

SHEPHERD COMMUNITY NEWS

SAVE THE DATES



August 10th, 11th and 12th

Vacation Bible School

Monday – Wednesday

6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Ages 5 – 12

WELCOME TO FREEDOM HALL

Let's learn about our Nation's Founding Fathers and
Freedoms this Great Nation was built upon.

Shepherd United Pentecostal Church

Pastor Gregory Gerald

11140 State Hwy 150 (just east of red light)

Shepherd, TX 77371

(936) 628-6921

Call to pre-register August 3 – August 7

Please call and leave your name, phone number
and children's ages 5 – 12

SJC 4-H Social

Please join us for a dance that 4H will be hosting at
the community center in Shepherd to kick off the
new 4H year. Please bring a friend.
There will be a DJ and finger foods.

Date: July 31, 2015

Time: 6:00 PM – 10:00 PM

Location: Shepherd Community Center



Jocelynn Marie Noaker



Announcing Jocelynn Marie Noaker to the world! She was born on July 20, 2015 weighing 6lbs 9oz and 19 1/2 inches long. Her loving parents are Jonathan and Paloma Noaker. We love you, Jocelynn! We are glad you are here!

Media Release for Free and Reduced-Price Meals

Shepherd Independent School District announced its policy today for providing free and reduced-price meals for children served under the attached current income eligibility guidelines. Each school/site or the central office has a copy of the policy, which may be reviewed by anyone on request.

Starting on August 24, 2015, Shepherd Independent School District will begin distributing letters to the households of the children in the district Shepherd about eligibility benefits and any actions households need to take to apply for these benefits. Applications also are available at Shepherd Independent School District Child Nutrition Office at 1401 South Byrd Avenue, Shepherd Texas 77371.

Criteria for Free and Reduced-Price Meal Benefits: The following criteria will be used to determine a child's eligibility for free or reduced-price meal benefits:

Income:

1. Household income that is at or below the income eligibility levels Categorical or Automatic Eligibility
2. Household receiving Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF); or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR) Program Participant
3. Child's status as a foster child, homeless, runaway, migrant, or displaced by a declared disaster
4. Child's enrollment in Head Start or Even Start

Income Eligibility: For those households that qualify for free or reduced-price meals based on income, an adult in the household must fill out free and reduced-price meal application and return it to Oleta Rushing, Child Nutrition Coordinator, (936) 628-2923. Those individuals filling out the application will need to provide the following information:

1. Names of all household members
2. Amount, frequency, and source of current income for each household member
3. Last 4 digits of the Social Security number of the adult household member who signs the application or, if the adult does not have a social security number, check the box for "No Social Security number"
4. Signature of an adult household member attesting that the information provided is correct

Categorical or Program Eligibility: Shepherd Independent School District is working with local agencies to identify all children who are categorically and program eligible. Shepherd Independent School District will notify the households of these children that they do not need to complete an application. Any household that does not receive a letter and feels it should have should contact Oleta Rushing, Child Nutrition Coordinator, (936) 628-2923. Any household that wishes to decline benefits should contact Oleta Rushing, Child Nutrition Coordinator, (936) 628-2923.

Applications may be submitted anytime during the school year. The information households provide on the application will be used for the purpose of determining eligibility. Applications may also be verified by the school officials at any time during the school year.

Determining Eligibility: Under the provisions of the free and reduced-price meal policy, Oleta Rushing, Child Nutrition will review applications and determine eligibility. Households or guardians dissatisfied with the Reviewing Official's eligibility determination may wish to discuss the decision with the Reviewing Official on an informal basis. Households wishing to make a formal appeal for a hearing on the decision may make a request either orally or in writing to Steve Pierce, Superintendent, 1401 South Byrd Avenue Shepherd, Texas 77371, (936) 628-2900

Unexpected Circumstances: If a household member becomes unemployed or if the household size increases, the household should contact the school. Such changes may make the children of the household eligible for benefits if the household's income falls at or below the attached current income eligibility guidelines.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture prohibits discrimination against its customers, employees, and applicants for employment on the bases of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political beliefs, marital status, familial or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in employment or in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Department. (Not all prohibited bases will apply to all programs and/or employment activities.) If you wish to file a Civil Rights program complaint of discrimination, complete the USDA Program Discrimination Complaint Form, found online at http://www.ascr.usda.gov/complaint_filing_cust.html, or at any USDA office, or call (866) 632-9992 to request the form. You may also write a letter containing all of the information requested in the form. Send your completed complaint form or letter to us by mail at U.S. Department of Agriculture, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20250-9410, by fax (202) 690-7442 or email at program.intake@usda.gov. Individuals who are deaf, hard of hearing or have speech disabilities may contact USDA through the Federal Relay Service at (800) 877-8339; or (800) 845-6136 (Spanish). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.

