craft and had a story time.

# Three-Person Golf Scramble May 19

Ozona Country Club is hosting a Three-Person Golf Scramble at 1 p.m. May 19 at the club located at 207 Country Club Drive in Ozona.

Registration fee is \$150 (100 percent payout), Mulligans (optional) \$10 per person, Birdies (optional) \$30 per team for holes #3 and #12.

Sausage wraps will be available on the course.

Golf carts will not be provided for rental (RUVs acceptable).

Open to members and non-members. Must be 18 or older. Non-members must buy temporary membership for \$5 to purchase alcohol.

Cash only, no checks accepted.

Early sign up available from 4-8 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday or 1-8 p.m. Friday-Sunday.

Snacks, drinks and alcoholic beverages available for sale.

No outside alcoholic beverages allowed to be brought in.

All decisions and rulings are final and made by the tournament committee who will be playing in tournament.

For more information, call (432) 661-0179 or (325) 226-2515.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Wednesday, April 18

- Band Contest at Crane
- Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OES Pride Lunch Pre-K, First, Third and Fifth Grades
- Hospice and Healthcare Program, 11:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Range Evaluation and Plant ID Meeting, 5:15 p.m. at the 4-H Office
- CCCCSD School Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Office

Thursday, April 19

- FFA District at Grape Creek
- Art Club Trip to Lubbock
- Balance Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Bingo, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center
- 4-H Recordbook Training, 4:45 p.m. at the 4-H Office

Friday, April 20

- OMS Math and Science Students at the TMSCA State Meet in San Antonio
- Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Lions Baseball vs Harper, 6 p.m. at Harper
- Art Emerge Ozona, 6-8 p.m. at the old Brown Furniture Building

Saturday, April 21

- FFA at State
- OMS Math and Science Students at the TMSCA State Meet in San Antonio
- OMS Tennis at Big Lake

Sunday, April 22

- Wool and Mohair Judging, 3 p.m. at the 4-H Office

Monday, April 23

- OHS Lions Golf Team at the Region I Meet in Odessa
- Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Bicycle Helmet Give Away, 3:30-5:30 p.m. at Ozona Elementary School
- Fashion and Interior Design Project Meeting, Juniors, 4 p.m. at the 4-H Office
- Ozona Girls Softball League Opening Day and Team Recognition, 5:30 p.m. at the south softball complex.
- Senior Bingo Social, 6:30 p.m. at the Senior Center

Tuesday, April 24

- OHS Lions Golf Team at the Region I Meet in Odessa
- Ozona Head Start Registration, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. at the Head Start Building, 1310 Avenue G
- Exercise with Niki Bishop, 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Active Shooter Lunch & Learn, 11:30 a.m. at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center
- 4-H Club Meeting, 4 p.m. at the 4-H Office
- Fashion and Interior Design Project Meeting, Intermediates and Seniors, 4 p.m. at the 4-H Office
- Lions Baseball vs Center Point, 6 p.m. at OHS Baseball Field

Wednesday, April 25

- OHS Lady Lions Golf at the Region I Meet in Odessa
- Special Olympics in Sonora
- Pre-K and Kindergarten Pre-Registration, 9 a.m.-noon and 1-4 p.m. at the OES Library
- Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OES Pride Lunch Kindergarten, Second and Fourth Grades
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Range Evaluation and Plant ID Meeting, 5:15 p.m. at the 4-H Office

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April 19 - Eric Hendren, Sarah Vargas, Mysti Michelle Mata, Nat Hernandez Jr. and Michelle Gonzales  
April 20 - Lupe Martinez, Abe Rodriguez, Viola Perez, Frankie Kay, Jerold Savala, Clarissa Hernandez, Penny Dalton, Nicole Kelley, Chelsea Gonzales, Ricardo

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April 23 - Raliegth Conner, Prissy Luna, Kasey Gray, Eugene Hood and Luranda Morris  
April 24 - Emily Galindo, Fidel Rios, Ryan Dalton, Joe Alex Lara, Timothy Baseril, Timothy Batura, Caleb Conner and Jordan Webster

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  - "The Escape Artist" by Brad Meltzer
  - "Before We Were Yours" by Lisa Wingate
  - "An American Marriage" by Tayari Jones
  - "A Gentleman in Moscow" by Amor Towles
  - "The Rising Sea" by Clive Cussler and Graham Brown
  - "Alternate Side" by Anna Quindlen
  - "The Bishop's Pawn" by Steve Berry

- Non-Fiction**
- "Fire and Fury" by Michael Wolff Holt
  - "Astrophysics for People in a Hurry" by Neil deGrasse Tyson
  - "Killers of the Flower Moon" by David Grann

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Monday: 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Tuesday: 9 a.m.-8 p.m.  
Wednesday & Thursday: 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Friday: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.





**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.

**APRIL 18**

Chicken tenders, cream gravy, garlic mashed potatoes, vegetable medley, dinner roll, chunky fruit medley and milk.

**APRIL 19**

Chicken parmesan, zucchini, tossed salad, dressing, garlic bread, seasonal fruit and milk.

**APRIL 20**

Potato crusted cod, greens, cornbread, chocolate cream pie and milk.

**APRIL 23**

Smoked sausage, green beans, seasoned cabbage, whole wheat bread, hot cinnamon apples and milk.

**APRIL 24**

Pulled pork sliders, seasoned green peas, dinner roll, citrus salad and milk.

**APRIL 25**

Salisbury steak, baked potato, Capri vegetables, dinner roll, banana pudding with wafers and milk.

**APRIL 26**

Chicken and mushroom ravioli, butter beans, glazed carrots, wheat roll, fruited gelatin and milk.

**What you do now could prevent dementia**

Dementia is a chronic or progressive syndrome of deterioration in the ability to process thought beyond that which is consistent with normal ageing. It affects memory, thinking, personality, orientation, comprehension, calculation, learning capacity, language, and judgement.

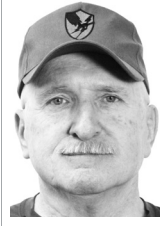
Often referred to as "type 3 diabetes", dementia is believed to be associated with diabetes mellitus (Type 2 diabetes) and cardiovascular disease (CVD) in causation; that being inflammation in people who are carbohydrate intolerant (CI). There is no known medical treatment for dementia... but it can be prevented by way of proper nutrition and exercise.

In his book, "Grain Brain", neurologist, Dr. David Perlmutter, MD, shattered previous hypotheses concerning what health authorities have mistakenly perceived as 'healthy foods'. Refined and high glycemic carbohydrates like sugar, flour, and whole grains specifically, cause general inflammation and blood glucose levels to spike.

Inflammation is a process we typically observe as pain, redness, swelling and the loss of function. Acute inflammation is normal and occurs throughout the body. Chronic inflammation, however is the number-one enemy of the heart and brain, and our quality of life.

The elevation of blood glucose increases the binding properties of glucose to protein molecules, known as glycation. This process significantly increases the production of inflammatory chemicals in the body. This is what the Hemoglobin A1c factor (glycated hemoglobin) refers to in blood tests. Reviewing this reference is significant in predicting dementia.

Dr. Perlmutter explains, "In Grain Brain, as well as my recent PBS program, 'Brain Change', I described that this very same process, inflammation, is actually a pivotal player in such diverse brain conditions as Alzheimer's



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JIM FISH

disease, multiple sclerosis, Parkinson's disease and even autism."

Additionally, a new study was just published in the journal "Neurology, Midlife Cardiovascular Fitness and Dementia" that indicates exercise as a significant lifestyle choice associated with the reduction of developing dementia and Alzheimer's disease.

The study is compelling because researchers began collecting data back in 1968 and followed a group of Swedish women for up to 44 years. They initially examined the 191 women, 38 to 60 years of age, and had them perform an ergometer cycling test. The test was designed to measure their level of cardiovascular fitness. The women were evaluated multiple times afterward in 1974, 1980, 1992, 2000, 2005, and 2009 to determine if they had developed dementia.

In "Midlife cardiovascular fitness and dementia: A 44-year longitudinal population study in women" the researchers concluded that, "Among Swedish women, a high cardiovascular fitness in midlife was associated with a decreased risk of subsequent dementia. Promotion of a high cardiovascular fitness may be included in strategies to mitigate or prevent dementia. Findings are not causal, and future research needs to focus on whether improved fitness could have positive effects on dementia risk and when during the life course a high cardiovascular fitness is most important."

