



**LEON RICHARD** of Creole, who will be 100 years old on Feb. 10, will be honored at a small reception given by his family and friends at his home on Sunday, Feb. 10.

## Mardi Gras ball set at Grand Lake

The Krewe de Deux Lac of Grand Lake/Sweet Lake will hold their 13th annual Mardi Gras Ball at 7 p.m., Sat., Mar. 1 at the Fireman's Center in Grand Lake.

Following the court presentation there will be a costume contest with several categories which everyone is invited to participate.

Mistress of Ceremonies Gail Hebert will open the festivities with the presentation of the flag bearers, carrying the America Flag will be Shirley Chesson and Yvonne Mhire. The Krewe Flag will be presented by Lori and Jerry Jones.

The 2002 King Jean LaFitte XII Alfred Duhon and Queen Christina XII Donna Verzwylt, will then be introduced. The 2002 King and Queen will make their final walk before crowning the 2003 royalties.

The 2003 court and new King and Queen will be presented. First Duke Jason Stringer, First Duchess Kathleen Stringer; Second Duke Aldon Duhon, Second Duchess Mary Ann Dever; Third Duke C. S. Darbonne, Third Duchess Francis Davis.

After the court presentation the 2002 King and Queen will crown the 2003 King Jean LaFitte XIII Joey Overmeyer and Queen Christina XIII Billie Jean Fruge.

Following presentations there will be a ball, music by the Martin Vincent band. No one under the age of 21 will be admitted. Cover charge is \$10 at the door.

The Krewe will have their Mardi Gras Run on the 22nd of February, leaving the Fireman's station at 8:30 a.m. We ask that everyone keep the tradition of Mardi Gras alive, have a safe day, and Lesse Le Bon Temps Roule.

This year the Krewe de Deux Lac is having an open invitation to any who would like to join our Krewe, please contact a member or Shirley Chesson.

## INCIDENT WAS NOT AT MOTEL

The recent arrest by the Cameron Sheriff's Dept. of a Marksville man charged with attempted murder did not occur at the motel at Oak Grove as reported in the Pilot last week. Instead the incident was at a trailer park across the street from the motel.

The man and the woman he tried to run over were not staying at the motel but were at the trailer park across the street.

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## Cameron's 'big election' to be held on Oct. 4th

This will be the "big election year" in Cameron Parish with 15 local, parish, district and state elections on the Oct. 4, 2003 election ballot, according to Ruby Kelley, parish Registrar of Voters.

Locally seven police jurors will be elected, including a juror to serve the new district in the Big Lake area which was created under reapportionment.

The big parish race will be that for Sheriff since long time Sheriff James "Sono" Savoie is retiring. Several candidates have already announced and as many as seven or eight may run.

Elections of Clerk of Court, Assessor and Coroner also are

on the ballot.

District elections include those of State Senator and State Representative both of whom had district changes in reapportionment.

Senate District 25, presently represented by Jerry Theunissen of Jennings, will continue to include all of Cameron and Jeff Davis Parishes, but will be changed some what in South Calcasieu and Acadia Parishes. Senator Theunissen has announced he will seek re-election.

Cameron will be in a new House district. The parish is presently represented by Dan Flavin of Lake Charles in District 36.

The parish will now be included in District 47 along with Vermilion Parish, presently represented by Mickey Frith of Abbeville, who is seeking re-election. Rebecca Shirley of Abbeville also has announced for this position.

There will also be a vote on a member of the Board of Elementary and Secondary Education in District 7.

Statewide elections on the Oct. 4 ballot are Governor, Lt. Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, Treasurer, Commissioner of Agriculture and Commissioner of Insurance.

Qualifying period for all of these offices is Aug. 19-21.

## School Board to meet

The Cameron Parish School Board will hold its monthly meeting at 4 p.m., Monday, Feb. 3.

BETA Club students and sponsors will be recognized by the board.

Ruby Dupuie, 4th grade teacher at Cameron Elementary, will be recognized as a LACUE award recipient.

She and Cameron Elementary students will present an overview of the Geography Information System.

Mrs. Michelle Booth of South Cameron High School will give a report on the Connected University professional development opportunities for all employees.

The board will consider a report recommending that the board purchase two pole vaulting mats and covering systems

to meet new Louisiana High School Athletic Association requirements.

The board will consider changing the date of the April board meeting from the 21 to the 14th due to the Easter holidays.

They will consider allowing Peggy Benoit to attend the National Institute of Legal Conference in San Francisco may 4-7 at no expense to the board.

They will also consider allowing Willyne Kestel and Peggy Benoit and up to five special education teachers/therapists to attend the National Education Computing Conference in Seattle June 29-July 3 at no expense to the board.

The board will hold a finance committee meeting at 3 p.m. prior to the regular meeting.

## Jury to meet on Monday

The Cameron Parish Police Jury will hold its monthly meeting at 5 p.m., Monday, Feb. 3.

The jury will promulgate the results of four tax elections which were recently approved by parish voters.

A resolution on establishing an Enterprise Zone for CBH Service, Inc. at Holly Beach will be considered.

Juror Charles Precht will discuss proposed fencing for the new Grand Lake cemetery and for other police jury property at Grand Lake.

Bids will be open on ramps for the Grand Lake Branch Library, backhoes and the sale of a used fire truck.

## Financial aid to be told at meetings

Financial aid staff members from McNeese State University will visit area high schools in January and February to explain financial aid application procedures to college-bound students.

According to MSU Financial Aid Director Taina Savoie, high school seniors and their parents are encouraged to attend the workshops to learn more about eligibility, the application process and requirements, and the timeline to apply for financial aid for the 2003 fall semester.

The list of high schools MSU personnel will visit and the times and dates they will be on each high school campus are as follows:

Wednesday, Jan. 29-- Hackberry, 8 a.m.; Johnson Bayou, 10:20 a.m.

Monday, Feb. 17-- Grand Lake, 1 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 18-- South Cameron, 1 p.m.

For more information, call the MSU Office of Financial Aid at 475-5065 or 1-800-622-3352, ext. 5065.

## Little League registration set at G. Lake

Registration for the Grand Lake Little League will be held Saturday, Feb. 1, 8, and 15, at 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Children ages 5 to 15 who live within the Grand Lake Little League boundaries are eligible to enroll to play baseball. A copy of the boundaries will be available for view at registration. Registration is required even if the child played previously.

Registration will be held at the Grand Lake High School front lobby. At least one parent or legal guardian must be present with an original or state-certified copy of the child's birth certificate. Proof of residence may also be required to make sure the child resides within the GLLL boundaries. The documents will be inspected and returned at registration. cost is \$45 for 1 child and \$15 for each additional child.

Anyone interested in sponsoring a team or the Grand Lake Little League program can call 598-4748 for more information. For more information on Little League, visit the website at [www.littleleague.org](http://www.littleleague.org).

## Meetings set on coastal restoration

During February, the New Orleans District, U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, and the Louisiana Department of Natural Resources, will host a series of public meetings to present the status and solicit comments on a comprehensive coastwide ecosystem restoration study now underway.

Federal and state managers of the Louisiana Coastal Area, Louisiana--Comprehensive Coastwide Ecosystem Restoration Feasibility Study, commonly referred to as LCA, are developing alternative plans during this phase of the study. The purpose of LCA is to determine how to implement the state's Coast 2050 Plan. The coast 2050 Plan, completed in 1998, is a set of comprehensive strategies to restore coastal Louisiana.

Louisiana has lost more than 1,500 square miles of marsh since 1930 and continues to lose 20-35 square miles each year.

Four public meetings are scheduled as part of the LCA public involvement process. One will be held at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 12 at the Lake Charles Civic Center.

**Slavery was abolished on February 1, 1865**



**AN EXHIBIT OF photographs** entitled "Vanishing History" compiled by 40 fourth and fifth grade gifted students from 26 public and private schools within Calcasieu Parish will be on display Jan. 26-Feb. 28 at Frazar Memorial Library at McNeese State University. Kathie Istre, a teacher at Dolby Elementary School, implemented the innovative project with a \$2,500 grant to teach elementary students about historical sites within the community. Looking over the photographs of the Sabine Pass Lighthouse are, from left, Claudia Carrizalez, Dolby Elementary, Drew Ferguson, T.S. Cooley, and Melody Orsot, Dolby Elementary. (MSU PHOTO/Rodrick Anderson)

## Festival origin is told by Fontenot

**(EDITOR'S NOTE--The first Louisiana Fur and Wildlife Festival was held in Cameron in 1955. There has been confusion about exactly how the first festival came about. Hadley Fontenot, a long time Cameron Parish County Agent, was one of the original organizers of the festival and has written the following account to set the Festival history straight.)**

BY HADLEY A. FONTENOT

The late Congressman T. A. Thompson was not responsible for the formation of the Louisiana Fur and Wildlife Festival, as some believe. I credit the late State Representative Alvin Dyson as the one who first broached the idea.

In conversation with him one day he said that many parishes

in the state were getting grants of \$2,000 and more for hosting festivals such as the Rice, Dairy, Sweet Potato and others. He felt sure he could get a grant if Cameron would start one.

