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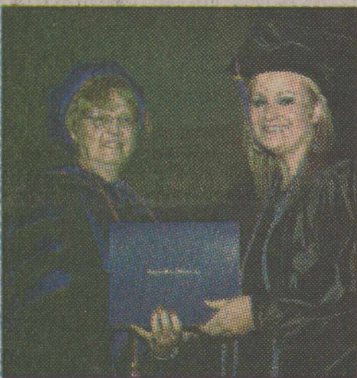
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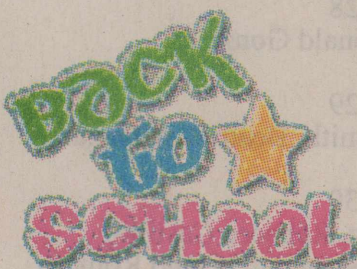
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## Gov. Perry Signs Bills:

### Which Provide A Balanced Budget Without Raising Taxes

AMARILLO – Gov. Rick Perry today ceremonially signed House Bill 1 from the 82nd Regular Session and Senate Bill 2 from the special session, which provide a balanced budget for the 2012-13 biennium without raising taxes, allocating more than half of state funds to education, and preserving \$6 billion in the state's Rainy Day Fund. Provisions in the budget also extend to 2014 the small business tax exemption that was passed in 2009, a measure that The governor was joined by Rep. Jim Pitts, Rep. John Smithee, Americans for Prosperity-Texas Director Peggy Venable and Liberty Institute President and CEO Kelly Shackelford.

"As the session opened, there was no shortage of voices saying we'd have to raise taxes or bleed our reserves dry to balance our budget," Gov. Perry said. "We know higher taxes kill jobs and hurt Texas families, and we know our Rainy Day Fund might be a lifesaver as natural disasters and an uncertain national economy remain a threat. We followed the directions laid out by voters last November, and balanced our budget by prioritizing and reducing spending without raising taxes. I'm proud of Texas lawmakers' hard work to accomplish this goal, which positions Texas for continued

job growth and ongoing prosperity for Texas families in the years to come."

The governor credited Texas' successful approach to job creation and relative economic strength to the tough decisions state leaders have made to keep state spending restrained and taxes low, noting that money does more good in the hands of employers, employees and families than in the hands of government. He also highlighted the importance of maintaining the predictable regulatory climate, fair legal system and world-class workforce that continue to make up the formula for Texas' economic success.

"Passing HB 1 this session was truly the hardest job I have ever had, and we couldn't have done it without the governor's help," House Budget Chairman Jim Pitts said. "We passed a budget that cuts \$15 billion in government spending, does not rely on any new taxes, and does not touch the state's Rainy Day Fund."

Additionally, Gov. Perry reiterated his call for a federal balanced budget amendment, which would require Washington, D.C., to follow Texas' footsteps of fiscal discipline, as well as make the tough decisions necessary to restrain out of control spending that has already amassed trillions in debt that future generations will be

on the hook to repay. This measure would remove the uncertainty of our nation's financial health, opening the door to the economic growth and job creation our nation needs to prosper.

"The new Texas budget is proof positive that a government can live within its means, even in tough economic cycles," Rep. John Smithee said.

Gov. Perry is the only governor since World War II to sign budgets that reduce general revenue spending from the previous biennium. Under his leadership, Texas has been the nation's job creation capital, creating more than half of America's net jobs in the past two years alone and more private sector jobs in the last 10 years than any other state. Additionally, according to a USA Today examination of data released by the Bureau of Economic Analysis, Texas moved past New York over the past decade to become the nation's second-largest economy. Texas' unemployment rate has also remained well below the national average and in June, Texas added 32,000 jobs, more than any other state.

"While protecting the Rainy Day Fund, Texas legislators balanced our budget without raising taxes – Congress and the federal government could learn from the Lone Star State," Americans for Prosperity-Texas Director Peggy Venable said. "It is not by accident that Texas is a beacon of fiscal responsibility and the top state for job creation. It is thanks to strong conservative leadership and policies that create an environment for prosperity and job growth."

"We are so thankful that Texas is not Washington, D.C., and Gov. Perry and the Texas Legislature have shown the rest of the country how to pass a balanced budget without raising taxes," said Kelly Shackelford, president/CEO of the Liberty Institute. "Fiscal responsibility protects families, brings greater prosperity, and protects our freedoms by not ballooning government. This is why so many people and businesses are moving to Texas."

"Gov. Perry kept his promise to the small-business community when he vowed to extend the million-dollar exemption while passing a budget that did not raise taxes on job creators," NFIB/Texas Executive Director Will Newton said. "Extending the exemption not only helps small businesses struggling to stay afloat; it encourages new entrepreneurs to get their businesses off the ground. We applaud the Governor and the Legislature for sparing 28,000 businesses from a new tax and continuing to make Texas a business-friendly state."



## Love Selected to Coaches Association All-State Softball Team

Freshmen- Kylie Love was selected to the Texas Girls Coaches Association All-State Softball team. There were 38 girls in 2A selected to the All-State team and Kylie Love was one of the ladies that was selected for this honor. Out of the 38 ladies selected Kylie was one of two freshmen selected. TGCA All-State Softball team honors the best 38 Softball players in the State of Texas at the 2A level. As a freshmen Kylie Love was selected by TGCA as one of the top 38 Softball players in the State of Texas, to add another accolade to the list that Kylie has achieved this year: District Newcomer of the Year, All-West Texas Newcomer of the Year and TGCA All-State. Kylie racked up some great numbers and achievements for her freshmen campaign:

### Kylie Love's Stats:

Hitting: Batting Average- .615, At Bats- 91, Hits- 56, RBI's- 51, Singles- 24, Doubles- 22, Triples- 8, HR- 2, Stolen bases- 10, Runs Scored- 48, BB- 14, Pitching: Record 12-4, ERA- 2.82, Innings- 82, Earned runs- 33, Strikeouts- 108.



## Castaneda and Love Received All-West Texas Softball Honors

Senior- LeAndra Castaneda and Freshmen- Kylie Love where both selected to the All-West Texas Softball team. The Lady Broncos ended the year with a 20-10 record and made it back to the playoffs. Kylie Love was the All-West Texas Newcomer of the Year. While LeAndra Castaneda was selected as a P/3B. Out of the 20 ladies selected to All-West Texas team 9 of the ladies came from within the Lady Broncos district with 2 coming from Sonora. These two ladies were in the top 20 players selected in the West Texas area.

