



THIS IS A photo of the South Cameron Memorial Hospital prior to its destruction in September, 2005, by Hurricane Rita. Construction on a new hospital will begin in the near future.



THE CAMERON PARISH Library, which was destroyed by Hurricane Rita in September, 2005, will be rebuilt in the near future with insurance funds and grants. The library was built following Hurricane Audrey in 1957.

Road Home changes to benefit Cameron Parish

By CYNDI SELLERS

Changes to the Road Home Program were explained to Police Jurors at their agenda meeting Monday night. Community Outreach representative Rachel Lecompte said that recent changes in the program will benefit Cameron Parish residents. There is now no penalty for those over 65 who choose to sell their property and move elsewhere. Formerly, anyone who chose to sell would see a 30% reduction in benefit, but so many senior citizens are not able to rebuild, yet need the funds, that the penalty was eliminated for them.

Other changes include elimination of the requirement that the applicant be registered with FEMA, ability to apply over the phone, and extended hours to process more applications.

Another adjustment is in the area of family land. If a person was living in a family house, but did not have title, the program will now accept signatures of all heirs allowing the person to rebuild there.

In the case of a house located on large acreage, where the owner wants to sell the house but not all the acreage, the program is still trying to work out a plan. Legal aid services are being contracted for dealing with successions.

COMPENSATION

In Cameron Parish, the average compensation, based on 33 award letters, is \$32,000. For those choosing to stay, the average is \$73,000, those relocating average \$53,000, and those selling average \$17,000.

Lecompte said many Cameron Parish applicants have qualified for low interest, forgivable loans, which greatly increases their award package. The loans are forgivable if the applicant stays in their house for five years and keeps up insurance. The new house must be built to International Building Code requirements.

An elevation award of up to \$30,000 and a mitigation award of \$7500 are also avail-

able in addition to the basic compensation award. For more details, applicants should call 1-800-ROAD2LA. Jurors asked Lecompte to return to the voting meeting next week so her information can be received by more people through television.

KILMER ADVISES

Former EOC director Kisha Kilmer, who now works for the state, advised the Jury on how to get FEMA project worksheets moving faster and rebuilding started. She said, "The state has done a poor job with improved and alternate projects, but now we are moving it." She said the process for improved projects, those that include changes from the original, have been bogged down.

Some Cameron Parish fire stations are in that category. But the problem has now been identified and if the Jury will let her know which projects are stuck, she will track them down, she said.

Kilmer advised going ahead with any obligated projects and getting invoices to Baton Rouge, where any problems with the PW can be dealt with later.

LIQUOR PERMIT

Jurors will revisit the liquor permit application for the Sportsman Bar & Grill in Hackberry, following advice from the District Attorney's office. Asst. DA Jennifer Jones said that the owner, Frank Treadaway, has met all requirements for the license and since there are no legal grounds for denying the permit, she advised approval. She said the location of the business in a residential area would come under zoning, which the parish does not have.

On that subject, Parish Planner Ernie Broussard presented four choices for ordinances controlling hazardous waste facilities and businesses and industries along waterways. This limited form of zoning has been in the planning stages since the approval of a drilling mud treatment facility near the mouth of the Calcasieu River. Jurors will choose one ordinance next week for adver-

tisement. Final voting will take place in January.

Parish OEP Director Clifton Hebert reported that the bids are in for final debris removal and demolitions. There was only one bidder, GPS. Certain details of the removal process will be worked out with the contractor during the week, and pick-up should begin within 48 hours of the approval of the contract.

BUSH'S VISIT

On behalf of South Cameron Memorial Hospital, Jennifer Jones asked the Jury to help fund the expenses of the visit of former president Bush on Dec. 20. She said the visit will require a number of things to be done, such as providing electricity for news crews, a stage, bleachers and risers, a heated tent, and food for up to 1000 people. "I don't want to feed the former leader of the free world hot dogs," she said. The estimated cost of the visit will be \$25-\$30 thousand. Parish Administrator Tina Horn and jurors offered to help find sponsors to cover at least part of the cost.

Bush will be delivering a check for \$2 million from the Bush Clinton Katrina Relief Fund to help the hospital recover. Governor Blanco will also be honored at the ceremony for her help in securing \$23 million in aid to rebuild the hospital.

DUMP STATION

Juror Sonny McGee asked the panel to consider funding a recreational vehicle waste dump station for the Holy Beach area, to be located at the solid waste site. He said it would greatly assist visitors, since they could drop off trash and empty tanks at the same place. He said the mechanical system would cost about \$50,000.

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Blanco names Broussard as Road Home director

Governor Kathleen Babineaux Blanco recently announced the appointment of Ernest Broussard, Jr. to the Road Home Corporation Board of Directors. The publicly chartered nonprofit Road Home Corporation that will take title to properties that is sold through the Road Home Homeowner Assistance Program.

Properties purchased through this program will be held by the Road Home Corporation to be re-developed and returned to commerce consistent with the local land use plans and with the involvement of local jurisdictions. The Corporation will work with local and parish governments to decide on the disposition of purchased properties.

The Board consists of seven members appointed by the Governor. Mr. Broussard was chosen for his education, his training and experience in housing development, land use, urban planning and design, and policy analysis.

He is a resident of

Governor Kathleen Babineaux Blanco, the Louisiana Recovery Authority and Cameron Parish officials announced that construction is set to begin on a \$22 million new state-of-the-art facility to replace South Cameron Memorial Hospital.

"Construction of this new facility is absolutely critical to ensuring Cameron's long-term recovery and future growth," said Governor Blanco. "This is yet another symbol of the tremendous progress we're making across South Louisiana and proof that the intense winds and raging floodwaters from last year's storm are giving way to safer homes, stronger schools and hospitals and smarter communities."

In September 2005, Hurricane Rita devastated Southwest Louisiana completely destroying South

Cameron Memorial Hospital, which operated as the only full-service hospital in Cameron Parish. Construction of the new facility, which is scheduled to begin with an official ground breaking on Dec. 20, will be funded through a combination of federal, state and private funds.

FEMA recently approved eight Public Assistance project worksheets based on estimates to restore the hospital to its pre-disaster condition.

Recognizing that the

return of hospital services is critical to support the return of residents and businesses to Cameron Parish, the LRA passed a resolution in August designating damage to public rural hospitals as a criterion eligible for funding under the Local Government Infrastructure Program. Through this action, the state committed Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) funds to cover all of Cameron's non-federal matching costs and

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Hospital to be rebuilt soon

Raising La. 82 proposed

By JEREMY HARPER
AMERICAN PRESS

Louisiana's latest plan for coastal restoration and hurricane protection proposes substantial projects for Southwest Louisiana, a departure from previous coastal plans, which focused almost entirely on the southeast corner of the state.

Area residents can see a rough draft of the plan 1:30-3:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 30, at the Lake Charles Civic Center.

The Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration Authority will host the public

meeting, the last of three held across the state this week to introduce the plan and receive public comments.

The plan proposes to raise and strengthen La. 82, the state highway that traces the Gulf of Mexico in lower Cameron Parish, to serve as a first line of defense against storms and to provide a reliable evacuation route.

It also backs the construction of a levee system for this corner of the state, a potentially controversial approach that several local coastal experts have argued would draw money away from wetlands restoration.

Tarpons are named All District

By CHRIS & LAURIE
MUELLER

South Cameron's Jaylon Ball and Justin Picou were double honorees on the 5-1A All District football team, being named on offense and defense.

Ball, a junior, was named at wide receiver and defensive back.

Picou, who is a senior, was named as a running back and defensive lineman.

Senior offensive guard Jordan Istre and senior center Thomas Hunt also made the first team offense.

Receiving second team honors were quarterback Deil LaLande and linebacker Thomas Trosclair.

Food to be distributed

Food will be distributed on Friday, Dec. 8, to Cameron Parish residents who meet income requirements at the tent operated by Minvielle Outreach Ministries in Cameron. Volunteers are needed Dec. 7 to unload the truck.

Hackberry Festival set

The third annual Hackberry Holiday Festival will be held Friday, Dec. 8, at the Hackberry Community Center from 5 to 8 p.m.

Community Christmas events include photos with Santa, ornament crafts, cookie decorating, holiday music program, live Christmas tree lighting, food and beverages.

A Holiday Marketplace will feature local artisans, businesses and school organizations selling and taking orders for holiday gifts, crafts and goody mixes. For infor-

mation on booth space contact: Kathy Helmer or Kevin Moreau at 762-3305.

The festival was organized by the Hackberry High School student council with support from these sponsors:

Founding partner and event underwriter, Cameron LNG LLC, an affiliate of Semptra LNG, and Santa's helpers - Targa Midstream Services LP, Cameron Communications, Deep South Productions.

The public is invited to attend.

Cheney shot some ducks

By LOSTON MCEVERS

Since Hurricane Rita, Cameron Parish has had a steady visit of state and national visitors—including the governor, U. S. and state senators and representatives and even former President George W. Bush (who is coming back in December). The latest distinguished visitor was Vice President Dick Cheney, who was here on Saturday, Nov. 18, on a duck hunt.

The vice president came down to the Grande View Camp, that is owned by Mr. Zuchloag, at Little Chenier. (Formerly Roger Vincents camp.) The V.P. team consists of 27 people, agents, doctors, divers and secret service agents.

Mr. Cheney hunted with

Kim Bourrique of East Creole as guide, however, before this took place, divers checked out the route, the pond and surrounding areas for safety reasons.

While all of this was taking place, there were eight boats from the boat launch, to the mud boat ditch and close to the blind, plus two U. S. Army helicopters flying around in the air. (This is good for bringing ducks in close, Ha!) I'm sure Kim stayed close to the V.P. to protect his ownself.

Cheney hunted with Mr. Zuckloag and got six ducks and then hunted in a three man group and they got 18 ducks.

It was said Mr. Cheney stayed up talking with the camp group until near midnight and was a very nice fellow.



PICTURED AT the recent dedication of the new Oak Grove Baptist Church building were Rev. Wallace Primeaux, a former pastor; his wife, Marianna Primeaux; and his daughter, Becky Primeaux. Rev. Primeaux was pastor of the church when Hurricane Audrey hit in 1957. (Photo by Judy Rutherford.)



Ernie Broussard



TWO CAMERON Parish deputies who recently graduated from the Calcasieu Regional Law Enforcement Academy after completing 320 hours of instruction in basic law enforcement are pictured with Sheriff Theos Duhon. From left are Mike Young, Sheriff Duhon, and Jarred Cheramie.

Funerals

SHANNON BRUCE

The funeral for Shannon Bruce, 28, of Carlyss was held Wednesday, Nov. 29, in Robison Funeral Home, Sulphur. The Rev. Alan Trouille officiated. Burial was in Mimosa Pines South Cemetery.

Mr. Bruce died Saturday, Nov. 25, 2006, in Lake Charles. He graduated from Sulphur High School in 1996 and was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church of Carlyss. He was employed as a pipeline welder.

Survivors include his son, Kameron Paul Bruce of Carlyss; mother, Francis Bruce of Beaumont, Tex.; father, Barry Bruce of Hackberry; brother, Sean Bruce of Hackberry; maternal grandmother, Mrs. Sidney D. Hinton of Sulphur.

JAMES EVERETTE MOYE, SR.

James Everett Moye, Sr., 41, of Grand Lake, died Saturday, Nov. 25, 2006 at Lake Charles Memorial Hospital.

His funeral service was held Wednesday, Nov. 29, in Hixson Funeral Home Chapel of Lake Charles. Interment was in Ebenezer Cemetery in Cameron.

Memorial books told by Library

The following memorial books were recently donated to the Cameron Parish Library. The honorees, donors and titles are listed in that order:

Quentin and Christopher Bruchhaus, Dallas and Charlie Mae Brasseaux, Baseball Chatter;

Virginia "Tookie" Dupont, G. C. and Brenda Quinn Getting To Know Nature's Children: Wild Horses and Caribou.

J. B. Nunez, G. C. and Brenda Quinn, Getting To Know Nature's Children: Leopards and Parrots;

Anna Bell Smith, G. C. and Brenda Quinn, Getting To Know Nature's Children: Pelicans and Snakes;

Brown LeBoeuf, G. C. and Brenda Quinn, Getting To Know Nature's Children: Deer and Rabbits.

Linda Sue Dennis, G. C. and Brenda Quinn, Getting To Know Nature's Children: Polar Bears and Skunks;

Alma Theriot, Debbie and Dave Savoie and Family, More Bountiful Blessings;

Margaret Saltzman, Debbie and Dave Savoie and Family, The Complete Cookie Jar;

Quentin and Christopher Bruchhaus, Emma "Tou" Theriot, Football Now.

It Seems Just Like Yesterday

By Keith Hambrick



Cameron Pilot, Nov. 29, 1973. CARTER NAMED KNIGHT OF YEAR

W. H. "Black" Carter of Cameron received the Knight of the Year award at the tenth annual award banquet of Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church.

In making the presentation, James L. Derouen said that Carter is a charter member and has been a tireless worker for the council and his church.

Rev. Alcide Sonnier, council chaplain, gave the invocation and benediction.

Rev. Sonnier presented certificates of merit to the altar boys who have served him during the past year. They are: Oscar Reyes, John LeBoeuf, Brandon Hebert, Kevin Colligan, Val Mouton, Tim Colligan, Stephen Cheramie, Terry Dronet and Alan McCall.

CHANNEL MEET SET

A public hearing has been called by the U. S. Corps of Engineers to discuss findings to date on the proposal that the federal government take over the maintenance of the Mermentau River navigation channel into the Gulf of Mexico.

The East Cameron Port, Harbor and Terminal District, which constructed the channel opening up navigation on the Mermentau River, and the Cameron Police Jury and Louisiana congressional delegation all have urged the Corps to take over the maintenance of the new channel as it is too great a financial burden on the port district.

TARPS LOSE IN PLAYOFF

"Always a bridesmaid-never a bride."

That expression might well sum up the fate of the South Cameron High School Tarpons who have made the state Class AA football playoffs for five times, but have never been able to win a state title.

It looked like this might be the year that the "jinx" was broken for the Tarpons, as they went into the playoffs with only one loss in eight games and one of the best teams in the school's history.

However, the Opelousas Catholic Vikings were just as determined as the Tarpons to win state honors and after the smoke had cleared last Friday night in Opelousas, the Tarpons had lost 28-23.

The victory marked the second year that Opelousas Catholic has knocked the Tarpons out of contention for the title as it downed South Cameron 17-6 last year in a quarterfinal game.

South Cameron's Jody McCall scored all three of the Tarpons' touchdowns, ran over two extra points and kicked another.

MISS ROBICHAUX NATIONAL WINNER

Suzanne Robichaux, a Cameron Parish 4-H girl, has been declared a national winner in the 4-H bread program, and recipient of a \$700 educational scholarship.

One of six winners nationally to receive the scholarship presented by Standard Brands Incorporated, Miss Robichaux received the award during the 52nd National 4-H Congress, held Nov. 25-29, in Chicago.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Robichaux, Sweetlake, and a Grand Lake High School junior, Suzanne hopes to use her scholarship to further her studies in food science or music education.

THREE 4-HERS WIN AT CHICAGO

Three Cameron Parish 4-H Club members won national honors at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago last week.

All three had won all expense paid trips to the show for showing their lambs at the Louisiana State Fair.

Joni Gray of Hackberry captured a first place in the heavyweight lamb division. A student at Hackberry High School and a member of the school's 4-H Club.

Kathy Penny, a student at Hackberry High School, received a sixth place ranking with her crossbred lamb in the heavyweight division.

Denise McCall, received a ninth place with her Hampshire heavyweight lamb. She is president of the South Cameron Junior 4-H Club.

SMITH EARNS LETTER

Neil Smith of Grand Chenier was one of 36 players earning football letters for McNeese State University during the 1973 season. Smith is a sophomore letterman.

All McNeese football players and the coaching staff will be honored at the annual Cowboy banquet Dec. 6, in the school's cafeteria.

RIVER RATS IN STATE PLAYOFFS

This Saturday the River Rats will represent McNeese in Baton Rouge for the LSU State Playoffs in Flag Football. The River Rats are a group of ex-Tarpons with a couple of Lake Charles players added to make up the No. 1 flag-football team at McNeese. Flag-football is similar to touch football except the players wear a belt with flags attached. When flags are pulled, the players are "down."

The River Rats are Scott Henry, Pat Howerton, Carl Broussard, Earl Guthrie, Edward Peterson, Jay Boy Dinger, Keith Henry, Terry Murphy, Cedric Hebert, Bob Tarter, Ricky Canik E. J. Gaspard, Jimmy Brown, James Pearce, and Danny Landry.

Tutoring offered to students

St. Andrew Presbyterian Church will have free dinners and tutoring for McNeese students who are preparing for final exams. The study hall will be held 5 to 8 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 6, in the fellowship hall at 4020 Hodges Street. Free child care is available with reservations. Please call the church at 477-6166 to register for child care, request assistance in subjects not listed, or for more information on the study hall.

McNeese Professors will be available for help with the following subjects:

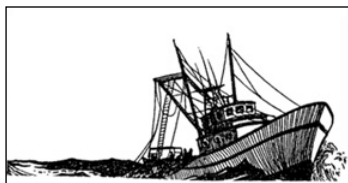
- Math
- Nursing
- Statistics
- Chemistry
- Business Administration

201 St. Andrew is located within walking distance from campus, across from the Wesley Foundation on the corner of Sale and Hodges Streets.

Damaged boats to be auctioned

A Louisiana firm will have an online auction to sell vessels damaged from the hurricanes. The public can bid on a variety of boats from Nov. 26 through Dec. 2. Ocean Marine Brokerage Service will handle all inquiries regarding the auction.

