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Archeological testing was conducted this week near Salado Creek to meet Texas Historical Commission requirements. (PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)



(PHOTO BY ROYCE WIGGIN)

Salado High School football players remove rocks that have been put in the creek as a dam. The dam might affect the flow of water at one of the few habitats for the Salado salamander, a threatened species.

While village does tests, DOT puts in sewer casing

Texas Department of Transportation announced late last week that it would be closing Main Street to one lane this week in order to install sewer casings across Main Street in six locations from Thomas Arnold Road to Salado Plaza Drive.

TXDOT reported that the traffic change would begin at 7 p.m. nightly and would require boring across the pavement, but would be done now in order to minimize damage to the pavement by sewer collection system construction later next year. TXDOT will repave Main Street after it completes the I-35 expansion project through the Village.

During the closings, James Construction will have lights in the work areas and flagger stations on each side to direct traffic for safe passing.

The work is expected to finish this week.

Additional archeological testing near Salado Creek was done this week for Texas Historical Commission approval. Last week, the village tested for boring under Salado Creek.

The Village expects to begin work on the sewer system in December. At that time, work will concentrate on Church Street collection, lift stations and force mains. In January, after the holiday shopping season, work will begin on Main Street and Royal.

The construction contract is expected to be awarded in November.

Construction of the treatment plant and collection system is expected to end by November 2017 with connections continuing into January 2018.

During the construction, the Village will conduct a rate study and adopt any fees and rates for sewer customers.

Aldermen to address issues arising from influx of people in the creek

By TIM FLEISCHER
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF

After aldermen considered closing access to Salado Creek on Village property between I-35 and Main Street, they will discuss other measures to address issues stemming from the heavy use of the property that was once called the Village Green.

The board will meet 5:30 p.m. Aug. 11 with Salado Creek and springs as a workshop topic, followed by possible action items on "Springs and Salado Creek-related issues" that include water testing, grilling/use of open flame, litter, charging fees and parking in the Village parking lot behind old Sugar Shack building.

Aldermen discussed in workshop session testing Salado Creek waters for fecal coliform. If the city is going to do this, direction will have to come from the board of aldermen.

At one time, Salado Creek preservation committee volunteers tested the water at eight locations of Salado for indicators such as pH, phosphorous, fecal coliform. However, the testing program ended more than a decade ago when the Brazos River Authority no longer ran the tests themselves on water collected by volunteers. *Salado Village Voice* published those results in the newspaper on a regular basis for more than a decade.

Test results for fecal coliform counts were historically high during the summer months, when the flow of Salado Creek was lower than the rest of the year. Because fecal coliform is a non-point source pollutant, everything from beavers to bats to cattle production west of Salado to the rest areas south of Salado to people playing in the creek were cited as the cause of the higher fecal coliform counts.

Aldermen may also take action on the use of open grills and barbecue pits that visitors to the creek -- both at the Stagecoach dam and Pace Park -- have brought with them.

Other parks in Bell and



Cleaning up the Creek

Lone Star Grading and Paving removed about 1,000 tons of gravel and debris that has collected over the past few years at the low water crossing of Salado Creek in Mill Creek. The work was completed under a permit from Texas Parks and Wildlife. (PHOTO BY MARILYN FLEISCHER)

Williamson Counties have regulations on the use of grills and barbecue pits, but at the same time provide barbecue pits to visitors. The City of Belton provides barbecue pits and allows the use of grills, but requires that coals be extinguished and taken out of the park.

Local lake parks (Stillhouse, Belton and Georgetown) are regulated by the Corps of Engineers. Many of the parks provide camping areas, barbecue pits and fire pits, allowing campfires when there is no local burn ban in effect. The Lake parks systems also have a \$5 per vehicle day use charge.

In a search of the websites for Stillhouse Lake, Lake Belton, Lake Georgetown, City of Belton, City of Harker Heights, City of Temple and City of Georgetown park facilities, *Salado Village Voice* could find no "parking fees" except for overflow parking at campsites.

In our survey of local parks, facility fees range from \$25 to \$250 (for ticketed commercial events) for park facilities.

Aldermen will also consider addressing litter issues along the Creek. In early July, Eagle Disposal

brought five large garbage cans to the area at Salado Creek west of the Main Street bridge, as well as two port-a-potties.

Those cans are emptied at the end of the day on Saturdays and again on Mondays.

City administrator Kim Foutz told *Salado Village Voice* recently that city maintenance staff has pulled more than 10 large bags of garbage from the downtown location over a weekend.

Private dumpsters belonging to retail businesses are also catching some of the overflow, as evidenced by the filled-beyond-the-brim dumpsters near Royal and Main.

Issues of alcohol usage at Salado Creek and the possible liability to the Village has also caused concern for local officials.

By rule, alcohol is not allowed in Pace Park, nor are glass containers.

Most of the parks that we surveyed have leash laws in place, as well. They also ask that pet owners clean up after their pets. Parks with athletic fields restrict pets from those areas.

Salado has leash laws in place for the Village, as well, but no restrictions

on animals in the creek. However, a proposed Salado salamander ordinance would have restricted swimming and pets from entering the creek along much of the stream in downtown Salado.

Entering the creek would have been restricted except in Pace Park.

Despite the rules for Pace Park prohibiting alcohol and glass containers, the property west of Main Street is not part of Pace Park. It originally was part of the Stagecoach Inn property until then-owner Morris Foster peeled about two acres of the property including the parking lot and the 40+ year old sewer treatment plant off when he sold the restaurant and motel business to Terry Potts.

Stagecoach Inn was given the right to use the sewer by Foster in an agreement between him and Potts for Potts to operate the wastewater system for the other clients.

The other clients were retail businesses along Main Street south of Salado Creek and some on Royal Street.

In 2014, Foster donated the wastewater treatment plant and property to the Village of Salado.

Shootout for Education at Solana Ranch Aug. 13

The fifth annual Shootout for Education returns to Solana Ranch Aug. 13 with registration beginning at 8 a.m.

Preliminary rounds begin immediately after registration. Prizes include Yeti coolers, shotguns and other items.

The \$50 entry fee includes lunch and refreshments. Ammunition is not provided.

For sponsorship ques-

tions or to register, call Mike Harvey at 512-618-8596 or Josh Bratton at 254-493-4651.

The Shoot for Education skeet shoot benefits the Salado Education Foundation. It is one of three annual fundraisers for the Foundation. The largest fundraiser for the Education Foundation is its annual Cattleman's Ball, which will be Oct. 15 at Tenroc Ranch.

Local museum to sell excess items Aug. 13

Central Texas Area Museum will open its doors to antique dealers and museum representatives on Aug. 13, starting at 8 a.m. to look over and purchase some of the vintage and contemporary items that are not needed for the Museum collection.

With a financial commitment by Sterling Ambrose, the museum hired Coleman Hampton as Curator. Hampton has scoured through the stor-

age spaces and reached out to families that have donated items over the years to reconnect them. The items that will be sold on Aug. 13 have not been on public display in the museum.

Many of the items are clothing and other textiles that have been given to the museum over the years despite there being no request for the items or plan to display them.

FORUM

An Open Exchange of Ideas



Trump vs. the Khans

Donald Trump got sound advice the other day. At a rally at Davenport, Iowa, he told the crowd that a prominent supporter had called and urged him not to sweat all the attacks at the Democratic National Convention.

"Don't hit down," the supporter urged, according to Trump. "You have one person to beat. It's Hillary Rodham Clinton." By Trump's account, he conceded the good sense of this, although he noted how he always prefers hitting back -- "it makes me feel good."

If so, he must have enjoyed his weekend. He spent it attacking not just Khizr Khan, the Muslim father of a soldier killed in Iraq who spoke at the DNC, but his wife. In other words, roughly 48 hours after publicly sharing the advice he had gotten not to punch down, Trump delivered a flurry of downward blows the likes of which we haven't seen from a presidential candidate in memory.

The old political and media rule is unassailable. When you are the bigger, more famous figure, you only draw more attention to a less prominent critic by engaging. If people

Rich Lowry



hadn't heard, or heard about, Khan's short speech against Trump at the DNC before, they probably have now.

In its unadorned righteous indignation, the Khan DNC speech was a stinging rebuke of Trump -- Khan suggested the Republican candidate hasn't read the Constitution, nor ever sacrificed anything for the country -- and the mogul duly acted stung.

His first swipe was at Khan's wife, Ghazala, for standing silently at her husband's side during the speech (perhaps, Trump implied, she was forbidden from speaking as a woman?). In subsequently trying to tamp down the controversy, Trump stoked it further by saying Khizr Khan had "no right" to criticize him as he had and complaining about his viciousness.

The Trump response predictably fueled an all-out media blitz by the Khans. It validated one of the main lines of criticism of Trump at the DNC -- that he is so thin-skinned, he can't be entrusted with

the awesome powers of the presidency. And his religiously fraught slap at Khan's wife and his rhetorical manhandling of a family who had sacrificed so much for the country reinforced the sense that he refuses to honor basic political norms.

It's not that grief validates a particular point of view, or someone who has suffered a terrible loss should be above criticism. But the grieving mother or father deserves an extra measure of respect. This isn't just Politics 101, but Decency 101. It is one thing to beat Ted Cruz and his family about the head and shoulders -- he's just another pol -- but something else entirely to do it to the parents of an exemplary young man who sacrificed his life protecting others in Iraq.

Trump believes, from his decades in the public eye in the media capital of the world, that it always pays to be on the attack. This isn't true anymore. The question no longer is whether he can garner headlines, but whether he can demonstrate his suitability to becoming commander in chief. The only one he's hurt by his assault on the Khans is himself.

Rich Lowry is editor of the National Review.

Right and Left come together in Salado

"There are few villages like Salado. It marches to a different drum that is difficult to put your-arms-around," said a new resident recently. "Why?"

Perhaps, more than most villages, towns, and cities, we are equally composed of left and right brain citizens. If you are left brain, you are saying, "that's ridiculous." If you are right brain, you saying, "makes sense."

Still reading? Left Brain Person -- you love the familiar and predictable; digest information piece by piece with sequential logic; grammar, spelling, punctuation are more important than the story; realistic; linear/strategic thinker that enjoys making and following rules; uncomfortable with new ideas, challenges, and surprises; shine in jobs that are routine and worst

Mayor Skip Blancett



when a crisis occurs that requires creative thinking; and always asks the question, "why?"

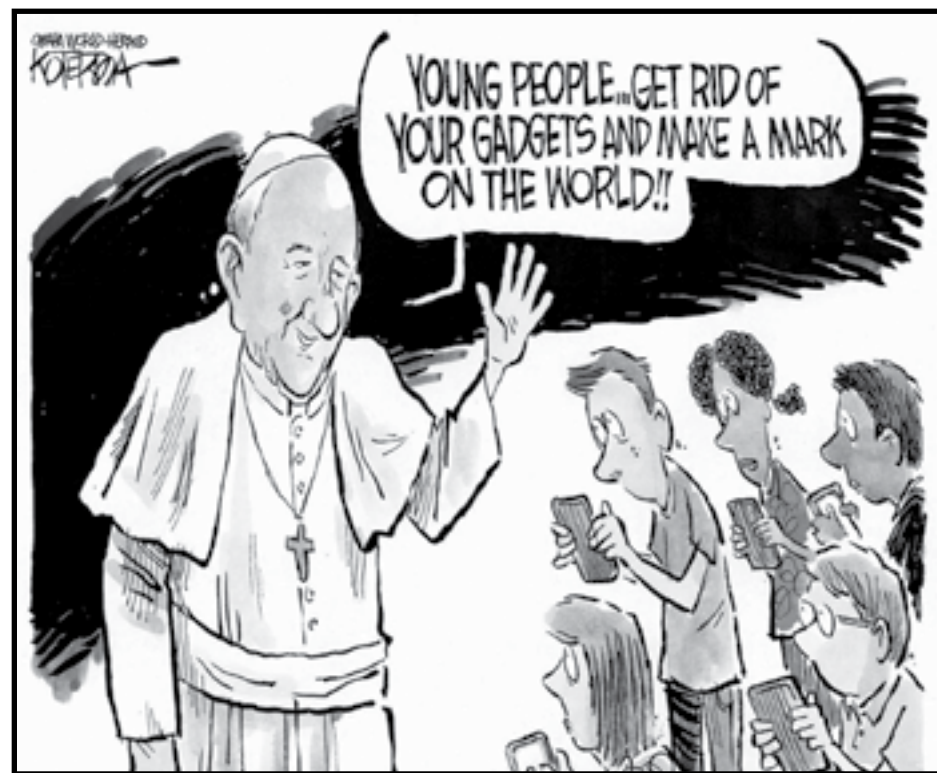
Right Brain Person -- intuitive; visual memory of pictures; dislikes written/verbal directions; masters larger concepts and backfills with information; good at juggling and doing several things at once; constant motion; minimal need for rules; loves color, free spirit, highly competitive; outspoken; embraces new challenges and ideas; natural at art, music, or problem solving; can see things in the "mind's eye,"

and makes it happen; spatial and three-dimensional thinkers; and always asks the question, "Why not?"

