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Problem: Trash out for Cleanup

Some Eagle Lake residents have taken advantage of the city's sanitation committee cleanup campaign going on this week, to spruce up their property.

But, "The situation may have gotten out of hand," clean up chairman Tommy Pilkington said. In some areas of the city, trash and other materials have been dumped along side streets, with no consideration for

boxing or bagging the material, making it difficult or impossible for volunteer labor to load it into trucks loaned to the committee.

The committee made it clear that if materials other than outside rubbish are dumped along the street, it would not be possible to pick it up. Apparently some took the opportunity to clean out garage or home storage

spaces too, adding to the problem.

The committee is asking for additional help and consideration when the loaned trucks again are supposed to make the rounds of the city picking up materials.

First, help is needed when trash is ready for pickup. It must be bagged or packaged so it easily can be thrown into a truck. If you are putting additional

trash out to be taken, or already have done so, make sure it is ready, or it may sit there and add to the city's visual problems.

Second, volunteer labor still is needed to man the trucks. Call Pilkington at Lakeside Irrigation, or call city hall to volunteer.

Trucks working with the campaign have been given free access to the Sprint Materials Co. dump, by company officials.



Clean up week proclaimed

Mayor Elmer Struss signed this proclamation last week for Clean Up Week in the city. The proclamation is just one of the many activities involved with the week, including a poster contest, and volunteer labor with free trucks to haul outside trash away.

United Way short of goal

The Eagle Lake area United Way campaign inched closer toward its goal this week, but still remained below the level needed to fund the various agencies it supports, chairman Vic Scott said Tuesday.

As of Tuesday morning, the donations stood just a few dollars over the 90 percent level, at \$10,809. Although campaign organizers hoped to finish up last week, additional work is being done now to assure the campaign's success.

Scott said several companies in the area still had not turned in envelopes distributed earlier in the month by the Rotary and Lions clubs. Also, donations still can be made to United Way directly through the First National Bank, or through the mail using Post Office Box 216, Eagle Lake.

The campaign's goal of \$12,000 supports agencies in the Eagle Lake area. Last year the donations went over the goal.

Election results

Complete but unofficial election returns from the Colorado County district clerk's office of Lester Schneider show that local voters followed state trends. All precincts had reported in shortly after midnight Tuesday.

In the county, Mark White beat Bill Clements for governor by 13 percent. Bill Pätman won over

Joe Wyatt and Senator Lloyd Bentsen won over Jim Collins.

Schneider estimated that about 35 percent of the voters in the county cast ballots. The totals below are for the major, contested races. Not listed are the contested judicial races, nor the county positions, all of which were unopposed.

