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Study Club style show well attended; trip set

A large group of ladies gathered at the Eula and David Wintermann Library Saturday morning, March 10 to attend the annual Study Club Style Show titled "Tidal Waves."

Susana Nichols, owner of No Nam Boutique, and her daughter, Susie Vaughn, presented the latest spring fashions to the group which included many out of town guests. Leslie Harrison, a freshman at Baylor University, and Mary Burke of El Campo were among the guests.

Throughout the show, Susie provided fashion tips. Very big, again this spring, is the coordination of hostery with the outfit. Belts also are a part of the style this spring. There was a large collection of stunning buckles which can be attached to any number of different sashes.

Mrs. Nichols has operated the boutique for the past nine years. Her daughter, who is employed by the Bay City Tribune newspaper, was the emcee for the show again this year.

The Study Club is the library's only benefactor outside of private donations.

A trip to the Museum of Natural Science is planned for Wednesday, April 11. Present a lecture, "Shell Lover's Sea Shells from the Sea" at 10:30 a.m. Lunch will follow in the Tea Room at the Museum of Fine Arts.

If 40 or more sign up to attend, a coach bus will be chartered at \$10 per person. Lunch is extra. To sign up to attend call June Pirie at the Library.

—Study Club Reporter

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Bert Tise receives dean's honor award certificate

Bert Tise son of Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Tise of Eagle Lake has received a Dean's Honor Award certificate from Texas A&M for the 1983 Fall semester. This award is given to students having at least a 3.75 GPA out of a possible 4.0 GPA.

Bert is a senior at A&M, majoring in electrical engineering. He has maintained a 4.0 GPA since enrolling in A&M in 1981.

Local students on dean's list

Eight Colorado County residents were among the 1,353 students whose 1983 fall semester grades earned them places on the Dean's List at Southwest Texas State University.

To qualify for the academic honors listing, an undergraduate student must have earned a grade point average of at least 3.5 during the semester while taking a total of 12 semester hours of course work.

Colorado County residents are: from Eagle Lake, Jerri L. Clipson; Garwood, Paul J. Waligura; Columbus, Nancy K. Untermeyer, Karen A. Bodford, and Weimar, Charlotte C. Cargill, Debra J. Dobecka, Jens A. Heger and Linda A. Kunz.

Obituaries

Hugo Bubela, Sr.

Hugo Herman Bubela, Sr., 81, of Nada passed away Friday, March 2 at El Campo Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were conducted at 9 p.m. March 3 in St. Mary's Catholic Church in Nada with Monsignor Victor Schmidtziński officiating.

He was laid to rest in St. Mary's Cemetery. Rosary was held at 2:30 p.m. March 3 at St. Mary's Church.

Mr. Bubela, a long-time resident of Nada for the past 65 years, was a retired merchant and a member of the Knights of Columbus.

He was born on November 19, 1902 in Fayette County to the late Frank and Mary Mikulec Bubela.

Palbearers were Billy Bubela, Michael Bubela, Jim Baird, Patrick Bubela, David Guthrie, Ron Zboril and David Schiuring.

Survivors are: two sons, Hugo, Jr. and Frank, both of Nada; four sisters, Cletina Amman of Nada, Julie Beck of Garwood, and Mary Blak and Mrs. Emil Socha, both of El Campo; four brothers, Frank of Nada, Joe of El Campo, August of Ganado and John of Talton; eight grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

East Bernard school menu

Monday, March 19: hamburger, french fries, potato beans, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickles, milk.

Tuesday, March 20: burrito with chili and cheese, corn, salad, jello, fruit, cornbread, milk.

Wednesday, March 21: hot dog with chili and cheese, tator tots, Ranch Style beans, fruit, juice, milk.

Thursday, March 22: creamed turkey over rice, green beans, fruit, home-made bread, milk.

Friday, March 23: bean chulapas with lettuce, tomato and cheese, corn, fruit, milk.

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Sidewalk sale cancelled, Easter bunny coming

The Retail Trade Development Committee of the Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce has cancelled a proposed sidewalk sale scheduled for St. Patrick's Day Saturday, March 17, and the committee is devoting its efforts toward the next promotion of the 1984 year, the second annual visitation of the Easter Bunny to this community.

Fred R. Frka, chairman of the committee, said that the March 17 sidewalk sale was cancelled "due to the disappointing response from downtown merchants." The chamber had sent out a questionnaire to 200 merchants and only two members indicated they desired to participate in the St. Patrick's Day sidewalk sale.

The committee urges that merchants observe the St. Patrick's Day observance on Saturday, March 17, with in-store promotions and sales using the "green" normally associated with the annual Irish holiday.