Immediate interest was manifested by the local Lions Club when this was brought up and soon afterward an organization was formed and incorporated. Committees were appointed and activities decided on which included a muskrat skinning contest.

Upon hearing of the Festival at Cameron and the selection of a champion muskrat skinner Congressman Thompson contacted me and said he was a good friend to the Congressman from Maryland who represented Cambridge where they had a National Outdoor Show and selected a National Muskrat Skinner.

Why didn't we send our champion to compete? We did just that by sending our first champion, a Leon Hebert, and that's how that exchange got started.

Festival expense the first year included paying the travel expense for a couple of high school bands, fur stoles, trophies and the Maryland trip. These expenses were covered by money from the state grant, program admissions, and a share of the carnival receipts. No local money was donated.

## Food to be distributed in parish

The Cameron Community Action Agency will distribute regular commodities as follows:

Cameron, Creole and Grand Chenier areas - January 30, 9 a.m. till noon and from 1 til 3 p.m., Cameron Council on Aging Office, Cameron.

Grand Lake/Sweet Lake areas, January 31, 9 a.m. til 1 p.m., Grand Lake multipurpose building, Grand Lake.

Hackberry area - January 30, 9 a.m. til noon, Hackberry Community Center, Hackberry.

Holly Beach area - January 29, 12:30 til 1 p.m., Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Holly Beach.

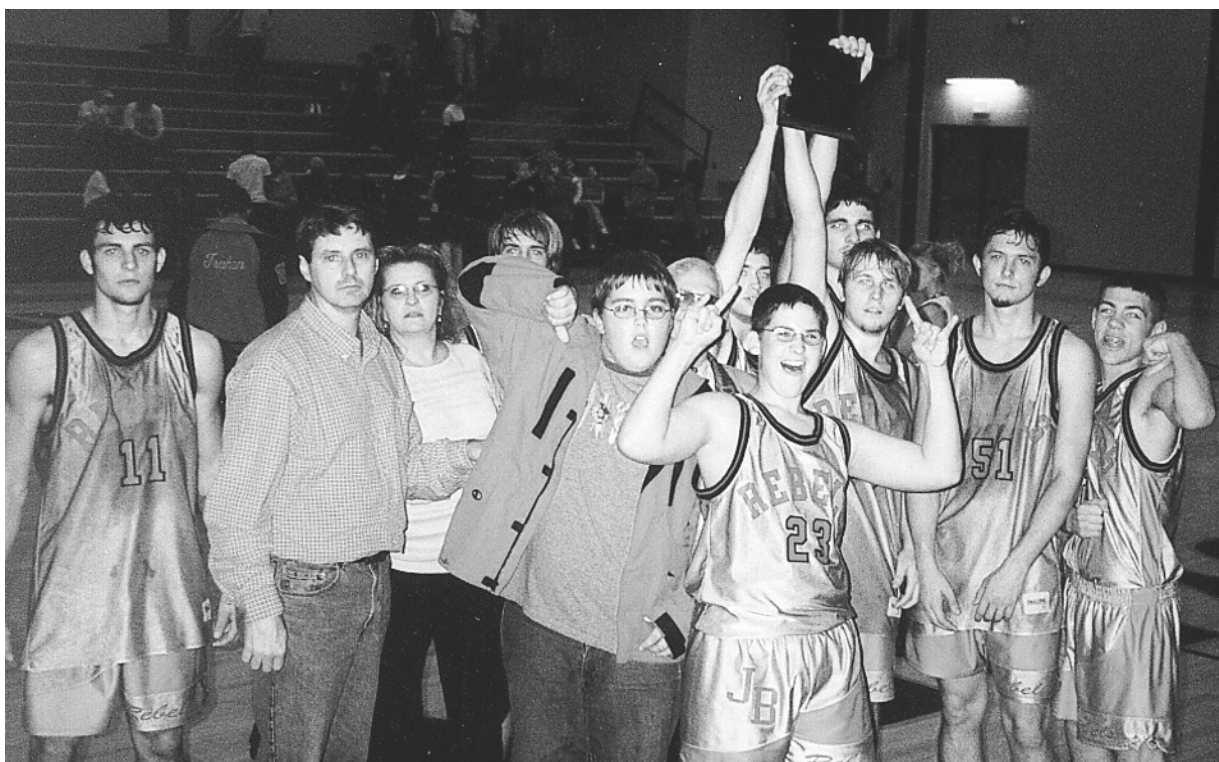
Johnson Bayou area - January 29, 1:30 til 2 p.m., Johnson Bayou Fire Station, Johnson Bayou.

If you have nay questions or want to apply for commodities, contact Linda at 775-5145 or Lana at 598-5158.

## Farm census reports due

The deadline for farmers and ranchers to return their 2002 Census of Agriculture report forms to USDA's National Agricultural statistics Service is Monday, Feb. 3.

Kirk L. Smith, County Executive Director of the Farm Service Agency Committee (FSA) for Calcasieu and Cameron Parishes, urges all recipients of the 2002 Census of Agriculture report forms to complete and return the forms by the deadline.



**THE JOHNSON BAYOU Rebels** are shown celebrating after winning the recent Cameron Parish basketball tournament. They beat South Cameron 62 to 57 in finals. The Johnson Bayou girls took second place, losing to the Hackberry girls.



**SENIOR BRINA TRAHAN**, daughter of Glen and Angie Trahan, was recently crowned Homecoming Queen at Johnson Bayou School. Other members of the court were: junior Megan Roberts, daughter of Tullio and Gayla Roberts; sophomore Natalie Griffith, daughter of Nat and Jo Griffith; freshman Crystal Badon, daughter of Russell and Claudette Badon; freshman Cheyenne Hanks, daughter of Joe and Lynn Griffith; and freshman Sabrina Sandifer, daughter of Dusty and Juanita Sandifer.

## FUNERAL

### MRS. RUBY A. JORDAN

Funeral arrangements for Ruby Anita Jordan, 85, of Longville, will be held Friday, Jan. 31, in First Baptist Church of Longville. The Rev. LeVern Jordan will officiate. Burial will be in Magnolia Cemetery in Ragley.

Mrs. Jordan died Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2003, in The Woodlands, Texas.

She was a native of DeRidder, and lived most of her life in Longville.

Survivors include one son, LeVern Jordan, of The Woodlands; two daughters, Joy Belle Trahan, Brazoria, Tex. and Mavis Kennedy, Longville; two sisters, Darles Helms, Sweetlake and Muriel Rougeou, Longville; nine grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

## Cameron Library New

Memorial books in the Cameron Parish Library are listed as follows: with names of the ones in memory, donors, respectively;

Traditional Country Crafts, Wanda Ratcliff by Wayne and Suzanne Sturlese;

The Alligator Book, Mike Fonseca by Miami Corporation;

Cajun Sketches, Elton Bonsall, Sr. by LeAnn and Kade;

Making Dream Ice Cream, Hilda Savoie by John and Carolyn Brown;

The Big Book Of Healthy Family Dinners, Leona LaFosse by Gary and Kala Billedaoux;

Desserts, Hilda Savoie by George, Marie and Evelyn

## Do You Remember?

By Keith Hambrick

### Lake Charles American Press, Jan. 31, 1940.

#### HD CLUBS MEET

As demonstration at the Creole Home Demonstration Club meeting held at the home of Mrs. P. H. Montie, Miss Sophie Bernard, agent, prepared and cooked Swiss steak.

Those present were Mesdames F. Vincent, C. H. Miller, U. Theriot, P. H. Montie; and misses Winnie Montie, Natilda Bourdoin and Sophie Bernard.

Miss Bernard also showed the Grand Chenier HD Club how to prepare and cook beef. The club meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Moise Sturlese.

The next meeting of the Chenier club will be with Mrs. Sturlese. Those present at this meeting were Mesdames Moise Sturlese, Louidise Vioncent and Charles Richard.

#### SWISS STEAK

1/2 pound of steak about one and one-half inches thick. One can tomatoes, one cup chopped green onions and peppers, one cup water, salt, pepper and flour.

Mix salt, pepper and flour. Spread well on steak and then pound with plate. Place in skillet with enough fat to brown on both sides. When well browned, add onions, pepper, tomatoes and water. Cook till gravy gets

Kelley;

Patchwork Pantry, Faye Bertrand by Dave and Debbie Savoie and family;

Desert Plants, Wanda Ratcliff by Berton and Audrey Daigle;

50 Favorite Rooms, Mary Ena East by Gloria Kelley;

Audubon Guide To The National Wildlife Refuges, Mervin Chesson by Gloria Kelley.

real thick and steak is tender.

### Cameron Pilot, Jan. 29, 1970. BAN IS LIFTED

The ban on the movement of cattle from Cameron parish because of brucellosis in the herds apparently has been lifted and the parish is now modified-certified brucellosis free.

Dr. Forrest Henderson USDA veterinarian, told the livestock advisory committee of the Louisiana Farm Bureau last week that only three of Louisiana's parishes are not certified. These are Caddo, Evangeline and Plaquemine.

