



PFC Robert J. Salinas, son of James and Hortensia Salinas of Eagle Lake, is currently stationed at Camp Pendleton, San Diego, California.

He completed his 13 weeks of basic training in San Diego, on June 15. During his training he served as Squad Leader for his Platoon and received the Physical Excellence Award for his platoon. He demonstrated superior physical achievement by attaining the highest score on the Marine Corps physical fitness test 292 out of 300.

Traveling to San Diego were proud parents James and Hortensia Salinas, grandparents Joe and Marcy Salinas, aunt Veronica Villafuerte, cousins, Vanessa and Violeta Villafuerte and friends, Keith Kallina and Clayton Bowen.

The Gators Swim Team Results

On Saturday, June 23rd, the Eagle Lake Gators traveled to West Columbia and competed against the West of the Brazos and Texas City teams.

Once again they swam there hearts out and produced great results. We are so proud of our Gators and wish them well for the rest of the season!

Results listed are for swimmers that placed in the top eight for that event and ribbon swimmers (R).

Note: For relays, only during regular season swim meets, swimmers can move one age group up and swim on a relay.

Girls

9-10, 50 yd. Free: Beverly Keller, 2nd.

11-12, 100 yd. Free: Gabrielle Herrera, 1st, Keslie Perez, 2nd.

13-14, 100 yd. Free: Allyssa Young, 1st, Paige Vandermark, 5th.

6&Under, Backstroke: Maisyn Stancik, 1st, Kayla Mazzeo, 3rd.

7-8, 25 yd. Backstroke: Arlesia Henderson, 1st, Cameron Marsalia, 3rd, Hailey Ferguson, R, Ariel Quenneville, R, Carlee Vandermark, R.

9-10, 25 yd. Backstroke: Victoria Denard, 3rd, Beverly Keller, R.

8 & Under, 25 yd. Breaststroke: Ariel Quenneville, 3rd.

11-12, 50 yd. Breaststroke: Gabrielle Herrera, 2nd, Keslie Perez, 3rd.

13-14, 50 yd. Breaststroke: Paige Vandermark, 1st.

15-24, 50 yd. Breaststroke: Danielle Herrera, 1st.

8 & Under, 25 yd. Butterfly: Arlesia Henderson, 1st.

13-14, 50 yd. Butterfly: Allyssa Young, 1st.

6 & Under, 25 yd. Free: Kayla Mazzeo, 1st, Maisyn Stancik, 2nd, Emily Denard, 6th.

7-8, 25 yd. Free: Arlesia Henderson, 2nd, Ariel Quenneville, 3rd, Hailey Ferguson, R, Carlee Vandermark, Cameron Marsalia, R.

9-10, 25 yd. Free: Victoria Denard, 4th, Beverly Keller, R.

11-12, 50 yd. Free: Keslie Perez, 2nd, Gabrielle Herrera, 3rd.

13-14, 50 yd. Free: Allyssa Young, 1st, Paige Vandermark, 4th.

15-24, 50 yd. Free: Danielle Herrera, 2nd.

Boys

8 & Under, 50 yd. Free: Zachary Denard, 3rd.

9-10, 50 yd. Free: Ryan Almanza, 3rd.

11-12, 100 yd. Free: Logan Young, 1st.

9-10, 25 yd. Backstroke: Ryan Almanza, 4th.

11-12, 50 yd. Backstroke: Logan Young, 1st, Dylan Ferguson, 5th.

11-12, 50 yd. Breaststroke: Dylan Ferguson, 2nd.

7-8, 25 yd. Free: Zachary Denard, 2nd.

9-10, 25 yd. Free: Ryan Almanza, 3rd, Lee Fields, R.

11-12, 50 yd. Free: Logan Young, 2nd, Dylan Ferguson, R.

On Saturday, June 30, the Eagle Lake Gators traveled to Bay City to compete in their 5th swim meet of the season. They swam about half of the schedule swim events before thunder and lightning began and the meet had to be cancelled.

The swim season will end next Saturday with the championship meet.

This will be held in Rosenberg and will be against all the teams in the Coastal Cities Aquatic Association. Once again the Gators want to thank all of their wonderful sponsors for making our Eagle Lake swim team possible.

Good Luck at the Championships Gators!

