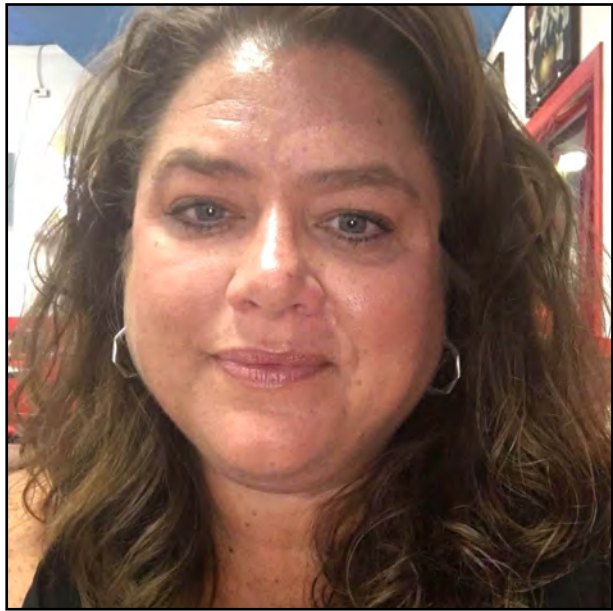


**Galveston County Daily News
Everyday Hero for 2018**

Nauti's Beer and Liquor Barn
Drive Yourself on Thru



Leslie Bell Lowe has been selected as an *Everyday Hero for 2018* by the Galveston County Daily News.

She will be honored at a special reception event given by the Galveston County Daily News honoring The Citizen of the Year, Everyday Heroes, and the Leslie P. Daughtry Galveston County Daily News Scholarship winners for 2018.

Leslie was nominated by Keep Bolivar Beautiful for refusing to take No for an answer when it came to obtaining a needed sports park for Bolivar. Leslie rallied the troops, began fund raising, obtained land had it cleared, began incentives for donations formed a non-profit, worked with all volunteers to obtain lighting, fencing, concession stand, coaches, form teams build bleachers, dugouts, Watermelon Crawl - nearly every golf cart on Bolivar all for the kids. The girls wanted in, so she worked with KBB and through an anonymous donation, KBB managed to sponsor the formation of the cheer team The Mermaids in their KBB blue uniforms and pink Pompoms along with 9 baseball teams from High Island to Port Bolivar. All youth now have a gorgeous Peninsula Sports Park because Leslie refused to take No for an answer!



There's a NEW Drive-Thru in town at 1701 Hwy 87 at the corner of Monkhouse and Hwy 87....Nauti's Beer and Liquor Barn. That's right, never get out of your vehicle when you need to stock up on an adult beverage or ice, open Monday-Saturday - 10 am - 9 pm.

Mona and Bill Palmer have been working long hours to make this the perfect business and the first of its kind on Bolivar Peninsula. Please join Bolivar Peninsula Tourism and Visitors Center, along with The Beach Triton on May 5th, 2018 at 11 am for the Grand Opening and Ribbon Cutting.

**Opening Day
Peninsula Sports Park**



Haley Comeaux sings the National Anthem with Leslie Bell Lowe officiating the opening day 2018 for the Peninsula Sports Park

**Galveston County Health District Clinic
Patients Potentially Exposed
to HIV, Hepatitis**

The Galveston County Health District is urging people who received dental procedures at Coastal Health & Wellness Clinics between March 1, 2015 and Feb. 13, 2018 to be tested for Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C and HIV.

Officials stated a "very scary" breach of medical protocols has caused concern about possible infections HIV, Hepatitis B, and Hepatitis C.

During an accreditation inspection, officials identified 11 "immediate threat-to-life" violations

at the Coastal Health and Wellness Dental Clinic in Texas City.

The district has set up a hotline for people to receive information about potential exposure and to schedule appointments. The hotline number is 409-938-2397.

The hotline will be available March 26, at 7:30 a.m. The hotline will be available until 7 p.m Monday through Thursdays. And from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Fridays and Saturday.

Testing appointments can also be made at gchd.org.

Free testing services will be offers from March 26 until April 13.

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Crenshaw 8th Grade Trip Fundraiser

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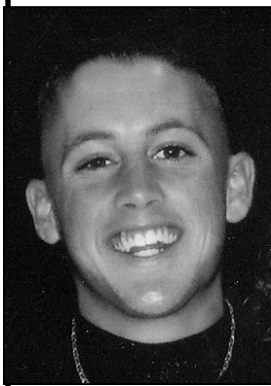
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Please remember that even if your child brings a lunch from home, and would like an entree, have them pick up 2 other items such as a fruit and milk, and there will be no charge. Healthy snacks will still be available for purchase as designated under the "Smart Snacks in Schools" regulations.

This change is effective immediately. If you have further questions regarding this change, please contact our school office.

Sincerely,
 Travis Grubbs
 Superintendent/Principal
 High Island ISD
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Announcing All District Boys Basketball

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Congrats to High Island Junior Derek DeMoss

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 Best Actor: Nate Jackson
 They advanced to Bi-District on Tues., March 20th

Upcoming School Events

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April 5 HS Track TBA Evadale
April 6 VBB Hull Daisetta @ Home 4 pm
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April 10 4th & 7th Grade Writing
 5th & 8th Grade Math
 English 1 EOC
April 11 HS Track District Meet
 Livingston MS
 5th & 8th Grade Reading
April 12 English 2 EOC
April 13 VBB Spurger @ Home 4 pm
April 16 JH Track Livingston District Meet
April 17 VBB West Hardin @ Home 4 pm
April 18 HS Track Area Meet Hallettsville
April 20 VBB Big Sandy Away 4 pm
April 21 7:30 PM Jr./Sr. Prom
April 24 VBB Sabine Pas @ Home 4 pm
April 25 SAT 10
April 27 VBB Evadale Away 6 pm
 HS Track Regional
 @ Sam Houston State Huntsville

Celebration of the Life of Edward G. Snyder III May 2, 1943 – January 20, 2018

"And I heard a voice from Heaven saying unto me, write, blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth. Yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labor, and their works do follow them." (Revelation 14:13)

"All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, all things wise and wonderful, the Lord God made them all." (Cecil Frances Alexander)

"A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favor rather than silver and gold." (Proverbs 22:1)

By Brenda Cannon Henley

Edward Gaillard Snyder III died on January 20, 2018 in Baylor College of Medicine/St. Luke's Hospital in Houston from complications of a heart condition, diabetes, and other illnesses. Ed was a beloved character on the Bolivar Peninsula of Southeast Texas, greatly loved, and his talent in photography and writing spreads from the Gulf shores to many states and several foreign countries. He also is well known in the East Texas Lakes region and covered fishing, boating, and nature in both locations, as well as in Choke Canyon, the Rio Grande Valley, and other places his travels provided.

A gathering of Big Ed's friends was held at the beautiful new Galveston County/High Island ISD Hurricane Recovery Center in High Island, where Superintendent and Principal Travis Grubbs served as host for the day on Saturday, March 3, 2018. As guests made their way into the new building, they were treated to a display of 13 of Ed's most requested works displayed in 16 x 20" matted photographs.

Ed was a proud US Marine and never allowed anyone to forget his love of his country. Ed was in the active duty Marines for four years serving in the Bay of Pigs Invasion and aboard ships in the area of communication. He also served in the US Marine Reserves after ending his active duty. Three handsome, young Marines from the Galveston District presented military honors including the folding of the flag and the somber playing of Taps. Not a dry eye was to be seen in the auditorium as the first notes of that solemn song rang out in the afternoon's stillness. Crusty old fishermen, friends of Ed's, cried like newborn babes.

Paul Vick, acclaimed entertainer from concert stages across America and around the world, performed several of Ed's favorite songs, opening with The Anchor Holds, and including a spicy Cajun tune in Ed's memory. Paul also led the congregation in singing two of Ed's favorites, Amazing Grace and Shall We Gather at the River. Several of Ed's closest friends spoke briefly about parts of his interesting and expansive life. Topics included fishing, photography, his many fishing reports, fighting for Rollover Pass to remain open, opening and managing the Walter Umphrey Pavilion on Lake Sam Rayburn, his last days in the various hospitals, and some humor. Speakers included Ted Vega, President of the Gilchrist Community Association

and coworker with Ed concerning Rollover Pass, Charles O'Neal, Nancy Bachman, Rick Talley, Sharon Duke, and myself.

Mark Blieden introduced famed artist Keith Carter, and Donna Meeks, Chair of the Arts Department at Lamar University. An announcement was made about the creation of the Ed Snyder Memorial Scholarship for Photography at Lamar University. We have discovered that though there have been scholarships for the Arts in many forms, not one has ever been designated to go to a talented photography student. A committee has undertaken an Endowed Scholarship in the amount of \$15,000 to make this dream come true. We feel this is a wonderful way to help keep Ed's memory alive and to honor his life in a positive manner. He would be pleased that a young person is benefiting directly from his life and talent.

We asked the members of the audience to look closely at their programs, and in honor of Casper, Ed's famed rescue cat, should they find a cat sticker, they were to stand and come to the front of the auditorium. Each of these 13 guests won one of the elegant photographs on display and there were some eager takers as they chose the gift they most wanted.

The assembly was dismissed to meet on the beach in front of Emerald I for the symbolic scattering of the ashes. This was very important to Ed because he was baptized by Pastor Jerry Valentine in the exact same location shortly after Hurricane Ike. Charles O'Neal donned his wet suit and took the ashes out beyond the breakers for scattering. The wind was biting, the surf was rolling, and it was cold on the beach, but Ed's wishes were honored. The group then gathered at Ed's beloved Rollover Pass for fellowship and food and a good time of getting acquainted.

It is difficult to say our earthly goodbyes to a man like Ed Snyder, but we gave it our best shot and reminded ourselves often that we will indeed see him again, and perhaps soon, in the Heavens. We appreciate every person that worked to help make this event meaningful, purposeful, and unique, and that it was.

Brenda Cannon Henley can be reached at (409) 781-8788 or at brendacannonhenley@yahoo.com.

Ed Snyder Memorial Scholarship for Photography at Lamar University

If you loved Ed Snyder, or were blessed by his photographs, Facebook friendship, or writing, please join us in helping to raise the \$15,000 needed for this Endowed Scholarship to be presented yearly. All gifts should go directly to Lamar University. They are not to be given to any individual. Make checks payable to Lamar University and mail them directly to: Lamar University Foundation, Post Office Box 11500, Beaumont, Texas 77710. Any amount, large or small, will be helpful, and you can give more than once.

If you prefer safe, easy, and direct online giving, you may also do that by going to www.lamar.edu/give. Kindly make certain that you indicate For Ed Snyder Scholarship on either gift. For the time being, if you will kindly shoot me a quick email or text letting me know you have given so we can keep a dual record in these first weeks. (409) 781-8788 or brendacannonhenley@yahoo.com.

We will also be offering some of Ed's fantastic artwork for sale to help us fund this project. Watch for announcements about that in coming days. We have 80 gigs of just photographs and some have never been seen and are absolutely breathtaking to view.

I close with a quote I used at the Celebration from a graphics and visual arts professional who knew Ed's work. "I spent 45 years of my life in Visual Arts — Photography, video, graphics, presentations, etc.. Ed Snyder had what we call 'the eye,' which means he was exceptional in his choice of subject, light, context, and composition. He told a story with each photograph and added the capability of 'feeling' what he was trying to present to others.

"I did not agree with him on his views on politics or religion, but he had my whole heart with his love for the Bolivar Peninsula and the Sam Rayburn/ Toledo Bend lakes. I revere his work and wish him well in Fiddler's Green. Rest easy, Shipmate." (Dennis Harper on The Bolivar Peninsula Facebook site).

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Cooking with Miss "Obler"

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We often get ground turkey at Food Fair and many comment that they don't know what to do to make it taste good. When I attended Weight Watchers, ground turkey dishes were a staple. Thought I'd share some of my favorite recipes with you all. I don't know how they would "count" today, but even if you are not trying to lose weight, these are some good tasting recipes. Enjoy!