Put an equal number of Right and Left brains in a room and there is conflict, disagreement, and hurt feelings in the beginning . . . but a desire to understand, reason, compromise, and change self-centered-intent into "what-is-best-for-all" brings forth dynamic happenings.

The French Marshall Lyautey asked his gardener to plant a tree. The gardener objected, "the tree is slow-growing and will not reach maturity for a 100-years. Lyautey replied: "In that case, there is no time to lose; plant it this afternoon."

It is the season for planting, Salado.



Readers: Make the morally right decision

Dear Editor:

Who's the right choice? What is best for America? Trump? Clinton? Johnson (Libertarian)? Stein (Green)? Writein?

Not voting? Please consider the following facts.

Mr. Trump has denigrated women, blacks, those with disabilities, Latinos and just about everyone else.

He has repeatedly slandered Hispanics. Mr. Trump has told us that Mexico is sending us criminals and rapists. This is false and we all know it.. Mr. Trump suggested we pull out of NATO and not support NATO allies who don't pay membership..

How will America respond if a NATO country is attacked? Let 'em be overrun? Leave 'em hanging out?

His own party has condemned him. Mitch McConnell (a leader of the Senate majority, a strong opponent of the Democrats) has spoken out against Mr. Trump on multiple occasions., Ted Cruz, George Bush, Mitt Romney, John Kasich, John McCain, and Lindsey Graham are but a few of the rockribbed Republicans who will not support Mr. Trump. This month Trump has attacked leading Republicans who don't support him.

Your Voice

Letters to the Editor

Mr. Trump has demeaned one of the Republicans' shining stars-Senator John McCain saying he isn't a hero. Mr. Trump said that a real hero wouldn't have been captured. Senator McCain, an American of the first class, was a prisoner of war for over five years during the Vietnam war. Mr. McCain is and always will be a hero. If that's not enough Mr. Trump has called our military a disaster. Trump has suggested Russia hack into Ms. Clinton's emails. On multiple occasions he has praised Russian Premier Vladimir Putin. Suggesting that an adversary commit espionage on the U.S. does not fit the definition of an American leader He has refused to release his federal tax returns. Those who are knowledgeable of the tax laws say that his claim that he is unable to release his tax information because of an audit is false. Trump can release his tax information any time. In July The Wall Street Journal suggested that those tax documents might show a financial connection with Russians or with Putin.

Law and order was

mentioned so often in his acceptance speech that it echoed dictators, despots and tyrants of the past. He boasts that he is the ONLY one who can fix America's problems.

There isn't space to list all of Mr. Trump's offenses. We should look at his record of public service. Is there any?

Clinton is the other viable candidate. Like her or not she has experience, intelligence and political savvy.

Why in God's name did she use her private email while serving as U.S. Secretary of State then lie about it to the FBI? At the very least those two events are irrational.

We should look at her public service record of twenty five years.

If you find yourself backing a Presidential candidate who disses women and minorities, bullies and belittles those with disabilities, invites our enemies to influence our presidential election, praises our foes, criticizes our military is he really the kind

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President signs Carter/Cornyn Police Act

The threat of an active shooter is increasingly real. Sadly, Central Texans and all Americans are all too familiar with responding to active shooters. The deadly attacks in Killeen, Fort Hood, Dallas, joined with the tragic events outside of Texas, including those in San Bernardino, Sandy Hook, and Virginia Tech, are all cruel reminders of the threat active shooters are to society. Routinely we hear a chorus of support for law enforcement, but more must be done to prepare against these growing threats.

Knowing that we must do all we can to support our law enforcement officers, I wrote the "Protecting Our Lives by Initiating COPS Expansion Act of 2016 (the POLICE Act)" which will provide the Department of Justice with greater flexibility in funding active shooter response training through existing grants. And with the help of Senator John Cornyn of Texas, we were able to get this legislation passed and signed into law by President Obama.

Active shooter training works. When the terrorist Nidal Hasan attacked Fort Hood in 2009, two civilian officers trained at the Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERRT) facility in San Marcos, Texas responded and helped bring an end to the violence and bloodshed.

Today, more than 8,000 police agencies across our country, roughly 45 percent, have undergone some form of Active Shooter training. Clearly the value of the training for our emergency responders is self-evident and the need is greater than ever before. The POLICE Act opens alternative avenues to fund this vital training.

I'm proud to have authored the POLICE Act and know that it can make a real difference in law enforcement training. I'm not the only one. The Fraternal Order of Police, along with other law enforcement associations, have offered their full support and endorsement of this important legislation.

The POLICE Act will help ensure our men and women of law enforcement and all emergency responders are provided the tools to be the best trained for any situation. Including active shooter training as criteria for applying for Community Oriented Policing Service grants will provide opportunities for training where the need is greatest. The better trained our first responders are, the safer we all are.

Capitol Comments

U.S. Rep. John Carter



Sadly, many first responders believe it is not if, but when, extremists will again terrorize our businesses, schools, and families. The threat is real, we must be prepared, and active shooter training has proven to help save lives. The POLICE Act is part of

the solution to the deadly problem of active shooters and I will continue to do all I can to support our law enforcement and emergency personnel.

Rep. Carter represents Texas District 31.



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New faces will greet Salado students

There will be several new faces at the Thomas Arnold Elementary and Salado Intermediate School Campuses when students return for the first day of school on Aug. 23.



Monica Cloe
Education and Certifications: Bachelor's in Kinesiology from Stephen F. Austin State University
Teaching Experience: "This will be my first full year."

Subjects and Grade Levels: fourth grade math

Why are you a Teacher: "I actually have taught in various ways my entire life, whether my brother and younger cousins liked it or not. I believe teaching is a calling. I spent many years trying other jobs but nothing ever felt as fulfilling as watching students grow in knowledge and confidence over the year.

Extra-curricular activities: "Currently I do not but am not opposed to helping out where I can."



Ashton Cooper
Teacher's Education and Certifications: Special Education

Teaching Experience: 2 years at TISD

Subjects and Grade Levels: 6,7,8

Why are you a Teacher: I love helping students build for their future. I'm

really excited about being at Salado and I look forward to a great year of teaching and coaching.

Extra-curricular activities: Athletics



Jared Cruddas
Education and Certifications: Bachelor's degree from Midwestern State University

Teaching Experience: 11 years as a Teacher/coach in Killeen ISD

Subjects and Grade Levels: "I will be teaching Physical Education for grade kindergarten - 3rd grade."

Why are you a Teacher: "In the spring of 2005, My high school soccer coach approached me and asked if I would be interested in becoming an educator/coach. After our discussion I knew it would be a good fit. I immediately receive my emergency certification for the state of Texas and began teaching in the fall of 2005."

Extra-curricular activities: Coaching middle school soccer and assistant high school soccer.



Madison Farnham
Education and Certifications: Master of Education in Curriculum and Instruction with certifications in Generalist 4th-8th grade and ESL

Teaching Experience: 1st year teacher

Subjects and Grade Levels: 4th Grade Writing

Why are you a Teacher: I developed a passion to become a teacher during college when I recognized the value and importance of education. I enjoy serving those around me using the gifts God has given me. Throughout my college career, I was able to tutor

ESL to international students, as well as tutor Biblical Hebrew to students. I was placed in leadership positions where teaching was a component of the work. During my time in tutoring and leadership, I developed a sense of calling to remain in an area of teaching and leadership as a career. Many people in my life affirmed that they saw me as a teacher, so I prayerfully decided to pursue a Master's degree in education. One of my favorite passages to meditate on is "Blessed is the one who finds wisdom..." Proverbs 3:13 My hope is that by humbly seeking wisdom, I can make an impact on my students' lives. I hope they will become people who love learning and take up every opportunity to be life-long learners.



Pam Garcia Harler

Education and Certifications: Human Resources Degree from TSU/ Master's Degree MBA from Texas A&M - CT EC-6 Certified

Teaching Experience: I taught 1st grade for four years and this will be my second year teaching kindergarten.

Subjects and Grade Levels: Kindergarten

Why are you a Teacher: Teaching is such a rewarding career. I became a teacher because I love learning and want to inspire kids to learn and grow.



Shannon Heinzen

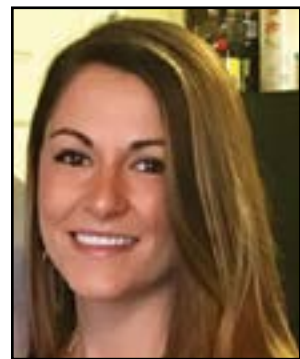
Education and Certifications: Bachelor of Business Administration from St. Edward's University in Austin, Texas. Texas Educator Certificate for General Teacher EC-4 and

ESL (English as a Second Language)

Teaching Experience: I have taught first grade for 9 years in Round Rock.

Subjects and Grade Levels: All subjects in first grade.

Why are you a Teacher: I became a teacher because I really enjoy children and helping them learn. I especially love first grade because it's the year children make the biggest academic leap in their reading. It's very rewarding to guide them from being emergent readers to lifelong learners! It's just really special to be a part of that development. Plus, I also enjoy being a part of the community and making connections with families.



Taylor Klehm

Teacher's Education and Certifications: EC-6 with a Master's in Early Childhood Education

Teaching Experience: None- first year

Subjects and Grade Levels: First grade

Why are you a Teacher: Working with children has always been a passion of mine. My goal as an educator is to provide a safe and fun learning environment that children can look forward to coming to everyday. I cannot wait to grow and learn with my first ever group of kiddos!



Sarah Naegele

Education and Certifications: Elementary Education Bachelor's of Arts with Early Childhood Minor from Purdue University in Indiana. Texas Certifications Generalist EC-4 and Elementary 1-8

Teaching Experience: 13 years

Subjects and Grade Levels: 1st grade

Why are you a Teacher: I love being a teacher and can't imagine myself doing anything else. Growing up, I loved school and learning, especially math! In elementary school, I adored my teachers and thought all of them were absolutely beautiful and always showed them respect. In middle school, I loved the teachers who pushed me to go above and beyond what was expected. In high school, I admired the teachers who were honest with me and helped prepare me for college. I wanted to be a part of this elite group. Today, I have a strong belief in building relationships with students and their families. I set high expectations which allows students to become independent and caring individuals who show compassion and integrity towards those around them. I feel very humbled to see former students in the community represent wonderful citizenship and know that I had some part in molding them into who they've become today.

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Sarah Norman

Education and Certifications: Bachelor's from Texas A&M Central Texas, Master's will be completed in December from Lamar University. Certified as a teacher in EC-4 and 4-8 and school counselor EC-12.

Teaching Experience: 7 years in Killeen ISD.

Subjects and Grade Levels: Counselor for grades 3-6.

I became a teacher because I wanted to make a difference in kids lives. I want to be able to help the students who hate school because they are struggling. I want to walk with them through their hardship and help them find the joy in understanding a subject that has made them hate school. I also want to be a teacher who stands by the kids who love school and make sure they continue to do their best.

Subjects and Grade Levels: 4th, 5th, 6th, PE

Why are you a Teacher: I became a teacher to follow in my mother and fathers footsteps. I saw how many lives they changes and helped so many children and I wanted to be able to help young people feel valued and be successful in life.

Extra-curricular activities: Football, Track

I was blessed with many opportunities to volunteer in the local church, in the elementary school and at various camps. These experiences and opportunities only reaffirmed my desire to teach.

