

New church in town

A new church has come to town. The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints is located at 200 North Lake Avenue in the old Campbell house (in front of the old Ice House). Services are conducted from 10 a.m. to noon on Sundays with Samuel Ray Peterson as the leader of the church here. He is assisted by Brent Gerald Anderson.

The church in Eagle Lake was organized on February 8, 1987 and Peterson said they have 93 congregations in the Houston area as well as one in Sealy, Wharton, Rosenberg and Waller with a total of 6,000,000 members nationwide. The public is always welcome.

New Arrival

Jenna Marie Cook

Mr. and Mrs. Robby Cook, of Eagle Lake, proudly announce the birth of their daughter, Jenna Marie, born Sunday, Feb. 21 at 7:38 a.m. at the Gulf Coast Medical Center in Wharton. She weighed seven pounds six ounces and measured 19 1/2 inches long at birth.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dornak of El Campo. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Cook Jr. of Eagle Lake. Great grandmothers are Mrs. R.L. Cook Sr., Mrs. Albert Lednicky and Mrs. James Dlabos.

Heritage House News



Grand prize chili winners!

First place chili winners!

By Patricia A. Herndt
Heritage House worship services were held this past Sunday afternoon by Father Jesse Eusesti, pastor of

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church. Residents enjoyed the church services and visit by the Catholic Altar Society who served delicious refreshments to all residents attending the afternoon church services. Our thanks to Father Jesse and to the Altar Society members for visiting our facility and brightening our Sunday.

Last Tuesday, residents attended Bible Study held in the dining area by Les Stewart of Wharton. Everyone enjoys his visits and while the deer burgers are being prepared, they watched a movie called "Brewster's Millions" starring Richard Pryor. Everyone loved the scrumptious burgers and want to thank the administrator for bringing the deer meat and doing all the cooking. Fantastic event!

Last Friday, Heritage House held their annual Wagon Train chili cook-off. There were four teams participating in this event and winners were chosen from grand prize chili, first place and second place chili. This year's winners were housekeeping, grand prize; nursing, first, and administration, second. Everyone had a great time preparing their recipes and participating in the annual event and everyone wore western apparel for the day which enticed most greatly!

Judges for the chili tasting were Mike McInerney and Rev. Albert Flahmann. These two wonderful people sampled our chili concoctions and then bravely announced the winners. We all had a great time for this event and we look great plans in cooking up chili for everyone to sample for an afternoon snack (which several residents thoroughly enjoyed)!

Heritage House held a delightful "men's hamburger social" last week and this was a special event for "men only". Our administrator, Richard

Hermann Sons workshop Feb. 28

A special pre-campaign workshop for 186 key officers from 48 Hermann Sons lodges will be held Saturday, Feb. 28, in the Giddings Hermann Sons Hall, announced Louis B. Engelke, grand president of the Order of the Sons of Hermann in Texas.

Preparing for the 80,500-member statewide fraternal benefit society's traditional March membership drive will be 54 lodge membership representatives, 41 financial secretaries, and 91 presidents, vice presidents, corresponding secretaries and treasurers. They will represent lodges in 46 cities and towns, in the south-central Texas area including Columbus Lodge No. 10, Cat Spring Lodge No. 44 and Bernardo Lodge No. 243.

Spring campaign
The Order of the Sons of Hermann in Texas will launch a 41-day spring membership campaign March 1 in

entitled "How to Build Wood Duck Nest Boxes". It includes illustrations to help build the boxes and offers advice on where they should be placed for best results.

To obtain the leaflet, write the TPWD, 4200 Smith School Road, Austin, Texas 78744, or call toll-free 1-800-792-1112.

The camp is for eligible junior members 9 through 13 years of age as of opening day of camp June 7. The recently expanded Hill Country facility has air-conditioned masonry dormitories and costs only \$30 for the week, meals included.

