

Governor Appoints Martinez To County Commission

by Doris Cherry

On Tuesday, October 19, Governor Gary Johnson announced that Leo Martinez was appointed as member of the Lincoln County Commission for District 3.

"I do authorize and empower you to execute and fulfill the duties of that office according to law, and to hold said office with the rights and emoluments thereto legally appertaining unto you," the letter to Martinez stated.

Martinez will be sworn in at the beginning of the

Lincoln County Commission meeting today (Thursday) October 21 in the commissioners room of the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo. He will hold the office until January 1, 2001 at which time the individual elected in the 2000 general election will assume the seat.

"A lot of things in Lincoln County need to be looked at," Martinez told *THE NEWS*. His first project is the county jail. "What's wrong with the jail we have now, other than nothing being done?" Martinez said. He added he hoped the commission will

look at the feasibility of remodeling the existing jail to bring it to code because this would better serve the taxpayers. "I can't see building a country club for prisoners," he added.

Another area Martinez has concern for is the giving of county money to various organizations who just ask for it. He said he prefers to do a matching program where the county would provide some funds to match funds already raised by the organization. "That makes them feel they are part of the project."

On Monday, October 18, Martinez was one of three persons interviewed by the governor to fill the District 3 seat. Martinez said when he talked with the governor they spoke about economics and problems with kids. He said they agreed about prisoners who go to jail and have an easy time of it. "We're making it too good for prisoners," he added. "When they get out they don't have to pay anybody. Yet we make kids who go to college pay. It costs more to jail a man than to educate him."

Owner of Chileo's Restaurant located near the "Y" on Highway 70 in Ruidoso and owner of a small lath and plaster company, Martinez is not new to politics. He started his political career in Santa Barbara, CA, where he was the first Hispanic elected to the Santa Barbara City Council. After his four year term on that council, Martinez was appointed by then California Governor Jerry Brown to the California State Commission on Boating and Waterways. He served as chair for five years on the commission

that disbursed \$30 million in grants and loans annually to cities and counties for waterway development.

Martinez told *THE NEWS* that when he semi-retired to Ruidoso in 1994, he thought he would not get involved with politics. But he soon met the late county commissioner Wilton Howell who convinced Martinez to run for the District 2 Lincoln County Commission seat in 1998, because commissioner Ray Nunley had announced he was not seeking that

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CAPITAN VARSITY VOLLEYBALL team is first in District 6AA play so far with a 4-1 record. The team plays Tularosa in its last regular district season match at 6 p.m. tonight (Thursday), which is also parents night, in Cummins Gym. Players pictured on front from left are Shawna Cupit and Krystal Roybal, middle row Marlo Maroon, Trenna Stephens and Holly Schlarb, back row Jennifer Underdown, Shawna Shrecengost, Lindsey Bush, T.J. Maroon, Jessica Castenada, Esperanza Martinez and coach Bryan Masse. Not pictured are Swanlynn Chico, Jessica Tully Mitchell and Lorena Brockman who also play JV. District tournament begins Thursday, October 28 when the winner of the Cloudcroft-Tularosa game plays the Lady Tigers at 6 p.m. in Cummins Gym. The winner of that match will advance to the Region H match with the Dexter Lady Demons at 6 p.m. Saturday, October 30 in Dexter.

Carrizozo Discusses Rec Center Phone Bill

Requests Manager to Attend Meetings

by Barbara Culler

The regular meeting of the Town of Carrizozo Board of Trustees was held Oct. 12. Present were trustees James Silva, Eileen Lovelace, and Wesley Lindsay, and mayor Manuel Hernandez and town clerk/treasurer Carol Schlarb.

Steven Sale, Carrizozo water operator, presented the water department report. He said that on September 30 the consumer's confidence report was completed and was mailed to all the water users and the New Mexico Environmental Department. This report is mandated by the state and Sale said that it would be done every year and mailed to all the water users each year.

Sale said that it is time for a sanitary survey and inspection by the New Mexico Environmental Department. This inspection will be on October 21. They will inspect the well site, filtration plant, and several other things. Sale said either before or shortly after the inspection some upgrading will be needed. A chemical feed pump for one of the well sites will need to be purchased, some repair work to one of the well site buildings, and install a two inch water meter on the small well discharge line.

Fluoride is being added to the water as per the request of Dale Goad of the Carrizozo Health Clinic. This is not a mandatory program, but has been requested for the teeth of the children. No additional purchase was purchased for this, but will increase chemical usage and costs.

Sale said that as of January 1, 2000, the new state ground water rule will be in effect requiring chlorination of all well sites and that this will increase chemical usage, costs, and increase micro biological monitoring.

Trustees were told that as far as he and Jim Payne, town foreman, know there still has been no final inspection completed of the filtration plant though Sale said that the contractor says they have documentation showing there was. There

are some problems that Sale and Payne think that the contractor should take care of and Sale is waiting to find out what happens with the contractor before he does anything about them. Hernandez told Sale that the town attorney, David Stevens, has been advised to look into the situation, but that he hasn't heard anything from Stevens yet. Payne says that the documentation that the contractor has was signed off by people who were hot around when the year was over with. Payne says he does not know what the sign off was as he has never seen anything on it. To replace the bad valve will cost the town about \$1,100 if the contract does not pay for it. Hernandez said that either he or any of the trustees have signed off on anything and that he feels that expense is the responsibility of the contractor.

Sale made the suggestion to the trustees that they consider raising the water rates at the first of the year to compensate for all the additional costs that are going to be incurred.

One member of the audience asked about a person testing the water in their home. Sale said that the closest place he knows for a person to take a sample to the lab is Alamogordo which is the closest lab he knows that certifies for the New Mexico Environmental Department.

Sale says that the water is very hard. Sale said that a water softener could be used in the home. He said that all the water in New Mexico that he has seen or worked with is very hard and that will never change as there is a lot of alkalies in the water. Hernandez said that the Bonita water is softer and being mixed with the well water.

Lovelace asked about McBride Well which is to be used by the recycling plant when it opens up. Payne said he does not know the problem whether it is drying up or whether it is muddying in. He told the trustees the only way to find out would be to pull the well. He said it just won't pump the water that

it goes down to a trickle. Hernandez said that he understands that the plant will be putting up tanks and recycling the water. Lovelace said that the plant will need to replace any loss. Payne said that the problem sounds like mud. Payne said that he would take Sale out to look at it and get his opinion. Bailing the well was discussed by the trustees.

Carrizozo Chief of Police Angelo Vega presented the police department report. He said that the police department received a default judgment for forfeiture from the 12th Judicial District Court in the amount of \$1,189.84. This money was confiscated

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Carrizozo and Capitan Students Receive Livestock Scholarships

Carrizozo student Brian Hightower and Capitan student Codi Montes were among six FFA and 4-H club members statewide to receive college scholarships from the New Mexico Junior Livestock Foundation.

The scholarship recipients were chosen for their participation in their clubs and communities. The scholarship awards were presented during the New Mexico State Fair in Albuquerque.

Carrizozo Masonic Lodge Donates To Hurricane Victims

The Carrizozo Masonic Lodge recently received an appeal for relief from the Masonic Service Association of North America for their members in North Carolina who were victims of Hurricane Floyd. Many lives were lost in the hurricane that also caused a great deal of property damage.

Carrizozo Masonic Lodge made a donation in answer to this appeal. If there are other masons or others who would like to help, donations can be mailed to Carrizozo Masonic Lodge, Box 159, Carrizozo, NM 88301. The donation will be forwarded to Masonic Service Association in North Carolina.

Solid Waste Authority To Continue Recycling

by Doris Cherry

The Village of Ruidoso plans to discontinue using the Lincoln County Solid Waste Authority (LCSWA) by the first of November.

Even though this will reduce the amount of recyclable materials for the LCSWA program, LCSWA plans to continue the program in the county and other communities.

During the LCSWA board meeting Tuesday, October 19, LCSWA manager Jerry Wright said it will take three months after Ruidoso is out of the recycling program to determine the effect on the amount of recyclable products. Currently, LCSWA's recycling revenues will be at 31 percent of the project budget revenue once two loads of materials and a payment from Ruidoso is received.

"In three months we'll look at the revenues again," Wright said.

Wright added that LCSWA needs to continue the recycling program because it is a real "warm fuzzy" program much favored by the New Mexico Environment Department that provides grant funding.

Next year Wright hopes to change the way LCSWA collects its recyclable materials however. Currently LCSWA utilizes "igloo" containers for the recyclable materials. But the igloos are

labor intensive and dangerous because they require the use of a crane for lifting to empty.

Wright and the LCSWA collection supervisor are looking at a "roll off" container system that has compartments for different types of materials. The containers cost about \$3,000 each and hold 20 yards of materials. Wright suggested placing the new containers at Alto, Capitan, Carrizozo, Cedar Creek and Walmart store, plus one extra that might be placed at the new Ranches of Sonterra fire station when completed. Wright also suggested using dumpsters with a hole in their locked lids to serve as recycling containers.

LCSWA chairman Joe Hayhurst suggested LCSWA make a request for an appropriation from the year 2000 state legislature to finance the purchase of the new recycling containers.