SWEET 'N' SOUR CABBAGE AND BACON SAUTE Serves 2

2 teaspoons vegetable oil
6 ounces Canadian-style bacon, cut into cubes
1 cup sliced onions
4 cups shredded green cabbage (about half of a 1-1/2 pound head)
1 tablespoon plus 1-1/2 teaspoons white vinegar
1-1/2 firmly packed brown sugar
dash of pepper

In 10-inch nonstick skillet, heat oil; add bacon and onions and saute' until browned. Add cabbage and stir until thoroughly combined; add remaining ingredients and cook, stirring occasionally, until cabbage is tender and liquid has evaporated.

CABBAGE CASSEROLE Serves 4

1 pound ground turkey
1 onion, chopped
1 green pepper, chopped
1 small head cabbage
1 - 8 ounce can tomato sauce
1 cup picante' sauce
2 cups water
4 ounces uncooked rice
salt, pepper to taste

Brown turkey and onion in stew pot. Add all other ingredients. Simmer on low until rice is tender and moist and liquid is cooked out (about 30 minutes with lid on).

ORIENTAL RICE SKILLET Serves 4

1-1/2 pounds ground turkey
2 tablespoons minced onion flakes
1/4 cup soy sauce
3 packets instant beef broth (or 3 teaspoons granules)
1-1/2 cups water with 2 teaspoons cornstarch, dissolved
4 ounces uncooked regular grain rice
2 cups sliced mushrooms, fresh or canned
salt, pepper to taste

Brown turkey in skillet. Add all remaining ingredients and bring to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer until rice is tender and liquid is cooked out. Cook about 30 to 40 minutes. Stir occasionally. Makes 4 big servings.

STUFFED BELL PEPPERS Serves 6

3 large bell peppers, cut in half
1 pound ground turkey
6 ounces uncooked rice
1 medium onion, chopped
2 tablespoons chopped, fresh parsley
1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
1/2 teaspoon red pepper
1 teaspoon salt
1 - 8 ounce can tomato sauce

Mix together and stuff bell pepper halves with equal amounts. Spray casserole dish with non-stick spray and arrange peppers in dish. Pour 1 - 16 ounce can stewed tomatoes over the top of peppers. Cover with foil. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

TACO POTATOES Serves 4

1 pound ground turkey
1/2 cup chopped bell pepper
1/2 cup chopped onion
1 package taco seasoning mix
3/4 cup water

Brown turkey. Add pepper, onion, seasoning mix and water. Cook until vegetables are tender. Serve 1/4 meat mixture over a 3 ounce cooked potato. Top each with 1 ounce shredded cheddar cheese, 1/2 cup shredded lettuce, 1/2 cup chopped tomatoes.

EASY CHILI

1 pound ground turkey
1/2 cup chopped onion
1 large can tomatoes
8 ounces cooked red beans (dried)
1-2 teaspoons chili powder
salt and additional spices to taste
1 - 8 ounce can tomato sauce

Brown turkey in skillet. Add all other ingredients. Simmer to blend for 30 minutes.

BUFFET ENCHILADAS Serves 4

1 pound ground turkey, cooked and crumbled
1 cup tomato sauce
1/2 cup skim milk
4 ounces grated cheese
1/4 cup mushrooms
1 small can chopped green chilies
1/4 teaspoon cumin
2 teaspoons chili powder (optional)
8 corn tortillas (torn in pieces)

Combine all ingredients except cheese and tortillas. In a sprayed casserole dish, line bottom with 1/2 of tortillas. Layer meat, cheese, tortillas; ending with cheese. Bake at 350 degrees for 30-40 minutes.



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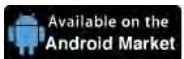
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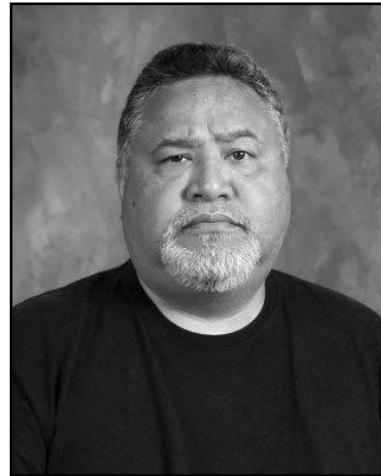
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If you are missing "The 'Func' in Dysfunctional" articles, join the Beach Triton Group on FB where there's always a story

Happy Birthday!
Laurita Layfield
April 4

Happy Birthday!
Amanda Revia Lambert
April 10

Happy Birthday!
Karen Nations
April 2

A HUGE Slice of Pi



Anyone who has ever sat in a math class has probably wondered the same thing.

What is pi? Not the kind of pie that we eat, but the kind of pi that gives mathematicians an appetite. Put simply, pi is an irrational number, which means it cannot be made into a fraction. It can only be written as an infinite number. It also never repeats itself. Pi originally represented the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter, but it is used all over the world of mathematics today. Its symbol is universal and symbolic.

Many people from across the world celebrate pi day, even if they don't share the same language. The discovery of pi stretches back to the ancient Babylonians. Humans have studied pi for about 4000 years. During this time, mathematicians have also created their own pi language. Many people also try to competitively recall the infinite number. The record belongs to Chao Lu, of China, who recited pi from memory to 67,890 places. That's about 67,887 numbers longer than most people know! Some scholars even believe that pyramids in Egypt have been calculated around the use of pi. Pi has been used in many different areas throughout history, and it continues to be a worldwide phenomenon.

March 14 is always a fun day to try and teach students about the never-ending number known as pi. Article written by Tyler Anderson, Middle School English/Writing teacher and Athletic Coach. Principal, Tracie Camp.

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The Beach Bum says my people skills are just fin. It's my tolerance of idiots that needs work.

The Beach Bum says the biggest lie I tell myself is, "I don't need to write that down, I'll remember it."

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Lauren Marie Brim



Lauren Marie Brim, of Crystal Beach Texas, passed away peacefully into the arms of Jesus, on the morning of March 27th 2018 surrounded by her family. She was born in Houston TX, lived in Lewisville TX til 2007, then moved to Crystal Beach. She attended Crenshaw School, graduated from Galveston Ball High 2015 and attended Galveston Community College.

She is survived by her son Aiden Christopher, mom C. Marie Schulz, dad Michael W Brim, stepdad Jim Vratiss, Brothers Cory and Noah Brim, Step Brothers Brad, Thomas and Curtis, Mamaw Carmen Schulz, Grandparents Gary Brim and Kathy, Aunts, Uncles, cousins and many friends all whom she loved dearly.

Her parents would like to thank all her doctors, nurses and others who provided her care during her illness. A private service will be held for her family and a celebration of life for friends will be held in Crystal Beach at a later date.

Lauren loved her son with all her heart and he was a blessing in her life. She loved her family dearly. She was a beautiful, kind-hearted, caring, young lady with big beautiful blue eyes who passed too early from this life. In lieu of flowers, the parents would like donations be made to her son Aiden C. Richardson at Texas First Bank or to the Galveston Humane Society in which Lauren enjoyed visiting. Our Biscuit will truly be missed.

Chuck Mercer

Longtime Bolivar Peninsula resident Charles "Chuck" Mercer, 65 passed away on March 3, 2018, after a long battle with throat cancer. Chuck served in the U.S. Army and was a lifelong commercial fisherman and friend to all. His ashes were scattered on the North Jetty on March 25, with family and friends attending.



He is survived by his wife, Stephanie Jackson Mercer of Moss Bluff ; son, John Mercer of Cypress; sisters Betty Gail Tidwell and MaryRose Mercer and special friend Leonard "Bubba" Gatlin.

Mitchell James Buhman

January 18, 1982 - March 8, 2018



Mitchell James Buhmann, 36, died unexpectedly March 8, 2018.

A memorial service was held for him Saturday, March 24th, 2018 at the end of the west end of the Seawall where friends and family attended the scattering of his ashes. Mitchell was born January 16th, 1982 to Catherine and Dennis Buhmann in Galveston, Texas. He attended high school in High Island, Texas. He loved to fish, play basketball, going to the beach and anything outdoors. He had a big heart and cherished his family and friends.

Mitchell was preceded in death by his mother, Catherine Buhmann.

He is survived by his father, Dennis Buhmann; sisters, Traci, Karla and Kelley Buhmann; nieces Ellyn and Cathryn Buhmann; nephews, Brenden Buhmann and Dylan Linton; step-daughter, Asia Suayan; devoted family friend, Serena Davidson; numerous other relatives and many friends.

Harry Heintz

April 28, 1980 — February 7, 2018

Early Wednesday morning, February 7, 2018 Harry Heintz, previous resident of Gilchrist, TX, passed way from complications of pneumonia in his home in Shreveport, LA.

He is survived by his wife, Lacy Steen Heintz, daughters Lauren Anita and Aubree Elaine, mother-in-law Debra Steen, brother Nick Mastachia & daughter Olivia, sister Angela Taylor, a very special cousin Bobby Jackson, and many other family and friends. He was preceded in death by his mother, Lois Elaine Radley Knackel, his father Moses, father-in-law Richard Steen, his Maw Maw, and his Uncle Bob Jackson.

Harry was a beloved husband, father, brother, uncle, and friend.

There will be a celebration of Harry's life and spreading of ashes in April, near Rollover Pass in Gilchrist, exact date and time are yet to be set.

Monetary donations would be greatly appreciated and can be sent to: The Heintz Family at 301 A W Drive, Shreveport, LA 71078



Carol Louise Reed

October 13, 1960 - March 15, 2018



Carol Louise Reed, 57, of Malakoff, TX passed away on March 15th, 2018. She was born October 13, 1960, in Miami, FL. She is survived by her daughter, Jennifer Crile and one grandson, Jathen Crile. She is also survived by her sister, Bonnie Wilson.

A memorial service was held at Rollover Pass, Gilchrist, TX on Saturday, March 31, 2018

Raymond Andrew Carlson

March 29, 1923 – February 24, 2018

Dr. Raymond A. Carlson, 94, passed away on February 24, 2018. Raymond was born in Sioux Falls, SD.

He attended the University of Florida before being drafted. He served in the Army Medical Corp from 1943 - 1946. He received his medical degree from Tulane University in 1951. He opened his practice in Vinton and was one of the doctors to open West-Calcasieu Cameron Hospital in Sulphur in 1953. Raymond was a member of the Vinton Lion's Club and served on the Vinton Drainage Board for many years. He was the Vinton High School sports team doctor, for many years, always looking forward to the Friday night lights! He was an attending physician at Delta Downs Race Track during racing season. Raymond retired from practice in 1989. During retirement he enjoyed spending time at his beach house, visiting with his grandchildren and watching his beloved Vinton Lions and Dallas Cowboys.

Raymond is survived by his wife of 63 years, Gwen, his daughters Susan, Kathy and Carol and 5 grandchildren. He is preceded in death by his son Buddy.

Dr. Carlson was a weekend resident of Port Bolivar from the early 80's until Hurricane Ike destroyed his home. He was the father of Buddy Carlson, long time Bolivar resident and well-known sportsman.

Donations may be made to the ASPCA or St. Jude's Research Hospital. The family would like to thank Heart of Hospice caregivers Courtney Erbeling, Stephanie Thomas and Rena Gaspard for their kindness and compassion and Susan Smith, a nurse in Dr. Turner's office for her exceptional care.

Romans 8:18 For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us.

John 14:3 And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also



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Age-related eye diseases such as macular degeneration and cataracts commonly cause impaired vision and blindness in older adults. But lifestyle changes, including good nutrition, could help delay or prevent certain eye problems. Besides adopting a healthy diet, you also can protect your eyes by avoiding intense ultraviolet (UV) light, quitting smoking and getting regular checkups that may help detect chronic diseases contributing to eye problems. Diabetes, for example, increases your risk for age-related eye diseases and may cause diabetic retinopathy.

Regular eye exams, too, are essential for maintaining eye health as you grow older. If eye problems and chronic diseases are detected early enough, appropriate treatment may prevent permanent vision loss. Diet is an extremely important part of the daily lifestyle choices you make. Foods you eat and the dietary supplements you take affect your overall health as well as the health of your eyes.