Combined stats of LeAndra Castaneda and Kylie Love:  
Hitting: Hits- 104, RBI- 97, Runs scored- 79, Pitching  
Record 20-10, Innings- 147, Strikeouts- 187

## Midnight Madness Tournament



First Row L-R: Rikki Chavez (San Angelo), Kaci Lewis (Sonora), Riley Walker (Eldorado), Alexa Sykes (Sonora); 2ND Row L-R: Cip Tobias (Sonora), Janelle Vasquez (Sonora), Jessica Gandar (Eldorado), Madie Childress (Ozona), Emmy Phillips (San Angelo); 3RD Row L-R: Jillian Buitron (Sonora), Bethany Martinez (Ozona), Abriana Murphey (Ft. Stockton), Sky Jennings (Sonora); Back Row: Manuel Tobias, Nelda Tobias, Kimble Luna

Midnight Madness Tournament held in San Angelo Texas hosting 63 teams. Sonora XLR8, 14U division team, placed 2nd after a long weekend of 9 games played. Texas Titans dropped us to the loser's bracket. We played 6 games back to back beginning at 7:40PM to make our way up the bracket. XLR8 met up with Texas Titans again in the Championship game. Our ladies walked off the diamond with their trophies in tow on Sunday morning at 11:00 am. It took all 13 players to make a complete team with huge softball hearts willing to play each game.

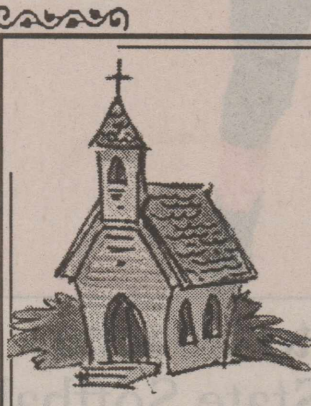
### Senior Center Activities

Thurs. July 28 - Happy Birthday *Elfida Martinez*  
 Fri. July 29 - Birthday Cake for July  
 Mon. August 1 - Bingo  
 Tues. August 2 - Answers on Aging @ noon!  
 Wed. August 3 - AAA Reports Due...

### Senior Center Menu

Thurs. July 28 - Spaghetti w/sauce & noodles, spinach, milk garlic bread, fruit cocktail, cake  
 Fri. July 29 - Chicken fajitas, Spanish rice, salad, milk refried beans w/cheese, tortilla, Jell-O  
 Mon. August 1 - Hot dogs w/chili & cheese, potato chips pineapple Waldorf salad, Brownie, milk  
 Tues. August 2 - Chicken fried steak w/gravy, sweet peas potatoes, cornbread, sunshine fruit cup, milk  
 Wed. August 3 - Hamburger on a bun, lettuce, onion, tomato French fries, grapes, seafoam salad, milk


Participants in the senior nutrition program must be 60 or older.  
 Meals are served Monday - Friday at 12:00 p.m.  
**Donations are accepted**  
 (suggested donation for Seniors is \$2.00;  
 \$5.00 for under 60 and all other meals-to-go).



## Sonora Church Directory

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<b>Primera Iglesia Bautista</b> 504 Santa Clara 387-2035	<b>First Baptist Church</b> 11 E. Oak 387-2951
<b>The Church of the Good Shepherd Presbyterian</b> 319 E. Mulberry 387-2616	<b>St. John's Episcopal Church</b> 404 E. Poplar 387-2955
<b>Lighthouse Community Church</b> 1705 N. Crockett 387-9100	<b>First United Methodist Church</b> 201 N. Water 387-2466
<b>St. Ann's Catholic Church</b> 229 W. Plum 387-2278	<b>Templo Jerusalem Asamblea De Dios</b> 306 W. 4th St 387-5713
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# Crain ~ Harrell Announce Engagement



Billie Ann Harrell of Sonora, Texas and Roderick Taylor Harrell of Lakeway, Texas are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter Katherine Ann Harrell to Quincy Armer Crain, son of Melinda Earwood Crain of Sonora, Texas and the late Thomas Niell.

Katy is the granddaughter of Betty and Bill Stewart of Sonora, Texas, Ina Mae and Bud Harrell of Baird, Texas, and the late Effie Harrell. Quincy is the grandson of Barbara and Armer Earwood of Sonora, Texas and Faye Niell of Merkel, Texas.

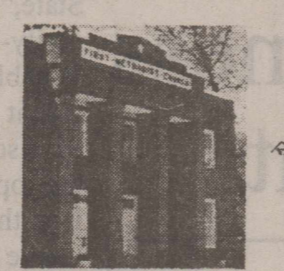
Katy is a 2001 graduate of Rocksprings High School and a 2005 cum laude graduate of Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Agricultural Communications. She has recently earned her teaching certificate, and is approaching her second year teaching 7th grade English/Language Arts at Sonora Middle School.

Quincy is a 1995 graduate of Sonora High School and a 1998 graduate of Texas State Technical College (TSTC) in Sweetwater, Texas. He is currently employed with Merit Energy Company in Sonora, Texas.

Their celebration will be held October 8, 2011 at St. John's Episcopal Church in Sonora, Texas. Katy and Quincy will make Sonora their home.

