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## Lion, Lady Lions make All-West Texas Teams

Two Lady Lions and one Ozona Lion have been named to the San Angelo Standard-Times' All-West Texas Softball and Baseball Teams.

Reaghan Gonzalez was named as a pitcher to the softball team.

The OHS Freshman was the Newcomer of the Year in District 5-2A. She had 60 strikeouts and offensively hit .348 with 20 RBIs and four home runs.

Junior Mariana Garza was named as a utility player on the softball team.

Garza was the epitome of what a good utility player should be. She had a .436 batting average, 22 RBIs and an .837 fielding percentage. She earned first-team honors in district.

Jacob Schroeder was named to the baseball team as pitcher and first baseman.

The OHS Senior was a first-team all-district 29-2A selection. He compiled a 7-3 record while pitching to a 2.09 ERA. He had 89 strikeouts. He also batted .341 and had one home run in helping lead the Lions to the playoffs.



SUSAN CALLOWAY | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

**ALL-WEST TEXAS:** (left to right) Reaghan Gonzalez, Mariana Garza and Jacob Schroeder were all named to the San Angelo Standard-Times All-West Texas Softball and Baseball Teams.

- Information provided by the San Angelo Standard-Times.

## Commissioners begin discussing 2019 county budget

BY MELISSA PERNER  
AND BRENNNA HALE  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Commissioners' Court got their first look of the 2019 County Budget during their first budget workshop at Monday's regular meeting.

County Judge Fred Deaton said the county is still waiting on exact numbers on the county's values, but that he is expecting a 10 percent increase.

Fire Chief Brian Morrow asked for some increases in the department's budget, including a request for a new \$300,000 fire truck.

Morrow said the truck would replace the 36-year-old second truck that is used to fight mainly in town structure fires.

Morrow said that truck is currently having several mechanical issues and needs to be replaced. He said the last time the county bought a fire truck was eight years ago, and it was an emergency purchase due to the county being under grass fires at the time.

Deaton said on county emergency vehicles, like fire trucks and ambulances, if money was budgeted each year and then car-

ried over to the next year then purchasing the vehicles "wouldn't be so painful."

"An item like this would take you to a \$2.25 or \$2.50 tax rate to buy something like that," Deaton told the commissioners. "We realize we're getting behind on some of our vehicles."

The county's current tax rate is around \$1.14 per \$100 valuation.

Morrow said he would be all for tabling the purchase to 2020 to give the department time to detail out exactly the type of truck they want, which can take around six months.

"My main goal for this year is to try to get a raise for everybody," said Commissioner Frank Tambunga.

Some county department heads did figure some raises in their proposed budgets, but the commissioners cut those Monday due to future discussions of an across the board salary increase. No further discussion of county raises was made Monday.

Also, in the first draft of the budget, the commissioners discussed the new jail budget, which is \$701,288.

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## Owens named County Ag Agent

BY BRENNNA HALE  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Extension office welcomed a new Agriculture agent on June 4.

A native of Ozona, Dawson Owens graduated from Ozona High School in 2005. He showed goats and participated in shooting sports during his time in 4-H. He competed on the wool judging team at Angelo State University where he earned a degree in Natural Resource Management in 2009. He is the son of James and Cindy Owens.

Owens worked as the Terrell County agriculture extension agent for a year and a half after graduating from Texas A&M University in 2011 with a Master's degree in Range Land Ecology and Management. He moved back to Ozona in 2013. After working at Fesco LTD for five years, Owens applied for the Crockett County agriculture agent position.

"I wanted to be involved in ag again and have more time to be active at my family's ranch West of town," Owens said.

After attending 4-H Round-up with the wool judging team on June 12-14, Owens's main focus will be helping 4-Hers find livestock for next year's show season. In the future, He plans to expand the shooting sports project to include 22 rifles and to hold several events for adults.



DAWSON OWENS

These one-day seminars will cover range evaluation, livestock management, and predator control. Owens also wants to expand the county's gardening project.

Owens looks forward to collaborating with other organizations around Ozona like the Crockett County Groundwater Conservation District.

"My family has been in Ozona for five generations," Owens said. "I feel tied to Ozona and that's why this job is special to me. I plan to do a good job."

# Abracadabra



BRENNNA HALE | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

**MAGIC BY HARLIN:** Harlin Rhoades performs his magic show at the Crockett County Public Library on June 7. The library's summer reading program will continue at 10 a.m. Thursday, June 14, and 10 a.m. Tuesday, June 19, at the public library.

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## Tell Congress newsprint tariffs threaten your paper...and you

Do you rely on your local newspaper to keep up with how your tax dollars are being spent? If so, tell your congressman you don't want a tariff to put the paper out of business.

A new study shows communities that lose their newspapers suffer an alarming increase in the cost of local government because there's no watchdog reporting on how your hard-earned money is spent.

A new "temporary" tariff

### GUEST EDITORIAL TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

on Canadian newsprint — the paper used to print 75 percent of American newspaper pages — poses a dire threat if it becomes permanent. Simply put, your hometown paper can't exist if it costs more to print than it earns in revenue. The accompanying article by David Chavern, president of the News Media Alliance, details this dangerous

situation.

Under the arcane and almost unfathomable rules of U.S. trade policy, the newspaper industry isn't allowed to formally make its case to the administration, which will decide soon whether to make the tariff permanent.

Members of Congress, on the other hand, may submit official comments to be con-

sidered.

The Texas newspaper industry has urged our 36 House members and both members of the Senate to help fight the tariff.

So far, only a handful have agreed to so. Signing on as co-sponsors of HR 6031, a bill that would put the brakes on the tariff, are Reps. Bill Flores, R, Bryan; Rep. Louie Gohmert, R-Tyler, and Rep. Randy Weber, R-Friendswood. Providing letters of support for newspapers are Reps. Lamar Smith,

R-San Antonio, and Mac Thornberry, R-Amarillo. Sen. John Cornyn has verbally stated that he opposes the tariff, and a spokesman for Rep. Roger Williams, R-Austin, said he plans a letter of support for newspapers.

That's only seven members of a total Texas delegation of 38 who are fighting for Texas' newspapers.

Perhaps the others don't think taxpayers care. It's time for them to hear from you, the voter. Call. Write. Tell

them you oppose the tariff because you depend on your local newspaper to serve as a watchdog.

Urge them take up this fight...not on newspapers' behalf, but on yours. And tell them you'll be watching to see what they do.

Crockett County is represented by Congressman Will Hurd. Write him at 317 Cannon House Office Bldg., Washington, DC 20515; call (202) 225-4511 or visit <http://hurd.house.gov>.

## Canadian newsprint is not the enemy, tariffs are

Every day at the News Media Alliance headquarters, a stack of newspapers arrives for myself and the staff. But with the Department of Commerce and the International Trade Commission currently considering tariffs on Canadian newsprint, those days of screen-free reading could be coming to an end.

The fact that newsprint is being threatened is the work of one newsprint mill in the Pacific Northwest, NORPAC. In August 2017, NORPAC petitioned the United States Department of Commerce to begin applying tariffs to newsprint imported from Canada, claiming the imported paper was harming the U.S. newsprint industry. But NORPAC is not acting in the best interests of newsprint consumers or the U.S. paper industry at large — they are acting in their own interest and no one else's.

The buying and selling of newsprint has always been regional without regard for the border. Consumers of newsprint — from newspaper and book publishers to telephone directory manufacturers — tend to buy newsprint in their region, close to their printing operations. The printers who typically utilize Canadian newsprint are those in the northeast and Midwest, where there are currently no U.S. mills operating.

But those regions are not newsprint deserts because of unfair trade by Canadian paper mills. Rather, newsprint mills shut down or converted to producing other, more profitable paper products when the demand for newsprint fell, something that has been happening steadily for decades. Since 2000, the demand for newsprint in North America has dropped by 75 percent.

But affordable Canadian paper has helped keep the printed news alive and flourishing well into the 21st century. With new tariffs, many smaller newspapers will feel their belts tightening. The combination of preliminary countervailing and antidumping duties increases the cost of imported newsprint by as much as 32 percent, and a number of newspapers have already experienced price increases and a disruption in supply. If the International Trade Commission and the Department of Commerce make these tariffs permanent in the coming months, it could lead some small local publishers to cut their print product entirely — or even shut their doors.

Some, like NORPAC, may argue that by imposing duties on Canadian imports



NEWS MEDIA ALLIANCE  
DAVID CHAVERN

we're saving American jobs and boosting our own economy, but while that may sometimes be true for other industries, the opposite is true of newsprint.

What we're seeing with the newsprint tariffs is not

a government acting to try to better the economy for its citizens. Instead, it is "political arbitrage" by one private investment group — where they are effectively looking to use the U.S. government to tax local and community newspapers across the United States in order to bolster their own bottom line.

When considering whether to take NORPAC's claims seriously, the Department of Commerce excluded input from U.S. newsprint mills owned by Canadian companies — specifically Resolute Forest Products and White Birch. Excluding manufacturers who, during the period of investigation, had three functioning newsprint mills in the U.S. because they have sister mills in Canada shows an unwillingness to understand the borderless newsprint industry and the restructuring that has taken place in recent decades.

