

SHEPHERD COMMUNITY NEWS

SISD Attendance Winners



This year Shepherd Primary is promoting good student and faculty attendance. Each month two students from each grade level as well as one teacher and one paraprofessional will be drawn to win a prize. Classes with at least 90% attendance will also receive class rewards. We are very proud of our September Attendance Winners.

Pictured is one of our faculty winners, Mrs. Clifton. Our students winners were Sean Hayes, Logan Clark, Ruben Lugo, Clint Batey, Jennifer Becerra, Bailey Walker, Michael Murphy and Riley Walker.



PIRATE PEG-LEG PRESENTS ARSENIC AND OLD LACE

Come experience murder and mayhem as our very own Pirate Peg-Leg Theatre presents Arsenic and Old Lace! The story of 2 elderly women who commit murder so funny, you'll die laughing!

"Crazy runs in the family, it practically gallops!"

SHOW DATES

Thursday, October 21 • Friday, October 22 • Saturday, October 23

The house opens at 6:30 p.m. and the curtain goes up at 7:00 p.m..

Pre-sale tickets are available from any theatre student and tickets may be purchased at the door.

Josh Cronin and the Goodmans Represent Shepherd at State Fair



Shepherd FFA was proudly represented at the State Fair of Texas on October 3-7, 2016. Three of our FFA members traveled to Dallas to compete in the Lamb Show and Goat Show. Congratulations to Josh Cronin who placed 2nd in his class and made sale with his Lamb. We would also like to congratulate Hunter and Bryson Goodman as they competed in the Goat show. Good Job Guys! Keep up the good work.



Shepherd ISD would like to invite family and friends to join us for **CHARLES DODD'S** retirement party.

Mr. Dodd has been an active SISD board member for

38 YEARS!

The party will be in the SISD Boardroom on

Monday, **OCTOBER 17, 2016**

from **6:00 P.M. - 6:45 P.M.**

4-H Members Come together to Improve Senior Citizen's Center



Shepherd Senior Citizen's Center want to express how grateful we are to the 4-H members for all their hard work on our landscape. This group worked hard and were so kind and generous with their valuable time. We know that our future looks bright with these individuals as the future leaders of our community.

SISD Thank Their Staff Members for Going Above and Beyond



Shepherd ISD would like to acknowledge these staff members for their contributions to our students.

Miss Angelan Ringland, has been a kindergarten teacher with Shepherd ISD for eight years and the Junior Varsity Cheer Sponsor for the past five. She attended Ranger and Angelina College, where she was a member of the Pom Squad, and received a BS of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies at SFA University.

Mrs. Julia Allbright attended Tyler Junior College where she was the dance captain of the Apache Belles. She graduated from Sam Houston State University where she earned a BS in Business Administration. She teaches math, business, and dance at Shepherd High School and is currently the assistant director of the Pirate's Pride Drill Team.

Mrs. Holly Harrison graduated from Sam Houston State University with a BS in Health Education and a minor in English. She has been with Shepherd ISD for thirteen years. Eleven of those years she has taught technology, business, dance, and health at the high school campus. Holly was a member of the Pirate's Pride Drill Team, where she served as an officer, and has been the director of the squad for eleven years.

Mrs. Deirdre Richardson (Not pictured), the 6th grade World Cultures teacher, earned a Master's Degree in Curriculum & Instruction, and also in Education Administration at Yvonne A. Ewell Townview Law Magnet. She has been a teacher with Shepherd ISD for five years, and is currently the Treasures Dance coach, and the Middle School and Varsity Cheer Squad sponsor. These four ladies work hard with practice, camps, competitions, and games, preparing their girls for each routine. Shepherd ISD would like to say thank you. You not only sponsor, but help teach our girls loyalty, dedication, and what hard work is all about.

Pictured right to left: Mrs. Julia Allbright, Miss Angelan Ringland, Mrs. Holly Harrison

Free GED and ESL Classes

GED Classes

Angelina College

Monday and Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

ESL (English) Classes

Monday and Thursday 5:30 p.m - 8:30 p.m.

*Sponsored by Angelina College/Shepherd ISD
Meets at J Building - Shepherd Middle School
Jorge Valdes (Supervisor): (936) 633-6412
Theresa Mullins (Teacher): (936) 328-7527*

2016 Community Appreciation October Feast Luncheon

October 20, 2016

Shepherd Community Center

12:00 p.m.

