

**EL NAILS**  
979-234-2800  
MONDAY - SATURDAY 10:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.  
SPA PEDICURE & MANICURE - NAIL TIPS  
NAILS & TOE - FANTASTIC HAND DESIGN  
NAILS TIPS CUSTOM DESIGN  
LADIES & GENTLEMEN INGROWN TOE NAIL REMOVAL  
FACIAL-BODY MASSAGE - ART WAXING - EYELASH EXTENSION  
GIFT CERTIFICATE AVAILABLE  
ANY TIME CONTACT NUMBER 832-479-9888

**Eagle Lake Funeral Home**  
Monuments - Pre-Arranged Burial Plans  
Family Owned  
Barry D. Shepard, Funeral Director • Frank Navarro  
607 N. Mc Carly Ave., Eagle Lake, Texas  
979-234-2011  
Serving Families with Compassion and Dignity

**Pharmacy & Your Health**  
**EAGLE LAKE DRUGSTORE**  
Steve K. Balas, RPH  
702 South McCarty • Eagle Lake • 234-2502  
•Patient Counseling • We Accept Master Card, VISA, Discover & American Express  
•Insurance Plans: Blue Cross, NPA, PCS, Pro-Serve, Sanus, PAID, Texas Medicaid  
24 Hour Emergency Phone: 234-3834

**Viral Encephalitis Treatment**  
Encephalitis is an inflammation of the brain. It can be caused by a virus. Mosquitoes are a known transmitter of certain viruses. In the United States, mosquitoes can transmit viruses associated with *eastern* and *western equine encephalitis*, *St. Louis encephalitis*, *La Crosse encephalitis*, and *West Nile encephalitis*. Signs and symptoms of these conditions may be mild, including headache or irritability. However, severe cases may result in by a stiff neck, seizures, or confusion. The geographic location and season of the year also may affect the level of risk. Certain herpes viruses can also lead to encephalitis, including *herpes simplex virus*, *varicella-zoster virus*, and *Epstein-Barr virus*.  
The risk of encephalitis from mosquitoes can be reduced by wearing protective clothing while outdoors when mosquito activity is increased, as well as the use of mosquito repellent containing DEET. Acetaminophen (*Tylenol*) may help alleviate headache and fever. Anti-inflammatory medications can also decrease symptoms. When the condition is caused by herpes simplex virus or varicella-zoster virus, an antiviral medication such as acyclovir (*Zovirax*) or ganciclovir (*Cytovene*) may be prescribed. However, antiviral medications are likely not useful for treating encephalitis caused by other types of viruses.

Yes, the sunglasses are prescription also.  
Come check out our new line of OAKLEY frames!  
Comprehensive Eye Care...Fashionable Eye Wear  
**June Specials**  
ROUTINE EYE EXAMS  
• Children & Students ..... \$ 60  
• Adults (established) ..... \$115  
• Adults (new) ..... \$145  
FRAMES & LENSES  
• Children & Students...Get 50% OFF all eyeglasses.  
• Adults...Buy one pair of prescription eyeglasses at regular price; get the second pair 50% OFF.  
(Restrictions Apply. Offer Ends June 30, 2009. Specials not valid with medical diagnosis, other discounts, sale items, and most insurance plans.)  
**COLUMBUS EYE ASSOCIATES**  
Todd Hovis, MD      Arun G. Nayar, MD  
Lori J. Learned, MD      Hanh M. Nguyen, MD  
www.ColumbusEye.org  
COLUMBUS 979-732-5771      KATY 281-829-3937      LA GRANGE 979-968-3953      SEALY 979-885-0665

**Birdie's Flowers & Gifts**  
Weddings • Funerals • Quinceneras  
234-3063 • 713-894-1868  
519 Norris Street  
**FIRST National BANK**  
Member F.D.I.C. • Bank of Friendly Service • Eagle Lake  
**Headlight Want Ads Work Wonders!**  
**Eagle Lake Headlight Your Ad Here!**

**Obituary Art On Display At Library**

A funeral Mass for Roman Sykowski, 85, of Rosenberg, was held at 10 a.m., Tuesday, May 26, at Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Rosenberg with Fr. William Bartniski officiating.

Interment followed at West Gethsemane Cemetery in Rosenberg. Visitation was held from 5 until 9 p.m., with a vigil/rosary service being held at 6:30 p.m., on Monday, May 25, at Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Chapel in Rosenberg.