If the tariffs on Canadian newsprint are allowed to stand, we're not only risking a centuries-old relationship with our neighbors to the north, but we're putting our own U.S. news industry in jeopardy. While the big national and regional papers may have less trouble finding the funds to keep their print editions coming, we could see small publishers lose footing, and those tiny local papers are some of the most vital members of our news community. Under the right conditions, those papers can find a way to maintain their footing, but if the newsprint industry can't support them, those communities will become news deserts, and that's a future none of us want.

We may not be able to save the entire industry by keeping tariffs off our paper, but we can keep it thriving while we reposition ourselves for the years to come. Having affordable newsprint will help us do that.

DAVID CHAVERN, serves as President & CEO of the News Media Alliance. Chavern has built a career spanning 30 years in executive strategic and operational roles, and most recently completed a decade-long tenure at the United States Chamber of Commerce.

## To Our Readers

Another week in ink. That is a phrase we love saying each week as The Ozona Stockman once again finds its way into the hands of our readers.

Readers who are clamoring for our paper each week so much that they call us saying "is my newspaper ready?"

Readers who spend time Wednesday afternoons reading our paper cover to cover.

Readers who still want their newspaper on printed paper.

It is to you readers that we are now asking to support The Ozona Stockman more than ever.

Each week we ask you to subscribe and buy our newspaper. When you do this, you provide financial and moral support for the work we do here.

Our readership is still strong, but The Stockman is facing its toughest battle.

The Department of Commerce has imposed tariffs on Canadian newsprint. This has resulted in higher prices and limited supplies on newsprint, which makes it harder to keep The Stockman as a printed paper.

To show you the lengths that our staff will go to in keeping this paper in print, we have traveled to San Marcos to pick up newsprint rolls, we are headed to Snyder this week and we may be traveling to Huntsville, if needed.

We have also been in contact with a newsprint manufacturer and are figuring out a way to possibly a shipment of newsprint to us. The cost to do this would be in

### WHAT'S ON OUR MINDS EDITORIAL

the thousands of dollars, but it would be enough paper to sustain us.

We are doing this because our usual supplier in San Angelo is unable to get a shipment of newsprint at this time.

We are grateful for our fellow newspaper friends, and our friends at the Texas Press Association and National Newspaper Association, for all their help.

Those tariffs are job stealers and newspaper killers throughout the entire state and country. Our friends in Canadian, Texas are also going through the same struggle and have written columns similar to this.

These are perilous times for the newspaper industry. Under these difficult circumstances, we are grateful for the continued advertising support of our local small business owners. We urge our readers to support them, in return, and to make sure they know their advertising in The Stockman is important to you. Today, we are seeking an additional pledge of help from all who have expressed your appreciation for this newspaper, as so many of you already have.

Buy a subscription. Buy one for yourself, for a friend, a relative, someone you know who reads the paper each week. They make great gifts. An annual subscription saves money and ensures that you will never miss a week of news. Subscriptions

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Advertising dollars are what fuel our newspaper. How many people actually read The Stockman? Our print readership is 2,760, which is more than our circulation of 1,200. Our website readership is 2,500. People see the ads.

From the half-page bank ad to the smallest 20-word classified ad for a garage sale, all advertising enables us to cover the news, sports, school, county and events that matter to our loyal readers. Every school year, we have loyal businesses and organizations that sponsor a whole page of school sports and events coverage. We thank them for that. Without their support, that page wouldn't be possible every week. We also have the Business and Professional Guide. For as little as \$5.50 a week you can put your business's name and phone

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## Top officials join in briefing about hurricane preparedness

AUSTIN — Gov. Greg Abbott on June 6 joined President Donald Trump, Department of Homeland Security Secretary Kirstjen Nielsen, FEMA Administrator Brock Long, White House cabinet members and governors from across the country for a video teleconference briefing on hurricane preparedness.

Along with Abbott in Austin were officials from various state agencies that oversee emergency response. The briefing was held to review lessons learned after the 2017 hurricane season. FEMA provided an overview of evacuation zones, clearance times, decision timelines, forecast uncertainty, responsible decision makers and public messaging.

Following the briefing, Abbott said Texas is getting resources ready and communication and response strategies together to protect families and property in the event of another hurricane. Abbott

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is encouraging Texans to prepare emergency supply kits, create communication plans, prepare homes for storms and heed warnings from local officials.

The 2018 Atlantic hurricane season began on June 1 and will end on Nov. 30.

### UNIT REACHES MILESTONE

Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton on June 6 announced his office's Fugitive Apprehension Unit achieved its 10,000th arrest.

The unit works jointly with the U.S. Marshals Lone Star Fugitive Task Force.

"This major milestone is a testament to our Fugitive Apprehension Unit's hard work and dedication. These courageous law enforcement officers have successfully arrested 10,000 fugitives and provided invaluable protection for Texans," Paxton said.

The unit includes 22 investigators, three criminal analysts, two administrative assistants and a five-person command staff who operate in regional offices in Austin, Houston and Arlington. The unit's mission is to locate and arrest violent fugitives and convicted child sex offenders who violate conditions of their parole, as well as sex offenders who fail to comply with the state's mandated sex offender registration requirements. It also assists in locating missing and endangered runaway children reported by local law enforcement agencies to the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children.

### TAX REVENUE REPORTED

Texas Comptroller Hegar on June 4 said state sales tax revenue totaled \$2.76 billion in May, an amount 10.2 per-

cent higher than the amount reported in May 2017.

Strong growth in sales tax revenue was apparent across all major economic sectors, Hegar said.

"While the most rapid growth was in remittances from the construction and oil and gas-related sectors, significant gains also came

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### CORRECTIONS

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, reputation or standing of any individual, firm or corporation will be corrected when called to the attention of the management by the next issue.

# Wellman selected for Youth Range Workshop

Leland Wellman has been selected to participate in the 2018 Texas Section Society for Range Management's Youth Range Workshop. The June 2018 workshop marks the 64th consecutive year of the program in Texas.

skills and current issues important to all Texans. Field trips to Mason and Menard



LELAND WELLMAN

Youth Range Workshop, sponsored by the Texas Section Society for Range Management, is held annually to provide Texas youth with an opportunity for education in range and natural resource management, stewardship and leadership.

According to Jenny Pluhar, Marlo Lamb and Hoyt Seidensticker, Workshop co-coordinators, youth participants will study healthy ecosystems, including livestock and wildlife, prescribed fire, water, soil and plant relationships as well as extensive hands-on activities.

Youth will learn plant identification, evaluation of rangeland potential/health, determination of stocking rates and the decision-making process relative to livestock production, wildlife habitat and multiple uses of Texas rangelands.

Leadership training will focus on communications

County ranches, the Kerr Wildlife Management Area and other points of interest are part of the week as well.

This intensive workshop prepares 4-H and FFA youth leadership roles in range and natural resource management in their counties, clubs and chapters.

Youth Range Workshop is a collaborative effort by the Texas Section Society for Range Management and includes local Soil & Water Conservation Districts, Texas Cooperative Extension Specialists, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Scientists, County Extension Agents, teachers from major Texas Universities, ranchers, consultants, Natural Resources Conservation Service and Texas Parks and Wildlife Department personnel.

Learn more by visiting us on Facebook at Texas Section SRM Youth Range Workshop.



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**CROCKETT COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT KAILEY SCOTT (left) and WESLEY NURSE NIKI BISHOP help with the #Adulthood class presented by the Crockett County Extension Office last week, where high school students learned about budgeting, basic cooking skills and job readiness.**

## #Adulthood Class reaches high school students

BY BRENNNA HALE  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

High school students attended the #Adulthood event hosted by Kailey Scott at the Crockett County Extension Office last week. The four-day course focused on personal budgeting, basic cooking skills, and job readiness.

The students completed a budgeting activity based on sample salaries for various occupations and planned a week's worth of meals on a \$50 budget.

Students were visited by Workforce Solutions of San Angelo and discussed struggles faced by millennials in finding jobs and being successful in the workplace. The students practiced their com-

munication skills, prepared meals, and completed a small sewing project. On Thursday, Courtney Bingham from the Alcohol and Drug Abuse Council of the Concho Valley visited the group to talk about alcohol and drugs' effect on the brain and the students did an activity focused on healthy boundaries in relationships.

On June 26, Scott will host a Cooking with Friends freezer-meal workshop at the extension office. The attendees will make fruit smoothies and egg and veggie casseroles to take home. The workshop will begin at 5:30 and cost \$10.

For more information, call the Crockett County Extension Office at (325) 392-2721.

# Flag Day ceremony Thursday

A Flag Retirement Ceremony will be held at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 14, in honor of Flag Day.

It will be located by the Town Square directly in front of the fire station.

"I have noticed several worn out flags. I encourage everyone to replace the worn out flags and bring the worn out flags to me or The Ozona Stockman and place them in the Flag Retirement Box so they can be included in our Retirement Ceremony," said Coordinator Frank Tambunga. "Everyone is invited the local CERT Team members and the local fire department conduct the Retirement Ceremony."

For more information, call Tambunga at (325) 226-2827.

