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## Aldermen approve sale of \$8.18 Mil in bonds

By TIM FLEISCHER  
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Salado aldermen approved issuing \$8.18 million in bonds for wastewater system improvements and related expenses at an early morning meeting July 27. The total for the project is \$9.18 million with a federal Economic Development grant of \$1 million from the Commerce Department.

The board voted on the motion by Fred Brown that received a second from Michael McDougal. Frank Coachman and Dave Williams joined in the affirmative vote. Dr. Amber Preston-Dankert was absent from the meeting that began at 7 a.m.

By approving the issuance of the 2015 series bonds, aldermen will be able to adopt the necessary debt service tax rate for the 2015-16 fiscal year. The bonds will be sold for 20 years at approximately 3 percent. The first year of the bonds, interest only will be paid.

The interest paid in the first year at 3 percent will be approximately \$245,400 and will require a debt service tax of 14.80 cents per \$100 evaluation, based upon the recent Bell County Tax Appraisal District certified freeze adjusted taxable value of \$165.8 million.

After receiving feedback from property owners at recent workshops and meetings, aldermen increased a small 3-inch low pressure line that would serve properties along Thomas Arnold Road to an eight inch gravity line. Aldermen also added back an 8-inch gravity line for Royal Street that was taken out to lower the cost.

The Summary of Tasks for the wastewater system improvements is divided into almost 40 individual line items in seven different areas: preliminary engineering, final design, right-of-way, bidding and award, construction, on-site representation and miscellaneous.

Preliminary engineering costs will total \$405,000 with these costs: EDA Grant Management, \$10,000; issue bonds, \$140,000; impact fee analysis and ordinance, \$70,000; Establish boundaries of Certificate of Conveyance and Necessity (CCN), \$40,000; rate study, \$40,000; environmental clearance (Page Dawson), \$15,000; THC clearance, \$30,000; land for lift station on Main St., \$15,000; plan review (Sanctuary portion), \$25,000; Sanctuary wastewater treatment plant transfer, \$10,000 and Main Street coordination with Texas Department of Transportation, \$10,000.

The timeline for the preliminary engineering will continue through April 2016.

Final Design costs involving the Village Engineer Kasberg Patrick Associates (KPA) are \$435,000. Those projects include these phases and costs: Phase IA (Main Street gravity sewer, \$270,000; Phase IB (Main St. Lift Station 1 and Force Main), \$65,000; Phase IE, (Salado School Road gravity sewer, \$35,000; Phase IE-1 (south West Village Road gravity sewer, \$30,000; Phase IF, (West Village Road to Thomas Arnold gravity sewer), \$35,000.

Final Design costs involving Pape-Dawson

(contract engineering firm for The Sanctuary projects) total \$128,080. Those projects include these phases and costs: Phase IC (lift station at Stagecoach Inn and force main on Royal St.), \$58,080; Phase ID (East Royal St. gravity sewer, \$35,000; Phase IH (West Royal St. gravity sewer), \$35,000.

The timeline for final design begins in December 2015 and continues until June 2016.

Right-of-way costs total \$244,000 and include easements, \$100,000; acquisition, \$50,000 and surveying, \$94,000. Right-of-way will be April through June 2016.

Bidding awards total \$35,000 with \$25,000 for KPA Projects and \$10,000 for Pape Dawson projects. The project will be put to bid and awarded in July through August 2016.

Construction will start on the system in September 2016 and continue through September 2017 at a total cost of \$7,476,000.

Construction costs include \$2.84 million for KPA Projects, \$1.33 million for Pape-Dawson Projects, \$150,000 for construction administration, \$175,000 for on-site representation, \$437,800 for miscellaneous expenses and \$3 million for the 300,000 gallon per day wastewater treatment plant.

Construction costs for the KPA projects include these: Phase IA, \$1,516,000; Phase IB, \$425,000; Phase IE, \$425,000; Phase IE-1, \$200,000; Phase IF, \$275,000.

Construction costs for Pape Dawson projects are these: Phase IC, \$525,000;

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If you go see Salado Legends during its final 2015 performance on Aug. 1, you may learn something like the girls at top. Or not, like the boys below them. Regardless, you will have fun with characters like the saloonkeeper portrayed by Walt Tollefson. A catered fajita dinner will be served before the play. Reservations for the \$10 catered dinner are required. If you wish to attend the 8:15 p.m. show only (no dinner), you may purchase tickets (\$20 adult and \$5 child) at the gate the night of the performance. To purchase tickets online, go to [www.tablerock.org](http://www.tablerock.org). For group rates call 254-947-9205.



(PHOTOS BY BRIDGET REGIAN WILLIAMSON)

## Work begins on Salado Plaza/Williams Rd. connection

By TIM FLEISCHER  
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

Construction crews began work this week on connecting Salado Plaza to Williams Drive on the west side of I-35, requiring the closure of the N. Main St./FM 2268 cross-under of the I-35 mainlanes at Cowboy's Barbecue.

At the same time that James Construction crews began work on the Salado Plaza connection to Williams Rd., Wheeler Coatings began work on the chip and seal of Salado Plaza Dr. to Mill Creek Dr.

This major change in traffic patterns, as well as

the new contract end date of March 2016 were the major disclosures stemming from the Texas Department of Transportation community meeting July 23 at Salado High School.

When work begins on the new Salado Plaza Drive/Williams Road connection, drivers traveling south on the access road will not be able to turn east at Cowboy's Barbecue in order to cross under the interstate.

Drivers traveling north on either the northbound access road or N. Main Street will not be able to proceed west underneath the interstate during the construction of the new

overpass of I-35 over Salado Plaza Dr./Williams Rd.

Drivers traveling south from Belton can connect to North Main Street at the entrance to Salado Plaza by taking the FM 2484 exit, crossing over the highway and traveling south on the eastside access road.

Drivers traveling east on Salado Plaza Dr. or Mill Creek Dr. can turn either south or north on Main St. Those who turn north can then travel north on the access road until they can enter I-35 northbound north of the FM 2484 overpass. Those who turn south on Main Street can reach the southbound I-35 main lanes by cross-

ing over the interstate at the FM 2268 bridge and then turning south.

Construction on the Salado Plaza Dr./Williams Rd. section of the 3.4 mile project is expected to finish by December 2015, according to Mark Jones, area engineer for TXDOT out of the Georgetown area office, which is overseeing the Salado expansion project on behalf of the Waco District of TXDOT.

Jones told the audience that the design for this section moves the overpass south to line up with a direct connection of Salado Plaza to Williams Rd. The intersection will have turn-around lanes as well as four traffic lanes at the

Main Street connection so that drivers can turn south or north on Main St.

Jones reported to the audience that TXDOT has refocused its efforts on the Salado expansion project and expects that it will be "substantially complete" by December 2015 with total completion of the project by March 2016.

This expedited timeline has resulted in traffic flow changes that have made it more difficult for locals and travelers to maneuver through and to Salado. It should bring the construction project to an end almost six months earlier than projected at the last community meeting in February. At that meeting,

Jones said that the anticipated end date was August 2016.

"I think that shocked everyone," Jones said.

Following that February meeting, a petition with more than 150 signatures and endorsement from the Village of Salado Board of Aldermen and Salado Chamber of Commerce was sent to Gov. Greg Abbott, Senator John Cornyn, Congressman John Carter and other elected state officials.

The executive director of TXDOT met last month with village, business and Chamber representatives as well as James Construc-

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## Midnight Madness Down Main Street on July 31

The Salado Chamber of Commerce & Tourism Bureau presents the coolest 5K of the summer, the Midnight Madness 5K. This year it is coming back to Main Street on July 31.

Participants are encouraged to wear as much glow-in-the-dark and neon as possible to light up Salado for the run.

Register online at <https://runsignup.com/Race/TX/Salado/MidnightMadness5K> for \$35 until the day of the race.

### Stores stay open late for Blue Moon on July 31

The second full moon of July will be Friday night July 31, making it a Blue Moon. Several Salado shops will be keeping their doors open late to mark the Blue Moon.

Among those businesses that will be open late for the Blue Moon are these: Angelic Herbs. Antique Rose O Bell, B Herd

Gallery, Christine's, Pen Station, Salado Olive Oil Company, The Howling Wolff, Twenty One Main, Watermill Market Place and Wells Gallery.

C.J. Harbuz will have a Blue Moon sale at her shop Angelic Herbs. See her ad on page 1B for details.

The next Blue Moon will be Jan. 31, 2018.

Registration on Race Day July 31 will start at 10:30 p.m. Entry fee night of the race will be \$40 for adults and \$30 for kids under 12 and military. Cash or credit/debit cards preferred.

Awards will be presented in the following categories: plaques to the top overall male and top overall female runners; medals to top three male and female finishers in each age group: 14 and under, 15-19, 20-24, 25-29,

30-34, 35-39, 40-44, 45-49, 50-54, 55-59, 60 and above.

Registration and check-in will be 10:30-11:45 p.m. July 31 in front of Brookshire Brothers in the Salado Plaza Shopping Center. This will be a chip-timed race.

At 11:45 p.m., runners take their places at the starting line at the crosswalk in front of Brookshire Brothers.

When the clock strikes Midnight, the shotgun

start will be sounded for the 5K race that will travel south along Main Street, east on Royal to Baines and back to Salado Plaza.

At 1 a.m. Aug. 1, the awards ceremony will be held along with drawings for prizes to be given away. Brookshire Brothers Grocery Store will be staying open late for the event as well, closing their doors at 1 a.m. on Aug. 1.

Local chiropractor Allyn Crain is the chair of this event.





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First Baptist Church of Salado art campers turned an old Volkswagen Bug into a work of art last week during the weekday camp at the church.  
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## Shootout for Education at Solana Ranch Aug. 1

Shooters will have a chance to win a Kamado Joe ceramic grill, Yeti coolers, shotguns and other prizes during the Fourth

Annual Shootout for Education on Solana Ranch Aug. 1.

Registration begins at 8 a.m. and is \$50 per entry, including lunch and refreshments. The preliminary round begins after registration is complete.

The Shootout for Education Skeet Shoot will benefit the Salado Education Foundation. It is sponsored by Heights Lumber & Supply.

Skeet shooters will need to bring their own ammunition for the event.

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# The Railroad Commission of Texas: Environmentally Responsible Regulation Benefits All Texans

By CHRISTI CRADDICK  
TX RAILROAD COMMISSIONER

What's in a name? When it comes to the Railroad Commission of Texas, the name says little about what this important state agency does on a day-to-day basis. With 125 years of history, the Commission was established to oversee the regulation of railroads. Today, it is recognized as a worldwide leader in the regulation of oil and gas.

The transition was sparked when oil and gas production grew to include the transporting of oil to market by rail. The Commission was delegated oversight of not only the transportation of oil and gas products, but eventually its safe production. In this age of renewed Texas oil and gas development, it is important that all Texans are familiar with the job the Commission is doing in their community.

As your Railroad Commissioner, I have the privilege of overseeing some of Texas' most exciting and dynamic industries. Since 1891, the Commission has been charged with ensuring a fair and responsible regulatory structure for oil and gas production and promoting policies that guarantee the robust development of our state's huge energy potential. With extended jurisdiction over related industries including intrastate pipelines, natural gas utilities, and surface mining operations, the Commission ensures that Texans continue to enjoy the economic benefits of our state's many, plentiful mineral resources and that our communities and environment remain safe. Now a global leader in energy regulation, foreign governments from across the world regularly visit the agency to learn more about how to successfully manage energy exploration and production in their own countries.

The agency's Oil and Gas Division inspectors work every day to ensure that companies comply with our rules established to protect the public and our state's natural resources. Operations found in non-compliance are met with fines, and if necessary, the shutting down of production and the revocation of a company's license to drill in Texas. This division also manages any necessary cleanup involving oil and gas spills or discharges. Last year, the agency plugged over 560 abandoned wells and oversaw the cleanup of more than 200 oilfield sites. This type of work, which provides community and

environmental protection, is funded by fees collected from industry, not by Texas taxpayers.

The Oversight and Safety Division supervises pipeline safety, and natural gas utilities. This division holds jurisdiction over pipelines that begin and end within Texas. The Commission has some of the nation's most stringent pipeline safety rules, requiring all natural gas distribution companies to assess their pipeline systems for the greatest potential threats and each year replace a minimum five percent of those pipelines.

