

NEWSBRIEFS

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Columbus or may be downloaded from the HLSR website at www.rodeohouston.com. Completed applications are due in the Colorado County Extension Office on or before January 10, 2007.

Class of '96 to hold reunion
Rice high School Class of 1996 it's time for a class reunion and we need your contact information. Please call or e-mail Kristen Stienke at 713-898-0378 or kirstenstienke@hotmail.com. More details to follow at a later date.

EAGLE LAKE
WEATHER REPORT

Information Courtesy of Texas A&M University System
Agricultural Research and Experiment Station, Eagle Lake

Date	Temp (H/L)	Rainfall(in.)
Mon. 11-27-06	74/64	0.01
Tue. 11-28-06	82/65	0.00
Wed. 11-29-06	80/44	0.00
Thu. 11-30-06	79/28	0.22
Fri. 12-01-06	55/29	0.00
Sat. 12-02-06	56/39	0.00
Sun. 12-03-06	51/28	0.00



Maggie Walker (standing in for daughter Kelli Nieto)



Sherry Norton

Kringle Cash Winners

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Headlight last week.
Nieto will use her certificate at Austins BBQ and Norton will use hers at HEB.
A different Christmas symbol will appear each week for the next two weeks through Dec. 18, in advertisements throughout the Headlight. This week's entry form is printed on Page 2.
Simply count the number of symbols appearing in advertisements in the entire paper for the week, fill out the form and submit it by the deadline.
Deadline for the week is 5 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 11.

Every entry that has the correct number of symbols counted will be entered in the drawing.
Two entries will be drawn each week and the winners will be awarded a \$25 check or certificate made out to the business specified on their form.
Contestants may only specify a business that has an ad appearing in the edition for which they are entering the contest.
Only one entry per person will be accepted.
Employees of the Eagle Lake Headlight and their immediate families are not eligible.

Water District

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Council members Milton Wavra, Chuck Rankin, Curtiss Schonenberg, Lori Sprague and Brian Berger.
Heffley said he felt voters should have another chance to consider a district.
At the suggestion of Councilman Chuck Rankin, the council will also send a letter to the county, outlining the council's desire that any plan "emphasizes the principle of private property rights."
Rankin had earlier noted, along with Heffley, that a provision allowing a district to condemn private property could be removed from proposed legislation.
The resolution will go to the Colorado County commissioners court for consideration.
The commissioners have received similar resolutions for the cities of Eagle Lake and Weimar, but County Judge Al Jamison said he wanted support from all the cities before the county would consider appointing a committee.
Heffley said he felt that conditions had changed since the water district proposal was last defeated in 2002.
The mayor said he had also been told by Jamison that the cities would have representation on a committee. He told the council that he planned to appoint Columbus City Manager David Meisell as the city's representative, if the county appointed a committee.
The Columbus approval also came after the council held a special meeting on Thursday, Nov. 30,

to hear a presentation from an official with the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
The official, Steven P. Musick, briefed the council on the status of groundwater conservation district throughout the state.
Heffley noted that there are approximately 80 existing groundwater districts in the state.
In addition to removing condemnation powers, Heffley noted that previously a tax rate of up to 5 cents per \$100 valuation had been proposed. But he said he felt a district could operate on a rate of 2 to 2.5 cents.
He said he also felt it was unlikely the legislature would act to remove authority to protect underground water from groundwater districts.
Heffley also noted that state law allows only a groundwater district to regulate groundwater.
Other council members spoke in favor of a groundwater district as the only way to protect groundwater.
Heffley said he felt that having Meisell as the Columbus representative would improve communications on the water issue.
Revived interest in a groundwater district has come after the county has been told that the Lower Colorado River Authority is looking at drilling more irrigation wells in the county.
A company has also proposed to build a large bottle water plant between Columbus and Eagle Lake and pump groundwater.

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The Second Six-Week Grading Period
Garwood School

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SECOND GRADE Reagan Dopslauf Braden Faas Katie Macek	THIRD GRADE Sarahi Juarez Emma Kelley Cameron Marsalia Jill Nava Molly Smidovec Jessye Trefny	SIXTH GRADE Emily Mahalifc Aubrey Pavlu Danielle Dopslauf	SEVENTH GRADE Destinea Williams Allyssa Krpec Kaycie Rathburn Georgeanne Llanes Kelsey Danklefs
	FOURTH GRADE Glenn Bozant		EIGHTH GRADE Myles Dumont Erica McConnell Michael Waligura
	FIFTH GRADE Oleatha Coleman Yesnely Flores		

Rice High School

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Eagle Lake Elementary School

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SIXTH GRADE Chastity Aguilar Matthew Trahan	EIGHTH GRADE Michael Aguilar		FIFTH GRADE Tallon Canaris Melissa Hassin Mackenzie Wiese Dominique Blanco

Eagle Lake Junior High

SIXTH GRADE Chastity Aguilar Matthew Trahan	Christina Lopez Lucas Losoya Sandra Vega	Katerrain Huffman Magdalena Mendoza Michelle Mendoza Neida Salazar Lindsey Sommer Machelsea Thomas
SEVENTH GRADE Roman Herek		

Sheridan School

FIRST GRADE Jacob Chavez Layne Dierschke William Dugger James Dunn Ronnie Ellis Kristen Garza Brooklyn Jackson Kaitlynn Miller Blake Robinson	SECOND GRADE Jonathan Chavez Seira Garza Brandon Rodriguez Michael Sqnntag	Lenora Williamson	Haley Benton Marcie Dunn Mikayla Gabler Krystal Rodriguez
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