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Soil Conservation News

On October 4, the Colorado County Extension Service, the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District and the Soil Conservation Service sponsored the annual conservation tour, county hay show, and Zone V SWCD director election at Bernardo. Some 35 interested people attended the tour, hay show and election.

The tour began at the Bernardo Fire Station at 2 p.m. and progressed to the Edna Drymalla Ranch south of Bernardo. Tour participants viewed work Mr. Drymalla is doing to control McCarthey Rose by using chemical treatment. He has been successful in treating the McCarthey Rose, but also emphasized that follow-up treatment is needed to suppress new plants. Pasture improvement and more grass forage produced have been the results of Mr. Drymalla's effort.

The next stop on the tour was an observation of three different kinds of clover being grown on the Henry Kaiser farm. Mr. Kaiser has been growing clover for some 15 years on his farm with great success. Fertilizer is applied during the fall of the year which stimulates the growth of the clover which, in turn, perpetuates the growth of the grass, common bermudagrass and coastal bermudagrass. Lime is applied at four year intervals also. The clovers reseed them-

selves each year and produce the needed protein for livestock during the winter months.

The third stop on the tour was at the A. A. Hamby farm where fishpond management was discussed. We found out that as much as 1000 pounds of channel catfish (about 1.5 pounds each) can be produced per surface acre of pond area in a period of six months to a year when the catfish are fed daily. The cost is about 60 cents to \$1 per pound of fish produced. Catfish fed at a slower rate (every other day or every third day) will grow at a slower rate but means that the same 1000 pounds can be achieved over a longer period of time. Raising less in a pond was also discussed, but the pond for bass must be large enough (one surface acre or larger) to provide an adequate area for bass to reside.

The fourth stop on the tour was at the farm of Herbert Meyer. On this stop, a wisk-type application for weed control was looked at and discussed. The wisk-type application is used to apply chemicals onto obnoxious weeds in the spring of the year when the weeds are growing at their fastest rate of growth. The chemical is wiped onto the unwanted weeds by means of the wisk applicator and then is taken to the root system of the weed to kill the weed.

Cost of the chemical and application onto the weeds is less than the cost of shredding a pasture and results in eradicating the weeds. The wisk-type applicator can also be used on unwanted games in cultivated fields and also on tender regrowth of yupon after the yupon has been shredded very close to the ground. Another potential use of the wisk-type applicator is on unwanted smut-grass.

The cost of a wisk-type applicator is very reasonable. Kits may be purchased for those who would like to assemble the applicators themselves or they may be purchased ready made.

Any questions or needed information on chemical control of McCarthey Rose, using cloverland pasture situations, fishpond management or fish stocking rates, or on wisk-type applicators for chemical weed control, can be directed to the personnel of the Soil Conservation Service at 316 Spring Street in Columbus or call (409) 732-2773.

Applications available for Matagorda Island deer hunt

Applications for 125 deer hunting permits for a special hunt on Matagorda Island during December are available from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Department officials said permits who receive their own transportation to the island which can only be reached by boat. The hunt headquarters is located approximately seven miles south of Port O'Connor.

The \$25 permit will entitle the hunter to participate in two days of hunting. Primitive camping is available, but there is no telephone, electricity or

Last rites for Henry Marsalia

Funeral services were held October 14 at 3 p.m. for Henry Marsalia, brother of Sam Marsalia of Eagle Lake. Henry died of a heart attack on October 12 at the Eagle Lake Community Hospital. Services were conducted from the chapel of Dulany Funeral Home with Rev. Mike Buton of Dickinson officiating. Interment followed at Chestnut Cemetery in Sheridan.

Survivors include: daughters, Boots Jewell of Texas City and Grace Spence of Katy; sons, Henry (Sonny) Marsalia, Jr. of Richmond and Buel Marsalia of Rosenberg; brothers, Sam Marsalia of Eagle Lake and Camp Marsalia. Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Columbus Livestock

The market this week was fully steady to stronger on all classes compared with our market last week. We had a good active sale with a lot of buyers on hand, says George and Don. If we can be of any assistance in marketing or hauling your livestock, call collect 409-732-2822 or 409-732-5841 says George and Don. We have top market at Columbus Livestock Market every Thursday.

Cattle on hand, 1474; hogs, 10; sheep, 12; horses, 6.

