

Dixon, Crockett To Wed

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dale Dixon of Huntsville are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Catherine Alyssa, to Paul Douglas Crockett, son of Mrs. David Reed Crockett and the late Mr. Crockett of Houston. Miss Dixon is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Farris of Eagle Lake and Mr. Jessie Dixon and the late Mrs. Dixon of Henderson. An October 18 wedding is planned at Vargo's in Houston. A reception will follow at Blanco's later in the day.

Miss Dixon is a graduate of Sam Houston State University and is employed by Sysco Corporation as a transport planner. Mr. Crockett attended Texas A&M University and is currently under contract with Exxon Mobil as a computer systems analyst.

The couple will make their home in Houston.

Holy Cross Parish Bazaar Set For Oct. 12

East Bernard Riverside Hall will be the site of the Holy Cross Parish Bazaar, Sunday, October 12. Dinner will be served starting at 11 a.m.

The menu will include BBQ beef, chicken and sausage with "Homemade Dressing" and all

the trimmings.

Hamburgers will be served starting at 3 p.m. Czech pastries, refreshments and country store items may be purchased during the day.

The Grand Auction will begin at 12:30 p.m.

All kinds of games (from noon -5 p.m.) will be available. Added attractions will include a moonwalk, velcro wall and rock climbing wall. Pony rides will be available. Making his 7th appearance will be "Patrick", the celebrity camel, who has appeared on the "Debra Duncan and Oprah Winfrey shows".

Not only can he be touched and petted, he will be available for rides. There will be live music starting at noon provided by the Texas Legacy Czech Band (12-3:30 p.m.), the Dujka Brothers (3:30-6 p.m.) and No Limit, local musicians providing country/rock music (6 p.m. - until?).

Drawing tickets may be purchased throughout the day. The drawing will be at 8 p.m. for prizes including an eight-day European

tour for two to Austria and Rome, 40 gift certificates from \$50-\$250 (redeemable at merchants), garden set, Czech Republic hand cut crystal vase,

Olympia DL 200A advanced camera, Remington 12 gauge shotgun, queen size quilts, child's rechargeable battery operated car, Ruger M-10/22 RB rifle, 1/4 calf processed, \$125 value surprise package,

'Poulan gas weed eater, Canon photo printer, Post Office Collectibles, hand painted statue Sacred Heart of Jesus, tapestry throws, ice cream freezer,

Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo tickets, and many more.

Come join us as Holy Cross celebrates its 107th anniversary. Everyone's Invited!!

13th Annual Marsalia Reunion Held Sept. 27

The Marsalia reunion was held on Saturday, September 27 at Mentz Hall. After a short business meeting, Jeanie Marsalia shared pictures and told us about her trip to Italy.

She has been researching our ancestry and always has interesting information for us. Everyone enjoyed a B-B-Q lunch prepared by the chief cooks Wayne Marsalia and Gene Spalek. After the silent auction everyone headed outdoors for the annual horseshoe tournament.

Present this year were: Willie & Glenda Moore; Dianna, Greg & Temperance Baish; Brian, Shana & Clayton Nesvadba; Gene & Mary Lou Spalek; Wayne & Thelma Marsalia; Jeanie Marsalia;

Dolly Marsalia; James & Boots Jewel; Debbie Taylor; Wanda

Henry; Roy Cranek; Belita Hoffman; Howard, Gretchen & Kayce Wilkerson; Robert, Christi, Maycee & Mollie Baish; Brian Marsalia;

Thomas Marsalia; Kim, Megan & Hayden Bone; Paul, Sharon, Cameron & Justin Marsalia; Susan Wilkerson; Riley Kutach; Terry Perry Ganske; Nihla Rae Perry; Bryan & Tonya Spalek; Dwayne, Monica, April & Nick Pagel;

Neal Marsalia; Sandra Ross; Rebecca, Deanna & Lil Michael Hernandez; Bobby Joe & Becky Marsalia; Bobby, Alyssa & Joseph Marsalia; Inez Matura; Charles Baish & fiancée Reneau; Gladys Mudd; Lydia Simpson; James & Lillie Brune and Randy & Betty Baish.

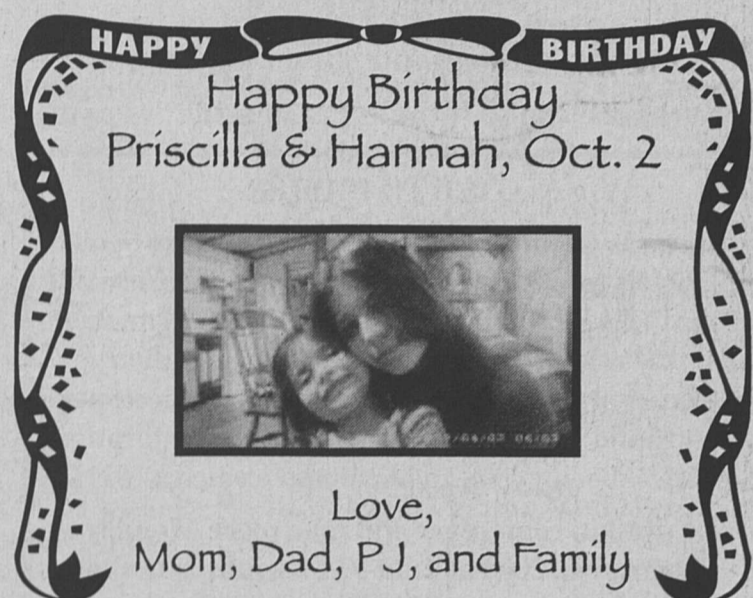
Sheriff Says 'Thanks' For Hurricane Help

Colorado County Sheriff R.H. Wied and staff would like to take this opportunity to thank the following individuals, groups and businesses that so graciously showed their generosity and support toward Sheriff's Office personnel during the Hurricane Ike evacuation.

