

# Nov. 1995 Community Calendar

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
<b>SERVICES AVAILABLE</b> Texas Driver's License renewal, 8 a.m.-noon and 1-5 p.m., 1119 Travis, rear entrance, 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 Mary Jane Pionitsch, county tax assessor-collector, 732-2710. Social Security: Department of Health and Human Resources, P.O. Box 546, Brenham, TX 77833. SCORE (Service Care 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., Eagle Lake Medical Clinic, 700 S. McCarty, 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.	<b>5</b> Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. Nov. 5-11: National Osteopathic Medicine Week National Employer Support of the Guard & Reserve Week Adolphe Sax born, 1814 Youth Appreciation Week	<b>6</b> Martha Class meets Eagle Lake VFD practice, 7 p.m. St. Mary's 4-H, 7 p.m., Parish Hall, Nada Museum Board, 7 p.m., Prairie Edge Museum Outreach Bible Study, 7 p.m., 414 East B. Street Alpha Delta Phi, 7:30 p.m. Boy Scouts, 7:30 p.m., Scout Hut Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., hospital conference room The Louvre Museum opened to public in Paris, 1793	<b>7</b> Cancer Support Group, GCMC room A, 3 p.m. Colorado County Democratic Club, 7 p.m. KC Game Night, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall Xi Pi Phi, 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous, E.H. Henry Bldg., 8 p.m. Lewis and Clark first sighted the Pacific Ocean, 1805 General Election Day Notary Public Day Halfway point of Autumn Full Moon	<b>8</b> TOPS meeting, 9 a.m. June Mahalic's home WMU, 9:30 a.m. First Baptist WMS, 9:30 a.m. Pilot Club, noon, business meeting Eagle Lake Rotary Club, 12:10 p.m., Community Center Study Club, 2 p.m., Winterman Library Colorado County Fair Assoc., 7 p.m., County Ag. Bldg., Columbus The Louvre Museum opened to public in Paris, 1793	<b>9</b> Ministerial Alliance, 9 a.m., Hospital Board Room Eagle Lake Lions Club, noon, Community Center Sheridan Water Supply Corp., 6:30 p.m., Sheridan Community Center Raider JV at Hallettsville, here, 5 & 7 p.m. Cancer Support Group, GCMC room A, 7 p.m. VFW Post #8783, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall Eagle Lake Ambulance Corps, 7:30 p.m. Ambulance Hall Citizens danced in celebration as Berlin Wall opened, 1989 Carl Sagan born, 1934	<b>10</b> Masonic Lodge, 7:30 p.m., Masonic Hall Raider Varsity vs. Hallettsville, here, 7:30 p.m. Martin Luther born, 1483	<b>11</b> Veteran's Day Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. Chamber of Commerce Veteran's Day Dinner & Entertainment Community Center, Serving 5 to 7 p.m.; entertainment begins at 5:30 p.m. Sadie Hawkins Day
<b>12</b> Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. OLG Men's Club Breakfast, Andrew Hall, after 7 a.m. Mass Children's Book Week Indian Summer Monday, Nov. 13, Continued Rice CISD board, 7:30 p.m., Adm. Building Boy Scouts, 7:30 p.m., Scout Hut Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., hospital conference room Vietnam Veterans Memorial dedicated in Washington, D.C., 1982	<b>13</b> Commissioner's Court, 9 a.m., Courthouse Chamber of Commerce, noon; call 234-2780 for reservation Rice 4-H Club, Patsy Mirkwa's home, 507 N. Lake St., Eagle Lake Colorado County Children's Service Board, 4 p.m., Courthouse Eagle Lake VFD business meeting, 7 p.m., station Alzheimer's Support Group, 7 p.m., Mansfield Library, Columbus