Eat plenty of colorful fruits and vegetables for optimum eye health. A diet high in saturated fat and sugar may increase your risk of eye disease. On the other hand, healthy foods such as greens and fruits may help prevent certain eye diseases and other health problems. Cardiovascular disease, diabetes and eye conditions including cataracts and age-related macular degeneration have been shown to

occur less frequently in people who eat diets rich in vitamins, minerals, healthy proteins, omega-3 fatty acids and lutein.

All healthy diets should include ample amounts of fresh, colorful fruits and vegetables. In fact, experts recommend that you consume at least five to nine servings of these foods daily. Choose dark green or brightly colored fruits and vegetables to obtain the most antioxidants, which protect your eyes by reducing damage related to oxidizing agents (free radicals) that can cause age-related eye diseases. Lutein, found in dark green leafy vegetables such as spinach and kale, is one of the best known eye-protecting antioxidants. Sweet corn, peas, and broccoli also contain large amounts of lutein. Vitamin A, vital for healthy vision, is found in orange and yellow vegetables such as carrots and squash. Fruits and vegetables also provide essential vitamin C, another powerful antioxidant.

Supplements such as these vitamin pills containing essential fatty acids and vitamin E can help maintain vision.

Try following these diet guidelines to improve your chance of healthy vision for a lifetime:

1. Eat whole grains and cereals. Sugars and refined white flours commonly found in breads and cereal may increase your risk of age-related eye diseases. Choose instead 100 percent whole-grain breads and cereals that have lots of fiber, which

slows down the digestion and absorption of sugars and starches. Fiber also keeps you feeling full, which makes it easier to limit the amount of calories you consume. Experts suggest that at least half of your daily grains and cereals be 100 percent whole grains.

2. Make sure fats are healthy. The omega-3 essential fatty acids found in fish, flaxseed oil, walnuts and canola oil help to prevent dry eyes and possibly cataracts. Eat fish or seafood twice weekly, or take flax oil every day. Use canola oil for cooking and walnuts for snacking.

3. Choose good sources of protein. Remember that fat content and cooking methods are what make proteins healthy or unhealthy. Also, avoid saturated fats from red meats and dairy products that may increase your risk of macular degeneration. Choose lean meats, fish, nuts, legumes and eggs for your proteins. Most meats and seafood also are excellent sources of zinc. Eggs are a good source of lutein.

4. Avoid sodium. High sodium intake may add to your risk of cataract formation. Use less salt, and look for sodium content on the labels of canned and packaged foods. Stay below 2,000 mg of sodium each day. Choose fresh and frozen foods whenever possible.

5. Stay hydrated. Round out a healthy diet with low-fat dairy products such as skim or 1 percent milk for calcium, and healthy beverages such as 100 percent vegetable juices, fruit juices, non-caffeinated herbal teas and water. Proper hydration also may reduce irritation from dry eyes.

Tune in next month to learn more about how to protect your vision from age related diseases by using eye vitamins and vision supplement.

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Blast from the Past

Bryan Wolf
April 1988

A.C. Hilton won the Democratic nomination for Constable on Bolivar Peninsula, with George "Tinker" Hughes coming second and Rueben Barrow third. That means Hilton will run against Republican Jim Crawley for the position of Constable in the General Election. Both men are residents of Port Bolivar and both men are well qualified for the position. This race will be interesting in that in the Justice of the Peace race, Crystal Beach and Gilchrist went for the Republican candidate (J. Dudley Brown) while High Island and Port Bolivar voters had majority votes for the Democratic candidate, Frankie Hilton.

The Gilchrist Volunteer Fire Department accepted the delivery of the first brand new firetruck in the history of the department. The firemen and the ladies auxiliary will pay for the truck with proceeds from weekly bingo games and other fund raising activities. Firemen in the department are Harry LaJune, Steven Sutton, Glen Smith, Herbert Wolfe, Al Bleigh and Larry Schaefer.

It was Napoleon who said, "Impossible is a word found only in the dictionary of a fool." Coach Darrell Royal (athletic director) of the University of Texas said, "We're gonna dance with the one that brung us." Royal also said, "He's as smart as a tree full of owls." The late Tex Ritter said, "You write to your sweetheart and I'll write to mine." But it was Marvin Zindler (Houston Channel 13 TV - ABC) who coined an expression that will probably outlive the aforementioned, especially among Houston restaurateurs; "Slime in the ice machine!"

Crystal Beach's popular new Police Chief, Farris Collier, is also well known and well liked in Winnie, where he used to live. My wife says every time she goes to Winnie, someone mentions they regret the loss of a good police officer to the city of Crystal Beach.

getting a little better on the beach. Some of the beach merchants are taking their bills out of the envelopes, as of late.

Paul Harvey (News) keeps talking about people having "overnight meaningful relationships." "You going steady with her, Fred?" "Naw. I was with her twice for five minutes. But I ain't getting into any overnight, meaningful relationships with her. First thing you know, she'd want to know my name...and where I'm from..."

In the High Island School Board election on May 7 Positions 1 and 2 will be filled. Benny Barrow is running unopposed for Position 1 and James Barrow, Incumbent, Position 2, is opposed by Tim Hill.

A while back, I had a local fellow repair a leak in the roof of The Trading Post. He moved too slow to suit me so I mentioned to him that he ought to throw his watch away and just use a calendar. He laughed and said, "I know I'm slow, but I make cup for it by doing sorry work." How true. Where the roof used to drip, it now pours. Pvt. Thomas D. Chatterton, of the United States Marine Corps, spent 7 days leave time with his family in Crystal Beach. Pvt. Chatterton, son of Mrs. Gardner Bryom of Crystal Beach and Mike Chatterton of Port Arthur, is presently stationed at Camp Pendelton in California.

The Beach Bum says when I was a child I thought nap time was a punishment. Now it's like a mini-vacation.

The Beach Bum says the day the work runs out of wine is just too terrible to think about.

The Beach Bum's wife says wouldn't it be great if we could put ourselves in the dry for 10 minutes; come out wrinkle free and three sizes smaller?

The Beach Bum says "getting lucky" means walking into a room and remembering why I'm there.

The Beach Bum says he who blows his own horn the loudest is usually in a fog.

The Beach Bum says a sharp tongue and a defective brain are usually room-mates. (In the same head).

Bikini time is just around the corner. I asked the beach Aggie if he liked bathing beauties and he said, "I don't know. I ain't every bathed one."

The Beach Bum says if first you don't succeed you are about average.

The Beach Bum says the only thing that keeps one of his associates from being a bald faced liar is his mustache.

The Beach Bum defines an optimist as a man who looks forward to marriage. And he defines a pessimist as a married optimist.

The Beach Bum says the quickest way to get your family tree traced is to run for public office.

The Beach Bum says the only thing that will give you more for your money these days is a weighing machine.



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GILCHRIST WOMEN'S CLUB NEWS
 By
 Louise French

Jason Black son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Black, Jr., of High Island is shown receiving a \$1000 scholarship check from Helen Burke, President of the Gilchrist Women's Club. Jason attends Lamar College in Beaumont.

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After West Point he went back to be an instructor at the Academy and was promoted to 1st Lt. By May 1917 he was a Captain. During this time World War I was going on, so he was sent to France in August 1917 with the rank of Major.

The first Americans on the firing line were the U.S.

engineers commanded by Kimble. Due to his vast knowledge of military tactics and engineering, he was sent to the British Fifth Corps Staff to study the Corps Intelligence Service. During the first ten days of the Battle of Picardy (March 21 - 20, 1918) he was wounded there in Northern France and died in a hospital 9 April 1918. He was never married but was survived by his mother who still lived in Galveston and his younger brother, 2nd Lt. Frederick Von H. Kimble who graduated from West Point June 1918.

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Major Edwin Richardson Kimble, Jr, West Point yearbook "The Howitzer"



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Keep Bolivar Beautiful was honored to be invited to visit with the Crystal Beach Community Church Youth group as it was their desire to thank KBB for beautifying the lives of Bolivar residents and visitors during Easter Sunrise celebration.

They shared happiness and knowledge and promises to continue Keeping Bolivar Beautiful.

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The Life and Times of Pontius Pilate, The Law West of the Jordan

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History, other than those weird little Jack Chick booklets and stuff about The Lizard People on the GossipNet, says little of Pontius Pilate. Apparently his career in the Roman diplomatic was fairly short before he was retired by suicide.

A life of loyal public service under the emperors was often rewarded with death, which was probably better than a farewell kiss from the president.

As a colonial governor Pilate would have been expected to keep the peace among all sorts of peoples, not because of the benevolence of Tiberius but because tax-tax is always better than war-war (as Churchill did not say).

One wonders if in his corner office Pilate displayed pictures of himself shaking hands with famous people, or maybe ordering their executions, and plaques from the Little Gladiator teams he sponsored. Did he give speeches at local business dinners? "I am Praefectvs Pontivs Pilatvs, but you may call me Poncho. I'm from Rome, and I'm here to help you grow your businesses."

No doubt the after-dinner speech included a few wheezes: "Say, boys, you'll like this one. A Greek, a Roman, and a Jew walk into a bar owned by an Egyptian..."

Pontius Pilate probably gave motivational speeches (which in itself should be a death penalty offense) and talked about thinking outside the box outside of which he

never thought himself, and kept his resume updated in hopes of a better gig in a happier colony, maybe Crete or Cyprus or Hispania.

He would have been subjected to scrutiny by spies and investigations by special prosecutors, and in turn would have sent around the highways and byways of the Empire his own spies and, when he felt he had the power and the connections to get rid of some old pal he didn't now like, special prosecutors under his authority.

His staff would have kept his files cross-indexed and neat, and at midday he probably joined the boys for a two-falernian lunch, properly submitted under his expense account.

Pilate named roads and bridges and theatres for his Emperor, had the usual suspects executed for the entertainment of The People, bless them, and probably told anti-Semitic jokes. He was so dull, safe, successful, and predictable that he was governor for some ten years before being recalled to Rome.

Nothing reliable is known of his end. Pilate is said to have been required to commit suicide instead of being given a cheap Seiko sundial as a memento, but perhaps he did indeed retire to his vineyards in central Italy, and took leisurely afternoons to write his memoirs, in which few were interested and which eventually were used by Germanic invaders to start a fire, and so lost to history.

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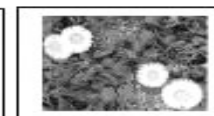
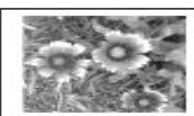
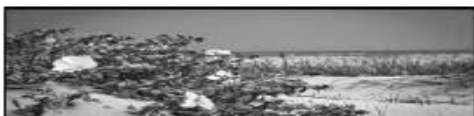
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BOLIVAR BEACH BLOOMERS NEWS BY VICKIE GOSS

Galveston County Master Gardeners with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service is reaching out to Bolivar Peninsula. Denny Nor and Herman Auer came over to Crystal Beach this week to discuss having Bolivar Beach Bloomers sponsor their seminars on Gulf Coast Gardening here on the peninsula! They offer some excellent educational opportunities; usually at the AgriLife Extension Office at Carbide Park in La Marque. Recognizing the challenge for peninsula residents to attend events on the other side of the bay they offered to bring the seminars to us! At our Beach Bloomers meeting, April 4th, we will pick a topic and a Saturday in May to start sponsoring the Gulf Coast Gardening series. Watch for the announcement.

If interested their web site is <http://galveston.agrilife.org/horticulture/>, this is where you will find their News Letter. If you're like me I had never heard of Carbide Park in La Marque, they have The Discovery Garden which on paper looks very impressive. It includes Education in the Demonstration Garden which includes many stations of various types of gardening. Looks like a great place to take a field trip!

Beach Bloomers will have a Spring Plant Sale Saturday April 21st, 10am to 2pm, at The Eagles Trade Days, 1835 Hwy 87 in Crystal Beach. The next Bolivar Beach Bloomers meeting will be Wednesday April 4, Bolivar Beach Bloomers meetings are always the 1st Wednesday of each month 10:30am at the Joe Faggard Community Center, 1750 Highway 87, Crystal Beach. All are welcome and encouraged to come check us out!