Overseeing natural gas rates, this division ensures fair and reasonable rates for consumers. Last year, audits discovered rate overcharges resulting in more than \$1.3 million in refunds to natural gas utility customers across the state, keeping more hard earned dollars in the pockets of Texans.

Coal used in power plants generating electricity helps to keep the lights on for our citizens, not only in Texas, but across the nation. The Texas economy enjoys the benefits of being the sixth largest producer of coal in the U.S., and our Surface Mining and Reclamation Division oversees mining operations and reclamation once mining ceases. Commission policies require that Texas land is returned to a condition that is as good as, or better than, it was before mining activities occurred.

Texans should be proud that our state has long been recognized as a regulatory leader. New technology, which allows companies to reach energy resources previously inaccessible, has ignited an energy revolution in the U.S. led by Texas. Fortunately, because of our more than 100-year old history overseeing energy development, the Commission is

deeply experienced in developing rules and taking actions grounded in science even as this dynamic industry quickly evolves.

As you can see, the Railroad Commission has a strong record of balancing environmental protection with economic growth and energy development. We are proving it every day across the state. But please, just don't ask me about railroads.

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# Community Life

## Playday Saddle Series has two events left

Salado's 3C Cowboy Fellowship has two dates remaining in its Spring Playday Saddle Series, Aug. 1 and Aug. 15.

The Playday Saddle Series has two skill divisions, Open and Novice, with four events and five age divisions in each.

Events include Pole Bending, Keyhole Flag, Barrels and a Mystery Event which changes with each of the five playdays

during the series. Age divisions are five and under (leadline), eight and under, nine to 13, 14-18 and 19 and over.

The Novice Division is open to those who have not won a blue ribbon and have not participated in more than three playdays.

Books open at 9 a.m. with the playday starting at 10 a.m.

High Point Awards in the Novice are these: Tro-

phy Halter for eight and under and nine to 13 year olds; Trophy headstall for 14-18 year old and trophy buckle for 19 and over.

High Point Awards for the Open are trophy buckle for all classes except 19 and over and a trophy saddle for 19 and over.

Reserve High Point Award in the Novice division are trophy spur straps. Reserve High Point awards in the Open Di-

vision are trophy spur straps for eight and under, trophy halter for nine-13 year olds, trophy headstall for 14-18 year olds and trophy saddle pad for 19 and older.

To qualify for the end of series awards, the following will apply: must participate in four out of five shows and must enter at least four events.

Fees are \$8 per event or \$25 for all events during the day.

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## Counting Our Blessings Festival Set for Aug. 8 at Yettie Polk Park

The Body of Christ Community Clinic (BOCCC) will hold a special community event at Yettie Polk Park in Belton-noon-8 p.m. Aug. 8.. The event, dubbed "Counting Our Blessings, A Community Celebration for the Body of Christ Community Clinic," is a celebration of the fifth anniversary of the BOCCC and an effort

to thank the communities it serves for their support.

The festival is free and open to the public. The bands scheduled to perform are Tercia and Fire-side.

An estimated 20 to 30 vendors will be on hand to offer different products. The BOCCC will sell hot dogs, chips and water as a fundraiser. There will also

be other food vendors present.

A "Kid's Zone" will be set up. The BOCCC is sponsored by 14 area churches of various denominations from Temple, Belton and Salado. The different supporting churches will set up various events for children from noon to 6 p.m..

## Spring 2015 UMHB Honor Rolls Announced


The University of Mary Hardin-Baylor announced that 411 students have been listed on the spring 2015 Provost's Honor Roll. To receive this recognition a student must achieve a 3.85 grade point average (GPA) or better on a 4.0 scale.


In conjunction with this, 511 students were named on the Dean's Honor Roll for spring 2015. To receive this recognition, a student must achieve a 3.5 - 3.849 grade point average (GPA) on a 4.0 scale.

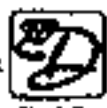
The following is the UMHB Provost's Honor Roll for spring 2015 Salado - Camryn Renee Bintz; Rebecca Lauren Burrow; Jyllian Sierra Chambers; Miranda Claire Phelps; Bertha Rocha; and Jennifer Renee Sellers


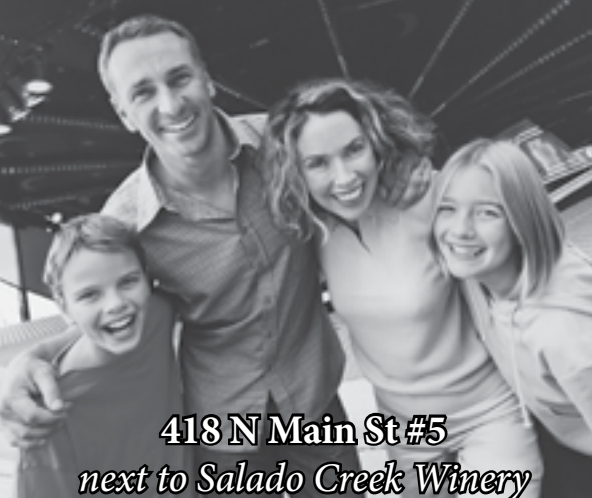
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 10 a.m. Sunday School All Ages  
 11:15 a.m. Worship Service in Chapel Contemporary  
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 6 - 7 p.m. Adult Ramp Project

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# Obituaries

## LINDA BOYD GEARHART

Linda Boyd Gearhart, 75, of Salado passed away on Tuesday, July 21, 2015 in Temple.

A private family service will be held at a later date.

Gearhart was born on July 15, 1940 in Paris, Texas to John and Addie Boyd. She worked as a medical transcriptionist and was a loving mother and grandmother.

Survivors include a son, Alex Gearhart, a daughter Melissa Gearhart, and two grandsons.

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## Good Ol' Fashioned Fun at the Bend O' the River Picnic

Miss the way it was back when? Unplug from the computer, leave the video games at home, and return to a much simpler time at the 2015 Bend O' the River Community Picnic presented by H-E-B and Temple Parks and Recreation. This community-wide picnic event will take place Aug. 1, from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. on the grounds of Bend O' the River (7915 S. General Bruce Dr.) in Temple. Enjoy a relaxing afternoon of food, family, and good ol' fashioned fun from an era gone by. Admission is free and open to the public.

"The picnic is completely different from anything we have ever done," said Temple Parks & Recreation Event Coordinator, Holly Leiferman. "We wanted to create an event that encourages families to turn off their computers and tablets and simply enjoy an afternoon together in one of Temple's most beautiful parks."

Guests at the Bend O' the River Picnic will enjoy an afternoon full of nostalgia while participating in old fashioned games and activities under the shade of the hundred year oak trees. Games will include hoola hoop contests, three legged races and potato sack races. Dixieland Jazz band, Razzmajazz, will be strolling throughout the park taking requests and playing Roaring 20's jazz selections. Guests are welcome to bring their own picnic lunches or they may purchase food onsite. Food available for onsite will include turkey legs, watermelon slices and sno-cones. Guests are also encouraged to bring their own picnic blankets or lawn chairs.

The Bend of the River Community Picnic is free and open to the public. For more information about Bend O' the River Community Picnic presented by H-E-B and Temple Parks and Recreation, visit templeparks.com or call (254) 298-5440.

## Local students named to President's Honor Roll at Sam Houston State University

The President's Honor Roll at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, Texas, recognizes full-time undergraduate students who achieve a perfect 4.0 GPA during a regular semester.

The following students from Salado have been named to the SHSU President's Honor Roll for Spring 2015. The students are Madison Depriest ad Rachel Lea.

neral Home in Killeen is in charge of the arrangements.



Ocie T. SEAWOOD

Ocie T. Seawood was born on June 17, 1933 in Arkadelphia, AR to the late Ausie and Selma Seawood. He accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at the New Bethel Baptist Church (Piney Grove), Arkadelphia, Ar. In his adult years,

he served as a deacon at Simmonsville Missionary Baptist Church, Killeen and First Baptist Church, Copperas Cove, TX

Searwood was drafted into the United States Army, serving from 1953 to 1973 and retiring as a Sergeant First Class (SFC). Upon retirement, he joined a local Carpenter Union and fulfilled a lifetime dream of becoming a journeyman carpenter. He worked on Fort Hood for 10 years with numerous contractors building many of the structures utilized by the troops today. He joined the federal civil service workforce where he continued to use his carpenter skills working for G-3 Range Division, III Corps and Fort Hood, for the next 12 years.

Survivors include his wife, Bernice Seawood of Salado, two sons Oli-

ver Seawood (Linda) of Salado, Ricky Seawood (Frances) of Sherwood, AR; two daughters, R. Jewel Seawood of Salado, Kim Lewis (Ron) of Crowley, TX; one sister, Odessa Patterson of Chicago, Ill, six grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Services for Mr. Seawood will be a visitation Friday July 31 at 9 a.m. at the Broecker Funeral Home, followed by a service and internment at Central Texas Veteran Cemetery, Killeen at 11 a.m.

Services are in the care of Broecker Funeral Home, Salado.

## JOHNNY WATSON

A Mass of Christian burial for Johnny Watson will be at 10 a.m. Thursday July 30, 2015 at St. Stephen Catholic Church in Salado with the Rev. Aloysius Nzekwe M.P.S. officiating.

The pallbearers are Kyle Vale, Cason Cerda, Patrick Pearsall, Robert Pearsall and James Thorpe. The honorary pallbearers are Billy Bearden, James Young, Dorman Smith and Dennis Lumpkin.

Mr. Watson died July 24, 2015. He was born Feb. 16, 1941, in LaGrange, Ga., to Corry and Louise Watson.

He grew up in Franklin, Ga. and graduated from Heard County High School. He completed an associate degree from Columbus Junior College in Columbus, Ga., his Bachelor of Arts in Education at West Georgia College and his Master in Education at the University of Texas at El Paso along with several graduate classes at Baylor University. While attending Columbus Junior College, he met the love of his life, Peggie Ruth Metcalfe. They married in Hawaii on June 17, 1962.

After graduation, Mr. Watson became a history teacher at Nolan Junior High School. He then transferred to Killeen High School as a history/government teacher and was always willing to negotiate a grade if a student was willing to sing.

His next calling was to become a school administrator, becoming the Assistant Principal of Nolan Junior High/Middle School. His love for children drew him to his next chapter as Principal of East Ward Elementary, followed by his final home at Bellaire Elementary.

He dedicated a total of 34 years of devoted love for all of his students, teachers and co-workers with Killeen Independent School District. He was still frequently approached by his students giving hugs and thanking him for always being a father figure they could look up to.

He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather. He was devoted to his Lord, his Catholic Church and was always available to assist those in need. He was a Eucharistic Minister, Saturday night lector, singer and active member of the St. Stephen Catholic Church for over 15 years. He strongly believed in sharing his love of God and how to be the best person you could possibly be by following the simple rules of good life.

Survivors include his wife of 53 years, Peggie; two children, Elizabeth Cerda and her husband, Francisco and Margaret Rivera and her husband, Jose; six grandchildren, Kyle, Corie, Cason, Korinne, Carissa and Joseph; one great-granddaughter, Kailyn; and his cousin that was more like his brother, Billy Bearden and his wife, Catherine.

In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation to the St. Stephen Church Building Fund, P.O. Box 662, Salado, Texas 76571.

Visitation is from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, July 29th with a rosary at 7 p.m. at St. Stephen Catholic Church in Salado. Broecker Funeral Home in Salado is in charge of arrangements.