In reference to the above, Dr. Perlmutter advises, "All of the results were compared to the women in the medium fitness category. What the researchers discovered was that, compared to the indi-

viduals in medium fitness, risk for all-cause dementia was lower by 88 percent in those who had a high level of fitness at the beginning of the study, while it was actually increased by 41 percent in those with low fitness. In addition, high fitness was associated with a delay in the age of onset of dementia by 9.5 years, in comparison to the group in the medium fitness range.

The fundamental message should convince everyone willing heed the advice that we've got to do everything possible to reduce inflammation and seek out regimens of activity that will optimize the body's functionality and will enhance our lifestyle. Part of that means selecting a way of eating rich in anti-inflammatory foods like healthful fats, minimal in simple and refined carbohydrates, and provides proper proteins. Another part would be to seek out enjoyable activities that will boost the heart rate and benefit the cardiovascular system.

The choices are ours to make. Educating ourselves on all diseases and conditions that afflict us is our best weapon of prevention. Be careful what you choose, however; there is trickery, opportunists and misinformation at every level. No matter what you believe or how much faith you place in those beliefs, your genetics will determine how they will express themselves and how they will respond to the foods and activities you choose.

Are you going to choose what benefits you long-term or what pleases you in this moment?

Here's to your health.  
**JIM FISH** is a certified Integrative Nutrition Health Coach. Contact him with your health related questions or for citations to this article at: (325) 276-2150, JimFishNHC@usa.com or Jim Fish, P.O. Box 905, Ozona, Texas 76943.

*The views, thoughts, and opinions expressed in Here's to Your Health belong solely to the author, and not to the J. Cleo Thompson Wellness Center or any other organization, group or individual.*

**OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS**

**Hospice and Healthcare program today**

BY BRENDA NEWTON  
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

Thanks to the road department we have a new way to enter and leave the Senior Center. The one we have has become dangerous because of the truck traffic. If you use the crossing south of the center, across from Avenue D, it will be much safer. Entering is not too bad, but leaving is hard because you cannot see traffic coming from the south until it is too late to get across safely. Try it out.

I got some new games for the center to exercise your hands and minds. Come on out and try them. You can play them standing up or sitting down. Remember, if you don't use it, you lose it.

Don't forget the program today, April 18, about Hospice and Healthcare for the ones our age put on by Kathleen Steele of Interim Healthcare. I know we don't want to think about our health and the loss of our good health, but we need to make plans to make everyone, including ourselves, have an easier time when our health starts to fail. Life in general is moving so very fast for the young and old, and health failures really throw a kink that makes it hard on everyone concerned. Kathleen will be here from about 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and will be giving programs for lunch group at noon, the game group at 1:30 p.m. and prayer group at 3 p.m. Please think about yourself and

your family and come hear what she has to say.

Niki will be here at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, April 24, to exercise with the Wesley Nurse Program. Niki has really good exercises that are not hard but are very good for all of us. She takes your blood pressure and keeps a record of it for you. She comes on Tuesday morning each week and presents the good exercises for our age group. Give it a try.

We will have afternoon bingo this Thursday at 2 p.m. Bring your nickels and play as many cards as you can handle at a nickel a card per game. If you bingo for that game, you get all the nickels. We serve Cokes and popcorn and have a good time. Then we have a blackout bingo for a little prize for the lucky winner.

Our next Bingo Social will be 6:30 p.m. April 23. We will be serving barbecue on a bun and ice cream bars for dessert. Please mark this on your calendar.

The center will open at 8:30 a.m. and close at 4:30 p.m.

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

Tuesday - 10:30 a.m. Exercise with Niki Bishop

Wednesday - 1:30 p.m. Mexican Train; 3 p.m. Prayer Group

Thursday - 9:30 a.m. Balance Exercise; 9:30 a.m. Quilting; 2 p.m. Bingo

Come on out, the coffee is on.

**Bridal Selections**  
have been made by:  
**Jennifer Davidson**  
bride-elect of  
**Darren Meadows**  
**Kelbie Renfroe**  
bride-elect of  
**Sean Tucker**  
**Petals & Pearls**  
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**A.F. & A.M.**  
Next meeting  
1st Monday in  
May at 7:30 p.m.

**THE RIGHT KIND OF FRIENDS**

I remember talking to a young man that was a fairly new Christian and was having lots of problems. After accepting Jesus Christ as Lord and savior he started attending Bible study and Church faithfully. He found new friends and they prayed for him. Before long he got a good job, a place to live, did better financially and even felt good about himself. But then something happened some old friends started coming around and hanging out with him. They readily supplied alcohol for him. He started drinking and it led to him getting drunk on a regular basis. He found himself in all kinds of trouble. He said, "My problem is hanging out with the wrong crowd". Friends or who we hang out with can help us or hurt us. The Bible has a lot to say about this. There are many examples of bad friends in the Bible for example Job's friends hurt him when he was suffering and gave him bad advice and God was mad at them for acting the way they did, (Job 42:7-9). Going to the wrong places with the wrong crowd will lead to our downfall, (Proverbs 29:3 and 1 Corinthians 15:33). Paul was comforted and enjoyed being with good Christian friends, (Romans 15:24& 32). Let us make sure we are being the right kind of friend and that we hang out with the right kind of friends, (Psalm 111:1). See you in Church next Sunday. Brother J

<p><b>Apostolic Church</b> 1908 Santa Anna St. <b>Pastor Refugio Vega</b> Sunday School: 3 p.m. Sunday Worship: 4 p.m. Tuesday &amp; Thursday Service: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Iglesia de Dios De La Profecia</b> 102 Man O'War St. <b>Pastor Maria C. Salcedo</b> Lunes: 6 p.m. Domingo: 9:45 a.m., 6 p.m. Martes: 6 p.m. Jueves: 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Our Lady of Perpetual Help</b> 219 Martinez St. <b>Rev. Hilary Ithedioha</b> Sunday Mass: 9 a.m. in Sheffield; 11 a.m. in Ozona Every Second Sunday of the Month: Sunday Mass: 9 a.m. in Ozona; 11 a.m. in Sheffield Tuesday - Saturday Mass: 6 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Friendship Baptist Church</b> 611 Ave. I Sunday School: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Sunday Worship: 6 p.m. Wednesday Worship: 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida</b> Corner of Secretariat &amp; Man O'War <b>Pastor Juan Avila</b> Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m. Wed. Service: 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Ozona Church of Christ</b> 1002 11th St. <b>Mr. Johnnie Perkins</b> Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m. Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Faith Lutheran Church</b> 802 1st St. <b>Pastor Tom Baden</b> Worship: Sunday - 7 p.m. Bible Class: Sunday - 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>New Beginnings Ozona</b> "church...but different" 354 Highway 163 South <b>Pastor JC Cantu</b> Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m. (325) 226-3060 www.newbeginningsozona.com</p>	<p><b>Ozona United Methodist Church</b> 12 - 11th St.; <b>Pastor Jean Reardon</b> 9 a.m. Informal Worship, Fellowship Hall 10 a.m. Sunday School for all ages 11 a.m. Traditional Worship, Sanctuary</p>
<p><b>First Baptist Church</b> 901 Ave. D <b>Pastor Mark Fricke</b> Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Youth - 6:00 p.m. - Wednesdays K.I.D.S. - 5:30 p.m. - Wednesdays</p>	<p><b>ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY</b></p>	
<p><b>Iglesia de Cristo</b> Hwy. 163 S. at Quail Run <b>Interim - Ray Valadez</b> Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Templo Bautista Jerusalem</b> 138 Blas St. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m. Wednesday: 7 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church</b> 2121 Santa Rosa St. <b>Pastor Ruth &amp; Gerson Posadas</b> Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m. Wednesday Family Service: 6:30 p.m.</p>

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CROCKETT COUNTY LIBRARY DIRECTOR SUSAN WILLIAMS was honored by the Care Center Reading Group for National Library Week on April 10. Williams reads weekly at the Care Center.

**CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H NEWS**

**Judging teams compete in Hackamore Ranch Contest**

The Crockett County 4-H Range Evaluation Teams competed at the Hackamore Ranch Contest on Saturday.

The Junior Team of Audrey Upham, Mia Cruz, Kailyn Preddy and Grace Upham won the meet.

Audrey Upham was the top individual. Mia Cruz placed third and Kailyn Preddy finished fourth as individuals.

