

WELCOME TO EAGLE LAKE'S ATTWATER'S PRAIRIE CHICKEN FESTIVAL



Silent Auction, Saturday, March 28; First National Bank Lobby

Auction items will be on display at the First National Bank from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. You may place bids at any time during that period, but after 5 p.m., you must purchase a ticket to the Wine & Cheese Buffet to participate any further in the auction.

Items, as of Tuesday, March 24, are listed below followed by the donor(s):

1. Boy's bicycle, Wal-Mart; 2. Basket of food, H.E.B.; 3. Hand-made pillow, Mr. & Mrs. Willard Lange; 4. Hand-made wooden bench (wood from old John Deere building), Dr. Elbert Whorton; 5. Lead crystal candlesticks from Poland, Evangeline Loessin Whorton; 6. Pewter chip and dip, Mr. & Mrs. Lonnie Sommerlatte; 7. Basket of wine, Mr. & Mrs. Bob Wilcox;

8. Flat of home-grown herbs, Lalise Loessin Mason; 9. Flat of home-grown herbs, Lalise Loessin Mason; 10. Wild flowers painting "Summer in Texas", Karen March; 11. Fishing trip to Port O'Connor guided by John Myres, Dr. John Myres; 12. \$100 Savings bond, First National Bank; 13. Prairie Chicken photograph by Roger Tory Peterson, Lesley Matthews; 14. Fly fishing donation, R. Greg Mason; 15. Blooming pot plant, Canaris Nursery & Garden Center; 16. Ray-O-Vac Camo flashlight, TrafCo Industries Inc.; 17. Plant, Jean Williams; 18. Plant, Mr. & Mrs. Donnie Wiese; 19. "Team Roping" signed print by Darrel Appelt, Lynda Appelt; 20. Item to be determined, Hattie Mae Dromgoole; 21. Hand-made embroidered pillowcase doll with hand-made face, Cherry Corman; 22. Candle ring, Mary Lou Szymanski; 23. Microwave cooking dish, Mr. & Mrs. Doyle Waldrop;

24. Item to be determined, Dr. Bert & Mrs. Pat Loessin Tate; 25. 1966 1st

Edition Capitol ornament, North entrance, Rep. & Mrs. Robby Cook; 26. Bunny platter, Baumgart Insurance Agency; 27. Basket of home-made jellies, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Broesche; 28. Flower arrangement, Connie Webb; 29. Item to be determined, Earl R. Rodgers Jr.; 30. Decorative brass-covered amber glass jar with music box lid, Myrtle Van Nort; 31. Three cornsilk angels, Nellie Frnka; 32. BBQ ham, Austin's BBQ & Catering;

33. Stag sculpture issued by the National Wildlife Federation, Fair Wells; 34. Hanging basket pot plant, JoAnn Gertson; 35. Hummingbird feeder, JoAnn Gertson; 36. Beanie Baby, Pugsly, Charlene Rodgers; 37. Beanie Baby, Stripes, Charlene Rodgers; 38. Beanie Baby, Chip, Charlene Rodgers; 39. Item to be determined, Rev. Russ Minter; 40. Coconut layer cake, Anna Lee Higgins; 41. Four tickets to AMC Theatres, Dr. & Mrs. Len Bornstein; 42. Singing bird clock, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Harrison Sr.;

43. Gum ball machine on stand, Mr. & Mrs. Kirby Waldrop; 44. Two \$25 gift certificates for the Taste of Texas Restaurant, Mr. & Mrs. Kirby Waldrop; 45. Two dinners, Blue Plate Cafe; 46. Duck painting on marble, Rice Industries; 47. Cash donation (amount to be determined), Mr. Jerry & Lynda Powers Adams; 48. Triple tube bird feeder, Helen Craig; 49. Wedgewood brooch, Helen Craig; 50. Puzzle block, Helen Craig; 51. Plant watering pitcher, Helen Craig; 52. Native plants, Mr. & Mrs. David Tomchesson; 53. Charcoal or egg tempera drawing, Trent Sansing Tate;

54. Great Blue Heron photograph, Mr. & Mrs. John Matthews; 55. Two person Teal hunt (must be used during Sept. season after opening weekend), Eagle Lake & Katy Prairie Outfitters