SISD Holds Substitute Orientation

Shepherd ISD will have orientation and training for Substitute Teachers on Wednesday, July 29, 2015. The training will be held in the Administration building at 1401 S. Byrd.

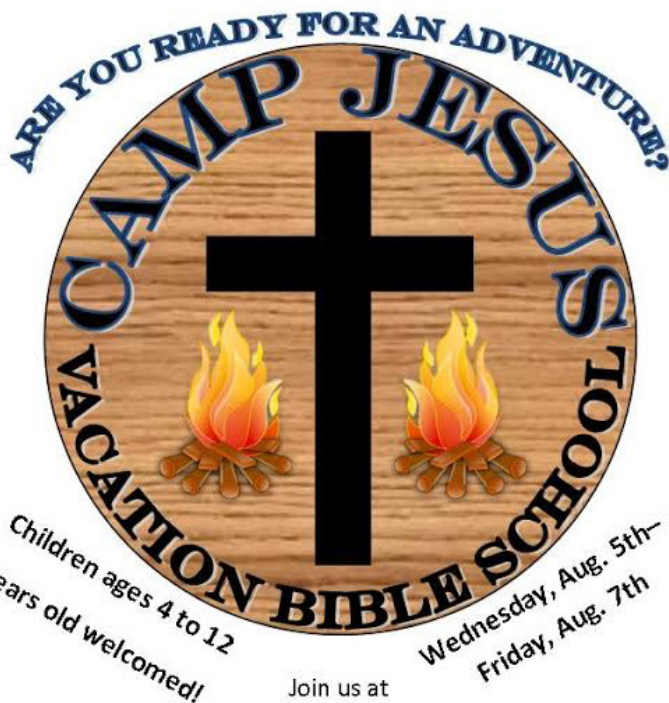
Returning Substitutes 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.

New Substitutes 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

New applicants are required to complete the online application at www.shepherdisd.net.

Shepherd ISD substitutes must be fingerprinted in accordance with Texas Senate Bill 9. Fingerprinting records will become part of the State database containing national criminal histories on school employees. Fingerprinting will not be offered at the training. Information regarding locations and schedules will be given. A fee of \$45.70 will be assessed at the time of service. The fee will be reimbursed when a substitute has worked 10 days for SISD.

New applicants must bring the following to orientation: current driver's license, social security card and HS diploma or GED. If you have questions you may call (936) 628-2906.



Shepherd United Methodist Church

Food is at 6:00 p.m. and activities end at 8:30 p.m.

We are located at 71 Spring St. in Shepherd
across the street from Stop-n-Go on FM 222.

If you have any questions, please contact us at (936) 628-3861
and feel free to leave a message if we do not answer.

Notice of Deadline to File Applications for Place on Ballot

(Aviso De Fecha Limite para presentar Solicitudes Para un Lugar En La Boleta)

Notice is hereby given that applications for a place in the SHEPHERD

ISD regular election ballot may be filed during the following time:

(Se da aviso por la presente que las solicitudes para un lugar en la boleta de la Eleccion

Regular de SHEPHERD ISD se pueden presentar durante el siguiente horario:)

Filing Dates and Times

(Fechas y Horario para Entregar Presentaciones)

Start Date: Monday, July 27, 2015

(Fecha Limite)

Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday, July 27, 2015 – July 30, 2015

7:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Monday – Friday, August 3, 2015 – August 24, 2015:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

(Horario de la Oficina)

Physical Address for filing Applications in person for place on the ballot:

(Direccion a fiscal para presentar los solicitudes en persona para un lugar en la boleta:)

Shepherd ISD Administration Office

1401 South Byrd Avenue

Shepherd, Texas 77371

Address to mail applications for place on the ballot (if filing by mail)

(Direccion a donde enviar las solicitudes para un lugar en la boleta (en caso de presentar por correo)

Shepherd ISD Administration Office

1401 South Byrd Avenue

Shepherd, Texas 77371

Filing Officer: Kelly Bowen

Market Rabbit Project Program Part 2

August 4th at 6:30 PM

Located: San Jacinto County Extension Office



Speakers: **Julia Pervakova and
Kevin McIntosh**

Topic of Discussion: **Breeding for meat pens vs
buying meat pens for show**

**This will be a great program for those interested in
getting started in the 4H rabbit project.**

**For questions and to RSVP please contact the San
Jacinto County Extension office at 936-433-2269**

Shepherd 4-H Rag Ball Tournament



When: August 1st starting at 9:00 a.m.