Junior members in the camper age bracket who successfully recommend new adult or junior members reduce the camp fee by \$5 for each successful recommendation and thus can go to camp free by bringing in six new members. At the same time, they can earn cash recommender fees. Signed attendance by the junior at a Hermann Sons youth chapter meeting also reduces the camp fee by \$1 per meeting, up to a maximum of \$10.

Texas A&M to host conservation tillage conference in July

The concept of conservation tillage will be examined in detail at a regional conference hosted by Texas A&M University this summer. "Conservation Tillage: Today and Tomorrow" will be the theme of the Southern Regional No-Till conference slated for July 1-2 at the College Station Hilton.

The conference is aimed at fostering the acceptance of conservation tillage practices through an exchange of the latest technology and information tillage systems in Texas, advances in conservation tillage farming systems, and research findings and new technologies related to conservation tillage.

Mrs. Consuelo Martinez honored for 40 years of service at hospital



Mrs. Consuelo "Hope" Martinez was honored February 17 at 1 p.m. for 40 years of continuous service to the Eagle Lake Community Hospital. A reception was held in the hospital dining room in her honor where cake and punch was served to a large group of fellow employees who were present to congratulate her on such an important occasion.

Hope, who is a native of Eagle Lake, began her employment at the Laughlin Hospital on February 17, 1947 which later became Eagle Lake Community Hospital. She worked 21 years as a nurse aid and the past 19 years in the housekeeping department. She now is the assigned housekeeper for the surgical suites.

Jerri Flieg, housekeeping manager, presented Hope with a red and white sash and certificate for her 40 years of service. She also was presented a beautifully framed certificate in recognition and appreciation of 40

years of loyal and dedicated service to the hospital.

The regular monthly meeting of the Parents and Teachers of Sheridan (PTS) was held on Tuesday, Feb. 10 at 6 p.m.

Program chairman, Aileen Peck, introduced Eagle Lake Police Chief Ben Johnson who presented a program on protecting our children.

The PTS will continue funding for the Sheridan swimming pool, contribute \$2000 to refurbishing the tennis courts and award an \$800 scholarship to a deserving Sheridan senior. Other projects are still in the discussion stage.

In other business, Monte Peck brought to the attention of the PTS and the principal that many vehicles are ignoring the school zone speed limits.

There will be a poster contest to find art work for the PTS Community Calendar. All students at Sheridan School will be eligible to enter. Details will be announced soon.

A nominating committee was appointed to find candidates for the officers of president and secretary for the coming election to be held in March. Installation of officers will be held in April.

Joseph Alton Curtis was quite the little gentleman dressed in his white suit when his parents, Bruce and Debbie Curtis and Rev. Robert Hessong presented him to God for his dedication. This was a special part of the first anniversary celebration at New Life Fellowship in Sheridan on Sunday, Feb. 15.

Joseph will be spending a greater portion of each year at his home in Alma, Wisconsin, then he will spend the winter in Eagle Lake with his parents training dogs at "Curtis Kennels". His maternal grandparents are Mildred and the late A.A. (Jake) Kirkpatrick of St. Paul; two sons, Russell Sanders III of Ingleside and Christopher D. Sanders of Portland; a sister, Mrs. Jacqueline Kirkpatrick of Portland; two brothers, Warren Sanders of Coonox and Tom Austin of Corpus Christi; a father-in-law, Russell L. Sanders of Goose Lake; and three grandchildren, Jessica, Cory and Cody Austin, and a host of relatives.

Sympathy is extended to the family in the loss.

OBITUARY Mrs. Grace A. Sanders

Mrs. Grace A. Sanders, 50, of Portland, died Thursday, Feb. 19 in a Corpus Christi hospital. She was a nurse at a hospital in Taft.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday, Feb. 21 at 3 p.m. from Maxwell P. Dume Funeral Home Chapel in Portland. Burial was in San Patricio Memorial Garden Cemetery in Portland.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell Sanders, in January 1987.

