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Police

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Officer Risk was dispatched to Church Street in reference to a prowler complaint. No one was located.

Officer Risk met with a complainant at the police department who reported criminal mischief on McCarty.

On Dec. 13, Lt. Johnson was advised of some young kids on the railroad tracks playing "chicken" with the train. He was unable to locate anyone.

On Dec. 14, Officers Risk and Eric Bilbo arrested Byron Don Vick and Randall Wayne Kubecka for public intoxication and processed them at the department. They were transported to the Colorado County Detention Center for confinement.

Officer Bilbo met with a complainant at 100 E. Post Office and took a report of criminal mischief, which is being investigated. Officer Bilbo was dispached to Third Street in reference to a burglary. A report was taken and the case under investigation.

Officers Risk and Misty Lange were dispatched to the 600 block of E. Main in reference to someone passed out. After investigation, the suspect, Antonio Esparza, was arrested and detained in the holding cell and later issued a citation and released.

Chief Webb was contacted by a complainant who reported a theft that had occurred at his residence on Dec. 9. The case is under investigation.

Officer Risk was contacted by a complainant who stated that a shot gun had been stolen from his pickup after his son had placed it there while they were at Johnny's Sport Shop. An employee of Johnny's advised Chief Webb on Dec. 17 that another person had found the shotgun in his vehicle when unloading from a hunting trip. The gun had been put in his vehicle by the son by mistake.

At about 7:56 p.m., Officers David Wood and Lange were dispatched to Fifth Street in reference to a disturbance. After the victim and witness came to the police station and gave statements, the suspect, Fernando Vargas, was arrested, processed at the department, transported to CCDC for confinement and charged with aggravated kidnapping.

A burglary of a habitation which occured on North St. reported to Officer Ochoa is being investigated.

On Dec. 15, Officer Brian Baklik was advised of a possible drunk driver coming into Eagle Lake on Hwy. 90A. The driver was stopped, interviewed and found not to be intoxicated, but having a problem with the heavy rain. No action was taken.

On Dec. 16, Officers Ochoa and Gary Gipson were dispatched to Westmoreland Street in reference to criminal mischief. A report was taken and the case is under investigation.

On Dec. 17, Chief Webb received a call of loud music on Walnut Street. Contact was made with the occupant and the "bass" level of the music was turned down.

Tax

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Bellville, $17,715.38, up 18.75%; El Campo, $131,968.83, up 33.94%; and Wharton, $81,722.09, up 30.31%.

Year-to-date totals for the above cities are: Columbus, $544,447.21, unable to calculate due to change in rate; Weimar, $121,377.01, up 1.48%; Sealy, $658,067.70, up 36.24%; Bellville, $226,442.53, up 2.61%; El Campo, $1,613,116.39, +8.34%; and, Wharton, $985,625.16, up 4.59%.

On the county level, Colorado County's received $48,202.37, up 69.18% from last year's payment of $28,490.62. Austin County received $56,352.34, +44.38%. Wharton County received $96,108.57, +36.56%.

Year-to-date totals for the above counties are: Colorado, $533,425.88, down 20.35%; Austin, $706,195.75, up 12.14%; and, Wharton County, $1,100,072.60, +0.71%.

The Comptroller's next allocation is scheduled for Friday, Jan 10, 1997.

*Columbus increased its portion from 1% to 1.5% effective 4-1-96, therefore, it is not an accurate comparison.

City wants repair needs evaluated

By Lynda Appelt, Contributing Writer

Citizen complaints, direct observation and concern led the Eagle Lake City Council to enter into an agreement for an evaluation of every street in the City, prioritizing by the need for repair. The action was taken at Council's Nov. 26 meeting.

After hearing the evaluation to be done by City Engineer Craig Kankel of O'Malley Engineers, Council will decide if it will proceed with a bond issue for a major street project and, if so, in what amount? The action came after a lengthy discussion with Kankel.

