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Cornyval '80 To Run April 30-May 4

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VFW Post 7108 and its Ladies Auxiliary are urging all businesses and individuals to proudly display the American flag on Loyalty Day, May 1. Mrs. Helen Wendt, president of the Auxiliary, said an avenue of flags during the Cornyval would be particularly impressive. "This year especially we need to promote and demonstrate our loyalty with our fellow Americans," Mrs. Wendt pointed out.

Drs. Paul and Ruth Friedman on Pescador Drive in San Antonio Ranch had as their guests recently Dr. and Mrs. Edward Feinstein and Feinsteins' son, Hal, from Gloversville, N.Y. After visits to Helotes, Laredo, Bandera and Kerrville, Hal said he wanted to stay in Texas and not go back to Gloversville. Dr. Paul Friedman and Dr. Feinstein were classmates in medical school. The two Drs. Friedman are on the faculty of the UT Medical School here.

The new country and western band, Helotes will make its local debut at Villarreal's Saturday night, April 26. Boogie Allen is bass player and lead vocalist, Reggie Dale plays piano and does some of the vocals, Eric Lasko is the drummer, and Ernie Whitworth is the lead guitarist. Helotes will play at Villarreal's from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight, and admission is \$2.00.

Mrs. Eleanor Nelson of Grey Forst was honored on her 66th birthday this week with a surprise party hosted by the Helotes Lions and Lionesses Clubs at PARC. Eleanor said it was the first birthday party she ever had in all her life, and she really enjoyed it. All the members of the two clubs had assembled when Eleanor and her husband arrived at the PARC building. Following a covered dish supper, a birthday cake was served, and Eleanor opened her presents. Her birthday was April 16.

Miss Helotes To Ride In Battle of Flowers Parade

As part of her official duties, Lisa Hamilton, reigning Miss Helotes, will be seen with her Court on the official Festival float in the Battle of Flowers Parade, Friday afternoon, April 25. Her Court includes Brenda Williams, princess; and Marilyn Matthews and Laurie Hoyt, duchesses.

Lisa will reign until her successor is chosen during ceremonies which open Cornyval '80 on Wednesday, April 30, fifteen candidates will compete for her title. (See pages 2 & 3)



Opening event of the Helotes Spring Festival—Cornyval '80—will be the Miss Helotes Pageant, which will be staged this year at Coke Stevenson Middle School, on Tezel Road off Bandera Road.

Judging will begin at 7:30 p.m. with 15 contestants, girls from the Helotes area ranging from 16 to 19 years of age, entered in this year's competition. The winner will be eligible to enter the Miss Junior Miss or Miss South Texas pageants and will be sponsored by the Helotes Spring Festival Association. Winner of the Miss Texas title is eligible for the Miss America contest.

Mrs. Michele Moorad is chairman of this year's Miss Helotes Pageant. Dr. Philip Moorad will be Master of Ceremonies and judges will be from outside the community.

Entertainment will include the appearance of the Helotes Elementary School Choir. Music for the Pageant will be by the Dow Daggett Trio.

Those seeking the title this year include:

Elizabeth Anastas, 17-year-old John Marshall High School junior. She is five-feet seven-inches tall and has dark brown

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Coronation To Open Festival

Cornyval '80—the 15th annual Helotes Spring Festival—is expected to top its 1979 attendance in the five-day period of 140,000 visitors, when it gets underway Wednesday, April 30 through Sunday, May 4.

Since 1966, the Festival has been an event packed with dances, music, special events, a full-sized carnival, food and fun. Jim Benke, president of the Helotes Spring Festival Association, has announced that almost everything will be bigger and brighter this year regardless of rain or shine. Theme for the Festival will be "Our American Heritage."

For details of the opening event—the Coronation of the new Miss Helotes see related stories. Everyone is invited, and there will be entertainment and a short reception following.

On Thursday, a new spectacular for 1980 will include the Indian Ceremonial Dances, to be located across from Floore Road in downtown Helotes on the outer triangle at the Helotes Lions Club Parking Field on the Davis property. With Ray Garrison as the Corn Chief, dancers will present the traditional Indian Corn Dance as it was performed in this area for centuries. Dancers will be under the direction of Lynn Menchaca

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'Miss Helotes' Goes To Fiesta

Festival Music To Be Country & Western



With four street dances and three more dances at Floore Country Store, the Helotes Hills will echo with Country & Western music throughout the 1980 Cornyval. Shown here are the Nashville Sounds, scheduled to play on the Floore patio on Saturday, May 3.