Dorcas Sunday School Class, 7 p.m. Outreach Bible Study, 7 p.m., 414 East B. St. Continued at Right	<b>14</b> WMU, 9:30 a.m., First Baptist Church, Sheridan Central Appraisal Dist. board, 1:30 p.m., Courthouse Extension Homemakers, 1:30 p.m. Sheridan PTS, 6 p.m. Eagle Lake City Council, 7:30 p.m., City Hall KC Game Night, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall Narcotics Anonymous, E.H. Henry Bldg., 8 p.m. Claude Monet born, 1840 Yale University announced plans to admit women, 1968	<b>15</b> TOPS meeting, 9 a.m. June Mahalic's home Eagle Lake Rotary Club, 12:10 p.m., Community Center American Enterprise Day Last Quarter	<b>16</b> Colorado County Soil and Water Conservation District, 8 a.m., Ag. Bldg., Columbus Eagle Lake Lions Club, noon, Community Center Historical Commission, 7 p.m. Colorado-Fayette Nurses, 7:30 p.m., Columbus Historic weather: -53° Lincoln, Mont., 21.5° snow Helena, Mont., 1959 The Great American Smoke-Out	<b>17</b> Prairie Edge Museum Thrift Shop Open 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Museum Open 2-5 p.m. Margaret Atwood born, 1939	<b>18</b> Prairie Edge Museum Thrift Shop Open 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Museum Open 2-5 p.m. Margaret Atwood born, 1939	
<b>19</b> Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. National Adoption Week	<b>20</b> CCA surplus food, Providence Baptist Church, 1207 E. State, Eagle Lake Alpha Delta Phi, 7:30 p.m. Eagle Lake VFD Ladies Auxiliary, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall Xi Pi Phi, 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous, E.H. Henry Bldg., 8 p.m. National Stop the Violence Day President Lincoln delivered Gettysburg Address, 1863	<b>21</b> Cancer Support Group, GCMC room A, 3 p.m. Colorado County Horse Club, 7 p.m., Columbus KC Game Night, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall Xi Pi Phi, 7:30 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous, E.H. Henry Bldg., 8 p.m. National Stop the Violence Day	<b>22</b> TOPS meeting, 9 a.m. June Mahalic's home 50 & over party, 11:30 a.m., Diner Hall, covered dish luncheon and games Pilot Club, noon, program Eagle Lake Rotary Club, 12:10 p.m., Community Center New Moon	<b>23</b> Happy Thanksgiving SAGITTARIUS Nov. 23 - Dec. 21	<b>24</b> Colorado County Courthouse closed for Thanksgiving holiday Dinner for two at Delmonico's, New York, cost 25¢, 1834	<b>25</b> Prairie Edge Museum 2-5 p.m. Dinner for two at Delmonico's, New York, cost 25¢, 1834	
<b>26</b> Prairie Edge Museum Open 2-5 p.m. National Home Care Week	<b>27</b> Commissioner's Court, 9 a.m., Courthouse Eagle Lake VFD business meeting, 7 p.m., fire station Boy Scouts, 7:30 p.m., Scout Hut Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., hospital cafeteria Curtis P. Brady received first permit to drive a car through Central Park, N.Y., 1889	<b>28</b> KC Game Night, 7:30 p.m., KC Hall Eagle Lake City Council, 7:30 p.m., City Hall Narcotics Anonymous, E.H. Henry Bldg., 8 p.m. Friedrich Engels born, 1820 Coffee rationing began, 1942	<b>29</b> Eagle Lake Pilot Club make-up meeting, noon Eagle Lake Rotary Club, 12:10 p.m., Community Center TOPS meeting, 9 a.m., June Mahalic's home Lord Carnarvon and Howard Carter discovered tomb of King Tutankhamen, 1922 First Quarter	<b>30</b> Eagle Lake Lions Club, noon, Community Center	<b>Don't Forget... Eagle Lake's Annual Lighted Christmas Parade Saturday, Dec. 2, 6:30 p.m.</b>		

