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4-Hers Compete at State and 76th Annual Sonora Wool & Mohair Show



By Tammy Fisher

The 2013 40th Annual Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo kicks off at the Sutton County Rodeo Arena on June 28-29. The Rodeo continues their tradition of excellence by bringing in some of the best stock around, and entertainers to wow the crowds. They are bringing back Announcer Mike Mathis for the third year in a row.

Mike Mathis was born in Lufkin, Texas and for the third time, this veteran rodeo announcer was selected to work the National Finals Steer Roping in Hobbs, N.M. Mathis of Lufkin, Texas, has been a PRCA announcer since 1983 and has called some of the sport's most prestigious events. He announced the 2000 Winter ProRodeo Tour Finale in Las Vegas and called the shots at the 1998 Dodge National Circuit Finals Rodeo in Pocatello, Idaho. In 2002, Mathis was nominated for PRCA Announcer of the Year. In 1994, Mathis was the alternate announcer at the National Finals Rodeo. During his career, he has announced the Texas Circuit Finals Rodeo 16 times. His knowledge extends well beyond the rodeo arena.

He received a bachelor's degree in business administration from Stephen F. Austin State University in Nacogdoches, Texas, and later earned a master's degree in finance from Southern Methodist University in Dallas. Mathis has two sons, Kirk and Todd. The Sonora Firefighters are hosting the Dance on Friday Night where the talents of Romaldo y Grupo Fuerzazo will be in display.

Once two bands, Romaldo Y Estilo Band and Grupo Fuerzazo made adjustments and joined forces to become one of the premier Tejano groups in West Texas. Playing the best in Tejano, cumbia and country. Always ready to perform for weddings, quincianera's, community celebrations or any other function that calls for a talented and versatile group. Out of these two groups have come successful musicians such as Cacy Savala, female vocalist for Jimmy Gonzalez Y Grupo Mazz, drummer John Tijerina of Albert Zamora's "Grupo Talento". Current members who have played with major

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Popcorn Donation



Sonora Bank Popcorn Donation to Eaton Hill Nature Center. Pictured are (L to R): Lauren Van Schoubrouek of Sonora Bank and Rita Mae Frey of Eaton Hill Nature Center

Two weeks ago, Briana Palacios, Darby Ramsdell and Lillian Kent, coached by Tammy Fisher and David Fisher, travelled to Texas A&M last week for the annual Texas 4-H Roundup state competitions. The three competed individually and as a team in Mohair Judging. The competition was very stiff this year. Darby Ramsdell tied for 10-11th place while Lillian Kent tied for 5-9th Place (yes, a five-way tie). With the tiebreakers, Darby was still tied for 10th and Lillian ended up winning 5th place with perfect scores in one of the classes and on the mohair rail.

This past week, 4-Hers from Sonora, all across the state of Texas and several other states con-

verged on Sonora for the Annual Sonora Wool Show and the National 4-H Wool Judging Competition. 4-Hers from Sonora competed in Range and Plant Identification, Livestock Judging, Wool and Mohair Judging competitions as well as entering fleeces in the Wool Show. On Wednesday, Texas 4-Hers and FFA students judged classes of Sheep, Goats, Wool, Mohair and competed in Plant Identification and Range Judging. There was also a Youth Wool and Mohair Fleece Show where kids from across the state could enter wool and mohair fleeces in different grade classes. This is the 76th Year Sonora has hosted this "Wool Show" which is also held in conjunction with the National 4-H and FFA Wool Judging Competition held on Thursday at the Civic Center. Kerr County won the National Wool Judging Competition this year. Sutton County did not have a team competing or eligible for Nationals this year.

The best part of the "Wool Show" week, if you ask the kids, is the Wednesday evening Swim Party and Hamburger Supper hosted by Sutton County 4-H each year and followed by an unofficial Water Balloon War at the Days Inn parking lot. The camaraderie

and sportsmanship by the youth from all across the state and nation is displayed when they all gather for these activities between competing for top titles in their respective categories.

Sutton County Extension Agent Pasqual Hernandez coached Range and Livestock Judging while Tammy and David Fisher coached Wool and Mohair Judging. The coaches all expressed their excitement for the number of kids that judged this year and are looking forward to a bright future for Sutton County 4-H Judging! The contests are put on jointly by Texas Agriculture Extension Service and Angelo State University with Dr. Frank Craddock as Superintendent of the competitions. Hernandez said: "The show and contests are a good representation of the state's 4-H and FFA programs with students ranging from third to 12th grades competing. Despite the drought, our area is still a top producing region for sheep and goats. This contest helps to continue to maintain and develop our youths' interest and helps them develop good ranching techniques for the future."