I aspire to help all students have a deep love for life long learning and help them become independent problem solvers.

I am so excited to be back home in Salado.



Melissa Wilson

Education and Certifications: Texas A&M University, BS in Interdisciplinary Studies

Teaching Experience: I have seven years experience in the public schools. I have also taught preschool and adults through a volunteer program.

Subjects and Grade Levels: I will be teaching 3rd grade Math.

Why are you a Teacher: I have always loved school. I enjoyed learning and sharing. Growing up, our family moved several

times. I had the opportunity to be in several different schools in different areas of the country. I think those experiences added to my love of learning. When it became time to think about what I wanted to get up and do everyday, teaching was a natural fit for me. I still enjoy the learning and sharing that goes on in my classroom every



Didi Ramsey

Education and Certifications: BA in Psychology from Angelo State University in 1999; Teacher Certification from LeTourneau University 2006.

Teaching Experience: I have been teaching for 12 years. I have experience in all levels of special education and inclusion settings and have experience in behavior/autism settings.

Subjects and Grade Levels: I am very excited to be teaching 3rd grade at the intermediate school!

Why are you a Teacher: The one thing I knew in college was that I wanted to make a difference in kids' lives. I volunteered with troubled youth while in college so initially, after I graduated, I became a juvenile probation officer and felt like I could really make an impact for children who were in need of positive role models. I then worked with families of children born with disabilities which eventually led to my teaching path.

While I didn't take the direct teaching career path, I was led to the role. I would not change a thing. Each of the avenues that I have experience in all go back to my fundamental goal of helping kids.



Samantha Rives

Education and Certifications: West Texas A&M-Certified in elementary education. EC-6.

Teaching Experience: 3 Years.

Subjects and Grade Levels: 4th Grade Core Extension.

Why are you a Teacher: After graduating high school, I knew I wanted to either become a teacher or a nurse. I got the opportunity to work in an after school program during my first semester of college and absolutely loved it. I love working with children and want to make a difference in each child's life.



Erin Oldham

Education and Certifications: Bachelor of Fine Arts in Studio Art.

Teaching Experience: First year.

Subjects and Grade Levels: EC-12 Art

Why are you a Teacher: I want to have an impact in a child's life and share my passion for the Arts.



Coco Perry

Education and Certifications: Angelo State University. Master's in Guidance and Counseling. Certified school counselor Pk-12th grade.

Teaching Experience: 7 years teaching and 7 years counseling (14 total). Prior school districts are Florence and Georgetown ISD.

Subjects and Grade Levels: I taught pre-k, kinder, and 1st grades. I was a middle school counselor in Georgetown for 4 years, and an elementary counselor in Florence for 3 years.

Why are you a Teacher: I became a teacher because I am passionate about helping children learn and grow. As a school counselor, I advocate for all students and work closely with teachers and families. This is my 15th year in education and I feel very blessed to be here at Thomas Arnold Elementary School!



Jessica Williams

Education and Certifications: Bachelor's of Science in Interdisciplinary Studies, Summa Cum Laude from Stephen F Austin State University

Teaching Experience: 5 years at Killeen ISD: one year of 5th grade math, three years 1st grade gifted and talented and one year of kindergarten

Subjects and Grade Levels: Kindergarten-reading, phonics, and science

Why are you a Teacher: Teaching has been the profession of my dreams for as long as I can remember. Mrs. Owen, my kindergarten teacher, influenced my decision to become a teacher because of the special memories I shared in her classroom. Her caring actions continued even after I left her classroom.

Growing up in Salado



Blake Rives

Education and Certifications: Tarleton State - PE, Health, Business, History.

Teaching Experience: 8 Years.



Haley Pietsch

Education and Certifications: Concordia University Texas "14; Region 12 Alternative Certification.

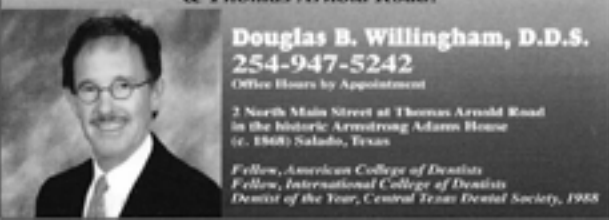
Teaching Experience: This is my first year in the Education Field. I have substitute taught for the past year.

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Trace Nolen Tanguay was born at 6:54 p.m. July 28, 2016 at Temple Scott & White Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs., 11 oz. and measured 21 inches in length. He is the son of Tyler and Ashlee Tanguay of Salado. Ashlee is a graduate of Salado High School. Tyler is a graduate of Georgetown High School. Grandparents are Joe and Frances Arnold of Salado and Gloria Tanguay of Georgetown.

Nicholas Brown of Salado graduates from Rochester

ROCHESTER, NY: Rochester Institute of Technology celebrated its 131st Academic Convocation in May. Diplomas were distributed to graduates following the event at separate ceremonies held by each of RIT's nine colleges and two academic centers.

Nicholas Brown of Salado received a BS in mechanical engineering from RIT's Kate Gleason College of Engineering.

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Baylor sleep expert gives tips to switch students from summer to school

WACO: Students soon will leave behind the lazy summer days and go back to school, leaping — or crawling — out of bed when that early alarm clock goes off.

It can be a shock to the system — especially for adolescents, whose natural sleep pattern tends to be late to bed, late to rise, says Michael K. Scullin, Ph.D., director of Baylor University's Sleep Neuroscience and Cognition Laboratory and assistant professor of psychology and neuroscience in the College of Arts & Sciences.

But regardless of age, "What you find in the research is that the more variable your schedule, the worse your cognition is going to be," he said. And that's a minus for students shooting for good grades.

What to do? Don't put off getting back into a normal schedule. "If you go to bed after midnight on Sunday be-

fore class starts, it's going to be a tough Monday," Scullin said. "It's very hard to shift your schedule overnight, so parents need to start imposing that a few days early."

Ditch the bright lights. "Phones, tablets, laptops, television . . . It's hard to get those completely out of the post-dinner schedule, but you don't want to be crawling into bed with the phone. And if there are bright lights outside, you might block them out with blackout curtains."

Aim for quiet. Whether the sound is from a nearby airport, busy road or snoring roommate, it can disturb a sound snooze. "Earplugs are a good, inexpensive solution," Scullin said.

Consider banishing that beloved pet from the bed. The pup, twitching and whimpering as he chases dream rabbits, can be disruptive; so can the cat who claims dead center

of the bed, leaving her human clinging to the edge. "You can't just kick them out and expect them to not be upset, but you can get them a bed of their own and be firm about it," Scullin said.

Cut out the caffeine by late afternoon and don't chow down late in the

day. "Even some grade-school individuals go to Starbucks for an afternoon treat," Scullin said. "And a heavy meal isn't great for sleep. Research shows that food high in saturated fats interferes with quality sleep. Foods that are high in fiber and low in saturated fats are better."

Community Bible study of Isaiah registering now

The Temple-Belton Community Bible Study (CBS) adult evening class is currently registering members for next year's 30 week in-depth inter-denominational Bible Study of Isaiah.

Beginning Sept. 12, the class will meet 7:30-9 p.m. on Mondays in the small sanctuary of First Baptist Church of Belton, at Sixth and Main Streets.

Individuals may choose to participate in core groups for men, women, or married couples.

Each week, participants

receive a reading commentary on the previous week's topic and a set of questions to work on each day covering the next week's reading. These questions are discussed in small groups of about 15. Following the small groups there is a short teaching over the same section of Scripture.

The class will break for Christmas and spring vacations and finish in May 2017.

For additional information, contact the class coordinator at (254) 773-1842.



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Community Briefs

CAC offers Fall classes for children

The Cultural Activities Center is enrolling for fall children classes, and have a variety of new classes are being offered by experienced instructors for all levels. Pre-registration is required 1 week in advance so the teachers have the numbers for their supplies in advance of the class start date. New activities include art after school, acting, LEGO robotics, creative writing and more.

Aspiring artists can join Jennifer Bibler for Art After School, held on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 3:45-5 p.m. for ages 6-11. Starting Sept. 13, this mixed media art class includes drawing, painting, sculpting and collages. Cost is \$50 per month, and a \$5 supply fee is required on the first day of class.

Young actors can develop theater skills in Taking the Stage. The ten-week class will cover theater fundamentals including

projection, characterization, blocking, creativity, auditioning, and much more. At the end of the fall semester, auditions will be held for the full-length spring production and all students will receive a role. Held on Thursdays at 4:30-6 p.m., the class starts Sept. 8 for ages 8-18 and is \$65 per month. Taking the Stage is taught by veteran actor/director Angela Everett who has 36 years of acting experience, including one year of acting in a Christian television sitcom.

Bricks 4 Kidz will return to the CAC this fall with two classes to build science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) concepts. Wheels in Motion, held on Fridays starting Sept. 9 at 10:30 a.m.-noon, will use LEGO bricks and battery packs to build vehicles used on the job. The five-week course is \$40 for ages 4-10. Robotics for ages 8 and up

will let students experience cutting edge technology and the newest generation of motors, sensors and software. Using the EV3 program and an intelligent brick, students will build a draw bot that can hold a pen and write with it. Robotics is held on Mondays beginning Sept. 12 at 3:45-5 p.m. and is \$50 for the five-week course.

Grab a pencil and paper and jump on board your own train of thought for the 'write' of a lifetime. Widely published and acclaimed poet Cynthia Linzy will teach Children's Creative Writing, including visualization exercises and tricks for improving reading, writing and creative skills. Held on Wednesdays starting Sept. 7 for ages 8-12, students can attend at either 10-11 a.m. or 3:45-4:45 p.m. Cost for the month-long class is \$35, and students will need to bring a composition book to the

first class.

Tot Spot will return in the fall with fun crafts and story time in the galleries for preschoolers 2-6 years old. Held every third Monday at 10 a.m.-11:15 a.m., registration for each class is \$3/child for members and \$5/child for non-members. A list of crafts for each month is listed on the CAC website at cacARTS.org. Tot Spot will be moved up one week to Dec. 12 for the holidays. For Aug. 15, the activity is Popsicle paintings, pineapple and watermelon crafts. Sept. 19 the activity will be apple craft, and Chicka Chicka Boom falling letter tree craft.

All other activities and dates can be found online at cacARTS.org

The Cultural Activities Center, located at 3011 North Third Street in Temple, www.cacARTS.org or call 254-773-9926 for more information.

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Plan now for an evening of harmony sprinkled with intrigue, laughter and good old-fashioned pie on Nov. 19 when Chisholm Trail Chorus of Sweet Adelines International presents "American Pie: A Slice of Harmony" at the Cultural Activities Center in Temple.

Reserved seats are \$20 and include pie tastings and door prizes. Tickets for the 7 p.m. performance are available at <http://www.cacarts.org>; or by calling 254-773-9926.

"Pie bakers are creative but most people don't know they often have a competitive streak, especially when their reputation is on display at the local fair," says show co-chair Sheila Donahue, stifling a smile. "This year, the Pie Queen has a lot at stake. Our chorus will perform songs associated with a variety of American music genres as the pie drama unfolds on stage."

Chisholm Trail Chorus likes to include community groups in its annual show and this year the four-part harmony group will be joined on stage by The Schade Tree Band, made up of four local talented musicians who play guitar, banjo, mandolin and fiddle. Between the chorus and the band, the show will cover folk, bluegrass, contemporary and classic rock, country, blues, pop, inspirational, patriotic and barbershop genres.

The Schade Tree Band includes John Schade, Her-shall Seals, Gloria Holle and Willis Patton. They are the house band for the Belton Acoustic Concerts and have performed at the Tom Sefcik Hall, Temple's Santa Fest, Oenaville Community Center, Tem-

ple Railroad and Heritage Museum and numerous charity fundraisers, senior centers and churches.

Also sharing the evening's spotlight will be Temple High School Culinary Arts students, who will serve mini pies at intermission; and Karen Wheeler, the Belton "pie lady," who is donating four of her famous pies to be given away throughout the evening. Sponsors for the show also include Concen-

tus Media Group of Temple.

