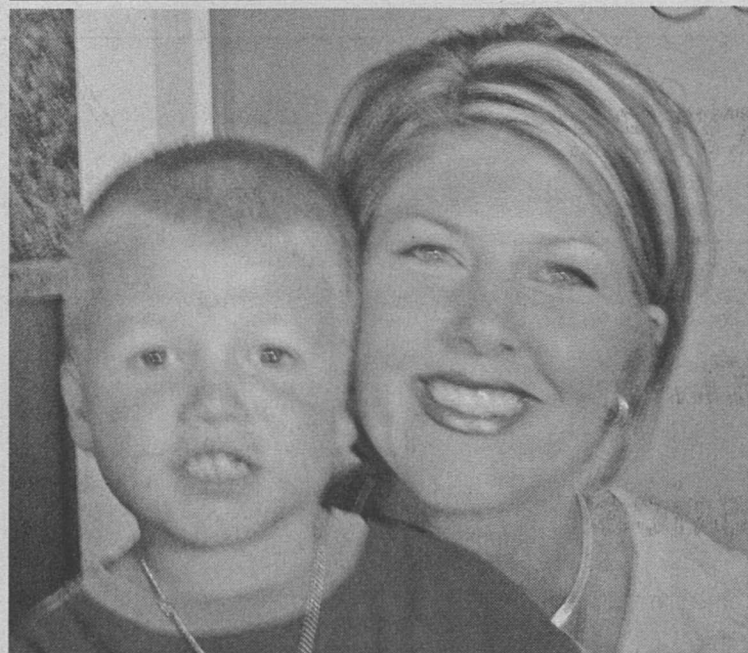




Allison White, a pre-k teacher here, will be running in a half marathon to help fund muscular dystrophy research in honor of her nephew Barrett.

Teacher To Run In Half Marathon

Hello! My name is Alison White. Many of you know me as Mrs. White who teaches Pre-K. The picture you see here is of me and my nephew Barrett. He is four years old and last year was diagnosed with Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy.

This is a terminal illness. For those of you not familiar with MD, Barrett has a muscular disorder from birth. He cannot run, jump or balance.

He will probably be in a wheel chair somewhere between 8 and 12 years old and his life expectancy is about age 20. It is for this reason that I am running. I am running in a 1/2 marathon

because he can't. It is called "Run for our Sons."

It is sponsored by Parent Project and is specifically for his type of MD. The marathon is in January and I am raising money for MD research. I am asking you to help me give him a chance.

Help me fund the research that could find a cure before it is too late. Every penny helps. You can make your check payable to Parent Project MD and I will forward them to the proper office.

Or you can go online to www.parentprojectmd.org/goto/alisonwhite and donate that way. God Bless you and thank you for your support!

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. 10-05-09	88/72	0.06
Tue. 10-06-09	91/76	0.00
Wed. 10-07-09	91/77	0.00
Thu. 10-08-09	90/80	0.00
Fri. 10-09-09	81/54	1.74
Sat. 10-10-09	62/55	0.04
Sun. 10-11-09	64/59	0.06

NEWSBRIEFS

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RCISD Offering literacy program

Rice CISD Parent Literacy Program will hold classes on Monday nights beginning October 19, from 6-8: p.m. at the Eagle Lake Elementary School. Classes are designed to help Rice CISD parents, grandparents, or guardians acquire the skills to communicate with children about school work; prepare children for the TAKS test, and learn academic language for parent/teacher conferences. Participants will engage in language and literacy activities to enhance social and educational aspirations. English Language Learners and Fluent English Speakers are encouraged to attend. For more detailed information call the Rice CISD office at 979-234-3535 leave your name, phone number, and a message stating your interest in attending Parent Literacy classes. Dr. Vilma Vavrusa will be the instructor.

CDA Banquet, auction Oct. 24

The 20th Century District Association (CDA) Scholarship Banquet and Auction will be held Saturday, Oct. 24 at 7 p.m. at the Eagle Lake Community Center, 100 N. Walnut St. in Eagle Lake.