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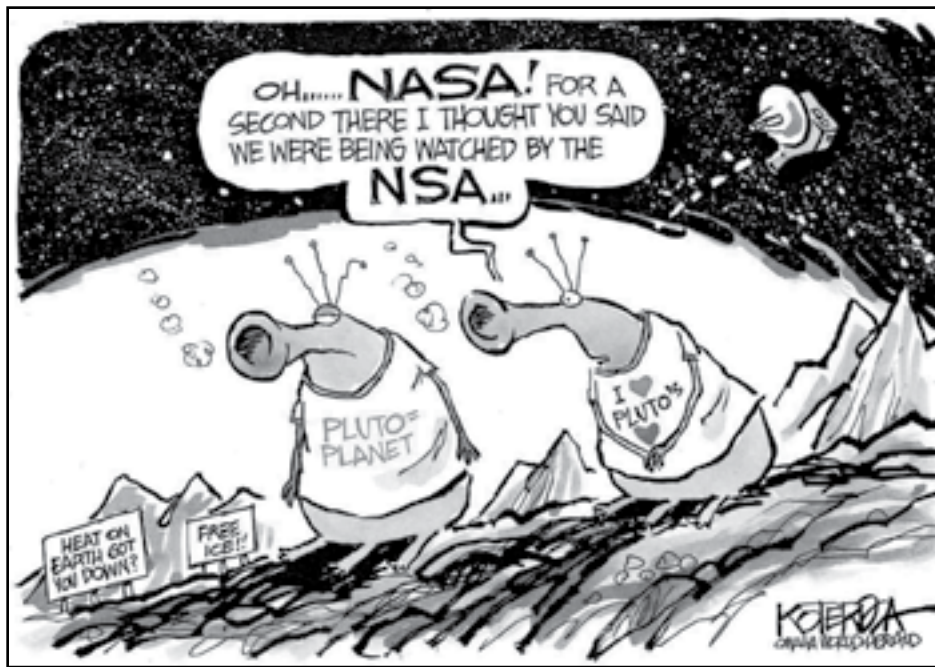
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# FORUM

## An Open Exchange of Ideas



### Obama Kneecaps Congress (Again)

If only President Barack Obama were as hard-nosed and clever in undermining our adversaries as he is in kneecapping the U.S. Congress, the country's strategic position might be transformed.

**Rich Lowry**



tional sanctions regime and got it blessed by the U.N., then turns around and tells Congress it has no alternative but to assent because there will be no meaningful sanctions regime left regardless.

The agreement is written to favor business with Iran. It grandfathers in all commercial deals cut after the initial lifting of the sanctions, even in the unlikely event they are reimposed. Plus, Iran isn't going to give back its windfall of tens of billions of dollars handed to it under the agreement.

Kerry seemed offended by the notion that Congress should get to vote before everyone else locks the Iran agreement into place: "It is presumptuous of some people to say that France, Russia, China, Germany, Britain ought to do what the Congress tells them to do." This is admirably internationalist, but Kerry is supposed to be the secretary of state of the United States, not a representative of the interests and prerogatives of its allies and adversaries.

The New York Times reports that during the

negotiations, Kerry actually pushed to delay a U.N. vote until Congress reviewed the deal. Predictably, the Iranians balked (they're not fools), and so did the Russians and the Europeans. Equally predictably, Kerry resorted to his solution to most every knotty negotiating problem -- he caved.

Amazingly enough, the agreement with Iran doesn't mention the U.S. Congress or its review of the deal, but specifically cites the Iranian Parliament and its role in approving the pact.

It is President Obama's curse that he doesn't have a legislature as compliant as that of Iran's supreme leader. The president clearly disdains Congress as a body that harbors several hundred Republicans and that can only complicate his grand legacy-defining initiatives. He didn't want Congress to have a say at all over the Iran deal, but accepted the Corker bill that requires a near-impossible two-thirds vote to block it.

The administration's message to opponents is that even that supermajority would be too little, too late. Submission is the only option.

*Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review. (c) 2015 by King Features Synd., Inc.*

### Aldermen should reject over-regulation

To the Editor:

I was agape when reading the item on page one and over to page three about the proposed Landscape Ordinance for new buildings and homes in Salado. I don't understand why any builder would think of building multi-family or single family homes in Salado if this becomes the law.

I would hope our Alderpeople are smart enough to vote this type of such restrictive ordinances down. Yours truly, Jack Hardin

## Your Voice

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Special Salado BOA meeting July 27 at 7 a.m. I was one of the 30 or so early birds who tried to figure out what the mayor and the BOA have contracted the village to do with the Sanctuary for \$3 million of our hard earned dollars.

When the meeting did not begin with either a prayer or a pledge to Tex-

as and the USA, I knew something was not right. Whatever was voted on was not blessed by God, the country, or the state. After a lull when the mayor called for a motion, Fred Brown finally made the motion to place the village in debt for a long time to come.

Linda Reynolds Salado



### Future holds great promise

"A lion used to prowl about a field in which 4 Oxen used to dwell. Many a time he tried to attack them; but whenever he came near they turned their tails to one another, so that whichever way he approached them he was met by horns of one of them. At last however, they fell a quarreling among themselves, and each went off to pasture alone in a separate corner of the field. Then the Lion attacked them one by one and soon made an end of all four." Aesop, 6th century, B.C.

The Village is doing a tremendous job standing together against the lions. You are remaining positive, alert, and focused. As a result, here is last week's good news:

An all-out effort by James Construction/TX-

refurbishing. Hidden Glen dirt work, Senior Citizen housing, started. Children mark your calendar, FREE SNOW CONES, 10 a.m.-noon Aug. 22 made by the Mayor's family.

Over \$5,000 contributed to Salado's Texas for artist awards and cash prizes. October 10-23, Civic Center, artist from all over Texas will display their art and compete for prizes.

The year's remainder holds great promise with August Art Fair 8 - 9, Christmas in October, and Stroll. Salado Plaza Bridge will cause major disruption and frustration, but it is necessary to end the construction. By remaining focused and positive, the Lions do not stand a chance.

Stagecoach's new ownership is going forth with

**Mayor Skip Blancett**



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### Christie Tells It Like It Isn't According to one informed source, the New Jersey governor and presidential hopeful is a creep.

How exciting: Chris Christie put his name on the Republican presidential dance card. He's No. 14.

The big man from New Jersey entered the race with all the chutzpah and hullabaloo that's marked his five-and-a-half years as governor of the Garden State. In his carefully staged announcement speech, he said he'd be a truth-telling president.

"There is one thing you will know for sure," he roared. "I say what I mean and I mean what I say."

That's swell, Chris. But when your campaign slogan is "Telling It Like It Is," it would help if you weren't infamous in your home state as an audacious, inveterate liar.

Tom Moran — who holds down the editorial page at New Jersey's larg-

est newspaper, The Star Ledger — felt a journalistic duty to warn America about Christie.

"Don't believe a word he says," Moran wrote, pointing not to a few fibs and fabrications, but a lengthy "catalog" of an "over-the-top, hair-raising type of lies," including these gems:

Having assured public employees that their pensions were "sacred" to him, Christie then made cutting pensions a big priority.

At a recent South Car-

olina gun rights meeting, Christie crowed that "no new [gun laws] have been made since I've been governor," when in fact he's enacted three gun-control measures.

After he and his family racked up a \$30,000 hotel bill during a luxurious weekend getaway at a Jordanian resort — one paid for by the king of Jordan — Christie claimed the junket wasn't a violation of the state gift ban. How's that? The governor and the king were personal friends, Christie said — although they'd only met once, in a brief encounter at a political dinner.

If politicians have to tell you that they're truth-tellers, they're probably not. So beware of Christie the compulsive liar. As Moran bluntly put it: "He's a creep."



**Jim Hightower**



# Sewer

Phase ID, \$270,000 and Phase IH, (\$535,000).

Construction administration costs are \$120,000 for KPA projects and \$30,000 for Pape Dawson projects.

In addition, the Village will pay KPA \$175,000 for on-site representation.

Miscellaneous costs include \$250,000 for equipment and maintenance building, \$25,000 for pro-

curing a WWTP operator and \$162,800 for decommissioning the Stagecoach WWTP plant.

The Village will pay Sanctuary \$3 million for the construction of the 300,000 gallon WWTP plant, including engineering, electric engineering, bidding and construction administration and a service agreement guarantee. City manager Kim

Foutz explained that the \$3 million for the construction of the 300,000 gallon WWTP was all-inclusive. However, earlier on, it wasn't the case. A July 14 summary of tasks and costs listed the construction cost for the WWTP at \$3.6 million with an additional \$326,000 final design cost for a total cost of \$3.93 million for the WWTP.

The Village will pay a total of \$4.5 million for the design and construction of projects under the direction of Pape Dawson engineers, the contract engineer for the Sanctuary. This will include the delivery system from the current Stagecoach Inn plant to the wastewater treatment plant off of east Royal Street.



## Singers Serenades Temple Shoppers During Tax-free Weekend

While shopping for tax-free bargains on Saturday, August 8, shoppers will be treated to free music at Temple Mall between 2-3 p.m. Singers from Chisholm Trail Chorus, Sweet Adelines, plan to stroll through the mall and perform select tunes from their repertoire.

Activities Center in Temple.

Auditions are held continuously throughout the year. More information is available at [www.chisholmtrailchorus.org](http://www.chisholmtrailchorus.org), on the group's Facebook page and on Meetup.com.


Chisholm Trail Chorus, the premier women's a cappella group in Central Texas, presents jazz vocals, choreographed pop tunes and award-winning harmony to the community through weekly education classes and frequent performances throughout Central Texas.

The chorus is directed by Carol Scherer and is comprised of more than 30 Central Texas women from Temple, Belton, Troy, Copperas Cove, Harker Heights, Kempner, Rogers, Little River and Georgetown. Any woman who enjoys singing is invited to attend Thursday night rehearsals at the Cultural



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Salado Masonic Lodge installed officers for the 2015-16 Masonic Year during a ceremony July 25 at the Lodge on Church St. Above (front row, from left) Truitt L. Bradly, Past Master, Installing Master, Brian Arnett, Senior Warden, Paul Christian, Worshipful Master, Walt Tollefson, Junior Warden, Jim Cumby, Junior Deacon, Conrad Hinkel, Past Master, installing Marshal; (back row, from left) Dorsey Chandler, Tiler, Doug McNeese, Past Master, Chaplain, Tim Fleischer, Past Master, Secretary and Mason Simmons, Senior Deacon. Prior to the Installation Art Wadford (2014-15 Worshipful Master) presented Fleischer with the Mason of the Year award. After the Installation, Christian presented Kaitlynn Wadford (right) with a \$1,000 scholarship from the Lodge. (PHOTOS BY MARILYN FLEISCHER)



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## Interstate

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tion representatives to address the delays and to expedite the completion of the project.

Since that meeting, TXDOT officials have been meeting weekly with James Construction and Village of Salado representatives to open communication between the entities in an effort "to get the job done," Jone said.

The initial contract for the Salado expansion was \$70.4 million with an end date of June 2015. As of the end of June, James Construction had completed just over 50 percent of the total project, according to the TXDOT website.

The FM 2484 bridge is halfway complete. The Thomas Arnold bridge is completed but sidewalks are not accessible yet due to handrail issues. The FM

2268 bridge is completed with the exception of stripping the traffic lanes.

Jones said that crews are working diligently south of the Thomas Arnold overpass to build the southbound access road bridge over Salado Creek as well as the southbound mainlanes bridge over the Creek.

TXDOT closed the southbound access road south of Thomas Arnold after the pavement of those lanes were damaged by the May flood. By closing those lanes, James Construction crews can concentrate on the construction of the structures there to complete them in a timely fashion. How long the southbound access road south of Thomas Arnold will remain closed was not answered during

the July 23 meeting.

During a question and answer session that followed Jones' remarks, a resident asked whether Salado Creek Road will become a cul-de-sac or will have connectivity to the southbound access road. Jones could not answer the question due to unfamiliarity with the specific area. However, the schematic from the TXDOT website shows that Salado Creek Road will connect to the southbound access.

The schematic also shows that when the project is completed, the southbound access road south of Thomas Arnold bridge will not have an entrance ramp to I-35 south until south of FM 2843 (Florence Road).

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-or-

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*Fourth Course*  
**Summer Time Cheese Cake**  
 Chocolate swirl cheesecake topped with a warm strawberry reduction.

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## Salado Winery Company & Salado Wine Seller invite you to Harvest 2015

You are invited to join Salado Winery Company and Salado Wine Seller on Aug. 6, 8, and 9 for their 2015 Harvest Kick-Off, celebrating ten years of growing grapes in Salado.

Scheduled Harvest times:  
 7 - 11 a.m. Aug. 6  
 7 - 11 a.m. Aug. 8  
 7 - 11 a.m. Aug. 9

Meet at Salado Winery Company Vineyard, 21724 Hill Road, Salado.

This year, Salado Winery will be harvesting four varieties of grapes - Chardonnay, Merlot, Sangiovese and Cabernet Sauvignon. They will also be processing grapes from 3 Texans Vineyard in Temple and Wimbish Vineyard in the Hill country.