Chisholm Trail Chorus is the premier women's a cappella group in Central Texas. The group performs choreographed classic and contemporary music in 4-part barbershop harmony. They hold weekly educational rehearsals in Temple and sing throughout Central Texas. The chorus, directed by Carol Scherer, is comprised of singers from Temple, Belton, Troy,

Copperas Cove, Harker Heights, Kempner, Lometa, Rogers, Little River and Georgetown. All women who enjoy singing are invited to attend any Thursday night rehearsal at the Cultural Activities Center in Temple. Auditions are held continuously throughout the year. More information is available at www.chisholmtrailchorus.org, on the group's Facebook page and on Meetup.

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George Murphy
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Wesley Pershall

Dear Editor:

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Dear Editor:

Some 60 years of "gradualism" have brought

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The number one presidential challenge is to protect and defend our nation from any threat both domestic and foreign. A WWII slogan come to mind that describes her succinctly, "Loose Lips Sink Ships." There is little doubt she compromised our nation's secrets as the drip-drip-drip release of her emails demonstrate.

Maurice Striegler
Salado

To the Editor:

I just wanted to say a big heartfelt "thank you" to the family of Virginia Mathews for putting together the retrospective showing, lovingly sharing her creations of artwork to celebrate the 50th year of the Historic Salado Art Fair of which Virginia was one the founders. And also for opening up the Baines House, Virginia's house, to all of us, and treating us to their generous table of delicious goodies. It was a joy to see her whimsical stitched and painted pieces again and to be in her house bringing back good memories of such a gracious, kind, and lovely Texas lady. She was the first person to welcome me to Salado with her warm and friendly ways. We got to be good friends, working in her beloved shop "The Women's Exchange" where if you brought something to sell there then you also helped out a day a week. Well she did so many wonderful social and meaningful things for Salado and we are all better for it.

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Treble Soul is the duo of Curt Jones and Hannah Prestridge.

Summer Sizzle Continues Salado's Pocket Music Series on Saturday

The Salado Chamber of Commerce/Tourism Bureau will co-host the Second Saturday Pocket Music Series on Aug. 13.

Summer is hot, hot, hot so come over to Salado for some cool tunes! Salado is the place to be to enjoy a variety of genres to suit every musical taste while you shop, eat, stroll or just enjoy the surroundings of the Village.

Native Texan, Tommy Kruger will perform 1 - 3 p.m. on the patio of Ambrosia Tea Room at 102 N Main.

Kruger, not only writes his own material but delivers it in his own style. His singing style, finger picking guitar work and original recordings are all distinctly his own. "You will be amazed with his Harmonic impressions" say his fans. When asked what type of music he performs, Tommy will typically answer "Bluesy Texas Country music that you can get your thump on."

While being based out of Texas, Tommy's past performances have taken him down man musical roads to venues all over the great USA and Europe. European folks are very accepting to his music when his self-penned "Down in San Antonio" went to #12 on their charts.

Tommy is releasing a new CD this Summer, 2016. This ten (10) song project consists of seven (7) originals and three cover tunes (Merle Haggard, Willie Nelson and Tony Joe White). This new CD is an acoustic/solo work which best captures his live show sound.

Recorded at RPT's Library in Salado, you will hear Krugers bluesy Texas country at its authentic best.

Treble Soul performs noon - 2 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co, 108 Royal Street

This local duo has opened for headliners Gloriana and Tracy Lawrence. Curt Jones is a Louisiana native who moved to Nashville to pursue a music career. While he was there, he was introduced to Texas native Hannah Prestridge by John Taylor at the legendary Tootsies and they started playing Tennessee hot spots such as Rippy's, Tequila Cowboy, Legends, The Row, The Hard Rock Café and Honky Tonk Central. The duo soon played their way back to Texas and decided to make this their permanent home when they welcomed a daughter in January, 2015. They currently play in Austin, Waco, Temple, San Antonio, and everywhere in between. They are currently booking festivals, fairs, various bars, clubs, special events, private parties and house concerts.

Michael Saldana will follow Treble Soul 2 - 4 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co.

Raised in the small town of Hillsboro Texas, Michael Saldana picked up playing guitar from his stepfather in 2005. It was then he knew music would be a big part of his life. In 2008 he started playing in small bars and private parties around Waco with local artist Dustin Terrel, Colton Hawkins, and JD Johnson.

After 8 years of growing in the music business he has become a fan of the Texas Red Dirt Music Scene. Playing many places in Texas such as San Antonio, Salado, Temple, Belton, Waco, Whitney, Burleson, Cedar Hill, and all up and down Hwy I-35. Opening up for well-known Texas Artists such as Deryl Dodd, Aaron Einhouse, Curtis Grimes, Bleu Edmonson, Kirk Baxley, and Zane Williams. In 2016, he was nominated and won Solo/Duo of the Year for the Music Association of Central Texas Groovy Awards.

Joe Berg performs 2 - 4 p.m. at Antique Rose of Bell, 402 North Main.

The sounds of well-known crooners seem to have spoken to Joe Berg and he chooses his music from that era that continues to hold his interest. Surely his love for music is a family gift, as many others members of the family are musicians. Joe's father, Harley Berg, was not known for his music but for his television wildlife program. Not many people knew that in the '20s Harley had a dance band and performed throughout Texas. His uncle was known as a golfer but he also was a professional musician. This passion for music has passed on to Joe. Although he states that he started to sing for himself to see if he could, he believes that he continues to perform because audiences appreciate and understand his love of this music.



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Village of Salado Calendar of Events

AUGUST 11

Salado: Jewel in the Crown of Texas advertising deadline. Edition on stands October thru December. info: (254)947-5321

AUGUST 11

Salado Family Relief Fund back to school distribution, 4 - 6 p.m. at Salado Presbyterian Church. Bring proof of enrollment at SISD, photo ID and eligibility document

AUGUST 11

Village of Salado Budget Workshop, 6:30 p.m. at the Municipal Building

AUGUST 13

Salado's Pocket Music Series: Barrow Brewing - noon Treble Soul, 2 p.m. Michael Saldana; Antique Rose of Bell - 2 p.m. Joe Berg; Ambrosia Tea Room patio - 1 p.m. Tommy Kruger

AUGUST 13 - 14

Salado Market Days, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at Salado Antique Mall, 721 Stagecoach Road, behind Dee's Antiques on Main. info: (254) 947-3355

AUGUST 13

Korean Kravings Food Truck and Live Music from The March Divide, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com



Salado Market Days returns August 13 - 14 to the grounds of Salado Antique Mall. Special savings throughout the mall and a variety of vendors in the parking lot. Market Days is held the second Saturday of each month year round.

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AUGUST 14

Asanas & Ales, 7 - 8 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. info: barrowbrewing.com

AUGUST 15

Salado Masonic Lodge Stated Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

AUGUST 18

Pre-K Parent Meeting, 5:30 - 6 p.m. at Thomas Arnold Elementary. For parents of students registered and qualifying for the 3 and 4 year old classes. Parents only.

AUGUST 18

The Priest's Pint, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

AUGUST 18

Kindergarten Parent Meeting, 6 - 6:45 p.m. at Thomas Arnold Elementary. All Kindergarten parents are encouraged to attend. Parents only.

AUGUST 20

Meet the Eagles, 6 p.m. at Salado High gym. Food Trucks, Bouncy Houses and an Eagle Fan Auction

AUGUST 20

DAM Sandwiches Food Truck and Live Music from Wayworn Traveler, 6 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

AUGUST 23

First day of classes at Salado ISD

AUGUST 26

Napa Valley Wine Dinner, 6:30 p.m. at Alexander's Distillery. Reservations: (254) 947-5554

AUGUST 26

Royal Art Walk, 6 - 9 p.m. info: royalstreetartwalk.com

AUGUST 27

Live Music with Justin Bravo, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

AUGUST 27

Grills & Chills, 6 p.m. on Church Street behind Mud Pies. Slider cook-off to benefit Salado Family Relief Fund. Register your team at (254) 913-2841

AUGUST 31

Public meeting on Salado ISD 2016-2017 tax rate, 6 p.m. at Salado Civic Center

SEPTEMBER 3

Finadene Food Truck and Live Music from The Shady Rest Band, 7 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

Bell County Star Party, 8 - 11 p.m. at Overlook Park, Stillhouse Hollow Lake on FM1670. Central Texas Astronomi-

cal Society. info: centex-astronomy.org.

SEPTEMBER 5

No Salado ISD classes

SEPTEMBER 5

Salado Public Library closed

SEPTEMBER 10 - 11

Salado Market Days, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at Salado Antique Mall, 721 Stagecoach Road, behind Dee's Antiques on Main. info: (254) 947-3355

SEPTEMBER 10

Korean Kravings Food Truck at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

SEPTEMBER 12

Salado Masonic Lodge Stated Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 13

Estate Planning with Ken Reynolds of Edward Jones, 6 p.m. at Salado Church of Christ Activity Center

SEPTEMBER 15

The Priest's Pint, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

SEPTEMBER 16-18

Chocolate & Wine Weekend info: salado.com

SEPTEMBER 17

DAM Sandwiches Food Truck and Live Music from Wayworn Traveler, 6 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

SEPTEMBER 17

Keep Salado Beautiful Fall Village Cleanup

SEPTEMBER 24 - 25

Auditions for A Christmas Carol & Fright Trail at Tablerock. info: (254) 947-9205

OCTOBER 1

Salado Cemetery Historical Tour, 4 - 6 p.m. sponsored by Salado Historical Society and Tablerock. info: (254) 947-9205

OCTOBER 7 - 8

Christmas in October, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. at The Venue on College Street.

OCTOBER 8 - 9

Salado Market Days, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. at Salado Antique Mall, 721 Stagecoach Road, behind Dee's Antiques on Main. info: (254) 947-3355

OCTOBER 8

Fall Garden Tour, Coordinated by Keep Salado Beautiful and Public Arts League of Salado info: keepsalado-beautiful.com

OCTOBER 8

Bell County Star Party, 6:30 - 9 p.m. at Overlook Park, Stillhouse Hollow Lake on FM1670. Central Texas Astronomical Society. info: centex-astronomy.org.

OCTOBER 10

Salado Masonic Lodge Stated Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Oct. 11 - Nov. 3

Early Voting for the General Election at Salado Civic Center.

OCTOBER 15

Smokin' Sneakers Run, 1/2 marathon and 5K to benefit Salado Volunteer Fire Department. info: active.com

OCTOBER 15

The Lions Roar Track and Field Games

Oct. 15, 22 & 29

Tablerock's Fright Trail, 6:30 - 9 p.m. info: (254) 947-9205

OCTOBER 16

St. Stephen Catholic Church Fall Fest info: (254) 947-8037

OCTOBER 21 - 23

Ultra 520K Texas Race info: ultra502k-texas.com

NOVEMBER 5

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TUES - SAT

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THRU AUGUST 5

Summer Reading Challenge at Salado Public Library. Visit the library for a challenge list.

THRU AUGUST 7

Salado Youth Soccer Association Registration, registration: saladoyouth-soccer.com

MONDAYS

Yoga for Women's Health, 9 a.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Children's Story and Craft Time, 11 a.m. at Salado Public Library. info: (254) 947-9191

Salado Village Artists Stitches & Knitters, 2 p.m. at Salado Village Artists Building.

Classified advertising deadline for Salado Village Voice, noon. info: advertising@saladovillagevoice.com

Monday Madness Sale, 2 - 5 p.m. at Stamp Salado.

Yoga Basics & Beyond, 6 p.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. 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.

Monday Club, 2 p.m. at Salado United Methodist Church Youth Activities Center

Salado Historical Society board meeting, 6 p.m. at Salado Public Library.

SECOND MONDAY

Second Monday Book Club at Salado Winery, 7 - 9 p.m.

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

Salado FFA Meeting, 6 p.m. at Salado High School AG building Sept. - May.

Salado Youth Fair Booster Club meeting, after the FFA meeting at Salado High School AG building. Info: SYFB-Club@gmail.com

Salado Athletic Boosters Club meeting, 7 p.m. at the High School Library. (no July meeting)

THIRD MONDAY

Salado United Methodist Women, 5:45 p.m. at Salado United Methodist Church Room 117

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

FOURTH MONDAY

Salado Public Library Board of Trustees Meeting, 5 p.m. at the library

TUESDAYS

Learning English Among Friends (LEAF) class, 4:30 p.m. at Thomas Arnold Elementary. Class for Salado ISD parents interested in learning English. 947-6910

YogaStrong, 9-10 a.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Salado Village Artists, Village Art Building, 9 a.m., Bring your artwork **third Tuesday** will be set up for still life.