		Columbus, Box 1	Glidden, Box 2	Altair, Box 3	Garwood, Box 4	Nada, Box 5	Rock Island, Box 6	Sheridan, Box 7	Oakland, Box 8	Weimar, Box 9	Buescher, Box 10	Shaws Bend, Box 11	Brushy, Box 12	Freiberg, Box 13	Mentz, Box 14	Bernardo, Box 15	Alleyton, Box 16	Eagle Lake, Box 17	North Columbus, Box 18	Absentee Ballots	Totals
Senator	Jim Collins	182	68	7	94	49	49	55	36	258	77	11	5	82	42	31	24	318	190	69	1,647
	L. Bentsen	259	123	45	189	96	31	66	50	576	72	24	36	84	40	59	25	505	293	64	2,637
U. S. Re	Joe Wyatt	160	50	7	86	34	48	41	32	206	82	20	6	71	35	35	19	310	153	60	1,435
	Bill Patman	277	132	40	196	110	34	74	54	613	86	14	35	90	45	52	29	491	317	67	2,758
Governor	Bill Clements	192	91	8	106	32	47	55	44	301	96	20	9	96	41	43	25	375	222	82	1,885
	Mark White	255	106	43	181	114	39	65	41	545	53	15	32	72	42	49	24	446	260	53	2,435
U. Gov.	G. W. Strake	200	65	6	104	53	52	51	40	277	77	21	9	92	38	41	23	347	204	77	1,777
	Bill Hobby	237	122	46	181	93	31	67	41	549	72	14	32	72	44	49	26	473	266	54	2,469
Att. Gen.	Bill Meier	184	51	5	85	33	52	43	33	195	64	17	8	73	31	32	18	277	185	64	1,450
	Jim Mattox	248	132	45	191	110	30	76	45	594	83	17	33	86	50	56	13	516	273	62	2,660
U. accounts	M. Richards	165	52	8	86	31	47	41	36	208	60	15	3	69	32	39	18	286	166	59	1,421
	Bob Bullock	263	137	41	196	109	36	78	47	605	88	19	37	90	49	51	28	518	297	68	2,755
St. Treasurer	Allen Clark	175	51	6	85	36	49	49	35	196	66	15	6	73	32	26	19	294	160	59	1,432
	Ann Richards	252	132	44	197	107	33	70	48	608	82	16	34	85	48	60	30	506	300	69	2,721
Land Office	W. Glasscock	150	55	6	88	29	47	46	33	201	64	14	8	74	30	27	19	285	152	57	1,385
	Gary Mauro	273	121	41	188	114	33	71	48	579	79	16	33	81	47	57	29	489	294	63	2,655
Com. Agri.	F. Thornberry	165	49	7	86	34	47	45	36	203	60	14	5	70	36	30	17	304	161	61	1,430
	J. Hightower	254	134	40	193	109	33	74	46	594	84	18	36	84	41	57	31	485	286	63	2,662
RR Comm.	J. Henderson	141	51	6	72	28	48	41	29	188	58	15	7	69	32	26	20	265	141	56	1,293
	Jim Nugent	277	136	41	200	114	33	75	50	604	85	16	34	81	47	57	28	519	301	63	2,761
Ammend 1	For	260	121	14	153	95	57	81	53	485	108	24	21	84	46	57	28	460	270	86	2,499
	Against	85	34	11	68	38	17	15	16	203	20	6	11	45	9	12	11	210	100	22	940
Ammend 2	For	217	114	21	137	84	46	66	54	453	78	11	13	60	38	26	25	295	241	85	2,074
	Against	130	42	9	86	48	26	26	22	227	47	19	18	65	26	24	14	199	132	27	1,196
Ammend 3	For	282	114	17	183	108	44	79	72	531	107	25	34	115	62	78	39	588	318	104	2,595
	Against	75	42	10	55	25	27	20	8	181	25	4	21	7	2	4	188	84	16	799	
Ammend 4	For	250	117	20	169	102	47	87	99	473	103	19	23	77	53	35	558	288	94	2,627	
	Against	86	34	9	53	28	21	7	11	192	26	10	11	48	5	14	5	109	84	15	768
Ammend 5	For	179	77	13	113	66	30	47	34	309	71	16	5	48	21	29	19	312	176	64	1,628
	Against	124	54	8	85	56	29	29	27	320	34	18	23	57	20	33	10	253	122	24	1,326
Ammend 6	For	172	84	9	101	58	23	62	32	317	65	16	16	54	24	37	17	366	198	75	1,726
	Against	153	60	15	112	68	40	26	32	322	54	11	15	64	26	28	15	247	137	29	1,454

Raider basketball girls open season Tuesday

Boys open play here November 23

The Rice High School Raider girls will open their 1982-83 basketball season next Tuesday (Nov. 9th) with scrimmages against Moulton at Raider Gym.

The Junior Varsity will start the action at 5 p.m. followed by the Varsity contest around 6:15 or 6:30.

On November 16th the Raider girls will travel to Brenham for more scrimmages including Freshman, Junior Varsity and Varsity teams.

The first regular scheduled game for the girls is on November 22nd when Yoakum will come to Rice. The 18 girls on the

freshman team are being coached by Clifton Darden. There are 11 girls on the Junior Varsity and their coach is David White. Coach Dollie Johnson's Varsity is comprised of 11 members also.

Boys open Nov. 23rd

Coach Jack Nov. 23rd Raider boys have no scrimmages scheduled and will open their cage season Tuesday, Nov. 23rd, hosting Needville at Raider Gym. It will be one of the few home games before district play opens on January 4th when Rice hosts La Grange.