Butcher Cows and Yearlings: Good to choice, 50 to 54 cents per pound; standard, 48 to 50 cents; utility, 45 to 48 cents; culls, 45 cents (down).

Packer Cows: Heifers, 40 to 46 cents per pound; utility, 34 to 40 cents (high dressing); cullers, 30 to 34 cents (low dressing); can-

Cub Pack 3078 News

Pack 3078 traveled to Garwood to participate in the Garwood Lions Club Carnival Parade. Approximately 30 boys from all six dens from Tiger, Cub, through Webelos attended. A great time was had by all and a lot of the parents stayed with their boys and enjoyed the Carnival in the afternoon.

The first pack meeting of the year will be held October 18 from the Middle School cafeteria. 48 awards of recognition will be presented to 45 Cubs for their work. Also new inductees into the 78er Club of Pack No. 3078 will be recognized.

A reminder, all scouts are still out pushing tickets to the Scout Show in Houston on October 29 at the Astrohall, trying to raise money for our Pack, and would really appreciate your support.

Absentee voting starts October 19 through November 4

The County Clerk's office in Columbus announces that absentee voting starts October 19 through November 4. Anyone who will be out of the county or who is unable to vote in the November 8 election and who are eligible to vote, can go to the County Clerk's office during the dates stated above for absentee voting.

Patients (October 17)
 Eagle Lake: Olga Lang, Lizzie Hill, Alex Woolridge, Ignasio Pasada, Eric Lee Gonzales, Robert S. Martin, Bonnie Patsy, But Flowers, Victoria Hlavinka, Alfred Zahradnick, Katie Matthews, Lera Mae Wied, Victor Cordova, Sr., Bill Torres, Josefa Estrada, Abel Rivera, Jr., Peggy James, English, Thomas Hearn, John Fulton, Laura Mathys, Doris Meinecke, Timbely Rollins.

Columbus: Minnie Green, Murrel Coleman, Lueberta Lockett, from Garwood; Dorothy Dancy, Alison Atkins; from Sheridan: Leona Kloss; from Rock Island: Bonnie Laughlin; from Wharton: Francisco Zbori, Beverly Zbori; from Polk: Gussie Obenhaus; from Houston: Marilyn Merchant; from El Campo: Evelyn Jakob; from Louise: Sergio Martinez.

St. Anthony's PTC meets

St. Anthony's PTC meeting was held October 10 in Columbus with Christine Grafe presiding. Members were informed of the second annual Marathon for non-public schools in the Victoria Diocese. This event will be held November 5 at Riverside Park in Victoria. Teachers, students, families and friends of St. Anthony's will join with other Catholic schools of this Diocese to raise funds for Catholic education. Participants get sponsors for each mile they walk, bike or jog. One hundred percent of all pledges collected by St. Anthony's participants will benefit St. Anthony's School in Columbus.

Christine reported approximately 60 persons completed the Marathon taught recently. The PTC is grateful to John Polak for volunteering his time to teach the course.

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Sheridan News

By Velma Kutzer
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A surprise birthday party was given at the home of Johnny and Rocky Jahn Saturday evening in honor of Dewey Ashley, Sr., who will celebrate his 85th birthday October 20. Barbecue and all the trimmings along with a special birthday cake was enjoyed by all. The family gathering was attended and given by Johnny, Rocky, Shane, and Amy Jahn, David, Kathy, Shannon, and Jeff Bujnoch. J. D. and Mary Ashley, Jimmy, Vicki and Mildred Ashley, Jodie Bruner, Jodie Smith, Bufford, Vicki and Kelley Ashley, Peggy Ashley and Jimmy and Nancy Cameron.

Grandpa Ashley received many nice gifts and he and Grandma Ashley were the center of attention for many pictures that were taken.

David Spencer, brother of Betty Bauer, is spending this week in the Bauer home. He came from El Paso to help Betty celebrate her birthday Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lloyd returned Monday afternoon after spending a weekend on vacation in California.

Joe R. Schibah spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Abbie Schibah.

Woodrow West underwent surgery last week in the Eagle Lake hospital. Get well wishes are extended to him for a speedy recovery.

Bullard who reports the weather in this area to the Victoria Weather Bureau reports we received two and three-fourths inches of rain Sunday afternoon. Sheridan received much more.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cousins and Mrs. Peggy Tesch were in Victoria Monday to be with Linda Davidson who had surgery. Get well wishes are extended to her.

