

The Bandera PROPHET

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

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ST. PATRICK'S DAY is celebrated on Thursday, March 17, the death date of the patron saint of Ireland. The day commemorates St. Patrick and the arrival of Christianity in Ireland, as well as the heritage and culture of the Irish. Observances include parades, festivals, the wearing of the green and shamrocks (three-leafed clovers). It is widely celebrated around the world. The Irish say, "On St. Paddy's Day everyone is Irish." Wishing an old Irish blessing to all, "May neighbors respect you, trouble neglect you, the angels protect you, and heaven accept you."

LAKEHILLS COMMUNITY CENTER's Annual Membership Drive & Dinner on March 10 was well attended by over 100 people. The barbecue meal was delicious and the Center raised needed funds. The Center hosts many activities for our community: community meetings, Children's Christmas Party, seminars, exercise classes, family activity nights, blood drives, crafts classes, New Year's Eve Dance, food distributions, bread making, 4-H meetings, Thanksgiving dinner, Walk Through Bethlehem, and others. It is home to the Cajun Festival every year, which is its principle fundraiser. And it is available to rent for special events, meetings or presentations. As a 501c3 non-profit organization, tax-deductible donations are always welcome. Go to www.lakehillsciviccenter.org for more information.

AMERICAN LEGION POST 410, 147 Legion Dr. in Lakehills, serves home cooked meals every Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. You get an entree, with sides and beverage for \$8 a plate. Desserts are available.

New events include a Cornhole Tournament on Saturday, March 19.

Register at 1 p.m. The Tournament will begin at 2 p.m. Prizes for First and Second Places.

Karaoke will be featured every Saturday evening at 7 p.m., beginning March 19.

The Post is open to the public every day except Thursdays, from 3 p.m. All are welcome.

For more information, call the post at 830-612-1034 or follow on Facebook and check out the website at alpost410.com.

LEWIS BROS. STORE is celebrating their Fifth Anniversary with a Sidewalk Sale on Saturday, March 26, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. They are located at 8529 Hwy. 16S, in Pipe Creek.

For more information, call 830-535-6000 or email lewisbrosstore@gmail.com or check out the website at lewisbrosstore.com. The website includes their interesting history.

PIPE CREEK CHRISTIAN SCHOOL will hold the Second Annual Drive-Through Dinner on Friday, April 1, 5-7 p.m., at the school, 1990 FM 1283.

For \$10, each plate will include Beef Lasagna, salad, garlic bread, drink and dessert. All proceeds will benefit the school.

Tickets are available now at the New Life Resale Shop, next door to the school.

LAKEHILLS COMMUNITY CENTER will host "Let's Talk Trash!" This will be a county-wide discussion on the Bandera County trash problem and will include recycling.

The date is Friday, April 22, at 7 p.m., in the Center at 11225 PR 37.

For more information, contact Bob Brischetto at 210-413-7264 or rrbrischetto@gmail.com.

LAKEHILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 150 Ave. J in Lakehills, offers a free community meal, Bread of Life, every Monday on school days, at 5 p.m.

The TWIGS program for Hill Country Elementary school kiddos is every Monday, after school. For more information, call Kathryn Ivy at 210-748-4890.

In addition, the church has begun to offer a Drive-Thru Food Pantry every other Thursday, from 10 a.m., until the food runs out. Call 830-751-2404 for more information.

PIPE CREEK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, the Little Rock Church, 8589 Hwy. 16 S., offers their Little Rock Cafe, every Wednesday on school days, from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. Meals are \$7 for adults, which includes drink and dessert, and \$3 for children. The public is invited. For more information, go to pipccreeklittlerockchurch.org or call 830-510-6650.

LAKE LEVEL

On March 14, Medina Lake is at 23.5 per cent capacity. The lake level is 1014.80 feet, which is down 49.40 feet.

The Medina River has a flow of 13.4 cfs in Bandera, standing 3.39 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!”