Maurice Grindatt will coach the Freshman boys' team with Gary Wrinkle in charge of the Junior Varsity.

VFW Veterans' Day Service Nov. 11

Seeking names of deceased veterans

Eagle Lake business firms, including the Post Office and First National Bank, and also the Colorado County Courthouse in Columbus will be closed all day next Thursday, November 11th in observance of the annual Veterans' Day holiday.

Veterans' Day holiday here, courthouse

The public is invited to attend the impressive Veterans' Day Memorial Service which will be sponsored by the Rice Area Memorial Post 8783 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in the Eagle Lake Community Center beginning at 2:45 p.m. next Thursday, November 11th.

The event is held to pay tribute to those fallen comrades who defended their country during all wars or who made the supreme sacrifice in defense of their country and their loved ones.

During the program the Community Choir will render appropriate music beginning at 2:45 p.m. The service is set to begin at 3 p.m. and will include short addresses by Mayor Elmer Struss; by Past Commander J. T. (Tommy) Pilkington; and others.

Light refreshments will be served following the Memorial Service by the VFW Post and Auxiliary.

Roll to be called

A roll of names of deceased veterans of all wars will be read during the ceremony, and the VFW Post asks persons in the area who have not previously reported names of deceased veterans to do so as soon as possible.

You may turn in the name of your deceased veteran to Pilkington or L. J. (Sonny) Spaniel. The VFW Post will add names to the list which was called at the last memorial service in 1981, hence if your deceased veteran was on the list at that time, it will not be necessary to report that name again.

School In-Service Nov. 15

However, schools in the Rice District will remain open as usual on Veterans' Day. Rice District schools will be closed on Monday, November 15th for an In-Service day for faculty members; and will be closed for the Thanksgiving holidays November 25 and 26th.

The Rice Area Memorial Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will conduct a memorial service in the Eagle Lake Community Center beginning at 2:45 p.m. Light refreshments will be served.

No garbage pickup Thurs.

The city's sanitation department will observe the Veterans' Day holiday Thursday, November 11th and will not make pickups on that date. The Thursday route will be combined with the regular run on Wednesday, according to City Manager Bob Klockman.

Annual Kevin Court Bazaar Nov. 5 & 6

The tenants of Kevin Court Apartments wish to invite you to visit their 2nd Annual Bazaar Friday, November 5th and Saturday, November 6th from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

There will be a variety of handmade crafts, cookies and coffee for sale. A portion of the proceeds will be contributed to a fund to purchase dishes for the Activity Room.

This would be a good opportunity for early Christmas shoppers. We are looking forward to having you stop by, said Kevin Court manager Heidi Mills.



In Just
23
Days

Santa will be at
Rice Drug Store
for FREE pictures
with your children.
Be There!

Study Club auction raises \$16,832 for library

"Many thanks to all" was the expression of gratitude from the Eagle Lake Study Club Saturday night after the club's third successful auction to raise money for the Eula and David Wintermann Library here.

Although the \$16,832.75 was below the \$20,000 plus earned the previous two years, it was over the unofficial goal of \$15,000.

The Eagle Lake Volunteer Firemen provided another excellent stew supper as their fund raiser, and throughout the serving of the meal, there were few empty seats.

Although the auction is on the focus of the Study Club's activity, they raised \$1,155.25 from the bakery booth, which opened at 4:30 p.m. The kiddie rides provided another \$81.50

and donations totaled \$1,025. The auction itself brought in \$14,571.

Auction items and their purchasers are: one quart of Roundup from Tide Products, Jim Clipson; smoked or barbecued turkey from Eagle Market, Gene Evans of Columbus; five pound basket of divinity from Mrs. Herbert Loessin, Bob Wilcox; 1981 collector plate, Norman

Rockwell's "The Music Maker" from Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Smith, Jean Thornton;

Ducks in Flight print by Gene Murray from Eagle Lake Ducks Unlimited, Bruce Waddell; antique china bowl from Mrs. E. C. Terrell, Tom Lloyd; "Dutch Doll" quilt from Eagle Lake Sewing Center, Richard Clipson; Farberware four-quart crock pot from Spangler Hardware, Raymond Waddell; three-cornered antique chair from Dr. George Strathman, Gene Evans; 1960 collector bottle, Norman Rockwell's "Self Portrait" from Rice Package Store, Raymond Kohleffel;

