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Sorority assists pool, ambulance corps

Alpha Delta Phi sorority president Jennifer Obenhaus hands a check to Becky Anderson with Revitalize Eagle Lake. The sorority made a donation to the community swimming pool. The Eagle Lake Ambulance Corps was also a recipient of donations from the club. Headlight Photo by Susie Jackson



Cow/calf clinic set in El Campo

The Colorado County Beef and Forage Committee invites all Colorado County beef producers to the Gulf Coast Cow/Calf Clinic at the El Campo Livestock Commission Friday, June 4.

The clinic will highlight the Texas A&M University Ranch to Rail program and explain factors having the greatest effect on profitability, all the way through the carcass stage of production.

Live cattle will be used to teach what the production expectations are for various cattle types and how producers can take advantage of breeding programs to improve marketability and demand for their cattle.

This year's program also will cover herd health, forage management and cattle identification systems.

Registration begins at 8 a.m. June 4. Tickets are \$10 at the door to cover the cost of a catered noon meal.

Producers interested in attending should call the Colorado County Extension Office at 732-2082.

Field day to feature Cong. Jim Chapman

A field day has been scheduled Wednesday, June 2, at the East Texas Plant Materials Center near Nacogdoches. Continuous guided tours run from 9 a.m. through 3 p.m. with a break for lunch.

Cong. Jim Chapman, featured speaker, will address current agricultural issues at the noon lunch.

Cost of the meal is \$6.50. Advance registration deadline was May 25. For additional information contact the office at 409-568-3705.

There are no refunds and checks should be payable to SFA ST Agronomy Club.

Outdoor learning to be topic of summer camp

An advanced academic training seminar has been planned for July 28-29 for teachers to learn about extending the classroom outdoors. The seminar is to be held at the Cathedral Oaks Encampment near Weimar.

The seminar, sponsored by the Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District, has been approved for teachers to earn 14 hours of advanced academic credit training to apply to the teachers career ladder.

Enrollment is limited to 60 applicants and the cost is \$50 a person. Cost includes housing, meals, refreshments and sundries. The facility has air conditioned dormitories and dining hall.

Registration deadline is June 1. To obtain an application or for additional information, contact Clara Horndt at 409-732-2773.

The seminar will cover principles of outdoor education, soil composition, ecosystem concepts and weather, as well as many other topics.

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case remains open.

At 7 p.m., Deputy Busby investigated a burglary of a camp house on County Road 217. The offense reportedly occurred after Sunday night. Reported stolen were a Samsung VCR, Sanyo microwave and Sony portable radio. The case remains open.

At 10:47, Deputy LaCourse arrested a suspect on Hwy. 71 at Glidden for driving while his license was suspended.

Wednesday, May 19, at 12:45 a.m., Deputy LaCourse arrested a suspect on Interstate 10 (eastbound) at FM 2434 for displaying fictitious license plates and having no insurance.

At 2:13 p.m., Lt. Wied investigated a burglary at Poorboy's on Hwy. 90A east of Columbus. Carbons of cigarettes, quarters from a vending machine, a microwave and 15 cases of beer were reported stolen. The case is open.

Deputy Busby investigated a dog bite at 7 p.m. in New Town. Reports were taken.

Thursday morning, May 20, Deputy LaCourse also investigated a dog bite in New Town at 7:30 a.m. Statements were taken and the case remains open.

At 3:55 p.m. Sgt. Richard Fredericks investigated a burglary of a home on Mentz Road. The owner reported she found the door from the garage to the interior of the house kicked in when she returned home at 3:55. Reported stolen were a leaf blower, gas weed eater, black plastic tool box with tools, Daisy pellet gun with scope, 32 shot nose pistol, CD-radio-cassette player, 15 CDs, digital clock, typewriter case, RCA VCR camcorder, Nintendo and five games and an RCA VCR; also golf clubs and gray tweed golf bag. The items totalled over \$3,500. The case is under investigation.

At 5 p.m. Deputy Neisner investigated a domestic incident in Rock Island. Statements were taken.

At 11:58 p.m., Deputies Peters and

Frelsburg Lane. The subject fled on foot. A warrant is to be issued on the subject for fleeing detention and public intoxication.