Participants can help pick grapes at the vineyard on Hill Road (and even eat some straight from the vine), then join them at the winery to watch grape processing. The Salado Wine Seller is located at 841 N. Main St. in Salado.

At the winery, grapes will be de-stemmed and crushed using a machine then put into barrels for fermentation. For white wines, you can watch them press juice from the grapes to then be fermented.

Harvest is family friendly. Wear comfortable, cool clothing and bring a hat, sunscreen, water, and bug spray. They will provide the rest.

Visit Salado Winery's Facebook page for the most up-to-date harvest information, including pictures.

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# Salado Calendar of Events



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FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS

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**JULY 31**

Midnight Madness  
Down Main 5K and  
Glow Run registration,  
10:30 - 11:45 p.m. regis-  
tration in the Brookshire  
Brothers parking lot.  
Race begins at midnight.  
Info: salado.com

**AUGUST 1**

Texas Coalition  
of Black Democrats  
Statewide meeting, 10  
a.m. at Temple Public  
Library. Registration:  
\$25 includes lunch,  
membership: \$30. RSVP  
to danielclayton@  
gmail.com

**AUGUST 1**

Salado Education  
Foundation Skeet Shoot  
at Solana Ranch

**AUGUST 1**

Salado Legends at  
Tablerock Amphithe-  
ater.

**AUGUST 1**

Play Day Series at  
3C Cowboy Fellowship.  
info (254)624-9678.

**AUGUST 3 - 6**

Salado Summer Mini-  
Cheer Clinic, 9 - 11 a.m.  
at Salado Intermediate  
Gym. Learn cheers,  
chants and dance to be  
performed at the SHS  
football game Oct. 16.  
info: ckkelley@sal-  
adoisd.org or 947-5937.

**AUGUST 4**

Salado ISD new stu-  
dent registration, 8:30  
a.m. - 5 p.m. at Salado  
Intermediate School. All  
students PK3 - 12 grade.  
saladoisd.org

**AUGUST 5-7**

Silver Spur Arts  
Academy Imagineer  
Mini Theater/Puppet  
Camp info: tiffyoranch@  
gmail.com

**AUGUST 8 & 9**

Annual Salado Art  
Fair, The Venue on Royal  
Street. info: salado.com  
or call 254-947-5040.

**AUGUST 9**

The Second Annual  
Scenes from... perfor-  
mance, 6:30 p.m. at The  
Chapel at Caliber Oaks.  
Fund benefit Wags, Hope  
and Healing animal  
rehab.

**AUGUST 10 - 11**

Trailblazer Day Camp  
for children of all abili-  
ties, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.  
at Variety's Peaceable  
Kingdom Retreat for  
Children. info: variety-  
texas.org

**AUGUST 11**

Evening With the  
Mayor - Service Orga-  
nizations, 6 p.m. at the  
Municipal Building.

**AUGUST 12**

Deadline to advertise  
in Salado: Jewel in the  
Crown of Texas. 947-  
5321 for info

**AUGUST 15**

Play Day Series at 3C  
Cowboy Fellowship. info  
(254)624-9678.

**AUGUST 16**

Salado 4H Back to  
School Party, 7:30 - 9:30  
p.m. at the Morgan's  
Point Resort Pool.

**AUGUST 18**

Planning and Zoning  
Commission meeting to  
consider Landscaping  
ordinance, 1:30 p.m. at  
the Municipal Building.

**AUGUST 20**

Village of Salado Al-  
dermen Public Hearing  
on Landscaping ordi-  
nance, 6:30 p.m. at the  
Municipal Building.

**AUGUST 24**

First Day of School  
for Salado ISD

**AUGUST 25**

Evening With the  
Mayor - New Residents  
(3 years are less), 6 p.m.  
at the Municipal Build-  
ing.

**AUGUST 27**

Salado Area Republi-  
can Women, 6 p.m. at the  
Sirena Room of Tenroc.  
Speaker: U.S. Congress-  
man John Carter. RSVP  
to dkroberson115@  
gmail.com or (281) 787-  
1073.

**SEPT 1 - OCT 25**

Dove Season

**SEPTEMBER 2 & 9**

Learn to Knit Class  
with Salado Yarn Co, 10  
a.m. - noon inside The  
Shoppes on Main. \$30  
plus materials. Register  
at saladoyarn.com

**SEPTEMBER 19-21**

Chocolate and Wine  
Weekend, info: www.  
saladochocolatefestival.  
com.

**OCTOBER 1**

Salado Chamber of  
Commerce Golf Tourna-  
ment at Mill Creek Golf  
Club. info: salado.com

**OCTOBER 3**

Salado Youth Fair  
Boosters Reverse Raffle,  
Tenroc Ranch.

**OCTOBER 7 - 10**

October Bow Hunt at  
Solana Ranch. info: so-  
lanaranch.com or (254)  
947-8331.

**OCTOBER 9-10**

Christmas in October  
at Stagecoach Inn. info:  
salado.com

**OCTOBER 11**

Second Annual Fall  
Pub Crawl. Details to be  
announced.

**OCTOBER 17**

Cattleman's Ball,  
Tenroc Ranch, benefi-  
ting Salado Education  
Foundation.

**OCTOBER 18**

St. Stephen Catholic  
Church Fall Fest, 601  
FM 2268

**OCTOBER 21**

Beyond Basics Knit-  
ting Class with Salado  
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inside The Shoppes on  
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**NOVEMBER 4 & 11**

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with Salado Yarn Co, 10  
a.m. - noon inside The  
Shoppes on Main. \$30  
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**NOVEMBER 13-15**


54th Gathering of the  
Scottish Clans & High-  
land Games, Pace Park.

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**DEC 4-6 AND 11-13**

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These documents required at the time of enrollment:  
Birth certificate | Social security card | Current Immunizations  
Proof of residency (deed/lease agreement or a current utility bill)  
Driver's license of person enrolling student  
Report card and STAAR results from previous school  
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# Regular Events in Village of Salado

## MONDAYS

**Yoga for Women's Health, 10 a.m.** at The Yoga Room Info: (254) 681-7623.

**Salado Village Artists Stitches & Knitters, 1 p.m.** at Salado Village Artists Building.

**Yoga Basics & Beyond, 6 p.m.** at The Yoga Room. Info: (254) 681-7623.

**Salado Masonic Lodge, Floor practice is 6:30 p.m.** at the Lodge every Monday except Stated Meeting. Stated meeting is 7:30 p.m. Monday on or before Full Moon.

## FIRST MONDAY

**Salado First Monday Gardeners, 8 a.m.** at the Visitor Center.

**Salado Historical Society board meeting, 6 p.m.** at The Baines House.

**Salado Youth Fair Booster Club meeting, 6:30 p.m.** at Salado High School. Info: SYFB-Club@gmail.com

**Salado Athletic Boosters Club meeting, 7 p.m.** at the High School Library. Info: saladoathleticboosters.org.

## SECOND MONDAY

**Public Arts League of Salado open board meeting, 5:30 p.m.** at the Visitor's Center on Main Street.

**THIRD MONDAY Salado ISD Board of Trustees meeting, 6 p.m.** at the Salado Civic Center.

## TUESDAYS

**YogaStrong, 9-10 a.m.** at The Yoga Room. Info: (254) 681-7623.

**Salado Village Artists, Village Art Building, 9:30 a.m.**

**Adult game day at Presbyterian Church of Salado, 10 a.m.**

**LEGO Club, 11 a.m. - noon** at Salado Public Library. summer only info: 947-9191

**Salado Rotary Club, 11:30 a.m.** at Johnny's Steaks & Barbecue **first three** Tuesdays of month; Roving Social after hours on **fourth Tuesday** of month.

**Prix Fixe at The Range, 5 p.m. - close.** \$14.95 for entree, dessert, drink.

**Salado Community Chorus practice, 6 p.m.,** Salado Civic Center, unless otherwise noted.

## FIRST TUESDAY

**Salado Village Artists Board Meeting, 9 a.m.** at



From the Salado Ladies Auxillary Christmas in October fundraiser to the annual Salado Christmas Stroll, the village offers a variety of experiences to get you in the mood for the Christmas season.

the Village Art Building.

**Salado 4-H Club meeting, 6 p.m.** at Salado Intermediate Cafeteria. Sept. - May.

## SECOND TUESDAY

**Sit & Knit, 10 a.m. - noon** at Salado Yarn Co, inside The Shoppes on Main.

## THIRD TUESDAY

**Bell County Genealogical Society Meeting, 6:30 p.m.** at Temple Public Library.

## WEDNESDAYS

**Yoga for Core, 8:30 - 9:45 a.m.** at The Yoga Room. Info: (254) 681-7623.

**Power Flow Yoga, 6:10-7:10 p.m.** at The Yoga Room. Info: (254) 681-7623.

**Wine Down Wednesday at The Range.** Half price glasses of wine,

staff's choice.

## FIRST WEDNESDAY

**Adult craft group meets** at Salado Public Library, 10 a.m.-noon.

## SECOND WEDNESDAY

**Salado Lions Club, 11:30 a.m.,** Salado Civic Center.

## THIRD WEDNESDAY

**Mah Jongg** at Salado Public Library, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

## FOURTH WEDNESDAY

**Salado Lions Club, 11:30 a.m.,** Salado Civic Center.

## THURSDAYS

**Beginner's Golf clinic at Mill Creek** by golf pro J.L. Lewis, 5-6 p.m. \$20 per person.

**Martinis and Manicures** at The Lounge at The Range, 5 p.m.-close. \$25 for 2 ladies night adult beverages, a manicure and a selection of appetizers, space is limited.

appointments: 254-947-3828.

**Salado Aldermen meeting, 6:30 p.m.,** Municipal building, 301 N. Stagecoach Rd. Meeting is open to the public. First and third Thursday are regular meetings and second and fourth Thursday are workshop meetings.

## FIRST THURSDAY

**Chisholm Trail American Business Woman's Association meeting, 6 p.m.** at First Presbyterian Church of Salado.

## SECOND THURSDAY

**Salado Ladies Auxiliary Meeting, 9:30 a.m.** at the Salado United Methodist Church Youth Activities Center.

## THIRD THURSDAY

**Salado Chamber of Commerce Board Meeting, 8:30 a.m.** at the Visitors Center.

**Third Thursday Music Club, 5 - 8 p.m.** at

JD's Travel Center. Old time music, acoustic only. Everyone welcome to come play or listen.

**FIRST & THIRD SATURDAY** **Trudy's Closet, 8 a.m.** at Grace Baptist Church

## THIRD SATURDAY

**Bell County Star Party, 8:30 - 11:30 p.m.** at Overlook Park, Stillhouse Hollow Lake on FM1670. Central Texas Astronomical Society. info: centextastronomy.org.

## SUNDAYS

**Open discussion Al-Anon Meeting, 6 p.m.** Salado United Methodist Church Youth Activities Center.

**Hatha Flow Levels 1 & 2, 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.** at The Yoga Room. Info: (254) 681-7623

## SECOND WEEKENDS

**Salado Market Days, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.** at Salado Antique Mall, 721 Stagecoach Road. Salado's original Market Days event. info: (254) 947-3355.