The Senior Team of Jenna Marshall, Leland Wellman and Taylor Babb finished third.

Jenna Marshall was eighth, Leland Wellman 12th and Taylor Babb 13th as individuals.

**RECORDBOOK TRAINING**

4-Hers are encouraged to attend the District 6 4-H Recordbook Training hosted by our District 6 4-H Specialist Saturday, May 12, in Rankin, or attend a local meeting at 4:45 p.m. Thursday, April 19, at the 4-H Office.

**FASHION and INTERIOR DESIGN**

Juniors (3-5 grades) 4-5 p.m. Monday, April 9, April 16 and April 23.

Intermediates (JH) and Seniors (HS) 4-5 p.m. Monday, April 9, April 17 and April 24.

Fashion and Interior Design Contests: Tuesday, May 8, in Andrews. Registration is April 9-20.

**4-H OFFICE**

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

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

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

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**TEXT REMINDERS**

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



4-H RANGE EVALUATION TEAMS competed at the Hackamore Ranch Contest Saturday. TOP PHOTO: The Junior Team of (left to right) Audrey Upham, Mia Cruz, Kailyn Preddy and Grace Upham won the meet. BOTTOM PHOTO: The Senior Team of (left to right) Taylor Babb, Leland Wellman and Jenna Marshall finished third at the meet.

**My Campaign Promises are as follows:**

1. I will ask for raises or a retention stipend for ALL county employees during our budget workshop in June 2018.
2. I will immediately petition to revert the I-10 project back to a 2-way upon its completion if that is what Precinct 4 wants me to do.
3. I will implement a 15-20 mph speed limit on Pecan Street with the appropriate signs and work with commissioners court and the sheriff's department to help control the traffic. No speed bumps.

Commissioners Court & the Sheriff's Department have agreed to help me keep Precinct 4 safe. Outgoing traffic will still use the same route on Willow Drive. Interstate traffic will not have to use Pecan or any other street.

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**FORT LANCASTER NEWS**

**Special guided tour Sunday**

BY WILSON WHITE  
FORT LANCASTER

Looking for something fun for the entire family? Visit Fort Lancaster State Historic Site on Sunday, April 22, for a special guided tour of the historic fort ruins followed by a hands-on history display with period weapons, uniforms, and soldier equipment.

Upon arrival, a soldier will greet visitors and serve as their tour guide.

Visitors can walk the trails around the ruins of Fort Lancaster learning about the site's fascinating history and stories.

The tour begins at the Visitor's Center at 2 p.m., visitors are asked to arrive a few minutes early.

Admission is \$4 for adults and \$3 per child. Family rates are available.

For more information, call (432) 836-4391 or visit [www.visitfortlancaster.com](http://www.visitfortlancaster.com).

**BOARD:** *from page 1*

regarding financial impact of wind farms	9. Review and Accept the District and Campus Improvement Plans
8. Reports	10. Approval of the District of Innovation Plan
A. Transportation	11. Approval of the 2018-2019 School Calendar
B. Maintenance	12. Consent Agenda
C. Principals - Elementary, Middle and High School	A. Approve minutes from the Regular Meeting held March 21, 2018
D. Athletic Director	13. Executive/Closed Session - Texas Government Code Chapter 551.074 Personnel Matters and 551.072 Real Property
E. Technology Director	14. Possible action from Executive/Closed Session
F. Band Report - No Report	15. Future Business - May 2018 Regular Board Meeting - suggested date May 16, 2018
G. Cafeteria/Food Service	16. Adjournment
H. Federal Programs	
I. Superintendent Report	
J. Financial & Bills	
1. Bills	
2. Board Report	
3. Monthly Investment Report	
4. Student Activity Funds	

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

VICTORY ROCK TEXAS, LLC, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for: Issuance of Permits 150841L002, 150843L002, and 150844L002

This application would authorize construction of one of possibly three Rock Crushing Plants. The applicant has provided the following directions to the site: from the intersection of US 67 and Farm-to-Market Road 1676, drive south on Farm-to-Market Road 1676 for 12.8 miles to the site on the east side of Farm-to-Market Road 1676, near Big Lake but in Crockett County, Texas 76943. Additional information concerning this application is contained in the public notice section of this newspaper.

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Donations made through the [sanangelogives.org](http://sanangelogives.org) website will be amplified by more than \$100,000 already raised by the San Angelo Area Foundation to increase the impact of every gift.

Nonprofits are eligible to win several cash prizes throughout the day, making San Angelo Gives a fun, innovative way to raise money in our community.

**Be part of the greatest day of giving!**  
**Donate to the Ozonia Organizations on May 1.**

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SUBMITTED PHOTOS

**BACK-TO-BACK REGIONAL CHAMPIONS:** The OHS Computer Science Team won the Region I UIL Academic Meet Saturday for the second year in a row to advance to the UIL State Meet. Pictured are: (left to right) Chantz Elliott, Humberto Torralba, Josh Knaack and Manuel Torralba. RIGHT PHOTOS: Brenna Hale (top) advanced to state in Editorial Writing and Danny Posadas advanced in Computer Applications.



# OHS Art Show



SUSAN CALLOWAY | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

**THE OHS ART SHOW** was held Friday at the Crockett County Public Library. OHS Students Josae Coy (top photo) and Larissa Hernandez each received the \$300 OHS Art Club Scholarship.



SUBMITTED PHOTOS

**OHS CALCULATOR TEAM OF:** (left to right) Chantz Elliott, Denise Rodriguez, Manuel Torralba and Josh Knaack won the Region I UIL Academic Meet Saturday in Odessa to advance to the UIL State Meet.

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Citlalli was 14th. Their score of 528 earned them the wildcard spot to advance to the state meet. OHS Seniors Brenna Hale and Danny Posadas qualified as individuals. Brenna Hale placed second in Editorial Writing and Danny Posadas was third in Computer Applications. OHS had 13 students competing at Saturday's regional meet. Overall, Ozona finished second in the region with 133 points. Sundown was first with 277 points and Wellington was third with 79. The UIL Academic State Meet will be held May 4-5 at the University of Texas at Austin campus.

## TRACK: from page 1

qualified in the 300-Hurdles finishing fourth at 44.03. Danny Posadas qualified in the 3200-meters placing fourth at 11:44.97. Sebastian De La Cruz jumped 5-10 for a fourth place finish in the high jump to qualify for regionals. Kenzee Talamantez finished fourth in the 800-meters at 2:33.71 to advance to regionals. Talamantez also placed seventh in the 400-meters at 1:09.65 and eighth in the 1600-meters at 6:41.05. Also competing at Monday's area meet: Victoria DeHanis finished fifth in the 100-Hurdles at 17.13. Zoe Jones finished eighth in the pole vault at 7-6. Humberto Torralba finished eighth in the 800-meters at 2:15.37 and seventh in the 1600 at 5:11.18. Michael Esparza finished seventh in pole vault at 10-6. Jose Dominguez finished eighth in long jump at 18-5. The Lions 400-meter relay



SUBMITTED PHOTO

**REGIONAL TRACK QUALIFIERS:** (left to right) Sebastian De La Cruz, Abraham Rodriguez, Kenzee Talamantez, Roman Esparza, Danny Posadas and Manuel Torralba.

team finished fifth at 45.49, finished eighth at 1:37.97. The Lions Track Team finished fourth overall in the team standings.

## ROMAN: from page 1

program is well-established and the track program will be a brand new addition to the university start in the fall of 2018. Roman said he plans on studying financial law. "It (Cameron) gave me the

opportunity for scholarship opportunities. Plus, it's not too far from everyone but far enough to give me a chance to be on my own and explore the world," Roman said. During his track and cross-country career at OHS, Roman has received many honors including being a state qualifier in cross-country for three years and winning an individ-

ual medal his senior year. He also most proud of receiving the CCCAT Academic All State Award this year, John Esparza said. In track, Roman has won district in pole vault two years in a row and advanced to the regional meet his junior and senior years. He was also the district champion this year in the 800-meters and advanced

to the regional meet Monday and has received the THSCA Academic All State Award. Roman also participated in basketball and UIL Debate, and is a member of the National Honor Society and the Science Club. He has also helped with the Project Graduation planning committee and been a volunteer at the Crockett County Care Center.

