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## **CCCCSD** asking voters to move funds

BY RAUL CHAVARRIA CCCCSD SUPERINTENDENT

OZONA, TEXAS

To the Voters of Crockett County, as the Nov. 6 General Election approaches, I would like to remind voters that CCCCSD has a Bond on the

As with all School Bonds, the CCCCSD Board of Trustees has consulted with Region 15 ESC and Financial Analyst Christian Merritt.

As a result of this research and advice, our Board asked Crockett County Commissioners to consider and approve placing a Bond on the November Ballot, and they did.

The CCCCSD Board and Crockett County Commissioners Court are asking voters to

**Town Hall Meeting** on CCCCSD November Bond:

6:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 15, at the Crockett County Public Library

Everyone invited to come ask questions. Refreshments will be served.

decide whether or not to approve the November 2018

The wording on the ballot will read:

"THE ISSUANCE OF \$1,895,000 OF BONDS FOR THE REFUNDING OF ALL OR ANY PORTION OF THE DIS-TRICT'S MAINTENANCE TAX NOTES, TAXABLE SERIES 2011 AND THE LEVYING OF THE

TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF"

Basically we are asking the voters to "Refinance", or Refund CCCCSD debt that is currently on the M&O, or Daily Operations Budget, to the I&S Bond side. This allows debt to be paid off early with no increase in the current tax rate.

If approved by our voters:

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## Neighbors helping neighbors



SUTTON COUNTY JUDGE STEVE SMITH (left) accepts a check for \$5,460 from CCCCSD Superintendent Raul Chavarria during Friday's pep rally. The money was raised by the OHS Cheerleaders from selling "Sonora Strong" T-shirts to help with the Sonora Flood Relief efforts.

# Ozona XC wins local meet



THE OZONA LIONS take off at the Ozona Cross-Country Meet on Oct. 2 behind the Crockett County Senior Center. The Lions and Lady Lions won the meet. OHS and OMS teams will compete in the district meet today (Oct. 10) at San Angelo State Park. More photos and results, page 6.

## **Laurie English named Prosecutor of the Year**

SUBMITTED PRESS RELEASE

On Sept. 19, Laurie English, 112th District Attorney, received the State Bar Prosecutor of the Year Award at the annual conference for the Texas District and County Attorneys' Association.

TDCAA states that "The award is given annually to a prosecutor who demonstrates outstanding service to the criminal justice system by improving the quality of justice through their leadership and/or efforts to shape public policy."

According to the award criteria, it is reserved for prosecutors who have demonstrated a devotion to the profession and who aspire to be a true example of a 'minister of justice'."

Prosecutor of the year is selected from nominations submitted to the TD-CAA board, which

LAURIE ENGLISH

votes on the nomination and then sends it to the State Bar Criminal Justice Section for approval.

English began serving as 112th District Attorney on Jan. 1, 2005, and is currently in her fourth term, serving the West Texas counties of Crockett, Pecos, Reagan, Sutton, and Upton.

"Serving the constituents in this part of Texas is a great

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## VMTE MEET THE CANDIDATES VMTE **Crockett County Commissioner, Precinct 2**

Editor's note: The Ozona Stockman is featuring Q&A articles with local candidates in contested Nov. 6 General Election races. This week features the three candidates for Crockett County Commissioner, Precinct 2

### WHAT IS YOUR OCCUPATION, **EDUCATION AND FAMILY?**

I am the broker and owner of Bunger Real Estate Company, LLC, a local real estate brokerage firm that is based in Ozona and provides real estate services to Crockett County and the surrounding counties. I am also involved in our family ranching business which is primarily located in Crockett County.

I graduated from Ozona High School in 2003 and then continued my higher education at Texas A&M

University in College Station, Texas.

I graduated from Texas A&M University in 2006 with a Bach-

**G.L. BUNGER** elor of Science in Animal Sci-

ence and a minor in business. While at Texas A&M University, I had the opportunity to take many business related courses in order to obtain my minor in business. I was able to take courses in

finance, marketing, management, business law, and accounting. These courses were the foundation of my business education and experience, and have significantly benefited me to this day.

My wife Colbey and I both grew up in Ozona and moved back after our graduation from Texas A&M University. We have been married for eleven years and have decided to raise our two beautiful children in this great community.

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### WHAT IS YOUR OCCUPATION, **EDUCATION AND FAMILY?**

For the past 10 years I have been employed as the General Manager of the Crockett County Groundwater Conservation District. I live on a ranch north of Ozona that has been in my family since 1946.

After graduating from Ozona High School in 1996, I attended Angelo State University and later transferred to South Plains College where I earned an Associates of Science degree.

Later I continued my education in Wildlife Management at Texas Tech University. I am the

son of Billy Troy and Rosalind Williams. In 2006 I married my wife, Heidi of

Kerrville, Texas. We have three wonderful children; Lawson, Liberty and Lundyn. We are very blessed to be able to homeschool our children.



**SLATE WILLIAMS** 

I have been a small business owner since 2006. My wife and I own and operate a small cattle ranch in Crockett County.

WHAT QUALIFIES YOU

FOR THE POSITION

YOU ARE RUNNING FOR?

I have also been employed with the Crockett County Groundwater Conservation District for 10 years. My responsibilities include: coordinate and prepare information for District Board meetings including

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OZONA LIONS VS STAMFORD 7:30 P.M. FRIDAY AT LION STADIUM



# Delivering real results back home

As your Representative, my bosses are each of you, the nearly 800,000 people I represent across the 23rd District of Texas. That's why whenever I'm not voting in Congress, I'm back home crisscrossing the 29 counties of TX-23 and meeting with as many folks as I can. Whether it's hosting a public meeting, speaking with community leaders or dropping in to a local business to visit with the owner and his

or her customers, I am often in multiple towns over a weekend before flying back to our nation's capital at the beginning of the week.

This regular face to face communica-



**HURD ON** THE HILL HURD

tion has also resulted in the successful completion of casework for almost 3,000 constituents who have come to my office needing help with federal agencies like Social Security and the VA.

I regularly host a town hall series, predominately at local Dairy Queens that I call "DC to DQ." This year was no different, and in September, I visited all 29 counties and held 32 town hall meetings

from El Paso to San Antonio, and everywhere in between.

One point that consistently came up during town halls was that DC seems like a circus. But despite what you might see on the news, Congress has passed several bipartisan initiatives that have big impacts back home.

Last week alone, the House passed a few dozen bills, including a major funding package that gives our troops a 2.6 percent pay raise, the largest in nine years.

Additionally, it funds the Meals on Wheels program which feeds 100,000 Texas seniors daily; education grant funding programs like GEAR UP and TRIO that expand opportunities for Texans of all socioeconomic backgrounds; critical health research into Alzheimer's disease, cancer and opioids; and, job training programs for civilians and

After hosting this year's 32 town halls, I also noticed that it's clear that tax reform is creating more jobs, bigger paychecks, increased investment, historic small business optimism and increased economic security for the families that I represent. I was glad to keep each of your thoughts in mind as I voted

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## **Community newspapers** are needed more than ever

s we celebrate National Newspaper week, I was reminded recently how newspapers are more than just what's going on in our community today.

Last week, I received a phone call from a woman who was desperately searching for information about a car accident that occurred outside our little town in

She had tried the Texas Department of Public Safety records in Austin, but they told her she needed the investigating officer's

Our local DPS station referred her to us stating "we were her only hope."

As she gave me names and dates, I scrolled through our archives until I found a front-page article complete with details, including the DPS investigating officer's name. It was all there in our newspaper.

As I read her the article, she began to cry over the phone. Of course, I started crying.

For two years this woman had been searching for answers, and she finally found it in a newspaper article published in Ozona, Texas.

You see newspapers are keepers of history. We record the events that are happening at that moment in our communities, our state, our country and our world, and preserve them

for future generations. Just look at the recent flooding in our neighboring towns of Sonora and Junction. When the rain and flooding hit, their newspaper staff immediately started getting the word out as quickly, and as

accurately, as they could. We are the ones that sit at the commissioners' court meetings and the school board meetings, when no one else is there. We are the ones that stand in pouring rain to get that photo of the football team and cheerleaders. We are the ones that will come take the photo of the giant pumpkin in your backyard and publish it in our news-



WHAT'S ON

**MY MIND** 

MELISSA PERNER

lish the honor rolls, wedding announcements and obituaries alongside in depth stories about county and school tax rates and car

paper because

you called us.