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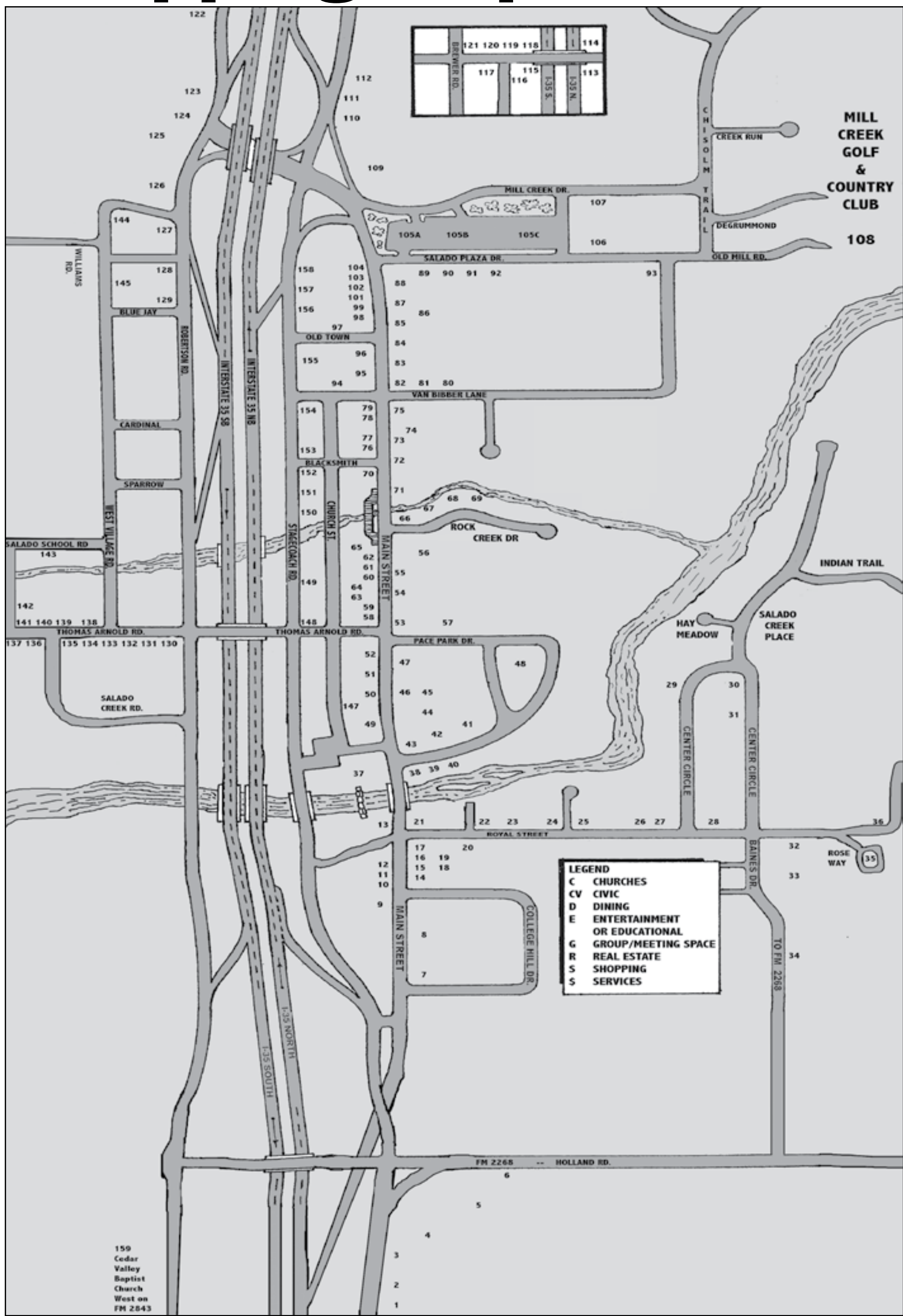
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| 2. JD's Travel Center 254-947-5228 D              | A. Magnolia's 254-947-4263 \$                     | 98. Stamp Salado 254-947-8848 S                       | 143. Eagle Baseball Field 254-947-0066 S                          |
| 3. The Play Yard Preschool 254-947-1153 \$        | C. Linda Rountree Pritchard Egg 254-947-3828 D    | 100. Salado Post Office 254-947-5322 S                | 144. Village Spirits 254-947-7117 S                               |
| 4. Wildfire Ranch Arena 877-947-9988 E            | Message Therapist 254-947-4263 \$                 | 101. Century 21 Bill Bartlett 254-947-5050 R          | 145. Broecker Funeral Home 254-947-0066 S                         |
| 5. St. Stephen Catholic Church 254-947-8037 C     | 56. The Range at the Barton House 254-947-5242 S  | Real Estate 254-947-5050 R                            | 147. Salado Masonic Lodge #296 254-458-2643 CV                    |
| 6. SALADO COLLEGE HILL PARK                       | 58. Salado Family Dentistry 254-947-5242 S        | 102. Subway 254-947-5593 D                            | 148. Salado Baptist Church Youth Activities Center 254-947-3610 D |
| 7. Stagecoach Inn Restaurant 254-947-5111 D       | 61. Salado Creek Jewelers by Kiki 254-855-5538 S  | Old-Fashioned Burgers 254-947-5271 D                  | 149. Heart Filled Bakery 254-947-3610 D                           |
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| 9. THE SHOPS AT THE STAGECOACH                    | 63. Mud Pies Pottery 254-947-0281 S               | 105. SALADO PLAZA SHOPPING CENTER                     | 152. Salado Church of Christ 254-947-5241 C                       |
| A. Finders Keepers 325-665-5669 S                 | Sir Wigglesworth Fudge 254-947-0888 S             | B. Salado Village Voice 254-947-5321 \$               | 153. Village of Salado 254-947-5060 S                             |
| 13. PUBLIC RESTROOMS                              | 64. The Shoppes on Main in Salado 254-947-0888 S  | B. Ace Pest Control 254-947-4222 \$                   | 155. Salado Creek Antiques 254-947-1800 S                         |
| 14. Central Texas Area Museum                     | 70. OLD CHURCH PLACE                              | B. Walt Tollefson Computer 254-291-6354 \$            | 156. Salado Antique Mall 254-947-3355 S                           |
| SHADY VILLA CENTER                                | A. The Pizza Place 254-947-0222 D                 | B. Finney Insurance 254-947-3599 \$                   | 157. Horizon Bank Salado 254-947-8636 S                           |
| Sofi's 254-947-4336 S                             | 75. SALADO CIVIC SQUARE                           | B. Monteith Abstract & Title 254-947-3922 \$          | 159. Cedar Valley Baptist Church 254-947-0148 C                   |
| 19. Salado Glassworks 254-947-0339 S              | CORNETT CORNER                                    | B. Anytime Fitness 254-947-1063 \$                    |   |
| 24. Springhouse 254-947-0747 S                    | A. Salado Creek Winery 254-947-0237 S             | B. The Haire Shop 254-760-1990 \$                     | <b>NOT SHOWN ON MAP</b>   |
| 27. The Shed 254-947-1960 D                       | Crain Chiropractic & Wellness 254-947-2225 \$     | Tammy Haire, stylist 254-947-0100 \$                  | 3C Cowboy Fellowship 254-947-7211 C                               |
| 29. Inn on the Creek B&B 254-947-5554 L           | 80. Historic Log Cabins & Aiken Cemetery          | B. Mill Creek Cleaners 254-947-0100 \$                | Coleman Auto Restoration 254-933-7400 \$                          |
| Alexander's Distillery 254-947-5554 D             | Salado Art Center and Village Artists             | C. Brookshire Brothers 254-947-8922 S                 | Don Ringle 254-774-6500 S   |
| 32. Table Rock Amphitheater 254-947-9205 E        | 81. Salado Art Center and Village Artists         | Mill Creek Country Club 254-947-5698 E                | Garlyn Shelton Cadillac 254-771-0128 S                            |
| 34. HISTORIC SALADO CEMETERY                      | 82. Salado Civic Center                           | 108. Mill Creek Country Club 254-947-5698 E           | Gallery Properties 979-255-2323 S                                 |
| 36. Salado United Methodist Church 254-947-5482 C | Salado ISD Administration 254-947-5479 E          | 109. Salado Public Library 254-947-9191 E             |   |
| 37. First Baptist Church of Salado 254-947-5465 C | Salado Visitors Center 254-947-8634 E             | 110. Salado Cleaners 254-947-7299 E                   |   |
|   | Salado Chamber of Commerce 254-947-5040 E         | 111. Hairitage Barber Shop 254-947-3309 S             |   |
| 43. Susan Marie's Dress Shop 254-947-5239 S       | Salado Wine Seller 254-947-8011 S                 | 116. Salado High School 254-947-5429 E                |   |
| 45. Prellop Fine Art Gallery 254-947-3930 S       | 87. St. Joseph's Episcopal Church 254-947-3160 C  | 119. Salado Fire Department Station #2 254-947-5917 C |   |
| 48. W.A. Pace Memorial Park 254-947-5060 S        | 89. Presbyterian Church of Salado 254-947-8106 C  | 121. Grace Baptist Church 254-947-5917 C              |   |
| 50. THE VERANDA                                   | 90. Troy Smith Financial Services 254-947-0376 \$ | 124. Cowboy's Barbecue 254-947-5700 D                 |   |
| A. First Texas Brokerage 254-947-5577 R           | 91. Salado Sculpture Garden                       | 125. Fairway Sports Vehicles 254-947-4065 S           |   |
| 51. First State Bank 254-947-5852 \$              | SALADO ARTS COMPLEX                               | 131. Johnny's Steaks & Bar-Be-Que 254-947-4663 D      |   |
| 52. FIRST CENTRE                                  | Salon of Salado 254-947-7282 S                    | 135. The Play Yard Infant Center 254-947-1129 S       |   |
| A. First Community Title 254-947-8480 R           | 96. THE STAGESTOP CENTER                          | 138. Salado Lady Eagles Softball Field 254-947-5191 E |   |
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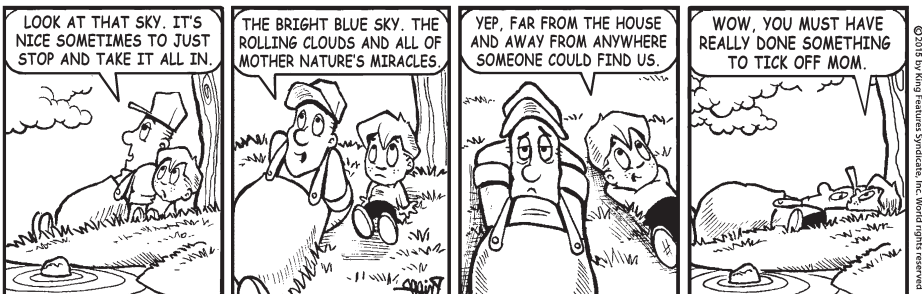
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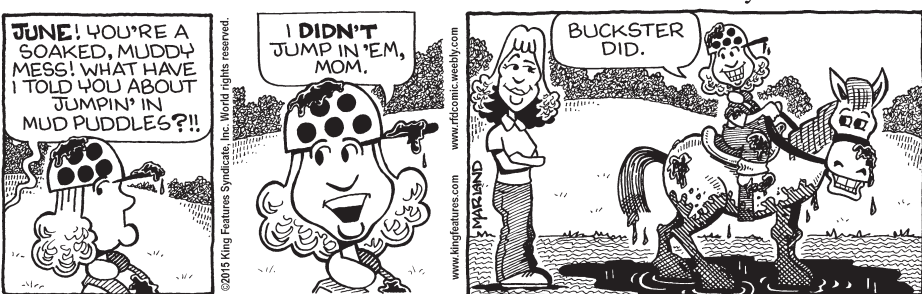
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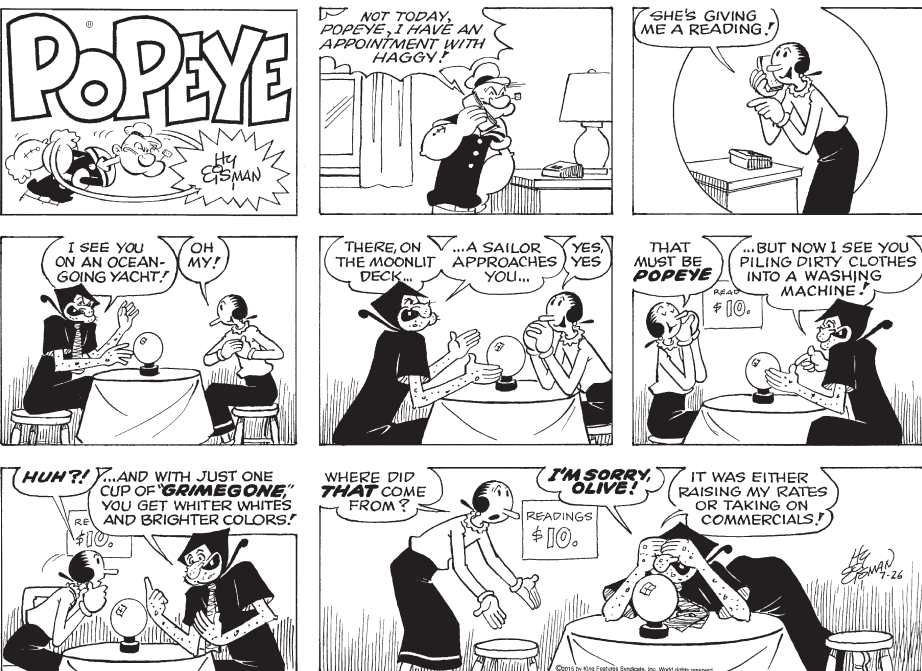
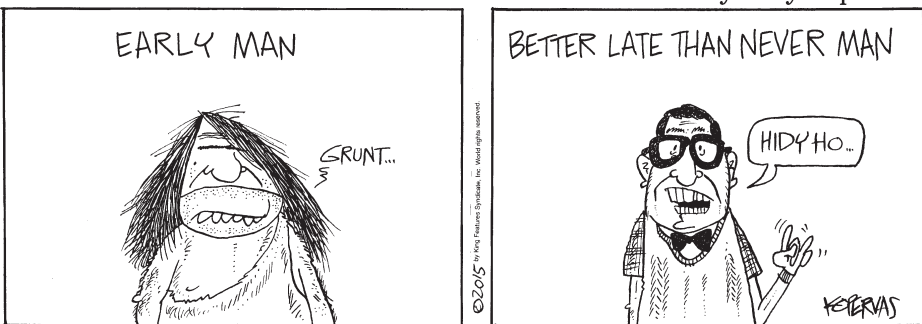
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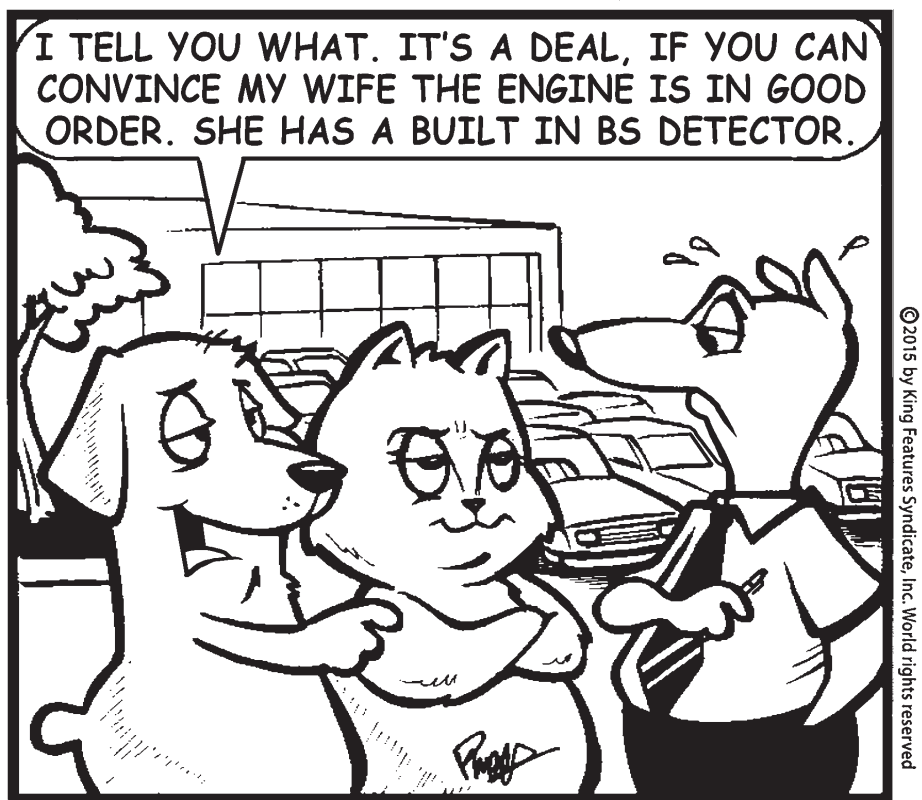
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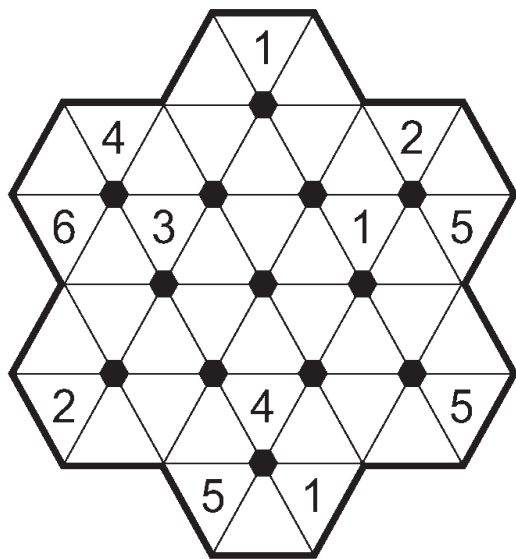
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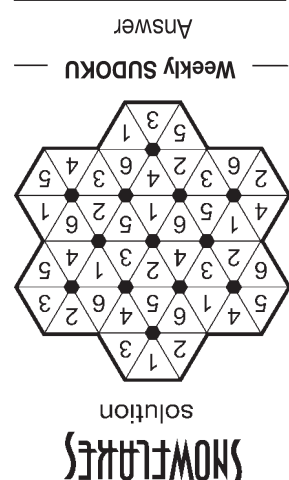
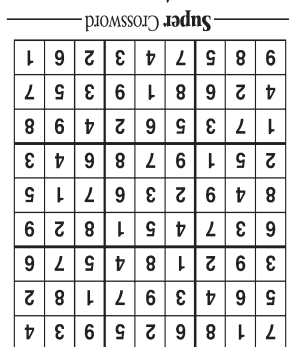
# SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.