All food is put together by the employees and friends of San Jacinto County Pct.2 along with the City of Shepherd to show appreciation for the citizens of our community.

Please join us.

Everyone is WELCOME to attend.

Take home lunches are not provided



LOST DOG

Shepherd, TX * 77371 *
San Jacinto Co.

CHLOE

MISSING SINCE:
Sep. 27, 2016

Chihuahua Short
Haired
Female
Adult
Small
White
Hair length is Short



PLEASE CONTACT:

Last Seen: Hwy 150
& FM 2666

Phone: (512) 587-4673



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FREE FLYER MADE BY: HelpingLostPets.com and LostDogsOfTexas.com

LIBRARY BOOK SALE



Shepherd Public Library will be having a **HUGE BOOK SALE** beginning on **October 17, 2016** and will run through **November 4, 2016**. Library hours are Monday - Friday from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. (closed for lunch from 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.) Book prices will range between .10 cents to \$1.00! There is such a huge variety to choose from... lots of series... Children's books, Youth Books, Fiction and Non Fiction, DIY Books, Cookbooks, Christian books and we are also selling some furniture and printers. TOO MUCH TO NAME! Come on by and check it out!

Spanish Family Stories

Come join us for Spanish Family Stories. This is a program for parents of children in grades first to fifth. Learn about new books to read with your children and make a family album. We meet at Shepherd Primary School at 6:00 p.m. on October 10, 17, 24, and 31 and then again November 7, and 14.

Únase a nosotros en las historias familiares españolas. Este es un programa para los padres de los niños en los 1 al 5. Obtener información acerca de nuevos libros para leer con sus hijos y hacer un álbum familiar. Nuestras fechas de reuniones están a 10 de octubre, 17 de octubre, 24 de octubre, 31 de octubre, 7 de noviembre, y el 14 de noviembre. Nos encontramos en la escuela primaria Shepherd a las 6 de la tarde.

Shepherd Preschool Parent Program

Shepherd ISD is proud to invite all pre-k parents to attend the Preschool Parent Program. Parents will meet other parents, learn about books to read with their children, and participate in activities that pertain to the books. The program will begin at 8:00 a.m. at Shepherd Primary School on the following Tuesdays: September 13th, September 20th, September 27th, October 4th, October 11th, October 18th, October 25th, November 1st, November 8th, and November 15th. Childcare will be provided for children ages 2-5 for participating parents. If you have any questions, please contact our Parent Liaison, Sarah Fulcher, at sfulcher@shepherdisd.net.



San Jacinto County Master Gardeners Fall Symposium, Plant Sale and Bulb Mart

Saturday, October 22, 2016

9 A.M. - 4 P.M.

Limited Seating

For Registration call – 713-252-5254

Cost \$25.00 – Lunch Included

Featured Speakers

Linda B Gay

Tom LeRoy

McGovern Centennial

Gardening with

Gardens

Tom LeRoy

Plant Sale and Bulb Mart open to Trade Days Shoppers
Coldspring Community Center Grounds

101 West Cedar Avenue

Offered For Sale: Assorted Citrus Trees recommended for this area, One of a Kind Day Lilies, Naturalizing Bulbs, Antique Rose Emporium Roses and many other assorted plants.

You Can Now Enter
Submissions Online!
www.mcclainsfoodmarket.com

Did you know...

by Yvonne Ryba

If you were in Coldspring on Saturday morning, October 1, you may have noticed a motley group of Zombies shuffling around the Courthouse, before they headed toward the Jail House Museum. The weather was lovely and the zombies tried hard to catch their 'Food' but they failed. The 'Food' was the two young women who lead the gang to their destination and they were guarded by two well armed 'Swat Team' members. At least, that was who they were imitating I think! Cora Standley of 'Cora's Corner' organized the event which will be repeated next year. There were three winners of this competition and all zombies were invited into the museum afterward to see some of the real history of Old Town Coldspring. The event was a fund raiser for the San Jacinto County Historical Commission. You can view a short video of the event on Youtube and the Facebook page of the Commission. Look for 'Coldspring Zombie Walk 2016'.