Homecoming nominees

The Homecoming nominees had to meet certain requirements: must be a senior, must be a full time student, must have a grade average of 70 or better in each course, must be married, must have good moral character and good conduct at school.

The following girls have been nominated as candidates for Homecoming Queen: Frances Leal,

Ladonna Dancy, Connie Prazak, Michele Genz, Lisa Corman and Missy Huvaz.

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Hunt wins FTA office

Winning the office of District III's Financial Secretary in Victoria October 5 was Rachelle Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hunt of Garwood. Miss Hunt is starting her three-year membership in the Rice chapter of the Future Teachers of America.

This young lady is very involved and active in school activities. Her past experience with financial responsibility comprises a good record. She was treasurer of the FTA during her freshman year, and she has been secretary/treasurer of her class for three years, as well as representative to the Student Council. Presently, Hunt holds membership in the Drama Club, Jests Club, and FTA. For her outstanding participation in the FTA, she has won two Service awards.

For the third year, Rachelle Hunt is enrolled in band. She was selected to the District band for her freshman and sophomore years. This year she is serving on the band council as secretary.

Her extra-curricular activities are numerous. Hunt has been a Rice Varsity cheerleader for two years, and she has participated in

conduct at school. The queen candidates must also select escorts from the Rice High School senior class and that escort must be in good standing. Candidates must wear dress clothes when the court is presented on the field, unless they are band members or part of another school organization.

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Announcing the junior-senior banquet, dance

By Kristine Carpenter, Junior class reporter

The junior class will sponsor a Junior-Senior Banquet and Dance this Spring. Guests will be sent invitations from the junior class stating the time and date of the event.

The banquet and dance will take the place of the Prom. The reason for the change is to get more participation from the students. Last year there were only 33 couples that attended the Prom. There were more faculty members, sponsors, and invited guests than there were actual Rice High

School students who attended. One of the main concerns was the cost to individual students. By having a banquet, students do not have to go to a restaurant to eat, and one of the chief expenses—attire, has been eliminated.

Therefore, dress will be semi-formal — suits for the young gentlemen and after-five dresses for the young ladies.

As usual, there will be a photographer to take pictures of the couples or individuals. The junior class hopes

as well. For instance, during the fourth quarter of the La Grange game, Tony was brought down by a hard hitting tackle, leaving him dazed. As the crowd watched with apprehension, Tony was ready to get back on the field.

A student of the sophomore class, Tony wears number 54. Come out and see what talent the Raiders have and see for yourself the powerhouses that have brought fame to the district.

He'll "tackle" you pink

By Cathy Lanyon

What has five feet, nine inches, and packed full of power? You guessed it — a Raider varsity football player. And this week, Tony "Boss" Hosman is featured as the outstanding varsity player.

This outstanding and enduring defensive leader is a big challenge to the many opponents that he will encounter this year. Tony not only matches his wit with the opponent but the fans

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Perez returns

By Vicky Hernandez

Three years ago, Steve Perez enrolled in Rice High School as a freshman. However, fate had something else in mind, for Steve soon left and attended a school in Post, Texas. Steve and his mother continued to reside in Post until, by chance, they returned to Eagle Lake. Steve is now among the 109 seniors at Rice High School.

Steve lives with his mother, Rosa Perez, in Eagle Lake.

His hobbies include drawing, playing his guitar and reading books.

When asked what his favorite class was, Steve said it was Art and his favorite teacher was Mrs. Benge, the Art teacher. He also stated that his least favorite class was English IV.

On behalf of all the student body, the Annual Staff would like to wish Steve Perez a warm welcome and lots of luck with his senior year and all the proceeding years.

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Kauldron Cook-off in Crabb, Texas

Cookings teams are being sought for the second annual Kauldron Cookoff slated for October 29. The Good Earth in Crabb, which is located 1.7 miles south of Hwy. 59 at Richmond exit to Jim Booth, Rt. 1, Box 20, FM 762, Riverbend Coors is sponsoring the event to benefit the Fort Bend division of the American Heart Association.

To enter the cookoff call 713-342-5029 or 713-342-1818, or mail entry fee to Jim Booth, Rt. 1, Box 20, Richmond, Texas. Entry fee is \$25 plus \$5 per category: beans, chili, stew and gumbo. Registration deadline is October 25.

Continuous live music will begin at noon and last until midnight and a horse shoe pitching contest will be held.

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