Other C & W bands appearing at the Festival include Spur of the Moment, Country Suede, Hank Stone and the Texas Music Company, Tommy Smith and Country Clover, and Black Mountain. In addition several groups will play for special events throughout the five-day celebration. There are no charges for the dances sponsored by the Festival Association under the stars in downtown Helotes.

15 Candidates Seek 'Miss Helotes' Title



PAMELA GASS

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hair and brown eyes. She belongs to the Marshall French Club and has received awards of merit in English. Besides arts and crafts, she has an interest in tennis and swimming.

Elizabeth plans to attend a professional acting school after graduating from high school.

Denise Marcel Benke, 17-year-old junior at Marshall High. She is five-feet, 7½ inches tall and has brown hair and hazel eyes. Denise is a member of the Helotes 4-H and John Marshall Rodeo Clubs, Nancy II Modeling and has won honors in Bexar County Livestock Show. She attends Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Helotes, and has participated in the Superwalk for the March of



LINDA COPE

Dimes.

Denise plans to have a career in modelling and fashion designing.

Debra (Debbie) Kay Boudreau, 19-year-old freshman at the University of Texas at San Antonio. She is five-feet five inches tall and has brown hair and hazel eyes. Debbie was a Miss National Teen Age Pageant State Finalist in Columbus, Mo. and her present activities include participation in UTSA softball team, Aerobic Dance Class, Grey Forest Volunteer Fire Department, San Antonio Volunteer Emergency Rescue Squad, and Explorer Post Committee.

She plans to finish college, majoring in business or

MARY LYNETTE
TOEPPERWEIN

medicine.

Linda Cope, 16-year-old junior at John Marshall High. Linda is five-feet, seven inches tall and has brown hair and brown eyes. She is a member of the French Club, Band, Mu Alpha Theta, Drama Club, and attends the Catholic Church at Lackland Air Force Base.

Linda plans to attend college and study math and computer sciences. She intends to teach.

Pamela Joyce Gass, 17-year-old senior at John Marshall. She is five-feet, nine inches tall and has brown hair and brown eyes. Pamela is in the Office Education Association at Marshall and works half a day at Datapoint. She attends Zion



KATHY HASSE

Lutheran Church of Helotes. Pamela enjoys playing the piano, dancing, and swimming and was voting delegate for O.E.A. She plans to continue working for Datapoint and to attend night classes to improve her job position.

Pamela Harris, 18-year-old senior at John Marshall. Pamela is a member of the Luther League, F.F.A., 4-H, F.H.A. and Rodeo Club. She has won awards in Bexar County, San Antonio, and Marshall livestock shows. Pam was presented at the Lutheran Coronation. She plans to attend Tarleton State University and major in fashion merchandise or agribusiness.

Linda Kathleen (Kathy) Hasse, 16-year-old junior at John Marshall High. Kathy is five-feet, two inches tall, with blonde hair and blue eyes. She is a member of O.E.A., Future Teachers of America, and the Forest Hills Presbyterian Youth Group. She has received awards in school gymnastics, skating, and sports. She plans to attend business college, and would like a career in modelling.

Elizabeth H. Lasher, 16-year-old sophomore at John Marshall. She is five-feet 7½ inches tall and has blonde hair and blue eyes. She attends the Helotes Hills Methodist Church, and belongs to the Marshall pep squad. She is active in the Golden Retriever Club and has won blue ribbons with her dog in shows. She likes horseback riding, and outdoor activities, and plans to be a veterinarian or assistant.

Jacqueline Maldonado, 16-year-old sophomore at John Marshall High. She is a member of the Marshall's Round Table, the Choir Club, and on the staff of the Horn, Marshall's yearbook. She at-



DENISE BENKE

tends Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. She plays the flute and enjoys dancing. Jacqueline has served as a junior volunteer at Methodist Hospital. She plans to attend San Antonio College and become a court reporter.

Angela Kay Moore, 17-year-old Marshall senior. She is five-feet tall and has brown hair and blue eyes. Angela Kay is a member of Marshall's Choir Club, and sings in church choir. She also belongs to FBPA, PTSA, Lifeline, and attends Barbizon School of Modelling. She has won honors in Interscholastic League competition in Spanish and in Choir.

She plans to attend San Antonio College and become a legal secretary.

