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**Rice FFA To Sell 31 Calves
45 Hogs At '79 Show Sat.**

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tickets for the barbecue and Rice FFA members will sell coffee, cold drinks, and cake.
The 31 calves and 45 hogs in the show will be judged beginning at 8:30 a.m. by Dr. King of the Animal Husbandry Department at Texas A&M University. Dr. Tanksey, also of Texas A&M will judge the hogs. Winners will be announced at the opening of the sale at 1:30 p.m.

Sale Starts 1:30 p.m.
Sale of the animals, raised by FFA boys and girls from Garwood, Nada, Eagle Lake, Sheridan and Altair areas, will begin at 1:30 p.m. under supervision of the Garwood Lions. Prior to the sale, winners in the respective breed divisions will be announced and the Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce will present trophies to the winners. Ribbons and rosettes provided by the Sammy Tise family and cash prizes donated by the Lions Clubs will be presented.

Bidding for the resale of hogs and calves will precede the sale in order that buyers might have information on what their purchases will bring on resale if they decide to resell the animals at the end of the sale.

Bill Bode of the El Campo Livestock Commission will handle the auction; George Hagan, manager of the Columbus Livestock Commission, will be the starter for the sale.

Outstanding Entries
Rice FFA Chapter advisors, Troy Krenke, Ronel Roberts and Willie Fitzgerald, report that there are some fine entries in this year's

Rice FFA Has Entries In Calf Scrambles

On February 26th at 6 p.m. Pat Labay of Rice FFA will be in the dairy scramble at the Houston Show & Rodeo. If he catches a calf, he will receive \$275 to purchase a dairy heifer to show at the 1980 Show.

Kenneth Bluntson of Rice will be in the calf scramble at San Antonio on Feb. 16th at 6 p.m. If successful, he will receive a \$130 certificate to purchase an animal for the following year's show.

FFA Trail Ride At Sandy Creek Gro.

Alvin Kohleffel and Roy Dean Van Nort, trail boss and assistant trail boss for the 1979 Rice High School FFA Trail ride to be held on Saturday, Feb. 17th, as part of the annual FFA Show and Sale, invite riders in the area to make plans to take part in the nine-mile ride.

Kohleffel and Van Nort represent the Eagle Lake Lions Club, one of the sponsors of the annual event.

Kohleffel said this week that the ride will originate this year at the Sandy Creek Drive-In Grocery on Highway 90A a few miles east of Sheridan. The ride will depart at 8 a.m. sharp on Feb. 17th and will arrive at the Rice show barn around 11:30 a.m.

Young ladies who will be competing for the honor of being named trail ride queen must ride in the trail ride and may register at the emergency vehicle prior to beginning the ride.

The trail boss and assistant trail boss urge all citizens to observe all safety precautions and especially not to ride slowly on the highway and visit with the riders along the trail route.

The ride will head east from Sandy Creek Grocery on Highway 90A and will take the gravel road just west of Rock Island into the southern part of Rock Island where restroom facilities will be available and you may visit with the riders.

From Rock Island the route will resume on 90A to the Rice High School. "We urge that you do not hinder traffic or cause an unsafe condition in any way by attempting to visit with the riders along the route," said the trail bosses.

Local Calf Entries
Hereford: Fred and John Young, Scott Holden, Ricky Miller, John Schneider, Pat Pavlu, Phyllis Peacock, Danny McCord, Ben Anderson, James Zickuhr, Madison Smith and Carl Wegenhoff.

English Breeds: Raymond Mahalic, Danny Ishee, Lynette Carley, David Staff, Johnny Cooper, David Knesek, Thomas Kallina, Joe Cardenas, and Donny Dierschke.

Brahman Crosses: Jimmy Moss, Jeff Pessnell, Brent Ellis, Bill Abel, Allen Kohleffel, Paul Vasut, Peter Kallina, Dale Popp, Brian Korenek, and Jimmy Galvan.