Class of '69 to hold reunion

The Eagle Lake High School Class will hold their 40th reunion on Saturday, Oct. 24. For details or more information email Gardner Seaholm at drgas.earthlink.com or Robert Locklier at robertlocklier@yahoo.com.

Annual Make a Difference Day is Oct. 24

Citizens of the Garwood/Nada area who are eighty (80) and over are invited to the annual Make A Difference Day social and luncheon on October 24th at 11 a.m. at the Lehrer Memorial United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. This event is sponsored by the Nada/Garwood Gadabouts to recognize the area citizens who have contributed so much to the communities.

Habitat Get-Together

On October 27, Colorado County Habitat For Humanity will sponsor a Get-to-Know-Habitat Ice Cream Social at 7 p.m. at the Eula and David Wintermann Library in Eagle Lake, 101 N. Walnut. The purpose of the gathering is to share the history of Habitat and the local affiliate, to outline the Affiliate's plan for future houses, and to explain the behind-the-scene activities that support the house construction. Individuals interesting in the mission of Habitat are invited to join us for an hour of information and ice cream. For additional information, call 979-732-5677.

Chamber to hold Haunted House

The Eagle Lake Chamber of Commerce invites you to the "Chambers House of Terror!!!" Enter if you dare! Doors creek open on Saturday, Oct. 31 from 6 to 10 p.m. Admission is \$1.00 per person. Halloween costume and screaming contest starts at 4 p.m. There will also be a pumpkin contest (carved/decorated). Pumpkins are due by Oct. 29 at 8 p.m. For more information call 979-234-2780 or visit www.visiteaglelake.com for more detailed information.

Ceremony to honor vets is Oct. 31

John A. Wharton, 8th Texas Cavalry camp of Soniso f Confederate Veterans will hold a ceremony for Confederate Veterans buried at Lakeside Cemetery on Saturday, Oct. 31 at 1 p.m. The event is open to the public. If anyone has an ancestor buried there, who served in the Confederate Army or Navy, we would love to hear from you. Call 979-578-3531.

Senior Citizen's Dance is Nov. 6

A senior citizen's dance will be held Friday, Nov. 6 from 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. at the Eagle Lake Community Center. The Fabulous 4 will provide the musical entertainment. For more information call 979-234-2903.

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congratulates these Rice CISD students for their hard work and dedication to academic achievement in making the honor roll for

The First Six-Weeks Grading Period

Garwood School

FIRST GRADE
Steven Bustamante
Jacquelyn Ceballos
Brooke Center
Devin Chapman
Annabelle Engstrom
Julianne Howard
Jalayana Johnson
Samuel Peacock
Leroy Staynoha III
Christian Tovar
Trent Villarreal

SECOND GRADE
Sabrina Hernandez
Leyva Rangel
Celebrity Tolliver

THIRD GRADE
Carter Cook
Carlee Dopslauf
Macee Krpec
Armandina Rodriguez
Briana Rodriguez
Shaelyn Schendel
Colby Wigginton
Garrison Zeinert

FOURTH GRADE
Natalie Drik
Mylik Edwards
Savanna Elizabeth
Sophie Kelley
Jasmine Smith
Amelia Stavinoha

FIFTH GRADE
Reagan Dopslauf
Braden Faas
Edward Glaze
Riley Gott

Jody Kucera
Caden Wiese

SIXTH GRADE
Ernest Fields III
Sarahi Juarez
Emma Kelley
Haley LeMaire
Colton Leopold
Cameron Marsalia
Debra Odom
Yamiled Rodriguez
Molly Smidovec
Jessye Trefny

Sheridan School

FIRST GRADE
Perla Avila
Lacey Burnett
Angelina Herrera
Isabella Kalisek
Clayton Nunnelly
Emily Villalpando

SECOND GRADE
Case Anselmo
Jack Armstrong
Kendall Layton-Hilt
Devyn Shorter
Jazmyn Shorter
Morgan Willbern