(Larry Gore); 56. Large white pasta bowl, Mr. & Mrs. Sam Thomson; 57. "Dawn Patrol" signed, numbered print by Wendy Scarborough, Mr. & Mrs. Bill Farris; 58. Jar of sour dill pickles, Mr. & Mrs. Frank Broesche;

59. Stuffed pig doll, This Old House (Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Cooper); 60. Basket of Mammoth Caladium bulbs, Dr. & Mrs. Elbert Whorton; 61. Two decorative plates, Dr. & Mrs. Rollin Baker; 62. Cooler on wheels, Diana Brunner; 63. Umbrella, Gifts of Distinction; 64. Pasta canister set, Pattie Weatherly; 65. Fern, Becky Anderson; 66. 3-Piece cooler set, Weatherly Anesthesia (Dick Weatherly, President); 67. Two travel chairs, Weatherly Anesthesia; 68. 1997 Capitol ornament State of Texas, Rep. & Mrs. Robby Cook;

69. Jewelry cleaner, Jan Harrell; 70. Wall hanging, Joyce Stancik; 71. AKC registered female German Shepherd puppy (14 weeks old), Lynda Appelt; 72. Pressed glass Verde bowl, Myrtle Van Nort; 73. Small amber Hob Nail oil lamp, Myrtle Van Nort; 74. Lidded Christmas canister, Myrtle Van Nort; 75. Moire taffeta table runner, Eagle Lake Sewing Center; 76. Decorative mats, Wanda Gott; 77. Puppy (1/2 Collie, 1/2 Chow), Wharton Veterinary Clinic; 78. Basket of goodies, Rice Medical Center; 79. Wreath, Eagle Barber Shop;

80. Set of four insulated 12 oz. glasses, This Old House (Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Cooper); 81. John Wayne photograph, Andy's Custom Frames, Wharton; 82. Angel photograph, Andy's Custom Frames; 83. Painting of an Indian, Kay Clipson Neimeyer; 84. Decorative basket, Eagle Lake Drugstore; 85. Electronic snoozer bunny, Mr. & Mrs. Steve Balas; 86. Musical shaky guitar bunny, Glenda

