Go Texan Contests At County Fair This Sat.

Queen's Contest, BBQ Cookoff, Hay Hauling Winners To Be Named

The Colorado County Go Texan Committee has announced plans for County activities for the 1980 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Three events, the County Go Texan queen contest, the Go Texan barbecue cookoff and the Go Texan hay hauling contest, will be held in conjunction with the Colorado County Fair on December 15.

GO TEXAN QUEEN'S CONTEST

The County Go Texan queen contest is open to single girls between the ages of 15 and 21. They must be residents of Colorado County and must wear western attire for the judging. The winner will ride in the Grand Entry on Colorado County Night at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. Entry forms for the contest may be picked up at Potter's Western Store in Columbus or Heinsohn's Store in Frelsburg. Entry forms will also be available in the principal's office at Columbus High School, Weimar High School and Rice Consolidated High School. Girls needing further information may call Mrs. Dale Heinsohn at 732-5336.

Judging will be at 1:00 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 15 at the Veterans Community Center and final crowning at the first intermission of the Western Dance Saturday night at around 9:00 p.m.

The winner will be a guest of the Colorado County Go-Texan Committee at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo on Feb. 26, 1980 and represent the county in the grand entry.

RULES & REGULATIONS GO TEXAN BARBECUE COOK-OFF

Contestants must cook a minimum of 10 pounds of barbecue which may consist of beef, chicken, rabbit, pork or lamb. No single steaks will be considered by the judges. Entries will be cut into at least 12 bite size cuts when picked up for judging. Sauce may be offered with barbecue.

All contestants must check in and set up between 7:30 and 9:00 a.m. Saturday. Selection of spaces will be made to chief cooks in order of arrival at Veterans Community Center at 7:30 a.m. No confest meat may be placed on grills before 8 a.m. Precooked or salted meat is not allowed.

A team consists of a chief cook and up to three assistants.

Trophies will be awarded to the Grand Champion, Colorado County Champion and most Colorful Team during the first intermission of the dance Saturday night at around 9:00 p.m.

The Colorado County Champion will represent the county at the World's Champion Barbecue Cookoff at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

GO TEXAN HAY HAULING CONTEST

Each team must load 42 bales of hay on a conventional ½-ton pickup truck, drive through a designated obstacle course, unload and stack the hay. The best time wins. Pickups must be no larger than ½-ton and must be conventional step side or fleet side bed. No side boards, roll bars or other devices may be used.

The team will consist of three members and all members must be residents of Colorado County.

The hay must be loaded on truck and transported through a given obstacle course and unloaded to a stack in a designated place. A five second penalty will be awarded for each broken bale. All team members must ride in the cab in the truck through the entire course. Hay falling from the truck must be reloaded onto the truck unless it is a broken bale.

The winning team will represent Colorado County at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Hay Hauling Contest in February.

MEET ME AT THE FAIR

1979 Colorado County Fair

In Columbus

Fri. & Sat., Dec. 14-15

Attend GO TEXAN Activities

★ Go Texan BBQ Cook-off
Check-In 7:30 a.m.; Judging 12:30 p.m. Sat.

★ Go Texan Queen's Contest
1:00 p.m. Sat.

★ Go Texan Hay Hauling Contest
2:30 p.m. Sat.

(Winners to be announced at Western Dance in Veterans' Community Center at first intermission at 9 P.M. and will compete in Houston Livestock Show & RodeoGo Texan Competition)

Plan to attend Colorado County Go Texan Day at the Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo on Feb. 26th
(Houston Show to be staged Feb. 22 - Mar. 2, 1980)

SEE YOU AT THE FAIR SATURDAY

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Colorado County Go Texan Committee

To Entertain At Dance

The popular Western Band, Ty and Tabasco will be featured at the big Western Dance concluding the 1979 Colorado County Fair at the Veterans Community Center this Saturday night. Ty Prause, leader of the band, is seated in front; other band members, left to right, are Danny Waddell, Eddie Schindler, Lupe Reyes and Sharler Vincenthaler. - Extension Photo.