For more information on the boats available, terms of the auction, inspection and payment process, visit www.oceanmarine.com or contact 985-448-0409.



Flu shots available at three Cameron Parish locations

Early flu shots now available to people over age 50

Each year, millions of individuals get the flu, with more than 36,000 people dying from this virus. While many are ill for about a week and view the flu as nothing more than an inconvenience, there are many people for whom the flu can be deadly. This year, the Department of Health and Hospitals is making early flu shots available to people aged 50 and older. This is a change from previous years when early vaccines were given only to those over the age of 65.

This week, Nov. 27 - Dec. 3 is being recognized as National Influenza Vaccination Week. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, DHH and its Office of Public Health are urging people to use this week as an opportunity to get the flu shot. In addition to those over age 50, others who should first get the influenza vaccine include:

- Residents of long-term care facilities
- People with chronic diseases

Recovery Station open house Dec. 1

The Southwest Louisiana Disaster Recovery Station, 2606 Common St., will hold an open house at 10 a.m. Friday, Dec. 1.

The station offers services to those affected by Hurricane Rita. The project is funded by the United Methodist Committee on Relief.

Bishop William W. Hutchinson of the Louisiana Conference will attend the dedication ceremony, which will be officiated by the Rev. Doug de Graffenried of First United Methodist Church.

For information on the services provided by the Southwest Louisiana Disaster Recovery Station, call the station's operations manager, Brandi Russell, at 436-6122.



- Children aged 6 months to 5 years
- Children and adolescents up to 18 years of age who are on aspirin therapy
- Pregnant women
- Household members of high-risk people
- People who provide care to high-risk people in the home setting

DHH encourages those who meet the high-risk definitions to get their shots as soon as possible. Flu shots are available at parish health units throughout the Lake Charles area on the dates below:

Cameron Parish Walk-In Clinic Sites: Cameron Office of Emergency Preparedness, 122 Recreation Lane, Cameron. Walk-In Clinic Cameron, Tuesday, Nov. 28, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.; Thursday, Nov. 30, 12:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Grand Lake Recreation Center, 108 Recreation Lake, Grand Lake. Walk-In Clinic Grand Lake, Wednesday, Nov. 29, 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Johnson Bayou Recreation Center, 135 Berwick Road, Cameron. Walk-In Clinic Johnson Bayou, Thursday, Nov. 30, 9 a.m. - 11a.m.

JURY

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Juror Darryl Farque said he wouldn't vote for it unless it had written approval from the health department, and McGee said he would have it by next week.

FIRE AGREEMENT

Farque asked the Jury to consider a joint service agreement between Big Lake Fire District 14 and the Deatonville community in Calcasieu Parish. The Deatonville fire station was destroyed, and they have offered to fund increasing the size of the Big Lake fire station and providing two trucks if the district will provide fire protection for their community. It is not clear whether they will also provide volunteer firefighters.



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1999 Chevrolet Tahoe	\$5,997	2004 Dodge Ram 1500 Crew Cab	\$12,997
Auto, A/C, AM/FM CD, power windows, locks, tilt, cruise, power seats, all loaded up		Auto, A/C, AM/FM CD, tilt, cruise, lots of extras	
2001 Pontiac Sunfire	\$5,997	2002 GMC C1500 Crew Cab	\$13,997
A/C, white, AM/FM CD, tilt, cruise, sporty		Auto, A/C, AM/FM CD, tilt, cruise, power windows, locks, Stk #F43907A	
2000 Chevrolet Cavalier	\$6,997	2003 GMC Sierra Excab	\$13,997
Auto, A/C, 4 dr, AM/FM CD, tilt, cruise		Stk #F9907A, auto, A/C, fully loaded	
1999 Ford F150 Excab	\$6,997	2003 Pontiac Grand Am	\$5,997
A/C, AM/FM stereo, tilt, cruise, Stk #T7506B, very clean		Auto, A/C, 4 dr, AM/FM CD, all loaded up	
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Stk #F506A, auto, A/C, AM/FM CD, 5.3 V-8 engine, power windows, locks, fully loaded		Candy apple red, sunroof, auto, A/C, AM/FM CD, loaded	
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Road Home has been a long and bumpy one

By E. J. GASPARD

The road home to lower Cameron Parish has been a long and bumpy one for my fellow "Rita Rats" and me. First there was the Guard enforced roadblocks that kept everyone out but the looters. Then the law enforced curfew that made sure we all got back to our temporary housing at a decent hour. (You never know what mischief an unsupervised displaced, homeless person might get into.)

Well, it's been almost a year since those first roadblocks came down and now others are coming up in their place in the form of permits and regulations. There seems to be a new permit requirement or regulation around every corner. There's no logic to it. I'm surprised you don't need a permit to apply for a permit.

All we want to do is go back home. Unlike our brethren to the east, we did not wait, holding out our hands to the government for help. We just want government to get out of the way so we can go back to work. Apparently that's not the way government functions anymore. Every one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence was a land owner. I find it hard to believe that they would approve of the state of affairs today.

I have come to believe that no one can actually own land anymore. You can only buy permission to live on it temporarily. It's limited permission at that because someone else will tell you what you're allowed to do on it. The courts will take it away if you get too sick to work it and the government can take it to build a road, build a park or heck, if

they just want it. They can even give it to Super Mart to build a mall. It's called eminent domain and it means that it is the inherent power of the state to expropriate private property without the owner's consent, either for its own use or by delegation of the taking power to third parties who will devote it to "public uses." I suppose it's a sign of the times.

Speaking of signs, while my neighbors are still struggling to get sewer permits so Parish will let them have electricity again or while they are trying to figure out how to elevate an outside shed fourteen feet so they can put an air conditioner in it, the road sign installation business goes merrily along.

Road signs are a good thing. I have to admit I was happy to see the Little Chenier Road sign back up. I had gotten tired of driving all the way to Creole because I missed my turnoff home. I was even happy to see the LeBoeuf Road sign return even though it's so far back from the intersection that I still often miss my turn. Sign placement is a noble effort and it's good for the community but I can't help thinking that somewhere along the way it got out of hand.

Now that the bridge at Oak Grove has been repaired, I can once again travel the Mermentau River Road to work. It's a lonely stretch of road with no blind curves or hazards to speak of so it makes for a leisurely drive. To occupy myself the other evening I began to count new road signs along that road. From beginning to end, I counted an impressive 177 signs in all. That might not sound like a lot until you consider that the Mermentau

River Road is all of five point eight miles long.

I did a little research on the internet (I have entirely too much free time on my hands nowadays) to see how much those signs were worth. The cheapest site I could find offers traffic signs of every description. Average price for the most common signs you see along the highway is \$65 each. Now, you have to provide the signposts and cover the cost of installation but the cost of those 177 signs alone on that tiny stretch of road comes to \$11,505. Like I said, that's pretty impressive.

The Little Chenier road has its share of new signs as well. A lot of them are wrong. There's an intersection sign (\$65) where no intersection exists. There are cattle crossing signs (\$65) where there are no longer any cattle to cross and there is a hurricane evacuation route sign (\$45) pointing straight ahead at an intersection that forces you to turn either east or west. There are signs warning of the presence of slow children (\$46) at a spot in the road where the oldest child inside of five miles is about fifty-two years old. Nearly every winding curve sign (\$65) indicates a hard left or a hard right turn. I suppose they ran out of the squiggly ones. In the interest of safety I suggest you watch the road and disregard the signs.

A sign of past prosperity in lower Cameron Parish is the multitude of Parish roads. Many of these roads are actually private drives paved through the generosity of past Parish officials. These roads are still there even though the homes they once served are gone. They are quite literally "roads to nowhere". Take Parish Road 245 for example. It's about 15 yards long and all it leads to are the shattered dreams of a family. Parish Road 245 is marked by exactly eight new signs (\$520) as are Parish Roads 250, 252, 255, 257, 259, 262, 264 and 265, little roads that could all

Letters to Editor

Ham mixup told in L. C.

Dear Editor:

During the last food giveaway at the food tent in Cameron. We all knew first come, first served. We got there at 8 a.m. and were about number 60 in the line. We were told the truck with the hams would be late. But don't worry, you will get a ticket for a ham. You may wait on the truck or come back.

Three hours later we are at the front of the line. When we asked for our ticket, we are told by the keeper of the hams there are no more tickets.

So what does that mean. We can't get a ham without a ticket. If you have 300 hams you should have given them to the first 300 people. We later heard of people getting three or four hams and that they had so many left over they were just handing them to anyone. So why tell some of us who got there early and stayed in line for hours, "NO," when you had so many.

/s/ Patricia LaBove
Creole

Library staff congratulates

Dear Pilot Staff:

Congratulations on your 50 years of wonderful service and support.

Signed by members of the Library Staff:
JoDee Roberts, Tina Boudreaux, Gloria Kelley, Rhonda Duhon, Peggy Reyes, Charlotte Trosclair, DeDe Nunez, Beckie Primeaux, Mae Simon, Julie Carlson, and Doe Swire

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J. M. Calzada, Cyndi Sellers, Gayle Sanner, Wanita Harrison and Stephanie Rogers

School lunch menus told for schools

Lunch menus for all Cameron Parish schools for the week are as follows. All meals are served with milk.

Friday, Dec. 1 - Hamburger, oven fries, lettuce cup, chocolate chip cookie, hamburger bun, catsup.

Monday, Dec. 4 - Chicken Alfredo, tossed salad, orange wedges, salad dressing, wheat biscuits, Jello w/fruit.

S. C. High School News

DANCELIN FUNDRAISER

Smoothie King will be at South Cameron High School on Tuesday, Dec. 5 beginning at 12:15 p.m.

SENIOR NEWS

Senior Portraits will be taken on Dec. 19 by Lifetouch Studios. Ms. Little has the following scholarship applications: Jaycee Senate, LA Municipal Clerks Scholarship, Rockefeller State Wildlife Scholarship.

4-H NEWS

Fall 4-H day contests will be held at Grand Lake School on Saturday, Dec. 2. The "Showing for Life" Swine Show will be held on Saturday, Dec. 2 at Burton Coliseum. Livestock entry forms are due Dec. 8.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Nov. 30 - Basketball Hackberry Tournament.

Dec. 4 - Basketball Reeves (Home).

Dec. 7 - Girls Basketball Lake Arthur (away). Boys Basketball Hackberry (away).

Dec. 11 - Progress Reports

Dec. 12 - 4-H Meeting 1:25 p.m. Parish Basketball Tournament at Grand Lake.

Tuesday, Dec. 5 - Meatballs for gravy, brown gravy, rice, carrots, fruit salad, peanut butter spread, wheat rolls.

Wednesday, Dec. 6 - Chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes, fresh fruit cup, yellow cake, chocolate glaze, wheat sliced bread, white sauce.

Thursday, Dec. 7 - Beef nachos, tomato cup Ranch beans, steamed broccoli, cinnamon rolls, tortilla chips.

Hospital

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all repair costs that are deemed to be ineligible for FEMA public assistance, which could total to more than \$4 million.

"Governor Blanco, the LRA, Chairman Powell and Louisiana's Congressional have all played a critical role in moving this project forward," said Cameron Parish Assistant District Attorney Jennifer Jones. "I join thousands of Cameron Parish residents in saying thank you for all of your efforts to help us rebuild our hospital our lives, and our community."

In September, with these federal, state and private commitments in place, residents of Cameron Parish overwhelmingly approved a 10-year maintenance tax designed to support sustainable hospital operations, clearing the way for construction of the new facility to begin.

"This new facility will provide emergency care services for thousands of residents and offshore workers in lower Cameron," said Jones.

Once completed, this new state-of-the-art facility will include a full emergency room, 25 inpatient beds and rural health clinic, which includes a dental program. The hospital will also house a retail pharmacy and other ancillary services. The hospital is to be constructed in two phases. Phase I will include the emergency department and eight inpatient beds. Phase II includes 17 inpatient beds and the other ancillary services. The contractor currently predicts that substantial completion of Phase I will be accomplished on or before March 25, 2007.

In accordance with the state's hazard mitigation and elevation policies, the hospital has been designed as an elevated structure with the finished floor located at an elevation of 10 feet above sea level, allowing for one foot of freeboard above base flood elevation. Freeboard is the distance between the base flood elevation and the bottom of the structure, which provides an additional safety factor. The hospital's emergency generator and sewer treatment plant are also designed to allow their continued operation during flood events. The hospital's structure is structural steel set upon concrete piers and is designed to withstand winds of 130 miles per hour.



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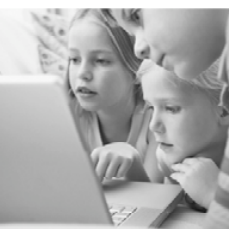
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CATHOLIC CALENDAR.

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Gina Camalo, left, helps her son Andrew fill a holiday food basket for the needy at the Catholic Service Center recently. The pair was part of a group of catechists and confirmation candidates from Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church who volunteered to help the Center fill and distribute 102 food baskets, according to Jettie Greene, Director of the Center. The food baskets were given out to those in need in Calcasieu and Jefferson Davis parishes.

Companions of Honor elect new officers

LAKE CHARLES - Clifford Myers of Jennings was elected to serve as president of The Companions of Honor of the Diocese of Lake Charles. Myers and three others were named at the recent Annual Meeting of the group held in Ave Maria Hall of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception office building. The annual Memorial Mass celebrated for the deceased members of the group was held in the Cathedral following the business meeting.

Chosen to serve with Myers were Elizabeth Gayle of Jennings, vice president; Bernard Beaco of Lake Charles, secretary, and Robert Chiasson of Welsh, treasurer. The four will serve in their respective posts for two years.

The Companions of Honor is an organization of Catholic clergy, including Monsignori, religious and lay people who have been decorated by the Holy See or the Diocese of Lake Charles, plus those Catholic members of internationally recognized Orders of Chivalry residing in the Diocese of Lake Charles.

Forty-nine members of the group were remembered during the celebration of Mass, including Mrs. Elsie Brodrick, November 5, 2004; Mrs. Edith Benoit, November 11, 2004; Mr. Hayes Picou, Sr., November 22, 2004; Mrs. Rose Johnson, December 4, 2004; Mrs. Rose Mae Harrington, December 4, 2004;

Mr. A.L. Miller, December 12, 2004; Mrs. Neva Groth, January 14, 2005; Mr. Jack W. Denson, January 18, 2005; Mr. Lester Andrew Armand, January 28, 2005; and Sir Stephen A. Broussard, February 9, 2005.

Also, Lady Margaret Schindler, February 24, 2005; Mrs. Elaine Hebert, March 7, 2005;

Mr. Alvin Buller, March 21, 2005; Mr. Philip Robert Lynch, March 30, 2005; Mr. Robert E. Schmitt, June 1, 2005; Mrs. Vernie Hardy, June 21, 2005; Mrs. Peggy Sue Corley, June 27, 2005; Msgr. Amos J. Vincent, July 18, 2005; Mrs. Lillie Latour, July 24, 2005; Mrs. Cassie Leigh Cradure, July 27, 2005; Mr. Robert Vincent Forest, July 27, 2005; and Sir Ellis R. Guillory, September 18, 2005.

Also, Sir Robert W. Kline, September 19, 2005; Mrs. Elaine Claire Bodin, November 8, 2005; Mrs. Grady Mae Dugas, December 20, 2005; Mrs. Margaret Elise Haymark, January 3, 2006; Rev. Oris Broussard, January 8, 2006; Mr. Richard Dennis Guthrie, January 10, 2006; Sir David L. Garrison, January 25, 2006; Mr. Clarence Lee Cormier, February 5, 2006; Mr. Charles Fred Groth, February 5, 2006; Ms. Christenia Pete, February 5, 2006; Mrs. Taimer Pizanie, February 19, 2006; Lady Leona Foley, March 11, 2006; Judge John Allen Patin, March 25, 2006; Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Piraro, March 29, 2006; Mrs. Lucy Collins, April 3, 2006; Mrs. Mary Venable, April 6, 2006; Mrs. Elaine Rita Terranova, April 26, 2006; Dr. Thomas Hugh DeLaurel, Sr., May 5, 2006; Mrs. Myrtle Marie Monroe, May 8, 2006; Mrs. Ethel Marie Mancuso, May 28, 2006; Mr. Melvin Joseph Cormier, Sr., June 13, 2006; Mrs. Adenise Marie Trosclair, June 19, 2006; Mr. Peter Joseph Manena, June 26, 2006; Mr. Francis Joseph Hidalgo, July 9, 2006; Mr. Ryan Joseph Artigue, July 14, 2006; Msgr. Irving A. DeBlanc, July 16, 2006; Mrs. Helen Marie Zaunbrecher, August 1, 2006; Mrs. Lovica Bourque Hebert, October 25, 2006.

Social justice important aspect of Religious Ed

(Second of two parts)

LAKE CHARLES - The year Denise Donahoe became an Assistant Director of Religious Education for the Diocese of Lake Charles, one of the key issues she began working on was social justice education. Social justice or social teaching can be described as that teaching which deals with the rights and duties of man organized into society, especially with the economic aspects of society.

Now as Director of the Office, which like every program and ministry of the Diocese relies on contributions to the annual Diocesan Services Appeal now ongoing in the parishes, Donahoe sees the need to continue to provide education about Catholic Social Teaching.

"When I came to the Diocese we put together booklets that each of the parishes and the schools would get to help them in making sure that that aspect of the Church is carried out, that quality education is carried out," Donahoe said.

She hearkened back on her experience at Immaculate Conception Cathedral School as well.

"When I first started there, and I looked at their program, I could see that they were teaching the doctrine and I could see that they were having community, building community in their school, but I didn't see a lot of service outside," she said. "It was an insular place. If there was a need within the school, if perhaps someone's house burned down, they'd have a fundraiser but they didn't seem to see the bigger church, the world.