Bonnett Moos, 17-year-old Marshall junior. She is vice-president of the Marshall junior class, and is a member of O.E.A., J-Club, J.V. track team, varsity soft ball team, and Helotes 4-H. She attends Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church. She was duchess of her sophomore class, and has showed the grand champion steer in the Marshall Stock Show in '77.

Bonnett plans to attend San Antonio College and become a professional photographer.

Ellen Norton, 17-year-old senior at Thomas Jefferson High School. Ellen is five-feet, six inches tall and has honey blonde hair and blue eyes. She belongs to the Church Choir, J-Club, National Honor Society, Rodeo Club, and she is a member of the Explorer Post 399 (Indian Dancers in Austin). Ellen is secretary of the Methodist Youth Forum. She has won honors in swimming this year in District, and Bi-District Volley ball. She was volley ball State Runner-up for

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ELIZABETH ANASTAS

'79-80. Ellen, who enjoys gymnastics and ballet, plans to obtain a college degree and go into farming and ranching.

Lynette Steubing, 17-year-old Marshall senior, Lynette is five-feet, seven inches tall and has brown hair and green eyes. She attends Zion Lutheran Church of Helotes. She is on the varsity volleyball team and was voted the most valuable J.V. Volleyball player. She is a member of F.F.A. Her activities include swimming, tennis and bicycling. She has not decided on any career plans.

Robbin Storbeck, 18-year-old senior at Tom C. Clark High School. Robbin is five feet tall and has light brown hair and blue eyes. She is captain of the Cougarette Drill Team, secretary of the F.H.A., a member of the National Honor Society, and of the Knights of the Altar, and minister of the Eucharist at her church. She was a nominee for Miss Teen

Optimist from Clark. She plans to work this summer as a volunteer at St. Luke's Lutheran Hospital. She will attend U.T.S.A. next fall to major in biology. She wants to attend medical school and become a doctor.

Mary Lynette Toepperwein, 16-year-old Marshall junior. She is five-feet, five inches tall and has brown hair and hazel eyes. She is affiliated with the Student Council, Executive Council of HERO, District Vice President of HERO, member of the Helotes 4-H Club, former Rodeo Club Sweetheart, and is currently working in the Autistic and Resource Units at Leon Valley Elementary School as a teacher's aide.

She will teach swimming to autistic children this summer.

Mary Lynette plans to attend a college in San Antonio to obtain a degree in special education, specializing in autistic and brain disordered children.

The Coronation ceremony is open to the public. Children under 12 will be admitted free and others will be charged 50 cents.

The Festival Association has granted an educational scholarship of \$500 to be used by Miss Helotes '80 upon her entry into one of the following: an academic college or university; a business college; or a vocational or technical training school. A committee has been named to verify official qualifications by the winner.

Child Clinic Set May 22

A well Child Clinic for children from birth to 5 years of age is being conducted every fourth Thursday of each month at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church by the San Antonio Metropolitan Health Department. The next will be May 22. The clinic's services are free.

The clinic is conducted by a pediatric Nurse Practitioner, who is a registered nurse. Children will be able to receive their immunizations along with vision and hearing screening

for children 4 and 5 years of age.

Mothers interested in taking the children to the clinic should call the health department at 229-8802 and ask for Mrs. Schriewer or Mrs. Prescott. Please call between 3 and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Well Child Clinics are in addition to the general clinics conducted on the first Friday of each month at Our Lady of Guadalupe by the health department.

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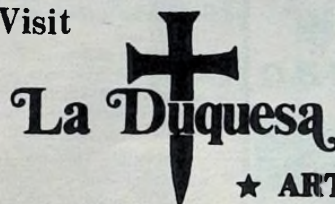
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assisted by Robin Williams. The Explorer Scouts of the area will dance traditional routines also. This will be followed by a free Country & Western Dance on Floore Country Store patio featuring "Spur of the Moment."

Friday night will have two bands playing in downtown Helotes for a big street dance and there will be food booths, beer gardens, and special activities. Playing will be Country Suede and San Antonians.

On Floore's patio a free dance will feature Hank Stone and Texas Music Company.

Saturday leads off with the

big Cornyval parade which will have more than 70 entries and hundreds of units, according to Janice Magill, parade chair man. Parade Marshall is being kept a secret. With elections keeping many San Antonians near home, the parade is expected to fill a long pause before or after going to the polls for those who must wait until nightfall to hear the returns. "Our American Heritage" will be the theme.

