

4-H News

(By Cheryl Johnson,
County Extension Agent)

Do these statements sound familiar? "I don't have a thing to wear!" "I have a terrible figure!" "I'm too fat!" "My legs are too long!" "I waddle when I walk!" They will if you are a 4-H leader.

Four young people ever have the right things to wear at the right time. Fewer have perfect figures and body carriage. Four-H fashion-revue leaders use their fashion know-how to help 4-Hers make the most of what they've got.

Help your members take a good look at themselves. This is a time to be very honest. Are they tall or short? What do they like to do? What do they like to wear?

Four-Hers who sew their own clothes are in control of their fashion look. They can select patterns, fabrics, notions, colors, styles and accessories that show-off their individuality.

Learning about clothing can be fun—even exciting—with a 4-H clothing group. These groups enjoy learning how to sew or shop for the things they wear. They like the flattering comments that come from their friends and appreciate help when they encounter a problem or make a mistake.

The first sewing project is the most awesome for the beginning clothing group. But sewing can be unchallenged and successful when you help your 4-Hers select an item that is quick to complete. They should finish those first projects fast and happy—pleased with the end results and excited about mastering the sewing machine. Even the easiest of

Donna Corliss' Heifers Win In Wharton Co. Fair

Miss Donna Corliss of Lissie received a blue ribbon at the Wharton County Youth Fair in Crescent for her First Premium Class Pen of three heifers. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corliss of Lissie and grand-daughter of Mrs. Roy Tise and the late Mr. Tise of Eagle Lake.

Donna, a sophomore at East Bernard High School, raised the pen of three registered Brahma heifers as a member of the East Bernard 4-H Club. She received the highest bid in her class and received \$3,126.20 for her heifers. Donna's dad raised the heifers from her Brahma herd.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allen of the Shultz Implement Company of El Campo purchased Donna's cattle. Mr. Allen is the former Miss Carol Sens of Eagle Lake. Donna extended her sincere thanks to Richard and Carol for their purchase of the cattle.

Last year Donna had the grand champion pen of three heifers at the fair.

Sheriff Jim Broussard Nominated For VFW Award

Sheriff Jim Broussard of Colorado County was nominated for the Veterans of Foreign Wars annual "Law Enforcement Officer of the Year" award.

Sheriff Broussard is Commander-elect of Post 6113 of Columbus, Eagle Lake V.F.W. Post 6783 and Weimar V.F.W. Post 5875 joined V.F.W. Post 6113 in Sheriff Broussard's nomination for this award.

"Sheriff Broussard is especially cited for his award for having assisted in the solving of two capital murder cases, three attempted murders, one rape case, six arson cases, ten burglary cases, seven assault cases, the largest ever drug possession (\$500,000.00) arrest in Colorado County, and has reduced the crime rate for Colorado County since being appointed



Sheriff in May of 1981," said V.F.W. officials.

If Sheriff Broussard wins the nomination for Texas, he will automatically be considered for the National V.F.W. Award.

Burglaries At Garwood And Glidden

Colorado County Sheriff's Department investigated burglaries of a service station in Garwood and a Glidden home during the past week. A 19-year-old Columbus man has been arrested for the entry of the Glidden home and possibly other arrests will follow.

At 6:30 a.m. Thursday, April 22nd, Larry Smidove of Garwood reported that a store room behind his service station on Highway 71 in Garwood had been broken into. Entry was gained by kicking in the door to the store room. Taken were two cars tires.

Robert A. Johnson of Glidden reported to the sheriff's department at 5:58 p.m. Sunday, April 25th a burglary at his residence. Entry was gained by breaking a kitchen window on the north side of the house. Nothing was found missing from the house.

Johnson placed some plywood over the broken window, and later that same evening while Johnson was away from his residence, the plywood was removed from the window and entry was again gained to the residence. Taken that time were an AM-FM radio and a tape recorder.

The investigation resulted in Limmie Evans, Jr., 19 years of age, from Columbus being charged and arrested for the burglary.

The investigation continues and more arrests are expected. Sheriff Jim Broussard.

2 Victoria Men Charged For Attempted Oilfield Equip. Theft

Two Victoria men have been charged in the theft of oilfield equipment near Weimar.

The Colorado County Sheriff's Department has been investigating an attempted theft of some oilfield equipment from the Fondren Ranch well site which occurred around April 5th. Someone

had taken some heavy equipment from the Glen Hogemeyer Doser Service and attempted to take a "Christmas Tree" from an oil well off of FM 155. The equipment was not removed at the time; however, it was loosened.

Investigation resulted in the arrest of two subjects in Victoria. They were charged with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle and attempted felony theft. After their arrest, each man posted \$15,000 in bonds and had to be released.

Arrested on April 21st were: Mark Grammann, 20 years of age, and Ronnie S. Vokick, 21 years of age, both from Victoria.