We pub-

accidents. We take time to be at the

school parties, the pep rallies, the sporting and academic events, and the annual stock show so your child's picture can, once again, grace the pages of our local newspaper.

We do this not because it's our job, but because it's also a labor of love.

Also last week, we received a comment on our Facebook page from a reader who wished we would write more articles about world news instead of what's going on in school and the commissioners.

Well, while what's happening in the world is important, but we are not The New York Times.

Here at The Ozona Stockman, our concern is what will directly impact our readers, the local citizens of our community.

Informing voters of local candidates running for office, letting them how they can volunteer at our local care center or the activities at our local senior center.

My favorite thing is when I see a person take a photo of an article or picture of our printed newspaper and share it online with everyone, or I walk into a friend's house and there is a cutout of a photo from our newspaper hanging on their refrigerator.

Journalism matters, now more than ever. Community journalism matters, now more than ever, because no one else is going to keep the town's history better than the local newspaper. In the pages of newspapers, people in small communities see themselves and the ones they love.

> MELISSA PERNER is the editor and publisher of The Ozona Stockman.

## My Best Idea Yet

I've tried everything to make a living in the cow business. I bought expensive replacement heifers when the grass was green and the price was high only to have to sell them for beef eight months later when the grass and the market both dried up. I tried the registered business but the paperwork drove my wife nuts and four different breed associations invited me to quit due to the genetic damage I was doing to their breed. I even tried the hunting and taxidermy business but the only wildlife on the place is squirrels and you'd be surprised how few interior decorators see the beauty in a dead squirrel hung on a wall. But now I think I really have found a way to make money in the cow business: Lee's Everlasting Pastures Cow Spa, Hoof Salon and Memory Garden.

Currently one of the hottest business concepts is the spa business which gave me my latest and greatest idea yet. No, I'm not thinking about sending my wife to a spa, after all, who'd be left at home to do all the work? Here's my latest get-rich-scheme. We all have old and loyal cows who stood quietly in the squeeze chute, never got sick, didn't tinkle on the hay, always calved during daylight hours without any assistance and never failed to bring a heavy calf to the weaning pen. But in the twilight of their lives how did we reward their years of service? We loaded them up, hauled them to the sales yard and sold them to ruthless cow buyers. I don't know about you but I always

felt guilty doing this. So, to ease your guilty rub applied by my wife twice a day?



**PITTS** 

LEE PITTS

conscious, and help me make some money for a change, why not send your worn out cows to Lee's Everlasting Pastures, Hoof Salon and Memory Garden. For only \$300 per month per cow, you can send those favorite toothless mommas to my place where they can sleep in late, drink spring water and eat hay so good it's usually reserved for Holsteins and horses. For the first time in their

boring lives they won't have to sleep on hard ground nor will they be chased by horny bulls, barked at by pain-in-the-patoot Border Collies or harassed by wolves. There will be no snotty-nosed-calves tugging at their flanks either.

On their first day at the spa all cows will be deloused, dewormed, treated to a cleansing foot bath and be misted with fragrant fly spray. Optional treatments for your favorite cows include seaweed body wraps and feedlot mud facials. Cows can spend the day lazing around the hay shed or standing in pond water to rid themselves of pesky heel flies. There will be stretching, cow yoga and bovine pilates and what cow doesn't dream of an exfoliation by prickly pear cactus that will open their pores for a delightful eucalyptus oil body

Our staff of scissor-hand-like clipper pros was recruited from only the best steer jockeys at Denver and they will comb, clip, and fluff the tails of your VIP cows. At great expense we've also employed Holstein hoof trimmers who will sand, paint and apply Swarovsky crystals to their hooves. And every cow will go home with their very own photograph standing in front of a banner heisted from the Fort Worth stock show so that for at least once in their lives your special cows will know what it feels like to be a Grand Champion.

There will be moo-tivational speakers to help your extra special cows get in touch with their inner bovineness and celebrity guest chefs Baxter Black and Mad Jack Hanks will barbecue psychodelic mushrooms for your cows while they chew their cud around a bonfire of burning tires.

Should one of your old cows pass away while a guest at our spa you can rest easy knowing she'll be treated with dignity while being buried in our Everlasting Pastures Memorial Garden with a black draped backhoe. For an additional fee we can even arrange for a short non-denominational service by pastor Pitts.

Lee's Everlasting Pastures Cow Spa, Hoof Salon and Memory Garden was rated the number one cow spa in America by the Wyoming Livestock Roundup and The Ozona Stockman, Tri State Livestock News and Gulf Coast Cattleman.

www.LeePittsbooks.com

## Paxton joins effort against climate change lawsuit

**STATE CAPITAL HIGHLIGHTS** By Ed Sterling | Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton on Oct. 5 announced he had joined an Indiana-led coalition of 11 state attorneys general in a friend-of-the-court brief seeking dismissal of a climatechange lawsuit against the energy industry.

King County, Washington, filed the lawsuit naming the oil companies BP, Chevron, Exxon Mobil, Royal Dutch and ConocoPhillips as defendants. Paxton and the other attorneys general allege in their friend-of-the-court brief that "King County's objections to fossil fuel are based in public policy, not law, and are thus inappropriate for judicial resolution."

King County is seeking a court order requiring the named oil companies and several unnamed individuals to fund the costs of adapting the county's storm-water management, salmon fishery recovery, public health infrastructure and more. In addition, the county seeks to hold the companies responsible for "knowingly contributing to climate disruptions and putting the residents of King County at greater risk of floods, landslides, ocean acidification, sea level rise and other impacts."

Jurisdictions in California, New York and Colorado have filed lawsuits similar to King County's. According to information posted by King County, areas within the county "that were once above the mean high tide line now experience regular flooding." The county says the mean high tide line is projected to increase by as much as 56 inches in the Puget Sound region by the year 2100.

### **ANTI- GANG FUNDS COME**

Gov. Greg Abbott on Oct. 3 announced \$5,158,000 in grant funding through the Local Border Security Program. He said it would help secure the Texas border from gangs and violent criminals.

One hundred grant awards have been released to border communities and law enforcement groups for intelligence sharing, collaboration and efforts to crack down on border-related criminal activity.

"We must continue doing all we can to stop violent criminals and gangs from coming across our borders and into our communities," Abbott said.

Last year, grantees reported over 800,000 miles patrolled and 1,200 felony arrests made by grant-paid officers supporting the border initiative, Abbott said.

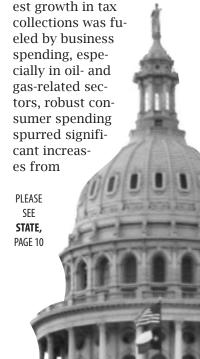
### **REVENUE TOTAL INCREASES**

Texas Comptroller Glenn Hegar on Oct. 2 said state

sales tax revenue totaled \$2.7 billion in September, 14.8 percent more than the amount

reported in September 2017.

"While the fast-



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### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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### CORRECTIONS

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## **Fundraisers** Sunday benefitting local Sonora Flood **Victims**

Fundraisers will be held Sunday, Oct. 14, to benefit Care Center Employees Irasema (Hema) Gonzales and Elva Vasquez who suffered losses in the recent Sonora flooding.

A turkey and dressing meal will be held at 11 a.m. at the Crockett County Civic Center.

That same day at 3 p.m. a social fundraiser featuring a sweet sale will also be held at the Civic Center.

The events are provided by the Crockett County Care Center and the J. Cleo Thompson Wellness Center.

Monetary donations are also welcome.

For more information, call Marta De La Garza at (325) 387-4126 or Veronica Fierro at (325) 226-1718.

## Templo Siloe **Missions Festival Saturday**

Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church will have their Missions Festival at 11 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, at the church located on 2121 Santa Rosa St.

The event will feature different kinds of food, drinks, train rides for children and live music. All proceeds go to missionaries around the world.

Menudo will be sold that morning starting at 6 a.m. at the church.

Cost is \$10 for a 32-ounce cup.