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

Sit & Knit, 10 a.m. - noon at Salado Public Library. info: (254) 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.

Chair Yoga, noon - 1 p.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Tex Mex Tuesday at Alexander's Distillery (254) 947-5554

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. info: 254-947-1833

Restorative Yoga, 6 - 7 p.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Team Roping Practice, 6:30 p.m. at 3C Cowboy Fellowship Arena. Call before you haul 947-7214

FIRST TUESDAY

Salado Village Artists Board Meeting, 9 a.m. at the Village Art Building. Followed by General Meeting at 10:30 a.m.

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

THIRD TUESDAY

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

Bunco, 6:30 p.m. at Salado Lone Star Winery and Chupacabra Craft Beer

WEDNESDAYS

IN.FORM course, 5 p.m. at Angelic Herbs. Info: (254) 947-1909



Sit and Knit at the Salado Public Library on Tuesdays. Bring your current knit, crochet or other needle art project and create with friends.

Yoga for Core, 8 - 8:50 a.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Power Flow Yoga level 1&2, 6:10-7:10 p.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

WOW Wednesday at Angelic Herbs. 947-1909

Wine Wednesday at Alexander's Distillery (254) 947-5554

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 Flow & Glow Yoga, 8:45-10:15am. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Chair Yoga, noon - 1 p.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Hatha Flow levels 1&2, 6:15 - 7:15 p.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

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 a.m. at the Salado United Methodist Church Youth Activities Center.

Crop Night, 5 - 9 p.m. at Stamp Salado, \$5 reservation required: (254) 947-8848

Team Roping Practice, 7 p.m. at 3C Cowboy Fellowship Arena. Call before you haul 947-7214

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

Yoga on Salado Square, 9 - 9:45 a.m., info: erinelizabechlabbadie.com

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.

FOURTH THURSDAY Team Roping Practice, 7 p.m. at 3C Cowboy Fellowship Arena. Call before you haul 947-7214

FRIDAYS Pop in for a pastry, 8:30 - 9:30 a.m. at First Community Title.

Display advertising deadline for Salado Village Voice, noon. info: advertising@saladovillagevoice.com

Hecho En Queso food truck, 4-10 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

Friday Night Special at Mill Creek Country Club Bar and Grill. Menu changes every week. Call 947-5698.

FOURTH FRIDAY Fourth Friday Gospel Singing, 7 p.m. at First Cedar Valley Baptist Church on FM 2843. Pot luck to follow, bring a favorite dish or dessert.

Royal Art Walk, late shopping, dining, art and entertainment

SATURDAYS

Hatha Flow Levels 1 & 2, 8:30-9:30 a.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623

Studio Time for Salado Village Artists members, 10 a.m. info: saladovillageartists.com

Prenatal Yoga, 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623.

Live music in The Lounge, upstairs at The Range Restaurant on Main St., 7 p.m. Artists change weekly. Check website for details.

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

SECOND SATURDAY Salado Pocket Music Series

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

Hatha Therapy, 3 - 4 p.m. at Salado Yoga and Wellness. Info: (254) 681-7623

SECOND SUNDAY Asanas and Ales, 6:30 p.m. at Barrow Brewing Co. on Royal Street. info: barrowbrewing.com

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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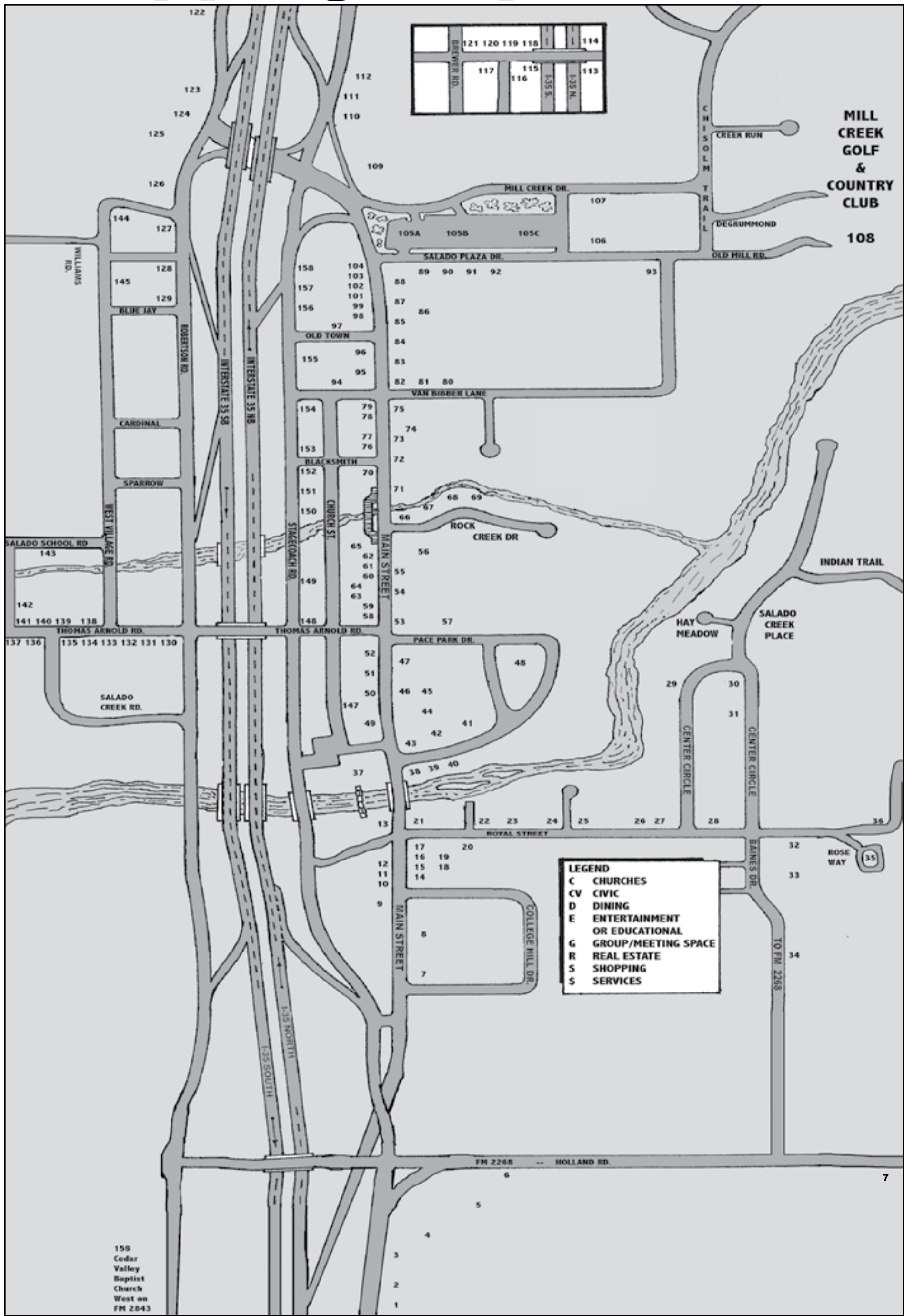
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| 3. The Play Yard Preschool 254-947-1153 S | 55. SALADO SQUARE 254-947-0027 L | 125. Fairway Sports Vehicles 254-947-4065 S |
| 4. Wildfire Ranch Arena 877-947-9988 E | 56. A. Magnolia's 254-947-0323 S | 131. Johnny's Steaks & Bar-Be-Que 254-947-4663 D |
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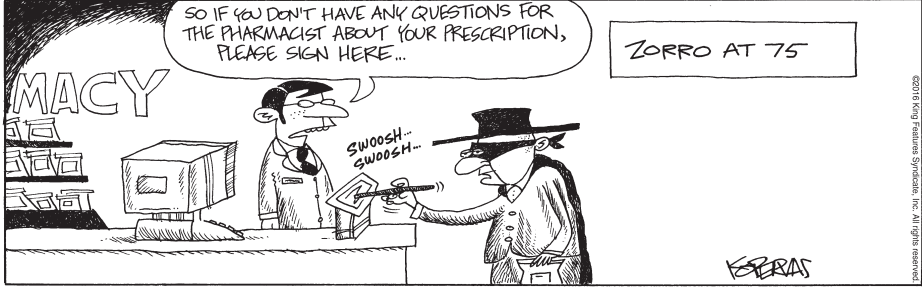
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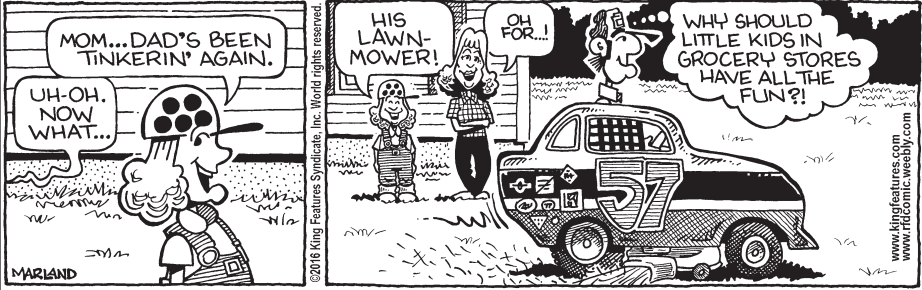
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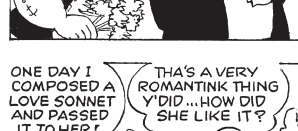
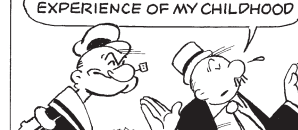
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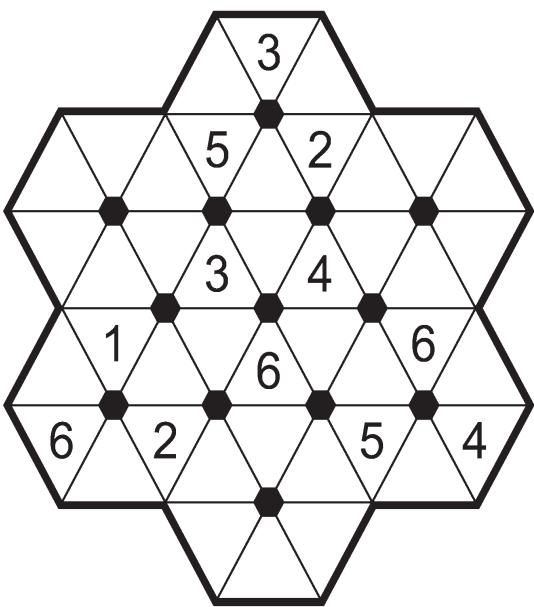
by Dave T. Phipps



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

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Answer

Weekly SUDOKU

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Answer

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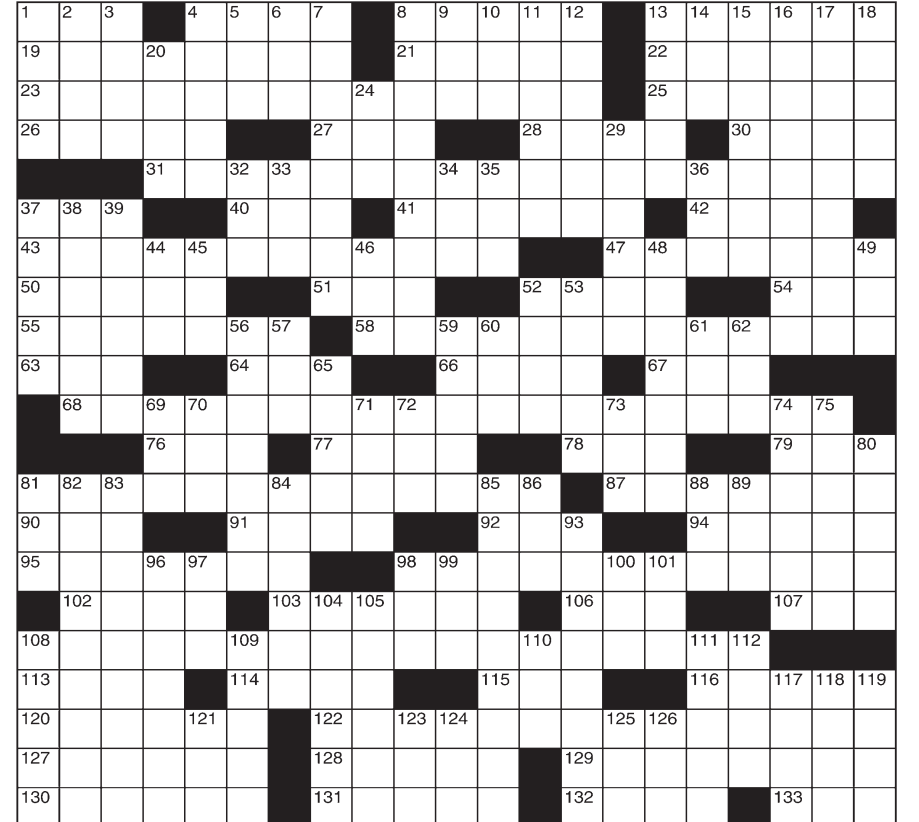
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Answer

