

Community Calendar for November, 1991

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SERVICES AVAILABLE Texas Driver's License renewal, 8 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m., first floor, Colorado County Courthouse, 732-3451; testing: Monday only, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Vehicle License Plate renewal, purchase: 8 a.m.-5 p.m., basement, Colorado County Courthouse, office of Evelyn Thomas, county tax assessor-collector, 732-2710. Social Security: Department of Health and Human Resources, P.O. Box 646, Brenham, TX 77833. SCORE (Service Core of Retired Executives): For appointment, Columbus Chamber of Commerce, 732-5881. Texas Department of Public Welfare, Visits: Eagle Lake city hall council meeting room every Thursday, 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; main office: 1336 Fannin St., Columbus; Monday-Friday, 7 a.m.-5:30 p.m., 732-6231. WIC Program: Each Tuesday, 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Providence Baptist Church, 1207 State Street, Eagle Lake. By Appointment only. For more information, 732-6390. Surplus Food Registration: Combined Community Action Agency Inc., 903 Preston, Columbus; Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.						
3 ***** Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. ***** Tid Bit: 96°F Los Angeles, 1890. Monday continued "My Friends House Preschool" 8:45 to 11:45 a.m. United Methodist Church	4 ***** Eagle Lake Weight Watchers, Hospital meeting room; 5 p.m. Eagle Lake Vol. Fire Dept., practice meeting, 7 p.m., fire station. Alpha Delta Phi, 7:30 p.m. Martha Sunday School, 7 p.m.; Georgia Adams, hostess. St. Mary's 4-H, 7 p.m., Parish Hall, Nader. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p.m., Scout hut. Museum Committee, 7 p.m., Prairie Edge Museum. Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., hospital conf. room. (Continued at left)	5 ***** Election Day ***** Family Hour Support Group, Gulf Coast Medical Center, 5:30-6:30 p.m. Free and open to the public. Colorado County Democratic Club, 7 p.m. KC Game Night, 7:30 p.m. Xi Psi Psi, 7:30 p.m. Tid Bit: V. Horowitz died, 1989. 	6 ***** A.A.R.P. 2:30 p.m., Methodist Fellowship Hall OLPH All Star Society meeting, 9 a.m., Church Office. Ladies' Golf Assoc., 9-hole scramble, 6 p.m., Golf Course. Eagle Lake Rotary Club, 12:10 p.m., Community Center; Arthur Anderson, program director. TOPS meeting, 9 a.m., June Mahalic's home. Knights of Columbus meeting, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall. Pilot Club executive board meeting, noon, Taco Tony's. "My Friends House Preschool", 8:45-11:45 a.m., United Methodist Church New Moon	7 ***** Eagle Lake Lions Club, noon, Community Center. Tid Bit: Lewis and Clark sighted Pacific at mouth of Columbia River, 1805. 8 ***** Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Hall. Tid Bit: Louvre opened, Paris, 1793.	9 ***** Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. ***** Tid Bit: Border opened between East and West Berlin, 1989.	10 ***** Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. ***** OLG Men's Club Breakfast, Andrew Hall, after 7 a.m. Mass. Monday continued Dorcas Sunday School Class, 7 p.m. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p.m., Scout hut. Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., hospital conf. room. "My Friends House Preschool" 8:45 to 11:45 a.m. United Methodist Church
11 ***** Veteran's Day ***** Eagle Lake Weight Watchers, Hospital meeting room; 5 p.m. Rice 4-H Club, 7 p.m., First Baptist Church. Colorado County Children's Service Board, 4 p.m., Courthouse. Eagle Lake Vol. Fire Dept., practice meeting, 7 p.m., fire station. Rice CISD board meeting, 7:30 p.m., Administration Building. Alzheimer's Support Group, 7 p.m., Mansfield Library, Columbus. (Continued at left)	12 ***** Family Hour Support Group, GCMC, 5:30-6:30 p.m. Free; open to the public. Commissioners' Court, 9 a.m., Courthouse. Sheridan PTS, 6 p.m. Sheridan 4-H Club, 7 p.m., Sheridan School cafeteria. Col. Co. Central Appraisal District board meeting, 1:30 p.m., Courthouse. Revitalize Eagle Lake Inc., board meeting, 2 p.m., First National Bank conf. room. KC Game Night, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall. Eagle Lake City Council meeting, 7:30 p.m., City Hall. WMU, 9:30 a.m., First Baptist Church, Sheridan. Extension Homemakers meeting, 1:30 p.m.	13 ***** Eagle Lake Rotary Club, 12:10 p.m., Community Center; Rollin Baker, program director. Ladies' Golf Assoc., 9-hole scramble, 6 p.m., Golf Course. First Baptist WMS, 9:30 a.m., Virginia Bauer's home. Pilot Club, noon, business meeting, Sportsman's. TOPS meeting, 9 a.m., June Mahalic's home. Tid Bit: Buchanan cold spell ends. "My Friends House Preschool" 8:45 to 11:45 a.m., United Methodist Church	14 ***** Ambulance Corps, 7:30 p.m., Ambulance Hall. VFW Post #8783 and Ladies Auxiliary meeting, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall. Ministerial Alliance, 9 a.m., Hospital Board Room. Eagle Lake Lions Club, noon, Community Center. Free Immunization Clinic, 2-4 p.m., Ugarte Clinic, 706 S. McCarty. Sheridan Water Supply Corp. meeting, 6:30 p.m., Sheridan Community Center. First Quarter Moon	15 ***** Tid Bit: Lech Walesa addressed Congress, 1989.	16 ***** Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. ***** Prairie Edge Thrift Shop Open 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.	17 ***** Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. ***** Eagle Lake Weight Watchers, Hospital meeting room; 5 p.m. Chamber of Commerce "dutch treat" noon meeting, Kevin Courts; The Grill providing food. For food reservations call 234-2780 by Thursday, noon. Alpha Delta Phi, 7:30 p.m. Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Dept. Ladies Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., fire station. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p.m., Scout hut. MAYC, 7:30 p.m., Town and Country. Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., hospital conf. room. (Continued at left)
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Have a Happy and Safe Thanksgiving!