You may be interested in the following links:

Bolivar Beach Bloomers <https://www.facebook.com/groups/677347662377504/>

The Beautiful Monarch Butterfly <https://www.facebook.com/groups/572683816192386/>

The Lazy Gardener Newsletter <http://visitor.r20.constantcontact.com/email.jsp?m=1112503958110>

Monthly Quote: "Flowers really do intoxicate me." ~Vita Sackville-West

Ange's Corner Monthly Tip:

Don't give up too soon on those freeze damaged tropicals! I've already heard too many stories of DORMANT plants having been declared DEAD and pulled up by the roots. If they don't sprout back from lower branches they are likely to come up from the ground. Keep them watered and BE PATIENT. I've had some tropicals come back as late as July to return previous splendor. If you can't resist taking them out give them to a gardener.

One more reminder as we get into spring gardening mode: Water LONGER, DEEPER, LESS OFTEN to establish healthy root systems. A couple months to go. We and most of our tropicals are gonna survive!

Ange Scheibel
Texas Master Naturalist
Galveston Bay Area Chapter
angelbus80@hotmail.com



Greenhouse Plant Sale!

Visit the Discovery Garden on Thursday, April 5, 9:00 - 11:30 am. and shop til you drop!

See the photos for available plants.

The Discovery Garden is located inside Carbide Park at 4102 Main Street (Hwy 519) in LaMarque. If more information is needed please call 281-309-5065 or email galvcountymgs@gmail.com

Citrus Trees
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Parsley Flat Leaf

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Basil Sweet Thai
Basil Mrs. Burns Lemon
Basil Lime
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Torenia Kauai Mix



Rollover Pass

Traces of Texas reader Bill Hand kindly shared this nifty circa 1957 photo of folks gathered at Rollover Pass. What I find hilarious is that the sign says "no fishing on bridge" and there are so many people fishing on the bridge. Texans! Rollover Pass (also called Rollover Fish Pass) is a man-made strait that cuts through private property on the Bolivar Peninsula. It was opened in 1955. It earned the name "Rollover Pass" from the practice of smugglers who, from the days of Spanish rule through prohibition, avoided the Galveston customs station by rolling barrels of import or export merchandise (i.e., whiskey and rum) over the narrowest part of the Bolivar Peninsula.



The Elissa has arrived Galveston. Photo by Amy Comeaux taken from her office window in Galveston

1877 Tall Ship ELISSA

ELISSA is a three-masted, iron-hulled sailing ship built in 1877 in Aberdeen, Scotland by Alexander Hall & Company. She carries nineteen sails covering over one-quarter of an acre in surface area. Tall ships are classified by the configuration of their sailing rig. In ELISSA's case, she is a 'barque' because she carries square and fore-and-aft sails on her fore and

mainmasts, but only fore-and-aft sails on her mizzenmast. From her stern to the tip of her jibboom she measures 205 feet. Her height is 99 feet, 9 inches at the main mast and she displaces about 620 tons at her current ballast. But, she is much more than iron, wood and canvas.

Unlike some tall ships of today ELISSA is not a replica, but a survivor. She was built during the decline of the "Age of Sail" to fill a niche in maritime commerce. Over her 90-year commercial history she carried a variety of cargos to ports around the world, for a succession of owners.

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Kids Hardhead Haul-In - FREE - Children 12 & under (must be accompanied by adult)

Time: Saturday, April 28, 2018 6:00am to 3:00 pm
Kids start at 8:30 am - Weigh in between 9:00-10:00 am. Awards at 10:30 a.m.

Location: Stingaree Restaurant & Marina Crystal Beach, TX

Friday April 27th at Stingaree Down Under

6:00 pm Check In/Registration

7:00 pm Calculus

*Appetizers will be served.

Saturday April 28th at Stingaree Restaurant & Marina

12:00 pm - 3:00 pm Lunch @ Stingaree

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm Official Weigh In by Lions Club

4:00 pm Awards Ceremony and Door Prizes

8:00 pm Live music

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Well, Spring is officially here. The Men welcomed ten new members and had a former member rejoin. We would like to welcome Dale Early, Tom Gasaway, Chuck Crain, Mike Murphy, Eddie Woods, Mickey Nelson, Jerry Mittendorf, Sam Accardo, Ryan Tilton, Bill Darnell, and welcomed back Mitch Woods.

The pool tournaments now cost \$10. The extra money is going to go to a fund for keeping the tables in prime condition and giving them proper maintenance. Our Dart and pool tournaments continue to bring in good crowds, so if you haven't participated in them yet, I would encourage you to do so. Very soon, we are going to add a third Dart Board so that we can keep up with the number of players that show up. Co-Ed blind draw 2 person Dart tournaments are on Thursday night, Singles on Friday. Saturday night our regular pool tournament, and Sunday is our 9 Ball. We have Karaoke on Friday nights as well.

I want to thank the Ladies for their hard work on our annual Easter Egg Hunt. They always do great job with this event and we are very lucky to have them. They start preparing the Wednesday before and then make sure our men do not cut the grass too short so they can hide the eggs better.

We still have lunch most Saturdays, unless there is a fundraiser that we do not want to get in the way of. And we are serving Breakfast the Second Sunday of every month starting at 9:30 a.m. You get bacon, sausage, scrambled eggs, hash browns, biscuit, gravy and a waffle for \$7 and we serve Bloody Mary's and Mimosa's and other drinks provided you are eating and have a plate in front of you.

We are continuing to grow and we have lots going on. If you haven't checked us out, please stop by and visit with us.

Tax & Voter Registration Deadlines Approaching

Don't miss the following important property tax and voter registration deadlines. Also, the 2018 Effectively Protest Your Property Value class schedule has changed to accommodate the new protest deadline of May 15th that took effect September 1st. Mark your calendars!

April 2nd
April 2nd April 5th April 23rd May 1st
May 4th May 15th May 15th

Second Installment deadline for 2017 property taxes for seniors, disabled persons, disabled vets, surviving spouses of disabled vets and those taking advantage of disaster installments

Deadline for businesses to file 2018 business personal property rendition

Last day to register to vote (or update address information) for May 5th local elections

Last day to register to vote (or update address information) for May 22nd primary run-off

Effectively Protest Your Property Value Class beginning at 6:00pm at the League City Council Chambers, 200 W. Walker, League City

Effectively Protest Your Property Value Class beginning at 6:00pm at the Learning Resource Center, Room L-131, COM, 1200 Amburn Road, Texas City

Deadline to call CAD for appointment to protest your property value (or to provide information regarding storm damage)

Effectively Protest Your Property Value Class beginning at 6:00pm in the Commissioners Courtroom, 1st Floor, 722 Moody, Galveston

Voter registration applications are available at all County Tax Office branches (8 am to 5 pm in Galveston, League City, Santa Fe and Texas City and satellite offices in Friendswood open every Thursday and Friday and Crystal Beach from 8 am to 4:30 pm the third Tuesday of each month), the Voter Registration Department in Galveston or online at www.galcotax.com (under the Voter Registration tab). We are more than happy to mail or email at application to you. Call the Voter Registration Department toll free at 1-888-976-2280. For directions to branch offices, please call (toll free) 1-877-766-2284.

Tax payments may be mailed to GCTO, PO Box 1169, Galveston, Texas 77553, left in GCTO drop boxes (outside each full time branch location) or paid online (www.galcotax.com) via electronic check (\$1 fee) or credit card (2.5% merchant fee). Credit card telephone payments are possible by calling 1-866-865-1433 (English) or 1-866-865-1435 (Spanish). For directions or locations, call the GCTO Administration Department at 1-877-766-2284. All calls are toll free.

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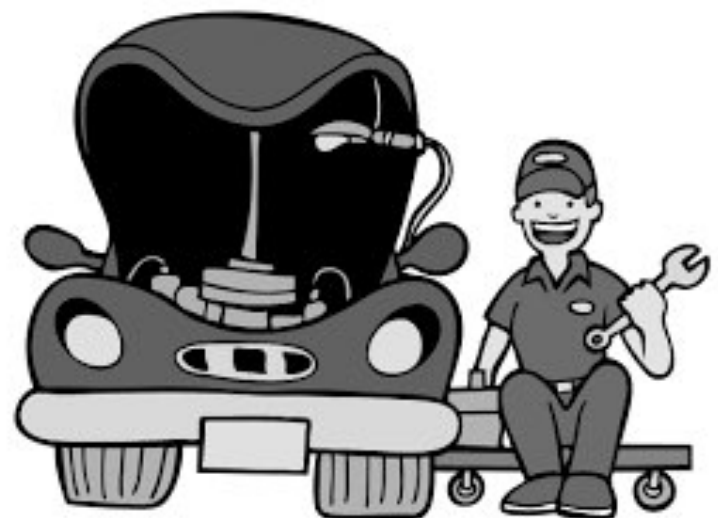
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Bolivar Peninsula Special Utility District

Minutes of the Regular Meeting February 13, 2018

Directors Present: George Strong, Vice President; D. J. Hutchison; Wayne Turk; Dennis Stafford; Hollis Gassen, President; Maria Skewis

Staff Present: Jo E. Ball, General Manager; Donald Crawford; Clifford Howard

Others Present: Kurt Ploeger

Item 1 Call to Order: At 6:00 PM President, Hollis Gassen, declared a quorum present and called the meeting to order.

Item 2 Pledge of Allegiance and moment of silence: The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mr. George Strong and cited by all present. Afterwards, a moment of silence was observed.

Item 3 Approve minutes of the January 9, 2017 general meeting: A motion was made by George Strong and seconded by Wayne Turk to approve the January 9, 2017 minutes as presented. Motion unanimously passed.

Item 4 Committee Reports:

Audit & Finance: Mr. Dennis Stafford reported the Audit and Finance Committee had met earlier today and reviewed the District's invoices, check registers and bank statements for January and found everything to be in order.

Item 5 Public Comments: There were no public comments.

Item 6 Manager's Report: The manger's report was presented by Mr. Jody Ball and the following items were reported and/or discussed:

1) A Review of Trial Balance, Comparative Budget Report and Account Balance Summary List: The board reviewed the Trail Balance Report, Comparative Budget Report

and the Account Balance Summary through January and found everything to be in order.

2) Review System Operational Reports:

* District Water Losses. The District experienced a four-month average water loss through January of 13% and 16.20% for the month.

* The District has 4,866 active accounts through January. In January, 2 accounts were liquidated and 28 shut off for non-payment.

* Total water sales for January were \$290,155.75

* Average monthly water bill for January is \$59.63.

* Water pumped was 28.5M gallons and water sold was 15.5M gallons with a loss difference of 13.0M gallons. There were 10 leaks repaired (cold weather challenges).

* No reportable accidents or incidents during the month of January.

3) Review current infrastructure projects: A meeting was held between the District and county engineers to review the drawings for the proposed elevated tank at Singing Sands plant are 60% completed.

4) Rollover Pass: There is no additional information available.

5) Personnel: The District is fully staffed.

6) Finances: Net income for January is \$-52,823. FEMA is completing reviewing "IKE" projects. Their preliminary findings are that the District's balance with FEMA is zero.

Item 7 Discussion and possible action on appointment of new Board member: Mr. Kurt Ploeger introduced himself and his qualifications as possible new Board member. Motion by George Strong to appoint Kurt Ploeger to a

three year term on BPSUD Board of Directors and seconded by Maria Skewis. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 8 Discussion and possible action to approve attendance to Annual TRWA conference April 4-5:

A motion was made by George Strong for Jo Ball, 2 staff members and any Board member who can attend to represent BPSUD at Annual TRWA conference. Seconded by Wayne Turk. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 9 Discussion and possible action to approve installation of culvert and driveway:

Board discussed issue of access to property adjacent to new elevated water tank site. Jo Ball will discuss easement issues with TRWA and return to Board with recommendations.

Item 10 Discussion and possible action on leak adjustment calculations: Review and discussion of current leak adjustment request form and policy. Issue has arisen after cold weather causing leaks with unusually high water bills for some customers. A motion was made by Wayne Turk to revise the District's leak adjustment policy to the customer's minimum bill plus half their usage up to maximum reduction adjustment of \$300 retroactive to January 1, 2018. The motion was seconded by George Strong. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 11 Consideration and possible action on 2009 bond: Motion by Wayne Turk to postpone consideration of pay-off of 2009 bond until 2019 at earliest due to issues with LNVA charges. Seconded by Dennis Stafford. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 12 Discussion and possible action to approve purchase new truck for meter reader through Capital Expense Budget:

Two bids received for new truck for meter reader and maintenance. Motion

by Dennis Stafford to approve purchase through capital budget of Toyota truck as proposed and seconded by George Strong. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 13 Discussion and possible action on LNVA budget:

Letter was sent LNVA regarding adjustment to sludge pond clean out costs. Meeting between LNVA and BPSUD is scheduled to discuss this issue. The item is tabled pending meeting results.