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# OZONA Tennis at Sonora Tennis Meet



**CONSOLATION CHAMPIONS SEVENTH GRADE BOYS DOUBLES:**  
Miken Chandler-Fierro and Logan Thompson



**THIRD PLACE SEVENTH GRADE MIXED DOUBLES:**  
Noah Contreras and Skylar Lacy



**SECOND PLACE EIGHTH GRADE BOYS DOUBLES:**  
Lane Smith and Juan Vega



**THIRD PLACE EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS DOUBLES:**  
Esperanza Castillo and Harley Hernandez



**THIRD PLACE EIGHTH GRADE MIXED DOUBLES:**  
Ysabella Flores and Koltan Thompson



**SECOND PLACE SEVENTH GRADE MIXED DOUBLES:**  
Michael Luna and Ivey Rodriguez



**SECOND PLACE EIGHTH GRADE BOYS SINGLES:**  
Carlos Cantu

**Ozona Girls Softball League Opening Day and Team Recognition**  
5:30 p.m.  
Monday, April 23,  
at the South Softball Field Complex

**Bridal Selections**  
HAVE BEEN MADE BY  
Lucy Vasquez  
bride-elect of  
Rodrick Tijerina

**Quinceanera Selections**  
HAVE BEEN MADE BY  
Reagan Barerra

**OHS Senior Selections**  
HAVE BEEN MADE BY  
Josae Coy  
Zethany Cuevas  
Itzel Esmerado  
Roman Esparza  
Makenna Fox  
Audrey Gandar  
Michael Garcia  
Rigo Gonzales  
Brenna Hale  
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**TRUNK SHOW**  
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**Ozona FFA Ag Mechanics Project Show & Silent Auction**

**Tuesday, May 8, 2-7 p.m.**

**Crockett County Convention Center**

**BBQ Sandwich Dinner**  
starting at 5:30 p.m.  
**\$10 a plate**  
Proceeds benefit Ozona FFA

**Youth Center Calendar of Events**

**OHS MEAL NIGHT:** Mondays - 7-10 p.m.  
**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**  
**7TH & 8TH MEAL NIGHT:** Every other Tuesday 7-10 p.m.  
**7TH & 8TH GRADE:** Tuesday: 7-10 p.m.; Wednesday: 2-7 p.m.; Saturday: 7-10 p.m.

**All applications for the Civic and Youth Center Scholarship are due 5 p.m. May 1, and must be turned into Mr. Williams. Applications are available at the OHS Office.**

**What's for Lunch?**

**CCCCSD School Menus**

**Ozona Elementary School:** Breakfast is free for all students! Lunch is \$2.40 and Reduced Lunch is \$0.40

**Ozona Middle and Ozona High Schools:** Breakfast is \$1.40 and Reduced Breakfast is \$0.30 Lunch is \$2.55 and Reduced Lunch is \$0.40  
Menus are subject to change.  
To learn more about school meals, call Ludy Vargas (325) 392-5501 ext. 5547

**Wednesday, April 18**  
**Breakfast** Waffles and Sausage or Cereal and Toast, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk.  
**Lunch** X-Treme Burrito, Corn, Salsa, Lettuce and Tomato Garnish, Fresh Veggie Cup, Mandarin Oranges and Milk.

**Thursday, April 19**  
**Breakfast** Breakfast Pizza or PBJ Sandwich, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk.  
**Lunch** Salisbury Steak, Brown Gravy, Roasted Potatoes, Garden Salad, Biscuit, Fruity Gelatin and Milk

**Friday, April 20**  
**Breakfast** French Toast and Sausage or Cereal and Toast, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk.  
**Lunch** Pizza Choice, Baby Carrots, Crunchy Broccoli, Fresh Fruit, Cookie and Milk.

**Monday, April 23**  
**Breakfast** Pancakes and Sausage or Cereal and Toast, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk.  
**Lunch** Country Fried Steak, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, Strawberry Cup and Milk

**Tuesday, April 24**  
**Breakfast** Breakfast Burrito and Hashbrowns or Cereal Bar and Yogurt, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk.  
**Lunch** Meat and Cheese, Chalupas, Salsa, Spanish Rice (OHS only), Refried Beans, Zesty Cucumbers, Lettuce and Tomato Garnish, Rosy Applesauce and Milk

**Wednesday, April 25**  
**Breakfast** Biscuit, Bacon with Scrambled Eggs or Cereal and Toast, Fruit, Fruit Juice and Milk.  
**Lunch** Cheeseburger, Lettuce and Tomato Garnish, Sweet Potato Fries, Broccoli, Mixed Fruit, Crispy Cereal Treat and Milk.



# Pre-K, Kindergarten Pre-Registration April 25

Pre-Registration for the 2018-2019 Pre-Kindergarten and Kindergarten classes will be held on Wednesday, April 25, 2018 in the Ozona Elementary School Library from 9 a.m. to noon and 1-4 p.m.

Your child must be 4 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2018 to be eligible for Pre-Kindergarten and 5 years old on or before Sept. 1, 2018 to be eligible for Kindergarten.

Parents must bring their child's:  
· Birth Certificate (The original one from the Court House not the one from the hospital)  
· Social Security Card  
· Current Immunization Record (In order to attend school, your child must be

up to date on their immunizations. Nurse Farran will be present to review the immunization records.)

As of August 1, 1999, all children born on or after September 2, 1992 to

Have the following immunization to begin school:  
Immunizations required to enter Pre-Kindergarten:

1. Hepatitis A - 2 doses
2. Hepatitis B - 3 doses
3. DTaP - 4 doses
4. Polio - 3 doses
5. MMR - 1 dose
6. Varicella - 1 dose
7. PCV13-4 doses
8. Hib - 3 doses

Immunizations required to enter Kindergarten:

1. Hepatitis A - 2 doses
2. Hepatitis B - 3 doses

3. Varicella - 2 doses
4. DTaP - 5 doses
5. Polio - 4 doses
6. MMR - 2 doses

Parents will also need to provide proof of residency and a photo ID in order to register their child. If you are not the parent, then you must bring proof of guardianship. A copy of all these documents will be made and the originals will be returned. This is required by the law according to Chap. 25.002 of the Texas Education Code. Please bring your child with you.

Parents enrolling their child in Pre-Kindergarten must also bring a copy of their most recent paycheck stub.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call

Ozona Elementary School at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5500.

Matriculaciones para el 2018-2019 se llevara a cabo el miércoles, 25 de abril de 2018 de las 9:00-12:00 y 1:00-4:00 p.m. en la Biblioteca de la Escuela Primaria (Ozona Elementary School).

Su niño/a de Pre-Kinder debe tener 4 años de edad antes del 1 de septiembre 2018 para ser elegible para Kinder. Para ser elegible para Kinder, el niño/a debe tener 5 años antes del 1 de septiembre 2018.

Padres necesitan traer:  
· El certificado de nacimiento (de la corte, no del hospital)

· La tarjeta del seguro social  
· El registro de las vacunas. (En orden que su niño/a asista a la escuela, tiene que estar a día con sus vacunas. Enfermera Farran estará presente para revisar los registros de vacunación).

Desde el 1 de Agosto de 1999, todos los niños nacidos a partir del 2 de septiembre 1992 están obligados a tener las siguientes vacunas para empezar la escuela.

Vacunas para entrar a Pre-Kinder:

1. Hepatitis A - 2 dosis
2. Hepatitis B - 3 dosis
3. Difteria - 4 dosis
4. Polio - 3 dosis
5. Sarampión - 1 dosis
6. Varicela - 1 dosis
7. Neumococica - 4 dosis
8. Hib - 3 dosis

Vacunas para entrar a Kinder:

1. Hepatitis A - 2 dosis
2. Hepatitis B - 3 dosis
3. Varicela - 2 dosis
4. Difteria - 5 dosis
5. Polio - 4 dosis
6. MMR - 2 dosis

Los padres también necesitan traer una prueba de residencia y identificación con foto para poder registrar a su niño(a). Favor de presentar prueba de tutela si acaso usted no es el padre. Se hará una copia de estos documentos y se devuelven los originales. Esto es requerido por la ley de acuerdo con el Cap. 25.002 del Código de Educación de Tejas. Favor de traer a su niño(a) con usted!

Padres que van a inscribir a su niño(a) en Pre-Kindergarten tendrán que presentar un comprobante de ingresos.