Where: Shepherd, TX

Cost: \$200 per team (all teams must consist of a minimum of 3 girls on the field at all times but no more than 12 players a team.) Every player must be 18 years of age.

Info: Homerun bracelets will be sold at the park for \$10 a bracelet. These bracelets cannot be shared. Any homerun hit without a bracelet will be an automatic out. We will also be having a Homerun Derby. Prize is 50/50 pot. Cost is \$10 for 10 outs.

For more information please call Janice Chamblee or Amy Reeves at the AG extension office at (936) 628-6407, Stephen Chamblee at (936) 933-2703 or Chris Chamblee at (832) 579-7132. All proceeds will go to the boys and girls of San Jacinto County 4-H Club.

Buy \$mart, Eat Well

Baked Chicken Leg Quarters

Ingredients

- 4 chicken leg quarters (10lb bag on sale \$0.49lb!)
- 1 large onion (Or two smaller onions), sliced
- 1 bay leaf
- Salt and Pepper to taste

Directions

1. Heat oven to 350 degrees. layer onions in the bottom of a heat-proof skillet, casserole dish or baking dish. Season with salt and pepper. Add the bay leaf.
 2. Rinse leg quarters and pat dry. Season liberally with salt and pepper. Lay the chicken over the onions, arranging pieces so that they are in a single layer. Bake at 350 degrees until juices run clear or until the internal temperature reaches 170 degrees. (About 1 1/2 hours in my case)
 3. Discard bay leaf.
 4. Serve with rice or mashed potatoes, and be sure to spoon some of the onions and pan juices over the top!
 5. Share and enjoy!
- Make It A Meal!** Grab a box of Kraft Deluxe macaroni and cheese (on sale 2/\$5.00!) and a bunch of fresh broccoli (on sale \$2.19 each!) to make this a full delicious meal! Recipe from www.unclejerryskitchen.com



Did you know...

By Yvonne Ryba

There are some interesting events coming to our county. On August 21 at 7:00 p.m. there will be a seminar on 'Open Carry, Campus Carry' held by Terry Holcombe Sr. This will be in Shepherd Community Center and is free to everyone. This seminar will explain the intricacies of this new law, as well as other laws dealing with the weapons, licenses to be applied for and much more. The 'Open Carry Campus' laws do not all come into effect at the same time. For instance, Open Carry for handguns becomes legal on September 1, 2015 but Campus Carry for college campuses will not be legal until January 2016. For Junior College campuses, it will not be legal until 2107. So, there is much to be learned here. What is the correct holster? Is there a discount for senior licenses? (Yes) and so on.

The seminar will last about 2 and a half hours and will be very interesting and educational for our community. There will be time for questions and answers throughout the seminar. If you would like to know more, call (512) 765-5593.

On a totally different subject, we have a 'Quilts For Kids' group meeting in Coldspring who, as the name suggests, make quilts to give to children. The children are all in need. Some are in the hospital for long periods of time, some have been abused and need counseling and a lot of love. These quilts provide a special gift just for them and are highly appreciated by them and their parents. The group often makes the quilt after asking the child what they want. Some want 'Spiderman' or 'My Little Pony' and others prefer certain colors and patterns. The quilters who do this fine work meet in the Red Barn on Hwy 150 going west out of Coldspring. Look for them on Facebook! You will see photos of some of the work there and details about the group. Want to be a part of this creative effort? Call LaDonyce Hamilton, the owner of the Red Barn Retreat at (936) 653-8222 for more information.

Key Barnett has visited Shepherd every month for about a year explaining and helping residents who need help with their health insurance. She is leaving to move out of our area and her place will be taken by Alejandra Chavez. If you need someone to navigate the complex world of the Affordable Care Act, call her at (936) 633-5603 or email her at Alejandra.chavez@myburke.org. You will be able to set a time for an appointment. Usually this meeting takes place in Shepherd Public Library or the Coldspring Chamber office.

Talking about Shepherd Library, Director Helenmarie Johnson celebrated her two year anniversary working there this last week. Helenmarie began as the Circulation Assistant but then became Director. She has instituted many children's programs and this week, the Library hosted a Dance Troupe from Houston who gave a wonderful exhibition of African dances, accompanied by African drums.