Item 14 Discussion and possible action on General Manager Contract extension:

Current contract is due for renewal. A motion was made by Wayne Turk to extend existing contract until June 1 2018 and Personnel and Policy committee to develop new 5-year contract for Board consideration. Seconded by George Strong. Motion passed unanimously.

Item 15 Directors comments regarding future committee meetings:

1) Audit and Finance Committee. None.
2) Personnel and Policy. General Managers contract.
3) Plant and Product. None.
4) Public Relations Committee. None.

Item 16 Directors Comments regarding future agenda items:

1) LNVA Budget
2) Wind Storm Insurance Renewal
3) General Managers Contract
4) Review of Leak Adjustment Policy changes

Item 17 Set the Date for the Next Meeting:
Next meeting date is set for March 13, 2018.


Item 18 Adjournment: Motion by Maria Skewis and seconded by Wayne Turk. Meeting adjourned at 7:42 PM. The motion unanimously passed.

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Crusts and Lace

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Have any questions, photos, or observations about nature on the Bolivar Peninsula? Please send them to Vince at vbrach@sbcglobal.net and he'll try to answer them.

A popular term in non-technical science writing is "living fossil". Such creatures as horseshoe crabs, lungfishes, and the chambered nautilus are examples: forms of life which have an ancient and extensive fossil record, but today exist only as a bare remnant of their former glory.

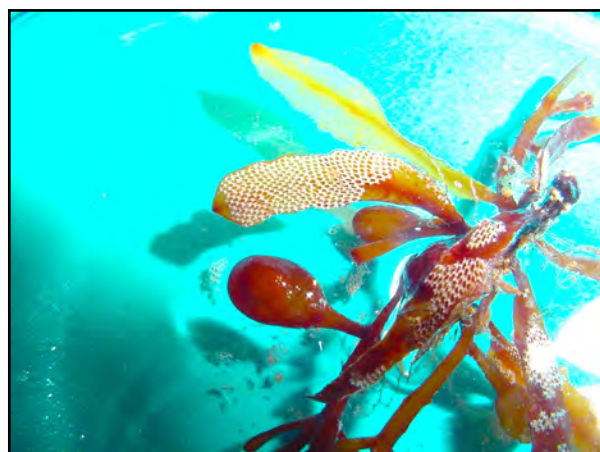
The very term "living fossil" suggests decadent, unchanging species that have almost miraculously survived the tooth of time and are merely holding on to existence as curiosities.

But what shall we call creatures which are clearly recognizable from exceedingly ancient geological periods, yet have survived every extinction event and are common and diverse today? One such group is the "moss animals" or Bryozoa. Even though their skeletons are abundant as encrusting "laces" or plantlike growths in the sea drift, few people other than specialists know much about them. However, a little patience and a magnifying lens or microscope will reveal an amazing beauty in these relatively unknown but common creatures.

The Phylum Bryozoa consists of almost exclusively colonial, largely marine organisms. They first appeared in the fossil record some 450 million years ago in the Ordovician period and have enjoyed a highly successful, diversified evolutionary history right up to the present. The individual animal, called a zooid ("Zoo-oyd") is always encased in a secreted shell of calcium carbonate or leathery protein. Individually tiny, zooids of a particular species multiply as clones of one another to produce an easily-seen colony.

Bryozoan colonies commonly form lacy patterns on seaweeds, rocks, and shells, or may form upright "rooted" growths that resemble small seaweeds. Under magnification, bryozoans colonies reveal repeating, wonderfully complex patterns and structures, many of which have an unknown function and pose a challenge for the serious aquatic naturalist. A common species in Texas is *Membranipora tuberculata* (pictured), which encrusts the blades of floating Sargassum seaweed. Each coffin-shaped "cell" in the colony, called a zoecium,

opens to the outside to allow the polyp-like animal within access to the sea. Numerous, regularly-positioned holes between the zoecia allow direct communication between the animals in the colony through actual connections of their bodies.



The Sargassum bryozoan, Membranipora tuberculata



A freshwater bryozoan colony, about 2 inches across

In many bryozoans, certain zooids are specialists in feeding or colony defense. Most of the zooids feed on tiny planktonic organisms captured by tentacle-like organs called lophophores. The famous naturalist Charles Darwin was fascinated by the beak-like structures of some zooids (aptly named avicularia) which probably serve to snap at and kill or dislodge small creatures that land on the colony surface. Others produce structures called vibracula that look like bristles or hairs and can be swept across the zoecia like tiny brooms. Still others may specialize in the production of eggs or sperms. Some bryozoan



A shell that is completely incrustated by a bryozoan colony

species have colonies containing up to a dozen different kinds of zooids.

Reproduction in the bryozoa can be rather complex, involving both asexual (budding) and sexual forms. Reproduction by budding or fragmentation is

very common, with some species able to start a new colony from a fragment containing only 2-3 zooids. Sexual reproduction may involve the broadcasting of eggs and sperm into the sea, or may involve the retention of fertilized eggs in special zoecia called ovisacs. Here they are protected while they advance in development beyond simple embryos.

A single zooid forms from the development of a fertilized egg. This pioneer may settle on an object as small as a sand

grain. From this simple beginning, a huge crust or "lacework" colony containing hundred of zooids, many specialized, grows if conditions are favorable.

Not all bryozoans have a crust-like form. Many form flexible seaweed-like colonies that are attached to rocks, pilings, and the undersides of boats. A few are considered major fouling pests, such as the imported "sauerkraut bryozoan" *Amathina verticillata*. This seaweed-like animal has massive die-offs during the cold season, liberating the dead colony skeletons to dry up as pale brushy wisps on shore or to foul the lines of bayside fishermen.

Interestingly, there are a few kinds of freshwater bryozoans. Some (*Pectinatella*) resemble huge blobs of jelly and are found in North American lakes. Others (*Plumatella* and *Fredericella*) are found worldwide in ponds and ditches, attached to wooden trash, stones, and other flat surfaces. The wide distribution of these freshwater bryozoans is due to specialized reproductive structures called statoblasts. These pinhead-sized encapsulated embryos are ringed with tiny hooks that attach to the feathers and feet of ducks and other birds, giving them easy access to ponds along the bird's migration routes. They are common in the freshwater ponds on the Bolivar peninsula and make fascinating objects for microscopic examination.

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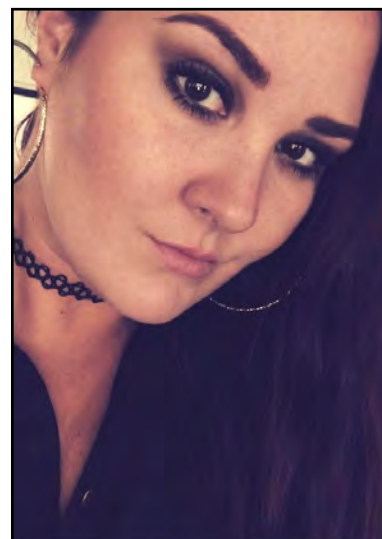
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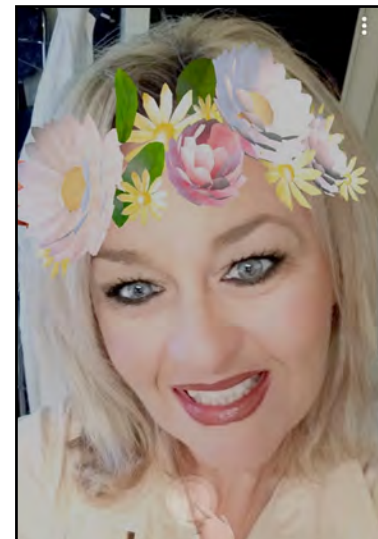
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Happy Birthday!
Alle Pace
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Happy Birthday!
Terra Smith
April 13

Friday, May 11

4:00 pm - **Festival Opens**
6:00 pm - **Opening Ceremony**
Crenshaw Choir - National Anthem
Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
Sponsored by **Galveston Regional Chamber of Commerce & President, Gina Spagnola**
6:15 pm - **Haley Comeaux**
7:45 pm - **Jason Allen**
Sponsored by **3rd Coast Internet**
8:30 pm - **Two-Step Dance Contest**
Sponsored by **Bolivar RV Park Coalition**
10:00 pm - **Bag of Donuts**
Sponsored by **Swedes Real Estate**
12:00 Midnight - **Festival Closing**

Saturday, May 12

8:30 am - **5K/1K Fun Run**
Sponsored by **Sweat Fitness**
10:00 am - **Festival Opens**
11:00 am - **Wiener Dog Races**
Sponsored by **Maven's Clothing and Tanning Salon**
11:00 am - **Crab Gumbo Cook Off**
Sponsored by **Ship's Wheel**
11:30 am - **Bris Crider**
1:00 pm - **The Cadillacs**
1:00 pm - **Washers Tournament**
Sponsored by **Frontier Pest Control**
2:00 pm - **Crab Legs Contest**
Sponsored by **RE/MAX on the Water**
2:30 pm - **Announcement of Cook Off Winners**
3:15 pm - **Mayeaux and Broussard**
5:30 pm - **David Joel**
7:45 pm - **Shooter Jennings**
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9:15 pm - **Live Auction**
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1:45 pm - **Sandy G y los Gavilanes**
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2:00 pm - **Scavenger Hunt**
4:00 pm - **Scott McGill**
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6:00 pm - **Closing Ceremony**



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April's New Start

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April is the time of the year that the bay system seems to be at it's peek activity to me. With all the different species of bait fish spawning throughout the bay, most of the predators are eating up anything and everything that gets in their way. Then there are days where it seems like you couldn't buy a bite in the Walmart bargain isle. Some of it has to do with the fact that the fish are beginning to spread out throughout the system again, but in my opinion a lot of it has to do with the fact that the fish just plum aren't hungry because of all the bait that is around them.



Every where that I have been in the East Bay has been chalked full of pinky nail size shad. With bait not being a huge priority because of its abundance, a lot of the fish are going to seek comfort from any springtime front that might blow in and push the water out. Paying very close attention to the weather and tide right now is almost key to catching fish. Look to the deeper structure when the fronts blow in and the shallower structure when the water returns.

Trinity Bay should be holding some of the heavier fish in the complex due to the over whelming abundance of bait. Typically, the fish in the upper reaches of the bay systems will be fatter because the bait fish spawn occurs

earlier than in the lower reaches of the bay. Remember, no matter where you decide to wade, wear your lifejacket at all times, use safety precautions, and be aware of your surroundings! Email a picture of your next great catch to jeffreykdaniels@gmail.com with your name and fish info to be featured in next month's article. Go visit justonemorecastblog.com. Be sure to follow and share on Facebook, Instagram, and twitter. Thank you to all my wonderful sponsors. Tight lines and smooth drag.



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NURSE ON THE BEACH

By: Connie Ward, MSN, RN, BC

Essential tremor (ET) is a common neurologic movement disorder that causes tremor. Tremor refers to a rhythmic shaking of a body part and is usually seen in the hands, face, jaw, tongue, and can cause voice quivering. People with ET may avoid going into public places because of the embarrassment and frustration they feel. The cause of ET is unknown; however we do know that there is an abnormal communication between certain areas in the brain.

This is an inherited disorder, believed to be autosomal dominant. This means that each child of a parent with ET has a 50% chance of developing ET. ET can occur at any age, rare before the age of 10. Most commonly it is after the age of 40.

Diagnosis of ET is usually made by a neurologist or movement disorder specialist. The doctor may order a magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) to rule out some other cause of the tremor. There are other causes of tremor, i. e. Parkinson's disease and others, but are not treated the same way.