Friday, May 21, at 5:10 p.m. Sheriff Esterling and Deputies Peters, Peikert, Neisner, Stavinoha and Fredericks served a search warrant on Mario Rios in Alleyton on suspicion of drugs. Rios was arrested for possession of less than 2 oz. of marijuana. Seized at the residence were drug paraphernalia, marijuana stems, roaches and seeds.

At 11:45 p.m. Deputy Parcell issued two citations for minors in possession of alcoholic beverage on Calhoun Road west of Hwy. 90A while he was investigating a report of shooting in the area. No weapons were found on the minor subjects. At 12:02 a.m. he issued a third citation to another minor with alcohol.

At 10:30 a.m. Saturday, May 22, Deputy Busby investigated a criminal mischief report on Dee Allen Road. The handles of a shovel, rake, pitchfork and post hole diggers were broken off and the wire connections to a travel trailer had been cut. The stakes marking the location for a house had also been moved. The case remains open.

At 5 p.m. Deputy Peikert investigated a case of juveniles in some criminal mischief on Henry St. in Glidden.

At 8:27 p.m. Deputy Parcell investigated a bar fight and aggravated assault at Hunter's Inn in Garwood. Statements were taken and the case is open.

Sunday, May 23, at 4:03 a.m., Deputy Neisner investigated a report of domestic reckless conduct on County Road 201 in Weimar.

At 10 p.m. Deputy Parcell investigated a family disturbance and criminal mischief in Bernardo on New Ulm Rd. Statements were taken.

At 11:54 p.m., Deputy Peters was called to assist Parcell with a family disturbance. While enroute, Peters located a subject involved in the disturbance on Henneke Road north of

Remember our heroes on Memorial Day

"A country that forgets the heroes who have given their lives to protect its life will itself be forgotten," said Sen. Phil Gramm, quoting an ancient philosopher.

He reminds us that Memorial Day is a time to commemorate the gallantry of thousands of American heroes who fought and died to preserve the liberty of the United States of America.

Memorial Day, May 31, 1993, marks the 126th commemoration. It was begun in the wake of the Civil War as a reunited nation sought to honor the sacrifices of soldiers of both the Union and the Confederacy.

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Remember to vote

Saturday, June 5, is the special runoff election for U.S. Senate between Bob Krueger and Kay Bailey Hutchison. Polls are open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Eagle Lake Community Center.

Museum Thrift shop open

The Prairie Edge Museum Thrift Shop will be open Saturday, June 5, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. with special five and dime table and glassware. Everyone is invited to shop and help support the museum.

Retired Teachers to meet

The Colorado County Association of Retired Teachers will meet at noon, June 7, at Schobel's Restaurant in Columbus. All recently retired teachers in the county are invited to attend the luncheon meeting.

Crop certification due

Producers are reminded that June 15 is the deadline to certify planted acreage of any crops, according to Kevin Humphrey, CED at the Colorado County ASCS office. The deadline includes program crops such as rice, corn, sorghum and cotton as well as soybean and hay crops. Call 409-732-8306 to schedule an appointment to report planted acreage.

Highway enhancement hearing in Houston

A hearing is scheduled June 3 in Houston on Texas' Statewide Transportation Enhancement Program. The program is to beautify and improve Texas highways. Public comment is invited at the hearing in the Holiday Inn Crown Plaza, one of several around the state, or in writing to TxDOT, Thomas Greibel, Division of Planning & Policy, 125 E. 11th St., Austin, TX 78701-2483. Or FAX comments to 512-475-2951.

Producers invited to cow/calf clinic

Colorado County beef producers are invited to the Gulf Coast Cow/Calf Clinic in the El Campo Livestock Commission on Friday, June 4. Registration begins at 8 a.m. Tickets are \$4 at the door which includes lunch. For details contact the county extension office, 409-732-2082.

Class of '88 planners need input

The Rice High School class of 1988 is asked to consider a five-year reunion. Anyone from that graduating class interested may call 234-2372, 234-2470 or 409-693-5409 as soon as possible to give your preference and personal information.

Senior Citizens dance is Friday

The Senior Citizens will sponsor a dance Friday, June 4, at the Eagle Lake KC Hall from 7:30-10:30 p.m. Music will be provided by the El Campo Melody Boys and the cover charge is \$4. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Wallis has rummage sale

The newly formed Wallis Downtown Business Committee plans a one day rummage sale, Saturday, June 5, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Country Rose Shop, corner of Hwy 60 and 36 with funds going to promote the city of Wallis. For details call 409-478-6193 or 409-478-6562.