We have a new representative from Famcor, Jessica Villegas, who is taking over from Brittany Hicks. Famcor have generously 'given' us a public relations representative to help us with all our communications, like Facebook etc. Jessica will be at our next meeting to meet the Board members. We welcome her to Shepherd Chamber of Commerce.

Coldspring- San Jacinto Chamber of Commerce,
31. N. Butler St, Coldspring, 73371
(936) 653-2184 www.coldspringtexas.org
Shepherd Chamber of Commerce,
11231 Hwy 150, Shepherd, 77371
Mail to : PO Box 520, Shepherd
(936) 628-3890 www.greatershepherdchamberofcommerce.org
For a FREE business consultation with Director Bob Barragan
of Sam Houston State SBDC. Call your nearest Chamber.

Have any good family recipes? Share them with us! You can send them to us through Facebook or email us! mcclains.shepherdnews@gmail.com



Senior Menu

Mon 7/27: Beef & Macaroni, Pinto Beans, Tossed Salad With Dressing, Cornbread, Salad, Fruit
Tue 7/28: Pork Loin & Gravy, Seasoned Rice, Squash, Tossed Salad With Dressing, Wheat Bread, Fruit
Wed 7/29: Fried Chicken, Macaroni & Cheese, Mixed Greens, Cucumbers & Onions, Tossed Salad With Dressing, Cornbread, Fruit
Thur 7/30: Creamy Chicken Pot Pie, Cucumber-Onion-Celery-Raisin Salad, Tossed Salad With Dressing
Fri 7/31: Cranberry Baked Chicken, Rice Casserole, Stir Fried Cabbage, Rolls, Salad, Fruit
*Second Tuesday Of Each Month Dessert Includes Birthday Cake/ Menu's Are Subject To Change Due To Availability
Call (936) 628-3733 By 9:30 a.m. To Reserve A Meal*

Shepherd Senior Citizens Resale Shop

Our resale shop will be open on Saturday August 8th from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. We continue to be open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. The first and third Fridays of each month, we have “bag day”. Fill a grocery bag full of clothing only for \$3.00! We also open the second Saturday of each month 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. Come see us and enjoy the bargains!

New Releases Coming to McClain’s DVD Kiosk This Week



Home (PG) animation/adventure: Oh, an alien on the run from his own people, lands on Earth and makes friends with the adventurous Tip, who is on a quest of her own.
Starring (voices): Jim Parsons, Rihanna, Steve Martin



The Water Diviner (R) drama/war: An Australian man travels to Turkey after the Battle of Gallipoli to try and locate his three missing sons.
Starring: Russell Crowe, Olga Kurylenko, Jai Courtney

McClain’s does not maintain Cajun DVD movie kiosk and therefore cannot guarantee all movie releases.

View the McClains Newspaper online!
www.mcclainsfoodmarket.com

Obituary

Jimmy Cinnamon

March 21, 1956 - July 11, 2015

Jimmy Cinnamon, 59, of Splendor, passed away Saturday, July 11, 2015, at his residence.

Memorial services were held at 11:00 a.m., Tuesday, July 14, 2015, at the American Legion Gibson Post #393, in Cleveland. Arrangements were under the direction of Pace-Stancil Funeral Home in Cleveland.

Jimmy was born March 21, 1956 in LaFollette, Tennessee, a former resident of Porter, and has resided in Splendor for the past 20 years. He was a veteran of the US Army and a master electrician by trade. He also enjoyed fishing, hunting, and gardening.

Mr. Cinnamon was preceded in death by his mother: Joyce Cinnamon. He is survived by his wife of 31 years: Diana Wisniske Cinnamon of Splendor, daughter: Kaci Cinnamon Burton and husband Stephen of Nederland, brothers: Shane and Gary Green of Tennessee, sister: Debbie Violet of Tennessee, grandchildren: Maridee and Caden, and numerous other relatives, and friends.

Leave your thoughts and memories for the family in the guestbook at www.pacestancil.com.

Cathy Ann Bible Maples



February 4, 1966 - July 11, 2015

Cathy Ann Bible Maples, 49, of Cleveland, passed away Saturday, July 11, 2015, at the Conroe Regional Medical Center in Conroe.

Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m., Friday, July 17, 2015, at the Pace-Stancil Funeral Home Chapel in Cleveland. A graveside service was held at 2:15 p.m., Monday, July 20, 2015, at the Houston National Cemetery in Houston. Visitation was held from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Friday, July 17, 2015, at the funeral home. Services are under the direction of Pace-Stancil Funeral Home in Cleveland.