In fact, prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, illicit drugs, alcohol, and some herbal remedies may cause or worsen tremor. The goals of treatment are to: reduce tremor severity, improve ability to function,

and decrease the social handicap. The class of drugs used to treat ET is called beta-blockers. Propranolol (Inderal) or primidone (Mysoline) are the main medications used. The doctor may try two or three medications before benefit is achieved. There are other medications in the benzodiazepine class, i. e. diazepam (Valium) that may be added. With medication treatment 50% reduction in tremor is considered good.

Sometimes botulinum toxin (Botox) injections into the affected muscle may block the tremor-sending signal from the brain. The injection must be repeated around every 3-5 months and can cause muscle weakness as a side effect. In some cases, a deep brain stimulator may be implanted, which sends an electrical impulse through the lead wire implanted in the brain and can dramatically take away tremor symptoms. The lead wire is attached to a heart pacer type of device implanted in the chest. Persons with ET should work closely with their care provider, in order to find the best treatment option for their symptoms.

Don't forget your sun block! The sun is back for Spring!!!

I will see you next month for more health tips



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Wedding Jitters - Part 2

By Lynne S Averett
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Part 1 published in Beach Triton March 2018 Edition: Anne has been asked to stand as Best Woman at a high school acquaintance's wedding, When the wedding is called off, she drives home only to find that she has accidentally taken the wrong white straw purse from the wedding closet, a purse that contains a gun and a note which reads - "We can shoot him at the wedding". She wonders what is happening?

The note said it all. "Shoot him at the wedding". But what did it mean? Did it have something to do with Anne's last minute invitation to be the Best Woman at Bob and Michelle's wedding? She needed some answers, but whom should she ask?

She decided to start with Bob's cousin, Tom, who had called her just that morning to be in the wedding of Bob and Michelle. She rang Tom, but wondered what to say if he answered. As it was, his voicemail came on. She explained in vague terms that she needed an explanation to "some things" she had discovered. She asked him to call or text when he could meet with her at her apartment. "The sooner, the better," she said ending the call. Tom returned her call quickly and said he would come by at six that evening.

When he arrived, Anne didn't say much, but showed him the white straw purse with the gun and the note. He paled and a tick made his eye blink before he stilled it with his hand. "I guess you wonder what's going on," Tom said. "What an understatement", Anne thought.

Tom explained that the family oil business had run into a problem. A Cartel in South America expected a share of their receipts. When the family hesitated, there were subtle and not-so-subtle threats. The most recent contact was two days ago on Tom's trip to their oil fields in that part of the world. A stranger had walked up to him. "Tom," he exclaimed in English with a Latin accent, "How are you, my friend? I heard your cousin Bob is getting married soon, and you are his Best Man? How nice. Maybe I'll see you there. Take care. Wouldn't want any accidents, would we?" He had patted his shoulder and drifted off into the crowd, but Tom knew this was more than a casual comment. He noticed one of their employees standing nearby and asked him if he knew the man. Fear surfaced in the man's eyes, and he shook his head. "No, no, sir. I don't know him at all". He might as well have said that the stranger was from the Cartel. Tom told Anne that he had gone to their security group and asked about the incident. Their answer, "Avoid being the Best Man at the wedding or being any place in plain sight for a while". Tom had not told his cousin and, at the last minute, decided to ask Anne to

stand in. Obviously, no one would mistake her for Tom. He would not need to worry Bob on his wedding day. When Bob realized what had happened, he decided to call off the wedding and not take any chance with anyone's safety.

Anne listened to this, and became furious that Tom asked her to stand in. Why would he put everyone, including her, at risk? "I understand", Tom countered. "I'm not very happy with my decision. Maybe we should be going to the police with this purse and the story?"

He called Bob, and they agreed, accompanied by the company attorney, to meet with the police the next day. Later, Tom sent flowers to Anne, with an awkward apology. The note read, "I'm sorry, Tom."

Anne thought that this "made-for-TV" drama was pretty much over until the next day, when she was wheeling her groceries out of Thompson Market to her white Honda and suddenly felt a light touch on her arm. She turned to see Colleen standing next to her. Despite her short hair and pricey beige suit, Anne recognized her as an acquaintance from high school. She might have seen her at Bob's wedding.

"Hello Anne, I thought it was you."

"Why, hello Colleen. It has been a long time. How are you?"

"Fine just fine. But I have a slight problem.

"Oh, what is it?"

"Well, I don't know if you knew I was at that strange wedding for Michelle and Bob?"

"No, Colleen, I didn't. There were a lot of people, I was kind of busy."

"Yes, I realize that. Well, to cut it short, I lost my purse there. It was in a coat closet, and someone took it. At first I thought it was theft, but then I realized you arrived with almost the same purse. I wondered if you put your purse in the closet and accidentally took mine."

Anne froze. Her smile stayed the same as she tried to think of a quick answer.

"Well, I don't know, Colleen. Frankly I had my keys in my pocket and just grabbed a purse from the closet and left. I didn't have much in it anyway. It's not my everyday purse. I've been so busy with the last two days. I haven't even opened it. Do you mean you think you have mine, and I have yours?"

A look of relief passed over Colleen's face.

"Tell you what. Let's go back to your place, and I'll see if that purse is mine. Then I can return yours right away?" said Colleen.

Anne did not like this at all, but what should she do? If Colleen really was the owner of the gun and the note, Anne didn't want to make her edgy or angry. Suddenly, she had a plan. "Sure, would you mind putting the grocery cart back? Then you can follow me to my apartment."

Colleen look relieved, Anne got into her car, and when she saw Colleen climb into the silver Lexus next to her, Anne waved and smiled. She backed out of her spot and started home.

Pretending to put on music and sing along, Anne called the number she been given by the detective. She prayed she wouldn't get voicemail. "Hello?" thankfully, the defective answered. Anne quickly told him the situation. He told her to go ahead to her home. He would send police and be there immediately himself. When they arrived at her high-rise apartment, Anne asked Colleen to park in the visitor space and help bring in the groceries. Together they took the elevator to her ninth floor.

Anne hoped the police were waiting, but she didn't dare look back. "What a nice place you have here", remarked Colleen trying to keep with small talk.

"Thanks, I have been here for two years. Now, let me think where did I put that purse?" Of course, the purse wasn't there. After Bob, Tom and the lawyer left, the detective had taken it to be analyzed. "Oh, Colleen, it's been so busy this week. I know I put it away somewhere. I'm afraid I'm not very organized."

Anne moved around the apartment pretending to look for the purse. Colleen was beginning to lose patience. "Why hadn't Anne produced her purse?" she thought. Suddenly there was a knock at the front door. "Changing air filters!" the cheery voice drifted through the door.

"Oh, I forgot the management said they were replacing filters today" Anne lied. She walked quickly to the door, opened it, and two policemen, guns drawn, burst in.

Colleen let out a panicked yell, "What have you done?" Colleen groaned, "I can't get caught, I can't. I won't go to prison, not for him, not for anyone!" Colleen suddenly burst toward the sliding doors that led to the balcony and ran outside. Anne rushed behind her, yelled, "No!" The police were right behind her.

It was too late. Colleen looked back and sadness filled her face. She climbed over the guardrail and let go. Her body, nine stories down, looked like she was sleeping on the cement. Anne crumpled into a chair and wept.

The next day, after the authorities had gone through Colleen's condominium, they found information leading to a possible boyfriend, Carlos Sorilla, part of the Cartel. He was quickly arrested. He claimed he was innocent, but don't they all?

Anne didn't believe life would ever be back to "normal" –whatever that was. There was something that didn't fit. She hadn't known Colleen well, but Carlos Sorilla just did not seem her type. When Anne finally saw an article about him- his picture, his age, dress, and education – nothing fit. When she received a handwritten birthday note from her brother, Anne finally realized what had been bothering her. Her brother's handwriting reminded her of the handwriting in the note in Colleen's purse. Where had she seen that script before? Suddenly, she knew what had happened.

Bob and Michelle set the date for their wedding again, same place, and same time- except with a Best Man this time. Or so Anne thought until Tom asked her to step in as Best Woman "for old time sake". It was then that she finally accepted the truth. Colleen had a boyfriend, but he wasn't Carlos.

As Anne stood beside Bob at the altar, the police she had alerted were at the back of the garden room. When Tom raised the gun to kill Bob and finalize his deal with the Cartel, they subdued him. In handcuffs, Tom was quietly taken away.

Anne let out her breath, sighed, and turned to Bob as he watched Michelle walk towards him down the aisle. At last there were no more wedding jitters.



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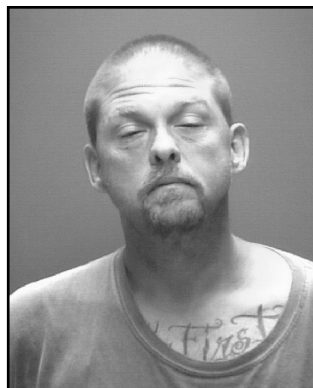
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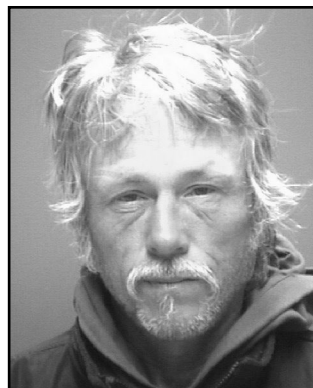
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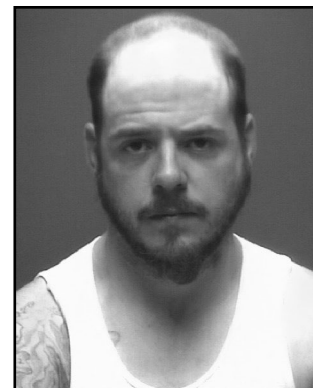
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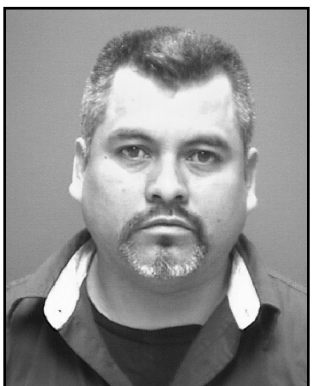
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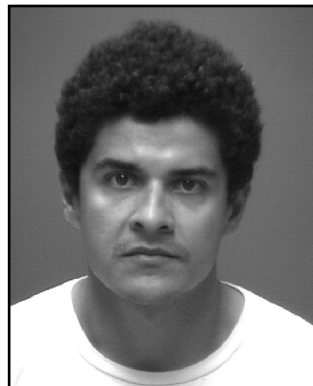
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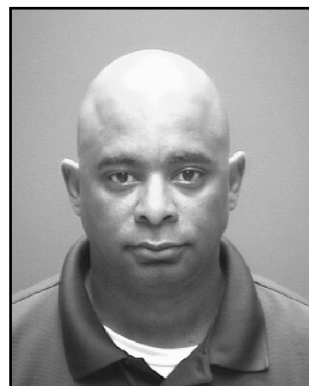
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Aguilar-guerrero, Juan Manuel (W /M/34)
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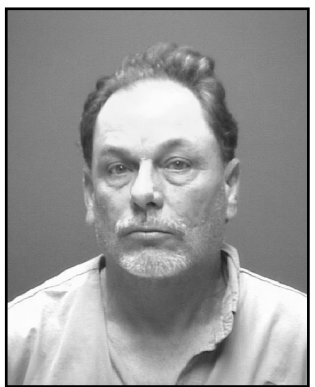
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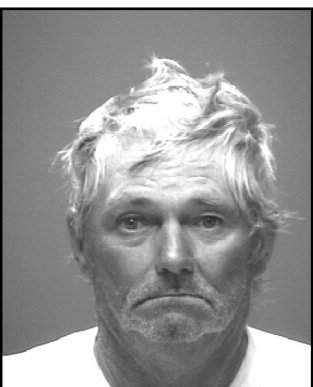
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Black, Steven Bradford (W /M/56)
Arrest on chrg of Evading Arrest Detention, M (M), at 1163 N Monkhouse Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/11/2018 22:24.



Johnson, Dante Gray (W /M/62)
Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication (M), at 1935 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 09:30.