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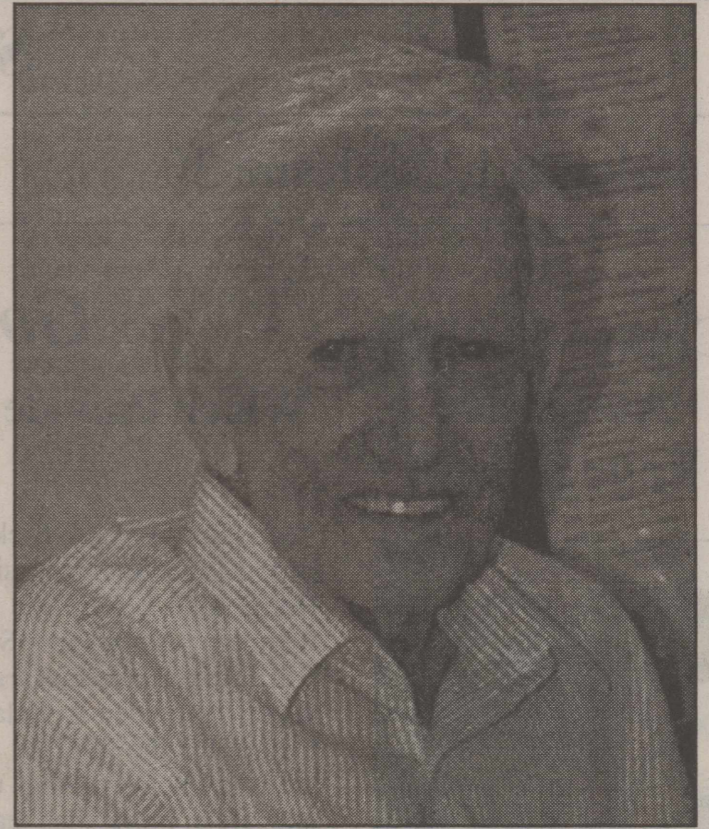
#### Bridal Selections

*Megan Kreig & Justin Northcott  
 McKenzie Watkins & Embre Smith  
 Tristan Bosak & Brittany Longoria  
 Tessie Wagner & Nick Perez  
 Katie Harrell & Quincy Crain*

*A flower for everyday...*

## Obituary

# Eldo Wayne Young



A man with many friends and the compassion to help others has passed from this earth to embark on his Heavenly journey on July 23, 2011 at the age of 91 years. Funeral services will be held at 11am, Johnson's Funeral Home, 435 W. Beauregard, San Angelo, Texas. Burial will be at Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens.

Eldo Wayne Young was born July 15, 1920 in Ranger, Texas to E.J. Young and Gertie Belle Lee Young. Eldo was inducted into the U.S. Navy August 18, 1943. As Electricians Mate Third Class (T), he proudly served aboard the aircraft carrier, U.S.S. Enterprise CV-6, the most decorated ship of World War II. He was honorably discharged on December 8, 1945, with twenty two Battle Stars.

Throughout his career he worked as a service technician and service manager for automotive dealerships, Lone Star Gas Company and Sears Roebuck Company. Eventually, Eldo owned and managed Young Appliance and Repair Service in San Angelo. Eldo was a charter member of the San Angelo Elks Lodge #1880.

Eldo's Cherokee Indian bloodline instilled a strong bond with Mother Nature. Children and animals were instinctively drawn to his gentle patience, kind heart, and beautiful soul. Being a master gardener his proudest joy was sharing bountiful harvest with family, friends, and neighbors. His passion and knowledge of hunting, fishing, animals and horticulture was shared with anyone who was interested, but especially the children who lovingly called him PaPaw.

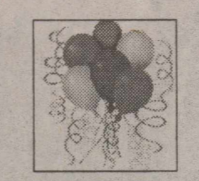
Eldo was preceded in death by his parents and his sister, Bonnie Bowen. He is survived by his loving wife of 65 years, Camilla Jean Caffey Young, sons, Wayne Sawyer and companion Deedie McIntire of Sonora, Dennis Young and wife Jennifer of Center Point, and Tony Young and wife Olivia of Ingram. He is also survived by his loving grandchildren, Jamey, Paul and Heather; and many great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, in-laws, outlaws and friends.

Pallbearers are Jamey Young, Mike McCoy, Joe Waren, Michael Waren, Will Strunk, and Rocky Robbins. Honorary Pallbearers are Paul Young, Tim Allen, Bubba Strunk, and Steve Schuster.

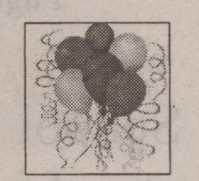
Loving husband, father, grandfather, sailor and friend, Eldo Wayne Young, will be deeply missed but surely welcomed at God's door with "Why don't cha come in?"

Heartfelt thanks to Dr. James A. Young and staff and to Peterson Hospice of Kerrville, Texas. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial contributions to Peterson Hospice, 551 Hill Country Drive, Kerrville, Texas 78029 or the charity of your preference.

Family and friends may sign the online register book at [www.johnsonsfuneralhome.com](http://www.johnsonsfuneralhome.com)



## Happy Birthday!



July 28  
 Yates Cypert, Ronald Gonzales

July 29  
 Rhonda Wilson, Chris Smith, Beatrice Arteaga

July 30  
 Eddie Perez, Joe Perez, Rebecca Castillo,  
 Angelita Trevino, Douglas Skoulaut, Nacho Romero,  
 Danny Solis, Pat Hughes, Autumn Castilleja,  
 Robert Davis, Autumn Ayala, Jeanne Davenport

July 31  
 Laura Martin, Chacho Mesa, Rafael Estrada

August 1  
 Allyse Edmondson, Jose J. Perez, Frankie Gonzales,  
 Yolanda Duran, Meredith Kesinger, Megan Kesinger,  
 Luis Samaniego III, Greg Galindo

August 2  
 Nick Favela, Joe San Miguel, Kendra Vyvlecka, Ryan  
 Rowell, Tina Chambers, Sam Dillard

August 3  
 Kenny Henderson, Sam Hughes, Ponciano Castillo, Jr.,  
 Willie Locklear, Yolanda Avila, Angela Norris,  
 Callyn Olson, Ruth Ann Dickenson

## Death Notice

### Juanita Virgen Gandar

Sonora- Juanita Virgen Gandar, 86, of Sonora died Monday July 25 in Sonora. Funeral services will be Thursday, July 28 at 10 a.m. at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Sonora. Burial will follow in Sonora Cemetery. Survivors include daughter Edna Aguirre of San Angelo, brother Joe Virgen of Sweetwater, and sisters Odelia Gomez and Espy Torres, both of Sweetwater.