Results for the Sutton County 4-H in the Sonora Wool Show are on page 5

Shea Holmes



Daughter of : Stoney & Judy Holmes
Grand Daughter of: Becky Holmes
Age: 18
Grade: 12
Why you want to be Miss Sutton Co: To be a remodel for the community & it would be a fun experience
What Sonora means to you: Its my hometown and a great community for families
Most influential person in your life: Mom because she bends over backwards for me and because I could never be half the woman she is.
School activities/achievements: I play volleyball softball and a lifeguard at the city pool
Special interest/hobbies: sports, softball, drawing & mudding
Future plans/ goal in life: I would like to play softball if not i want to be an athletic or fitness trainer.

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Lillian Kent



Daughter of : Sam Kent & Susan McAlpine
Age: 16
Grade: 11
Why you want to be Miss Sutton Co: Sonora means a lot to me and I want to represent it the best i can.
What Sonora means to you: I wasn't born in Texas but the friendly and caring community does not compare to anywhere else.
Most influential person in your life: That's tough- both my mom and Debi Collins have had alot of influence on me. Debi has given me a chance to do what I really love (riding horses) & my mom has always been there for me.
School activities/achievements: Cross country district champs, regional qualifiers track - 800m district champs, Sonora color guard & FCS
Special interest/hobbies: sports, softball, drawing & mudding
Future plans/ goal in life: I plan to attend A&M where I will major in Animal Husbandry. I want to run a ranch operation and own an equine training facility

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Jayden Ortiz



Parents: John & Monica Ortiz
Favorite food: Pizza
Favorite Toy: Barbie Princess Faries
Interests: Dancing, singing & talking

Good Luck to all the
2013 Contestants

Hailey Johnson



Parents: Jarrod & Amanda Johnson
Favorite food: Ice creme sun-dae poparts & chicken nuggets
Favorite Toy: Baby Dolls
Interests: Baseball, tennis, swimming & playing

Jazlyn Garcia



Parents: Allyse Edmondson & Reyes Garcia
Favorite food: spaghetti
Favorite Toy: Jessie from Toy Story
Interests: my dog Rusty & riding 4-wheeler

Masiela Valdez



Parents: Fernando & Karley Valdez
Favorite food: chicken nuggets
Favorite Toy: Barbie
Interests: Singing, softball & swimming

Peyton Bailey



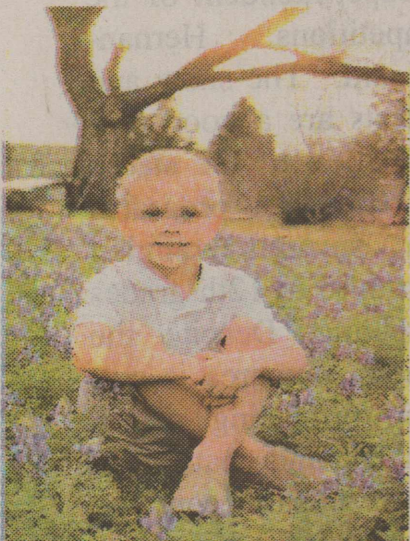
Parents: Mitch & Jessie Guerra
Favorite food: everything
Favorite Toy: Barbies and toy babies
Interests: Sing & dance

Mia Escamilla



Parents: Carolina Escamilla
Favorite food: macaroni
Favorite Toy: Baby cow
Interests: Singing

Wyatt Killough



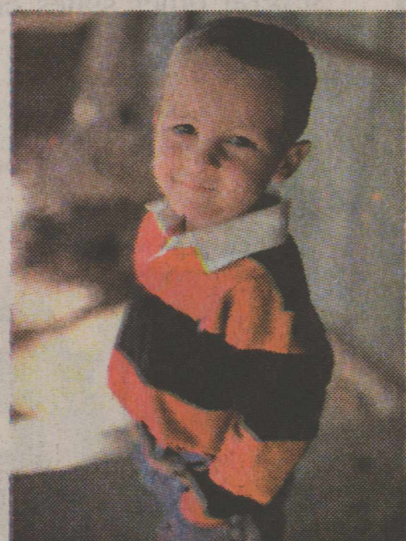
Parents: Matt & Amber Killough
Favorite food: Granny's lemon cake
Favorite Toy: Batman
Interests: swimming, baseball & playing super heros

Woody Crow III



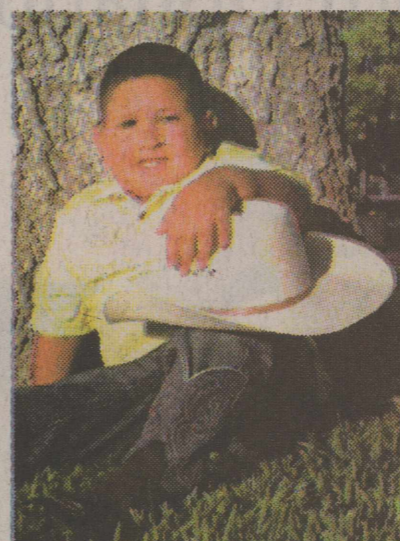
Parents: Woody & Sarah Crow
Favorite food: PB&J sandwiches & macaroni and cheese
Favorite Toy: Ninja turtles & airplanes
Interests: swim, play on trampoline & ride his tractor

