

## Class of '65 seeking addresses

The Eagle Lake High School (ELHS) Class of 1965 is planning festivities in conjunction with the ELHS Reunion 2000.

There are several persons in the class whose addresses are unknown. They are: Gloria Adams, Frances Alvarado, Selma Barnett, Pete Cantu, Frances Cordova, Paul Coronado, Cheryl Mansel, Maxine Mar-

quart, Diane O'Bannon, Bertha Olguin, Louise Rebeck (Briggs), Robert Soto, Bill Torres and Lloyd Zahradnick.

Please contact Linda Thomas Balas at 979-234-3834, P.O. Box 805, Eagle Lake, TX 77434; or Diane Wiese Hariss, e-mail dianehariss@aipac.org or phone 713-462-5487.

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# Eagle Lake Headlight

## NEWSBRIEFS

### Booster Club garage sale is Friday

The Rice Raider Booster Club will hold a garage sale to help defray the cost of the ice machine purchased for all the athletes. Be there Friday, July 14, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at 121 E. Main (downtown) in Eagle Lake. Look for signs. If you have any questions, call Lisa Hoffman at 758-3933 or Kitty Hentzell at 234-7364.

### GMOBC fried chicken dinner Saturday

The Greater Mt. Olive Baptist Church (GMOBC) will hold a fried chicken dinner sale Saturday, July 15, with serving starting at noon. The \$5 plates consist of fried chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, rolls and fruit cups. Proceeds benefit the building fund of GMOBC. For delivery, call 234-3442 or 234-3179; or you may pick up your dinners at 504 E. Union. Thanks in advance for your support.

### WCBC Vacation Bible School is July 18-21

White Cloud Baptist Church (WCBC) will hold its Vacation Bible School July 18-21 from 6-8 p.m. at the church, 202 Old Altair Road, Rev. O. Rhodes, pastor. For more information, call Gussie Henderson at 234-3702.

### Greater Union Youth Day is July 16

Greater Union Baptist Church will hold their Youth Day Sunday, July 16, at 3 p.m. Rev. Sanford of Pilgrim's Rest Baptist Church in El Campo will be the guest speaker. The public is invited to attend.

### Adult Red Cross swim registration scheduled

To register for adult Red Cross swim lessons, call the Eagle Lake Pool at 234-5728. Lessons will be offered from 6:15 to 7:15 p.m. July 17, 18, 19, 24 and 25. Course fee is \$15. Skills offered will begin with the very basics to advanced. The last day to register is Monday, July 17.

### Iglesia Bautista to hold special services

Iglesia Bautista Getsemani, 903 East B Street, will hold special services July 14-16. Join them as Gordon Molengraf, chalk artist evangelist, draws people to Christ by preaching and drawing July 14-15 at 7 p.m. and July 16 at 11 a.m.

Pamela Valle will be in concert/revival July 14-15 at 7 p.m. and July 16 at 11 a.m. For more information, call 234-2714.

### E.H. Henry Millennium Disco set for July 15

Come join us for the E.H. Henry Alumni Millennium Disco Saturday, July 15, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Eagle Lake Community Center. Admission is \$5 per person. There will be fun and games. We'll see you there!

### Booster Club meeting scheduled for July 19

The Rice Raider Booster Club has scheduled a meeting for 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 19, at Simple Simon's Pizza, 222 E. Main in Eagle Lake. All members and interested persons are urged to attend.

### 10 Star basketball camp scheduled

Final applications are now being evaluated for the 10 Star All-Star summer basketball camp. Boys and girls ages 7-19 may apply. Players are selected by invitation only. Past participants include: Michael Jordan, Tim Duncan, Vince Carter, Jerry Stackhouse, Grant Hill, Bobby Hurley, Antawn Jamison, Christian Laettner, Tom Gugliotta and Trajan Langdon.

Camp locations include: Commerce, TX; Riverside CA; Kabson Park, FL; Atlanta, GA; Champaign, IL; Fort Wayne, IN; Atchinson, KS; Georgetown, NY; Northfield, MN; Raleigh, NC; Boiling Springs, NC; Rochester, NY; North Canton, OH; Farmville, VA.

College basketball scholarships are possible for players named to The All-American Team. For an evaluation form, call 704-372-8610 anytime.

