

Eagle Lake Police Department Report

The Eagle Lake Police Department (ELPD) reported the following calls and cases for the week ending March 20.

March 13

At 7:24 a.m., Officer John Sebastian was dispatched to the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a gas drive off. Information was received.

At 11:40 a.m., Officer Sebastian provided a funeral escort.

At 12:45 p.m., Chief W. E. Lattimore met with a complainant at the PD in regards to family problems. Information was received.

At 12:56 p.m., Officer Shady Elsabee was dispatched to the 200 block of Boothe Drive in regards to a disturbance. The matter was settled at the scene.

At 1:34 p.m., Officer Tomas Gonzalez was dispatched to the 200 block of Boothe Drive in regards to damaged property. Case open for investigation.

At 4:43 p.m., Sgt. David Wiese met with a complainant at the PD in regards to a case of trespassing. Case open pending issuance of a criminal trespass warning.

At 6:09 p.m., Officer Elsabee met with a complainant at the PD in regards to recovered stolen property. Information was received.

At 8:28 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the FM 3013 Place Apartments in regards to loud music. The music was turned down.

At 9:23 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a gas drive off. Information was received.

At 11:01 p.m., Officer Justin Alderete was dispatched to the 500 block of Norris St. in regards to suspicious noises. The source of the noise was not located.

March 14

At 9:02 a.m., Officer Gonzalez was flagged down at the intersection of Lakeside and Main Streets in regards to a damaged phone pole. The phone company was notified.

At 9:34 a.m., Officer Sebastian received a report of missing juveniles. The juveniles were later located.

At 10:31 a.m., Officer Gonzalez met with a complainant in the 400 block

of S. Austin Rd. in regards to identity theft. Case open for investigation.

At 12:45 p.m., Officer Sebastian received a report of alleged child neglect from CPS. Case open for investigation.

At 2:01 p.m., Officer Sebastian was dispatched to the 400 block of W. Prairie St. in regards to a theft. Case open for investigation.

At 2:10 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 400 block of FM 3013 in regards to a welfare concern. All was found to be in order.

At 4:39 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 500 block of E. Prairie St. in regards to a person entering an abandoned building. Steven Torres was arrested for criminal trespassing. Torres was processed at the PD and transported to the Colorado County Detention Center (CCDC) for confinement.

At 6:43 p.m., Officer Alderete was dispatched to the FM 3013 Place Apartments in regards to a 9-1-1 hang up coming from the payphone. No one was around the phone when Alderete arrived.

March 15

At 10:05 a.m., Chief Lattimore met with a complainant at the PD in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 12:25 p.m. Officer Sebastian provided traffic control for Southwestern Bell Telephone in the 600 block of E. Main St.

At 6:57 p.m., Officer Wayne Coleman was dispatched to the 400 block of "C" St. in regards to an assault victim. No victim was located.

March 16

At 3:16 a.m., Officer Coleman was dispatched to the Rice Medical Center in regards to an assault victim. Case open for investigation.

At 9:02 a.m., Officer Sebastian spoke via phone with a caller in regards to a suspicious person. Information was received.

At 9:20 a.m., Officer Sebastian met with a complainant at the PD in regards to possible child abuse. Case open for investigation.

At 6:24 p.m., Officer Coleman met with a repo man at the PD. Information was received.

At 10:54 p.m., Sgt. S. D. Nelson was

dispatched to the Hard Times Sports Bar in regards to an assault. Case turned over to the Colorado County Sheriff's Department for investigation.

At 11:01 p.m., Officer Coleman was dispatched to the 1000 block of Raezer St. in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

March 17

At 12:20 a.m., Officer Coleman spoke via phone with a caller in regards to a close patrol request. Information was received.

At 12:49 a.m., Officer Coleman was dispatched to the 1600 block of E. Main St. in regards to an activated alarm. All was found to be in order.