### Firefighter Appreciation Dinner August 9 in Ozona

A Firefighter Appreciation Dinner will be held Aug. 9 at the town square. The event will be sponsored by the town of Ozona. Volunteers are needed to help cook and make homemade ice cream. Cooking will start around 3 p.m. and eating will be around 6:30 p.m. Bring your own lawn chairs. Special performance by Crossing Tyler. Businesses and individuals are also welcome to help donate food or monetary donations. Ozona Volunteer Fire Department Firefighters, Area Volunteer Firefighters, Texas Forest Service and all Cooperators are invited. Also included are the many Volunteers we have all had. Please help us show our appreciation, and make this a success! For more information, call Shelly Childress at (325) 277-5381. Monetary donations may be payable to Shelly Childress PO Box 1008 Ozona, TX 76943 For more information, call Shelly Childress at 277-5381.

### Amanda Word Graduates from Angelo State



Larry and Kay Word are proud to announce the graduation of their daughter, Amanda Word, from Angelo State University with a Bachelor's of Science Degree in Interdisciplinary Studies. Throughout Amanda's college education, she has been on the Dean's List and a member of Kappa Delta Pi, an international Honor Society in education. She studied abroad in New Zealand and Australia and would like to thank the community of Sonora for all their support, both financially and spiritually. Thank you Steve and Michelle Anderson for the Mayer Anderson Scholarship. Amanda has accepted a 4th grade teaching position here in Sonora.

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Eaton Hill Nature Camp will be August 1-4, 2011 from 9:00AM- Noon. Campers entering 2nd - 5th grades are invited to register. Call Eaton Hill Nature Center at (325)387-2615.

Sutton County Gamer Dinner Assn. is having a meeting on Monday, August 1 at 7:00PM at the Sonora Vol. Fire Department meeting room. Anyone who is interested in helping with the dinner and/or raffle is invited.

Sutton County Friends of NRA Pre-event raffle is underway! Tickets are \$10 each with one winner taking home five firearms and a 14 gun fire resistant safe. Tickets may be purchased at Buck N Bass/Sonora Air Cooled Engines, by contacting Tonya @ 387-3861 or 206-0454 or by contacting any committee member. The winning ticket will be drawn during our 4th Annual Auction/Banquet, Saturday, September 17, 2011. Your support is appreciated!

Eldorado Game Dinner & Drawing 11:00 AM, November 5, 2011 at the Schleicher County Civic Center on US Hwy 277 South in Eldorado. Tickets for the drawing are \$1 each and BBQ brisket and sausage plates are \$10 and include 2 raffle tickets.

Rent the Depot or Icehouse Ranch Museum for your special party or event. Call 325-387-5084 Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m.

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# Sutton County 4-H Represented Well at Summer Contests



Adapted By: Kelly L Thorp  
County Extension Agent -FCS  
Texas AgriLife Extension-  
Sutton County

The Sutton County 4-H Clothing and Textile Project was well represented at district contests held in Hondo on July 18. In the storyboard contest competing in the wearable category was Summer Hall, who placed 3rd, Hazel Kent, Amber Freeman, Felicia Farley and Kadee Bryan Petty.

The 4-H Fashion Storyboard is an industry-inspired method of displaying of original designs. The best storyboards create vivid visual images that are interesting and appealing to viewers. The storyboard "tells the story" of the designer's idea. The storyboard includes original illustrations and flats, as well as, additional materials (such as photos from the internet or magazines, paper, fabric swatches, patterns, etc.) that have influenced each participant's unique design.

Another event being held in conjunction with storyboard was the district 4-H textile contest. In this division there were five participants in the jewelry category. A blue award went to Kristin Garrett, red awards went to Felicia Farley, Stevie Smith, Sterling Smith, and Summer Hall. Congrats goes to each participant. A special thanks goes to Ms. Lorie Powers for serving as storyboard leader and also to Susan McAlpine and Tamara Farley for conducting a workshop.



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# July Landscape of the Month



The Lillian M. Hudspeth Memorial Hospital was chosen by the Sonora Chamber of Commerce for July 2011 Landscape of the Month. The hospital has taken pride in building a new patient courtyard area and mobility court to help accommodate their patients. The landscaping is maintained by Danny Curtis, Marcos Beaver Perez and Tim Thorp (Not pictured).

# Summer Reading Program Ends

The Sutton County Public Library ended its Texas Summer Reading Program "Dig up a Good Book" with a splash!!!

The program was held for 6 weeks, once a week for different grade levels. On June 29, all grades were treated to a special program, "Harlin the Magician", with 70 in attendance.

All children that reached their goals for their grade level, were rewarded with a pool party followed by pizza and watermelon.

A total of 117 children were registered from ages 3 to 4th grade. Approximately 50 reached their goals. The total number of books read were 3,545.

## SONORA HIGH SCHOOL BACK TO SCHOOL REGISTRATION DATES 2011-2012

- Mon., Aug. 8<sup>th</sup> - 9 a.m. - 12 noon - SENIORS
- Mon., Aug. 8<sup>th</sup> - 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. - JUNIORS
- Tues., Aug. 9<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon - SOPHOMORES
- Tues., Aug. 9<sup>th</sup> - 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. - FRESHMEN
- Wed., Aug. 10<sup>th</sup> - 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon - NEW STUDENTS

(Students may pick up parking permits at the time of registration. You must provide proof of driver's license and proof of vehicle insurance.)

# Lions Roar



New officers presided this week but the formal installation is postponed with the new President being out of town. Past President Pete Bradley reported on the Rodeo Project. Lions operated the concession stand with the help of 17 members of the Middle School Student Council. The Lions split the proceeds with the Student Council. A big thanks for the wonderful help.

Dr. Kristi Edwards gave a report on the coming Pink Party on July 6th. She also announced a coming Rally on behalf of Women's Awareness of health issues. It will be on October 1st.

Beto Duran, a long time and very active member of both Westside and Downtown Lion's Club is sponsoring a Spirit of Service Volunteer Award. This program will sponsor very active volunteers in to membership in the Lion's Club. It will pay membership and dues for one year.

We also had reports from Pete Bradley and Chris Roque concerning Scouting in Sonora. The Lions are working on the Girl Scout Hut getting it ready for a camp and in the future activities for the Girl Scouts to meet in the building. Chris reported 3 dens of Cub Scouts meeting and 7 active Boy Scouts. The Scouts recently served as Color Guard for the Rodeo and did an excellent job. Also there is an Eagle Court coming up for Sterling Hall. There are 71 previous Eagle Scouts who have come up through the Scouting program in Sonora. That is an excellent achievement for any community.