Super Crossword

TOOLING AROUND

- ACROSS
- 1 Divine one
 - 4 Chew on
 - 8 Part of UPI
 - 13 "Yeah, and?"
 - 19 Gilbert and Sullivan work
 - 21 Try to swat
 - 22 Operate a 767, say
 - 23 Tool with a large bony projection?
 - 25 "La Isla —" (1987 Madonna hit)
 - 26 Freshwater polyp
 - 27 Clucking bird
 - 28 Eye, in Versailles
 - 30 Mined rocks
 - 31 On a tool's upper surface?
 - 37 Omph
 - 40 Roadside assistance gp.
 - 41 Odd one out
 - 42 Bazaar sight
 - 43 Tool given as a peace offering?
 - 47 Czarina, e.g.
 - 50 Glittery rock
 - 51 — Jacinto
 - 52 Jamie of old sitcom
 - 54 Sutcliffe or Erwin
 - 55 Trade sanction
 - 58 Hit a cartoon dad with a tool?
 - 63 Trendy resort
 - 64 State south of B.C.
 - 66 Ending for million
 - 67 Alert at sea
 - 68 Add-on accessory for a tool?
 - 76 "The Big Read" org.
 - 77 Ham's father
 - 78 Mode or king precursor
 - 79 Remind over and over
 - 81 Male bovine using a tool?
 - 87 Hurriedly
 - 90 "Be there — sec"
 - 91 Glen
 - 92 Owns
 - 94 Speak to the masses
 - 95 Get a steal at a store
 - 98 Use a tool on some Heinz products?
 - 102 Disintegrate, as cells
 - 103 Sees in the distance
 - 106 "— out" (ump's call)
 - 107 Before
 - 108 Priestest tool?
 - 113 "Permit Me Voyage" writer James
 - 114 "Mike & Mike" aier
 - 115 Taoism's — tzu
 - 116 Crude-carrying ship
 - 120 Venetian island
 - 122 Statement upon locating someone's lost tool in the dark?
 - 127 Expose by being a fink
 - 128 "It's —!" (quitter's cry)
 - 129 Getting set to propose
 - 130 Gauge
 - 131 Did it wrong
 - 132 Cries noisily
 - 133 Thing, in legalese
 - 8 Observable occurrences
 - 9 Divest (of)
 - 10 JFK posting
 - 11 Remove, as a branch
 - 12 Canonized fifth-cen. pope
 - 13 Weasel's kin
 - 14 — lacto-vegetarian
 - 15 Gain the support of
 - 16 Quality of a yeti or a yak
 - 17 Certifies
 - 18 Bedevil
 - 20 — avis (wonder)
 - 24 With 110-Down, post-tax revenue
 - 29 Buries
 - 32 — chi ch'uan
 - 33 Solo in films
 - 34 Followers of omicrons
 - 35 Pre-CIA gp.
 - 36 "The Racer's Edge"
 - 37 Printing units
 - 38 Free from obligation
 - 39 Big cheese
 - 44 Rx overseer
 - 45 Plop lead-in
 - 46 Informal turnaround
 - 48 X-ray alternative
 - 49 Earth lighter
 - 96 Parsons of "Roseanne"
 - 97 96-Down's manager
 - 98 Fish by letting the bait bob
 - 99 Clergyman's subj.
 - 100 JFK Library architect
 - 101 Deep anger
 - 104 Lying face-up
 - 105 Try to separate out, as gold
 - 108 One of the von Trapp daughters
 - 109 Time on end
 - 110 See 24-Down
 - 111 Riata's, e.g.
 - 112 Many a sunlit ledge
 - 117 Lion's den
 - 118 Suffix akin to -trix
 - 119 Partner of rules, briefly
 - 121 Lean- — (sheds)
 - 123 Locale of Sp.
 - 124 U-turn from WNW
 - 125 Game akin to crazy eights
 - 126 Civil War southerner



The road to winning defense

Contract Bridge

By Steve Becker

East dealer. North-South vulnerable.

NORTH

- ♠ 6 2
- ♥ K J 5
- ♦ A Q J 4
- ♣ J 8 5 3

WEST

- ♠ J 9 7 5 3
- ♥ 10 8 2
- ♦ 6 3
- ♣ 9 7 4

EAST

- ♠ A Q 4
- ♥ 9 6 4 3
- ♦ K 8 2
- ♣ Q 10 6

SOUTH

- ♠ K 10 8
- ♥ A Q 7
- ♦ 10 9 7 5
- ♣ A K 2

The bidding:

East South West North
Pass 1 NT Pass 3 NT
Opening lead — five of spades.

Point count can be used not only during the bidding, but also during the play. In this deal from a team match, point count proved to be very helpful. The contract was three notrump, and at both tables West led a spade. At the first table, East took the ace and returned the queen, which declarer ducked. A third spade was taken by the king, and the ten of diamonds was led and finessed. The finesse lost to the king, but since East had no more spades to lead and West had no entry card to cash his spades, South made three notrump.

At the second table, the contract went down one after East played the queen of spades on the opening trick rather than the ace. Declarer could not be blamed for taking the queen with the king and trying the diamond

South was known to have at least 15 points for his opening notrump bid, accounting for 38 of the 40 points in the deck, East was in a position to know that West had at most two points. Consequently, West could not have a side entry to cash his spades. East therefore played the queen to force out the king and in that way create an entry to his partner's hand. Note that South could have thwarted East's play by ducking the queen of spades at trick one, but he was naturally afraid that the whole spade suit would be run against him if, as was certainly possible, West held five or six spades headed by the A-J.

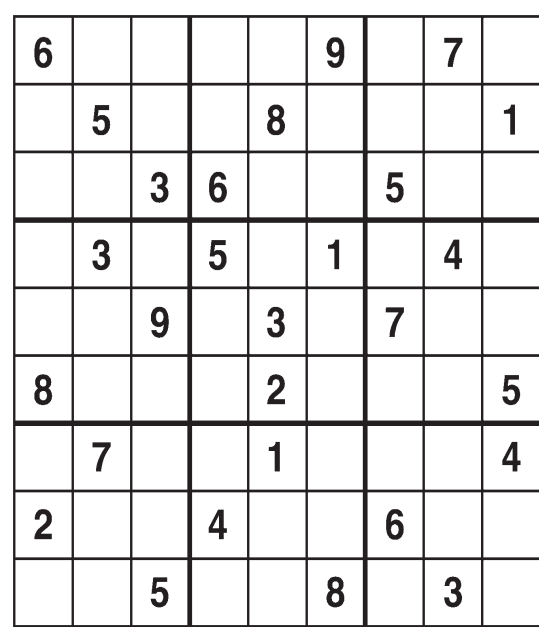
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1. MYTHOLOGY: What was Charlybdis in ancient literature?
 2. TELEVISION: Who was the original host of the game show "Let's Make a Deal"?
 3. U.S. STATES: What is the capital of South Dakota?
 4. HISTORY: When was the Securities and Exchange Commission established to regulate sales of stocks and bonds?
 5. GEOGRAPHY: What U.S. city's seal includes a phoenix, which symbolizes its rise from destruction in the Civil War?
 6. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE: Where are the British Crown Jewels displayed?
 7. FOOD & DRINK: What is tequila made from?
 8. MOVIES: Who earned a second supporting actor Oscar for his performance in "The Cider House Rules"?
 9. ANATOMY: What kind of tissue connects bones and joints?
 10. LITERATURE: What was the pseudonym of author Hector Hugh Munro?
- Answers
1. A whirlpool sometimes described as a sea monster
 2. Monty Hall
 3. Pierre
 4. 1934, after the 1929 stock market crash
 5. Atlanta
 6. The Tower of London
 7. Blue agave
 8. Michael Caine
 9. Ligament
 10. Saki

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.

DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆

- ◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging
- ◆◆◆ HOO BOY!

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Bold Jumping Spider

Little spider with big personality

If you have been a follower of this column for any length of time, you have read about my opinions on favoritism multiple times, whether it be a movie, a food group, music or even a different animal species. Well once again, I would like to write about another one of my favorites, this time an agile little creature with four pairs of legs.



Wild About Texas

Michael Price

Jumping Spiders are a large and diverse group of spiders that can be observed throughout the United States and Mexico. Taxonomically speaking, this family is represented by forty-five genera and one hundred one species in Texas alone. The specimens that are the best known in this area are the fifteen species that belong to the genus Phidippus, with the most commonly observed species being Phidippus audax, otherwise known as the Bold Jumping Spider.

Bold Jumping Spiders, like other species of arachnids, have a body that consists of two parts (the cephalothorax and the abdomen) as well as the customary eight legs, although the legs are much hairier than most other species. The front two legs are by far the longest and heaviest, and that characteristic, coupled with the abdomen typically being much more slender than the cephalothorax, gives this spider the appearance of a miniature body-builder. The dorsal coloration is mostly black and there is usually a large light spot in the center of the upper-side of the abdo-

men. This spot is generally white in adults, while in juveniles it can be yellow or orange in coloration. Females are slightly larger in size than males, reaching a total body length up to 3/4 of an inch, while males only attain a size of 1/2 an inch.

There are a few characteristics that can be utilized to distinguish Bold Jumpers from other species of spiders. One of these characteristics is the eye arrangement. In Phidippus species, the eyes on the very front of the body are quite large, almost giving this spider a humanoid look about it. By adding to this the presence of hair tufts, much like eyebrows, above the front eyes, and the resemblance is just that much more apparent. The other six eyes are much smaller and are arranged in a square-shaped area behind the front eyes. Another characteristic is the coloration of the chelicerae, which is a basically just a big word for the front jaw area. The chelicerae is brightly colored with an iridescent blue or more commonly in west Texas, an iridescent green.

As the name implies,

this species of spider is capable of jumping to either escape a perceived predator or to ambush its prey. It has been estimated that Jumping Spiders can leap up to 10 times the length of their body. Generally, the move is quick, jerky movements, only using the ability of leaping for the above mentioned reasons.

This species of spider is an eloquent hunter, utilizing the vision of its large eyes, leaping ability and robust body size to overpower many types of smaller invertebrates, including many that are considered to be either harmful or a nuisance. Prey items include flies, boll weevils, tobacco budworms, bollworms, and leafworms.

The Bold Jumping Spider inhabits many different habitats, and it often found in and around human dwellings. The facts that they are black in coloration (many people naturally assume that any black spider is a Black Widow), are not very shy, and can leap large distances make many people fear this beautiful and harmless little insect-eater and many are killed needlessly. If one is to overcome any natural (or unnatural) fear of spiders, this minute little bundle of personality is a prime candidate to watch and enjoy.



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- **Mill Creek lots:** \$35,000 - \$45,000
- **Hidden Springs lots:** \$42,721 - \$57,900
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FOR SALE

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Antiques at Salado

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Massage Therapy - Salado Fitness, 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. daily - by appointment only. Same day available (254) 338-9564 Heather LMT. 1/14tfn

The Remedy- Massage Therapy. TheRemedySalado.com, Libby Nichols MT044934. 113 N. Stagecoach Rd. Suite 5. (254)624-7912.