## Scott, Alcocer announce Nov. wedding plans

Mrs. and Mrs. Victor Scott of Eagle Lake are proud to announce the approaching marriage of their son, Russell, to Desiree Alcocer, daughter of Juanita Alcocer of San Antonio and David Alcocer of Houston. Desiree is a senior account manager for KICK-FM Radio in Dallas. She is a graduate of Texas Tech University and is originally from San Antonio. Russell is news and sports director for KTTA-AM 550 Radio in San Antonio. He is also the sports play-by-play broadcaster for the University of Texas at San Antonio, and a 1978 graduate of Rice High School. Russell and Desiree plan to be married at San Fernando Cathedral in downtown San Antonio on November 18, 1995, at 1 p.m.

## Hershberger, Cheatham exchange vows

Sherri Cheatham Ward and Charles K. "Chuck" Hershberger Jr. were united in marriage on August 19, 1995, in West Monroe, Louisiana. The service also united their children, Jonathan Ward and Daniel Hershberger, as a family in a beautiful garden setting at the lakeside home of the bride's grandmother, Gerri Cheatham Chandler. The service was conducted by Rev. Ralph Jones, former pastor of the First Baptist Church in Eagle Lake.

The parents of the bride are Mike and Cindy Cheatham of West Monroe, La., formerly of Eagle Lake. The bride's grandparents are Jimmie and Evelyn Thomas of Eagle Lake and Gerri Cheatham Chandler of West Monroe. Parents of the groom are Charles K. and Margaret W. Hershberger of Jamestown, La. After a honeymoon in Hot Springs, Ark., Chuck and Sherri are at home in West Monroe.



Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Hershberger Jr.

## Come join the fun at St. Anthony Halloween carnival

The St. Anthony School PTC will sponsor its 32nd Annual Halloween Carnival this Saturday, Oct. 28, with fun and festivities scheduled to begin at 5 p.m. on the school grounds. The carnival provides attractions and entertainment for all ages.

Goblin burgers, sausage, tea, chips and cake will be served as refreshments beginning at 5 p.m. and will continue to be served throughout the evening. Registration for the costume contest is from 5 to 5:30 p.m. The contest will be on stage immediately following. A \$1 registration fee is required. All children ages infant and up are invited to take part in this contest. You may compete as an individual or as a group. A first, second and third place will be awarded in each category.

The country store is filled with Christmas and home decorations, crafts, decorated T-shirts, canned goods, and freshly baked goodies. It's a great place to begin Christmas shopping. The auction, a favorite of many, will begin at 7 p.m. The auction provides the opportunity to buy unique items for yourself or for a special someone. Some of the bargains include quilts, homemade food/goodies baskets, wreaths, Houston Rockets autographed basketball, a complete boy fishing trip for 4 at Fort O'Connor, and Christmas decorations. Entertainment is provided throughout the evening with all the old time favorites—bingo, cake walk, Cookie Monster, Dracula's Draw plus more. Some new games and amusements that have been added this year include a pop gun stand, trick or treat land, and pop-a-shot basketball. The Goblin Express and Spook House are full of surprises and are a fright for all. The train ride adventure is a memorable ride for all the younger children. The grand finale for the evening is the popular Punk-N-Rock Concert where students turn into stars. Everyone is invited to an evening full of fun, excitement and entertainment at St. Anthony School.



These trick-or-treaters look like they're ready for the 32nd Annual St. Anthony Halloween Carnival this Saturday, Oct. 28, at the school. Pictured from left in the back row are Alyssa Hernandez, Jake Boettcher, Shannon Neill, and Brooke Dungen. In front are April Mueller and Casey Gynn. Photo Courtesy of St. Anthony School

## SHERIDAN LIBRARY NEWS

The Sheridan Memorial Library was recently accredited as a member of the Texas State Library System for fiscal year 1996, according to Robert S. Martin, Director and Librarian of the Texas State Library. "We are pleased to award a certificate of system membership in recognition of the efforts this community has made in providing public library services," said Martin. "It is a symbol of achieving a level of excellence." The Sheridan Memorial Library is a renewal member and serves citizens in Colorado County. The Library had to meet strict criteria, such as hours of access, professional staffing requirements, number of library materials, and local per capita support to become an accredited member. Public libraries must apply and qualify for system membership annually. Authorized by the Library Systems Act of 1969, the Texas State Library was developed to improve service in the state through cooperative efforts. Comprised of 10 regions, the system provides an opportunity for local libraries to make the best possible use of their own resources and those available elsewhere. These cooperative efforts are made possible through state and federal funds appropriated to the Library Development Program of the Texas State Library. This year, approximately \$7.7 million will be distributed to the 10 library systems. "The Sheridan Memorial Library has been open since 1971," stated Library Director Lillian Gohlke. "During those 25 years, the library has grown in circulation and visitation. As a fully qualified member of the Texas Library System for the State Fiscal year 1996, we look forward to future growth and improved services for our community." Only 13 more days to order your calendar! The library is continuing its sale of the 1996 community birthday calendars until Oct. 31. The cost of the library calendars are \$5 with as many birthday listings as requested. No more commercial ads will be accepted for the cover. You may drop your order off at the library or contact Zella Walker, Joyce Ohm, Mary Lou Criswell or Gohlke. \*\*\*\*\*