"So when the Task Force was put together and could see we needed to move in that direction, I could see that we needed help within the schools, to do that," Donahoe continued. "Something ended up being mandated. In schools if you have it on the front burner you have to have it mandated. From that has come the social justice paralyturgy in February every year as a celebration of what our students are learning and that is for fourth and fifth graders with all the Catholic schools as well as Episcopal Day School being invited."

The event is held at a different school each year and everyone takes a role, putting together a skit, a song, a poetry reading, according to Donahoe.

An exciting aspect of the Office currently is the arrival of the results of a survey done by the parishes called Information for Growth of Adults (IFG).

"We had a grant from Extension Society two years ago to do the study," Donahoe said. "We were assessing where our adults were who teach our students and where students were so we can evaluate how programs are doing and where we need to put our emphasis on training for our adults.

"We just got the results back a couple of weeks ago and that will be really a key for us to look at in our certification program for what we offer for conferences and so forth," she said. "We are also getting the information to the pas-

tors, giving them a birds eye view of some of their adults in the parishes, as to where the needs are, perhaps for their homilies, their own adult education, sessions for retreats they may want to get, and so forth. We are very excited about that."

Although some were resistant to do the survey in the beginning, now that the results have been seen minds may have changed.

"They are pleasantly surprised with their results," Donahoe continues. "They are seeing some clear areas where they can focus on where they need to grow. I think this is a good thing. I have already had a couple of parishes ask about whether they can do it again and for other folks. We are really excited about getting this information. It is a view of where we need to focus our efforts in training and adult education all together."

Donahoe notes that in February, the Diocese will do the Assessment for Catholic Religious Education for the fifth, eighth, ninth, and eleventh grades in all the schools.

"We hope that in the years to come we will be doing both of these assessments in all parishes and schools," she said. "Many pastors are not only looking at it for those who teach the children but also for the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults and those involved with adult education."

In her work with the Office of Catholic schools Donahoe aided in the investigation of religious education textbooks being used in the Diocese.

"We worked on making sure we had textbooks that were doctrinally sound as well as pedagogically sound," she said. "Each year we work on that and have gotten down to five or six publishers with the best of their series and their most current books.

"We also adopted a curriculum guide because we didn't have one of our own," Donahoe continued. "We piggybacked with the Archdiocese of Indianapolis. We are paying them for its use and then we are adapting it for our Diocese. It was piloted in 2002 and then mandated in 2003.

"As we adapted it we changed some of the paper work that was used to help us see how we are doing and had to send the changes to Indianapolis," she said. "It happened that they like how we had changed it and they have now implemented some of our changes."

Recently Donahoe held a workshop to provide teachers with information on how to enrich their classes, using multi-sensory efforts and showing them how to use adequate methods that engage all ways of learning.

Gifts made by the many generous Catholics in the Diocese of Lake Charles to the annual Appeal make it possible for the Office of Religious Education as well as other programs of the Local Church to continue and flourish. Please remember the many people who take part in programs and ministries offered by the Diocese and consider your own gift, whether large or small, to the 2006-2007 Diocesan Services Appeal.



Jacob Scott Conner, left, a seminarian studying for the priesthood for the Diocese of Lake Charles at Notre Dame Seminary was recently instituted into the Ministry of Acolyte by The Most Reverend Roger Morin, right, Auxiliary Bishop of New Orleans, during ceremonies at St. Rita Church in New Orleans. Conner was among 29 seminarians instituted into the ministries of Reader and Acolyte. Acolytes are exhorted to serve the priest at the Eucharist as an auxiliary minister and to give Communion to the faithful at the liturgy and to the sick.

(This page paid for by the Diocese of Lake Charles.)

Liturgy Formation Day, Jan. 13

LAKE CHARLES - The Rev. Edward Foley, Cap. will be the keynote speaker at the fifth annual Liturgy Formation Day on to be held on Saturday, Jan. 13, 2007. The day will begin at 8:45 a.m. and continue until 12 noon at Our Lady Queen of Heaven Church, 3939 Lake Street. This year's program is entitled, "*Lex Orandi, Lex Credendi*" - "We Pray As We Believe."

Fr. Foley is Professor of Liturgy and Music and the founding Director of the Ecumenical Doctor of Ministry Program at Catholic Theological Union in Chicago. A member of the Province of St. Joseph of the Capuchin Order since 1966, he was ordained a priest in 1975. He has authored more than 300 scholarly and pastoral articles and sits on a number of editorial boards.

His unique presentations incorporate music and storytelling into sharing knowledge and understanding of liturgy in a challenging yet inviting way.

The Liturgy Formation Day is held annually to provide ongoing formation of liturgical ministers including the clergy, extraordinary ministers of communion, lectors, music ministers, ministers of hospitality, and ushers, even though all persons are invited to attend. There is no fee, but to be able to prepare efficiently, registration is required. Call Mary Beth Conner at 337-439-4585 for more information.



Eleven of the 14 men and women honored with the 2006 Maple Leaf Awards were present at the recent ceremonies held at Villa Maria Retirement Center in Lake Charles. The Awards were instituted by the late Msgr. Irving A. DeBlanc to honor the work of people in their "Diamond" years.

Fourteen garner Maple Leaf Awards for 2006

LAKE CHARLES - Fourteen men and women of the Diocese of Lake Charles, all living their "Diamond" years were recently honored with the 2006 Maple Leaf Awards during a ceremony held at Villa Maria Retirement Center.

The Maple Leaf Awards, instituted by the late Msgr. Irving A. DeBlanc, P.A., are given to honor those who have given many years of their lives to the work of the Church. Msgr. DeBlanc had been quoted as saying, "The maple leaf is a symbol of older people that is never more attractive than in the autumn of its life, just like older people."

The 2006 Class of Maple Leaf winners are Geraldine (Geri) Armfield, St. Joseph, Vinton; Stella Barkate, Our Lady of LaSalette, Sulphur; Mary Essie Chavis Dartez, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Jennings; Allen Deville, Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Jennings; Emma Frazier, Our Lady of LaSalette, DeQuincy; Lawrence Hebert, Immaculate Conception, Jennings; Esther Hebert, Immaculate Conception, Jennings; Rev. T.L. Herlong,

Our Lady Queen of Heaven, Lake Charles; Amos Jones, Jr., Our Lady of LaSalette, DeQuincy; Ramona LaBorde, Our Lady of Prompt Succor, Sulphur; Lillian Matthews, St. Joseph, Welsh; Sara Pat Shaheen, Our Lady of LaSalette, DeQuincy; Marie T. Wilson, Our Lady Help of Christians, Jennings; and Audrey Jacobson, St. Martin DePorres, Lake Charles.

Msgr. Harry D. Greig, Diocesan Administrator, made the presentations.

The next Catholic Calendar will be published on December 21.

Cameron Outdoors

By LOSTON MCEVERS



Oops! We inadvertently left out Loston's column last week. This should have run the week of Nov. 23:

TOP DUCK STATES

Duck hunting has slowed down in certain areas. During the high winds last week, there were two foot seas on the west side, south of the Gibbstown bridge, but three of us managed to kill 17 ducks, but on Friday, I only managed two ducks and didn't see 20 ducks all morning. Saturday and Sunday were quick hunts for me, limiting out on teals in just a matter of minutes.

Some hunters are having to pick up their ducks as they shoot them, as crabs are bad in some ponds. I have trouble watching for hawks, sometimes two or three hawks are trying to get a free meal. One morning I had two hawks fighting for a teal duck.

Mourning doves second split is closed until Dec. 16 through Jan. 8, for the third and final split of the season.

FISHING REPORTS

If you get enough calm weather, Big Lake is still hot. The northern and middle part of the lake has started producing speckle trout, reds and a few flounders. In Prien Lake last week, two anglers caught two black drums I figured went 30 to 35 pounds. Reports of black drums are being caught around the LNG area. The lake is not clear, with all the high winds, but on a calm day, you'll see the birds working.

There's clearer water along the shorelines and if the tide is moving out, flounders and red fish get their action going.

Water conditions on Lake Sam Rayburn (163 ft.) is clearing, but still some off-colored water. Fishing two to eight feet of water over grass beds or just out of the grass beds is paying off.

Toledo Bend, still under 166 ft., is also producing bass in shallow two to eight feet of water. Spinnerbaits and crankbaits are working well, as well as the Texas rig with-

out a slip sinker using a five inch senko worm.

Former Cameron resident Teddy Gordon took a second place finish fishing the Reel Sportsmen Bass Club's Tournament with four bass weighing in at 7.71 pounds.

Anglers are now using lead heads, 1/8 ounce called a darted leadhead on a five inch Yum Dinger stickworm. They say it has great action as you pull it slow, but if you pull it fast, it creates a wobbling action which triggers strikes. You can throw this bait a country mile, as the worm itself throws far without any weight. Don't use the open jig-head where there's tree stumps or you'll surely get hung up. Use in shallows up to 10-12 feet, especially in good bottom grassy areas. Good colors are watermelon/red and also watermelon/candy.

TOP DUCK HUNTING

The stats are out for the 2005-06 duck hunting states. Even with two hurricanes our state did well. The number one state was California with total ducks harvested 1,327,200; second, Texas with 1,255,400; third, Arkansas with 1,080,400; fourth, Louisiana with 877,800.

The seasonal duck harvest per hunter was California 28.3, Oregon 19.1, Louisiana 18.2, Oklahoma 17.8, Arizona 17.3, Washington 17.0.

RECORDS OF INTEREST

The fastest gamebird is the greenwing teal, clocked at 60 miles per hour. This is one of our regular shooting ducks here in Cameron Parish during our regular season. We know they're fast as they come darting across your decoys and they're also quiet as can be when they light in your decoys and you'll not even notice them.

The grouse travels up to 50 mph but can fly as slow as 5 mph. P. S. In 1936 a wild turkey was clocked at 55 mph on a highway in North Carolina.

Take a kid hunting, let him burn up some shells, you'll make his day, as well as yours!

Spelling bee rules and lists available online

Public, private, and home-school students are invited to take part in the 15th Southwest Louisiana Regional Spelling Bee on March 10, at McNeese State University.

The bee is sponsored and produced by the American Press and its Newspaper in Education department.

Students from Allen, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, Jeff Davis and Vernon parishes can participate in the bee.

To participate, schools and groups must conduct school bees for grades 3-8 and provide the winners' names to the American Press by Feb. 2.

The regional bee, a preliminary to the 2007 Scripps National Spelling Bee, will decide first, second, and third-place winners at each grade level.

The three winners from each grade level will compete in a final round to select the

overall champion speller for Southwest Louisiana.

The champion will receive an expense-paid trip from the American Press to represent Southwest Louisiana at the national bee May 27-June 1 in Washington, D.C.

The American Press will print the official word list in the newspaper in December. The words are selected by the 2007 Scripps National Spelling Bee.

Registered schools and home-school groups will receive word about the competition rules and the official word list in early December.

Registration is free, but please register right away.

Forms can be found online at www.americanpress.com by clicking on the green Newspaper in Education link on the right side of the Web page.

Interested school groups should contact Karen Alexander at 494-4011 or 800-737-6891.

Grand Lake honor and banner rolls

The Grand Lake School's 2nd Six Weeks Banner Roll/Honor Roll is as follows:

BANNER ROLL

1st Grade: Marlee Boudreaux, Madison Breaux, Thomas Delaney, Andrew Ferguson, Emily Poole, Gabrielle Talbot, Seth Trahan, Bryce Toerner, Karlee Thomas, Garrett Vedder, Gabrielle Conner, Kade Delacambre, Destiny Doxey, Ranna Hebert, Cecilia Lomeli, Jordan Morgan, Madison Theriot, Kirston Landreneau, Yasury Lozoya, Ty Taylor, Jayleigh Young

2nd Grade: Joel Alexander, Steven Corbello, Tanner Olson, Annabeth Robideaux, Cameron Granger, Mallory Dupuie, Alexis Reeves, Brennan Abadie, Katelynn Granger, Kamryn Trahan

3rd Grade: J.C. Drounette, Madisen Conner, Cole Verret, Zachary Brasseaux, Christian Doucet, Cavan Duhon, Brandt Sonnier, Nathan Thomas

4th Grade: Katherine Deshotel

5th Grade: Tyler Beard, Zane Bellon, Callie Brevelle, Grant Robideaux

6th Grade: Dalton Boudreaux, Kent Doxey, Leann LaRocca, Rebecca Monceaux, Darbi Montie, Katelyn Babineaux, Calley Conner, Emileigh Creel, Josh Fitkin, Cadie Hoffpauir, Alexandra Kennedy, Kourtney Olson

7th Grade: Devon Duhon, Paige Vedder

9th Grade: Kevin Delaney, Heather Girlinghouse

10th Grade: Taylor Beard, Evan Guidry, Linsey LaGrange, Megan Poole

11th Grade: Jacqueline Babineaux, Corey Broussard, John Guidry, Brittany Hebert, Sonya Lavergne, Samantha Poole, Molly Precht, Amber Taylor, Ashley Toups

12th Grade: Haylee Theriot, Sara Taylor, Trent Hebert, Aaron Doxey, Baret Bercier

HONOR ROLL

1st Grade: Callie Fontenot, Quincy Mudd, Maricella Romero, Landon Beard, Dylan Bourriaque, Zackary Guillot, Cameron Gage Haig, Seth Jinks, Elizabeth Reed, Kolby Richard, Lauren Boudoin, Maleigh Conner, Mathew Brasseaux, Carlissa Eagleson, Alayna Ewing, Bryce Fontenot, Tyler Hebert, Megan Latiolais, Annaston Picou, Brenlyee Meaux

2nd Grade: Keagan Conner, John Fruge, Taylor Pascale, Kayla Quibodeaux, Cadence Landry, Marissa Dupont, Jonathan Fitkin, Lakyn Duhon, Tori Smith, Hagyn Miller, Chuck Babineaux, Alex Granger, Alanah Theriot, Hunter Smith, Keighan Faulk, Emily Fontenot, Hunter Foreman, Brandi Hansard

3rd Grade: Kyle Delcambre, Darien Boudreaux, Dylan Duhon, Holland Conner, Ross Dahlen, Bailey Vedder, Christian Bourriaque, Devon Pesson, Morgan Quinn, Kaycee Richard, Tate Savoie, Cierra Theriot, Ally Thomas, Colby Benoit, Joe Broussard, Olivia Guidry, Ben Meistrell, Allison Ross, Jennifer Tolbert

4th Grade: Kyndal Berkey, Peyton Lannin, David Miller, Kerrigan Meaux, Stephen Poole, Brycen Savoie, Cloie Broussard, Laikyn Dubard, Courtland Granger, Audrey Harris, Lynsey Mhire, Kinnon Vincent, Erica Williams, Gabrielle Lavergne, Cortney Delaney

5th Grade: Alexis Breaux, Kylie Davidson, Timothy Foreman, Julia Garbe, Chandler Pesson, Sara Richard, Victoria Thomas, Alesha Widcamp, Lacey Broudreaux, Dillon Hays, Kirstyn Marceaux, Jarrett Nunez, Tyler Nunez, Jeffrey Racca, Halee Sullivan, Cheyenne Theriot, Kellie Theriot

6th Grade: Justin Demary, Morgan Fontenot, Paige Landreneau, Julianne Lannin, Andrew Ogea, Wyatt Pearce, Savannah Quinn, Julie Theriot, Bethany Trahan, Lexi Conner, Bethanne Delaney, Blair Derouen, Blake Ezell

7th Grade: Jillian Derouen, Kelsey Ellender, Emmeline Richard, Nycolle Costa, Megan Daigle, Kory Langley, Hanna Savoie, Halie Stevens, Shelby Thomas

8th Grade: Kimberlee Babineaux, Julia Quinn, Taylor Smith, Juston Sullivan, Tyler Tolbert, Lance

Beard, Kaleb Conner, Jaide Landreneau, Katherine LeDoux, Kallan Mudd
9th Grade: Ethan Choates, Tasha Fontenot, Deaven Landreneau, Tyler Lannin, Colton LaRocca, Misty Lesueur, Sam Richard, Jedediah Williams, Kody Willis

10th Grade: Lacey Broussard, Elizabeth Kingham, Dylan Morgan, LaRayne Picou, Victoria Roach, Kaylyn Shaw, Samantha Williams

11th Grade: Leven Abshire, Cody Benoit, Lakeyn Duhon, Brett Griffith, Lucas Hebert, Rachel Jones, Ryan Monceaux, C'Rissa Morales, Haley Pesson, Kayla Savoie

12th Grade: Stephanie Cheramie, Ross Conner, Kory Dahlen, Sandra Daigle, Melissa Dawsey, Wesley Doxey, Shaley Gossett, Justin Howerton, Sabrina McFarlain, Jordan Precht, Hailey Quinn, Elizabeth Reon, Courtney Thomas

ACADEMIC TEAM OF EXCELLENCE: (EARNING 95 AND ABOVE IN ALL SUBJECTS)

1st Grade: Marlee Boudreaux, Madison Breaux, Thomas Delaney, Andrew Ferguson, Bryce Toerner, Karlee Thomas, Ranna Hebert, Cecilia Lomeli, Jordan Morgan, Madison Theriot

2nd Grade: Mallory Dupuie, Cameron Granger, Tanner Olson

7th Grade: Devon Duhon

9th Grade: Heather Girlinghouse

10th Grade: Evan Guidry

12th Grade: Sara Taylor, Trent Hebert

ACADEMIC TEAM OF ACHIEVEMENT: (NO GRADE LOWER THAN 90 IN ALL SUBJECTS)

1st Grade: Emily Poole, Gabrielle Talbot, Seth Trahan, Garrett Vedder, Gabrielle Conner, Kade Delacambre, Destiny Doxey, Kirston Landreneaux, Yasury Lozoya, Ty Taylor, Jayleigh Young

2nd Grade: Alexis Reeves, Joel Alexander, Steven Corbello, Annabeth Robideaux

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Cameron Outdoors

By LOSTON MCEVERS



AREA FISHING

A trip to Toledo Bend this past week sure didn't pay out for us as fishing was slow. Foggy morning until past noon before clearing up, chilly 42 degrees mornings, just didn't turn the bass on, not many boats on the lake and the ones we talked to wasn't doing much better than we were.