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Girls

9-10, 50 yd. Free: Diamond Cadriel, 1st, Victoria Denard, 4th, Madisyn Stancik, R.

13-14, 100 yd. Free: Allyssa Young, 4th, Paige Vandermark, 5th.

6&Under, 25 yd. Backstroke: Maisyn Stancik, 1st, Kayla Mazzeo, R.

7-8, 25 yd. Backstroke: Cameron Marsalia, 2nd, Hailey Ferguson, R, Summer Zarate, R, Carlee Vandermark, R.

9-10, 25 yd. Backstroke: Emma Kelley, 1st, Diamond Cadriel, 2nd, Victoria Denard, R.

11-12, 50 yd. Backstroke: Gabrielle Herrera, 1st, Keslie Perez, 2nd.

13-14, 50 yd. Backstroke: Michala Herrera, 3rd.

15-24, 50 yd. Backstroke: Victoria Alvarado, 2nd.

25-39, 50 yd. Backstroke: Lena Ferguson, 3rd.

8 & Under, 25 yd. Breaststroke: Cameron Marsalia, 2nd, Carlee Vandermark, R.

9-10, 25 yd. Breaststroke: Emma Kelley, 1st, Madisyn Stancik, R.

11-12, 50 yd. Breaststroke: Keslie Perez, 1st, Gabrielle Herrera, 2nd.

13-14, 50 yd. Breaststroke: Paige Vandermark, 1st, Michala Herrera, 2nd.

25-39, 50 yd. Breaststroke: Vickie Kelley, 1st

Boys

8 & Under, 50 yd. Free: Hunter Adkins, 3rd.

9-10, 50 yd. Free: Ryan Almanza, 2nd.

11-12, 100 yd. Free: Logan Young, 1st.

13-14, 100 yd. Free: Taylor Alvarado, 1st.

6 & Under, 25 yd. Backstroke: Ramon Zarate, 2nd.

7 & 8, 25 yd. Backstroke: Zachary Denard, 2nd, Hunter Adkins, 3rd.

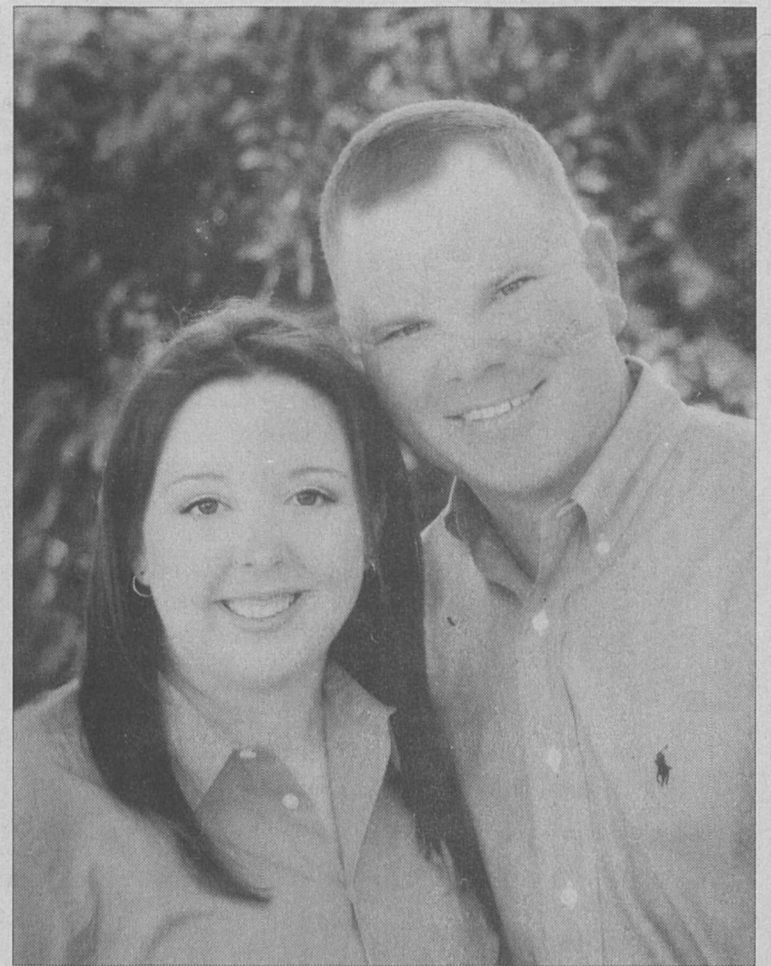
9-10, 50 yd. Backstroke: Ryan Almanza, 6th.