The Haunted Jail will be open Friday-Saturday on **October 21 - 22 and 28-29**. If you have children under 10 years, it is recommended that you come between 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. After that it gets scarier! I helped the team who were decorating the place and it will be the best ever. Cora Standley organizes this event every year. It is a fund raiser for the S.J.C.H.C. and anyone who would like to be a performer should contact her at (936) 524-3043 or the Chair of the Historical Commission, Rebecca Hammond at (936) 827-8310.

I visited a small Vending Fair in Shepherd on Saturday October 8, which was held beside Maria Self's Feed Store on N. Byrd Ave. I bought a lovely handmade necklace and some 'Scentsy' for my car. There was a varied collection of goods and produce on sale. Maria says the next one will be on **November 5**. The hope is that this will grow and more vendors will come. Maria's Feed Store also sells lawn care and garden products, plants and seeds and much more. Call her at 936-365-3684.

Shepherd Public Library has had an overhaul over the last two weeks. The layout of the library is now different with painting and new wiring in place, and there has been a major clearing out (they call it 'weeding') of old books. This makes room for the new stock Helenmarie Johnson will be ordering, as well as a lot of new movie DVD's. There will be a sale of old books soon. Watch this space for the date!

Do not forget we have early voting which starts on **October 24** and for that day, and the 25th, the Election Building in Coldspring will be open from 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. On **October 26 - 27**, hours are 8 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. **October 28** 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. and on Saturday **October 29**, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. The next week starting on Monday, **October 31** through Thursday **November 3**, hours are 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. except on Tuesday **November 1**, when it stays open until 7:00 p.m. **November 4** you can vote from 7:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Early voting will be at the Elections Building 51, E. Pine Street, Coldspring. On Election Day, **November 8**, you will be able to vote at any Polling Place. If you are passing through Shepherd, for example, you may vote there. This is to make it easy for those returning from work for them to vote at the easiest polling place.

Need answers to you business questions? Not sure about the rules and regulations of your business? Call your local chamber to make an appointment with Director Bob Barragan. Bob travels to 10 counties in our area helping people with their problems. He is Director of the Sam Houston State S.B.D.C.

Coldspring-San Jacinto Chamber of Commerce

31 N. Butler, Coldspring 77331
Call (936) 653-2184
www.coldspringtexas.org

Shepherd Chamber of Commerce

Mail to PO Box 520 Shepherd, 77371
Call (936) 628-3515

www.greatershepherdchamberofcommerce.org



Shepherd Lil' Dribbler's will be starting sign ups and basketball season early this year.

Sign ups will be **every Saturday in October** beginning **October 1st** from **9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.** at McClain's Super Market. Registration fee for basketball will be \$85 and cheerleaders will be \$95 with limit of 15 cheerleaders total. (NO EXCEPTIONS) Lil' Dribblers is for grades PreK-6th grade only.

Let's get this hoop season off to a good start. Please contact Shelia Richardson at (832) 318-4079 for any questions or concerns.

Senior Menu

MON 10/17: Shepherd's Pie, Beets, Green Beans, Cornbread, Fruited Jello, Salad
TUE 10/18: Chicken Quesadillas, Green Chili & Rice Casserole, Pinto Beans, Salad, Fruit

WED 10/19: Chicken Fried Steak, Cream Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Fried Okra, Rolls, Salad, Pudding

THUR 10/20: Baked Mushroom Chicken, Fried Potatoes & Onions, Black Eye Peas, Cornbread, Salad, Fruit

FRI 10/21: Tomato Basil Soup, Grilled Ham & Cheese Sandwich, Baked Sweet Potato Tots, Tossed Salad & Dressing, Fruit

MON 10/24: Chicken & Broccoli & Rice Casserole, Lima Beans, Tossed Salad & Dressing, Cornbread, Fruit

TUE 10/25: BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, Cheesy Potatoes, Cornbread, Salad, Fruit

WED 10/26: Hamburger Patty, Grilled Onions & Gravy, Baked Potato & Trimmings, Cabbage, Rolls, Salad, Fruit

THUR 10/27: Chicken & Dumplings, Green Bean Casserole, Cornbread, Salad, Fruit

FRI 10/28: Hamburger Goulash, Greens, Creamed Corn, Cornbread, Salad, Fruit

MON 10/31: Homemade Potato Soup, Smoked Turkey Sandwich, Tossed Salad & Dressing, Cornbread, Fruit



Second Tuesday of each month includes Birthday cake!
Call (936) 628-3733 by 9:30 a.m. to reserve a meal!
Menu's are Subject To Change Due To Availability.