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Youth handicrafts will be displayed in the 1979 Colorado County Fair to be held in Columbus Friday and Saturday. Entries are due at the National Guard Armory between 8 and 10 a.m. Friday and judging will be at 1 p.m. Some of the 4-H youth and the handicrafts to be exhibited in the show are shown above, front, left to right, Heath Weishuhn, Donald Warschak, Tricia Canik, Angie Warschak; back row, l. to r., Christi Warschak, Tonja Weishuhn, Tawana Brune, Judy Weishuhn and Melissa Heneske; and in the back is Mrs. Helen Brune, member of the 4-H Youth Handicrafts division.

Beautiful plants and flowers will be shown in the Colorado County Fair's Floraculture Division and Mrs. Tom Northrup and Mrs. Leslie Heinsohn of Frelsburg are chairmen of the division. They display some of the items which will be displayed in the show. For more information you can call 732-5336. Entries are due at the National Guard Armory between 8 and 10 a.m. Friday and judging will be at 1 p.m.

A Quilt Auction will be a popular event of the 1979 Colorado County Fair to be held in Columbus this Saturday, Dec. 15th. In the top photo Mrs. Hilda Schneider, Mrs. Alvina Pavlicek, Mrs. Olga Schmidt and Mrs. Katie Northrup show a quilt to be sold in the auction at 2:00 p.m. Saturday. In the lower photo Mrs. Hubert Suchsdell, left, and Mrs. Tom Northrup, chairman of the auction, show another quilt to be sold in the auction.

Extension Photo

COUNTRY STORE

RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. To sell items in the Country Store you must have an exhibitor's number showing that you have entered competition in the Home Economics Division and/or the Floriculture Division of the Colorado County Fair. Rules and regulations of the exhibitors' corresponding department will be followed.
2. The Country Store will be located in the Armory and will be open Saturday, December 15, from 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
3. You may enter for sale those items listed in the official Fair Catalog. Canned products are to have been prepared within the last year only. Baked goods will be subject to the rules and regulations of the Baked Products Division. Pot plants and hanging baskets may be entered for sale.
4. Sale items will be accepted at the Country Store Friday, December 14, from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. and on Saturday, December 15, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
5. Sale items must have a sale tag attached containing the following information:
   a. Exhibitor's name
   b. Exhibitor's number
   c. Category listing
   d. Item number
   e. Sale price
6. A Country Store Exhibitor Sale Log sheet will be supplied in advance along with a sufficient number of tags in order that all items may be tagged and listed on a log sheet. This sheet is to be submitted to the Chairman of the Country Store when items are brought in for sale. Hence, you wish to bring five items for sale, you submit five properly tagged items along with a properly completed list to be placed in the Sale Log.
7. A uniform pricing procedure will be enforced. Items are to be priced in increments of $.25
8. Items entered for sale will not be judged and will not receive a ribbon.
9. Ten percent (10%) of the sale price of all items sold in the Country Store will go to the Colorado County Fair Association. The remaining ninety percent (90%) will go to the exhibitor submitting the items.
10. All monies for sale items will be paid within one week following the Fair. Items not sold should be picked up at 8:00 p.m., December 15.
11. Although all precautions will be taken, the Colorado County Fair Association will not be responsible for items lost or stolen.

NOTE: Country Store Exhibitor Sale Log sheets and tags may be picked up at the County Agent's office beginning December 3, or by contacting Katie Northrup, Rt. 2, New Ulm 78950 992-3489

Committee Chairmen

Fair committee chairmen are: Mrs. Leslie Adams, Rt. 2, New Ulm, 732-6190, Art; Mrs. Jessie Banks, Rt. 1, Box 97A, Garwood, 732-5615, Baked Goods; Dr. L. T. Baron, Columbus, 732-5541, Commercial Breeding Exhibits; Larry Brune, Rt. 1, Box 120A, Columbus, 732-5478, Carnivals and Concessions; Mrs. Jo Ann Canik, Rt. 2, Box 217, Fayetteville, 732-5450, Canned Products; F. B. Gallaher, Rt. 1, Box 154, Columbus, 732-5581, Invitational Rabbit Show; William Harrison, Jr., Eagle Lake, Finance;

