

THESE SIGNS have gone up on each end of the newly replenished beach along Hwy. 82 between Holly and Constance Beaches. The no-drive zone ends just west of Constance Beach. Visitors may park on the side of the highway and walk out to the beach. (Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)

## Beach residents oppose 4-wheeler ban on beaches

By CYNDI SELLERS

Tempers flared and voices were raised last Thursday night when Beachfront Development District #1 held a public meeting to discuss 4 wheelers on Cameron beaches.

A large contingent of angry beach residents and camp owners presented a petition strenuously objecting to the new limits on motor vehicle and 4-wheeler activity on certain beaches. Others spoke in favor of some restrictions.

The main concern of most attendees was to be able to ride their 4-wheelers continuously from Gulf Breeze subdivision to Smith Bayou without having to stop at at Martin Beach. Currently 400 yards of the beach on either side of Martin Beach is prohibited to 4-wheelers, as is the replenished beach from Constance Beach eastward.

Police Juror Dusty Sandifer explained that for years people had been asking for a vehicle-free section of beach for families to use. He said with parking available beside Hwy. 82 the replenished beach is perfect for this use. He emphasized "We're not going to change this."

Sandifer also said the set-aside area of Martin Beach was established at the request of numerous Johnson Bayou residents who felt they were being denied use of the beach by the large numbers of 4-wheelers clogging the access area, many from Texas.

He explained that ordinances once enacted cannot be set aside or changed for 30 days, and asked for patience as the board continues to

## Oyster recipes are sought

The 2004 Louisiana Fur and Wildlife Festival will honor the oyster industry and recipes featuring oysters are being sought for the Festival Cookbook.

Recipes should be sent to: Louisiana Fur & Wildlife Festival, P.O. Box 19, Cameron, La. 70631 no later than Aug. 31.

The cookbook will be published in January.

## Chenier pool is now open

The Grand Chenier Recreation District No. 9 swimming pool opened Tuesday, May 28 and will be open daily, except Monday, from 1 to 7 p.m.

Rates are \$1 daily, \$25 for individual membership or \$40 for family membership.

Water aerobic classes will begin Monday, June 2. Call Phyllis Swire for information.

work out the needs of various beach user groups.

BDD#1 chairman Johnny Poole reported that House Bill 544 prohibiting motor-vehicles on sand dunes had been reported out of the Senate Natural Resources Committee and would next be taken up on the Senate floor. The bill has already passed in the house. When questioned, no one in attendance wanted to ride on the dunes.

Poole and Sandifer explained the authority the Beachfront Development District is given by the state, described the appointment process, and referred to advertisements in the Pilot prior to the actions. Residents who didn't buy the paper wanted notices sent to their homes. They were invited to attend all public board meetings.

Ron Holliday of DeRidder, said people should have the right to ride the whole beach including the new beach. He suggested a permit system for out of state riders or a permit for all 4-wheelers with higher out of state fees.

Ricky Ellender of Gulf Breeze, objected to the placement of signs near his property and requested that seaweed from beach cleanup be placed on unimproved beach areas to build them up. He and other Gulf Breeze residents asked to be exempted from beach cleanup efforts.

Ellender also suggested posts be installed forming a 4-wheeler lane across the Martin Beach access. Sandifer said he'd look into the possibility but that it would still be illegal for them to cross the parish road. Ellender later suggested Sandifer ask the Sheriff's Office to ignore local violators and ticket only out of towners.

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## Memorial Day arrests were down

Memorial Day weekend is traditionally the start of the summer season and has normally seen over 30 arrests. This year, however, only 12 arrests were made although many misdemeanor summons' were written.

Charges included possession of marijuana, 4; public intoxication, 3; DWI, 5; hit and run, 1; and criminal mischief, 1.

Elvin Bryant Jinks, Jr. Old Town Road, Hackberry, was arrested for domestic violence, simple battery and resisting an officer.

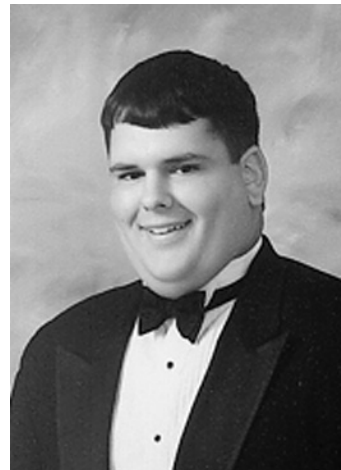
Chief Deputy Theos Duhon said there were ten extra deputies assigned to Holly Beach, which may have contributed to a quieter than expected weekend.



NEW WHITE SANDS dunes are being formed along Hwy. 82 behind the sand fences which were erected in the Constance Beach area where new sand has been pumped onto the beach. The current drought and high south winds have speeded up the dunes' formation. (Photo by Cyndi Sellers.)



Brittany Mudd



Parry LaLande, Jr.



Leah Billedeaux

## Parish students honored

### Mudd named Miss Softball

The La. Fast Pitch Softball Hall of Fame has awarded its inaugural Miss Softball Southwest La. award to Brittany Mudd of South Cameron High School.

The award is given on an annual basis to the Southwest La. High School fast pitch softball girl who is adjudged to be the best player in the Southwest La. region during the 2003 high school softball season.

Brittany was named to the first team All District softball team all four years in high school. In her junior year she was named the Most Valuable Player in her district and also received All State honors. She has received All district in 2003 and finished her senior year with a record of 24-6 with 108 strikeouts and a 0.90 ERA. She also showed her versatility by batting .313 in her senior season.

Brittany finished her four year career at South Cameron by pitching them to three state tournaments, compiling a 77-19 itching record with 470 strikeouts. She was also outstanding in district games compiling a 38-3 record.

Brittany has maintained a 3.02 grade point average in her high school curriculum at South Cameron High School.

She will receive the inaugural award at the Louisiana Fast Pitch Softball Hall of Fame Induction banquet June 7, at the Lake Charles Civic Center. Tickets may be purchased at the door for the event which includes a meal and the induction ceremony at \$10 per person.

Her parents are Coy and Pam Mudd.

### Billedeaux, LaLande named to Sports Hall of Fame

Two Cameron Parish High school athletes are among seven youths who have been named to the Southwest Louisiana High School Sports Hall of Fame and will be honored at a banquet at Treasures of Marilyn in Lake Charles at 7 p.m., Wed., June 11.

They are Leah Billedeaux of Hackberry High School and Parry LaLande, Jr., South Cameron High School.

The other honorees are: Katrina Castille, St. Louis Catholic High School; Barbara Caraway, Lacassine High School; Katy Hoffpauir, Bell City High School; Tena Matthews, Washington-Marion High School.

The purpose of the High School Sports Hall of Fame is to recognize Southwest Louisiana high school seniors who have distinguished themselves in the field of athletics either by their accomplishments on athletic teams or by effort on behalf of athletics.

LaLande, who was a line-man for the Tarpons, was

named to the district 5-1A team, Class 1-A all state, All Southwest Louisiana Small Schools team, and Academic All State. He accomplished all of this while maintaining a 4.0 grade average.

Billedeaux helped lead her Lady Mustangs basketball team to 3 Class C state titles in four appearances at the state tournament. She was named the Class C Most Valuable Player. She averaged 14.3 points per game with 9.7 rebounds. She has been honored with all district selections, All Southwest Louisiana Small Schools selection, and Academic All State history chosen as team MVP.

