

Auction

57. "Zinnias" painted by Frances Elkins Hutchins, Robert Samuel Martin, Jeanine Fearing.
58. Large plant, Alpha Delta Phi Sorority, Arthur Anderson.
59. A week of Golden Oldies (7 movies), Kate & Charlie Spalinger, Betty Wegenhoft.
60. Assortment of 44 vanilla scented candles, J&K's Corner, Ken Kainer, Jay Anderson.
Door Prize, large bag of rice (Colorado County Rice Mill) and basket of flowers (Study Club), Liz Waddell.

SILENT AUCTION

1. 3 Gallons Blue Bell Ice Cream, Eagle Lake Dairy Delite, Mark Anderson.
2. Duck Christmas ornament, Xi Pi Psi Sorority, Connie Lange.
3. Basket of homemade jellies, Denise & Ron Janow, Esta Lippman.
4. 20 Lb. bag of white rice, Colorado County Rice Mill, Rhonda Bridges.
5. 2001 Texas Christmas ornament, Mary Kay & Robby Cook, Vicki Powers.
6. Reunion 2000 t-shirt, video & tape, Eunice & Fred Frnka, Eliot Tucker.

7. \$10 Video certificate, Super Video, Esta Lippman.
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9. Dinner for two, Sportsman's Restaurant, Margie Cason.
10. Dinner for two, Blue Plate Café, Harry Anderson.
11. Hair products, Tresse's, Donna Gertson, Evelyn Thomas.
12. Basket of felt pumpkins, Nellie Frnka, Mary Lou Anderson.
13. "Kids" basket, video & goodies, Kate Spalinger, Brent Beasley.
14. Basket with 2 Italian ceramic pieces, Helyn & Bill Farris, Anna Lee Higgins.
15. Pastel basket with frame, cup, switch plate, Helyn & Bill Farris, Jackie Middleton.
16. Certificate for yearly air conditioner checkup (2 visits), Cannell A/C & Heating, R.P. Wilcox.
17. Basket of rice goodies, Alice & Henry Sunderman, Neil Schilmoeller.
18. Acrylic coasters with tatted inserts, Helen Craig, Joyce Stancik.
19. "Spice" basket for baking, Barbara Pidgeon, Becky Anderson.

20. "All the birds flock together" basket, Betty & Bob Wilcox, Reba Crowson.
21. "Waiting for Santa" basket, Betty & Bob Wilcox, Denise Janow.
22. Basket of golf treasures, Jane Meldahl & Golf Association, Bruce Waddell.
23. \$10 Video certificate, Videos-2-Go, Bernice Bornstein.
24. \$10 Video certificate, Videos-2-Go, Tom Reed.
25. "Witch" basket centerpiece, Helyn & Bill Farris, Virginia Bauer.
26. Basket with ELHS collectibles, Helyn & Bill Farris, Jay Anderson.
27. Book, "Prayer of Jabez", B. Wilkinson, Virginia Reed, Rhonda Bridges.
28. Book, "It's Not About the Bike", Lance Armstrong, Virginia Reed, Fair Wells.
29. Book, "Year of Wonders", G. Brooks, Virginia Reed, Virginia Bauer.
30. "It's Southern" basket, Ida Causey, Lois Herman.
31. \$25 Certificate of beauty, Linda's Beauty Shop, Linda Matura, Fair Wells.
32. Spa manicure & pedicure, Inez Matura, Evelyn Thomas.
33. Ceramic tray, Mrs. Bill Ramsey, Harry Anderson.
34. Heavy-duty booster cables, S&W Parts, Jim & Mary Ann Wood, Bruce Waddell.
35. Eagle Lake driving tape & video, Fred R. & Jeff Frnka, Denise Janow.
36. 1-Month membership, t-shirt, cup, EL Rehabilitation Center, Kenneth Craig.
37. 1-Month membership, t-shirt, cup, EL Rehabilitation Center, Julie McInteer.
38. 20-Pound bag of brown rice, Colorado County Rice Mill, Virginia Reed.
39. "Merry Christmas" basket donated by Fair Wells, Esta Lippman.
40. Green velveteen vest, Betty Wilcox, Mary Lou Anderson.
41. Toy truck, NAPA Auto Parts, Tallon Canaris.
42. "Mulberry Essence" basket, Matters of the Heart, Mercy Fling, Katherine Mehner.
43. Inspirational book & t-shirt, Matters of the Heart, Mercy Fling.
44. Cloth Christmas book, Phyllis Penscik, Lois Herman.
45. Books on tape, Rollin Baker, Kory Janow.
46. Books on tape, Rollin Baker, Ida Causey.
47. Books on tape, Rollin Baker, Elbert Whorton.
48. Pumpkin holiday basket, Fair Wells, Esta Lippman.
49. Flat of flowers, Fair Wells, Fair Wells.
50. Flat of flowers, Fair Wells, Jane Crawford.
51. Texas corner shelf, Shaina Bowen, Julia Lawhorn.
52. Small garden basket, Louise Spalinger, Rhonda Bridges.
53. Set of year 2000 quarters, Wallis State Bank, Eliot Tucker.
54. 2000 Silver Eagle dollar coin, Wallis State Bank, Tallon Canaris.
55. Two visits, Cannell A/C & Heating, Stanley Kucherka.
56. Four "Mitford" paperback books, Ida Causey, Rhonda Bridges.