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### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Oct. 10 - Katie, Ross, Delia Longoria, Jared Bird, Paul C. Perner III, Holly Rylander, Serenity Briggs and Les Hale

Oct. 11 - Harley Johnson, Bobbie Bird, Jason Grannis, Colton Childress, Faith Little, Kialynn Sanchez, Joshua Tomlinson, Laura DeHoyos, Faith Nowell and Shannon Hunnicutt

Oct. 12 - Odilia Sanchez, Alyssa Ray Valadez and Joey Wilson

Oct. 13 - Kinsler Myers, Michelle Young, Michell Mendoza, Rosa Bella Ramos, Angelic Gutierrez, Laura De Hoyos, Cristina Gutierrez, Raul De La Rosa Jr. and Irene Gonzales

Oct. 14 - Della Kirkland, Stacey Asbill and Tom Cameron

Oct. 15 - Alaina Fay, Tina Jarvis, Andy Coates, Colbey Bunger, Kim Galan, Kimberly Dominguez, Dariela Camarillo and Jayce Logan

Oct. 16 - Roslynn Mendez, Kaitlyn Hernandez and LaDawn Adcock

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### **GARDEN OF THE MONTH**



THE OZONA GARDEN CLUB has chosen the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. Marcus Sims as the October 2018 garden of the month. The home is located on Bluebonnet Street.

## San Angelo author talks murder, cold case at library dinner



**TOP PHOTO: MARILYN COX** (left) talks to San Angelo Author Russell Smith at the Friends of Limurder case of Shelia Elrod.

### **COMMUNITY CALENDAR**

### Wednesday, October 10

- OMS and OHS Cross-Country at the District Meet in San Angelo State Park.
- PSAT All Juniors and some Sophomores at OHS
- Fire Prevention Posters are due at OES
- Walk to School Day, 7 a.m. meet at the town square
- Pride Lunch Kindergarten, Second and Fourth Grades at OES
- Mexican Train, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center • Prayer Group, 3 p.m. at the Senior Center

### **Thursday, October 11**

- Quarterback Club, 6:30 a.m. at the Ozona Hampton Inn
- Quilting, 9:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- State Rep. Andrew Murr Meet & Greet, 11 a.m. at the Ozona Chamber of Commerce
- Bingo, 2 p.m. at the Senior Center

### Friday, October 12

- Fire Prevention Week Poster Awards, 10 a.m. at OES Gym
- OHS Pep Rally, 2 p.m. at OES
- Knights of Columbus Pregame Dinner, 5 p.m. at the Civic Center
- Flu Shot Clinic, 5-7:30 p.m. at Lion Stadium
- Lions vs Stamford, 7:30 p.m. at Stamford

### Saturday, October 13

- Templo Siloe Assembly of God Church Missions Festival, 11 a.m. at 2121 Santa Rosa St. Menudo sale at 6 a.m. at the church.
- Ozona Heavyweight Football vs Bullets, 11:45 a.m. at Old Bobcat Stadium
- Ozona Pee-Wee Football vs Outlaws, 1:30 p.m. at Lake View High School Track Turf Field

### **Sunday, October 14**

• Sonora Flood Relief Fundraisers - Turkey and Dressing Meal at 11 a.m. and Social Fundraiser at 3 p.m. at the Civic Center

### **Monday, October 15**

- Picture Day at all three Ozona Campuses
- Bridge, 1:30 p.m. at the Senior Center
- CCCCSD School Bond Town Hall meeting, 6:30 p.m. at the Crockett County Public
- OHS Band Practice, 7-9 p.m. at Lion Stadium

### **Tuesday, October 16**

- Crockett County Commissioners' Court meeting, 7:30 a.m. at the courthouse annex • Exercise with Niki, 10:30 a.m. at the Senior Center
- OHS Band Practice, 7-8 p.m. at OHS Band Hall

### Wednesday, October 17

- Pride Lunch Pre-K, First, Third and Fifth Grades at OES
- 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









### **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

### OCTOBER 10

Pork fritter, yams, steamed cabbage, wheat bread, fruited gelatin

### **OCTOBER 11**

Chicken and dumplings, two bean salad, Spinach salad, dinner roll and chocolate mousse and

### **OCTOBER 12**

Chicken strips, oven baked French Fries, pinto beans, cucumber tomato salad, seasonal fruit and milk

### **OCTOBER 15**

Beef steak fingers, new potatoes, peas and carrots, wheat bread, fresh orange and milk.

### OCTOBER 16 rilled sausage, cheese of

Grilled sausage, cheese grits, Monaco vegetables, white roll, bread pudding and milk. OCTOBER 17

Turkey with gravy, baked sweet

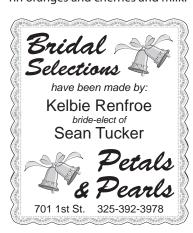
potatoes, squash and red pepper, dinner roll, butterscotch pudding and milk.

### OCTOBER 18

Hamburger steak, mashed potatoes, lima beans, cornbread, fruited gelatin and milk.

### **OCTOBER 19**

Coconut chicken, fried rice, oriental vegetables, egg roll, mandarin oranges and cherries and milk.



Ozona Lodge #747
A.F. & A.M.

Next meeting
1st Monday in
November at 7:30 p.m.

### **OZONA SENIOR HAPPENINGS**

# Bridge every Monday

BY BRENDA NEWTON
SENIOR CENTER DIRECTOR

We played bridge Monday and lacked two people having two tables. I think that when we get it started, it will catch on. This is not a private club. If you would like to learn to play bridge, don't be shy, come on out and learn.

Niki is back. She had to miss again on Tuesday but said she would be back on Tuesday, Oct. 9. Come exercise with her at 10 a.m. Tuesdays.

We had a really good time on Friday playing with our jewelry and visiting. You should come try to fix jewelry at 10 a.m. Friday. If you have broken jewelry or something that you don't like anymore, bring it with you and we can all work together to get it fixed. Come join in!

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.

It has been paved so it is really smooth. The exit in from of the center is dangerous because of truck traffic. We do not want any of you to be in an accident leaving this facility. Please pay closer attention to traffic when leaving from town. Remember there is a curve there that blocks vision until it is too late.

I love my quilting ladies. They come at 9:30 a.m. Thursday and have themselves a ball sewing and planning their quilts. They would love to have you come join in the fun.

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.

Play Bridge 1:30 p.m. Monday

Exercise with Niki 10:30

a.m. Tuesday 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.

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

Jewelry repair 10 a.m. Fri-

day.

Come on out, the coffee is on.

### CARE CENTER CHATTER

## Trick-or-Treat Oct. 31

BY MARY WILLIAMSON
ASSISTANT ACTIVITIES DIRECTOR

Throughout this month, residents decorated hats and picked out their costumes for homecoming week. Prizes were awarded to staff and residents for best pajamas, craziest outfit, best superhero, craziest hat and for the best spirit at the tailgate party the following Friday. The best pajamas were Sydonia and Belia G., Terry A. and Nicole for the craziest outfit, Audrey G. and Stephannie for the best hero, Gloria and Beth for the best

hats and Eva and Belia D. received the spirit awards.

The Ozona Lions and cheerleaders came by for chili dogs Friday. They visited with the residents and the cheerleaders provided us with a couple cheers. Residents also enjoyed the school song played by the OHS Band prior to the parade.

Staff tossed bottles of water to the parade participates as they passed, and several students came and got hot dogs.

Trick-or-Treating will be 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct.

31, at the Care Center. Candy donations are welcomed.

For more information, call Marta De La Garza (325) 392-2671.

Volunteers are welcome to help with activities and the Music and Memory program. Any students needing community hours for special programs this is your opportunity.

We will also accept donations of prizes to give to the residents when they win games.

For more information, call Marta De La Garza (325) 392-2671.

### **OBITUARIES**

### **Myrtle Grimmer Everett**

Myrtle Grimmer Everett passed away October 3 at the age of 98 years, 9 months, in Del Rio, Texas. She was born December 20, 1919 in Del Rio to Walter and Myrtle Grimmer.

She married R.J. Everett, of Pandale, where they spent their married life ranching. Their children started school at Pandale. Later, she and the children moved to town during the school year going to the ranch on weekends and summers. While in Ozona, she was active in the First Baptist Church and 4-H Club. She and R.J. were active in the church at Pandale when at home on the ranch.

After R.J.'s death, she later moved to Fort Stockton to live with her daughter and husband, Mae and Dewey Campbell. There she was active in Immanuel Baptist and the Senior Center.

She was preceded in death by her husband, parents, brother, son-in-law and two grandchildren.

She is survived by her children, Mae Campbell, of Fort Stockton, R.J. (Coleen) Everett, of Ozona, Joe (Mina) Everett, of San Angelo, Ladye (Walter) Herrring, of Eagle Pass. Also, 12 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren and 8-great-grandchildren.

Services were held Monday, October 8, in Fort Stockton with burial in Ozona.