At 3:10 a.m., Officer Coleman was flagged down in the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a gas drive off. Information was received.

At 8:20 a.m., Officer Gonzalez was flagged down in the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a gas drive off. Information was received.

At 8:38 a.m., Officer Gonzalez was dispatched to the 100 block of E. Waverly St. in regards to damaged property. Information was received.

At 9 a.m., Lt. Wendy Alley received a report of medical neglect from CPS. Case open for investigation.

At 11 a.m., Lt. Alley spoke via phone with a caller in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 11:19 a.m., Officer Gonzalez met with a complainant at the PD in regards to a civil matter. Information was received.

At 11:25 a.m., Officer Gonzalez was dispatched to the 1400 block of Seaholm St. in regards to trespassers. Case cleared by the issuance of criminal trespass warnings.

At 3 p.m., Officer Gonzalez was dispatched to the 500 block of Stephenson St. in regards to a disturbance. All was found to be in order.

At 4:42 p.m., Officer Alderete was dispatched to the 500 block of First St. in regards to a disturbance. The matter was settled at the scene.

At 6:14 p.m., Officer Alderete was dispatched to the 1000 block of East "A" St. in regards to a suspicious person. The person was gone when Alderete arrived.

March 18

At 3:01 a.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 400 block of Scott St. in regards to a medical call. Information was received.

At 7:15 a.m., Officer Gonzalez was dispatched to the 1000 block of East "A" St. in regards to a person knocking on the door. Information was received.

At 8:57 a.m., Officer Gonzalez was dispatched to the 300 block of W. Waverly St. in regards to reckless driver. The described vehicle was located later and several citations were issued.

At 2:25 p.m., Officer Gonzalez was dispatched to the 1000 block of East State St. in regards to a 9-1-1 hang up. All was found to be in order.

At 6:09 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 500 block of East "A" St. in regards to a disturbance. The matter was settled at the scene.

At 8:58 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 5000 block of Hwy 90A in regards to a prowler. No prowler was located.

At 10:50 p.m., Officer Alderete was dispatched to the 500 block of East "A" St. in regards to a 9-1-1 hang up. All was found to be in order.

March 19

At 2:19 a.m., Officer Elsabee checked on a suspicious person and vehicle on Willis St. All was found to be in order.

At 3:01 a.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to N. Lake St. in regards to a fight taking place in the street. No fight was located.

At 2:18 p.m., Officer Gonzalez was dispatched to the 500 block of W. Prairie St. in regards to a disturbance. The matter was settled at the scene.

At 3:24 p.m., Officer Alderete was dispatched to the 900 block of Sempres St. in regards to a possible assault. Alderete discovered that no assault took place.

At 6:20 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 100 block of E. Main St. in regards to a stranded family. Assistance was provided.

At 8:48 p.m., Officer Elsabee was dispatched to the 500 block of E. Davitt St. in regards to possible harassment. Case open for investigation.

At 10:50 p.m., Officer Elsabee was

dispatched to the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to an intoxicated person. Salvador Solis Jr. was arrested for public intoxication. Solis was processed at the PD and transported to the CCDC for confinement.

March 20

At 1:46 a.m., Officer Elsabee was

dispatched to the 500 block of E. Main St. in regards to a suspicious vehicle. All was found to be in order.

At 8:21 a.m., Officer Sebastian was dispatched to the 600 block of Keith St. in regards to an unwanted person. Case open pending the issuance of a criminal trespass warning.

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Sunday
7:30 a.m.-1:45 p.m.

Colorado County Sheriff's Report

The Colorado County Sheriff's Department reported the following calls and cases for the period ending March 2.

Friday, February 17

At 4:04 a.m., Deputy Wilson initiated a traffic stop on Tinkler Street in Rock Island. After further investigation, Christopher John Shaffer, 19, of Sheridan, was arrested for possession of marihuana, Class B misdemeanor. Case closed by arrest.