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- Causey, Rhonda Bridges.
57. Baby quilt, Vicki Powers, Sherri Gould.
58. Two tickets to dinner & play, Prairie Edge Museum, Virginia Bauer.
59. Four Harry Potter books, paperback, Virginia Reed, Tom Reed.
60. Arched wreath, Wildseed Farms, Esta Lippman.
61. Beauty products, Marcy's Beauty Shop, Marcy Salinas, Lois Herman.
62. Books on tape, Rollin Baker, Helen Craig.
63. Halloween centerpiece, Patty Holloway, Sherri Gould.
64. Dinner for two, Taco Tony's, Virginia Reed.
65. Black sweatshirt from Germany, Ada & Glen Wren, Esta Lippman.
66. Spice basket for meats, Barbara Pidgeon, Bobbie Bauer.
67. Dusty Rose accents, Ida Causey, Mary Lou Anderson.
68. Magazine rack, Laura & Robert Finney, Bernice Bornstein.
69. Tapestry book bag, Bernice Bornstein, Tara Minor.
70. Ceramic bath basket, Anna Lee Higgins, Jeff Frnka.
71. Native plant basket, Anna Lee Higgins, Jeff Frnka.
72. Mexican good stuff basket, Ida Causey, Evelyn Thomas.
73. Fall basket by Beverly Taylor, Laura Myers.
74. Plants from her garden, gingers, Helyn Farris, Becky Anderson.
75. Basket of goodies for a special girl, Fair Wells, Kaylee Janow.
76. Peanut brittle, Laura & Robert Finney, Joyce Stancik.
77. Great horned owl print, Marilyn & Jack Dannels, Evangeline Whorton.
78. Landscape print, Marilyn & Jack Dannels, Lois Raabe.
79. Church bulletin necklace, Laura Matthews, Esta Lippman.
80. Church bulletin necklace, Laura Matthews, Virginia Bauer.
81. Basket of crinums, Helyn Farris, Margie Harrison.
82. Six chicken or beef fajita plates, 2 K's Taqueria, Denise & Ron Janow, DeLores Grammer.
83. Large Texas basket with goodies, Margie & George Cason, Jon Schilmoeller.
84. J. Dubin ceramic angel, Lois & Ken Quenneville, Patty Holloway.
85. Coffee basket, Theresa & Tommy Galvan, Barbara Roan.
86. Gevalia Kaffee vacuum bottle, Theresa & Tommy Galvan, Elbert Whorton.