### Senior Friends day trip is July 25

On July 25, join Senior Friends on a day trip to the Houston Museum of Fine Arts (new building) and Museum of Natural Science to see Kremlin Gold-100 Year of Russian Gems and Jewels, an IMAX show; the butterfly exhibit; and planetarium. Cost is \$40 per person and includes admission to all exhibits and bus fare. Lunch will be on your own at McDonald's in the Museum of Natural Science. Call Sherri at 979-282-6808 to get your name on the list!

### GNF garage sale is Saturday

The members of Greater New Faith (GNF) Church of Wallis will hold a gigantic garage sale Saturday, July 15, at 703 S. McCarty, across from Eagle Lake Drugstore, from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m. Come one, come all!

### Friendship MBC installation is July 17-19

Friendship Missionary Baptist Church will hold pre-installation service for their new pastor, Perry L. Riley, Monday, July 17, through Wednesday, July 19, at 7:30 p.m. each evening at the church, 405 S. Lake St. Guest speakers will be three of God's most gifted pastors: Jarvis Nelson, Obie Rhodes and E.L. Sanders.

On Sunday, July 23, Pastor Ralph Douglas West of The Church Without Walls, Brookhollow Baptist Church of Houston, will be the guest speaker. This event will be held at the Eagle Lake Community Center at 4 p.m.

### ELPA plaque ceremony set for July 18

The Eagle Lake Preservation Alliance invites the citizens of Eagle Lake to the historical plaque ceremony at the Calaboose Building, 206 S. McCarty. The plaque presentation will be held Tuesday, July 18, at 7 p.m.

### ELHS reunion 2000 work continues

We are attempting to collect as many names as possible to include in a reunion book. The Wintermann Library has a collection of Eagle Lake High School (ELHS) year books beginning in 1916, but there is a gap between 1920 and 1924. Does anyone have any information for the years 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923 or 1924? If you can provide names of students or pictures from those years, please contact Grace Dell Cooper at 234-2937 or Ernie Sommerlatte at 234-3452.

### Class of 1968 to plan reunion

The Class of 1968 will meet to plan for the Eagle Lake High School Reunion 2000. The gathering will be held at 7 p.m. July 20 at the home of Jennifer Obenhaus, 319 Waverly. All members are asked to attend.

### Class of 1985 reunion scheduled

The 15 year reunion of RHS Class of 1985 will be held Aug. 5 at the Eagle Lake Community Center. Family time will be from 3 to 5 p.m.; entertainment will be provided for the kids. Adult time starts at 7 p.m. The event is BYOB and finger foods will be provided throughout the evening. The charge is \$10 a person; \$20 per couple/family. Please RSVP by July 22. Contact Michael Mota (See Newsbriefs, Page 8)

## LCRA awards \$25,000 grant to ELVFD

The Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) has awarded a \$25,000 grant to the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Department (ELVFD) to buy a truck to respond to brush and grass fires.

The department responds to 75% of fires in Colorado County in rough, rural land. The newer truck will be better able to transport firefighters to emergency calls.

The grant is one of 33 totaling \$498,839 which were awarded recently through LCRA's Community Development Partnership Program, now in its fifth year. The program provides economic development and community assistance grants to cities, counties, volunteer fire departments, regional development councils and other nonprofit organizations in LCRA's 58-county electric and water service area.

For program information or to request an application, contact Lori Vitek at 1-800-776-5272, Ext. 8008.

The LCRA is a conservation and reclamation district that generates electricity, manages the waters of the Colorado River, operates parks and assists communities in economic development. It operates on revenues from the sale of electricity and water and other services. It cannot levy taxes and receives no tax money.



On hand for the presentation of the \$25,000 grant from LCRA to the Eagle Lake Volunteer Fire Department were, from left, Chuck Stephens, assistant fire chief; Mayor Michael Cooper; Howard Wilkerson, captain; City Manager Ron Holland; Clinton Mascheck, assistant fire chief; Jason Hlavinka, CDDP Review Committee member; Gary Glaiser, fire chief; Billy Cook, captain; John Matthews, LCRA Board of Directors; Colorado County Judge Al Jamison; Greg Contreras, captain; County Commissioner Darrell Gertson; and LCRA Regional Representative Marian Balke.

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## EAGLE LAKE POLICE REPORT

The Eagle Lake Police Department reported the following cases and calls for July 3 through 10.

