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LOSSES in 2014 —Chester Nez, Code Talker

Chester Nez (Jan. 23, 1921—June 4, 2014) was the last original Navajo Code Talker who served in the United States Marine Corps during WW II. He was assigned to the 392nd Infantry Regiment at Camp Pendleton, CA. He and 28 other Navajo marines were assigned to create a code for radio communications between units. The Navajo language was chosen because the syntax and tonal qualities were nearly impossible for a non-Navajo to learn.

Corporal Nez served at Guadalcanal, Bougainville, Guam, and Peleliu. In 2001, Nez was one of the five Code Talkers who received the Congressional Gold Medal from President George W. Bush in recognition of the unique importance of their service to the Allied cause. [From Dec. 2014 QST.]



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2015
Public Invited

NOAA WEATHER FREQUENCIES

WACO	162.475 Mhz
BRYAN	162.550 Mhz
AUSTIN	162.400 Mhz

Skywarn 2015 is scheduled for Tuesday, January 13, 2015 at Rockdale VFD, 301 N. Wilcox Rockdale from 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Milam County ARES Thursday 7 PM	147.020	PL 123.0 Khz.
Bell County NET Thursday 8 PM	145.130	PL 123.0
STX ARES HF Net Monday at 7:30 pm	on 3873 Khz.	



Wishing you a very **Merry Christmas** and a **Safe & Healthy New Year.**



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Land Office, Citizen's National Bank, local community and Milam County and with a Special Thanks to the Drayton McLane Family.

The Milano Shelter and the Milano VFD-McLane Station project has been completed. Many Thanks to the State General