

Sonora Doctor's Office Parking Lot To Undergo Remodeling

by Storie Sharp

Hospital Administrator, Keith Butler reported Monday that the Sonora Doctor's Office parking lot will be excavated and rebuilt, starting Monday, August 12, 2002. The much needed repairs will provide level parking and will add two designated parking spaces for handicap patients, with ramps to each doctor's office. The repairs are expected to take approximately one (1) month. Patients will be asked to enter through the back of the building when visiting Dr. Calderon or Dr. Pajestka. Parking will temporarily be in the hospital parking lot. A drop-off entrance will be at

the back doors of the offices. The physician's office staff will help if needed and patients are asked to call in advance if they know they will need assistance. All ambulatory patients will be asked to walk from the hospital parking lot. Butler reminds "with progress comes a small amount of inconvenience" and asks that everyone be patient with the necessary improvements.

Funding for the approximately \$46,000 project is coming from the Lillian M. Hudspeth Ranch.

To see a diagram of the new project, please turn to page 9.

Dry Devil's Trailhead Welcomes Visitors To Eaton Hill Sanctuary



by Ann Kay

The Eaton Hill Sanctuary Dry Devil's Trailhead signs are up and welcoming visitors to the explore Sonora's nature trails. Jimmy Cahill and his crews have worked very hard to complete the stone entrance to

the trailhead. The signs are on display to mark the threshold of the Eaton Hill Wildlife Sanctuary. The Sonora Industrial Development Corporation Board of Directors, Eaton Hill Committee, Jimmy

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Miss Sutton County Style Show and Luncheon

Join Miss Sutton County 2001, Tori Valliant, and the 2002 Miss Sutton County Queen Contestants as they celebrate America and the Red, White and Blue at the Annual Miss Sutton County Style Show and Luncheon on August 11th at 12:30 p.m. at the Sutton County Civic Center. A \$7.00 admission fee will get you a delicious lunch catered by the Sutton County Steakhouse, with a view of all the latest fashions modeled by our 2002 Miss Sutton County Contestants, Koda Armke, Noemi Fay, April Flores, Danielle Galindo, Kate Higdon, Marilyn Holman, Evangelina Martinez, Ashley Parker and Shannon Vick, as well as the Little Miss Sutton County, Crosby Liverman and Little Mr. Sutton County, Dusty Holmes. Tickets can be purchased in advance from any Miss Sutton County Contestant or at the door on August 11th. For more information call Kim Lewis at 387-2981.

Meet the 2002 Queen Contestants page 6

6th Annual Sutton County Days Talent Show

Sutton County Days is right around the corner. Have you got your act together for the 6th Annual Sutton County Days Talent Show? Over the last five years the Sutton County Days Talent Show has become a very popular and entertaining part of the Sutton County Days festivities. Each year the contest attracts acts from all over the state. The talent show always features unique entertainment with something for everyone. The Sutton County Days Talent Show has played host to singers, dancers, and guitar pickers of all kinds and this year's contest should be no exception.

But a talent show isn't a talent show without willing participants. So if you have a talent and you think you have what it takes to be a star, then we want you. The contest is open to any type of family entertainment whether it's singing, dancing, magic, or comedy; you are invited to give it a try. The talent show will be held Saturday, August 17, 2002 at 5:00 p.m. on the main stage at the Sutton County Park Complex.

The contest will be divided into three divisions. Division three will include everyone ages 6 and under who do not want to compete for a cash prize. All participants in this division will receive a participation ribbon.

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Trooper Williams Takes Patrol



Trooper Earlie Williams IV

by Storie Sharp

Sonora is home to new Texas Department of Public Safety Trooper Earlie Williams IV. Originally from Kerrville, TX, Earlie moved to Sonora after graduating from the DPS Training Academy in Austin, Texas on March 8, 2002. He requested to be stationed in Sonora because he wanted to work and live in a small town atmosphere and he wanted to stay in West Texas. Trooper Williams is partner to Trooper Cody Cory. Earlie said that he always wanted to be in law enforcement and looks forward to working in our area. He also stressed that he is always available for questions or concerns, and if he doesn't know the answer he will find someone that does.

Severe Weather Tears Through Sonora

by Storie Sharp

Tornados, Flat Winds, Microbursts... whatever it was that blew through town on Sunday afternoon definitely left it's mark. Uprooted trees, ripped-off roofs, bent signs, trash cans slung down the street and broken water lines are just some of the damage that was done around 3:30 p.m. or so, when sudden rain and wind blew into town.

Max and Jimmie Howorth, who live about 4 miles out, east of town on the loop, appear to have received the most personal damage when their prized red oak tree crashed through their home. The Howorth's weren't home when the storm hit, but their daughter and her family were in the house when it blew in. Mrs. Howorth said that her family heard the noise that sounded like a tornado and sought protection in a stable area. The decorative cement wall that surrounded the tree was split in half and tossed over the roots, upside down. The only other damage at the location was a small tree in the path of the wind and a large branch in a nearby tree.

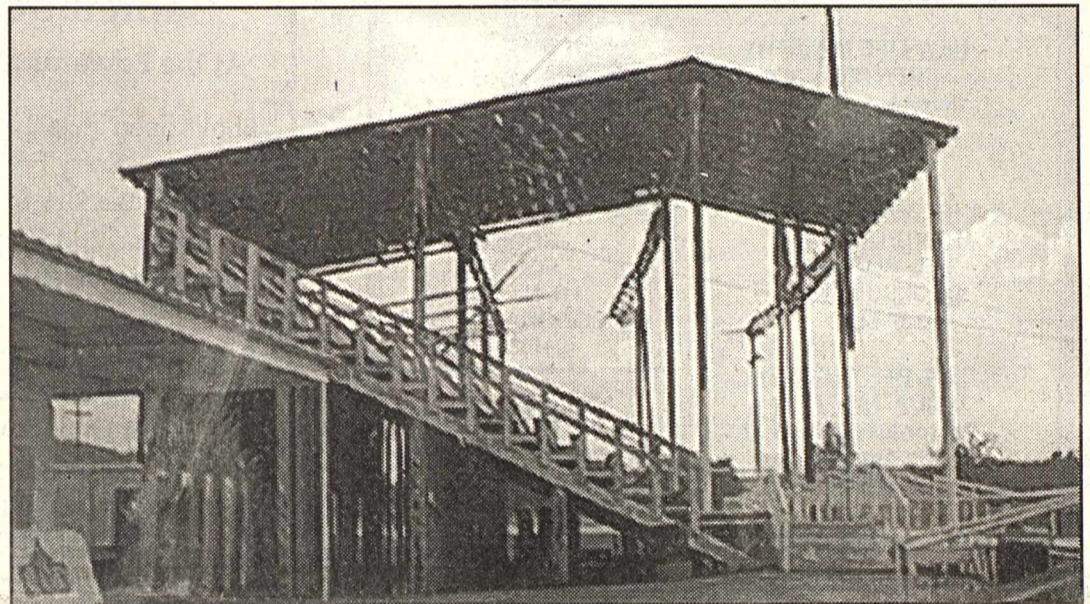
A tree in Claire and Allan Richards yard was also uprooted, pulling a water main with it. Witnesses said it looked like a geyser was coming from the hole where the tree had been. The wind tore the tree straight up, grass and all, in one clean rip. The Hulseys on 2nd Street (see pictures on page 9) and Mrs. Elliott on Poplar Street also had complete trees uprooted in their yards. Many people lost large branches and parts of trees. Debris was scattered on most streets on the east side of town.

The Sutton County Arena grandstands (left) also took a major hit from the storm, losing over 3/4 of the tin roof. The tin was tossed onto high-lines near the road, causing the wires to spark. Tin was also strung all over the parking lot, and even as far away as the trailer park located across the Highway. The highway department had crews on site quickly to begin cleaning up.

Dowell-Schlumberger donated manpower and equipment on Monday to take down the mangled trusses still hanging over the grandstands.



Howorth home damaged by uprooted tree.



Sutton County Arena Grandstands go topless.

With Sutton County Days and the Outlaw Pro Rodeo only a week away, concerns of safety in the grandstands were addressed quickly. Sutton County Judge Carla Garner met with engineers on Tuesday morning who assessed the damage and considered it to be safe to be left for Sutton County Days' use, with some repairs. County crews will be working in the area all week to remove

remaining roof pieces and stabilize any questionable pieces. After Sutton County Days the County will decide what to do for the future. As for this year, rodeo fans will enjoy an evening under the stars (or sun), so come prepared.

The Sonora Golf Course also lost some tin off the roofs of a set of cart sheds (see pic. page 5). It is reported that it is not the first time these sheds

have lost their roof due to severe weather.

Rainfall reports from the storm have ranged from 1/2 inch to a little over 2 inches in the short time that it was over the town. No one has complained about the much needed rain, but the mosquitoes that followed have been subject to some foul words!

Beware and Be Aware

by Storie Sharp

With recent headlines constantly showing children being abducted, lost or running away, Sonora Police Chief, Mike House wanted to remind parents to Beware and Be Aware. Chief House stated that it is very important for children to be supervised if they are playing outside. He stressed that small town residents sometimes become lax with precautions because they become too comfortable in what they believe to be a safe haven. House reminds us that we live on a major Interstate, where many bad people travel everyday. He stressed that parents need to be aware of where their children are playing and who they are playing with. Communication is the key to keeping your children safe in today's world. Parents should be willing to listen when their children talk, and make them answer questions. They should also make children aware of bad people and dangerous situations. Chief House provided the following tips as a guideline to go over with your children who are about to return to school and be out of your personal care for most of the day:

- Teach your child to use a phone. Make sure that they know it is not a toy, but that they can use it in an emergency situation. They should know their name and their own phone number, as well as the 911 emergency number.
- Parents should periodically update photos and written descriptions of their child, at

See Beware page 4

2002 Outlaw Team Roping Challenge Winners

The 2002 Outlaw Team Roping was held Saturday, August 3, 2002 at the Sutton County Arena. Ropers from Sutton and Surrounding counties competed for a spot in the Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo and a chance at the Trophy Buckle.