For now LCSWA will continue to use the igloos. Carrizozo LCSWA member Cynthia Morales who was unable to attend the meeting in person but who sent her proxy vote, also sent a complaint about the recycling igloos that are overflowing in Carrizozo. Wright said the igloos have not been serviced because the trailer used to collect the materials was in the shop, and the route employee had

to take over a regular trash collection route because two regular drivers were out with workers comp injuries.

Wright said he sent the recycling route driver out that day to clean up around the Carrizozo igloos and hoped to get the recycling routes back in service now that the part had been found for the trailer.

Although LCSWA is planning for Ruidoso to pull out of the recycling program by November 1, LCSWA has received no formal written notice from the village.

Wright said recycling will never make LCSWA money, and all the authority can hope for is to break even

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Senator Domenici Staff In Carrizozo Monday, Oct. 25

Staff members of US Senator Pete Domenici will meet with the public from 10 to 11 a.m. Monday, October 25 in the Lincoln County Commission chambers in the Lincoln County Courthouse in Carrizozo.

Anyone who is experiencing difficulty with a federal agency who would like Senator Domenici's assistance is welcome to visit with the senator's staff. Additionally anyone who would like to convey an opinion to the senator is welcome to do so.

Carrizozo Discusses Rec

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during a drug search warrant in May of this year. He said that he talked to Schlarb about the money and that Schlarb is going to contact the Department of Finance and see how to go about how the money is to be allocated. Schlarb said that the money has to be used in relation to drug confiscation.

Vega gave the results of the police and maintenance departments auction. The police department received \$8,619.50 which after expenses will be \$7,055; and the maintenance department received \$9,192.00 which after

expenses will be \$7,353.60. Hernandez said that he appreciated Colonel Swede Swede, of the Carrizozo Auction Company, for the good job that he did and for the money he made for the town. Swede thanked Payne for the help he gave him very early Saturday morning during setting up of the auction, early Sunday helping in loading out items, and again early Tuesday morning helping with the loading.

Municipal Judge C. O. Rominger made his report to the trustees. He discussed repairing the roof on the police/court complex

and getting hot water in the building. He said that the hot water heater that is there does not work. Lindsay told Rominger to have the hot water problem checked out and the trustees also approved Rominger getting several estimates on fixing the roof.

Nothing was done on the Charles A. Niederstadt request to discuss town police chief and kids of the town as Niederstadt was not present at the meeting and no information had been left concerning the request.

Approval was given on the request by People For Kids (PFK) to declare Friday, October 29, Halloween for the town in order to hold the annual Halloween Carnival at the school.

Leedshill-Herkenhoff, of Albuquerque, was awarded the RFP for professional services five year action plan for the Carrizozo Municipal Airport. Two companies responded on the RFP: Leedshill-Herkenhoff, which received 100 points, and Molzen Corbin & Associates which received 95 points. The five point difference was that Leedshill-Herkenhoff is familiar with the Carrizozo Municipal Airport. This is a \$28,000 project with most of the funding coming from the Federal Aviation with Carrizozo having a \$500 match.

Trustees approved the resolution for Infrastructure Capitol Improvement Plan (ICIP). The priority rankings are as follows: 2000-01 wastewater treatment plant, 2000-02 street improvements, 2000-03 municipal building renovation or construction, and 2001-01 Carrizozo Municipal Swimming Pool.

The resolution regarding FY 2000 CDBG waste water system project and resolution regarding FY 2000 street improvement project were approved by the trustees.

Concerning school superintendent Glenna Goodwin's request to share the cost of putting up flashing caution signs around the school zone, Vega said that he was still checking into getting some surplus ones as new signs are very expensive. Hernandez asked him to

have all the information for the trustees by the October 26 meeting so that a decision could be made.

Trustees discussed the telephone bill from the Carrizozo Recreation Center. Recreation center manager Christina Full was not present at the meeting so there was no recreation center report.

In the discussion of payment of personal calls on the telephone bill, Lovelace felt that Full should be responsible for the calls. Hernandez made a request to the trustees was that if Full does not pay for this bill the phone be removed from the recreation center. Lovelace said that she knew it would make some parents upset, but the town could not keep paying for personal telephone calls. Schlarb suggested revising the contract to make Full responsible for placing the phone at the recreation center. Right now the contract says it is the town's responsibility for the phone. Schlarb said that she felt the town should not be responsible for calls that are entirely personal and not related to the bowling alley. The trustees told Schlarb to pay the phone bill and then bill Full for the personal calls.

Hernandez asked the trustees for permission to send Full a letter telling her it is mandatory for her to be at the meetings so they can conduct recreation center business instead of having to continually table it because she does not attend the meetings enough.

Lovelace made a motion that Stevens change the wording of the contract to make Full responsible for the phone, that there be a meeting with Full, and she either agrees to the contract or she doesn't. The motion was approved by the trustees. Hernandez told Schlarb to send Full a letter advising her that the wording in the contract is to be changed and what is happening.

Hernandez read a request from the New Mexico Municipal League requesting that the trustees adopt an enclosed resolution "A Resolution Denouncing Governor Gary Johnson's Stance on the Legalization of Drugs and His Irresponsible Statements Concerning Drug Use". Lovelace asked that it be put on the next agenda.

At the end of the meeting, Colonel Swede addressed the trustees and asked them to consider the use of auxiliary police, an unpaid position, to help the police department at different times. Swede said that he saw three teenagers missed by about three feet getting hit by a semi-truck at the turn into town from Alamogordo. Swede said that a lot of municipalities have auxiliary police and there are several in town who would be interested in helping when needed in that position. Perhaps used during school lunch time to slow traffic at that turn or where ever needed. Swede said that the police need some help and that they just can't cover the whole town. Hernandez said that he has asked Vega to look into it and find out about the insurance and liabilities involved.

The next regularly scheduled Town of Carrizozo Board of Trustees meeting is Tuesday, October 26, 6:00 P.M., at City Hall.

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position. Martinez lost the race to Nunley who decided to run for reelection. Over the years Martinez said he became good friends with Howell, who often visited with Martinez to discuss and argue politics. "We were good friends," Martinez said of Wilton Howell.

While he will never really replace Howell, Martinez said he does speak his own mind. "I learned to listen to people but I do speak my own mind, and do what my brain and heart tell me to do," he added.

Martinez grew up in Santa Barbara and graduated from Carpentaria High School. He attended Santa Barbara City College then went on to University of California at Santa Barbara where in 1972 he got his BA in political science and sociology. A lather/plasterer by trade since he was 13 years old, Martinez started his own lath and plastering business in 1979. From 1983 until 1979 Martinez was the business agent and secretary

treasurer of the Lathers Local Union #379 in California. He served seven years on the board of directors of the Citizens for a Balanced Community in Santa Barbara, and four years on the Committee for Fighting Back (an initiative against alcohol and drug abuse) also in Santa Barbara.

In 1993, Martinez received the Lifetime Achievement Award, Man of the Year by the Santa Barbara Newspaper.

In 1994 along with starting his plaster company and restaurant in Ruidoso, Martinez invested in real estate in Ruidoso and Alamogordo. He also founded and serves as president of the first League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) in Ruidoso. He is a member of the Ruidoso and Alamogordo Chambers of Commerce and a member of Alto Lakes Association.

Martinez can be contacted at 258-2212.

Solid Waste

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between the revenue and costs.

Another change in LCSWA beginning the first part of November is the hauling of trash. Two months ago, LCSWA board authorized the purchase of a large hauling trailer that will enable LCSWA to haul its own trash to the regional landfill south of Alamogordo. This came about after Ruidoso informed LCSWA the village was raising the rate for hauling LCSWA trash from the transfer station on Gavilan Canyon to the regional landfill. At that time Wright estimated LCSWA could haul its own trash for lower or same amount. Wright said Tuesday that he hoped the trailer would be delivered soon so LCSWA can begin hauling its trash to the landfill by November 1. "By November 1, we should be totally free from Ruidoso in recycling and trash hauling," Wright said.

Board members also approved the 1999-2000 fiscal year budget, that had been returned from the New Mexico Department of Finance and Administration (DFA). In the letter from DFA, the financial analyst commented his concerns about the budgeted expenditures exceeding the budgeted revenues by \$265,567, which necessitates a transfer from the Environmental Gross Receipt Taxes fund and a draw down of the beginning cash balance to cover operational costs. Wayne Gyulai, executive budget analyst for DFA wrote that the current level of general operating expenditures would not appear to be sustainable next year and beyond without an increase of revenues. "How do you propose addressing this situation?"

THE NEWS asked Wright and Hayhurst how LCSWA proposes to deal with this.

Wright said the financial office has received a new computer program that will help keep a better accounting and will help in developing the fiscal year 2000-2001 budget. He said that the finance office will have better information about the costs and revenues for next year's fiscal budget because Ruidoso will have been out of the authority for more than a year.

LCSWA finance officer Beverly Foote said she spoke with Gyulai about the budget and was told that the expenditures were not out of line for the LCSWA operation, but revenue from rates was low. Only the Village of Ruidoso Downs has increased its residential trash rates since LCSWA took over trash collections. Wright's efforts to get the other LCSWA entities to increase rates for this fiscal year were not successful.

Wright did say that some new sources of revenue are coming in with about seven percent new accounts, mostly in the new subdivisions in the county. The Lincoln County Assessor's office keeps LCSWA up to date on newly constructed homes and new mobile home residences.