Birthday wishes to Linda Bridges, Calvin Cowart, Eddie Ek, Mike Erwin, Gary Falls, Carolyn Ferrell, Paul Hooker, Judson Jarboe Sr., Clara Keller, Dalene Moore, Mary Robinson, And Jo Yarbrough. *Pictured: Don Thiele and Wanda Tadlock*

Healthy Cooking School
Lunch and Learn

Learn to prepare easy, nutritious, cost efficient meals for your family

Date Nov. 3, 2016	Location Shepherd Community Center Shepherd, TX
Time 12:00 PM	Each participant will receive recipe cards and healthy eating tips.
Register 936-628-6407 RSVP Oct. 27, 2016	

Live menu demonstrations and tasting...

Herb-Crusted Pork Chops	BBQ Pepper Steak	Zesty Lemon Chicken
Tossed Apple Salad	Avocado Mandarin Salad	Broccoli Cauliflower Salad
Chocolate Pomegranate Brownies	Lightened Carrot Cake Bars	Blueberry Apricot Yogurt Parfait

TEXAS A&M AGRILIFE EXTENSION

For more information contact:
936-628-6407

BRAISED CHICKEN LEGS IN SAUERKRAUT

Ingredients

- 3 1/2 pounds chicken legs (**Family Pack on sale \$0.69lb!**)
- 1 large yellow onion, halved and cut into 1/4 inch slices (*about 3 1/2 cups*)
- 3 large carrots, peeled and grated
- 4 cups store-bought sauerkraut
- Coarse salt
- 1 tablespoon extra-virgin olive oil

Directions

- Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Season chicken on all sides with salt. Heat a large skillet over medium-high heat; swirl in oil. Add chicken and cook until browned, about 4 minutes a side. Transfer to a plate.
- Add onion to skillet. Cook, scraping up browned bits, about 1 minute. Remove from heat; stir in carrots and sauerkraut until well combined.
- Transfersauerkrautmixturetoa9-by-13-inchbakingdish. Nestle chicken legs in mixture, cover with parchment-lined foil, and bake 30 minutes. Uncover, increase heat to 425 degrees, and bake until top is lightly caramelized and a thermometer inserted into thickest part of chicken legs (*without touching bone*) registers 165 degrees, about 10 minutes more. Serve immediately.

Make it a Meal! Serve with scalloped potatoes (**Hungry Jack on sale 4/\$5.00!**) and sautéed zucchini squash (**on sale \$0.88lb!**) to make this a delicious and different home cooked meal!

Recipe found at www.marthastewart.com



Community Classifieds

WANTED: Will haul off for free all non-working appliances, AC units, washers, dryers, refrigerators, freezers, treadmills, batteries, scooters, jet-skis, dirt bikes, go-karts, 4-wheelers, batteries, generators, solar panels, John boats, inverters, etc. Please call 936-252-9043.

YARD SALE: Multi-Family Fall Clean-Up Yard Sale "A Little of Most Everything!" Friday, October 21st and Saturday, October 22nd from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please no early birds! Address: 151 Stephens Ln. off FM 2666 between BCM Baptist Church & Stripling. Follow signs and check us out!

FOR SALE: Craftman 10" LaserTrac Radial Arm Saw (Laser shows track of blade across work piece) \$250. 713-202-3800 Shepherd, Tx

FOR RENT: 2BR/1BA mobile home, \$550 per month plus \$550 deposit. Please call (936) 653-2583 for appointment.