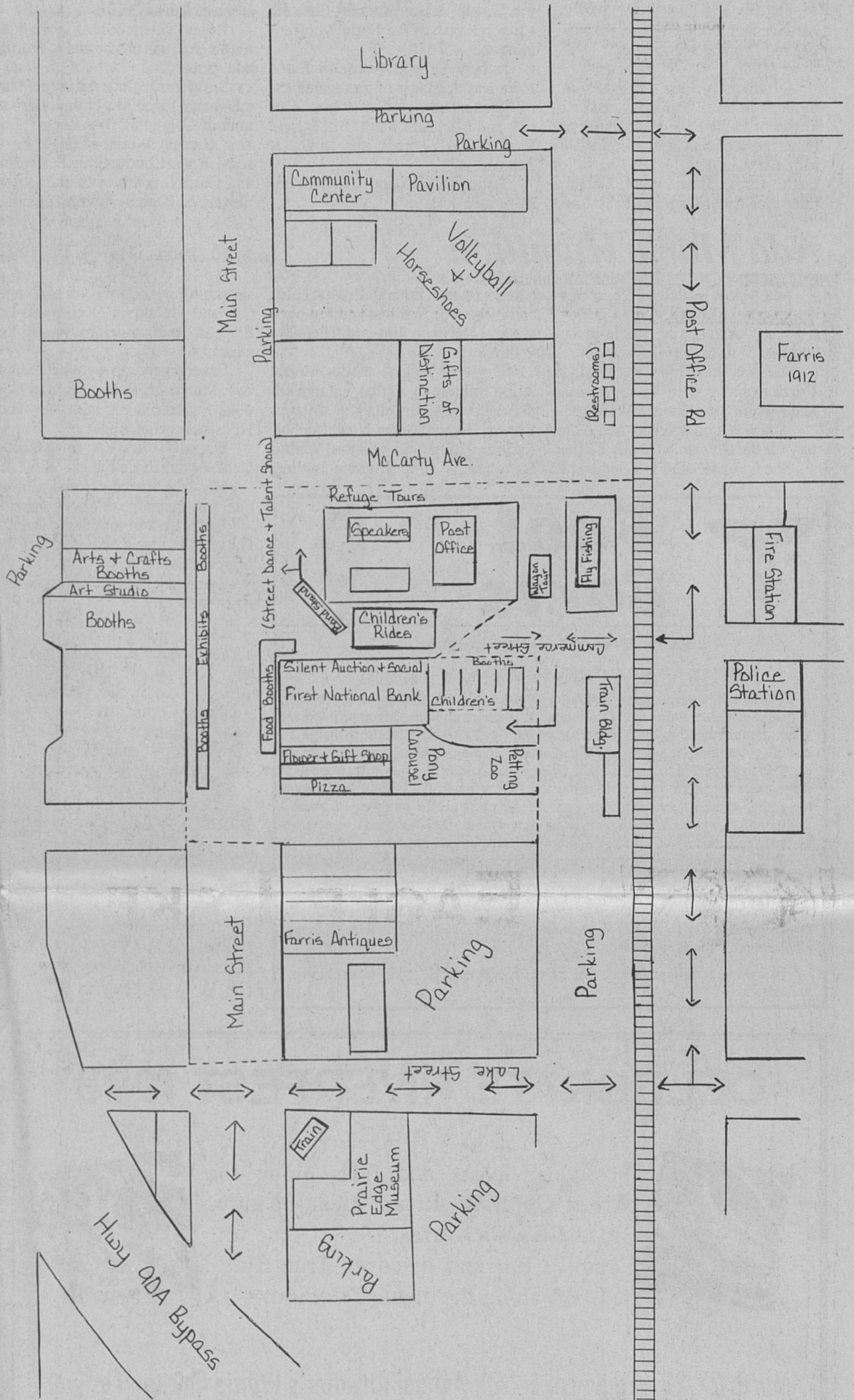
Blair; 87. 1998 Prairie Chicken Festival tee shirt, Festival Committee; 88. 1998 Prairie Chicken Festival tee shirt, Festival Committee; 89. Basket of Mammoth Caladium bulbs, Dr. Elbert & Evangeline Whorton;

90. Crystal vase, Mr. & Mrs. R.L. Cook Jr.; 91. Commemorative plate,

Prince Charles & Lady Diana's wedding, Valerie A. Jackson, Galveston; 92. Book, "The Queen, Life of Elizabeth II", Valerie A. Jackson; 93. Pair of year-old Silky Bantams, Dr. Elbert & Evangeline Whorton; 94. Print, "If Horses Could Dance" by Tony Tyler, donated by Tony Tyler; 95. Beanie

Baby, Princess, Eagle Lake Drugstore (Mr. & Mrs. Steve Balas); 96. Photograph, Little Girls, Wanda Gott; 97. Child's recliner, Ace Rent to Own.

This list is by no means a final one. Items are subject to change and additions.



'Colorado' - The Band

"Colorado" - The Band, featuring 18-year-old Stephen Brown, will be performing at Eagle Lake's Attwater's Prairie Chicken Festival Street Dance Friday night, March 27, at 7 p.m. The dance will be held on Commerce Street and Main.

Food and drink will be available along with booths of arts and crafts and educational items open to the public. The Festival Committee invites everyone to come out and enjoy the evening and return for the all-day events Saturday.

Photo Courtesy of Lynda Appelt

APC Festival art contest winners listed

Winners in the Attwater's Prairie Chicken Festival art contest held recently are listed below.

The winners' art work will be on display at Tony Tyler's Studio located at 123 E. Main in downtown Eagle Lake.

Kindergarten through 2nd grade: Jon Trel Pratt, Eagle Lake Primary School (ELPS), first; Lacie Daley, Columbus Elementary CE, second; Juan Martinez, ELPS, third.

3rd through 5th grades: Joe Lopez, Selman Elementary, first; Robert Woolard, Garwood School (GS), second; Cordaroll Celestine, CE, third.