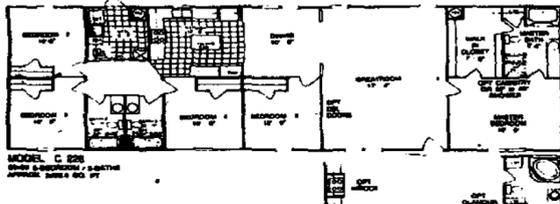
In other business, members authorized Wright to pursue a lease of a backhoe through a cooperative contract with DeBoca County. However, Hayhurst encouraged Wright to research whether any New Mexico State Highway funds are available to purchase state highway surplus equipment. In the past eligible village governments were able to obtain up to \$25,000 in surplus funds to purchase highway department equipment.

DR. JOHN KIKER
 Is pleased to announce the opening of an Adult and Pediatric Urology Clinic to be held at the office of Dr. Arlene Brown at 304 Sudderth Drive, Ruidoso, NM. Clinics will be held on Mondays. The dates for the next three months are as follows:
 • November 8 & 22, 1999
 • December 6 & 20, 1999
 • January 10 & 24, 2000
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 —Capitan Public Library story hour for 4 and 5 year olds, 2:30 p.m.

FIRST & THIRD TUESDAYS
 —Jalayne Spivey of the District II Office of the State Engineer is at Ruidoso Village Hall from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

TUESDAYS
 —Alcoholic Anonymous 8 p.m. Carrizozo Senior Citizens Center. Call 648-1145 for information.

WEDNESDAYS
 —Moms In Touch prayer meeting, 9 a.m. Ancho. Carpool from Carrizozo. Call 648-2460 for information.

WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS
 —Ruidoso Public Library story time, 2-3 p.m. Wednesdays, 10-11 a.m. Thursdays, for children 3-6.

THURSDAYS
 —Carrizozo School Library Story Hour 9:30-10:30 a.m. for preschoolers age 3-5.
 —Lincoln County Adult Singles Group 6:30 p.m. Call 354-2635 or 258-3201 for information and location.
 —Alcoholics Anonymous 8 p.m. Carrizozo Senior Center. Call 648-1145 for information.

FRIDAYS
 —Alcoholics Anonymous big book open discussion 7-8 p.m. Capitan Senior Center 354-4032 for information.

TODAY, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21
 —No school for Capitan elementary students for parent teacher conferences.
 —Lincoln County Commissioners 9 a.m. courthouse in Carrizozo.
 —Food commodities distribution 10:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Zia Senior Citizens Center in Carrizozo. Proof of residency and income required.
 —Capitan Board of Education, 6 p.m. administration building.
 —Capitan High School parent meeting 6 p.m. library.
 —Lincoln County Democratic Party 6:30 p.m. Gabe's Restaurant, 1214 Mechem Drive Ruidoso. For information call Chay Rennick at 258-9090 or Paula Gunn at 336-1145.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22
 —New school district-wide for Capitan students to allow for parent-teacher conferences.
 —Carrizozo Parent-teacher conferences.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23
 —Optimist Club Bike Safety Program, 10:30 a.m.-12 noon White Mountain Elementary School parking lot, Ruidoso.
 —Lincoln County Historical Society annual meeting and Chautauqua presentation on Gov. Lew Wallace, 2-4 p.m. San Juan Church in Lincoln. Open to the public.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 24
 —St. Theresa Fiesta in Corona. Rescheduled from last week when cancelled due to weather.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 25
 —U.S. Senator Pete Domenici staff to meet with public from 10-11 a.m. Lincoln County Commission chambers, courthouse in Carrizozo.
 —Capitan Middle School parents meeting 5:30 p.m. middle school.
 —Lincoln County Medical Center Board of Trustees 6 p.m. LCMC Conference Room, Ruidoso.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 26
 —State Senator Pete Campos and State Rep. Dub Williams to meet with government officials and public at 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Lincoln County Commission chambers in the courthouse in Carrizozo.
 —Republican Women of Lincoln County pot luck at 11:30 a.m. at home of Lavonne Adams, board meeting at 10 a.m.
 —Carrizozo Town Trustees 6 p.m. town hall.
 —Special Capitan Village Trustee meeting and public hearing at 6 p.m. on change to water ordinance.
 —Ruidoso Village Council 6:30 p.m. numerous public hearings on ordinance changes.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27
 —Lincoln County Lodgers Tax Committee 10 a.m. Ruidoso Convention Center.
 —Carrizozo Family & Community Education (FCE) club 1 p.m. Otero County Electric Cooperative, Inc. office. Membership enrollment for year 2000. (Formerly Extension Homemakers Club.)
 —Carrizozo School Character Counts Assembly, 2:45 p.m. multipurpose room.

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Learning To View TV Critically Is Goal Of Media Literacy

by Doris Cherry

A quiet revolution is starting in America against the mass media that has created a world of consumerism and a distorted sense of self image.

This revolution is a program called Media Literacy.

Dr. Peter DeBenedittis, Ph.D. presented his media literacy programs to Capitan, Carrizozo and Corona school students and their parents and teachers recently. The evening of October 6, DeBenedittis presented his parent/teacher program to a group of parents and educators at Carrizozo school.

Six years ago, DeBenedittis helped start the New Mexico Media Literacy Project because he believed the media was in large part responsible for many societal problems. As a former ad agency owner and market research firm staffer, DeBenedittis knows first hand what repeated messages do to kids and adults.

DeBenedittis helped develop the New Mexico Media Literacy presentations and training curriculum that utilizes a CD-ROM with full motion and video multi-media. He has presented his program to more than 30,000 New Mexico students and educators and has served as advisor to the White House Office on Drug Control Policy, The Center for Disease Control, American Academy of Pediatrics, and the National Cancer Institute. He said New Mexico leads the country in its media literacy education.

Media literacy has a four fold focus: to teach students and adults how to read television and mass media in order to access, analyze, evaluate and produce media. DeBenedittis shows actual TV commercials and print ads to show how the media creates a negative attitude toward education and encourages the viewer to be compulsive, addictive consumers.

"Think of what media does," DeBenedittis said. He listed statistics that show how an 18 year old will have seen half a million commercials and how students spend an average of 15 hours watching television for every nine hours spent in the classroom. "Television media attacks education," DeBenedittis said showing

an example of a candy ad that showed girls with low grades sending their report cards to an Eskimo.

"Children identify with logos before they do with words," he continued, and showed how the preschool program "Teletubbies" is used to promote Burger King. "Media doesn't report economic connections."

DeBenedittis then showed ads that he said sell "drugs" using an example of a sugary cereal print ad that made veiled reference to cocaine use. "The ad teaches drug behavior at an early age," he said.

DeBenedittis also spoke about a study of mice fed a sugary cereal where the mice sickened and died, yet another group of mice that were fed the box the sugary cereal was in lived. "Once they get the kids with sugar, they sell caffeine." Use of caffeine adds to the increased incidence of Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD), which DeBenedittis believes is further increased by television's 30 second change of subject.

With media literacy students and parents learn to challenge the messages from advertising. New studies on media literacy, show positive results on teenage drinking and smoking, with one-third of student smokers reporting they tried to stop after seeing the media literacy presentation. A long term track study by the New Mexico Department of Health in six school districts has shown a correlation in grades from students who watch less TV. Students who read three hours a week or more are likely to resist drugs.

DeBenedittis said media encourages substance abuse, especially programs such as MTV or music videos.

"We want to see a revolution in our culture," DeBenedittis said. "TV and government won't help us."

He recommended media literacy programs be started in the schools and a six step program that parents can do at home. He recommended cutting TV viewing in half and spend at least 16 to 37 minutes a week playing, talking or reading with their children; setting up a TV free zone in the home; parents screen and select programs for their children; parents watch TV or movie videos with their children then discuss the values shown; no screens (TV or

computer) in bedrooms; and turn off the TV.

"Studies show that adults who watch a lot of TV tend to be more depressed," DeBenedittis said. "Those who say they are happy tend to watch less TV."

"Learn how to talk with your kids," he added.

Studies also show that 15 percent of societal violence is caused by media. With media literacy, students learn how media affects body image and eating disorders, risky sexual behaviors, compulsive consumerism and debt.

DeBenedittis admits that not all media is bad. He showed examples of commercials that teach about the dangers of tobacco and alcohol. He admitted he does watch television, but just the major networks, and he does not have cable access.

The Counseling Center of Lincoln County sponsored DeBenedittis program in the schools. Genevieve Phean, from the Counseling Center, who introduced DeBenedittis, said the Counseling Center has the equipment and materials to offer the media literacy program. She said the

Center's main goal is to teach older students how to teach younger students on media literacy, since that has been shown to be very effective.

For more information about the media literacy contact the Counseling Center in Ruidoso or visit the media literacy Website at www.medialiteracy.net or Email DeBenedittis at peterd@rt66.com or call him at 505-471-8437.

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Elaine Valderrama

THOUGHTS

FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

New County Commissioner

By Ruth Hammond

We now have a full Lincoln County Commission again. Early this morning Leo Martinez was sworn in and will fill the seat until January 1, 2001. He is approaching the job with enthusiasm and we wish him the best. There are times being a Lincoln County Commissioner can be frustrating.