Rice FFA Hog Entries
Robert Morgan, Troy Grounds, Willie Banks, Keith Matcheski, Bruce Montgomery, Michael Black, Hector Cavazos, Terry Cotton, Carl Ramirez, Calvin Foster, Kenneth Hemphill, Danny Morales, and Andy Morales.

Also, Clarence Benson, Jimmy Hotz, Wayne Bowen, Gerald Flowers, Greg Leopold, Mateo Navarro, Virgil Crysel, James English, Frankie Becak, Sandra Henderson, David Shimek, David Addicks, Woody Jones, Arthur Rhodes, and Bruno Shimek.

Also, Paul Waligura.

David Henderson, James Garner, John Korenek, Robert Turner, Wesley Gaddy, Lonnie Bluntson, Patrick Labay, Daryl Axel, Patrick Hurd, James Rhodes, Mark Leopold, Joe Waligura, Bobby Cook, Allen Shimek, Theresa Becak, Kenneth Bluntson and Curtis Jones.

FFA Members Address Lions



Addressing the Eagle Lake Noon Lions Club last Thursday were: Rice FFA president Dale Popp, left, and student advisor Woody Jones, right. The officers informed the club of the approaching local show and the chapter's participation in the 1979 Houston Livestock Show.

A fine selection of about 75 and 150 F1 Hereford registered Hereford bulls and crosbred and Hereford females.

Rice FFA Preps For Show Sat.

(By Paul Waligura FFA Chapter Reporter)
During the past few weeks, the students of the Rice High School FFA have been at work preparing for the upcoming annual show and sale scheduled this Saturday, Feb. 17th at 1:30 p.m.

Several improvements have been made to the show barn this year. A set of permanent pens have been made for the show pigs. These new pens and the calf pens have all been painted. A water line to the barn has been laid and a wash rack is in the process of being built.

All students and teachers are busy shearing show animals to have them ready for the sale. This year there are 45 hogs and

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31 calves compared to the 41 hogs and 45 calves last year.
The Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce provided the trophies which will be given to the top placing calves and hogs. Ribbons and award banners given to the winners at the show will be donated by the Sammy Tise family.
All preparations should be finished by show time, if weather permits.

RICE F.F.A.
1979 Market Calf & Swine Show
SAT., FEB. 17

RICE FFA SHOW BARN, RICE HIGH SCHOOL ALTAIR, TEXAS

Trail Ride Sheridan to Rice High School
8-11:30 A.M.

LIVESTOCK JUDGING 8:30 - 10:30
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Trail Ride Sweetheart Contest 12 Noon
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County Committee Completes Go-Texan Plans



Colorado County's Go-Texan Committee met with Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo officials to complete plans for Colorado County Go-Texan Day at the Rodeo on Feb. 27th. Shown above, left to right, are Dennis Stryk, County Judge Lester

Colorado Co. Go-Texan Day Feb. 27

BBQ, Fiddlers', Hay-Hauling Contests Sat.

"It's rodeo time again," according to Crockett Leyendecker, Colorado County Go-Texan Ambassador for the 1979 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.
The show will officially begin on Wednesday, Feb. 21 and run through Sunday, March 4 with rodeo performances starting Friday, Feb. 23rd. However, some livestock show activities will start as early as February 18th. These activities will include the Annual Barbecue Contest, Fiddler's Contest, and Hay Hauling Contest. Colorado County participants in these events were chosen at the Annual Colorado County Go-Texan Festival

County 4-H Club News

By Shirley M. Brown County Extension Agent Colorado County

District 4-H Meetings
The District 11 4-H Council and Parent/Leaders Association meetings were held Saturday, Feb. 3 at the College of the Mainland in Texas City. Attending the council meetings were Janelle Banks, Cynthia Evans-District Council Delegate, Robbie Kleinmann-County Council Chairman, Stephanie Rhodes, Carol Rhodes, Jackie Parker and Tracy Davis, members of the New Town 4-H Club. Cynthia was elected as District Council Delegate-at-Large for 1979 during the council meeting.