The case will be presented to the next Grand Jury, said Sheriff Jim Broussard.

Diane Weaver Honored At Baby Shower

A baby shower was held Sunday, April 25, 1982 for Mrs. Ric (Diane) Weaver at the home of Mrs. Judy Lueddecke.

Hostesses were Connie Herman, Sherry Ishee, Mandy Pustejovsky, Judy Lueddecke, Laura Devenport, Debbie Jones, Linda Wadell, Danette Duncan, Marilyn Mueller and Deanne Van Nort.

Mrs. Weaver was presented a corsage of yellow carnations upon arrival. Many useful gifts were opened and viewed by the guests present.

Special guests were Diane's mother and sister, Gerri Anderson and Deanne Van Nort of Houston, and grandmother, Mrs. Roy Van Nort of Eagle Lake.

Refreshments of cake, a variety of chips and dips, coffee and punch were served. The hostesses' gift was a playpen.

Buddy Mills' Parents of Baby Boy April 21st

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Mills are the proud parents of a son, born on Wednesday, April 21st, 1982 at the Gulf Coast Medical Center in Wharton. Dustin Christopher weighed seven pounds one and one-half ounces and was twenty-one inches long.

The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Mills of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Chris A. Lark of San Antonio. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Mills of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mahaffey of Spartanburg, South Carolina and Annalie Bettley of Biedenkopf, West Germany. Great great grandmother is Lena West (98 years old) of Boerne, Texas.

Dustin was an extra special baby as he was born on his parents', Heidi and Buddy's, third wedding anniversary.

KC's Cancel BBQ This Sunday, May 2

Eagle Lake Knights of Columbus announce cancellation of their monthly barbequed chicken sales for

Sunday, May 2nd only. Orders placed with the KCs for May 2nd will be carried over to the next first Sunday on June 6th.



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Donations or pledges may be made to W. H. (Bill) Harrison, Sr., board member and chairman of the executive committee, or may be left at The First National Bank or at the hospital.

Rules For Older Texans Fair May 6

Friday Deadline For Applying For Booth Space At Fair

[By Donella R. Pezel, County Extension Agent] Thursday, May 6 is the date for the Color County Extension Older Texans Fair to be held at Sts. Peter and Paul church's dining hall in Freisburg. The booth space registration and nominations for Outstanding Man and Woman are due in the County Extension office by this Friday, April 30.

Senior Citizens are encouraged to participate and may have a booth to display and sell items that are handmade and homemade or fresh farm products.

Guidelines For Fair

1. Exhibitors must be 60 years of age and older.
2. The items for sale must have been made in the time span of June 1981 to May 1982, so there are no duplications in past years.

3. Items must be labeled and the price included if for sale. The money will go to the person selling.

4. Blue, Red and White ribbons will be awarded to exhibitors being judged and purple ribbons will be given to the top exhibitors in the individual and organization exhibits. Exhibits must be set up by 9:30 a.m. and ready for judging.

5. Example categories of items to sell: Handwork, Needlework, Baked Goods, Crafts, Art Work, Wood working, Vegetables and Fruits (fresh or canned), etc.

6. Any organization is encouraged to nominate an outstanding man and/or woman Older Texan to be selected and recognized at the award program.

7. Everyone must register for a booth space and submit nominations by April 30, 1982 at the Colorado County Extension Office.

8. Exhibitors may enter a cake or pie on disposable plate and covered properly with plastic wrap. 1 dozen cookies on paper plate covered with large Ziplock bag, and/or a loaf bread (quick of yeast) in disposable container covered properly with plastic wrap. These will be entered in an individual Baked Products Division to be tasted and judged for a ribbon. Those wishing to sell their item may put a price on it and sell it as the other items are sold.

Further information is available upon request from the Colorado County Extension Office, 316 Spring St., Columbus, Texas 78934 or call 732-2530.

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Pink Ladies Hold Annual Luncheon; Elect Officers; Award Service Pins

The Eagle Lake Community Hospital Auxiliary (Pink Ladies) met Thursday, April 22 at noon for a salad luncheon in Christ Episcopal Parish Hall.

The inclement weather did not dampen the spirits of the members or their guests for forty-three were present for the delicious lunch and election of officers - the most ever to attend this yearly meeting.

Mrs. Anna Lee Higgins asked the blessing prior to the group selecting their food from approximately thirty different varieties of the most tasty salads.

Following the lunch, members introduced themselves and their guests.

Thank you were extended by the president Eunice Frnka to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harrell, Mrs. Pat Seaholm and Mrs. Jerry Fling, who in behalf of the hospital staff presented lovely red and pink chrysanthemum corsages to all the active and inactive members present. Hospital Administrator Jack Harrell said the corsages were a small token of appreciation for the many services provided to the hospital by the Pink Ladies. She also thanked the Rev. George Welsh and congregation for the use of the parish hall.