He said that Louisiana is on the threshold of becoming a modified-certified brucellosis-free state. This will mean complete free movement of cattle in the state.

Cameron was among the 18 parishes and a quarantine was to have gone into effect on cattle here had not the necessary testing been done.

County Agent Clifford Myers said that as far as he knows the quarantine was never placed into effect.

#### STORM INSURANCE

The new hurricane and flood insurance should be available to Cameron parish residents by the time this year's storm season arrives, J. B. Jones, assistant district attorney, said this week.

He said that the storm study authorized by the police jury several months ago is nearly completed and will insure that Cameron is one of the first areas to qualify for the insurance.

The Cameron Parish survey has cost about \$6,000 to date, a small price to pay to help the parish to get hurricane insurance coverage, Mr. Jones said.

#### CATTLE WALKWAYS

One of the most popular conservation practices in Cameron Parish is constructing cattle walkways. This practice was originated here in Cameron Parish in 1950. Over 150 miles of walkways have been built in Cameron Parish since the practice originated.

It is now being used on all marsh rangelands in the United States and even in foreign countries. Walkways have become so popular and beneficial that many landowners require oil companies to construct their oil

## Queen's ball big success

The Fur Festival Queen's Ball held Saturday night of the recent Festival was a big success it was reported at the monthly meeting of Our Lady Star of the Sea Knights of Columbus Council.

The KC kitchen crew fed the festival royalty, contestants and guests beginning at 4 p.m. at the K.C. Hall. It was one of the largest turnouts ever for the ball.

James Boudreaux was named Knight of the Month and John and Glenn Portie were named Family of the Month.

The Council will hold a barbecue and bingo on May 4 to raise funds for the insurance on the church building and grounds.

The Christmas food basket committee delivered 46 baskets of food to the needy in the Cameron area.

The building committee plans to begin work on repairing and updating the K.C. building

well location roads to cattle walkway specifications. When the well is abandoned the road continues to function as a walkway for the cattle to use.

Walkways are used to prevent localized over-grazing. They also provide resting, calving, bedding and feeding areas for the range herd.

#### CREOLE HD OFFICERS

At the initial 1970 meeting of the Creole HD Club held recently in the home of Mrs. Horace Montie, the new officers elected for 1970-71 to office.

Conducting the meeting was new president, Mrs. Robert Ortego. A resume of the many successful projects and work carried out by the club during 1969 was given by outgoing president, Mrs. Harold Carter, who commended the members for their efforts and cooperation.

In the social hour that followed, Mrs. Horace Montie and Mrs. Clifford Myers, hostess and co-hostess, served refreshments to the 22 persons attending.

#### LIBRARY BOARD OF CONTROL

The Cameron Parish Library Board of Control held their annual election of officers recently. The following were elected:

Mrs. Lee Nunez, Sr., President, Grand Chenier; Mrs. Charles Precht, Sr., Vice President, Sweetlake; J. C. Reina, Treasurer, Creole; Coral Crain Worden, Librarian; Secretary, Grand Chenier.

The other board members are Mrs. Helen Colligan, outgoing president from Hackberry and Mrs. Charles Hebert of Sweetlake and Frankie Henry, ex-officio member.

#### BANK OFFICERS

Robert V. Landry was elected vice-president and cashier at the annual stockholders meeting of the Cameron State Bank held Jan. 20 at the bank. Landry was elevated from assistant vice-president to his new position.

Other officers who were re-elected were: Leslie Richard, chairman of the board; A. J. Howard, president; Jerry Jones, vice-president; and Mrs. Laura Chermie, assistant cashier.

One change was made on the board of directors. Mrs. Sue Watson of Lake Charles has replaced her father, Henry Carter on the board.

Other board members who were re-elected are John Paul Crain, Charles F. Hebert, A. J. Howard, Jerry Jones, Robert McHale, Leslie Richard, Enes Sturlese, and Lionel Theriot.

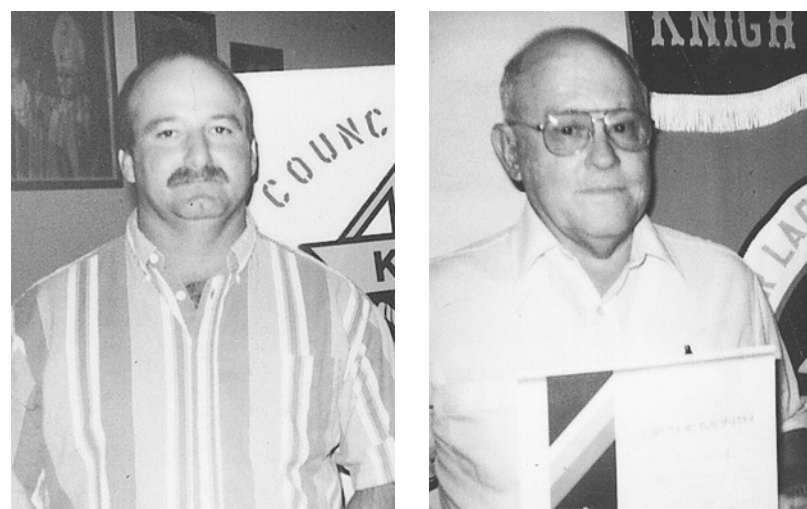
The board declared a seven percent dividend payable to stockholders as on Jan. 31. This was an increase over the five percent dividend of last year.

President Howard reported that the bank has total assets of more than \$5 million and that 1969 was a good year for the bank from the standpoint of deposits and profit.

#### ROUNDABOUT THE PARISH

Two Cameron Parish residents who helped celebrate the parish's Centennial were Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Theriot. Mr. Theriot was second in the unusual beard contest and Mrs. Theriot participated in the costume contest.

Pvt. E 2 Harold Domingue serving in the Army in Fort Eustis, Va., is now starting school in mechanics from Feb. 9 to Feb. 27. He will then be transferred to boats.



OUR LADY STAR of the Sea Knights of Columbus Council 5461 named James Boudreaux, left, Knight of the Month, and John Portie, right, and wife, Glenn, as Family of the Month for January.



CAMERON K. C. members delivered food to needy families during the Christmas holidays. Shown above making the deliveries were Howard Lancon, James Boudreaux and son, Hayes Picou, Loree Broussard, and Calvin Boudreaux.

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# Hackberry News

By Grace Welch

## CATHOLIC OFFICERS

The following church officers were recently elected by St. Peter's Catholic Church: Pastor Father Roland Vaughn; Trustees, Jeffery Alleman, Clifford Little; K. C. Grand Knight, Clifford Little; Religious Education, Tammy H. Welch; Youth, Charlotte LaBoave; Finance, Uretta Frazier; Social Commission, Cele Devall; Liturgical, Mae Doris Little; Members-at-large, Darrel Duhon, Travis Vincent and Trisha Silver.

## QUARTER BINGO

Saturday, Feb. 8 at 7 p.m. at the Hackberry Community Center. 25 cent bingo will be played. Gumbo will be sold with the proceeds going to the CCD

## S. Cameron Elementary Honor Rolls

Barry W. Richard, principal at South Cameron Elementary School announces the honor, banner roll and most improved students for the third six weeks. \* denotes all A's.

Grade One - \*Andrew Bonsall, \*Trevor Mouton, \*Carl Trahan, \*Haley Duhon, \*Corbet Dupont, \*Alex Jones, \*Tyler Nunez, Haylee Conner, Amber Guilbeau, JaMarcus LaSalle, Joseph McEvers, Haydon Sturlese, Shyla Conner, Andres Jasso, Paige LaComb, Khalil LeBlanc, Blair Little, Logan Manuel.

Grade Two - \*Jensen Bertrand, \*Becka Richard, \*Alexandra Moore, Savannah Baccigalopi, Logan Broussard, Joshua Wicke, Brayden Romero, Sierra LeJeune, Jason Theriot, David Sampson, Gage Richard, Brendan Boudreaux.

Grade Three - \*Wesley Ducote, Myli Hay, Carolina Jasso, Bryce LaBove, Chelsea Nunez, Cami Richard, Patrick Clark, Channing LaLande.

Grade Four - \*Shelby Wolfe, Tyler conner, McKayla Fountain, Jonathan quinn, Racissa Savoie, Brendan Trahan, Caitlin Theriot.

Fifth Grade - \*Bailey E. Richard, \*Jonathan Richards, \*Sara Dupre, \*Devon richard, Hunter canik, Lauren Carter, Kathryn Reina, Bailey Richard, Ty Savoie, Jacob Vaughan, Kody Willis, Camelia Ducote, Trever Nunez.

Sixth Grade - \*Tony Baccigalopi, \*Alex Ducote, \*Gabe LaLande, \*Jade Miller, Alex Bonsall, Kimily Bourriaque, Collise Dupont, Haley McCall, Brett Richard, Kobi Richard, Amanda Wicke, Melanie Hardy.

Seventh Grade - \*Kaley Boudoin, \*Daniel Dupre, \*Lori Guidry, \*Tony Johnson, \*Chynna Little, \*Colby Nunez, \*Jonathan Trahan, Barrett Hebert, Ross Theriot, Lyndi Vincent, Lucy Abrahamsen, Crystal Frerks.