Food and fun will take over and a day and night in Helotes downtown will offer plenty of pleasure. Merchants at the Helotes Park Plaza as well as those downtown are joining in helping to make everyone welcome. The free street dances will feature Country Suede and Tommy Smith & Country Clover. Nashville Sound will be on the Patio. Contests and food booths will be in progress.

Sunday will have corn and beer championships. But here will also be plenty of art for the second day, and numerous special events. The Helotes Art Guild will have a two-day outdoor show.

For those who love to dance there will be dancing Sunday with Black Mountain on the Floore patio.

Organizations will have more than 60 food and crafts booths throughout the Cornyval.

The Alamo Country Kickers will hold their annual trail ride in conjunction with the Festival, and many will be riding in the parade. Those who would like to join the trail ride may contact Pat Halpin, president trail boss, at 661-4238.

Thanks For Volunteering



Jim Benke, left, president of the Helotes Spring Festival Association for 1980, congratulates Paul Priddy of the Catholic Youth Organization of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church for volunteering himself and the CYO to clean up the streets in Downtown Helotes each night during Cornyval 80. Jeff Robertson of Braun Station is sanitation chairman for this year's Cornyval and will be overseeing the work of the Catholic youths. They will have a late-at-night behind-the-scenes job important to the annual celebration.

Clinic Plans Free Tests

Free screening clinics of scoliosis (abnormal curvature of the back) will be conducted by Dr. James H. Hogsed and Dr. D. M. Lorensen of the Chiropractic Clinic-Leon Valley on April 26, May 3 and May 10 for children ages 5 to 15.

The hours will be 12 noon to 2 p.m. each of the three days. Parents should call 684-6932 to make an appointment for their children.

Each examination should take about five minutes, Dr. Hogsed said.

The Leon Valley clinic is conducting the free tests in conjunction with the Texas Chiropractic Association.

Paul Kime, Helotes artist, was featured in a segment of the 6 p.m. newscast on Channel 5 Wednesday, April 9. He was shown in his studio, The Rusty Shoe, on Bandera Road.

Little League To Start Saturday

The 1980 season for the Greater Helotes Little League will get underway Saturday morning at the new Ernest Kempf Memorial Field on Leslie Road and the Otto Gerlach Memorial Field on Babcock.

Pete Westine, president of the league, has announced that a special dedication service will be held at the new Ernest Kempf Field at 8:30 a.m. prior to the start of play.

Use of the field was donated by Mrs. Bernice Kempf in memory of her late husband. Mrs. Kempf will throw out the first ball.

The league will have 24 teams this year, Westine said, up from 14 last year. For the first time Helotes will have a Senior League in addition to the Major and Minor Leagues.

Five games will be played on both fields Saturday, from 9 to 11 a.m. and from 3 to 5 p.m.

A benefit dance for the league has been scheduled for May 16 at Floore Country Store.

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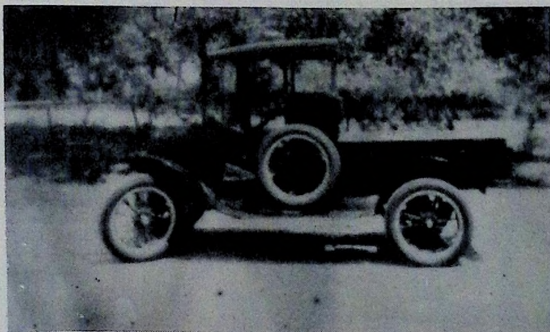
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Thousands of spectators will see Ben driving it in the Cornyval '80 parade, Saturday, May 3 right here in Helotes. The three-mile parade appropriately will carry out the Festival theme, "Our American Heritage."

Schools Set Summer Term

Forty-five courses will be offered during Northside School District

School District's 1980 Summer School beginning Monday, June 9, at Holmes High School. Students interested in attending Summer School should contact their school counselor for an application. Forms must be returned by May 2 to Patricia Watkins, Jay High School, 7611 Marbach Road.

Courses include all levels of English, math, social studies, and science. Other classes include art, Spanish, home-making, physical education, Typing 1, business law, health and drivers education. Both high school and middle school corrective and enrichment reading are offered.

Tuition is \$52 for one unit, \$26 for 1/2 unit, \$36 for 1/2 unit of reading, \$71 for drivers education, and \$52 for one or two middle school courses. There is a \$5 lab fee for all science and typing classes.

Registration is Friday, June 6. Summer Session I is from June 9-July 3. Summer Session II is from July 7-August 1.

For more information call 681-0330, ext. 239.