Bronson Schenkel



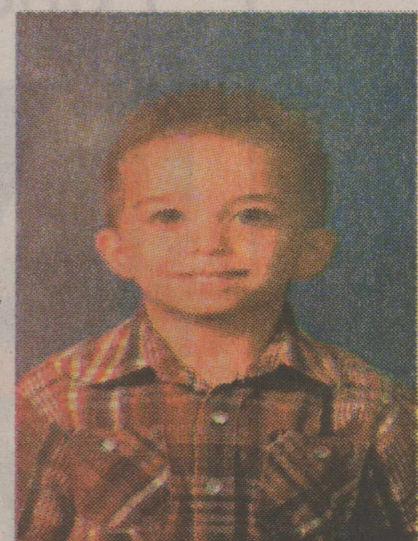
Parents: Cody & Ashlie Schenkel
Favorite food: Deer sausage
Favorite Toy: Trucks
Interests: playing w/ toys & working w/ dad

Cecilio Vasquez



Parents: Enrique Vasquez & Magdalena Angela Ramirez
Favorite food: shrimp, fish, corn, french fries & crazy bread
Favorite Toy: Tonka dump trucks
Interests: swimming, dancing, riding horses, bike riding & spending time w/ friends & family

Daniel Ricks



Parents: James & Jennifer Ricks
Favorite food: Tacos & cookies
Favorite Toy: Legos
Interests: Swimming, movie night & t-ball

Senior Center Activities

Thurs. June 13- Work on puzzle
 Fri. June 14- Celebrating Father's Day @ noon
 Mon. June 17- Concho Valley Home Health will be here to play BINGO!!
 Tues. June 18- CEAP will be here 11am-3pm
 Wed. June 19- Happy Birthday Elvia Garza*

Senior Center Menu

Thurs. June 13- Tilapia fish, macaroni & cheese, coleslaw, hush puppies, and lemon cookies
 Fri. June 14- BBQ Brisket, ranch style beans, salad macaroni gourmet, bread and pie
 Mon. June 17- Chicken on bun, sweet potato fries, and tropical milk
 Tues. June 18- Macaroni and beef beans, sliced tomato, cornbread and cobbler
 Wed. June 19- Pork Chop w/ gravy, black eyed peas, spinach, wheat bread and sliced apples w/ cinnamon

**** ALL MEALS SERVED WITH MILK****

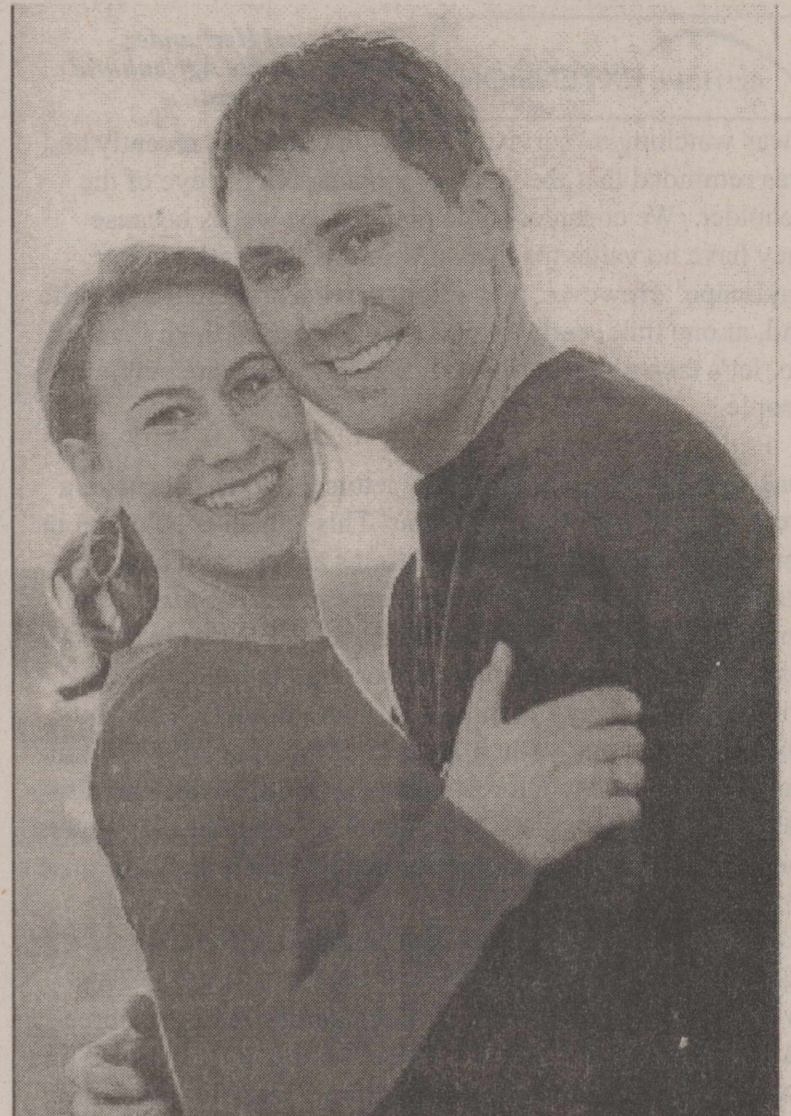
Participants in the senior nutrition program must be 60 or older. Meals are served Monday - Friday at 12:00 p.m.
Donations are accepted
 (suggested donation for Seniors is \$2.00; \$5.00 for under 60 and all other meals-to-go).