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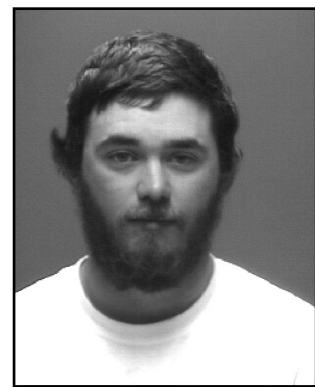
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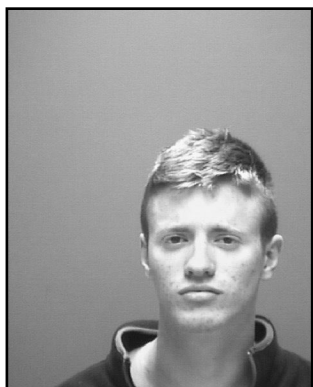
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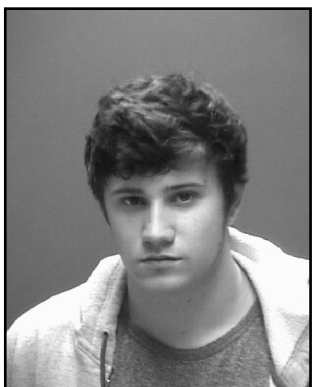
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Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 1271 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/12/2018 01:30.



Odom, Christopher Joseph (W /M/19)
Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 S Monkhouse, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/12/2018 10:30.



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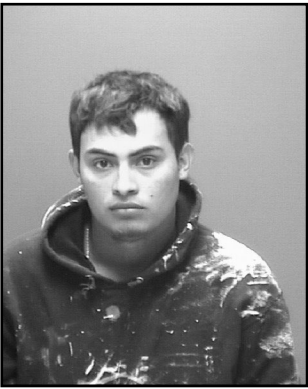
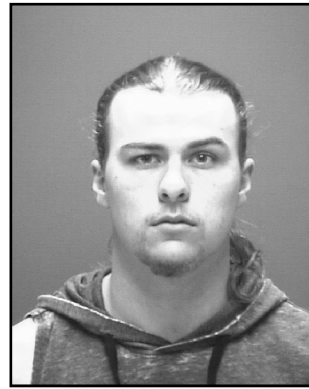
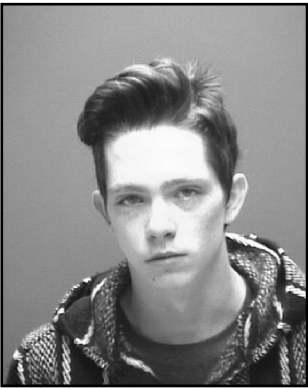
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Mansfield, Dalton Everett (W /M/17)
Arrest on chrg of Poss Cs Pg 3 < 28g, M (M), at 800 S Monkhouse, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/12/2018 20:18.



Rico, Gustavo Sandoval (W /M/19)
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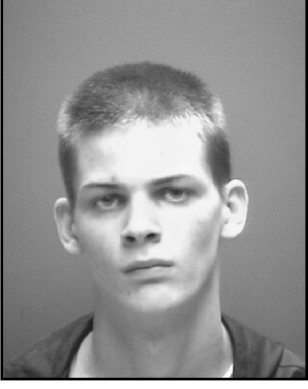
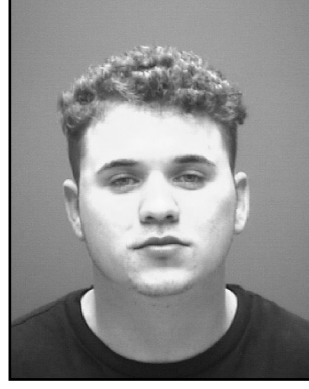
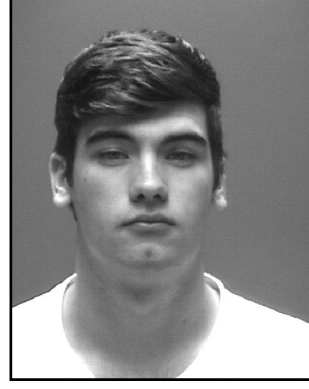
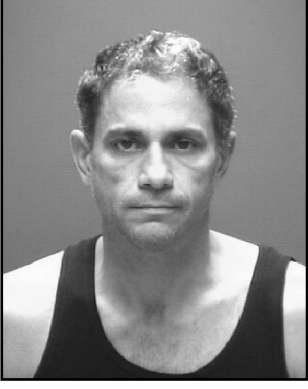
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Faulkner, Jason Moise (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of Allow Dangerous Driver To Borrow Vehicle, M (M), at 1900 Ave J, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/13/2018 22:02.

Mcauley, Tyler Joe (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of Poss Marij <2oz, M (M), at 1900 Ave J, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/13/2018 22:02.

Chavez Alvarez, Jose Nicolas (W /M/22) Arrest on chrg of 1) Poss Marij <2oz (M) and 2) Immigration Hold (M), at 4353 Hwy 87, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/13/2018 12:44.



Silva, Thomas Dean (W /M/49) Arrest on chrg of 1) Tamper W/gov School Record Lic/seal/cert/perm (F) and 2) Poss Cs Pg 1 >=1g<4g (F), at 5700 Ave H, Galveston, TX, on 3/13/2018 16:55.

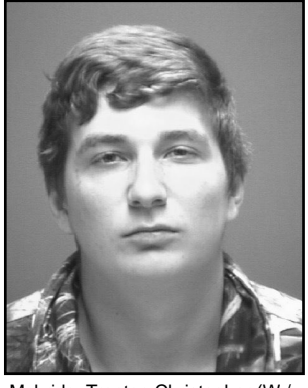
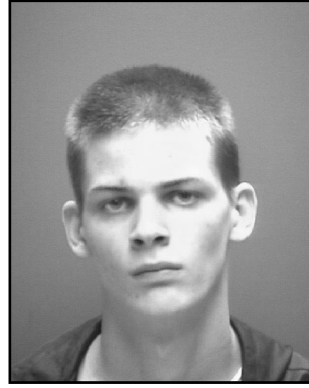
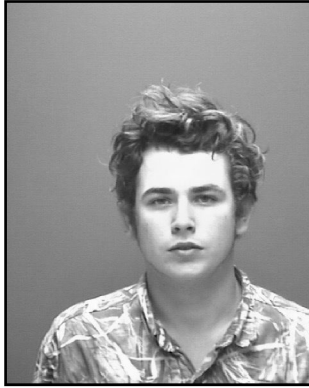
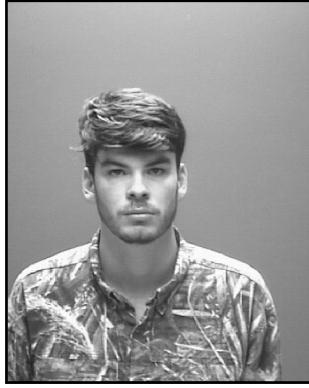
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Hanks, Mason Charles (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of No Drivers License, M (M), at 700 Patricia Leigh Av, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/14/2018 01:49.

Burress, Dillan Scott (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication - Minor, M (M), at 2385 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/14/2018 01:25.

Jones, J River (W /M/21) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 2385 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/14/2018 01:25.

Marshall, Dylan Wyatt (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage (M), at 800 Trinidad, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/15/2018 22:09.



Rodriguez, Marcelo Robles (W /M/25) Arrest on chrg of Out Of County Warrant-montgomery Co So, M (M), at 806 West Ln, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/15/2018 17:19.

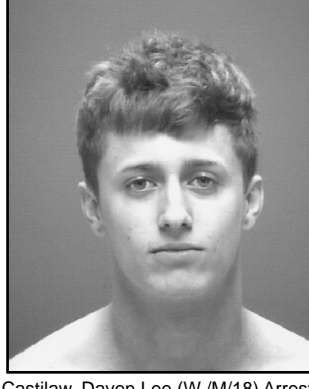
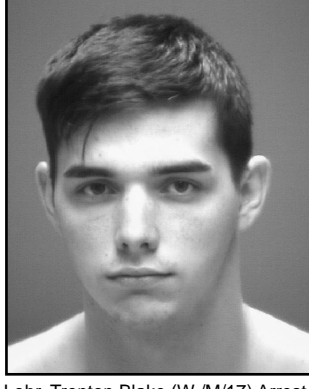
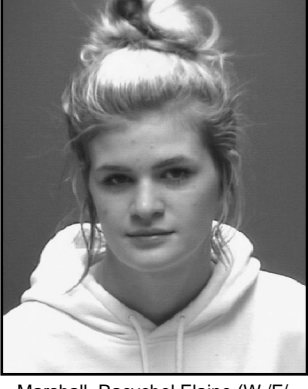
McKay, Andrew Jeffrey (W /M/18) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication - Minor, M (M), at 900 Rettillon Rd, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/15/2018 21:30.

Middleton, James Allen Devan (W /M/18) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication (M), at 900 Rettillon Rd, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/15/2018 21:30.

Greco, John Thomas (W /M/17) Arrest on chrg of 1) Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage (M) and 2) Public Intoxication (M), at 2385 Sh 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018

Marshall, Dylan Wyatt (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of 1) Poss Marij <2oz (M) and 2) Poss Cs Pg 3 < 28g (M), at 800 Trinidad, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 22:09.

Mcbride, Trenton Christopher (W /M/17) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at Clara @ Beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 10:10.



Marshall, Racychel Elaine (W /F/17) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 Trinidad/beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 22:09.

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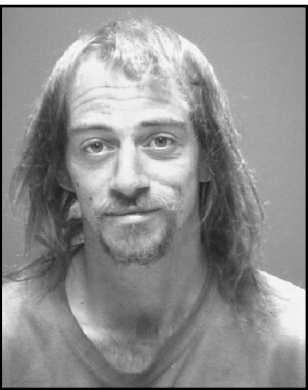
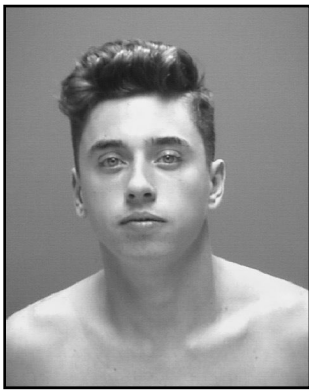
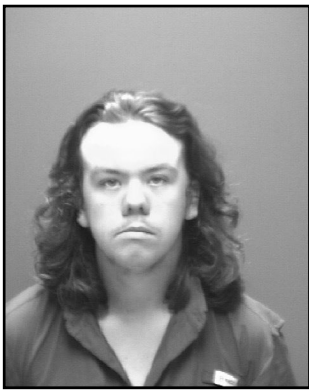
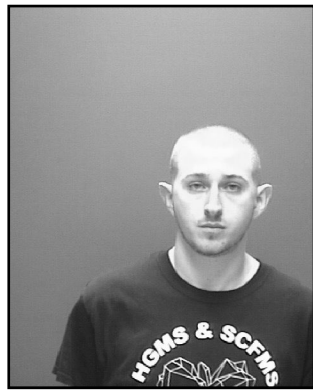
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Culbreth, Taylor Nicole (W /F/17) Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 905 Meynig, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 16:05.

Clifton, Cayson Lane (W /M/17) Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 Holiday/beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 18:20.

Johnson, Jared Michael (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 Holiday/beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 18:20.

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Barras, Dalton Hunter (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 Holiday/beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 19:37.

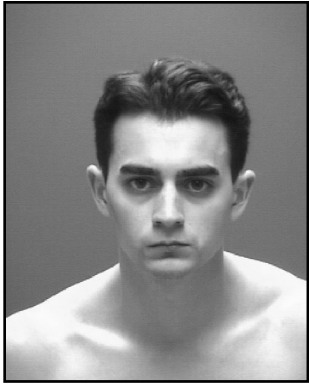
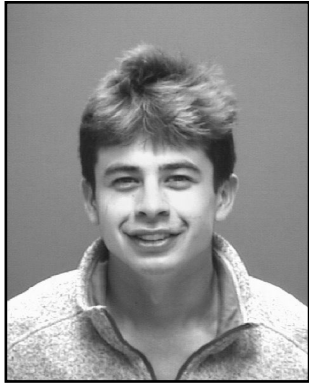
Foster, Zachary Kent (W /M/22) Arrest on chrg of Poss Cs Pg 1 <1g (F), at 4225 Butterfly Ln, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 11:05.