Mrs. Doris Smith of Largo, Fla., has returned to her home after an extensive visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Corbin Terry. The Terrys and the Smiths were neighbors in Japan during the Korean War.

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Incorporation Gets Majority Support

The current attempt to incorporate the Helotes area as a separate city drew some opposition at the "incorporation party" at Lone Oak Ranch, Sunday, April 13, but a majority of

the nearly 200 residents attending favored the project.

The next step, according to the Rev. Bill Henderson of the incorporation committee, is to continue to talk to individual members of the San Antonio city council to find out how they would respond to a request for permission to call an incorporation election here.

Rep. Don Rains of San Marcos attended the meeting and repeated his willingness to sponsor special legislation during the next session of the Legislature to authorize incorporation if the San Antonio city council turns down the group's request.

Helotes lies within the five-mile-wide extraterritorial jurisdiction of San Antonio.

Opposition to the project came mainly from residents of the Leslie Road, Shaenfield Road and Braun Road area, who expressed fears that if a sewage treatment plant ever is built for the new city it might be put in their area. They also were concerned about road maintenance and water service.

Rev. Henderson reported that a survey of the projected nine-square-mile area of the new city showed it has a population of only about 2,800 persons, and an area that size requires a 5,000 population count. He said the projected area may have to be cut back to four square miles.

The area may be resurveyed to take in more populous nearby areas, one source said.

Round-up To Be May 8

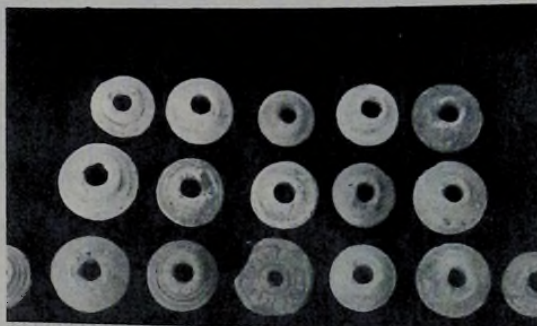
Two important things happen in Northside School District when the 22 elementary schools conduct kindergarten and first grade "Round-up". According to Elementary Supervisor Mary Turk, "The children see exactly where they will be going to school and do not have to worry all summer, fearing the unknown."

It also helps school officials because they know how many students to expect, they can be ready for them in the Fall, she said. Annual headcounts are particularly important in school districts growing as fast as Northside.

Parents are encouraged to bring their pre-schoolers to Round-up. Needed paperwork includes birth certificates and immunization records for new children. First graders of next year who are already enrolled in NISD need not pre-register.

Helotes School will have its Round-up on Thursday, May 8, from 9 to 11 a.m., and Leon Valley School will have its Round-up on Tuesday, April 29, from 8:30 to 10 a.m.

From Prehistoric Days



COLHA, BELIZE 1979

Although they look like beads, these articles uncovered from an ancient Mayan site at Colha, Belize, are actually ceramic spindle whorls used for spinning fibers. They are also much larger than beads. These objects and a jewelry cache will be among the discoveries discussed at a symposium and meeting of the Southern Texas Archaeological Association (STAA) to be held at UTSA April 19 from 12:30-5:30 p.m. in Room 2.01.12 of the Humanities-Business Building. The public is invited to attend for a \$1 admission charge.

Employers To Aid Seniors

More than 345 graduating seniors from Northside District four high schools and Mackey School, a special education facility, will meet with 44 San Antonio area employers "to match skills with available job openings" at Job Placement Day, May 1.

Some of San Antonio's largest employers will be represented including United Service Automobile Association, the Alamo Iron Works, Data-point Corporation, Government employees Credit Union, City

Public Service, First National Bank, Frost National Bank and the Bexar County Hospital, University of Texas Health Science Center.

The students are enrolled in Northside's industrial arts programs, business education classes, vocational and pre-employment classes. Employers will interview prospective employees from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at the Paul Taylor Field House, Culebra at Loop 410W.

Extra Buses For Fiesta

VIA Metropolitan Transit, which began bus service to the Helotes area on April 7, has announced special additional service from Helotes to Fiesta San Antonio events, Tuesday, April 22, through Friday, April 25.

The buses will leave the Park and Ride facility at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church at 5:05, 5:47, 6:27, 7:40 and 9:35 p.m. They will go to the Wonderland Park and Ride Terminal for transfer to downtown buses. The route from Helotes to Wonderland will be the usual one via Braun Road, Braun Station and Guilbeau Road.