Good catches of red fish reported coming out of Rockefeller Refuge. Today is the last legal day to fish the refuge as it closes Dec. 1 until March.

PASSPORT REQUIRED

It seems next year, the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of 2004 will require anglers who visit foreign ports, (Also know as the Western hemisphere Travel Initiation U. S. customs and Border Protection) deep sea anglers, commercial fishermen who go to any foreign port, to include anglers fishing the Gulf waters or Caribbean waters could need passports to return to U. S. waters. I don't quite understand how they can tell if a boat went to a foreign port or not. I understand from some oilfield personnel working offshore, that crews and pilots as well as crew and workboat crews will also need passports. This is something that is worded, hard to understand. Oh well, we'll see how things go and maybe get a little better information later.

DUCK COUNT

This Sunday is the end of our first split of duck hunting, reopening on Dec. 16 through Jan. 21. I can say this, this has been a better season than last year's season and the duck count for Nov. 7 and 8 in our coastal zone shows it.

Our count for southwest was: Mallards 47,000; mottled ducks 48,000; gadwall 960,000; widgeon 23,000; greenwing teal 127,000; bluewinged teal 89,000; shovellers (spoonbills) 205,000; pintails 68,000, for a total of 1,570,000. Also plus scaup 1,003; ring-neck ducks 18,000; and canvasbacks 4,000, for a total of 23,000 diving ducks, gromet total 1,593,000 with 213,000 coots. The southwest's count was 598,000 while Catahoula Lakes count was 113,000. Now the southeast marshes had 360,000 coots and

Catahoula Lake had 1000. The states total count was 2,126,000 dabblers, 178,000 divers for a grand total of 2,304,000 on ducks and 574,000 coots.

This count is almost 80 percent higher than last November with 1.3 million. All species were higher than last year except for pintails and greenwing teals. Here in SW La. that's nearly 2.5 times higher than last November count.

The early migration of ducks like this year was last seen in 2002 when the duck count was 2.6 million. The cold fronts up north sure help the migration of ducks to our area. It all started with the drought after Hurricane Rita, but instead of October usually being our driest month, each cold front coming down brought us heavy rains, some up to 12 inches or better. Actually we had a little bit too much water in our marshes, which couldn't get out as fast, due to debris blocking drainage because of Rita, however this really helps clean up our marshes from all the salt in the soil, plus the vegetation like wild rice seeds, drop and this is feed for our ducks to come and stay for a while, I hope. I know we had ducks move out or change marshes to where lower water was, but all said, we were blessed with a good teal and first split season.

LOST MARSH

The U. S. Geological Survey's National Wetland Research Center indicates that 217 square miles of Louisiana's coastal land was transformed to water, after Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. How much will recover is yet to be seen. In our area of southwest Louisiana, the Calcasieu/Sabine Basin lost 22 square miles, Mermentau Basin, 62, Teche/Vermilion 5, and the Atchafalaya lost 9. The 62 square miles lost in the Mermentau Basin includes the flooded marshes primarily between Calcasieu Lake and White Lake. Some open water areas will become permanent lakes yet some may recover. Our coast can't take too many more Audrey's or Rita's here in SW La. Generations to come will never know this lost land ever existed.

Firecracker Crackers are big hit!

By SHIRLEY JOHNSON

The Cameron Pilot staff has gone "wild" over a secret recipe called "Firecracker Crackers" and which we doubt you will find anywhere else. It turns ordinary crackers into a snack that you "can't just eat one of". Here is our recipe, our Christmas gift to you:

1 box saltine crackers, you may use regular, multi-grain or wheat.

1 pkg. Ranch Dressing (not dip) mix.

1 1/3 cups Canola Oil
3 to 4 tpsps. crushed red pepper (depending on how hot you want your crackers).

Combine last three ingredients in a bowl and set aside. Put all four stacks of crackers in a 2 gallon Ziploc bag and pour mixture over crackers. Zip bag and gently turn bag until all crackers are coated.

Suggestion: Put them in a quart Ziploc and they will keep for several days, usually you don't have to worry about them being around long enough to spoil.

Eat and enjoy!!

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GRAND LAKE: 126 Eric Rd., \$210,000. Motivated sellers! Just about finished, a complete remodeling & renovation, 4 BR (or 3+ office or playroom), 2 bath. Acadian w/fireplaces, some oak floors, carpet to be picked out soon, refrigerator, dishwasher & range under 2 yrs. old. All on 2 acres with huge red barn fenced & cross fenced. Bring serious offers. Call Claudette or Kevin at Wold Real Estate. Phone: 526-0229 or 477-0511. 11/22 - 11/29p.

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MOBILE HOME

NEW SEATAC Home: Special order - 32 x 84, 4 + 2. Also, for sale by owner: must be moved, 28 x 64, Franklin, 45K OB Cell: 1-866-438-3836. 11/22 - 12/27p.

FOR SALE: 2006 Zone III 16X56 mobile home, 2 Bedroom, 2 bath, located in Cameron, La. Now \$26,500, negotiable. Please call 337-802-304. 11/22 - 12/14mc.

MOBILE HOME

FOR SALE: 28x52 1996 Bucaneer doublewide with 10x24 front porch. No storm damage. To be moved. 4 bedroom, 2 bath, vaulted living area. All appliances stay! Asking payoff, \$38,000. Call (337) 774-2261 for your appointment. 12/22mc

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FIT FOR A King Cookbooks - \$20 each. Call Elizabeth Richard at 474-9146 or mail check or money order in the amount of \$23.00 (includes \$3 for shipping and handling charges) to: Elizabeth Richard, 400 Washington, Lake Charles, La., 70605. 11/15 - 12/13p

NOTICE

GIVE YOUR truck a rugged good look with a Reflex spray on truck liner. Call A-1 Coatings for more information. 533 Landry Lane, Sulphur, La. Phone: (337) 533-0043 or 263-2403. 4/26 ttc.

LOOKING FOR a group of buyers to purchase 20 to 30 acres of land north of Grand Lake, in Calcasieu Parish on the Gulf Highway. Serious inquiries only please. Call (337) 304-3620. 11/22mc.

CARD OF THANKS

It dawned on us this morning that it has been two weeks since Mom left us here.

We can't say that time has healed any of the hurt and pain; in some ways it feels like it has only grown stronger. There isn't a day that goes by that we don't miss her terribly. We have shed many a tear, and imagine thousands more will be shed before things begin to look up.

Mom was full of life, with a great sense of humor. She never met a stranger and loved a good joke now and then. She always had fun with her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and loved them completely.

The family wishes to express their thank-yous to La. Hospice and Palliative Care, especially Mary Alice who took such wonderful care with her, and everyone for the thoughts, prayers, flowers, cards and food. Many kind friends who assisted us during Mom's illness and services, Fr. McGrath, Hixon, L. C. Memorial, Dr. Sanders, Dr. Kohler, Dr. Kaough, church singers, and Rev. Paul Estes.

The Family of
Laura T. Nunez

Hearts Afire

2 cups strong hot coffee
1/4 cup chocolate syrup
1/4 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/8 teaspoon cinnamon
Dash cayenne pepper
1/2 cup half & half
whipped light cream, if desired
chocolate shavings, if desired

Pour coffee into 1-quart saucepan. Stir in chocolate syrup, vanilla and spices; add half & half. Cook over medium heat, stirring occasionally, until heated through (3 to 4 minutes). Garnish each serving with whipped light cream whipped cream; sprinkle with chocolate shavings, if desired.

Prisoner of War story told by Sen. McCain

By SENATOR JOHN MCCAIN

As you may know, I spent five and one half years as a prisoner of war during the Vietnam War. In the early years of our imprisonment, the NVA kept us in solitary confinement or two or three to a cell. In 1971, the NVA moved us from these conditions of isolation into large rooms with as many as 30 to 40 men to a room.

This was, as you can imagine, a wonderful change and was a direct result of the efforts of millions of Americans on behalf of a few hundred POWs 10,000 miles from home.

One of the men who moved into my room was a young man named Mike Christian. Mike came from a small town near Selma, Ala. He didn't wear a pair of shoes until he was 13 years old. At 17, he enlisted in the US Navy. He later earned a commission by going to Officer Training School. Then he became a Naval Flight Officer and was shot down and captured in 1967. Mike had a keen and deep appreciation of the opportunities this country and our military provide for people who want to work and want to succeed.

As part of the change in treatment, the Vietnamese allowed some prisoners to receive packages from home. In some of these packages were handkerchiefs, scarves and other items of clothing.

Mike got himself a bamboo needle. Over a period of a couple of months, he created an American Flag and sewed it on the inside of his shirt.

Every afternoon, before we had a bowl of soup, we would hang Mike's shirt on the wall of the cell and say the Pledge of Allegiance.

I know the Pledge of Allegiance may not seem the most important part of our day now, but I can assure you that in that stark cell it was indeed the most important and meaningful event.

One day the Vietnamese searched our cell, as they did periodically, and discovered Mike's shirt with the flag sewn inside, and removed it.

That evening they returned, opened the door of the cell, and for the benefit of all of us, beat Mike Christian severely for the next couple of hours. Then, they opened the door of the cell and threw him in. We cleaned him up as well

as we could. The cell in which we lived had a concrete slab in the middle on which we slept. Four naked light bulbs hung in each corner of the room.

As I said, we tried to clean up Mike as well as we could. After the excitement died down, I looked in the corner of the room, and sitting there beneath that dim light bulb with a piece of red cloth, another shirt and his bamboo needle, was my friend, Mike Christian. He was sitting there with his eyes almost shut from the beating he had received, making another American flag. He was not making the flag because it made Mike Christian feel better. He was making that flag because he knew how important it was to us to be able to Pledge our allegiance to our flag and country.

So the next time you say the Pledge of Allegiance, you must never forget the sacrifice and courage that thousands of Americans have made to build our nation and promote freedom around the world.

You must remember our duty, our honor, and our country.

"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Pass this on... and on... and on! You can even send it back to me, I don't mind, because its worth reading again.

Buckle Up! It's the law

Louisiana has what is called a "primary enforcement" safety belt law. That means that an officer can pull you over and issue a ticket if you are not buckled up according to state law. The fine for a first offense safety-belt violation is \$25.

State law requires drivers and front-seat passengers to buckle up while a vehicle is in motion. Kids under one year of age and weighing up to 20 pounds must be secured in a rear-facing safety seat. Kids ages 1 to 4 and weighing 20 to 40 pounds must be secured in a front-facing safety seat. Kids ages 4 to 6 and weighing up to 60 pounds must be secured in a front-facing booster seat and safety belt.

All other children up to age 13 must wear safety belts while the vehicle is in operation. Remember that children are always safer in the rear seat of a vehicle.

The Louisiana Highway Safety Commission advises all motorists to buckle up. Your chances of surviving a crash are improved by 45 percent if you are wearing your safety belt.



• NOTICE •

Grand Lake Recreation Center is accepting applications for the following: Aerobic Instructor.

Applications can be filled out at the Grand Lake Recreation Center, 108 Recreation Lane.

RUN: Nov. 23 & 30 (N-53)

• NOTICE •

Grand Lake Recreation Center is accepting applications for the following: Secretary/Treasurer.

Applications can be filled out at the Grand Lake Recreation Center, 108 Recreation Lane.

RUN: Nov. 23 & 30 (N-54)

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

The Cameron Parish Police Jury will hold a special meeting at 5:00 p.m., Monday, December 11, 2006 to adopt the 2007 budget.

RUN: Nov. 30 (N-64)

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 RUN: Nov. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 (N 9)

— JOB AD —
 The Cameron Parish School Board is accepting applications for a Food Service Technician (7 hrs. per day) at Johnson Bayou School. High School diploma is preferred. To make application contact: Mrs. Cynthia Carpenter, Supervisor, Cameron Parish School Board, 409 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601. Phone: 337-475-9167. The deadline for submitting applications is Thursday, December 7, 2006 at 2:00 p.m.
 RUN: Nov. 23, 30 & Dec. 7

PUBLIC MEETINGS ON THE PRELIMINARY DRAFT OF LOUISIANA'S COMPREHENSIVE COASTAL PROTECTION MASTER PLAN

Place	Location	Date	Open House	Meeting
Houma	Houma-Terrebonne Civic Center 346 Civic Center Boulevard	Monday 12/11/06	2:00 pm to 6:30 pm	6:30 pm
New Orleans	Lindy C. Boggs Conference Center 2045 Lakeshore Drive	Tuesday 12/12/06	12:00 pm to 6:30 pm	6:30 pm
Lake Charles	Lake Charles Civic Center 900 Lakeshore Drive	Wednesday 12/13/06	3:00 pm to 6:30 pm	6:30 pm
Covington	Greater Covington Center 317 North Jefferson Avenue	Thursday 12/14/06	2:00 pm to 7:00 pm	7:00 pm
Abbeville	AA Comeaux Youth, Inc. 300 AA Comeaux Memorial Dr., Ste. 200	Friday 12/15/06	2:00 pm to 6:30 pm	6:30 pm

If, because of a disability, you require special assistance to participate in this public meeting, please contact the DNR Deputy Secretary, at P.O. Box 94396, Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9396, or by telephone at (225) 342-4505, at least three working days prior to the meeting.

For additional information contact (225) 376-7707 or visit louisianacoastalplanning.org.

Cameron Parish School Board Regular Meeting Schedule

- **December 11, 2006:**
Grand Lake School, 1039 Hwy. 384, Grand Lake; Lake Charles, LA 70607.....3:00 p.m.
- **January 8, 2007:**
Hackberry High School, 1390 School St., Hackberry, LA 70643.....3:00 p.m.
- **February 12, 2007:**
Johnson Bayou High School, 6304 Gulf Beach Hwy., Cameron, LA 70631.....3:00 p.m.
- **March 12, 2007:**
South Cameron School Site, 753 Oak Grove Hwy., Grand Chenier, LA 70643.....3:00 p.m.
- **April 5, 2007:**
LSU AgCenter, 7101 Gulf Hwy., Lake Charles, LA 70607.....9:00 a.m.
- **May 14, 2007:**
Hackberry High School, 1390 School St., Hackberry, LA 70643.....3:00 p.m.

RUN: Nov. 23 & 30 (N-42)

How can I find out how much my bonds are worth?
 To calculate the value of your savings bonds, go to <http://www.publicdebt.treas.gov/sav/savcalc.htm>.

How do I redeem my savings bonds?
 To cash in your paper Series EE or Series I bonds, take them, along with proper identification, to your financial institution. Keep in mind that savings bonds issued after February 2003 must be held for a minimum of one year before they can be redeemed, and if you redeem them in less than five years after purchase, you forfeit the three most recent months of interest.

Miller Livestock Markets, Inc. Market Report

For the Sale of Nov. 25 2006, Trading was active with a turnout of 403 Head from 81 Sellers with 51 Buyers Present. All Classes of Cattle remained fully steady.

DeQuincy (Saturday) Nov. 25: Livestock Receipts: Cattle 309, Horses 2 Hogs 38, Sheep 30, and Goats 24. **BABY CALVES:** Dairy 50¢-75¢ per HD, Beef 150¢-225¢ per HD, Roping Calves (125-200 lbs.) 1.70-1.95 per lb. **STEER & HEIFER CALVES:** 200-300 lb. Steers: 1.55-1.70 per lb., Heifers: 1.25-1.45 per lb.; 300-400 lb. Steers: 1.35-1.55 per lb., Heifers: 1.20-1.50 per lb.; 400-500 lb. Steers: 1.15-1.35 per lb., Heifers: .95-1.25 per lb.; 500-600 lb. Steers: .95-1.15 per lb., Heifers: .85-1.05 per lb.; 600-700 lb. Steers: .77-.85 per lb., Heifer: .75-.95 per lb. **CATTLE: Cutter & Utility:** .38-.46 per lb.; **Canners:** .35-.39 per lb.; **Fat Cows:** .33-.36 per lb.; **Thin Cows:** .32-.37 per lb.; **Slaughter Bulls:** .52-.58 per lb.; **Feeder Bulls:** .60-.65 per lb. **COW/CALF PAIRS:** 800¢-900¢ per pair. **PREGNANCY TESTED COWS:** 650¢-800¢ per HD. **HOGS:** Choice Barrows & Gilts: 29-.32; **Butcher Pigs:** 35-.40; **Feeder Pigs:** .50-.60; **Sows** 300-500 lbs. 27-.34 per lb.; **Boars:** .08-.10 per lb. **HORSES:** 28-.37 per lb. **SHEEP & GOATS:** 35¢-200¢ per HD.