Plaques with the inductees' names and photos will be displayed year-round on a Wall of Honor outside J. C. Penney's in the Prien Lake Mall. Plaques will also be given to each inductee and to his or her high school.

Banquet tickets are \$10 each. For more information, contact the United Way office, 337-433-1088.

## Fur Festival names new officers

By YVONNE MHIRE

The Louisiana Fur and Wildlife Festival held election of officers on May 18, for the year. New officers are president John LeBlanc, 1st vice president Freddie Richard, 2nd vice president Clifton Hebert, 3rd vice president Yvonne Mhire, secretary Stephanie Rogers and treasurer Sandy Smith.

Committee members will be appointed at the next meeting. Anyone interested in becoming a part of the festival by giving their time, please contact any board member.

The parish will celebrate its 50th anniversary in 2006 and we want to make it a golden year for the festival.

The 48th annual festival will be held Jan. 8, 9, 10, 2004 and will honor the oyster industry.

## Blood drive

The Lifeshare Blood Center mobile unit will be at the Farmers Market in Hackberry from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, June 7 to accept blood donations on behalf of the Hackberry Fire Dept. and the community.



## Hackberry Library to open Thursday, May 28

The Cameron Parish Library would like to introduce the parish two of its new employees, Nanette Hickey, Hackberry library branch manager, and Emma "Bobbie" Kershaw-Gueho, assistant branch manager. The Hackberry Branch is celebrating its grand opening and open house on Thursday, May 29, from

noon until 6 p.m.. Nanette Hickey has been a resident of Hackberry for 5 years. She is looking forward to seeing Hackberry residents enjoy their own branch of the library and is working hard to ensure that the residents will have the benefit of new technology and resource materials at their fingertips.

Emma Kershaw-Gueho has been a resident of Hackberry since 1953 and graduated from Hackberry High in 1961. She attended McNeese for 1-1/2 years, is a member of the Hackberry First Baptist Church and also the pianist for Hackberry United Methodist Church. She is also a member of the 911 Communications Board, and a director of the Calca-sieu Cameron Fair Association.

The Hackberry branch of the Cameron Parish Library is open from 12 noon until 4:30p.m. on Monday thru Wednesday, noon until 6 p.m. on Thursdays, and noon until 4:00p.m. on Fridays.

The Hackberry library will offer free to the public with library cards, a two week checkout on books, magazines, and audio cassettes and books on CD's. The free checkout time for DVD's and VHS videos will be three days.

The Hackberry library also offers new Internet computers to the public and state of the art video conference equipment. The Hackberry branch also has a cemented pavilion for patron outings.

Call the Hackberry Branch of the Cameron Parish Library at 762-3978 for more information.



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## More sand fencing to be added

Ken Bahlinger, State Division of Coastal Restoration, announced that an additional 9,400 feet of sand fencing costing \$64,000 will be installed by July or August, completing the protection of the replenished beach in the Constance Beach- Gulf Breeze area.

This project should greatly assist the subdivisions where blowing sand has caused some problems lately.

Also, vegetative planting is set to go in along the current section of sand fence by mid-June. Landscape Management of Lake Charles, has been growing the 18,400 bitter panicum plants all spring. When they reach optimum height they will be set out.

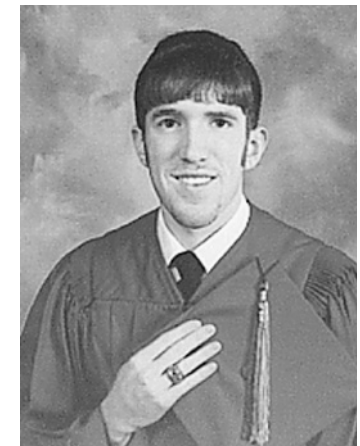
The plants will work along with the sand fences to slow the erosion of fine-grained beach sand as roots hold sand in place and stems and leaves break the force of the wind, trapping particles in the dune.

## Johnson B. pool to open on May 31

The Johnson Bayou Recreation Center will open its swimming pool on Saturday, May 31 at 2 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

The pool schedule is as follows:

- Monday: closed.
- Tuesday: 3 to 7 p.m., 7 to 8 p.m., Ladies Night.
- Wednesday: 3 to 7 p.m.
- Thursday: 3 to 8 p.m., open late for everyone.
- Friday: 3 to 7 p.m.
- Saturday: 3 to 7 p.m.
- Sunday: 3 to 7 p.m.



BARRY REED was co-salutatorian at Grand Lake High School this year. He was inadvertently omitted from the Special Graduation Edition.

**CAMERON OUTDOORS**

**Saltwater fishing**

By LOSTON McEVERS

**C.C.A. TOURNAMENT BEGINS**

This past week saw many boats fishing saltwater throughout our parish. The Calcasieu Coastal Association tournament has begun and anglers are out there trying to catch the largest speckle trout for the first month, also trying to catch a tagged redfish. This like the largest trout for the month would win a boat, motor and trailer package.

Winds have shifted back to the southwest after a few days of northeast wind and high pressure weather, which will really help out the fishing. It only takes a lucky cast of the line and it could mean a new boat.

Reports of large trout in Big Lake, 8 and 9 pounders, reported, so someone will weigh one 10 pounds or better. I really think this is the year we'll see the C.C.A. record broken and probably an 11 pounder weighed-in. Top water is still a big trout bait, although slower than fishing off bottom, it'll produce large trout. Good top water plugs are the he or she dog and good colors are chartreuse, black and chartreuse. Also, using a 1/4 ounce jig head using plastic lures, like the eel or cockahoe, in black chartreuse, purple chartreuse and bone and chartreuse are good.

There's also something new in our area called the Redfish Cup Series, which is a tournament held in different areas, and Lake Charles will have one June 27-29, and a top angler will continue competing. Each event will be on TV's ESPN2 during the month of August, and the Lake Charles event will be on TV Aug. 23 at 9:30 a.m. Championship overall will be Sept. 6.

This is a good money tournament with \$20,000 to first place team, \$8,000 second place and payoffs through top 25 teams. There will be elimination after two days with the top five teams continuing. Many anglers are coming from out of state so this will be a large turnout of anglers. For more information call 501-372-6544, David Healy.

**MARSH FISHING**

Marsh fishing has been tough, lots of small bass but hard to catch the big one. Water is getting real low, and lots of trails are now impassable. If we don't get rain soon, it'll be canal fishing only in lots of parts of the Big Burn, white perch and goggle-eye good in deep canals.

Lacassine Refuge is still producing bass on a catch and release basis. A 4-1/2 pound was caught last week on a



**CAROLYN RUTHERFORD, left, President of the East Lake Charles Rotary Club presents a \$1000 check to Kim Hollingsworth, community coordinator for Southwest Louisiana Marine Institute. The check represents a CAPS Grant awarded for educational purposes to the program. The East Lake Charles Rotary Club has formed a partnership with the Southwest Louisiana Marine Institute to tutor their students once a month prior to their regular club luncheon.**

spoon and frog chunk, and released, so that tells us there are still some larger fish that made it through the last drought, but if we have another one, it would be bad.

**OFFSHORE**

Anglers did well on red snapper this past week, as Gulf waters sort of calmed down. I saw a couple of catches from boats at the Grand Chenier Park and they had snappers up to 10 pounds. They told me they were 30 to 40 miles offshore, but not the location.