Cathy was born February 4, 1966 in Houston, to parents: James F. and Sarah E. West Bible, a former resident of Houston, and has resided in Cleveland for the past 42 years. She was a graduate of the Cleveland High School class of 1985 and was a caregiver. She held membership in the VFW Post #1839 Ladies Auxiliary and volunteered with the Scenic Loop VFD. She also enjoyed shopping, quilting, and movies.

Mrs. Maples was preceded in death by her brother: James Richard Bible. She is survived by her husband of 24 years: David Wayne Maples of Cleveland, daughters: Shenna Louise Ann Brooks and husband John of Splendor, Julie Ann Lee and husband Kyle of Conroe, and JoAnna Marie Carol Sterling and husband Robert of Evergreen, stepdaughter: LaQuetta Jeanne Ann Young of Henderson, parents: James F. and Sarah E. West Bible of Cleveland, brothers: Danny Paul Bible of Livingston, John Mitchell Bible of Tennessee, and Joseph Franklin Bible of Deer Park, sisters: Linda Carol Maples of Round Mountain and Sarah Ellender Bible of Livingston, grandchildren: Brooklyn Ann Brooks, Kannon Rex Lee, Jentrie Reagan Lee, and Alexandria Ann Marie Sterling, numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives, friends, and her pet companion Annabelle.

Leave your thoughts and memories for the family in the guestbook at www.pacestancil.com.

July 29, 2015

Community Classifieds

FOR SALE: AKC Labs, 6 weeks old, black and yellow. 1st set of shots and wormed. Mom on site, pictures of dad. Call for pricing, (832) 401-9650.
FOR SALE: 54” 13hh Jenny 5 year old. Hoofs Just trimmed & wormed 7/15/2015. She is in very good Health. will make good Guard Donkey/ Brood Jenny /Brush Control/can Be Broke 2 Ride. Leads/Ty/loads. Price \$175. Cash. Location: Cleveland/Coldspring Area off of FM 945. call 936-444-7575. Will Deliver for Gas Money after she is paid for.
NEEDED: Senior widow with dogs in desperate need of affordable housing. Please help, (281) 709-8893.
GARAGE SALE: Saturday, August 1st at 165 Lilley Rd. Shepherd, TX 77371.
GARAGE SALE: Huge garage sale at 1st Assembly of God Church in Shepherd on 150. Thursday, August 6th and Friday, August 7th from 8 a.m. - ?
FOR RENT: 2BR/1BA, \$500 per month plus \$500 deposit. Address 94 McKellar, Shepherd. Please call (870) 688-0787.

Community Calendar

7/27: Shepherd Chamber of Commerce meeting, 6PM/EDC
7/29: Bridge of hope community church “Community Fellowship Dinner”, Shepherd Middle School, 7PM.
8/3: Monday EDC Meeting, 7pm/EDC Building
8/7: Bob Brannagan’s monthly consultations with current or prospective business owners, 10am-noon/Chamber Office
8/7:Senior Resale Shop Bag Day
8/8: San Jacinto County Cowboy Church clothes drive 9AM
8/10: City Council Meeting, 7pm/Community Center
8/11: First station auxiliary meeting at 7PM
8/21:Senior Resale Shop Bag Day
8/24: Shepherd Chamber of Commerce meeting, 6pm/EDC

Church News

CALL TO CALVARY MINISTRIES: A church that preaches the Message of the Cross. 793 Thomas Castleberry Rd. Shepherd (off of FM 1127) Sunday 9:30 a.m. SS Worship Service 10:30 a.m. Sunday evening 6:30 p.m. Thursday 7:30 p.m. All Welcome!

DREW’S LANDING BAPTIST CHURCH: Are you looking for a church filled with love that preaches straight from the Bible? Look no further! This is the church for you! Pastor Chip Keel—(936) 628-1676. Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship, 11:00 a.m. Wednesday night Bible Study 6:30 p.m. All welcome! Come as you are! Children’s church available. 161 Thomas Castleberry off FM 1127. Just look for the big blue House of God. We would love to have you - GOD BLESS YOU

HARMONY CHURCH: An independent spirit filled church with life message services—Sunday Bible class 10:00 a.m.—morning worship 11:00 a.m.—Sunday evening 6:00 p.m.—Wednesday evening 6:30 p.m. Third Sunday pot luck, men and women’s groups. Come worship with us! Rev. Ben Cartwright, Pastor