Award Pins Presented

Service-award pins were presented to five Pink Ladies: Mrs. Mildred Kemper received a hundred hour pin; Mrs. Hattie Mae Dromgole and Mrs. Louvenia Chavis, 1500 hour pins; Mrs. Viola Zbori, a 2500 hour pin; and for the first time in the local Auxiliary's history for the most hours, Mrs. Annie Margaret White earned a 3000 hour pin. Close behind her though are Mrs. Esther Sunderman and Mrs. Letha Lundquist.

Mrs. Clara Mae Nash graciously consented to play favorite tunes on the piano while the group gathered.

These were beautifully played and truly enjoyed.

Mrs. Barbara Davidson, a member of the nominating committee, presented names of the nominees for officers for the coming year. They were elected by acclamation. Mrs. Chris Swords is the new president, Eleanor McCreary is second vice president, and Mrs. Letha Lundquist is the new secretary.

Mrs. Viola Zbori was re-elected treasurer. The office of president carries over for another year.

Out going officers are: Mrs. Higgins, vice president; Mrs. Rose Lange, second vice president; and Mrs. Swords as secretary.

Six of the most faithful members were recognized for traveling from twelve to twenty miles each time they do volunteer work at the

hospital. They are: Mesdames Myrtle Vogelsang of Columbus, Viola Zbori and Letha Lundquist of Garwood, Sydney Sheldon of Sheridan, Helen Ball of Rock Island and Hattie Mae Dromgole of near Garwood.

Two new inductive members present were introduced by their niece, Mrs. Sheldon. They are Mrs. Helen Lerch and Mrs. Maude Shropm. They were heartily welcomed by the Auxiliary.

Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Eleanor McCreary, Mrs. Dromgole, Mrs. White and Mrs. Florence Richter were

volunteers in readying the hall and cleaning up afterwards. This was certainly appreciated by all members.

The hospital dietary department generously supplied the ladies with place mats, napkins and coasters for the event; and Mrs. Sophie Zoeller brought a pretty red and white lily arrangement for the serving table and a beautiful rose arrangement which was placed on the piano.

The food and fellowship were enjoyed by all with the expressions of the ladies and gentlemen in attendance.

Study Club's President's Luncheon Next Tuesday

The speaker for the Eagle Lake Study Club's May fourth luncheon, Tuesday at the Community Center will be Michael Cullinan of Houston.

Cullinan, though a graduate of Notre Dame University, returned to his native Texas to attend Sam Houston State Teachers' College for further degrees in education. The last 10 of his 20 teaching years he has served at St. John's School in Houston as Chairman of the English Department.

His location is teaching, of course, but his avocation is

the analysis of handwriting or Grapho-Analysis which will be his topic.

As a result of Mr. Cullinan's expertise on this subject and spell-binding presentation of it he is, by request, holding classes to instruct teachers, parents, and other adults at his home.

The talk on Tuesday will be an informal one; hand-outs for questions will be passed to the guests, and there will be a question and answer period following his talk. The deadline for purchase of tickets passed last Saturday, April 24th.

Truly, Scott, Mehrens Named To Appraisal Dist. Review Bd.

Berger, Giddens, Herder Named Alternate Members

Ernest Scott of Weimar, Ralph Truly of Eagle Lake and Owen Mehrens of Columbus were appointed recently as the Appraisal Review Board to hear taxpayer appeals of value set by the Colorado County Tax Appraisal District. They will serve for two years.

The appointments came at the April 14 meeting of the district's board of directors. The board also gave M. K. Merrem, chairman, authority to name either Marley Giddens, Lawrence Berger or Henry Herder as alternate member of the review panel.

In other business the board:

► Heard from Chief Appraiser Bill Youens that road visits had been scheduled to take exemptions and reductions. He also said his office had discussed the possibility of extending the exemption period for 30 days. The current deadline is April 30.

► Voted for engineers representing the county to meet with oil, gas, gravel and utility interests on June 11.

► Approved Youens' raised the mileage reimbursement to field appraisers from 24c to 34c per mile while they are working in rural areas because of some rough private roads. The raise

The City of Eagle Lake will sponsor a

Rabies Vaccination Clinic

At The Eagle Lake Fire Station

Thurs., April 29

5:00 to 6:30 P.M.

Shots to be administered by Dr. Karen Euers, Veterinarian

Cost per animal is \$6.00

was made retroactive to April 1.

► Voted that everyone who is reimbursed for mileage should furnish the Appraisal District with a copy of his insurance policy or verification of such.

► Heard from the chief appraiser that he will have the 1982 preliminary budget ready for the May meeting, and that the budget will have to be approved by July 15.

► Gave the chief appraiser permission to buy a copying machine within the limitations of the 1982 budgeted amount.

► Heard from Youens that the district's books are ready to be audited for 1981.



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