**SPRING SHRIMP SEASON**

Louisiana's inshore shrimp season opened in our area, Zone 3, which includes inshore water from the west-

ern shore of Vermilion Bay and Southwest Pass at Marsh Island to the Texas state line. Opening was Mon., May 26.

Shrimpers that I talked to were shrimping around the Vermilion Bay area, as it opened May 13. I understand they're having good catches, but the prices are not good.

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

- June 2-8 - National Fishing and Boating Week.
- June 7 and 8 - Free Fishing Day, Louisiana.
- June 4 - Lemesche Bass Club meets, 6 p.m., Creole KC Hall.
- June 14 - Lemesche Bass Club tournament, Big Burn, a draw tournament, weigh-in 3 p.m.
- June 21 - Allstate speckle trout shootout at Prien Lake

**Election commissioner instruction to be held**

Carl Broussard, Cameron Parish Clerk of Court, announced there will be a General Course of Instructions for all Commissioners-in-Charge, Commissioners, Alternate Commissioners or for anyone wishing to become certified as an Election Commissioner as follows:

Tuesday, June 17, Holly Beach Fire Station, 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, June 18, Klondike Community Center, 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 19, Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex, 6:30 p.m.

These instructions are open to the public for anyone wishing to become an Election Commissioner. To become a Certified Election

Commissioner you must attend one of these courses of instructions and pass an examination.

"At these meetings we will go over the police jury's plans, recently approved by the United States Department of Justice, as they pertain to Cameron Parish elections," Broussard said.

These items include: The 2003 Cameron Parish Police Jury Reapportionment Map of Precincts and Voting Districts, and the consolidation of Precincts 6 and 7 (Sweet Lake are precincts 0 into Precinct 16 and Precincts 10 and 11 (Cow Island precinct and Grand Chenier precinct) into Precinct 17.

**Summer reading program schedule told by Library**

The Cameron Parish Library will be hosting the "Footloose in Louisiana" 2003 Summer Reading Program. This year not only will the library have performers coming from near and far to entertain the youth of the area, but will have librarians doing some story time programs.

This year the Cameron Parish Library will also have some of its branches open to the public and some of the Summer Reading Programs will be done at the new libraries.

This is the schedule for performers presenting free shows for the youth of our area:

- June 4- Johnette Downing Musician/Storyteller - 10 a.m. - Cameron Parish Library; 2 p.m. - Hackberry Library
- June 11- Alice Wallace Puppets - 10 a.m. - Cameron Parish Library; 2 p.m. - Grand Lake Firemans Center
- June 18- Angela Davis, Yarnspinner - 10 a.m. - Cameron Parish Library; 2 p.m. - Johnson Bayou Library
- June 25- David LeBouef, Magicians Workshop - 10 a.m. - Cameron Parish Library; 2 p.m. - Johnson Bayou Library
- June 26- David LeBouef, Magician Show - 10 a.m. - Hackberry Library; 2 p.m. - Grand Lake Firemans Center
- July 2- Calliope Puppet Creating Workshop - 10 a.m. - Cameron Parish Library; 2 p.m. - Grand Lake Firemans Center
- July 3- Calliope Puppet



**Johnette Downing**

Show- 10 a.m. - Hackberry Library; 2 p.m. - Johnson Bayou Library

Other Regularly Scheduled story times are as follows:

- June 12 at 1 p.m. - Hackberry Library Story Time
- June 19 at 1 p.m. - Hackberry Library Story Time
- July 10 at 1 p.m. - Hackberry Library Story Time
- July 9 at 2 p.m. - Johnson Bayou Library Story Time
- July 16 at 2 p.m. - Johnson Bayou Library Story Time
- July 23 at 2 p.m. - Johnson Bayou Library Story Time
- Grand Lake Branch Library story times will be announced as soon as the new branch opens.

With this schedule, the libraries should be having some kind of story time at least once a week for at least 6 weeks.

For questions about the Johnson Bayou Summer Reading Program call 569-2892, for Hackberry questions call 762-3978, or for questions regarding any of the many youth programs scheduled at the Main Branch call 775-5421.

Digital pictures for publication should be submitted on floppy disk or via e-mail: dequincynews@centurytel.net. Please send original jpeg format without alteration.

Park, for information, Call Don Dubue 985-892-6964.

**FISHING TIMES**

Best: Fri., May 30, 11 a.m.; Sat., May 31, 11:30 a.m.; Sun., June 1, 12:30 p.m.; Mon., June 2, 1:30 p.m.; Tues., June 3, 2:30 p.m.; Wed., June 4, 3:30 p.m.; Thurs., June 5, 4:30 p.m.  
Good: Fri., 5 a.m. & 5:15 p.m.; Sat., 5:30 a.m., 6 p.m.; Sun., 6:30 a.m., 6:45 p.m.; Mon., 7:30 a.m., 7:45 p.m.; Tues., 8:15 a.m., 8:45 p.m.; Wed., 9:15 a.m.; Thurs., 10:15 a.m.

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## Hackberry FBLA chapter annual awards night

By KRISTA NUNEZ

The 27th annual awards night of the Hackberry High FBLA Chapter was held Wed, May 7, at the school auditorium.

Mr. and Ms. FBLA, the highest awards of the night, were presented to Marcus Bufford and Lindsay LaBove. The runners-up were 1st, Lance Pearson and Lindy Delome; 2nd, Brett LaBauve and Chelsie LaBove; 3rd, Clay Billedeaux and Meagan Broussard; 4th, Paige Sanders.

Members receiving the hardest worker awards were presented to: freshmen - Kendra Byler, Jena Sanner, Mandy Michalko, and Jay Sanner; sophomores - Kyle Fontenot and Hillary LaBove; juniors - Brett Stansel, Amanda Abshire and Colleen Doucette; seniors - Jesse Brown and Jessica East.

The school workers by class were also presented awards. They include: freshmen - Clay Billedeaux, Lance Pearson, Jena Sanner and Morgan Hicks; sophomores - Amanda Perrodin and Hillary LaBove; juniors - Colleen Doucette, Amanda Abshire, Alexis Simon and Malorie Shove; seniors - Marcus Bufford, Lindsay LaBove, Lindy Delome and Jesse Brown.

The overall top school workers are Brett LaBauve, Kyle Fontenot and Mandy Michalko.

Four year member awards were presented to: Leah Billedeaux, Meagan Broussard, Marcus Bufford, Shelli Busby, Lindy Delome, Jessica East, Melissa East, Miranda Hicks, Chelsie LaBove, Lindsay LaBove, and Amanda White.

Hackberry High School FBLA had 12 superiors and one first place in contests at district, and these members were eligible to participate at the state conference in Baton Rouge.

Chelsie LaBove, 1st, Business Communications.

Superiors receiving gold excellence medals and certificates were:

Meagan Broussard, Business Communications; Shelli Busby, Business Law; Brett LaBauve, Computer Applications; Lindy Delome, Computer Applications.

Marcus Bufford, Desktop Publishing; Lindy Delome, Desktop Publishing; Kendra Byler, FBLA Principals and Procedures; Leah Billedeaux, International Business.

Paige Sanders, Job Interview; Jena Sanner, Word Processing; Ami Picou, Word Processing II; Marcus Broussard, Mr. FBLA; Meagan Broussard, Ms. FBLA.

Six members placed excellent and received silver excellence medals and certificates: Paige Sanders, Banking

and Finance; Lynn Guillory, Business Law; Jessica East, Business Procedures; Hillary LaBove, Introduction to Business Communications; Wiley Clement, Introduction to Parliamentary Procedure; Lindsay Mire, Marketing.