# San Angelo park dedicated to area ranches opening in October

Heritage Park, a pocket park honoring our local area ancestral ranches will open in San Angelo on the corner of Twohig and Oakes on Oct. 13.

The park will showcase local history and also have a field trip component for students from San Angelo and surrounding areas to come and learn about ranching culture and history.

The land donated by the

last J. Willis Johnson will have a replica of a rain catchment system and many other unique features such as an encased video informational screen that guests can navigate and a bronze horse and rancher sculpture.

Information about the field trips or bricks available for purchase is available by calling the Heritage Park office (325) 655-6565.

# Knights seeking donations for Fourth of July fireworks

The Knights of Columbus is hosting their annual Fourth of July Celebration on Wednesday, July 4.

The event will once again feature food booths, games, children, a pet parade, patriotic parade and fireworks show.

The Knights are asking for co-sponsors for this year's fireworks show. The goal is \$2,500 for this year's event.

If not enough funds are raised, or extreme dry con-

ditions, the fireworks show may be canceled.

"If we all come together and provide funds for these events, we can boost our local economy on this special holiday," said Coordinator Frank Tambunga.

Make checks payable to the Ozona Knights of Columbus mail to P.O. Box 3179, Ozona, Texas 76943.

For more information, call Tambunga at (325) 226-2827.

## COMMUNITY CALENDAR

### Wednesday, June 13

- Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Lunch and Learn "Keeping Your Business Safe Online," 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce Visitor Center
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Vacation Bible School, 5:30-8 p.m. at the First Baptist Church

### Thursday, June 14

- Balance Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Summer Reading Program, 10 a.m. at the library
- Ladies Tea Exhibit, 2-6 p.m. at the Crockett County Museum
- Bingo, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Vacation Bible School, 5:30-8 p.m. at the First Baptist Church
- Flag Retirement Ceremony, 7 p.m. at the town square in front of the fire station.

### Friday, June 15

- Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Vacation Bible School Family Night, 5:30-8 p.m. at the First Baptist Church

### Sunday, June 17

- Father's Day

### Monday, June 18

- Vacation Bible School, 9 a.m.-noon at the Ozona United Methodist Church
- Exercise, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center

### Tuesday, June 19

- Crockett County Commissioners' Court Meeting, 10 a.m. at the courthouse annex
- Vacation Bible School, 9 a.m.-noon at the Ozona United Methodist Church
- Summer Reading Program featuring "Repro", 10 a.m. at the Crockett County Public Library and 6 p.m. at the Civic Center

### Wednesday, June 20

- Exercise, 9 a.m. at the Senior Center
- Vacation Bible School, 9 a.m.-noon at the Ozona United Methodist Church
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center
- CCCCSD School Board Meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Administration Building

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

June 13 - Becky Nowell and Rebecca Galvan

June 14 - Nicholas Hernandez, Ruth Craig, Keano Perez, Lisa Garza and Sidney Perez

June 15 - Fred Chandler, Amri Vargas, Melanie Rose Lozano, Lynn Maness Perner, Taylor Oglesby and Damon Johnson

June 16 - Manuel Gutierrez Jr., John Longoria, Romeo Perez Jr., Megan Bullard, Ca-

mille Cervantes, Rocky Venegas, Alisa Paredes

June 17 - Rosa Montes, Charlotte Little, Rebecca Mata and Fernando Fernandez Jr.

June 18 - Hunter Smith, Nancy Tambunga-Ayala, Jon De Hoyos, Norma Carson and Jason Sullivan

June 19 - Daniel Lombrana Jr., Stan Najjar, Isaura Lopez, Geniece Childress, Chase Clark, Elaine Castro and Lanell Garcia

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Friday, June 15	Fried Fish
Saturday, June 16	No Special Today
Sunday, June 17	2-Piece Fried Chicken
Monday, June 18	BBQ Sandwich
Tuesday, June 19	Beef Tips
Wednesday, June 20	Green Chicken Enchiladas

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**HELPING HANDS NEWS**

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

**JUNE 13**

Beef patty on wheat bun, oven baked French fries, ranch style beans, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, ketchup, mustard, mayo, fresh bananas, and milk.

**JUNE 14**

Turkey tetrazzini, baby lima beans, cucumber tomato salad, saltine crackers, cherry cobbler, and milk.

**JUNE 15**

Chicken enchilada, Mexican rice, pinto beans, sour cream, fruit crisp, and milk.

**JUNE 18**

Potato crusted cod, whipped sweet potato, broccoli, wheat bread, pear slices, and milk.

**JUNE 19**

Sliced ham, macaroni and cheese, okra and tomatoes, wheat bread, fresh banana, and milk.

**JUNE 20**

Chicken tenders with cream gravy, scalloped potatoes, Brussels sprouts, dinner roll, fruit parfait, and milk.

**The saturated fat myth is alive and doing well**



**HERE'S TO YOUR HEALTH**  
JIM FISH

Dietary fat is the fat present in the food we eat, and in its various natural forms is one of the three main macronutrients, along with carbohydrates and protein. It is a major source of energy in the diet, delivering nine calories per gram consumed, more than twice the calories in a gram of carbohydrate or protein.

Unlike carbohydrates, dietary fat is nutritionally essential, fulfilling many different purposes for health, normal growth, hormone production, serum cholesterol, promoting healthy cell function and development in all the organs and throughout the body. It helps us to feel full longer after eating. Do not confuse it with body fat, which is the fat stored in the adipose tissue (fat cells) of our body.

Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia explains this important distinction... "Fat is an important foodstuff for many forms of life, and fats serve both structural and metabolic functions. They are a necessary part of the diet of most heterotrophs (including humans). Some fatty acids that are set free by the digestion of fats are called essential because they cannot be synthesized in the body from simpler constituents."

The absorption of fat-soluble vitamins A, D, E and K is made possible by dietary fat. It helps keep our hair and skin healthy, insulates the body to keep it warm and helps protect all the organs.

Fat is an important cushion against many diseases. When certain chemical or biotic substances build to unsafe levels in the bloodstream, they are put together with newly stored fat in the adipose tissue. This protects the body's organs and cardiovascular system until the malicious substances can be processed beneficially or excreted from the body through urination, sweating and even

hair growth.

In a ketogenic way of eating, like what anthropological experts have determined our ancestors ate for some 2.5 million years, the body's energy reserves are

mostly ketones produced by the liver from fat.

Richard Veech, a National Institutes of Health (NIH) researcher who studied medicine at Harvard and then got his doctorate at Oxford University with the Nobel Laureate Hans Krebs contends that ketones make the body run more efficiently and provide a fuel source for the brain.

He calls ketones "magic" and has proven that both the heart and brain run 25 percent more efficiently on ketones than on blood glucose. There are four types of fats that have different chemical structures and physical properties. Unsaturated fats are in the form of oil. Saturated fats are solid at room temperature, like butter or coconut oil. Trans fats are usually hydrogenated vegetable oils, so they will be solid at room temperature, such as margarine and shortening. Monounsaturated and polyunsaturated fats usually remain liquid, these are olive oil and vegetable oils, respectively.

Fats that are beneficial for human consumption include saturated and monounsaturated fats produced from animal products and cold pressed from various plants. Beneficial fats include animal fats, lard, butter, coconut oil, olive oil, aged cheeses and avocado.

Polyunsaturated fats (vegetable and seed oils) and hydrogenated trans fats (margarine and shortening) are not beneficial to human health

and wellbeing. The seeds and vegetable matter from which they are rendered are exposed to chemical processes and extreme heat to extract their oils. These measures make them carcinogenic, inflammatory and conducive to heart disease.

"The diet-heart hypothesis - which holds that eating cholesterol and saturated fat raises cholesterol in our blood - originated with studies in both animals and humans more than half a century ago. However, more recent (and higher quality) evidence doesn't support it," said Chris Kresser in his article, "The Diet-Heart Myth: Cholesterol and Saturated Fat Are Not the Enemy."

Cholesterol is defined as, "a compound of the sterol type (steroidal alcohol) found in most body tissues, including the blood and the nerves. Cholesterol and its derivatives are important constituents of cell membranes and precursors of other steroid compounds." It is an element of the fat that comes from animals, such as eggs, meat, fish, dairy products, and butter. This type of sterol is not to be confused with phytosterols (from plants), which can be deleterious to human health.

Saturated fat is integral in our health and wellbeing. It is vital that we seek out what is appropriate to include in our individual ways of eating. Even more significant, we need to understand the significance of our nutrition and how fundamental it is to the quality of our life and wellbeing.

Here's to your health.

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**DEATH NOTICES**

**William Terry Lindsey**

William Terry Lindsey, 67, died Monday, June 11. Graveside service will be 11 a.m. Friday, June 15, at Cedar Hill Cemetery in Ozona. Arrangements by Kerbow Funeral Home. Full obituary will be in next week's Ozona Stockman.

**OBITUARIES**

**Lee Chipman DeHoyos**

Lee Chipman DeHoyos, age of 94 years, of Kilgore, Texas passed peacefully in the early morning hours of June 5, 2018.