KCs offer dinner June 6

The Eagle Lake Knights of Columbus will sponsor a chicken fried steak dinner on June 6 with serving from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the KC Hall. The cost is \$5 a plate to dine or to go.

Fish fry at White Cloud Church

The White Cloud Baptist Church ushers will be selling fish dinners Friday, June 11, beginning at 11 a.m. from the home of Mrs. Mervie Howard, 108 E. Davitt St. They will also provide home delivery by calling 234-5308 or 234-2497. The dinners are \$4 a plate and the proceeds will be used for the church building fund.

MYF to wash cars

The Junior Methodist Youth Fellowship plans to hold a car wash Saturday, June 12, at the Eagle Lake United Methodist Church from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Proceeds will go toward the summer camp fund.

Methodist youth have spaghetti supper

The Youth Fellowship at United Methodist Church will sponsor a spaghetti supper Sunday, June 13, at 6 p.m. There will be a pie auction and youth service auction. Drive-through service will also be available. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$3 for children.

PAC open for summer

The Rice High School Physical Activity Center (PAC) will be open to the public this summer. The gym will be open Sunday through Thursday from 4 to 8 p.m.

Special services mark pastor's first year

Friendship Missionary Baptist Church will have special services in honor of the first anniversary of Rev. E. Shorter Jr. and his wife. Friday, June 11, at 7:30 p.m. Rev. R. Kier of Greater Mt. Olive Baptist Church will be guest speaker. Saturday morning at 7 a.m. everyone is invited to a community breakfast. Tickets are \$1.99 each. A "waistline" party is planned June 12 at 6 p.m.

Sunday, June 13, at 11 a.m. Rev. Wayne Hewitt of Greater Star Baptist Church in Houston will be guest speaker and Rev. McClain, also of Greater Star, will be guest speaker for the 2:30 p.m. anniversary service.

Wintermann Library offers reading, movies

There will be a reading program Wednesday, June 9, at 2:30 p.m. at the Wintermann Library for children ages four through completed fifth grade. Roberta Johnson will read "Follow The Yellow Brick Road." The movies are scheduled for Thursday, June 3, at 2:30 for the same age group.

Vote Saturday!

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Liquor, cash taken in Garwood armed robbery

Saturday night, May 29, Colorado County Sheriff's Deputies Parcell and Neisner investigated an armed robbery at the Garwood Package Store at 8:40 p.m.

Three black males, all wearing ski masks, reportedly robbed the store using a 22 caliber or larger bolt-action rifle. Taken were bottles of liquor and \$142 in cash.

As the suspects left, the victim, armed with a .38 Smith & Wesson five-shot revolver, ran out of the store after the suspects to see which way they were traveling on foot. He fired five shots toward them, then ran in and called the sheriff's department to report the armed robbery. The case is under investigation. There is information on the suspects in the case.

Colorado County Sheriff's Office also reports the following activities for the past week:

Friday, May 21, at 2:47 p.m., Sgt. Richard Fredericks reported a felony escape from the Colorado County jail. Involved in the apprehension were off-duty Houston Police Officer Paul Weido, Jailer Chris Parks, Lt. R.H. Wied, Deputy Troy Neisner, Columbus Police and other county sheriff's personnel. The subject was apprehended on top of the Stafford Opera House and held at the county jail.

Tuesday, May 25, at 12:47 p.m. Lt. Wied investigated a theft of mail from a mailbox on Warchuck and Schutte Rd. in Frelsburg. Reports were taken and the case is open.

Wednesday, May 26, at 3:20 a.m. Deputy Richard LaCourse investigated an abandoned vehicle in I-10

Council hears list of grievances from citizens

The grievances listed were moral conduct, blocking of streets, public intoxication and loud music. James said the itemized list of grievances was being presented, but with no in-depth discussion requested at this time.

"We hope you will accept the list of itemized concerns, refer to it and anticipate hearing specifics at a later date," James said. "We must work together as citizens to make Eagle Lake a safe place to live. We hope you think this is a good move for our citizens to try to work something out to help our community."