Even if we don't agree with every action taken by the county commissioners, we know they have a tremendous responsibility to do what is best for Lincoln County. They have an abundance of reading to do to prepare for each meeting. The packet each commissioner receives before every meeting has the agenda and documentation for most of the agenda items. This allows commissioners time to read about the agenda items in advance and get additional information if needed before the meeting. Decisions made by the county commissioners are not made suddenly. They are made only after extensive research into the situation.

Lincoln County residents have been fortunate to have had some very dedicated county commissioners through the years. Quite often our county commissioners work more hours at being county commissioners than they do at their regular jobs or businesses. Sometimes they have fun doing their duty as commissioners but usually it is lots of work.

Consider how you would feel if your boss called you at home to discuss business and complain at any hour of the day and any day of the week. This is how commissioners do county business. County residents call commissioners at home to make requests and/or complaints but seldom to praise the county for having done a job well. Usually the commissioners are willing to listen and accept suggestions.

Other times commissioners attend social and/or political functions to represent the county and to show their interest in things that are important to Lincoln County. They attend the Lincoln County Fair, participate in parades in several different locations in the county many times during the year, visit senior citizens centers, meet with other elected officials, travel to Santa Fe to promote Lincoln County at the state level, and talk to people everywhere they go. They are sincere in their desire to do what is best for Lincoln County.

Many people think they would like to be elected to the position of county commissioner but few people realize that the majority of county business is conducted according to regulations set by the state constitution. Budgets must be prepared and approved by commissioners and then must be approved by the state. All county matters concerning money must be approved by the state. Commissioners must have items listed on the agenda 24 hours in advance of the meeting before being allowed to take any action, according to the state Open Meetings Act. The county must also comply with state purchasing requirements, and bids and proposals must be accepted according to state laws.

Even if they are a nuisance at times, the state laws that concern county government are supposed to help protect the county and we believe they usually do. Mr. Martinez will learn the difference between wanting to be a commissioner and actually fulfilling the duties of the position just as the other commissioners have learned through the years. We welcome him to the commission and wish him the best.

Welcome to commission



Calendar of

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 29

- Capitan Elementary Awards assembly 8:30 a.m. Traylor Gym.
- Capitan Elementary Fall Festival 1-2:30 p.m.
- Capitan Middle School Haunted House.
- Carrizozo School PFK Halloween Carnival, 6-9 p.m. Old Gym.



EDITOR: While we all appreciate a "cleaner" environment, The Village of Capitan supported Gov. Gary Johnson's "Trek for Trash" campaign last Tuesday, October 12, 1999 because of community pride and respect for the office of the governor whether we approve or disapprove of his policies.

At the request of Norman Renfro, Mayor of Capitan, a resident of the village, Lonnie Lippmann, organized the preparations for the governor's visit. The village provided a dumpster at Village Hall for four days for the disposal of bagged trash. Camp Sierra Blanca volunteered eight youth who, along with their supervisors, spent a day picking up trash along Hwy 380 West.

Invitations to the reception for the governor and Mrs. Johnson were hand delivered to officials in Carrizozo and Ruidoso. The Capitan Tiger Band led the governor into town. We have no way of knowing how many citizens (adults and youth alike) who greeted the governor and his entourage in Capitan, Carrizozo and Ruidoso were meeting a governor for the first and perhaps only time in their lives.

This was an inspiring moment.

VIRGINIA WATSON-JONES
Capitan, New Mexico



INSIDE THE CAPITOL

SANTA FE - Advocates for campaign finance reform have adopted a new strategy for the new millennium.

In 1998, New Mexicans for Campaign Reform, a statewide coalition of 19 organizations, secured the passage of a memorial creating an interim legislative committee to review campaign finance laws and regulations in other states and to develop effective options for New Mexico. The result was a bill introduced in the 1999 Legislature to provide public financing of campaigns.

The bill, introduced by four Democrat senators, received extensive hearings in the Senate Rules Committee and Senate Judiciary Committee and passed both. It died on adjournment in the Senate Finance Committee, which worried about the indefinite amount of state appropriation that would be needed to finance campaigns of candidates for statewide and legislative offices.

For the 2000 Legislature, the strategy will be to put a constitutional amendment on the ballot providing for full public financing of state elections in New Mexico. Constitutional amendments usually are a little easier to pass in the Legislature because they don't create a law. They merely allow voters to decide whether they like the proposal.

One problem faced by advocates of public financing of elections is that Republicans don't usually like the idea. Even if the necessary votes were to be found for legislative passage, Republican Gov. Gary Johnson is likely to veto such legislation. But the governor doesn't have the final say on constitutional amendments. Instead of going to him for a signature, they go to the public for approval.

Advocates of publicly financed election campaigns feel confident that voters will approve of their idea. A January 1999 poll of New Mexicans indicated 59 percent support for candidates receiving money from a publicly financed election fund. Nationally, the approval ratings range from 60 percent to 70 percent.

The public campaign financing movement is national in scope. New Mexico is one of around 40 states participating in the effort. The campaign got started in states that allow the initiative and referendum process for getting measures on the ballot. It has since moved to states, such as New Mexico, where a bill or a constitutional amendment must pass.

Maine was the first state to go to full public campaign financing, followed by Vermont. Without publicly

financed campaigns, Jesse Ventura never could have become governor of Minnesota - a little fact that may or may not end up helping the cause of publicly financed campaigns.

Even with widespread acceptance of public campaign financing, the ballot measures will have trouble passing because big money interests that currently influence campaigns don't want to lose their advantage. Huge amounts of money are sure to be spent in an effort to defeat the ballot questions.

One of the vulnerabilities of public financing of campaigns is that it is the most comprehensive of solutions to the public perception that money buys elections.

Other solutions just nibble at the edges of the problem, according to public finance advocates.

Some of these piecemeal solutions that don't solve the problems by themselves, include full and immediate

disclosure, term limits, elimination of soft money and PAC money, contribution and spending limits, banning money from outside a candidate's district, free TV time and partial public financing.

The toughest argument faced by any schemes to limit campaign contributions or expenditures is infringement on the first amendment right of speech. In 1978, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that money is necessary to communicate a candidate's ideas to the public, so limiting a candidate's spending is limiting speech.

The court's decision did allow some limits, however, such as limiting the size of contributions and allowing voluntary public financing that imposes limits on private funds in exchange for receiving public money. And that is what the New Mexico proposal will do. It will provide full public financing of election campaigns.

MANUFACTURED HOUSING INDUSTRY AND OTHERS FILE CIVIL RIGHTS LAWSUITS AGAINST THE CITY OF RIO RANCHO

A City of Rio Rancho zoning ordinance is illegal, unconstitutional and violates a Federal Civil Rights Act according to a lawsuit filed in State District Court September 9. Members of the manufactured housing industry along with two developers and a Rio Rancho resident filed the nine-count lawsuit and are seeking declaratory and injunctive relief and damages against the City of Rio Rancho. The ordinance was petitioned to the city government and adds illegal burdens to those citizens wishing to place manufactured homes on R-1 zoned land.

"We had no choice but to file the lawsuit. The ordinance blatantly allows for exclusionary zoning, which is against the Constitution. The petition organizers used false information to achieve their objective and the City Council dismissed the literally dozens of solid arguments against the ordinance," said Mark Duran, Executive Director of the Manufactured Housing Association, which is a plaintiff in the lawsuit.

The lawsuit is challenging the legality of an ordinance passed in August by the Rio Rancho City Council, which would require manufactured homes to have garages and 12-inch eaves. The lawsuit specifically references over a dozen misrepresentations made by the People for Quality Living, the ordinance-organizing group.

The 20-page lawsuit also claims the Rio Rancho ordinance violates the New Mexico Manufactured Housing Act and the New Mexico Manufactured Housing Zoning Act.

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County Road Crews Clear Roads During Early Winter Storm

An early winter storm on Sunday, October 17, blanketed Lincoln County with seven to 14 inches of snow, bringing out the snow plow crews from the Lincoln County Road Department.

According to road department supervisor Albert Hernandez, he called snow plow drivers Billy Hall, Josh Hammond and Brent Sulzmeier at about 4:30 a.m. and they were all out on the plows by 5:30 a.m. to clear snow from roads on Gavilan Canyon Road, major roads in Alto, Alpine Village, Sun Valley, Fawn Ridge, Lower Eagle Creek, Cedar Creek. He said they removed snow from Gavilan Canyon two or three times as the snow continued to fall throughout Sunday.

Early Monday crews spread some salt in areas where there was ice, Hernandez added. In the Corona area, where up to 14 inches of snow fell, snow plow operator Walter Garfield went out early Monday. Hernandez said not many motorists were out early Sunday, and the road department did not receive any reports of motorists stranded in the snow, which was very wet and provided a lot of traction.

Hernandez said he heard that the Lincoln County Sheriff's Office got a report of some hunters who had gotten lost in the Red Cloud Campground area near Corona. But no calls came about any other weather related problems elsewhere in the county.

The early snow storm was good, Hernandez added, because it motivated him to order salt and better prepare the equipment for the upcoming winter season.

New Mexico State Highway Department crews were out removing snow and salting roads as early as 2:30 a.m. Sunday, Hernandez added.

No schools were delayed or canceled due to the snow which had melted off roadways by midday Sunday.

