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county-wide HFC may be the way to solve that need."

Holland told Council since the effort was born in Eagle Lake, the City

Habitat

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including Arlan Enterprises, Coastal Banc, Columbus Rotary Club, Columbus State Bank, Creative Expressions, Country Fresh Cleaners, Executive Board of Directors of Texas, Eagle Lake United Methodist Church, The Fashionette, First National Bank of Eagle Lake and The First State Bank of Eagle Lake.

Also, Friendship Baptist Church, New Greater Smith Chapel Baptist Church, Henneke Funeral Home, Lake Motors, Laker Printing and Trophies, Lower Colorado River Authority Employees United Methodist Church, River Oaks Convalescent Center, St. John's Episcopal Church, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, The Stop Sign and Weimar United Methodist Church.

For more information, contact Lewis at 1-800-243-5369. To volunteer, contact either Lewis or Lois Goodwin at 234-5129.

Players

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These productions would not be possible without the loving work of so many.

So, come out and support the Pils latest effort, "Last Chance High," at the Prairie Edge Museum on Friday, Nov. 22, at 7 p.m. and Sunday, Nov. 24, at 3:30 p.m.

Reserved seats are \$5 and available at Laker Printing; general seating is \$1.50 & \$6, available at the door. For further information, contact Reed at 234-2601.

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brother, Jesse, and a younger brother, Jack, who also lives in Altair.

Cool Cat Russell Hadley looks like a real tough dude and ready for this weekend's performance of "Last Chance High."

Photo Courtesy of Deborah Reed

Photos

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Lake, 77434. Photos will be sent to Houston for judging. Your entry will earn points for the Go Texas Committee in its quest for a scholarship to be awarded to a graduating senior in Colorado County. Entry forms are available from Appelt or from the County Extension Office in Columbus, 732-2082. Winning county photos will be displayed at the Astorhall during the 1997 Houston Show.

The Other Santa Claus

by Rollin H. Baker - Chapter Ten - Strangers In Their Midst

Last time, we left the elves as they had just discovered another group of elves in Australia.

Police

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the arrest of Walter George Gordon of Edinburg for possession of marijuana. Gordon was processed at the police department, then transported to CDCD for confinement.

Officers Dac Do and Risk were dispatched to Gonzales Street in reference to a fight. Upon their arrival and speaking with both parties who were previously involved in the fight, the matter was settled at the scene.

Officer Risk was contacted by a complainant who advised she was the victim of a disturbance. A written, voluntary statement was given by the complainant and a report was filed. The suspect was later issued a citation for disorderly conduct.

On Nov. 14, Lt. Johnson was dispatched to Dan's Minute Stop to assist in unlocking a vehicle.

Sgt. Jack Knox and Officer Ochoa conducted a traffic stop on Third Street which resulted in the arrest of Bobby Ray Guthrie of Garwood for outstanding warrants through the City of Eagle Lake. Guthrie was processed at the police department, then transported to CDCD for confinement.

On Nov. 15, Sgt. Knox was dispatched to State Street in reference to loud music. Sgt. Knox was unable to locate any loud music, but spoke with a suspect about the complaint.

Sgt. Knox was dispatched to 601 E. Main in reference to an unconscious subject on the property. After investigation, the subject, Antonio Esparza, was arrested for public intoxication and resisting arrest, processed at the police department, then transported to CDCD by Officer Risk for confinement.

On Nov. 16, Officer Risk and Sgt. Knox were dispatched to East B Street in reference to a family disturbance. After speaking with the complainant and locating the suspect, Steven Torres, was arrested on charges of aggravated assault with a deadly weapon. He was processed at the police department, then transported to CDCD for confinement.

Officer Misty Lange and Sgt. Knox met with a complainant at the police department in reference to harassment. Voluntary statements were taken and a report filed. The suspect was later located and issued a citation for harassment.

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District Court hands down sentences

Eleven individuals were sentenced recently in proceedings in Colorado County District Court Thursday, Nov. 14 with District Judge Dwight Peschel presiding.

Penny Henske of Eagle Lake was ordered placed on probation for two years and granted deferred adjudication on a charge of theft.

She was ordered to pay restitution of \$18,786 for money taken between Jan. and July when she was working at the Golf Course in Eagle Lake. She was also ordered to perform 240 hours of community service.

Three individuals were sentenced on charges of burglary of a habitation on July 20: Bobby Dillon May was sentenced to eight years in prison and ordered to pay \$2,090 restitution.

Jason Reynolds received five years of probation, was ordered to pay a \$1,000 fine, \$2,090 in restitution, perform 240 hours of community service and serve 30 days in jail. He was also granted deferred adjudication.

Christopher Fine was ordered placed on probation for five years, granted deferred adjudication, ordered to perform 240 hours of community service, pay a \$1,000 fine and \$2,090 in restitution.

In a separate case, probation was revoked for John Ramos on a burglary of a vehicle charge. He was sentenced to the Gonzales Intermediate Detention facility for a term of six months to two years.

Cristi Venhaus was placed on probation for two years and granted deferred adjudication for criminal mischief on June 2.

She was also ordered to perform 160 hours of community service, pay \$2,259 in restitution and a \$500 fine.

Donald Denley was ordered placed on probation for five years and granted deferred adjudication for possession of a controlled substance on July 12.