Winners recognized for placing at the state conference were: Marcus Bufford, Mr. FBLA, 4th; Richard D. Clanton Memorial Award, 3rd; Desktop Publishing, 1st; Lindy Delome, Desktop Publishing, 1st; Lindsay LaBove, Louisiana Who's Who, 1st; Paige Sanders, Job Interview, 6th, C++ Programming, 4th; Meagan Broussard, Ms. FBLA, 9th.

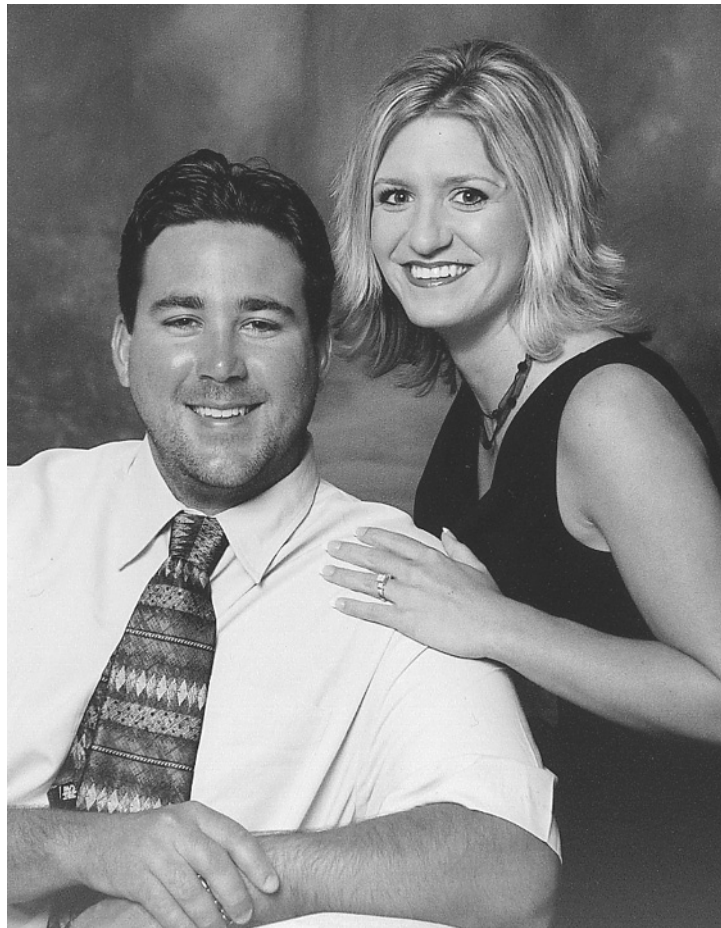
A number of people received special recognition for their help throughout the year. Sabrina Broussard, Amy Bufford, Michelle East, Quentin Busby, Barbara LaBove, Lisa Maddox, Susie Pearson, Cheryl Sanders, Gayla Shove.

Lindsay LaBove was recognized for serving two terms as District IV Vice president. She received an engraved brushed silver letter opener.

Marcus Bufford was also recognized for all the hard work he did for the chapter in his four years as a member. He received an engraved President's award plaque.

Lance Pearson was introduced as the new FBLA District IV vice-president. Lance and the Hackberry chapter will be the host school for the district conference to be held in Feb., 2004.

The new officers for 2003-2004 are: president, Colleen Doucette; vice-president, Lance Pearson; secretary,



**MARK AND TAMMIE Theriot of Grand Chenier announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Kara, to Lance Bonsall, son of Tommy and Gail Bonsall of Grand Chenier. The wedding is set for Friday, June 6 at St. Eugene Catholic Church in Grand Chenier beginning at 6:30 p.m. A reception will follow at the Creole Fire Station. Through this means, friends and relatives are invited to attend.**

Kendra Byler; treasurer, Mandy Michalko; historian, Jena Sanner; reporter, Krista Nunez; parliamentarian, Jill Poole; chaplain, Amanda Abshire; activities leader, Morgan Hicks.

**Summer is Here -- Watch for Children**

## Jill Simon is winner of Cameron Comm. Award

Cameron Communications announced that Jill Anne Simon, graduating senior at Johnson Bayou High School, is the 2003 recipient of the Cameron Communications-McNeese State University Scholarship. Jill is the daughter of Jessie and Belinda Simon, Jr. She intends to major in business management at McNeese.

Jill is graduating first in her class with a 4.0 GPA. Throughout high school, she was a member of FBLA and BETA. She participated in student council, varsity

sports, the annual Relay for Life, and science and social studies fairs.

The Cameron Communications-McNeese State University Scholarship is a two-year, \$2,000 endowment toward an associate's degree at McNeese. The scholarship is open each year to graduating seniors from high schools in South Cameron, Hackberry, Johnson Bayou, Grand Lake, Sulphur, Elizabeth, East Beaugard, Pitkin, Plainview and Fairview.

Applicants must have at least a 2.5 overall grade point average and plan to major in any technology, engineering, business, computer science, or management curriculum.

## KC banquet set Sunday

Terry Beard, Grand Knight of Our Lady Star of the Sea Knights of Columbus said that the annual Knight and daughter of the Year banquet will be held at the Cameron KC hall, Sun., June 1, beginning with a social at 6 p.m.

Our Lady Star of the Sea Knights and Catholic Daughters of America annually host the banquet honoring the Knight, Daughter and Family of the Year and other awards to members for helping the church and community.

The council has one new member, Christopher A. Hebert and one transfer, Keith Hebert.

The council named Milton Theriot and wife Dot as Family of the Month and Loree Broussard as Knight of the Month.

## New novels at Library

New novels at the Cameron Parish Library include:

The Mistress of Alderley, Robert Barnard; The Quilter's Legacy, Jennifer Chiverini; Second Time Around, Mary Higgins Clark; The Room-Mating Season, Rona Jaffe; Deadly Caress, B. D. Joyce.

A Visible Darkness, Jonathon King; The Rules of Silence, David L. Lindsey; Suspicious Origin, Patricia MacDonald; About Face, Fern Michaels; Cold Pursuit, T. Jefferson Parker.



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## Hackberry Jr. 4-H Club has last meeting

By SEAN HANKS

The Hackberry Jr. 4-H had its final meeting of the 2002-2003 school May 16. Awards were given to members who turned in record books. They are: Natasha Hicks, Kayla Backlund, Lori Beth Shoves, Jacob Poole, Shelby Sanner, Trace Buford, Sean Hicks and Bashby Thomas.

High point awards were given to: 3rd grade - 1st, Thomas Ducote; 2nd, Collin Reed and Dustin Kelly; 4th grade - 1st, Bashby Thomas; 2nd, Taylor Landry; 3rd, Dereck Pearson; 5th grade - 1st, Trace Buford; 2nd, Sean Hicks; 3rd, Logan LaBauve; 6th grade - 1st, Lori Beth Shoves; 2nd, Kelsey Helmer; 3rd, Jacob Poole; 8th grade - 1st, Kayla Backlund; 2nd, Natasha Hicks, and 3rd, Taylor Simon.

The Samantha Pitre Good Citizenship award recipient was Natasha Hicks, presented by Gayle and Jimmy Sanner.

Leader Margaret Shoves distributed Clovers, Achievement Day results and thank you certificates to parents who have helped throughout the year.