Also, Mrs. Bernice Heinsohn, New Ulm, 267-6974, Clothing; Mrs. Leslie Heinsohn, Frelsburg, 732-5365, Floriculture; Mrs. Henry Krenek, Frelsburg, 732-5481, Antiques; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hoffman, Altair, 234-5260, Invitational Dog and Pet Show; Mrs. Sandra Hover, Nada, 758-5522, Handicrafts; Mrs. Katie Northrup, New Ulm, 378-2789, 4-H Poultry and Country Store; Mrs. Patsy Warschak, Rt. 1, Columbus, 732-5450, Baked Goods; Mrs. Dorothy White, Altair, Rice Home Economics Teacher, Educational Exhibits.

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Let's get the Colorado County Fair Project off to a good start

Fri.-Sat., Dec. 14-15

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Home Economics Contest Guidelines

(By Dorothy R. Postel County Extension Agent)

Questions have been asked about the exhibits for the Home Economics Division at the upcoming Colorado County Fair in Columbus Dec. 15th and these guidelines will help answer many questions.

General Rules & Regulations

1. General Rules: All entries in this department will be subject to the General Rules and Regulations published in this catalog.
2. Eligibility: No article may be exhibited for prizes that is not listed in this catalog. All entries must be in the name of the maker. All residents in Colorado County are eligible to enter subject to Rule 10 Age Division.
3. Duplication: There will be no duplication of any article exhibited for prizes.
4. Arrival and Removal of Exhibit: Exhibit will be received beginning on Friday, December 14, from 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. and will be judged at 1:00 p.m. Exhibits may not be removed until 8:00 p.m. Saturday, December 15.
5. Containers: All canned products must be exhibited in standard type jars. Each container must be identified. Baked products should be displayed on cardboard, disposable plates or containers. An entry will constitute 1 cake, 1 pie, 1 dozen cookies or candy, etc. for the Baked Division.
6. Judging Time and Judging: Judging in the department will begin at 1:00 p.m. on Friday, December 14. A&M standards will be used.
7. Labeling: Labels for all entries will be the entry tag for the Fair. The exhibitor's name, address, and club should be written on the tag, then sealed and attached to the entry. Coat hangers must accompany all articles to be displayed on hangers.

Awards and Prizes

8. Awards and Points: All entries will be scored and awarded ribbons and points as follows:
   90-100 points, 1st class, blue ribbon; 80-89 points, 2nd class, red ribbon; 79-below points, 3rd class, white ribbon.
   Rosettes will be awarded to top adult and youth entries.
9. All articles exhibited must be clean and in good condition.
10. Age Division: Youth, 9-18; Adult, 19-over. All married youth will be judged as adults.
11. Any item for sale should be priced. Articles will be sold through the Country Store at a rate of 10% of gross going to the Fair Association and 90% to exhibitor.
12. Entry Fees: Contact division chairmen.

Chairmen Listed

If you need further information contact the County Extension Office or one of the following chairmen: Mrs. Bernice Heinsohn, Clothing Division; Mrs. Michael Hoffman, Chairman of Pet Show Division; Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Commander, Co-Chairmen of the Commercial Exhibits; Carl Geisler, Chairman of Entertainment and Special Activities; Mrs. Leslie Heinsohn, Chairman of Go-Texan Queen Contest; Mrs. Tom Northrup, Chairman of Poultry; Mrs. Patsy Warschak and Albina Pavlicek, Baked Goods Division; Baked Goods Division for the youth, Jessie Banks and Aggie Norris; Mrs. Tom Northrup, Chairman of Handicraft Division, the Country Store, and the Quilt Auction; F. B. Gallaher, Chairman of the Rabbit Division; Leslie Adams, Chairman of Art Division; Dale Heinsohn and Mrs. Tom Northrup, Chairmen of Flower Show Division; Mrs. Johnny Canik, Chairman of Canned Division; and Clara Krenek, Chairman of Antique Division.