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LEGAL NOTICES

SHERIFF'S SALE
THIRTY-EIGHT JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF CAMERON
STATE OF LOUISIANA
CITIFINANCIAL MORTGAGE COMPANY INC
VS. NO. 10-16890
ERVIN WARREN TRAHAN ET AL

By virtue of a writ of FIERI FACIAS issued to me directed by the Honorable Court aforesaid, I have seized and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder WITHOUT the benefit of appraisal, at the Court House door of this Parish of Cameron, on Wednesday, DECEMBER 13, 2006 AT 10:00 a.m. the following described property to-wit:

COMMENCING 208.7 FEET WEST AND 104 NORTH OF THE SOUTHEAST CORNER OF THE SE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF SECTION 11, TOWNSHIP 15 SOUTH RANGE 14 WEST, THENCE NORTH 104.7 FEET, THENCE WEST 60 FEET, THENCE SOUTH 104.7 FEET, THENCE EAST 60 FEET, TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, #177689, BY 504-644

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/s/Theos/Duhon
Theos Duhon, Sheriff
CAMERON PARISH, LA.
Sheriff's Office, Cameron, La.
OCTOBER 27, 2006

CHARLES H. HECK JR.
Attorney for CITIFINANCIAL MORTGAGE CO., INC.
RUNS: Nov. 2 & 30 - N 2

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS
Water Works District No. 2,
Ward 6

P.O. Box 334
Hackberry, LA 70645
Separate sealed BIDS for the construction of New Administration/Shop Building, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, will be received by Water Works District No. 2, Ward 6, at the office of Water Works District No. 2, Ward 6, 973 Main Street, Hackberry, LA 70645 until 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, December 6, 2006 and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

The BID DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations:
Lancon Engineers, Inc., 905 McKinley Street, Westlake, LA 70669-5005

Water Works District No. 2, Ward 6, 973 Main Street, Hackberry, LA 70645
Copies of the BID DOCUMENTS may be obtained from Lancon Engineers, Inc. during normal business hours by depositing One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for each set of bid documents so obtained. Deposits on the first set of Bid Documents furnished to bona fide Prime Bidders will be fully refunded upon return of the Bid Documents no later than ten (10) days after the Bid Opening. On any other sets of Bid Documents furnished to Bidders, one-half (\$50.00) of the deposit will be refunded if the Bid Documents are returned in good condition within ten (10) days after the Bid Opening.

Bids will remain subject to acceptance for thirty (30) days after the day of the Bid Opening in accordance with LA Revised Statute LA RS 38:2215.
/s/ Alton Schexnider
President
RUN: Nov. 9, 16, 30 (N 19)

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to advise that the Cameron Parish Police Jury intends to abandon the following described Road Right-of-Way being of no further use or necessity:

Parish Road No. 383 (Dorcelie Road) which is 95 feet in length and located in Section 22, Township 14S, Range 7W, Cameron Parish, LA.

Anyone having any objections to said abandonment should make their objections known at the meeting of the Cameron Parish Police Jury, to be held Monday, December 4, 2006 at 6:00 P.M. in the Cameron Courtroom in Cameron, Louisiana.

/s/ Bonnie Conner
BONNIE W. CONNER,
SECRETARY
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: NOV. 9, 16, 23, 30 (N 21)

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to advise that the Cameron Parish Police Jury intends to abandon the following described Road Right-of-Way being of no further use or necessity:

Parish Road No. 306 which is 269 feet in length and located in Section 19, Township 14S, Range 7W, Cameron Parish, LA.

Anyone having any objections to said abandonment should make their objections known at the meeting of the Cameron Parish Police Jury, to be held Monday, December 4, 2006 at 6:00 P.M. in the Cameron Courtroom in Cameron, Louisiana.

/s/ Bonnie Conner
BONNIE W. CONNER,
SECRETARY
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30 (N 22)

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to advise that the Cameron Parish Police Jury intends to abandon the following described Road Right-of-Way being of no further use or necessity:

Parish Road No. 3192 which is 443 feet in length and located in Section 21, Township 14S, Range 7W, Cameron Parish, LA.

Anyone having any objections to said abandonment should make their objections known at the meeting of the Cameron Parish Police Jury, to be held Monday, December 4, 2006 at 6:00 P.M. in the Cameron Courtroom in Cameron, Louisiana.

/s/ Bonnie Conner
BONNIE W. CONNER,
SECRETARY
CAMERON PARISH
POLICE JURY
RUN: Nov. 9, 16, 23, 30 (N 23)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by Cameron Parish Police Jury until 1:00 p.m. Monday, December 4, 2006 in the meeting room of the Parish Government Building, 10080 Gulf Highway, Grand Lake, Louisiana, 70607 for any person interested in leasing a three (3) acre tract of property located in the Grand Lake area just south of the Calcasieu/Cameron parish line, Section 6, Township 12 South, Range 8 West.

All bids must be submitted on bid forms which may be obtained at the Cameron Parish Police Jury office, 10080 Gulf Highway Grand Lake, Louisiana, during normal business hours.

By:
/s/Bonnie W. Conner
BONNIE W. CONNER
SECRETARY
RUNS: Nov. 16, 23, 30 - N 25

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by Cameron Parish Waterworks District #10, serving the Johnson Bayou-Holly Beach area until 6:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 12, 2006 at the Johnson Bayou Baptist Church, due to Hurricane Rita, located at 6300 Gulf Beach Hwy., Johnson Bayou, Louisiana, for the sale of one (1) 1981 Ford 445 Diesel Back ho, as is, where is.

The back ho is located at 159 Berwick Road in Johnson Bayou, Louisiana.
Bid forms may be acquired by contacting Cameron Parish Waterworks District #10 during normal business hours. M-F 8:00 am. to 3:00 p.m. at 569-2110.

By:
/s/Rhonda Morrison
Rhonda Morrison
Office Administrator
RUNS: Nov. 16, 23, 30 - N 33

NOTICE

The Cameron Parish School Board is advertising for various work projects and will be accepting bids on the following projects:

- 1) Roof Repair
- 2) Electrical Repair
- 3) Masonary Repair
- 4) Plumbing and Sewerage Repair
- 5) A/C and Heating

All work projects will be held at the South Cameron School site, 753 Oak Grove Highway, Grand Chenier, LA 70643.

Contact Mr. Doug Welch, Maintenance Supervisor for Cameron Parish School Board at 337-475-9167 regarding Scope of Work on each of the above listed projects.

All bids are to be mailed to the Cameron Parish School Board Office at P.O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631 or hand delivered to 409 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601.

Bids will be received until Thursday, January 4th, 2007 at 10:00 A.M. at the Cameron Parish School Board Office, 409 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601.
RUNS: Nov. 16, 23, 30 - N 37

NOTICE

The Cameron Parish School Board is advertising for bids on the "Enclosure of Pavilion" at the Johnson Bayou School site.

All work projects will be held at the Johnson Bayou School site, 6304 Gulf Beach Highway, Cameron, LA 70631.

Contact Mr. Doug Welch, Maintenance Supervisor for Cameron Parish School Board at 337-475-9167 regarding Scope of Work on the above listed project.

All bids are to be mailed to the Cameron Parish School Board Office at P.O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631 or hand delivered to 409 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601.

Bids will be received until Thursday, January 4th, 2007 at 10:00 A.M. at the Cameron Parish School Board Office, 409 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601.
Run: Nov. 16, 23, 30 - N 38

NOTICE

The Cameron Parish School Board is advertising for bids on the "Metal Storage Building" at the Hackberry High School site.

All work projects will be held at the Hackberry School site, 1390 School Street, Hackberry, LA 70643.

Contact Mr. Doug Welch, Maintenance Supervisor for Cameron Parish School Board at 337-475-9167 regarding Scope of Work on the above listed project.

All bids are to be mailed to the Cameron Parish School Board Office at P.O. Box 1548, Cameron, LA 70631 or hand delivered to 409 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601.

Bids will be received until Thursday, January 4th, 2007 at 10:00 A.M. at the Cameron Parish School Board Office, 409 E. Prien Lake Road, Lake Charles, LA 70601.
Run: Nov. 16, 23, 30 - N 39

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The Cameron Parish Mosquito Abatement District No. 1 will receive sealed bids until 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, December 12, 2006, at the office of Mosquito Control in Sweetlake, Louisiana, on chemicals and fuels.

All bids must be submitted on bid forms which may be obtained from the Mosquito Control

Headquarters.

Bids should be mailed or delivered to Cameron Parish Mosquito Abatement District No. 1, 146 Theriot Road, Bell City, LA 70630, and be marked "BID FORM ENCLOSED" on the outside of the envelope.

Cameron Parish Mosquito Abatement District No. 1 reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities.

Cameron Parish Mosquito Abatement District No. 1
/s/ Julian S. Robichaux
JULIAN S. ROBICHAUX,
DIRECTOR
RUN: Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7 (N 47)

PUBLIC NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by Cameron Parish Police Jury until 1:30 p.m., Monday, December 18, 2006 in the meeting room of the Parish Government Building, 10080 Gulf Highway, Grand Lake, Louisiana, 70607 for the purchase of office furniture delivered to the Cameron Parish Health Unit, Cameron, Louisiana.

All bids must be submitted on bid forms which may be obtained at the Cameron Parish Police Jury office, 10080 Gulf Highway, Grand Lake, Louisiana, during normal business hours.

By:
/s/Bonnie W. Conner
BONNIE W. CONNER,
SECRETARY
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NOTICE

I, Samuel Giroir, document #95655, born Jan. 31, 1961, currently residing in Calcasieu Parish, State of LA, have applied for clemency for my conviction of Distribution of Marijuana which occurred October 28, 1981 in Cameron Parish of LA.
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Grand Lake, Louisiana
November 16, 2006

The Board of Commissioners, governing authority of Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, met in special public session at 5:30 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, November 16, 2006, in the Grand Lake Rural Health Clinic, Grand Lake, Louisiana, pursuant to the provisions of written notice given to each and every member thereof and duly posted in the manner required by law.

President, Kyle Theriot, called the meeting to order and on roll call, the following members were present:

Kyle Theriot, Barbara LeBlanc, James G. Fawvor, Leslie Trahan, Tim Dupont and Ronald Nunez, Jr.

ABSENT: None
The meeting was called to order and the roll called with the above results. There was also present Jennifer Jones, Esq., counsel to the Board of Commissioners.

The President stated that one purpose of the meeting was the opening of sealed bids received for the purchase of \$2,500,000 Lower Cameron Hospital Service District Of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, Tax Anticipation Certificates, 2006 Series, pursuant to a Notice of Certificate Sale previously published on behalf of the Issuer.

The President presented affidavits evidencing proper publication of the Notice of Certificate Sale, said affidavits indicating that the Notice of Certificate Sale had been published in the Cameron Pilot, a newspaper published in DeQuincy, Louisiana, and of general circulation in the Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, ("Issuer"), on November 2, 2006 (such publication having been made at least seven (7) clear calendar days before the date scheduled for the receipt of bids). The affidavits and the Notice of Certificate Sale were approved and were ordered filed with the minutes of said meeting.

The President then presented the sealed bids for the purchase of the Tax Anticipation Certificates of Indebtedness of the Issuer which had been received, which bids were opened, examined and found to be in compliance with the terms and provisions of the Notice of Certificate Sale and the letter of the Issuer inviting bids dated October 26, 2006, as follows:

NAME OF BIDDER,
COUPON, EFFECTIVE INTEREST RATE, PREMIUM

1. JPMorgan Chase Bank, Lake Charles, LA, 4.09%, 4.09%, -0-
2. Cameron State Bank, Lake Charles, LA, 4.625%, 4.625%, -0-

Upon verification, it was found that the bid of JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., Lake Charles, Louisiana, was the lowest and best bid submitted for the purchase of the Certificates, and as a result it was determined that the Issuer take such action as may be necessary to accomplish delivery of the Certificates, whereupon the following resolution was introduced and, pursuant to motion made by Barbara LeBlanc and seconded by Tim Dupone, was adopted by the following vote:

YEAS: Kyle Theriot, Barbara LeBlanc, James G. Fawvor, Leslie Trahan, Tim Dupont and Ronald Nunez, Jr.
NAYS: None
CERTIFICATE RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE, SALE AND DELIVERY OF TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 (\$2,500,000) DOLLARS LOWER CAMERON HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT, CAMERON PARISH, LOUISIANA TAX ANTICIPATION CERTIFICATES, 2006 SERIES, CONFIRMING THE SALE, PRESCRIBING THE FORM AND FIXING THE DETAILS THEREOF; PROVIDING FOR SECURITY AND PAYMENT OF SAID CER-

TIFICATES IN PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST; AND CERTAIN OTHER MATTERS IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

WHEREAS, the Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, ("District") is a political subdivision of the State of Louisiana within the meaning of Subsection 2 of Section 44 of Article VI of the Louisiana Constitution of 1974, and Part V of Subtitle II of Chapter 4 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, in particular, La. R.S. 39:741, et seq. (the "Act");

WHEREAS, on September 30, 2006, an election was held in the District at which election the voters of the District authorized the levy and collection of a special tax of 21 mills for a period not to exceed ten (10) years beginning in 2006, for the purpose of maintaining and operating hospital facilities, including both movable and immovable property, owned or used by the District, title to which shall be in the public;

WHEREAS, the first collection of the revenues from the special ad valorem tax so authorized will not be realized by the District until January, 2007;

WHEREAS, it is projected that the special ad valorem tax will generate approximately \$1,600,000 annually to the District's general fund budget, based upon 2006 assessment information;

WHEREAS, the District has determined that there will be a need for operation and maintenance of certain hospital facilities during calendar year 2006 prior to the first collection of revenues generated by the special ad valorem tax;

WHEREAS, the Act authorizes the District to borrow in anticipation of ad valorem tax revenues up to 75% of the anticipated avails of the tax, for payment in any year of principal and of interest on the amount borrowed;

WHEREAS, the District acquired approval of the Louisiana State Bond Commission on October 19, 2006, for to issue, sell and deliver not to exceed TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 (\$2,500,000) DOLLARS of Tax Anticipation Certificates of the District, in multiple series, in anticipation of maintenance and operations ad valorem tax receipts, and which Certificates are to be payable solely from and secured by an irrevocable pledge and dedication of the revenues of the special ad valorem tax of 21 mills approved by the electorate of the District on September 30, 2006;

WHEREAS, the District now desires to provide for issuance of TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 (\$2,500,000) DOLLARS of its Tax Anticipation Certificates in the manner authorized and provided by the Act and as hereinafter specified, to obtain ready funds to pay the costs of maintaining and operating hospital facilities, including both movable and immovable property, owned or used by the District;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, as follows:

SECTION 1. Definitions. As used herein the following terms shall have the following meanings, unless the context otherwise requires:

"Agreement" means the agreement to be entered into between the District and the Paying Agent pursuant to this Resolution.

"Bond Register" means the record kept by the Paying Agent at its principal corporate office in which registration of the Certificates and transfers of the Certificates shall be made as provided herein.

"Business Day" means a day of the year other than a day on which banks in the city in which the Paying Agent is located are required or authorized to remain closed or the New York Stock Exchange is closed.

"Certificate" means any 2006 Series Tax Anticipation Certificate of the District authorized to be issued by this Resolution, whether initially delivered or issued in exchange for, upon transfer of, or in lieu of any certificate previously issued.

"Certificates" means the Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, Tax Anticipation Certificates, 2006 Series, authorized by this Resolution, in the total aggregate principal amount of Two Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000).
"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

"Defeasance Obligations" shall mean (a) cash, or (b) non-callable Government Securities.

"District" means Lower Cameron Hospital Service District Of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

"Executive Officers" means, collectively, the President or Secretary of the Governing Authority, and Jennifer Jones, Esq., local counsel to the Issuer.

"Federal" means the United States of America.

"Governing Authority" means the Board of Commissioners of Lower Cameron Hospital Service District Of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

"Government Securities" means direct obligations of, or obligations the principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by the United States of America, which are non-callable prior to their maturity, and may be United States Treasury obligations such as the State and Local Government Series and may be in book-entry form.

"Interest Payment Dates" means June 1 and December 1 in each year commencing June 1, 2007.

"Outstanding" when used with respect to the Certificates means, as of the date of determination, all

Certificates theretofore issued and delivered under this Resolution, except:

1. Certificates theretofore cancelled by the Paying Agent or delivered to the Paying Agent for cancellation.

2. Certificates for which payment or redemption sufficient funds have been theretofore deposited in trust for the Owners of such Certificates, provided that, if such Certificates are to be redeemed, irrevocable notice of such redemption has been duly given or provided for pursuant to this Resolution or waived.

3. Certificates in exchange for or in lieu of which other Certificates have been registered and delivered pursuant to this Resolution.

4. Certificates alleged to have been mutilated, destroyed, lost, or stolen, which have been paid as provided in this Resolution or by law.

5. Certificates for the payment of principal (or redemption price, if any) of and interest on which money or Government Securities or both are held in trust with the effect specified in this Resolution.

"Owner" or "Owners" or "Registered Owner" when used with respect to any Certificate means the Person in whose name such Certificate is registered in the Bond Register, as herein provided.

"Paying Agent" means initially, the Parish Treasurer for Cameron Parish, Louisiana, until a successor Paying Agent shall have been appointed pursuant to the applicable provisions of this Resolution, and thereafter "Paying Agent" shall mean such successor Paying Agent.

"Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, joint venture, association, joint-stock company, trust, unincorporated organization, or government or any agency or political subdivision thereof.

"Purchaser" means the original purchaser or purchasers of the Certificates.

"Record Date" for the interest payable on any Interest Payment Date means the 15th calendar day of the month next preceding an Interest Payment Date, whether or not such day is a Business Day.

"Resolution" means this Resolution authorizing issuance of the Certificates.

"Sinking Fund" shall have the meaning ascribed to such term in Section 10 hereof.

"State" means the State of Louisiana.