Returning buses will leave Navarro and Villita Streets in San Antonio at 6:40, 8:35 and the last bus, 10:25 p.m.

The fare will be 60 cents for adults, 30 cents for senior citizens and handicapped with VIA identification card, 30 cents for students with identification card, and 30 cents for children.

For the regular daily bus service on the new No. 87 route, an additional Park and Ride facility has been opened at the Helotes Hills United Methodist Church.

Time Capsule At Marshall

A three-foot cylindrical time capsule was buried at Marshall High School during rededication ceremonies marking the 30th anniversary of Northside District's oldest high school, on Tuesday, April 8. The time capsule will be opened in the

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The city elections in Grey Forest turned out to be anything but dull, after all. When only one candidate filed for the mayor and three council posts that were open, it looked like hardly anyone wanted the honors.

But that appearance of citizen apathy seemed to have aroused the town. Write-in candidates for the posts were announced all over the community. On election day there were write-in votes not only for those who announced but for dozens of other residents as well.

After the ballots were counted, the one announced candidate—Mrs. Sandra Schneider Costello—had been defeated by write-in votes for Harry Drought. He got 70 and Mrs. Costello 65.

Drought also got 10 write-in votes for mayor. But Steve Simpson, who had okayed a write-in campaign for him for mayor, gathered 101 votes.

Billy Cornwell and Matt Vyverman were write-in winners in the other two council posts.

But when it came time to swear in the new city officials, Simpson announced that he had changed his mind and was resigning from the mayor's post even before he had taken office.

Jerry Cotton, one of two holdover councilmen, became mayor pro tem because he had served on the council longest. The other holdover was Mrs. Kathy Waldrop.

Outgoing Mayor Virginia Springer, who had not filed for reelection, and the new council decided to hold off for a week on trying to decide how to fill the mayor's job for the new term.

On Thursday night they met again in special session and postponed picking a mayor until the regular session of the council on the first Tuesday in May.

Wells Still Top Average

Water well levels and spring flow in the five-county Edwards Underground Water District for the third consecutive month continued to decline during March, the EUWD office has announced.

Although all check wells had dropped by the end of March, the water levels remained above historical averages, Tom Fox, EUWD general manager, said. The continuing decline, he stated, reflects eight months of below-average rainfall coupled with seasonal irrigation throughout the district.

Following are the water well levels shown in feet above mean sea level with the recorded highs in parentheses: Uvalde: 874.6 feet, down 1.3 feet (886.3). Sabinal: 780.5 feet, down 5.7 feet (835.4). Castroville: 699.4 feet, down 6.6 feet (737.8). Hondo: 727.6 feet, down 7.2 feet (773.8). San Antonio: 669.9 feet, down 4.7 feet (696.5). New Braunfels: 626.5 feet, down 0.4 feet (630.2). Kyle: 567.1 feet, down 2.4 feet (593.8).

For April 20 Fireworks Set

Spectacular fireworks and a bicycle road race for all ages will be offered at Ft. Sam Houston, Sunday, April 20, as part of San Antonio's Fiesta activities.

The Fiesta Fireworks will be fired over MacArthur Field, in the vicinity of Schofield Road. This 30-minute fireworks display will be even bigger and more spectacular than in past years. A band concert by Fifth U.S. Army Band will begin at 6:30 p.m., and the fireworks will start at 8:30 p.m.

The Fiesta Bicycle Road Race will begin at 6:30 p.m., and the fireworks will start at 8:30 p.m.

The Fiesta Bicycle Road Race will start with registration at 9 a.m. at the Hacienda Recreation Center, on W.W. White Rd.

The 2.7 mile course will start near the Hacienda, and continue through the Salado Park area.

Novice categories will be set up for several age groups, and there will be categories for registered amateurs. Races will be conducted by members of the San Antonio Bicycle Racing Club, according to the rules of the U.S. Cycling Federation.

Merchandise prizes and trophies will be furnished by

the San Antonio Bicycle Racing Club. The top trophy for best time will be awarded by Ft. Sam Houston. Timing will be done by members of the Alamo Region, Sports Car Club of America.

To Be Late

Daylight saving time will return on Sunday, April 27. So turn your clocks ahead one hour before you go to bed Saturday night, April 26.

If you usually go to bed after the 10 o'clock news, your clocks should say 11:30 instead of 10:30—after you have reset them. And you lose one hour of sleep for the night.