Next week the Lions will meet at Good Shepherd Presbyterians building due to the community VBS at the Methodist building. All Lions are encouraged to be present and be involved. There are many good things going on in the Downtown Lion's Club.

The Sonora Academy of Arts will be holding open registration for Ballet, Tap, and Jazz Classes on Saturday, July 30, 2011 from 10am to 12pm at 216 E Main Street (Historic Downtown) Sonora, TX

## A Mothers Nightmare

Dear Mom,

I am writing you this note to say that I haven't been honest to you lately.

I have a boyfriend, his name is Dragon and he lives in a trailer in the woods he wears biker clothes and works as a chainsaw artist.

I am moving in with him and I am four months pregnant.

We will make a living from selling his chainsaw art on the side of the road.

Wish us luck  
Katie

P.S.

I am at the neighbors house, all of the above was a lie I just wanted to let you know there are worse things in life than my report card which is in the top drawer.

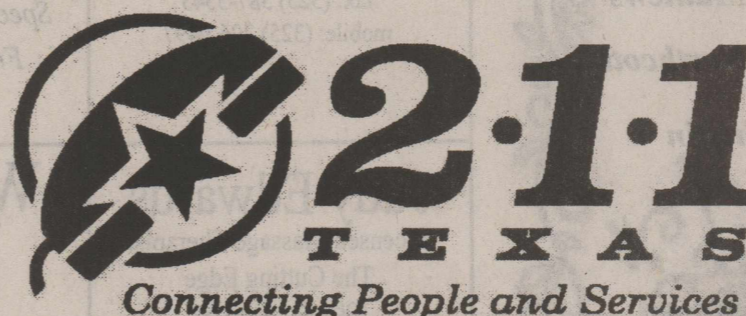
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Oil & Agribusiness

# Knowing When To Use Picloram

By Pascual Hernandez, Sutton County Agricultural Extension Agent



With less livestock on rangeland, some land managers may have brush control efforts in mind. However, it is important to have knowledge about the herbicides being applied. Let's consider Picloram as it is frequently used in the control of prickly pear and many other brush species (most grasses are resistant).

So what's there to know? Timing, for one thing. It requires precipitation for root uptake. Picloram is readily absorbed by plant roots, less so by the foliage, and is readily translocated throughout plants. It remains stable and intact in plants.

The compound is relatively persistent in soil. In heavy clay soil, picloram has a half life of slightly over two months. However, when more organic material is present, the half life of the compound nearly doubles. Breakdown by soil microorganisms occurs slowly. Some literature states that 20-30% is still present in soil one year after application, and 10% two years afterward. As a general rule, degradation is slower during drought. It is for this reason that applicators must be careful to avoid treating directly under oaks when they are spraying prickly pear.

Also, the movement of picloram in runoff after heavy rainfall may occur. Because Picloram is mobile, it can leach to groundwater in coarser soils. In water, the action of sunlight is an important mechanism leading to the breakdown of the product. The take-home message is that it requires precipitation for plant uptake, but can also move with runoff.

Picloram is a systemic herbicide which is formulated either as an acid or as a potassium salt. Most uses of the pesticide are restricted by the EPA. Restricted Use Pesticides (RUP) may be purchased and used only by certified applicators. It may be used in formulations with other herbicides such as bromoxynil, atropine, diuron, 2,4-D, MCPA, triclopyr, and atrazine among others. Picloram is a slightly toxic herbicide and therefore requires the signal word CAUTION on its label. It is of moderate toxicity to the eyes and only mildly toxic on the skin. As with all products, follow label directions. For additional information, contact the County Extension Office.

# Drought Impacts on Texas Reservoirs Mounting

ATHENS—Following the drought of record of the 1950s, Texas built dozens of reservoirs designed to maintain an adequate water supply should another drought of equal severity occur.

That time has come, and the coming months will reveal if those reservoirs are equal to the task.

The outcome is anything but certain. As shown by the thunderstorms that swept across extreme North Texas in early summer and boosted water levels in lakes around Dallas-Fort Worth, one exceptional rain event can go far toward relieving an exceptional drought, at least in the short term.

But we can't control the weather, and only one other part of the state has been blessed with reservoir-filling rains since the drought began in earnest in 2010. "Heavy rainfall in the Rio Grande watershed in 2010 filled both Amistad and Falcon International Reservoirs," said Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) Inland Fisheries biologists Randy Myers. "Amistad is currently two to three feet below conservation pool, and Falcon is about 15 feet low. Angler access remains excellent at both. With the current drought, water levels in both reservoirs should

decrease but not reach problematic levels this year."

Everywhere else across the state, TPWD fisheries managers are dealing with what appears to have the potential to become the new drought of record. [For current information on drought status, visit the Texas Water Development Board's web site.]

"Some Hill Country lakes have been severely affected by the drought," said TPWD biologist Marcos De Jesus. "Lakes Travis, Buchanan and Canyon are nearing record lows. The biggest problem in this area is access as lake levels fall below the point where boat ramps are usable." [The TPWD web site provides links to reservoir controlling authority web sites providing water level and access information for individual reservoirs.]

De Jesus suggests anglers consider switching to lakes with more stable water levels, such as Inks, LBJ, Austin, Lady Bird, Fayette, Bastrop and Walter E. Long. "All of these reservoirs provide excellent, diverse fishing opportunities with easy access," he said.

Conditions are similar at Choke Canyon, Coletto Creek, Texana and Lake Corpus Christi, said TPWD biologist John Findeisen.

"As water level decreases we lose habitat, and this concentrates the fish to the remaining available habitat and provides ample successful fishing trips," he said. "Fishing reports from Choke Canyon, Coletto Creek and Lake Corpus Christi are good, with lots of bass and catfish being caught. Access is not a problem at this time, but anglers need to be aware of timber now at or just below the surface."

West Texas and Panhandle lakes have been hit particularly hard by the drought. Lakes Baylor (near Childress) and O.C. Fisher (San Angelo) have dried up. "Lake Meredith is listed at zero percent capacity, though it still covers about 2,000 acres," said TPWD biologist Charlie Munger. "Low water levels have concentrated the fish, so walleye fishing was very good this year. Unfortunately, golden alga has impacted the catfish fishery."