SECTION 2. Authorization of Certificates; Maturities. In compliance with and under the authority of the provisions of Part V of Subtitle II of Chapter 4 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, in particular, La. R.S. 39:741, et seq. ("Act") and constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto, and pursuant to proceedings regularly and legally taken by the District, there is hereby authorized the creation of an indebtedness of not exceeding TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 (\$2,500,000) DOLLARS, for, on behalf of and in the name of the District, to be represented by Tax Anticipation Certificates of the District, for the purpose of maintenance and operation of the hospital facilities of the District in anticipation of receipt of revenues of the special ad valorem tax of 21 mills approved by the electorate of the District on September 30, 2006. To represent said indebtedness, there be and there is hereby authorized issuance of negotiable interest bearing, fully registered Tax Anticipation Certificates of Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, 2006 Series, in the principal amount of TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 (\$2,500,000) DOLLARS ("Certificates"), which Certificates shall be in the denomination of \$5,000 each and any integral multiple of \$5,000 in excess thereof, within a single maturity, shall be numbered consecutively commencing with number R-01, shall be dated December 1, 2006, and shall bear interest at the rate or rates hereinafter specified, payable June 1 and December 1 of each year beginning June 1, 2007, both principal and interest being payable at the Parish Treasurer's office, Cameron, Louisiana, and shall mature serially and shall bear interest as follows:

MATURITY DATE, PRINCIPAL AMOUNT, INTEREST RATE PER ANNUM
06/01/2007, 415,000.00, 4.09%
12/01/2007, 415,000.00, 4.09%
06/01/2008, 415,000.00, 4.09%
12/01/2008, 415,000.00, 4.09%
06/01/2009, 415,000.00, 4.09%
12/01/2009, 425,000.00, 4.09%

The principal of and interest on the Certificates, upon maturity or redemption, shall be payable at the principal corporate trust office of the Paying Agent, upon presentation and surrender thereof. The person in whose name any Certificate is registered at the close of business on the Record Date with respect to an Interest Payment Date (unless such Certificate has been called for redemption on a redemption date which is prior to such Interest Payment Date) shall be entitled to receive the interest payable with respect to such Interest Payment Date notwithstanding the cancellation of such Certificate upon any registration of transfer or exchange thereof subsequent to such Record Date and prior to such Interest Payment Date. Each Certificate delivered under this Resolution upon transfer of or in exchange for or in lieu of any other Certificate shall carry all the rights to interest accrued and unpaid, and to accrue, which were carried by such other Certificate, and each such Certificate will bear interest (as herein set forth) so that neither gain nor loss interest shall result from such transfer, exchange or substitution.

No Certificate will be entitled to any right or benefit under this Resolution, or be valid or obligat-

try for any purpose, unless there appears on such Certificate a certificate of registration, substantially in the form provided in this Resolution, executed by the Paying Agent by manual signature.

SECTION 3. Redemption Provisions. The Certificates, or portions thereof in multiples of \$5,000, shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the District, in such order as the District may determine and by lot within any maturity, on any Interest Payment Date on or after June 1, 2007, at the principal amount thereof, plus accrued interest from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for to the date fixed for redemption.

In the event a Certificate to be redeemed is of a principal amount denomination larger than \$5,000, a portion of such Certificate (\$5,000 principal amount or any multiple thereof) may be redeemed. Any Certificate which is to be redeemed only in part shall be surrendered at the principal corporate office of the Paying Agent and there shall be delivered to the Owner of such Certificate a new Certificate or Certificates of the same maturity and of any authorized denomination or denominations as requested by such Owner in aggregate principal amount equal to and in exchange for the unredeemed portion of the principal amount of the Certificate so surrendered. Official notice of such call of any of the Certificates for redemption will be given by means of first class mail, postage prepaid, by notice deposited in the United States mail not less than thirty (30) days prior to the redemption date, addressed to the Owner of each Certificate to be redeemed as shown on the Bond Register.

SECTION 4. Exchange of Certificates; Persons Treated as Owners. The District shall cause books for registration and for transfer of the Certificates (the "Bond Register"), as provided in this Resolution to be kept at the principal office of the Paying Agent, and the Paying Agent is hereby constituted and appointed the Registrar for the Certificates. The Certificates may be transferred, registered and assigned, at the expense of the District, only upon the Bond Register upon surrender thereof at the principal office of the Paying Agent and by execution of the assignment form on the Certificates or by other instrument of transfer and assignment in such form as shall be satisfactory to the Paying Agent. A new Certificate or Certificates will be delivered by the Paying Agent to the last assignee (the new registered owner) in exchange for such transferred and assigned Certificates within three (3) business days after receipt of the Certificates to be transferred in proper form. Such new Certificate or Certificates must be in the principal amount denomination of \$5,000 or any integral multiple thereof within a single maturity. Neither the District nor the Paying Agent will be required to issue, register the transfer of or exchange any Certificate during a period beginning (i) at the opening of business on the Record Date, or (ii) with respect to any Certificate called for redemption prior to maturity during a period beginning at the opening of business fifteen (15) days before the date of mailing of a notice of redemption of such Certificate and ending on the date of such redemption. The execution by the District of any fully registered Certificate shall constitute full and due authorization of such Certificate and the Paying Agent shall thereby be authorized to authenticate, date and deliver such Certificate; provided, however, that the principal amount of outstanding Certificates of each maturity authenticated by the Paying Agent shall not exceed the authorized principal amount of Certificates for such maturity less previous retirements, subject to the provisions of Section 18 hereof. The District is authorized to prepare, and the Paying Agent shall keep custody of, multiple Certificate blanks executed by the District for use in the transfer and exchange of Certificates.

SECTION 5. Registered Owner. As to any Certificate, the Person in whose name the same shall be registered as shown on the Bond Register required by Section 4, shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute Owner thereof for all purposes, and payment of or on account of the principal of and premium, if any, and interest on any such Certificate shall be made only to or upon the order of the Registered Owner thereof or his legal representative, and the District and the Paying Agent shall not be affected by any notice to the contrary. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Certificate, including the interest thereon, to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

SECTION 6. Form of Certificates. The Certificates and the endorsements to appear thereon will be in substantially the following form, to-wit:

(FACE OF CERTIFICATE)
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF CAMERON
REGISTERED NO. R-

REGISTERED \$
LOWER CAMERON HOSPITAL
SERVICE DISTRICT
CAMERON PARISH,
LOUISIANA
TAX ANTICIPATION
CERTIFICATE
2006 SERIES

DATED DATE: MATURITY
DATE: INTEREST RATE:

Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, ("District") for value received, hereby acknowledges itself indebted and promises to pay to REGISTERED OWNER: PRINCIPAL AMOUNT: or registered assigns, on the maturity date set forth

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principal amount set forth above, together with interest thereon from the dated date, said interest payable on June 1 and December 1 of each year, commencing June 1, 2007, at the interest rate per annum set forth above until said principal sum is paid, unless this Certificate has been previously called for redemption and payment shall have been duly made or provided for. The principal of and interest on this Certificate upon maturity or redemption is payable to the registered owner (determined as of the 15th calendar day of the month next preceding said Interest Payment Date) in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Parish Treasurer, Cameron, Cameron Parish, Louisiana (the Paying Agent/Registrar), or successor thereto, upon presentation and surrender hereof.

The Certificates, or portions thereof in multiples of \$5,000, shall be subject to redemption prior to maturity at the option of the District, in such order as the District may determine and by lot within any maturity, on any Interest Payment Date on or after June 1, 2007, at the principal amount thereof, plus accrued interest from the most recent Interest Payment Date to which interest has been paid or duly provided for to the date fixed for redemption.

REFERENCE IS MADE TO THE FURTHER PROVISIONS OF THIS CERTIFICATE SET FORTH ON THE REVERSE HEREOF WHICH SHALL FOR ALL PURPOSES HAVE THE SAME EFFECT AS THOUGH FULLY SET FORTH HEREIN.

This Certificate shall not be valid or become obligatory for any purpose or be entitled to any security or benefit under the Certificate Resolution (defined hereinafter) until the certificate of registration hereon shall have been signed by the Paying Agent/Registrar.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Lower Cameron Hospital Service District Of Cameron Parish, Louisiana, has caused this Tax Anticipation Certificate to be executed in its name by the original or facsimile signatures of the duly authorized President and Secretary of the District, and the seal of said District to be impressed or imprinted hereon, and this Certificate to be dated December 1, 2006.

LOWER CAMERON HOSPITAL SERVICE DISTRICT OF CAMERON PARISH, LOUISIANA
SECRETARY

PRESIDENT
[S E A L]
(LOWER LEFT)
OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE
STATE OF LOUISIANA
BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA

This Certificate secured by a tax. Registered on the 1st day of December, 2006.

SECRETARY OF STATE
PAYING AGENT/REGISTRAR'S
CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

This Certificate is one of the Certificates referred to in the within mentioned Certificate Resolution.

Parish Treasurer
Cameron Parish Police Jury
in the town of Cameron, Louisiana, as
Paying Agent/Registrar
By:

Date of Authentication:
(REVERSE OF CERTIFICATE)
ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS

This Certificate is one of an issue, the Certificates of which are all of like date, tenor and effect, except as to the number, maturity and rate of interest, aggregating in principal the sum of TWO MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND NO/100 (\$2,500,000) DOLLARS; said Certificates to mature semi-annually, issued pursuant to a Certificate Resolution adopted on November 16, 2006, by the Board of Commissioners of Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, under the provisions of Part V of Subtitle II of Chapter 4 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, in particular, La. R.S. 39:741 et seq., and other Constitutional and statutory authority supplemental thereto, for the purpose of paying maintenance and operation cost of the District's recreation facilities in anticipation of receipt of the avails of a special ad valorem tax of 21 mills approved by the electorate of the District on September 30, 2006.

This Certificate and the other Certificates of this issue are secured by and payable in principal and interest solely from the irrevocable pledge and dedication of the revenues generated by the special ad valorem tax of 21 mills approved by the electorate of the District on September 30, 2006. For a more complete statement of the revenues from which and conditions under which this Certificate is payable, and the general covenants and provisions pursuant to which this Certificate is issued, reference is hereby made to the aforesaid Certificate Resolution adopted on November 16, 2006.

At the option of the District, Certificates of this issue shall be callable for redemption prior to their stated dates of maturity in such order as the District may determine, and if less than a full maturity, then by lot within such maturity on any Interest Payment Date on or after June 1, 2007, at a price of par of the face value thereof and accrued interest to the redemption date. Notice of call for redemption of any of the Certificates shall be given not less than thirty (30) days prior to the redemption date by means of registered or certified mail by notice deposited in the United States Mail addressed to the Paying

Agent/Registrar and to the registered owner of each Certificate to be redeemed at his address as shown on the registration books of the Paying Agent/Registrar. In the event a Certificate is of a denomination larger than \$5,000 a portion of such Certificate (\$5,000 or any multiple thereof) may be redeemed.

IT IS CERTIFIED that this Certificate is authorized by and issued in conformity with the requirements of the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Louisiana. It is further certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to exist, to happen and to be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this Certificate and the issue of which it forms a part, necessary to have the same constitute legal, binding and valid obligation of the District, have existed, have happened and have been performed in due time, form and manner, as required by law, and that this Certificate and the issue of which it forms a part do not exceed any limitation prescribed by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of Louisiana. It is also certified, recited and declared that this Certificate is negotiable paper under the Law Merchant, and it shall not be invalid for any irregularity or defect in the proceedings provided for its issuance and that it shall be incontestable in the hands of bona fide purchasers thereof for value.

ASSIGNMENT

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, the undersigned, hereby sells, assigns and transfers unto the within Certificate and all rights thereunder, and hereby irrevocably constitutes and appoints, attorney or agent to transfer the within Certificate on the books kept for registration thereof, with full power of substitution in the premises.

Dated: **NOTICE:** The signature to this assignment must correspond with the name as it appears on the face of the within Certificate in every particular, without alteration or enlargement or any change whatever.

(Form of Legal Opinion Certificate- to Be Printed on All Certificates)

I, the undersigned Secretary of the Board of Commissioners of Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana, do hereby certify that the following is a true copy of the complete legal opinion of Joseph A. Delafield, A Professional Corporation, the original of which was manually executed, dated and issued as of the date of payment for and delivery of the original Certificates of the issue described therein and was delivered to representing the original purchasers thereof.

Secretary
SECTION 7. Execution of Certificates. The Certificates shall be signed by the Executive Officers of the District for, on behalf of, in the name of and under the corporate seal of the District, and the Legal Opinion Certificate shall be signed by the Secretary of the Governing Authority, which signatures and corporate seal may be either manual or facsimile and the delivery of any Certificate so executed at any time thereafter shall be valid although, before the date of delivery, the persons signing the Certificates cease to hold office.

SECTION 8. Obligations of the District. The Certificates herein authorized shall be secured by and payable in principal and interest solely from the irrevocable pledge and dedication of the anticipated revenues of the special ad valorem tax of 21 mills approved by the electorate of the District on September 30, 2006. Until said Certificates herein authorized shall have been paid in full in principal and interest, the District does hereby obligate itself to budget annually a sufficient sum of money to pay said Certificates and the interest thereon as they respectively mature. It shall be specifically understood and agreed, however, and this provision shall be made a part of this contract, that after the funds have actually been set aside out of the revenues of any year sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on said Certificates for that year and such funds have been deposited in a Sinking Fund, then any excess of annual revenues remaining in that year shall be free for expenditure by the District for other lawful purposes.

The governing authority of the District does hereby obligate itself and is bound under the terms and provisions of law, that so long as any of the Certificates herein authorized are outstanding, it will, in each year, maintain efficiency and economy in the operation of the hospital facilities of the District with taxes levied and collected each year sufficient to meet debt service requirements on all outstanding certificates of indebtedness, including the present issue, and said obligation shall be irrevocable until the Certificates have been paid in full as to both principal and interest, and this Certificate Resolution imposing said obligation shall not be subject to amendment in any manner which would impair the rights of the holders from time to time of the Certificates herein authorized or which would in any way jeopardize the prompt payment of principal thereof and interest thereon. This Certificate Resolution shall be and remain irrevocable until the Certificates and the interest accruing thereon shall have been fully paid, satisfied, and discharged, as herein provided.

SECTION 9. Application of Certificate Proceeds; Maintenance Fund. Neither the purchaser of the Certificates nor the holder of any of them shall in any way be responsible for the application of the proceeds of said Certificates by the District or any of its officers. The Executive Officers are hereby empowered, authorized and directed to do any and all things necessary and incidental to carry out all of the provisions of this Resolution. The proceeds derived

from the sale of the Certificates, other than accrued interest upon the Certificates, if any, which shall be deposited into the 2006 Tax Anticipation Certificate Sinking Fund in accordance with the provisions of Section 13 hereof, shall be deposited into a fund separate and apart from the general funds of the District and the Parish, namely, the "Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana" ("Maintenance Fund") hereby created, and disbursements shall be made from the Maintenance Fund solely and only for the purposes for which the Certificates are being issued and for which the principal proceeds are hereby appropriated.

Earnings, if any, upon the invested proceeds of the Certificates within the Maintenance Fund shall remain within the Maintenance Fund and utilized solely and only for (i) the purposes for which the Certificates are being issued and/or (ii) payment of any required rebate of excess arbitrage profits to the United States Treasury.

SECTION 10. Additional Certificates. All of the Certificates of a series (including the 2006 Series Certificates) shall enjoy complete parity of lien on the anticipated tax revenues of the District despite the fact that any of the Certificates may be delivered at an earlier or later date than any other of the Certificates. The District may issue other certificates or obligations payable from or enjoying a lien on its anticipated tax revenues on a parity with the Certificates. It is specifically understood that after funds have been set aside out of the tax revenues of any year sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on the Certificates for the then current year and such funds have been deposited in the 2006 Tax Anticipation Certificate Sinking Fund, then any excess of annual revenues remaining in that year will be free for expenditure by the District for any other lawful purpose.

SECTION 11. Payment of Certificates. Pursuant to this Certificate Resolution there is irrevocably and irrepealably pledged and dedicated an amount sufficient for payment of the Certificates in principal and interest as they shall respectively become due and payable.

SECTION 12. Annual Budget. Until said Certificates shall have been paid in full in both principal and interest, the governing authority of the District shall prepare a budget at the beginning of each fiscal year and furnish a copy of such budget within thirty (30) days after its preparation to the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Certificates.

SECTION 13. Sinking Fund. The District covenants to duly and punctually pay or cause to be paid (but solely from the sources provided in the Certificate Resolution) the principal of every Certificate and the interest thereon, and premium, if any, on the dates and at the places and in the manner stated in the Certificates according to the true intent and meaning thereof. In order that the said principal, interest and premium, if any, due upon the Certificates will be paid in accordance with their terms and for the other objects and purposes hereinafter provided, the District hereby further covenants that it shall create and maintain a Sinking Fund to be designated the Lower Cameron Hospital Service District, Cameron Parish, Louisiana Sinking Fund ("2006 Tax Anticipation Certificate Sinking Fund"), to be held by the Paying Agent/Registrar, into which shall be deposited monies sufficient in amount to pay promptly and fully the principal of, interest on, and premium, if any, of the Certificates herein authorized, as they severally become due and payable.

At least one (1) business day prior to any date on which the principal of and interest on any of the Certificates is due to be paid to the holders or owners thereof, the District shall furnish to the Paying Agent/Registrar funds fully sufficient to pay promptly the principal and interest so falling due on such date. Such funds shall be used by the Paying Agent/Registrar solely for the purpose of paying the principal of, premium, if any and interest on the Certificates in accordance with their terms and the provisions of this Certificate Resolution. Monies held in the 2006 Tax Anticipation Certificate Sinking Fund may be invested and reinvested upon the written direction of the District in such investments which are authorized by the law of the State of Louisiana for municipal investments, provided, however, that such investments mature at such time or times which will not impede or interfere with the payments required to be made under and pursuant to this Certificate Resolution to the Paying Agent/Registrar for the Certificates.