Most Improved - Lennis Smith, William Barrios, Andres Jasso, Haylee Conner, Jerrika Martin, Brooklyn Broussard, Chelsea Nunez, Rodney Richard, Callie Mhire, Trever Nunez, Barrett Hebert, Crystal Frerks, Melanie Hardy, Joel Rogers.

## BASKETBALL SCORES

District 10 C: Hackberry boys, 41, Johnson Bayou 49. Brett Stancel 17 points with 10 rebounds, Wade LaBoave 10 points, Dominique Sandifer 17 points.

District 10 C: Hackberry girls, 70, Johnson Bayou 49. Megan Broussard 17 points, Leah Billedeaux 12 points.

February schedule: Tues., Feb. 4, Hackberry vs Hyatt, away, 2 games 6 p.m. Friday, Feb. 7, Hackberry vs Johnson Bayou, away, 2 games, 6 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 11, Hackberry vs Pecan Island, home. Friday, Feb. 14, Hackberry vs Hyatt, home, 2 games, 6 p.m.

## Cameron Elementary Honor Rolls

Mr. Carol Wainwright, principal at Cameron Elementary announces the Honor & Banner Roll for the 1st Semester ending: January 13.

First Grade Honor Roll: Joseph Burroughs, Chance Coulombe, Miguel Del Rosal, Brenden Fountain, Terrence January, Henry McCall, Nickolas Navarre, Jade Nunez, Darian Picou, Hailey Racca, Jeffery Racca.

First Grade Banner Roll: Kaylie Davidson, Emily Lamb, Cody Morvant, Laney Primeaux, William Wittmann.

Second Grade Honor Roll: Kent Doxey, Christopher Guillot, Jonathon Smelley, DeVaughn Thompson, Kaleb Stoute.

Second Grade Banner Roll: Ashleigh Bowers, Marcus Doxey, Shawnda Guidry, Isaiah Mason, Alayna Trahan.

Third Grade Honor Roll: Donovan Darby, Fred Dronet, Sian Hairston, Lex Mock, Andrew Mudd, Raj Patel, Sadie Trahan.

Third Grade Banner Roll: Heather Wittmann.

Fourth Grade Honor Roll: Taylor Rhodes, Matti Smith

Fourth Grade Banner Roll: Kelly Guidry.

Fifth Grade Honor Roll: Molly Alexander, Jolie Boudreaux, Kerri Cooke, Barrett Doxey, Katelyn Horn, Mikalee Mooney, Ross Rowland, Chris Trahan, Travis Trahan, Hallie Whittington, Meagan Wigley

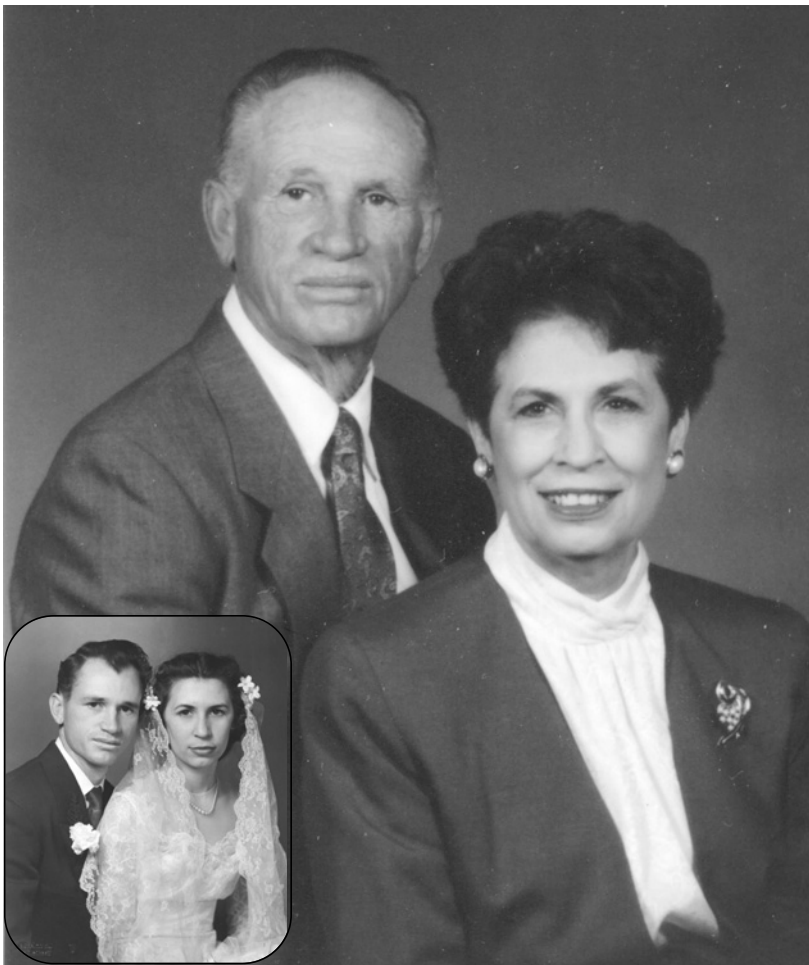
Fifth Grade Banner Roll: Dex Murphy.

Sixth Grade Honor Roll: Kayla Dronet, Lakasha Lassien, Joseph Troclair, Blair Willis.

Sixth Grade Banner Roll: None.

Seventh Grade Honor Roll: Amanda Benoit, Kayla Bertrand, Daniel Roberson, Jody Thomas.

Seventh Grade Banner Roll: Lori Boullion, Rachael Fountain, Keyara Lassien, Erika Pickett, Kami Savoie, Thomas Troclair.



**ROBERT AND HELEN (Tremie) Manuel of Big Lake will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a renewal of their vows Sunday, Feb. 9 at 12:30 p.m. at St. Mary of the Lake Catholic Church. The event will be hosted by their daughters and spouses, Mary and Thomas LaCasse; and Rachel and Andre Abadie. They have five grandchildren. The couple was married on February 7, 1953. Through this means, friends and relatives are invited to attend.**

## Johnson Bayou High News highlights

### BASKETBALL HIGHLIGHTS

The Johnson Bayou Rebels placed first in parish tournament.

**Johnson Bayou 62, South Cameron 57** - Scorers were: Dominique Sandifer 16, Jared Trahan 16, Kyle Badon 11, Beau Rodrigue 10, Adam Young 7, Marcus Jinks 2.

**Johnson Bayou 65, Grand Lake 59** - Scorers were: Dominique Sandifer 21, Jared Trahan 16, Kyle Badon 14, Adam Young 10, Beau Rodrigue 4.

The Lady Rebels placed second.

**Johnson Bayou 44, South Cameron 37** - Scorers were: Kayla Barentine 19, Shai Greer 8, Sarah Conner 4, Sunny Trahan 4, Megan Roberts 2.

### FUR FESTIVAL PARTICIPANTS

Pageant participants from Johnson Bayou High School in the Fur and Wildlife Festival included:

Byron Romero and Sarah Conner - Little Mr. and Miss Johnson Bayou.

Gaylin Trahan and Kandace Young in the Deb Miss Pageant.

Kimberly Trahan was crowned Teen Miss in her division.

Gaylinn Trahan won her division in the entertainment contest, singing "You Don't Know What It's Like To Be Me."

Wesley Roberts and Adam Trahan competed in the junior division of the skeet shoot contest. Adam placed third.

### FBLA FUNDRAISER

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## Johnson Bayou Honor Roll

The honor roll for the third six weeks at Johnson Bayou High School is announced as follows:

First Grade - Cheyenne Carter, Briana Romero, Rayce Romero\*.

Second Grade - Blake Badon, Kaitlin Billiot, Cade Cramer, Zachary Hebert, Kendal Badon, Dakota Carter, Sarah Conner, Colton Jinks, Morgan Leger, Dylan Morrison, Byron Romero, Dustin Romero, Allison Romero\*, Kristopher Trahan.

Third Grade - Alexis Jinks, Harmony Trahan, Kascidy Badon\*.

Fourth Grade - Katerina

Conner, Tyler Venable.

Sixth Grade - Tabatha Harrington.

Seventh Grade - Destiny Sonnier.

Ninth Grade - Katrina McGee\*, Laura Trahan\*, Katie Young\*.

Tenth Grade - Natalie Griffith, Wesley Roberts, Rustin Trahan.

Eleventh Grade - Cassie McNiell, Megan Roberts, Christopher Welch, Ashley Price\*.

Twelfth Grade - Juanita Cox, Jana Billiot\*, Jill Simon\*, Justin Trahan\*.

## School lunch menus told

Lunch menus for all Cameron Parish schools for the week beginning Feb. 3 are as follows:

Mon., Feb. 3 - cheeseburger, oven fries, lettuce cup, lemon cookie, hamburger bun, catsup.

Tues., Feb. 4 - Taco salad, fixings cup, Ranch beans, baked potato, yellow cake, chocolate cream fro., tortilla chips.

Wed., Feb. 5 - Spaghetti and meat sauce, tossed salad, peach cobbler, buttered corn, garlic toast.