Si tiene alguna pregunta, por favor de llamar a Ozona Elementary School al (325) 392-5501 ext. 5500



MELISSA PERNER | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

**OZONA HEAD START participated in Pinwheels for Prevention this morning. The program helps Prevent Child Abuse. The pinwheel is a happy, uplifting symbol of childhood and can be used in a number of ways to draw attention to the prevention of child abuse and neglect. Pinwheels are the national symbol for child abuse prevention and the Pinwheels for Prevention campaign focuses on positive efforts to ensure that all children have the safe, stable, nurturing families they deserve. Ozona Head Start is promoting that all children in the Head Start are all Healthy, Happy Children!**

## OES offering Summer Program

Ozona Elementary will be offering a summer program for children of limited English proficiency who will be enrolled in Kindergarten or First Grade in the fall. This program will help your child to continue in his/her development of social skills, literacy, and his/her use of language needed for success in school. The program will take place from Wednesday, May 30, until Friday, June 22. Classes will be on Monday thru Thursday from 8 a.m.-2:30 p.m. and on Fridays from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. The last day of summer school will be early dismissal at 1 p.m. If your child was not enrolled in the district during the regular school year, please bring the following documents on the first day of the summer program: Birth Certificate, Social Security Card, Immunization Records and Proof of Residency. For more information, call Janina Savala, director of federal programs at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5980 by Friday, May 25, to enroll your child in this program.

El distrito Crockett County CCSD estará ofreciendo un programa de verano para niños que no dominan el idioma inglés y que van a entrar a Kindergarten o



Primer Grado en el otoño. Este programa le ayudará a su hijo/a a que continúe su desarrollo con destrezas sociales, el alfabeto, y uso del idioma para tener éxito en la escuela. El programa será de miércoles 30 de mayo al viernes 22 de junio. Las clases serán de las 8:00 a.m. hasta la 2:30 p.m. de lunes a jueves y en los viernes serán de 8:00 a.m. a 4:30 p.m. El último día de clases será hasta la 1:00 p.m. Si su niño/a no fue matriculado en el distrito durante el año escolar, traiga los siguientes documentos el primer día del programa de verano: acta de nacimiento, tarjeta del seguro social, registro de vacunas y prueba de residencia. Favor de ponerse en contacto con Janina Savala, Directora de Programas Federales al (325) 392-5501 ext. 5980 antes del viernes, 25 de mayo para matricular a su hijo/a en este programa.

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10:00am-6:00pm

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Registro  
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10:00am-6:00pm

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**PLEASE BRING:**

- Child's Birth Certificate
- PROOF OF FAMILY INCOME (2017 Tax form, 2017 W-2, 12 months of TANF, SSI, Social Security, child support, check stubs, unemployment, Veterans benefits)
- Child's Immunization Record
- Child's Insurance Card (Medicaid, CHIPS, private insurance)

Note: Head Start does NOT provide transportation

**POR FAVOR, TRAIGA:**

- El certificado de Nacimiento del niño
- Documentacion de Sustento Familiar (Forma de Impuestos del Año 2017, Forma W2(s), 12 meses de TANF, Seguro Social para Desabilitados, Seguro Social, Desempleo, Manutencion para el Menor, Beneficios para Veteranos)
- Registro de Vacunas/Imunizaciones
- Tarjeta del Seguro Medico del Niño (Medicaid, CHIPS, private insurance)

Nota: Head Start NO proporciona transporte

Ozona Head Start | 325-392-3429 | Concho Valley Council of Governments | 325-944-9666 | cvcog.org

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

Crockett County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1  
PO Box 117/511 11<sup>th</sup> Street  
Ozona, TX 76943  
325.392.2730

PUBLIC NOTICE  
Corrected  
NOTICE OF RATE INCREASE

Crockett County Water and Improvement District No. 1 Board of Directors approved a rate increase on March 12, 2018 to cover increases absorbed by the District over the last few years. The last increase was in December 2015.

Current Rate	New Rate
Water (Residential/Commercial)	\$20.76
3,001-19,999	\$ 2.50/per 1000
20,000-34,999	\$ 2.75/per 1000
35,000-49,999	\$ 3.00/per 1000
50,000+	\$ 3.25/per 1000
Sewer (Residential)	\$19.69
Garbage (Residential)	\$18.25
Tax (Residential)	\$ 1.14
Minimum (Residential)	\$59.84

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SUSAN CALLOWAY | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

**TY DAVIS** throws out the first pitch at the April 12 opening ceremony.



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Wednesday, April 18	.....	Chicken Fried Steak
Thursday, April 19	.....	Green Chicken Enchiladas
Friday, April 20	.....	Fried Fish
Saturday, April 21	.....	No Special Today
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Tuesday, April 24	.....	King Ranch Chicken Casserole
Wednesday, April 25	.....	Chicken Fried Steak

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### PUBLIC NOTICE



## Public Hearing

Thursday, May 10, 2018  
5:30 p.m.

**Crockett County Courthouse**  
Main Courtroom  
907 Ave D  
Ozona, TX 76943

The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is proposing to relocate the eastbound I-10 exit ramp 365 to a point approximately 0.8 miles west of its current location, extending to SH 163 in Crockett County, Texas. Displays will be available for viewing at 5:30 p.m. with the formal hearing starting at 6 p.m. The purpose of the hearing is to present the planned improvements and to receive public comment on the proposed project.

These plans include the construction of new frontage road from the new ramp location to the existing frontage road, including a bridge that will span Johnson Draw. The existing ramp will be removed and the current frontage road will be converted from two-way to one-way. The project is designed to increase safety of I-10 east bound exiting traffic by allowing for more deceleration time and weaving distance between I-10 and SH 163. The project will also allow safe entry and exit for the community south of I-10 and west of Johnson Draw during flood conditions.

Verbal and written comments are requested and may be presented at the hearing or by mail to John DeWitt, P.E., at 4502 Knickerbocker Road, San Angelo, TX 76904, or by email to john.dewitt@txdot.gov. If you have any general questions or concerns regarding the proposed project or the hearing, please contact John DeWitt.

**Any person requiring special accommodations to attend the hearing is encouraged to contact our office at (325) 947-9205. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al (325) 947-9205.**

## Use Your Head, WEAR a helmet



### Helmet Give Away

Monday, April 23  
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**Dr. William Edmiston**  
of the  
**Eldorado Animal Clinic**  
will be in **OZONA** on  
**Thursday, April 19, 2018**  
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**

## Game Warden Field Notes

COMPILED FROM TEXAS PARKS AND WILDLIFE DEPARTMENT LAW ENFORCEMENT REPORTS.

**A GAME SHOW HOST**  
A Zavala County game warden recently completed a year-long investigation involving a ranch manager who was selling hunts without the consent of the landowner. The ranch manager even brought

in a camera crew from a well-known outdoors television show to video the hunts. The unauthorized activities resulted in the illegal harvest of 11 white-tailed bucks off the property. The ranch manager was indicted on 11 state jail felony counts of hunting without landowner consent, along with multiple other charges.

## FIRE:

night, smoke from the fire blew into the town of Ozona.

The OVFD also stated that some families were evacuated for safety.

As the fire approached U.S. Highway 190, part of the road had to be shut down Friday.

With calmer winds Saturday, firefighters were able to get control of the fire. By 9 p.m. that evening, the fire was at 80 percent containment.

On Monday, it was ruled as 100 percent contained with an estimated 4,173 acres burned.

Fire officials have not determined the cause of the fire, but said it could possibly be downed power lines due to Friday's high winds.

Also on Monday, the Texas Forest Service reported in the past seven days they responded to 40 fires for 59,881 acres across the state.

The forest service responded to four fires for 2,564 acres just on Monday.

Texas Forest Service officials said high wind speeds combined with above normal seasonal temperatures, low relative humidity and a dry

line, are perfect conditions for wildfires.

"With these conditions wildfires can spread rapidly, present control issues for firefighters and pose a real threat to public safety," said Texas A&M Forest Service Fire Chief Mark Stanford. "The Southern Plains Wildfire Outbreaks can be extremely dangerous if a wildfire occurs, it is important that you heed any wildfire warnings from local officials."

Crockett County is not currently under a burn ban.

With elevated fire danger, caution should be used with any outdoor activity that may cause a spark. It only takes one spark to start a wildfire.

Postpone outdoor burning until conditions improve.

Avoid parking and idling in tall, dry grass. Catalytic converters can get hot enough to ignite the grass under a vehicle.

Avoid setting hot chainsaws or other hot, gas-powered equipment in dry grass.