Officers Map Plans For County Fair

Officers and committemen for the Colorado County Fair to be held December 15th in Columbus, met recently at the Columbus elementary school to work on plans for the 1979 County Fair. Shown above are some of the officers discussing plans for the Fair, left to right, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Heneske of Frelsburg, co-chairmen of the Fair; Bill Harrison, Jr. of Eagle Lake, director; and Miss Mildred Schulte of Frelsburg, secretary. Not present when this picture was taken were treasurer Mrs. N. L. Etheridge of Columbus and directors Leslie Heinsohn of Frelsburg and Derwood Self of Columbus.

Rabbit Show Slated for '79 County Fair

Frank Gallaher, chairman of the Rabbit Show to be held in conjunction with the 1979 Colorado County Fair on Saturday, Dec. 15th in Columbus, invites rabbit owners in the area to enter their rabbits in the show.

Gallaher, who has over 100 working does of his own and also has many honey bees, says that all breeds of does and bucks, of any ages, are eligible for competition. The show will have age, sex and breed divisions and ribbons will be presented to the best entries. There is a $1.00 entry fee for the show.

Entries should be made in the rabbit show by 8 a.m. Saturday in the National Guard Armory and judging will be at 10:30 a.m. Ribbons will be awarded to the winning entries in each breed category.

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FIRST ANNUAL QUILT AUCTION
RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. The First Annual Quilt Auction will be open to Colorado County residents on a first come, first serve basis and to out-of-county residents on a review and selection basis. It will be the responsibility of the Chairman to review the out-of-county quilts and to make the selection.
2. The total number of quilts to be sold at auction Saturday, December 15, will be fifteen (15). The first ten (10) quilts submitted from Colorado County residents will be accepted. The remaining five (5) quilts will be selected from out-of-county participants. Should Colorado County residents fail to submit their full quota prior to December 4, the balance will be filled by out-of-county individuals.
3. Entrants will be allowed to set a base price on their quilts (cost of materials). This base price will thereby become the opening bid.
4. All monies over the base price will be considered profit which will be shared equally by the Fair Association and the quiltmaker.
5. The amount received by the quiltmaker will be the base price plus fifty (50%) of the profit. All monies from this auction will be disbursed within one week following the close of the Fair. Any item not sold at auction must be picked up by 8:00 p.m., December 15.
6. All quilts to be sold at auction must be autographed, dated, and labeled - The First Annual Colorado County Fair - 1979 - in stitchery. Selection of autograph on the quilt will be left to the individual quilter in order that it may enhance the design.
7. Auction quilts must have an entry tag attached containing the following information:
   a. Quilter's name
   b. Quilter's address and telephone number
   c. Quilter's base price

   When quilt is accepted by the Chairman the above information will be placed in the Quilt Auction Log. In addition, the Auction Log will have blanks available for the eventual sale price and the buyer's name and address.
8. The time and place of the first Annual Quilt Auction will be posted no less than one week prior to the Fair.
9. Auction quilts will be accepted at the Country Store by the Chairman of the Quilt Auction Friday, December 14, from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., and on Saturday, December 15, from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
10. Quilts to be sold at auction may be seen on display in the Armory near the Country Store beginning at 9:00 a.m., Saturday, December 15. They will remain here until time of auction.
11. The Fair Association will retain the services of a professional auctioneer with "quilt sale" experience.
12. The participation of Colorado County as well as out-of-town buyers and bidders will be actively solicited.
13. Buyers participating in the First Annual Quilt Auction will receive personal follow-up letters of thanks and congratulations, along with the invitation, "See you again next year." This correspondence will be carried out by the Chairman of the Quilt Auction.

NOTE: All Colorado County residents interested in participating in the First Annual Quilt Auction must contact Katie Northrup 992-3489 Frelsburg, on or before December 4 in order to qualify as an entrant. Please come and join us and bring your finest work.

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County Art Exhibit To Be Held In County Fair

The Colorado County Fair Art Exhibit Committee will stage an Art Exhibit at the Fair. Committee members are Mrs. Tom (Leslie) Adams of Frelsburg and Mrs. Gladys Schneider, Mrs. Thelma Moore and Mrs. Fay Elliott, all of Columbus. Committee helpers are Mrs. Karen Fox and Mrs. Kay Potter, both of Columbus.