Ropers who had the fastest

time on three steers will return to compete in the short-go held during the rodeo performances on Thursday, August 15, Friday, August 16, and Saturday, August 17. This year's ropers will be as follows:

See Team Roping page 9

Booster Club Challenge



Are you ready for another season of Bronco and Lady Bronco sports? Martha and George Wallace are, as they were the first to inquire and sign up for a Bronco Booster Club membership!

submitted
The Bronco Booster Club supports all boys and girls sports offered in the Sonora Independent School District. In 2002, the club donated over

\$5,325 to the athletic department for the purchase of equipment, uniforms, and training supplies. In addition, the club donated a total of \$6,500 dis-

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Pastor
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387-2955

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201 N. Water
387-2466

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387-5713

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Rev. Charles Huffman
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205 E. Main
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Card of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone who bought a BBQ plate to help us raise funds to attend the Alto Frio Baptist Youth Camp. Thank you and may the Lord bless you.
Lizzette, Elizar, Sandra and Erika Yorba

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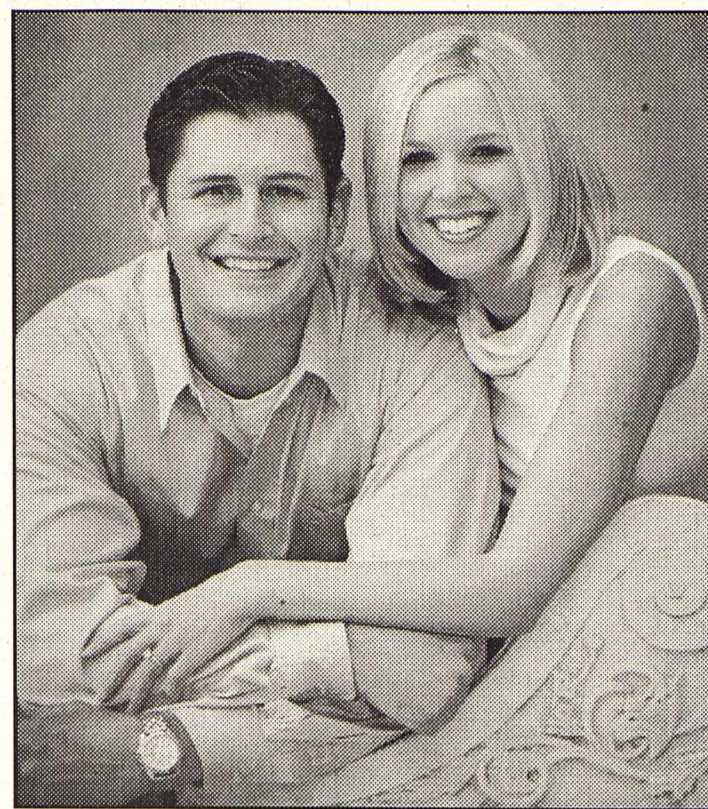
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September 14th, 2002

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at (830) 683-4217

Engagement



Wente - Jones

Jennifer Rae Wente and John Ed Jones will be married October 5, 2002, at Travis Park United Methodist Church in San Antonio. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Duane A. Wente of Cypress, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Cleve T. Jones, III, of Sonora.

Miss Wente is a 1996 graduate of Cy-Fair High School in Cypress and a 2001 graduate of Texas A & M University with a bachelor's degree in Industrial Distribution. Her fiancé is a 1996 graduate of Sonora High School and attended Texas A & M University.

Birth Announcement

Rebecca and Forrest Meador welcome with love
Caleb's new baby sister
Hailey Nicole
born July 13, 2002
6:52 a.m. at

Shannon Women and Children's Hospital.
She weighed 7 lbs. and 10 ozs.
and was 19 1/2" long.
She is also welcomed by her maternal grandparents Bill and Lu Hazelton and paternal grandparents David and Kathy Meador

Obituary

Doris Jo Merriman

Doris Jo Merriman, 74, passed away Monday, August 5, 2002 at a San Angelo Hospital. Services will be at 2:00 p.m. Friday at Church of the Good Shepherd with burial to follow in Sonora Cemetery. Kerbow Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

She is survived by 2 nephews "Butch Fischer" of Wichita Falls, and James Lee of Sonora, and 3 nieces Teri Nickerson and Diane Pugh, both of Wichita Falls, and Evelyn Bozell of Alabama and Jim Harrington of Sonora.

Senior Center News

Aug. 12 - Bingo after lunch!
Aug. 14 - Girling Health Care, Inc. Blood pressure checks. 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Aug. 16 & 17 - Outlaw Pro Rodeo
Aug. 17 - Sutton County Days and Parade

Senior Menu

Aug. 12 - Steak fingers with gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli, roll, peach cobbler.
Aug. 13 - Polynesian chicken salad, sweet peas, tossed salad, wheat bread, pudding.
Aug. 14 - Meatloaf with tomato gravy, blackeyed peas, carrots, cornbread, melon salad.
Aug. 15 - Oven baked pork chops, zucchini, yellow squash, tossed salad, fresh fruit parfait.
Aug. 16 - Chicken fajita salad with cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, macaroni salad, chips, pie.

Lunch is served Monday thru Friday at 12:00 Noon.
\$1.50 donation is suggested for those 60+ and \$4.00 for others.
MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE.

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134 Hwy. 277 N.
387-2118

La Mexicana
240 N. Hwy 277
387-3401

Pizza Hut
401 Hwy. 277 N.
387-3540

Sutton County Steakhouse
1306 N. Service Rd
387-3833

Stagecoach Grill & Cantina
407 South Crockett
387-0623

Taco Grill
232 Hwy. 277 N.
387-9127

Town & Country Subway
610 S. Crockett
387-6181

Town & Country - Country Kitchen
903 N. Crockett Ave.
387-2169

Carolyn Earwood's School of Dance

Classes start Sept. 4th & 9th
Because of a Conflict with Gymnastics:
During the Junior High Football Season.
Classes will be on Mondays & Wednesdays
after they will return to Tuesdays & Wednesdays.

Cost for Classes are \$30 for one child & \$50 for Two

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

MONDAYS: 4:30 - 5:30 K-2nd

5:30 - 6:45 Advanced

WEDNESDAYS:

3:30 - 4:15 3 & 4 Year Olds

4:15 - 5:15 3rd-5th

5:15-5:30 Beg. Point

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Students Name _____
Parents _____ Phone _____
Grade _____ Mailing Ad. _____
Class Preference _____

****Everyone Must Register****

Community

Aug. 11

Sutton County Queen Contestants
Style Show • 12:30 p.m.
4-H Civic Center

Aug. 14-17

Sutton County Days
Outlaw Pro Rodeo

The Community Calendar



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Calendar

Aug. 16

Dee Ora Masonic Lodge #715
Annual Scholarship
Top Sirloin Dinner
5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
4-H Civic Center

Aug. 19

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Ask the Historical Society

by Jo-Ann E. Palmer,
Secretary Sutton County
Historical Society

with impaired immune systems should be especially careful as they are much more susceptible to mosquito borne diseases.

Q. Have there been problems of illness caused by mosquitoes in the past?

A. Most species of mosquito do not carry disease. The problem arises when the few species that do carry disease have large population growth and people do not take proper precautions. These mosquitoes carry and transmit yellow fever, malaria, dengue fever, filariasis and West Nile virus and several other forms of encephalitis. Mosquito populations have been found as high as 14,000 feet and even in the Arctic Circle. There are over 2,000 species of mosquito in the world. In the United States the best known are the Culex, Aedes and Anopheles.

Mosquitoes are flies, having only one pair of wings. Their name comes from the Spanish for "little fly." Unlike other flies they have scales on their wing veins and 14 or 15 segments to their antennae. Only female mosquitoes sing by vibrating the tiny appendages that cover their breathing holes in the thorax. They lay their eggs in water or where water will eventually cover them. In arctic regions they lay them on snow and they hatch when the snow melts. They lay them in flat groups of 100 to 300.

Now you can understand why the experts are urging people to empty water dishes under plants, remove any tin cans, old tires, tip-lawn chairs so water doesn't stay in them, empty bird baths or anything else that can catch and hold water in your yard. Broken bottles, trash, anything that will hold standing water and allow the mosquito to lay eggs and time for them to hatch. If you have a water dish out for your animal or the birds, empty and change it every day and keep the eggs and larvae from turning into pupae and splitting into full grown mosquitoes. If you find a dead bird in your yard do not touch it! It could be infected, a disease carrier. Call an animal officer to properly bag and remove the animal for testing.

If you have to be outside in an area where there are mosquitoes put on a good mosquito repellent, wear long sleeved garments that are tight at the collar and cuffs. Tuck pants inside boots or inside your socks to keep mosquitoes and ticks and fleas from crawling up under them.

I know that doesn't sound very stylish but save the cutoffs and bare mid-drift for inside if you want to stay healthy. The elderly, very young and those

Q. Why did people grow victory gardens?

A. Victory gardens were grown all over the United States during World War II. With rationing many people were unable to get enough food at home to have what they considered good nourishing meals. Because of the shortages of meat and fish many diets were lacking in enough iron and minerals. A good way to correct this was lots of fresh vegetables that were high in minerals and vitamins, especially iron. Also the more fruits and vegetables were grown at home the more were available to be sent to troops overseas to help keep them healthy and strong. Many gardens had carrots, lettuce, beets, tomatoes, corn, melons, cucumbers and in the south greens, okra and other favored treats were added to the lists. Women canned their vegetables in jars or even pickled them, so they would have a plentiful supply through the winter. In the deep south many times it was possible to have a winter and summer garden. Give me a call and let me know what your relatives planted in their victory gardens in Sonora.