Street repair has been put on a "back burner" for several years due to lack of funds.

At the request of Shavers, a discussion on the grant application for infrastructure to serve the Dunham Environmental Medical Waste Incinerator was once again on Council's agenda.

Dick Dunham was present to respond to Shavers' concerns, one of which was the amount of sewerage that will be dumped into the City's system and its effect on the plant's capacity. The possibility of contamination being dumped into the system was also a concern of Shavers.

Kankel, who has done an extensive study of the incinerator and its effect on the water/sewer system, told Council the capacity will not be effected and a clause will be included concerning contamination.

"If we contaminate your sewer plant, we should be disconnected," Dunham said.

Another concern of Shavers was the fact that the City will be receiving very little income since Dunham will be purchasing water from New Town Water District, although the City will be financially responsible for maintenance of the 3,200 feet that will be the City's part of the sewer line.

Publisher's Note: Councilman Shavers should also note that New Town Water buys its water from the City of Eagle Lake, therefore, the City will realize an increase in income.

About Town...

•A mother of three dropped off a copy of something called "Sargent's News" last week. The article of interest, "Look Out Kids, Boot Camp Is Here!", told of the boot camp added to the Van Vleck's Zero Tolerance.

According to the article, those assigned must arrive at 5:45 a.m. and are met at the door by the instructor who is, in all regards, a drill sergeant. He dresses the part (including black boots and hat) and even has the voice. Students are there 12 hours, running, exercising and doing motivational drills.

The mother of some recent assignees says, in the article, that it may seem harsh, but she doesn't think so. Her kids don't want to see that instructor again. They were sore for two days.

Hmm, could this work?

•Again, as has happened several times in the past, we received an anonymous letter this week. Its concern was that teachers, coaches and school board members don't follow the rules they make for the Rice CISD students.

Whoever the author was has some good points, but an anonymous letter is not even considered for publication.

We can withhold a name, but we have to have the writers name, address, phone number and signature before a letter will be looked at for inclusion in *The Headlight*..

•The Starlight Twirlers recently participated in the Sealy Fantasy of Lights Parade, winning first place, marching division. They twirled silver and blue flags and silver hoops to the song "Let It Snow". The group's instructor is Sherri Sommerlatte.

•Thanks to everyone from the Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce on the sale of tickets and drawing for the beautiful quilt. By the way, Mary Jo Euers of Eagle Lake was the winner.

•Also a big thank you to "Bandit" Blount for the use of the generator from the Vine of the Lord Church. Without you the church would not have been able to be in the Christmas Lighted Parade. Thanks to Bruno Morieda for driving the pickup. Carol Cardenas decided not to jump off this year. I guess a good lesson was learned from the broken ankle last year.

•The University of Houston's Channel 8 will be airing a short clip on the Attwater's Prairie Chicken Festival next Monday night, Dec. 23, at 7:30 p.m. Ron Kabley, a videographer from Texas Parks and Wildlife, made a short video during last year's festival with several Eagle Lake residents. Please watch to see if you or someone you know is included. We want to encourage as many people as possible to come to next year's festival. So tell your friends and family to watch! Who knows, you might be a star

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A movie?

The roof tops, power lines and telephone poles around downtown looked like a scene from Alfred Hitchcock's movie, "The Birds", early Friday evening, Dec. 13. Various sizes of black birds were everywhere!

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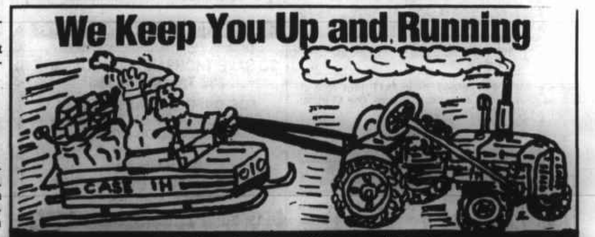

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Dear Santa

All I want for Christmas is...