Governor Comments on Recent Legislation

AUSTIN - Gov. Rick Perry today announced his final decisions on legislation passed during the 83rd Regular Legislative Session. The governor applauded lawmakers for their work to keep Texas' healthy economy the envy of the nation and a beacon for employers and families looking for the best opportunity to succeed.

"This session we took broad steps to strengthen our state for generations to come. With the state growing by more than 1,000 people a day, the citizens of Texas entrusted us to make important investments in our communities while being responsible with hard-earned taxpayer dollars. I'm proud to say we've done just that," Gov. Perry said. "We passed historic water infrastructure legislation, created a new university in South Texas, and ensured every Texas graduate is better prepared for college or career. We've done all this while providing \$1.4 billion in tax relief for Texans. This session will expand opportunities for success, and help us keep our state the best place in the nation to live, work, raise a family and run a business."

Engagement



Mr. & Mrs. John Osborne of Menard announce the engagement of their daughter, Madelon Lynn, to Cullen Wade Parker, son of Mr. & Mrs. Guy Parker of Sonora.

Miss Osborne is the grand daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Lynn Griffin of Eldorado and the late Mr. & Mrs. Lansin Osborne of White Deer. Cullen is the grandson of Carol Shaw of Goldthwaite, Tx. Miss Osborne is a graduate of Menard High School and Texas Tech University and is currently working for Compass Professional Health Services in San Antonio. Mr. Parker is a graduate of Sonora High School and Texas Tech University and is currently employed with EOG Resources in San Antonio. An October wedding is planned at Presidio de San Saba Historic Site in Menard.

Thank You

We would like to say a huge thank you to the Sonora Police Department, especially Officer Gann and Officer Routh. They were exceptional in their recovery efforts of the property that was stolen from our residence. Thank you so much for your hard work!

Thank you,
 Tom & Rhonda Wilson

Wrong Email Address

A couple going on vacation but his wife was on a business trip so he went to the destination first and his wife would meet him the next day. When he reached his hotel, he decided to send his wife a quick email.

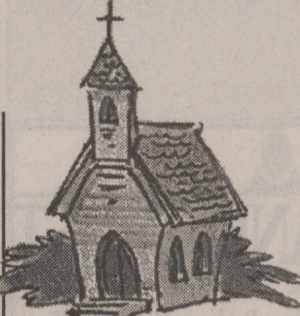
Unfortunately, when typing her address, he mistyped a letter and his note was directed instead to an elderly preacher's wife whose husband had passed away only the day before.

When the grieving widow checked her email, she took one look at the monitor, let out a piercing scream, and fell to the floor in a dead faint.

At the sound, her family rushed into the room and saw this note on the screen:

Dearest Wife,
 Just got checked in. Everything prepared for your arrival tomorrow.

P.S. Sure is hot down here.



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State 7on7 Tournament
 On a beautiful Saturday in Sonora, (cool and rainy equals wonderful) Sonora prevailed over a very competitive and talented field of superb athletes. The field competing for two State 7on7 qualification spots on July 11-12 in Round Rock were: Pool A... Sonora Red, Ozona, Bandera, Rocksprings, Ozona, a determined and talented short handed team (8 players), surprised everyone and won the Pool A Championship with a record of 3-0. Sonora Red 2-1 finishing second. Pool B consisted of Sonora Black, Christoval, Fredricksburg, Iraan with Fredricksburg 3-0 winning Pool B and Iraan 2-1 finishing second.
 In the semi-final games Iraan, the Pool B runner-up defeated Ozona. In the other semi-final contest, Sonora was down 28-14 to a gifted Fredricksburg club at the half. Sonora came roaring back in the second half, with a stifling defense and a precision passing offense and defeated Fredricksburg 35-34. Sonora with less than 3 minutes in the game scored to go up 35-34. Fredricksburg was driving for the winning score when they were interceded by



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Edible Wild Plants



By Pascual Hernandez,
Sutton County Agricultural
Extension Agent

I was watching a "survival" show on television recently and was reminded that the value of a plant is in the eye of the beholder. We consider some plants to be weeds because they have no value for livestock or are an invader in our landscape. However, they might serve as forage for wildlife and, at one time, early Texans may have used them for food. So, let's take a second look at "weeds" which are edible by people.