Lee was born in Ozona, Texas on December 17, 1923, to George and Anita Chipman who preceded her in death. She was married to Carlos DeHoyos who preceded her in death in 1983.

Lee was a strong, vibrant woman and a devout Catholic and faithful member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Ozona for many years before moving to Kilgore, Texas. There she found a church home for the past 13 years at Christ The King Catholic Church.

Lee loved nothing more than spending time with her family and friends. Her grandchildren spent many summers at her home in Ozona when they were young. Later she would often spend extended periods of time visiting her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren wherever they lived. She enjoyed crocheting and made sure each of her grandchildren and great grandchildren received a handmade afghan from her in their school colors for graduation. She also enjoyed embroidery sewing and cooking. Her talents in this area she shared freely and passed on to her children and grandchildren. Her home in Ozona was also known for the large collection of salt and pepper shakers she received as gifts or as reminders of her travels. She was the cornerstone of our family and will be missed beyond belief by not only her family but all those who knew her.

Lee is survived by daughters: Eva Williams (Charles) White Oak, Texas; Mary Hernandez (Adam) San Angelo, Texas; and son Oscar DeHoyos (Josie) Kilgore, Texas. She was blessed with six grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

A rosary service was held on Thursday June 7, 2018 at Harper Funeral Home in San Angelo, Texas. The funeral mass will be held on Friday June 8, 2018 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Ozona, Texas with the interment immediately following the mass at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

Friends and family can sign the online register book at [www.harper-funeralhome.com](http://www.harper-funeralhome.com)



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**OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS**

**Bingo every Thursday**

**BY BRENDA NEWTON**  
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

Hopefully things have slowed down for a lot of you and you are planning vacations in your future. Everything is so pretty with the green trees and flowers blooming. I love this time of year. Everything is fresh, the pool is open, and we don't have to wear all the heavy clothing. We can wish for a little more rain and a little lower temperature, but it is so good to be able to go outside. All you do is remember the times we didn't have air conditioning to help us out with the heat. And we called those the "good ole days." Now we should spend a little more time outside and enjoy the beautiful days.

Please use the new exit on the south side of the center. It is a little hard to see, but it is the crossing that is across from Avenue D. The exit in from of the center is dangerous because of truck traffic.

There will be signs put up on this new entrance shortly. Please pay closer attention to traffic when leaving from town. Remember there is a curve there that blocks vision until it is too late.

It was good to have Niki back for exercise. She starts out getting her blood pressure at 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday and she records this information then asks about your meds and how you are

feeling. Then she starts the tapes and we do our exercises that are recommended by the Wesley Nurse Program to strengthen out muscles and are really good for our age group. You should all come try this plan to make you feel better and stronger.

We will have bingo on Monday, July 9. Our board decided it would be easier for everyone to keep up with the date for the bingo social if it was on the second Monday of each month. We will be serving hamburgers and chips with green Jell-O for dessert.

We will have afternoon bingo each Thursday. 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 blackout bingo for a little prize for the lucky winner.

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

Exercise at 9 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. Mexican Train at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday

Prayer Group at 3 p.m. on Wednesday  
Quilting at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday.

Balance exercise at 9:30 a.m. on Thursday

Bingo from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Thursday

Come on out, the coffee is on.

**THANK GOD FOR FATHERS THAT CARE**

While my wife was shopping years ago I decided to go to a small nearby airport and look at the small airplanes. I have always enjoyed just looking at or watching them take off and land. While there I noticed a man pushing a small plane out of a hanger and putting a for sale sign on it. I went over and talked to him. He said he needed to sell it so he could pay his daughter's college tuition. He went on to say that he loved flying very much but he loved his daughter more and her education was more important. No one really knows all the sacrifices or hardships that fathers go through for their families. When father's take the responsibility of providing for, protecting and leading their families, (and not excluding or omitting God, Deuteronomy 4:9,10) what a beautiful thing it is, (Proverbs 20:7, Ephesians 6:1-4). Next Sunday will be Father's Day, maybe we can give a little extra attention to fathers. A cup of coffee or his favorite breakfast is good, but a simple hug or a thank you could even be better. We might call them on the phone or get them a small gift. If they have passed on and left a beautiful memory, thank God for them. I personally enjoy and remember a little hug with a thank you more than a gift. See you in Church next Sunday. Brother J

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102 Man O'War St.  
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219 Martinez St.  
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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.

**Friendship Baptist Church**

611 Ave. I  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m.  
Sunday Worship: 6 p.m.  
Wednesday Worship: 6 p.m.

**Iglesia Bautista Nueva Vida**

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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m. 6 p.m.  
Wed. Service: 6 p.m.

**Ozona Church of Christ**

1002 11th St.  
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Worship: 10:45 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Sunday Bible Class: 9:45 a.m.

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**ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY**

**Templo Bautista Jerusalem**

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Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7 p.m.

**Iglesia de Cristo**

Hwy. 163 S. at Quail Run  
**Interim - Ray Valadez**  
Sunday Bible Study: 10 a.m.  
Worship: 11 a.m. Evening Worship: 6 p.m.

**Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church**

2121 Santa Rosa St.  
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All pastors of Ozona churches are invited to submit columns.

**Card of Thanks**

The family of Lee DeHoyos would like to thank everyone for their support at this time. Thank you to Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church for the beautiful mass and meal provided for the family. Our Ozona family and friends have a special place in our heart and it was so special to hear you share your memories of Lee with us and reunite with many of you.

**THE OZONA STOCKMAN DEADLINE IS NOON ON MONDAY**

## OHS Principal headed to Harvard leadership course

Tamara McWilliams, principal of Ozona High School, received a scholarship to take a leadership course, The Art of Leadership at Harvard University June 23-30.

McWilliams applied for the scholarship through Raise Your Hand Texas.

This is the second scholarship she has received from the organization, the first was in July of 2015.

The organization Raise Your Hand Texas advances research-driven innovation in education policy and practice at the campus, district, and state levels. They focus on identifying breakthrough ideas to improve public schools, pilot them, and support the conditions and public policies that allow them to scale to benefit all Texas students.

Since 2008, Raise Your Hand Texas has sponsored school leaders to participate in a variety of professional development programs offered through The Principals' Center at the Harvard Graduate School of Education.

These summer institutes inspire, challenge, and empower both new and seasoned education leaders at the helm of different types of schools.

This program will provide Mrs. McWilliams the opportunity to expand her leadership skills, explore new ways to enhance student learning and create success for our district and our OHS staff and students.

This will be Mrs. McWilliams' third trip to Harvard University.

She attended Instructional Rounds in 2013 along with Katrece Hale and Peggy Logan, and then Leadership: An Evolving Vision in 2015 through Raise Your Hand Texas.



TAMARA MCWILLIAMS

## Museum featuring 'Ladies Tea Exhibit'

BY BRENNHA HALE  
THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Museum will host a reception on Thursday, June 14 to celebrate the opening of the new "Ladies Tea" Exhibit. Refreshments will be served from 2-6 p.m.

In lieu of their regularly scheduled hat exhibit, the museum has expanded their tea set collection and will display the hat and tea set collections together, along with matching jewelry. The original tea set collection was donated to the museum by the Ozona Women's Forum in the 1980s. Six women from Ozona, Marolyn Bean, Judy Bissett, Cathy Carson, Naomi Galindo, Jan Van Shoubrouek, and Anita Woodruff, recently loaned personal tea sets and family heirlooms to the museum.

The expanded collection includes sets from Japan, South Korea, Mexico, Alaska, and England. Select tea sets date back to the 1800s. The exhibit will close in September when the museum opens a Veterans exhibit that will run until February.

For more information, call the museum at (325) 392-2837.



BRENNHA HALE | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

THE CROCKETT COUNTY MUSEUM will feature a "Ladies Tea" Exhibit through September. A reception will be held from 2-6 p.m. Thursday, June 14, at the museum.

## DPS launches iWatchTexas Mobile App

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AUSTIN - The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) today announced the launch of the new iWatchTexas mobile application (app), which the public can use to report suspicious activities or behaviors that may indicate ongoing or future criminal or terrorist activity.

The iWatch Texas program was created as a partnership between communities and law enforcement, and utilizes citizen-sourced tips related to criminal activity. DPS developed the new iWatchTexas mobile app at the direction of Governor Greg Abbott to make it easier for the public to report suspicious activity in Texas, including criminal, terrorist or school safety-related threats.

The app is now available for iPhone users on the Apple App Store (iWatchTexas) and

for Android users on Google Play (iWatchTexas).

The public can report suspicious behaviors through the iWatch Texas program via the new mobile app, online at www.iwatchtx.org or by calling 1-844-643-2251. A report usually takes fewer than five minutes to complete, and once submitted, each report is reviewed by law enforcement analysts. All reports are confidential (providing contact information, which is optional, will allow for follow-up questions).

Preparations for crime, terrorist attacks and threats to school safety may often be seen but not reported. When in doubt, speak up. Here are some examples of behaviors and activities to report:

- Comments made regarding killing or harming someone.
- Strangers asking questions about building security features and procedures.
- Briefcase, suitcase,

backpack or package is left behind.

• Cars or trucks are left in no-parking zones at important buildings.

• Chemical smells or fumes that are unusual for the location.