Roman was born January 1, 1924 in Chappell Hill, Texas to Frank and Agnes (Tomczak) Sykowski. Roman was a faithful parishioner of Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Rosenberg. He was also a member of the K.J.T. and was a 4th Degree Knight of Columbus member.

He honorably served our country in the U.S. Army during World War II and was a member of the V.F.W. Post #3903 in Rosenberg. He enjoyed socializing with friends and family.

He went to be with the Lord on Saturday, May 23, in Richmond.

Roman is preceded in death by his wife of 58 years, Lillian Louise (Valenta) Sykowski; parents, Frank and Agnes Sykowski; brother, Florian Sykowski and sister, Louise Brzymialkiewicz.

He is survived by daughter, Dorothy Maresh and husband, John, of Granger; sons, Raymond Sykowski and wife, Suzanne, of Eagle Lake, Michael Sykowski and wife, Pilar, of Houston, Mark Sykowski and wife, Norma, of Needville; granddaughters, Michele Blanchette of Alexandria, VA, Sarah Permenter and husband, Lance, of Kingwood, Selena, Heather and Audrey Sykowski of Houston, Cambrey and Skylar Sykowski of Abidville; great-grandchildren, Needville and Seth Permenter; brothers, Vincent Sykowski of Damon, Stanley Sykowski and wife, Florence of Rosenberg; sisters, Monica Reznicek and husband, Emil of Sealy, Bernice Vrabel and husband, Tim of Bartlett; along with numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, other family and many friends.

Pallbearers included Steve Bilicek, Albert Brzymialkiewicz, Joseph Kubecka, Emil Reznicek, Andrew Sykowski, Patrick Valenta, Tim Valenta, Tim Vrabel.

Honorary Pallbearers were Jerome Kulcak, Norbert Krejci, Victor Mazurkiewicz, Florian Piasecki, Adam Rychlik, Richard Vacek, along with all of Romans' granddaughters and great-grandchildren.

For those wishing, memorial donations may be made to the Holy Rosary Catholic Church Education/Library Fund, 1408 James Street, Rosenberg, Texas 77471.

Tributes and words of condolence may be left for the Sykowski Family at www.davisgreenlawnfh.com. Funeral arrangements were under the direction of Davis-Greenlawn Funeral Home in Rosenberg.

Sympathy is extended to the family in their loss.

The Eula and Wintermann library has a wonderful art exhibit on display. Come see for yourself.

Beautiful works of art, completed by young hometown artists. Your will see works of art by; Reagan Dopslauf, Cameron Marsalia, Lydia Garbee, Emma Kelly, Kathryn Myers, Genny and Ariel Quenneville, and Cameron Muzny.

Some have earned first and best of show in art contests around this area. One student, Cameron Muzny, won top 40 out of 5000 entries for the state of Texas.

They have so much talent and



have created beautiful art. These are students of Lois Raabe's Little Red Art Studio. Come by. Look See what our kids can do.



Pictured is just some of the artwork on display at the Wintermann Library.

**WCJC Hosting Dental Seminar**

Wharton County Junior College (WCJC) will host a Gulf Coast Dental Seminar on June 5 at the M.G. & Lillie A. Johnson Health Occupations Center.

This seminar will be held from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. and will offer up to 7 CEU hours for dentists and dental hygienists.

The morning session "Baby Boomers & Beyond" will focus on the changes that occur as the population ages, including new research findings on aging and dental/oral conditions pertinent to senior citizens including diabetes, heart disease, poly pharmacy,

osteoporosis, dementia, implants, senior friendly practices, product review and more.

The afternoon session, "Is It Hot in Here or Is It Me? Making Sense of Patients' Medical Mysteries" will focus on symptoms that afflicted many dental patients.

Topics for the afternoon session include examining oral health concerns of women during all phases of perimenopause and menopause, treatment options, symptom relief, manifestations, alternative choices, and new clinical applications.

Lunch will be provided for par-

ticipants of both sessions, and refreshments and door prize drawings will be available throughout the day.

Registrations must be made at least one business day before the seminar begins. Prices vary depending on the sessions attended and a discount is available for American Dental Hygienists' Association (ADHA) members.

For more information or to register, please contact the Wharton County Junior College Continuing Education Department at 979-532-6324 or 800-561-9252 ext. 6324, or email jessicad@wcjc.edu.

**Elementary Students Donate Change**

Students at Eagle Lake Elementary School (ELES) are saving lives with the power of the penny.

Students at ELES collected Pennies for patients to benefit the Leukemia and Lymphoma society during the month of March.