Dear Santa,
I want a Buzz Lightyear and the Cowboy. What else I want is a gun, some movies, a tv, remote control pickup, a basktball, a book, a play dog, a remote for my tv and a new bicycle.
I have been good.
Love, Cody Risk

Sheridan School

Kindergarten
Mrs. Darnell Varley

Dear Santa,
I love you very much. Please come to my house this year. I live in Altair, Texas. I want a BB gun, toy train and forest animals. I've been a good boy this year. Im six years old. I want a drummer boy for Christmas too. I need a box of Lego's. Thank You.
Love always, Randy Butler

Dear Santa,
Hi! I have been pretty good this year. I would like some pretend money, cash register and a beauty salon with a telephone. I also need a baby doll bed with blankets. Your snack will be chocolate cookies and milk. I need a pretend clock and a pretend telephone also for Christmas. Please have a safe trip.
Love always, Samantha Barker

Dear Santa,
Hi, How are you? I have been a good girl this year. I would like a fluffy teddy bear, baby doll and a shopping barbie for Christmas. I've missed you for a long time.
Love always, Courtney Ross

Dear Santa,
I wish you would come to Texas 'cause I like you. You're the best Santa Claus in the whole, wide world.
I want a helicopter for Christmas but I forgot to tell you when I talked to you in Nebraska at Thanksgiving time. I want a truck with batteries that I can get in and ride. I'll drive carefully. I want a race car also.
I still live in the same house as last year.
Love, Wesly Arrison

Dear Santa,
I've been a good girl this year. I want a Dalmation Puppy and a rocking bull. I need a bridle for my horse.
Love always, Shelby Bourne

Dear Santa,
Hi, I would like to have a new teddy bear for Christmas. I like your chin very much. You have nice reindeers. I would like a white puppy for Christmas. Your cookies and milk, will be waiting for you.
Love always, John Buegeler

Dear Santa,
I want a BB gun for Christmas. I live in Eagle Lake, Texas. I want a stuff animal, called Kasper. Your snack will be in the living room. I have been really good this year. My dad will be talking with your elves.
Love always, Allyson Matthys

Dear Santa,
How are your reindeer? Do you feed them deer feed? How did Rudolph get the red nose?
I want a remote control car for Christmas.
I like you 'cause you've got presents.
Good-bye! Zachary Lawson

Dear Santa,
I love you 'cause you bring me presents.
I want a school bus for Christmas. My Dad works on buses for Rice School. I want a toy boat. I'm going to put it in the sink. I want a BB gun also. I want a racing car.
I going to leave you some cookies and milk by the fireplace. Me and my Mom are going to make the cookies. How would you like chocolate-chip cookies? Those are my favorite.
Love, Garrett Neubauer

Dear Santa,
You are my best friend. I want a "Come Here Puppy" with batteries and a baby doll with a back pack. I want a baby doll that eats food and drinks. I also need that Barbie, that is about my size. I live in Sheridan, Texas.
Love always, Elda Vasquez

Dear Santa,
I hope you have a nice Christmas and Happy Holiday. This is what I want for Christmas, magic baby doll, baby with a back pack, and playdough, Baby Dont Cry, Little Tikes Kitchen Center. I really need a pink and white Barbie Jeep with two seats. I really need a Barbie Tent and a few barbies. Your snack will be in the living room. I think your really cute.
Love always, Tiffany Mraz

Dear Santa,
I want a remote control motorcycle that jumps, race cars, kite, teddy bear and the fishing game. I want some black boots and a new bike. I need a new fishing pole and a tackle box.
P.S. I need a nintendo and BB gun.
Love always, Cody Tesch

First Grade
Mrs. Etzler

Dear Santa,
I want you to giv me the Balreena Barbie ples Sant I like you vere much and breeng me a swemng barbie to and a play hase toh But how is Mrs. Santa, I will mes you and Mrs. Santa and plees cum to my hase.
Nayeli Diaz