Wildfires burning in grass can spread and grow extremely fast. It is important that if you spot a wildfire you report it immediately to local authorities. A quick response can help save lives and property.

Visit [tfsweb.tamu.edu/currentsituation](http://tfsweb.tamu.edu/currentsituation), or follow @allhazardstfs on Twitter for Texas wildfire information.

## CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

### Weekly Activity Report

Type of Calls	Border Patrol.
Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints	4-11-18
911 medical/fire assistance	• Sheriff's deputies arrested Stephen Michael Perez, of Ozona, for possession of marijuana less than two ounces and driving while license invalid. Subject was arraigned and released on bond.
Civil complaints	4-14-18
Civil documents served	• Sheriff's deputies detained two illegal aliens. They were turned over to the U.S. Border Patrol.
Criminal complaints/disturbances/loud noise	• Sheriff's deputies arrested Alex Rodriguez, of Ozona, for disorderly conduct. Subject is awaiting arraignment.
Juvenile/School	4-15-18
Motorist assist/locked vehicle	• Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument on Monterrey Street.
Reckless driving/speeding complaints	• Sheriff's deputies arrested Naaman Darby, of Ozona, for possession of marijuana less than two ounces and driving while invalid. Subject is awaiting arraignment.
Minor/major traffic accidents	
Alarms	

### OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS:

**4-10-18**  
• Sheriff's deputies met with a walk in complainant, who wanted to report harassment.  
• Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument on Mulberry Street.  
• Sheriff's deputies picked up a single illegal alien and turned him over to the U.S.

## Intellectual Property & Entrepreneurship seminar April 26

The ASU-Small Business Development Center will host "Intellectual Property & Entrepreneurship" from 3-5:30 p.m. April 26 at the Business Resource Center located at 69 N. Chadbourne St. in San Angelo. Cost is \$20.

Attend this training event to learn about Patents, Trademarks and Copyrights. Guest

speaker, Cameron Smith, with Texas Tech University's Office of Research and Commercialization will inform small business owners and entrepreneurs of the intricacies of intellectual property.

For more information, or to register, call (325) 942-2098 or visit [www.sbdc Angelo.edu](http://www.sbdc Angelo.edu).

## STATE:

Published in the journal *Obstetrics & Gynecology*, the study determined there were 56 maternal deaths among Texas residents, compared with 147 reported in national statistics.

The study shows dozens of women were identified on their death certificates as being pregnant at the time of their deaths, when they were not, the DSHS said.

"This more accurate, verified data is an important part of our ongoing work to improve maternal health in Texas," said Dr. Manda Hall, DSHS associate commissioner for Community Health Improvement. "Better data will improve our ability to implement and assess ways to reduce maternal deaths and other severe pregnancy complications."

DSHS said it is implementing legislation aimed at improving the quality of death data by developing best practices for investigating and reporting maternal deaths.

Also, the department said it is creating new training for medical certifiers such as doctors, justices of the peace and medical examiners. Finally, the department is developing a new registration system to prompt certifiers to confirm the pregnancy status before allowing a death record to be submitted.

**FUNDING IS ANNOUNCED**  
Gov. Abbott on April 10 announced that Texas had been awarded some \$5 billion from the Department of Housing and Urban Development for disaster recovery from Hurricane Harvey and previous flood events.

"The additional Community Development Block Grant funds announced today will inject billions of dollars that are desperately needed to help restore our communities," said Abbott.

HUD's Community Development Block Grant Disaster Recovery Program for the rebuilding of housing, businesses and infrastructure is the source of the funding. It comes from supplemental funding recently passed by Congress.

**ALLOCATIONS ARE SENT**  
State Comptroller Glenn Hegar on April 11 announced he would send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts \$651 million in local sales tax allocations for April.

The amount is 5 percent more than was distributed in April 2017.

Local sales tax allocations are based on sales made in February by businesses that report tax monthly.

**Al-Anon Meetings**  
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**ACROSS**

- Copperas \_\_, TX
- cuckoo birds at Bentsen-Rio Grande Valley State Park
- pre-Easter period
- Kyle newspaper: "Hays \_\_ Press"
- Burnet Independent School District, e.g.
- Australian marsupial, informally TX George Jones' "Things \_\_ Pieces" (1965)
- this Yvette starred with TX Tommy Lee Jones in "Jackson County Jail" (init.)
- window glass
- Cecilia is current "First \_\_ TX"
- TX Charley Pride's "Then \_\_"
- West Texas, e.g.
- TX outlaw, Sam
- summer appliance needed in TX (abbr.)
- street beggar
- TXism: "lion's share"
- \_\_-friendly
- a "Judah" is this to sheep (2 wds.)
- Brownsville fiesta: "Charro \_\_"
- TX Vikki Carr's "Cosas del \_\_"
- at time of Waco siege, it was "Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco,
- TXism: "brave as a rodeo \_\_"
- 1950s \_\_-wop music

**DOWN**

- TXism: "loud as a mama"
- many rural school-houses historically
- TXism: "all \_\_ watermelon" (fake)
- TX wheeler-dealer, Billy Sol
- TX atheist Madalyn Murray
- TXism: "does a \_\_ office business"
- TX Waylon's "Always Been Crazy"
- all the meat you can eat restaurant: "Texas \_\_ Brazil"
- TXism: would jerk tears from \_\_ eye" (very sad film)
- Texas
- TX Gene Tierney 1950 film: "Where the Sidewalk \_\_"
- Susan of TX-based 1992 docudrama "Bed of Lies"
- TXism: "sticks like a burr \_\_ tail"
- TXism: "got a lot \_\_ to shuck" (big chore)
- under the age of 13 first 2 init. of Gov. Hobby (1917-21)
- TXism: "fly \_\_" (pilots)
- TX Charley Pride's "Where \_\_ Put Her Memory"
- papa's mate
- hams it up
- TXism: "just a \_\_ bucket"
- in Collin County on U.S. 75
- "sharp as \_\_"
- apple middle
- see 46-across
- TXism: " \_\_ fiddle"
- potato, e.g.

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## EMPLOYMENT

**THE CROCKETT COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT IS TAKING APPLICATIONS FOR APPOINTMENT OF CROCKETT COUNTY TREASURER.**  
*The appointment will be through December 31, 2018.*

**DESCRIPTION OF OFFICE**

- Receives and deposits all county revenues.
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  - Prepares the payroll.
  - Disburses funds upon the order of the Commissioners Court.
  - Records receipts and expenditures and reconciles bank statements.
  - May be designated as the county's investment officer and required to submit regular reports on county finance to the members of the Commissioners Court.
  - May also act as the county's human resources officer, employee benefits coordinator, risk manager and insurance coordinator.
  - May have some audit responsibilities in counties with no Auditor.
- Applications can be picked up at the Crockett County Auditor's Office and are due by 5 p.m. Mon., April 23, 2018. Crockett County is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

**NOW HIRING**

Petro Waste Environmental has immediate employment opportunities at their location in Big Lake, TX. They are seeking to hire Heavy Equipment Operators, Operators, Wash Rack Operators, Scale House Operators and Scale House Technicians. Apply online at [www.petrowastelp.com](http://www.petrowastelp.com)



**HAMPTON INN IS HIRING FOR VARIOUS POSITIONS.** Apply in person at 816 14th St. in Ozona. 4c10

**HOUSEKEEPERS & FRONT DESK CLERK NEEDED** - Apply in person at the Quality Inn at 1307 Ave. A. 3c11

**LILLY CONSTRUCTION IS NOW HIRING CLASS A CDL DRIVERS.** Apply in person at Lilly Construction, 603 Ave. H in Ozona. t1nc6

**TAKING APPLICATIONS AT THE** Crockett County Road Department: CDL preferred, pick up applications at the road department office or county auditor's office. CCCC is an EOE. t1c32

## PUBLIC NOTICE

### TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



EXAMPLE A

**AMENDED NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN AIR PERMIT**

PROPOSED AIR QUALITY PERMIT NUMBERS 150841L002, 150843L002, AND 150844L002

**APPLICATION** VICTORY ROCK TEXAS, LLC, has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for: Issuance of Permits 150841L002, 150843L002, and 150844L002

This application would authorize construction of one of possibly three Rock Crushing Plants. The applicant has provided the following directions to the site: from the intersection of US 67 and Farm-to-Market Road 1676, drive south on Farm-to-Market Road 1676 for 12.8 miles to the site on the east side of Farm-to-Market Road 1676, near Big Lake but in Crockett County, Texas 76943. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and not part of the application or notice. For exact location, refer to application. <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=31.03139&lng=-101.5769&zoom=13&type=r>. The facility will emit the following contaminants: carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxides, organic compounds, particulate matter including particulate matter with diameters of 10 microns or less and 2.5 microns or less and sulfur dioxide.