Q. Where is J. B. Burleson buried?

A. Devil's River News of Friday, August 13, 1943 - Funeral rites were held for J. B. Burleson, 83, of Fort McKavett on Tuesday morning from Fort McKavett Episcopal Church. The Rev. Evans H. Moreland of Brady conducted the services. Mr. Burleson, who died early Monday morning, was born in 1860 and had been a resident of Fort McKavett for the past 60 years.

Survivors include, beside the widow, three daughters, Mrs. Sam Nance and Mrs. Henry Wyatt of Sonora and Mrs. George Lane of Menard; four sons, Albert and Willie Burleson of Fort McKavett, Pvt. Bert Burleson who is in the Army and J. L. Burleson of Sheffield; 20 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren.

Records show that James Beverly Burleson is buried in the Ft. McKavett Cemetery and that he was born August 4, 1860 and died August 8, 1943.

In the same issue we find that George D. Chalk, assistant manager of the Sonora Wool and Mohair Co. Warehouse, reported that appraisals were completed on over one million pounds of wool in the local warehouse. This figure represented 12 month clips of 41 ranchers. The



Maudie Ogle died at age 6 of Diphtheria.

total pounds were 980,973 and the average appraised value was 46.55 cents. There are still 1,000,300 pounds to be appraised.

R. H. Chalk, 63 of Del Rio died in that city. He was born in Reutersville in 1880 and moved to Sonora as a young man. He engaged in ranching here until 1922 and then moved to Del Rio and went into the commission business. His daughter Mrs. D. L. Locklin of Sonora left to attend his Masonic funeral. He was also survived by three sons R. H. Chalk Jr., Jessie Ray Chalk and George D. Chalk.

One of the largest group of servicemen that had ever been in Sonora at one time, 800 finished Air Corps mechanics camped here overnight Monday, en route to Stinson Field, San Antonio. They had come from Albuquerque, New Mexico. They were given the city fairgrounds for a camp ground, the city swimming pool was turned over to them for the day, the high school gymnasium was opened to them and two free shows were given at the La Vista Theater.

Over 300 of them attended the free movie and over 400 went swimming. Col Lewis expressed his appreciation and that of his men for the hospitality shown them while here. He said Sonora was the first place that had provided such facilities and put recreation at their disposal. The State Highway Dept. had even sprinkled the fairgrounds, preparatory to their coming.

Mrs. Carl J. Cahill left Sonora Friday for Fort Hueneme, California, where her husband, Fireman First Class Cahill is stationed. Mr. and Mrs. George H. Neill and daughters Nancy and Jane, and Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt and Nancy Bryan and James Theodore, left Tuesday for Garner State Park where they will remain for several days.

If you have any questions concerning Sutton County history, send them to "Ask the Historical Society," P.O. Box 885, Sonora, TX, 76950-0885 or e-mail them to schs@sonoratrax.net. You may call me at home at 915-387-2855 until the new offices are finished.

Lion's Fukushima and Polocek Installed In Osaka, Japan



Kay K. Fukushima of Sacramento, CA was installed as the 85th president and Virgil Polocek of Sonora, TX was installed as District Governor of Lions International during the annual convention held in Osaka, Japan. Fukushima's theme this year is "One World, One Heart" and Building a Better Tomorrow for the less fortunate.

Within the past two weeks, District 2-A1 Lions of Texas has received \$10,000 to be used for food, medicine, cooking utensils, and clothing for the recent flood victims in the Brownwood area. The grant was appropriated by the Lions Clubs International Foundation, the same foundation that helped the

people in New York City following the World Trade Center disaster last September. At that time Lions Club International Fund contributed \$1,000,000 and were the first volunteer group to set up food stations and lighting facilities for the 9-11 disaster.

Lions Club members around the world are involved in numerous activities and causes including working with crippled children, diabetes awareness, sight problems, seeing-eye dogs, eyeglass recycling, working with the blind, and restoring homes for the elderly. The Lions motto is "We serve," and we are a volunteer organization serving mankind to the best of our ability. There were 49,000 in attendance at the installation.

Tedford Jewelry
Bridal Registry
Tonni Balas bride elect of James O'Brien
Rachel Bean and Rhett Johnson
Jennifer Wente bride elect of John Jones

Gifts Galore & More
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UTPB President Proposes Higher Education Opportunities



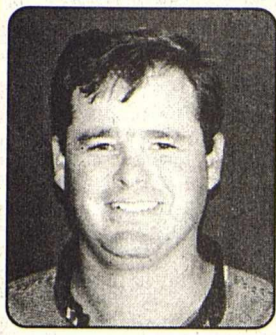
W. David Watts, President of UTPB (University of Texas of the Permian Basin) met with representatives from the Sutton County Commissioners, Sonora I.S.D., Friends of Historic Sonora/Main Street, Inc. and the Sonora Chamber of Commerce to discuss encouraging students to attend UTPB. Ann Kay, Candy Davis, Mike Villanueva and Linda Love informed Mr. Watts of the demographics of the area. Watts then told the group that UTPB is prepared to do course delivery to High School students via the Internet. This would allow Sonora students to take college courses on-line while attending High Schools UTPB is also offering to match a scholarship, up to a full cost of any year, given by a local community organization to eligible students.

Watts stated that West Texas is well served by higher education, with UTPB being the "new kid on the block". They are hoping that these opportunities will help the university become better known for students considering a higher education.

Further discussion about the courses being offered on-line revealed that the internet courses would have to be concurrent with courses offered at S.I.S.D and could possibly offer subject matter that they may not have an opportunity to study otherwise. The only requirement of the school would be to offer a computer lab. The courses could be taken at any time. Further research will be done on this project, with the hopes of implementing it soon.

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least 4 times a year for children under 2.
 • Having footprints and fingerprints on file is a good precaution and can be done at home with a stamp pad.
 • Never leave young children alone.
 • Be sure your child knows where you are when shopping and what to do if separated. (locate a store employee for help).
 • Explain what a stranger is and that it is ok to say "NO" to someone. Abductors most common method of getting a child is by using the "I need your help" method, either to find a lost puppy or some other item, or by offering a gift or snack of some kind. Teach your children that it

is ok to say "no" and immediately turn and go to the nearest adult they know. It is also ok to start yelling for help if they feel uncomfortable with someone who is asking for assistance.
 • Have a secret code in case of an emergency - a word or gesture that your child knows means it is ok to go with that person.
 • Tell your child never to give their name or address to a stranger.
 • Make sure that your child understands that adults do not keep secrets with children.
 • Tell your child that if they ever get a "funny feeling" or if someone ever touches them and makes them feel "funny" they need to tell their parents or a trusted adult.
 • Be cautious with who has responsibility of your child. Ask questions.
 • Never let your child play around vacant buildings or in wooded areas alone. Remove the doors from old refrigerators or chain them shut, remove old cars or crates of any type. Children often choose these places to hide and become trapped.
 • Do not keep poisons or garden items laying around within child's reach.
 • Encourage your child to use the buddy system when playing outside, and not to be out after dark.
 • Remind them to NEVER hitchhike.
 These are just a few hints. It is hard to teach a young child the difference in a good guy and a bad guy without scaring them from everyone, but in today's world it is better to be safe than sorry. If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the Sonora Police Department. Also, Chief House encourages anyone who is suspicious of a vehicle or person around their home or school to call in and have it checked out.

Teasley Rides Away With The Win In Ozona



Hats off to Jena Teasley for her first place win in Barrel Racing and Pole Bending in the 13 to 15 year-old age group and the Overall Average Girl at the Ozona Youth Rodeo held Saturday, August 3, 2002.

F.Y.I.

Mutton Bustin' Entries will be taken on Tuesday, August 13, 2002 at 5:30 p.m. at the Sonora Chamber of Commerce office. FMI Call Kim Lewis at 387-2981.

The Sonora Bronco Booster Club will meet on Tuesday, August 12th at 7:00 p.m. in the High School Commons area. They will be discussing membership drives and helmet football signs.

Sonora Middle School will have a 5th grade Orientation for all incoming 5th grade students and their parents on Thursday, August 8th at 6:30 p.m. in the Sonora Middle School Snack Bar.

SHS Class of 1982 will hold their 20 year class reunion on Saturday, August 17, 2002. There will be a float for classmates and families at the Methodist Church parking lot at 8:15 a.m. Parade starts at 9:00 a.m. downtown. The class will meet at 4:00 p.m. at the Sonora Fire Hall. Bring your ice-chest and fondest memory! For more information, call Julie Martin at 387-5136.

There will be a Home Study Hunter Education Course held on August 11th at 2:00 p.m. at The Memorial Building in Eldorado. This course is for Older Youth and Adults Only. Please call 450-8603 for information on guidelines and registration. If no one answers leave a message and they will return your call. There is a \$10 State Certification Fee.

The Bereaved parents Support Group will meet August 13th at 7:00 p.m. at The Bank and Trust Community Room. If you have experienced the death of a child you are urged to attend.

Cub Scout Pack 19 will be having their "Back to School" Swimming Party August 15th from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. All Cub Scouts and their families are invited. Supper provided.

The Angelo State University Small Business Development Center is presenting a seminar entitled "Intro to Quickbooks." This seminar costs \$15.00 to attend. This seminar will be held Friday, August 16th from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at ASU in the Rassman Building Room 117. Call 942-2098 to register.