Scholarships Are Available For Beef Career Students

College students pursuing careers in the beef industry are eligible to apply for a \$1,250 scholarship provided by the National Cattlemen's Foundation, Chicago Mercantile Exchange Beef Industry Scholarship Program and the Chicago Mercantile Exchange.

Students must be pursuing careers in agriculture, education, communications, production, research or other areas related to the beef industry. Students must be enrolled or plan to enroll as an undergraduate in a college of agriculture at a four-year institution during the 1999-2000 academic year.

Applicants must include a brief letter about his or her role in the beef industry after graduation, a 750 word essay describing an issue confronting the beef industry and his or her solution, two letters of reference, cover sheet including name, school name, year in school and both current and permanent mailing addresses and phone numbers. Materials should be mailed to Chairman Donald Butler, National Cattlemen's Foundation, POB 3465, Englewood, CO, 80155 and must be postmarked by Nov. 20.

Winners will be announced at the Cattle Industry Annual Convention in January 2000.

Sports



Thought last week was just a fluke when everyone that was supposed to lose won. Well, this week was even worse... you could say that everyone that was supposed to win lost!

The weekend's bleeding started Friday night when the Grizzly FB team lost a heart-breaker to Mountainair on the last play of the game. Final score was Mustangs 49 and Grizzlies 48. The win by the Mustangs probably sets up a three way tie for first place in District 1, with Ramah, Mountainair and Carrizozo ending up with 3-1 district records, depending on this weekend's action, and including Carrizozo's game with Pine Hill on Saturday. The last regular season game will be played in Pine Hill at 2:00 p.m., with Jr. High game starting at 11:00 a.m.

Actually the runnerup in our district, looks like to me, will have an advantage according to the playoff bracket, because they won't

have to play Roy, the two-time defending champion, until the finals if they get that far, and Roy will definitely get there. Melrose will probably be the toughest team to beat in the top bracket. The Buffaloes coming in as Dist. 3 champs and getting a bye in the first round. Dist. 1 runner-up is scheduled to play Dist. 2 runnerup which will probably be Logan. Dist. 1 champ will take on Dist. 3 runnerup which will probably be Floyd. But first things first, Grizzlies have to get past Pine Hill and then wait to see what happens after everyone has completed their regular season.

Carrizozo volleyball team will end their regular season tonight at home against the Lady Cardinals from Corona. Saturday's scheduled game with Honda was rescheduled and played on Tuesday night, so there will be no game on Saturday.

Biggest score that was rung up last week and winner of the 'CS' award goes to Ft. Sumner coach, who probably went to bed Friday night thinking of himself as the next Vince Lombardi. Ft. Sumner beat Springer by the score of 61-0. Not even the 8-man teams could match that. Animas came in second via a 51-10 pasting of the hapless Bears from Hatch.

AREA FB SCORES

- Mayfield 88, Alamogordo 0
- Clouderoff 28, Lordsburg 21
- Eunice 20, Tularosa 14
- Jal 16, Hagerman 3
- Loving 37, Capitan 0
- Roswell 31, Clovis 14
- Melrose 54, Floyd 18
- Ramah 60, Pine Hill 13
- Santa Rosa 43, St. Michael's 6
- Tucumcari 33, Bernalillo 0

As we mentioned in our opening paragraph, week six was just as bad as week five. Again we went 5-9. Another week like the last two and our editor might think of reassigning me, or making some changes, especially in the sports department. Might be able to get another week in, but definitely need to show some improvement. Our 47-39 record for the season is just eight over the .500 mark and doesn't look all that good after the two 5-9 weeks 7/4*77)*%\$#*1? Might be the company we've been keeping, we'll see!! But who's to know that Eagles would win two games in a row, or that Denver would embarrass Green Bay, or Carolina beating 49'ers, and Giants topping off the week and making Dallas offense look like UNM's. Caught part of Lobo game on radio Saturday night against BYU and UNM had 45 (yes I said 45) yards of total offense last of the fourth quarter. Cowboys weren't much better, with Emmitt gaining a total of

25 yards on 23 carries!!! We're not predicting or hoping this week, although praying might not be out of the question. Actually we're willing to settle for a 7-7 week... need to get a little momentum going, and get pointed in the right direction... or even a different direction would be nice. Here's how we see it this week, and don't forget we have a Thursday night game this week (which is today) Chiefs at Ravens.

THIS WEEK'S PICKS (In Bold Type)

* Kansas City at Baltimore. Case and 'no names' had a week off as did the Chiefs, both teams have new coaches, Chiefs are 3-2 and 'no names' are 2-3. Chiefs could win... but, I'll go with Ravens one more week, they play good at home. Go with home team.

* Washington at Dallas. Cowboys hurting without Ervin and Washington coming off a big win at Arizona. Hopefully Redskins will be a bit road weary and fall flat on their face in Dallas. Cowboys coming off two road losses in a row, need some home cooking to get well. Go with home team.

* Chicago at Tampa Bay. Bears let me down last week by falling to Eagles. Tampa coming off a bye week would be able to put up enough points to handle Bears. It's going to be tough to beat home teams this week. Go with home team.

* Cincinnati at Indianapolis. This should be the easiest pick of the week, but don't bet too heavy on this one. You know how things have been going this season. Bet against the spread if you do bet! This will be closer than you think. But stick with home team.

* Cleveland at St. Louis. Rams and Vermeil are still undefeated. Another one to watch out for. If somebody would have dared me I would have, but nobody did, so I won't. Rams will go to 6-0 and Browns fall to 0-7. Go with home team.

land. Both teams coming off upset games, Denver won, Pat lost. Pats won't lose two games in a row at home. I'll stick with home team again.

* Detroit at Carolina. If Panthers were good enough to beat 49'ers last week, that means they're good enough to beat Lions this week. Stay with home team.

* New Orleans at NY Giants. Giants are improving and Saints ain't (battle of the iants against

the aints). When on a losing streak go with home team!!

* Philadelphia at Miami. Sorry, but just can't bet on Eagles winning three in a row. Take Miami and the spread. I'm sticking with home team, even without Marino!!

* San Francisco at Minnesota. Vikes probably going with new QB (George) this week, put some points up in second half last week. Ross beat Moss last week, but we'll stick with Moss again

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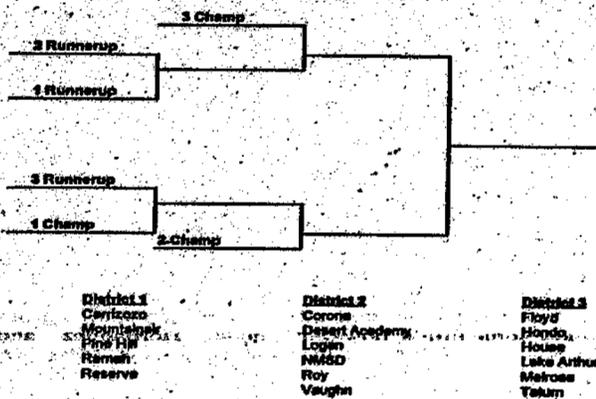
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Loving Spoils Tiger Homecoming 33 to 0

The high flying Loving Falcons spoiled Capitan's homecoming October 15 defeating the Tigers 33-0. Loving is rated number one this week in Class "A" football.

Loving scored its first touchdown with a line plunge late in the first quarter. The Falcons added the extra point, and Loving was up 7-0. James Robinson returned the following kick off to the Falcon 36 yard line. Capitan found itself in Falcon territory but could not find the goal line.

Halfway in the second quarter Loving's #17 romped 30 yards to pay dirt. The Falcons passed for two points and went out front 15-0. Later, a pass to Ryan Switzer was good and Scott Kennedy got a 1st down. The Tigers were unable to turn this into points.

Shortly before halftime Loving attempted a field goal which was no good. A Falcon back rambled 80 yards with the 3rd quarter kick off, and Loving added six points to its lead. Loving 21, Capitan 0.

A fumble by the Tigers set up the next Falcon touchdown. Loving scored with 32 seconds left in the 3rd quarter. Loving 27, Capitan 0.

On the following kick off, Loving recovered the

pigskin after a Capitan player touched it. The Falcons then went 24 yards in two plays to add their final touchdown. The extra point attempt was no good. Loving 33, Capitan 0.

Later, Switzer recovered a Falcon fumble on the Tiger 43 yard line. Robinson got 12 yards for a 1st down, and Kennedy added another 1st down. Loving intercepted a Tiger pass to stop this drive and the game ended. Loving 33, Capitan 0.

During the game nice defensive tackles were made by Capitan's Justin Hunter, Scott Kennedy, Chance VanWinkle, Dustin Sultemeier, Ryan Switzer, and Michael Brazel.

The class "A" rating in the state this week is 1. Loving 2. Jal 3. Ft. Sumner 4. Animas 5. Escalante.

Capitan travels to Jal this Friday for a 7 p.m. game. Ruidoso has a 7 p.m. game at Lovington. Clouderoff goes to Animas, and Loving is at Hagerman for 7:30 p.m. games.

On Saturday Corona is at Logan, and Carrizozo travels to Pine Hill for 2 p.m. games.