On July 3, at 5:18 a.m., Officer Stephen Nelson was met at the police department by Sheila Kettering and Oscar Thomas in regards to a deceased male being located at a residence on East B Street. Justice of the Peace Mary Ordner was called to the scene and pronounced the male dead. An autopsy was ordered and an inquest will be conducted.

At 11:42 a.m., Officer Michael Krenek met with a city worker in regards to an 18-wheeler being parked at 100 E. Center Street. Officer Krenek informed an out-of-town truck driver of the city's truck ordinance. The driver moved the truck and no further action was taken.

At 2:21 p.m., Officer Krenek received a call from a male subject on Airline Dr. in regards to children setting off fireworks in his mailbox. He wanted the incident documented without charges being filed.

At 3:02 p.m., Officer Krenek and Investigator Randy Schlauch assisted with traffic control for a female subject on E. Main and Lakeside Drive.

At 3:15 p.m., the department received a call from a male subject in regards to loud music. Officer Krenek located the vehicle and advised the driver to lower the volume on the radio.

At 4:28 p.m., an alarm company operator called the department in regards to an alarm going off at 113 N. McCarty. Officer Krenek and Sgt. Tim Crume arrived at the scene and spoke with an employee. She stated everything was fine.

At 10 p.m., Officer Brian Lasley was dispatched to the Ice House in regards to a suspicious noise. Officer Lasley arrived and checked the building and found everything secure.

At 10:25 p.m., Sgt. Crume investigated a reported robbery on E. Main St. and found the report was unfounded.

On July 4, at 12:02 a.m., Officer Lasley located an abandoned bicycle at the Eagle Lake Middle School.

At 6:15 p.m., a female called to complain that her neighbor on Norris St. had spun out and thrown gravel in her yard. Officer Lasley contacted the neighbor and the neighbor apologized for the incident. No further action was taken.

At 7:10 p.m., Officer Lasley was dispatched to Norris St. in regards to a couple of subjects driving by the complainant's home, yelling and cursing. The complainant wanted the subjects warned but did not want other action taken.

At 7:25 p.m., Officer Lasley was dispatched to 400 Alamo St. in regards to a possible drunk driver. Officer

Lasley searched the area but was unable to locate anyone who was driving intoxicated.

At 7:27 p.m., Sgt. Crume was dispatched to East B Street in regards to a juvenile assaulting another juvenile. Sgt. Crume contacted the grand-mother; no injuries were reported. No further action was taken.

At 10:00, 10:04 and 10:09 p.m., Sgt. Crume was dispatched to Airline St., Murphy St. and W. Main St. in regards to subjects popping fireworks. Sgt. Crume contacted and advised two juveniles about the city ordinance.

At 11:41 p.m., Officer Lasley and Sgt. Crume were dispatched to W. Prairie St. in regards to an argument between a male subject and a female subject. Sgt. Crume advised the intoxicated male to go to bed. No charges were made.

On July 5, at 12:27 a.m., Sgt. Crume was called to E. Main St. in regards to an intoxicated person walking in the middle of the street. Crume located the person, gave him a ride home and released him to an adult.

At 2:01 a.m., Sgt. Crume was called to Lake Ave. on a welfare concern. Everything was okay.

At 11 a.m., a female met Officer Krenek at the police department in regards to her son running away. Later in the day, at approximately 1:30 p.m., Officer Krenek located the juvenile, drove him home and released him to his parents.

At 2:45 p.m., Officer Krenek met with a juvenile at the police department in regards to his bike being stolen. A report was filed.

At 9:10 p.m., Sgt. Crume was dispatched to Westmoreland Ave. in regards to firecrackers being popped. He located some juveniles and advised them of the city ordinance.

At 10:17 p.m., Officer Lasley and Sgt. Crume were dispatched to the golf course in regards to some juveniles "tearing the place up." Officers found no damage to the golf course. The juveniles were later found and released to their grandfather. No further action was needed or taken.

On July 6, at 7:36 p.m., Sgt. Crume conducted a civil standby.

At 10:40 p.m., Officer Lasley and Sgt. Crume spoke with a female who lives on E. State St. who wanted to report she had been sexually assaulted out in the county off of Calhoun Road. The sheriff's department was called and began their investigation.