Also, Jean, Zella & Traylor Walker, Franklin, Triha & Brandy Walker, Larry, Daniel, Andrew, Tiffany & Kimberly Varley, Lloyd, Celia & Gary Spitzer, Lavo & Ruth Brisco, Janet Otto, Eldon & Joyce Ohm, Ora Tesch, C.E. & Leona Filppen, Charles DeShazo, Wayne & Natalie Dupre, Clay Sonntag, Mike & Elaine Sonntag, Mark & Leah Ross, Carol Hobbs, Dale Hobbs, Violet Herrington, Woodrow & Dorothy West; Also, Ed & Gladys Nay, Jeanette Nance, Dave, Patsy & Kayla Robertson, Trish Chisum, Bernice McCasley, Danny & Jeri Munoz, Bessie Dohner, Pat & Louise Brandenburg, Harry & Pam Brisco, Reginald & Bonita Pope, Connie Laake, Evelyn Holt, Eunice New, Ray Lee, Carmen Leigh & Chris Jackson, and Gilbert & Delene Holub. Recognition of these "Friends" will be held Thursday, Nov. 9, at the Sheridan Community Center. Recent book donations were received from Jenavve Peterson, Audrey Richards, Eldon and Joyce Ohm, and Bill and Gail O'Neill. Continuous donations will help the library reach its goal of 7500 volumes. The library received one memorial this month: In memory of Jewel Ross by Dub and Liz Fuller Sr.

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## Possible daycare opening soon

Need a place to live the kids while you and your husband work? There just may be help on the way. A survey is being taken in Eagle Lake to find out if there is a need for an additional daycare center. The individual inquiring about opening the center has 9-12 years of experience with Project G.R.O.W. as a child development specialist in early intervention for children, birth to six years old. Contact Beverly McMillian for more information at 234-5883 between 8:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.; or call 732-6033 from 6 to 8 p.m.

## CLUB NEWS

**Columbus FFA**  
The Columbus FFA livestock judging team participated in the Colorado and Washington County Fairs. The Washington County Fair judging team included Leslie Trammell, Dawson Kaiser, Paul Knigge, Tim Buhler, Brandi Benker, Amie and Mindy Malatek, Stephanie Simmons, Tara Hagendorf, Kristi Wick, Melanie Frank and Jason Dabney. The Colorado County Fair judging team consisted of James and Jacob Chollett, Mindy and Annie Malatek, Jeff and Paul Hadac, Leslie Trammell, Dawson Kaiser, Paul Pleasant, Starla Henderson, Brandi Benker, Kristi Wick, Stephanie Simmons and Paul Knigge. At the Colorado County Fair, Jeff Glueck placed 7th highest individual and in the Washington County Fair, Tim Buhler placed 10 highest. The judging team will be judging in the other county fairs and also Houston and San Antonio Rodeo.

## No more commodities rest of 1995

Combined Community Action Inc. (CCA) will not distribute USDA surplus food for the remainder of 1995 for all of its service counties. Shortages of commodities have caused the cancellation of the program for the remainder of the year. CCA will know after Jan. 5, 1996, if they will have distributions and re-certifications for 1996. Notification will be through local newspapers and the central office in Smithville. Information on eligibility requirements for the Emergency Food Assistance Program may be obtained from local CCA offices or the central office, 512-237-4824 or 1-800-688-9065. Rules for participation in the program are the same for everyone without regard to age, race, marital status, color, religion, sex, handicap, national origin, or political belief.

## Shropshire-Upton #361

The Gordon Memorial Library in Sealy was the location of the Oct. 12 meeting of the Shropshire-Upton Chapter #361 of the U.D.C. President Mrs. Sarah Uzzi called for officers reports. Historian Millicent Crane gave a report on the funerals for the Jefferson Davis family from the U.D.C. magazine. They are buried together in Richmond, Va. Mrs. Uzzi reported on the dedication ceremony for the William Shelby Delany marker sponsored by the U.D.C. and the Colorado County Historical Commission on Sept. 30. The program was a very interesting slide show and accompanying information given by Jack Muggli of Weimar. The subject was "To Die in Chicago - Confederate prisoners of Camp Douglas". The conditions of the prison camp were detailed and explained as they were in 1863. The death rate of the Confederate soldiers was very high as it was in the camp for Union prisoners in Andersonville, Ga. Mr. Muggli is a well versed source of information about the history of "The War Between the States". Hostesses for the meeting were Mesdames Myrle Benton, Tim Ward, Molly Taylor, Edi Maddox, and Jane Brunne.

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