Thurs., Feb. 6 - Oven fried chicken, seasoned rice, green beans, fruit cocktail, biscuits.

Fri., Feb. 7 - Beef finger steaks, mashed potatoes, sweet peas, white sauce, cinnamon cookie, sliced bread.

## Birth told

JOSIE RHONDA LYNNE DUNN

Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy (Annette) Dunn of Creole, announce the birth of their second child, Josie Rhonda Lynne Dunn, at Lake Charles Memorial Hospital on January 10. She weighed 8 pounds 9 ounces.

Grandparents are Rhonda and Tony Duhon of Creole and Lynne and Mike Felt of Harrells, North Carolina.

Great-grandparents are Mae and Lander Duhon of Lake Arthur, Bertha and Thomas Duhon of Creole and Donna and Stan Northrop of Poplar Branch, North Carolina.

Great-great-grandparents are Eunice and Clarence Trahan and George S. Broussard, all of Lake Arthur.

The couple's other child is Erin Kate, 3.

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*Welcome*  
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*Lynn Dunn*



Annette and Jeremy Dunn of Creole, proudly announce the birth of their daughter Josie Rhonda Lynn Dunn. She was born at Lake Charles Memorial Hospital on January 10, 2003. Josie weighed 8 pounds 9 ounces and was 21 inches long. She has a 3-year-old big sister, Erin Kate. Her grandparents are Rhonda and Tony Duhon of Creole and Lynne and Mike Felt of Harrells, North Carolina. Her great grandparents are Mae and Lander Duhon of Lake Arthur, Bertha and Thomas Duhon of Creole and Donna and Stan Northrop of Poplar Branch, North Carolina. Her great great grandparents are Eunice and Clarence Trahan and George S. Broussard, all of Lake Arthur. Jeremy is serving in the US Navy and is currently stationed in California.

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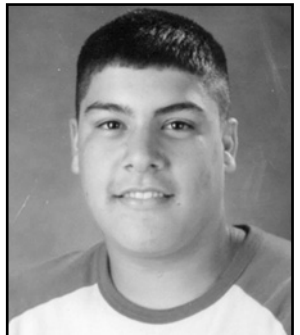
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# Basketball Action

## BOYS

**Elton 79; South Cameron 47** - Travis Swire threw down 24 points as the Tarpons fall to the Indians. Jerry Thomas added 15 points. South Cameron falls to 1-12 on the year and 0-6 in district.

**Lacassine 78; Grand Lake 50** - The Hornets opened district play this week with a loss to Lacassine. Marcus Nugent led Grand Lake (12-19, 0-1) with 17 points. Adam Johnston chipped in 12 and Kendall Daley scored 6 points.

**Johnson Bayou 49; Hackberry 41** - Leading scorer for the Rebels was Dominique Sandifer with 17 points. Jared Trahan added 16. Adam Young scored 7 points and had 13 rebounds. JBHS improves to 5-15 on the year and 1-0 in district. The Mustangs were led by Brett Stansel who had 17 points and 18 rebounds. Wade Labaue added 10 points. Hackberry falls to 12-15 overall and 0-1 in district.

**Oberlin 53; South Cameron 52** - An Oberlin player hit a free throw with no time on the clock to end the game and give the Tarpons the loss. Travis Swire led all scorers with 28 points and Jerry Thomas added 10 points. Trey Lute chipped in 9 points.

**Lacassine 71; Hackberry 37** - Chase Hicks led Hackberry with 7 points.

**Grand Lake 51; Hyatt 50** - Ronald Courville hit an 18 footer with 2 seconds left on the clock to steal the win from the Bulldogs. Courville ended the night with 13 points. Marcus Nugent chipped in 14 points and Curtis Mullins added 10 points.

**Bell City 79; Johnson Bayou 62** - Dominique Sandifer led the Rebels with 25 points. Adam Young chipped in 15 points and Beau Rodrigue added 10 points. Kyle Badon had 9 rebounds and Jared Trahan recorded 8 assists.

## GIRLS

**Elton 59; South Cameron 24** - The Lady Tarpons (2-17, 1-7) were led by D'nae Desonnier with 12 points. Kayla Rutherford and Jenni Cormier added 4 points each.

**Lacassine 41; Grand Lake 35** - Maggie Garvin was the leading scorer for the Lady Hornets with 10 points. Sarah Brister added 9 points. Grand Lake falls to 13-16 on the year and 0-1 in district.

**Hackberry 70; Johnson Bayou 19** - The Lady Mustangs opened district play with a big win over the Lady Rebels. Meagan Broussard led Hackberry with 17 points and Leah Billedeaux added 12, while Tobie Devall scored 15. The Lady Mustangs improve to 31-3 overall and 1-0 in district. Megan Roberts was the leading scorer for JBHS with 9 points. The Lady Rebels drop to 4-17 on

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# CAMERON OUTDOORS Ducks stay up north

By Loston McEvers

## DUCKS STAYED UP NORTH

We have seen our second split of duck season over and we're still wondering where the ducks were. This is some field reports taken from the www.waterfowls.com webpage.

On January 8, wildlife biologists from across the nation conducted the annual North American census of wintering waterfowl and some of the results are still being tabulated, it seems the 2003 winter count is certain to rank among the highest ever recorded, at least that's the predicament.

The northern states for a second year in a row, had tens of thousands more Canada geese wintering in these states. Extremely mild winter weather conditions, have resulted in quite a greater increase in open water areas, compared to past years, with plenty wasted grain for food, where the last crops were left in the fields there.

Even Minnesota held a large number of birds. Lots of ducks and geese are now spending their winters up north, because of warmer weather, their sources of food like corn were exposed for them to eat, where it would have been impossible before with harsh winters. Wintering farther north could provide tangible benefits for migrating waterfowl. The birds are exposed to less than normal hunting pressure, so the hardier species such as mallard ducks and Canada geese enjoy a higher rate of survival.

Due to a distinct lack of waterfowl at the southern end of the Mississippi Flyway (example-Cameron Parish), this year's hunting success remains poor in the traditional hotspot states of the Mississippi, Arkansas and

Louisiana.

Louisiana hunters traditionally harvest more ducks than hunters in the entire country of Canada. Now that our season is over, Southern hunters are still looking north and asking, where are the ducks?

The mild winter temperatures and lack of snow cover, made it very easy for ducks and geese to remain north, as they fly to the nearest cornfield and get all the food they need, and getting fatter every day. Now that many birds will only have to travel half the distance for the return trip to their spring breeding grounds, females will arrive in better shape and this could very well increase in population for the 2003 season.

We have always been lucky here in Cameron Parish on our duck hunting seasons in the last 30 years. Remember the 10 duck per day season where limits were easy to reach. Hunters here in Cameron Parish kill more ducks than all of the Atlantic Flyway. So we just have to cross our fingers and hope that our 2003 season is better.

## NEWS BRIEF

Since the 2003 year started, anglers fishing Big Lake, during the warm spells, have caught speckle trout running from 6 to 8 pounds. One 8 pound 4 ounce trout measuring 30 1/4 inches long, would surely have gone 10 pounds or better in the spring.

We all read about states that have restricted lead tackle because of lead poisoning, like shooting steel shots in the marsh instead of lead shots. In the past few years, states like Vermont and New Hampshire had anglers voluntarily

# Wrestling tourney set

South Cameron High School will host the Tim McCall Invitational Wrestling Tournament starting at 9:30 a.m., Saturday, Feb. 1, in the South Cameron Gym. The teams attending the invitational include South Cameron High School, Sulphur, Rayne, Pearl River, Basile, Carencro, Acadiana and Tourline.

For more information call Coach Pete Picou at the South Cameron High School.

## Cam Elem. 4-H contest winners

Cameron Elementary 4-H club held their meeting on Jan. 15. Dairy Poster Contest Winners were Division I - Overall Winner - Shelby Willis; Purple Ribbon Group: Ross Rowland, Kade Pierson, Molly Alexander. Division II - Purple Ribbon Group - Kami Savoie.

Beef Poster winners were: Division I, 1st - Kade Pierson; 2nd - Shelby Willis; 3rd - Ross Rowland; Honorable Mention - Molly Alexander. Division II: 3rd place - Kami Savoie.

Future events - District Livestock show January 28. February - State Livestock Show - Feb. 6 - 16 - Baton Rouge.

Ross Rowland Reporter

the year and 0-1 in district.

**South Cameron 44; Oberlin 40** - The Lady Tarpons picked up their first district win of the season when they defeated the Lady Tigers. D'Naë Desonnier was the leading Lady Tarpon scorer with 14 points. Courtney Conner added 12 points.

**Hackberry 66; Lacassine 24** - Meagan Broussard chipped in 14 points for the Lady Mustangs. Edie Leonards and Tobie Devall added 12 points each. Devall also had 7 steals, 7 rebounds, and 7 assists.

**Grand Lake 53; Hyatt 39** - Maggie Garvin scored 15 points for the Lady Mustangs. Sarah Brister added 10 points and had 10 assists for Grand Lake.

