

OBITUARIES

LeeRoy Louis Lundquist July 3, 1931 – November 7, 2002

LeeRoy Louis Lundquist, 71, of Garwood, passed away Thursday, November 7, 2002.

Born July 3, 1931, in Garwood, he was the son of David and Hulda Olson Lundquist.

A graduate of Wharton County Junior College and the University of Texas, he was a self-employed farmer and rancher, had been a real estate agent for Muegge Real Estate in Wharton and was a member of Christ Lutheran Church in El Campo.

Lundquist, a former member of the Garwood Lions Club, was chosen to receive the El Campo Jaycee's Outstanding Young Farmer of the Year Award in 1965 and was a veteran of the Korean War.

Preceded in death by his parents, survivors include, his wife, Peggy Marek Lundquist of Garwood; daughter and son-in-law, Cheri and Eric Muegge of Wharton; son and daughter-in-law, Todd Randolph and Becky Lundquist of Baytown; sisters, Margaret Montello of El Campo and Lillian Parolini of Hanover, California; five grandchildren, Lyle, Mason and Layne

Muegge of Wharton and Brooke and Presley Lundquist of Baytown.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Monday, November 11, at Christ Lutheran Church in El Campo with Rev. Art Weiss officiating.

Burial followed in the Garden of Memories Cemetery in El Campo.

Triska Funeral Home of El Campo was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Dale Hunt; Gre-

gory Montello; Tommy Treybig; Lyle, Mason and Layne Muegge; and Truman Jr. and Kirk Engstrom.

Honorary pallbearers were Mark and Kirk Marek; Eric and Ervin Muegge; Hector Olvera; and Monte Montello; Rodney and Parke Christensen; Arthur Lee Dabney; Bob Fogege; and Tommy Metcalf.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Will Matthews Jr.

Funeral services for Will Matthews Jr., 25, of Eagle Lake will be held Saturday, November 16, at 11 a.m. from Greater Union Baptist Church in Matthews with Rev. Lawrence Robertson officiating.

Ben Davis Funeral Home of Columbus is in charge of arrangements.

A full obituary will follow in next week's *Headlight*.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

Masons hold Outdoor Degree Meeting

Eagle Lake Masonic Lodge #366 held their Outdoor Mason Degree Meeting Nov. 2 at HU Bar Ranch on the banks of the Colorado River. Outdoor Mason Degree candidates were Druce Dulany and Gary Tise.

Cowboy Degree team members are Hugh Sheridan, Charles Abel, Joe H. McCreary, Larry Dulany, Carl Gambil, Buddy Prause, John Currie, Joe L. McCreary, Buddy Dorrow, Benson Landrum, Travis Myres, Phil Henson, Jim Albert, Aaron Collier, Don Marks and J.F. Knox.

Lodges represented were Cade Rothwell #1151, Houston; Graham #20, Brenham; Caldonia #68, Columbus; Fayetteville #240, Fayetteville; New Caney #148, New Caney; Melrose #1254, Houston; Holland #1,

Houston; Lafayette #34, La Grange; Lyons #195; Schulenburg; Rosenberg #881, Rosenberg; El Campo #918, El Campo; San Felipe #239, Sealy;

Richardson #1214, Richardson; and Eagle Lake #366, Eagle Lake.

Castleman's Chuckwagon catered the event.



10th Annual Karstedt-Fojtik reunion held

Members of the Karstedt-Fojtik families gathered Saturday, Oct. 26, at St. Roch's in Mentz to attend their

10th annual reunion. The covered dish meal was served at 12:30 p.m.

Children in attendance had the chance to get in on the drawings as well as a guessing game to win two jars full of candy.

A silent auction was held to raise funds to add to next year's reunion.

Before the drawings and the silent auction item winners were handed their prizes, a discussion about finances and changes which may need to take place before next year's reun-

ion were voiced. Prizes were then presented to the oldest in attendance, youngest, the person with the most children, married the least time, driven the farthest, married the longest and to the person that traveled the shortest distance.

The family had a great time seeing each other and reminiscing.

The next reunion will take place the last Saturday in Oct. of 2003.

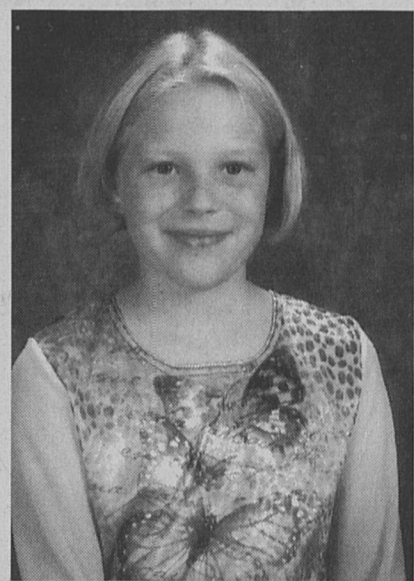
Young to compete in Pre-Teen Texas

Allyssa Katherine Young, daughter of John and Jeanne Young of Eagle Lake, will proudly participate in the Pre-Teen Texas Scholarship and Recognition Program Nov. 22-24 at the Adam's Mark in Houston.

This is a wonderful opportunity for Allyssa to represent Eagle Lake with academic achievement, school activities, and personal skills ability.