In other action, a mid-high game played on Tuesday in Capitan had the Ft. Sumner Foxes defeating Capitan 39-0.

by Bartley McDonough

C'zozo School Board Tables Senior Trip Policy Change

"To give parents and students more time for comment"

by Doris Cherry

The major topic of discussion at the Carrizozo Board of Education meeting on Tuesday, October 19, was the proposed change in policy that would relieve the school district from all sponsorship and responsibility of a senior trip. Concerns by some of the members that not

enough parents or students knew about the change caused the board to table the proposed policy change until the November board meeting.

During the board meeting Tuesday, member Lee Roy Zamora, who was absent at the September 21 meeting where the proposed policy change was first discussed, asked if the change meant there would be no more senior trips. District business manager Nenna Whittaker said with the "changed policy the seniors

could take a trip, but the school will not be responsible for them. The district could still be responsible for the senior money and issue purchase orders for tickets. But what was left from that would be divided evenly among the students.

Zamora wanted to know how the district would benefit from the policy change. Carrizozo school superintendent Glenna Goodwin said the district will have relief from responsibility while the seniors are on a trip, because they no longer students since they have already graduated. (By state policy seniors cannot take a long trip while still in school because they must complete 180 days of classroom work.) Whittaker said that some of the seniors also are 18 years old and legally responsible for themselves.

Board member Lisa Shivers said she visited with several members of the community about the proposed change. She said the people had read about the proposed policy change in the LINCOLN COUNTY NEWS. She said after explaining that the main issue about the policy change is the liability the school has in sponsoring senior trips, the people tended to understand the reason for the change.

Student instructional leader Rick Cogdill said that the change is not to diminish the seniors' opportunity for a senior trip, rather to relieve the district of any potential liability if accidents or problems occur.

In response to a question by Zamora who wanted to know who would be responsible for a senior trip if the policy is changed, Goodwin said the sponsors and parents. Zamora then commented that if the policy is changed the students would have their own choice of sponsors, and he was concerned that they would get an irresponsible person. "The way I see it we let them do what they want if they go on a trip," Zamora said. "And we let them choose who they want as sponsors."

School board member Gray Gallacher said now is a different world than in the past. "We have to cover our backs," because of the lawyers," Gallacher said.

Goodwin again said the liability for the school district and sponsors is her main concern for proposing the policy change. Current policy allows for district sponsored senior trips, with students signing an agreement they will abide by rules set down by sponsors.

Shivers said the liability issue gets bigger as senior classes get bigger. She advocated the scholarship idea of evenly dividing the senior class money among all students who could use it for college or any purpose. "A trip is great, but the class has to decide," Shivers said.

Last year, the small Carrizozo senior class took a senior trip to San Antonio, the first time since 1992.

Shivers then said it would be nice to have input from the senior class. Cogdill said he talked with some seniors who wanted to go on a senior trip, but to someplace like Hawaii. "But when it comes down to reality if the trip is not to some place exotic they lose a lot of interest," Cogdill said.

Shivers then said the school needs to make it clear to seniors they have to get with their parents to organize a trip. "We will give them the money, but no sponsorship for a senior trip," Shivers added.

After more discussion, Zamora said he wanted more



CAPITAN HOMECOMING '99 queen and king are Keena Brazel and Kenny Stahl. They were crowned during half time ceremonies on Friday, October 15.

Power Outage Hit All Of Lincoln County Last Thursday

More than 17,000 customers were without power early Thursday, October 14, due to a problem at a main substation owned by Plains Electric.

According to Otero County Electric Cooperative, Inc. (OCEC) area supervisor, Buckley Zumwalt, electricity was out for about 48 minutes to 7,000 OCEC customers and about 10,000 Texas New Mexico Power Company customers in all of Lincoln County and the Mesalero Apache Reservation. He said the power went out at about 8:30 a.m. when the power supplier Plains Electric developed a problem while doing routine maintenance at a major substation on the Mesalero Reservation between Tularosa and Ruidoso.

Zumwalt said at first no one knew what happened and it took about 10 minutes before OCEC got information about what had caused the power outage.

"We started out to help Plains with the problem," Zumwalt told THE NEWS. "But then the Plains crews called us and said they knew where the problem was and they were taking care of it. So we didn't respond."

Zumwalt said the OCEC offices got lots of calls before power was restored about 48 minutes after it went off.

Smokey Bear Park To Host Halloween Costume Contest

Smokey Bear Historical Park in Capitan invites children to drop by from 5:30-8 p.m. on Halloween, Sunday, October 31.

A costume contest will be held, with judging from 8:30-7:30 p.m.

Smokey invites all area goblins and ghosts to visit the park and join in the fun and games. Refreshments will be served.

input from parents and suggested the board speak to parents or send out a memo. Gallacher said he thought the discussion about the policy was good but they needed solutions to the concerns. Shivers then asked Zamora if he would talk to people if the proposed policy change was tabled for another month. Gallacher also suggested the policy change be postponed for a month to give more time for a discussion. "Because this is important enough to talk about," Gallacher said.

With that, Shivers made the motion to table the proposed policy change until the November meeting. Gallacher seconded the motion and members all voted yes. The proposed policy will be on the agenda of the November 19 meeting. Parents and the public are invited to attend.

In other business, board members:

—Accepted the 1998-99 audit that had only one minor finding, that the district should not include the Region IX special education program budgets in its regular budget, even though it was directed by the State Department of Education budget analyst. Auditor DeAun Willoughby otherwise gave the district an excellent audit report which she attributed to school business manager Nenna Whittaker.

—Approved the policy change on graduation requirements that allows non-senior students to be office aids, with preference given to seniors.

—Heard that the 40th-day enrollment was 285 students in pre-school to 12th grades. The last school year ended with 234 students. "We're excited about this," said Goodwin.

—Heard that the Ruidoso Downs Walmart Supercenter has chosen Carrizozo School District as the recipient of this year's Adopt-a-school program. Walmart donated the district six boxes of school supplies and will provide assistance in fund raising by donation of items.

—Approved the 1999-2000 Board of Education Goals members developed during their recent retreat. The goals are that members will continue with the Master Plan in order to prepare for expected growth in the Carrizozo Municipal Schools; collaborate with the community to ensure a safe environment for all students; strive to retain high quality employees by supporting professional development and the purchase of classroom/program materials; support technological growth and maintenance of existing equipment; encourage continued improvement of the standardized test scores

and the district's ranking in the state.

—Made the third and fourth payment to ESA Construction for the high school remodeling project. The architect was scheduled to make a final walk through of the project on October 21 or 22.

FCE Will Hold Christmas Gift Workshop Nov. 3

The Lincoln County Family and Community Education Clubs and the Lincoln County Cooperative Extension Service is holding a "Gifts of the Heart" Christmas workshop at 2 p.m. Wednesday, November 3 at the Lincoln County Fairgrounds in Capitan.

The program is free and everyone is welcome to attend.

The fair building is handicapped accessible.

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CORONA NEWS

Corona reported 14 inches of snow over the week-end and high winds were also reported. The snow was very wet and the moisture was a welcome sight, even though many residents were caught off guard. 10 degrees was reported Monday morning.

The Corona School Board held its monthly meeting on Wednesday, October 13 in the Corona School board. Attending the meeting were board members Rick Gage, Danny Lueras, Jeanene Gibbs, Dennis Byrd and Alvin James. Also present were supt. Sid Miller, principal Travis Lightfoot, business manager Janetta Stewart, transportation secretary Edie Porter, elementary head teacher Betty Ann Bell, FFA advisor Lane Widner, and DeAun Willoughby, CPA from Melrose, NM. Approved were the minutes of September 14, payroll and bills. DeAun Willoughby presented the audit and it was approved, also the transportation bar, and the Corona Schools Financial Manual. It was decided to table using a new telephone system until more information was received. Transportation secretary Edie Porter informed the board that Lee Mulkey had donated his school bus to the Corona Public School System and that it could be used for eight years as an activity bus. The board accepted the bus and thanked Lee and Patsy Mulkey. FFA advisor Lane Widner reported to the board on FFA activities and their preparation for the trip to National FFA in Louisville, KY. Elementary head teacher, Betty Ann Bell reported to the board and presented the board with the elementary newsletter. Supt Sid Miller gave the superintendent's report which consisted of a letter from Senator Pete Campos asking for monetary requests, House Memorial 25 had passed. It was a Memorial requesting employers to condition employment of teenagers on satisfactory grades, also passed out was Senate Bill 13, as amended, with emergency clause and certificate of correction. Principal's report was given by Travis Lightfoot and he

reported on homecoming, he also reported that a contract with Optima Systems, Inc. out of Albuquerque had been done, they are to help with the setting up of computers through the Technology Challenge Literacy. At 10:04 pm the board went into executive session to discuss personnel and litigation, time out was 11:45 with no action taken and only personnel and litigation were discussed. Approved was the hiring of Yvonne Kelley as part time ESL position based on the availability of funds. Other business discussed was the football watering system. Meeting was then adjourned.