One such edible plant is prickly lettuce, *Lactuca serriola*, a weed of field and disturbed areas. This annual is common in spring and summer. The leaf margins are covered in spines, but they are fairly soft and edible raw when the leaves are young. The young, tender leaves have been eaten in salads or cooked. As the plant matures it increases in bitterness, becoming inedible by the time it produces flowers. The white, milky sap contains a small amount of the opiate-type chemical lactucarium, though recent studies indicate this chemical has little to no actual effect on people. Nonetheless, dangers include that excess consumption of leaves and sap can cause stomach upset.

We're all probably familiar with *Mahonia trifoliolata*, or *agarita* (from the Spanish "agrito" meaning "sour"). This evergreen is a common shrub found across Texas. Its three-part leaves are grey-green, very stiff and pointy so harvesting their fruit can be a bit painful. In Spring, *agarita* shrubs are loaded with small, bright red berries. These sweet, somewhat tart berries can be eaten raw or made into jam, jelly, or wine. I've heard that the small seeds can be roasted and ground for a caffeine-free coffee substitute.

Speaking of drinks, how about horehound tea? Horehound, *Marrubium vulgare*, is common around pens, water lots, and pastures. It has a long history of medicinal use- for coughs and stomach aches. Both fresh and dried horehound leaves can be used to make a tea which can be consumed as a hot beverage or cooled down to make an ice tea. Be aware that large doses are said to increase blood pressure. Horehound candy has also been used as cough drops.

There are many examples of edible wild plants. Indians and pioneers used them widely. Just be aware that there is always some amount of risk when consuming wild plants. So please use caution and do some research before going "survivalist".

Minor League All Stars



Sonora Minor League All Stars Place 1st in Big Lake Tournament. Front row: Dailen Luna, Fernando De Luna, Joshua Esquivel, Fernando Gonzales, Lane Taylor. Second Row: Christian De Luna, Mario de la Fuente, Jonathan Galvan, Giovanni Gamez, Ivan Fuentes. Back Row Coaches: Noe de la Fuente, Fernando DeLuna & Javier Gaytan.

The Lions Roar

Submitted by: Billie Ann
Stewart Harrell



by Billie Stewart Harrell

There are three distinguished members in Lions Club currently present each Tuesday gathering of kinship and service to community. BILL STEWART, beginning membership September 1, 1958, NORMAN ROUSSELOT, beginning membership November 1, 1963 [past president 1967-1968] and CLAY CADE 1963 [coming to Sonora as Principle in 1963]. I have had the pleasure and most of all privilege of sitting at the same table with the three very humorous men absorbing old stories, learning by example the dedication and commitment it takes to serve and sharing hearty meals served by Sutton County Steakhouse.

Sonora Lions Club was organized May 9, 1928. In 1958 there were 125 members & today there are 60. Since joining in September, I see all that LC remarkably offers to community in volunteer service and helpful donations. Today members include women and the number is growing. RUTH SHURLEY, owner of Ruth Shurley Jewelry was delighted and honored to become one of the first women to join this fun and friendly organization.

F.Y.I

Sutton County Friends of NRA Safe Full of Guns raffle is underway! Tickets are \$10 each with one winner taking home four firearms, to include an AR-15, and a 10 gun fire resistant safe. Tickets may be purchased at Buck N Bass/Sonora Air Cooled Engines, by contacting Tonya @ 325-206-0454 or by contacting any committee member. The winning ticket will be drawn during our 6th Annual Auction/Banquet, Saturday, September 21, 2013. Your support is appreciated!

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Chamber Chatter

Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo & Sutton County Days!

By: Donna Garrett

It's that time again for Sutton County Days and The Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo. I would like to begin by saying thank you to all our wonderful sponsors. We could not put on such a great event without you. Our Gold Sponsors this year are the Sonora Outlaw Pro Rodeo, Sonora Bank, Southwest Texas Electric Cooperative, Inc., KHOS\Revolution Broadcast Corp., Anderson Energy, Pedernales Electric Cooperative, Inc. and R&D Malone Ranches, LLC.