BRIDGE OF HOPE COMMUNITY CHURCH: A Christ-centered-Spirit led church, meets for Sunday morning services at 10:30 a.m. at the Shepherd Middle School. Beginning July 29th we present “Community Fellowship Dinners”. These special services will be held at the Shepherd Middle School, on the last Wednesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. This is an opportunity for families, food, fun, and fellowship, and all The Shepherds’ people are welcome! Many Blessings—Pastor Charles Kibble.
SPRING HILL BAPTIST CHURCH: We would like to extend an invitation to come and worship with us at Spring Hill Baptist Church for Family & Friends Day! August 9, 2015 at 3:00 p.m. Theme: “Love One Another” Rev. Tract Philipps & New Hope BC. Contact Sister Rosie Reed (936) 653-4531.

SPRING HILL BAPTIST CHURCH: REVIVAL TIME! August 17-19, 2015 at 7:30 p.m. Theme: “The instructions of the Lord are perfect, reviving the soul.” Psalm 19:7 Rev. Charles Furr & Pleasant Rose Holiness Church. Sister Rosie Reed (936) 653-4531.

SAN JACINTO COUNTY COWBOY CHURCH: We are having a clothes drive! August 8th from 9:00 a.m. - ??? If you or someone you know needs help with school clothes this year come by and let us help you! All clothing will be free! We know that this can be a difficult time of year for some families so we want to do what we can to help! If you have any gently used clothing that you would like to donate please bring it to the church in Coldspring at 1101 Hwy 150 Mon-Fri 10:00 a.m.- 2:00 p.m. or you can drop off at Country Flowers in Shepherd at 11 S. Liberty St. or contact Candy Currie at (832) 318-7530 to arrange to meet for pick-up clothing.

Business News

ATTENTION

Due to the increasing number of business ad submissions there will now be a fee implemented for submitting a business advertisement into the Shepherd News newspaper as of May 28, 2015. The fee will be \$20 per business advertisement per week, or \$75 for four weeks. Ad cannot exceed the size of a regular business card. Payments will need to be given to McClain’s Courtesy Booth at time of submission. If you are emailing your ad directly to Shepherd News, a payment will still need to be dropped by the Courtesy Booth. We will only be able to take cash for advertisements at this time. All advertisements subject to available space. If allotted space is not available, ad will be pushed back to a later week at editor’s discretion.



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For news or special events to be published in *Shepherd Community News:*
Drop off your information/picture at McClain’s,
e-mail to mcclains.shepherdnews@gmail.com, or fax to (936) 628-2866.
Information may not be taken over the telephone.
Include contact information on your request to have something published.
Our deadline is 6 p.m. Tuesday for the following week.

Jeffrey A. McDonald



August 30, 1962 - July 14, 2015

Jeffrey A. McDonald was born on August 30, 1962 and passed away on July 14, 2015. Jeff leaves behind a wife, Valerie McDonald; daughters, Amber and Ashley McDonald; grandmother, Lenamae; mother, Sharon McDonald; brother, Mike McDonald; sisters, Nancy McDonald and Cheryl Cochran, as well as several nieces and nephews.

He and his family lived in Shepherd, Texas. Jeff was an over the road trucker. He passed suddenly in the early morning of July 14, 2015. He was a beloved husband, father and friend to everyone who knew him.

His family is in need of donations for expenses due to his sudden passing. Please pray for them.

Donations will be accepted and can be sent to Patty Turner at 957 Nasa Rd. 1 #127, Houston, Texas 77058. There will also be several donation cans in the Shepherd area.

Lloyd Daniel Whitmire



December 20, 1936 - July 12, 2015

Lloyd Daniel Whitmire, age 78 of Shepherd, Texas, passed away Sunday, July 12, 2015. He was born December 20, 1936 in Liberty County, Texas to parents Ezra and Edith Whitmire who preceded him in death along with his sister, Edith Silsbee Whitmire; brothers, Thomas Whitmire and Eugene Whitmire; and great-granddaughter, Tessa Whitmire.

Survivors include his wife, Beatrice Whitmire; daughter, Delores Ann Potter; sons, Danny Earl Whitmire and Eddie Lynn Whitmire; sister, Velma Ruth Sweeten; fourteen grandchildren, thirty-eight great-grandchildren, numerous relatives and friends.

Visitation was held from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 14, 2015 at Pace Stancil Funeral Home, Cleveland, Texas. Services were held at 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 15, 2015 at Pace Stancil Chapel, Cleveland, Texas. Interment followed at Farley Chapel Cemetery, Shepherd, Texas.