Other school news is that Corona elementary teachers and aides attended a two day workshop in Ruidoso, last week. Teachers RosAnn Lightfoot and Roxanne Erramouspe attended a workshop in Santa Fe the earlier part of this month. Teacher Crystal Bell is taking classes at ENMU-Roswell campus once a week. Principal Travis Lightfoot accompanied by his wife, RoeAnn and Jeanene Gibbs, school board member, attended the Region Seven school board meeting in Ruidoso on Oct 4. A workshop on improving student achievements given by Region Seven and Ruidoso School District. Parents of elementary students from grades K-sixth can receive identification booklets prepared by the Masonic Lodge of Estancia. This booklet goes to parents and contains fingerprints. This will be done on October 21. Contact the elementary office if you have any questions. The Corona FFA received a 3rd place on their booth at the State Fair, they won with the theme of "Artificial Insemination", which came from the students going to see Elgin Breeding Service in Capitan prior to the fair. Rhiannon Alirez of the Lady Cardinals was chosen for All Tourney Team at the Bean Valley Conference in Estancia. Dal Frost did quite well with his heifer at the state fair. Congratulations to both of these Corona High School students. The Lady Cardinals traveled to Lake Arthur for volleyball and

were defeated, but came back home and beat Hondo this week. The Cardinal football team had to forfeit the game against Roy due to injuries. Tysa Davidson and Chelas Muniz are taking dance lessons in Carrizozo on Tuesdays.

Byron and Kathy Yancey along with Bernice McCord made

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Carrizozo 4-H Members Win National Trips

Carrizozo 4-H members Mary Beth Bond and Mollie Hightower have won all-expense paid trips to the National 4-H Congress in Atlanta, GA on November 28-30.

Bond, a junior at Carrizozo High School, received the award for her achievements in the 4-H clothing project. She also has been involved with the baking, dairy foods, market swine, braiding, and clowning projects. She is the 17 year old daughter of Lerry and Martha Bond.

Hightower, a senior at Carrizozo High School, received the award for her accomplishments and record-book keeping in the 4-H baking project. She also participated in the sewing, leather, clowning, and leadership projects. She is the 17 year old daughter of Gary and Beth Hightower.

Bond and Hightower are both members of the Mal Pais 4-H Club. They both have served as president of the club and on the Lincoln County 4-H County Council. Bond has served as a state 4-H diplomat and is the current president of the state 4-H council. Hightower has served as a state 4-H ambassador and is the current secretary of the state 4-H council.

Both girls are active in FFA, varsity athletics, church, student government and have been named in the Who's Who Among American High School Students.

New Mexico Arts Commission Meets In Roswell Nov. 10

The New Mexico Arts Commission will meet from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 10 at the Roswell Museum and Art Center.

The public is invited to attend the meeting where commissioners will discuss and review recommended panelists for the grant process, hear staff activity reports within the agency and discuss new business



CAPITAN CLASS OF 2000. Seniors donned their caps and gowns to ride down Smokey Bear Blvd. in the Capitan Homecoming '99 parade on Friday, October 15.

related to New Mexico Arts programs.

For information call Barbara Valencia, NM Arts, a division of the Office of Cultural Affairs, at 1-800-879-4278.

Region IX Provides Intervention Programs For Developmentally Delayed Individuals

Region IX Education Cooperative in Ruidoso provides intervention services for special needs individuals from infancy to age 21 years.

Intervention services such as speech therapy, physical therapy and occupational therapy are available, at no cost to parents of eligible children.

Families who have an infant, toddler or individual with special needs, or know of an infant, toddler or individual with special needs are urged to contact the local school district, or Dahn Freed at Region IX Education Cooperative in Ruidoso at 257-2368.

Regional IX Education Cooperative covers all school districts in Lincoln County plus Cloudcroft and Tularosa school districts in Otero County.

Ruidoso Optimist Club Will Sponsor Bicycle Safety Program Oct. 23

Ruidoso Optimist Club is sponsoring a bicycle safety program from 10:30 a.m. to 12 noon Saturday, October 23, in the parking lot of White Mountain Elementary School in Ruidoso.

Children need to bring their bikes, and old bike helmets to trade in for a new and bigger helmet. Only the first 20 children who register will be able to obtain a new helmet so children need to arrive early.

The program also includes games, prizes and drawings for free bicycles.

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Card of Thanks!
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It was my pleasure to work and be with all of you during my thirty years of service for our county. I would also like to express my sincere gratitude to all of my faithful friends, especially Neva Rae Ventura and Margo Lindsay, and county-wide acquaintances for your encouragement, your willingness to assist me and help me, and your loyalty to me in my duties in the various county offices where I was an employee. I appreciate each of you very much, and again, may I say THANK YOU. God bless you - I will miss you, but the memories of my work will always be part of my life.
Petra Sandoval

Sports

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this week. 49'ers aren't very good this season. Home team look good to me in this one!!

* Green Bay at San Diego. Packers still reeling after loss to Broncos, will run right smack dab into NFL's best defense and lose again. Bet a bundle Matthew!! I'm telling you... stick with home team!!!

* Buffalo at Seattle. Hardest game to pick this week. Both teams lost last week. Buffalo lost by 6, and Seattle lost by 3. Makes sense to me!! Go with home team!!!

* NY Jets at Oakland. Raiders won last week, and Jets lost... that's good enough for me. I'll take the home team!!!

MONDAY NIGHT GAME

* Atlanta at Pittsburgh. Laughter of the week!!! Steelers go for their 2nd win in a row and tries to get back into the race. I'm going with the home team!!!

Here's hoping your team wins this week, except Redskins cause Del-

las needs this one bad, bad, bad, bad!!! Wait til we get Giants in Dallas!!!

World Series pick: Yankees over Braves in 6!! Maybe even 5!!



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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations will conduct an accreditation survey of Lincoln County Medical Center on November 20, 1999 and December 1, 1999.

The purpose of the survey will be to evaluate the organization's compliance with nationally established Joint Commission standards. The survey results will be used to determine whether, and the conditions under which accreditation should be awarded the organization.

Joint Commission standards deal with organizational quality of care issues and the safety of the environment in which care is provided. Anyone believing that he or she has pertinent and valid information about such matters may request a public information interview with the Joint Commission's field representatives at the time of the survey. Information presented at the interview will be carefully evaluated for relevance to the accreditation process. Requests for a public information interview must be made in writing and should be sent to the Joint Commission no later than five working days before the survey begins. The request must also indicate the nature of the information to be provided at the interview. Such requests should be addressed to:

Division of Accreditation Operations
Accreditation Service Specialist
Joint Commission on Accreditation
of Healthcare Organizations
One Renaissance Boulevard
Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181

The Joint Commission will acknowledge such requests in writing or by telephone and will inform the organization of the request for any interviews. The organization will, in turn, notify the interviewees of the date, time, and place of the meeting.

This notice is posted in accordance with the Joint Commission's requirements and may not be removed before the survey is completed.

Date Posted: Wednesday, October 6, 1999
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**LEGAL NOTICE
ORDINANCE 99-6**

The Village of Capitán Board of Trustees will hold a public hearing on October 28, 1999 at 8:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Building for the purpose of discussing amending Section 3-1-3 of the Capitán Municipal Code, defining and limiting the number of structures served by a single meter, and repealing section 3-1-3. Ordinance 99-6 will then be considered for adoption at this same special meeting, October 28, 1999, 8:00 p.m. at the Village Hall Building. The public is encouraged to attend.

Kathryn R. Griffin
Village Clerk
Village of Capitán

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF LINCOLN
STATE OF NEW MEXICO**

No. CV-99-41

NORWEST BANK NEW MEXICO,

Plaintiff,

JERRY CAZARES and DONNA CAZARES,

Defendants.
NOTICE OF SALE ON FORECLOSURE
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above-entitled Court, having appointed the Special Master in this matter with the power to sell, has ordered me to sell the following real property which is situated in the County of Lincoln, State of New Mexico, and is described as follows:

Lot 7 Block 7 of BIG COUNTRY SUBDIVISION, CAPITÁN, LINCOLN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO, AS SHOWN BY THE PLAT THEREOF FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK AND EX-OFFICIO RECORDER OF LINCOLN COUNTY, FEBRUARY 6, 1978, IN TUBE NO. 478.

The street address of this property is 144 Crestview, Capitán, New Mexico 88416 (the Property).

The Judgment and Decree of Foreclosure was entered on September 7, 1999.

The sale is to begin at 10:00 a.m. on November 16, 1999, on the steps at the east entrance to the Lincoln County Courthouse, Carrizozo, New Mexico. The property will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, free and clear of all liens of the parties hereto and all persons claiming under and through the parties or any persons claiming an interest by an instrument filed for record after the date of filing of the Notice of Lis Pendens in the records of Lincoln County, New Mexico. Bids may be made in person, in writing, or by telephone, provided that cash is tendered within three (3) hours of a bidder being notified that it is the purchaser at the sale. The Plaintiff has the right to bid at such sale all of its judgment amount or any portion thereof. The proceeds of the sale shall first be applied to pay the expenses of the sale, including special master's fee, then for any costs incurred for the maintenance and protection of the property, then to satisfy the judgment in favor of Plaintiff, Norwest Bank New Mexico against Defendants Jerry Cazares and Donna Cazares. The Judgment is in favor of Plaintiff, Norwest Bank New Mexico is as follows:

Principal	\$69,067.16
Accrued interest through 2/25/99	5,099.22
(Per diem thereafter of \$15.14)	
Late fee, appraisal and title reports	828.71
Attorneys' fees and costs	882.92
Total Amounty	\$69,872.03

Interest will continue to accrue from February 26, 1999 at the per diem rate above until the sale. Moreover, additional reasonable attorneys' fees and any additional costs of collection and suit (to include the cost of publication of this notice and the Special Master's fee), may be awarded upon application to the Court and would be satisfied from the proceeds of the sale. Any additional proceeds remaining after the satisfaction of the above will be applied as determined by the Court.