Also, the group reported that total sales for that day surpassed sales on any day during the pre-Christmas season. The \$29 in silver dollars, given as a prize for the special event by the First National Bank of Eagle Lake, was won by Leticia Samora of Eagle Lake. The drawing was held at the bank at 10 a.m. Thursday, March 15.

Easter bunny coming

The pre-Easter promotion will include the visitation of the Easter Bunny to this community on Saturday, April 14 from 10 to 11:30 o'clock in the morning. On that date the life-size Easter Bunny will be here to visit with all children in the front of the downtown Municipal Building. A photographer should be available to take pictures of the bunny and children if parents desire to have the photos made. Also, the bunny will present candy eggs and/or "surprise" gifts to the children.

"Further details on the visitation will be announced in future issues of this paper and parents and children are invited to make plans to be in Eagle Lake on April 14 for this special sales promotion," commented Larry Dulany, president of the Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce.

Other events planned by the Retail Trade Development Committee for the remainder of the year include:

- Memorial Day service and barbecue on Monday, May 23
- Downtown Sidewalk Sale, Saturday, June 16
- Devine Lucky Days, Friday, July 13 and Saturday, July 14 (receive a sloppy joe sandwich and cold drink for only 10 cents with purchases at chamber member merchants.)
- Saturday, August 18: Community Flea Market and Rummage Sale (tentative)
- Saturday, December 8: Christmas Parade and Santa Claus' visit.

Other tentative promotions for the year include: a possible E.L.H.S. and E.H.S. reunion; a Halloween promotion in October; and duck and goose hunting promotions in November.

4-H News

By Cheryl Johnson
County Extension Agent

Important meetings

Several meetings will be held on Monday, March 19 and all the meetings will be held (unless notified) at the Agriculture Building in the Columbus District (316 Spring Street).

At 6 p.m. will be the executive committee meeting and council officers will be prepared for the upcoming meeting.

County council and adult leaders will meet in various committees (awards trips committee and record book committee). At 7:30 p.m. a brief record book training will be held.

Members of the awards trip committee and record book committee have been assigned to these committees are: Donald Warschak, Emil Staff, Michael Grammann, Lisa Bartlett, Brian Warschak, David Berger, Mrs. Fausta Kaiser, and Mrs. Staff to the awards trip committee; and Debbie Blinks, Mrs. Florence Gens, Mrs. Claudine Shorter, Angela Warschak, Matthew Theut, Kevin Gens, Coby Shorter, III, Tina Grammann, Tommie Holub.

Other council members and adult leaders not assigned will be placed on a committee March 19.

Short course offered

The Texas Forestry Association and the Texas Forest Service are working together again, on the 46th Forest Resource Short Course, June 25-29, 1984. During the years, more than 3,000 young men and women have attended the short course.

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Probation revoked

In district court meeting in Columbus on March 8, probation was revoked on Elroy Wright of the Columbus area, according to district clerk Harvey Vorkhand of Weimar.

District judge B. B. Schraub sentenced Wright to seven years in a Texas Department of Corrections unit. At the same time, the judge sentenced Wright to another seven-year term on a burglary charge. The judge said the sentences would be served at the same time.

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Eagle Lake High School Board of Education re-elected Ben W. Cobbs as high school principal and Victor Scott as Upper Elementary principal for the 1960-61 school year.

Harold Thomas named Rotary Club president. Other officers elected were: Fulton Drompouche, vice president; Leon J. Spanihel, secretary; Sam H. Broyles, treasurer and Jack Mann and Clyde Brown, directors.

Eleven Eagle Lake participants in the Junior High School University Interscholastic League contest for solos and ensembles in Texas City won first division ratings and medals. They are: Mariyn Meitzen, Judy Gail Feik, Leslie Crane, Bernadette Marx, Steve Terrell, Linda Thomas, Brenda Wright, Dixie Walker, Carol Wells, Paula Marx, and Julia Wells. Don Spalinger won a second division rating.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Lundquist were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception Wednesday night at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Trebyg of El Campo. Mr. and Mrs. W. Wharton.

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3rd grade spanish dancers

Public School Week at the Primary School featured a third grade program for the parents. One of the groups in the activity was the Spanish dancers pictured above. They are: Juan Roque, Donald Semora, Everett Ramirez, Conrad Betancourt, Eddie Abrego, George Hernandez, John Garza, Jennifer Torres, Cynthia Tenorio, Lina Rodriguez, Lupi Rodriguez, Elaine Gasca, Sandra Hopper, and Wendy Valdez. The Primary School had a very successful Public School Week as 132 parents visited classes and 103 parents enjoyed lunch with their children during the week.

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