To be eligible to enter drawings, paintings or photographs in the art exhibit, you must reside in Colorado County, or be a member of the Live Oak Art Club in Columbus or be a student at a school in Colorado County. The exhibit will be in the National Guard Armory Building across from the Columbus football field on Old Hwy 90.

Five Classes

There will be five classes as follows:

Class A Adults (19 yrs and older, also college students regardless of age).

Class B Seniors (13 to 18 years old).

Class C Juniors (6 to 12 years old).

Class D Pre-school and Kindergarten, and

Class E Photography.

Registration fee will be $1.00 per entry for adults and 50c per entry for children. Pre-registration deadline was on Friday, Nov. 30th. Late registration will be Friday, Dec. 14th from 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. Judging will be Friday, Dec. 14th from 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. and will be closed to the public. Art exhibit will be open to the public Saturday, Dec. 15th 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. For further information contact by writing Leslie Adams at Rt. 2 Box 36-2A, New Ulm, Texas 78950 or phoning 732-6190.

Horse Play Day At County Fair Saturday

There will be a Horse Play Day during the Colorado County Fair on December 15, 1979. It will be held at the Memorial Park Arena. Check-in time will be from 9:30-10:30 a.m. with the Play Day beginning at 11:00 a.m. There are 3 age divisions: 7-14 (Junior), 15-19 (Youth), and 19 and over (Adult). The entry fees are: Juniors - $3.50, Youth - $4.50, and Adults - $6.50.

The following events will be run: Pole Bending, Barrel Racing, Flag Race, Potato Race, and Goat Tying. The following trophies will be awarded: 1st place - Blue Ribbon and Trophy, 2nd place - Red Ribbon, and 3rd place - White Ribbon.

For additional information or an entry blank, call Mrs. Shirley Brown, County Extension Agent, at 732-2530 or come by the County Extension Office at 316 Spring St., Columbus.

Antique Show Is Feature of Fair

Mrs. Henry Krenek, Chairman of the Antique Division of the Colorado County Fair to be held Saturday in Columbus, displays some antiques that could be entered in the Fair. For more details on the Antique Show contact Mrs. Krenek in Frelsburg, 732-5481, or the County Extension Office in Columbus.

Art To Be Displayed

Mrs. Tom Adams, chairman of the Art Show to be held at the County Fair this Saturday, shows some art work which will be exhibited. The show will be held in the Armory and there will be five different age divisions.

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IN Columbus
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County Fair Flower Show Rules Listed

Here are the rules of the Colorado County Fair Flower Show:

► All entries will be received Friday, Dec. 14, between 8 and 10 a.m. Judging will begin when all entries are in place. Exhibits may not be removed until 8 p.m. Dec. 15.

► Only amateur growers who grow plants for pleasure and not profit are eligible.

► All horticulture specimens must be displayed in clear glass 6-oz. Coke bottles. Horticulture classes may be subdivided as in a flower or only foliage. No artificial entries will be accepted. Exhibitors are limited to six entries each, only one entry in each class. Plants must have been in possession of the grower and exhibitor at least three months prior to the fair.

► Adult exhibitors may enter 10 potted plants and youth five potted plants, with only one entry in each classification. Pots are limited to 12-inch diameter.

► Any person, adult or youth, of Colorado County may enter.

► An entry fee of $1.00 per adult and $1.00 per youth, over all, will be charged.

► Entries will be awarded ribbons. Rosettes will be given for most blue ribbons in the potted plant and specimen shows, adult and youth. All entries must have the common name of the plant or specimen in plain view.

► On Saturday, Dec. 15, from 9 to 10 p.m., each committee will be responsible to clean up the area.

Canned, Baked Goods Competition At County Fair

Mrs. Patsy Warschak said there will be seven different classifications in the baked goods division of the County Fair including: cakes, pies, yeast breads, quick breads, candies, cookies and decorated baked cakes. Ribbons will be awarded.

The youth competition is open to youth from ages 9-18. Youths who are married will compete in the adult division. Entries must be brought to the Armory Dec. 14 by 10 a.m. The entry fee is $2 for adult and $1 for youths. There is no limit to the amount of entries. The competition is limited to county residents.