### Irene Ogle

Irene Ogle, 93, of Granbury, passed away on Monday, October 1, 2018. Graveside service was Thursday, October 4, in Kilgore.

Irene was born on July 10, 1925 in Sylacauga, Alabama to John and Stella Stuart. She was a pillar of strength and source of wisdom for her family. She had an excellent work ethic, and taught her family to work for a living and take care of themselves. She loved cooking for them especially, chicken and dumplings, fried chicken, turnip greens, and dressing.

Irene was a good golfer and domino player. She enjoyed flower gardening and spending time with her parrot "Susie". She was a past member of Danville Methodist Church and attended Mambrino Baptist Church. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband: R.J. Ogle, one sister and



three brothers.

Irene is survived by her children: Michael E. Davenport and wife Sally, Gail Collins and husband Pat, Debra Sue Williams and husband Roger, and Robert Ogle and wife Paula, grandchildren: Michael Shane Davenport, Christy Ann Davenport, Beth Usrey, Chris Hobbs, Steven Hobbs, Meghan Oldman, Kim Smith, Blake Williams, and Robert Ogle, Jr., 23 great-grandchildren, and brother: Alex Stuart.

## No Kickers Here

"The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the LORD, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. Every valley shall be exalted, and every mountain and hill shall be made low: and the crooked shall be made straight, and the rough places plain:" Isaiah 40:3-4

I never knew the true meaning of "unconditional" until I saw the marvelous grace of God. Why? Because religion is powerless to remove conditions from the gifts that God has so freely given to us in Christ Jesus. In the Lord Jesus, God removed all the kickers making it ever so easy for sinners to accept His love, mercy and grace.

Exalted valleys, low mountains and hills, straightened roads and rough places made plain – this is what grace does for sinners who have never been able to please God. God sent John the Baptist to straighten out the highway to Christ so that we would no longer have to satisfy the conditions of the Law. Christ eliminated all the religious fine print and in doing so, he teaches us the true meaning of "unconditional".

We know that Christ



FROM THE PULPIT

TOM SLOAN

And someone has suggested that man has turned that wine back into water by placing conditions the marvelously scandalous grace

turned water

wine.

into

of God. There is no miracle in sinners having to be good in order to receive God's favor! If there remains any penalty for sin, then Christ died in vain, and our faith is also vain. If Christ's yoke is not easy, we might as well return to the horrors of the Old Testament covenant. If you want to know the true meaning of "unconditional", listen to Jesus, because He teaches us that...

...grace ceases to be grace the moment it draws a line.

TOM SLOAN is the pastor of Friendship Baptist Church in Ozona, Texas.

Mona and Tom have been missionaries in Mexico since 1994. She was raised in a preacher's home in Austin, and Tom was raised in a missionary's home in Chiapas, Mexico. Mona and Tom have been married for 24 years and they have five children with the oldest being 22 and the youngest being 10.

# Holiday Hands Arts & Crafts Fair seeking vendors

The 13th Annual Holiday Hands Christmas Arts & Crafts Fair with be held on Thursday, Dec. 6 at the Crockett County Civic Center.

If you have holiday hands for creating art, crafts, or food items, you are invited to reserve a booth at the Christmas fair. Indoor  $10 \times 10$  space rental is \$30. Outdoor space is also available.

All rental and ticket proceeds go to support Ozona "Meals on Wheels" program.

For more information or to register, call Corba at (325) 392-3302 or (325) 206-2331.

THE OZONA STOCKMAN DEADLINE IS NOON ON MONDAY



All pastors of Ozona churches are invited to submit columns.

## Reasons for obesity - a big fat lie?

How do you feel about fat? What are your first thoughts when see an obese person?

Do you assume they eat continuously, are lazy, and live a sedentary lifestyle?

Are you quietly or vocally critical of family members and significant others about their weight issues?

Are you over weight and suffer self-judgement, quilt, or shame?

"The false belief that excess body fat is caused by eating too many calories and not getting enough exercise gives society a logical reason to blame obese individuals for their sorry plight. If obesity is due to gluttony and sloth, then those with obesity must lack the insight and/or self-discipline to control their weight. If only they would simply eat less and exercise more, their bodies would return to normal." -Georgia Ede, MD, posted on the Psychology Today website Sept. 30.

"Nobody wants to be obese, so most people with obesity try hard to lose weight their whole lives — unfortunately many of them without sustainable success. If we are to make progress on this painful and serious epidemic, we will need to turn to the most powerful tool known to the medical profession: intellectual curiosity. Isn't it interesting that obesity was quite uncommon until recent decades?"

Why is it that there are no obese wild animals... even during times when food supply is abundant... even in the case of sedentary animals like sloths?

As science journalist Gary Taubes writes in Good Calories, Bad Calories: "wild animals don't become obese and diabetic in the presence of too much food, rather, they flourish and multiply (2007: Knopf)".

Obesity isn't a malignant mass or simply a number on a scale.

It is associated with all the serious chronic metabolic diseases, including Type 2 Diabetes Meletus, heart disease, fatty liver, depression, hypertension, and certain forms of cancer.

"Yes, obese people are at higher risk for medical



**HERE'S TO YOUR HEALTH** 

JIM FISH

this doesn't mean obesity CAUSES those problems." ... as Dr. John Schoonbee

problems, but

writes: "even though umbrellas are strongly associated with

rain, they do not cause rain!" Science has shown, and we now understand that obesity is usually an external symptom of any number of metabolic disorders stemming from Carbohydrate Intolerance (CI), but more specifically, Insulin Resistance (IR).

IR affects more than 50 percent of Americans, and most don't realize it, because most physicians don't test for it.

In people with IR, insulin levels tend to run high.

When insulin is low, our bodies will burn stored fat for energy; but, when insulin is high, our bodies will store unused calories, even from fat-free food, as body fat.

We tend to think of insulin as a simple blood sugar regulator, but insulin is a "master growth hormone" that controls the metabolism of nearly every cell in the body.

IR is known as a "silent metabolic killer" because the problems with insulin signaling can have profound effects not only on our fat tissue but on every organ from the heart to the brain and beyond.

Dr. Ede explains, "Insulin resistance is primarily the result of years of eating ultraprocessed foods loaded with refined carbohydrates and vegetable oils that our bodies simply aren't designed to handle: sugar, flour, fruit juice, cereal, and foods made with soybean oil and other unnatural fats. Unfortunately, for complicated political reasons, many of these same products are officially recommended in our U.S. Dietary Guidelines, so we've been taught to include them in a healthy diet. These modern non-foods, which have only been widely available to human beings for a handful of decades, contribute to unnaturally high insulin levels,

oxidation, and inflammation, which slowly destroy cells from the inside out."

While IR is an enduring problem requiring permanent management, it is preventable and treatable if you understand its root causes.

Dr. Jason Fung, author of The Diabetes Code, advises, "...there are many ways to lose weight, many of them are unsustainable because they involve a degree of superhuman discipline not required by metabolically healthy people—excessive exercise, severe caloric restriction, or extreme avoidance of dietary fat. These draconian strategies can also worsen underlying metabolic and psychological damage, making it increasingly more difficult to lose weight with each attempt (Fung 2016: Greystone)."

As you may see from the excerpts above, there is a multitude of information on this subject that would require the average person several weeks of study.

My philosophy on this issue is the same as most others, "be the change you would like to see in the world."

You may not be able to change your feelings, but you can practice changing your thoughts.

Next time you see a person with obesity, whether it's on the street or in the mirror, just remember that obesity is a devastating, enduring, metabolic disorder caused by several generations of a worldwide food science experiment interpreted erroneously and gone totally wrong.

While science continues to ferret out the truth about obesity and more clinicians adopt new ways of addressing its root causes, stay focused on your wellbeing.

It's your health and your life, and it deserves your full attention and advocacy.

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, JimFishINHC@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.

# **Knights of Columbus** pregame meal Friday

The Knights of Columbus will be selling brisket burritos with chips and a tea for \$5 each starting at 5 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12, at the Civic Center.

Those wanting just a burrito by itself, cost will be \$3 each.

The food will be served until all gone, or until kickoff of the football game, whichever comes

All proceeds benefit the Knights of Columbus of Ozona.

### Commissioners approve veteran's organization conducting community outreach program at Rodeo Park

BY MELISSA PERNER

THE OZONA STOCKMAN

The Crockett County Commissioners' Court approved a community outreach project by a veteran's organization during Monday's regular meeting.