Raider Review

Homecoming Royalty

By AMY LEOPOLD

Homecoming week at Rice High School was a very busy week for the student body. The highlight of the week was nominating and electing the homecoming king and queen.

The homecoming king was named at Friday afternoon's pep rally. The nominees were escorted by the cheerleaders. This year's nominees included: Reginald Donner, son of Mrs. James Donner and Robert Black, escorted by Vicki Drlik and Shanna Brunner; Kevin Jackson, son of Nancy and Pat Bownds, escorted by Kori Klein and Jennifer Wied; Eddie Fields, son of Ernest and Bobby Fields, escorted by Bonnie Benge and J' Amy McClanahan; and Steven Polach, son of Linda Polach and the late Dennis Polach, escorted by D.D. Valdez and Leslie Center. Eddie Fields was selected by the students as the

1991 Rice Homecoming King. The crowning of homecoming queen occurred during the pre-game ceremonies of Friday night's football game.

This year's nominees included: Shanna Brunner, daughter of William and Diana Brunner, escorted by Matt Weller; Vicki Drlik, daughter of Rudy and Carol Drlik, escorted by Shane Glaiser; Kori Klein, daughter of Randy and Janelle Klein, escorted by Kevin Jackson; and Kristen Tillman, daughter of Wilma Tillman, escorted by Eddie Fields.

The RHS student body elected Shanna Brunner as 1991 Homecoming Queen. Shanna was presented a crown and a bouquet of roses by Bonnie Benge, student council president, and Amy Leopold, student council vice president.

Meet the Lady Raiders

By SHANNON WESSELSKI

This week's blue and silver spotlight is on #5 of the varsity volleyball team, Sophronnie Anderson.

Sophronnie thinks the athletic program is strong and all the coaches show that they really care about what's going on in and out of athletics. "They want us to give it all we've got and don't settle for less," stated Sophronnie about the coaches.

Her favorite area in volleyball is spiking but she really likes it when "the team works together and plays awesomely." She believes the team's toughest opponent is Belleville but she feels that the team, "has the spirit and the skill to play them hard."

Sophronnie's inspiration is her mother, Lizzy E. Dancy. "She always tells me to make something of myself," stated Sophronnie. She plans to attend college at Sam Houston State University.

Her other activities besides volleyball include playing basketball and being Rice's first mascot. Sophronnie's favorite classes are U.S. History and Cosmetology.



Sophronnie Anderson

Reynolds previews basketball season

By BONNIE BENGE

With basketball season just around the corner, we interviewed the new boys' basketball coach, Ray Reynolds. Coach Reynolds previously taught at Freer, Texas. Reynolds graduated from Panhandle State University in Goodwell, Oklahoma, where he played basketball.

Coach Reynolds expects this year's team to show determination and the will to win. He also hopes each player will be willing to make sacrifices for the good of the whole team. To prepare for the season, the team has

been doing a lot of running and lifting weights. They are now working on fundamentals and team ball in the gym while continuing to lift weights.

Coach Reynolds tries to adapt to his players but he says he basically likes an up-tempo style of play. We can expect the team to press most of the ballgame and look for fast breaks at all times. The only returning starter for the team is Raymond Ford, while Matt McGaughey is also a returning letterman.

Air Force ROTC scholarships help defray college costs

High school seniors who are planning ahead for college may find both financial assistance and professional growth in the Air Force ROTC Four-Year Scholarship Program.

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"Overall grade point average of 2.50 on a scale of 4.0; and

"Class standing in the top 25%.

Students may take the SAT and ACT as many times as they like. Air Force ROTC will accept the highest scores in their possession as of Jan. 15. Those students who accept the scholarship and are commissioned second lieutenants in the Air Force serve on active duty for four years.