• People requesting sensitive information, such as blueprints, security plans or VIP travel schedules, without a need to know.

• Purchasing supplies that could be used to make bombs or weapons, or purchasing uniforms without having the proper credentials.

• Taking photographs or videos of security features, such as cameras or checkpoints.

Note: The iWatch Texas program is not designed to report emergencies. If a situation requires an emergency response, call 911. As a reminder, false reporting to a law enforcement agency is a violation of state law.



The Crockett County Museum  
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## A HONOR ROLL Sixth Six Weeks

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**Seventh Grade** - Levi Bishop, Ivey Campos Rodriguez, Rianna Delarosa, Max Everett, Christa Montgomery, Tori Nowell, Nicholas Sanchez, Logan Thompson.

**Eighth Grade** - Monserrat Blanco, Roxana Camarillo-Mares, Carlos Cantu, Esperanza Castillo, Ethan Gonzalez, Bryce Gray, Varun Kala, Sydney Knaack, Makyleigh Martinez.

## A-B HONOR ROLL

**Sixth Grade** - Raelynn Barrera, Roberto Barrera, Fernando Rodrigo Blanco, Felipe Cano, John Childress, Claire Childress,

Matthew Daniels, Jack De La Garza, Makylee De La Garza, Salomon Duron, Esmeralda Fraga Mata, Alondra Garza, Jacob Guajardo, Patrick Hensley, Callie Martinez, Trinity Mendoza, Tell Nowell, Addyson Ortiz, Alisandra Perez, Kaitlyn Poindexter, Christopher Ramirez, Kaden Ruiz, Ian Savala, Alexis Scroggins, Dusty Smith, Jaylynn Tijerina, Andrea Torres, Rigo Treto, Ricardo Velasquez, Mia Venegas, Ashlyn Villarreal, Jesse Villarreal.

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**Eighth Grade** - Matthew De La Garza, Ysabella Flores, Daniel Hernandez, Harley Hernandez, Kayleigh Hernandez, Adam Hopper, Jason Lopez, Brianna Maskill, Mysti Mata Zapata, Alejandra Mata, Jacqueline Medina, Melvyn Mejia, Amber Moran, Keano Perez, Lea Quigley, Siria Rodriguez, Lane Smith, Kolton Thompson, Jaron Villarreal, Krysten Webb.

# OHS Honor Roll

## A HONOR ROLL Sixth Six Weeks

**Freshmen** - Carson Childress, Shelby Galindo, Jose Munoz, J'Ce Schroeder.

**Sophomore** - Rosamaria Arrendondo, Citlalli Cano, Esmie Castillo, Jacob Childress, Sebastian De La Cruz, Rebecca Flores, Braeden Gutierrez, Roselynn Mendez, Lexi Montgomery, Lazaro Rodriguez, Kayla Sarabia, Humberto Torralba, Manual Torralba, Justin Yeager.

**Junior** - Chantz Elliot, Jazmin Hernandez, Karina Marmolejo, Esperanza Ramirez.

**Senior** - Makenna Fox, Brenna Hale, Andy Hernandez, Brandon Jara.

## A-B HONOR ROLL

**Freshman** - Lianna Blanco, Ethan Criswell, Adrian Dominguez, Michael Esparza, Reagan Gonzalez, Savannah Harguer, Alondra Hernandez, Kemberly Her-

nandez, Idaly Ledezma, Skylar Luna, Josh mahannah, Colby Martinez, Ida Rodriguez, Norah Rodriguez, Jace Savala, Jacqueline Venegas.

**Sophomore** - Jade Borrego, Larissa Carrizales, Alec Lara, Cristina Mata, Grizelda Mata, Wendy Mata, Kristy Rodriguez, Kendra Sarabia, Kenzee Talamantez, Tyler Webb, Adrian Whitby.

**Junior** - Emilio De La Rosa, Mariana Garza, Ivana Hernandez, Coulter McWilliams, Marisol Medina, Kameron Ortiz, Ebony Ramirez, JJ Rangel, Lucy Rodriguez, Debora Torres, Riley Williams.

**Senior** - Josae Coy, Zephen Cuevas, Greg Dehoyos, Steban Flores, Audrey Gandar, Kassidy Gonzalez, Larissa Hernandez, Murray Logan, Toni Parker, Ryan Ramos, Denise Rodriguez, Jennifer Rodriguez, Kealan Savala, Hunter Smith, Samantha Torralba, Autumn Villarreal, Christian Yruegas.

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**First Grade** - Aron Aguilera, Braylee Clark, Jace Dominguez, Coby Gonzales, Cort Hale, Westley Harris, Wyatt Hill, Isabella Martinez, Landon Martinez, Jacquelyn Mendoza, Brylea Moore, Miya Renteria, Casandra Rios, Aubrey Rodriguez, Aleah Sarabia, Isabella Valdez, Amelia Youngblood.

**Second Grade** - Madison Albers, Cameron Asbill, Isabel Borrego, Addyson Chavez, Sadie Childress, McKenzie Dalton, Cavin Geary, Rylee Hamm, Brenda Yanely Hernandez, Jose, Hernandez, Olivia Leverett, Stormi Martinez, Jose Mata, Hy-Leh Merrifield, Mikell Moran, Jordan Parks, Bella Perez, Dorian Perez, Kaleb Ramon, Arturo Rivera, Malakai Rodriguez, Monika Salazar, Anna Shaffer, Andon Silva, Alexander Trujillo, Elijah Veirs, Mia Webb.

**Third Grade** - Mark Alvarez, Wyatt Bean, Leonel Blanco, Lillian Bunker, Mara Crenwelge, Avery Davidson, Darrius Galindo, Christina Geary, William Higginbottom, Avery Mendoza, Atleigh Morris, Nickolas Perez, Ariston Pratt, Aaliyah Renteria, Aliyah Rodriguez, Emily Shaffer, Kaydee Timms, Grace Upham.

**Fourth Grade** - Kelynn Bean, Madolyn Childress, Luna Hernandez, Joshua Lascano, Hailey Longoria, Jaycee Maldonado, Mercedes Perez, Timothy Porras, Michael Preddy, Thalen Roller, Trey Ruiz.

**Fifth Grade** - Maria Aranda, Sebastian Camarillo, Savannah De La Cruz, Adrienne Delgado, Ysabella Esparza, Natalia Fraga Flores, Gabriel Fullingim, Catherine Geary, Zury Hernandez, Kailyn Longoria, Yesenia Mendez, Saria Meza, Luke Puckett, Jezebel Ramirez, Moses Ramirez, Mireya Rivera, Jae Rodriguez, Sienna Ta-

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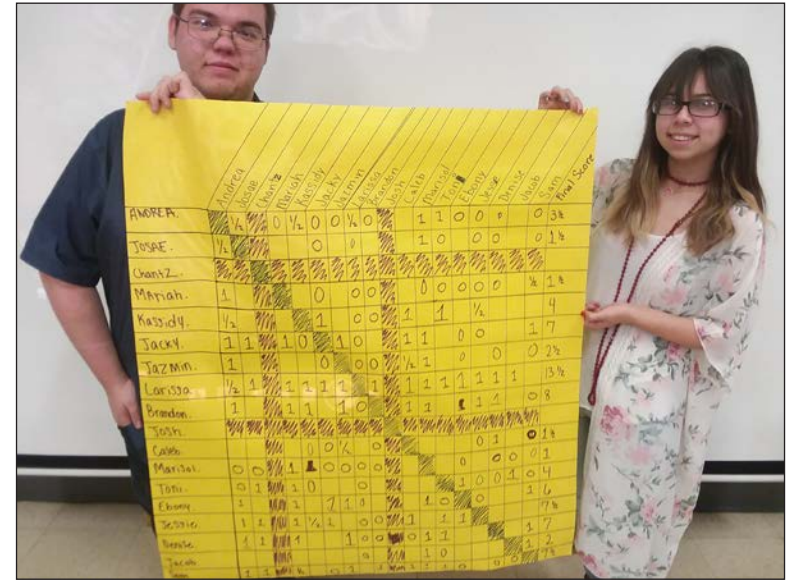
**First Grade** - Eddie Allsup, Kate Bunker, Ezekiel Castillo, Valente Cerna, Adonai Chavez, Jaelyn Chavez, James Damian, Luiz De La Cruz, Mackenzie Fierro, Suhana Ghandi, Logan Heathcott, Samuel Martinez, John Mason, Jordan Moran, Riley Munoz, Maddlyn Parks, Yesenia Rodriguez, Juan Rodriguez Reyes, Lilah Rutherford, Jonathan Serrano, Kendrick Tobar, Jayden Valdez, Jadon Vega.

**Second Grade** - Capri Alejandro, Timothy Fluckers, Bobby Hernandez, Koby Hernandez, Zeniah Herrera, Allison Landa, Andres Mata, Ivan Mata, Christine Moran, Kohlton Munoz, Onecimo Ortiz, Ambrie Perez, Avaree Perez, Aiden Quiroz, Isias Rodriguez, Raeliegh Rodriguez, Brendyn Smith, Kaseybel Smith.