6th through 8th grades: Jason Ishee, Eagle Lake Middle School, first; Zach Kloss, Sheridan, second; Brittna Williams, GS, third.

9th through 12th grades: Amy Moore, Rice High School (RHS), first; Mary Blount, RHS, second; Cori Gertson, RHS, third.

Be sure to stop by Tyler's Studio during the Festival and see what these students have accomplished.

The works of art chosen as finalist in the contest will be on display at the Wintermann Library.

Lisa Rose was chairperson of the art contest.

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Schedule of Events - March 27 & 28, 1998

FRIDAY, MARCH 27, 1998		SATURDAY, MARCH 28, Cont.	
3 to 11 P.M.	Arts & Craft Booths including Jewelry, Baked Goods, Hobbies, Plants, Charcoal Art, Stationary, Bird & Squirrel Houses, Lilypons Water Gardens, etc. ...	8 A.M. to End	Volleyball Tournament located behind Community Center. T-Shirts given to 1st and 2nd place winners.
	Food Booths including Hamburgers, Cokes & Chips.	8 A.M. to 5 P.M.	Petting Zoo with small animals of all sorts. Six Pony Carrousel. Wagon Rides. A team of mules pull an old fashion wagon on a historic home tour of Eagle Lake.
	Display Booths including LCRA, Parks & Wildlife, USDA, San Antonio Zoo, Fish & Wildlife, Coastal Prairie, etc. ...	10 A.M. to 1 P.M.	Kid Fish sponsored by Lake Motors, located at Thornton Pond on FM 102 South.
	Petting Zoo	10 to 11 A.M.	Speaker Laurance Armour III, owner of the famous Pierce Ranch. "Texas R.I.C.E."
7 to 11 P.M.	Street Dance on the Square; live band, "COLORADO".	10 A.M. to 7 P.M.	Silent Auction viewing and bidding in the Lobby of The First National Bank; ticket required for entry after 5 p.m. (see below)
SATURDAY, MARCH 28		11:30 A.M. to 12:30 P.M.	Speaker Dr. James F. Bergan, Coastal Texas Field Rep.; "Alternative Uses of Farm & Ranch Lands for Economic Benefits".
7 A.M. to 4 P.M.	Refuge Tours leave from Downtown Eagle Lake on McCarty Street every 1/2 hour.	12:30 P.M. to End	Horseshoe Tournament. Plaques awarded to winning teams.
8 A.M. to 5 P.M.	LCRA bird watching on Eagle Lake.	1:00 P.M.	Talent Show. Area talent will compete for trophies.
	Fly Fishing Demo. Greg Mason gives hands on instruction on a pond located on the Square.	1 to 4 P.M.	Fifteen assorted children's booths.
	Food Booths including Sausage, Frito Pie, Nachos, Cokes, Beer & Hamburgers.	1:30 to 2:30 P.M.	Speaker Cecelia Riley, Executive Director of Gulf Coast Bird Observatory; "Birding".
8 to 10 A.M.	Fun Run; 5K run starting Downtown at First National Bank.	3 to 4 P.M.	Speaker Gary Woods, renowned Ornithologist; "Eco-Tourism Pays".
8 A.M. to 5 P.M.	Arts, Crafts & Antique Booths including Jewelry, Baked Goods, Hobbies, Plants, Charcoal Art, Stationary, Antiques, etc. ...	4 to 5 P.M.	Speakers John A. Campbell, "Native Gulf Coast Prairie Restoration Project"; Steve Arey, "Drought Resistant Native Prairie Grasses"; and Dennis Jones, "Prairie's Role in Shaping Texas".
8 A.M. to 5 P.M.	Exhibitor Booths including LCRA, Parks & Wildlife, USDA, San Antonio Zoo, Fish & Wildlife, Coastal Prairie Grass, Texas R.I.C.E., Etc.	5 to 8 P.M.	Silent Auction & Social. Many items for bid from fishing trips to original art work; at First National Bank; tickets \$10 each; required for entry after 5 p.m.; includes wine and cheese social
	Children's Rides, Moon Walk, Ferris Wheel, Airplane Ride.		

This schedule compliments of The Eagle Lake Headlight