Happy Birthday

August 2 - Tina Chambers, John Healy, Sam Dillard, Kendra Vvlecka, Manuela San Miguel
 August 3 - Willie Locklear, Yolanda Avila, Sam Hughes, Ruth Ann Dickenson, Angela Norris, Callyn Olson, Ponciano Castillo, Jr.
 August 4 - Elmer Wilson, Gina DeCardova, Beverly Brown, Sarah Black, Alfredo Ozuna
 August 5 - Wesley Brown, Sonny Samanigo, Jessi Wesson, Carlos Ramirez, Jr., Bethany Berry, Maribel Perez, Kyla Turney, Catherine Herrera
 August 6 - Kathy Hearn, Faye Cox, Joni Thorp, Bill Dempsey, Wendy Morrow
 August 7 - Delma Torres, Brandy Rawls, Steve Reyna, Pete Martinez, Bailey Joe Pennington, Leroy Brown, Steve Vickers
 August 8 - Laura Word, Leslie Gamez, Judy Edmondson, Mike Lopez, Jr., Hugo Cardona, Marty Parks, Betty Lawlis

Thorp's Laun-Dry
 107 Plum St.
 387-2666
Sonora Wool & Mohair
 210 W. College
 387-2543

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Summer Lunch Specials
 Monday and Tuesday
 between 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. Only!
 Our Delicious, Hot Lunch Buffet for Only \$4.99 plus tax
 only at
Sutton County Steakhouse
 1306 N. Service Rd. • 387-3833
 (Next door to Days Inn Devil's River)

2002 - 2003 School Year Supply List

<p>Pre-Kindergarten 2 large boxes of Kleenex 2 medium bottles of glue 2 jumbo pencils 2 boxes jumbo crayons (8 count each) 3 pocket portfolio folders 1 pair Fiscar safety scissors 1 set watercolors 2 box large storage bags (Ziplocs or other) 1 backpack or school bag 1 towel or blanket (for naptime) 1 paint shirt 1 change of clothes (for any type of accident) 1 box of wipes</p> <p>Kindergarten 3 - 4 oz. bottle Elmers School Glue (no larger than 4 oz. size) 2 - 24 ct. boxes Crayola brand crayons (Crayola brand only) 8 - #2 lead pencils (regular size - yellow only) 1 pair blunt end scissors (FISCAR only) 1 large box Kleenex 3 pocket folders - No brads 1 pkg. construction paper (size 9" x 12") 1 backpack 2 - zipper pencil pouch (zipper type only) 1 large towel for rest time (no mats) 1 watercolor paint set 1 box classic Crayola markers 1 box freezer Ziploc bags (any size) 1 box colored pencils 1 water bottle with lid 1 pkg. of cap erasers 1 pencil sharpener 2 - 1" 3 ring binders</p> <p>First Grade 1 box for supplies (no larger than 6" x 9") 1 box 24 count Crayola crayons 12 - #2 lead pencils (regular size) 1 pair metal scissors (Fiscar only) 1 large eraser 1 box classic colors washable Crayola markers 2 large bottle Elmer's glue 1 watercolor set (Crayola or Prang) 1 set of 24 Crayola colored pencils 1 Mead Composition book (hardcover) 3 pocket folders with brads 1 large box Kleenex 1 box Ziploc type bags - any size 1 pkg. 5" x 8" unlined index cards 1 pkg. lunch bags 1 backpack 1 personal size pencil sharpener 1 - 2" ring vinyl binder</p>	<p>Second Grade 1 box crayons (16 count or over) 1 pkg. pencils 2 erasers 1 pkg. cap erasers 1 pair Fiscar scissors - pointed 1 pkg. of assorted markers 1 pkg. colored pencils 1 Mead Composition book 2 colored grading pens 2 bottles of glue 1 pkg. notebook paper - 3 ring 2 boxes of Kleenex 1 pkg. of construction paper 2 pocket folders 1 box of zip lock baggies - quart size 1 pencil sharpener</p> <p>Third Grade 2 packages #2 pencils 1 pencil sharpener 1 eraser 1 small "Tacky Glue" for crafts Crayons 1 pkg. washable markers 1 colored pencils (map colors) 1 set water paint set 2 composition books 1 of each color folder - red, blue, yellow, green 1 ruler 2 boxes of Kleenex 1 - 1" three ring binder 1 box for supplies</p> <p>Fourth Grade 2 Highlighters (2 different colors) 1 pair of Fiscar scissors 2 grading pens 2 packages pencils 1 package map colors 1 box crayons 1 package washable markers 1 bottle of glue (no glue sticks) 1 - 3 subject spiral notebook 3 brad folders with pockets 4 regular pocket folders 1 ruler centimeters and inches 2 boxes of Kleenex 1 - 1" three ring binder 1 pkg. subject dividers 1 big pink eraser 1 pencil sharpener with cover 1 pencil pouch Notebook paper 1 - 1" 3 ring binder - writing</p> <p>Fifth Grade Pointed Fiscar scissors Glue 1 pkg. Map colors Notebook paper 1 Spiral Notebook 3 Pocket folders with brads 1 pkg. 5" x 8" index cards 1 pkg. #2 pencils (non-mechanical) Blue or black pens 2 large boxes of Kleenex tissues 1 ruler - (centimeters and inches)</p>	<p>Sixth Grade Trapper Keeper/Notebook Notebook paper 2 - Highlighters 2 - Red pens/pencils 6 - Blue or black pens 6 - #2 Pencils 1 - Glue Stick 1 - 3 ring binder (at least 1" size) 5 pocket folders with brads 1 - 12 inch/cm ruler 4 spirals 1 Large box Kleenex Map colors Scissors 1 - small bottle of rubber cement Read 180 - 1 Folder, 1 Spiral & 2 - #2 pencils</p> <p>Seventh Grade Highlighters (at least two colors) Washable marker set (Crayola) Map Colors #2 Pencils Black or blue ballpoint pens 4 - Spiral Notebooks as follows: 2- two subject, 1-five subject, 1-three subject 6 Pocket Folders with brads as follows: 1-blue, 1-red, 1-green, 1-purple, 1-yellow Read 180 - 1 Folder, 1 Spiral & 2 - #2 pencils 1 Glue Stick 2 pkgs. white notebook or (3-hole wireless notebook) 1 large box Kleenex 1 pkg. of 4 AAA batteries Red grading pens 1 - 3 ring binder (at least 1") 1 large brown paper grocery bag Scissors 1 pkg. dividers</p> <p>Eight Grade Map colors - pencil type 6 - Pocket folders with brads Pens - blue or black 1 Red pen #2 Pencils 2 Highlighters (different colors) 1 - 12" Ruler 1 large box Kleenex 2 large Spiral notebooks Wide ruled notebook paper Read 180 - 1 Folder, 1 Spiral & 2 - #2 Pencils</p> <p>Health 1 Pocket Folder</p> <p>6th Grade - Technology Applications 1 Pocket Folder 1 500 count ream/package white copy paper</p> <p>7th and 8th Grade - Technology Applications 1 Pocket Folder</p> <p>SPANISH 1 Spiral notebook 1 Folder with pockets Map Colors Scissors</p> <p>5th, 6th, 7th & 8th Grade PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASS Soap Deodorant Shampoo Towel</p>
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This is a very basic list. Individual teachers may request additional supplies. PLEASE PUT YOUR CHILD'S NAME ON EACH ITEM WITH A PERMANENT MARKER.

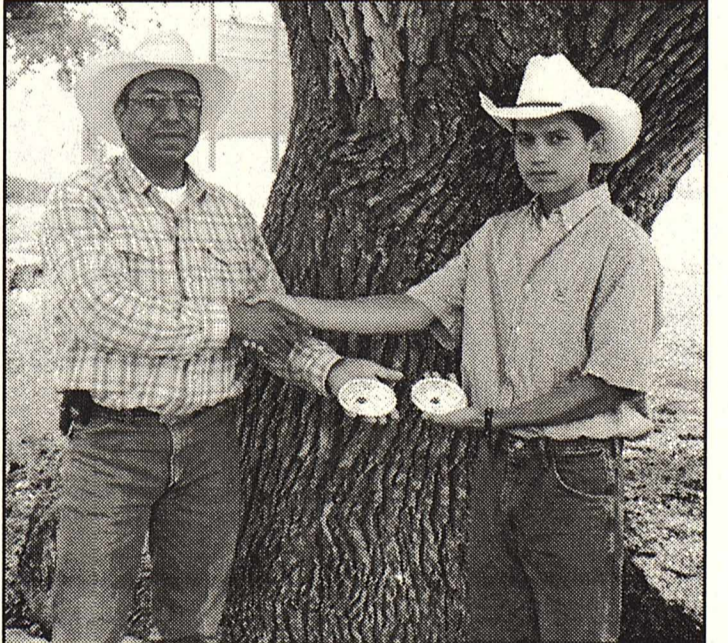
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Alco Discount Store
Lisa's Flowers & Gifts
Goldline Mechanic Service
T & C Village Market

SONIC
 American Drive-In

PHYSICAL EDUCATION CLASS
 * S.M.S P.E. workout clothes
 P.E. Clothes can be purchased from Team Graphics at 208 East Main in downtown Sonora.
 * P.E. students will need a lock for their locker room basket. SMS will provide a combination lock. If you choose to use one of your own, you must provide the Coach with an extra key or combination.
 * Be sure to put student's name on every item.

Hernandez and Rodriguez Team Up To Win In Eldorado



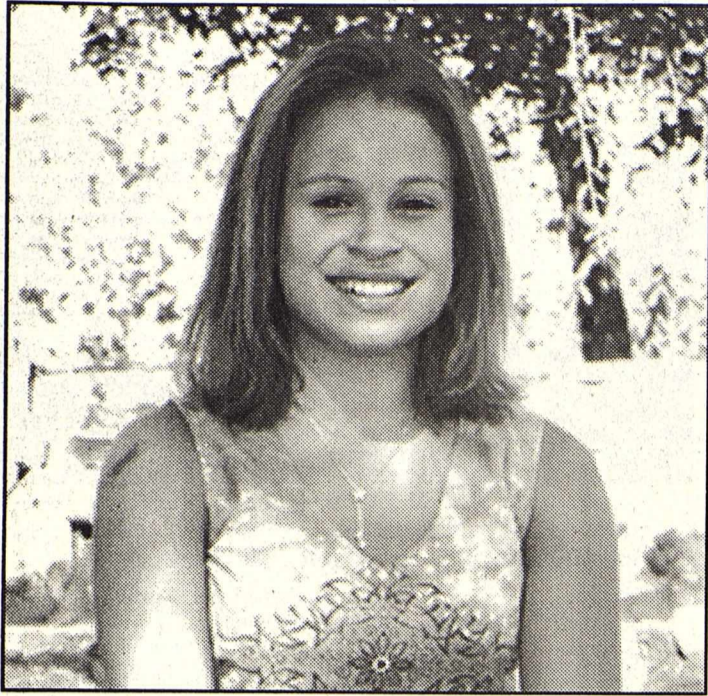
Leo Rodriguez (left) of Eldorado and Dakota Hernandez (right) of Sonora put together the winning runs in the Schleicher County Rodeo Association's Tri-County Team Roping. Ninety-five teams participated in the county event, with the top 20 teams returning to perform in the Lester Meir Rodeo on Saturday, August 3rd. When the dust settled, it was Hernandez and Rodriguez who came out with the fastest times. Dakota is the son of proud father, Daniel Hernandez and the grandson of Alvin and Olivia Hernandez of Sonora. Congratulations to these ropers!