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Home on acreage in Mill Creek. 4 BR, 3 BA, two dining, two living and office. Separate room above garage and additional bedroom or storage. 26 x 21 game room for additional living area off of breakfast area. Private backyard with mature trees. Master Suite has two walk-in closets and separate shower/bath. Building in back yard could be used as another office or workout room. 2209 Highland Drive, Salado. \$435,021. Century 21 Bill Bartlett 947-5050.

4 BR, 3 BA home in the heart of Mill Creek. Recently updated kitchen to include custom cabinets and granite counter tops. Two living areas with updated flooring. Open floorplan with living, breakfast and kitchen in one large area. 1602 Mill Creek Drive, Salado. \$239,721. Century 21 Bill Bartlett 947-5050.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

The SALADO ISD will hold a public meeting at 6:00 PM 08/31/2016 in Salado Civic Center, 601 NORTH MAIN ST., SALADO, TX 76571. **The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the school district's budget that will determine the tax rate that will be adopted. Public participation in the discussion is invited.**

The tax rate that is ultimately adopted at this meeting or at a separate meeting at a later date may not exceed the proposed rate shown below unless the district publishes a revised notice containing the same information and comparisons set out below and holds another public meeting to discuss the revised notice.

Maintenance Tax	\$1.040000 /\$100	(Proposed rate for maintenance and operations)
School Debt Service Tax Approved by Local Voters	\$0.183800 /\$100	(Proposed rate to pay bonded indebtedness)

Comparison of Proposed Budget with Last Year's Budget

The applicable percentage increase or decrease (or difference) in the amount budgeted in the preceding fiscal year and the amount budgeted for the fiscal year that begins during the current tax year is indicated for each of the following expenditure categories:

Maintenance and operations	6.745000% (increase) or	% (decrease)
Debt service	% (increase) or	-3.306000% (decrease)
Total expenditures	5.806000% (increase) or	% (decrease)

Total Appraised Value and Total Taxable Value (as calculated under section 26.04, Tax Code)

	Preceding Tax Year	Current Tax Year
Total appraised value* of all property	\$1,018,794,680	\$1,056,524,644
Total appraised value* of new property**	\$22,925,612	\$27,053,257
Total taxable value*** of all property	\$716,257,923	\$753,008,771
Total taxable value*** of new property**	\$22,442,065	\$25,270,443

* "Appraised value" is the amount shown on the appraisal roll and defined by Section 1.04(8), Tax Code.

** "New property" is defined by Section 26.012(17), Tax Code.

*** "Taxable value" is defined by Section 1.04(10), Tax Code.

Bonded Indebtedness

Total amount of outstanding and unpaid bonded indebtedness: \$18,570,000

* Outstanding principal

Comparison of Proposed Rates with Last Year's Rates

	Maintenance & Operations	Interest & Sinking Fund*	Total	Local Revenue Per Student	State Revenue Per Student
Last Year's Rate	\$1.040000	\$0.235500*	\$1.275500	\$5,501	\$2,687
Rate to Maintain Same Level of Maintenance & Operations Revenue & Pay Debt Service	\$1.072570	\$0.225180*	\$1.297750	\$5,056	\$3,050
Proposed Rate	\$1.040000	\$0.183800*	\$1.223800	\$5,125	\$2,916

* The Interest & Sinking Fund tax revenue is used to pay for bonded indebtedness on construction, equipment, or both. The bonds, and the tax rate necessary to pay those bonds, were approved by the voters of this district.

Comparison of Proposed Levy with Last Year's Levy on Average Residence

	Last Year	This Year
Average Market Value of Residences	\$220,795	\$227,948
Average Taxable Value of Residences	\$195,478	\$202,835
Last Year's Rate Versus Proposed Rate per \$100 Value	\$1.275500	\$1.223800
Taxes Due on Average Residence	\$2,493.32	\$2,482.29
Increase (Decrease) in Taxes	\$0.00	\$-11.03

Under state law, the dollar amount of school taxes imposed on the residence homestead of a person 65 years of age or older or of the surviving spouse of such a person, if the surviving spouse was 55 years of age or older when the person died, may not be increased above the amount paid in the first year after the person turned 65, regardless of changes in tax rate or property value.

Notice of Rollback Rate: The highest tax rate the district can adopt before requiring voter approval at an election is 1.260400. This election will be automatically held if the district adopts a rate in excess of the rollback rate of 1.260400.

Fund Balances

The following estimated balances will remain at the end of the current fiscal year and are not encumbered with or by a corresponding debt obligation, less estimated funds necessary for operating the district before receipt of the first state aid payment:

Maintenance and Operations Fund Balance(s)	\$3,814,922
Interest & Sinking Fund Balance(s)	\$0



Temple Civic Theater presents *Clyde Clupek as Brad Majors; Avery Ling as Janet Weissin in The Rocky Horror Show*

The Rocky Horror Show

You may have heard of midnight showings of the "The Rocky Horror Picture Show" movie, but did you realize that it was first a stage musical upon which the 1975 cult film was based?

Temple Civic Theatre will present four productions of the original "The Rocky Horror Show" on Friday and Saturday, August 12 and 13. The group will perform twice each evening — at 8 and 11 p.m. Reserved seat tickets are \$20.

The show began in London in 1973, paying homage to classic science fiction and B-grade horror movies. It was written over a six-month period by an out-of-work actor named Richard O'Brien, who played Riff Raff in the movie version.

Newly-engaged couple Brad and Janet set out to visit an old professor. A thunderstorm and a flat tire force them to seek help at the castle of Dr. Frank-N-Furter, a flirtatious alien mad scientist, who is celebrating the birth of his Frankenstein-like creation "Rocky Horror."

The show, which is not included in the theatre's main-series season, is rated PG-13 for adult content. It is being directed by Natasha Tolleson, award-winning director of the Temple High School theatre arts program.

"There are some differences between the original stage play and the movie," said Tolleson. "These include having an usherette character not in the movie, an extra verse in one song,

and two songs that were deleted for the movie."

The show is being sponsored by LifeLike Dental Studio, Stella Artois and Jack Hilliard Distributing Company.

Costumes are welcomed, but not required, during the performances. Typically, at midnight showings of the film, many people dress up as a character from the movie. Audience participation is part of the fun experience at the show. A limited number of props kits will be sold for each performance with instructions of when and how to use them. Kits include a balloon, glow sticks, newspaper, glove, noisemaker, toilet paper, bell, sponge and playing cards.

The cast includes Clyde Clupek, Brad Majors; Avery Ling, Janet Weiss; Brad Huckabay, Riff Raff; Megan Foutz, Magenta & Usherette; Emma Tolleson, Columbia; Rusty Schramm, Dr. Frank-n- Furt-er; Gavin Been, Rocky; Nicholas Winkler, Eddie; Evan Clawson, Dr. Everett Scott; and Richard Tolleson, narrator.

The chorus (known as Phantoms) includes Rebecca Alley, Melanie Foutz, Danny Martinez, Latrice Scott and Scott Searles. "Time Warp" dancers include Anne Cicciariello, Rebecca Johnson and Alexz Siprian.

Temple Civic Theatre is located at 2413 S. 13th St., behind the Summit Recreation Center. More information is on the theatre website, www.TempleCivicTheatre.org

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Salado Volunteer Fire Department Report August 1-7

August 1
4:59-5:31 p.m., 1100 Block Shady Oaks. Out to a priority 2 traumatic injury, reduced to priority 3. 1" laceration under left eye. Patient was aware and denied any further injury. Patient had been in an altercation with an individual and been hit with a fist in the face. Performed evaluation and obtained vitals signs. Patient was aware and refused any further treatment. Applied 4x4 bandage under eye and told patient to go to seek further treatment. Refusal documentation signed. 1 unit, 3 personnel.

10:08-10:34 p.m., 7400 Block FM 2484. Dispatched priority 2 for a female with an unknown problem. Arrived on scene to find a female patient that admitted to ETOH use but had no complaints. The male on scene stated he called because the female had been drinking. Fire Department obtained vitals signs and Scott & White Medic arrived on scene and a report was given to the responding Medic. Assisted Scott & White, Scott & White no transport. 2 units, 4 personnel.

August 2
4:16-5:24 p.m., 4800 Block Three Forks Rd. Dispatched for mutual aid with Little River. Used 400 gallons of water. Little River released and clear back to station. Approximately 5 acres, people cutting hay. 3 nits, 7 personnel.

8:19-8:56 p.m., 400 Block Salado Creek Place. Out for a male patient with difficulty breathing. Arrived on scene to find the patient needing help. Assisted patient and moved to kitchen. Obtained vitals and charted. Scott & White Medic arrived on scene and took over patient care. Assisted loading patient to ambulance. Scott & White transported. 2 units, 3 personnel.

11:14-11:39 p.m., 1000 Block Doves Landing. Out for a priority 3 male patient. Went en route and arrived on scene with Medic. Assisted with moving patient to stretcher and into ambulance. Medic transported patient. 2 units, 4 personnel.

August 3
9:44-10:23 a.m., 9900

Block FM 1670. Out for a female patient with high blood pressure. Arrived on scene to find patient sitting on chair. Patient complaint of chest pain with high blood pressure. Obtained vitals and charted. Scott & White Medic arrived on scene and took over patient care. Scott & White transported. 2 units, 2 personnel.

8:32-9:04 p.m., 7100 Block FM 1670. Rescue 1 requested to 7100 Block FM 1670 for a male bleeding. Arrived on scene to find male patient laying in driveway. Patient had prior bilateral BKA. His right stump had large avulsion with bone and muscle exposed. Patient stated he fell out of his wheelchair and landed on something sharp. Direct pressure was applied to patient. Bleeding was not controlled. Cat 5 tourniquet was applied high and tight. Bleeding was controlled this time. Tourniquet time and date was applied to device. Patient Scott & White EMS arrived on scene. Patient report turned over to EMS crew. Patient transported emergency traffic. 1 unit, 4 personnel.

August 4
4:26-5:15 p.m., 9000 Block FM 2484. Out priority 3 to a 25 year old female with pregnancy issue. Went en route and arrived on scene to find the patient sitting on couch in the house. Upon arrival patient was aware and had no dizziness. Got vials on patient and charted them. Monitored patient until Scott & White arrived on scene and took over patient care. Assisted with loading patient. Scott & White transported.

2:07-2:42 p.m., 280 SB I-35. Out for a grass fire in the median of the highway. Arrived on scene to find 3 separate fires in the SB median between the 282 and 281 SB. Extinguished the fires with approximate-

ly 1,500 gallons of water. Area burned equaled around 1 acre. 3 units, 6 personnel.

2:53-3:04 p.m., 280 NB I-35. Out to an 8 year old female with ineffective breathing/choking. Went en route but was advised by center that the caller was leaving the scene and was going to take child to ER. Per POV since child breathing became normal. Canceled. 2 units, 4 personnel.

10:09-10:18 a.m., 9000 Block FM 1670. Out for a fire alarm. Arrived on scene to find the homeowner meeting us at gate. He advised oil in pan was on stove started smoking but he did not need fire department. 2 units, 2 personnel.

9:22-9:51 p.m., Grainger Rd. Out to a Motor Vehicle Accident with unknown injuries. Arrived on scene to find 1 vehicle in the fence. No one around, notified dispatch of findings. DPS arrived on scene and took over scene and no further need for fire department. 4 units, 7 personnel.

August 6
11:59 a.m.- 12:18 p.m., 1200 Block Fairway Circle. Out priority 2 for a 83 year old female with chest pain. Went en route and arrived on scene to find the patient sitting in her recliner. Assessed patient and placed her on the monitor. Vitals were taken charted. Medic arrived on scene and took over patient care. Assisted with moving patient to stretcher and into ambulance. Medic transported. 2 units, 6 personnel.

8:49-9:03 p.m., 2268 and Baines. Dispatched to a possible vehicle on fire. Arrived on scene in the area and started looking. Searched area and found nothing. 2 units, 9 personnel.

9:25-9:43 p.m., I-35 Southbound MM 283. Witnessed a single vehicle Motor Vehicle Collision on I-35 while en route back to station 2. Arrived on scene to find one vehicle with minor damage to front end. Investigated for injuries and found that nobody wanted medical help. Helped move vehicle off roadway to a safe area. 2 units, 8 personnel.