Nick Vega
Special Master
P.O. Box 389
Carrizozo, NM 88401
(505) 848-2483

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**LEGAL NOTICE
Lincoln County Medical Center
COMMUNITY BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

Will Meet On
Monday, October 25, 1999
6:00 p.m.

In The
Hospital Conference Room.

The Agenda will be available at the Administrator's Office on Friday, October 22, 1999.

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**TWELFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
COUNTY OF LINCOLN**

No. 99-2257
Div. III

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

J. FREDERICK ELLIS, Decedent.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. All persons having claims against this estate are required to present their claims within two (2) months after the date of the first publication of this notice or the claims will be forever barred. Claims must be presented either to the undersigned Personal Representative at 7717 Tidewater Drive, Rowlett, Texas, 75089, or filed with the Twelfth Judicial District Court within and for the County of Lincoln. DATED: September 29, 1999.

DAVID VERON ELLIS
7717 Tidewater Drive
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P.O. Box 1099
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Attorney for Personal Representative

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**NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL
RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO**

The State of New Mexico through its Oil Conservation Division hereby gives notice pursuant to law and the Rules and Regulations of said Division of the following public hearing to be held at 8:45 A.M. on November 4, 1999, in the Oil Conservation Division Hearing Room at 2040 South Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico, before an examiner duly appointed for said hearing. If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing, please contact Florene Davidson at 505-827-7132 or through the New Mexico Relay Network, 1-800-859-1779 by October 25, 1999. Public documents, including the agenda and minutes, can be provided in various accessible forms. Please contact Florene Davidson if a summary or other type of accessible form is needed.

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO TO:
All named parties and persons
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or claim in the following cases
and notice to the public.**

(Note: All land descriptions herein refer to the New Mexico Principal Meridian whether or not so stated.)

CASE 12280:

Application of Oil Conservation Division for an order requiring Rault Petroleum Corporation to plug four (4) wells in Lincoln, De Baca and Chavez Counties, New Mexico.

In the matter of the hearing called by the Oil Conservation Division to permit the operator, Rault Petroleum Corporation and all other interested parties to appear and show cause why the following four (4) well located in (i) Unit J, Section 2, Township 3, South, Range 19 East, Lincoln County (the Armstrong State Well No. 1), (ii) Unit M, Section 33, Township 3 South, Range 25 East, De Baca County (the Mark W. Ieler Well No. 1), (iii) Unit G, Section 24, Township 1 North, Range 20 East, De Baca County (the Ridge State Well No. 1), and (iv) Unit F, section 24, Township 8 South, Range 27 East, Chavez County, (the Union State Well No. 1), should not be plugged and abandoned in accordance with a Division-approved plugging program. Further, should the operator fail to properly plug these wells, the Division seeks an order (i) requiring operator to properly plug these wells; (ii) authorizing the Division to plug these wells; (iii) ordering a forfeiture of the plugging bond, and (iv) assessing fines for failure to comply with the order.

Given under the Seal of the State of New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission at Santa Fe, New Mexico on the 14th day of October 1999.

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

Lori Wrotenbery
Director

SEAL

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Governing Body of the Town of Carrizozo will hold their Regular Scheduled Meeting on October 26, 1999 at 8:00 p.m., City Hall Conference Room, Carrizozo, New Mexico 88301.

AGENDA WILL BE POSTED in accordance with Resolution 1998-32, Twenty-Four hours prior to meeting date and made available to the public.

If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing or meeting, please contact Carol Schlarb or Margaret LaBelle at (505) 848-2871, City Hall, Carrizozo, New Mexico at least one week prior to the meeting or, as soon as possible.

Carol Schlarb,
OMCA/AAE
Town Clerk
Town of Carrizozo

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Corona News

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a trip to Roswell on Monday for doctors appointments.

Sharis Owens, formerly of Corona has taken a ranch job in Encino so that puts him and his wife Jill a little closer to home.

Ernest Dishman is still in the Nursing Home at Belen and

welcomes visitors and cards from friends. He is reported doing well.

Hazel Burton made a trip to Las Cruces Friday to pick up her grandchildren and they spent the weekend in Corona with grandparents, Bob and Hazel, and father Clay. They returned to Las

Crosses on Sunday

Thomas Hubbard, Yuca Valley, CA is visiting his mother, Mrs. Jackie Davidson and Mr. Davidson. Another son awakened his mother at 4 am to tell her of the 7.0 earthquake they had just experienced. He wanted to let them know that everything was okay.

Chet Robinson, Grants, came over to help his father Rex Robinson deliver calves Thursday. Later, Mrs. Chet and children and Mrs. Rex joined them for the weekend.

Jimmy Bryan, Panama City, Canal Zone, was here on a business trip and stopped by to spend a weekend with his mother and the Bill Bryans before going on to Yuma.

Jim Smid is now employed at the former Surratt ranch. Mital Smid accompanied by her children, Rhianon and Michael Joseph, and her father, Jim Smid attended the wedding of her brother, Cody Smid and Yolanda Begay in Las Vegas, NV, Oct 9. The Smids will make their home in Gallup.

Roma Duncan, Hawton, LA, and her mother, Reatha Melton Reynolds, made a brief visit to Corona Saturday. They spent time in the Cemetery and then stopped to see friends before continuing on to Magdalena for a few days with Mrs. Aubrey Melton and Mrs. Elmer Melton, now 96 years of age. They were to go on to El Paso, Reatha's home for many years and where she thinks she wants to find an apartment now until her daughter retires in two or three year.

Helen Cato Sorrell called to say that she was flying from her home in Wenatche, WA to Denver and bringing a friend to join Mrs. Willis Cato for a family reunion the last weekend of the month. She wants to see her friends here and is looking forward to getting info on her family at the reunion.

Mrs. Don Miller, Norwalk, Ohio, has retired so was able to join her husband on a trip to Las Vegas. They stopped to see Mrs. Proctor and others so she could hear about the UFO experience.

Cathy Munis and Mital Smid and a paramedic from Ruidoso took the Corona ambulance and accompanied the Governor and his party as far as Ancho as they continued their Trek for Trash, stopping every time Governor Johnson did to help pick up trash. The collection from Chama to Ruidoso was reported to be 25 tons. Let's remember this lesson. Most of the school children in the upper grades now possess Trek for Trash T-shirts.

Church Directory

The Word of Life Church
REV. CHUCK FULTON, pastor / 648-2336
711 E. Ave., Carrizozo, NM
Affiliated w/ the Evangelistic Assembly Church
Sunday 7:00 p.m.

United Methodist Churches
TOM WOODWARD, pastor
1000 D. Ave., 648-2593/648-2545
Sunday School (All Ages) 10:00 am
Worship Service 11:10 am
Choir Practice (Wednesday) 6:30 pm
United Methodist Women Every
3rd Wednesday 7:00 pm
Fellowship Dinner 4th Sunday of Month 12:30 pm

Tinnis Baptist Church
BILL JONES, pastor
Sunday School 10:30 am
Church Services 11:00 am
**Spirit of Life Apostolic
Pentecostal Tabernacle**
ALLAN M. MILLER, pastor
209 Lincoln Ave, Capitán, NM
354-2025
Tuesday Bible Study 7:00 pm
Sunday School 10:00 am
Sunday Evening 6:00 pm

First Baptist Church
HAYDEN SMITH, pastor
314 10th Ave, Carrizozo, NM
648-2988 (church) or 648-2107
Sunday School 9:45 am
Worship Service 10:30 am
Sun. Evening Training at 6:15 pm
Evening Worship 7:15 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

Carrizozo Community Church (A/G)
JOHNNIE L. JOHNSON, pastor
Corner of C. Ave. & Thirteenth, 648-2185
Children's Church 10:30 am
Worship Service 10:30 am
Wed. Bible Study 7:30 pm

Santa Rita Catholic Community
FR. DAVE BERGS, pastor
210 Santa Rita, Carrizozo, NM, 648-2853
SATURDAY
Capitán Sacred Heart 5:00 pm
C'ozo Santa Rita 6:30 pm
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Capitán Sacred Heart 9:00 am
C'ozo Santa Rita 10:30 am
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Church of Christ
PERRY ZUMWALT, minister
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Sunday School 10:00 am
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Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

St. Matthias Episcopal Church
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Corner of E. Ave. & Sixth, Carrizozo, NM
1-505-257-2365
Holy Eucharist 8:30 am Sunday

**Mountain Ministry Parish,
Sierra Blanca Presbytery**
Nogal Presbyterian Church/
BILL SEBRING, pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.

Ancho Community Presbyterian Church
SCOTT KING, pastor / 648-2024
Worship 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
C'ozo Presbytery Church
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study & Youth
Fellowship Wednesdays 6:00 p.m.

Christ Community Fellowship
ED VINSON, pastor (inter-denominational)
514 Smokey Bear Blvd./Capitán
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Sunday Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.

Capitán Church of Christ
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5th & Lincoln - 254-8227
Sunday Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

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