After three weeks of students bringing their spare change to school, the total was \$1,437.95!

The top fundraising class was Ms. Kallina's class. They donated \$224.26 and won a pizza party. "I am so proud of our students," said students learned that they can make a difference—every penny counts. They did a great job of giving selflessly to help children and others battling blood cancer.

"These students serve as an

example to all of us through their commitment to helping others," said Hope Morrison, campaign director for the Texas Gulf Coast Chapter. "Their efforts will help local patients and their families along with funding blood cancer research at Texas Children Hospital."

Leukemia causes more deaths than any other cancer among children and young adults.

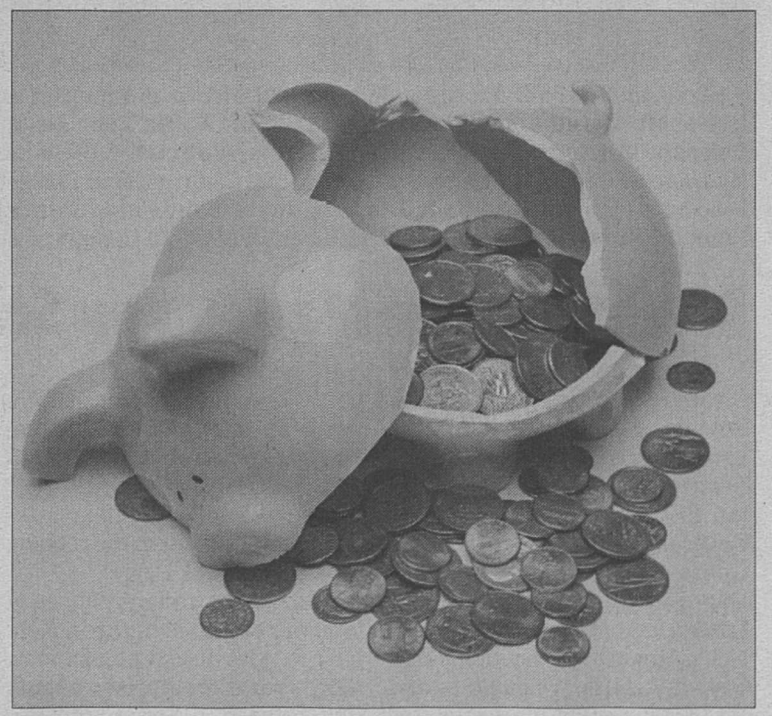
An estimated 894,543 Amer-

icans are living with a blood cancer, and every five minutes, someone new is diagnosed.

Since 2000, \$2.3 million has been raised locally by thousands of elementary, middle and high school students.

For information regarding local programs and services of the Texas Gulf Coast Chapter of the Leukemia and Lymphoma Society, call 713-680-8088 or visit www.lls.org.

**Simple Simon's PIZZA**  
**May's Special**  
A Large one topping pizza with a medium Six Meat Deluxe for \$19.99 a \$3.99 savings.  
222 E. Main  
Eagle Lake  
979-234-6680