THIRD GRADE
Natalia Ellis
Brynn Munoz
Preston Orsak

FOURTH GRADE
Michael Kalisek
Emily Kelly
Kaitlyn Willbern

Eagle Lake Primary School

FIRST GRADE
Deven Aguilar
Rayel Aiken
Hailey Arriaga
Arianna Austin
Erick Barboza
Zachary Cardenas
Summer Castro
Timothy Crume
Lillonna Curry
Jesus Diaz-Marquez
Kajimin Dulany
Ja'Shon Edwards
Rubie Enriquez
Everardo Esquivel
Samantha Ferguson
Janyla Fields
Diamond Flores
Ahlura Foster
Noemi Gasca
Jessica Gracia
Aleaja Grounds
Juan Guerrero
Kyana Hailey
Olivia Herrera
Tayvion Johnson
Te Ivyon Johnson
Micah Jones
Aleena Kuykendall
Lorenzo Llanos
Antonio Marquez
Clarissa Mendoza
Jade Meza

Isabella Miller
Jaycee Morales
Elizabeth Ortiz
Mckinzei Otradosky
Aundre Palmer
Aylin Reyes
Alexia Rico
Jacob Robles
Landon Rodriguez
Luis Samaniego-Leyva
Julio Samaniego-Lozano
Pablo Samaniego-Luna
Teresa Samaniego
Collin Sandlin
Monica Scott
Olivia Shorter
Tre' Vion Stovall
Michael Toriz
Devin Torres
David Wiese
Daniel Zepeda

SECOND GRADE
Carlos Arriaga
Joshua Austin
Quarvante Butler
Drayton Canaris
Jamey Cardenas
Brielle Freeman
Cole George
Meagan Gonzales
Christopher Hein
Bre' Aunti Hemphill

Farrah Hemphill
Araceli Hernandez
Joel Hernandez
Joshua Kelley
Celestial Losoya
William Lujan
Julissa Marquez-Rodriguez
Evelyn Martinez
Noah Mendoza
Tristan Munoz
Aranelly Negrete
Randice Nelson
Perla Orozco
Jacob Ramirez
Eduardo Reynoso
Joseph Rios
Anndru Santiago
Carlos Sosa
Jakob Supak
Madison Vasquez
Dominique Zapalac
Ramon Zarate

THIRD GRADE
Allazae Alameda
Aaliyah Almanza
Juan Barboza
Rodrigo Becerra
Er' Deffric Bluntson
Joseph Castillo
Camilia Cavazos
Ezekiel Davila

Jada Danley
Ethan Dulany
Adriana Espinosa
Jazmine Esquivel
Julia Fields
Nazja Fields
Roydrea Fields
Adrian Flores
Hector Flores
Sabrina Garcia
Darren Gentry
Dagon Gonzales
Claudio Gonzalez
Larry Henderson
Shaundrea Hurd
Kierra Johnson
David Llanos
Violeta Lopez
Angelica Martinez
Anna Miller
Hugo Muro
Elizabeth Palomares
Clarissa Posada
Nicholas Reyes
Nayeli Rodriguez
Eulises Samaniego
Maria Samaniego-Leyva
Jayden Shorter
Devin Sims
Bryan Stovall
Janelly Vega
Jerick Wright

Eagle Lake Intermediate School

FOURTH GRADE
Daniel Belmares
Jose De La Garza
Eleno Garcia
Rolondrea Hemphill
Tegan Johnson
De' Vantrey
Kuykendall
Larissa Manciaz
Destinee Reyes
Alyssa Romero
Johnny Samaniego-Lozano
Madeline Sims

FIFTH GRADE
Jadelynn Almanza
Shorter
Caitlin Ambeau
Melissa Becerra
Maritza Zapata
Shayla Butler
Jayla Cantu
Miranda Castillo
Lucio Davila
Aarion Denley
Javier Esquivel
Collin George
Yazmine Gonzales
Chelsea Llanos
Jaycelin Noska