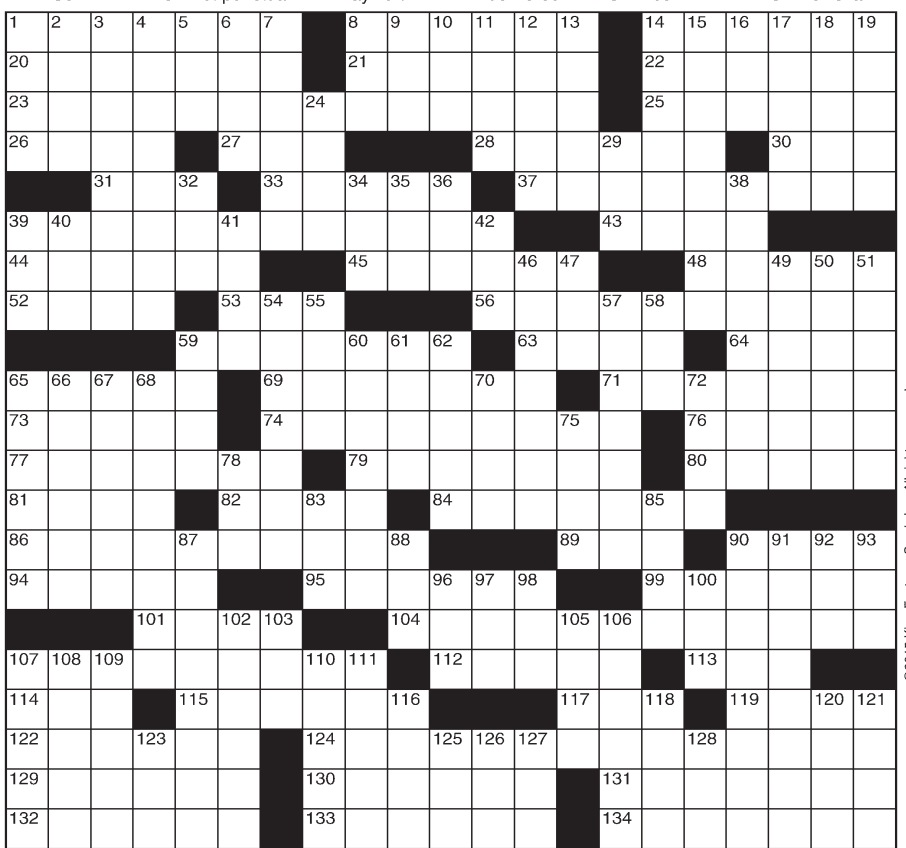


DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: **◆◆◆**  
 ◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult



# Super Crossword "AM I BLUE?"

- ACROSS**
- 1 Freeway exit structure
  - 8 Seasoned veteran
  - 14 Spirits
  - 20 More vicious
  - 21 Meyrl of film
  - 22 Lapse, as a subscription
  - 23 Thesaurus on one's desk, say
  - 25 Underwrite
  - 26 "Lean —" (1989 hit)
  - 27 Jeff Lynne's band, briefly
  - 28 Skirt
  - 30 Filmmaker Burton
  - 31 "Birds —" feather ..."
  - 33 Acquire a winter coat?
  - 37 Pizza Hut alternative
  - 39 Item on many a dressing table
  - 43 Daze
  - 44 Tito of mambo
  - 45 Hotel Bible name
  - 48 Jamaican sectarian
  - 52 Actress lone
  - 53 They spin in PCs
  - 56 Rapacious milks
  - 59 For little cost
  - 63 Have the gumption
  - 64 Greek consonants
  - 65 Irritate
  - 69 American hwy. number
  - 71 Pacify
  - 73 Worked over
  - 74 Eight of their names are
  - 76 Pub pastime
  - 77 Wage makers
  - 79 Abstract sculpture with no moving parts
  - 80 "Arno, amas, I love —"
  - 81 Ovid's 107
  - 82 Ovid's "Lo!"
  - 84 Madames of Madrid
  - 86 Pretty large portion
  - 89 Letters on a PC key
  - 90 Be beside
  - 94 Lauder of perfumery
  - 95 Volcano WSW of Tokyo
  - 99 Put in a box
  - 101 Not punctual
  - 104 Pasta-can man
  - 107 Revolver in a pantry
  - 112 Made into an alloy
  - 113 Yokohama drama
  - 114 "Cantorial" writer Levin
  - 115 Counterpart to digital
  - 117 Rx writers
  - 119 Rocket org.
  - 122 Kind of tuna
  - 124 Eric Carle kids' book, with "The"
  - 129 One skilled with a sickle
  - 130 Actress Byrnes
  - 131 5,280 feet
  - 132 "I do" locales
  - 133 Hold high
  - 134 Old West sheriff's badge
  - 6 Nothing more than
  - 7 Tourney starter
  - 8 Sugar suffix
  - 9 Bit of mail: Abbr.
  - 10 "Dr." who raps
  - 11 Composes
  - 12 Summary
  - 13 "Orfeo," e.g.
  - 14 Give a smile
  - 15 Cause for a mistrial
  - 16 Clip — (some ties)
  - 17 WSW part
  - 18 City of Italy
  - 19 Blossom supporters
  - 24 Converging points
  - 29 Cover —
  - 32 J.D. holder
  - 34 Work unit
  - 35 Spoon-bending
  - 36 Like two peas in a —
  - 38 How some court cases are won
  - 39 #2 execs
  - 40 Razor-billed bird
  - 41 "So gross!"
  - 42 Rule: Abbr.
  - 46 Have meals delivered
  - 47 Teacher's gp.
  - 49 Large desert
  - 50 Coils
  - 51 Weigh
  - 54 "Sprechen Sie —?"
  - 55 Merit badge holder
  - 57 They clear the boards
  - 58 Opp. of withdrawal
  - 59 Surrender
  - 60 Gift
  - 61 All at sea
  - 62 Native Arzonans
  - 65 Nativity scene
  - 66 Throws with force
  - 67 Not moored
  - 68 So as to be countable
  - 70 Pipette, e.g.
  - 72 Hi-tech appt. books
  - 75 Arctic mass — room (play area)
  - 78 Summa — laude
  - 85 —-deucy
  - 87 Always-agreeing sort
  - 88 "Original or crispy" chain
  - 90 "MoMA" and "OPEC," e.g.
  - 91 Vice
  - 92 Profit from
  - 93 Driving peg
  - 96 300-3,000 MHz range
  - 97 — d'esprit
  - 98 Stipulations (witty bit)
  - 99 Bread eaten with vindaloo
  - 102 Some piano fixers
  - 103 That, in Peru
  - 105 "— guest!"
  - 106 Nonstandard stock buy
  - 107 Fall zodiac sign
  - 108 Sprite in "The Tempest"
  - 109 Big name in restaurant guides
  - 110 Pond slime
  - 111 Averages
  - 116 Faun, in part
  - 118 —-Flush (bathroom brand)
  - 120 1973 Toni Morrison novel
  - 121 Ripening agent
  - 123 Ecol. monitor
  - 125 "A," in Arles
  - 126 B-F link
  - 127 Easter fare
  - 128 Vixen's lair



# Famous hand

## Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

North dealer.