The Concho Valley Military Veteran Peer Network submitted a letter to the commissioners asking if the organization could adopt the Rodeo Park by providing a quarterly clean up, where volunteers would clean up trash and an annual to semi-annual touch up of rust or chipped paint.

"The end goal of this is outreach for MVPN, but more importantly, an opportunity for veterans to give back to the community and potentially reach veterans in need," said Paul Keeton, Concho Valley MVPN Peer Service Coordinator, in the letter. "Since I have come onboard as the Peer Service Coordinator, it has been one of my goals to increase the amount of involvement in rural communities."

Commissioner Frank Tambunga said the group won't be using county equipment they will be in contact with him.

### **WELLNESS CENTER**

Wellness Center Director Stormi Oglesby said the center is working on becoming a facility location for Blue Cross Blue Shield Silver Sneakers and Well On Target Programs. By doing this, members who have health insurance may be able to have their memberships discounted or covered, depending on age, through the insurance.

Oglesby said the center would still receive money for

those memberships, but it would be based on how many times that person attended the center and not a monthly fee.

attend some training to learn more about how the program works.

Oglesby said she has to

The center currently has 312 active members.

The commissioners also approved a \$35,000 bid from Champion Irrigation, of San Angelo, to landscape the wellness center.

### THE COMMISSIONERS

ALSO: · Approved Dec. 4 as the Employee Appreciation Dinner. Bids for the chicken and beef fajita meal will be advertised in the Oct. 17 and 24 issues of The Ozona Stockman and accepted until Oct. 26. Bids will be awarded at the Nov. 12 commissioners' court meeting.

· Approved to pay a bill of around \$12,666.45 to Insite Tower for the Sheffield Tower for fire, EMS and sheriff's office communications. This is the first bill the county has received in three years for the tower rental, Deaton said. The funds will come out of building and mainte-







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**Q&A Session** on the **CCCCSD Nov. 6 Bond Election** 6:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 15, at the library! **Everyone welcome!** Refreshments will be served!

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## Lions can't catch Cranes

CRANE - The Ozona Lions are looking to regroup as they start district play this after a 42-14 loss against Crane on Oct. 5.

"Overall, we just did not have a good game against Crane. They were much bigger and did a good job of taking advantage of the size and numbers advantage," said Head Coach Kyle Freeman. "

In the first half of Friday's game at El Ave Stadium, the Lions were matching Crane touchdown for touchdown, but the Golden Cranes, led by Running Back Brandon Cerna, broke through in the second half scoring 21 unanswered points. Cerna had three touchdowns for the Golden Cranes.

Crane (5-2) rushed for 423 yards of their 458 yards of total offense, compared to the Lions 142 rushing yards.

Both the Lions touchdowns came from Junior Running Back Abraham

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after every Varsity Home game played at Lion Stadium. For every point the Lions score, your discount is matched by your hometown Sonic. So if the Lions score 15 points you earn a 15% discount off (UP TO 40% OFF) regular priced menu items that night after the game. OPEN LATE AFTER HOME GAMES

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Congratulations to our Players of the Week!



**ABRAHAM RODRIGUEZ scored** two touchdowns for the Lions against Crane Friday night.

Rodriguez, whose second touchdown was on a 60-yard run to tie the game 14-14 in the second quarter right after a Crane score. Rodriguez rushed for 108 yards on 13 carries.

> Abraham Rodriguez 108 yards rushing and 2 touchdowns against Crane

Senior Ouarterback Marcus Perez rushed for 44 yards on 8 carries.

Ozona (1-4) will start district play next week facing Stamford (5-1). The Bulldogs were ranked number 9 in the state until Clyde (2-3) pulled the upset 21-13 win Friday

Up until Clyde, Stamford had been beating its opponents by 30-40 points, including a 90-62 win over De-Leon on Sept. 28 where Senior Quarterback Peyton Bevel broke the state records for passing touchdowns with 12 during the game and passing yardage of 789.

Clyde managed to hold Bevel to 277 passing yards and only two touchdowns with 23 completions on 41 attempts.

The last time Ozona faced the Bulldogs was in 2015 in the first round of playoffs, where the Lions were unsuccessful.

Kickoff is 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 12, at Lion Stadium.

**OHS Band** 

**Student of** 

the Week

**Sydney Knaack** 

NEW BEGINNINGS



THE OHS BAND, pictured here performing at Friday's Pep Rally, received a Division I rating at the San Angelo Marching Festival Saturday. The band will compete in the UIL Region Marching Contest on Oct. 20 in San Angelo.



THE VARSITY LADY LIONS take off at the Oct. 2 Ozona behind the Crockett County Senior Center.



PAUL C. PERNER IV | THE OZONA STOCKMAN

THE JV LADY LIONS start their race at the Oct. 2 Ozona behind the Crockett County Senior Center.

# sweeps Uzona Meet

The OHS Cross-Country Teams swept the Ozona Meet last week in preparation for today's (Oct. 10) district meet at San Angelo State Park.

Both varsity teams and the JV Lady Lions won the

Varsity Lions individual results - 1. Humberto Torralba, 18 minutes, 27 seconds; 2. Manuel Torralba, 18:36; 3. Bryce Gray, 18:41; 4. Adam Hopper, 19:08; 5. Raul Ramirez, 19:16; 6. Jason Lopez, 19:28; 7. Melvyn Mejia, 20:12; 8. Marco Rodriguez, 20:22; 12. Kolton Thompson, 22:16; 15. Daniel Hernandez,

Varsity Lady Lions individual results - 2. Karina Marmalejo, 3. Ysaballa Flores, 8. Roslynn Mendez, 9. Kassidy McCutcheon, 10.

Jacque Medina, 14. Dorisel Sanchez.

JV Lady Lions individual results - 3. Harley Hernandez, 15:20; 6. Paige Sanchez, 16:17; 7. Kameron Ortiz, 16:30; 8. Esperanza Ramirez, 16:41; 10. Alondra Hernandez, 17:01.

The OHS teams are at the District Meet today (Oct. 10) at the San Angelo State Park. Meet starts at 9 a.m.



## Red Ribbon Week Oct. 22-25



Ozona Schools will celebrate Red Ribbon Week Oct. 22-25.

Dress Up Days are:

Monday - "Follow Your Dreams... Don't do Drugs," Everyone wears PJs. Tuesday - "RED-y to be DRUG CAMPAIGN FREE!" Wear as much RED as possible.

Wednesday - "My Future Matters! I am DRUG FREE!" Dress in college or career attire.

Thursday - "My Future is Bright, No Drugs in Sight" Wear Sunglass.

Friday - No School. Teacher Workday - Student Holiday.

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SEVENTH GRADE LADY LIONS won the Ozona Meet on Oct. 3 at Ozona Country Club.



SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADE LIONS won the Ozona Meet on Oct. 3 at Ozona Country Club.

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EIGHTH GRADE LADY LIONS show off their medals after the Ozona Meet on Oct. 3 at Ozona Country Club.

# OMS tops Ozona Meet

The OMS Cross-Country Teams were victorious last week at the Ozona Meet on Oct. 3.

Seventh Grade The Lady Lions and Seventh and Eighth Grade Lions all won the meet. The Eighth Grade Lady Lions fell short to make a complete team, but gave a great performance.

Seventh Grade Lady Lions individual results - 2. Mia Davidson, 15 minutes, 18 seconds; 3. Claire Bean, 15:23; 7. Valeria Garza, 16:33; 8. Alondra Garza, 16:39; 9.

Audrey Upham, 16:58; 11. Kailyn Preddy, 17:42; 12. Jaylynn Tijerina, 18:15; 13. Faith Quiroz, 18:16; 17. Jadlynn Hunt, 19:14; 20. Alexis Scroggins, 19:56; 24. Addison Oritz, 21:04.

Eighth Grade Lady Lions individual results - 2. Charli Oglesby, 16:10; 5. Natalie Rodriguez, 17:14; 7. Kattie Rodriguez, 18:00; 9. Destiny Venegas, 18:35.

Seventh Grade Lions individual results - 3. Rigo Treto, 13:44; 4. Jacob Guajardo, 13:46; 6. Nicholas Ramon, 14:09; 8. Austin Magness, 14:39; 9. Ryan Williams, 14:49; 10. Bernardo Blanco, 15:07; 11. Chris Ramirez, 15:26; 13. Matthew Daniels, 15:58.