Ariel Quenneville
Joselyn Roman
Joe Romero
Jaime Samaniego
Kieran Schmidt
Marissa Serna
Mickayla Sosa
Charla Spears
Joshua Torres
Ryan Trahan

SIXTH GRADE
Bruno Castillo
Adrian Contreras
Heather Dela Garza

Christopher Dishongh
Isabell Ferrel
Mariah Fuentes
Zachary Gasca
Joanna Guerrero
Meakyla Hodges
Laquis Johnson
Christopher Lopez
Cameron Munzy
Maricruz Palomares
Jesse Pina
Genevieve
Quenneville
Oliver Shorter
Anna Thiele
Dalia Zapata

Rice Junior High

SEVENTH GRADE
Miranda Alvarado
Glen Bozant
Jonathan Castaneda
Emily Garza
Jacob Gonzales
Mary Beth Huvar
Lucero Marquez
Jacob Miller
Celeste Morales
Victoria Serna
Candace Stovall

EIGHTH GRADE
Tallon Canaris
Jer' Corey Cavit
Oleatha Coleman
Ruby Flores
Yesnely Flores
Jordan Garner
Melissa Hassin
Edward Huerta
Kelsey Janow
Nikia Johnson
Abraham Juarez
Mackenzie Krpec

Shayla Kuykendall
Brandon LeBlanc
Kayla Machart
Angel Mason
Tyler Mathews
Erin McConnell
Victoria Mendez
Christena Mittel
Sasha Molina
Brittany Moore
David Owen
Lori Peterson
Jordan Prichard
Ashley Rodriguez

Juanita Ruiz
Luz Saenz
Maira Samaniego
Everett Shimek
Kimberly Sommer
Marilyn Tapia
Laura Taylor
Kateliny Tesch
Mallory Thomas
Taylor Thomas
Savannah Vasquez
Veronica Vega
Mackenzie Wiese
Dalia Zapata

Rice High School

FRESHMEN
Kelsey Andrejczak
Carlos Arias
Luz Becerra
Ashley Beck
Ruth Belman
Jeslyn Cantu
Danielle Dopslauf
Christopher Duarte
Briana Faas
Natasha Frazier
Mikayla Gabler
James Garner
Maribel Gomez
Johanna Herrera
Amy Lynn Huggins
Trevor Jones
Hugo Morales
Katie Pagel
Aubrey Pavlu
Kestlie Perez
Rubicelia Robles
Kelvin Roy
Jason Samaniego
Matthew Trahan
Cullen Wiese

Brooke Rodriguez
Yadira Rodriguez
Gustavo Ruiz
Mitsi Samaniego
Mark Sosa
Tyler Stephens
Tina Till
Sandra Vega
Destinea Williams

JUNIORS
Patrick Dota
Myles Dumont
Kaytlyn Ford
Lance Howard
Natalie Klipple
Cody Lantelme
Kayla Llanes
Erica McConnell
Magdalena Mendoza
Michelle Mendoza
Ryan Moore
Brooke Popp
Cynthia Quinney
Kirstin Roper
Michelle Smidovec
Lindsey Sommer
Spencer Spencer

Elijah Stevens
Machelsea Thomas
Michael Waligura

SENIORS
Brittani Bartlett
Thomas Benton
Chad Bittner
Shaina Bowen
Falin Braden
Blanca Carrizales
Johnny Castaneda
Nancy Castillo
Rebecca Dota
Nicole Drik
Kevin Ellis
Alyssa Garcia
Stefani Gertson
Kaydi Gold
Matthew Hoffman
Mario Hull
La'Nia Jackson
Kaley Jones
Brian Kallina
Kayli Kallina
Rachel Korenek
Jesus Leal
Kristyna Lobpries

Jordan Mahalitc
Kari Beth Mahalitc
Casey Mayfield
Irving Molina
Rachael Moore
Tim Morales
Cody Munoz
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Joe Quintana
Richard Quintana
Jennifer Ramirez
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Stormie Reynolds
Laura Robles
Carlos Rodriguez
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