Allyssa is very grateful to the following sponsors who enabled her to

attend this very prestigious state event. The Baumgart Agencies, Creative Expressions, Eagle Lake Dental, Ellison Chevrolet-Cadillac, Johnny's Sport Shop, Lake Lumber Company, Taco Tony's, The Furniture Shoppe, Theresa Zapalac, Trafco Industries and Mike and Sherri Gould.



Allyssa Young

Bible Verse of the Week

"With God all things are possible."
— Mark 10:27
Submitted by Neddy Phillips

Rylander distributes \$368.9 million in sales tax allocations

Texas Comptroller Carole Keeton Rylander last week delivered \$368.9 million in monthly sales tax payments to local governments.

Rylander sent sales tax rebates of \$252.3 million to Texas cities and \$20.2 million to Texas counties. Seventy-four special purpose taxing districts received \$9.8 million and Texas' six metropolitan transit authorities and two city transit departments received \$86.5 million in sales tax revenue.

Eagle Lake's rebate was \$16,192,

up 8.54% from the \$14,917.35 received last Nov. Year-to-date, Eagle Lake's rebate total is down 2.70 %.

Rice Hospital District, one of the special purpose districts, received \$12,356.47, up 11.59 % from the \$11,072.25 received last Nov.

Nov. sales tax rebates include local sales taxes collected in Sept. by monthly filers and in July, Aug. and Sept. by quarterly filers, and reported to the Comptroller in Oct.

The state's share reported during this period was \$1.1 billion.

For details of Nov. sales tax payments to individual cities, counties, transit departments and special purpose districts, locate the Monthly Sales and Use Tax Allocation Comparison Summary Reports on the Comptroller's Web site at www.window.state.tx.us/taxinfo/allocsum/compsum.html.

Other cities in the Eagle Lake area and the amount of their sales tax rebate this month are:

- Columbus, \$83,152.19, down 1.32%;
 - Weimar, \$20,711.35, -6.57 %;
 - Sealy, \$91,537.65, -37.73%;
 - Bellville, \$42,053.85, -27.95%;
 - El Campo, \$179,776.88, -14.39 %;
 - Wharton, \$97,805.39, -25.35%.
- Year-to-date for the above cities and the change from last year:
- Columbus, \$746,100.09, -1.57%;
 - Weimar, \$206,980.17, +6.91%;
 - Sealy, \$899,936.68, -7.31%;
 - Bellville, \$343,625.62, -27.06%;
 - El Campo, \$1,893,913.72, -2.89%;
 - Wharton, \$1,071,655.81, -6.01%.
- Colorado County received \$58,211.23, down 11.06%. Austin County received (See Rebates, Page 5)

A NEW ARRIVAL

Jake Nikolas Engelbrecht

Joy and Darrell Engelbrecht are pleased to announce the birth of their first child, Jake Nikolas.

Jake was born November 9, 2002 at 6:31 p.m., in Southwest Memorial Hospital.

He weighed seven pounds, three ounces and was 20-1/4 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Ralph and Bobby Johnson of Eagle Lake.

Paternal grandparents are Freddie and Wanda Engelbrecht of Wallis.

Corrections... Garden Club

There are a couple of things to clear up in the article written last week by Patty Holloway pertaining to the Civic Garden Club.

In reference to the strong manure in the seventh paragraph, which could hurt plants, it was supposed to be straw manure.

Also in the fifth paragraph, pertaining to snapdragons, stock and... it should have read other such (not suck) flowers need to be top-pinned.

Texas Recycles Day

Texas Recycles Day is Friday. Did you know that Americans make up only five percent of the world's population, but generate 50 percent of the world's trash? To find out how you can reuse instead of throwing away, visit TexasRecyclesDay.org or call Keep Texas Beautiful at 1-800-CLEAN-TX.



Parade

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a "stake #" along the right side of Church Street. Please start your entry immediately behind your "stake #" on the right side of the street.

Parade judging begins at 5:30 p.m. by category. The awards will be presented during the parade.

The judges will be evaluating the parade entries on the following criteria: costuming and lighting used follow and adds to the theme of the entry, the Christmas theme is clearly displayed and is visually interesting, the entry shows creativity and adds quality to the parade.

Bands, marching units, dance and drill teams are invited to perform a four-minute demonstration at the judging stand. If your entry will have sound or music, please advise on entry form so the entries can be spaced properly.

Participants are asked NOT to include "live" Santas on their entry because parents tell us it is difficult to explain to small children why there are so many Santas.

Absolutely nothing may be thrown into the crowd by parade participants. We feel sure you or your organization would not want to be held accountable for injuring anyone.

Please return your entry form before noon Monday, Dec. 2. We appreciate your participation in this event celebrating the holiday season. For more information, call 979-234-2780.

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CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE NATIVITY: Our Lady of Perpetual Help Sanctuary; 308 N. Stevenson, Eagle Lake; 7 a.m. (Español), 9 a.m., 11 a.m., Rev. Eddie Winkler; P.O. Box 307; 234-2842.
ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH: Box 97, Nada; Rev. Joseph Koebel, Pastor; 758-3218.
GRACE LUTHERAN: 408 N. Stevenson, Eagle Lake; Services begin at 10 a.m.; Rev. Clements Richard, Pastor; 234-3381.
LEHRER MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST: Garwood; 9 a.m. worship.
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