Newsbriefs

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Senior Friends to visit Brenham

Senior Friends are invited to a Poinsettia Celebration at Ellison's Greenhouse in Brenham, Friday, Nov. 16. Tour the greenhouses, view thousands of poinsettias in bloom and see new varieties of poinsettias and mums. A visit to the Blue Bell Creamery and early Christmas shopping on the courthouse square are also slated. Cost is \$35 (includes lunch). Call Carol at 979-282-6090 or Robin at 282-6808 if interested.

Community Trade Day is Nov. 10

First United Methodist Church, 1001 Ave. 1 in El Campo, is sponsoring Community Trade Day Saturday, Nov. 10, from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. A fun-filled day is scheduled complete with a silent auction, children's area, door prizes, concession stands, as well as over 50 booths with various items for sale. A hamburger luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. for \$5 a plate. Call Charene at 979-543-3593 to purchase meal tickets. Booth space is available by calling Karen at 543-7486, rent for as low as \$20. Don't miss out on this chance to make some extra cash or buy some unique items at this family event.

Let's paint the town BLUE!

The Rice Raiders football team is 9-0 with one district game left and they're headed for the playoffs! Show your support by tying blue and white streamers on your car antenna and around your business entrance; paint your windows with messages; and/or put "Go Raiders" on your marquee (like Dairy Delite). Let's rally around our young athletes and enjoy their success!

Kunz benefit scheduled for Nov. 10

A benefit for Donna Kunz will be held at the New Ulm Firemen's Park Saturday, Nov. 10. A noon meal of chili, rice, cornbread with tea will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. for a donation of \$5 per person. All proceeds will go toward medical expenses. Music will be provided by Donnie Wavra from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m. The auction begins at 1 p.m. Children's activities will be available. In the evening a "Womanless Doll Pageant" will be held, sponsored by the New Ulm Lions Club. Ending the day, dance to the music by Midnight Express from 6-10 p.m. Tickets at the door are \$5 per person. Anyone wishing to make a donation of any kind may call or contact Irene Wavra at 979-992-3622; Helen Supak, 979-234-2903; Ruth Kunz, 979-732-3389; or Dorothy Wostarek, 979-733-9688. Donna is the niece of Helen Supak of Eagle Lake.

Study Club meeting is Nov. 14

The Eagle Lake Study Club will hold its monthly meeting Wednesday, Nov. 14, at 2 p.m. All interested persons are asked to meet at 110 E. Stockbridge (the home of Richard and Betty Lewis) to tour the restored McCarty Homes.

Country music show fundraiser is Nov. 10

The Colorado County Firefighters Association fundraiser special Country Music Show is set for Saturday, Nov. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at Oaks Theater, 715 Walnut, Columbus. Come hear plenty of talented singers and the Texas Sagebrush Band. Miss Columbus 2001 Katie Barta, 2001 County Fair Queen Kellie Grunewald and Ed Brandon of KTRK Channel 13 will make an appearance. Proceeds will be used to help pay to train firefighters and to purchase equipment for all nine Colorado County Fire Departments. Advance tickets are available at Columbus Butane, the Colorado County Citizen or at the door the day of the show. Lots of door prizes will be given away. Y'all Come!

WCJC holding registration

Wharton County Junior College (WCJC) will hold their Spring 2002 registration by appointment through Nov. 30 and Jan. 7-10. Call or drop by the

Please Join the Family of



Joe & Martha Duncan

in honoring their
50th Wedding
Anniversary

November 17, 2001

at the Prairie Edge Museum
408 E. Main, Eagle Lake, Texas
2:30 to 4:30 P.M.

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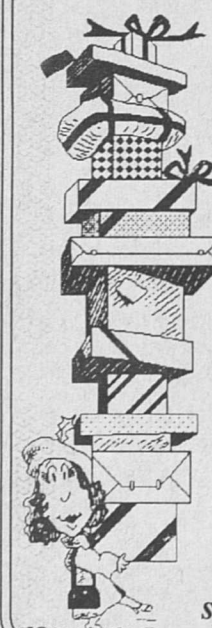
CASUAL DRESS

Holiday Gifts Galore!

HOLIDAY CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

The El Campo Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture invites you to "Shop Early" for those holiday gifts and decorating ideas by visiting all the great stores listed below on

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH • 1-5 p.m.