Community Calendar

10/17: Spanish Family Stories; 6PM; Shepherd Primary School
10/18: Pirates Reading Program; 8AM-9AM; Shepherd Primary School.
10/20: Guided Meditation; Spirit Whispers
10/24: Spanish Family Stories; 6PM; Shepherd Primary School
10/27: Guided Meditation; Spirit Whispers
10/17 - 10/28: Big Book Sale; Shepherd Public Library
10/17: Food Bank In Coldspring; 1PM-3PM; Coldspring Headstart
10/20: Annual Community Lunch; 5:30PM-7:30PM
10/20: Community Luncheon; 11 AM To 1 PM
10/20: SJC Democratic Party meeting; Coldspring Community Center; 6 PM.
10/24: Chamber Of Commerce Meeting; 6 PM
10/25: Pirates Reading Program; 8AM-9AM; Shepherd Primary School
10/28: Food Bank In Shepherd 9AM-11AM; Shepherd Community Center
10/31: Spanish Family Stories; 6PM; Shepherd Primary School
10/31: Trick Or Treating Around Town
11/1: Pirates Reading Program; 8AM-9AM; Shepherd Primary School
11/7: Spanish Family Stories; 6PM; Shepherd Primary School
11/8: Pirates Reading Program; 8AM-9AM; Shepherd Primary School
11/14: Spanish Family Stories; 6PM; Shepherd Primary School
11/15: Pirates Reading Program; 8AM-9AM; Shepherd Primary School
**Every Monday & Tuesday: Sisd Bilingual Parent Involvement, 6-8pm at middle school library.*

CHESTER HOLDEN for City Council

Church News

TEMPLE OF FAITH CHURCH: Fish fry plates \$9, chicken wing plates \$9, comes with french fries, salad, desert and a drink. There is also a HUGE GARAGE SALE sponsored by temple of faith church at the family restaurant **October 22, 2016** 8:00 a.m. - until. We will deliver! Contact Debra Carr (936) 327-9356 or Shelia Richardson (832) 318-4079
TEMPLE OF FAITH CHURCH: We, the members of Temple of Faith Church, (1334 Shepherd Tram Road) would like to cordially invite all the Saints of God to fellowship along with us in this Spirit Filled, Holy Ghost Preaching Revival on Monday **October 24**, Tuesday **October 25**, and Wednesday **October 26** at 7:30 p.m. each night. Our very own Pastor Stan Lewis will be the guest speaker. Come and be a part of this Soul Saving Revival.

SPRING HILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Come join us for our Harvest Musical! Guests Soloists, Group Choirs, Male Chorus and you are invited to participate! Saturday, **November 12, 2016** at 7:00 p.m. Moderator: Michael Robertson from Endurance. Pastor: Reverend Frank Mason; First Lady: Evelyn Mason; Associate Minister: Douglas Jackson; Prophetess: Sheila Jackson; Program Specialist: Sister Rosie Reed (936) 653-4531 or call the Church at (936) 767-8421.

SPRING HILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Celebrating the Pastor and Wife 11th Anniversary on Sunday, **December 11, 2016** at 3:00 p.m. Sermon: Reverend John Horton—Greater Sunrise Baptist Church, Houston, TX. Pastor: Reverend Frank Mason; First Lady: Evelyn Mason; Associate Minister: Douglas Jackson; Prophetess: Sheila Jackson. For more information, please call (936) 767-8421 or (936) 653-4531.

DREW'S LANDING BAPTIST CHURCH: Where you will only hear the Word of God, nothing subtracted, nothing added and no sugar coating. Pastor Rickey Withers located from North 59 turn left on FM 1127 go down about three miles to 161 Thomas Castleberry, turn right to our Big Blue Church. From South 59 turn right on FM 1127 go down three miles turn right on Thomas Castleberry, you can't miss our Big Blue Church! Sunday school at 10 a.m. and Service at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday night Bible Study at 6:30 p.m. Everyone welcome. Drew's Landing Baptist Church Revival will be **October 16-19** featuring Darren Smith & Family from Grace Missionary Baptist Church starting at 6:30 p.m. each night. Please come join in. We all need JESUS!

Business News

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Café Society (PG-13) comedy/drama: In the 1930s, a young Bronx native moves to Hollywood, where he falls in love with the secretary of his powerful uncle, an agent to the stars. After returning to New York, he is swept up in the vibrant world of high society nightclub life.
Starring: Steve Carell, Jesse Eisenberg, Kristen Stewart

Independence Day: Resurgence (PG-13) action/adventure: Two decades after the first Independence Day invasion, Earth is faced with a new extra-Solar threat. But will mankind's new space defenses be enough?
Starring: Liam Hemsworth, Jeff Goldblum, Bill Pullman