**Attend the Church of Your Choice... Bible Verse of The Week**

- EQUIPPERS OUTREACH FELLOWSHIP INTERNATIONAL: 200 N. College, Weimar, Texas 78962; 979-725-8233; Pastor Jerry Adkins.
- GREATER RISING STAR BAPTIST CHURCH: 580 Old Altair Road, Eagle Lake; Rev. Truman Scott Sr., Pastor; 234-2423 or 758-3745.
- GREATER UNION BAPTIST CHURCH: Matthews Community, Co. Rd. 141; Rev. Lawrence C. Robertson, Pastor; 234-2581.
- MT. CARMEL MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH: Hwy. 90-A (Pecan Valley), Eagle Lake; Rev. H.O. Williams, Pastor; 234-5813.
- LIVING HOPE CHURCH: Eagle Lake; Revs. Joe and Mercy Fling; 234-5536.
- BEREA CLADIC: 623 Maple Avenue, Eagle Lake; 234-2130.
- ROCK ISLAND FULL GOSPEL: P.O. Box 232, Rock Island; 234-5840.
- CHRISTIAN CITY FELLOWSHIP: 1140 Meyer, Sealy; Rusty Griffin, Pastor.
- THE DAY OF PENTECOST APOSTOLISTIC REVIVAL RISING STAR: FM 102 South, Matthews; 4 p.m. (at Mt. Zion), Rev. R.L. Carter Sr.
- GREATER NEW FAITH CHURCH: 6406 Guyler, Wallis; Rev. Clay Spears, Pastor; 979-478-2169.
- EAST BERNARD FIRST BAPTIST
- FIRST BAPTIST: 527 N. Lake, Eagle Lake; Rev. Kevin Collision, Pastor; 234-2571.
- FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST: 405 S. Lake, Eagle Lake; 234-5795.
- IGLESIA BAUTISTA GETSEMANI: 901 B Street, Eagle Lake; Rev. Mario Vasquez.
- GREATER MT. OLIVE BAPTIST: Rev. Dave Curry; 709 N. Lake, Eagle Lake; 234-3545.
- WRIGHT GROVE BAPTIST: Rev. T.J. Cunningham Jr.; Altair.
- PROVIDENCE BAPTIST: 1207 Seabloom, Eagle Lake; Rev. Coby Shorter Jr.; 234-3735.
- CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH: 306 E. Stockbridge, Eagle Lake; 234-3437.
- ROCK ISLAND BAPTIST: Bob Allison, Pastor.
- SHERIDAN FIRST BAPTIST: FM 2437, 234-3136.
- WHITE CLOUD BAPTIST CHURCH: 202 Old Altair Road, Eagle Lake; Rev. Obie Rhodes, Pastor; 234-3800.
- JESUS IS MY REFUGE: 115 N. McCarty, Eagle Lake; Rev. Diana Aguilera.

- CHURCH OF CHRIST: Sheridan.
- NEW LIFE FELLOWSHIP: Hwy. 90A, (Español); Del Sanford, Pastor; 234-3276.
- CHRIST OUR REDEEMER-Charismatic: Jerry C. McKinney, Pastor; 979-478-7534 or 478-6512.
- HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH: East Bernard.
- CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE NATIVITY: Our Lady of Perpetual Help Sanctuary; 308 N. Stevenson, Eagle Lake; 8 a.m. (Español), 10 a.m. (English) 6 p.m. Saturday (English); Rev. Robert F. Guerra, P.O. Box 307; 234-2842.
- ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH: Box 97, Nada; Fr. Joe Vrana; 758-3218.
- GRACE LUTHERAN: 408 N. Stevenson, Eagle Lake; Services begin at 11 a.m.; Rev. Bill Mosley, Pastor; 234-3381.
- LEHRER MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST: Garwood; 9 a.m. worship.
- LISSIE UNITED METHODIST: Rev. Janice Kerlee, Pastor; 234-2112, Lissie.
- ROCK ISLAND METHODIST: Ken Sellar Jr. Lay-Pastor.
- UNITED METHODIST: 200 W. Prairie; Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship, 10:45 a.m.
- FIRST PRESBYTERIAN: 106 E. State Street, Eagle Lake; 234-3368.
- VINE OF THE LORD: 1300 E. State Street, Eagle Lake; Rev. Paul Aguilar, Pastor; 234-7543.
- CROSSROAD ASSEMBLY OF GOD: 510 Wallace, East Bernard; Pastor George Kutach; 979-335-7706.
- THE CHURCH OF CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS: 600 W. St., Sealy; Marshall Crosby, Branch Pres.
- CHURCH OF CHRIST: 815 Milam, Columbus; Lynn Wilson, Minister.
- THE SHEPHERD'S WAY: Interdenomination Christian Fellowship; 1225 Eagle Lake Road, Sealy; Frank Lucas, Pastor; 979-885-1225.
- SOUTH POINT BAPTIST CHURCH: 6407 Hwy 71-S, Garwood; 979-758-3039.
- ASSEMBLEA DE DIOS HOSANNA: 403 East Main, Eagle Lake; 979-732-1966; Pastor Romero Rodriguez Jr.
- BIBLE TRUTH APOSTOLISTIC CHURCH: Corner of S. Wharton & E. First St., El Campo; Pastor Larry T. Smith, 979-543-2331 -non-denominational.

**Bible Verse of The Week**  
"This is what the Lord says: "Restrain your voice from weeping and your eyes from tears, for your work will be rewarded," declares the Lord. "They will return from the land of the enemy."  
Jeremiah 31:16  
Submitted by Donna Samora

**ALL AROUND COWBOY CHURCH**  
2551 Hwy. 36 North • Sealy  
Everyone is WELCOME  
A come as you are Church.  
Sunday 10 a.m.; Bible Study, 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 7 p.m.  
Pastor: Sonny Rice  
979-885-2799