Glasscock Retires From Military Service

Air Force Reserve Lt. Col. Nancy J. Glasscock has retired in the U.S. Air Force Reserve after more than 27 years of military service. Prior to retiring, Glasscock was the computer operations division chief for the Air Force Information Warfare Center at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas. The lieutenant colonel graduated in 1966 from C.W. Baker High School, Baldwinville, N.Y., and received a bachelor's degree in 1970 from the State University of New York, Albany. In 1983, she earned a master's degree from Webster University, St. Louis, MO. Nancy and her family now reside in Sonora.

2002 Miss Sutton County Contestants

April Flores



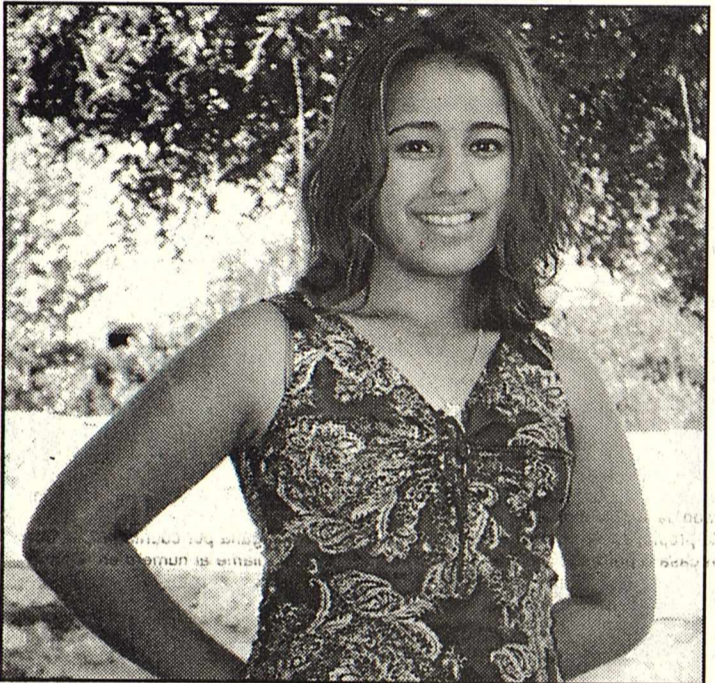
April Elaine Flores is the daughter of Lilia Flores and will be a Junior at S.H.S. Her sponsors are The Bank & Trust and Location Builders. She is active in the Spanish Club and was a cheerleader her freshman and sophomore years. April was named Freshman Class Homecoming Dutchess, Freshman Class Favorite, Freshman & Sophomore Fall Festival Queen Candidate and she was a Freshman Class Officer. April's hobbies and interests are eating, hanging out with family and friends, swimming, talking on the phone, and chatting online.

April said her future plans are to graduate from Sonora High School and attend UTSA.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, April answered "Everyone knows everyone, it's very comforting." The one thing about Sonora that she would change would be to have a hang out place for teens. "It would give us something to do and keep a lot of us out of trouble," April commented.

April would like to be Miss Sutton County because she thinks it would be an honor to represent Sonora in that way!

Evangelina Martinez



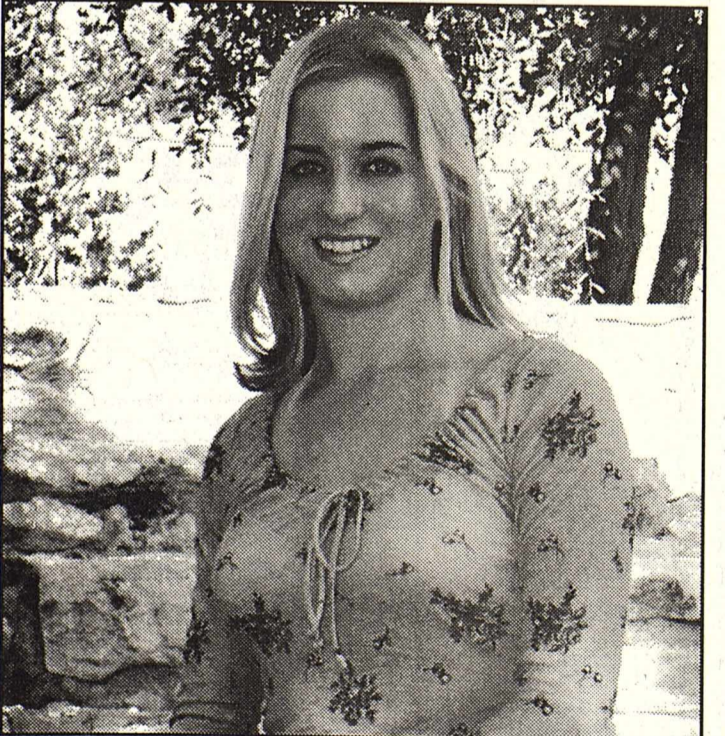
Evangelina Martinez is the daughter of Refugio & Sylvia Martinez and she has a sister, Christina. She will be a Junior at S.H.S. Her sponsors are La Mexicana and Team Graphics. She is active in the Spanish Club, Varsity Tennis, Varsity Cross-Country, The National Honor Society, Band, Journalism, The Bronco Spirit Crew, U.I.L. Debate and Persuasive Speaking and FCA. She is also a Varsity Cheerleader. She has received the Speech Award, Who's Who II, NHS, Honor Society, All-Academic District Cross Country and she was a Regional Qualifier in Persuasive Speaking. Evangelina's hobbies and interests are dancing, shopping, playing tennis, eating, sleeping, talking on the phone, riding around and road trips.

Evangelina said her future plans are to graduate and attend the University of Texas in Austin where she will major in Business Law with a minor in Criminal Psychology.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Evangelina answered "It's such a small community and you can get to know everyone better, not to mention it is a close-knit town." The one thing about Sonora that she would change would be to have a place where kids could go and hang out, so to keep them out of trouble and off the streets.

Evangelina would like to be Miss Sutton County because she would like to help organize more youth programs and get more of the youth involved in the community.

Marilyn Holman



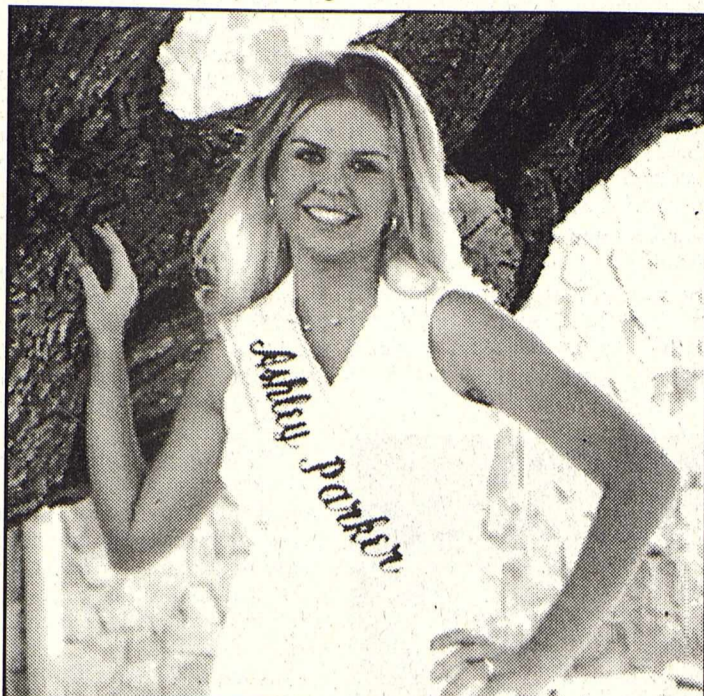
Marilyn Holman is the daughter of Sharon and Jimmy Holman and she has one brother Mark. She will be a Junior at S.H.S. Her sponsors are Meador Construction and Cellularon. She is active in the JABGA, where she is the treasurer and she is the 4-H Vice President. She is also a Varsity Cheerleader and received the Soil & Water Conservation Essay Award. Marilyn's hobbies and interests are talking on the phone, chatting online, hanging out with friends and family, watching t.v. and sleeping.

Marilyn said her future plans are to attend UTSA and major in Child Psychology.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Marilyn answered "There is no traffic and everyone is so close." The one thing about Sonora that she would change would be to maybe add a shopping center of some kind or some more stores.

Marilyn would like to be Miss Sutton County because she would like to represent our county because she has lived here all her life and it would be a great honor.

Ashley Parker



Ashley Trachelle Parker is the daughter of Guy and Laticia Parker and she has one younger brother, Cullen. Her sponsors are The First National Bank and O' Sonora Trading Co. She will be a senior at S.H.S. Ashley is active in Basketball, Fellowship of Christian Students, softball and the FBC Youth Group. She is a Varsity Cheerleader and is a member of the National Honor Society. Ashley was named the 2002 Downtown Lions Club Queen and was also the Dist. 2-A1 Lions Club 1st Runner Up and received the U.I.L. Scholar Award, and the ACCA Award. Ashley's hobbies and interests include cheering, playing basketball, talking on the phone, meeting new people and spending time with friends and family, as well as spending time with children.