We are planning to have the best Sutton County Days and Rodeo yet. There will be 4 days of fun beginning with the Calf Roping, Steer Wrestling and Team Roping on Wednesday, June 26th at 5:00 p.m. Then on Thursday at 8:30 a.m. there will be the girl's barrel racing and 3 go rounds of steer roping. Friday, June 29th beginning at 8:00 p.m., there will be a full rodeo performance with the finalist of the Kid's Mutton Bustin' contest and the short go of County Team ropers. You can dance to Romaldo y Grupo Fuerzco from 8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. at the Sutton County Slab. Saturday morning will be kicked off with "The Outlaw Parade" at 9:00 a.m. The parade will line up in front of the Elementary School and go down Concho St. to Main Street and turn left, then turn right on Crockett Ave. and will continue down Crockett Ave. to the Sutton County Park. Starting at 10:00 a.m. Reverend Matthew Killough will give the invocation at the main stage, followed by the singing of the National Anthem by Miss Delaney Ramsdell, daughter of Paul and Greta Ramsdell. The Boy Scout Troop 19 will present the colors. Booths will open and we will begin our 2013 Little Mr. & Little Miss Sutton County Contest, with Jody Luttrell as the emcee. Following will be the introduction of the 2013 Miss Sutton County Queen Contestants. This year there are three lovely ladies running for 2013 Miss Sutton County, Shea Holmes & Lillian Kent.

The Sonora Volunteer Fire Department will hold their annual washer pitching contest beginning with registration at 10:30 a.m. We have a wonderful line up for entertainment throughout the day! Beginning at 11:30, we will have the Concho Cowboy Company "Guns for Hire", from San Angelo performing a 30 minute skit in the county park! Following their performance will be the awards for the Baking Contest, and then the Bad Rodeo Band will take the stage starting at 12:30 p.m. along with our very own Delaney Ramsdell, who will also be performing with him. The "Guns for Hire" will have another 30 minute performance in the park at 2:00, with Bad Rodeo Band following up and will close out the day at 5:00 p.m. Don't miss all this wonderful free entertainment! I would like to thank Eddie Arteaga for helping put all the entertainment together for us.

Saturday, June 29th will be the final rodeo performance beginning at 8:00 p.m. The pre-show will start approximately at 7:30 with the crowning of the 2013 Miss Sutton County! You can close out the evening dancing to the Clearwater Band at the Sutton County Slab from 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

The Dee Ora Masonic Lodge will have their scholarship catfish dinner at the Sutton County Civic Center from 5:00-7:00 p.m. and tickets are \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children under 12. The Eaton Hill Nature Center will have a display of the photos from their contest inside the Civic Center for our viewing. We are having a baking contest and it will be held inside the civic center at 11:00 a.m. and the winners will be announced at 12:00 p.m. at the entertainment stage. If you would like more information please call the chamber at 325-387-2880 or stop by the office at 205 Hwy 277 N. to pick up a form. We are located right across from the Sonic Drive-In and next door to the Dairy Queen. If you need any more information please go to our website at Sonoratexas.org or follow us on facebook.

RANGE JUDGING

2nd High Jr. Individual - Skyler Mogford 3rd High Jr. Team - Skyler Mogford, Madalyn Fisher, Sydney Flores, Kodi Davis 2nd High Intermediate Individual - Cara Hernandez High Intermediate Individual - Christina Hernandez High Intermediate Team - Christina Hernandez, Cara Hernandez, Catarina Hernandez, Amber Freeman High Sr. Team - Darby Ramsdell, Lillian Kent, Briana Palacios

LIVESTOCK JUDGING

2nd High Individual Jr. Madalyn Fisher
High Jr. Team - Madalyn Fisher, Kadee Petty, Kodi Davis, Sydney Flores 3rd High Intermediate Team - Cara Hernandez, Christina Hernandez, Amber Freeman, Summer Hall 3rd High Sr. Team - Darby Ramsdell, Briana Palacios, Lillian Kent

WOOL JUDGING

2nd High Jr. Individual Taryn Mitchell
4th High Jr. Individual Madalyn Fisher
High Jr. Team - Madalyn Fisher, Taryn Mitchell, Kadee Petty, Sydney Flores 5th High Intermediate Individual - Delaney Ramsdell 4th High Intermediate Individual - Summer Hall 2nd High Sr. Individual - Mary Kyle Johnson 2nd High Intermediate Team - Summer Hall, Mary Kyle Johnson, Christina Hernandez, Delaney Ramsdell

MOHAIR JUDGING

2nd High Jr. Individual - Kadee Petty
4th High Jr. Individual Madalyn Fisher
High Jr. Team - Kodi Davis, Kadee Petty, Madalyn Fisher, Sydney Flores 3rd High Intermediate Individual - Mary Kyle Johnson 2nd High Intermediate Individual - Christina Hernandez High Intermediate Team - Mary Kyle Johnson, Christina Hernandez, Summer Hall, Delaney Ramsdell High Sr. Individual - Darby Ramsdell 4th High Sr. Team - Briana Palacios, Darby Ramsdell, Lillian Kent

OVERALL AWARDS

4th High Jr. Madalyn Fisher
3rd High Intermediate Cara Hernandez
2nd High Intermediate Christina Hernandez