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| Cellular One | Cosmetic |
| Churchill Downs | Studio & Gifts |
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| Floral Gardens | Pharmacy |
| Flowers Etc. & Gifts | Palais Royal |
| Gazebo | Party Time |
| Gold Mender | Style Shop |
| Gerberman Jewelers | The Crossing |
| Hernandez Nursery | Today's Man |
| Lack's Furniture | Treehouse |

Each merchant will have in-store specials during this holiday open house.



The third "Vana" for the Auction was Kelly Konescheck.

Reed honored on 80th birthday

Sunday, Oct. 21, more than 60 friends and relatives gathered at the home of Tom and Deborah Reed to honor Mrs. Virginia Jackson Reed (Mrs. Joe S. Reed Jr.) on the occasion of her 80th birthday.

Very special guests included sister-in-law, Mrs. Bluebell Reed, and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Reed of Beaumont; nephew and great niece, Dan E. Reed and Anne Anselin Reed; niece, Lillian Phelan Bean; and great niece, Sarah Bean Tyler, husband, David, and daughter Hannah, all of Houston.

Other out-of-town guests came from Austin, Lake McQueeney and Garwood. Telephone greetings came that morning from Mrs. Reed's son, Howard and his family from London, England.

After a social hour, grandchildren John and Sara Reed led the audience in singing, "America the Beautiful."

The children then presented an original poem to their grandmother as a special tribute.

Friends and family members offered toasts prior to the lovely buffet dinner.

The home was decorated in a beautiful fall harvest theme. Fall pumpkins, Indian corn and chrysanthemums graced the tables as centerpieces, while a lovely floral arrangement anchored the buffet table.

At the conclusion of the delicious dinner, birthday cake was served to the guests, along with coffee and tea.

The celebration was hosted by Mrs. Reed's children, Tom and Deborah Reed and Elizabeth and Murray Cohen of Atlanta, Georgia, and grandson, Jeff Reed Cohen of Austin.



Pictured above with Virginia Reed at her 80th birthday party are two of her children, Tom Reed, at left, and daughter, Elizabeth Reed Cohen.

Guzman to perform in concert at the Gazebo

Conjunto Accordionist Joel Guzman will be featured at "Guzman at the Gazebo" Saturday, Nov. 17, from 4 to 6 p.m. at the Eagle Lake Municipal Park.

Workshops and jam sessions are also scheduled as well as presentations to schools, civic organizations and churches in our community. For seven days, Guzman will educate and entertain audiences of all kinds with his special style of traditional conjunto music.

All citizens are encouraged to participate in jam sessions, regardless of skill level.

All presentations and events are open to the public, free of charge and sponsored by Main Street Eagle Lake and Texas Folklife Resources. This program is made possible in part by funding from the National Endowment for the Arts and the Texas Commission on the Arts.

The schedule for workshops and jam sessions is:

Workshop: Tuesday, Nov. 13, 2:30-3:30 p.m., Garwood School.

Jam session: Thursday, Nov. 15, 7-8:30 p.m., Eagle Hill Inn & Retreat,

307 E. State St., Eagle Lake, 979-234-2807, 234-3926 or 234-2792.

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Play

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Prepare yourself for a most enjoyable evening. Mark your calendars for Nov. 9 and 10 and be in Eagle Lake for

one of the performances.

For further information, call 234-2807, 234-3926 or 234-2792.

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If married both Husband & Wife should attend!

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Speaker Randy Alexander for Senior Benefit Center Network.

If you miss this important meeting call 1-800-500-9172 for future dates and locations.



Don't Miss Out!

Be A Raider Booster!

In anticipation of the Rice Raider Varsity going into the playoffs, we're getting a head start on the "Raider Boosters" page(s).



There is a limited amount of space, so don't be left out!

Call or come by The Headlight office today and sign up to back the Raiders all the way!

(Booster sigs will run each week the team is in the playoffs plus one week after, to congratulate them on an outstanding season.)