Eighth Grade Lions individual results - 4. Logan Fay, 13:49; 5. Pedro Elizondo, 14:06; 6. Arturo Guerra, 14:11; 9. Xavier Perez, 14:28; 11. Hermin Hernandez, 14:31; 15. Jadon Martinez, 14:53.

The OMS Teams will compete at the District Meet today (Oct. 10) at the San Angelo State Park.

### **CROCKETT COUNTY 4-H NEWS**

## Food Challenge Practice meeting Oct. 28

4-H Food Challenge Practice Meetings will be 3 p.m. at the extension office on the following days: Oct. 28; Nov. 4; Nov. 11; Nov. 18 and Nov. 25.

The District Contest will be Dec. 1 in Big Spring.

Additional weekday meetings to be held in November as needed.

### **FOOD AND NUTRITION**

4-H Cooking and Food and Nutrition Project Meetings will be starting next month. Juniors will meet at 4 p.m. and Intermediates and Seniors at 6 p.m.

Dates are: Oct. 29 and Nov. 5.

The County Food Show will be Nov. 12. The theme is Restaurant Re-Creation. Everyone bring their favorite restaurant dish with a healthy twist.

Additional meetings in November for those advancing to the District 6 Food Show.

> LIVESTOCK All exhibitors are re-

quired to obtain a new Quality Counts Verification: www. texaslivestockvalidation.com.

Please make this a priority. You may not register for major shows until you have a new Quality Counts members.

Lamb and Goat Validation - Oct. 24.

### **DEERFEST COMMUNITY SERVICE**

### 4-H has been assigned to work the event on Dec. 1. Please plan to assist for an

hour or two if you are able. **CLUB MEETING** 4-H Club Meeting is 5:30

p.m. Oct. 30. We will celebrate with a Halloween party and kickoff our One Day 4-H service project.

Let us know if you would like to bring a snack. Wear your costume and bring Thanksgiving type non-perishable items to donate to the backpack program.

### **4-H ENROLLMENT**

Don't forget to register at texas.4honline.com before price increase on Oct. 30.

### **FUTURE EVENTS**

Nov. 12 - County Food Show

Nov. 27 - Club Meeting Nov. 30 - D6 Fall Contests

Dec. 1 - DeerFest Community Service

Dec. 15 - County Livestock Show

Dec. 18 - 4-H Meeting/ Christmas Party.

### **4-H OFFICE**

The Crockett County 4-H Office can be reached at (325) 392-2721.

Dawson Owens, CEA-AG, can be reached at (325) 277-2035 or dawson.owens@ ag.tamu.edu.

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

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

Like the Facebook page at www.facebook.com/crockettextension.

### **TEXT REMINDERS**

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



**SIXTH GRADE MATH STUDENTS** work on their play lists of "must do" and "may do" lessons in Coach Britni Duarte's class. The lesson allows students more choice and individualized pacing. This is part of the district's new Blended Learning program. Check out more on the new Ozona Middle School Facebook Page.

## **GED** class enrollment **Saturday**

Adult Education online GED classes are available through Howard College.

Enrollment will be from 1-4 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 13, at the CCCCSD Federal Programs Office located north of OES, in front of the DPS office.

Participants must bring social security card and driver's license to get registered.

For more information, call Janina Savala at (325) 392-5501 ext. 5980.

## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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		JULY 1, 2018 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2018				
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### CCCCSD **School** Menus

### Oct. 15-19 is National School Lunch Week!

On Thursday, Oct. 18, Fifth Grade Parents will be invited to eat lunch with their students. Invitations will be sent.

For more information, call (325) 392-5501 ext. 5500

**Ozona Elementary School:** Breakfast is free for all students! Lunch is \$2.45 and Reduced Lunch is \$0.40

**Ozona Middle and Ozona High Schools:** Breakfast is \$1.45 and Reduced Breakfast is \$0.30 Lunch is \$2.60 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

### Monday, Oct. 15 **Breakfast**

Sausage kolache and yogurt or cereal and toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk. Lunch

Corn dogs, tator tots, baked beans, apple-pineapple d'lite and milk. Tuesday, Oct. 16

**Breakfast** 

Cheese omelet and toast or cereal bar and yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk. Lunch

Nacho grande, beans, salsa, lettuce and tomato, tiny tomato cup, cucumber slices and peaches, lime sherbert and milk.

Wednesday, Oct. 17

Breakfast

Waffles and sausage or cereal and toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk.

Lunch

X-treme burrito, salsa, corn veggie cup, lettuce and tomato garnish, mandarin oranges and milk or sack lunch.

Thursday, Oct. 18

**Breakfast** 

Breakfast pizza or cereal bar and yogurt, fruit, fruit juice, milk. Lunch

Hamburger steak, brown gravy, biscuit, potatoes, salad, fruit gelatin and milk or sack lunch

Pizza, carrots, broccoli, fresh fruit, cookie and milk.

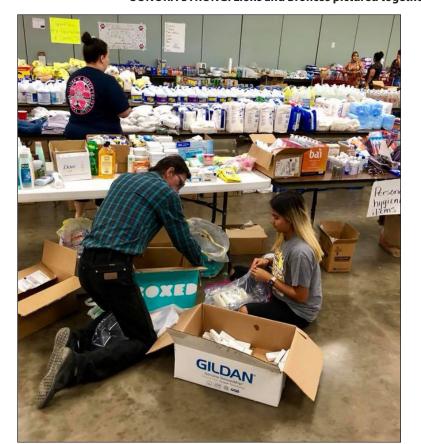
Friday, Oct. 19 Breakfast

Donut holes and sausage or cereal and toast, fruit, fruit juice, milk. Lunch

# Lions + Broncos = Family



ELIE CASSARO | THE OZONA STOCKMAN SONORA STRONG: Lions and Broncos pictured together at Friday's Pep Rally with the \$5,460 check presented from T-shirt sales by the OHS Cheerleaders for Sonora Flood Relief efforts.





OHS CHEERLEADERS traveled to Sonora last week and helped with flood relief efforts. The squad and sponsors also delivered bottled water, cleaning supplies and other donations.

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### **Youth Center Calendar of Events**

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OZONA MIDDLE SCHOOL welcomed Vietnam Veterans last week headed on a fishing trip to Del Rio as part of the Reel Thanx Program.

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### WHAT QUALIFIES YOU FOR THE POSITION YOU ARE RUNNING FOR?

I believe that my experience as a business owner, board member, and entrepreneur have prepared me for this position. While being a business owner and board member, I have assisted in the management of budgets for both profit and nonprofit organizations.

I have always used conservative judgement when making decisions for these organizations and if elected I will use this same judgement when evaluating the budget for Crockett County.

I am currently serving on the Crockett County Appraisal District Agricultural Advisory Board, Crockett County Predator Control Board, Ozona Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, Ozona Chamber of Commerce Executive Committee as the Vice President, Ozona National Bank Board of Directors and the ONB Bancshares Inc. Board of Directors.

I have previously served on the Crockett County Deerfest Association Board, Ozona Country Club Board of Directors, and the Ozona United Methodist Church Board of

Having the opportunity to serve on these boards of directors within the community has provided me with an inordinate understanding of the fundamentals of our community.

Each of my tenures in these organizations has also provided me with a different set of experiences and lessons that I feel would be beneficial to the county and the commissioner's court.

I also feel that my experience as a Texas licensed real estate broker has furthermore prepared me for this position.

There are often times that issues arise in the commissioner's court that involve real estate matters. I believe that I have a respectable understanding of most matters related to real estate, and I will be able to apply my knowledge and judgement when making decisions on these issues.

### WHAT ARE THREE THINGS YOU WOULD LIKE TO ACCOMPLISH IF ELECTED?

First of all, I would like to make sure that Crockett County has a well-managed budget. I feel that a conservative budget is significantly important for any government, but most importantly local government.

I would like to see our county have a well-balanced conservative budget while simultaneously taking care of all of our residents, employees and the individual county departments.

I fully understand that this may be challenging at times due to the heavy reliance of the county budget on

oil and natural gas prices, but I feel this is an extremely important and attainable goal.

With that said, we have recently seen a slight increase in energy prices which should increase the tax base and revenues for the county.

There are also a number of new projects that are currently happening or are in the planning stages in the county, which when completed will increase our tax base and therefore increase our revenues.

Some of these projects include large energy transport pipelines and wind farm projects

Secondly, I would like to focus on transparency and communication within the commissioner's court. I believe that the voters of the county should have the right to express themselves and I would like to keep an open line of communication with all members of the county, both residents and employees.