These applications were submitted to the TCEQ on March 8, 2018. The application will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, the TCEQ San Angelo regional office, and the Crockett County Public Library, 1201 Avenue G, Ozona, Crockett County, Texas beginning the first day of publication of this notice. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the San Angelo regional office of the TCEQ.

The executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application.

**PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING** You may submit public comments, or request a public meeting or a contested case hearing to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. The TCEQ will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will prepare a response to all public comments.

The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or ask questions about the application. A public meeting about the application will be held if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application, if requested by an interested person, or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

After technical review of the application is complete, the executive director may prepare a draft permit and will issue a preliminary decision on the application. Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision for an Air Quality Permit will then be published and mailed to those who made comments, submitted hearing requests or are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the final deadline for submitting public comments.

**OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING** You may request a contested case hearing. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on those issues submitted during the public comment period and not withdrawn. **The deadline to submit a request for a contested case hearing is 30 days after newspaper notice is published. If a request is timely filed, the deadline for requesting a contested case hearing will be extended to 30 days after the mailing of the response to comments.**

**A person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the facility is entitled to request a hearing. If requesting a contested case hearing, you must submit the following:** (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, and daytime phone number; (2) applicant's name and permit number; (3) the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing"; (4) a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the application and air emissions from the facility in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the facility; (6) a description of how you use the property which may be impacted by the facility; and (7) a list of all disputed issues of fact that you submit during the comment period. If the request is made by a group or an association, one or more members who have standing to request a hearing must be identified by name and physical address. The interests the group or association seeks to protect must also be identified. You may also submit your proposed adjustments to the application/permit which would satisfy your concerns.

If a hearing request is timely filed, following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the Executive Director will forward the application and any requests for contested case hearing to the Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. The Commission may only grant a request for a contested case hearing on issues the requestor submitted in their timely comments that were not subsequently withdrawn. **If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact or mixed questions of fact and law relating to relevant and material air quality concerns submitted during the comment period.** Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the Commission's jurisdiction to address in this proceeding.

**MAILING LIST** In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices for this specific application by sending a written request to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

**AGENCY CONTACTS AND INFORMATION** Public comments and requests must be submitted either electronically at [www.tceq.texas.gov/about/comments.html](http://www.tceq.texas.gov/about/comments.html), or in writing to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, Office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. Please be aware that any contact information you provide, including your name, phone number, email address and physical address will become part of the agency's public record. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the Public Education Program toll free at 1-800-687-4040. Si desea información en Español, puede llamar al 1-800-687-4040.

Further information may also be obtained from VICTORY ROCK TEXAS, LLC, 215 Rocky Coast Drive, Austin, Texas 78738-1778 or by calling Mr. Jay Lindholm, Sage ATC Environmental Consulting LLC, at (512) 258-8500.

Amended Notice Issuance Date: April 10, 2018



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**CROCKETT CO. SHERIFF'S OFFICE IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR FULL TIME JAILER/DISPATCHER:** The Crockett County Sheriff's Office is currently accepting applications for the position of Corrections Officer/Dispatcher. Annual starting salary approximately \$29,000, at \$14.00/hr. State licensed applicants preferred, but not required. All pay raises subject to Sheriff's and County Commissioner's Board approval.

Applicant should be prepared to work 8 to 12 hour rotating day/night shifts. Applicant must be a U.S. Citizen, Possess a High School Diploma/GED, at least 18 years old. Applicant must pass a background check, never been on court ordered community supervision or probation for any criminal offense above the grade of Class B misdemeanor, or currently under indictment for any criminal offense; not been convicted of an offense above the grade of a Class B misdemeanor or a Class B misdemeanor within the last ten years; never been convicted of any family violence offense; is not prohibited by state or federal law from operating a motor vehicle or possessing firearms or ammunition. Applicant must pass a County drug test, physical agility tests, pass a physical, and psychological exam. Applicant agrees to complete state required training for Corrections Officer, and Dispatcher within 1 year of employment.

Pick up applications/job description details at the Crockett County Sheriff's office at 903 Ave D, Ozona, Texas or call 325-392-2661. t1nc44

**BULK PLANT / RAIL OPERATORS:** Fast Growing Texas Company looking for qualified dry bulk materials plant operator in Big Lake Texas; Duties of Plant Operator will include, Unloading bulk railcars and loading pneumatic trucks, routine equipment maintenance, rail operations and commitment to safety and quality of the work being done. The Ideal Candidate will possess: Excellent communication and organizational skills with attention to detail. Proactive Attitude; Must be able to lift 100 lbs. consistently; Able to work as part of a team; Conscientious and self-motivated approach to work; Promptness and accountability; Process manufacturing or heavy equipment; Experience will be highly regarded; Job is outdoors so candidate must be willing to work in all weather conditions. Employment drug screen required; Railroad Operations; Experience Preferred; Excellent Pay/DOE; Paid Vacations, health insurance; Scheduled days off. Email resume to: [pid@ciglogistics.com](mailto:pid@ciglogistics.com) Pid McCain 903-767-0560. [www.ciglogistics.com](http://www.ciglogistics.com)

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**Residential Properties**

New Listing - 27 Crockett Heights, 3 bedroom, 1 bath on two lots	\$65,000
New Listing - 708 2nd Street, 1 bedroom, 1 bath - <b>SALE PENDING</b>	\$49,500
200 Mockingbird Lane - Ozona, 3 bedroom, 2 bath - <b>SOLD</b>	\$35,000
1208 Hereford St. - Ozona - <b>SOLD</b>	\$35,000
908 Ave. G - Ozona, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, w/workshop & storage bldg/ on .598 acre lot.	\$50,000
809 9th St. - Ozona - <b>SOLD</b>	\$50,000
606 Ave. G. - Ozona - <b>SALE PENDING</b>	\$50,000
1002 Ave. F - Ozona - 3 bedroom, 1 bath	\$80,000
501 Ave. G. - Ozona, on .53 acre lot	\$90,000
1004 Ave. F - 4 bdr., 2 1/2 ba (1 bdr. w/ba. & bonus room upstairs) <b>Price Reduced</b>	\$160,000
401 W. 7th St. - Iraan, 3 bdr., 2 1/2 ba. on two lots w/guest house & shop <b>Price Reduced</b>	\$170,000
8 miles NW of Ozona - 5 bedroom, 3 bath home on 10 acres - <b>SOLD</b>	\$195,000

**Commercial Properties - Ozona**

New Listing - 1.8 acres, Hwy. 163 S. - Oilfield yard w/office, shop, storage, mobile home	\$275,000
<b>Acres &amp; Lots - Crockett County</b>	
.237 acre lot - 101 Sunset Drive <b>Price Reduced</b>	\$15,000
.375 acre lot - 910 Ave. G	\$35,000
100 acres - Rimrock Ranch, Tract 4, 2 cabins, blinds and feeders	\$85,000
30 acres - 8 miles NW of Ozona - No restrictions - <b>SOLD</b>	\$150,000
99.5 acres - Texas West Ranch - w/house, electricity & well	\$179,000
100 acres - Hersey Ranch, SD, Tract 32, w/3 bedroom, 2 bath mobile home	\$225,000
149 acres, Hwy. 163 S. - Water, electricity	\$1,007,055
794 +/- acres - On Hwy. 163 - Two water wells, shop, barn and apartment	\$1,192,500

