

Row Crop TOUR

5:00 P.M.

Fri., June 26

Starts at Leopold Bros.

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Colorado County Extension Service

Cotton, Grain Field Day In Edna Friday

Discussions on cotton and sorghum varieties and cotton and corn weed control will be featured at the 1981 Upper Coast Cotton and Grain Field Day and Tour in Edna Friday.

Field tours will begin at 2 p.m. from the Jackson County Services Building Auditorium where exhibits will be on display throughout the afternoon, points out Marvin Leskar, Jackson County agent with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

A special program at 5:30 p.m. will feature a talk on "Space Age Agriculture" by Fred Barrett with the

Crop Weed Control Field Day In Wharton Wed.

How to keep weeds from reducing crop yields and robbing crop profits continues to be a major concern of farmers in the Upper Coast area of Texas.

So a special field day has been set for Wed., June 24 at the Wharton County Junior College Farm to give farmers a firsthand look at studies featuring various chemical weed control treatments in corn, sorghum, cotton and

soybeans. Field tours will start at 8:30 p.m.

Field plots have been designated to include different chemical rates and methods of application, points out Dr. Arlen Klosterboer of Beaumont, area agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

Field day visitors will be able to see firsthand the results of these various treatments and how they might fit into their farming operations.

A barbecue will follow the field day.

The Wharton County Junior College Farm is located on Texas Highway 60 about two miles south of Wharton.

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Shirley Seaholm Promoted By First Nat'l Bank

Following the First National Bank's board meeting last week, June 10, President Bill Harrison, Jr. announced the promotion of Shirley (Mrs. Gus) Seaholm to Assistant Cashier.

"We are delighted to add Shirley to our office staff," said Harrison. "She has demonstrated leadership and a sincere desire to serve our customers in her position as head of our Savings Department."

Mrs. Seaholm began her banking career at First National as a secretary in 1969. In 1974, she became a teller and has specialized in the savings and time deposit area in recent years. She and her husband, Gus, have one daughter, Karl.

Rice FFA To Add Emblems On CC Signs

Eagle Lake Chapter of Commerce directors voted Monday to allow the Rice High School Chapter of the Future Farmers of America to place FFA emblems on the sign monuments at each entrance to the city (one on Highway 90A west and one on Highway 90A east).

The chapter's 1981-82 president, Ricky Miller and vice-president Kathy Ishee, and chapter advisor Robert Roberts met with the Chamber of Commerce members to ask permission to place the signs at the entrances to the city.

The FFA signs, along with the Rotary Club and Lions Club signs now on the monuments, will share one side of the stone structures while the chamber is looking into the possibility of adding signs promoting Eagle Lake on the back side of the structures.

Ishee and Miller explained to the group that the FFA Chapter will, in exchange for placing the sign on the structures, take care of mowing and landscaping around the signs and maintenance of the sign, similar to a program with the Garwood Lions Club for use of space on signs on Highway 71.

Ishee said this will enable the chapter to assign these duties to some FFA members who do not otherwise have a project to carry out each year.

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do not purchase tickets in advance.

Plans continue for other features of the event, including booths featuring food and drinks and a variety of entertainment for young and old, opening at 8:00 p.m. in the pavilion area and on Walnut Street. In front of the Community Center, Walnut Street is that area will be closed from 6:00 p.m. until midnight July 4th.

Concluding event of the celebration will be a dance on the pavilion area from 9 to 12 midnight, featuring music by the Circle K Band, popular country and western group.

The chamber plans this year for the first time to charge a small admission fee to those attending the dance in order to defray expenses of the band.

The Chamber urgently needs volunteer workers in all phases of the July Fourth activity in order to make it a success," said President T. J. Smith. He urges those who would like to contribute an hour or two of time assisting in the various functions to call him or the chamber office, 234-2780.

Also, he urged organizations or civic groups planning to have a food or entertainment booth to reserve booth space through the chamber office—in the immediate future.

Industrial Seminar

Smith announced that he plans to attend an Industrial Development and Planning Seminar at the Houston-Galveston Area Council building at 3701 West Alabama in Houston from 9 to 3 next Thursday. He invites interested persons who would like to attend and would like to ride with him to contact him prior to the date of the seminar.

He announced that the next monthly meeting of the chamber will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday, July 13th in the council room of the Municipal Building and urged all members and citizens interested in betterment of the community to attend.

One-Way Streets

The chamber spent some time discussing the proposal to designate two one-way

streets in the downtown area. L. J. Spanhel said that while he was not opposing the plan, he would like to have information on traffic patterns, etc. He pointed out several areas where problems might be created rather than resolved.

Directors of the chamber were urged to attend the public hearing on the one-way street proposal at 7:00 p.m. next Tuesday night in the Municipal Building in hopes of getting some answers to some questions which have been popping up.

Vice-President Fred R. Franks suggested that the chamber in passing a resolution in support of the one-way streets rather should have stated in the resolution that the chamber supports a study of the one-way street proposal so that more information on the proposal might be brought to light before final action is taken by the city council.

Roy Dean Van Nort who suggested that the chamber might want to sponsor such a resolution, told the group Monday that he has heard any contented objection to the designation of the one-way streets on Commerce Street and on the street behind the post office.

Joe Duncan reminded the group that there is an Eagle Lake Float Fund set up at First National Bank and persons who would like to contribute to the fund to carry out renovations and repairs to the float, may do so at the bank. It was noted that the float is well over five years old now and is beginning to show signs of wear and tear and a concentrated effort will have to be started soon for a major renovation of the float.

The float will be going to Hallettsville this Saturday to participate in the Western Parade, part of the State Championship High School and Elementary School Re-decorations.

Others attending the meeting were director Bill Harrison, Jr.; also Bob McInerney, Ralph Truly and Joe Duncan, Rice FFA officers—Ricky Miller and Kathy Ishee and Chapter Advisor Ron Roberts. The FFA group was present to

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Sheriff's Office Checks Stabbing West Of E.L.; Theft, Tractor Damage

Colorado County Sheriff's Office had another busy week, according to Sheriff Jim Broussard, investigating a stabbing on Wednesday last week, theft of tires at HDH Trucking in Altair Saturday, damage to a tractor northeast of Eagle Lake Tuesday, and recovery of a stolen vehicle at Highway 71 roadside park near Altair, also on Tuesday.

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