



Outstanding Older Texans Jo Ann Weishuhn and Paul Phillips.

Older Texan Fair Held May 14 In Sheridan

The 32nd annual Older Texan Fair was held Friday, May 14, 2010 at the Sheridan Community Center.

The nominees for the Outstanding Older Texan Award were Irene Hagendorf of Sheridan, Doris Neuendorff of Columbus, Paul Phillips and Pauline Solomon of Garwood, Jo Ann Weishuhn of Frelsburg and Aline Wood of Weimar. The 2010 Colorado County Outstanding Older Texan Award was presented to Jo Ann Weishuhn and Paul Phillips.

Older Texans in Colorado County also had the opportunity to enter items in a cultural arts contest and to visit booths set up in the hall.

Miriam Moerbe, Wesley Nurse had an informational booth, Columbus Community Hospital offered blood pressure checks, Nada Garwood Gadabouts and the Wharton County Junior College Senior Citizens program had silent auctions, Sheridan Go-Getters and the Nada Christian Mothers had country store items.

Melba Castillo offered plants for sale, Margaret Besch and Margaret and George Edge had craft items and RSVP and Experience Works offered information on volunteerism, etc. The program began at 10:30 a.m. Janis Pfeffer, County Extension Agent – FCS, welcomed the group and recognized the Older Texan Task Force for planning and organizing the Older Texan Fair.

James Weishuhn and Catherine Nealy gave a short presentation on each of the Older Texan Award nominees and Kara Matheney presented nominees Jo Ann Weishuhn and Paul Phillips with the Outstanding Older Texan plaque. After the awards presentation a meal was served. Door prizes were awarded. Janis Pfeffer and

Kara Matheney gave the closing remarks.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Cooperative Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.



Older Texan Nominees

From left: Irene Hagendorf, Pauline Solomon, Jo Ann Weishuhn, Paul Phillips and Aline Wood. Not pictured is Doris Neuendorff.



Older Texan Fair Exhibit Winners

Front, from left: Margaret Kasse, Madeline Hatterman, Ruby Prasatik, Clara Gold, Bobbie Haines. Back, from left: Olga Lundquist, Helen Noteboom, Kathy Ricks, Catherine Berger, Bridget Popp, Anita Meismer.

Lloyd Spittler opened the program with a prayer and Anita Meismer, MC, led the pledge to the United States flag. Meismer introduced the speaker, Carolyn Malik who presented her Minnie Pearl impersonation. Following the speaker, the Cultural Arts exhibit winners were announced and the Older Texan Awards were presented.

Exhibit winners were recognized as follows: Afghans, Tablecloths and Bedspreads, Olga Lundquist, Rock Island, Grand Champion and Kathy Ricks, Sheridan, Reserve Champion; Baked Goods – Helen Noteboom, Garwood, Grand Champion and Monster Cookies, Nada, Reserve Champion; Canned Goods – Anita Meismer, Nada, Grand Champion and Clara Gold, Nada Reserve Champion;

Crafts – Margaret Kasse, Weimar, Grand Champion and Ruby Prasatik, Sheridan, Reserve Champion; Floriculture – Catherine Berger, Garwood, Grand Champion; Fresh Garden Products – John Lee Korenek, Nada, Grand Champion and Anita Meismer, Nada Reserve Champion; Handstitchery – Joyce Zbranek, Garwood, Grand; Paintings/Drawings – Bobbie Haines, Sheridan, Grand Champion; Photography – Anita Meismer, Nada, Grand and Reserve Champion; and Quilts – Madeline Hatterman, Weimar, Grand Champion, and Virginia Pavlovsky, Nada, Reserve Champion.

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Correction

Apologies to all who tried the pie recipe submitted two weeks ago in the "Views Around the Lake" column.

After column on my mother-in-law's recipe, I had a few phone calls from perplexed pie bakers who said their batters were awfully thick.

Again, with apologies, please find corrected recipe below:
GRANDMA ELLIE'S DEWBERRY CUSTARD PIE

- 1 - cup sugar
- 2 - Tablespoons flour
- 2 - whole eggs, slightly beaten

- 2 - cups berries
- 1/2 cup evaporated milk

Mix together, pour into unbaked pie shell that has been dusted lightly with flour, and bake 350 degrees for 45 min or until crust is brown.

15 min prior to completion, sprinkle crumble on pie: 1 T butter, 1 T sugar and 1/4 cup flour.

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