**Third Grade** - Jonathan Borrego, Leslie Bravo Banuelos, Aden Cervantes, Freddy Chavez, Marina Contreras, Caden Dominguez, Angel Elizondo, Lindsey Galindo, Victoria Guajardo, Joshua Manosalva, Cameron Martinez, Nolan Martinez, Jesus Mendoza, Ciera Morales, Tommy O'Bryant, Jaython Perez, Rikki Radican, Kerron Rocha, Nicole Rojo, Snaydier Soto, Kierra Tijerina, Christian Treto, Daniela Trujillo, Jordan Vega, Cole Wyatt.

**Fourth Grade** - Tessa Albon, Joey Arredondo, Serenity Briggs, Natalie Chavez, Ella Childress, Maria Damian, Ivan De La Cruz, Austin Dominguez, Destiny Dominguez, Jadyln Dominguez, Sophia Elizondo, David Esparza, Graciano Garcia, Osvaldo Gonzales, Adrian Guerra, Alejandro Guerra, Jakelynn Hernandez, Jonathan Hernandez, Joe Jurado, Rowdy O'Bryant, Vince Porras, Jacoby Ramos, Juliet Rodriguez, Mareli Rodriguez, Mia Rodriguez, Colt Scroggins, Faith Sifuentes, Dwayne Smith, Ian Smith, Kaidence Tambunga, Jorge Torralba, Katherine Vargas, Abygale Weirs, Shelby Venegas, Bill Webb.

**Fifth Grade** - Hillary Mashay Alzaraz, Avery Badillo, Kurt Bean, Rico Capetillo, Rogelio Capetillo, Luz Carranza, Alexandra Cervantes, Anabel Damian, Michael Daniels Serena Deihl, Rhian Dominguez, Iran Elizondo, Michael Flores, Corey Galindo, Vanessa Hernandez, Isabella Herrera, Adrian Jara, Jacob Lascano, Jakob Little, Yulissa Lopez, Delaney McGee, Blayke Mitchell, Israel Perez, Baylea Porras, Jasmine Quarisa, Vania Ramirez Emery Rocha, Hunter Sertain, Exander Whitby, Evelyn Yeager.



SUBMITTED PHOTOS

**THE OHS INDEPENDENT STUDY MATH CLASS integrated chess into their class during the school year. Students learned the basics of chess and they grew into learning different strategies to the start and end of games. A chess tournament was held the last month of school and Larissa Hernandez was first, Brandon Jara second and Samantha Torralba and Jessie Ramos tied for third. "I appreciate my students hard work and effort. It was fun learning a game that requires deep thought and strategy," said OHS Teacher Jason Davis.**

# OHS Summer Band schedule

Summer band will start on July 30 and will go through Aug. 16. Please remember that the time and effort we put in these first weeks will help to establish a foundation for the remainder of the marching season. It is important that we begin rehearsals at the designated times. Please arrive early enough to find your place before rehearsal/practice begins. If you are early it means you are on time. If you are on time then you are late.

**Mondays, July 30 and Aug. 6** - 2:30-3:30 p.m. Start in Band Hall/Break for Sectionals; 3:30-5:30 p.m. Full Band in Band Hall; 5:30-7 p.m. Dinner Break; 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

**Tuesdays, July 31 and Aug. 7** - 2:30-3:30 p.m. Start in Band Hall/Break for Sectionals; 3:30-4 p.m. Team Building; 4:50-5:30 p.m. Full Band in Band Hall; 5:30-7 p.m. Dinner Break; 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

**Wednesdays, Aug. 1 and 8** - 2:30-3:30 p.m. Sectionals; 3:30-5 p.m. Full Band in Band Hall.

**Thursdays, Aug. 2 and 9** - 2:30-3:30 p.m. Start in Band Hall/Break for Sectionals; 3:30-5:30 p.m. Full

Band in Band Hall; 5:30-7 p.m. Dinner Break; 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

**Monday, Aug. 13** - 7-9 p.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

**Tuesday, Aug. 14** - 8-10 a.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

**Thursday, Aug. 16** - 8-10 a.m. Marching Practice at Lion Stadium.

Monday and Tuesday night rehearsals will continue when school begins. Students will be excused from Tuesday night rehearsals when they have played their show music by memory for the director. There are no evening rehearsals on Wednesdays.

If for any reason you are not able to attend a rehearsal, you must contact one of the directors. Please use email or leave a message at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5226.

It is your responsibility to communicate with the directors. It is not acceptable to have someone else notify the directors for you. Directors must be notified one week in advance for any absences to be excused. Emergencies must be confirmed with a note from a doctor. Avoidable absences will not be excused.

# What's for Lunch? CCCCS School Menus

## Summer Feeding Program June 4-29

Breakfast 7-9 a.m.; Lunch 11 a.m.-1 p.m.

Free for students ages 0-18!

Menus are subject to change.

To learn more about school meals, call Ludy Vargas (325) 392-5501 ext. 5547

### Monday, June 18

#### Breakfast

Pancakes and sausage or cereal and toast, fruit, juice, and milk

#### Lunch

Corn dog, tater tots, baked beans, apple-pineapple delight, and milk

### Tuesday, June 19

#### Breakfast

Breakfast burrito and hash brown or cereal bar and yogurt, fruit, juice, and milk

#### Lunch

Nacho grande, refried beans, salsa, lettuce and tomato garnish, tiny tomato cup, cucumber slices, peaches, sherbet, and milk

### Wednesday, June 20

#### Breakfast

Scrambled eggs and bacon and biscuit or cereal and toast, fruit, juice, and milk

#### Lunch

X-treme burrito, salsa, corn, lettuce and tomato, veggie cup, mandarin oranges, and milk

### Thursday, June 21

#### Breakfast

Sausage kolache and yogurt or PBJ sandwich, fruit, juice, and milk

#### Lunch

Salisbury steak, biscuit, brown gravy, roasted potatoes, garden salad, fruity gelatin, and milk.

### Friday, June 22

#### Breakfast

Muffin and yogurt or cereal and toast, fruit, juice, and milk

#### Lunch

Pizza, baby carrots, crunchy broccoli, fresh fruit, cookie, and milk

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# Ozona Community Center

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# Wildlife Conservationist of the Year Awarded

BY DIANE WOMACK  
CROCKETT COUNTY SWCD

Crockett County Soil and Water Conservation District is pleased to announce Ward Walker 7-Oaks Ranch as Wildlife Conservationist of the Year. The award was presented at the Chamber of Commerce Annual Banquet held on April 5. Wayne Walker accepted the award from Jack Baggett, director of the Crockett County SWCD.

The ranch, located south of Ozona, is owned by Kelly Walker. His three sons, Philip, Wayne and Caton are the fifth generation. The 7-Oaks derives its name from a large stand of oaks outside the ranch house.

Though Kelly and his sons lived in Tyler, the boys spent summers and holidays at the ranch with their grandparents Jack and Ellen Ward. During many years spent listening to their grandparents, they learned much of the history and problems that the family faced.

Their grandparents were a product of their time and had some traditions and beliefs that the younger generation has changed. For instance, the grandparents believed porcupines killed trees so porcupines were fair game for hunting. Anything was fair game except for livestock and native birds. Philip recalls a time when they killed 102 jackrabbits in 2 days. He now realizes the high population of jackrabbits was a symptom of overgrazing.

Back then, a rancher's success was measured by the amount of livestock he had. The land was overstocked for 100 years and this left its mark. Throughout the years, the grandsons noticed the redberry juniper (cedar). By the early 1990's it had grown from a scattered nuisance to a predominant species. Wayne enrolled in Baylor University where he pursued a Master's degree in environmental science. He also began to learn about the principles of prescribed burning & the seed of change was planted.

Change doesn't come easily and it doesn't come overnight. Their grandfather, Jack Ward, was still alive and respect for him and for traditions was strong. They began a slow, gentle push of new ideas and when their father Kelly inherited the ranch, he proved to be open-minded to consider new management options. As owner, he is still very much in control but has allowed his sons leeway to incorporate change. The first thing needed were clear goals. They needed to improve range conditions and increase the native ecosystem biodiversity that had suffered from decades of overgrazing. They also needed to maintain a working ranch.

They found a tenant, Bob Bucholz, that worked with them to help achieve those goals. He understood rotational grazing and prescribed fire burns and was a good fit to implement new practices. Bob moved on and Ben Fore-



THE WARD WALKER 7-OAKS RANCH received the Wildlife Conservationist of the Year Award at the annual Ozona Chamber of Commerce Banquet on April 5. Jack Baggett (right), director of the Crockett County SWCD, presented the award to Wayne Walker.

hand now leases the land, also working with the new methods. They have been able to run livestock, maintain a hunting operation and still see the benefits of their vision of restoration come to life.

In 2007, a wildlife study was conducted to create a baseline inventory of wildlife. In 2009, the first prescribed burn took place. There have been two more since then, covering the entire ranch, along with a natural fire in 2011. Grazing was deferred for 3 years. They have knocked back the cedar using chemical and mechanical methods. Over time, the land has recovered. The quality of deer is improving. Scaled and bobwhite quails are back and turkey numbers are up. Benefitting also are non-game species such as horned lizards, elf owls, screech owls and a variety of reptiles. And, for the first time in memory, blue-bonnets are part of the spring landscape.