Ashley said her future plans are to attend Texas A&M University in College Station and further her career in the Child Psychology field.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Ashley answered "I love the small town, friendly, everybody knows everybody atmosphere. It's always been great to be able to smile and say hello to someone who might not even be of great acquaintance, but know your guaranteed to get the same smile and hello! back." The one thing that she would change about Sonora would be to have more entertainment for teenagers! She says there is definitely a need for something other than Sonic to occupy their time.

Ashley said she would like to be Miss Sutton County because "I think it would be an honor to represent the community I have grown up in for the past 17 years. Also, I love being involved and I love meeting new people and I feel like that being crowned Miss Sutton Co. would guarantee me the opportunity to do these things."

Kate Higdon



Kate Higdon is the daughter of Robert & Charlotte Higdon and she has two sisters, Alli and Madeline. She will be a Junior at S.H.S. Her sponsors are Dominion, Rafter W Feed and Circle Bar Truck Stop. She is active in the Spanish Club, the National Honor Society, U.I.L. Journalism, 4-H, Track and FCS. She is also a football manager and was a Soph. Class Representative. Kate's hobbies and interests are hanging out with friends, talking on the phone, and spending time with family. Kate said her future plans are to attend college for four years in San Marcos and then go to Galveston Medical College to become a pediatrician.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Kate answered "the friendly people and safe environment." The one thing about Sonora that she would change would be to have more activities and "hangouts" for the teenagers.

Kate would like to be Miss Sutton County because she thinks it's a great place to call home and the people are very friendly. She also thinks it's a beautiful place to live and represent for the next year.

Noemi Fay



Noemi Fay is the daughter of Rosie and Adam Fay. She will be a Junior at S.H.S. Her sponsors are The Corner Drug Store and Farm Bureau Ins. She is active in the Band, Spirit Crew, Spanish Club, Peppermint Ball Club, FCS, and the Lighthouse Baptist Youth Group. She was a part of the Marching Auxiliaries All Star Performance, ASU's Foreign Language Festival and was Flag Captain. Noemi's hobbies and interests are spending time with friends and family, going to church, traveling and going to Sutton County Days.

Noemi said her future plans are to graduate and attend UTSA to become a meteorologist or dentist.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Noemi answered "the friendly community and the environment" The one thing about Sonora that she would change would be to add a multi-function activity center to facilitate a variety of age groups.

Noemi would like to be Miss Sutton County because she would like to be an honor to have the opportunity to represent Sutton County and show other counties how supportive we are.

Danielle Galindo



Danielle Elizabeth Galindo is the daughter of Lesa Galindo and has a sister, Makayla and a brother, Boomer. Her sponsors are Creek Swabbing and Longoria Contract Pumping. She will be a junior at S.H.S. Danielle is active in track, the Spanish Club, Band and Basketball. Danielle was awarded the Band Director's Award, is a member of NHS and was named Who's Who Among American High School Students. Danielle's hobbies and interests include spending time with her family and friends, talking on the phone, playing Basketball and spending time with her boyfriend.

Danielle said her future plans are to attend the University of Texas in Austin where she will major in law and later become a successful lawyer.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Danielle answered "The fact that it's a small town and everyone knows everyone." The one thing that she would change about Sonora would be for everyone to get along with each other.

Danielle said she would like to be Miss Sutton County because "I think it is a high honor."

Koda Armke

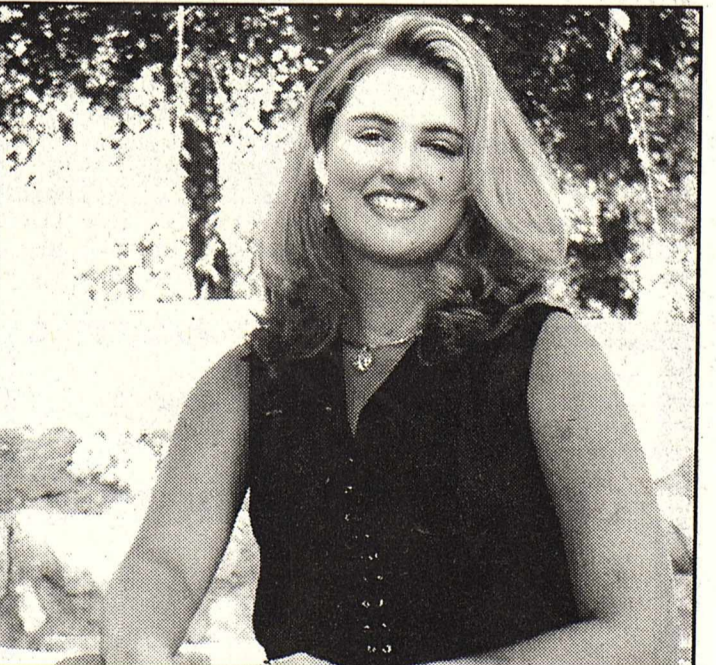


Koda Armke is the daughter of Dayton and Pamela Armke and she has a brother, Chance. She will be a Senior at S.H.S. Her sponsors are image apparel and The Sutton Co. Steakhouse. She is active in the National Honor Society, softball, and FFA. She is a Varsity cheerleader and is active in the Presbyterian Church. She was named the Homecoming Dutchess, the Freshman Class President, and a Lion's Club Queen Candidate. She was the Jr. Reporter and was named to the Who's Who in Athletics and Academics and the Young Scholars. Koda also had the 2002 Reserve Grand Champion Angora. Her hobbies include basketball, softball waterskiing and roping. Koda said her future plans are to possibly attend UTSA in San Antonio or Southwest Texas in San Marcos where she will minor in Spanish and major in Meteorology.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Koda answered "I enjoy living in a community where the people are close and supportive under all circumstances." She said that "as far as small towns go, I believe Sonora is a great place to live. The Interstate makes traveling easier and brings in tourists, but I would love to see running water in the Dry Devil's River. I think this would make Sonora a great place to live."

Koda would like to be Miss Sutton County because she thinks she would be a good representative of Sutton County because she was born and raised here and her roots are here. She feels she is a people person and enjoys socializing with the people of Sutton and surrounding counties. Since she was raised in the agricultural and oil and gas industry she feels that she has a lot in common with the community and could represent them well.

Shannon Vick



Shannon Marie Vick is the daughter of Todd and Pam Munn and she has one brother, Brandon. She will be a Senior at S.H.S. Her sponsors are The Stagecoach Grill & Cantina and Sonora Chemical. She is active in PALS, NHS, basketball and softball and is a football manager. Shannon's hobbies and interests are music, dancing and being with her friends and family.

Shannon said her future plans are to attend either Texas Tech or ASU where she will major in Elementary Education.

When asked what the best thing about Sonora is, Shannon answered "The Friendliness! I like the closeness of people in a small town, there's always someone there you know you can turn to." The one thing about Sonora that she would change would be to add more activities or hang-outs for teens and kids.

Shannon would like to be Miss Sutton County because she feels it would be an honor to represent her county because she loves people and being involved in the community.

Sonora School District/Charter School
LETTER TO HOUSEHOLDS (Multi-Child)
NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH/BREAKFAST PROGRAM
SCHOOL YEAR 2002-03

Dear Parent/Guardian:

The Sonora Independent school offers a choice of healthy meals each school day. Children may buy lunch for \$1.50, breakfast for \$.75, and a reduced-price of \$.40 for lunch, \$.30 for breakfast and...

Your children can get free school meals if you get food stamps or Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF). Depending on your income, your children may be eligible for either free or reduced-price meals.

How do I get free or reduced-price school meals for my children? You must complete the Application for Free and Reduced-Price Meals Form and return it to the school.

- Households getting food stamps or TANF. You only have to include your children's names and case numbers, and an adult household member must sign the form.
Households that do not get food stamps or TANF. If you do not have a case number, you must include the names of all household members, the amount of income each person received last month and where the income came from.
Households with a foster child. You must include the children's names and the amount of "personal use" income the children received last month, and an adult must sign the form.

Will the form be verified? Your eligibility may be checked at any time during the school year. School officials may ask you to send written evidence that shows that your children should get free or reduced-price school meals.

Can I appeal the school's decision? You can talk to school officials if you do not agree with the school's decision on your form. You also may ask for a fair hearing by calling or writing to:

Mr. Brant Myers, Superintendent Phone: (915) 387-2220

Mailing Address: 807 South Concho, Sonora, Texas 76950

Must I report changes? If your children get free or reduced-price meals because of your income, you must tell us if your household size decreases, or if your income increases by more than \$50 per month or \$600 per year.

Will information on my form be kept confidential? We will use the information on your form to decide if your children should get free or reduced-price meals. We will inform officials with other child nutrition, health and education programs of the information on your form to determine benefits for those programs or for funding and/or evaluation purposes.

Can I apply for free and reduced-price meals later? You may apply for free and reduced-price meals at any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now but have a change, like a decrease in household income, an increase in household size, become unemployed or get food stamps or TANF, complete another form then.

We will let you know if you are approved or denied.

Sincerely, Dora Gonzales, Food Service Director

In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability.

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS (Multi-Child)

Please complete the Application for Free and Reduced-Price Meals Form using the instructions below. Sign the form and return it to Dora Gonzales, High School. If you need help, call: Telephone No. 387-5760

- 1 (a-e) CHILD INFORMATION: Print the names of your children. If you are applying for school meals, include the children's grades and name of school.
2 FOSTER CHILD: Complete this part and sign the form in # 5.
3 OTHER BENEFITS: Complete this Part and sign the form in # 5.
4 ALL OTHER HOUSEHOLDS: Complete this Part and sign the form in # 5.
5 SIGNATURE AND SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER:

INCOME TO REPORT

Table with columns for Earnings form Work, Pensions/Retirement/Social Security, Other Monthly Income/Self-employment, Sueldo del trabajo, Pensiones/ Jubilación/ Seguro Social, and Otro ingreso mensual/trabajo por cuenta propia.