This thank you extends to all of those who opened their doors for use of their facilities, furnishing a travel trailer and those that provided or prepared meals.

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Mt. Moriah Celebrating 100 Years

Calling all past and present members, friends and relatives. Mt. Moriah Baptist Church of Alleyton would like to invite you to celebrate with them in their 100th year Church Anniversary during the month of October.

All services will be held at Mt. Moriah in Alleyton except for the Concert on Saturday, October 25 which will be held at Hill Community Center in Sealy. For more information you can call 713-303-4371 or 281-935-3571.

Here is a schedule of events:
Sunday, Oct. 5: 4 p.m., guest speaker, Pastor Robert Green of Jones Chapel A.M.E. Praise and Worship Center of Houston; Green Grove Baptist Church

Choir of Alleyton.

Sunday, Oct. 12: 4 p.m., musical celebration and reflections from past and present members. Special guest, Bishop Cartrell Woods and New Day Ensemble of Killeen, Texas.

Saturday, Oct. 25: 6 p.m., Hill Community Center in Sealy; fashion show and skit; concert

featuring Endurance of Houston and World Wide Impact Artists of Bryan; Cajun dinner plates available after the service.

Sunday, Oct. 26: 4 p.m. Grand Finale, guest speaker, Pastor George Nelson, Jr. of Grace Fellowship Church of Brenham; and Shape Me, Mold Me Praise Dance Ministry of Houston.

County Hay Show Held September 9

Ten entries made up this year's annual Colorado County Hay Show, which was held on September 9 at the Colorado County Fairgrounds. Colorado County has long been known as hay producing county and this year there has been some challenges with the dry weather. This was proof with the number of entries.

Hay samples were tested for percent crude protein which gives producers an indication of how to feed livestock during the winter months. Steve Henneke took the show with Grand Champion Perennial with coastal, crude protein reading of 13.7%, Grand Champion Annual with Johnson grass, crude protein reading of 12.3%, also had Grand Champion Legume with alfalfa entry with crude protein reading of 15.7%

Sponsors for this year's show were the Colorado County Livestock Committee, Texas Cooperative Extension and the following agri-businesses - Bernardo Farm & Ranch, Colorado County Farm Bureau, Colorado County Oil - Columbus, Colorado Feed - Columbus, Colorado Valley Bank - Weimar, Colorado Val-

ley Veterinary Services, PLLC - Mike Ridlen, DVM, Columbus Livestock, Inc., Columbus State Bank, Eagle Lake General Store - Division of Farmers Co-Op of El Campo, First National Bank - Eagle Lake, First State Bank - Columbus, Heffley's Mill & Grain

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Rugeley, DVM.

Thanks to these sponsors for making our hay show a success. And also thanks to Charlie Herchek and Roland Gassmann for preparing the delicious stew. And the Colorado County Fair for incorporating the hay show into the fair.

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# OF SELLERS - 319			
PACKER COWS			
Higher dressing utility & cutter cows			49-58
Lower dressing utility & cutter cows			35-49
Thin Cows			21-31
PACKER BULLS			
Heavyweight bulls			64-74
Utility cutter bulls			60-65
STEERS	#1	#2	
150-300 lbs	110-148		98-108
300-400 lbs	110-124		85-102
400-500 lbs	100-120		80-101
500-600 lbs	92-110		84-98
600-700 lbs	90-100		76-89
700-800 lbs	86-96		75-85
HEIFERS	#1	#2	
150-300 lbs	96-128		78-96
300-400 lbs	94-118		78-92
400-500 lbs	93-105		75-91
500-600 lbs	88-98		72-80
600-700 lbs	86-100		67-75
700-800 lbs	81-87		59-70
STOCKER COWS	Good Stocker Cow/		
Calf Pairs		900-1280	
Medium Cow/calf Pairs		650-900	
Common Cow/calf Pairs		600-750	
Good Stocker Cows & Heifers		775-1200	
Medium Stocker Cows & Heifers		550-775	

School Lunch Menu

Rice Schools Oct. 6 - Oct. 10

Breakfast

Mon.-Pancakes, Sausage patty or Cereal, Juice Milk
Tue.-Muffin, Sausage link or Cereal Juice Milk
Wed.-breakfast pizza or Cereal Juice Milk
Thu.-French Toast, Ham slice or Cereal Juice Milk
Fri.-Cereal Yogurt Juice Milk

Lunch

Mon.-Chicken nuggets, Rice Pilaf, Broccoli, Corn, Fresh Fruit Milk
HS Alt: Baked Ham
Tue.-Pepperoni pizza, veggie sticks, ranch dressing, corn, Fruit, Milk
HS Alt: breaded steak patty
Wed.-Chicken Burger, Burger salad, fries, pickles, Fresh Fruit, Milk
HS Alt: BBQ Bun
Thu.-Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Carrots, Roll Fruit, Milk
HS Alt: Sausage Link
Fri.-Corndog, Mac & Cheese, Baked Beans, Mixed veggies Fresh Fruit, Milk
HS Alt: Fish nuggets

School Days

Rice School Calendar Oct. 6 - Oct. 10

Mon.-Jr. High Volleyball @ Schulenburg
FFA Meeting-6:30-Commons
Begin 2nd Six Weeks

Tue.-Trooper Gary Program: Good Citizenship
Volleyball @ Hempstead-5:00
STUCO-Activity Period
Trooper Gary K-8th

Wed.-Balfour-Order Rings-Lunch-Activity Periods
FCA Meeting-Activity Period

Thu.-

Fri.- Report Cards Go Home With Students
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