The people are the government and commissioners are elected to serve the citizens of the county, so it is very important that the people have the ability to be heard.

I also believe that by listening to the citizens of the county the commissioners will hear all sides and opinions on the different issues, which will help the court make better, educated decisions.

I do understand that at times there will be differences of opinions, and this is to be expected, but I will make it a point to hear all sides of any issue before making a decision and will strive to make the best decision for all parties involved and Crockett County.

If elected, I will always be available and willing to listen to the residents of precinct

Lastly, if elected, I will make sure that I uphold this position with integrity, commitment and honor.

This is a position that cannot be taken lightly, and if elected I can guarantee you that I will whole heartily do my best to make sure that our county, and community, is a great place to live for years to come.

## WHAT DOES PRECINCT 2 NEED MOST FROM A COUNTY COMMISSIONER?

There are multiple things that precinct two needs from their commissioner.

I believe that precinct two need a commissioner that has a knowledge and understanding of business, has experience working with budgets, is willing to listen and communicate with constituents and is

honest and trustworthy.

Having business experience is an absolute necessity in effectively and efficiently managing a budget that is as large as Crockett County's budget.

An effective leader must also have the ability to listen and learn from his constituents. Listening to and communicating with constituents is one of the most important things that any commissioner must be able to do. I have the business experience in managing budgets, and I will always be willing to listen and communicate with the voters of precinct two and Crockett County.

Most importantly, a leader in the community must be honest and trustworthy.

Throughout my experiences in life and business I have always made it a point to be true to the values of honesty, integrity, and trustworthiness.

If elected, I will unquestionably stay true to these values and will bring them to the commissioner's court.

### HOW MUCH OF YOUR TIME DO YOU ANTICIPATE THE JOB OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER

WOULD CONSUME?

I anticipate that the job will require a generous amount of time. It's difficult to say exactly how much time it will require because all projects and situations are different and require different amounts of time, but I guarantee the voters of precinct two that I will take as much time out of my schedule as is needed to be an effective commissioner.

While time is a valuable thing, I believe that this role as a county commissioner, and the service to our community are extremely important, and I will gladly serve this community with as much time as needed.

### ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO VOTERS:

I would like to take this opportunity to encourage the voters of Crockett County to get out and vote.

No matter for whom you choose to vote, I encourage you to express your democratic right to vote for the candidate you feel will best represent you in our local county government.

I would also like to thank everyone for all of your support and encouragement in this election. I sincerely appreciate it.

Lastly, for those of you who are undecided at this time, I would sincerely appreciate your consideration.

I believe my business experience, involvement in the community, and education qualify me for this position. I would be honored to serve this great county and community.

Your vote will be greatly appreciated, thank you.

### WILLAMS: from page 1

adherence to all State require-

ments for public notification,

preparing agendas and Director materials and compiling monthly reports; develop, maintain, and update the District Management Plan in accordance with state law and requirements; review and revise District Rules, policies, and procedures, as warranted, to respond to evolving District objective and needs; manage and coordinate electoral process for board members; develop and maintain cooperative relationships and working partnerships with local, state and federal agencies, private consultants, constituents, and affiliated organizations with common interests; develop and maintain strong relationships with legislative offices and work cooperatively with elected and appointed officials at all levels of government; participate in the joint planning process for the relevant aquifers in the District to establish and refine Desired Future Conditions that protect the local aquifer; provide oversight and supervision of employees and plan, assign, and coordinate employee responsibilities, activities, and daily job duties; develop, prepare, and maintain an accurate annual financial budget; ensure maintenance and security of financial and contractual records; oversee and manage all District expenditures and credits; serving as the primary District contact for news media, legislators, public officials and citizens, taking action as necessary for news releases, public service announcements and dissemination of District information; develop and implement educational activities and programs; develop, implement and manage a water well tracking system in compliance with District Rules and state law; conduct field work such as water level monitoring and water quality sampling throughout the county. I represent the District as a voting member of the Texas Alliance of Groundwater Districts, the West Texas Regional Groundwater Association, and the Groundwater Management Area 7.

I am currently serving on the Crockett County Appraisal District Agricultural Advisory Board. I am actively involved at First Baptist Church serving on the Properties committee, Baptismal committee and help lead our Wednesday night children's program. As a child, I would travel with my father to Mexico on mission trips. During those trips I learned how to listen, respect and appreciate diverse needs in the com-

munity. I also feel that my years of experience with the Ozona Volunteer Fire Department has given me good insight on helping our citizens during wildfires, floods and any other emergencies that may occur. I believe my work in county government and my many dealings with state government along with my life experience has prepared me for the job of commissioner.

### WHAT 3 THINGS WOULD YOU LIKE TO ACCOMPLISH IF ELECTED?

**IF ELECTED?** The first thing I would like to accomplish is to listen and understand the concerns of the taxpayers. The idea of government is service; well managed and not wasteful, but never at a profit. The only way it can profit is at the taxpayers' expense. As a landowner and taxpayer I would like to keep taxes as low as possible. I am not looking to shake things up but to give my service and time to my community. There are multiple projects that would benefit the citizens of Crockett County and many of you have shared your concerns and ideas with me. One that I do feel is important to mention is the Care Center. If there is a project that needs our attention, this tops the list. As a generation that supported our community gets to the point of needing help, I believe it is our duty to make sure they have proper facilities and upgraded equipment to aid and assist the hardworking and compassionate staff in caring for our se-

nior citizens. I would like to continue to see our county budget maintained in a conservative manner. I do believe in general this has been the case even with the large projects we have undertaken during these last couple of years. I would like to keep common sense and plenty of thought as a staple in the commissioners' court. I thoroughly study an issue and strive to find the truth of the matter. I believe actively listening is an essential part of being a commissioner. Listening is much more than just hearing. A person has to take time to get to the heart of what was just said, evaluate that message and then respond.

"I was bold in the pursuit of knowledge, never fearing to follow truth and reason to whatever results they led, and bearding every authority which stood in the way." - Thomas Jefferson

### WHAT DOES PRECINCT 2 NEED MOST FROM A COMMISSIONER?

Precinct 2 needs a commissioner who has common sense, a good moral character along with common busi-

ness sense, who is an active listener. Our elected commissioners and the County Judge serve as the general governing body of the county. If elected as Commissioner I would help in engaging contracts in the name of the county, building and maintaining roads, filling vacancies in county offices, setting the county tax rate, issuing bonds, adopting the county budget among many other duties. Commissioners are responsible to the voters, but their duties are defined and controlled by the State Constitution and Statutes. This is why I believe my experience as General Manager of the Crockett County Groundwater Conservation District has shown my common sense, good moral character and common business sense in my budget management of the Groundwater District money, and other duties, as well as my own personal

### HOW MUCH OF YOUR TIME DO YOU ANTICIPATE THE JOB OF COUNTY COMMISSIONER WOULD CONSUME?

small ranching business.

I believe as a Commissioner there is no set time limit. The needs of the Citizens of Crockett County are vastly different from one to the other. At times I get calls after hours and on weekends and I do not hesitate to address the person's needs.

Time will be whatever is necessary to get the job done, from a few moments of conversation to many days during an emergency. If elected I will make time to give service to our community.

### ANY ADDITIONAL COMMENTS TO VOTERS?

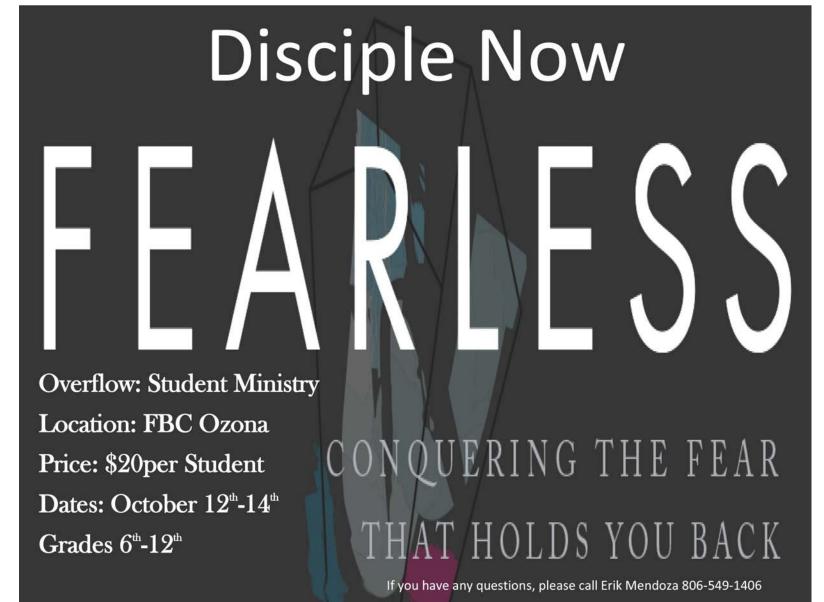
I would like to encourage everyone to vote in the election coming up in November. I believe voting is one of the most powerful tools we have at our disposal. "We the People" are in charge, not the government. I am a citizen, NOT a politician. As a citizen that works within government, I know that it is up to the people to search out a matter.