**Bell City 47; Johnson Bayou 22** - Johnson Bayou was led by Megan Roberts with 10 points.

## — NOTICE —

The Cameron Parish School Board will meet in regular session on Monday, February 3, 2003. The Finance Committee Meeting begins at 3:00 p.m., followed by the Regular Meeting at 4:00 p.m.

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exchange 20,000 lead sinkers for non-toxic ones to help protect the loons, bald Eagles and other birds from lead poisoning. Free steel sinkers were exchanged at no cost to the anglers.

## SEASONS

Friday, Jan. 31 is the last day to hunt woodcock. Squirrel season goes through Feb. 9, snipe Feb. 21, rabbit, quails and nutria Feb. 28. Speckle belly season is also over with Friday, Jan. 31 and regular blue, snow, ross geese.

The conservation order on blues, snows and ross geese starts this Saturday, Feb. 1. The use of electronic calls, unplugged guns and it also eliminates the daily bag and possession limits. Shooting hours begin one-half hour before sunrise and extends until one half hour after sunset.

## SUNRISE-SUNSET

Fri., Jan. 31 - 7:047 a.m.; 5:48 p.m.

Sat., Feb. 1 - 7:04 a.m.; 5:49p.m.

Sun., Feb. 2 - 7:03 a.m.; 5:50 p.m.

Mon., Feb. 3 - 7:02 a.m.; 5:51 p.m.

Tues., Feb. 4 - 7:02 a.m.; 5:52 p.m.

Wed., Feb. 5 - 7:01 a.m.; 5:53 p.m.

Thurs., Feb. 6 - 7:00 a.m.; 5:54 p.m.

Although our days are getting longer, spring is still far away. Groundhog day is Sunday, so we'll see what Boudreaux the Nutria does with the "Shadow Day".



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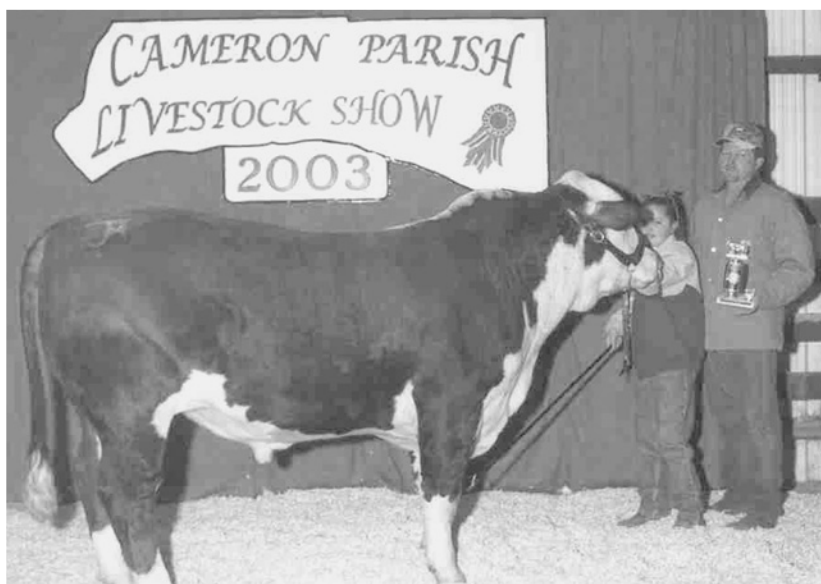
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# Stock Show Winners



JOLIE BOUDREAU is pictured with the Grand Champion Braford Bull "Rocky" exhibited at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show January 12. Jolie is the 11 year old daughter of Jaimie and Tina Boudreaux of Big Lake and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dupont of Cameron.



CHRISTINA BOUDREAU is pictured with the Grand Champion Braford Heifer "Block" along with her calf "Louie" at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show on January 12. Christina is the 16 year old daughter of Jaimie and Tina Boudreaux of Big Lake and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dupont of Cameron. Also in the photo are Jolie Boudreaux and Serena Richard.



MELISSA NUNEZ is pictured with the Reserve Champion Parish Bred Market Goat "Hardcore" at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show. Melissa also showed the Reserve Champion and Parish Bred Grand Champion Full Blood Doe "Jessie". She also won the 15 year old Goat Showmanship Class and second place Market Goat in the heavy weight class. Melissa helped her cousin and little brother in the Pee Wee Showmanship Class. Melissa is the 15 year old daughter of Dede Nunez of Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Gerard Nunez of Grand Chenier and the grand daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Duhon of Cameron and Mr. and Mrs. Asa "Pup" Nunez of Grand Chenier. She is shown in the photo with Goat Judge Glen Averitt and her little brother Ethan Nunez.



SHOWN ABOVE ARE Remington Gaspard with his Overall Grand Champion Percentage Doe "Nellie", Keziah Gaspard and goat judge Glen Averitt at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show.



THOMAS LEE TROSCLAIR, Cameron Elementary 4-Her, won 13-year-old Parish Rabbit Showman, Parish Overall Rabbit Showman, and Parish Junior Small Animal Award in memory of Brian Morales at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show held Jan. 16-18.

## Cam. Elem. 4-Hers win at Contest Day

Cameron Elementary 4-Hers who participated and placed at Contest Day on Nov. 16 were:

Kami Savoie - 1st ink drawings, 2nd Charcoal drawings.

Ross Rowland - 1st program cover, 2nd tie-dye. Honorable mention, holiday decorations, 1st egg cookery-salad/appetizer and overall in this division.

Kade Pierson - 1st wood carving, 3rd holiday decorations, 2nd beef cookery quick and easy.

Mikalee Mooney - 1st drawings pastel, 1st plaster molds.

Erika Pickett - 2nd pastel drawings, honorable mention-drawings any other, 2nd plaster molds.

Dex Murphy - Honorable mention-pastel drawings, 3rd drawings-any other, 3rd plaster molds.

Katie Noverske - 2nd holiday decorations.

Kristin Broussard - 1st holiday decorations.

Shelby Willis - 2nd holiday decorations.

Jade Hill - Honorable mention-recycled items.

Daryan Richard - 1st nature craft.

Thomas Lee Trosclair - 3rd egg cookery salad/appetizer, 3rd dessert.

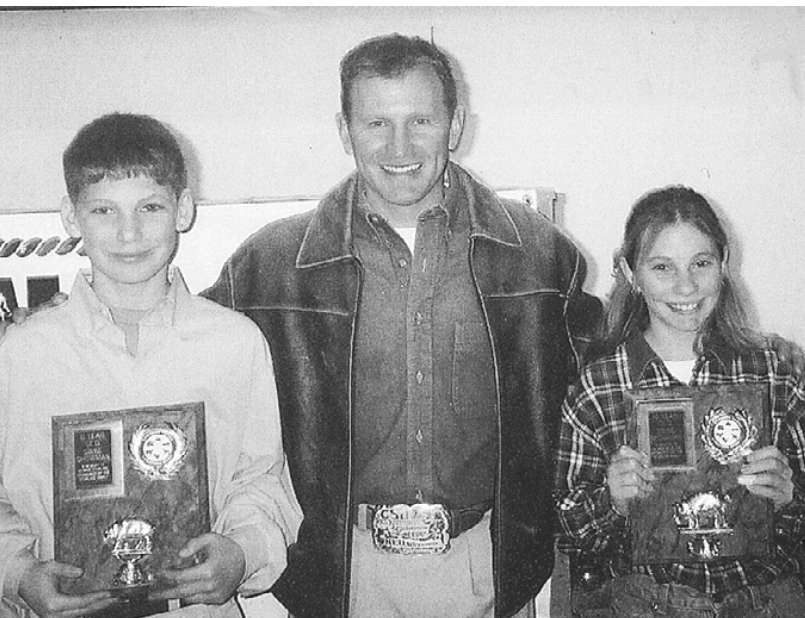
Molly Alexander - Honorable mention-dessert, honorable mention-shrimp.

Keyara Lassien - Honorable mention-dessert.

Sabrina Peshoff - 1st crab.

## DEMON. DAY WINNERS

Cameron Elementary 4-Hers who participated and placed at 4-H Demonstration Day on Dec. 7, were Mikalee Mooney and Molly Alexander who placed 1st in Any other team demonstration, and Erika Pickett and Rachel Fountain who placed honorable mention in any other



PICTURED ABOVE are Cameron Elementary 4-Her Ross Rowland, left, who won the 11-year-old Parish Swine Showman; the swine judge, Rick Whitman; and South Cameron Elementary 4-Her Kelsi Mudd, right, who won 10-year-old Swine Showman at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show on Jan. 16-18.



THESE SOUTH CAMERON Elementary School 4-H members who attended Demonstration Day on Dec. 7 at Cameron Elementary School. They were: (back row, from left) Keaton Boudreaux, Cody Jouett, Alex Bonsall, Kimily Bourriaque, Barrett Hebert, Justin Trahan; (front row) Amanda Wicke, Colby Nunez, Hailey McCall, Devon Richard, Kathryn Reina, Kelsey Mudd, Kyle Little, and Bailey Richard.



GRACING A float in the Fur Festival parade recently were these South Cameron High School cheerleaders.