Interested students who meet the



BPA Officers Elected

By SHANNON SMITH, Reporter

The Business Professionals of America recently chose their officers for the 1991-92 school year. Pictured from left are: front row, Shannon Smith, reporter; Connie Soto, president; Shanna Sewell, secretary; second row, Tamara Fuller, treasurer; Demetria Dancy, historian; Karl Seasholtz, vice president. The club held its first meeting on Wednesday, Oct. 23, in the dictation room.

Meet the Raiders

By JENNIFER WIED

Attention everyone! Rice High School would like you to meet Mark Johnson. Mark, wearing jersey #74, is a senior this year and plays tackle on the varsity football team.

When it comes to football, the Houston Oilers are Mark's favorite team with Warren Moon being his favorite football player. Although involved in football and also a big fan of the game, another of Mark's favorite sports is basketball.

Mark feels that he has gained much from athletics. He feels that his ability to compete and his self-discipline has greatly improved. He has also been influenced by his teachers and his mother because they have done their best to push him to do the best that he is capable of doing.

Among his many classes at Rice, Spanish is his favorite and Mr. Gonzales, who teaches Spanish and is also the assistant band director, is his favorite teacher.

After graduation, Mark plans to go to Blinn Junior College at Brenham and from there go to a four-year university. He is unsure as to what his major will be.



Mark Johnson

Who's Zat?

By VICKI DRLIK

"Please give me a different toy. I am really tired of this boring ball." This little cutie had many people thinking at Rice. The only clue given was that she is a senior.

The ones who dropped the ball were Kori Klein, Raymond Ford, Lisa Barrow, Evelyn Washington and Tami Fuller who all guessed Kristen Tillman.

Isabelle Samora started to cry when she guessed Lisa Barrow. Corey



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Views On Dental Health

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Most people are aware that sugar contributes to tooth decay. In the interest of better dental hygiene — and weight control — they may cut out cakes and cookies and other notorious sweets. The problem is that so much of the food we eat, some of it unsuspectingly, contains sugar.

Aside from the obvious culprit, sugar is also present in most prepared foods, such as mayonnaise, relishes, ketchup, spaghetti sauce, soups, fruit drinks, bread, some alcoholic beverages, and countless other items. Sugar is also used in many products that people don't even regard as food —

breath mints, cough drops, children's vitamins, liquid decongestants, etc.

Yet the real potential for tooth destruction does not seem to be the general availability of sugar so much as the way it is eaten. Snacks, candy, sugared coffee, sugar gum, mints, soft drinks, taken throughout the day expose the teeth to sugar (and the resultant acid) continuously. It's best to limit the number of times one eats sugar.

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Student Pride winner

By PATRICIA LARES

The Student Pride winner this week is Valentin Serna Jr. In order to be chosen by a teacher for this honor, he or she needs to be a hard working student and has to set a good example for the student body. Also, he or she cannot be a discipline problem and has to show pride in his school.

The 17 year old junior's favorite hobbies are lifting weights, playing football and watching the news. His favorite sports include football, baseball and boxing. Valentin's favorite classes are reading, taught by Mrs. Kaspar, Mr. Vonsand's Algebra class and U.S. History, taught by Coach Russell.

Valentin was asked what it means to him to be a Student Pride winner and he responded by saying, "This being my second time as Student Pride winner, I feel really good because I know that I'm doing good in what I do



Valentin Serna Jr.

and in whatever I try." Also asked what kind of example does he set for others and he said, "I always try to put a little more effort into what I do and I also do it with pride. I wish that all of the students would do the same."

Valentin's parents are Mr. Valentin and Juanita Serna of Eagle Lake.

F.T.A.'ers of the month

By LANA HUTCHISON

Each month, the Future Teachers of America choose one or two members who have contributed the most to the club for the month. The person selected is then named as the F.T.A.'er of the month.

At the last meeting, the members chose Jennifer Wied and Jill Janish as the September F.T.A.'ers. During the month of September, Jennifer made signs for the first meeting and drew up the Secret Pals cards. Jill attended the District Convention in Edna.

Besides being the F.T.A. president, Jennifer is a cheerleader, a member of the National Honor Society and is on the Student Council. Jill is vice president of F.T.A. and a member of the Flag Corps, JV basketball team and the National Honor Society.

Weekly Calendar

By TAMI FULLER

Monday, Nov. 4: TASSP, Austin.
Tuesday, Nov. 5: TASSP, Austin; BPOA Fund Raising.
Wednesday, Nov. 6: TASSP, Austin; Jess Allison from Balfour, Invitation orders during lunch; BPOA Fund Raising.

Thursday, Nov. 7: TASSP, Austin; BPOA Fund Raising.
Friday, Nov. 8: TASSP, Austin; District F.T.A. Convention, Edna; BPOA Fund Raising.

Saturday, Nov. 9: TASSP, Austin; District F.T.A. Convention, Edna; BPOA Fund Raising.



Jill Janish

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