

The Bandera PROPHEET

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Cruisin' the East End
Serving Pipe Creek, Lakehills and Mico

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“O Come, Emmanuel and ransom captive Israel, who mourns in lonely exile here until the Son of God appear. Rejoice! Emmanuel has come to thee, O Israel.”

This song confirms the old prophet Simeon, as recorded in Luke 2: 30-32, when he said, “For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have prepared in the sight of all people, a light for revelation to the Gentiles and for glory to your people Israel.”

Merry Christmas! ¡Feliz Navidad!

LAKEHILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 150 Ave. J in Lakehills, offers a free community meal, Bread of Life, every Monday during school, at 5 p.m., in the fellowship hall. It will be followed by the new “525” worship service.

The church will host a free lunch, and games, on Dec. 25, at 2 p.m. No one has to be alone on Christmas Day.

For more information, call the church at 830-751-2404 or go to lakehillsumc.org.

LAKEHILLS COMMUNITY CENTER is raising funds by offering perfect party accents, in the form of homemade Christmas Sweet Treats. These are party platters of sweets made by our amazing Cajun cooks. Prices range from \$7 to \$25 and can be had at the Center, 11225 PR 37, or at Cutaway Salon, 9650 FM 1283. For information, call 830-460-0600.

PIPE CREEK CHRISTMAS TREE FARM is open to choose and cut your own farm grown tree; help is provided for those who need it. Located at Hwy. 16 & Phil's Rd., Pipe Creek, the hours are 11 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. daily, until Christmas. They take all credit cards, cash, and checks. Admission is free, bring your kids and camera for free hayrides on weekends, weather permitting. For more information, email pipecreektree@icloud.com or call 210-426-6191.

LAKEHILLS AREA LIBRARY has a new staff member. She is Jessica Brown and she has been behind the library desk for a few weeks now. A friendly lady with a winning smile, she would love for people to stop by and say, Hello! She is on duty Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. The library is located at 7200 FM 1283. It is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and until 2 p.m. on Saturdays.

ALAMO RC&D, Senior Assistance Program, continues the Senior Walk-In Pantry every month.

Each senior household, age 55+, must pre-register online now for the Senior Assistance Program at alamorcd.org for 2022. The deadline is Dec. 31.

Alamo RC&D seeks donations for the purchase of food. Donors can help on the website: alamorcd.org. The organization is a 501(c)3 non-profit so all donations are tax deductible.

LAKE LEVEL

On Dec. 20, Medina Lake is at 26.2 per cent capacity. The lake level is 1017.96 feet, which is down 46.24 feet.

The Medina River has a flow of 19.7 cfs in Bandera, standing 3.49 feet deep at the gage.

Please send your Lakehills, Pipe Creek and Mico news to me by email at vicki.george329@hotmail.com or call me at 210-563-1186 and leave a message.

Until next time, “¡Vaya con Dios!”