David Hurst, 1978 graduate, has won third place in a national sportswriting contest sponsored by Sports Illustrated for an article which appeared in the campus newspaper of San Antonio College. David was sports editor of the SAC newspaper. He now is a journalism major at Texas A&M. His entry in the national magazine's contest competed with entries from students in 428 colleges and universities.

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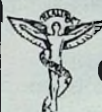
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Bonsai Show Opening Set

The San Antonio Bonsai Society will sponsor an exhibition of bonsai plants at the McNay Art Institute on N. New Braunfels Avenue, Saturday, April 19, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Sunday, April 20, from 2 to 5 p.m.

"Bonsai" is the art of raising miniature trees which began centuries ago in Japan and spread to the western world after World War II. Some of the dwarf trees in Japan are more than 600 years old.

Admission to the McNay show will be free but a small donation to the art institute will be appreciated, said Benjamin L. Hensley of Helotes, exhibition chairman.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Kennedy are parents of a baby boy born Thursday, April 3, 1980 at the Methodist Hospital. Named Clayton Lubbock Kennedy, the infant measured 21 inches and weighed 7 pounds, 13½ ounces. He is welcomed by his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Royce Cottrell of Helotes, and his paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy of San Antonio.

The proud parents, Carolyn and Frank, who reside on Scenic Loop were also being congratulated by many friends as well as by the baby's Aunt and Uncle, Pat and Charles James of Leon Valley, and Aunt and Uncle, Carl and Donna Kennedy, and Cousins, Chris, DeDe, and Zack, of Castroville.

New Arrival

Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Reeves have a son born Tuesday, April 8 in a San Antonio hospital. Rev. Reeves is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Helotes.

The baby has been named Jeffrey Richmond Reeves. He weighed eight pounds 12 ounces and was 23 inches long.

He is being welcomed also by his little sister, Jennifer.

Congratulations from the community to the proud parents.

Two Granges Plan Meet

The Leon Valley Grange will be host to the Pomona Grange of Bexar County in an observance of Community Night, Thursday, April 24. The Grange Hall is located on Eckhart Road next to John Marshall High School.

All Bexar County Granges are observing National Grange Month during April.

A two-week vacation in early May is planned by Mrs. Gladys Jones of Grey Forest, her daughter and son, Jan and Jamie, her sister, former Mayor Virginia Springer, and a friend, Mrs. Janice Holden.

DE OSSO TO HAVE FESTIVAL

Henry de Osso Catholic School, 7515 Ingram Road at Culebra, will hold its annual Spring Festival on Sunday, May 4. The festival will begin at 11 a.m. with a barbeque chicken and sausage dinner, with all the trimmings, and will continue all afternoon.

For more information call the school office at 684-2381.

Susan Pugh, Clark High School junior, was honored as a delegate to the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards program recently at Lackland Air Force Base. She was sponsored by the Oak Hills Rotary Club. The program seeks to develop qualities of leadership and good citizenship.

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ECHO-LOG

[Note: The Log is a list of selected special interest events which may appeal to some readers. Events that continue more than one day are listed under the opening day only.]

FRIDAY, APRIL 18

Fiesta UTSA (Ootsa) kicks off San Antonio's 1980 Fiesta celebration, on the UTSA campus, Loop 1604, 12 noon to 5 p.m.

SATURDAY, APRIL 19

The Coppini Academy Art Exhibit of watercolors and sculpture opens at Travis Park United Methodist Church, Downtown San Antonio, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Will continue through April 27. Admission free.

Fiesta Arts Fair with art and craft experiences for every age opens at Southwest Craft Center, Old Ursuline Academy, noon to 5 p.m. Admission \$2.50 adults and 50 cents children. Will continue on Sunday.

Fifth Annual Showdeo of the Northern Hills Lions Club will be held at the Joe Freeman Coliseum with 25 show and riding events starting at 8:30 a.m. Admission free. (For riders there is an entry fee of \$2.50 per event.)

SUNDAY, APRIL 20

The Trinity University-Community Band will present a free concert, Laurie Auditorium, 3:30 p.m. Music by Berlioz, Rossini, Seals, Lowe and others.

Expo '80, International Students Exposition, will be held in Incarnate Word College's Marian Hall, 3 to 10 p.m., with films, clothes, music and food from nations represented by foreign students attending San Antonio universities and colleges. Admission free (donation asked for foods).