Continental Dinner for eight at Nelson Gishner home from Goumet Dinner Club, Mr. and Mrs. George Burke, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clipson, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brunner and Earl Rodgers; Pac Man game from Rice Drug Store, Jimmie Thomas; "The Longhorn", watercolor by Dannels from Marilyn Dannels, Rusty Thomas; 10 troy ounce fine silver from Carolyn and Larry Austin, Bill Harrison; "Three Indians", contemporary oil by John Franklin from Mr. and Mrs. David Wintermann, Dan Thornton; 18" Shirley Temple Doll, never sold, from Mrs. Albert Pustejovsky, Mrs. Ross McDow of Columbus;

Basket California wines from Mr. and Mrs. John Matthews, Dr. Jose Ugarte; folding rocking chair, handmade of mahogany and tooled leather, from Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sunderman, Dan Peavy; "Daisy Fan" quilt from Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Pilkington, Larry Austin; pastel painting from an anonymous donor, Dr. Ray Thomas; hand-knitted Aran sweater from Mrs. Ray Cumberworth, Rusty Thomas; corner what-not from Sybil's of East Bernard, Dorothy Cassidy; "A Cajun Feast" for 12 from Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Couvillion, First National Bank; ten pounds Texas Bluebonnet seeds from Mrs. American Hydro Grass, Mrs. C. L. Griffith of Alleyton; antique walnut dropleaf table from Mr. and Mrs. David Wintermann, Dan Peavy; smocked child's dress, size 4, from Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells, Jr., Jay Anderson; pine storage chest from Gifts of Distinction, Joe L. McCreary; 1951 collector bottle, Norman Rockwell's "The Plumbers", from Rice Package Store, Earl Rod-

gers; "Flying Geese" quilt from Mr. and Mrs. David Wintermann, Rosanne Harrison; "Lady on the Boulevard" Lladro figurine from Dr. and Mrs. Jose Ugarte, Cliff Evoritt, Jr. and Eula Wintermann; antique English walnut curio cabinet from Sybil's of East Bernard, Joe L. McCreary; seven course gourmet dinner for eight from Dr. and Mrs. Ray Thomas, David Wintermann and Jack Johnson; homemade divinity on West Virginia footed tray from Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reed, Jr., Robert R. Wells, Jr.;

"Cauliflower and Copper Bowl", still life oil, artist unknown, from Mr. and Mrs. David Wintermann, Dan Gertson; goose or duck hunt for two in current season with one week notice from Jimmy Reel Hunting Club, Scott Blair, III; box of Christmas wrapping paper from Mr.

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Dump site near high school not being used

Dumping activity has stopped on the property across from Rice Consolidated High School, although the site has not been notified by Sprint Waste Disposal Co., which dumps Houston sewer plant sludge in Colorado County.

At a school board meeting this fall, board members discussed activity at the site, which included clearing the property in preparation for dumping. Sprint operates on a contract with Houston to haul the sludge into the county in the trucks that haul gravel to the city.

Tuesday, Superintendent Harold King said they had no word on the site and had not communicated with Sprint on the subject. The district threatened the situation with a legal firm.

Interested in volleyball? Call and let it be known

If you are interested in helping start a volleyball league in Eagle Lake, call Mary Jo LeNorman, who said Monday she is helping organize one if there is enough interest.

"We're trying now to see if there is any interest," she said. It would be a regular league, like the city softball leagues in the summer.

Her telephone number during the day is 234-5524, and in the evening is 234-5364. If there is enough interest, a meeting will be called for organization and play can start in the fall.

"I've heard there are quite a few people interested, but there hasn't been any effort to get it together," she said.

Jack Shewmaker, president of the company, said the Columbus store will employ approximately 60 area residents. Additional help will be hired during peak seasons. Prior to the store's opening date, interview dates and locations will be announced by the local media.

Wal-Mart is headquartered in Bentonville, Arkansas.