Denley was also ordered to perform 240 hours of community service and pay a \$1,000 fine.

Angel Belman was ordered placed on probation for five years and granted deferred adjudication for a burglary on April 13.

He was ordered to pay a \$1,000 fine and perform 240 hours of community service.

Janice Toliver was ordered placed on probation for five years and granted deferred adjudication for an assault on a public servant on July 23.

Toliver was ordered to perform 240 hours of community service and pay a \$1,000 fine.

Probation was revoked for Debora Ann Marx on a charge of burglary of a building and she was ordered to serve five years in prison.

Also, District Judge Gus Strauss ordered Dwayne Tesch placed on probation for five years and granted deferred adjudication on a charge of indecency with a child by exposure, stemming from a Nov. 1992 incident.

He was ordered to perform 240 hours of community service and pay a \$1,000 fine.

Officer Risk and Due Do were dispatched to a two-vehicle accident on FM 3013, just south of Hwy. 90A at 7:49 p.m.

Involved were a 1988 Cadillac four-door driven by Debra C. O'Kelley of Richmond and a 1981 Chevrolet four-door driven by Dora Ramirez Godino of Eagle Lake.

Apparently, Godino's vehicle was stopped in a moving lane of traffic to turn into a private drive when O'Kelley's vehicle struck it from the rear.

Witnesses stated that the Godino vehicle had no lights on. No injuries were sustained by the drivers or their passengers.

On Nov. 21 at 5:25 p.m., Sgt. Jack Knox was advised of suspicious activity at the old railroad tower, but subjects were gone upon his arrival.

On Nov. 22 at 11:16 a.m., Lt. Clem Johnson was advised of vandalism of City property at B and Fourth Streets. The case is under investigation.

'Airman' Dixon returns on Dec. 8

Harlem Globetrotter legend, Reggie "Airman" Dixon, will be performing with the rest of his team at the 2nd Annual Basketball Game at Rice High School this Sunday, Dec. 8, beginning at 6 p.m. Canned goods will be collected at the door to help those in need.

Reggie "Airman" Dixon will also be in Eagle Lake at IGA Foods at 2 p.m. on Nov. 30 for the promotion of the game and pre-sale of tickets. Tickets will be \$6 pre-sale; \$8 at the door.

Dixon will also be visiting area schools on Monday, Dec. 2; Eagle Lake Primary School at 8:30 a.m.; Eagle Lake Middle School, 10 a.m.;

Garwood School, 12:30 p.m.; Sheridan School, 2:15 p.m.

Pre-sale tickets are available at the Rice coaches' office in the PAC Center, IGA Foods, Laker Printing & Trophies and Johnny's Sport Shop.

Dixon will be at the Garwood Christmas Festival on Saturday, Dec. 7, at 4 p.m. where he will be selling chances on a signed basketball.

He will then be riding in the Eagle Lake Christmas Parade at 6:15 p.m. Everyone is urged to come out and enjoy watching these outstanding athletes perform against the Rice team.

Commissioners okay plan... Employees to be evaluated before raises

Colorado County Commissioners' Court authorized a new Performance Appraisal Plan for all employees during its meeting on Monday morning, Nov. 25.

It had been the recommendation of a Citizens Committee that department heads have a "mechanism to evaluate their personnel."

Commissioners had approved raises of some \$50 for full-time employees and \$25 for part-time County employees in the 1997 budget.

However, the Performance Appraisal Plan will now be a means for department heads to evaluate their own personnel and decide if raises are warranted or not.

The raises cannot exceed the amount budgeted per employee, but they may be less, depending on the evaluation.

According to Slominski, the County will follow a similar plan used in Comal County. He added that all personnel would have to be evaluated between now and Dec. 31 in order for the pay raises, if awarded, to go into effect by the first of the year.

The Court also established a deadline of May 1, 1997, for Hanover Inc. to accomplish the purchase of Smith Industries Inc. The agreement was part of the tax abatement awarded Hanover in early 1995.

It also was planned that a Hanover representative wanted to pay the Colorado County Central Appraisal District some \$117,000 in back taxes that day.

In other business, the Court:

•Entered an agreement with Ricaland Regional Mental Health Authority for off-duty deputies to transport patients at a cost of \$15 per hour with the money coming from the \$3,189 set aside by the mental health authority;

•Agreed to void a contract with Drug Free Consortium and enter a contract with Transcend Inc. for drug testing County employees with commercial driver's licenses;

•Adopted an order for Colorado-Fayette Medical Center in Weimar to lease medical equipment from Bell County Health Facilities Inc. at no cost to the County;

•Extended the contract of Dale Alexander, the County's 911 rural

theatre style, prior to the show. For tickets, call Jessica Briscoe at 234-2442. Pictured above, from left, are Susie Oliver, Sara Mann, Jessica Whitman, Chrissy Algood, Amanda Engstrom, America Seams, Danielle White, Marie Hernandez, Valerie Garzon, Rebel Carter and Lori Griggs. Photo Courtesy of Robin Givens

Decadent Desserts begin with paint and light! Members of the Rice Drama Club prepare sets for "The Nutcracker," directed by Sara Mann, on Thursday, Dec. 5, at 7 p.m.

Decadent desserts, coordinated by Herless Briscoe and Angie Schuester, will be served, dinner...

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