## South Cam. Honor Roll

South Cameron High School has announced the honor roll and banner roll for the third six weeks as follows:

\*Denotes all A's.

Grade 8 - Noah Abshire, Jr., Chad Andrews, Baret Bercier, Alex Broussard, Jennifer Duhon, Kaysha Fontenot, Deil LaLande, Rose Martel, Shylyn Nunez, Katelyn Reina, \*Katherine Wicke.

Grade 9 - \*Theresa Baccigalopi, Heather Benoit, \*D'Nae Desonier, Shayla LaBove, Dainty Little, \*Paul Nguyen, \*Meagan Trahan, Barton Vidrine.

Grade 10 - \*Ronald Chandler Aplin, Jodi Billings, \*Toni Boudoin, \*Kendall Broussard, Jared Cheramie, John Paul Delaunay, \*Dane Dupont, Jessica Frerks, Denise Holden, Stacy Hunt, \*Lexie LeBoeuf, Matt Miller, \*Gambrelle Primeaux, Jonathan Rutherford, \*Cana Trahan, Glen Trahan, Wesley Treme, \*Ashley Wells.

Grade 11 - Brett Baccigalopi, \*Michael Bercier, Christina Boudreaux, Courtney Conner, \*Santana Conner, Jeni Cormier, Lacey Deroche, Erin Dinger, Beau Duhon, Karisha Fountain, \*Raphael Heart, Jacob Johnson, Jamie LaBove, Tara LeBlanc, \*Lyndi LeBoeuf, Oliver Primeaux, Cody Pugh, \*Joby Richard, \*Nicole Roux, Amber Trahan, \*Cassandra Trahan Joseph Treme, John Paul Trosclair.

Grade 12 - Jason Bourgeois, Lynsi Conner, Claudia Dupuie, Edmon Hill, Ashley Kelley, Parry LaLande, Casie McDaniel, Alicia Mhire, Brittany Mudd, \*Jessica Murphy, \*Bethany Nunez, Ashley Reyes, Gina Richard, Tiffany Richard, \*Chelsi Styron, Travis Swire, Lindsay Willis.

Reporter, Ross Rowland



PICTURED AT A booth set up for the Fur Festival on Cameron were these representatives of the Fur and Alligator Advisory Council. From left were Sam Smith, DeQuincy; Greg Linscombe, Fur and Refuge Division, La. Dept. of Wildlife & Fisheries, New Iberia; Christine Brewton, Natchitoches; and Fats Dupont, Cameron.



BENNY WELCH of Oak Grove, former alligator farmer, had a booth at the Fur Festival recently featuring many items made from alligator hides.



ELIZABETH RICHARD'S kindergarten class at South Cameron Elementary had a special treat while studying the Letter G. Dr. Mike Meaux, father of Kerrigan, brought a goat for the children to see and pet.



THESE SOUTH CAMERON High School Jr. and Sr. 4-H members attended Demonstration Day on Dec. 7 at Cameron Elementary School. They were: (back row, from left) Joby Richard, Chandler LeBoeuf, Katelyn Reina, Chelsie King, Bethany Nunez; (front row) Dylan Jouett, Shylyn Nunez, Brittany Nunez, and Sarah Boudreaux.



SHOWN ABOVE are Remington Gaspard with his Overall Grand Champion Full Blood Doe "StarSong" and goat judge Glen Averitt at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show.

## Local Civil War experiences related by Mrs. Bertrand

(EDITOR'S NOTE--The following article is reprinted from the Jan 8, 1970 issue of the Cameron Pilot. It consisted of an interview that Geneva Griffith had with Edna Daigle Bertrand and told about life in Leesburg (later to be renamed Cameron) during the Civil War.)

By GENEVA GRIFFITH  
(As told to her by Edna Daigle Bertrand)

"My grandmother, Mrs. Virginia Young Smith, was 14 years old when the "Yankees" came to Leesburg," says Mrs. Edna Daigle Bertrand. "She was born in 1849, so this was in 1863." She was the daughter of Jim and Irene Young and was married to Captain John Smith who ran a schooner up and down the Mermentau River.

Two of her grandsons, J. Berton Daigle and Charlie Hebert occasionally refer to her as "Pocahuntas" because she married Capt. John Smith. Capt. Smith served in the Confederate Army and at one time was the only veteran in Cameron Parish drawing a Confederate pension.

The Confederate war was going badly for the South and there were many deserters. One man hid under his wife's dress, near where Cheramie's Shrimp House is now located, and escaped undetected. This was possible because in those days it was not uncommon to have 10 years of material in the women's skirts.

A Frenchman was caught and hung to a tree by the "Yankees," until he turned blue and his tongue stuck out, trying

to make him tell where the deserters were hiding, but he would never tell. They finally gave up and turned him loose. They did not take him captive because they figured he was too old for any use to them. At night he would take food to the deserters who were hidden out in the marsh.

"My Great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis LeBouef, and my Grandmother, Orellia LeBouef (14 years old at the time) lived on Monkey Island, where only one oak tree remains. The "Yankees" took my grandmother's house, used it for a hospital, and buried their dead there. They used the picket fence for crosses to mark the graves. The family was driven out and forced to live in the marsh.

The women and children were allowed to come and grind corn for the families who lived in the marsh. One day on their way to the mill they found a strange round object in the marsh. They took it with them and were informed by the "Yankees" they had brought in a live cannon ball with the firing pin still in it. The "Yankie" soldiers disarmed it and the women gave thanks that they had come to no harm from an exploding cannon ball.

Mrs. Louis LeBouef saved a lieutenant from getting killed and he later went to Galveston by boat. In appreciation he gave her a Grandfather pendulum clock. It remained in the family and Mrs. Bertrand lost it in Hurricane Audrey in 1957.

The lonely oak mentioned in this story is to the right as you cross the Monkey Island Ferry and the "Yankee" graves are still visible.

## Cameron Elementary tells Honor and Banner Rolls

Mr. Carol Wainwright, principal at Cameron Elementary announces the Honor & Banner Roll for the 3rd Six Weeks ending: January 13 (\*denotes all A's)

First Grade Honor Roll: Joseph Burroughs, Miguel Del Rosal, Henry McCall, Darian Picou, Jade Nunez, Hailey Racca, Jeffery Racca.

First Grade Banner Roll: Kylie Davidson, Brenden Fountain, Emily Lamb, Cody Morvant, Laney Primeaux, William Wittmann.

Second Grade Honor Roll: Ashleigh Bowers, Kent Doxey, Christopher Guillot, Kaleb Stoute, Kara Wigley.

Second Grade Banner Roll: Marcus Doxey, Shawnda Guidry, Isaiah Mason, Alayna Trahan

Third Grade Honor Roll: Richard Bowers, Donovan Darby, Andrew Mudd, Raj Patel

Third Grade Banner Roll: Heather Wittmann.

Fourth Grade Honor Roll:

Kristin Broussard, Jadah Primeaux.

Fourth Grade Banner Roll: Kelly Guidry.

Fifth Grade Honor Roll: Molly Alexander, Jolie Boudreaux, Kerri Cooke, Barrett Doxey, Paul Gauthier, Jordan Hanks, Katrina LaSalle, Mikalee Mooney, Caleb Roux, Ross Rowland, Chris Trahan, Travis Trahan, Hallie Whittington.

Fifth Grade Banner Roll: Katelyn Horn, Dex Murphy, Meagan Wigley.

Sixth Grade Honor Roll: Lakasha Lassien, Joseph Trosclair, Blair Willis.

Sixth Grade Banner Roll: Kayla Dronet.

Seventh Grade Honor Roll: Kayla Bertrand, Jody Thomas, Erika Pickett.

Seventh Grade Banner Roll: Lori Boullion, Rachael Fountain, Keyara Lassien, Kami Savoie, Thomas Trosclair.

## Cameron elementary 4-Hers win at parish livestock show

Cameron Elementary School 4-Hers exhibiting livestock at the Parish Livestock Show were:

Thomas Lee Trosclair - 1st best of breed for dutch, 13 year old rabbit showman, overall rabbit showman.

Jolie Boudreaux - Braford Grand Champion Bull, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 7 place, 3rd - 11 year old beef showmanship.

Kami Savoie - Reserve champion Limousine heifer, reserve champion La. Bred.

Daryan Richard - Purple/purple, 7th place - 9 year old showmanship.

Ross Rowland - 5th/purple, 1st place - 11 year old showmanship.

Christopher Trahan - 5th place/5th place, 3rd place - 11 year old showmanship.

Jody Trosclair - 5th place/5th place, 8th place 12 year old showmanship.

The District Livestock Show will be held at the Burton Coliseum from Jan. 28 - Feb. 1. The State Livestock Show will be held at LSU Ag Barn from Feb. 4 - Feb. 16.

Reporter, Ross Rowland

## Lacassine Refuge invites public participation in plans

Lacassine National Wildlife Refuge, managed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is participating in a Comprehensive Conservation Plan (CCP) process and invites the public to participate. The CCP is developed with partners such as state wildlife agencies, elected officials, non-governmental conservation agencies, and interested public.