The challenge of transitioning from traditional methods to new ones and maximizing land use without causing harm has been worth all the efforts. Good stewardship is why they are receiving the Wildlife Conservationist Award.

While implementing the new changes, they have had to set their egos aside, seek advice, measure new information with their goals and make determinations if recommendations made sense for them or not. They continue to learn and build toward a sustainable future. They have improved fencing and reseeded native grasses. They see improvements in water retention and erosion control.

While the land is becoming stronger, so have family relationships. They have tackled problems together, take each other's ideas and interests into consideration and divide the workload. Not only are they interested in land stewardship, they want to keep the land in the family. Keeping sight of this goal helps to smooth out the rough spots as personalities come

into play.

They have planted many wildflowers, understanding that pollination is vital for the ecosystem. The butterflies, bees and other insects benefit and it's also very pleasing to the eyes. They have designated about 10 acres for a monarch habitat. We are so privileged to be able to be on the monarch migration route but their numbers are declining. Their habitats have been lost due to various human practices and re-establishing habitats is vital if we're to continue to witness the phenomenon of their migration each fall. We are thankful that this has been addressed by their conservation efforts.

This family has worked hard to change some traditional land management practices and entrenched mindsets and are now reaping the benefits of making those difficult changes. Although much has been accomplished, they continue to move forward with firm steps toward the goals they have set.

This land has a rich, full history and the Walker family is proud, yet humbled, to be part of its past and future. We look forward to seeing continued ideas come to life under their stewardship. They cherish the history of their land and look toward the future with determination and hope. We appreciate their candid revealing of past mistakes and their successful conservation efforts to restore the land.

The SWCD directors are pleased to be able to acknowledge their hard work and show their appreciation with this Wildlife Conservationist Award.

## COURT: from page 1

The budget includes salaries for 10 jailers, which was budgeted also for 2018 in anticipation of the new jail opening sometime this year.

The commissioners decided to increase the utilities from \$15,000 to \$30,000 due to the new jail being a larger facility.

The commissioners also approved a motion to bid out the construction of the concrete drive and sally port at the new jail. They also approved \$4,700 for a new antenna tower for the jail and \$6,350 to purchase an 8-foot by 8-foot pre-fabricated building for technology equipment for the jail. The commissioners approved previously to move \$225,000 out of the building and maintenance fund to pave the parking lot area of the jail, as well as for the sewer line for the jail. Both were budgeted as unforeseen expenses. The sewer line bid was \$76,000 so \$159,000 is left in that fund.

Crockett County Voters approved a \$6 million bond in November 2015 for the new jail.

The 2019 first draft county budget also includes a \$191,103 budget for the new wellness center.

Crockett County Voters approved a \$4 million bond for the center in November 2015.

Director Stormi Oglesby said the center is still on schedule to open July 2, with a grand opening and ribbon cutting being planned for later in July or August. The center will help host the G.I. Joe Fun Run and Walk on June 30.

Oglesby said 24 membership packets have been turned in so far.

The commissioners will continue their budget workshop at the July 9 regular meeting.

### COUNTRY ROAD 307

Patrick Meadows addressed the court regarding the closure of the northern part of County 307 that was done in 2003.

Meadows said they have had an easement agreement with the Millspaugh Ranch to go through their property due to the road being closed. Now, the Millspaugh has pulled that easement leaving Meadows landlocked.

Meadows is asking the commissioners about reopening that part of the road, which is located near Interstate-10 north and County

Road 306.

Meadows said in researching the minutes of the 2003 commissioners' court meetings, as well as listening to the tapes of the meetings, he found that the commissioners may have approved the road closure before the 20-day posting period was met, according to the Texas Transportation Code.

He also said no deed was filed in the county clerk's office, which was also required by the Texas Transportation Code.

"We don't think the road is legally closed," Meadows said. "It's an issue of denial of access. I just wanted to bring it to everyone's attention."

Deaton said if the road was improperly closed then it would be up for the district court to decide.

"I feel back then we went through the proper steps," Tambunga said, who was a commissioner in 2003.

According to an article in the Sept. 10, 2003 Ozona Stockman, Wendell Fallin, Dean McMullan and Mike McPherson requested the road be closed due to damaged fences and cattleguards and trash left mainly on the weekends by people traveling on the road.

A petition was accepted from eight landowners in Precinct 3 who requested the closing of the section of County Road 307, according to the Nov. 12, 2003 Stockman article. The commissioners approved the request effective with the end of the required notification period, the article stated.

"If the commissioners' court went back on any decision made it would make a mess of our road system. The best thing to do is settle in district court," Deaton said.

### THE COMMISSIONERS ALSO:

Approved the annual Fourth of July activities at

the town square and the fireworks show, as weather permits.

Decided price updates to the bathroom in district judge Gomez's office.

Received updates from County Road Supervisor Jeffery Stuart on repairs made to the county swimming pool slide, and work cleaning up fallen limbs caused by recent storms, along with details on upcoming paving street projects throughout the summer.

Approved pipeline crossings under streets in Precinct 4, as Precinct 4's commissioner, Eligio Martinez, was absent from the meeting.

Discussed a request from EMS Director Eddie Martin for vents for the ceiling of the EMS ambulance barn to alleviate summer heat.

Discussed purchasing a county truck for new agriculture extension agent, Dawson Owens, to use for county work. They considered pulling available money from the unused salary, car allowance, travel, and benefits categories in the budget. Commissioners Wesley Bean said that buying a vehicle for the county extension agent to use would be a cleaner, easier method of funding Owen's travel for county functions than reimbursing him for using his own vehicle.

Took no action in installing a Wi-Fi router connected to the attorney general's office in Austin. Eventually, similar Wi-Fi routers will be installed in every county across the state.

Discussed the senior center receiving material for 10 new awnings.

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

**OHS MEAL NIGHT:**  
Mondays - 7-10 p.m.

**7TH AND 8TH MEAL NIGHTS:**  
Every other Tuesday 7-10 p.m.

**STARTING AUG. 1:**

1. **Graduated Seniors memberships have expired.**
2. **Sixth graders entering seventh grade may attend the youth center with eighth grade.**
3. **Eighth graders entering ninth grade may attend the YOUTH CENTER WITH THE HIGH SCHOOL.**

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### EMS DEPARTMENT RUNS

MAY 2018			
To Family Health Center	8	Standbys	0
To Shannon	30	Total EMS Calls	61
To Community	0	<b>Total Miles for Month</b>	
To Other	3	EMS 311	65
Air Med	0	EMS 312	1,459
Refusals	20	EMS 313	1,649

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### CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT

#### Weekly Activity Report

Monthly Status Report - May 2018		Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints	
Total Placed in Jail	29	911 medical/fire assistance	2
Total Released	23	Civil complaints	4
Currently Incarcerated - Ozona	0	Civil documents served	2
Currently housed outside county	20	Criminal complaints/disturbances/loud noise	5
Housing Cost - Upton Co.	\$17,437.50	Juvenile/School	0
Total Housing Cost	\$17,437.50	Motorist assist/ locked vehicle	4
Total Civil Papers	20	Reckless driving/ speeding complaints	1
Civil Papers Served	10	Minor/major traffic accidents	3
Total Unserved Civil Papers	10	Alarms	0
Total Civil Fees Collected	\$255		
Total Fine Fees Collected	\$269		
Cash Bonds Collected	\$0		
Bonding Fees Collected	\$345		
Traffic Citations Issued	71		
Inmates Transported	0		
Total Dispatch Calls	333		
911 Calls	285		
911 landline	19		
911 wireless	266		
Unavailable Calls	23		
Total 911 Calls	262		

#### OFFENSE REPORTS/ARRESTS:

- 6-5-18**  
• Sheriff's deputies assisted DPS with a family argument on the interstate
- 6-6-18**  
• Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument on Walnut
- Sheriff's deputies arrested responded to a verbal argument on Piedra
- 6-10-18**  
• Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument on Avenue D.

#### Type of Calls

### ANIMAL CONTROL REPORT

MAY 2018			
Animal related contacts	87	Animal disposal	8
Impounded dogs	8	Animal traps set	48
Animal Bite investigations	0	Wildlife caught	1 owl, 10 raccoons, 2 possums, 2 snakes
Animals quarantined	0	Dangerous animal reports	0
Owner surrenders	4	Written warning citations	3
Number of animals surrendered	10	Written citations	4
	1-K9, 9- feline	Welfare checks	2
Impounded cats	2		
Destroyed animals	19, owner requested		
Livestock calls	1 calf		

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from information services, restaurants and retail trade," he added.

Hegar also said state franchise tax revenue for May was \$3.23 billion, 1.4 percent more than in May 2017. Year-to-date franchise tax revenue is up 11.3 percent, he noted.

#### TAX REVENUE DISTRIBUTED

Comptroller Hegar on June 6 announced his office would send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts some

\$710.4 million in local sales tax allocations for the month of June.

The amount is 11 percent more than the Office of the Comptroller distributed a year earlier, in June 2017.