East-West vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ Q 7 6 5 3  
 ♥ 9 5 3  
 ♦ 10 9 2  
 ♣ J 3

**WEST**  
 ♠ J 8  
 ♥ A K Q 7 4 2  
 ♦ A 8  
 ♣ A 9 2

**EAST**  
 ♠ 4 2  
 ♥ J 10 8 6  
 ♦ Q J 5 4 3  
 ♣ 8 4

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ A K 10 9  
 ♥ —  
 ♦ K 7 6  
 ♣ K Q 10 7 6 5

The bidding:  
 North East South West  
 Pass Pass 1♣ Dble  
 Pass 1♥ 2♣ 4♥  
 Pass Pass 4♣ 5♥  
 5♠ Pass Pass Dble  
 Opening lead — ace of hearts.

seen this type of hand many times before. Having already shown his long club suit, he now bid four spades, asking his partner to choose between spades and clubs. The bid was intended primarily as a sacrifice against the opponents' vulnerable game, but also might produce a game for his side if his partner held the right hand.

And that's exactly the way it turned out. After Glubok bid five hearts, Zia, who now had a very good idea of what his partner's hand looked like, took a stab at five spades, doubled by Glubok.

With no way to get his partner on lead for a diamond return through the king, Glubok could score only his two minor-suit aces, and the doubled game -- worth 650 points -- came rolling home.

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# Trivia test

- by Fifi Rodriguez
1. GEOGRAPHY: Drake Passage is directly south of which continent?
  2. U.S. CITIES: Independence Hall is located in which city?
  3. LANGUAGE: What is a shaggy dog story?
  4. LITERATURE: Who wrote the novel "Lady Chatterley's Lover"?
  5. MUSIC: Who composed "Clair de Lune"?
  6. U.S. PRESIDENTS: When did Franklin Roosevelt contract polio?
  7. PSYCHOLOGY: What fear is represented in the condition called "iophobia"?
  8. TELEVISION: Who voices the character of Mr. Burns on "The Simpsons"?
  9. HISTORY: When did the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising begin?
  10. ENTERTAINMENT: Which entertainer's nickname was "Satchmo," short for "Satchel Mouth"?

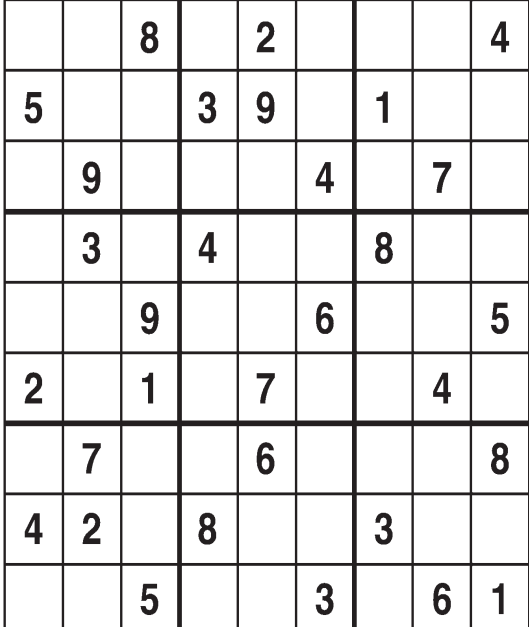
**Answers**

1. South America
2. Philadelphia
3. A long-winded and often pointless anecdote
4. D.H. Lawrence
5. Debussy
6. 1921
7. A fear of poison
8. Harry Shearer
9. 1943
10. Trumpeter and singer Louis Armstrong

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# Weekly SUDOKU

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

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★ Moderate ★★ Challenging

★★★ HOO BOY!



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Denise Thomssen and Jody Askins rehearse Scenes from.....

**Scenes from... to benefit Wags, Hope and Healing animal rehab**

The Chapel at Caliber Oaks will host a benefit performance of "The Second Annual Scenes from..." August 9 to raise funds for Wags, Hope and Healing, a central Texas animal rehabilitation facility. This benefit performance with Rick Thomssen, Denise Thomssen, Jody Askins and Gary Askins will feature readings from works by Neil Simon, Mark Twain, Miguel Cervantes along with a world premiere of some original scenes. All four of the participants have performed in various local productions

at Tablerock Amphitheater, the Salado Silver Spur and last year's delightful Caliber Oaks benefit for The Peaceable Kingdom Retreat. "Last year's performance was to a full house and we were able to donate a significant amount to a local charity and I hope we can continue having as much fun this year." stated the director Gary Askins. "We tried to pick some theatrical pieces that are humorous and that allow us to enjoy a delightful evening of good conversation, socializing while at the same time express-

ing an appreciation of how words can heal and enlighten us on our human condition...but mostly it's about the fun while doing something to give back to our community." The social will begin at 6:30 p.m. immediately followed by the performance at 7 p.m. and a post-performance reception with liquid refreshments, snacks and adult conversation. Tickets are \$25 per person, seating is limited so reservations are suggested. Contact the Chapel at (254) 718-0680.



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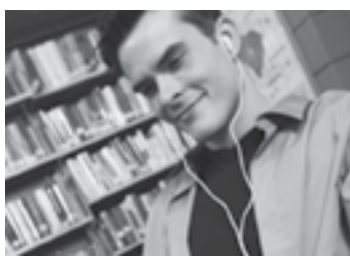


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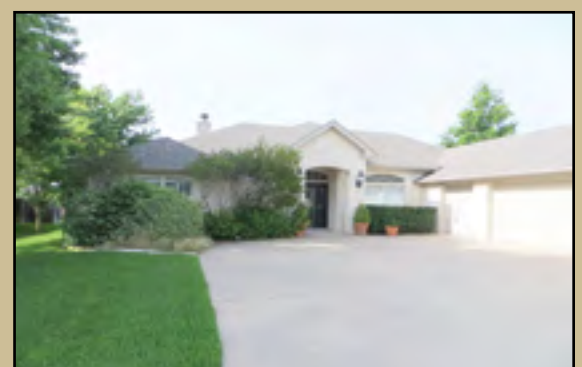
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HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING AND CONSIDER ADOPTING AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AMENDMENT TO ORDINANCE 2013.08 ZONING ORDINANCE, AMENDING SECTION 5.2 LANDSCAPING.

Information regarding this proposed code amendment are on file for public examination in the Municipal Building, 301 N. Stagecoach Road, Salado, Texas.

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# Summer Heat Safety Tips to Ensure Fun in the Sun

By: RON RABENA

The summer season and warm weather triggers an urge to be outdoors, but fun in the sun can be dangerous when the heat and humidity rise. In addition to sun burn, heat-related illnesses including heat stroke or sunstroke can send unsuspecting victims to the hospital. The human body keeps itself cool by allowing heat to escape through the skin and by evaporating the resulting perspiration. If the body cannot cool itself enough, the person could suffer from heat-related illness.

Heat stroke can progress from milder heat-related illnesses such as heat exhaustion, heat cramps and fainting. Illnesses caused by overheating can become serious, and even deadly, if not treated. Exposure to heat kills approximately 400 Americans annually.

Everyone is susceptible to heat-related illnesses, with even young healthy athletes succumbing to it. However, those most at risk include senior citizens, especially those living along in non-air-conditioned

environments; infants and children and people with medical conditions, especially those with heart disease and high blood pressure.

The classic warning symptom of a heat stroke is a body temperature that is above 104 degrees Fahrenheit, but other symptoms include fainting, dizziness and light-headedness, rapid pulse, painful muscle cramps and spasms, headache, lack of sweating despite the heat, nausea and vomiting, rapid breathing, dry, hot and red skin and behavioral changes including disorientation. If you or anyone around you has any of these symptoms, 911 should be called immediately. As you wait for emergency services, put damp and cool cloths or towels on the affected person and have them lie down until medical assistance arrives.

Being alert to the symptoms of heat stroke is vital to ensuring your own health and safety as well as your friends and family. However, as Benjamin Franklin said, "an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" and heat-

stroke is preventable. Take these preventative steps to prevent heatstroke this summer:

- Avoid strenuous outdoor activities. Whenever possible, reserve outdoor activities for the cooler morning and evening hours.

- Wear lightweight, loose-fitting, light-colored clothing. Wearing too much clothing or tight clothing won't allow your body to cool down efficiently.

- Stay well-hydrated and avoid alcoholic and caffeinated beverages. Staying hydrated helps you maintain a normal body temperature and drinking excessive caffeinated or alcoholic drinks can dehydrate, rather than hydrate, you.

- Eat smaller meals more frequently. Eating small, protein rich meals throughout the day keeps your energy level stabilized.

- Never leave children, adults or pets in a closed, parked vehicle. In the sun, closed car temperatures can rise from 78 degrees to 100 degrees in just three minutes.

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# Dial Up the Fun Factor at Your Pool This Summer by Adding an Outdoor Kitchen

While the pool and spa are the star attractions at any backyard gathering, outdoor rooms of every type--kitchens, dining areas, living rooms with fire pit, and quiet garden structures--are winning applause from pool owners and party guests alike. "It's not just about the pool anymore, but

rather about the entire backyard," said John C. Migliaccio, CPO, CBP, president of the Northeast Spa & Pool Association (NESPA). "When you add an outdoor room to the pool setting--especially an outdoor kitchen with bar--you create a focal point--a natural gathering place for food, fun and refreshment. The outdoor kitchen is the place to entertain appreciative guests, and it is also perfect for a quiet evening with the family or a romantic alfresco dinner for two."

In addition to serving as a natural gathering place for people, the outdoor kitchen enhances the value of the entire home for a relatively modest investment, according to Scott Cohen, a garden designer and author of Patio Covers, Pergolas, and Pavilions; The Outdoor Kitchen Design Workbook; and other

books. "In some areas of the country, the outdoor kitchen has become an expected amenity for a comfortable home. In still others, an outdoor kitchen is a standout feature, offering a valuable edge in any housing market."

Practicality aside, the outdoor kitchen is just plain fun, Cohen continued. "They are here to stay and the creative possibilities are endless. To keep everyone in the right zone, it's important to choose a layout that not only works well for cooking, but also makes space for a fun, comfortable party. The grill itself is often the central attraction. Make sure there's plenty of space nearby for several people to sit and watch the action. 'Nearby' doesn't mean 'next to.' Your guests shouldn't feel like they're risking singed eyebrows when they're supervising the cook."

**DESIGN THE SPACE FOR SMALL GROUPS**  
In addition to spaces at a bar or dining counter, many backyard kitchens include areas for dining and relaxing. Once again, suggested Cohen, don't think you need a space big enough to accommodate all your guests in one large expanse. "Instead, the zone approach works best here too. Think about human party behavior and observe it at the next get-together you attend. Instead of gathering in one big 'herd,' people at a larger party will naturally group together in small conversational clusters. Design your dining and mingling areas around this tendency by providing several outdoor rooms to accommodate small groups. A series of interconnected spaces is a better fit for many yards and also creates a more inviting atmosphere."

Cohen recommended providing destinations in the garden, which is called "wayfinding," by connecting these gathering spots with welcoming pathways. Use focal points, seat walls, fountains, ponds, arbors, pergolas, gazebos and fragrant plantings to create interest at different locations and draw guests out into the yard space.

*About the Northeast Spa & Pool Association*  
The Northeast Spa & Pool Association is the Northeast affiliate of the Association of Pool & Spa Professionals (APSP). Founded in 1958, the nonprofit association represents the pool and spa industry in the Northeast and serves members through extensive training programs, safety promotions, design competitions and compliance education. To learn more, visit [www.nespa-pools.org](http://www.nespa-pools.org). For the latest news from NESPA, follow us on Twitter (@NE\_Spa\_and\_Pool) and Facebook (/NortheastSpaPoolAssoc).

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## 10 Ways to Become Financially Independent

By NATHANIEL SILLIN

After the 2008 economic crisis, many people assumed they would never be able to reach true financial independence -- the ability to live comfortably off one's savings and investments with no debt whatsoever.

