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The Garden Club Yard of the Month for Nov. went to Florence Richter at 300 Lake Avenue.

Headlight Photo by Carol Nelson

Richter wins Nov. 'Yard of Month'

By Bernice Bornstein
Eagle Lake Garden Club

It is getting harder to select the Yard of the Month. With a little rain and a few cool days, pretty yards have popped up all over town!

In addition to the freshly groomed yards, fall flowers and holiday displays are sprucing up various areas.

A particularly delightful yard the week of Halloween was the home of Larry Morales.

In addition to holiday decorations, John and Jennifer Morales Sr. at 427 E. State Street have recently added a lovely gazebo and walkway to their front yard.

The Baptist parsonage is hoping to have the sign in their yard one day soon, too. How about you?

The Yard of the Month for Nov. went to Florence Richter at 300 Lake Avenue. Mrs. Richter has been a past recipient of the award and was somewhat shy of accepting it again. However, this delightful, energetic 86 year old does all her own yard work (and it is a big yard). It was a pleasure to be able to award her again.

Mrs. Richter states she has lived in Eagle Lake most of her life and is a member of the First Baptist Church. She and her husband built their home in 1941. Mrs. Richter shared that she worked in retail sales for 40 years, so enjoys being home. She spends much

of her day, most days, in the yard. She does all her own yard work but revealed she does have to call a friend or neighbor to start the lawn mower!

Many of the plants in Mrs. Richter's yard are hardy ones. She has many varieties of lilies but states that she has no particular favorite. She says she gets many of her landscaping ideas

from looking at magazines. For example, she watches for plants that will enhance but not cover a window or will add softness to a walkway.

Regular attention and grooming seems to be the secret to Mrs. Richter's yard. Congratulations!!

Yard of Month-December 1998
If we chose a Yard of the Month for "decorations only", we would have to select close to 100 yards around town. The Christmas decorations are just beautiful! We have many creative people - not only the wonderful lighting displays on the houses and in the yards - but did you see all those wonderful parade floats!

Congratulations to all of you who have gotten into the holiday spirit by lighting up the town.

Our yard of the Month for December goes to ALL the residents in Eagle Lake. Thank you for taking interest in your home and in the beautification of the town.

Watch for the sign to go up in Jan.

Board

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The Board voted to remove two trees in the commons area at Rice High School. The roots have grown under the sidewalks, causing damage. The possibility of foundation damage was the rationale behind the Board's decision.

Local policies, relating to academic achievement and grading, were reviewed by the Board, with no action. Trustees felt the current policies did not need any revisions.

The Board accepted resignations from RHS teacher/coach Delbert Kleinik, effective immediately, and Marjorie Heard, also a teacher/coach on the high school campus. Heard's resignation will be effective at the end of the school year.



Happy 11th
Birthday
Dec. 24
Nora Rangel

From Dad, Mom,
Claudia, Liz, Isaac,
Joshua & Grandma

Bikes

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sponsored by the Colorado County Sheriff's Department and the Blue Santa program, sponsored by the Columbus Police Department.

Colorado County Sheriff R.H. "Curly" Wied and his deputies distributed toys and bikes this week, Dec. 21 and 22.

Columbus Police Chief Robert Connors distributed his collection of Santa "goodies" Dec. 19.

Children whose lists included a bicycle were chosen at random.

Police

for confinement.

Chief Webb, acting upon confidential information, went to a location in Houston and served an outstanding warrant on Jan Moriarity, a former employee of Lake Motors Inc., for credit card abuse, which was being investigated by this department. Additional charges are pending the completion of the investigation.

After Moriarity was mirandized by a judge in Houston, she was transported to CDC for confinement.

As a result of a traffic stop at 3:15 p.m. Lt. Johnson arrested Charles Wayne Ramirez on an outstanding warrant. After processing at the police department, Ramirez was transported to CDC for confinement.

At 5:15 p.m., Officer Krenek was called out to a disturbance on E. State Street.

At 6:48 p.m., Officer McDougall was called to a disturbance at the same residence, involving the same parties. The matter was resolved at the scene without any other police action.

At 6:51 p.m., Officers were advised of a possible stabbing victim at RMC. Chief Webb went to the hospital to meet with the victim while Sgt. Crume and Officer McDougall went to Shirley Street, the reported scene of the stabbing, where the weapon, a kitchen knife, was recovered.

The victim had received four stab wounds to her thigh, requiring stitches to two of the wounds.

The officers located the suspect at the residence, whereupon he was arrested for aggravated assault.

Broderick DeShaun Stevenson was processed at the police department, then transported to CDC for confinement.

Dec. 17, at 1:22 a.m., Sgt. Crume conducted a traffic stop in the 500 block of E. Main Street which resulted in the arrest of the driver, Sean Dulany, for unlawfully carrying a weapon.

After processing at the police department, Dulany was transported to CDC for confinement.

Officer Lasley was dispatched to a disturbance on Church Street at 5:50 p.m. Upon his arrival, the matter was resolved at the scene.

Officer Lasley met with a complainant on Heritage Lane in reference to a verbal dispute. One subject had left the scene and the complainant did not desire to file charges.

Dec. 18, at 1:20 a.m., Officer Lasley observed a pickup traveling at a high rate of speed on C Street. Lasley turned around and attempted to stop the vehicle, when it accelerated, driving through a stop sign at 3rd and B Streets.

The vehicle stopped at the intersection of 4th and C, and two subjects exited the vehicle. The vehicle, unoccupied, coasted across 4th and struck a residence on 4th Street.

Volunteers

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Some of the responsibilities of volunteers are: (a) communicate with the youth and assist in planning and implementation of special events; (b) assist youth in signing in/out or membership forms; (c) help distribute publicity (flyers, etc) as needed; (d) keep a record of any important information which needs to be presented to the Board of Directors; (e) keep a record of any needed supplies; and, (f) enforce the discipline policy (no fighting; no use of tobacco, drugs or alcohol; no cursing; no loitering; and no abuse of the phone).

The ICE House is in much need of volunteers to provide a center for the youth who need counseling, mentoring, tutoring and recreation.

Today's youth are our leaders of tomorrow, so, please respond to the need by either going to the ICE House (200 Ice Street in Eagle Lake) Monday or Tuesday from 3 to 8 p.m. to sign up as a volunteer, or call the center during the same times, 409-234-7990.

From the ICE House to your house, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!!

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located.

At 10:06 p.m., Officer Lasley met with a complainant on Shirley St. about someone knocking on his door. Again, Lasley was unable to locate the suspect.

Dec. 21, at 12:20 p.m., Chief Webb and Officer Krenek were dispatched to First Street about a person taking several pills. The subject was transferred to the hospital and later released.

Sgt. Crume was dispatched to Walnut Street in reference to loud music in a vehicle. The subject was located and issued a warning for loud music, as he was from out of town and not aware of the city ordinance.

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