New officers for 2003-2004 are: president, Jacob poole; vice-president, Kelsey Helmer; secretary, Lori Beth Shoves; reporter, Sean Hicks; parliamentarian, Shelby Sanner, CRD chairman, Bashby Thomas and entertainment chairman, Kaitlyn Hicks.



THIS IS A photo of the interior of the new Johnson Bayou Branch of the Cameron Parish Library which was opened Wednesday. The library is located in the former Cameron State Bank Branch building.

## Health programs to be held at library

The Cameron Parish Library, Lake Charles Memorial Hospital and the Beauregard Parish Library will be jointly sponsoring a health career and craft/story time for the youth of Cameron, Calcasieu, and

Beauregard Parishes. Area youth ages 5-13 are encouraged to come to the Cameron Parish Library for the hour and a half long program that will consist of a short fictional story, work on crafts, youth will construct a

healthy snack from a dietitian, listen to various health career personnel tell about their profession, and take a video tour of their various areas of the hospital.

The programs will start on Thursday, June 5 at 9:30 a.m. and will continue every Thursday until August.

Story time around health careers and issues will start the program, a short craft may follow story time if time allows, a licensed dietitian will lead the healthy snacks constructed on site by child, various health professionals such as pharmacist, nurses, physical therapists, and other technicians will discuss topics relating to their various health fields such as fevers, self esteem, physical activity, diet and more.

The children will then take a video tour of various areas of the Lake Charles Memorial Hospital that will deal with that weeks health theme such as the radiology department, physical therapy department and many others.

The program will use the state of the art TeleMed video conferencing equipment in all of the facilities to broadcast the program to each of the facilities mentioned above. Each child will be able to see the professionals and children from each site and interact with each person in real time.

The program is a new pilot youth program from the TeleMedicine department of Lake Charles Memorial Hospital to help educate the youth of today on health issues, health careers that could be in their futures, healthy diets, and show the children some of the technology used in these fields.

To reserve a spot in the new program, call the Cameron Parish Library at



GIFTED AND TALENTED students from Cameron Elementary and South Cameron High School and Ms. January's sixth grade class from Cameron Elementary enjoyed a field trip to the Houston Museum of Natural Science where they viewed the "Treasures of the Vatican" exhibit.

## Church tells barbecue

St. Peter the Apostle Catholic Church of Hackberry will hold a barbecue dinner on June 21 at the Community Center beginning at 10:30 a.m. Proceeds will go to the

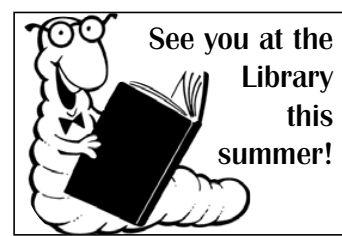
building of the new church hall.

Bingo and games will be played 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. Refreshments will be sold.

775-5421 extension 0, or come by the library on Thursday mornings at 9:30 a.m..

The Cameron Parish Library would like to introduce the parish two of its new employees, Nanette Hickey, Hackberry library branch manager, and Emma "Bobbie" Kershaw-Gueho, assistant branch manager.

The Hackberry Branch is celebrating its grand opening and open house on Thursday, May 29, from noon until 6 p.m..



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SHOWN ABOVE ARE the newly elected 2003-2004 Cameron Parish 4-H Jr. Leader Officers: Christopher Welch, parliamentarian; Shylyn Nunez, treasurer; Natasha Hicks, secretary; Angelina Campbell, vice-president; and Joby Richard, president. Barrett Hebert is the CRD chair and Melissa Nunez is the reporter.

**4-WHEELERS**  
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Mike Muller of Lake Charles, spoke for many when he said much of the bad feeling could have been avoided if a town meeting had been held on the issues prior to the posting of signs. Sandifer agreed and apologized for the oversight.

Bob Seat of Constance Beach, said he had only recently moved to Cameron

Parish and came because of the beach. He suggested a parking area adjacent to the road for 4-wheeler trailers and also recommended the purchase of a sand rake for seaweed and trash saying it would save money in the long run.

Most attendees stated that consistent law enforcement would soon calm the rowdy riders. Several suggested the Sheriff's Office acquire 4-wheelers, 4-wheel drivers

and/or horses for enforcement.

Nearly last to speak, Rodney Guilbeaux of Constance Beach, appealed for cooperation. "We haven't had a beach, now we have a beach, thank God. We're lucky, so please let us work together." He said even the few problems such as sand blowing on roads, in yards or over fire plugs was worth it to have a beach again. He thanked the parish crews for clearing the sand quickly, and applauded the BDD #1 board for taking on a thankless, non-paid job.

The question of ownership of the new beach where taxes have been paid continuously, even though the land was under water, was raised. The District Attorney had left the meeting by that time, however.

The next meeting is set for June 9.

**Letter to the Editor**

Dear Editor:

During the past ten years, graduation exercises at Grand Lake High School have been held in a very crowded gymnasium. Because our population has increased, our space at school has decreased. To accommodate the needs of our community, commencement exercises were held at the Rosa Hart Theater in Lake Charles. Although change is sometimes difficult, our seniors of 2003 proved that they were highly capable of handling a new situation with great ease.

I personally wish to thank the graduates for the highly effective job they did at practice and also at the graduation exercises. It was evident through their dignified behavior these young people are ready to meet challenges and changes in their lives. The graduation ceremony on May 24, was one of which the seniors of 2003 can be quite proud.

Again, I applaud the Grand Lake High School senior class of 2003 for a job well done. The senior sponsors, administration, and faculty are quite proud of you, and we extend our congratulations and thanks.

/s/ Pat Fletcher  
GLHS Teacher

**Hernandez completes Army course**

Marine Corps Pfc. Pablo Hernandez, Jr., son of Sanjuana and Pablo Hernandez of Cameron, recently completed the Small Arms Repair Course at the U. S. Army's Proving Ground in Aberdeen, Md.

With his newly acquired skills, Hernandez is now ready to work at a military base armory, providing weapons support to troops deploying for exercises and operations.

Hernandez is a 1999 graduate of South Cameron High School.

**Remember?**  
By Keith Hambrick

(Lake Charles American Press, May 28, 1940)  
VALEDICTORIAN

Iva Glass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Glass, has been named valedictorian of the Creole High School. She will deliver the valedictory address at the school commencement Wed. night.

(Cameron Pilot, May 28, 1970)  
MAGAZINE EDITOR VISITS

Ed Welborn, Editor of "Progressive Farmer" magazine visited Cameron Parish last week. He was on the last day of a week long visit to Louisiana to gather soil and water conservation stories for his magazine.

While in Cameron, he visited the Gulf Coast Soil and Water Conservation District Cooperator, D. Y. Doland, Jr. Welborn gathered information on the conservation operations which Doland is practicing on the Mermentau Mineral and Land Co., Inc. property east of Creole. It is his intention to write an article about the place.

Doland has practiced good conservation with help from the Soil Conservation Service assisting the District.

LEGION AUXILIARY ELECTS OFFICERS

The Richard Bros., 176 American Legion Ladies Auxiliary at their regular meeting May 19, elected the following officers:

President, Mrs. Leona McWhirter; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Hazel Richard; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. Bertha Duhon; secretary, Mrs. Bernice Bertrand; treasurer, Mrs. Bobbie Primeaux; chaplain, Mrs. Camilla Nunez; historian, Mrs. Geneva Griffith; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Ena Dronet; reporter, Mrs. Betty LeBoeuf.