**Acres - Sutton County**

New Listing - 261 acres - Rolling Oaks Reh., Tract 1, w/water, elect. & some minerals	\$417,810
New Listing - 100 acres - I-10 South Service Rd., Tract 1	\$159,500
New Listing - 100 acres - I-10 South Service Rd., Tract 2	\$159,500
New Listing - 149 acres - SCR 410 w/water & electricity	\$250,000
62.68 acres - Rolling Oaks Ranch, Tract 3, water, electricity & some minerals available	\$99,975
24.397 acres - Within city limits - Unimproved	\$100,000
68.16 acres - Rolling Oaks Ranch, Tract 4, water, electricity & some minerals available	\$108,716
18 +/- acres - PR 1115, 5 bedroom, 2 bath house, barns & pens	\$235,000
24.55 acres - w/3 bedroom, 2 bath house, barn, pens & 2 water wells	\$235,000
145 acres - Rolling Oaks Ranch, Tract 5	\$255,000
184.8 acres - Rolling Hills Ranch subdivision, Tract 4	\$300,000
227.58 acres - Rolling Oaks Ranch, Tract 7, water, electricity & some minerals available	\$362,990
2424 acres - FM 169 - Bond Road. Four water wells, three ponds & house	\$3,600,000
3934 acres - PR 4412 - Some minerals included, pens, barns, utilities	\$4,307,730

**Acres - Val Verde County**

Live Oak Valley Ranch, Sutton Camp. Tracts from 200 acres to 1000 acres	\$795/acre
Live Oak Valley Ranch, Ozona Camp. Tracts from 300 acres & up	\$695/acre
5.46 acres - Rough Canyon at Lake Amistad - Commercial lot - <b>SOLD</b>	\$85,000
26.27 acres - Juno Road - House, cabin, barn - <b>SOLD</b>	\$295,000
1.419 acres - Hwy. 163 S. - Water, electricity	\$986,205
630 acres - Carta Valley, Texas - Turn-Key hunting ranch, low fenced	\$1,066,155

**Acres - Other Areas**

996 acres - Schleicher County - House, three water wells, some minerals	\$2,200,000
2,440 +/- acres - Edwards County - Three water wells, four dirt tanks	\$4,880,000

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**RESIDENTIAL OZONA**

New Listing - 207 11th St - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, hardwood floors, fenced backyard - \$165,000

New Listing - 1703 Santa Rosa - 2 bedroom, 2 bath, recently updated - \$45,000

New Listing - 107 Ave. I - 3 bedroom, 1 bath, large 22 x 35 ft. shop - \$171,500

New Listing - 113 Country Club Dr. - **SOLD** - .636 acres, Country Club Estates - \$20,000

New Listing - 115 Country Club Drive - .417 acres, Country Club Estates Addition - \$20,000

302 11th St. - 4 bed., - **SALE PENDING** - 3 bath - \$229,000

101 Hummingbird Lane - 4 bedroom, 3 bath home on two lots - \$224,500

301 11th St. - 4 bedroom, 3 1/2 bath, swimming pool, game room, 2-car garage - \$220,000

309 Hillcrest - 2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, hardwood floors, updated kitchen, **PRICE REDUCED** - \$119,750

301 Ave. J. - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, 2 lots, .712 acres, metal building - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$119,000

902 Angus Drive - 4 bedroom - **SOLD** - 1 1/2 ba. - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$89,000

904 Almond St. - 3 bedroom, - **SOLD** - 2 1/2 ba. - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$87,000

28 Crockett Heights Dr. - 3 bedroom, 1 bath, newly remodeled, carport - \$84,500

406 Young St. - 2 bedroom, 1 bath, attached garage - \$45,000

**DEL RIO - LAKE AMISTAD**

New Listing - 313 Shoreline Dr. - 4 bedroom, 3 bath home  
Waterfront property w/panoramic lake views and large barn - \$436,000

7164 Texas R2 - 3 bedroom, 2 bath - **SALE PENDING** - condo - Lake views - \$252,500

103 Alamo Dr. - 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, minutes from boat ramp, **PRICE REDUCED** - \$195,000

2.06 Acres - Residential lot, located in Rough Canyon area - \$25,000

**COMMERCIAL OZONA**

Country Club View Apartments - **SOLD** - Apartment Complex - \$595,000

402 Ave. E - Highway 163 frontage - 0.53 acre lot - \$45,000

203 Besenite - Commercial property and building - \$18,500

**ACREAGE**

New Listing - 161 Acres - 15 mi. SW of Ozona, cabin, water well, elect., live oak trees - \$226,800

Live Oak Ranch - 22,635 acres - Pecos River and Live Oak Creek frontage.  
Working ranch w/multiple water wells and pens - \$15,731,547

2,868 Acres - Hwy. 163 S. - 2 water wells, new fencing, electricity, w/RV hookups, livestock working pens, good hunting - \$1,993,260

205 Acres - w/3 bedroom, 2 bath house  
Private water well, electricity and 2 car garage/shop - **PRICE REDUCED** - \$340,000

200 Acres - High Lonesome - **SOLD** - Ranch, Tract 22 & 23 - \$170,000

100 Acres - High Lonesome Ranch, - **SOLD** - House, **PRICE REDUCED** - \$140,000

100 acres - Deer Canyon Ranch, Tract 20, - **SOLD** - camper trailer, **PRICE REDUCED** - \$87,000

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**NEW LISTING:**

106 Bluebonnet Street - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, central H/A, metal roof, 2 lots - \$185,000

107 Mesquite - 3 bdr., 1 1/2 ba., 1,214 sq. ft. living space. Central H/A, fenced back yd. on lg. lot - \$91,500

907 Morris Lane - .8 Acres, 2,000 +/- sq. ft. home, 2 bdr., 2 1/2 ba., 30' X 50' shop - \$125,000

**Lake Amistad Listing - 92 Palma St.**  
Rough Canyon Area in Del Rio, Texas - 2 bedroom, 2 bath - \$174,500

114 Avenue D - 28 **UNDER CONTRACT** reduced - \$45,000

603 Angus - 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath - Shown by appointment only - **Price Reduced**

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Pursuant to Chapter 59 of the Texas Property Code, Ozona Storage, located at #55 Hwy. 163 North, Ozona, Texas, will hold a public sale of property that is being sold to satisfy a contractual landlord's lien. The sale will be held at **Storage #55 on April 27, 2018 at 11 a.m., at Hwy. 163 N., Ozona, Texas.** Property will be sold to the highest bidder by sealed bids for cash above a minimum. A deposit for clean-up and immediate removal in the amount of \$50.00 is required. Seller reserves the right to refuse any bid and to withdraw any property from the sale. Property being sold includes contents of the following spaces of the following tenants: clothing and household items belonging to Sandra Reyes. 2c14

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**MISCELLANEOUS**

**\$500.00 DOLLAR REWARD** During the past year person or persons unknown have damaged County road signs. The person who provides information that leads to the arrest and conviction of those responsible will be eligible for the \$500.00 reward. Those having information should call Sheriff Robert "Bob" Rodriguez. Callers names will remain anonymous.

**NOTICE OF REWARD**

**I AM OFFERING \$500 REWARD** for apprehension and conviction of guilty parties to every theft of livestock in Crockett County - except that no officer of Crockett County may claim the reward.  
**Robert "Bob" Rodriguez**  
SHERIFF, CROCKETT CO.

**PUBLIC NOTICES**

**PUBLIC NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF CROCKETT COUNTY, TEXAS will receive sealed bids, May 2, 2018, until 2:00 p.m. for the purchase of **PAVING AGGREGATE**. Bids will be opened on **Monday, May 14, 2018 at 2:00 p.m.** Bidding instructions and specifications may be obtained by contacting the County Auditor's Office, Courthouse Annex, Ozona, Texas or the Crockett County Road Department.

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

For more information on specifications, contact Jeffrey Stuart, Road Superintendent, at the County Road Department, 325-392-3020.

Rock is to be priced at bidders location and Crockett County will do the hauling to job sites. Bid must state location of pit where rock will be hauled from and mileage to Ozona from said site. A map must be included in bid. Bidder must give time that rock will be available for Crockett County to haul to Ozona Rock must be ready for first job on 30 days after receiving the bid @ 300 cubic yards a day to be hauled by County trucks. Rock can be bid by ton and stating the conversion rate to Cubic Yards. Bidder is to load all trucks on first come first serve basis.

Crockett County reserves the right to reject any and all bids that are received on the opening date and also reserves the right to accept either all, or part of a bid. Crockett County reserves the right to not necessarily accept the lowest bid or to waive any minor technicalities in determining what best suits our needs.

Dolores Ramirez,  
Crockett County Auditor

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**GARAGE SALES**

**2 FAMILY YARD SALE - 1709 WALNUT**  
Friday & Saturday, April 20 & 21 • 7 a.m. - ? • A little bit of everything.

**3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE - 301 AVE. O**  
Saturday, April 21 • 8 a.m. - ? • Appliances, household decor, etc.



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