At 8 a.m., Deputy Argo responded to the Eagle Lake Junior High School in reference to a fight. After an investigation, two (2) students were issued citations for disorderly conduct. Case closed.

At 2:20 p.m., Deputy LaCourse responded to Laura Lane in reference to a child custody dispute. After an investigation, one subject was issued a criminal trespass warning and released. Case closed unless any further incidents occur.

At 3:30 p.m., Deputy Pardo met with a complainant from Glidden about a possible forged check. A report was taken and the case is closed information only.

At 4 p.m., Deputy Pardo responded to Deer Hollow Road in reference to cruelty to animals. On arrival, several horses were located in poor health. The horses were seized with a court order and were taken to the Lone Star Equine Rescue Service for temporary care pending a future seizure hearing.

At 6:40 p.m., Deputy Wilson met with a complainant at the Sheriff's Office in reference to a possible theft. After further investigation, the incident was determined to be a civil matter. The complainant was referred to the Justice of the Peace. Case closed.

Saturday, February 18

At 4:30 p.m., Deputy LaCourse responded to Hwy 71 south in Garwood in reference to a shot fired into the residence. On arrival, a .22 caliber bullet was located inside the residence. After an investigation, it is believed that the shot was accidental. Case will be closed at this time.

At 9:30 p.m., Deputy Ferro and Sgt. Girndt responded to the Rock Island Community Center in reference to an individual setting off car alarms in the parking lot. The complainant wanted the subject issued a Criminal Trespass Warning. The subject could not be located at the time of the incident. Case pending contact and issuance.

At 10:30 p.m., Deputy Wilson responded to Canal Street in Alleyton for a family disturbance. On arrival, the incident was determined to be a verbal argument only. After an investigation, one of the parties involved in the argument agreed to voluntarily vacate for the evening. Case closed

with no charges.

At 11:12 p.m., Deputy Ferro and Sgt. Girndt contacted a subject on FM 2434, who was operating a vehicle on the roadway. After an investigation, Hiram Ahamad Jones, 30, of Houston, was arrested for no driver's license. Case closed by arrest.

Tuesday, February 21

At 12:23 a.m., Deputy Ferro and Sgt. Girndt responded to the IH-10 north service road near the 703-mile marker in reference to a suspicious person. After an investigation, Jose Vidal Casarez, 31, of Marlin, was arrested for public intoxication. Case closed by arrest.

At 4:20 p.m., Deputy Ferro and Sgt. Girndt responded to a residence in Columbus to execute an order of apprehension (mental health warrant). On arrival, the subject of the order was apprehended and later transported to the Austin State Hospital for treatment. Case closed.

Wednesday, February 22

At 1:41 a.m., Deputy Mieth responded to Carter Walker Road near Eagle Lake in reference to a reported robbery. On arrival, an investigation was conducted. Case opened for further investigation.

At 1:45 p.m., Deputy Pflughaupt responded to the Union Pacific Railroad Depot in Glidden in reference to a report of several illegal riders. On arrival, six (6) individuals were located on the train. The six individuals were taken into custody and held for the Immigration and Naturalization Services (INS). The six individuals were later picked up by INS and deported. Case closed.

At 8:30 p.m. Deputy Staff responded to a residence in Columbus in reference to an incident involving a firearm that occurred on Hwy 71 west of Columbus. After an investigation, a warrant was obtained for Eric Ruben Belmonte, 21, of Columbus, who will be arrested for disorderly conduct - display firearm in a public place, Class B misdemeanor.

Thursday, February 23

At 6 p.m., Deputy Staff met with a complainant about a lost wallet that he found on the side of Hwy 71 near the Ag. Complex. The owner of the wallet was found to reside in Fayette County. Case pending property return.

Friday, February 24

At 9:48 p.m., Deputy Thumann initiated a traffic stop on FM 3013 and State Street in Eagle Lake. After an investigation, Adam Eugebe Pederson, 22, of Dilworth, NM, was arrested for driving while license expired and possession of drug paraphernalia. Case closed by arrest.