August 7
4:17-5:01 p.m., I-35 South Service Rd. and Thomas Arnold Rd. Drove up on the scene of a two car collision at I-35 Service Rd. South and Thomas Arnold R. Both vehicle had minor Damage one vehicle had airbag deployment, two patients no injuries and neither one wanted EMS or to go to the hospital. Remained on scene until police department arrived. 3 units, 6 personnel.

4:08-4:47 p.m., 286 NB. Out to a Motor Vehicle Accident unknown injuries. Arrived on scene to find a 2 vehicle accident with moderate damage. Checked for injuries and found 5 patients no injuries. Set up scene safety and traffic control with Salado Police. Scott & White arrived on scene and got a no transport on patients. Once vehicle were removed from roadway all units cleared. 5 units, 8 personnel.

Salado Police Dept. Report Aug. 1-7

August 1
8:22-8:51 a.m., 2484 and IH-35. Dispatched for an oversized load that was stuck and needed to back up the roadway, me and James Construction blocked the road and moved signs and cones out of the way so the vehicle could back up and get off the road. The vehicle pulled into the Holiday Inn parking lot and I cleared.

9:36 a.m. Miscellaneous, funeral escort from funeral home to Salado Cemetery.

8:20-8:21 a.m., Blylock and Indian Trial. Traffic Hazard, caller at above location for Traffic Hazard. Arrived nothing in the roadway.

August 2
2:22 p.m., 200 Block Mill Creek Dr. Theft, call for theft at above location. Report on file.

August 3
6:57-7:00 p.m., 100 Block Royal View. Miscellaneous, caller states deceased deer in roadway. Patrolled area twice. Roadway is open. Unable to locate.

7:27-7:30 p.m., 100 Block Royal View. Miscellaneous, recall on deceased deer. Caller now states it's on her porch vs. in the road. Removal options explained. Clear.

August 4
5:00-5:22 p.m., 1000 Block Chelsea. Suspicious Vehicle, red in color For pickup. Vehicle parks on street for two to three days at a time. Vehicle legally parked. Checked with employees at Egbert Auto. Subject driving suspicious vehicle is a customer that parks on Chelsea and walks to garage.

11:18-11:21 p.m., 15000 Block S. I-35.

Agency Assist, welfare concern. Caller states child in diapers running SB on the NB service road. Multiple units checked the area, including businesses and side roads, on foot and from vehicle. Unable to locate.

August 6
9:31-9:48 p.m., IH35 and FM 2268. Observed a white in color Chevy Tahoe with it's hood up. I pulled up on the vehicle and learned the hood latch had broken causing the hood to fly up and hit the windshield and block their view. The vehicle tried to stop but before it did it struck the metal barricade on the right side. No damage was done to the barricade and minor damage was received to the vehicle. The driver asked for a blue form and an event number to be issued. She was given both and later departed the scene.

4:18 p.m., Park at the Creek. (Sugar Shack Side). Canine-other, loose dog in the creek. Owner was advised to put the dog on a leash.

August 7
4:47 p.m., Crash. 2:32 p.m., Salado Creek (Royal Side). Welfare Concern, call for kids at the creek swimming and playing with rocks in the creek by Caller. Contacted Game Warden, they will be out later in the evening.

5:19 p.m., 100 Block of Thomas Arnold. Crash, arrived on scene at Robertson and Thomas Arnold where I took over the two vehicle Crash for Salado. Nobody was injured and both vehicles were driven away. I'm clear with a Crash report on file.

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By MELINDA MYERS

Too much or not enough water and never when you need it seems to be a common lament of gardeners. Reduce the impact of these weather challenges while conserving water, saving money on water and sewer bills, and growing beautiful gardens with the help of rain barrels. These century old devices are making a comeback as droughts, watering restrictions and storm water runoff are on the rise.



Contact your local municipality before getting started. Some communities have regulations and guidelines for using rain barrels and many offer rebates to homeowners who install them.

Start your conversion to rain barrels one downspout at a time. You can capture as much as 623 gallons of water from 1,000 square feet of roof in a one-inch rainfall. This can be a lot to manage when first adapting to this change of habit. Taking little steps allows you to successfully match the use of rain barrels to your gardening style and schedule.

Make your own or purchase one of the many rain barrels on the market. Regardless of which vessel you choose there are some features to consider when adding a rain barrel to your landscape.

Make sure the top is covered to keep out debris and mosquitoes. Or select one with a solid lid and opening just large enough to accommodate the downspout.

Look for one with a spigot low on the barrel, so water does not stagnate at the bottom. Use the spigot to fill watering cans or attach a hose. Elevate the barrel on cinder blocks or a decorative stand for easier access and to increase water pressure.

Make sure there is an overflow outlet to direct excess water away from your home's foundation. Or use it to link several barrels together, increasing your water collecting capacity. A downspout diverter is another way to manage rain barrel overflows. When the rain barrels are full this device diverts the water back to the downspout where it is carried away from your

home's foundation.

And the good news is you don't need to overlook beauty for function. You'll find many attractive options in a variety of shapes and sizes in garden centers and online catalogs such as Gardener's Supply (gardeners.com). Some include a recessed top for storing accessories or growing a potted plant. You'll find ones with decorative finishes that mimic a basketweave, fine terra cotta or wood. Those with a flat backside like the Madison rain barrel fit right next to the house, saving space.

Rain water is naturally softened and free of fluoride and chlorine; great for plants. Do not use rain barrel water for drinking, cooking or your pets. Avoid concerns of contamination from roofing materials and debris by only using the water for ornamental plants.

Maintenance is easy. Check for and remove twigs and debris that may collect and block the flow of water. Clean the inside of the barrel at least once a year with an environmentally friendly detergent. Those in cold climates need to drain the rain barrel and cover the opening or turn it upside down for winter storage. Make sure to divert the water away from the house once the downspout is disconnected.

Don't worry about mosquitoes. Covering the opening with a fine screen and using the water on a regular basis will minimize the risk. Or use the eco-friendly bacterial

agent *Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis* (Bti) that kills mosquito larvae, but is safe for pets, people and wildlife.

Now is the time to start putting rainwater to work for you and your garden. Look for convenient locations for collecting and using rainwater from the roof of your home, shed or garage. A little effort put in now will result in benefits for years to come.

Melinda Myers has more than 30 years of horticulture experience and has written over 20 gardening books, including *Small Space Gardening* and the *Midwest Gardener's Handbook*. She hosts *The Great Courses* "How to Grow Anything: Food Gardening For Everyone" DVD set and the nationally syndicated *Melinda's Garden Moment* TV & radio segments. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for *Birds & Blooms* magazine and was commissioned by *Gardener's Supply Company* for her expertise to write this article. Myers' web site is www.melindamyers.com.

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TO: ROS ST. JOHN AND THE HEIRS AT LAW OF CORALIE EILEEN ST. JOHN

Greetings:
You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the Monday next after the expiration of 42 days after the date of service, hereof a copy of which accompanies this citation, in cause number 283,978-B before the Honorable 146th District Court of Bell County, at the Court House in Belton, Texas. Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25TH of March, 2016.

The file number of said suit being No. 283,978-B

The names of the parties in said suit are: Coralie Eileen St. John and Ros St. John and the Heirs at Law of Coralie Eileen St. John, Deceased.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: **You are hereby notified that suit has been brought by U.S. Bank, N.A Successor Trustee to Wachovia Bank, N.A, Plaintiff, sued Coralie St. John and Ros St. John and the Heirs at Law of Coralie Eileen St. John, Deceased, Defendants.**

The Petition seeks an order to foreclose the lien on the property and assert a claim to the property located at 7089 North Lakeview Drive, Salado, TX 76571, and legally described as: BEING LOT NUMBER THIRTY-ONE-A IN BLOCK NUMBER ONE OF REVISED SUBDIVISION PLAT OF HODGE ROCKING H RANCH PHASE II, BELL COUNTY, TX ACCORDING TO THE PLAT OF RECORD ON CABINET "A", SLIDE 12-C AND 12-D OF THE PLAT RECORDS OF BELL COUNTY, TX.

NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you are your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of forty two days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you.

Requested by: Keith A. Taylor, 13105 Northwest Freeway, Suite 1200, Houston, TX 77040. Phone: (713)-462-2565, Fax: (847)-879-4854.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Belton, Texas, this the 8th day of August, A.D. 2016.

Joanna Staton, District Clerk
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District Court, Bell County, Texas

By _____ A. Clement _____ Deputy

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Clerk's

TDA Market Recap August 8, 2016

For the week ending Aug. 5, 2016, Texas feeder cattle auctions reported prices steady to \$12 higher. Texas Weekly Direct reported prices \$1 to \$5 higher. Wholesale Beef values were mixed, with Choice Grade gaining \$1.30 to close at \$199.00 per hundredweight (cwt) and Select Grade losing \$0.65 to close at \$190.20 per cwt. For the time period of July 25-31, the USDA NASS Field Office reported range and pastures conditions across the state declined slightly due to heat stress and windy conditions, but overall were rated as 75 percent in fair to good condition. Hay baling was active in many areas last week. Livestock remained in mostly good condition throughout the state. For the time period of July 22-28, export-

ers reported net sales of 10,300 metric tons for 2016, which were down 50 percent from the previous week and 35 percent from the prior four-week average. Increases were reported for South Korea, Japan and Taiwan. Exports totaled 14,600 MT, which were up two percent from the previous week and nine percent from the prior four-week average. The primary destinations were Japan, South Korea and Mexico.

Cotton prices were higher at the end of last week, with cash prices gaining 2.75 cents to close at 74.12 cents per pound and October futures prices gaining 2.47 cents to close at 76.64 cents per pound. The USDA NASS Field Office reported that cotton development continued to

progress ahead of normal across most of the state. In the Coastal Bend and Lower Valley, producers were defoliating cotton and beginning to harvest. Cotton bolls were opening in the Upper Coast and South Texas. Net upland sales totaled 38,400 round bales (RB) for 2015-2016 — a marketing-year low — and were down 14 percent from the previous week and 59 percent from the prior four-week average. Increases were reported for Vietnam, Pakistan and China. Exports totaled 226,700 RB, which were up 25 percent from the previous week and 10 percent from the prior four-week average. The primary destinations were Vietnam, Turkey and Pakistan.

Wheat prices were higher at the end of last

week, with cash and futures prices both gaining \$0.03 to close at \$3.17 per bushel and \$4.12 per bushel, respectively. Net sales totaled 326,500 MT for 2016-2017, which were down 36 percent from the previous week and 39 percent from the prior four-week average. Increases were reported for Nigeria, Guatemala and South Korea. Exports totaled 578,200 MT, which were up five percent from the previous week and 30 percent from the prior four-week average. The primary destinations were the Philippines, China and Yemen.

Corn prices were lower at the end of last week with cash and futures prices both losing \$0.02 to close at \$3.17 per bushel and \$3.24 per bushel respec-

tively. The USDA NASS Field Office reported in the Southern Plains, the Blacklands, and Edwards Plateau, sorghum was maturing and getting ready for harvest. Sugarcane aphid populations continued to be a concern for sorghum producers in the High Plains and Blacklands. Corn harvest continued in the Upper Coast and South Texas. Net sales totaled 331,100 MT for 2015-2016; this was down 25 percent from the previous week and 27 percent from the prior four-week average. Increases were reported for Egypt, Japan and Vietnam. Exports totaled 1,138,500 MT, which were down 18 percent from the previous week and 11 percent from the prior four-week average. The primary destina-

tions were Japan, Mexico and Vietnam. Grain sorghum cash prices were down, losing \$0.03 to close at \$4.62 per cwt.

Milk prices were higher at the close of last week, with August Class III milk futures gaining \$0.11 to close at \$17.10 per cwt.

This week's U.S. Drought Monitor for Texas showed worsening drought conditions for the state, with 34.65 percent of Texas still in some stage of drought intensity, up 2.32 percentage points from last week. Additionally, up 0.64 of the state remains in severe, extreme or exceptional drought. On the national level, drought conditions worsened slightly as well, with 50.93 percent of the U.S. experiencing abnormal dryness or some degree of drought.



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