SECTION 14. Legality of Proceedings; Enforceability. The District covenants that it is duly authorized under all applicable laws to authorize and issue the Certificates and to adopt this Certificate Resolution and to pledge the anticipated tax revenues of the District in the manner and to the extent provided in this Certificate Resolution. The Certificates and the provisions of this Certificate Resolution are and will be the valid and legally enforceable special obligations of the District in accordance with their terms, subject to bankruptcy, insolvency and other laws affecting creditors' rights generally. The District shall at all times, to the extent permitted by law, defend, preserve and protect the pledge of the anticipated tax revenues in the calendar year beginning January 1, 2007 and ending December 31, 2007, and subsequent years above statutory, necessary and usual charges, and all the rights of the owners of the Certificates under the Certificate Resolution against all claims and demands of all persons whomsoever. The District has obligated itself and is bound under

the terms and provisions of this Certificate Resolution to budget annually, until all of the Certificates have been retired as to both principal and interest, a sufficient sum of money to pay the Certificates and the interest thereon as they mature and come due, and to levy and collect taxes and other revenues in each year, within the limits prescribed by law, sufficient to pay the principal of and the interest on its outstanding Certificates. Nothing contained in this Certificate Resolution, however, shall be construed to prevent the District from altering, amending or repealing from time to time, as may be necessary, the resolutions and ordinances adopted by the Governing Authority providing for the levying, imposition and collection of taxes, service charges and other revenues, said alterations, amendments or repeals to be conditioned upon the continued preservation of the rights of the owners of the Certificates. The obligation of the District to continue to levy and collect taxes and other revenues and to apply the revenues therefrom in accordance with the provisions of the Certificate Resolution, shall be irrevocable until the Certificates have been paid in full as to both principal and interest, and shall not be subject to amendment in any manner which would impair the rights of the owners from time to time of the Certificates, or which would in any way jeopardize the prompt payment of principal thereof and interest thereon.

SECTION 15. Certificates Legal Obligations. The Certificates shall constitute legal, binding and valid obligations of the District, and shall be the only representations of the indebtedness as herein authorized and created.

SECTION 16. Resolution a Contract. The provisions of this Resolution and the Certificates shall constitute a contract between the District, or its successor, and the Owner or Owners from time to time of the Certificates and any such Owner or Owners may at law or in equity, by suit, action, mandamus or other proceedings, enforce and compel the performance of all duties required to be performed by this Governing Authority or the District as a result of issuing the Certificates.

No material modification or amendment of this Certificate Resolution, or of any resolution amendatory hereof or supplemental hereto, may be made without the consent in writing of the Owners of two-thirds (2/3) of the aggregate principal amount of the Certificates then outstanding; provided, however, that no modification or amendment shall permit a change in the maturity or redemption provisions of the Certificates, or a reduction in the rate of interest thereon, or in the amount of the principal obligation thereof, or affecting the obligation of the District to pay the principal of and the interest on the Certificates as the same shall come due from the revenues pledged and dedicated to the payment thereof by this Resolution or reduce the percentage of the Owners required to consent to any material modification or amendment of this Resolution, without the consent of all of the Owners of the Certificates then outstanding.

SECTION 17. Recital of Regularity. This Governing Authority having investigated the regularity of the proceedings had in connection with issuance of the Certificates herein authorized and having determined the same to be regular, the Certificates shall contain the following recital: "It is certified that this Certificate is authorized by and issued in conformity with the requirements of the Constitution and statutes of the State of Louisiana."

SECTION 18. Effect of Registration. The District, the Paying Agent, and any agent of either of them may treat the Owner in whose name any Certificate is registered as the Owner of such Certificate for the purpose of receiving payment of the principal (and redemption price) of and interest on such Certificate and for all other purposes whatsoever, and to the extent permitted by law, neither the District, the Paying Agent, nor any agent of either of them shall be affected by notice to the contrary.

SECTION 19. Notices to Owners. Wherever this Resolution provides for notice to Owners of Certificates of any event, such notice shall be sufficiently given (unless otherwise herein expressly provided) if in writing and mailed, first class postage prepaid, to each Owner of such Certificates, at the address of such Owner as it appears in the Bond Register. In any case where notice to Owners of Certificates is given by mail, neither the failure to mail such notice to any particular Owner of Certificates, nor any defect in any notice so mailed, shall affect the sufficiency of such notice with respect to all other Certificates. Where this Resolution provides for notice in any manner, such notice may be waived in writing by the Owner or Owners entitled to receive such notice, either before or after the event, and such waiver shall be the equivalent of such notice. Waivers of notice by Owners shall be filed with the Paying Agent, but such filing shall not be a condition precedent to the validity of any action taken in reliance upon such waiver.

SECTION 20. Cancellation of Certificates. All Certificates surrendered for payment, redemption, transfer, exchange or replacement, if surrendered to the Paying Agent, shall be promptly cancelled by it and, if surrendered to the District, shall be delivered to the Paying Agent and, if not already cancelled, shall be promptly cancelled by the Paying Agent. The District may at any time deliver to the Paying Agent for cancellation any Certificates previously registered and delivered which the District may have acquired in any manner whatsoever, and all Certificates so delivered shall be

promptly cancelled by the Paying Agent. All cancelled Certificates held by the Paying Agent shall be disposed of as directed in writing by the District.

SECTION 21. Mutilated, Destroyed, Lost or Stolen Certificates. If (1) any mutilated Certificate is surrendered to the Paying Agent, or the District and the Paying Agent receives evidence to its satisfaction of the destruction, loss or theft of any Certificate, and (2) there is delivered to the District and the Paying Agent such security or indemnity as may be required by them to save each of them harmless, then, in the absence of notice to the District or the Paying Agent that such Certificate has been acquired by a bona fide purchaser, the District shall, under the authority of Part XI of Chapter 4 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, execute, and upon its request the Paying Agent shall register and deliver, in exchange for or in lieu of any such mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Certificate, a new Certificate of the same maturity and of like tenor, interest rate and principal amount, bearing a number not contemporaneously outstanding. In case any such mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Certificate has become or is about to become due and payable, the District in its discretion may, instead of issuing a new Certificate, pay such Certificate. Upon issuance of any new Certificate under this Section, the District may require the payment by the Owner of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in relation thereto and any other expenses (including the fees and expenses of the Paying Agent) connected therewith. Every new Certificate issued pursuant to this Section in lieu of any mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Certificate shall constitute a replacement of the prior obligation of the District, whether or not the mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Certificate shall be at any time enforceable by anyone and shall be entitled to all the benefits of this Resolution equally and ratably with all other outstanding Certificates. Any additional procedures set forth in this Resolution, shall also be available with respect to mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Certificates. The provisions of this Section are exclusive and shall preclude (to the extent lawful) all other rights and remedies with respect to the replacement and payment of mutilated, destroyed, lost or stolen Certificates.

SECTION 22. Discharge of Resolution; Defeasance. The Certificates or any part thereof, including interest and redemption premiums thereon, if any, may be refunded and the refunding certificates or bonds so issued shall enjoy complete equality of lien with the portion of the Certificates which is not refunded, if there be any, and the refunding certificates or bonds shall continue to enjoy whatever priority of lien over subsequent issues may have been enjoyed by the Certificates refunded.

If the District shall pay or cause to be paid, or there shall otherwise be paid to the Owners, the principal of and interest on the Certificates, at the times and in the manner stipulated in this Resolution, then the pledge of the money, securities, and funds pledged under this Resolution and all covenants, agreements, and other obligations of the District to the Owners of the Certificates shall thereupon cease, terminate, and become void and be discharged and satisfied, and the Paying Agent shall pay over or deliver all money held by it under this Resolution to the District.

Principal or interest installments for the payment of which money shall have been set aside and shall be held in trust (through deposit by the District of funds for such payment or otherwise) at the maturity date thereof shall be deemed to have been paid within the meaning and with the effect expressed above in this Section. Certificates shall be deemed to have been paid, prior to their maturity, within the meaning and with the effect expressed above in this Section if they have been defeased pursuant to Chapter 14 of Title 39 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, as amended, or any successor provisions thereto.

SECTION 23. Paying Agent; Paying Agent Agreement. The District will at all times maintain a Paying Agent meeting the qualifications hereinafter described for the performance of the duties hereunder for the Certificates. The designation of the initial Paying Agent in this Resolution is hereby confirmed and approved. The District reserves the right to appoint a successor Paying Agent by (a) filing with the Person then performing such function a certified copy of a resolution or Resolution giving notice of the termination of the Agreement and appointing a successor and (b) causing notice to be given to each Owner. Every Paying Agent appointed hereunder shall at all times be a bank organized and doing business under the laws of the United States of America or of any state, authorized under such laws to serve as Paying Agent, and subject to supervision or examination by Federal or State authority. The Executive Officers are hereby authorized and directed to execute an appropriate Agreement with the Paying Agent for and on behalf of the District in such form as may be satisfactory to said officers, the signatures of such officers on such Agreement to be conclusive evidence of the due exercise of the authority granted hereunder.

SECTION 24. Non-Arbitrage Representations, Warranties and Covenants. The Governing Authority of the District certifies and covenants that so long as the Certificates remain outstanding, moneys on deposit in any fund in connection with the Certificates, whether or not such moneys were derived from the proceeds of the sale of the Certificates or from any

other sources, will not be used in a manner which will cause such Certificates to be "arbitrage bonds" within the meaning of Section 148 of the Code or ruling or regulations promulgated thereunder.

The Governing Authority hereby authorizes the Executive Officers of the District to be responsible for issuing the Certificates to make such further covenants and certifications as may be necessary to assure that the use thereof will not cause the Certificates to be arbitrage bonds and to assure that the interest on the Certificates will be excludable from gross income for purposes of federal income taxation. In connection therewith, the District and the Governing Authority further agree:

(a) through the Executive Officers to make such further specific covenants, representations as shall be truthful, and assurances as may be necessary or advisable; (b) to consult with counsel approving the Certificates and to comply with such advice as may be given; (c) to pay to the United States, as necessary, such sums of money representing required rebates of excess arbitrage profits relating to the Certificates; (d) to file such forms, statements and supporting documents as may be required and in a timely manner; and (e) if deemed necessary or advisable by the Executive Officers, to employ and pay fiscal agents, financial advisors, attorneys, and other persons to assist the District in such compliance.

The District covenants that principal proceeds from sale of the Certificates shall be devoted to and used with due diligence for completion of the purposes for which the Certificates are hereby authorized to be issued. The District represents and certifies that:

(1) there are no moneys, funds or accounts other than those described in Section 13 hereof that the District expects to be available to pay debt service on the Certificates;

(2) no portion of the proceeds of the Certificates will be used as a substitute for other funds which will be used to acquire directly or indirectly securities producing a yield in excess of the yield on the Certificates;

(3) the District has heretofore incurred (or expects within six months after date of the Certificates to incur) a substantial binding obligation with respect to acquisition of the facilities approved in the Certificate Resolution in the amount of not less than 2-1/2% of the estimated total cost of said facilities;

(4) the District expects that 100% of the net proceeds of the Certificates, including any reasonably required retainage (not exceeding 5% of the net proceeds of the issue) will be expended on or before December 1, 2009 for the purpose of paying the costs of maintenance and operation of the hospital facilities of the District, said date being within three years following the date of issue of the Certificates;

(5) work on acquisition of the hospital facilities is expected to proceed with due diligence to completion;

(6) the facilities have not been and are not expected to be sold or otherwise disposed of in whole or in part prior to the last maturity of the Certificates;

(7) all of the principal proceeds of the Certificates are needed for the purpose stated in the form of Certificates above set out, including expenses incidental to such purpose and to the issuance of the Certificates; and

(8) to the best of the knowledge and belief of the District, there are no facts, estimates or circumstances that would materially change the conclusions and representations set out in this Section.

The District will keep such separate records as are necessary to segregate or otherwise designate the original and investment proceeds of the Certificates and nonpurpose investments acquired with such proceeds for a period of at least six (6) years after retirement of the Certificates.

SECTION 25. Printing and Delivery of Certificates. The Executive Officers of the District are hereby empowered, authorized and directed to cause the necessary Certificates to be printed or lithographed, and they are hereby further empowered, authorized and directed to sign, execute and seal all of the Certificates as herein provided, all in accordance with the provisions of law and this Certificate Resolution.

SECTION 26. Notice of Certificate Sale. The publication of a Notice of Certificate Sale pertaining to the sale of the Certificates, in the form so published, is hereby ratified and confirmed in all respects by this Governing Authority.

SECTION 27. Publication. A copy of this Certificate Resolution shall be published immediately after its adoption in one (1) issue of the official journal of the District. For a period of thirty (30) days from the date of such publication, any person in interest shall have the right to contest the legality of this Certificate Resolution and of the Certificates to be issued pursuant hereto and the provisions hereof securing the Certificates. After the expiration of said thirty (30) days, no one shall have any right of action to contest the validity of the Certificates or the provisions of this Certificate Resolution, and the Certificates shall be conclusively presumed to be legal and no court shall thereafter have authority to inquire into such matters.

SECTION 28. Savings Clause. In case any one or more of the provisions of this Certificate Resolution or of the Certificates issued hereunder shall for any reason be held to be illegal or invalid, such illegality or invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this Certificate Resolution or of the Certificates, but the Certificate Resolution and the

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Special Olympics Louisiana Southwest Area will present a "Beary" Merry Christmas event on Saturday, Dec. 9, from 6 to 8 p.m. at the McNeese Old Ranch. There will be food, music, and a Silent Auction. For each ticket sold, a collectible teddy bear will be presented to an athlete during the evening.

Tickets are \$30 and dress is casual. If you cannot attend but would like to contribute \$30 to a teddy bear to be presented to a Special Olympics athlete, please send your donation to Special Olympics Louisiana SW Area, Beary Merry Christmas Event, 238 Browning Rd., Merryville, LA 70653.

If you would like to donate an item for the Silent Auction, please contact Lindsey Cummings at lindsaycumplings@i-55.com

Information and reservations for a Beary Merry Christmas are available by calling 309-0436. The deadline for reservations is Monday, Dec. 4.

Special Olympics is an international nonprofit organization dedicated to empowering individuals with intellectual and physical disabilities to become physically fit, productive and respected members of society through sports training and competition.

Children and adults with disabilities who participate in Special Olympics develop improved physical fitness and motor skills, greater self-confidence and a positive self-

Librarians and community leaders from Gulf Coast counties and parishes that lost library buildings will meet in Baton Rouge, on Nov. 28-30, to explore opportunities and share ideas for rebuilding.

Building Libraries, Building Community: A Summit on the Role of Public Libraries in Re-creating Community on the Gulf Coast is hosted by the Southeastern Library Network (SOLINET) in partnership with the Mississippi Library Commission and the State Library of Louisiana.

Thirty-one public libraries were destroyed by the hurricanes. Many more remain closed or are operating with severe limitations.

This summit begins a three-part rebuilding program for these public libraries. Following the Summit, libraries in these counties and parishes will be eligible for grants to assist in planning for new buildings.

The Summit and planning grants are part of SOLINET's Gulf Coast Libraries Project, a three-year initiative funded

image. They grow mentally, socially and spiritually and, through their activities, exhibit boundless courage and enthusiasm, enjoy the rewards of friendship and ultimately discover not only new abilities and talents but "their voices" as well. As they pledge in their Athlete Oath, "Let me win. But if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."

State Bonds, the award of this Contract is contingent upon the sale of bonds by the State Bond Commission. The State shall incur no obligation to the Contractor until the contract between owner and contractor is fully executed.

STATE OF LOUISIANA
DIVISION OF
ADMINISTRATION
OFFICE OF STATE
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DIRECTOR OF STATE
PURCHASING
RUN: Nov. 30 (N 62)

BUDGET HEARING ON FUNDS OF THE CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY

The Cameron Parish Police Jury will hold a public hearing at 5:00 p.m. on Monday, December 11, 2006 in the Courtroom of the Cameron Courthouse in Cameron, Louisiana for the purpose of hearing written and oral comment from the public concerning the proposed annual budget for fiscal year 2007 and the use of funds as contained in that proposed budget.

Regulations require a hearing on the proposed use of these funds before the budget is adopted each year. All interested citizens, groups, senior citizens and organizations representing the interest of senior citizens are encouraged to attend and to submit comments.
RUNS: Nov. 30 - N 63

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that Hilcorp Energy Company has applied for a permit to dredge waterbottoms and place spoil material for marine vessel access & to install and maintain a barge, pile clusters and a well protection platform for drilling Miami Corporation Well #5, approximately 5.5 miles east-northeast of North Island, Louisiana in Cameron Parish. The applicant is applying to the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality, Office of Environmental Services for a Water Quality Certification in accordance with statutory authority contained in the LAC 33:IX1507.A-E and provisions of Section 401 of the Clean Water Act.

Comments concerning this application can be filed with the Registrations and Certifications Section within ten days of this notice by referencing JP 061019-04/AI 146194 to the following address:

Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality, P. O. Box 4313, Baton Rouge, LA 70821-4313. Attn: Water Quality Certifications.

A copy of the application is available for inspection and review at the LDEQ Public Records Center, on the first floor of the Galvez Building, Room 127 at 602 North Fifth, Street Baton Rouge, LA 70802 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
RUNS: Nov. 30 - N 65

MEETING TO BE HELD AT CAMERON COURTHOUSE CAMERON PARISH POLICE JURY AGENDA
December 4, 2006
6:00 P.M.

1. Call to Order
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Reading of Minutes
4. Drilling Permits:
 - a. Yuma E&P Company, Inc. - Sweet Lake, Section 18, T12S, R6W, SLL0 Prospect, (proposed board road, drill site, and structures), Cameron Parish, LA. (061202)
 - b. Hilcorp Energy Company - Sweet Lake, Section 22, T12S, R6W, Garrison No. 2, (proposed prop wash, location and pipelines), Cameron Parish, LA. (061209)
 - c. Royal Production Company, Inc. - Klondike, Sections 15, 22, & 23, T13S, R3W, SL 18506 Well #1, (proposed production structures and flowlines), Cameron Parish, LA. (061207)
 - d. Centurion Exploration

Resolution.
SECTION 33. Section Headings. The headings of the various sections hereof are inserted for convenience of reference only and shall not control or affect the meaning or construction of any of the provisions hereof.