TUESDAY, APRIL 22

Glen Oaks chapter, American Association of Retired Persons, will meet, Hope Lutheran Church, 5714 Callaghan Road, 1 p.m. A representative of the Chandler House will discuss activities and privileges of membership.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23

Trinity University's 1980 choral pops concert, "The Rainbow Connection," will be presented, Laurie Auditorium, 8 p.m. Tickets \$3.50, \$3, \$2.50 and \$2.

THURSDAY, APRIL 24

Arts and Crafts Festival of the Bexar County Easter Seal Society will open, Wonderland Mall, 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Festival will continue on Friday and Saturday.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26

The Old Guard Fife and Drum Corps will perform, Institute of Texan Cultures, 2 p.m. Admission free.

"Buying and Selling a Home," a seminar sponsored by the Women's Law Center, will be held in the Government Employees Credit Union Building, 6061 NW IH-10, 9 a.m. to noon. Registration fee \$5.

Intercollegiate Racquetball Classic will be held at the Racquetball and Handball Clubs facility, NW Loop 410, all day. Sponsored by UTSA's Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity. Entry fee \$10 per person. Phone 691-4150 for details.

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

Brandeis University Women's Spring Book Sale will open at Wonderland Mall, 9 a.m. The sale continues through May 3.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30

Jay High School faculty will host an All-You-Can-Eat Spaghetti Supper, school cafeteria, 5:30 to 7 p.m. Entry fee \$2.50.

Simon Preston, English organist, will present a concert, Trinity University's Margarite B. Parker Chapel, 8 p.m. Admission free.

SATURDAY, MAY 3

Barrio Comprehensive Family Health Care Center will hold its annual Health Education Fair, 1102 Barclay, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Baby Beauty Contest will be held from 12 noon to 1 p.m. Admission free.

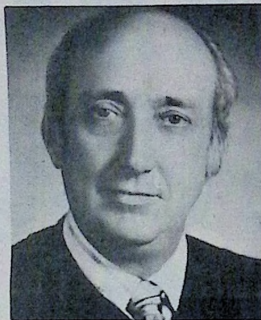
SUNDAY, MAY 11

National Preservation Week will open, sponsored by the National Trust for Historic Preservation. Theme of this year's week: Reusing America's Energy (by preserving old buildings and homes for new uses).

WEDNESDAY, MAY 14

The San Antonio Police Department will hold an auction of motor vehicles unclaimed by former owners, Police Storage Lot, 3625 Grawdon Road, 10 a.m.

Seeks Return



Judge Robert R. Murray, associate justice of the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals in San Antonio, is running for re-election in the May Democratic Primary. Judge Murray was appointed to the Fourth Court in 1977 to fill an unexpired term and then was elected to a full term in the same year. He has been an assistant district attorney, Justice of the Peace for Precinct 3, and judge of the 45th District Court, the latter for fifteen years.

Aquifer Tour Open To All

The itinerary for the on-the-scene tour of the Edwards Aquifer to be sponsored Tuesday, May 6, by the Edwards Underground Water District and the City Water Board of San Antonio has been announced by Tom Fox, EUWD general manager.

Persons making the tour, which will cost \$12 per person, will leave by chartered bus from the Basin Pump Station adjacent to the Olmos Golf Course at 8 a.m., Fox said.

First stop will be the San Geronimo Recharge Dam off FM 471 on the Medina-Bexar County line. From that site the tour will continue to Medina Dam and from there to an area northwest of Bandera near the headwaters of the Medina River.

After inspecting the porous, honeycombed rock formations of the recharge zone, the tour participants will proceed to the ranch of San Antonio City Councilman John Steen, located near Bandera, for a barbecue lunch.

Upon returning to San Antonio, the group will see the pump station operation.

For advance reservations persons may call the Edwards Underground Water District office, 222-2204, or the City Water Board, 225-7461. Both Fox and CWB General Manager Robert P. Van Dyke stressed that those desiring to make the tour must be pre-registered.

Ferdinand Gaenzel has been named the Bexar County Hospital District's new acting associate executive director for fiscal services. Ferdinand is a graduate of Jourdan High School and Texas A&I and formerly had worked for Group Hospital Service, Inc. in Corpus Christi and San Antonio.

Carl A. Luckenbach of Leon Valley recently was awarded the Certificate in General Insurance by the Insurance Institute of America for successfully completing three national examinations. Carl is a sales representative for Employers Insurance of Texas.

He is treasurer of the Leon Valley Elementary School PTA and secretary-treasurer of the Troop Committee for Boy Scout Troop 484. He has a bachelor's degree from Texas A&M and a master's from St. Edwards University, Austin.



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