11-12, 50 yd. Backstroke: Dylan Ferguson, 1st.

13-14, 50 yd. Backstroke: Taylor Alvarado, 1st.

9-10, 25 yd. Breaststroke: Paul Cadriel, 1st, Dylan Ferguson, 2nd.

11-12, 50 yd. Butterfly: Logan Young, 1st.



Woolard, Dornak To Wed

Robert and Donna Woolard of Garwood announce the engagement of their daughter, Leslie Ann Woolard of Garwood, to Curtis Wayne Dornak of El Campo, son of Preston and Mary Jane Dornak of El Campo.

Grandparents of the bride-to-be are Lenhart and JoAnn Swoboda of Nada.

The future groom's grandmother is Helen Dornak of El Campo.

The bride-to-be is a 2003 graduate of Rice Consolidated High School and a 2006 graduate of Texas A&M University. She is an accounting specialist at New First National Bank in El Campo.

The future groom is a 1994 graduate of El Campo High School and a 1999 graduate of Sam Houston State University. He is a project supervisor at Greenleaf Nursery in El Campo.

The couple's wedding is set for 1:30 p.m. September 29, 2007 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Nada.

Texas Crop Weather Report

Agricultural Summary

Most areas of the state continued to receive moderate to heavy amounts of moisture with heavy flooding in some areas. Central Texas received the majority of rainfall with mostly 2.0 to 10.0 inches.

The Panhandle received mostly 0.10 to 1.5 inches of rainfall. South Texas received mostly 1.0 to 4.0 inches of rainfall. East Texas received mostly 1.0 to 3.0 inches of rainfall. The Trans-Pecos area received the least amount of rain with 0.01 to 0.50 inches of rainfall.

Wet soils have continued to cause harvesting problems. Range conditions remained in good condition. Haying and baling were halted in most areas due to the continued rainfall. Livestock remained in good to excellent condition in most areas of the state.

Mosquitoes were starting to become a problem as moist weather continued.

Field Crops Report

Small Grains: In the High Plains, wheat harvest continued in full force after being delayed due to previous showers. However, heavy rains continued to slow harvest in most other areas of the state. There were also some reports of crop damage in the Northern High Plains due to extremely high winds. Statewide, wheat condition was mostly good to excellent.

Cotton: Conditions worsened due to the below normal temperatures and severe weather in the Northern High Plains. Cotton did very well in the Southern High Plains with much of the cotton now squaring.

Development was making progress in the Northern Low Plains, but needed more hot dry weather to continue. Losses were

reported in the Southern Low Plains due to many fields being underwater. Cotton condition was mostly fair to good statewide.

Corn: Wet conditions were beneficial to corn production in the Northern High Plains.

Some damage was reported in the Blacklands due to heavy rainfall. South Central Texas reported good to excellent yields. Statewide, corn condition was mostly good to excellent.

Sorghum: Conditions were very promising in the High Plains. In the Blacklands

Sorghum was beginning to mature. Harvest continued to be delayed by the rainfall in the Coastal Bend and Lower Valley. Sorghum conditions were mostly good to excellent statewide.

Fruit, Vegetable and Specialty Crop Report

Harvest was delayed in the Cross Timbers area due to excessive moisture. Vegetable conditions and harvest continued to improve in North East Texas; however, there were reports of disease problems such as aphids, spider mites, and whiteflies. Peach and tomato harvest were in full swing with good yields reported in North East Texas with some disease problems reported in tomatoes.

Livestock, Pasture and Range Report

Hay fields were reported to be in good shape across the state, but wet conditions continued to slow the cuttings of hay. Sheep and goat producers in the Edwards Plateau continued to struggle with internal parasites such as stomach worms. Cattle were in good condition across the state with plenty of forage. Increased rainfall caused an increase in weeds in the Northern Plains and North East Texas. Statewide, range and pasture condition was mostly good to excellent.

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