"Lake Alan Henry is the one bright spot in the High Plains, as it is about 86 percent full," Munger continued. "A pipeline to Lubbock now under construction will be completed in 2012 and will greatly impact water levels, but right now the reservoir is doing well. Large-mouth bass anglers reported good catches this spring."

O. H. Ivie Reservoir, the leader in entries into the Toyota ShareLunker program the last two seasons, is at 24 percent capacity, but anglers are still doing well, according to Jerry Hunter, manager of Elm Creek Village Marina. "Ivie is 33 feet low, but we still have 17 feet of water over the end of our ramp," Hunter said. "Fishing is pretty slow, which is typical of summertime, but we usually see at least one double-digit fish a week."

Other Panhandle and West Texas reservoirs range from less than one percent capacity (E.V. Spence, near San Angelo) to 46 percent full (Oak Creek Reservoir, near Sweetwater). "High evaporation rates and abstraction for municipal water supply are taking a toll," said TPWD fisheries biologist Mukhtar Farooqi. "However, low water levels concentrate prey species that sportfish can take advantage of, and by the same token, sportfish should be easier for anglers to locate. Anglers can also take advantage of low water levels to mark structures using their GPS units and then target these areas when water levels rise."

Low water levels can actually be beneficial to reservoir fisheries in the long run, as pointed out by several TPWD fisheries biologists. "Long-term benefits come from the establishment of terrestrial vegetation along shorelines that will provide a nutrient boost when lakes fill again," said De Jesus.

In the short term, lower lake levels do impact fish reproduction, said TPWD fisheries biologist Craig Bonds. "Degraded habitat will likely result in poor reproductive success for many sport and prey fishes," he said. "However, one poor year class does not pose long-term problems."

"When the rains do come and reservoir water levels are suitable, TPWD will stock fish to rebuild the fisheries, taking advantage of the new habitat created by flooded terrestrial vegetation that took hold when lake levels were low," explained Farooqi.

TPWD's five freshwater fish hatcheries are making plans to be ready to restock reservoirs when levels rise, but they are facing their own set of challenges due to the drought.

"So far hatchery operations have not been impacted," said Todd Engeling, director of hatchery operations for TPWD. "Our ability to divert water for hatchery production is obviously a key factor in sustaining hatchery operations," he added. "In general, hatchery operations are considered to be non-consumptive, since 95 percent or more of the water diverted is typically returned. If the drought continues, we will most likely see impacts first at the A.E. Wood Fish Hatchery in San Marcos, where our ability to divert water from the San Marcos River is significantly reduced as flows drop in the river. In most cases our facilities enjoy senior water rights [meaning they are first in line for what water is available], but as lake levels continue to drop, it is likely that we will see additional restrictions on our withdrawals."

If hatcheries are unable to maintain their water supplies, emphasis will switch from producing fish for stocking to protecting the valuable broodfish that are held on the hatcheries year-around to produce the next generation of fish for stocking. Contingency plans are also being made to transfer broodfish from hatcheries without adequate water to those with better supplies should that become necessary.

A complicating factor is that reduced streamflows can result in increased salinity, making it more likely reservoirs or streams supplying water to some hatcheries will suffer from outbreaks of golden alga, which can kill fish.

Reduced water levels and higher water temperatures in streams and reservoirs also lead to lower levels of dissolved oxygen in water, which can also be fatal to fish. TPWD's Kills and Spills Team monitors fish kill events and can be notified of fish kills at their 24-hour hotline, (512) 389-4848.

Rainfall in Texas historically follows a boom-and-bust cycle. That's why the nearly 200 major reservoirs exist in the state, to catch and hold water to sustain us in the dry times between wet times. But since we never know when the next drought will come, how severe it will be and how long it will last, prudence demands making the most of every drop of precious water those reservoirs hold.

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28	29	30	31	1	2	3

**Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative**  
 66th Annual Membership Meeting  
 Tuesday, August 9, 2011  
 Schleicher County Courthouse Lawn  
 Eldorado, Texas  
 7:00 p.m.

# 2011~2012 Elementary and Intermediate School Supply Lists

## Pre-K

- 1 FULL-SIZE backpack or school bag
- 1 towel or SMALL blanket (for naptime)
- 1 change of clothes (for any type of accident)
- 1- One inch 3-ring binder (any color)
- 2- sets of crayons (regular, thin crayons)
- 1 pair of student scissors
- 2- 4 oz. bottles of white glue
- 1 package of 2 glue sticks (white not purple)
- 1 large box tissues (Kleenex)
- 1 box of "wipes" ("baby wipes")
- 2 box of quart-sized storage bags (Ziploc/other)
- 1 box of gallon-sized storage bags (any brand)
- 1 large bottle of hand sanitizer (10 oz. or larger) (pump top)
- 2 containers of sanitizing wipes (like Lysol or Clorox)
- Boys---1 package of paper plates (not foam)
- Girls---1 package of brown paper bags (lunch size)

\* Pencil boxes/bags are not needed at this level.  
 \*\* Please write your child's name on each item with a permanent marker.

## Kindergarten

- 2 - 8oz. Bottles Elmer's School glue
- 1 - 24 ct. boxes crayons
- 2 - 10 pack of #2 lead pencils (regular size, yellow only)
- 1 - blunt-end scissors (FISCAR only)
- 1 - large box tissue
- 1 - backpack
- 1 - watercolor paint sets
- 1 - box (10) classic CRAYOLA markers
- 1 - set of dry erase markers
- 1 - large eraser (PINK)
- 1 - spiral notebook
- 1 - 4-pack standard size cans of play dough
- 1 - box of map pencils
- 2 - box of "wipes" ("baby wipes")

\*PLEASE DO NOT write your child's name on ANY of the school supplies



## 1st Grade

- 1 - box for supplies (no larger than 6"x9")
- 1 - zippered pencil pouch
- 1 - box 24 count CRAYOLA crayons
- 12- #2 lead pencils (regular size)
- 1 - pair metal scissors (FISCAR only)
- 1 - large eraser
- 1 - watercolor set (CRAYOLA or PRANG)
- 1 - large bottle ELMERS glue
- 1 - set of 12 CRAYOLA colored pencils
- 1 - large box KLEENEX
- 1 - Backpack

Your child's name must be on each item (Each pencil, crayon, marker, etc. with a permanent marker)  
 \*Additional items may be requested on the first day and throughout the school year.