ROUNDAABOUT THE PARISH

Janet Gail Riggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Riggs of Hackberry, was first runnerup in the Miss Teenage Louisiana contest at the state pageant held in Baton Rouge Saturday night.

Randy K. Kyzar, son of Mrs. Virginia Kyzar and the late W. W. Kyzar, is the recipient of the Wm. T. and Ethel Lewis Burton Foundation Scholarship at South Cameron High School.

Donna Rae Miller and Pam Griffith of South Cameron each won first place honors at New Iberia High school in the annual girls state track meet.

**DO YOU WANT TO BE SAVED?**

Only one time, in the entire Bible, is the question asked. "What must I do to be saved?" (Acts 16:30). In the next verse (Acts 16:31) the question is answered, **"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house."**

Remember:

- Hell's Hot
- Life's Short
- Death's Sure
- Eternity's Long
- and, "There Ain't No Exits In Hell."

**NO MAN KNOWS, HOW SOON IT IS TOO LATE**  
"Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His Name in vain."  
Exodus 20:7

Any way that you use God's Name, the Lord's Name, Jesus' Name, other than in a Holy manner, is taking His Name in vain.

*"For God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."*  
John 3:16

Acts 2:21 and Romans 10:13 indicate that, "whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." In the next verse, Romans 10:14 it says, "How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed?" Believing precedes calling upon The name of the Lord. Jesus Himself said in John 14:6: "I am the way, the truth, and the life; **no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**" God reaffirms this truth in 1 Timothy 2:5 saying "For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus." When someone says "repeat this prayer after me to be saved" it is making people feel like they have to "do" something to be saved, other than **believing**. If someone is asked to say a prayer to be saved, the person who says the prayer is still on his way to hell, after repeating the prayer, if he hasn't believed in his heart. Nowhere in the Bible is it found that a person has to pray a prayer to be saved. God does not hear a prayer unless you go to God in the name of Jesus Christ, **The Only Mediator between God and man**. Jesus Christ is not your Mediator unless he is your Lord and Savior. So according to God, the steps are, first, you **believe in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior**. By **believing** as Acts 16:31 indicates, you are **saved!** Acts 16:30,31 is the only time in the Bible where the question is asked, "what must I do to be saved?" God answering through Paul said, **"Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved."** By being saved, Jesus Christ is your Lord, Savior, and Mediator between God and yourself. Now you can pray to God, because you have the Mediator, Jesus Christ.

I believe that when a person "prays" to God, without being saved, his prayer goes no higher than the ceiling, and God probably says, "Who do you think you are, to think that you can come to me, without coming to Me in the only possible way that I have set out in My Word? For you come to Me, through My Only Begotten Son, Jesus Christ, the One and Only Mediator between you and Me." You don't just pull Jesus Christ out of the air, and say today I want You to get me to God, be my go-between for God! It doesn't work that way. Jesus Christ is either your Lord and Savior, making Him your Mediator, or if Jesus Christ is not your Lord and Savior, He is not your Mediator. I believe it is very important to stress that you are saved by **believing only**. John 3:16, probably the most quoted verse in the Bible, says that, "whosoever **believeth** in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." Again, this passage clearly prescribes believing, not repeating a prayer. In John 3:4, Nicodemus asks Jesus, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter the second time into his mother's womb, and be born?" He was asking this in regard to Jesus' statement in John 3:3, that a man needs to be born again. Jesus' answer in John 3:5 and following is "Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God." Nowhere does Jesus say, pray to be saved, it is **always believe**.

Years ago, I heard Dr. Donald Grey Barnhouse say "I'm deeply offended when I hear a prayer that does not end with the idea that God must be approached only through the Name and the Being of the Lord Jesus Christ." Ephesians 1:13 says "In whom (Christ) ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye **believed**, ye were sealed with that Holy Spirit of promise." Romans 10:9 tells us "That if thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt believe in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved. **For with the heart man believeth** (first) unto righteousness; and with the mouth unto confession (next) is made unto salvation." How many people have gone to hell or are going to hell by putting their trust in the ungodly "pray the sinners prayer" or "repeat this prayer after me," instead of **believing** John 3:36: "He that **believeth** on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not on the Son shall not see life; but the wrath of God abideth on him."

Luke 23:39-43 tells us, "And one of the malefactors which were hanged railed on him, saying, If thou be Christ, save thyself and us. **But** the other answering rebuked him, saying, Dost not thou fear God, seeing thou art in the same condemnation? **And** we indeed justly; for we receive the due rewards of our deeds; but this man hath done nothing amiss. **And** he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom. **And** Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, Today shalt thou be with me in paradise." In these verses in Luke, we see that a man was saved by believing only. The malefactor did not, and was not instructed by Jesus to pray, to receive salvation. He said unto Jesus, "Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom. **And** Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, today shalt thou be with me in paradise." **You don't fool Jesus**. Jesus **knew** that this man **believed** in Him; that this man **believed** that this that Jesus he was talking with was the Lord, the Messiah, the Only Begotten Son of God, the Savior, and in believing, the man was saved. Now if you think that you have to pray first, repeat first, or **anything** first, before believing, why did Jesus tell him "today thou shalt be with Me in paradise."? OR if there is a need to do anything to go along with **believing**, why didn't Jesus tell him what that was? Jesus doesn't make mistakes! God's Word is true. You don't (really you can't), add to or take away from God's Word, and it be true. Just leave His Word alone, and do what God said, **believe**. Psalm 119:89 "For ever, O LORD, thy word is settled in heaven." Revelations 22:18, 19 "For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book, If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book. **And** if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book." Take your Bible and check the references that we contained herein - nothing added to and nothing taken away; and when you hear "the plan of salvation" from anyone, get your Bible out and see if it is God speaking or "someone's" idea. I can't see "ten steps" to salvation, I can see only one step: **believe**. The malefactor on the cross had but one step, and he took it. You, I, we all have "one step," **believe**. Please take it, and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ for your salvation.

\*All Scripture references are from The King James Version, (Cambridge: Cambridge) 1769.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that any person or persons having claims arising out of the furnishing of labor, supplies, material, etc., in the construction of the said work should file said claim with the Clerk of Court of Cameron Parish, Louisiana on or before forty-five (45) days after the first publication hereof, all in the manner and form as prescribed by law. After the lapse of said time, the Cameron Parish Police Jury will pay all sums due in the absence of any such claims or liens. BY: Charles Precht III, President RUNS: APRIL 17, 24, MAY 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 - A 49

**NOTICE**

Excerpt from minutes of the Cameron Parish Police Jury meeting in regular session convened on the 7th day of April 2003. It is moved by Norma Pinch, seconded by Scott Trahan and carried that:

The contract for Project Number 2002-03, by and between the Cameron Parish Police Jury and Ribbeck Construction Corporation, for the Improvements to Parish Livestock Pavilion in Cameron recorded under File No. 277755, Mortgage records of Cameron Parish, Louisiana shall accept as complete and satisfactory and the Secretary shall cause the necessary advertisement for the claims to be made in a manner and form provided by law.

I certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct excerpt from the minutes of the regular meeting of the Cameron Parish Police Jury convened on the 7th day of April 2003. /s/Charles Precht III Charles Precht III, President RUNS: April 17, 24, May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 - A 50

**ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS**

Sealed proposals for the construction of the following project will be received by the Cameron Parish Police Jury of Cameron, Louisiana until 1:30 PM on 2 June 2003 at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex, 110 Smith Circle, Post Office Box 366, Cameron, Louisiana 70631 (337-775-5718) Project Number: 2003-03 Road Improvements in

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**NOTICES**

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I PETER vs 15: But rejoice, insasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.

/s/James R. Savoie James R. Savoie, Sheriff RUNS: May 15, 22, 29 - M 41

Cameroon Parish-Asphaltic Overlay & Base Construction. The rules and regulations for the State Licensing Board for contractors will apply; this project being classified as:

II. Highway and Bridge Construction

3. Permanent or paved highways & streets (asphalt hot mix)

5. Permanent or paved highways & streets (concrete)

6. Permanent or paved highways & streets (soil cement)

Proposal forms will not be issued later than 24 hours prior to the hour and date set for receiving proposals. Contractors may submit proposals on any contract for which they hold valid Louisiana Contractors classification. Every bid submitted shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid and shall be made payable to the Cameron Parish Police Jury. Full information and proposal forms are available at the office of Lonnie G. Harper & Associates, Inc., Post Office Box 229, Grand Chenier, Louisiana 70643-0229, (337) 538-2574. Plans and specifications may be inspected upon deposit of \$50.00 per set. Bids must be submitted on proposal forms provided by the engineer. Official action will be taken at the regularly scheduled Cameron Parish Police Jury meeting. The Cameron Parish Police Jury reserves the right to reject any or all the proposals. Cameron Parish Police Jury /s/ Charles Precht III, President RUN: May 1, 8, 15, 22 and 28 (M-19)

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS**

Bids are being solicited as follows and sealed bids will be opened and publicly read by the Purchasing Section of the Department of Natural Resources, Room 1263, 617 N. 3rd. St., Baton Rouge, LA 70802 at 11:00 a.m. on June 12, 2003:

Bid Proposal Number 432-2214-UORP/04-002

Survey Underwater Obstructions, East Hackberry, Cameron Parish.

Only those contractors on the list of contractors approved by the Underwater Obstruction Removal Program Office as of June 02, 2003 will be eligible for consideration. (Reference: Louisiana Underwater Obstruction Removal Program, ACT 666 of 1997).

Bid proposal form and specifications will be mailed to eligible contractors. Additional information may be obtained from the Department of Natural Resources, Office of Conservation, P. O. Box 94275 (617 N 3rd St-9th Fl.), Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9275, Attention: Underwater Obstruction Removal Program (or call Underwater Obstruction Removal Office at 225/342-6293).

Evidence of authority to submit the bid shall be required in accordance with R.S. 38:2212 (A)(1)(c) and/or R.S. 39:1594 (C)(2)(d).

This Notice published to comply with Public Bid Law. RUNS: May 15, 22, 29 - M 37

**AUTO BIDS**

Bids will be accepted by Cameron Parish Sheriff for the sale of surplus vehicles in as is condition. Bid sheets can be obtained at Cameron Parish Sheriff Office, 119 Smith Circle, P. O. Box 1250 Civil Dept., Cameron, LA 70631. Bids must be received by the above address on or before 8:00 a.m Friday May 30, 2003. The right is reserved by the Sheriff to reject any and all or to accept any bids which in the opinion of the Sheriff will be of the best interest of the Parish of Cameron and the Cameron Parish Sheriff Department.

/s/James R. Savoie James R. Savoie, Sheriff RUNS: May 15, 22, 29 - M 41

CAMEROON PARISH GRAVITY DRAINAGE DISTRICT NO. 7 MINUTES APRIL 17th, 2003

Meeting called to order by President Magnus McGee.

Present are: Magnus McGee, Carroll Trahan, Ivan Barentine, Rogerest Romero, Curtis Trahan. Absent: none.

Guests are: Rodney Guilbeaux, Wm. Lloyd Badon, Rex Jones, Kurt Storm, Adles Simon, Terry Delaine.

Motion to accept minutes of meeting April 17th, 2003 made by

4.4 MILLS. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the property administrative officials of the Parish of Cameron, State of Louisiana, be and they are hereby empowered, authorized and directed to spread said taxes, as hereinabove set forth, upon the assessment roll of said Parish for the year 2003, and to make the collection of taxes imposed for and on behalf of the District, according to law, and that the tax herein levied shall become a permanent lien and privilege on the property subject to taxation as herein set forth, and the collection thereof shall be enforceable in the manner provided by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the foregoing resolution was read in full, the roll was called on the adoption thereof, and the resolution was adopted by the following votes: YEAS: 5, NAYS: 0, ABSTAINED: 0, ABSENT: 0

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and exact copy of a resolution adopted at a regular board meeting held on March 17th, 2003, at which time a quorum was present and voting. Johnson Bayou, Louisiana, this 17th day of April, 2003

/s/ Magnus McGee MAGNUS W. MCGEE, PRESIDENT

Next meeting to be Thursday, May 15th, 2003 at 6:30 PM at Board Office at 205 Middle Ridge Road in Johnson Bayou.

Motion to adjourn by Rogerest Romero, seconded by Curtis Trahan, passed. ATTEST: /s/Rodney Guilbeaux, Exec. Secty. /s/ Magnus McGee, President, Gravity Drainage District #7. RUN: May 22 (M-51)

CAMEROON PARISH WATERWORKS DISTRICT NO. 11 PROCEEDINGS APRIL 8, 2003

There was a meeting of the Board of Waterworks District 11 at 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, April 8, 2003, at the Grand Lake Waterworks office.

PRESENT: Jeffrey Jouett, Billy Johnston, Andre Abadie, Gerald Richard.

ABSENT: Ricky Guidry OTHER ATTENDEES: Charles Precht, Police Juror.

The meeting was called to order by Board President Jeffrey Jouett.

Mr. Robert Primeaux addressed the board to discuss the recent rate increase. He questioned why we dropped from 9,000 base gallons to 2,000 base gallons. Mr. Charles Precht discussed how the new rates were determined.

On motion of Andre Abadie, seconded by Gerald Richard, and carried, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

On motion of Andre Abadie,

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**NOTICE TO AT&T BUSINESS AND RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS IN LOUISIANA**

AT&T Communications of the South Central States, LLC has filed tariffs with the Louisiana Public Service Commission to revise the Louisiana Payphone Compensation Surcharge and the Public Payphone Surcharge. The Payphone Compensation Surcharge will change from \$0.26 per call to \$0.47 per call. The Public Payphone Surcharge will change from \$0.30 per call to \$0.47 per call. This change is scheduled to take effect on June 27, 2003.

**GRAND LAKE RECREATION DIST. #5 SWIMMING POOL WILL OPEN ON TUESDAY, JUNE 3, 2003**

**HOURS: Tuesdays through Sundays 2:00 p.m. Until 7:00 p.m.**

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**SEMIANNUAL GENERAL COURSE OF INSTRUCTION FOR ELECTION COMMISSIONERS**

According to Carl Broussard, Cameron Parish Clerk of Court, and in accordance with R.S. 18:431 A. (1) (a) of the Louisiana Election Code, there will be a General Course of Instructions of all Commissioners-in-Charge, Commissioners, Alternate Commissioners or for anyone wishing to become certified as an Election Commissioner on the following dates, locations and times listed below:

Tues., June 17, 2003: Holly Beach Fire Station - 6:30 p.m.  
 Wed., June 18, 2003: Klondike Community Center - 6:30 p.m.  
 Thurs., June 19, 2003: Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex - 6:30 p.m.