On July 7, at 4:20 a.m., Officer Lasley was dispatched to E. Davitt in regards to a reported family violence incident. Information was taken and the case is under investigation.

At 7:17 a.m., Officer Wendy Alley was dispatched to 910 E. State St. in regards to an attempted burglary of a motor vehicle. The complainant did

not wish to file charges.

At 8:17 a.m., Officer Alley directed traffic on Main St. for the Dollar General truck.

At 9:49 a.m., Officer Alley was notified of a 9-1-1 hangup at 124 Commerce St. The dispatcher called the number back, but got no answer. Officer Alley was unsuccessful in making contact with anyone at the location.

At 11:28 a.m., Officer Alley was called to 101 N. Lake St. regarding two males causing a disturbance. Officer Alley reported the disturbance was verbal only and civil in nature. The two males were asked to leave.

At 2:30 p.m., Michael Scott came by the police department and reported his sons Chow-Husky puppy had been stolen. A report was taken.

At 2:45 p.m., Lt. Clem Johnson escorted a funeral procession to the church on Guadalupe St.

At 4:09 p.m., officers were notified of a fight in progress in the 1000 block of Connor St. Officers were unable to locate any disturbance.

At 6:44 p.m., Sgt. Crume was dispatched to the 400 block of West A Street in regards to people selling drugs. Sgt. Crume arrived, but was unable to locate any strange activity

within public view.

At 11:40 p.m., Officer Nelson gave a male subject courtesy transport to his residence on Allen Ave.

On July 8, at 12:23 a.m., Sgt. Crume observed a disturbance in the 100 block of Allen St. As a result, Jo Fuentes and Vanessa Gonzales were issued citations for disorderly conduct.

At 3:26 a.m., Officer Nelson and Sgt. Crume conducted a traffic stop on Monica Saab, driving a blue Cadillac in the 700 block of C Street, for no license plate light. The passenger in the vehicle, Jessie Scott, was found to be in possession of drug paraphernalia. Scott was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia.

At 7:40 a.m., Officer Alley was dispatched to W. Waverly St. in regards to a truck being broken into and property being taken from it. The case is under investigation.

At 12:11 p.m., Officer Alley was dispatched to Walnut St. in regards to a second burglary from a motor vehicle in which property was taken. It too is under investigation.

At 4:43 p.m., Sgt. Crume was dispatched to Partridge Lane in regards to a vehicle which had the back window

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## Coleman chosen as new principal at ELPS

The Rice CISD Board of Trustees has named Dollie Johnson Coleman as the new principal for Eagle Lake Primary School.

Coleman is not a new face to Rice District. She began her teaching and coaching career at Rice High School where she taught/coached for eight years before moving on with her career.

After 14 years of teaching and coaching, Coleman wanted a "new challenge" and sought it in administration.

For the past five years, she has been the Assistant Principal at El Campo Middle School.

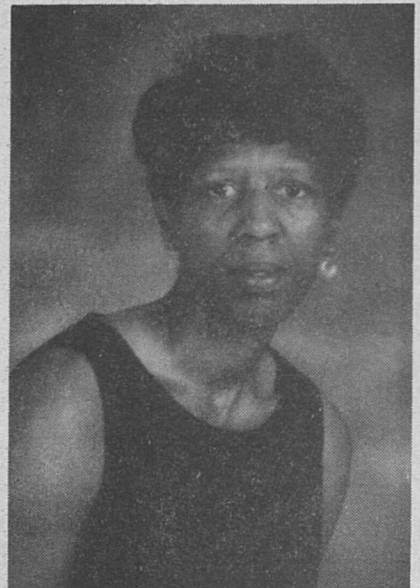
Coleman has the motivation, desire and dedication to come to ELPS to assist the teachers in helping every student to become academically successful by striving for academic excellence, more productive by meeting the high expectations of the teachers and more motivated by demonstrating a high level of pride in their work and school and positive self esteem.

Coleman feels administrators, teachers, counselors and other staff members must lead by example.

According to Coleman, there is no excuse not to teach any student. She

firmly believes each student has the desire to do well and that "respect begets respect".

"If the students feel respected and the parents feel their child is consistently being treated with dignity and respect, we would have more parental involvement, whereby they can come and witness for themselves the great job the teachers are doing."



Dollie Johnson Coleman