SECTION 34. Repealer. All resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are, to the extent of such conflict, hereby repealed, and this Certificate Resolution shall be in effect from and after its passage.

SECTION 35. Effective Date of Resolution. This Certificate Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

This Certificate Resolution adopted and passed on this 16th day of November, 2006.

/s/ Kyle Theriot
KYLE THERIOT, President
ATTEST:

/s/ Gregory Fawvor
GREGORY FAWVOR
Secretary

(Other business not pertinent to the present except may be found of record in the official minute book.)

Upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the meeting was adjourned.

/s/ Kyle Theriot
KYLE THERIOT, President
ATTEST:

/s/ Gregory Fawvor
GREGORY FAWVOR
Secretary

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF CAMERON

I, GREGORY FAWVOR, certify that I am the duly qualified and appointed Administrative Secretary of the Board of Commissioners, governing authority of Lower Cameron Hospital Service District Of Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

I further certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of an excerpt from the minutes of a public meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on November 16, 2006, and of a resolution adopted at said meeting, as said minutes and resolution appear officially of record in my possession.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, witness my official signature and the impress of the official seal of the Board on this 16th day of November, 2006.

/s/ Gregory Fawvor
GREGORY FAWVOR
Secretary
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RUN: Nov. 30 (N 51)

REVISED ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals for the construction of the following project will be received by the Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District 3 until 2:00 p.m. on 19 December 2006 in the temporary building near the Cameron Recreation Center behind the Cameron Courthouse, Cameron LA.

Project Number: 2006-03
Post-Rita Restoration of Bolo Pump Station

The rules and regulations for the State Licensing Board for contractors will apply; the project being classified as:

1. Heavy Construction
Proposal forms will not be issued later than 24 hours prior to the hour and date set for receiving proposals. 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 Gravity Drainage District 3.

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 Gravity Drainage District 3 meeting. The Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District 3 reserves the right to reject any or all the proposals and to waive informalities.

Cameron Parish Gravity Drainage District 3
/s/Scott Henry
RUNS: Nov. 23, 30, Dec. 7 - N 55

SHERIFF'S SALE
THIRTY-EIGHT JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF CAMERON
STATE OF LOUISIANA
IRWIN MORTGAGE CORPORATION
VS. NO. 10-17869
DWAYNE RAY AND DALAL CATHLEEN PERRY GUILLORY

By virtue of a writ of Executory Process issued to me directed by the Honorable Court aforesaid, I have seized and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder with the benefit of appraisal, at the Court House door of this Parish of Cameron, on Wednesday, January 10, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. the following described property to-wit:

THE NORTH 2 ACRES OF LOT FIVE (5) OF IRREGULAR SECTION 24, TOWNSHIP 12 SOUTH, RANGE 9 WEST, CAMERON PARISH, LOUISIANA

seized under said writ.

Terms: CASH DAY OF SALE.

/s/Theos Duhon
Theos Duhon, Sheriff
CAMERON PARISH, LA.
Sheriff's Office, Cameron, La.
November 24, 2006

Roland C Kizer
Attorneys for Irwin
Mortgage Process
RUNS: Nov. 30 & Dec. 28 - N 57

LEGAL NOTICE

The Cameron Parish Assessor will hold a public hearing on the Proposed Budget for Fiscal Year 2007. Said hearing shall be held at the office of the Assessor, Parish Courthouse, Cameron, Louisiana, at 10:00 a.m., December 15, 2006. The Cameron Parish Assessor's Office Budget is always available for public inspection during normal business hours at the office of the assessor.

2006 Amended; 2007 Proposed Revenue:

Ad Valorem Taxes - 377538;
380000
State Revenue Sharing - 7062;
7062
Federal Revenue Sharing -
3253; 3253
Informational Services - 5200;
5200
Interest Earnings - 10000;
8000
Total Revenue - 403053;
403515
Expenditures:
Personal Services - 398950;
398950
Supplies - 8500; 8600
Other Operating Expenses -
71439; 74989
Capital Outlay - 0; 2500
Total Expenditures - 478889;
485039
Excess: -75836; -81524
RUN: Nov. 30 - N 58

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 3:30 p.m. on 21 December 2006 at the Cameron Parish Police Jury Temporary Offices, 10080 Gulf Highway, Grand Lake Community, Lake Charles, LA 70607.

Project Number: 2006-17
Post-Rita Restoration of Deep Bayou Bridge

The rules and regulations for the State Licensing Board for contractors will apply; this project being classified as:

II. Highway and Bridge Construction.

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.

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Cameron Parish Police Jury /s/Douaine Conner, President
RUNS: Nov. 30, Dec. 7, 14, 21 (N 59)

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Cameron Council on the Aging, Inc., a private non-profit organization providing transportation services to the elderly and disabled persons in Cameron Parish, Louisiana, intends to apply for a federal grant to be used for the purpose of acquiring specially equipped vehicles and equipment for use in transporting elderly and disabled persons who are unable to utilize existing public transit services. Services will be generally between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, in the area encompassing Cameron Parish, Louisiana. The grant would be used to replace existing equipment and add new equipment. The Cameron Council on Aging invited any interested public or private transit or Para transit operator within the service area to comment on the proposed services by sending a written response to: Mr. Harold Beck, Elderly and Disabled Program Manager, LA. Department of Transportation and Development, Public Transportation Section Room 138/Airport, P. O. Box 92425, Baton Rouge, LA. 70804-9245; and to Cameron Council on the Aging, Inc., P. O. Box 8801, Grand Lake, LA. 70606 within 15 days. Comments must be received by December 15, 2006.

RUN: Nov. 30 - N 60

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.# 061201
Name of Applicant: Todd Gaspard, 9346 Gulf Hwy., Lake Charles, LA 70607.

Location of permit: Grand Lake, Section 11, T12S-R9W, Cameron Parish, Louisiana.

Character of Work: Mr. Gaspard proposes to excavate approximately 77,000 cubic yards of clay, mud, and top soil to provide fill material which will be utilized for a house pad and property improvements. The excavated area will be used as a pond.

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 Police Jury Ordinance. The decision will reflect in the national concern for both protection and utilization of important resources. The decision must be consistent 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.

RUN: Nov. 30 - N 60

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Certification that the proposed activity will not violate applicable water and air quality, laws, stan-

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Certificates shall be construed and enforced as if such illegal or invalid provisions had not been contained therein. Any constitutional or statutory provision enacted after the date of this Certificate Resolution and of the Certificates which validates or makes legal any provision of this Certificate Resolution or the Certificates which would not otherwise be valid or legal, shall be deemed to apply to this Certificate Resolution and to the Certificates.

SECTION 29. Bank Qualification. The District has determined that the Certificates will be designated as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of section 265(b)(3) of the Code.

SECTION 30. Continuing Disclosure Agreement. The District has authorized the execution and delivery of a Continuing Disclosure Agreement pursuant to Section (d)(2) of the Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12 ("Continuing Disclosure Agreement"). The Continuing Disclosure Agreement executed and delivered by the President and Secretary of the Governing Authority as heretofore authorized by resolution providing for the sale and delivery of the Certificates to the Purchaser is ratified, approved and confirmed. The District, acting through the Governing Authority, hereby covenants and agrees that it will comply with and carry out all of the provisions of the Continuing Disclosure Agreement. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Certificate Resolution, failure of the District or the Governing Authority to comply with the Continuing Disclosure Agreement shall not be considered a default hereunder. However, any Participating Underwriter, as defined in the Continuing Disclosure Agreement, or any Certificate Owner may take such actions under Louisiana law as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking a mandatory injunction, writ of mandamus or other order or judgment for specific performance by court order to cause the District and/or the Governing Authority to comply with its obligations under the Continuing Disclosure Agreement and this Section and the provisions of this Certificate Resolution heretofore adopted authorizing the Continuing Disclosure Agreement.

SECTION 31. Events of Default. The following events shall constitute events of default of the District ("Events of Default"):

- (1) if default shall be made in the due and punctual payment of the principal of any Certificate when due and as the same shall become due and payable, whether at maturity or upon call for redemption, or otherwise; or
- (2) if default shall be made in the due and punctual payment of any installment of interest on any Certificate when due and as such interest installment shall become due and payable; or
- (3) if default shall be made by the District in the performance or observance of any other of the covenants, agreements or conditions on its part in this Certificate Resolution, any supplemental resolution or in the Certificates contained, and such default shall continue for a period of forty-five (45) days after written notice thereof to the District by the Paying Agent/Registrar or by the owners of not less than 25% of the outstanding Certificates; or
- (4) if the District shall file a petition or otherwise seek relief under any Federal or State bankruptcy law or similar law; then, upon the occurrence and the continuance of any Event of Default to the owners of the Certificates, or the Paying Agent/Registrar on their behalf, shall be entitled to exercise all rights and powers authorized under the provisions of law.

SECTION 32. Beneficiaries of the Resolution. The provisions of this Certificate Resolution are for the sole benefit of the Owners of the Certificates and beneficial owners of the Certificates, and nothing contained herein, express or implied, shall give any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy, or claim hereunder to any other person. The District undertakes to provide only the financial information, operating data, financial statements, and notices which it has expressly agreed to provide pursuant to this Certificate Resolution, and does not hereby undertake to provide any other information that may be relevant or material to a complete presentation of the District's financial results, condition, or prospects or hereby undertake to update any information provided in accordance with this Certificate Resolution or otherwise, except as expressly provided herein. The District does not make any representation or warranty concerning such information or its usefulness to a decision to invest in or sell the Certificates at any future date.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES SHALL THE DISTRICT BE LIABLE TO OWNERS OF THE CERTIFICATES OR BENEFICIAL OWNERS OF ANY OTHER CERTIFICATE OR ANY OTHER PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR DAMAGES RESULTING IN WHOLE OR IN PART FROM ANY BREACH BY THE DISTRICT, WHETHER NEGLIGENCE OR WITHOUT FAULT ON ITS PART, OF ANY COVENANT SPECIFIED IN THIS CERTIFICATE RESOLUTION, BUT EVERY RIGHT AND REMEDY OF ANY SUCH PERSON, IN CONTRACT OR TORT, FOR OR ON ACCOUNT OF ANY SUCH BREACH SHALL BE LIMITED TO AN ACTION FOR MANDAMUS OR SPECIFIC PERFORMANCE.

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by the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation to support public libraries damaged by hurricanes in Louisiana and Mississippi.

In addition to support for planning new buildings, the Gulf Coast Libraries Project will provide temporary libraries and book/tech mobiles, technology, materials, and staffing in communities that lost libraries.

"Libraries play an essential role in any community. In restoring our public libraries, we also begin the painstaking process of restoring our communities," according to State Librarian Rebecca Hamilton of the State Library of Louisiana.

Her statement is echoed in other counties and parishes. "Libraries add greatly to the quality of life and stability of the communities," according to Cyndi Sellers, Library Board President in Cameron Parish.

Community leaders and librarians in Louisiana will attend from Calcasieu Parish, Cameron Parish, Jefferson Parish, New Orleans, Plaquemines Parish, St. Bernard Parish, St. Tammany Parish, Terrebonne Parish, Vermillion Parish, and Washington Parish. Participants from Mississippi will represent Hancock County, Harrison County, Jackson-George Regional Library System, and Long Beach Municipal Public Library.

Company - Grand Chenier, Sections 19 & 30, T15S, R5W, Section 25, T15S, R6W, SL 18618 No. 1 Well - NE Hog Bayou SW Prospect, (proposed two 6" pipelines), Cameron Parish, LA. (061208)

e. The Meridian Resource & Exploration, LLC - Klondike, Section 26, T12S, R4W, Lake Arthur Reclamation Co Well No. 1, (proposed production platform, walkway & 6" flowline), Cameron Parish, LA. (061209)

f. Rozel Operating Company - Creole, Offshore, West Cameron Area, Block 2, (proposed removal of abandoned pipeline), Cameron Parish, LA. (061210)

g. Castex Energy, Inc. - Sabine Lake, SL 18810 No. 1 Well, (proposed 6" pipeline and structures), Cameron Parish, LA. (061211)

h. Petroleum Capital, L.C. - Johnson Bayou, Section 16, T14S, R13W, Cameron Parish School Board No. 4 Well, (proposed board road, drill site & structures), Cameron Parish, LA. (061212)

5. Other Permits:
a. Todd Gaspard - Grand Lake, Section 11, T12S, R9W, (proposed excavation and fill), Cameron Parish, LA. (061201)

b. Office of Conservation - Calcasieu Lake, Various Sections, Townships and Ranges, (proposed Calcasieu Lake Debris Removal), Cameron Parish, LA. (061204)

c. Michelle Vincent - Creole, Sections 20 & 29, T14S, R8W, (proposed excavation and fill), Cameron Parish, LA. (061205)

d. Omega Protein Corp. - Cameron, Section 36, T14S, R10W, (proposed maintenance dredging and mooring facility repair), Cameron Parish, LA. (061206)

e. Gulfway/Lake Breeze Canal Project - Hackberry, Section 47, T12S, R10W, (proposed maintenance dredging to restore canal depth contours to pre-hurricane elevations for boat slip access), Cameron Parish, LA. (061213)

6. Appointments:
a. Fire Protection District #1 - Ryan Nash, Orelia Benoit - resigned

7. Hearing - Intention to Abandon:

a. Parish Rd #383 - Dorcelie Road - East Creole

b. Parish Rd #306 - Robert Montie - West Creole

c. Parish Rd #3192 - Elton Bonsall - East Creole

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9. Acceptance of Bids:
a. Project #2006-14 - Parish Rd #217

b. Holly Beach Pole Barn Facility

c. Debris Removal and Demolition Service

10. Advertise for Bids:
a. Portable Bathroom Facility - Johnson Bayou Library

11. Sandra Cox - Holly Beach Issues

12. Purchase Trash Compactor - Sweetlake - Piggyback Provision

13. President Authority to Sign:

a. Joint Service Agreement - Fire 14/City of LC/Calcasieu Police Jury

b. Resolution - CDBG - Lower Cameron Hospital Dist.

c. Resolutions - Taxes Under Protest - Legal Services

14. Proclamations:
a. George H. Bush Day

b. Kathleen Blanch Day

15. Liquor Permit - Sportsman's Bar & Grill - Hackberry

16. RV Waste Dumping Station - Sonny McGee

17. Mosquito Control Aerial Spraying - FEMA Application

18. Pay November 2006 Bills

19. Staff Report:
a. Comp Time Roll-Over

b. Special Meeting Reminder

c. George H. Bush Award Event
RUN: Nov. 30 (N 66)



STORYTELLERS acted out stories as K-third graders at Johnson Bayou School watched attentively on Wednesday.

Johnson Bayou School News

SCHOOL EVENTS

Storytellers, who traveled all the way from Leesville, visited our campus on Wednesday. The lively duo acted out famous stories that spanned across the world. The children loved the entertainment and watched in awe as they learned of many well known tales.

WEEK IN SPORTS

Lady Rebels played Sabine Pass this week and both of our teams came out victorious. J.B. Lady Rebels led the game with 47 points and left Sabine Pass with 29. Rebel boys swept up 72 points while Sabine Pass scored only 54.

JB Rebels will play at the Hackberry Tournament Friday and Saturday.

Dec. 5 - Rebels take on Vinton at 6 p.m. at Hackberry.

CLUB NEWS

FCCLA: J.B.H.S. has affiliated four new members to the LA FCCLA. Whitney Roberts, Chelsea Greer, Kimberly Trahan and Christian Viator are all members of the club which is led by FCS teacher, Mrs. Reesa Boudreaux. They are looking forward to representing the school in the first FCCLA club that the school has had in quite some time.

AG

Travis Romero and Randy Scroggins will attend a livestock show in Jennings on Dec. 2 to show their pigs that they have been taking care of as a part of their AG Class.

Brandon Jinks placed 1st in the Creed Speaking contest for FFA. He is a member of Mr. David Vincent's FFA group.

FCS

J. B. Fellowship of Christian Students will sponsor Jared Taber, "The Is Me". Radial Angel accompanied by their opening band, Kenan White, will be at the JB Baptist Church on Dec. 4, at 6 p.m. This is a free event to all.



Brandon Jinks won first place in an FFA speaking contest for Johnson Bayou High School.

BASKETBALL

GIRLS

Grand Lake 52, Vinton 41 - Liz Kingham led all scorers with 22 points. Kat Kingham added 18 points.

Welsh 43, Grand Lake 26 - Liz Kingham chipped in 12 points for the Lady Hornets.



SNOW IN CAMERON? Yes, there was snow in Cameron Parish on Christmas Eve, 2004. This picture shows the Jo Jo Gaspard house in Cameron on Christmas morning. Snow was also reported in the Creole and Grand Chenier areas that year. (Photo by DeDe Nunez Sanders.)

Elementary schools' sixth grade honorees acknowledged

The sixth grade honor roll for Cameron Elementary and South Cameron Elementary's second six weeks, ending Nov. 13, was inadvertently left out of the Nov. 23 Cameron Parish Pilot.

The honorees were: Joshua Wicke, Jason Theriot, Alayna Trahan, Logan Broussard, Abby Miller, and Daniel Peshoff.

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5 P.M. TO 8 P.M.

Community Christmas Event
Photos with Santa • Ornament Crafts • Cookie Decorating • Holiday Music Program • Live Christmas Tree Lighting • Food and Beverages

Holiday Marketplace
Featuring local artisans, businesses and school organizations selling and taking orders for holiday gifts, crafts and goody mixes.

For information on booth space contact:
Kathy Helmer or Kevin Moreau at 762-3305

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