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They were Stacy Davis and Carrie Lee Isreal. During the project meeting the group discussed the basic four food groups and the nutrients. The group also discussed how to measure liquid and dry ingredients. They made Butterscotch Brownies as a result of the day's activity.
The club will meet again on Thursday, Feb. 22 at 4:00 p.m. Officer elections for 1979 will be held at this meeting.
The Colorado County 4-H Council and Parent/Leaders Association meetings were held Tuesday, Feb. 6 at the County Agricultural Building.
During the council meeting the group conducted the business and Mrs. Brown, County Extension Agent, conducted a training program on Method Demonstration and Illustrated Talks.
Next County Council and Parent/Leaders meeting is scheduled for April 3, 1979 at 7:00 p.m. at the County Agricultural Building.
Eagle Lake 4-H Club
The Eagle Lake 4-H Club met Friday, Feb. 9 at 4:30 p.m. at the Eagle Lake 4-H Club House.
Lavoy J. Hajdik, County Extension Agent, discussed the landscape and gardening projects to the gardening group. They discussed the objectives of both projects. The group is planning to rework the landscape and plant a garden around the 4-H club house. Attending the gardening and landscape project meeting were Trahan Taylor, James Lockett, Jr. and Coby Shorter, III. During the meeting there were four youth to join the club. They were Sandra Faye Tillman, Marahall McTear, Sheryl McTear and Delia McAlldridge.
The Eagle Lake 4-H Club attended the third

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Last Rites For Patrick Lednicki Fri.

It was with great sadness that relatives and friends learned of the sudden death of Patrick Henry Lednicki of Sealy, son of Mrs. Adell Lednicki and brother of Mrs. Bob Cook, Jr. of Eagle Lake. He succumbed to a heart attack early Wednesday morning, February 7 in his apartment.
Services were held from Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church in Eagle Lake at 10:00 a.m. Friday, February 9, 1979 with interment in Lakeside Cemetery. The Rev. Tom Hanus officiated.
Rosary was recited at the chapel of Mill-Bauer Funeral Home in Eagle Lake at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, February 8.
Survivors include his mother; one son, Michael Wayne Lednicki of Buras, Louisiana; two sisters, Mrs. Pat Cook of this city and Mrs. Doris Crenshaw of Eagle Lake. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Simpson of Miami, Florida and Mr. and Mrs. John Gounarides of Brooklyn, New York. Paternal great-grandmothers are Mrs. Mathilda Harris of Miami, Florida and Mrs. Despina Gounarides of Astoria, Long Island.
Clausine Lockett and Mrs. Claudine Shorter.

Miss Patricia Lynn Frey To Wed Gary W. Stavinoha In April

Pat. born March 12, 1933 in Ammannsville, Texas, served in the United States Air Force for three years after attending Wharton County Junior College for a semester. He also graduated from Eagle Lake High School and while residing here was active in operation of a restaurant for a number of years. He was later employed at Schindler Steel Company and had lived in Sealy about four years. Sympathy is extended to the family in the loss of this loved one.



Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Frey of Bernardo announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia Lynn, to Gary Wayne Stavinoha, son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Stavinoha of Glidden. The wedding has been planned for April 21, 1979 at St. Roch's Catholic Church in Mentz. Photo by The Gallery.

Gounarides' Are Parents Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Gounarides of Katy are the proud parents of a daughter, born Sunday, January 28, 1979 at 10:58 p.m. at Rosewood Hospital in Houston. Her name is Erin Kristina and at birth she weighed eight pounds and seven ounces.
Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Frederickson of Eagle Lake. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Simpson of Miami, Florida and Mr. and Mrs. John Gounarides of Brooklyn, New York. Paternal great-grandmothers are Mrs. Mathilda Harris of Miami, Florida and Mrs. Despina Gounarides of Astoria, Long Island.
Clausine Lockett and Mrs. Claudine Shorter.

Lynette Carley Banner Carrier For Trail Riders

Lynette Carley, a freshman at Rice High School and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Carley, had the honor of riding into the Joe Freeman Coliseum with Lee Ericsoe carrying the

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