Mcfarland, Dakota Chester (W /M/17) Arrest on chrg of Poss Marij <2oz (M), at 800 Trinidad, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 22:22.

Shimek, William Blake (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication - Minor, M (M), at 850 Gulf Rd, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 19:45.

Elliot, Cody Wayne (W /M/17) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication - Minor, M (M), at 2030 Seaside, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 21:46.

Vigneault, Kevin Michael (W /M/31) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication (M), at 3192 Gulf Castle Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 01:10.



Clance, Rachel Marie (B /F/28) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication (M), at 800 S Monkhous Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 19:45.

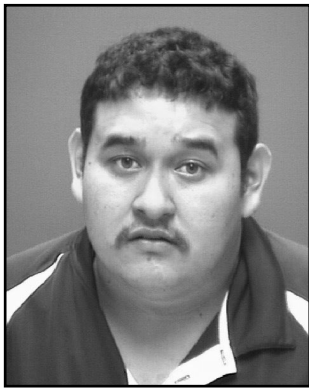
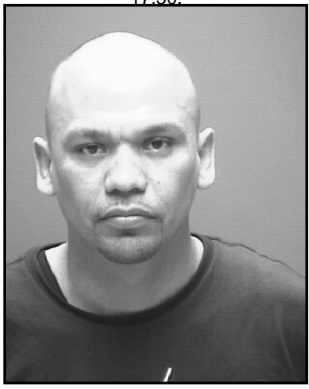
Helton, Erin Haley (W /F/21) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication (M), at 800 Holiday/beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 19:37.

Reyes, Daniel Isaiah (W /M/21) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication (M), at 850 Gulf Rd, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 20:00.

Elizondo, Nathan Slade (W /M/21) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication (M), at Beach Barell 90 Gilmore, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 17:30.

Martinez, Filemon Antonio (W /M/27) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 1803 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 21:01.

Escagne, Michael Richard (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Unsafe Speed (M), at 800 Gulfshores Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 18:00.



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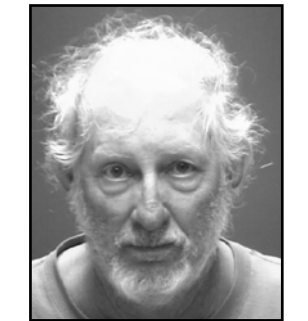
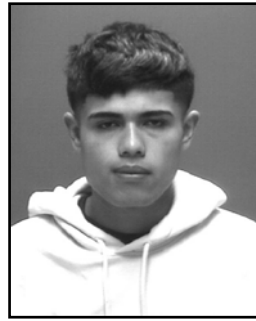
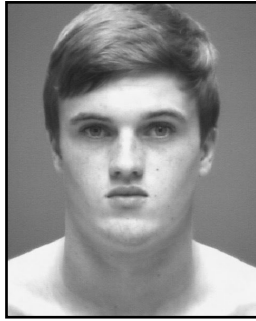
Cerros, Francisco Noel (W /M/37) Arrest on chrg of Reckless Driving, M (M), at 1803 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 21:01.

Hefty, Marissa Helena (W /F/20) Arrest on chrg of Poss Marij <2oz, M (M), at 2200 Trinidad, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/16/2018 22:59.

Vazquez, Victor (W /M/37) Arrest on chrg of 1) Operate Motor Vehicle W/o Financial Responsibility (M), 2) Expired License Plates (M), and 3) Unsafe Speed (M), at 7th Loop 108, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/16/2018 18:50.

Tovar, Saul Ponce (W /M/29) Arrest on chrg of Evading Arrest Detention, M (M), at 1333 24th St, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/16/2018 14:02.T

Passmore, Drake Michael (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of 1) Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage (M) and 2) Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage (M), at 900 Bowers Ln, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 20:20.



Kennedy, Justin Cade (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of 1) Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage (M) and 2) Glass Container On Beach (M), at 800 Mr G (bb #66), Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 19:27.

Leger, Shane Tyler (W /M/18) Arrest on chrg of 1) Resist Arrest Search Or Transport (M) and 2) Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage (M), at 800 Crystal Beach Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 15:15.

King, Michael Trevon (B /M/24) Arrest on chrg of Driving While License Invalid Class"c", M (M), at 1776 Redfish Ln, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 18:10.

Lopez, Rafeal (W /M/17) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 1700 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 00:18.

Stevenson, Dtrevious Marquez (B /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 900 Gregory, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 20:45.

Hughes, Lucas Carroll (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage (M), at 800 Holiday/beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 18:30.

Riddles, Jerry Don (W /M/65) Arrest on chrg of Assault, M (M), at 1060 Sage Rd, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/31/2018 18:27. Arrest on chrg of Poss Marij <2oz, M (M), at 1060 Sage Rd, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/31/2018 18:27.

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Lemon, Brittany Lynn (W /F/ 18) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 Crystal Beach, Bolivar, TX, on 3/17/2018 21:29.



Garcia, Jonathan Taylor (O / M/19) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 1680 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, on 3/17/2018 22:21.



Frauenberger, Kole Parker (W /M/ 17) Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 Holiday/beach, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 18:30.



Coward, Thomas Ray (W /M/ 19) Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at Beach @ Bb 65, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 20:33.



Smith, Trevian (B /M/20) Arrest on chrg of No Drivers License (M), at 900 Gregory, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 20:45.



Friend-culwell, Kyle Mccure (W /M/21) Arrest on chrg of No Drivers License, M (M), at 900 Tidelands Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 23:10.



Jones, Jim Hunter (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication - Minor, M (M), at 800 Kenlyn, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 17:00.



Thompkins, Caitlyn Renee (W /F/20) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 800 Noisy Waves, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 16:48.



Manchac, Jacob David (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at Beach @ Bb 81, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 17:58.



Bourg, Erin Rose (W /F/21) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 900 Albatross Ln, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 23:43.



Guerrero, Alexander Jonathon (W /M/24) Arrest on chrg of Reckless Driving (M), at 800 Noisy Waves, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 16:48.



Escagne, Evan Lewis (W /M/20) Arrest on chrg of 1) Poss Marij <2oz (M) and 2) Poss Dangerous Drug (M), at Beach @ Bb 88, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/17/2018 17:58.



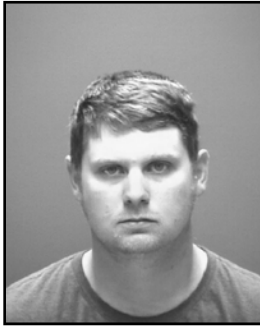
Eskridge, Austin Cole (W /M/ 19) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at 800 S Monkhouse, Bolivar, TX, on 3/17/2018 18:56.



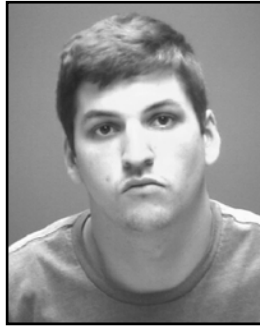
Arteaga, Alissa Danielle (W /F/18) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at Bb 96, Bolivar, TX, on 3/17/2018 23:10.



Eaden, Isaac Louis (B /M/38) Arrest on chrg of Unsafe Speed (M), at 810 Melody, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/17/2018 20:20.



Clubb, Cody Wayne (W /M/ 28) Arrest on chrg of Assault Fv, M (M), at 2210 Lobster, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/18/2018 05:21.



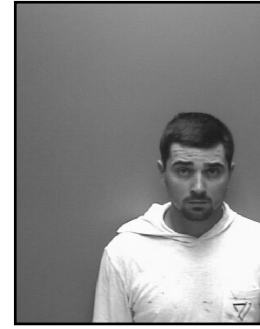
Owen, Alexander Dean (W /M/24) Arrest on chrg of Expired License Plates (M), at S Monkhouse Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/18/2018 17:01.



Garcia, Cynthia . (W /F/18) Arrest on chrg of Minor In Possession Of Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at Bb @ 70, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/18/2018 02:11.



Rosales, Christian Lee (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Minor Consuming Alcoholic Beverage, M (M), at Beach @ 70, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/18/2018 02:15.



Guillen, Guillermo . (W /M/ 26) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 1271 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/18/2018 01:37.



Guillen, Natasha Nicole (W /F/29) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 1271 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/18/2018 01:37.



Wahl, Austen James (W /M/ 18) Arrest on chrg of Unsafe Speed, M (M), at 800 S Monkhouse, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/18/2018 02:22.



Broussard, Jacey Anna (W /F/17) Arrest on chrg of Poss Marij <2oz, M (M), at 1366 Hwy 124, High Island, TX, on 3/18/2018 13:03.



Heim, Shannon Leeann (W /F/48) Arrest on chrg of Poss Marij <2oz (M), at 1405 23rd St, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/24/2018 17:29.



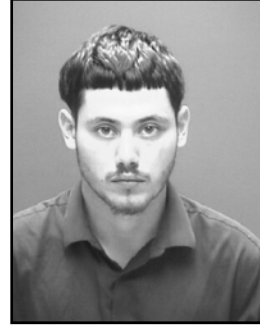
Churchman, Robert Andrew (W /M/52) Arrest on chrg of Assault Causes Bodily Injury Family Violence (M), at 1405 23rd St, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/24/2018 17:14.



White, Russell Allen (W /M/ 40) Arrest on chrg of Out of County Warrant (harris Co So), F (F), at Beach @ S Monkhouse Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/30/2018 22:07.



Vigneault, Kevin Michael (W /M/31) Arrest on chrg of Public Intoxication, M (M), at 1099 N Monkhouse Dr/, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/30/2018 22:15.



Hirth, Daniel Joseph (W /M/ 19) Arrest on chrg of No Drivers License (M), at 100 Hwy 87, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/31/2018 03:58.



Rodriguez, Aziz . (W /M/19) Arrest on chrg of Driving W/lic Inv W/prev Conv/susp/w/o Fin Res, M (M), at 2011 Flamingo Dr, Crystal Beach, TX, on 3/31/2018 00:42.



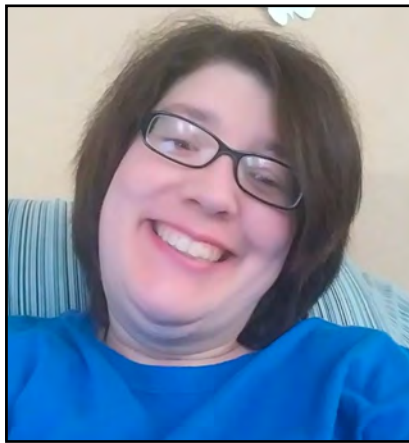
Calton, Calvin Wayne (B /M/31) Arrest on chrg of 1) Driving W/lic Inv W/prev Conv/susp/w/o Fin Res (M) and 2) Operate Motor Vehicle W/o Financial Responsibility (M), at 2108 Laguna Harbor, Port Bolivar, TX, on 3/31/2018 00:04.



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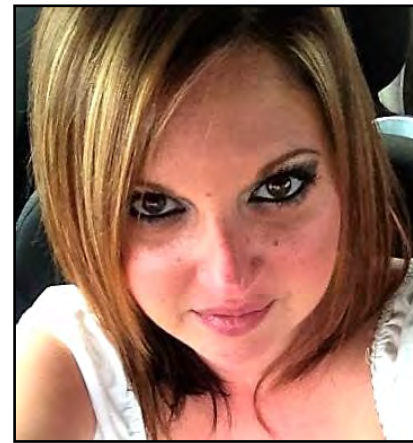
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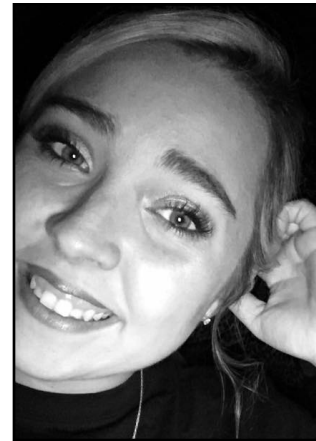
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