These instructions are open to the public for anyone wishing to become an Election Commissioner. To become a Certified Election Commissioner you must attend one (1) of these Courses of Instructions and pass the mandatory examination that will be administered.

RUN: May 29, June 5, 12 (M-70)

**Grand Chenier Recreation District 9 Summer Schedule**

The public swimming pool will open Tuesday, May 28.

Recreation Center summer hours will be: 1:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m., open every day except Monday.

Rates for the summer swimming are as follows:

Daily Rates.....\$1.00  
 Individual Membership.....\$25.00  
 Family Membership.....\$40.00

Water aerobic classes will begin Monday, June 2. Please call Phyllis Swire for more information on this or any of the other recreation activities available.

ENJOY YOUR SUMMER!! RUN: May 29 (M-73)

**CAMEROON FOOD MART**

Community Coffee.....	Lb. \$3.59
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Coke, Dr. Pepper, or Sprite	12/12 Oz. \$3.39
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All Flavors.....	8 Oz. \$1.79
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Mt. Olive or Peter Piper H.B.	
Sliced Dills.....	32 Oz. \$1.19
Kraft Barbecue Sauce All Flavors	
(Regular \$1.53).....	18 Oz. 89c
Mahatma Long Grain Rice.....	20 Lb. \$5.99
Best Vet Tomato Sauce.....	8 Oz. 5/\$1.00
Best Vet Corn, Green Beans, Mix Veg.	
or Sweet Peas.....	15 Oz. 2/89c
Ranch Style Beans.....	15 Oz. 2/89c

Post Raisin Bran, Fruity Pebbles, or Cocoa Pebbles.....\$2.49

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Visitors are invited to inspect the new Libraries and have refreshments.

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**Thursday -- 12 to 6 p.m.**

Grand Lake Branch to open at a later date

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**LEGAL NOTICES**  
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Pasture - Section 25, T12S - R9W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of Work: Mr. Miller proposes to excavate a pond to provide fill material on homestead and for a fishpond.

The decision on whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts of the proposed activity in accordance with the state policies outlined in R.S. 49:213.2. The decision will reflect in the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The decision must be consistent with the state program and approved local programs for affected parishes and must represent an appropriate balancing of social, environmental and economic factors. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered; among these are flood and storm hazards, water quality, water supply, feasible alternative sites, drainage patterns, historical sites, economics, public and private benefits, coastal water dependency, impacts on natural features, compatibility with the natural and cultural setting and the extent of long term benefits or adverse impacts.

Certification that the proposed activity will not violate applicable water and air quality, laws, standards and regulations will be required before a permit is issued.

Any person may request, in writing, within the comment period specified in this notice, that a public hearing be held to consider this application. Request for public hearings shall state, with particularity, the reasons for holding a public hearing.

Plans for the proposed work may be inspected at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Annex Building, P.O. Box 1280, Cameron, Louisiana (337) 775-5718. Written comments should be mailed within 25 days from the

date of this public notice to Cameron Parish Police Jury, Post Office Box 1280, Cameron, Louisiana 70631.

/s/ Earnestine T. Horn  
CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY  
RUN: May 29 (M-71)

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
CAMERON PARISH COASTAL USE PERMIT APPLICATION

Interested parties are hereby notified that the Coastal Management Section of the Cameron Parish Police Jury has received the following apparently complete application for a Coastal Use Permit in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Louisiana Coastal Resources Program and R.S. 49, 213.1, the State and Local Coastal Resources Management Act of 1978, as amended.

L.C.U.P. #030615  
Name of Applicant: Austin & Julie Pearce, 6121 Hwy. 397 or P.O. Box 8819, Lake Charles, LA 70607.

Location of Permit: Grand Lake-Section 14, T12S-R8W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of Work: Mr. & Mrs. Pearce propose to excavate and fill for a trailer pad, future house pad, barn pad, and to build up low areas on property. The excavated area will be used as a fishpond.

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/s/ Earnestine T. Horn  
CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY  
RUN: May 29 (M-72)

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L.C.U.P. #030616  
Name of Applicant: Cameron Parish Waterworks District No. 11, 111 Dennis Lane, Bell City, LA 70630.

Location of Permit: Grand Lake - Section 8, T12 S - R8W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of Work: Proposed Waterline Crossing under Black Bayou in the Grand Lake area to improve the distribution capability of an existing community water system.

The decision on whether to issue a permit will be based on an evaluation of the probable impacts of the proposed activity in accordance with the state policies outlined in R.S. 49:213.2. The decision will reflect in the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The decision must be consistent with the state program and approved local programs for affected parishes and must represent an appropriate balancing of social, environmental and economic factors. All factors which may be relevant to the proposal will be considered; among these are flood and storm hazards, water quality, water supply, feasible alternative sites, drainage patterns, historical sites, economics, public and private benefits, coastal water dependency, impacts on natural features, compatibility with the natural and cultural setting and the extent of long term benefits or adverse impacts.

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**Recreational licenses expire on June 30**

Recreational hunters and anglers should be reminded that their 2002/2003 recreational licenses will expire on June 30. The Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries is encouraging everyone to renew their licenses before it is too late. 2003/2004 licenses will be available beginning June 1.

Annual licenses purchased from LDWF are valid from July 1 to June 30 of the following year. LDWF provides several different ways to purchase or renew licenses.

Sportsmen may log on to the LDWF website at [www.wlf.state.la.us](http://www.wlf.state.la.us) and purchase a license by using a Visa or MasterCard credit card. One may also call 1-888-765-2602 and purchase the license over the phone. Again, Visa and MasterCard are the accepted forms of payment.

Local license vendors also offer recreational hunting and fishing licenses. Accepted forms of payment may vary according to the vendor.



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/s/ Earnestine T. Horn  
CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY  
RUN: May 29 (M-74)



PICTURED AT a Brown vs. Board of Education Hearing anniversary in Baton Rouge recently were, from left: Charles Cole, Cameron NAACP; Mrs. Loue Anna Grice; Louise Cole, Cameron NAACP president; and Ernest Johnson, state NAACP president.

**Horse show forms are due Friday, May 30**

Entries for the Southwest District and State Horse Shows are due Friday, May 30th to the Cameron 4-H Office. You must show your horse at the district show in order to qualify for the state horse show.

The District Show will be a 2 day show scheduled for June 24th - 25th at the Burton Coliseum in Lake Charles. All halter and performance classes will take place on Tuesday June 24th.

Registration will be from 7 a.m. till 8:30 a.m. The show will begin at 9 a.m. On Wednesday, June 25th check in will be from 7 a.m. till 8 a.m. for speed events. The show will begin at 8:30 a.m.

The State Horse Show is scheduled for Monday, July 14 through Saturday, July 19 at

the John M Parker Agricultural Coliseum.

The State Show Rule Book can be obtained at the following web site: <http://www.lsuag-center.com/Inst/Extension/live-stockshow/catalogues.asp>. The rules in the state rule book will also cover the district horse show.

At the state show the entry fee is \$5.00 per class, \$10.00 stall fee, and cattle charge is \$10.00 for roping and tempering classes. This fee is due when you arrive at the State Livestock Show.

If you have any questions, please contact the 4-H office at 337-775-5516.



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