If you have a concern it is up to you as citizens to check the agenda posted at the courthouse before Commissioner's Court, read your local newspaper or call your Precinct Commissioner and address your concerns.

I have enjoyed visiting with you and hearing about your concerns and ideas for Ozona and Crockett County. Please do not hesitate to get in touch with me if you have any questions or concerns. I would really appreciate your vote. Thank You.

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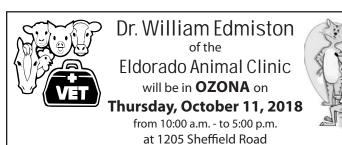
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### ENGLISH: from page 1

honor," said English. "These counties have been my home for over 50 years, and I am committed to seeking justice and assisting law enforcement in their endeavors to protect all of us."

English is a graduate of Angelo State University (1997) and Texas Tech School of Law (1999).

Since becoming a licensed attorney in May 2000, English joined the State Bar College in 2001 and achieved Board Cer-

tification in Criminal Law in 2009. Only 10 percent of Texas attorneys are board certified.

English is a board member of the Texas District and County Attorneys' Association, Texas Association of Counties, Border Prosecution Unit, and has served as an Executive Board member for the Special Prosecution Unit and the Border Prosecution Unit.

English is a member of the National District Attorney's Association and the Texas Bar Foundation. She is a Founding Fellow for the Texas Prosecutors' Society.

### BOND: from page 1

· The Bond will save our taxpayers \$446,511 in inter-

· The Bond would save \$231,000 annually on our

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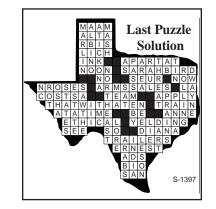
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### HURD: from page 2

last week, especially when it came to making individual and small business tax cuts permanent which are saving residents in TX23 an aver-

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### **CROCKETT COUNTY SHERIFF'S REPORT**

### **Weekly Activity Report**

Monthly Status Report - September 2018 Total Placed in Jail 24 Total Released 17 Currently Incarcerated - Ozona Currently housed outside county 20 \$19,237.50 Housing Cost - Upton Co. **Total Housing Cost** \$19,237.50 **Total Civil Papers** Civil Papers Served 4 **Total Unserved Civil Papers** 2 Total Civil Fees Collected \$110 Total Fine Fees Collected \$0 Cash Bonds Collected \$1,999.99 **Bonding Fees Collected** \$120 Traffic Citations Issued 60 Inmates Transported 2 **Total Dispatch Calls** 242 911 Calls 276 911 landline 19 911 wireless 257 Unavailable Calls 32 Total 911 Calls 244

### Type of Calls Livestock/wild/domestic animal complaints 1

911/fire assistance Civil complaints 5 Civil documents served Criminal complaints/ disturbances/loud noise 8 Juvenile/school 0 Motorist assist/locked vehicle

Reckless driving/speeding complaints Minor/major traffic accidents Alarms

### **OFFENSE REPORTS/ ARRESTS:**

10-3-18

· Sheriff's deputies responded to a verbal argument at the Circle Bar Truck Stop.

• Sheriff's deputies responded to a loud music call on Santa Rosa Street. 10-4-18

· Sheriff's deputies responded to a noise

complaint on State Highway 163 south. · Sheriff's deputies arrested Olgo Ortiz Bor-

rego, of Ozona, for driving while license invalid. Subject was arraigned and released on bond. • Sheriff's deputies responded to a loud

noise complaint on State Highway 163 south.

· Sheriff's deputies responded to a disturbance in the parking lot of the Hitchin' Post Restaurant. 10-8-18

• Sheriff's deputies arrested Juan Manuel Guerro, Jessica Espinoza and Roman Borrego, all of Ozona. Guerro and Borrego were charged with possession of marijuana less than two ounces and Espinoza was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia. All subjects were awaiting arraignment.

### FOR THE RECORD: COURT PROCEEDINGS

### **COUNTY COURT**

**Closed Cases - September 2018** 

· Manuel Arturo Cardona, failure to appear, conviction - fine \$322, court costs

· Adrian Darius Samuel, failure to appear, conviction - fine \$322, court costs

• Jim L. Cook, failure to appear, convic-

tion - fine \$322, court costs \$178. • Mannex Guerrero Molina, failure to

appear, dismissed - meets the end of justice. • Juan Daniel Rodriguez, driving while license invalid - enhanced, dismissed meets the end of justice.

• Brandon Bershad Chalmers, failure to appear, conviction - fine \$322, court costs

 Osvanis Cruz, two counts failure to appear, conviction - fine \$322, court costs

Ruben Jaramillo Jr., failure to ap-

pear, conviction - 10 days in jail.

· Gregory Joseph Lukaszczyk, driving while intoxicated, dismissed - pled in district court.

· Martin Galindo Moran Jr., resisting arrest and harassment, conviction - 124 days in jail.

· Jason Dimas Rodriguez, driving while license invalid - enhanced, dismissed - completed obligations to the county attor-

· Victoria Castillo Fierro, assault/bodily injury/family violence, one year pre-trial

· Naaman Earnest Darby, possession of marijuana less than two ounces in a drug-free zone, six months deferred, court costs \$251 and fine \$100.

• Travis Andrew Schreiber, driving while intoxicated - first/open container, conviction with probation, court costs \$500, fine \$378.10.

### ANIMAL CONTROL REPORT

### Animal related contacts Animal disposal 3 47 Impounded dogs 22 Animal traps set **Animal Bite investigations** Wildlife caught 4 raccoons, 2 possums. Animals quarantined 2 skunks Owner surrenders Dangerous animal reports Written warning citations Number of animals surrendered 16 0 Impounded cats Written citations Welfare checks 2 Destroyed animals 39, owner requested 1 Livestock calls Call Ozona Animal Control at 392-3676 1 baby goat

### **STATE:** from page 2

restaurants and retail trade as well," Hegar said.

Revenue from other major taxes on motor vehicle sales and rentals, motor fuel and oil and natural gas production also rose in the month of September, Hegar added.

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providers buy new buses. In addition to bus purchases, the grant money helps rural transit agencies purchase related equipment and construct bus-related facilities. The majority of Texas' rural transit districts are expected to receive funding based on replacement needs.

TxDOT deputy executive director Marc Williams said, "Providing newer buses to our rural transit providers means providing more efficient travel for Texans in need."

### **FLU SHOTS ARE PROMOTED** Oct. 1 was Texas Influenza

Awareness Day, and the Texas Department of State Health Services is recommending flu shots for everyone over six months of age. Early vaccination is impor-

tant because it takes about two weeks for the body to make flu antibodies after the vaccine is administered, the DSHS said.

'This year, there are many different flu vaccines available and they have all been updated for this flu season. The nasal spray flu vaccine, also known as FluMist, is once again on the list of recommended flu vaccines for the upcoming flu season," said DSHS Infectious Disease Medical Officer Dr. Jennifer Shuford. "There are also special flu vaccines designed for people 65 years and older. Your doctor can help you figure out which vaccine is right for you," she added.

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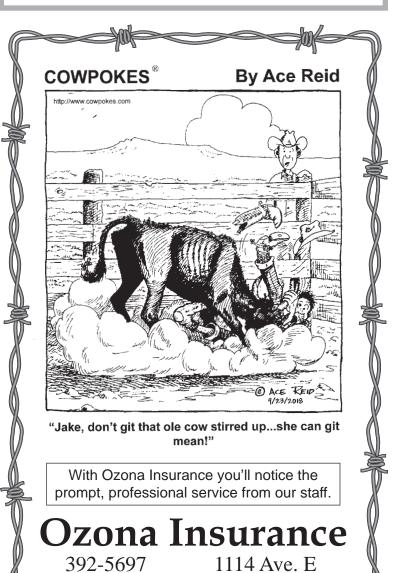
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