However, individuals willing to use their time horizon to plan and adjust their spending, savings and investment behaviors

might just find financial independence is possible. Here are 10 ideas to get started.

1. Visualize first, then plan. Start by considering what your vision of financial independence actually looks like -- and then get a reality check. Qualified financial experts can examine your current financial circumstances, listen to what financial independence means to

you and help you craft a plan. The path to financial independence may be considerably different at age 20 than it is at age 50; the more time you have to save and invest generally produces a better outcome. But at any age, start with a realistic picture of your options.

2. Budget. Budgeting (<http://www.practicalmoneyskills.com/budgeting/>) -- the process of tracking income, subtracting expenses and deciding how to divert the difference to your goals each month -- is the essential first task of personal finance. If you haven't learned to budget, you need to do so.

3. Spend less than you earn. It might be obvious, but it's one of the most difficult financial behaviors to execute. Adhering to a lower standard of living and expenses will help you put more money into savings and investments sooner.

4. Build smarter safety nets. Emergency funds and insurance are rarely discussed in combination. The traditional definition of an emergency fund is a separate account for cash that can be used instead of credit to repair a broken appliance or other expense that may run a few hundred dollars. However, many people keep insurance deductibles high to keep premiums low. Would you have enough cash on hand to cover an insurance deductible if you had a sudden claim? If not, build your deductible amounts into your emergency fund.

5. Eliminate debt. Though consumer debt levels have generally fallen since the 2008 financial crisis, the Federal Reserve Bank of New York reported in February that home, student loan, auto and credit card debt began creeping up again in 2014. Getting rid of revolving, non-housing debt (<http://www.practicalmoneyskills.com/costofcredit/>) is one of the most effective ways to free up money for savings and investment.

6. Consider your career. Financial independence doesn't require you to quit a career you love, but you really can't get to financial independence without steady income to fuel savings and investments that will build over time. Speak with qualified advisors about your income, benefits and retirement picture first, and see if you might be able to expand your sources of work-related income, such as consult-

ing part time. Also keep in mind that over the age of 50, the Internal Revenue Service allows you to make catch-up contributions (<http://www.irs.gov/Retirement-Plans/Plan-Participant-Employee-Retirement-Topics-IRA-Contribution-Limits>) to both 401(k) and IRA accounts.

7. Downsize. You'll generally reach wealth financial goals faster if you can cut your overall living expenses. For some, that means selling your home and moving to a smaller one or to an area with lower living costs and taxes. You can also sell or donate property you don't need and use those proceeds to extinguish debt or add to savings or investments.

8. Invest frugally. Become a student (<http://www.dol.gov/ebsa/publications/undrstndgrtrmt.html>) of investment fees and commissions because they can cut significantly into your principal. Make a full evaluation of fees you are paying on every investment account you have and if you're working with a licensed professional who sells you financial products, know what fees they're charging for their investment and advisory services.

9. Buy assets that generate income. Stocks, real estate, collectibles or cash investments all have up and down markets. But do your homework and focus on investments bought at attractive prices that are likely to appreciate over time. Also, don't forget to study the tax ramifications of any investment transaction you make.

10. Always know where you are financially. Financial planning isn't about making one set of financial decisions and assuming you're set. Lives and situations change and your financial planning must be flexible enough to withstand both positive and negative changes without derailing your hopes for financial independence. If your forte is not investment, financial planning or tax matters, by all means bring in qualified experts to help. But financially independent people generally have their money issues at their fingertips not only for their own use, but for estate purposes as well.


Bottom line: Financial independence involves diligence and a bit of sacrifice, but even the smallest moves can yield big outcomes.

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# Salado Volunteer Fire Department Report July 20-25

July 20  
3:41-4:01 p.m., 284 NB IH-35. Out to 283 NB IH-35 for a vehicle that hit bridge. Arrived on scene to find the 18 wheeler had grazed the bottom of the bridge. Minimal damage to crane on truck. Canceled EMS due to no injuries. DPS arrived on scene, cleared. 2 units, 3 personnel.

July 21  
7:51-8:23 p.m., 200 Block N. Main. Out priority 3 for a traumatic injury at 200 Block N. Main St. at Salado Martial Arts. Went en route and arrived on scene to find patient laying on the ground with a pillow under both legs, with bilateral knee deformities. Patient was placed on long board, splints to his lateral legs. Patient's vitals were monitored until Scott & White medic arrived on scene. Patient report was given and patient care was turned over. Patient put on a stretcher and was placed in the truck. Medic transported. All units cleared. 2 units, 3 personnel.

July 22  
6:18-6:33 a.m., 300 Block Mill Creek Dr. Out in reference to a fall. Arrived on scene to find an 86 year old female on the floor in the bedroom. Assisted patient off of the floor and into her chair. All Salado units cleared. 2 units, 2 personnel.

2:59-3:33 p.m., 1700 Block Old Mill Rd. Out to

1700 Block Old Mill Rd. for a female patient difficulty breathing. Arrived on scene to find the patient in bathroom taking a breathing treatment. Obtained baseline vitals and charted. Gave extra dose of breathing treatment to patient. Medic arrived on scene and took over patient care. Assisted getting patient to ambulance. Scott & white transported. All units cleared. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

July 23  
9:33-9:54 p.m., 1600 Block Chaparral Dr. Out to 1600 Chaparral Dr. for a male patient with abdominal and back pain. Arrived on scene to find the patient in bathroom. Patient had vomited prior to our arrival. Patient complained of kidney pain. Obtained vitals and charted. Relayed information to Scott & White medic via radio. Scott & White medic arrived on scene and took over patient care. Patient walked to ambulance. Scott & White transported. All units cleared. 2 units, 3 personnel.

July 24  
8:54-9:35 a.m., Old Mill and Club Circle. Out to Old Mill Rd. and Club Circle for a male patient in water. Arrived on scene to find the patient out of water. Bystander was doing CPR. Checked for pulse, none found. Relayed info to medic unit from Scott & White. Patient had

water in mouth. Continued CPR until told to stop from Scott & White medic. Scene turned over to Salado Police Department once Scott & White confirmed. All units cleared. 3 units, 5 personnel.

9:52-9:59 a.m., 12500 Block FM 2484. Out in reference to a motorcycle wreck. While en route, center advised that Harker Heights medic was on scene and Salado not needed. All units canceled. 1 unit, 1 personnel.

11:11 a.m.- 12:01 p.m., 1700 Block Old Mill Rd. Out priority 3 for a lift assist. Arrived on scene and found the patient sitting on the floor with no injuries. Rapid trauma assessment was performed and patient denied any injuries. Patient was moved to her wheelchair. Patient was the moved into the bed. Patient still denied all injuries. Patient needed no further assistance. All units cleared. 2 units, 3 personnel.

12:46-1:11 p.m., 282 SB. Out to a 6 year old male possibly choking. Went en route and arrived on scene to find a 6 year old male sitting with his dad. Patient was not actively choking, but possibly had an obstruction in his lower airway. Patient was monitored and actively watched. Scott & White medic arrived on scene and patient was report was given and patient care was turned over. Cleared with Scott & White remaining on scene, unknown transport. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

2:30-3:02 p.m., 1000

Block Rose Ln. Out to Rose Ln. for a male patient that fell. Arrived on scene to find patient was holding a towel on back of head. Controlled bleeding and bandaged him up. Obtained vitals. Scott & White arrived on scene and took over patient care. Patient walked out to ambulance. Scott & White transported. All units cleared. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

5:49-6:27 p.m., 213 Mill Creek Dr. at Brookshire Brothers. Out to a priority 2 seizure for a 40 year old female. Arrived on scene to find patient on floor of foyer. Patient had laceration on the back of her head. Bystanders stated that she fell and hit her head and started seizing. Applied 4x4 to back of head and placed c-collar on patient. SVFD and SPD maintained c-spine precautions. Additional personnel obtained and charted initial vitals. Patient was conscious but not aware. Patient's daughter indicated patient had recent neck surgery. Was not able to obtain any further medical history. SVFD and SPD restrained patient and maintained c-spine until Scott & White arrival. Patient became lightly aggressive as she began to come to. Scott & White on scene. Assisted with Scott & White placing patient on backboard. Placed head/neck stabilization and onto stretcher. Patient placed into ambulance and transported by Scott & White. All units cleared. 2 units, 5 personnel.

8:24-9:04 p.m., 282 SB

IH-35 Rest Area. Out to 282 SB IH35 Rest Area for a 4 year old male patient with a possible broken arm. Arrived on scene to find the patient was prone on the ground. Patient had obvious broken right arm, patient was crying. Scott & White medic transported. All units cleared. 2 units, 4 personnel.

July 25  
5:55-6:32 a.m., 100 Block Roseway. Out to 400 Block Roseway for a male patient heart racing. Was advised by center address changed to 100 Block. Arrived on scene to find male patient laying in bed. Complaining of racing/flutter. Obtained vitals and charted. Attempted to get patient to act as if he push to attempt to bring heart rate down. Scott & White medic arrived on scene and took over patient care. Scott & White transported. All units cleared. 2 units, 2 personnel.

3:14-4:09 p.m., 2200 Block Elmer King. Out to

a grass fire at the intersection of Elmer King and Elm Grove Rd. Arrived on scene to find around 1 acre of grassland on fire. Used around 1,200 gallons of water to extinguish the fire. The fire was started by farmer cutting hayfield, apparently hit a rock and sparked. Once all hot spots were out and no other flames or smoke showing all units cleared. 5 units, 9 personnel.

8:07-8:49 p.m., 10800 Block Sam Neil. Dispatched to the scene for an 82 year old male complaining of shortness of breath. Arrived on scene to find patient laying in bed in home. Patient was complaining of difficulty breathing. Gave oxygen and o2 stats began to improve. Medic arrived on scene and patient care was handed over and report was given. Assisted Scott & White in moving and loading of patient. All units were clear. 1 unit, 2 personnel.

## Salado Police Report July 20-25

July 20  
12:55 a.m., Rest Area SB. Agency Assist, assisted DPS with stranded motorist.

1:13 a.m., 285 NB. Stranded Motorist, assisted motorist with changing tire.

9:40-10:04 a.m., 283 North. Reckless Driving, I received a call for the above location in reference to possible DWI. I located the vehicle and it was found that all was code-4.

9:16-9:38 a.m., 700 Block Park Dr. Canine-Other, received a call for the above address for a complaint of a homeowner threatening to shoot a dog. I arrived and it was found that the homeowner said this due to the dog relieving itself on the lawn. The dog owner was given advice on the situation.

July 21  
11:17-11:29 a.m., 1000 Block Old Mill. Burglary, received a call for above address for a burglary report only. I arrived and house was unlocked but nothing looked to be disturbed. House secure- code 4.

10:33-10:39 a.m., 2000 Block Chisholm Trail. Disturbance, received a call for the above address for a garage door issue. I arrived and saw the door was bent. I asked her to push the button for the door so that it would lower and once she did this I unlocked the door which was latched and the door then worked without problem.

5:27-5:30 p.m., 1000 Block Old Mill. Criminal Trespass. Caller believed someone made entry into

where her mother lived. No signs of forced entry, nothing taken.

7:58-8:01 p.m., 200 Block N. Main. Agency Assist, assisted FD/EMS with knee injury.

July 22  
3:10-3:14 p.m., 1700 Block Old Mill. Assistance, medical. Patient had difficulty breathing. Clear with SVFD and Scott & White on scene.

5:50-5:55 p.m., 1400 Block Old Mill Rd. Miscellaneous, caller stated that two trucks were parked on his land and he wanted them moved. Spoke with owners of the vehicles- they stated that they would comply.

July 23  
9:38 p.m., 1600 Block Chaparral. Ill Person, assisted SVFD with a 75 year old male with chest pains. Transported to Scott & White via ambulance.

July 24  
8:57-9:00 a.m., 1600 Block Club Circle. Drowning, subject found in golf club pond. Report.

6:00 p.m., Brookshires. Ill Person, assisted SVFD with a 43 year old female, fall victim. Transported via ambulance.

8:30 p.m., I-35 South Bound 282- Rest Area. Ill person, assisted SVFD with a 4 year old male with a broken arm. Transported via ambulance.

July 25  
12:57 a.m., I-35 South Bound 282. Agency Assist, DPS asked for assistance in locating and removing a trash can from the interstate at I-35 SB 282. Searched the area, unable to locate.

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