## 2nd Grade

- 1 - Box of Crayons (16 count or over)
- 1 - 1 inch 3 ring binder (Black)
- 3- Package of pencils
- 2 - Big pink erasers
- 1 - Pair of Fiskar scissors
- 1 - Package of assorted markers
- 1 - Package of colored pencils
- 2 - Large bottles of glue
- 2 - Boxes of Kleenex
- 4- Plastic Pocket folders (1-red, 1-yellow-1-green, 1-blue)
- 1- Large tub of disinfecting wipes
- 1- Pencil sharpener

\*Please write your child's name on each item with a permanent marker except for the pencils.

## 3rd Grade

- Scissors
- Pencils
- Large Eraser
- Glue Stick
- Map colors
- Markers
- Crayons
- Dry erase markers
- 2 Mead Composition books
- Large Box for supplies
- Ziploc baggies-1 box any size
- Tissues-2 boxes
- Wipes-2 boxes (1 can be a refill)

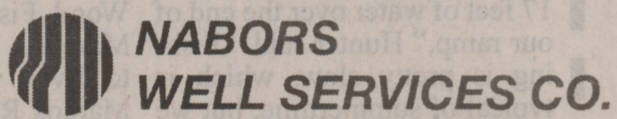
## 4th Grade

- Trapper Keeper (with 3 rings)
- Crayons
- Colored pencils
- Elmer's school glue
- 2 large pkgs. wide rule notebook paper (not college rule)
- Pencils (at least 30)
- Fiskar scissors with a pointed tip
- 2 one-subject spiral notebooks
- 1-3 subject spiral notebook(or 1 inch 3 ring binder)
- 6 pocket folders with holes for notebook
- 3 red pens for grading (not pencils)
- large eraser
- pencil pouch for trapper keeper
- 2 yellow highlighters
- 2 large boxes of Kleenex
- 2 Composition books (MEAD-

## 5th Grade

- Pointed Fiskar Scissors
- Regular #2 Pencils (NO Mechanical)
- Glue sticks
- Blue or Black Pens, & Red Pens
- 1-Pkg. Map Colors
- 1-Pkg. of 8 thin markers
- 2-Large boxes of Kleenex Tissues
- Notebook Paper (wide ruled)
- 1-Ruler (centimeters and inches)
- 2-70 pg. 1 Subj. spiral notebooks
- 1-1 inch 3 ring notebook
- Highlighters (4 yellow for reading, other colors for rest of classes)
- 3-Pocket Folders with brads (1-orange, 1- green, 1-red)
- 1 Large eraser
- 1 Trapper Keeper notebook
- 1 Mead Composition notebook
- 1 box of "wipes" (baby wipes)

# School Begins August 22



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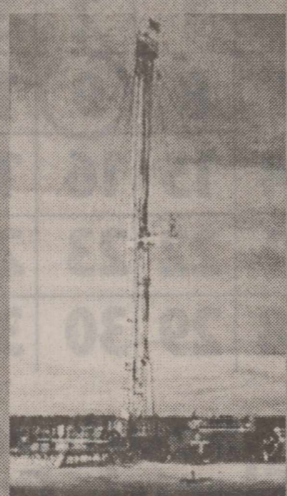
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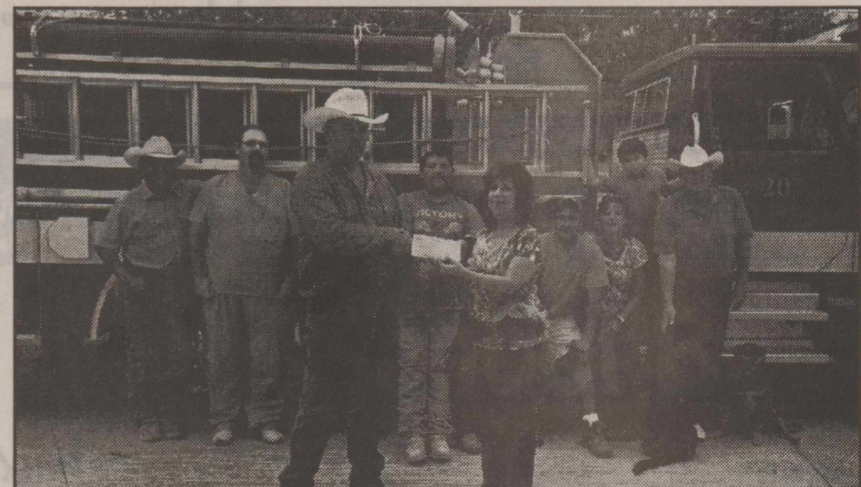


## SONORA CHARITY BASH 2011

Sonora Charity Bash would like to thank and recognize all the people that made this year's event a success! Without all the support from our sponsors, this function could not be possible. A special "THANK YOU" to KLDE 104.9 FM and Danny and Paula Boyer, who always play an important part in the success of all our events. Thank you to the Sonora Volunteer Fire department, which are this year's recipients of the Sonora Charity Bash Dance. Sonora Charity Bash is proud to present the volunteer fire Department with a check in the amount of \$3,175.00. Sonora is truly blessed to have such astonishing individuals serving our community. May God continue to bless all who helped in this year's event.

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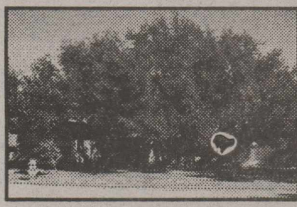


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Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below.

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#### Dist/Div Office(s)

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### Public Notice

#### FACILITIES CONTRACT(S)

Dist/Div: San Angelo  
Contract 0907-00-159 for CURB RAMPS TO MEET TAS AND ADA STANDARDS in TOM GREEN County, etc will be opened on August 10, 2011 at 1:00 pm at the State Office.