Sunday, February 26

At 1:12 a.m., Sgt. Edman initiated a traffic stop on FM 109 near Brunes

Mill Road. After an investigation, Paul Denis Taylor, 55, of Columbus, was arrested for driving while intoxicated with open container, Class B misdemeanor. Case closed by arrest.

At 10 a.m., Deputy Pardo responded to Cat Spring road in reference to fence damage. A report was taken and evidence was collected. Case pending further investigation.

At 11:39 p.m., Deputy Thumann initiated a traffic stop in the 2200 block of Walnut Street in Columbus. After an investigation, Charlene Marie Brown, 24, of Columbus, was arrested for driving while license invalid. Brown was additionally taken into custody on an outstanding warrant issued in Wharton County for theft by check. Case cleared by arrest.

Monday, February 27

At 12:02 a.m., Deputy Ferro and Sgt. Girndt responded to Ms. Molly's Bar in reference to a disturbance. On arrival, the incident was determined to be an assault and suspect was identified. After an investigation, Ronald Lee Perales, 42, of Columbus, was issued a citation for family violence assault and additionally issued a criminal trespass warning. Case closed by issuance of summons and warning.

At 4:24 a.m., Deputy Ferro and Sgt. Girndt responded to Old Hwy 90 near Columbus Oaks Apartments in reference to an abandoned vehicle that was parked in the roadway. An attempt to locate an owner was unsuccessful; therefore the vehicle was towed for public safety reasons. The vehicle was stored at Colorado County Towing as abandoned. Case closed.

At 8 a.m., Deputy Pardo responded to Dungen Mill Road in reference to illegal dumping. On arrival, it was discovered that someone had dumped a large assortment of trash, which included bedroom furniture, mattress, appliances, tree branches, lawn mower, and other miscellaneous junk. During the investigation, a suspect was developed. After an investigation, a warrant was obtained and Manuel Scott Jr., 59, of Columbus, was arrested for illegal dumping.

Tuesday, February 28

At 8 a.m., Deputy Hudson responded to a residence on Oak Street in Columbus in reference to criminal mischief. The complainant reported that her mailbox had been vandalized. A report was filed and the case is pending further information.

At 8:30 a.m., Deputy Argo was at the Rice High School and received a report of a student smoking on a school bus. During the investigation, the student was identified and it was additionally found that the same student had three (3) unexcused absences in a four-week period. After the investigation, the student was issued citations for minor in possession of tobacco, minor in possession of a burning tobacco product on school campus, and failure to attend school. Case closed by issuing summons.

At 9:30 a.m., Deputy Argo responded to the Rice Alternative Education Program in reference to a student using profanity and causing a disturbance on a school bus. After an investigation, the juvenile was issued a citation for disorderly conduct.

At 10:45 a.m., Deputy Argo was at the Rice High School and received a report of a student causing a disturbance. After an investigation, the student was issued a citation for disruption of classes. Case closed.

At 7:37 p.m., Deputy Mieth initiated a traffic stop on Business Hwy 71 near Colorado County Oil. After an investigation, James Gregory Busselman, 49, of Columbus, was arrested for possession of controlled substance, 3rd Degree felony, possession of drug paraphernalia, Class C misdemeanor, driving while license suspended, and duty to display lights, Class C misdemeanor. Case closed by arrest.

At 7:59 p.m., Deputy Ferro and Sgt. Girndt responded to Budget Inn on Hwy 90 in reference to a possible threat. After an investigation, no criminal offense was established. A report was filed and the case is closed.

Wednesday, March 1

At 9:30 a.m., Deputy Argo responded to Rice High School in reference to an incident involving a student who gave an unauthorized ride home to another student. After an investigation, one of the students was issued a citation for disruption of classes and

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