Mayor Don Bendy expressed thanks to the group for its effort and concern and said, "Too frequently, citizens are reluctant to get involved. We will look forward to hearing from you at a later date."

The council heard the recommendation of City Engineer Craig Kankel for the 1993 street rehabilitation program.

Kankel recommended a program involving 10,949 square yards to receive a single course surface treatment at an estimated \$1 per square yard and 11,609 square yards to receive hot mix/cold lay asphalt at an estimated cost of \$3.10 per square yard.

The total estimated project cost, including a \$5,000 engineering fee, is \$51,936.90.

Targeting for the single course surface treatment are Walnut Street from Union to Prairie streets; Davitt Street from McCarty to Warwick streets; Warwick Street from Cat Springs to Waverly streets; Milam Street from Railroad to Prairie streets; and Stickland Street from Union to Prairie streets.

The hot mix/cold lay asphalt includes First Street from East A Street to its end; Maple Street from State to Seaholm streets; Fairview Street from State Street to the end of Seaholm Street; Shirley Street from State to Seaholm streets; and Church Street from Railroad to Beaks streets.

Also, Airline Street from Warwick to Chapman streets; Murphy Street from Guadalupe Street to the curve; Second Street; and C Street from Lake to Fourth streets.

After an executive session, the council employed Lance Segler, 23, to a reserve police officer's position. A native of Stafford, Segler has previously worked as a security guard.

In another personnel matter, the

Two more arrests close robbery case

Eagle Lake Police Department made two arrests for aggravated robbery this past week.

The arrest of Bruce Yarnell Montgomery and Wayne Montgomery on May 28 for possession of stolen property cleared the aggravated robbery case that occurred May 17. Both suspects were processed and transported to the county jail for confinement.

May 28 at 2:50 p.m. Chief Lupe Villarral met a complainant at the Duck Blind at 215 E. Main St. A stool was apparently thrown through the window from the inside of the bar in an attempt to get out of the building. The bartender reported the building.

Responding to a report of a disturbance on 6th Street on May 30 at 8:15 a.m., Officer Jay Reeves investigated and arrested Ernesto Rangel for assault and terroristic threat. He was processed and transported to the county jail.

At 1:52 p.m. May 30, Officer Reeves met with a complainant at the police station who told him she was assaulted by her husband at their residence. Reeves went to the residence where he arrested Michael Hernandez.

(See Police report, Page 10)

Eye Care Clinic to hold ribbon cutting

The Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce welcomes another member, The Eye Care Clinic of Eagle Lake.

There will be a grand opening and ribbon cutting on Saturday, June 5, for the clinic located at 100 S. Lake and East Main St.

Dr. John Huff and Dr. Dianne Walters invite the community to come for their grand opening from 2 to 5 p.m. The ribbon cutting ceremony is scheduled for 3 p.m.

The eye clinic offers a full scope of eye care including computerized visual field testing, laser, glaucoma and cataract testing and treatment, radial keratotomy, contact lenses and eyeglasses.

'Dearly Departed' tickets now available

The Prairie Edge Players newest production will be performed Friday, June 25, and Saturday, June 26, at 8 p.m.

The play "Dearly Departed" promises an evening of light entertainment with lots of laughs for all.

Tickets for each performance are available at \$7.50 for reserved seats and \$5.50 for general admission.

Reserved seating may be purchased at Gifts of Distinction from Liz Waddell beginning at 1 p.m. Friday on a first-come first-served basis.

The general admission tickets may be purchased from any member of the Prairie Edge cast or crew. There will be no phone sales.

To purchase tickets by mail, include a stamped self-addressed envelope with payment for the correct amount of the tickets to Helen Craig, 115 Laughlin Rd., Eagle Lake, TX 77434.

For additional information call 234-2807.

Crime Stoppers 'Crime of the Week'

The Eagle Lake Crime Stoppers is offering up to \$1,000 cash reward for any information leading to the arrest and indictment of any person or persons involved in the theft of a hubcap from a 1993 Geo Storm.

The incident occurred between May 26 at 6 p.m. and May 27 at 7:30 a.m., when the vehicle was parked between S&W Auto Parts and Dan's Minitop.

If you have any information regarding this case or any case, please call Crime Stoppers at 234-5555 or the Eagle Lake Police Department at 234-2727.

You will remain anonymous.