Dear Santa,
I want a boat that's big from LEGO and the LEGO shuttle. Also a peanut faktory to make peanut butter. How ar you dooing in the north pole? I have wached some mooveses about you.
Luv, Randy Brown

Dear Santa,
Sinerely, Me.
I whnt a tedber and a horse and a new Trmater and a play hous and a litte play baerbey. And a new seesall and a new gun and a scolpe that gos on the gun and I when sum new swetrpanse and a new simning pull.
Sinerely, Melissa Smith

Dear Santa,
I love santa and I wiet a sock bop for crishes and a u o gplden a a oo bug weth sau m grepy toler ana lot of sempl and a dol and a dol house.
Sinerly, Amber Tesch

Dear Santa,
I what for christmas a babrie in the tub and a doter with a little cat and a little dog with a map and thair is a buten and you poosh it and the dog and the cat they make noise and I what a doll that dos flips and I what a little doll that you tickle her bowe and she makes noise and I what a doumashen puppy that gos to the bath room and I what farm house.
Sinerely, Kaci Kazmir

Dear Santa,
four chismas I want Thars like a pin that win you rit you cant tel wut your riten in tel you turn on the lite you suthang and it sos up on TV a thag to pgile in and four my sisster a little bisikIl little Rabbit.
Sinrely, Courtney Andrejczak

Dear Santa,
hawl is your radeer and elves' dooing. Is you feeds the radeer.
Sinerely, Bryan Layton

Dear Santa,
I want a small turtl and for my sister a wen of a tety ber and a part of my meguzord of the foucin and a sold that litse up and a toy gun with a rifle scope and a strap.
Sinerely, Austin Moore

Second Grade
Mrs. Doris Brocker

Dear Satuy,
I what a horse for Cresmes and i do what a mele dolls to. And i what to are if Rudoof is ok? And i what a pictur of you and your wife together in a chair. I what a doll for Cresmes and i what a bike for resmes to.
Love, Yessenia Silveira

Dear Santa,
I planse wut a spooter and a poster of Rudolph and I wut a bicke and a now radeeow and a sleeg shoot and a pet rabbit and this is the best thing I wutied in Shairden snow and a now swimen soot and boots and a play soder sickoole bicke.
Love, Scott Gundelach

Dear Santa,
how are your raiddeer how is Rudolph and Mrs. Kloss. how are you I would like to have a jump rope and I would also like to have barbie and a barbie car and a barbie jeep and I would also like to have my aln car and I would also like to have a swimming barbie.
Love, Kayla Robertson

Dear Santa,
how are your rader is mrs clarr are you dwoing wut are you bring me for Christmas my brahter wus a basesball for Christmas. I wot a go cart for Christmas.
Jason Laake

Dear Santa,
I wont a bike and I also I wont a be with you and see. Rudolph and all the other's I bet your haven a fun time the only thing I wont for Christmas is to be with you. And your wife I bet the lafs cant want ontill Christmas. I love you santa and every one els.
Megan M.

Dear Santa,
I wonder if Rudolph is good or bad. how are you doing? are you find? how is your wife? is she find? how is all the raindeer, are they find? I would like to have a sega game? I wish that I wish for aneter life do you? if we had another life we would be luky. I wish that I was the smates in my class. were you the smatos in your class? if you were you would be very smart.
Love, Brent Botard

Dear Santa,
Please tell me how Rudolph is. Is he good? Would you get me a picher of you? Would you get me a picher of your elgs to? Would you get me a kase with some stof in it? Would you get me a pretty dress a long one to? Would you get me a fourwheeler? Would you get me for pensles? Would you get me a binder.
Love, Amber Buegeler

Dear Santa,
How are you doing to day. And how is Rudolph and the other raindeer. for Christmas want a vetek computer and a secret dire. and I want the 101 Dalmation move. And the 101 Dalmation set.
Love, Tawana King