Plans and specifications are available for inspection, along with bidding proposals, and applications for the TxDOT Prequalified Contractor's list, at the applicable State and/or Dist/Div Offices listed below. If applicable, bidders must submit prequalification information to TxDOT at least 10 days prior to the bid date to be eligible to bid on a project. Prequalification materials may be requested from the State Office listed below. Plans for the above contract(s)

are available from TxDOT's website at www.txdot.gov and from reproduction companies at the expense of the contractor. NPO: 37200

#### State Office

Constr./Maint. Division  
200 E. Riverside Dr.  
Austin, Texas 78704  
Phone: 512-416-2540

#### Dist/Div Office(s)

San Angelo District  
District Engineer  
4502 Knickerbocker Rd  
San Angelo, Texas 76904  
Phone: 325-944-1501

Minimum wage rates are set out in bidding documents and the rates will be part of the contract. TxDOT ensures that bidders will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, sex, or national origin.

### Scott Real Estate

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Sonora, TX 76950

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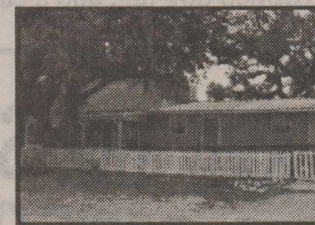


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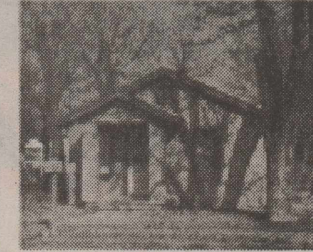
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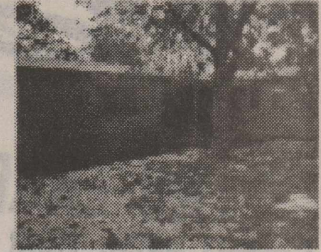
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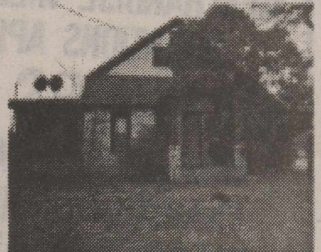
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## 2011 3rd Annual Sonora Bronco Football Camp



The Sonora Bronco Football Coaching staff put on the 3rd Annual Sonora Bronco Football Camp on July 19th, 20th and 21st. The tradition of Sonora Bronco Football is alive and well as 115 campers participated in offensive and defensive drills. The campers also competed on a daily basis in the following competitions: 40 yard dash, punting, kicking, receiving drill, pass accuracy, and passing distance competition. Points were awarded in every category and the following campers were awarded plaques and bags for placing in each age division. Super Bronco Camper Awards are given based on demeanor, mannerisms, and hustle throughout the camp. The 2009 camp had 96 campers, 2010 had 110 and this year we reached the next level hosting 115 campers from Sonora, Ozona, Menard, and Eldorado!!!

Special Camp Note: Julian Gallardo scored 180 points

setting a new record for total points in the three year history of The Sonora Bronco Football Camp!!!

A special thanks to Ron Kalus from Travelers Oil & Gas, the Mayer Family and Arroyo Grande Ranch,

Anthony Mungia & Southwest Heating and Cooling, Athletes World, Trey Rushing & Rush in Lube, the Vyvlecka Family & Circle V Contracting, Seco and Ed Mayfield & The Sonora Wool House, Jason Halstead and TWFG Insurance Services for assisting with sponsorship of the 2011 Sonora Bronco Football Camp. A special thanks goes to the Vyvlecka family for donating fruit every day of the camp, Sheriff and Mrs. Fincher for the best apple cobbler and banana pudding ever. Thanks to Tom Clifton and the Sonic of Sonora for supplying lunch for the coaching staff. Each camper received a camp water bottle, towel, Bronco dog tag, and a camp t-

shirt. Every camper is invited to Lil Bronco Night on August 26th.. Each camper that wears his camp t-shirt will receive free admission and will lead the Broncos onto the field prior to the 2011 season opener vs Brady. Finally, a special thanks to the parents of Sonora for supporting the 3rd Annual Sonora Bronco Football Camp. We were truly amazed at the number of participants as well as seeing you take the time to watch our camp. We will continue to strive for the "NEXT LEVEL" so get ready for the 4th Annual Sonora Bronco Football Camp in 2011!!!!!! Who do you play for? Sonora Broncos!!! Who are we? Broncos! How far? All the way! What's the Goal? NEXT LEVEL! WIN THE DAY! & GO BIG RED!

**\*\*Make Sure To Pick up Next Weeks Edition For Individual camper Results\*\***

## NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH MEETING

AUGUST 9th, 2011  
6:30PM  
AT THE  
SONORA HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM

DISCUSSION WILL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING NEIGHBORHOOD WATCH TOPICS:

- \* NEIGHBORHOOD AWARENESS
- \* WATCH LOCATIONS & ORGANIZATION
- \* NEIGHBORHOOD LEADERSHIP
- \* NATIONAL TOWN WATCH AFFILIATIONS
- \* NATIONAL NIGHT OUT



THE SONORA POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE CITY OF SONORA ARE PROUD TO FACILITATE COMMUNITY AWARENESS IN AN EFFORT TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR THE CITIZENS OF SONORA.



AUGUST 10, 2011 9:00 AM-5:00 PM  
ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH HALL

### BASIC SELF DEFENSE SKILLS FOR FEMALE STUDENTS



- PRESENTATION AND OPEN DISCUSSION ON SITUATIONAL DEFENSE TACTICS
- LEARN BASIC SELF DEFENSE TECHNIQUES—PUNCHES, KICKS, AND BLOCKS
- LEARN EFFECTIVE COUNTER ATTACKS AND WAYS TO BREAK GRABS AND HOLDS
- COMPREHENSIVE PRESENTATION ON RELATIONSHIP ABUSE TO INCLUDE ACQUAINTANCE RAPE/DRUGS, DATING VIOLENCE, STALKING/HARASSMENT

INSTRUCTORS INCLUDE: FEMALE 2ND DEGREE BLACK BELT IN TAE KWON DO, LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT REPRESENTATIVE, AND CONCHO VALLEY RAPE CRISIS COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE

For participants 15-19 years of age—\$40.00 per student—Cash only—25 girls maximum class capacity—Call early to reserve spot—phone: 325-226-2518  
On day of class—arrive 8:30 am to register—dress comfortably in shorts, t-shirt, and gym shoes—LUNCH/SNACKS/DRINKS PROVIDED ON-SITE

## EATON HILL AND THE SUTTON COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY PRESENT

SATURDAY,  
AUGUST 13TH, 2011  
8-10:00 P.M.

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