Privacy Act Statement: Unless you list the child's food stamp or TANF case number or are applying for a foster child, Section 9 of the National School Lunch Act requires that you include the social security number of the household member signing the form or indicate that the household member signing the form does not have a social security number.

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH AND CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAMS 2002-2003 INCOME ELIGIBILITY GUIDELINES

Table with columns for FAMILY SIZE, ANNUALLY (FREE, REDUCED PRICE), MONTHLY (FREE, REDUCED PRICE), and WEEKLY (FREE, REDUCED PRICE).

School Lunch Information table listing applications for free and reduced lunches, and MEAL PRICES for Breakfast, Lunch, and 10 Day Tickets.

Sonora School District/Charter School
CARTA A LAS FAMILIAS
PROGRAMA NACIONAL DE ALMUERZOS ESCOLARES/PROGRAMA DE DESAYUNOS ESCOLARES
2002-03

Estimados padres/apoderados: Sonora School ofrece comidas saludables para escoger todos los días de clase. Los niños pueden comprar almuerzo a \$1.50, desayuno a \$.75, y un precio rebajado de \$.40 para el almuerzo, y \$.30 para el desayuno...

Su hijo puede obtener comidas escolares gratuitas si usted recibe cupones para alimentos, o Asistencia Provisional para Familias Necesitadas (TANF). Si el ingreso total de su grupo familiar es igual o inferior al monto en el Cuadro de Ingresos, su hijo puede recibir comidas a un precio rebajado.

- ¿Cómo consigo comidas escolares gratuitas o a precio rebajado para mi hijo? Sólo tiene que completar el Formulario de Asistencia para Comidas y devolverlo a la escuela.
Los grupos familiares que reciben cupones para alimentos, "TANF". Sólo tienen que incluir el nombre de su hijo y el número del caso y un miembro adulto del grupo familiar debe firmar el formulario.
Los grupos familiares que no reciben cupones para alimentos, o "TANF". Si no tienen un número de caso, deben incluir los nombres de todos los miembros del grupo familiar, el monto del ingreso que cada persona obtuvo el mes pasado y de dónde provino el ingreso.

¿Se verificará el formulario? En cualquier momento durante el año escolar se puede comprobar su elegibilidad. Los funcionarios escolares le pueden pedir que mande evidencia escrita que demuestre que su hijo debe recibir comidas escolares gratuitas o a precio rebajado.

¿Puedo apelar la decisión de la escuela? Puede hablar con los funcionarios escolares si no está de acuerdo con la decisión de la escuela sobre su formulario. También puede pedir una audiencia imparcial llamando o escribiendo a:

Mr. Brant Myers, Superintendent Teléfono: (915) 387-2220

Dirección: 807 South Concho, Sonora, Texas 76950

¿Debo notificar los cambios? Si su hijo recibe comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado debido a su ingreso, debe decirnos si el tamaño de su grupo familiar disminuye o si sus ingresos aumentan en más de \$50 al mes o \$600 al año.

¿Se mantendrá confidencial la información en mi formulario? Usaremos la información en su formulario para determinar si su hijo debe recibir comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado.

¿Puedo solicitar más adelante comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado? Puede solicitar comidas gratuitas o a precio rebajado en cualquier momento durante el año escolar.

Le haremos saber si se aprueban o niegan los beneficios.

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Por favor complete el Formulario de Asistencia para Comidas usando las siguientes instrucciones. Firme el formulario y devuélvalo a Dora Gonzales, High School. Si necesita ayuda, llame al # 387-5760

- 1 (a-e) INFORMACION SOBRE EL NIÑO: Escriba en imprenta el nombre de su hijo. Si está solicitando comidas escolares, incluya el grado de su hijo y el nombre de la escuela.
2 NIÑO A CARGO DE LOS SERVICIOS SOCIALES: Complete esta parte y firme el formulario en el #5.
3 OTROS BENEFICIOS: Complete esta parte y firme el formulario en el #5.
4 TODOS LOS DEMAS GRUPOS FAMILIARES: Complete esta parte y firme el formulario en el #5.
5 FIRMA Y NUMERO DE SEGURO SOCIAL:

INGRESOS QUE DEBEN INCLUIRSE

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Form for signature, social security number, and income reporting.

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Dominion; 8300' Simmons Ranch #37, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion; 6150' Davis - C - #30, Patterson Drilling.
Dominion; 8750' Mayer - 19 - #8, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion; 6850' Shurley - 110 - #19, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion; 6700' Kelly - 126 - #11, Patterson Drilling.
Dominion; 6200' Martin - #19, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion; 6100' Ned Dunbar #74, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion; 6650' Shurley - 99 - #19, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion; 6400' Reed - 100 - #18, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion; 8450' Mayer - 9 - #4, Patterson Drilling.

Crockett County
RME Petro Co.; 8500' Henderson - P1 - #10, Patterson Drilling.
New Texaco E&P; 9500' C E Davidson Jr - B - #33, Key Energy.
EOG Resources; 6500' Eagle Draw - 9 - #1, Big Dog Drilling.

Schleicher
TXP, Inc.; 4300' Enochs - A - #1, Heart Land Drilling.

Terrell
Conoco/Midland; 17100' ACU - 45 - #4H, Nabors Drilling.
ExxonMobil Dev. Co.; 15500' Banner Estate #23 H, Patterson UTI/LV.
Athanor Texas; 10200' Mitchell - 7 - #3, Nabors Drilling.
EOG Resources; 9800' Noelke - 2 - #3 H, TMBR/Sharp Drilling.
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Edwards
Chesapeake; 13000' Wardlaw - 1 - #1, Patterson Drilling.
New Dominion E & P; 6500' Canyon Ranch #11003E, Patterson Drilling.
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387-2507

Texas Department of Agriculture Seeking Historic Farms and Ranches

AUSTIN July 30, 2002 — Agriculture Commissioner Susan Combs announced that the Texas Department of Agriculture is seeking applications for the 2002 Family Land Heritage Program, which recognizes farms and ranches that have been in continuous agricultural operation by the same family for 100, 150 and 200 years. Since the program started in 1974, almost 3,700 farms and ranches have been recognized in 219 Texas counties.

"We must not forget our past," Combs said. "There was a time when few buildings and roads could be seen on the Texas landscape.

Instead, there were pioneer families, one after the other, homesteading on a great wilderness, building their homes and staking their claim to the land. This program recognizes these pioneers and the generations who have continued the farming or ranching heritage."

Farms and ranches that qualify will be honored during a ceremony in Austin in March 2003. The history of the farm or ranch will be chronicled in the 2002 registry. Honorees can also obtain historic farm or ranch signage for their property.

Program applications are available through TDA, county judges and on TDA's website at www.agr.state.tx.us. For more information, contact Family Land Heritage Coordinator, Melissa Burns-Blair, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711 or (512) 463-2631.

Mohair Council Of America To Meet In Kerrville

The Mohair Council of America and the Texas Mohair Producers board will hold their Summer Meetings August 14 & 15, 2002 at the Inn of the Hills in Kerrville, Texas.

The two-day event will begin on Wednesday, August 14 at 1:30 p.m. with a meeting of the Texas Mohair Producers Board. The Board will review activity for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002 and will receive the annual audit report. The TMPB will also review plans for the Fall Election of four new board members.

The Executive Committee of the Mohair Council of America will meet immediately following at 2:15 p.m. The Executive Committee will discuss Council projects and initiatives, and will receive the audit report for their fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

The Mohair Council will host an informal reception from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. Wednesday evening at the home of Marilyn and Lanny Leinweber. All participants are invited to attend.

Mohair Council Directors will convene at 9:00 a.m. on Thursday, August 15, 2002. Directors will have the chance to meet Robert Benton, who is the District Representative for Congressman Charlie Stenholm. He will be sharing the latest information on matters concerning the new Farm Bill legislation. Participants will also have the opportunity to see the most recent additions to the Christoval Carpet line and see the catalog that has been developed for the woven products. Representatives from industry related organizations will also be on hand to share current information. Lunch will follow at 12:30 p.m.

There will be a final meeting at 1:45 p.m. for warehouseman to discuss the loan program and sorting.

All who raise Angora goats and have an interest in the mohair industry are invited and encouraged to attend. Please help us to have an accurate head count for materials and food by calling Suzy Mears or Kelly Stultz at 915-655-3161 (800-583-3161) to RSVP. Overnight accommodations may be reserved by calling Inn of the Hills at 800-292-5690. To receive the group rate, please identify yourself as part of the Mohair Council group.

TSSWCB Plans Public Hearings on Proposed Rule Changes to the Brush Control Program

Due to request from local soil and water conservation districts, the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board (TSSWCB) will hold three public hearings around the state to discuss proposed rule changes to the State Brush Control Program.

The proposed changes are to ensure the rules more accurately reflect the actual administration of the program. The recommended changes will reflect the way the brush program works in the field and will in no way impact any other TSSWCB programs.

Any person having questions or concerns regarding the proposed changes is encouraged to appear and offer comments or statements, either written or verbally, on the issue. The dates and locations for all public hearings are listed below:

Thursday, August 15, 2002
9:00 a.m.
Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, Meeting Room
215 West 3rd
Big Spring, TX

1:00 p.m.
Pattie Dodson Health Center
2805 North Navarro
Victoria, TX

Friday, August 16, 2002
9:00 a.m.
Pecos Community Center
508 South Oak Street
Pecos, TX

If for some reason individuals are not able to make the above public hearings, public comments will be taken during the TSSWCB Board Meeting to be held August 29, 2002 at 8:00 a.m. in Temple, TX.

The TSSWCB is a state agency that administers Texas' soil and water conservation law and coordinates Texas' soil and water conservation programs around the state.