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? Are you doing OK? I am doing OK. How are your raindeer? The only raindeer name I can spell is Rudoph. How is Rudoph doing? I she doing OK? For Christmas I want a 101 Dalmatians the movie. I want a nail salon et. And a 101 Dalmatians poster. And a secrit dire and I want a key to go wit it. And I want a doll phen that spins arond in cirles.
Love, Megan Hinze

Dear Santa,
How are thaings up there. How is Rudolph. Is he okey. I want a fore wheeler. A jeteske a jete. And Olover and cumpy.
Nicholas Moore

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? How is your wife? Christmas came around fast. This Christmas I would lke the shopping Kelly and I would also like the mermaid babie and I would also like the nibble horse for barbie I would also like some games and the polly pocket houses. Santa the rest you pick out for me.
Thanks alot,
Sincerely, your friend, Amber Brook Kinney

Dear Santa,
I wont a bike. How is Rudolph is he good? I also wont a goldfish. And a X-man and blanceing bird. And some drawing papper. And I will giv him some cookes and milk. And a teddy bear. and a slingshot.
Love, Victor Brewer

Dear Santas,
for christmas I want a Christmas barby, for christmas. And I wnat a boat for christmas. And I wnat daske and rain jakid. And I want a cpuoder. And I want a makeup case. And a bord with mocers. how are you doing.
Love, Kim Varley

Garwood School

Pre-K

Dear Santa,
What I want for Christmas is a back pack, shoes, babydoll, clothes and a lucky duck for my sister. For Christmas I want to leave Santa Claus some cookies and milk. I have been a very good girl this year.
Love, Kibrina Robinson

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is La' Markus Bluntson. I've been a very good boy. I want a toy truck, train games, bat and ball, remote control car, tractor, horse, toy gun, big truck, new air Jordan's, robot, radio, and a radio. I will leave you milk and cookies on my kitchen table. I have to go, bye.
Thank you, La' Markus Bluntson

Dear Santa,
Hi my name is Jar'Racus Reggins and Im from Garwood, Tx and I have been a good boy and this is my list for Christmas is a big truck, toy cars, motorcycle, train, game, bike, swing, pool, tractor, horse, shoes, bat, baseball. Thank you Santa! I left you some milk and cookies in the living room.
Jar'Racus Reggins

Dear Santa
For Christmas I would like a dollie. I would also like for you to bring my sisters Cha-Cha and Ashley some dollies and some toys for my brother E.J. Bring some presents for my Grandpa and Grandma Cardenas, too. My Aunt Co-Co would like some presents too.
Sarah Marie Navarro

Kindergarten

Dear Santa,
How are you doing? I've been a real good boy. I've had a nice year enjoying the gifts I got. This is what I want for Christmas:
1. I want a big truck and trailer with a bulldozer.
2. I want a big, pink pig to sleep on.
3. I want a Nerf gun that shoots a lot of balls.
4. I want a big, blue truck with a big, silver trailer.
5. I want a green tractor and a red trailer that dumps rice.
Happy Christmas, Dillan Gertson

Dear Santa,
My name is Aaron Ramirez. I live in Garwood, Tx. How is Mrs. Santa. I have been a good boy all this year. I would like to have a race track, hulahoop, Banna in Baruymus, Batman car, masks move. I would leave some milk and cookies by the fire place.
Your truly, Aaron Ramirez

Dear Santa,
My name is Joey Rodriguez. I have been very good this year and I want a Jr. Radio Clock, comic books, table, computer, robot toy and a dog. I like your reindeer. They look pretty. I will leave some cookies and milk for you.
Yours truly, Joey Rodriguez

Dear Santa,
I want a yellow car, two cups, two blue trucks, a basketball, a brown white football, white Nike shoes, a black and white dog, one book.
Thank you Santa, Paul Chavira

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy, I want a racing car, big truck, airplane, train, bike, shoes, book satual, and a basketball jersey for Christmas this year.
Thank you Santa, Dewey Pettus