The allocations are based on sales made in April by businesses that report tax monthly.

#### DEPOSITORY IS OPERATING

Comptroller Hegar on June 6 announced the opening of the Texas Bullion Depository in Austin. It is the first state-administered, precious-metals depository in the United States.

The Texas Legislature in 2017 passed a law opening the door for the creation of the depository, which will accept deposits of gold, silver, platinum, palladium and rhodium.

"I can't think of any place else in the world that could create a bullion depository this way and I've heard from legislators across the country who want to do what we are doing, from Tennessee to Utah," said state Rep. Giovanni Capriglione, R-Southlake, author of the legislation that created the depository as a state agency under the Comptroller's purview. "We will see a lot of financial interest in this depository, with gold, silver and other commodities coming here."

Plans call for the depository to be relocated to a site in Leander, a city just north of Austin, in 2019. Austin-based Lone Star Tangible Assets operates the facility.

#### TEA: SPECIAL EVALUATIONS

Texas Education Commissioner Mike Morath on June 6 announced school districts, campuses and open-enrollment charter schools directly affected by Hurricane Harvey would be eligible for special evaluation in this year's state accountability system if they meet a specific criterion.

Under the agency's Hurricane Harvey Provision, 2018 accountability ratings would be generated for eligible districts, charter schools and campuses using available data.

If a campus meeting at least one of the Hurricane Harvey criteria receives an "Improvement Required" rating, the campus would be labeled "Not Rated."

**Al-Anon Meetings**  
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**Last Puzzle Solution**

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**ACROSS**

- on highway 199 NW of Fort Worth
- TXism: "dead as a knob"
- "Fountain Place" is in town Dallas
- TX electronics co.
- cowboy's bolo
- pertaining to an apex
- TXism: "clothing" rascals
- TX Clint Black's "Man"
- TX Charley Pride played baseball in old League before music
- pacify
- TXism: "busier than -armed paper hanger"
- a homeowner to a house to get more room
- surface a road again
- TXism: "took everything but the dirt" finger-nails" (robbed)
- TX Roddenberry's "Captain Kirk" (init.)
- TX McMurry, et al.
- once an AM station in Eastland
- old NYSE symbol for TX-based Burlington Northern
- Eisenhower's TX birth town
- TX Barbara Mandrell sang "I Don't \_\_\_ \_\_\_ Right"
- TXism: "\_\_\_ that by me one more time"
- in El Paso: "\_\_\_ High School"
- state where 23 former Cowboys are enshrined
- born as
- "R" of Boot Hill's "R.I.P."
- depend on
- TXism: "attracted like flies"
- army citadel (2 wds.)
- "\_\_\_ of war"
- arrival guess at Hobby (abbr.)
- this Martin had a small part in "All of Me" starring TX-born Steve Martin
- TXism: "it don't \_\_\_ up" (illogical)
- TXism: "critter corral"
- the water at its most shallow on the TX coast (2 wds.)
- Cowboys' defensive coordinator (1973-1988)
- TXism: "hard as putting toothpaste back into the \_\_\_"
- TXism: "up \_\_\_ paddle"
- nickname of 26th TX governor
- Tony Romo played for Eastern in this state (abbr.)
- TXism: "happy as a kid in a \_\_\_"
- inspired with wonder
- falls behind
- TX-born Stone Phillips' former show: "\_\_\_ NBC"
- TX Kenny Rogers sang "\_\_\_ in the Clowns"
- a man (2 wds.)
- strong and healthy
- Huntsville statue of Sam Houston weighs 25 of these U.S. territory (abbr.)
- \_\_\_-wheel drive
- TX Tommy Lee Jones 1986 film: "The Park \_\_\_ Mine"
- cry loudly
- TXism: "hot enough to \_\_\_ mercury"
- 1941 film: "Died with Their Boots On"
- TXism: "\_\_\_ sleeping dog lie"
- TXism: "changes his mind \_\_\_ as he does socks"
- pipe
- Bible's 2nd half

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Pursuant to Statewide Rules 26 and 27, interested parties must file objections or requests for hearing in writing to the Railroad Commission office within 21 days after publication, or the Commission may approve the application.

For questions pertaining to the application, please contact Sandra Musallam at (713) 366-5106. 4p21

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

On May 25, 2018, Foster Charitable Foundation, Inc. tendered an application with the Federal Communications Commission seeking assignment of the licences of Stations KOOK (FM) 93.5 mHz, Junction, TX, KYXX (FM) 94.3 mHz, Ozona, TX and KHOS-FM 92.1 mHz, Sonora, TX to TENN-VOL-CORP. The officers, directors and 10% or greater shareholders of Foster Charitable Foundation, Inc. are Jana Smith, Douglas E. Wright and John C. Doyle. The sole officer, director and 10% or greater shareholder of TENN-VOL-CORP. is D.R. Boyer. A copy of the application and related materials is available for public inspections at [www.publicfiles.fcc.gov](http://www.publicfiles.fcc.gov). Search by station call sign, then applications and related materials, then assignments. 3p22

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE (REAL ESTATE)**

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT OF EXECUTION issued out of the 112<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Court of Reagan County, Texas, in a certain cause numbered CV02025 on August 11, 2017, styled: Big Lake Pump & Supply, Inc. v. Hank Oil and Gas, Inc. and XNP Resources, LLC, to me, as Crockett County Sheriff directed and delivered, I have levied upon this day May 9, 2018 and will between the hours of 10:00 AM and 4:00 PM at approximately 1:00 PM on the first Tuesday in July, 2018, it being the 3rd day of July, 2018 at the West entrance of the Crockett County Courthouse located at 907 Avenue D, Ozona, Texas 76943, proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, all right, title and interest, if any, which the defendant had on May 9, 2018, or at any time thereafter, of and in the following described property:

- HALFF FIELD UNIT LEASES, WELL NUMBERS 1704, 2303, 2202, 1605, 2805, 3101, 3303, and 2107 and the mineral estate and the oil and gas leasehold estate and working interest attributable to, and all leases associated with the following:
  - Well Number 1704, being on Lease Half Field Unit, and located in Crockett County, Texas, and being further described by the Texas Railroad Commission as API No. 10580596, and GIS LAT (NAD27) 30.751811, GIS LONG (NAD27) -101.765718;
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  - Well Number 3303, being on Lease Half Field Unit, and located in Crockett County, Texas, and being further described by the Texas Railroad Commission as API No. 10501371, and GIS LAT (NAD27) 30.722242, GIS LONG (NAD27) -101.776593; and
  - Well Number 2107, being on Lease Half Field Unit, and located in Crockett County, Texas, and being further described by the Texas Railroad Commission as API No. 10580609, and GIS LAT (NAD27) 30.742006, GIS LONG (NAD27) -101.769648.

Said property is levied on as the property of Hank Oil and Gas, Inc. and/or XNP Resources, LLC and will be sold to satisfy the judgment for \$17,233.24, with interest at the rate of 5% per annum from the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2017 and \$486.32 costs of suit, and \$126.46 in costs of executing the Writ of Execution.

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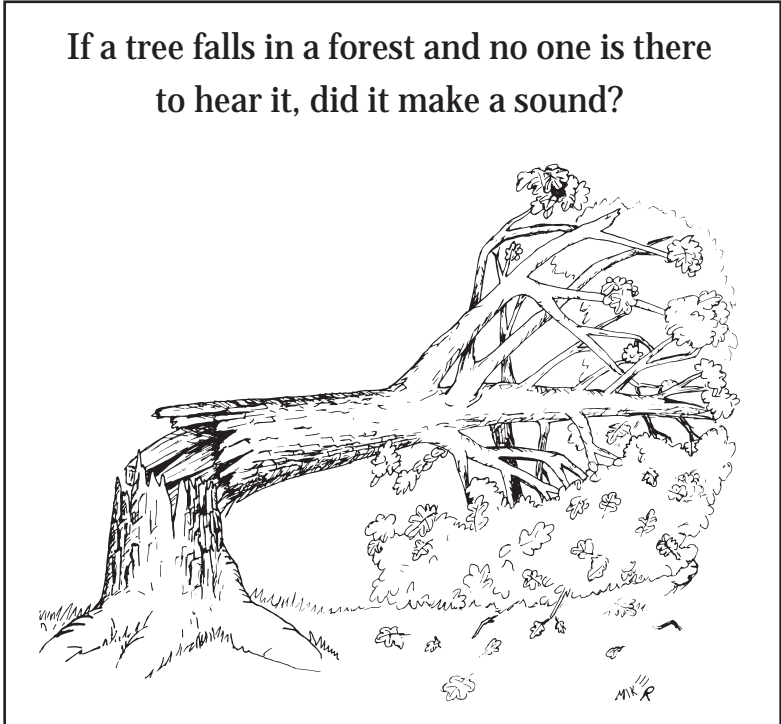
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501 Ave. G. - Ozona, on .53 acre lot *Price Reduced* - \$75,000  
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New Listing - 2713 +/- acres - Hwy. 277 N, water well, can divide \$3,460,511  
New Listing - 261 acres - Rolling Oaks Rch., Tract 1, w/water, elect. & some minerals \$417,810  
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