For more information about the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, please visit our website at www.tsswcb.state.tx.us.

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Thursday August 15th • 9:00 a.m.
Calf Roping - Steer Wrestling
Team Roping

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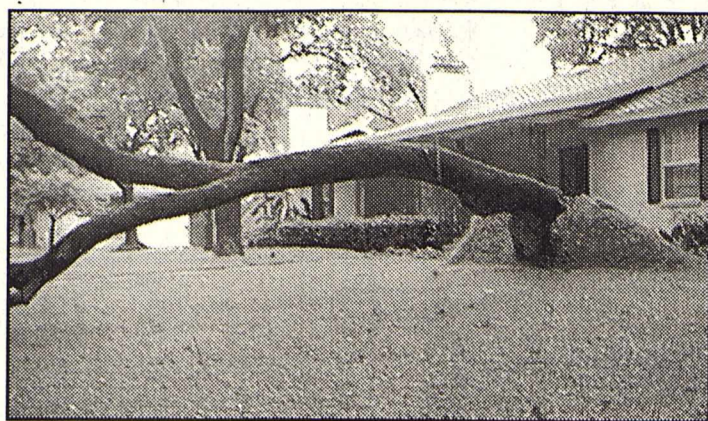
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Team Roping from page 1

Thursday night: (returning on two head) Chuck Lambert/Keith Hudson (25.92), Clay Arms/Terry McMillian (24.96), Renee Weitz/Ben Ingham (24.3), Decky Spiller/Olie Smith (22.94), Bryce/Collin Wood (20.83) and Cades Pope/Shannon Boyles (20.33). Returning on Friday night, with a time on three steers are: Chuck Lambert/Sterling Price (16.41 on two), Scott Carby/Shorty Hernandez (53.9), Daniel Hernandez/Jamey Newbury (46.32), Ladd Hughes/Billy Joe Pena (39.97), Doyle Weitz/Ben Ingham (37.23), Chase Wardlaw/Mark Simon (36.72). Returning Saturday night, with the fastest times on three steers are: Johnny Van Court/Shannon Boyles (35.62), Gary Gardner/Keith Hudson (34.41), Johnny Van Court/Ben Ingham (34.2), Mike Friess/Cole Davidson (31.7), Stacey Pennington/Dean Dermody (27.98) and Victor Gonzalez/Sterling Price (27.59).

Severe Weather Uproots Trees



Castlehill Road



East Second Street

Eaton Hill from page 1

Cahill, Lewis Allen and the Sonora Main Street Board of Directors have worked very hard to design the signs to ensure that they catch the tourist's eye. The project has been a generous gift from Jimmy Cahill, who has invested many hours and dollars creating and improving the trails, with the help of the Boy Scouts, Lewis Allen and the Eaton Hill Committee.

Sonora's hidden treasure, Eaton Hill Wildlife Sanctuary, is beginning to shine and show the true beauty of the West Texas Hill Country.

As with all projects of such grandeur, more work is always necessary and everyone is encouraged to show their support of the Eaton Hill Wildlife Sanctuary project. If you haven't visited the trails, take some time and see what Sonora's got hidden on the hill.

Talent Show from page 1

(This division is set aside for the young ones who would like to do their best rendition of "Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star" etc.) Division two will include everyone ages 12 and under with first place receiving \$100 and second place receiving \$50. Division One will include everyone ages 13 and up with first place receiving \$250 and second place receiving \$150. If you have a talent and would like to showcase it during the talent contest, please call 387-2880 or come by the Chamber of Commerce office for an entry form.

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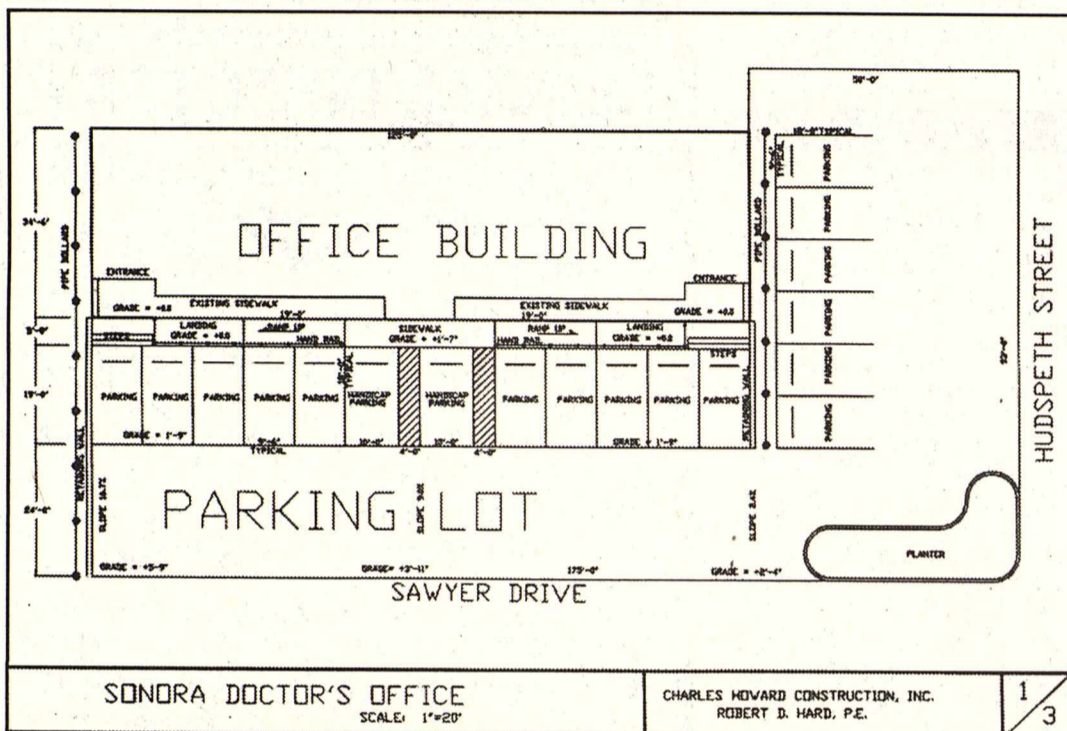
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Doctors Office Parking Lot Project from page 1



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2002 PROPERTY TAX RATES IN SUTTON COUNTY

This notice concerns 2002 property tax rates for Sutton County. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

	SUTTON GENERAL	SUTTON FM & FC	SUTTON HOSPITAL	CITY OF SONORA
Last year's tax rate:				
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 1,550,103	\$ 328,883	\$ 1,046,032	\$ 376,648
Last year's debt taxes	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
Last year's total taxes	\$ 1,550,103	\$ 328,883	\$ 1,046,032	\$ 376,648
Last year's tax base	\$499,199,402	\$496,202,820	\$499,497,497	\$73,728,048
Last year's total tax rate	\$3.10518/\$100	\$0.66280/\$100	\$2.09417/\$100	\$5.18062/\$100
This year's effective tax rate:				
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	\$ 1,549,914	\$ 328,733	\$ 1,045,904	\$ 381,826
÷ This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting value of new property)	\$581,004,540	\$577,994,490	\$581,004,540	\$77,405,665
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	\$2.66764/\$100	\$0.56874/\$100	\$1.80016/\$100	\$4.93279/\$100
Total effective tax rate	\$3.23638/\$100			
X 1.03 = maximum rate unless unit publishes Notices and holds hearing	\$3.33347/\$100		\$1.85416/\$100	\$5.08077/\$100
This year's rollback tax rate:				
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property and adjusting for any transferred function, tax increment financing, state criminal justice mandate, and/or enhanced indigent health care expenditures)	\$ 1,549,914	\$ 328,733	\$ 1,045,904	\$ 381,826
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$581,004,540	\$577,994,490	\$581,004,540	\$77,405,665
= This year's effective operating rate	\$2.66764/\$100	\$0.56874/\$100	\$1.80016/\$100	\$4.93279/\$100
X 1.08 = this year's maximum operating rate	\$2.88105/\$100	\$0.61424/\$100	\$ 0	\$ 0
+ This year's debt rate	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 0
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	\$2.88105/\$100	\$0.61424/\$100	\$1.94417/\$100	\$5.32741/\$100
This year's total rollback rate	\$3.49529/\$100	\$0.61424/\$100		

STATEMENT OF INCREASE/DECREASE

If SUTTON COUNTY adopts a 2002 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$3.23638 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2001 taxes by \$6078.
If HOSPITAL DISTRICT adopts a 2002 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$1.80016 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2001 taxes by \$3443.
If CITY OF SONORA adopts a 2002 tax rate equal to the effective tax rate of \$4.93279 per \$100 of value, taxes would increase compared to 2001 taxes by \$3527.

UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES

The following estimated balances were left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are unencumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

PROPERTY	BALANCE
Sutton County	\$813,252
City of Sonora	\$174,474
Hospital District	\$800,000
	\$800,000

This notice contains a summary of calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculation at the Bedford area that will be just right for you. Contact Ronnie Wipff, Chief Appraiser, at 387-7777 or 387-1834. He is a DEA agent.

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REIGN OF FIRE (dts) (PG13)		5:00
*ROAD TO PERDITION (R)	1:40	4:15
CROCODILE HUNTER (PG)	2:45	4:50
HALLOWEEN RESURRECTION (R)	2:30	4:30
LILO & STITCH (PG)		2:20
SCOOBY DOO (PG)		2:50 5:10
8 LEGGED FREAKS (PG-13)	1:45	4:00

Times good for the week of 8/09 thru 8/15
Evening Showtimes for Friday-Thursday
*K-19 THE WIDOWMAKER (PG-13) 7:45
REIGN OF FIRE (dts) (PG13) 9:20
*ROAD TO PERDITION (R) 7:00 9:30
CROCODILE HUNTER (PG) 7:10 9:15
HALLOWEEN RESURRECTION (R) 7:40 9:40
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