Lacassine NWR is one of three refuges in Cameron Parish undergoing the CCP process. Other southwest Louisiana refuges include Sabine NWR and Cameron Prairie NWR. These Refuges are three of more than 535 nationwide within the National Wildlife Refuge System, which is dedicated entirely to the conservation of wildlife and their habitats.

One of the first steps in the CCP process is to solicit public input regarding management of the refuges. Open house meetings will be held to give people an opportunity to discuss or comment on management issues.

Meetings are scheduled as follows: February 4, 2003, Best Suites Inn, 401 Lake Shore Drive, in Lake Charles; February 6, 2003, Estuarine Habitats and Coastal Fisheries Center, 646 Cajundome Blvd., Suite 400, in Lafayette; and February 8, 2003, Parks & Recreation Department, 1206 E. Academy Ave, in Jennings.

The public may drop by anytime between 3 p.m. and 7 p.m.

## Five arrested at Grand Lake for deer hunting violations

Agents from the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries Enforcement Division cited five Grand Lake residents on January 9 for alleged deer hunting violations in Cameron Parish.

Joseph D. Haviland, 34, Michael B. Haviland, 42, David B. Young, 44, and two juveniles were cited for hunting on DMAP lands without permission from the landowner, and for failing to wear hunter's orange. Joseph Haviland was also cited for hunting without a big game license.

Agents were advised of the violations, which occurred on October 24, 2002, along the Intracoastal Waterway, near Grand Lake. Agents investigated the incident and found that all five of the subjects had tres-

passed on DMAP property to go deer hunting. The subjects were not wearing hunter's orange while making a deer drive.

Additionally, a warrant check revealed that Mike B. Haviland had an active warrant from Montana. He was booked into the Cameron Parish jail on the outstanding warrant. The penalty for hunting on DMAP lands without permission from the landowner carries a fine of up to \$350, up to 60 days in jail, or both, plus court costs. Failure to wear hunter's orange, and hunting without a big game license are Class One civil offenses for which the fine is \$50 for each violation.

Participating in the case were LDWF Sgt. David Sanford and Sr. Agent Chris Harp.

## Archery hunting of deer will close on Friday evening

The archery portion of the 2002-2003 Louisiana deer hunting season, with the exception of Areas 3 and 8, will close at one-half hour after sunset on January 31. This will mark the end of the deer season in the state, as Areas 3 and 8 closed on January 15. Biologists from the Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries have already begun examining samples from the season and will soon be releasing their assessment of the statewide take.

Hunters, however, are encouraged to continue to take part in the other seasons that are still open or will open soon.

Small game hunters have a few more weeks to enjoy their sport. Squirrel season will close on February 9 this year, but quail and rabbit season will remain open through February 28. LDWF officials would like to remind small game hunters to abide by the current limits and regulations.

The daily bag limit for quail is 10, with a possession limit of 20. For rabbit and squirrel, the daily limit is eight, with a possession limit of 16. Hunters

## Feb. 14 deadline for senior games

Friday, Feb. 14 is the deadline for persons 50 years or older to register to participate in the Southwest Senior Games to be held in Lake Charles, Carlyss and Sulphur.

The Senior games is a sports program designed to demonstrate the physical fitness and active involvement for individuals fifty and older and to encourage all older individuals to improve the quality of their lives by being physically active.

Participants will be enrolled from Allen, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, Jeff Davis, and Vernon Parishes.

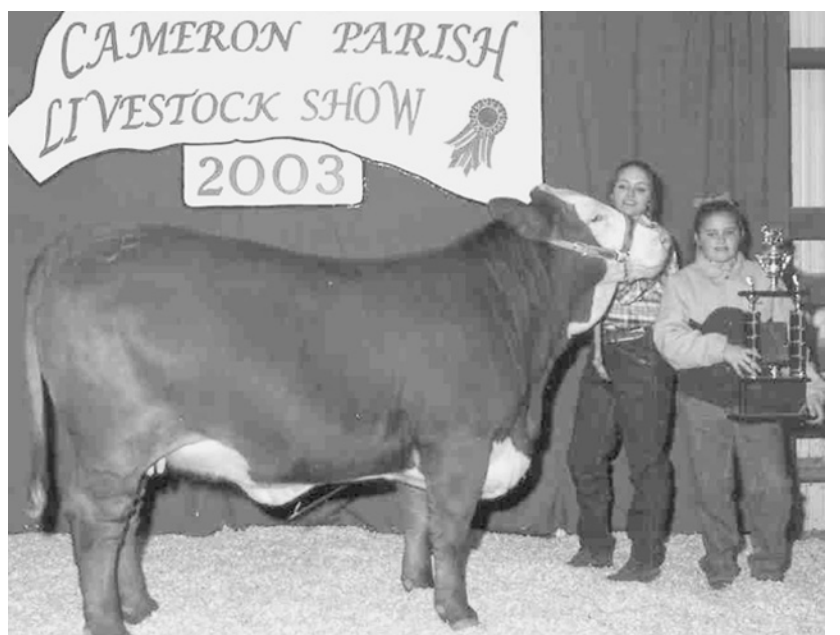
Participants will be able to participate in a whole host of activities including: Archery, badminton, bait casting, billiards, bowling, dance team com-

petition, dominoes, football-frisbee-softball-and-basketball throws, golf, horseshoes, pistol and rifle shooting, shuffleboard, spelling bee, swimming, table tennis, track and field, walks, and washer pitch.

Golf will be held at Frasch Park in Sulphur, bowling at Petrol Bowl in Lake Charles, Archery at Carlyss Park in Carlyss, and shooting at Calcasieu Regional Training Academy in Lake Charles. All other games will be held at McNeese University Recreational Complex and MSU track.

Winners will be eligible to participate in the state games.

For additional information, call Adele Mart, District Coordinator, at 437-3467 or 625-2145.



CHRISTINA BOUDREAUX is pictured with the Reserve Champion Braford Heifer "Jewel" at the Cameron Parish Livestock Show on January 12. Christina is the 16 year old daughter of Jaimie and Tina Boudreaux of Big Lake and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Dupont of Cameron. Also in the photo is her sister, Jolie Boudreaux.

## Fishermen invited to take part in the Lunker Bass Program

The Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries urges area anglers to keep them in mind as they head out to the water in search of big fish.

The Lunker Bass Program invites fishermen to donate bass they catch in state waters to the department to help in restocking and strengthening the bass population in the state. The only stipulation is that it be a bass of 12 pounds or more.

The fish may be donated to the department in exchange for a free replica of the fish and a certificate of appreciation. The donated fish will be maintained by LDWF, and spawning will be attempted at Booker Fowler Fish Hatchery in Forest Hill.

The fish given to the department are an important part of LDWF's on-going efforts to increase the distribution of larger genes and hopefully increase the overall average size of bass in the state.

In 2002, LDWF Inland Fisheries Division stocked 53 waterbodies with bass fingerlings. These efforts are showing their fruits all over the state. Paul Whitehead, an LDWF biologist, said they are consistently seeing fish that approach the

state record.

The current Louisiana record for largemouth bass was set at Caney Lake in 1995, with a whopper weighing in at 15.97 pounds.

Whitehead said they had a brush with a potential record breaker just two years ago at Lake D'Arbonne. A female bass was caught that weighed 15.31 pounds when she was submitted to the program. According to Whitehead, the fish was without eggs, which could have easily put her over the record. LDWF biologists internally tagged the fish and released it back to Lake D'Arbonne. "She's out there, and if she's caught she will more than likely break the record," said Whitehead. "But she's not alone. There are fish like that one all over the state."

Fishermen who would like to participate are asked to call their local LDWF office when the fish is caught. LDWF personnel are available to pick up the fish at any time.

Anglers may also call the Operation Game Thief hotline at 1-800-442-2511 to report their lunker. Fish will be accepted from now until April 30.

## Nature camp is offered families by La. Wildlife & Fisheries

The Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries is offering Families Understanding Nature (FUN) Camp again this year. This popular camp offers parents and children an opportunity to spend a weekend enjoying the outdoors, honing outdoor skills and strengthening family bonds. This year's FUN camp will be held at Woodworth Outdoor Education Center, just south of Alexandria. Registration is available now.

Camp participants will receive professional instruction in canoeing, camping, shooting sports, hiking, bird watching and fishing. New for 2003 is a muzzleloader session.

All participants camp out and cook their own meals. Instructors guide campers in setting up camps, building a campfire, cooking and cleaning up. Tents and cooking gear are provided. In addition, night

hikes will be conducted.

Space is limited to 16 families, and children must be 10-13 years of age. There is a nominal fee of \$25 per person. The FUN camp sessions for 2003 are as follows:

March 21 -- 23 Father and Daughter

September 12 -- 14 Father and son

October 10 -12 Mother and son or daughter (Limited to 10 families)

Registration forms and more information about the FUN camp sessions are available at the LDWF web site ([www.wlf.state.la.us](http://www.wlf.state.la.us), click on "Education Programs") or may be obtained by calling LDWF educator Lynn Mathews at 318/484-2212.

Families are encouraged to register for FUN Camp soon since the limited spaces are filled quickly.

**January 14th — February 23rd**  
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