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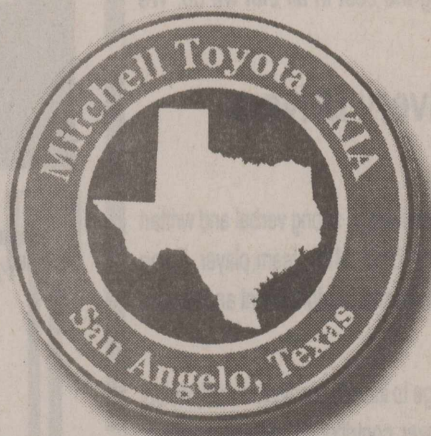


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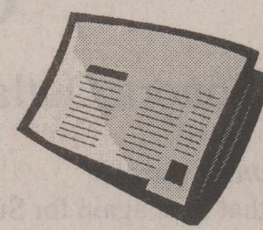
Intermediate Wool Judging Team Mary Kyle Johnson, Summer Happ, Delaney Ramsdell, and Christina Hernandez.



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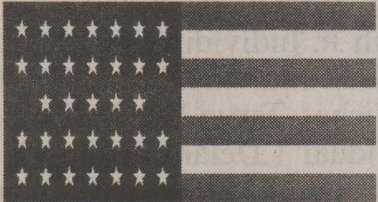
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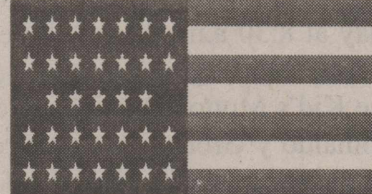
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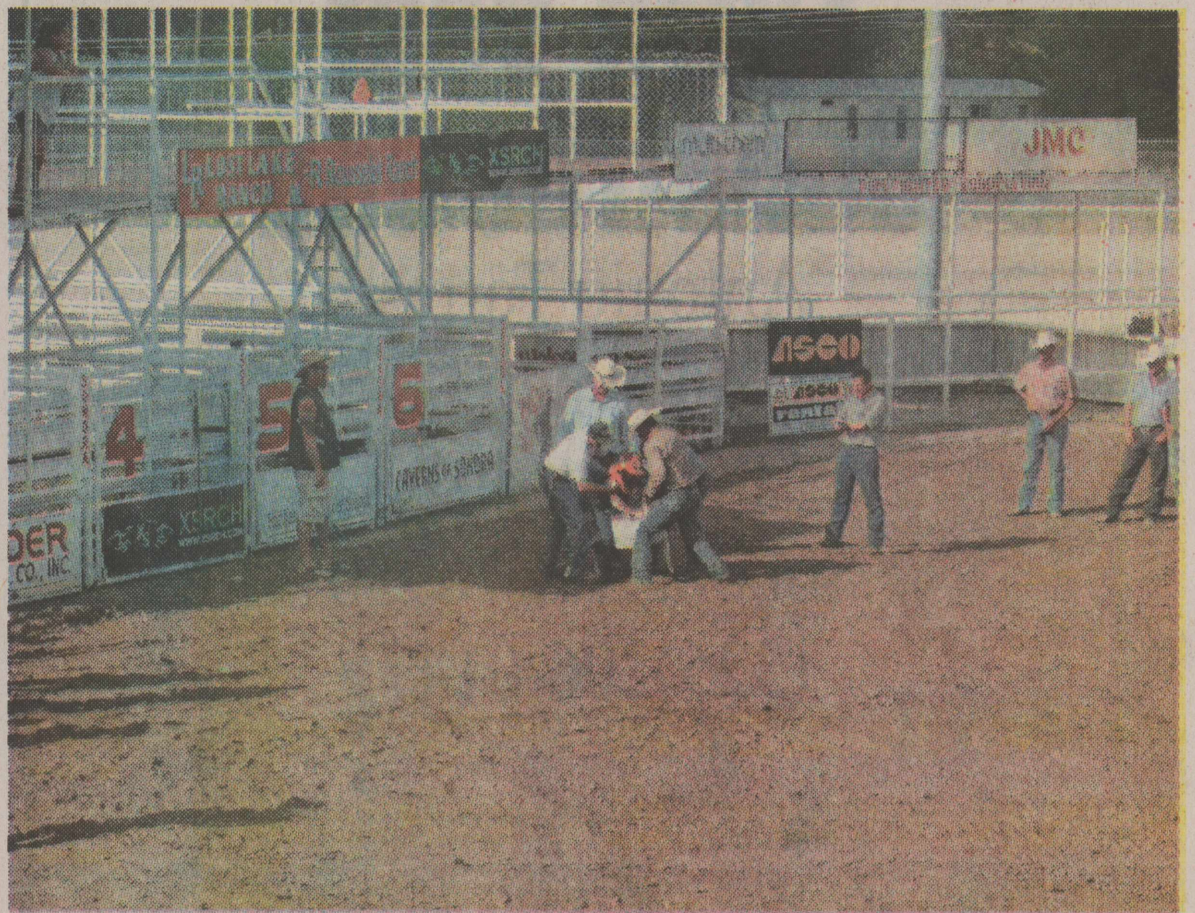
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Ready for some Mutton Bustin"... These local kiddos had there shot Saturday, June 22nd to ride in the Outlaw Pro Rodeo Friday night. The top 6 that will be competing is Braden Bailey (time of 5.9), Riley Wardlaw (time of 5.7), Ashton Bryant & Tayvin Gonzales (timed at 2.9) and Kevin Hopkins & Ryan Mendez (timed at 2.8). Good Luck to these 2013 Mutton Busters!!