Survivors include three daughters, Cynthia and Stacy Sanders, both of Portland, and Mrs. Rodney (Shelley) Kirkpatrick of St. Paul; two sons, Russell Sanders III of Ingleside and Christopher D. Sanders of Portland; a sister, Mrs. Jacqueline Kirkpatrick of Portland; two brothers, Warren Sanders of Coonox and Tom Austin of Corpus Christi; a father-in-law, Russell L. Sanders of Goose Lake; and three grandchildren, Jessica, Cory and Cody Austin, and a host of relatives.

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News from Wintermann Library

"Laugh and the world laughs with you." Well, maybe yes, maybe no. But no matter how grim you may feel at the moment, you can find something to make you chuckle, grin or laugh at one loud at the Wintermann Library. If you have the "gloom", try a dose of humorous poetry, amusing essays, joke collections - even cartoon books. The Wintermann Library can be a very funny place.

New books in recently at the library include: Windmills of the Gods by Sidney Sheldon, Echoes in the Dark by Joseph Wambaugh, Poison by Ed McBain, Dreams are Not Enough by Jacqueline Britkin and Outbreak by Robin Cook.

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Savannah Ash turns two

Savannah Ash celebrated her second birthday with a party on Friday, Jan. 30. She enjoyed the party with her parents, Teddy and Sandy Ash; her sister and brother, Kristin and Erik, grandparents, Archie and Dorothy Noska; aunt and uncle, Monnie and Jason Noska; and great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Baird.



Savannah Ash

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If a crown, jacket or cap pops out, don't put it back with commercial glue - if you can leave it out until you see your dentist - do so. If you must have it in place for appearance's sake, use a piece of denture cream will hold it in place temporarily.
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WCJC to hold entertaining program Thursday, March 5

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is held at 7:30 p.m. in the Pioneer Student Center at Wharton County Junior College in Wharton.

Admission is only \$2 for an entertaining program that features the WCJC Choir, Madrigals, Concert Band, Brass Guild, and Jazz Band. Student artwork will also be exhibited.

WCJC Jazz Band numbers selected by director Gary Liebst are Log Rhythm by Les Hooder and Neal Helf's Flight of the Foo Bird arranged by Bardhan.

Concert band numbers are C.T. Smith's *Emperata Overture* and Sousa's famous *Washington Post March*. Among the band members performing include Brandon Cope of Eagle Lake, French horn player; Denise Polak of East Bernard; trumpet player; and Mark Knesek of Wallis, tuba player.

The WCJC Brass Guild features trumpet soloist Mario Saenz in Ellen Bayne from the *Army Brass Band Journal*. Among the players to accompany Saenz will be French horn player Brandon Cope of Eagle Lake. Also, Scott Joplin's ragtime number *The Swansong* Life also has been scheduled by Brass Guild director Phil Hart.

WCJC choir director Dr. Lee Rost will present the premiere performance of his original composition, *The Heavens Declare the Glory of God*. Area students who are among the choir members include Wendy Wernecke of Wallis and Angelo Rosselli of Sealy.

The Renaissance-costumed WCJC Madrigals will sing *He is Good and Handsome* by Passerella Grayson. Also scheduled is the *de Lasso/Grayson* arrangement of *Echo Song*. Wendy Wernecke of Wallis is among the Madrigal singers.

WCJC's multi-faceted talent showcase also features student paintings, drawings, ceramics and sculpture. Art instructor Morna Nation will display works by many students including Janet Zbrancak of Nada and Rosemary Staudt of East Bernard.

Wood duck nest boxes available
Now is the time to erect nest boxes for wood ducks according to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept. Wood ducks are cavity-nesting birds which take advantage of manmade nest sites if they are constructed properly and placed near favorable habitat.

The TPWD offers a free leaflet

Eagle Lake's Future...



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Heidi & Erica Garcia
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4 year old daughter of Jesse & Emily Torres

Jocoy Sommerlatte
5 year old son of Mr. & Mrs. Pedro Sommerlatte

Stephanie Sommerlatte
2-1/2 yr. old daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Pedro Sommerlatte

Heidi Hammermiller
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Brittany Sommerlatte
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