Junior Wool Judging Team Takes the Blue Ribbon. Team consists of Kadee Petty, Kodi Davis, Sydney Flores, and Madolyn Fisher



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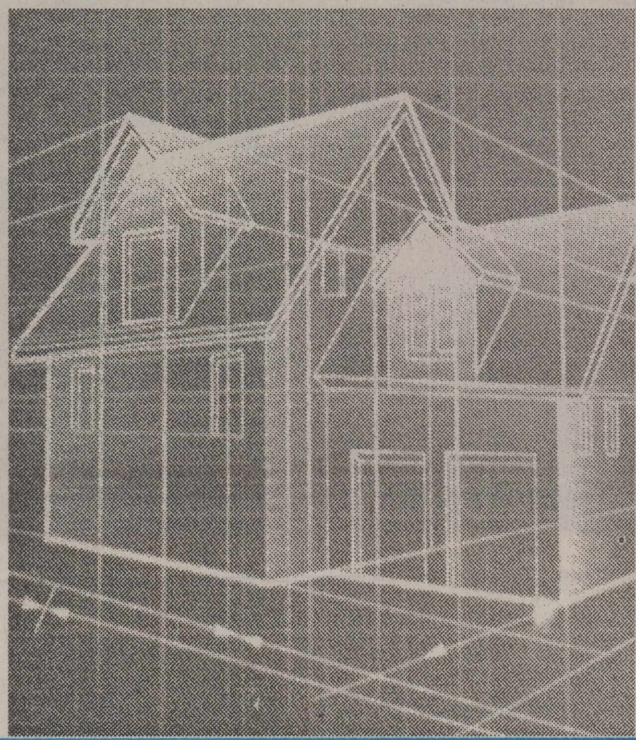


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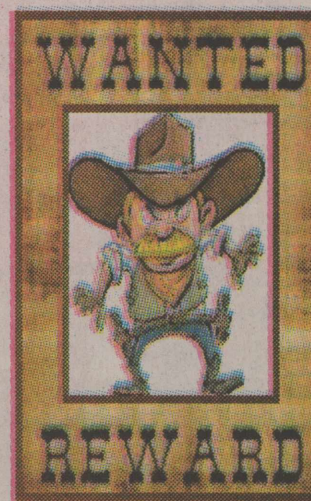
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- 8:00 A.M. - SUTTON COUNTY DAYS OUTLAW PARADE
- 10:00 A.M. - OPENING CEREMONY
- 10:15 A.M. - LITTLE MISS & MR. SUTTON COUNTY CONTEST
- 11:00 A.M. - MISS SUTTON COUNTY CONTESTANTS INTERVIEW
- 11:30 A.M. - "GUNS FOR HIRE" SHOOTOUT
- 12:00 P.M. - BAKING CONTEST AWARDS
- 12:30 P.M. - BAD RODEO BAND
- 2:00 P.M. - "GUNS FOR HIRE" SHOOTOUT
- 2:30 P.M. - BAD RODEO BAND

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label artist's include key-board player Evan Fierro and accordion player Richard Losoya, who have both had stints with ATM, Cinco Doce and have sat in with

Eddie Gonzalez among others. Saxophone player Anthony Borjas has played with Grupo Stampede, most current former drummers Erick Martinez and Rylee Ramos once played with Conjunto artists "Thoze and Guyz" and Jonny Martinez, as well as local country favorites Charlie Robison and Kevin Fowler. Original as well as the Texas country group Crossing Tyler. This past year we welcomed Rudy Sanchez to the group as our new drummer and look forward to enjoying many years and much success with him.

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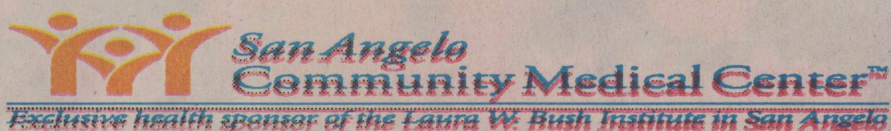
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